





KENYA  
NO. 495



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GOVERNMENT HOUSE,  
NAIROBI,  
KENYA.

24th April, 1924.

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Sir,

With reference to Colonial Office telegram of the 6th November, 1923, I have the honour to transmit for the information of the War Office a Memorandum by the Officer-in-Charge, East African War Accounts Clearance Section, covering a statement showing the settlement effected by the Government of Tanganyika Territory in respect of their liability for King's African Rifles expenditure from the 1st February, 1919, to the 31st March, 1920, together with the Second of Exchange of a draft No. 62/590 of the 1st April 1924 on the National Bank of India, Limited, for £117,77.-3-5.

2. It will be observed that this refund has been made at Florins 10/- to the £.

In this connection I would refer you to Kenya despatch No. 1031 of the 30th June last.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient, humble servant,

*Reception*

GOVERNOR.

RIGHT HONOURABLE  
J. H. THOMAS, P.O., M.P.,  
SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES,  
DOWNING STREET,  
LONDON, S. W.

Capt. Bioglish  
Statement  
Draft

585  
3779

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No. H. A. War A/c. Clearance Section & Records,

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P. O. Box 261,

NAIROBI, 1st April, 1924.

Duplicate

The Hon. The Colonial Secretary,

The Secretariat,

NAIROBI.

TANGANYIKA TERRITORY - KING'S AFRICAN RIFLES  
CONTRIBUTION FOR 1918/1920.

I have the honour to advise you that the Tanganyika Government have effected settlement of their liability in respect of King's African Rifles expenditure for the period 1st February, 1918, to 31st March, 1920, @ F/s. 10 to the £. to-day and that the amount of Shs. 2,355,423.44. has been remitted to the War Office by the National Bank of India, Ltd., Nairobi, by sight draft on London, the Receipt of Exchange of which is enclosed herewith.

The position of this matter as it will appear in the H. A. War Accounts for the month of April, 1924, is as per Statement attached which should be forwarded to the Secretary of State for the Colonies, together with the Bank Draft for the information of the War Office.

To enable me to finally close this matter it is desirable to ask for the War Office decision as to whether refund of the amount in question should have been made at F/s. 10 or F/s. 15 to the £. The same question applies in the case of Kenya Colony and Uganda Protectorate who have also refunded at F/s. 10 to the £.

*[Handwritten Signature]*  
Officer-in-Charge.

*[Handwritten Signature]*

STATEMENT SHEET IN TABULARIA TERRITORY KING'S AMERICAN PILLS

COMMISSION FROM FEBRUARY, 1919, TO 31ST MARCH, 1920, AS THE FIGURES OF THE  
AND IN THE ACCOUNTS OF THE OFFICER-IN-CHARGE, KING'S AMERICAN PILLS CLEARANCE SECTION,

FOR THE YEAR 1920/1921.

F. S. A. BUREAU.

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Total amount payable by February  
Territory in respect of King's  
Pills Contribution for the year  
1919/1920, including the months  
of February & March, 1919.

172,974.-

By Balance due to February  
Territory on their Inter-  
Departmental Account with  
the Officer-in-Charge,  
Clearance Section, King's  
American Pills as at 31.3.20.

1,002,056. 96

Cheques from Treasurer, February  
Territory (received 2/6/1920).

1,308,423. 44.

This figure is shown in the  
Accounts of the Officer-in-Charge,  
Clearance Section, King's  
American Pills, forwarded at  
Florence 15 (Ms. 20) to the F.S.A.

5,171,230.-

Balance still outstanding, being  
difference in calculation of  
contribution (F.S.A. 274) as  
between Pils. 15 and Pils. 16 to the F.S.A.Note. The balance will be shown  
when the two Office ledgers are  
received on to the date of exchange  
at which the contribution is payable,  
the matter having formed the subject of  
a special report to the Secretary of  
State for the Colonies.

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24 July 1924

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W.D.

Copy to...

with reference to the  
letter from their Dept. No

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Sept 12, 24  
Williams  
B...

Copy to...

30816/24. of the 24<sup>th</sup> of July

I am... to be...  
to be... before...  
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- 1. Gravel
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- 1. Masonry Smith
- 4. Arnold
- Thomas

24 Sept 1924  
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24 JUL 1924

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Settlement...

The Gov<sup>t</sup> of the T.F. in respect  
of their liability for R.A.B.  
expenditure for the period from  
the 1<sup>st</sup> of Feb. 1919, to the 31<sup>st</sup>  
of March, 1920, together  
with the Second of Exchange  
Draft for £117,721-3-5.

It is understood  
that the ~~draft~~ of Exchange of  
this draft has already  
been received by the Army  
Council, and I am to point  
out that the transmission  
of this draft to the W.O.  
was contrary to the understanding  
that the payment made

by the Gov<sup>t</sup> of the T.F.  
would be available at  
Haarlem. The Army Council  
will no doubt desire to  
secure that the balance  
of £54,126 still due  
by the Gov<sup>t</sup> of the T.F. is  
not remitted to their  
country.

3. Mr Thomas has  
not been able to check the  
figure of £24,1092-056-26  
(£54-602-17-1) shown  
by Captain Nicholson as  
due to the T.F. on their  
in the departmental

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- ✓ O. Dunn.
- ✓ G. Grenville.
- ✓ H. Ross.
- ✓ J. Masterson Smith.
- ✓ and Arnold.
- ✓ G. Thomas.

The Govt. of the T.T. in respect  
of their liability for N.A.R.  
appendix for the period from  
the 1<sup>st</sup> of Feb. 1919. to the 31<sup>st</sup>  
of March, 1920, together  
with the Second B Exchange  
Draft for £ 117,721-3-5.

It is understood  
that the First B Exchange  
this draft has already  
been received by the Army  
Council and I am to point  
out that the transmission  
of this draft to the W.O.  
was contrary to the understanding  
that the payment made

by the Govt. of the T.T.  
would be available at  
Mauritius. The Army Council  
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secure that the balance  
of £ 54,126 still due  
by the Govt. of the T.T. is  
not remitted to their  
country.

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- v. O. Davis
- v. G. Grindle
- v. H. Hill
- v. J. Morrison Smith
- v. J. Arnold
- v. Thomas

S. Th. Thomas has  
not been able to check the  
figure for Rs. 4092,056.56  
(£ 54,126-17-1) shown  
by Captain Nicholson as  
due to the T.T. on their  
Rs. 10 detachmental



The Govt of the T.F. is respect  
of their liability for K.A.R.  
expenditure for the period from  
the 1st of Feb. 1919. to the 31st  
of March 1920 together  
with the Second of Exchange  
Drafts for £117,271.5-0  
and the First of Exchange of  
their draft has already  
been secured by the Army  
Council and I am to point  
out that the Commission  
of their draft to the Govt  
was contrary to the understanding  
and the payment made

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- Mr. Dimes
- Mr. G. Smith
- Mr. Hill
- Mr. Morrison
- Mr. Arnold
- Mr. Thomas

by the Govt of the T.F.  
would be available at  
Main St. The Army Council  
will no doubt desire to  
know that the balance  
of £54,126 still due  
by the Govt of the T.F. is  
not committed to their  
country

3. Mr. Thomas has  
not been able to check the  
figure of £1,092,056.56  
(£54,602.17.1) shown  
by Capt. A. M. H. as  
due to the T.F. for their  
In the departmental

G. No 23453/24, Kenya

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~~Private~~

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27 July 1924

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Amount  
4970

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MINUTE.

- Mr. Peel 4772
- Mr. Williams 1572
- Mr. Bottomley 176
- Mr. P. Davis
- Mr. P. Ormsby
- Mr. H. Bond
- Mr. J. Macfarlane Smith
- Mr. Arnold
- Mr. Thomas

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It would be well  
 to refer to the  
 4th para. No 495, of the  
 24<sup>th</sup> of April, on the  
 subject of the liability  
 of the F. I. in respect of their  
 A. R. expenditure  
 for the period from the 1<sup>st</sup> of  
 26<sup>th</sup> 1919, to the 31<sup>st</sup> of March, 1920

2. In my telegram  
 of the 21<sup>st</sup> of July I informed  
 you that the sum payable

Wherewith 207  
24 JUL 1924

Enclosure

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24 July 1924

Kenya

No 482

Compound

MINUTE.

Mr. Peel 17.7.24

Mr. Williams 15.7.24

Mr. Bottomley 17.7.24

Mr. G. Jones

Mr. G. Arnold

Mr. H. Bond

Mr. J. Macdonald

Mr. Arnold

Mr. Thomas

Whereof 20/-

24 JUL 1924

also on 30.7.24

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I have to ask

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24<sup>th</sup> of April, on the

subject of the liability

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K.A.R. expenditure

for the period from the 1<sup>st</sup> of26<sup>th</sup> 1919, to the 31<sup>st</sup> of March, 1920

2. On my telegram

of the 21<sup>st</sup> of July I informed

you that the same was possible

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24 July 1924

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No 482  
Compound

MINUTE.

- Mr. Peel 17.7
- Mr. Williams 15.7
- Mr. Bottomley 17.6
- Mr. A. Jones
- Mr. G. Arnold
- Mr. H. Bond
- Mr. J. Mansfield
- Mr. Smith
- Mr. Thomas

Copy to Mr. Williams - 24 JUL 1924

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 of the 21<sup>st</sup> of July I informed  
 you that the same liability

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by the Gov<sup>t</sup> of the T.T. to the  
 Council Charges account  
 in respect of R. OR charges  
 during this period and has  
 been paid at £226,500.

It would therefore appear  
 that the balance <sup>still</sup> due from  
 the T.T. is as follows:-

Total amount due	£226,500
Less: amount due to T.T.	
in interdepartmental account with the R.O.	
Clearance section, amount	
£1,220	£ 24,602,528
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	£ 171,897,172
Less: amount (to be paid)	£ 17,771,172
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Balance still due	£ 154,126

4 years of the T.T.

It being informed that the R.O.



particular to para 2 of  
the letter.

(Signed) J. H. THOMAS

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the letter.

Signed J. H. THOMAS