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1920

26th APRIL

of previous Paper.

E.A. RUPEE NOTES AND GERMAN SILVER COINS HELD BY  
CASHIER EGYPTIAN COMMAND

States Treasurer will communicate direct with Cairo  
as to disposal of E.A. Notes. As German Coin not legal  
tender suggests if undesirable to send it to Tanga. Terr.  
it should be disposed of as silver bullion

~~Mr. Tankersley~~  
Mr. Beetham

Perhaps the Currency Board  
should discuss before any action is  
taken but the small quantity of  
German coin cannot make much  
difference to anybody. However, ~~it~~  
there is no point in sending them  
back to T.T., and if S.A.P. do  
not take them the simplest thing  
will be for the Cashier, Egyptian  
Command, myself, to dispose of  
them as bullion.

C.D. 28/5/20

W. H. O.

RECORD OFFICE, LONDON

The Secretary

Ultimately, the General is  
to be held in relation to the action for  
concerning bond paper, & the Board will  
help by the main rule of the  
com.

Part of the Sept 9th. says the  
coins for Sept. being value  
2 out of 7. 6th value is  
and less, because at the present  
price of silver the value is  
at 100: 6th value

As per June 21st the  
Sept 9th value should be 1/2 of  
the value per dollar

Oct 29 1920

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AFRICA PROTECTORATE

No. 415

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GOVERNMENT HOUSE  
NAIROBI. MAY 27 1920  
BRITISH EAST AFRICA

26 April, 1920.

My Lord,

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of Your Lordship's despatch No. 334 of the 9th ultimo, on the subject of East African Rupee notes and German Silver Coins held by the Cashier, Egyptian Command, and in reply to inform Your Lordship that the Treasurer of this Protectorate will communicate with the Command Paymaster at Cairo advising him how to dispose of the East African notes, for which settlement will be made at the current rate of the day through a Bank.

2. As regards the German Coin I have to point out that this is not legal tender in this Protectorate and cannot therefore be accepted by the Currency Commissioners as part of the coin portion of the Currency Note Guarantee Fund, the functions of which it would not be able to fulfil. The Currency and general financial position of the Protectorate is moreover such that I consider it

is

RIGHT HONOURABLE

VISCOUNT SELWYN, P.C., G.C.B., G.C.M.G., &amp;c. &amp;c.,

SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES,

DOWNING STREET,

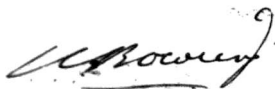
LONDON, S.W.

is inadvisable to accept any coin whatsoever which cannot be made use of. I would suggest to Your Lordship that if it is undesirable to send this coin to the Tanganyika Territory it might be disposed of as silver bullion.

I have the honour to be,

Your Lordship's

humble, obedient servant,



ACTING GOVERNOR.



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S.A.P.

Lord

5 June 1920

DRAFT.

Sir,

Your Sec.

Dear General  
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With ref to your letter

no 9286/20 of the 4th of

MINUTE.

hence, I am n. to

Mr. Jeffries 3-6-20

transmit to you, to be

Mr. Parkinson 4-1-20

Mr. Portman 3/6/20

land before the L.C. of the

Mr. Grouse

Dear, the acc. copy of

Mr. H. Lambert

Mr. H. Bond

Mr. G. Fisher

Col. Anny

Lord Milner

a despatch from the O.A.G. of

the L.C.C. regarding the

disposal of the <sup>the</sup> Cape Africa

agrees notes and German

above

silver coin held by the  
Chief Cashier, Egyptian  
Command.

2. As regards the  
German coin, I am to  
suggest that, as the  
Govt of the P.A.P. are  
unwilling to accept it,  
and as it is undesirable  
to send it to the T.T.,  
the Cashier should be  
instructed to dispose of  
it as silver bullion.

Yours a

FRANK W. BROWN