

In the areas referred to under C and D above, the police and gendarmerie mission should participate in general administration to an extent varying according to the standard reached by the local authorities and the nature of the problems to be solved.

(2) *Economic Development*

A. Possibility for foreigners to participate in the economic development of the country (land tenure, mining regulations, exercise of commercial and industrial activities).

B. Foreign trade; economic equality on a basis of reciprocity.

C. Public works and communications.

D. Posts, telegraphs and telephones.

(3) *Finance*

A. Drawing-up of the budget and supervision of State expenditure.

B. Assessment and collection of taxes, fees and dues.

C. Establishment and operation of fiscal monopolies.

D. Studies in connection with the loans which would be required for the development of the country or the carrying out of certain reforms; if necessary, control of pledges assigned to the service of the loans.

(4) *Other Public Services*

A. Justice:

Reorganisation of the mixed courts which try cases between foreigners and Ethiopians.

Native Justice.

B. Education.

C. Public Health.

3. INTERNAL STRUCTURE OF THE ORGANISATION FOR ASSISTANCE

If their mission is to bring results, the foreign specialists, even where not invested with special administrative powers, must be able to rely on the effective co-operation of the Ethiopian authorities whom they are assisting. Furthermore, if their work is to be effectual, it must be co-ordinated.

It would be expedient to provide a central organism, both to co-ordinate the work of the assistance services and to secure for them the necessary support of the Ethiopian Government.

A principal adviser would be placed at the head of each of the four public services or groups of public services mentioned in the previous section.

The principal advisers might either:

(a) Be subordinate to a person who would be both their chief and at the same time the delegate of the League of Nations accredited to the Emperor; or

(b) Form a commission presided over by one of them, who would be the delegate of the League of Nations.