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Misconduct of European P.C. Sparrow

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Said report his engagement has been terminated

(Minute.)

Mr Ellis

proceed as on 4796

H.C. 18/10

George 18/10

H. J. R.
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Governor's Office,

N. I. P. O. I.

23rd October 1908.

EAST AFRICA PROTECTORATE.

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My Lord,

I have the honour to transmit herewith the proceedings of an enquiry into the misconduct of Police Constable Sparrow - European Police Force.

ProceedingsDefaulter Sheet

2. Police Constable Sparrow is evidently unsuited for further service in this country and I have accordingly confirmed the Acting Inspector General's sentence and directed that Police Constable Sparrow be returned to England.

3. A copy of his defaulter sheet is enclosed.

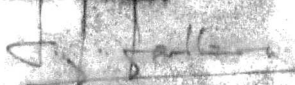
I have the honour to be,

With the highest respect,

My Lord,

Your Lordship's most obedient,

humble servant,



In the absence of H.E. the Governor.

H.M. PRINCIPAL SECRETARY OF STATE

FOR THE COLONIES,

DOUING STREET,

LONDON. E. W.

CONFIDENTIAL.

No. 111.

From,

Police Head Quarters.

The Ag. Inspector General,

N. A. Police.

Nairobi.

To,

The Secretary
to the Administration,

18th, October 1968.

Nairobi.

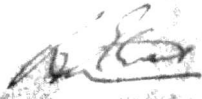
Sir,

I have the honour to submit herewith the proceedings of a case against Police Constable Sparrow of the European Detachment for the infraction of His Excellency the Governor with a view to caution being obtained to the sentence passed on him by me.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,


Ag. Inspector General,
N. A. Police.

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SECRET

From, Police Head Quarters,
 The A.S.S.F., Nairobi,
 Nairobi,
 To, The Ag. Inspector General, Nairobi,
 E.A. Police. October 18th 1900.

Sir,

I have the honor to report that last night, I had to order Police Constable Sparrow of the European Police to be confined in the Police Station for being drunk and in-subordinate.

Police Constable Blunden who is under suspension and is confined to Barracks, is also reported by Sergeant Major Bradley for not being in his quarters at 12.30 A.M. this morning. I warned this man that if he broke barracks he would be liable to be put in prison, and I would most strongly recommend this being done to both these men, until the sailing of the German Steamer on the 26th as they are only causing trouble in the town here, their friends being of the most undesirable class.

I have the honor to be,
 Sir,
 Your obedient servant,
 Sd. W. R. S. Muthos.
 Asst. Dist. Supt. of Police.

Complainant A. D. S. P. Captain Mustace.
Accused P. O. A. E. Sparrow.
Offense 1. Drunk on duty.
2. Insubordination.

Inspector R. Anderson.

Last night at 9.30 when Police Constable Sparrow should have been on duty at the Police Station, I visited the Police Station and found Police Constable Sparrow in the outer office drunk, in mufti. I told him he was drunk and to return to his quarters but he did not do so and Sergeant Major Bradley had to put him out of the Police Station. He did not go away, but loitered about outside. I went to Captain Mustace and reported the matter. Captain Mustace told me that after he returned to the Police Station I was to lock him up. I then went home and a little later received a note from the Asst. Sub-Inspector Birje Kinners that Constable Sparrow had returned. I again went to the Police Station taking Sergeant Major Bradley with me. We found the accused on a bed in one of the rooms above the Police Station and confined him to cells for being drunk and disobeying orders.

While looking through the Diary on my first visit to the Police Station I saw an entry by accused which was quite illegible with a lot scribbling as signature. I asked him what it was and he said it was his signature. I told him that it was not a signature and that he was drunk and he answered that if I could not read it I must be drunk.

S.

At 11.30 P.M. I received a report from the Police Station that Police Constable Sparrow was trying to break cells I went to the Police Station and found him making a disturbance but everything was secure.

Police Constable Sparrow was released at about 6 A.M. this morning and sent to his barracks.

Before me.

Nairobi,

Sd. R.M. Swart.

18.10.08.

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European Detachment - Serious Offences.

Date	Rank and name	Report	By whom reported	Punishment awarded	By whom awarded
9.10.08.	P.C. Sparrow	1. Drank on duty 2. Insubordination	Inspr. Anderson Evidences S.M. Dragnay	Fined £5 & recommended to terminate his agreement.	R.M. Swart Ag. D.I.G.
15.10.08.	P.C. Sparrow	Insubordination i.e. refuses to do any further duty	Says so in Orderly Room	Fined £5 and suspended from duty, confined to barracks until reply received from His Honour the Lt. Governor	R.M. Swart Ag. D.I.G.

Certified true extract from Serious Offence Book.

25/- R.M. Swart
Ag. Inspector General
K.A. Police

Nairobi,
23rd October 1908.

European Detachment - Various Offenses.

By whom reported	Particulars	By whom reported	Report	Rank and service	
H. M. Smith No. 10.08	Found in a room which he furnished to furnish his quarters.	Inspector Anderson E. M. Higgins	1. Discard on duty 2. Insubordinate action	P.O. Sparrow	10.08
H. M. Smith No. 10.08	Found in and removed from duty, confined in barracks until rapid was called from his quarters. Lt. Governor	Inspector Anderson E. M. Higgins	Insubordinate - sign i.e. to room any further duty	P.O. Sparrow	10.08

Continued from various offenses

SM - H.M. Smith

Inspector General
S.A. Patton

10.08
22nd October 1908