

EAST AFR. PROT.

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G. O.
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No. 23 11 12

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Field 21.
Date 1912
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Oct.
Previous Paper
No. 21250

Vacancies for Asst. Dist. Commr.

You tel. 19 Oct. I have 4 vacancies. I suggest that one be offered to Bell - with his present seniority - am reluctant to part with another officer of local experience just now.

We Read
with Pleasure

the four vacancies are due to

- (1) death of Mr. Colyer
- (2) Amendment of Mr. Bente to the P.S. to Mr. Bente
- (3) Amendment of Mr. A.D. Co. to Mr. Bente

At least I presume that this is the cause of the other two vacancies, though the fact has not so far settled the matter.

30 Nov. ✓
 Mr. Bell ✓
 Mr. Bente ✓
 Mr. Colyer ✓
 Mr. A.D. Co. ✓
 Mr. Bente ✓
 Mr. Bente ✓

Subsequent Paper
616 (Bell)
617 (Bente)

As you know the above officers besides these 4 vacancies there are

may probably be a fifth among the
successes of having ~~just~~ end of the ~~household~~,
with regard to which I have paid
circulable papers.

We have now at the P.S. 4
been for East Africa. Of these I was
intended for East, 1 for Uganda, 12 for
Nyasaland. It is ~~temporarily~~ clear that
without Uganda Nyasaland are to be there.
There will be a serious shortage of
administrative officers in the East from
now until the 1st of April next, by
which time we may have had the
been selected for the January, course
will begin to arrive. I have written
to the Board I think to direct to the
necessity of finding some here and others
looking to course here is not of
the practical course that to the Board of
I have not seen any other way

And, with your concurrence I
have taken steps to limit applications
for East Africa from the West 511
African candidates sent at the course.
We can wait to see how many
candidates we shall get.

As to Lieut. Hill, in view of his
present shortage, I do not know
why the one of the reasons in his
E.A.F. should not be offered to him,
and I also think that he might
be allowed to retain his existing passport,
the more liberally considering that
it is proposed to increase the number
of E.A.F. by 2 and that you are thereby
improving the prospects of promotion

to groups here

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L. J. Fisher

Amused as proposed with regard to hist. Bell?

H. J. R.

29/5

Stone P. 29

not here

Have spoken to Mr. Battisteri and Mr.

Fuss about this. There are 4 certain & possible E.A. vacancies - & there seems to be no alternatives to getting men attending them out without first taking the Z.A.S. course. We have now hist. Bell

there is a prospect of getting Capt. Gordon (late 8th Batt. K.A.B.) if W.O. agree.

? ask P.I. to get us 3 new men for Z.A. to go by the German boat 11 Dec. - the same as the other four men who have been to the course.

All 13/11

Stone
H. J. R.
13/5

Vacancy form

vacancies

3 admⁿ officers, "2 Africa"

£33521 E.A.

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£250.15.400

marks

1. Will not attend the E.A. course.
2. Should leave England to see.

All

13/11

Val. form sent
P.I. cleared

M. Harcourt

For 2 more administrative vacancies
in the East Africa (including Uganda
and Nyasaland) I submit

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(1) Lieut J.L. Harcourt R.N. (retired)

Age 31. Served in the Navy from
1896 - 1909. Secretary of the Navy
League 1910-11.

Qualified as an interpreter in

German.

Very good impression. Was placed "first
string" for Somaliland by the Commission,

but declined.

He is rather above the usual age, but the Department
have agreed that he is worth having in spite of it.

(2) J. B. Pennafather Age 22.

13/26/12

Son of Lieut G. Pennafather late Inspector
General of Police Transvaal. Educated
at Sherborne and Keble (IIIrd Law
Finals 1912) Colon Sergeant in the
D.T.C. Very good personal
impression

(3) M. R. R. Vidal Age 22.

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Educated at Radley and Oriel

(Pass degree 1912) Played games
in College. O.T.C. (Artillery section)

He was placed by the Commission
'2nd string' for the last Somerset
vacancy, but it was thought
desirable to take a rather more
'seasoned' man for that post.
Very good impression.

Appoint these three.

E.H. 18/10

app. 18.11.12

C. O.
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Recd
Oct 23 1912

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TELEGRAM:

The Governor of the East Africa Protectorate to the
Secretary of State for the Colonies.

(Received Colonial Office, 10.35 a.m. 23rd October,
1912).

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No. 188 Your telegram 19th October I have four
vacancies for Assistant District Commissioners would
suggest that one be offered to Bell with his present
seniority on reluctant part with another officer of
local experience just now.

BELFIELD.

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WASHINGTON OFFICE, W.C.

23 OCT 1912

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The following TELEGRAM Received at

From *Nairobi*

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No. of Words: *27*

Dated *23* *10* *1912*

via "Eastern"
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Belfield Rec Co

10.35 am

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RECORDED *Via Eastern*

Double words should be OFFICIALLY repeated. See A.P. Book

No inquiry respecting this Telegram can be attended to without the production of this Copy

Registered & Trade Mark, Private, London, W.C. - London

The comes of "Lady Westmoreland"
stock, was in the 3rd at Rugby,
and made an admirable personal
impression

at point.

23/11/12

affd.

24.11.12

P.S.
Vacancy

Vacancy form

An Administrative Officer for E. Africa

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Paper

of 36th Oct

Cause of vacancy

Lieut. Hewitt not papered by
the M.A.

Remarks

1. Wanted it now.
2. Will not take P.A.I. course before going out.
- (3. Will almost certainly go to Nyasaland.]

All
22/11

Th. Harcourt.

This is very unfortunate, as Lieut. Hewitt was the best of our candidates.

In his place I submit

Th. A.G. O. Hodgson Age 22

Educated at Beasley Grammar School and Rugby, and afterwards at King's College London.

He is now an Assistant Surveyor of Taxes.

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Vacancy Form

Book of Canon in East

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Recognition of the Lower Bible

Date Feb. 1770.

£250 - 10 - 000.

Quoted as in per mille added
to ~~the~~ ~~document~~ ~~that~~ ~~appears~~
afforded.

Quoted as low as possible. to
have a regard to all the F.R.S.
Census during his post here

Mr. Harcourt.

For this vacancy I submit

Mr. F. H. Sandford age 23

Esq. of Rugby & Magdalen Oxford

(B. Clark L. was a young)

He got a half day for training and
stayed to Magdalen Light at

Honley. 1912.

He failed in the I.C.S. Exam (taking
161st place).

He has excellent testimonials, and
his personal impression was good.

? Appoint

(Mr. Sandford wants to go to Uganda
and the last of Dec^r tell me that
they can arrange to send him there
if his selection is approved)

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24.11.12

Should candidates are normally required to

...and a copy of instruction, lastly about two
in the following subjects: Tropical Hygiene and Sanitation - Clinical Law,
take up their appointments. Circumstances to be
Evidence and Procedure, Tropical Economic Products - Elementary Surgery,
permit of your departure being passed for the
Colonial System of Accounts. Particulars of the course are given in the
purpose of it is therefore to be understood that you
mentioned in paragraph 5.
basis of advance

5. If you are prepared to accept the appointment on these conditions,
you should present yourself to one of the medical advisers of this Department,
whose names are given on the enclosed letter, for the purpose of being medically
examined. The letter is to be detached and left with him; and you will be
required to pay him a fee of one guinea. He will send his report direct to this
Department.

6. I am to request that you will state whether you accept this offer.
If you are physically fit for service you
will be required to proceed to the Port by the Steamer
of a relative (stating his or her relationship to you) for reference in case of
emergency.
11th of Dec. 1917.

7. You should furnish me with the name and
permanent address of a relative (stating his or her
relationship to you) for reference in case of emergency.

8. A further Commission will be very likely be
addressed to you as to which of the Posts you had
allocated.

J.R.
H.R.

This letter is to be detached and left with the Medical Adviser.

Downing Street, London,

18 November 1917

Sir,

I am directed by the Secretary of State for the Colonies to
request that you will be good enough to examine the bearer of this letter.

- (1) Lieut. R.L. Beville R.N.
- (2) Lt. J.B. Penneyfather
- (3) Lt. M.R.R. Tides

and report whether, in your opinion, he is physically fit for service as
an Administrative Officer in East Africa

in the East Africa Uganda - Nyasaland Protectorate

He has been informed that he will have to pay you a fee of one
guinea.

I am,

Sir,

your obedient servant,

~~G. V. FIDDES~~

H.R.

J. Rose Bradford, K.C.M.G., M.D., F.R.S.
8, Manchester Square, London, W.

(Hours: 10 a.m. to 12 noon, except
Saturday. Saturdays, 12 noon to
1 p.m.)

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ment.)

Surgeon
Lieutenant-Colonel J. Arnott, M.D., I.M.S. (Ret.),
8, Rothsay Place, Edinburgh.

(Hour: 2 p.m., except Saturdays.)

J. Hestrey Benson, M.D., Pres. R.C.P.I.,
57, Fitzwilliam Square, Dublin.

(Hour: 2.30 p.m.)

* Those not required to be struck out

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Communications on this subject
should be addressed to—
THE UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE,
COLONIAL OFFICE,
LONDON, S.W.,
and the following number quoted —

Downing Street,

18 November 1912.

Sir,

7/11
Number 18
ad 187

I am directed by ^{the} ~~the~~ *Harroun* Secretary of State for the Colonies to inform
the Lords Commrs of the Admiralty
that he proposes to select *Lieutenant B. L. Heath R.N.*

for appointment as an Administrative Officer in the *C. Africa*
Regatta & Hyderabad Port, East Africa.

I am to request you to be good enough to move ^{the Admiralty} ~~the Admiralty~~ to
arrange, if they have no objection, for the services of this officer being placed at
the disposal of this Department.

I am,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

JOHN ANDERSON.

consd 36887

The Secretary,

Admiralty