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Crown Sheet

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Account of Prot.

States that account is now overdrawn by £25000, plus bills amounting to £40000 maturing in two or three weeks. Suggests as to meeting this deficiency

Ans. -
Copies sent to [unclear] 29 Sept 15
Treas
4/11/15

Wait 3 days for reply from
Treas^y to our l^{tr} of 14 Sept. or
4/11/15

(I note &
re-transmit
the 24th
to V.A.)

at once.
to J.R.
17/9/15

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ALL COMMUNICATIONS
TO BE ADDRESSED TO THE
CROWN AGENTS FOR THE COLONIES,
THE ABOVE REFERENCE AND THE
DATE OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED

TELEGRAMS "DROWN LONDON"
TELEPHONE 1380 VICTORIA

WHITEHALL GARDENS,
LONDON, S.W.

16th September 1916.

Sir,

East Africa Protectorate

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Referring to our letter of the 31st May last on
the subject of the account of the East Africa Protectorate
with us, I have the honour to state that the Protectorate
is now indebted to us to the extent of £445,000, in
addition to which bills amounting to £40,000 will have to
be met within the next two or three weeks.

2. We shall be glad to know what steps are being
taken to place the account in funds, or, at any rate, to
reduce the amount of the overdraft, which has become too
large for the resources at our disposal.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant

W. H. Murray

Under Secretary of State,
Colonial Office.