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AUDIT QUERIES
CAPT SALKELD'S ACCOUNTS

1915
18th July
Last previous Paper.

Trs queries a d vouchers. Asks may be forwarded to him for explanation. Asks C.A. be instructed to withhold Rs 353.50 from pay pending receipt of satisfactory replies.

M^r Bottomley

The "Audit Queries" are not very lucid; but it seems that the sums to be accounted for are

R ^s 63/-	Overcharge on hire of porters
R ^s 230.50	Excess porters etc.
R ^s 60/-	Fee for medical attendance
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R ^s 353.50	
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It appears that the R.60/- for medical attendance was paid to a private practitioner in the absence of the Gov^t M.O. : this sum might be defrayed by Gov^t. But it looks as though Capt. Salkeld ought to make good the other items.

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In 702 on 23 Sept 15 4.0.150.15

Next subsequent Paper
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From the papers taken up to 11778/12 CAP
it will be seen that the S. of S. has definitely
refused to allow a general rule that "Officers
in all stations" should be allowed "to call in
private medical practitioners at the expense
of the Gov^t in the absence of Gov^t Med.
Officers". That where we have sanctioned
such an arrangement we have limited it to
cases where (if the fee charged is reasonable,

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- (2) the case was one of emergency,
- (3) the services of a Gov^t M.D. were not available,
- (4) the patient was handed over to a Gov^t M.D. if a suitable opportunity occurred.

Capt. Salkeld must certainly be
asked to justify this payment.

AT 23/8/15

at once

Room 5

MS 23.8.15

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,
NAIROBI,
BRITISH EAST AFRICA.

ST AFRICA PROTECTORATE

No. 557

July 15th 1915.

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12 AUG. 1915
COL. OFFICE

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Sir,

I have the honour to transmit herewith copies of three Audit queries and of the vouchers to which they refer, on the accounts of Captain R. E. Salkeld, formerly Acting Provincial Commissioner, Jubaland, but now performing military duties in England, with the request that they may be forwarded to that officer for an explanation.

2. I would also ask that the Crown Agents be requested to withhold the sum of Rs. 353.50 from Captain Salkeld's pay pending the receipt of satisfactory replies to these queries.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your humble, obedient servant,

H. G. B. B. B.

GOVERNOR.

RIGHT HONOURABLE

ANDREW BONAR LAW, P.C., M.P.,

SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES,

DOWNING STREET,

LONDON, S.W.

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The Hon. Treasurer,

Nairobi.

10 December

1914

Provincial Administration

Province of Jubaland

Jubaland Transport

Account No:18

Dr. No:30/19

Expenses of Capt. Salkeld's safari

Rs. 105/00

Dr. No:32/21 30 porters of

Salkeld Rs. 52/50

Auditor.

Forwarded.

Capt. Salkeld is due back from leave

about the middle of July, may the

matter be left over until his return

please

sd/ T. C. BARGREAVES.

For Treasurer.

22/8/15.

Hon. Treasurer.

It is requested that an expla-

tion may be furnished for engaging

porters in excess to those allowed by

regulations.

May this be referred home to

Capt. Salkeld for his explanation?

sd/ H. G. E. BARNES.

25/8/15.

sd/ H. G. E. BARNES.

Auditor.

Capt. Salkeld is entitled to 18 porters

only

i.e.

18 Bahrias for 7 days @ 50 cts.

63-00

18 porters for 7 days @ 25 cts.

51-50

94-50

Overcharges Rs. 65/-.

II

Treasury Branch

Mombasa 18/12/14.

W. G.

Mombasa

S. A. D. C.

Mombasa.

Forwarded for favour of your

attention.

sd/ J. A. JAMES.

Treasury Officer.

III

A.D.C. i/c Josha.

To you.

sd/ J. W. L. L. L.
8/1/15.

IV

P. C.

I was not here at the time I think
it had better be referred to Capt.
Salkeid on his return.

sd/ Douglas Reid.
A. D. C.

V

The Treasury Officer,

Mombasa.

Forwarded.

sd/ J. J. Parson.
A. D. C.

For Provincial Commissioner,
Kisumu
SO-1-15.

VI

The Hon'ble

The Treasurer,

Nairobi.

Forwarded.

sd/ H. J. H. Barnes.

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8/15.

The Hon. Treasurer,

Nairobi.

January

Auditor.

Local Administration
Province of Jubaland
Local Travelling

8/1/15

Ref. No. 18/1 Ps. 320-50

Porters engaged for P.C.'s safari

It is requested that authority
be furnished for engaging porters in

as to those allowed by regula-

s.

sd/ H. J. H. Barnes.

Auditor.

The A.D.C. Josha is unable to
explain why excess Porters were
engaged, and asks that the matter
may be referred to Capt. Salkeid
on his return from leave.

May this be done please.

sd/ F. C. Hargreaves.
For Treasurer.
8/1/15.

Hon. Treasurer.

Capt. Salkeid is entitled to 15

days only

Porters for 30 days @ 25 cts Ps. 22

Overcharges Ps. 230-50

May this be referred home to

Capt. Salkeid for his explanation.

sd/ H. J. H. Barnes.
8/1/15.

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4/15.

The Hon: Treasurer,

Nairobi.

Sl. Maron

5.

September 14.

III

Medical Department,
Administrative Division
Contingencies.

Payment made on Capt. Salkeld's own
authority. See attached correspon-
dence.

Payu account No. 81

Grant No. 63/38

21-4-18.

sd/ J. K. Thomson,
D. O.

80/- paid for medical attendance
on Capt Salkeld.

IV

It is requested that authority
be furnished for this payment.

The Hon: The Treasurer,
Nairobi.

sd/ W. A. Kempe.

Forwarded.

For Auditor.

sd/ H. Pickwood
Treasury Officer.

II
Treasury Branch
Nairobi 2/4/18

Dist. Commissioner,

Nairobi.

Requested for favour of furnishing
necessary authority.

sd/ H. Pickwood,
Treasury Officer.

Alexandria

Provincial Administration

80

Province of Jubaland.

Jubaland Transport - P.O.'s safari
to Sarawli.

19

Barikhas and canoe men.

6-14: To pay 80. Barikhas hired by Capt.
Salkeld from Alexandria to Jabir
7 days @ 1/50 cents per man.

105 00

Awol b. Salim.

6-14. To amount paid on account of
to rent of 5 Dhows hired by Capt.
6-14. Salkeld from Alexandria to Jabir
5 Dhows 7 days at

12/- 60 00

185 00

sd/ F. M. Lamb

Asst. Dist. Commissioner.

18th May 4

one hundred and sixty five only.

District Clerk.

Payee Mithali

Alexandra.

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Provincial Administration

Province of Jubaland.

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Jubaland Transport P.C's safari to Serenli.

Porters.

6-14 To amount paid on account of 30 porters
to hired by Capt. Salkeld from Maudi to
4-14. Jabin. 7 days.

30 Men -/35 52 50

Rs 52 50

s/ F. M. Lamb.
Asst. Dist. Commissioner.

19th May 4

Fifty two and cents 50 only.

P. D' Souza.
District Clerk.

Payasa Mitalali

Alexandria.

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Provincial Administration

Province of Assam.

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Local Travelling.

P.O's safari to Seranli.

Porters.

5-14	To	Porters paid on account of			
5-14		engaged by Capt. Salkell on his			
		safari to Seranli.	68 men -/85	310	00
4-14	To	1 porter for 30 days engaged by above			
6-14		(original salary Rs. 7/80) Paid		6	50
3-14	To	2 porters hired by above from Mismayu			
		to Jahir	2 men 3/-	4	00

Note- The above 1 porter paid Rs. 1/-
less on account of 1e.1/- advanced
to him at Seranli by the P. C.

Rs. 320 50

above

sd/ F. M. Lamb.

Asst. Dist. Commissioner.

1st

June

4

Three hundred and twenty and cents fifty only
Payees illiterate.
P.D'Souza.

Payees illiterate

KISMAYU

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Medical Department

Administrative Division

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Contingencies

Capt. H. E. Salkeld.

Fee for medical attendance on
Capt. Salkeld during Dr. Massey's
absence (refund of)

60 -

Rs 60 -

1st September 4

sd/ H. E. Salkeld

Ag. Provincial Commissioner

Rs. 60/00

sd/ H. E. Salkeld.

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D. [initials]

24 August 1915

Sp. Sir,

I am directed by Mr. Secy
Bonar Law to transmit to
you to be laid before the
Army Council, the accomp.
copy of corra. forwarded by
the Gov. of the East. relating
to three Audit queries
relating to the accounts
of Captain R. G. Salkeld,
3rd Batt. Oxfordshire & Bucks
shire Light Infantry, District
Commr, E.A.P., who is
at present serving as Deputy
Asst. Adjutant and Quarter
Master General 2/1st South
Midland Division.

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The Secretary
War Office.

MINUTE.

Mr. Harper 24/8/15
Mr. Bottomley 24.8.15

- Mr.
- Mr.
- Sir G. Fiddes.
- Sir H. Just.
- Sir J. Anderson.
- Lord Jellicoe.
- Mr. [unclear]

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2. Mr. Gomez Law will
be glad if the Army Council
will cause the copies to
be transmitted to Capt. Skelton
with a request that he will
furnish ~~him~~ explanations of
the payments in excess of
the regulations and of the
charge ~~payment~~ for medical attendance.

(Signed) BENNY LAMBERT,
Secretary, State.