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FROM : Lieut. F. S. JOELSON,
East African Protectorate Forces.

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TO : The Under Secretary of State,
The Colonial Office.

Sir,

I have the honour to advise you that I have returned from the sea voyage recommended for the benefit of my health by my doctor and authorised by you. When I left the country in the beginning of July I was given to understand by the owners that the passage would take not much longer than three months, but they found it necessary to divert the vessel to South America via the States. The round trip has therefore taken fully six weeks longer than was to be foreseen. I am pleased to report that the holiday has done me good.

1. On my return I have received a number of letters from you which it was impracticable to forward. I have to acknowledge those of 17th July, 27th Aug., 10th and 19th Sept., and 24th Oct. Should you have written any others between those dates I shall be glad of copies, as the originals are missing.

2. I have to thank you for the payment of provisional retired pay up to 15th Oct., as authorised by your 45231/1919 of 27 Aug.

3. With regard to your letter of 24th ult., I am handing Form 421 to my father, George Joelson, Commission Agent for Heaver & Co Swansea, as I was employed by him prior to entering the service of the Kifulu Rubber Estates Ltd. I will tomorrow secure the

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doctor's certificate necessary for attachment to Form 420, will make the required declaration before a magistrate, and send on the statements. I trust that the question of the maximum alternative pension will then be able to be settled.

5. I shall be glad to hear whether you can supply me with any further information in regard to the matters mentioned in Paragraph 2 of your 39184 of 17th July and in Paragraph 2 of your 51794 of 19th Sept.

6. Will you kindly arrange for my further Medical Examination as soon as possible.

I have the honour to be,

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Your obedient servant,

J. Oliver

Lieutenant

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