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9 June

Last previous Paper.

No 20684
b.c. 4250
File 2167

Foresters

vacancy form 4 required

Mr. Bolton, C.

Since ^{the} making of the form, a dep has arrived 20684/14 showing that the Sol^d does want us to appt a successor to Pickwell (File 2067) who is not returning. He asked for a successor on 2067/8.

I have therefore amended the form to include the Pickwell vacancy, etc. It altogether 3 or 4 Pickwell.

The Sol^d suggests (20684) that M^r H. B. Jackson who came home by the same boat as the dep. (20684) should be.

Consulted with regard to filling the vacancies in an Asst. Conservator and the Foresters. The Sol^d also asks for the appts to be made as soon as possible.

In 20646 the Sol^d suggests that we might approach W.O. for some retired R.E.O.s of the Royal Engineers for

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the Foresters' appts. [The Asst. Conservator
has been apptd Mr Gardner File 5727.
and we need not trouble Mr Jackson about
him.] Mr Pickwell was an Rte man but we did not
get him from

The P.P.S are laid up for candidates
(see Mr Battenbee's minutes on M/34720/12 Page
[Muscatt] and N/11708/14 Page [Houlte])
We are offered Houlte who is only 20½
and Muscat who is in Canada and
cannot be interviewed, though Mr
Hanson of the Forest of Dean recommended
him. He is 24.

As the vacancies should be filled as
soon as possible, I would suggest
that subject to consultation with
Mr Jackson we take Muscat and
Houlte (drawing the M.R.'s attention
to his age) and at the same
time write to W.O. for

2. R.E. men as an experiment.

N.7D.11.6.14

Mr Battenbee

The Gov. suggestion of an ex. R.E.
vehicles only to the one short-fetched
man with a knowledge of surveying
exp. the vehicle - was denied. We suggested
that they should teach one of the Foresters
surveying. They suggest that we should
get a surveyor & - apparently - at
the forestry point go by the board.

I should consult O.S. as to the of one
as - & that would have 3 Foresters
to go with. I see no objection to your

becoming with W. Jackson a 6th
Honest & honest
Ead 12/16/14

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Mr. Bottomley

I agree with A.

As to the one & vacancies

I have written to Mr. Jackson

and asked him to take May

paper to the same time, when

you have taken action, for discussion

with him

W.B. 14 6 14

Mr. Read

Then I ask \$5.08 officially if
he can recommend a suitable ex-

and if possible I plan to
work, for assignment as a surveyor
in the Forest Dept. E.A. at £120.00 -

£50.00. [See paper of particulars
8/18/14 for J.

W.B. 15/6/14

at once

A. J. R.

15/V/14

Mr. Harcourt.

For two of these vacancies I submit.

C. F. HOULE, 20½; single; educated at Council Schools
and the Higher Grade School, Rochdale. After nearly

three

Three years nursery experience he worked as a student at the School of Forestry, Parkend, Gloucestershire, since when he has been employed as a Forester in the Forest of Sheffield. Mr. Hobart makes a good personal impression for this class of population and his reports are good. He has been interviewed by Mr. Jackson, Senior Assistant in the Forest Department, East Africa Protectorate, who considers him suitable in spite of his youth.

(2) K.E. MUSCAT, 22, married, educated at Leicester School. He is now in England and it is therefore intended to interview him. Mr. Muscat was formerly a student at the School of Forestry and is recommended by Mr. Jackson. He has written a letter of introduction to Mr. Jackson for Mr. Hobart. It is in the circumstances, I think, that the appointment of Mr. Muscat is an interview of the Forest of Sheffield.

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23.6.14

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For the remaining two vacancies see CO/4250/14

Received Vacancy Form

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[Substituting CO/4250/14 and 8235/14]

JUN 14

Vacancy

Salary

4 Foresters in E.A.P.
£120 - £140 - £200

Time of vacancy

(a) ~~On 1st July 1914~~ (b) ~~On 1st July 1914~~

(a) 3 new appointments (b) One via Pickwell resigned

Dept papers

(a) Files 4882 3031, CO/4250/14
(a) OAG/8235/14 E.A.P.
(b) 76 2167 - 50/20684/14

Remarks

Usual Forester agreements. Quarters on all 4. Class II passages (for passage for work and passage to formation of services found satisfactory after one year). Duties: Executive forest work. Must hold Diploma in Forestry from Forest of Dean School, or be thought experienced in Forestry. Mr. Hobart of Forest of Dean School to be asked for a letter of recommendation.

his v.d. is now expedited by CO/4250/14

W.B. Skomley
CR
S.P.R.A.
P.S.

27.7.14

The proposed vacancy forms in 4250/14 + 8235/14, which originally contemplated 5 men of whom one, David, has gone out to another place, has been found to be 4/6/14

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East

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16 June 1914

etc;

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Ordinance survey

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Mr. Harper 15/6/14

Mr. Bottomley 15/6/14

Sir G. Fiddes.

Sir H. Aust.

Sir J. Anderson.

Lord Emmott.

Mr. Harcourt.

I am to inform
you that there is a
vacancy for a surveyor
in the Forestry Dept. of
the East, with salary at
the rate of £120 rising
by annual increments of
£10 to £200 a year, and
travelling and other
allowances according to the
sanctioned scale for
Officers holding second
class appointments. A
free passage to the Post
over

is provided for the person
engaged, - and if his
services are satisfactory
for the first year - free
passage will be provided
to enable his wife and family
to join him in Africa.

2. The candidate selected
should have a knowledge of
theodolite and, if possible, of
plane table work, -

3. Mr. Harcourt will be glad to
learn if you can recommend
a suitable ex-non-commissioned
officer of the R.E. Engineers for
appointment to the vacancy in question.

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Mr. dees 1/7/14

Mr. Portman 2/7/14

Sir G. Fiddes.

Sir H. J. J.

Sir J. Anderson.

Lord Emmott.

Mr. Harcourt.

Partly for
Canton

Genl.

I am etc. to inf. you that
he approves of your
engaging ^{Mr. George Andrew}
~~with the~~ ^{Karl Edward}
Holt and ~~W. E.~~
Muscat for service as
foresters in the East with
salary at the rate of £120
rising by annual increments
of £10 to £200. The
^{ordinary} ~~usual~~ form of agreement
for the engagement of
foresters should be used. 2.

2. Mr. Hoults & Mr. Muscat
must be passed as physically
fit for service before they
are engaged, I am to
request that you will
arrange for this exam.

3. You should provide these
gentlemen with second class
passage to Monrovia by
the first convenient
steamer (Castle & Cairn)
by which they can con-
veniently travel.

4. Mr. Hoults' address is -

c/o Miss Pootles,
Shingley Fold,
Over Alderley,
Chelford,
Cheshire.

5. Mr. Muscat's address is -

c/o Blacel Stewart & Walsh Ltd
Camp A,
Myrtle Pt.,
British Columbia
Canada.

~~In Mr. Muscat's case~~
You should inf. him to inform
that he must furnish
a certificate from a
qualified M.O. that
he is physically fit
for service in E. Africa
~~but he should~~
~~& must forward~~
the certificate to you
without delay; and
further, you sh. inf. him
that he will be refunded
reasonable travelling
expenses (1st 2nd
class on steamers & 3rd
class on railways) from
his present place of
residence to London,
the claim to be supported
as far as possible by
receipts.

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