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Ration Allowance, Clothing & Medical Treatment

25 Nov

Cannot understand inability to grant ration allowance asks if entitled to draw clothing etc. at an Imperial Detach Camp, and also for ~~any~~ information with regard to medical treatment

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Major Booth, 27/11/1919
his reply to

This man will be discharged 1120 (6/2/19). He receives 1/6 a day (6/2/19). I understand that a Capt. in India very now receives 5/- a day + 2/- ration allowance, so ^{local} that price will presumably, seem to him below ordinary, it does not seem worth while considering the ^{question} of giving them more but as, Rates of pay. That is well in this respect of U. E. I.

I reply that it is the rule that non-commissioned members of E.A. local forces receive 1/6 a day (pay only while in this country and no ration allowance, that an exception cannot be made in his case. that up to date of discharge 1120 he is at liberty to go to a unit to be full paid treatment, that after that date he should apply to his P.O. that he pay for his hair can wear a better dollar if he wishes (I would make him wear a hat if he is in a hat, would with a hat setting him up in a new hat for 1 month) that his P.O. has been authorized to pay him allowance of 1/4 per week after discharge (the man is listed as Home/19903/1919).

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24, North Parade,
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25th November 1919.

The Under Secretary of State,
Colonial Office,
London, S.W.1.



Sir:-

Your letter of the 14th inst., ref. 63269/1919.

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter as above and note remarks re Discharge also option of free passage back to East Africa before July 1920 for which I thank you.

With regard to your third paragraph I cannot understand the inability of your office to grant me ration allowance. Were I a young conscript on home service that would be forthcoming without asking for. Surely the Colonial Office can do better than this or do they expect me to live on the charity of my friends?

I should also be glad to know if I am entitled to go to an Imperial Detail Camp and draw clothing etc., and my position with regard to medical treatment as I have had to take private medical advice this past fortnight owing to having taken a cold.

Awaiting your further news.

Yours faithfully,

W. Arthur Brown
W. A. B. C.

DRAFT.

General A. Bartholomew,

11th December 1919

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Mr. G. M. 12.19

Mr. Brackley

Mr.

Mrs. Grindley

Sir H. Lambert

Sir H. Ross

Sir G. Fildes

Col. Amery

Lord Milner

Chief

I am directed to ask the receipt of your
 letter of the 25th of November and to inform you that
 it is the rule that non-commissioned members of the
 P.O. Local Forces receive half P.O. rates of pay only
 while in the country, and that they are not
 granted rates all round. It is regretted that
 no exception can be made in your case.

2. Up to the date of your discharge
 from the P.O. Local Forces, i.e. the 1st of January 1920,
 you are at liberty to go to a military hospital for
 medical treatment. After that date you should
 apply to the S.I.P.

3. You may wear civilian clothes

you work and you need not wait until the date of

your discharge & do so

to the C.O. for the Cash here

authorized to pay you a holding allowance of

\$4.00 instead of aft. your discharge

(Signed) H. V. READ

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DRAFT.

General

5 December 1919

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With ref to the letter from the Dept

N^o 63269/1919 of the 14th of November last

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Mr. Arnold

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Mr. G. W. Holden

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to issue to Capt. A. Bartholomew, E. 4. 1. 1. 1.

a holding allowance of \$4.

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at the rate of Rs 3 a day from the date to which

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should be made in respect of payments made

prior to the date from which the exchange value

of the rupee rises to Rs 3.

(Signed) H. V. READ

G. M. M. M.

5 December 49

With ref to the letter from the Dept
No 63269/1949 of the 16th of November 49

directed I inform you that you are authorized
to issue to Capt. A. Bartholomew, E.A. M.T.C.
a clothing allowance of £4.

You should also issue him pay
at the current rate of exchange
at the rate of Rs 3 a day from the date to which

the value of the rupee exceeded it. No adjustment
should be made in respect of payments made
prior to the date from which the exchange value
of the rupee has risen.

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