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PENSION FOR MR J.R.W. PIGOTT

This copy of memo. re services in E.A.P. and states that he would seem to be clearly entitled to pension in respect of those services and that his case should be dealt with under the Act of 1892.

General Dept.

H. J.R.

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Mr. Macnaghten

Mr. Pigott had 8 months service in the E.A.P. & this under the Superannuation (Unhealthy Clerks) Act, 1876 would count as a year. His salary was £600 & to this would be added £40 for quarters. His E.A.P. pension would thus amount to 1/60th of £660, or £11 1/3.

Reply to Treas. as above says that his case may be dealt with under the Superannuation Act, 1892.

L.H.

Mr. Read.

This will mean a small charge on E.A.P. funds

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to Mac. to say

In any further communication  
of this subject, please quote  
No. 30574/11.  
and address—  
The Under-Secretary of State,  
Foreign Office,  
London.

FOREIGN OFFICE

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Sir:-

I am directed by Secretary Sir E. Grey to ac-  
knowledge the receipt of your letter <sup>1145</sup> 23751 of the  
2nd instant, on the subject of the award of a pension  
to Mr. J. R. W. Pigott in respect of his service in  
British East Africa.

I am to transmit to you herewith, in accordance  
with the request contained in your letter, copy of a  
Memorandum which has been prepared in this Office  
recording Mr. Pigott's services in the British East  
Africa Protectorate, and to state that Mr. Pigott  
would seem to be clearly entitled to pension in res-  
pect of those services and that his case should be  
dealt with under the Act of 1892.

I am,

Sir,

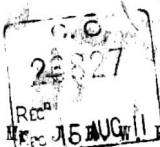
Your most obedient,

humble servant,

*W. Langley*

The Under Secretary of State,  
Colonial Office.

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MINUTES.

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Pigott's Services in the  
British East Africa Protectorate.

A. Hardinge  
No.123, July 6, 1895.

In July, 1895, Mr. A. Hardinge, His Majesty's Commissioner and Consul General for the British East Africa Protectorate, suggested that the Protectorate should be divided into four provinces and that one of them, "the Sultan's Coast" should be administered by Mr. Pigott as sub-commissioner, who would report to him as His Majesty's Commissioner and would send in his accounts to him through the Treasurer and Auditor General for the whole Protectorate.

Mr. Hardinge also suggested that, as Mr. Pigott would reside at Mombasa and would therefore have an exceptional amount of entertaining to do, his salary should be £600 per annum.

Treasury  
August 17, 1895.

Mr. Hardinge's scheme was submitted to the Treasury, who were at the same time informed that Mr. Pigott and the other gentlemen designated by him to fill the posts of Sub-Commissioners had been selected owing to the valuable experience they had gained during their long residence in Zanzibar.

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August 28th, 1895.

The Treasury in approving the scheme agreed that Mr. Pigott and one of the other Sub-Commissioners should each receive a salary of £500.

They added that there might be sufficient reason for fixing in sterling, instead of in rupees, the salaries of permanently employed Europeans

Europeans entitled to pension, who would often draw furlough pay and require to make allotments in this country. The so doing would obviate awkward claims for exchange allowance and the like.

Mr. Hardinge was informed that the Treasury had approved his proposals and that the appointment of the officers mentioned, including that of Mr. Pigott as Sub-Commissioner at Mombasa, was accordingly sanctioned.

These appointments were to date from July 1st, 1895, the date of the transfer to Her Majesty's Government of the Territories belonging to the Imperial British East Africa Company.

On the 25th October, 1895, Mr. Hardinge reported that he had informed the Sub-Commissioners of their respective appointments.

Mr. Pigott filled the post of Sub-Commissioner at Mombasa until March 6th, 1896, when he was appointed Her Majesty's Consul at Palermo.

Mr. Hardinge was informed of the transfer of Mr. Pigott to Palermo and that Lord Salisbury had selected Mr. C. H. Craufurd as his successor.

(Initialled) G. de B.

Foreign Office,

August 5th, 1911.

To Mr. Hardinge

No. 180, September 10  
1895.

Mr. Hardinge

No. 212, Oct. 25, 1895.

To Consul Pigott

March 6, 1896.

To Mr. Hardinge

No. 97, March 20, 1896.



is eligible for pension in respect of  
his Protectorate service, and that  
this case may be dealt with under  
the Superannuation Act, 1892

Mr. Pigott's emoluments in  
the East Africa Protectorate amounted  
to £600 per annum plus the  
usual addition of £60 in respect  
of quarters, and he will therefore  
be eligible for a pension of  
one sixth ( $6 \text{ months} + \frac{3}{2}$ ) of  
this amount, viz. £11 per annum

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