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TREASURY CHAMBERS,
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6 th June, 2925.

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With reference to your letter $5491 / 25$ of 9 th Feprberta，regarding the accounts of the East African Warsxpendfture，I am commanded by the Army Council Gotenquitie whether the despatch frota Kenya has yet beon received and，if not，when it is expected to arel ve．

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hder Secretary of state， Colonial office， S．1．．2．

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 of the 26 th November, and your predecessor's despatch Mo, 828 of the 8 th of August, 1924, on the subject of Bast Africemwar Expenditure, I have the honour to submit the following observations.

With reference to your despatch Ho. 1200
2. Dealing first with the points raised in the earlier despatch:

Paragraph 3 (a): The figures in the first colum of the table referred to in this paragraph year 1918-19, in which case the sum of En 57,235 should be substituted for the amount of 2106,460 which appears in the table. The additional s50,775 is made up of the following items:-

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These items are shown on page 59 of the Treasurer's Annual Report for the year but the statement mede therein that the $£ 50,775$ had been placed in Suspense is incorrect, nothing in fact having been transferred to Suspense.

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LIEUTENANT COLONEL L.C.M.S.AJCERY, P.C., M.P.,
SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES, DOWNING STREET,

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Paregraph 3 (b) : The Garrison expenditure for the year 1919-20 wae included in the King's Afrioan Rifles Account merely, to facliltate the oopplation/and submiseion of the War Accounts to 31eti of Maroh 1920; the this Colony heving agreed to pass over their estimisted provision as the equivalent of the expenditure; a procedure which at the time mas congidered to be the most expeditious.

## In the circumstances, therefore, it would

seem correct to subtract the amount from the apportionable amount of the King'e African Rifles Account. It was pointed out that some of the expenditure other than Pay and Allowances tabulated under War Expenditure heads in the King's African Rifles Account should have been borne by the Coman Charges account. It was held that certain expenditure shown in the King's African Rifles Account should be added to the Common Charges Account in ordet to arrive at the approximately correct amount of the respective Accounts. A list of the items in question is attached.
4. Paragraph 3 (e): It is correct to asoume that practically all the local Volunteer Units were absorbed by the common local organizations on the inauguration وd the Common Charges Account.)
5. Paragraph 3 (d): The difference of Fls:37,500/-between the anount credited by the Officer-in-Charge, of East African Wer Acqounts, to the East Afriean Pretectoratesin 1918-19 in respect of Kingte African Rifles contributions and the sum shown by the Protedtorate in the same conneotion ardse from
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9. Captain Kicolson informs me that the detailed figures referred to in the: War office letter $\mathbb{N} 0.0165 /$ (1529 (\%.1) of the 14 th November, paragraph 5, will be duly reflected in his Accounts.
10. I am addressing you separately on the question of the arrangements to be made for taking over Captain Nicoleon's Accounts and Records; in the meenwhile, and with reference to paragragh 4 of the War Office letter in paragraph 9 supra, I am tranamiting under separate cover Captain Nieolson's Report giving a survey of the work remaining to be done and his recommendations as to the disposal of the records etc, under his charge.

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