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Colonial Office

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Minutes re: suspension of passage for the present.

Last previous Paper.

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Minutes within

Gifts to Missions for order, Andrews Williams 15 Feb
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Signature has been removed

Serge Smith was a member
of the local ~~force~~ force, as his
widow's pension will be payable
from ~~the~~ funds administered by
the Govt of the S.A.P.

ALFRED J. READ

Mr. Smith is addressing
at 4 Munro Street, The Grange,
to which a letter from this Dept
was sent on the 30th of Decemr
If not, Mr. Long would be glad
to be informed of his present address.

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E. J. LEAN

M.O. CAP
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28 Feb 1917

Sir,

I am to ask the recd. of
your letter of the 17th of Feb.
(1506 Central), and to request
you to inform the Minister of
Pensions that the application
for pension recd. from the card
of Sergeant John P. Smith,

East African Ordnance Dept.,
is not correct.

DRAFT

Secretary
Ministry of Pensions
(Pensions Department Branch)
MINUTE

Mr. Jewell 27/2/17
Mr. Bottamley 27.2.17

- Mr. Grindle
- Mr. Lumbert
- Mr. Reed
- Sir G. Fisher
- Mr. Steel-Maitland
- Mr. Long

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28 Feb 1917

David S. Smith

Sir,

I am to inform you that

Your recent letter regarding the
grant of a pension to the widow of

Sergeant John P. Smith, East Africa
Infantry B Coy, has been referred
to the ~~the~~ Dept. by the Ministry of
Pensions. A form of application

is enclosed, which Mrs. Smith
shall fill up and return to the

Dept. Colonial Office

I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Yours faithfully,

DRAFT

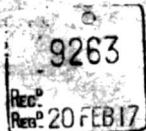
John Cooper Esq.

MINUTE.

- Mr. Jewell 27/2/17
- Mr. Borthwick 27.2.17
- Mr.
- Mr. Grindle.
- Mr. Lambert.
- Mr. Reall.
- Sir G. Fiddes.
- Mr. Sted. Marland.
- Mr. Long.

22/2/17

Ministry of Pensions,
Great George Street,
London, S.W.



Station House,
Pakland Road,
Frenchie,
Wiltshire.

I enquire on behalf of my sister, Mrs. J.P. Smith widow of Sergeant John P. Smith, East-African Expeditionary Force, Nairobi, British East Africa.

John P. Smith joined the British East African Expeditionary Force (at Nairobi) at outbreak of War, August, 1914, and served until 7th June, 1916 when he was invalided home to Edinburgh Infirmary to be operated on for a growth on the neck. He only got the length of Plymouth where he died on 20th July, 1916.

His trouble was contracted during service. Is his widow entitled to a pension? If so please instruct as to procedure.

There is also a matter of pay still unpaid, full pay from end of May to 7th June, and half pay from end of 7th June to 20th July. How can this be obtained, she has written Captain Ward, Nairobi, without result.

(Sgd) JOHN COOPER.

Any further communication on this subject should be addressed to—

The Secretary,
Ministry of Pensions,
(Widows and Dependants Branch),
45, Grosvenor Road,
London, S.W.

REC'D
SER: 20 FEB 17

MINISTRY OF PENSIONS,

(Widows and Dependants Branch),

45, Grosvenor Road,

LONDON, S.W.

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(Central)

14 February, 1916.

Sir,

I am directed by the Minister of Pensions to transmit for the consideration of the Secretary of State for the Colonies a copy of an application for pension received on behalf of the widow of Sergeant John P. Smith, East African Expeditionary Force.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

A. A. W. Smith

for the Secretary.

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

W. Smith

W^{rs} Smith was paid all that
was due to her from East Africa funds
on the 17th of January last. I attach our
papers for you to see.

~~Return~~ 13/3.

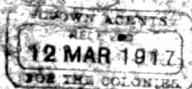
W. S.
13/3/17.

Putty L.A.

13-3-17

at home

Colon Agents



Have you heard anything from P
Africa regarding the estate of Capt
J. P. Smith, Ordnance Dept, EAD
who died at Plymouth on July 20th
immediately upon his arrival from
P. Africa? - see our letter of 25th
July.

His wife was in P. Africa at the
time of his death, but has since
come to England.

Apparently pay at the rate of
9/4 a day from 1st June to 6th
June and at 4/8 a day from
June 7th to July 20th (date of death)
is due to the estate, and if
the local authorities have done
nothing about it, we sh^d ask you
to credit this to the estate from
EAD funds.

Can you throw any light on the
matter?

Schwarzkopf
15/7/17

has taken from this Dept. of 30 Dec
was sent (subject is) as if
not to find it her present address.

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