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Eversfield Place,
St Leonard's on Sea

Sussex 14-4-19.

Under Secretary of State,
Colonial Office
London. S. O. 1.

I beg to acquaint you Sir, that I have received a Certificate signed by Majesty The King, to the effect that I am awarded with honour, and was disabled in the Great War. "Honourably discharged 1-10-16."

MO 14841/19.

I duly received a letter dated 10th inst from your Department & I must say Sir, that I was somewhat of a shock when I noted a reduction in my Pension of 9/9 weekly as the decision of the Medical Board. I truthfully state that I feel no better in health; last week I had a very bad heart attack, but me out of count for a few days.

Pardon my trespassing upon your valuable time Sir - but a man may be wounded several times

eventually, recover from his honourable scars,
 such as, that no degree of disability remains.
 In my case Sir - it is the Heart; the
 effects of Malaria Fever contracted whilst on
 Service in East Africa, has so undermined
 aforesaid organ, that recovery in my opinion
 is quite an impossibility - & my chances of
 living - extremely remote. My age Sir is 45,
 the Heart cannot improve as the years
 go on.

I have now been before four Medical Boards,
 Mombasa, Mosamberry Road, Eastbourne, and
 London, and I put it to you Sir, that under the
 circumstances, do you not think that the time is
 ripe, that any further Medical Boards in my
 case should be dispensed with - and that a definite
 decision should be decided upon without further
 delay?

When attached to East African Ordnance Sir, I
 contributed one day's pay per month to Government
 Fund for disabled Soldiers, with I think
 Major-General Redfield as President.
 You kindly inform me Sir, of this Fund

still in existence, and if so, what
profits I derive therefrom?

I am,

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Sir,

Your obedient servant,

J. W. Davis.



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Mr F W Savers

24th April 1919

Sir,

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H. Lambert.

H. Road.

F. Fiddes.

Emery.

Milner.

last part of the letter from the Dept of the 16th (1919)

I am to ask the recd of your letter of the 16th of April & to inform you that the arrangements as to pension which have been made in your case are exactly the same as those which would have been ^{made} had you served in & been discharged from the British Army. You should therefore proceed in accordance with the schedule contained in the enclosed copy of the letter from the Dept of the 16th of April.

Your enquiries with regard to the Fort House Pension has been referred to the Genl of the Dept & a further letter on this subject will be sent to you ^{when a reply is recd from the} ~~on receipt~~

Handwritten scribbles

W. R. GREEN

24 April 1919

Draft

Sir

With ref being kept by
 me of the 10th inst, I have the
 honour to let you be in copy
 of an extract from a letter from
 Mr. H. D. Davis to report that
 may be info what is his
 position in relation to the
 Fort House Fund to which
 he refers

from Northey
 Esq. 339
 No

(1919)

Lfd 19 April
 Mr. Maitley 19/4

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(Signed) MILNER

Sir 24 April 1919 Draft

With ref being sent to
me of the 10th inst. I have the
honour to let you be in copy
I am extract from a letter from
Mr. Stobbs to request that
may be info what is his
position in relation to the
Govt House Fund to which
he subscribes

has Northey
Capt
no 339
(1792)
L.H. 19 April
Mr Madley 19/1

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(Signed) MILNER