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previous Paper.

Adm
39369

GERMAN EAST AFRICA CURRENCY

States difficult to explain matters by tel.
Matter primarily one for W.O. Suggests C.O. consult
with Banks.

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Mr. Read

The whole question, which will include the particular difficulty in which the military authorities are involved, has now been taken up with the Treasury (On Administrator /38281/German East Africa). As the military authorities are concerned, it will be as well for the War Office to be represented at any conference that may take place. We had better send them, with reference to our letter of the 1st August on 37898, a copy of this telegram and copies of Administrator/38281 and of our letter to the Treasury on that paper, and ask whether, if a conference with the Banks can be arranged, they will be willing to send a War Office representative to it.

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7/8/17

Subsequent Papers

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TELEGRAM.

The Officer Administering the Government
of the East Africa Protectorate to the Secretary
of State for the Colonies.

(Dated 7th August, Received Colonial Office, 2.14 a.m., 8th
August, 1917.)

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464. 7th August your telegram of 13th
July (?) your telegram of 31st July on subject of
German coinage. Difficult to explain matters
satisfactorily by telegraph as local negotiations
and correspondence lengthy and difference of
opinion exists. Matter primarily one for consideration
of War Office. Understand that General Officer
Commanding has not forwarded to War Office East
African Pay Corps letter May 23rd but Pay Corps
has given copy of letter to National Bank of India
Nairobi which has sent it their London Office.
Suggest consultation between Colonial Office and
War Office and London Office National Bank of India
last of whom able to explain position fully.

BOWRING.



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TELEGRAM

EMBASSY FROM CHIEF CABLE STATION, ELECTRA HOUSE

REPLIES SHOULD BE ON
TELEGRAM

via Eastern

Doubtful words should be SPECIALLY REQUESTED
to Inquiry respecting "UNBELIEVED UNNOMINATE SLACKEAR GERMAN"

or any other word or set of words which may be required.

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EMBASSY PW 2450 P.D.
H. 8.55 A.M.

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464 7 Aug 1917 (7, 4, 6, 6, 6, 31 July) on subject of
APURA UNBELIEVED UNNOMINATE SLACKEAR GERMAN

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COINAGE SILVERWOOD DIFFUSILIA EXPLAIN MATTER

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RELDONES STONEHOUSE AS LOCAL DEPHONE AND

Corporation

difference of opinion

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W.O.

NAME
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 MATTER PREMARILY ONE CONGESTIVE TERRATRICE

O Understand that G.O.C has sent 259

SILVEROOD TERRANTHUS ONE GUINA HEARTGUNK

forwarded to W.D. E. African

FOOTSTOOL TERRATRICE EAGLESTONE PAYCORPS LETTER

May 23rd has given copy of letter
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National Bank of which has
ASSIMBIA INDIA MAINOSI TOSGUP SENT IT THEIR

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Consultation

LONDON OFFICE SILVERSTEIN SUGGEST DOWNGRADE

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War Office

BETWEEN CHICHESTER AND TIRATHPUR AND LONDON

National Bank of

of whom able to

OFFICE ASSESSOR INDIA LAST OFFICER ABAPAMOEXPLAIN POSITION FULLY - BOMBAY

Recd CO. 2-14 am

8.8.17

DRAFT.

The Secy.

W.O.

MINUTE.

Meeting, 10 Aug.

Batcombe, 10.8.77 p.m.

Mr.

Mr. Grindle.

Mr. Lambert.

Mr. Read.

See G. Fiddes.

Sir A. Steel-Maitland.

Mr. Long.

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and 4/5/77

14 August 1917

Fr.

With ref to the letter from this Dept I have got just now I am rec to this to you, to be laid before the Army Council a copy of a tel which has now been received from the Adj. of the G.A.P relating to difficulties which have arisen from the re-opening

of German local coin as legal tender.

2 I am also to bring a copy of a letter to the Secy. enclosing a copy of a despatch from the Admin. Of German Local currency.

From Adm. Secy 10 Aug.

To Secy 8 Aug.

From Adm. Secy 10.8.77 p.m.

(ending)

dealing with the same subject

3. Dr. Wong ^{will} be glad
to learn whether, if a conference
can be arranged with the Board
as suggested by the local authorities,
the Army Council ^{will send a} ~~would be~~
~~proposed to be~~ representative to it.

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