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UBALAND BOUNDARY COMMISSION.

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Sanction rates of pay and allowances proposed for personnel. No objection to proposed approx £90 for Wireless Apparatus.

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MINUTES

The letter to Col King certifying him of appointment etc. has now been sent. See here on.

See on 16506/25 as to minute on further allowances which W.O. propose to put forward as payable in the case of Lt. Col King.

Recd of despatch on heat paper for local office letter

While waiting for W.O. letter as suggested on that paper copies of the Treasury letter and of the draft to Lt. Col King should be sent to the C.A. for information, L.F. of the L.F. on 15149/25.

Handwritten notes in left margin:  
24 APR 1925  
copy copy (without name) to be 393-27 Apr 25 Af.  
Tel. for 11 Mar 25 20/25/25

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with T. J. G. [unclear] that the

the [unclear] should not be seen

to the O.A. [unclear] so they are for [unclear] King's guidance.

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In the [unclear] time I submit a draft

[unclear] A.C. [unclear] various points which [unclear]

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If [unclear] any point [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]

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(These are the  
provisions of the  
the [unclear] [unclear]  
will be [unclear] [unclear]  
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reply to this letter should be addressed to

THE SECRETARY,

TREASURY,

WHITEHALL, LONDON, S.W. 1

and the following number quoted.

S. 25637.

TREASURY CHAMBERS.

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5 April, 1925.

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RE  
RE 15 APR 25

Sir,

I have pleasure in informing the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury Mr. Strachey's letter of the 8th instant (15149/25) relative to the organisation of the joint Commission which is to be set up under Article 12 of the Anglo Italian Treaty of the 8th July 1924, to determine the boundary of the territory in East Africa to be ceded to Italy.

In reply I am to request you to inform the Secretary of State for the Colonies that My Lords sanction the rates of pay and allowances proposed for the personnel of the Commission, viz:-

Senior British Commissioner (Lieutenant Colonel King O.B.E.)

(R.E.)

Regimental Pay	£2. 4. 10	per diem
Command Pay	6. 0	" "
Corps pay		" "
Consolidated Allowance		" "

The consolidated

Secretary of State,  
Colonial Office.

full only for the period of actual employment in the field, one half being payable while on board ship or while employed under the Colonial Office in this country. The regimental pay, command pay and corps pay would be drawn in full throughout the period of employment.

Non-Commissioned Officer (Topographer)

... per dies from the date of his embarkation for East Africa to the date of his return to this country.

In a letter to Her Majesty's Stationery Office of the 25th of 1915 for the Senior British Commissioner, the provision of a free pit for the non-commissioned officers and men being employed in the field in the part of the territory of the Commissioner, who are not free to return to their own homes and passages respectively to their own homes and passages respectively.

It is requested that Your Lordships will raise

no

no objection to the expenditure of approximately £90 on the purchase of a suitable wireless apparatus.

My Lords note that an estimate of the probable cost of the Commission will be furnished as soon as possible.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant.

*R. Smiley*

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1. ... ..

Regimental Pay,  
Command Pay, } In accordance  
Corps Pay, R.E. } with rank.

Special Consolidated Allowance ~~being~~ at the rate of £20.00 a day

The combined Regimental Pay, Command Pay, Corps Pay R.E., and special Consolidated Allowance will cover all allowances whatever and the Consolidated allowance will be payable <sup>in full</sup> during the period of command employment in Africa, one half being payable whilst on board ship or

employed under the Colonial Office in the ... The first class ... first Africa ... at the expense of ...  
Kisumu  
... ..  
... ..

first taking up the appointment.

3. You will be eligible for leave with full salary as follows:-

(a) After less than 6 months completed service in Africa, no leave.

(b) After any period from six completed months up to and including nine completed months, one month's leave.

(c) After employment exceeds nine months but does not include twelve months, one month for the first six months' service, and ten days for each additional month completed over the

(d) After twelve or more months in Africa, two months for the first six months from the date of

Act's Dept

Concur

Understand

this is the

usual

Scale

DH  
14/4/24





Officer on board the  
s.s. "Norada"

6) ~~You will receive~~ <sup>I am to endorse</sup>

~~before your departure~~  
a complete set of preliminary

financial instructions  
~~which have been prepared in the past~~  
~~prepared~~ for your

guidance ~~in dealing~~  
with the ~~securities for which~~

~~you will be responsible~~

as seen in British Commissionnaire

8. It is understood

that in case of emergency

you will ~~also~~ <sup>be</sup> ~~con-~~

convenient ~~to~~ which may

be necessary to be sent

to the ~~address~~

address

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[Perhaps Arch  
we prefer this  
be enclosed now  
so the Sp. could  
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after speaking

to Col. ...

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Mr. Seal 16.4.25.

Mr. Bottomley 17.4

Mr.

Mr. Strachey

Sir J. Shuckburgh

Sir C. Davis

Sir G. Grindle

Sir J. Masterton Smith

Mr. Ormsby-Gore

Mr. Amery



*Ward*

To 17/00/25. Kenya.

*Ad*

Collected sent  
1.55 p.m.  
17.4.25  
S.W.

DRAFT. Code Telegram

17 April

Nairobi.

1561/25 Your tel. 8<sup>th</sup> April No 145 Jubaland

Mr. Cowson  
v minute.

Lord King formerly  
Director of Surveys

12683/25 Senior Commissioner sails 18 April  
See my tel 23<sup>rd</sup> March sub-paragraph

(a) He will report to you on arrival. Trust he may be accorded all facilities including Customs. He has been instructed to apply to local Treasury for advances from time to time which should be reclaimed through Crown Agents. Sergeant Foster accompanies him. Reference Memorandum of proposal enclosed with my despatch 2nd April

should be able to sketch 26 or 27 of Table V of the Law No. 8923 for him.

reference is indicated  
minutes on 17/00,  
17/012

14169/25

No.

No 323 you should furnish me  
as soon as possible with estimate  
of additional cost of local  
staff to be employed. *in para.*

Shall inform you as soon as possible  
of proposals of Italian Government  
as to programme *in para*

They will be ~~very~~ *very*  
set

Dear