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ex Capt L. Goringe

Enc copy of let rec^d by Lieut. Col. Sir
W. Longson re Services + retirement.

Major Edwards
his Majesty

I do not think this is a case for us to pay
gratuity vide 3858/16. In fact this was paid my
office when I died on 12/10/19. I think that we
should tell H.O. that ^{late} Capt Goringe has applied for
war gratuity that he served in view of the enclosure
to this letter on this paper H.O. is of opinion that he should
be allowed granted a gratuity in respect of his service
as that subject to enclosure of A.C. in this view they make
with may be given for him to be paid the gratuity in
respect of his continued service in E.A. under the C.O. & C.
the H.O.; say that he served under us from 16.9.14 - 6.3.16
(Amphib + 3858/16) + that he is eligible for gratuity for that
period; refer the letter no 3858/16.

Subsequent Paper.

I refer to the Office of action taken
But he holds a local commission I should
18 H.O. will pay 3858/16

B.P.C.
19.10.19

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will be addressed to
Secretary
War Office,
London, S.W.1.

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LONDON, S.W.1.

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15 OCT 1919

October 1919.

Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 28 August 1919, No. 42790/19, I am directed to forward you a copy of a letter received from Lieutenant Colonel Sir Morgan Crofton, Bart., D.S.O., on the subject of ex-Captain L. Gorrings.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

for the Assistant Financial Secretary.

Secretary of State,
Colonial Office,
S.W.1.

Mariborough Club,
Pall Mall,
London, S.W.1.

10th September, 1919.

Lieutenant Colonel Sir Morgan Crofton, Bt., D.S.O.,
2nd Life Guards, R. of O.

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The Secretary,
The War Office,
London, S.W.1.

Sir,

I have the honour to reply to your letter 4165/866 P.2.b. of September 8th 1919, in which you enclose a copy of Colonial office letter 42790/1919 of August 11th 1919, which refers to ex-Captain Leonard Goringe late East African Expeditionary Force who served under me as Assistant Provost Marshal from January 1916 - December 1917 approx. This officer resigned his commission at our suggestion, as it was impossible to find him employment, owing to the large reduction which took place at the end of 1917 in the East African Force, and owing to the instructions received from the C. in Chief of that Army that every step should be taken to reduce establishments. Captain Goringe's age and health made it impossible and undesirable to find him any further employment.

This officer married in the earliest opportunity of the outbreak of the war and left a large property to be managed solely by his wife. Having served 34 years he found it impossible to further carry on in this manner and he was suffering considerable financial loss. The case being explained to the C. in Chief, he approved of Captain Goringe's retirement on all the above mentioned grounds especially as the East African Government were obliged to spare all settlers who could be spared, or whose presence in the Army was not absolutely necessary to return to their farms and help in the general reconstruction of the Protectorate.

I have the honour to remain,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

(Signed) Morgan Crofton,
Lieutenant Colonel.

London,

10th September, 1919.

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2/10/19

7 November 1919.

DRAFT.

Sir,

With ref to your letter No 0168/466 (F.A.P.) of the

15th of October I am etc to request you to inform the

O.C. that ex-Capt. A. Garange, E.A. Dep'd. Force, has

applied to this Dept for a war gratuity in respect

of his military service in E.A., and that, in view

of the enclosure to your letter referred to above, H.H.

considers that he should be awarded a war gratuity

in respect of that service.

2. This officer was H.K. will be paid

of subject to the concurrence of the H.C., our list

can be given for this officer to be paid a war

gratuity in respect of his combined service

under the P.O. from the and under the W.A.

3. Ex-Capt Garange ^{was administered} ~~was administered~~

administration by the Dept from the 16th of September 1914 to the

MINUTE.

Mr. (17 Nov 1919)

Mr. Mackay

Mr.

Mr. Grindle.

Sir H. Lambert.

Sir H. Read.

Sir G. Fildes.

Col. Amery.

Lord Milner.

~~2/10/19~~

1/11/19

*Copy for 1210.17 Nov 1919
Copy for Comptroller's Office 3/11/19*

the 7th of March 1919, under form in last date enclosed.

has as brought in pay from Army funds - vide your

letter No 0185/2796 (Z.2) of the 16th of August 1918

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It is entitled to count his service under the Act.

original copy secured for

H. J. R.