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Leave Pay (Exchange Benefit)

Consider essential to continue present system of paying salaries at 15 Rs to found etc officers active serving locally as provided for in Article 13 CA Order Compte 1905. Note well, that leave pay must be paid by company locally at current rate of exchange except in case of foreign railway employees whose salaries quoted in Rupees must be allowed in rupees when pay in rupees cannot be had.

W. B. Butler - Major Garrison

(1) do you agree, please, that Article 13 of Ord. 1905 (copy enclosed). binds us to pay officers in sterling £ salaries at Rs. 15 to the £?

(2) as regards Railway or other officials whose salaries are calculated on basis of exchange rates as shown in figures.

Do you agree that they must be allowed to derive the benefit of exchange? If so, it puts

the officials on a disadvantage & will cause much trouble.

do not. The Act only requires of all class general
allowance 15 rupees per day if you like to calculate
it by paying £ overseas for it does not say that if
you owe £ 15 in rupees you must pay 15 rupees - so do not

to my opinion, mean it.

Q Yes. People &ayable in Europe
and the latter, if fair in this country, to
be paid at the current rate of exchange.

Mr. Eustice A.B. 28/6/19

Very sincerely

This makes it all the more unsatisfactory
that the European officials will not be
allowed the benefit of the exchange. I have
already had a complaint made by an
official just such as I participated in
33128/19. & I am quite sure that a
certain number have actually arranged
their payment before coming or leave
the African Section in 2. Sept unQUOTE
on 33128/19 could be called out, & return
from the very beginning as far as I say
that we w^t absolutely refuse to consider
any application for payment of person really

If decision on 33128/19 went stand, I can
only suggest that we ask. except after this
tel. giving the substance of Mr. Bush's
unQUOTE but it will create the greatest
satisfaction - & I am bound to say
that I think there will be grounds for the
majority of officials to oppose

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20.6.19

One tel. on 33128 said that
if it was considered necessary
to come into the pay ready at
Rs 15 we would agree to it temporarily.

So ~~and~~ as question arises at
the moment, & we are going to
have a conference tomorrow on
Optimum currency arrangement,
which may make the rupee
stationary at £15 in East Africa.

As to other rupee nations, they
cannot go on as at present - i.e.
the others will have the
benefit of the exchange. If the
new currency scheme takes
effect they will lose this
advantage but be no worse
off than they were before the
rupee appreciated.

I do not see that any
action is necessary - in
any case one can wait for
the result of the discussions.

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Yrs S. J. T. G.

Mr. B. H. Kelly
Minute from EA attached. The EA have brought the rupee
on a trolley 9th June on 33128/EA/P into effect as from 1st Jan.
Uganda received a similar ruling on 20/1/10/ Uganda. The question

of Zanjibar is now raised on the G.W. Mariner's
file 5431/G.A. You agreed that we had better raise
the question of Zanjibar by tele. or tell G.A. that
Somaliland v G.E.A. could wait until a concensus
or the general question is more settled.

PHS J.C.
14.7.14

W.G.
14.7.14 above

P.
Misc 867.

Mr. Collier

? for that date

Mr. Bottomley.

Colonial Office.

With reference to the 3rd paragraph of
Colonial Office letter 36481, 1919 of the 25th
September, regarding officials of ~~Eastern Africa~~
whose salaries are fixed in rupees, can you
from what date this decision takes effect?

Mr. Pearce

Pay Dept.
Crown Agents.
4/10/1919.

Mr. Bottomley

I suggest that the ruling on the
re-patriated officials, which is given
in para 3 of C.O. letter 36481/19, should
be held to apply to all such officials
as leave in England on 25 Sept or
subsequently & should be made
self-operative retroactive in respect of any payment
of leave salary made before 25 Sept
such officials who were born or been
at that date. Adpt 16.10.19

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Mr. Calder, Pp below
With Memorandum
Colonial Office.

As stated on the telephone to-day we have recently received a telegram from East Africa stating that the leave salary of various officials whose salaries are paid locally, will after May last be paid at the current rate of exchange and not at the previous fixed exchange of 1/4 to the rupee.

Can you say, please, if this arrangement also applies to all the East African Protectorates.


Crown Agents,
Pay Dept.
1/7/19.

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Telegram from the Governor of the East Africa Protectorate to
the Secretary of State for the Colonies.

(Received, Colonial Office, 6:20 p.m., 19th June, 1919.)

No. 484. 17th June.

Your telegram 3rd June consider essential to continue present system of paying sterling salaries at 15 rupees to the pound when officers actually serving locally this being provided for in Article 13 East Africa Order in Council 1905. I note your Lordship's ruling that leave pay must be paid by Crown Agents for the Colonies in sterling or locally at current rate of exchange except in special cases ^{for} support of family. But I consider that those railway employees whose salaries are quoted in rupees must be allowed when on leave to draw pay in rupees convertible into current rate of exchange no question sterling having ever entered ~~to~~ into their contract.

NORTHEY.

G. SERVICE

STATUTORY RULES AND ORDERS, 1905.

No. 98.

FOREIGN JURISDICTION.

Africa.

THE EAST AFRICA AND UGANDA (CURRENCY) ORDER IN COUNCIL, 1905.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace the 10th day of February, 1905.

PRESENT

The King's Most Excellent Majesty in Council,

Whereas by Treaty, grant, usage, suffrage, and other lawful means, His Majesty has power and jurisdiction within the East Africa and Uganda Protectorates;

And whereas by an Order in Council made the 19th day of May, 1898, it was enacted that the silver rupee of British India should be the standard coin of the East Africa Protectorate, and that certain subsidiary coins, being coins of British India and of the late Imperial British East Africa Company, should be legal tender in the said Protectorate for the respective amounts therein specified;

And whereas it is expedient that in place of the subsidiary copper coins, made legal tender by the revised Order, new subsidiary copper coins representing decimal parts of the rupee should be substituted;

And whereas it is expedient that the silver rupee of British India should be the standard coin of the Uganda Protectorate, and that the same subsidiary coins should be legal tender for the same respective amounts in East Africa and Uganda;

And whereas it is expedient that British sovereigns should be made legal tender in East Africa and Uganda at the rates specified in this Order;

[Price 2d.]

And whereas it is expedient to provide for the issue of Government paper currency with the two Protectorates;

Now, therefore, His Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the powers by "The Foreign Jurisdiction Act, 1890," or otherwise in His Majesty vested, is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered as follows:-

1. This Order may be cited as "The East Africa and Uganda (Currency) Order in Council, 1902."

2. In this Order the following expressions have the meanings hereby assigned to them unless the context otherwise requires, that is to say:-

"East Africa" means the East Africa Protectorate as defined in the East Africa Order in Council, 1902.

"Uganda" means the Uganda Protectorate as defined in the Uganda Order in Council, 1902.

"The Protectorate" means East Africa or Uganda as the case may require.

The expression "Commissioner" means His Majesty's Commissioner for the Protectorate, and includes the person for the time being administering the Government of the Protectorate.

The expression "Treasury" means the Lord High Treasurer or the Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury.

The expression "Secretary of State" means one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

The expression "person" includes a body of persons corporate or unincorporate.

The expression "Gazette" means the Gazette of the Protectorate.

The expression "current coin" means coin which is at the time being legal tender in the Protectorate.

The expression "imprisonment of either description" means rigorous or simple imprisonment as provided in the Indian Penal Code or any law of the Protectorate.

Words in the singular include the plural, and words in the plural include the singular.

Article 3 of the East Africa Order in Council, 1902, and Article 4 of the Uganda Order in Council, 1902, are incorporated in this Order, for the purpose of application in the Protectorates respectively.

Currency Board

1. A Board of Commissioners (hereinafter in this Order referred to also as "the Currency Board") shall be established for the purposes of this Order, and shall consist of the Treasurer of East Africa, or the person for the time being discharging his duties, and two other persons being others than public servants of East Africa, to be nominated by the Commissioner for East Africa.

2. The Currency Board shall have an office at Mombasa, and also, if the Secretary of State so directs, at Antwerp, and may employ such officers, staff and agents as may be from time to time required for the discharge of its functions.

3. Any act of the Currency Board may be signified in writing under the hands of the Commissioners of Currency.

4. If any nominated member of the Currency Board is for the time being unable to act, the Commissioner may appoint a fit person to act in his place during such inability.

Coin

1. (1) The silver rupee of British India of the standard weight and millesimal fineness specified in the First Schedule to this Order, shall be the standard coin of the Protectorates.

(2) Every contract, sale, payment, bill, note, instrument of security for money, and every transaction, dealing, negotiation or of the liability to pay, any money, shall, on the absence of express agreement to the contrary, be held to be made, executed, entered into, done and had in the Protectorates respectively according to the standard coin.

2. The coin mentioned in the Second Schedule to this Order shall be reckoned as equal to the standard coin.

3. (1) Subsidiary coins may from time to time be coined in the Protectorates under the direction of the Master of Our Mint, or as one of Our Mints in British India, of the denominations, weights and finenesses specified in the Third Schedule to this Order, or of any of those denominations as the Secretary of State may think fit.

(2) Those coins shall be of such form and shall have such inscriptions as may be approved by the Master of Our Mint, and by a Secretary of State, together with an indication of the value of the piece in cents or hundredths of a rupee or otherwise as may be proper.

4. Each coin or note shall be a legal tender for the amount of its denomination.

(d) Each of the subsidiary coins mentioned in the Fourth Schedule to this Order shall be a legal tender for the amount that behalf in that Schedule mentioned.

9.-(1) If the Commissioners of the two Protectorates at any time request that any subsidiary coins of less value than the rupee, whether of silver, copper, bronze, or other metal, or mixed metal be coined, and the Treasury and a Secretary of State approve the request, those subsidiary coins may be coined under the direction of the Master of Our Mint, or one of Our Mints in British India.

(2) The subsidiary coins so coined in this Order referred to as new subsidiary coins shall have either the same impressions as the coins specified in the Third Schedule to the Order or those Order referred coins, existing subsidiary coins, or such other impressions as may be approved by the Master of Our Mint and by a Secretary of State.

(3) Any new subsidiary coin may be of the same denomination as any existing subsidiary coin or of a different denomination.

(4) Every new subsidiary coin shall—

(a) Be of silver, be of the millesimal fineness of eight hundred, and of a standard weight bearing the same proportion to the weight of the standard coins as the denominations of the new coin bears to that rupee; and

(b) Be of copper, bronze, or other metal, or mixed metal, be of the standard weight specified in the Proclamation by virtue of which the coin under this Order becomes legal tender in the Protectorate;

(5) In the making of any existing or new coin a "reindey" or variation from the standard weight, and in the case of silver coins from the standard fineness required by this Order shall be allowed from any existing coin of an amount not exceeding that specified in the Third Schedule to this Order and for any new coin;

(6) As regards mintage of the coins of silver of the amount specified in the Third Schedule to this Order and—

(a) As regards weight— an amount bearing the same proportion;

(b) As regards to the weight of the 20 annas coins referred to in the Third Schedule; and

(c) As regards copper, bronze, or other metal, or mixed metal, to the weight of the 10 annas piece mentioned in the said Schedule;

is the denominations of the coins referred to in those parts respectively.

10.-(1) Any tender of payment of money in the Protectorates, made in standard coins, or any coins specified in the Second, Third or Fourth Schedule to this Order, shall in the amounts not yet been legally dealt with, and when it does, shall become diminished in weight by wear or otherwise, and the amount so less than the weight in that behalf specified in the Schedule to this Order as that part wherein weight be so wear tender.

(2) In the case of rupees for the payment of any amount, and in the case of other coins, coins for the payment of an amount not exceeding a rupee, but for no greater amount;

(3) In the case of coins of copper, or mixed metal, for the payment of an amount not exceeding one-half of a rupee, but for no greater amount;

(4) Each coin shall be a legal tender only for the amount of its denomination;

(5) If any new subsidiary coins are coined under this Order, this Article shall, after the date fixed by the Commissioner or a Secretary of State, setting forth in a Schedule the like particulars with respect to each coin as are set forth in the Third Schedule to this Order, apply to the new subsidiary coins as if the Schedule to the Proclamation were added to the Third Schedule or substituted for that Schedule either as set out in this Article, or as is set out by any previous Proclamation issued under this Article, or for the making of such Schedule, or as is set out in the Proclamation so far as resinded, and the Schedule, or so much thereof as is stated in such Proclamation to be resinded, shall be rescinded accordingly.

10.-(2) For the purposes of this Order a coin shall be deemed to have been legally dealt with where the coin has been impaired, diminished, or lightened, otherwise than by wear and tear, or has been defaced by having any name, word, device, or number stamped or engraved thereon, whether the coin has or has not been thereby dimished or lightened.

(3) Any coin which, by virtue of any Proclamation under this Order, has ceased to be legal tender or which has ceased to be legal tender in British India, or which has been illegally dealt with, or is below the least current weight, may be called in, cut, broken or defaced under the authority of the Commissioner in accordance with such regulations as the Commissioner may make.

11. From and after the commencement of this Order, and until a date to be fixed by the Commissioner by a Proclamation made under the instructions of a Secretary of State, the one-eighth rupee silver coin and the copper, bronze, or mixed metal coins at present current in East Africa under the provisions of the said recited Order, is coined of the pure

1898, shall be a legal tender of payment in either of the Protectorates for any sum not exceeding one-half a rupee, the said coins to continue current until a date so to be fixed by Proclamation, as aforesaid at the same rate as regards the rupee as those at which they may pass.

12. Wherever any denomination of the currency of British India (other than rupees) is specified in any Ordinance, Regulation, Rule, or Contract in force in either of the Protectorates at the commencement of this Order in relation to any payment to be made to or by the Government of that Protectorate, such sums shall be respectively received and paid in the legal subordinate currency established by this Order, or, until the date to be fixed by the said Proclamation, in the subordinate currency established by the said-regulated Order.

The provisions of this Article shall apply to every other contract or engagement, unless it contains any special provision or agreement to the contrary.

The equivalents of the subordinate currency of British India and of the legal subordinate currency established by this Order may be fixed for the purposes of this Article by a Proclamation under this Order.

13. Sovereigns, whether coined at Our Mint in England or at any Mint established as a branch of Our Mint, shall be a legal tender in payment on account of the rate of fifteen rupees for one sovereign. Provided that such coins have not been called in by any Proclamation made in pursuance of the Coinage Act, 1870, or have not lost weight so as to be of less weight than that for the time being prescribed for like coins or under the said Act as the least current weight.

Currency Notes.

14. Subject to the provisions of this Order, the Currency Board may from time to time provide and issue and reissue, an exchange either for current coin or for notes previously issued, under this Order, notes in this Order referred to as "Currency Notes."

15. A currency note shall be a promise on the part of the Government of East Africa to pay to the bearer on demand the amount named therein, and the amount required for such payment shall be charged on the moneys and securities in the hands of the Currency Board under this Order, and on the general revenue of East Africa; and if a sum is required to meet any such note, and the said moneys are insufficient to meet it, the sum shall forthwith be on the demand of the Currency Board be issued under the order of the Commissioner out of such general revenue.

(c) The holder of a currency note shall be entitled to obtain on demand during office hours, at the office of the Currency Board, payment in current coin of the amount expressed in his note.

(d) Currency notes may be subject to the approval of the Secretary of State, for any of the following denominations—namely, no rupees, 50 rupees, 100 rupees, and any multiple of 50 rupees, and the amount of notes of each denomination shall be such as may be fixed by the Currency Board in accordance with the approval of the Secretary of State.

(e) Currency notes shall be in such form, and of such design and printed from such plates and on such paper, and be authenticated in such manner (whether by the signatures of the Commissioners of Currency for the time being, or fac-similes of those signatures or otherwise), as may be approved by the Secretary of State.

(f) The plates shall be prepared and kept, and the notes printed, casted, and cancelled under such regulations as the Secretary of State may make for the purpose of preventing fraud and improper issue.

(g) A currency note shall be a legal tender in either of the Protectorates of the amount expressed therein, except a tender by the Currency Board at their office.

16. (1) Subject as hereinafter mentioned, the coin received in exchange for currency notes shall form the Note Guarantee Fund, and be held by the Currency Board for meeting the payment of the notes, and shall not be applied to any other purpose.

(2) Of the Note Guarantee Fund, a portion in this Order referred to as the coin portion of the fund, not being less than the fixed proportion hereinafter mentioned, shall be invested, and shall be kept in the custody of the Currency Board, and the balance may be invested as hereinafter mentioned, the portion so invested is in this Order referred to as the rested portion of the fund.

(3) The coin portion of the fund shall not be less than the fixed proportion of the notes for the time being in circulation, and if so far as necessary the securities forming the invested portion of the fund shall be sold so as to maintain the coin portion at or above the fixed proportion.

Provided that if the deficiency of the coin portion below the fixed proportion does not exceed one-fourth of that proportion, the sale of securities may, with the consent of the Commissioner, be temporarily postponed for a period not exceeding three months; but until the coin portion amounts to that fixed proportion, no further investment of securities shall be

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FOREIGN JURISDICTION.

Africa.

THE EAST AFRICA AND UGANDA (CURRENCY) ORDER IN COUNCIL, 1905.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 10th day of February, 1905.

PRESENT

The King's Most Excellent Majesty in Council,

Whereas by Treaty, grant, usage, sufferance, and other lawful means, His Majesty has power and jurisdiction within the East Africa and Uganda Protectorates;

And whereas by an Order in Council made the 19th day of May, 1898, it was enacted that the silver rupee of British India should be the standard coin of the East Africa Protectorate, and that certain subsidiary coins, being coins of British India and of the late Imperial British East Africa Company, should be legal tender in the said Protectorate for the respective amounts therein specified;

And whereas it is expedient that in place of the subsidiary copper coins, made legal tender by the recited Order, new subsidiary copper coins representing decimal parts of the rupee should be substituted;

And whereas it is expedient that the silver rupee of British India should be the standard coin of the Uganda Protectorate, and that the same subsidiary coins should be legal tender for the same respective amounts in East Africa and Uganda;

And whereas it is expedient that British sovereigns should be made legal tender in East Africa and Uganda at the rate specified in this Order;

{Price 1d.}

And whereas it is expedient to provide for the issue of Government paper currency with the two Protectorates.

Now, therefore His Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the powers by "The Foreign Jurisdiction Act, 1890," or otherwise in His Majesty vested, is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

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The expression "person" includes a body of persons corporate or unincorporate.

The expression "Gazette" means the Gazette of the Protectorate.

The expression "current coin" means coin which is at the time being legal tender in the Protectorate.

The expression "imprisonment" of either description means rigorous or simple imprisonment as provided in the Indian Penal Code or any law of the Protectorate.

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Article 3 of the East Africa Order in Council, 1902, and Article 3 of the Uganda Order in Council, 1902, are incorporated in this Order, for the purpose of application to the Protectorates respectively.

Currency Board.

(1) A Board of Commissioners of Currency (in this Order referred to also as "the Currency Board") shall be established for the purposes of this Order, and shall consist of the Treasurer of East Africa, or the person for the time being discharging his duties, and two other persons being officers of the public service of East Africa, to be nominated by the Commissioner for East Africa.

(2) The Currency Board shall have an office at Mombasa, and also, if the Secretary of State so directs, at Kampala, and may employ such officers and agents as may be from time to time authorized by the Commissioners.

(3) Any act of the Currency Board may be signified in writing under the hands of the Commissioners of Currency.

(4) If any nominated member of the Currency Board is for the time being unable to act, the Commissioner may appoint a fit person to act in his place during such inability.

Coin.

(1) The silver rupee of British India, of the standard weight and millesimal fineness specified in the First Schedule to this Order, shall be the standard coin of the Protectorates.

(2) Every contract, sale, payment, bill, note, instrument, and security for money, and every transaction, dealing, maturation, and thing whatever relating to money or involving the payment of, or the liability to pay, any money shall, in the absence of express agreement to the contrary, be held to be made, executed, entered into, done, and had in the Protectorates respectively according to the standard coin.

(3) The coin mentioned in the Second Schedule to this Order shall be treated as equal to the standard coin.

(4) Subsidiary coins may from time to time be coined for the Protectorates under the direction of the Master of Our Mint or one of Our Mints in British India, of the denominations, weights, and fineness specified in the Third Schedule to this Order, or of any of those denominations as the Secretary of State may think fit.

(5) These coins shall be of such form and shall have such inscriptions as may be approved by the Master of Our Mint and by a Secretary of State, together with an indication of the value of the piece in cents or hundredths of a rupee or otherwise as may be proper.

(6) Each coin so coined shall be a legal tender for the amount of its denomination.

(4) Each of the subsidiary coins mentioned in the Fourth Schedule to this Order shall be a legal tender for the amount that behalf in that Schedule mentioned.

(5) (1) If the Commissioners of the two Protectorates at any time request that any subsidiary coins of less value than one rupee, whether of silver, copper, bronze, or other metal or mixed metal be coined, and the Treasury and a Secretary of State approve the request, those subsidiary coins may be coined under the direction of the Master of Our Mint, or at one of Our Mints in British India:

(2) The subsidiary coins so coined under this Order referred to as new subsidiary coins shall have either the same impressions as the coins specified in the Third Schedule to this Order or this Order referred to as "existing subsidiary coins", or such other impressions as may be approved by the Master of Our Mint and by a Secretary of State:

(3) Any new subsidiary coin may be of the same denomination as any existing subsidiary coin, or of a different denomination:

7. Every new subsidiary coin shall:

(a) If of silver be of the milledness fineness of eight hundred, and of a standard weight bearing the same proportion to the weight of the standard rupee as the denomination of the new coin bears to that rupee; and

(b) If of copper, bronze, or other metal, or mixed metal, be of the standard weight specified in the Proclamation by virtue of which the coin under this Order becomes legal tender in the Protectorate:

8. In the making of any existing or new coin a "remedy of variation from the standard weight, and in the case of silver coins from the standard fineness required by this Order shall be allowed from any existing coin or an amount not exceeding that specified in the Third Schedule to this Order, and for any new coin:

(a) As regards fineness, if the coin is of silver of the amount specified in the Third Schedule to the Order; and

(b) As regards weight of an amount bearing the same proportion:

(i) If of silver, to the weight of the 25 cent piece mentioned in the said Schedule; and

(ii) If of copper, bronze, or other metal, or mixed metal, to the weight of the 5 cent piece mentioned in the said Schedule;

as the denomination of the new coin bears to those pieces respectively:

9. (1) A tender of payment of money in the Protectorate, in standard coins, or any coin specified in the Second, Third or Fourth Schedule to this Order, which such coins have not been illegally dealt with, and which, if silver, have not become diminished in weight by wear, or otherwise, so as to be less weight than the weight in that Schedule specified in the schedules to this Order, in the milledness, weight, or standard.

(2) In the case of rupees, in the payment of any amount, or in the use of other specie coins for the payment of an amount not exceeding one rupee, but for no greater amount:

(a) In the case of coins of copper or mixed metal, for the payment of an amount not exceeding one-half of a rupee, but for no greater amount;

(b) Each coin shall be a legal tender only for the amount of its denomination:

(c) If any new subsidiary coins are coined under this Order, Article shall, after the date fixed by the Commissioner in a Proclamation, made with the approval of the Treasury and a Secretary of State, setting forth in a Schedule the like particulars with respect to each coin as are set forth in the Third Schedule to this Order, apply to the new subsidiary coins, as if the Schedule to the Proclamation were added to the Third Schedule or substituted for that Schedule, either as set out in this Order, or as altered by any previous Proclamation under this Article, or for so much of such Schedule as is omitted in the Proclamation as is intended, and the remaining or so much thereof as is stated in such Proclamation to be rescinded, shall be rescinded accordingly:

(d) (1) For the purposes of this Order a coin shall be deemed to have been illegally dealt with where the coin has been impaired, diminished, or lightened, otherwise than by fair wear and tear, or has been defaced by having any name, word, device, or number stamped or engraved thereon, whether the coin has or has not been thereby diminished, or lightened.

(2) Any coin which, by virtue of any Proclamation under this Order, has ceased to be legal tender on which has ceased to be legal tender in British India, or which has been illegally dealt with, or is below the last current weight, may be rolled in, cut, broken, or defaced under the authority of the Commissioner, in accordance with such regulations as the Commissioner may make.

He Comm and after the commencement of this Order, and until a date to be fixed by the Commissioner by a Proclamation made under the instructions of a Secretary of State, the one-eighth rupee silver coin and the copper, bronze, or mixed metal coins at present current in East Africa under the provisions of the said recited Order, to-wit, on the 19th May

1897 shall be a legal tender of payment in either of the Protectorates for any sum not exceeding one-half a rupee, the said coins to continue current until a date so to be fixed by Proclamation, as aforesaid at the same rate as regards the rupees of the said British India, that now pass.

12. Wherever any denomination of the currency of British India (other than rupees) is specified in any Ordinance, Proclamation, Regulation, Rule, or Contract in force in either of the Protectorates at the commencement of this Order in relation to any payment to be made to or by the Government of that Protectorate, such sum shall be respectively received and paid in the legal subordinate currency established by this Order, or, until the date to be fixed by the said Proclamation, in the subordinate currency established by the said recited Order.

The provisions of this Article shall apply to every other contract or engagement, unless it contains any special provision or agreement to the contrary.

The equivalents of the subordinate currency of British India and of the legal subordinate currency established by this Order may be fixed for the purposes of this Article by a Proclamation under this Order.

13. Sovereigns, whether coined at Our Mint in England or at our Mint established as a branch of Our Mint, shall be a legal tender in payment or on account of the value of fifteen rupees for one sovereign. Provided that such coins have not been called in by any Proclamation made in pursuance of the Coinage Act, 1870, or have not lost weight so as to be of less weight than that for the time being prescribed for like coins by or under the said Act as the least current weight.

Currency Notes.

14. (1) Subject to the provisions of this Order, the Currency Board may from time to time provide and issue and resume, in exchange either for current coin or for notes previously issued under this Order, notes in this Order referred to as "currency notes."

(2) A currency note shall be a promise on the part of the Government of East Africa to pay to the bearer on demand the amount named therein and the amount required for such payment shall be a charge on the moneys and securities in the hands of the Currency Board under this Order, and on the general revenue of East Africa; and if a sum is required to meet any such note, and the said moneys are insufficient to meet it, the sum shall forthwith, on the demand of the Currency Board, be issued under the order of the Commissioner out of such general revenue.

(3) The holder of a currency note shall be entitled to obtain on demand during office hours, at the office of the Currency Board, payment in current coin of the amount expressed thereon.

(4) Currency notes may be subject to the approval of a Secretary of State, be for any of the following denominations, namely, 5 rupees, 10 rupees, 20 rupees, 50 rupees, and any multiple of 50 rupees, and the amount of notes of each denomination shall be such as may be fixed by the Currency Board with the approval of a Secretary of State.

(5) Currency notes shall be in such form, and of such design and printed from such plates and on such paper, and be authenticated in such manner (whether by the signatures of the Commissioners of Currency for the time being, or facsimiles of those signatures or otherwise), as may be approved by a Secretary of State.

(6) The plates shall be prepared and kept and the notes printed, issued, and cancelled under such regulations as a Secretary of State may make for the purpose of preventing fraud and improper issues.

15. A currency note shall be a legal tender in either of the Protectorates of the amount expressed therein, except a tender by the Currency Board at their office.

16. (1) Subject as hereinafter mentioned, the coin received in exchange for currency notes shall form the Note Guarantee Fund, and be held by the Currency Board for meeting the payment of the notes, and shall not be applied to any other purpose.

(2) Of the Note Guarantee Fund, a portion (in this Order referred to as the coin portion of the fund), not being less than the fixed proportion hereinbefore mentioned, shall be in coin and shall be kept in the custody of the Currency Board, but the balance may be invested as hereinbefore mentioned, and the portion so invested is in this Order referred to as the vested portion of the fund.

(3) The coin portion of the fund shall not be less than the fixed proportion of the notes (or the time being in circulation); and, if and so far as necessary, the securities forming the invested portion of the fund shall be sold so as to maintain the coin portion at or above the fixed proportion:

Provided that if the deficiency of the coin portion below the fixed proportion does not exceed one-fourth of that proportion, the sale of securities may, with the consent of the Commissioner, be temporarily postponed for a period not exceeding three months; but until the coin portion amounts to that fixed proportion, no further investment of securities shall be

made, and the whole income of the invested portion of the Fund shall be carried to and form part of the coin portion of the Fund.

(4) The fixed proportion shall in the first instance be two-thirds, but if the Commissioner for East Africa satisfies a Secretary of State that, having regard to the amount of notes which are always outstanding, the fixed proportion may be diminished without danger to the convertibility of the currency notes, and obtains the authority of a Secretary of State for the purpose, he may by Proclamation fix another proportion so that it be not less in any case than one-half.

(6.) Any such Proclamation may be revoked by an order of a Secretary of State without prejudice to the issue of a new Proclamation.

Investments in the Depreciation Fund.

18.—(1) The portion of the Note Guarantee Fund intended to be invested shall not be invested in any securities of the Government of East Africa or of Uganda, but, save as aforesaid, may be invested in such securities of the Government of any part of His Majesty's dominions, or in such other securities as a Secretary of State may approve.

(2) The investments shall be made in the names of such officers or persons as a Secretary of State may direct, and the instruments shall from time to time vary, and the securities sold in accordance with regulations approved by a Secretary of State.

(3) The securities shall be applicable to the payment of currency notes and to no other purpose.

(4) The income derived from the securities shall be applied—

(a) In paying the expenses of and incidental to the carrying out of the Order; and

(b) In the payment of a sum equal to one per cent. of the cost price of the securities to a Depreciation Fund; and

(c) Subject to the other provisions of this Order, as part of the ordinary revenue of East Africa.

(9.)—(1) A separate account shall be kept of the Depreciation Fund, and the income of the fund shall be invested in a way of accumulation so as to form part of the fund; but so as aforesaid, or as is otherwise expressly provided by the Order, the Depreciation Fund shall form part of the portion of the Note Guarantee Fund to be invested, and the provisions of this Order shall apply thereto accordingly.

(2) When the Commissioner for East Africa satisfies a Secretary of State that the Depreciation Fund is not less than one per cent. of the invested portion of the Note Guarantee Fund, and uses such an amount that it is unnecessary further to increase the Depreciation Fund, he may order the annual appropriation of the said one per cent. to be discontinued, and the annual income of the Depreciation Fund to be wholly or partly applied in aid of the general revenue of East Africa until he shall, with the approval or by direction of a Secretary of State, otherwise order.

Accounts and Expenses.

19.—(1) The accounts of all transactions shall be kept in such manner as the Commissioner for East Africa may direct, and the books of account shall be open to inspection by the Auditor-General.

(2) An extract of such accounts shall be forthwith, after each audit, published in the Gazette.

(3) If it appears upon such audit that the market value of the securities forming the invested portion of the Note Guarantee Fund (including the Depreciation Fund) is less than the amount of coin taken for investment from the Note Guarantee Fund, the amount of the deficiency shall forthwith be paid into the Note Guarantee Fund in order of the Commissioner for East Africa out of the general revenue of that Directorate.

(4) The Currency Board shall on the tenth day of each calendar month or if that day be Sunday on the ninth day publish and forthwith publish in the Gazette of each Province an abstract showing—

(a) The whole amount of currency notes in circulation on the said day, and the average daily amount in circulation during the month ending that day;

(b) The amount of the coin portion of the Note Guarantee Fund on the said day, and the average daily amount during the month ending that day; and

(c) The nominal value of, price paid for, and the latest known market price of, the securities forming the invested portion of the Note Guarantee Fund.

(5) The amount of notes in circulation at a particular date shall be the total nominal amount of notes issued to the public by the Currency Board prior to that date, after deducting the total nominal amount of notes received by the Currency Board prior to that date.

(16.) The said abstracts shall from time to time, and at least once a quarter, be verified, in accordance with regulations made by a Secretary of State, by a Board of Survey appointed by the Commissioner for East Africa.

(21.) All expenses of and incidental to the collection of this Order shall, so far as not defrayed out of the income of the Note Guarantee Fund, be paid out of the general revenue of East Africa.

Commencement.

(22.) This Order shall come into operation in each Protectorate on such day as may be fixed by Proclamation by the Commissioner. Provided that any parts of this Order may be brought into operation at different dates by different Proclamations.

The date when this Order, or any part thereof, is so brought into operation, is, as respects this Order, or any such part referred to in the commencement of this Order:

(23.) Every Proclamation made by a Commissioner under or in pursuance of this Order shall be made with the advice of the Treasury, and of a Secretary of State.

Proclamations shall be made by the respective Commissioners so that they shall, as far as may be practicable, take effect on the same day in each Protectorate.

(24.) As from the date when the provisions of this Order will respect to coin come into operation in East Africa, the royal Order of Council of the 18th May, 1898, shall be repealed.

(25.) Nothing in this Order shall affect any liability incurred, contract made, or other thing done before the commencement of the Order.

And the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, and the Most Honourable the Marquess of Lansdowne, K.G. one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, are to give the necessary directions herein.

A. W. Fit Roy.

SCHEDULES

FIRST SCHEDULE
THE STANDARD COIN.

Coin.	Metal	Millidram Pishteh	Standard Weight		Local Current Weight
			Grains	Grammes	
Rupee of British India	Silver	916	180	11.664	1764 41.431

SECOND SCHEDULE.
THE RUPEE OF THE LATE IMPERIAL BRITISH EAST AFRICA COMPANY

Rupee Pishteh	Coin	Metal	Millidram Pishteh	Standard Weight		Local Current Weight
				Grains	Grammes	
1/- Rupee	Silver	916	180	11.964	1764 41.962	

THIRD SCHEDULE.
SUBSIDARY COINS OF EAST AFRICA AND UGANDA

Period of Production or Date of Issue	Coin	Metal	Millidram Pishteh	Standard Weight		Bimetallic Allowance Weight per Piece	Weight per Piece
				Grains	Grammes		
<i>SILVER</i>							
0.05	Fifty cent piece	—	800	50	3.832	0.630	0.640
0.05	Twenty-five cent piece	—	800	45	2.916	0.315	0.324
<i>BRASS, BRONZE, OR COPPER METAL, OR MIXED METAL</i>							
0.10	Ten cent piece	—	—	—	—	—	—
0.05	Five cent piece	—	—	—	—	—	—
0.01	One cent piece	—	72.916	1.25	0.932	0.175	0.180
0.005	One-tenth cent piece	—	—	—	—	—	—

*Fourth Schedule.*SUBSIDARY SILVER COINS OF BRITISH INDIA, AND OF THE
IMPERIAL BRITISH EAST AFRICA COMPANY.

Portion of Rupee for which Tender.	COIN.	Millimetre Diameter.	Standard Weight.		Total Co. Weight.
			Grams.	Ounces.	
<i>Coins of British India.</i>					
0-5	Half rupee.	916-6	90	3-632	86-2
0-25	Quarter rupee.	916-6	45	2-916	44-1
<i>Coins of the East African Company.</i>					
	Half rupee.	916-6	90	3-632	86-2
	Quarter rupee.	916-6	45	2-916	44-1

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Sir G. Wallis.

Mr. Amory.

Lord Milner.

(for whom)

(minister to C.A.)

With regard to C.A. Committee
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A small sum for
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Mr. Purcell
Ch. for the Colonies

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Letter ref. No. 1748 ^P dated 27/7/1919

regarding the payment of leave salaries,
a ruling similar to that sent to [redacted]
the S.A.P. was made to legend on the
~~letter sent from what date by the employer before~~
19th of April. A telegram has been
sent to the High Comm^r of Tanganyika
asking whether the S.A.P. system of
~~will be adopted for Tanganyika~~
payment ~~has been adopted~~ will be adopted
but again we do not know for what date it will be adopted.
No decision has yet been made as
regards Nyasaland, Somaliland &
German East Africa.

(Signed) A.C.C. Parkinson

25th
August 1919

S.A. Dept.

Mr Bottomby

50.

See minute from T.P. of 16 + 19/19, & also letter
on Dr Chavallier's file.

As regards payment of arrears of war bonus
(i.e. war bonus in respect of service in the colony), we must
I think treat it the same as salary i.e. if the officer
wants the arrears paid while he is in the country
they will be paid at current rate of exchange, &
more strictly still no question of converting the colony
war bonus into rupees arises. If, however, the officer
elects to await payment of the arrears until he
returns to E Africa, I do not think we can
prevent him, & he will then get the arrears paid
in rupees at the rate of R 15 to the £1. It would
meet Dr Chavallier's case as regards arrears due to him from
15/11/26 onwards war bonus due to officer in respect
of their leave. I think we must rule that they
must have it paid to them either in sterling in
the country, or, if they are having their salaries
paid in E Africa at the current rate of exchange
the war bonus should be so paid also.

As regards officials on rupee salaries, it was
agreed on 30/4/19/E.A.P. that they must be allowed
when on leave to draw pay in rupees convertible into
current rate of exchange. It was not definitely
decided whether they must draw their rupee salar-

lately when leave, or could receive the sterling equivalent in England. Of course prior to the appreciation of the rupee, there never was any question but that when these rupee salary officials came on leave they received payment in sterling at the $\frac{1}{4}$ rate. In the case of Mr. [unclear] the E.A.T. - he has at first converted his rupee salary into sterling at the $\frac{1}{4}$ rate, when the C.C. asked if that was right we said it was (for before without adequate consideration). On the whole, however, I press obligation to depart from the established practice of paying official leave, who are on rupee salaries, at the $\frac{1}{4}$ rate if they had payment in this country. It is certainly the most consistent course, & they have their remedy in demanding payment fully at the $\frac{1}{4}$ rate rupees (below you see illustration)

as regards war bonus, for those rupee salary officials they are in the same position as regards some other officials. I think however, for conversations with me on this subject E.A.T. has ruled that while on leave they must have war bonus paid in sterling in this country. They are not entitled to gain on their war bonus, to be paid in sterling & not in rupees

as it is inconvenient for the E.A.T. to pay bonus when they are not paying salary, I think we might rule that where salaries are being locally war bonus should also be drawn locally but that in all cases war bonus occurring while the official is on leave must of paid locally at current rate of exchange

J.C.S.

24.9.19

In Order

I press this in because all vital decisions are important at present. I agree small with except at $\frac{1}{4}$. If subordinate officials are not amenable to the fact that if their salaries are being drawn, would locally a rupee they can remit home at (particular) we have no business to take advantage of their ignorance. The Govt. until the money comes, they have to use & gain by the exchange, & I do not think we are doing them to have a loss profit

As rupee salaries equal sum alone be converted to sterling at the current rate of exchange

C.C.S.

24.9.19

at once

to go

24.9.19

Mr. Bottsby
Mr. Gidder
Colonial Office.

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We have now received from the Government of East Africa Zanzibar and Uganda, instructions to pay arrears of War bonus in certain cases. In two cases however, (R.H.Crofton of Zanzibar and J.W.H. Parkinon of East Africa Protectorate), the officers concerned are still drawing their salaries locally.

They are both in receipt of salaries at Sterling rates and in Mr. Parkinon's case, he asked that his salary might continue to be paid in East Africa Protectorate, at the current rate of exchange, when we asked him what he wished to do in accordance with the telegram from East Africa, a copy of which is enclosed.

Can you say please whether we should comply, or whether we should tell the Protectorate Government to pay the bonus locally with the salary?

The question may also arise in the case of Uganda Railway officials who are in receipt of salary on a rupee basis, but War bonus on a Sterling basis. Is it permissible for such officers to have their salary paid locally and their War bonus paid by us?

I may add that in such cases when we are paying the leave salary, we convert the rupees into sterling £ 1/4 the rupee in accordance with Colonial Office letter 5225 E.A. of 11th August, 1919, which decided that Mr. Pinder must continue to draw salary at 2200 per annum (i.e., Rs. 250 a month & 1/4 the rupee) as converted by the Chief Accountant, Uganda Railway. Has this question been reconsidered please?

As I have already told you on the telephone, we would prefer that salary and War bonus should be paid together, but we recognise that in the case of officials with rupee salaries, this may not be convenient.

H. P. Russell

Pay Dept.
Crown Agents.

16/8/1919.

Mr. Bottsby

As regards officials in receipt of salary on a rupee basis, it has been definitely decided that they may have their salaries paid locally at the fixed rate of 1/4 in this country in sterling at the same rate. One of them officials told me the other day that he had asked for his war bonus to be paid locally with his salary, but was told that as the war bonus was expressed in sterling, he was not entitled to have it paid locally & benefit by the exchange, but that it would be paid to him separately by the C.A. It is, however, understood by C.A. to pay war bonus when the salary is being paid locally, so it should not be necessary for them to do so.

? Tell C.A. by wire that they should try to

should also be paid locally, but that such war
bonds payments, should always be at
current rates of exchange.

A.C.

28.9.19

Dr H Reed

I agree with the principle & I think
that we should adopt it until we have
to give way to the claim that local
monies shall carry the same admittance
as if they were monies born of
local money converted at 100°. Dr R.
Hawthorn called about this same
ago & was going to write.

In the absence of postage? A set of
coins & a stamp that may be used to back up
bills at 100° of whatever value. (etc). 22.9.19

re 50 pence to entice any slave
to board ship with slaves yet any sum
is more convenient than 100° rate. Dr R.
Hawthorn called a week ago & was going to
write.

In the case of sterling salaries, where
the money is coined & the local bank
100° it would be convenient that
the two boxes should be issued locally
at 100°, & I think we ought to avoid this
so far though it is a convenience. I
suppose you that the C.A. should
otherwise issue the boxes
(in Sterling) in their own way.

Telegrams received from Treasurer E.A.P.
By Crown Agents received 20/6/19.)

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McHardy

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will be paid
at current rates of exchange
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if they wish to
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arrangement
discontinued
and
salary
to be paid by
you
advised by telegraph
- Treasurer E.A.P.

Mr. Bottomley.

Mr Robert Hamilton is coming to see you on Monday the 15th at 11 o'clock.

He wishes to discuss in particular the question of the payment of salaries of officials on leave from E.A.

Mr Jarvis has raised the same point officially and he will be interested to hear of any new decision that may be taken.

I told Sir R. Hamilton what the present position was, and that after discussion with the Eastern Department, the present ruling had been arrived at.

He feels very strongly on the subject and really taking it up as Chairman of the Civil Service Commission in E.A. on behalf of East African officials generally.

He left the two circulars, which I attach, dated 16th June 1907 and 26th November, 1910. He would like to have these returned to him when you have finished with them.

In his conversation with me he said that, in his opinion, an officer was not bound to draw his salary in this country while on leave, in fact I understood him to say that you cannot compel an officer to draw his salary ~~at all~~. I think that it will be well if the Legal Adviser will say whether there is any legal objection to the ruling hitherto given, e.g. in telegram on 33128 that officers on leave must be paid through the E.A. for the ... and that if any leave pay is drawn locally it must be at the current rate of exchange, except in certain special circumstances allowed for in the telegram.

Mr. Jarvis's view is that he does not want any ready money at present; and that he can well afford to wait until he returns to the Prot. without drawing any salary while on leave. If of course he does this and then draws the leave pay in Uganda, he will be able to send it home and get the value of the exchange on it, but it will be an evasion of the ruling.

Sir R. Hamilton, who has a larger salary and has a long spell of leave, says that it would actually pay him when he retires at the end of his leave, to go back to E.A. at his own expense in order to draw locally his leave salary and send it home.

Acc

I have by despatch via 13.9.19

Sir R. Hamilton asked me to

write which he could do.

The Circular makes no case (for the + John
E.A.) though, as I pointed out,
they were obviously not intended to
relate to leave at all.

Wait.

W.C.H.
17.9.19.

John

COPY.

H.P. No. 1410/10.

CIRCULAR.

The Secretariat,

Nairobi.

November 26th, 1910.

SALARIES.

Officials will in future be allowed the option of receiving their salaries locally by bank cheques or by drafts on the Crown Agents for the Colonies.

2. It must however be distinctly understood that salaries must be paid by one or other of these methods and not by a combination of the two, except as regards family remittances, and that any change in the method of payment can only be made at the beginning of each financial year, the Treasurer being previously advised to that effect.

By Order
(Sir) W. J. Monson.

Secretary.

To Registrar,

High Court,

MOMBASA.



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25th Sept. 1915

Gentlemen

With ref. to the minute from your office no.

DRAFT.

S/Misc. 867 of the 16th of Sept.,

I am to advise you that

he has decided that if an

East African official desire to

have the arrears of war bonus

due in respect of his resident

service in S.A paid to him

in this country, the payment

should be made in Sterling

according to the approved scale.

However, an officer

selects to wait for the payment

of arrears of bonus until

payment will be made locally at
the rate of Rs. 5 to the pound sterling.

Leave of Officers in Foreign Countries

War bonus due to officers in
respect of leave of absence must be
paid in the same way as their pay,
that is, if ~~so~~ ^{as} the latter is being
paid by you, you should also pay the
bonus on the ordinary scale, but if the
leave pay is being issued locally, the
bonus must also be issued locally at
the current rate of exchange.

3. War Bonus applies to the
payment of bonuses to officers whose salaries
are fixed in rupees, & the above rules
with regard to the payment of war
bonuses apply, but if their leave salaries
~~are being paid by you~~, it has now
been decided that if their leave
salaries are being paid in this
country, they should be converted
into Sterling at the current rate
of exchange, and not at the rate
of Rs. 5 to the pound.

Inv.
3648/1/19 last

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DRAFT.

~~for~~ Brown Agents

MINUTE.

Bearings 16/6
Mr. Parker 17/6

M. Grindle.
Sir H. Lambert.
Sir H. Read.
Sir G. Fiddes.
Col. Amery.
Col. Milner.

18 October 1919
you dear,

With ref to the last para of
N. 3648/1/19
letter from this Deptt. of the
25th Sept. regarding the
payment of the salaries of
the officials ~~which are~~
~~to be paid in~~ which are
now paid in rupees, I am to
inform you that the ruling rates
of exchange should be held to apply
to all such officials who were
United Kingdom
on leave in the month of Oct.
Sept. or subsequently, & should
be made retrospective in respect
of any payments of leave salary