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CAPTAIN H.M.B. KIDDOLL
EAST AFRICAN PAY CORPS

The proceedings of medical board together with remarks by W/P as to grant of an injury pension.

Last previous Paper

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The Robinson Bottoming log
See Col Scott's report in 23918/1st,
from which it is clear that Capt Kiddoll was
with the accident while on 14 days sick leave
from hospital. Can he be said to have been
under curative treatment at the time?
Certainly he has not returned to duty.
I think the matter must be cleared up in
Nairobi.

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send copy to Gen and ask that

a endeavour may be made to ascertain
the exact position and that if it is decided
that Capt Kiddoll is entitled to pension as in

Next subsequent Paper.

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the minute of the M.P. it may be issued
accordingly as per 11 Jan 1919. Say that
Capt K sailed for India 9 Jan. and that his
address is "The Bazar, Bengal, Calcutta."

* C.A. confirm
this today
HJ

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If he was on sick leave he could not
have been on duty - I doubt if
he is entitled to any thing

Express the doubt as to draft; but as the
M.P. appear to contemplate a grant in the
case of a reasonable accident to a commandant
we may as well give him a chance.

WCS 22 2.19 advice

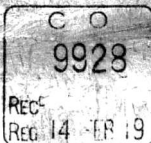
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Any further communication on this subject should be addressed to—

The Secretary,
War Office,
London, S.W.,

and the following number quoted.

K.I./314 (M.S.I.Col.)



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War Office,

London, S.W.

13 February, 1919.

Sir,

With reference to a semi-official request from your Department, I am commanded by the Army Council to forward the enclosed copies of the proceedings of the Medical Board which examined temporary Captain H.M.B. Kiddell, East African Pay Corps, on the 8th ultimo, together with a copy of the remarks received from the Ministry of Pensions with regard to the grant of an injury pension, for your information.

Sir,

Your obedient servant.

H. D. White

The Under Secretary of State,
Colonial Office,

S.W.

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Assuming that the accident occurred on duty and that this Officer is receiving no injury pension, he would have been entitled to temporary retired pay at the rate of \$105 a year from date of relinquishment to 7th July next, shortly before which date medical re-examination, with a view to re-assessment of disablement would be necessary.

The evidence, however, in A.P.A. 45 B. of the 18th December, 1917, would not be sufficient, had the case been one for dismissal by us. It is not clear whether the Officer was under convalescent treatment at the time of the accident, and, if so, why it was necessary that he should ride. If, on the other hand, he had returned to duty, the nature of the duty should have been stated. If he was not ordered to ride and was not fit to ride, the question of contributory negligence would have to be settled.

(Sd.) V.C.C. Sims.

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Sir

With ref to my predecessor's despatch
No 956 of the 30th of Dec, I have the
honour to transmit to you the acc.
copy of a letter from the W.O., with
enclosure regarding the case of
Captain H.M. B. Kiddell ^{late} East
African Pay Corps.

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Reference 24

As regards the minutes from
the Ministry of Pensions, I shall be
glad if an endeavour can be made to
ascertain the exact position.

If it is decided that Capt Kiddell is
eligible for a pension as
~~indicated in that minute~~
indicated in that minute, it should
be issued accordingly in the

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Protestate as for the 18th of Jan
1919, and arrangements should
be made for his medical examination.

~~Copy to the said~~ ~~via~~ in the
qtr of Jan, and his address is
10 the Bank of Bengal, Calcutta

Robert Lambie had been
sick for some time and
accidently fell down some
steps, therefore, when the
news of that fact was reported
to the committee, they
acted accordingly.

(1) The Board