

**AFRICAN COLONIAL FORCES
SOMALILAND CAMEL CORPS
CAMEL SQUADRON (K.A.R.)
WAR ESTABLISHMENT**

(i) PERSONNEL

Detail	Squadron headquarters	1 pony troop			3 camel troops (each)			Total, Somaliland camel corps, camel squadron (K.A.R.)
		Troop headquarters	3 sections (each)	Total, pony troop	Troop headquarters	3 section (each)	Total, camel troop	
Europeans—								
Squadron commander (major)	1							1
Captain	1							1
Subalterns		1		1	1		1	4
Total, europeans	2	1		1	1		1	6
Somali troops—								
Squadron serjeant-major	1							1
Squadron quarter-master-serjeant	1							1
Serjeants		1		1	1		1	4
Total, warrant officers, staff-serjeants and serjeants	2	1		1	1		1	4
Corporals	2		1	3	1		1	8
Lance-corporals						1	3	9
Troopers	15	2	7	23	3	7	24	110
Total, rank and file	17	2	8	26	4	8	28	127
Total, Somali troops	19	3	8	27	5	8	29	133
Somali non-combatants	9	1		1	1		1	13
Total, Somaliland camel corps, camel squadron (K.A.R.)	30	5	8	29	7	8	31	152
(ii) DISTRIBUTION OF RANK AND FILE AND SOMALI NON-COMBATANTS BY TRADES AND DUTIES								
Somali troops—								
Tradesmen—								
Blacksmith	1							1
Blacksmith's striker or hammerman	1							1
Cooks (for Somali other ranks)	3							3
Leather stitchers					1		1	3
Saddler and harness maker	1							1
Veterinary assistants (includes 1 corporal)	1				1		1	4
Total, tradesmen	7				2		2	13
Non-tradesmen—								
Gun numbers and riflemen (includes 6 corporals and 9 lance-corporals)			8	24	1	8	25	99
Mortar numbers (includes 1 corporal and 1 rangetaker)	6							6
Orderlies	2	1		1	1		1	6
Syces (grooms)	2	1		1				3
Total, non-tradesmen	10	2	8	26	2	8	26	114
Total, Somali, rank and file	17	2	8	26	4	8	28	127

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Somali non-combatants—								
Tradesmen—								
Clerk	1							1
Cook (for officers' mess)	1							1
Sanitary orderlies	4							4
Total, non-combatant tradesmen	6							6
Non-tradesmen—								
Mess servant	1							1
Personal servants	2	1		1	1		1	6
Total, non-combatant non-tradesmen	3	1		1	1		1	7
Total, Somali non-combatants	9	1		1	1		1	13
((iii) ANIMALS								
Ponies	6	6	9	33	1		1	42
Camels	35				8	9	35	140

(iv) WEAPONS

L.M.Gs., .303-inch	9
Mortar, 3-inch	1
Pistols, signal	4
Dischargers, smoke generator	12