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vacancies for Inspectors of Police.

Transmit copy report from Inspector of
Police submitting names of Constables James Butler and
McGlade; no one above rank of constable has
been

Mr. Ellis

(Minutes.)

Butler's ability appears to be above
the average, as we might select him.
But I should think that the other two
might be held over till for the present
and Hardy & Tanner (a Tipping)
tried? see 25860 & 30178

GCN

Mr. Fiddicombe

I think without giving
office to the "Cottle" we can
regret all but Butler - who
I'd go through a course of training
If you agree will you
send your credentials for the
Cottle office.

Read
Ht herewith
7/10

Mr. Ellis

I have spoken to Mr. Harris and
we are agreed that Tipping and Tanner are

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Stonington Avenue

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My dear Secretary,
Dear Sir,

My brother Dr. W.
Smith (who has just
returned) has advised
me to let you
know that I have
been very busy
and cannot

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from him
will say if the
he intended leave
Hano in Nov. arrived
in England in Jan
If he has received
my previous letter
I feel sure that
will receive the
first opportunity
& may be Nov

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Miss Mrs. Anticipation
Jane Hat etc
York

(Copy)

East Africa Protectorate.

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Vacancies for 3 Inspectors of Police
offered to members of the R.I.C.

Secretary.

Noted:-

In response to the Circular issued to me 24 Constables offered themselves for service in the East Africa Protectorate Police Force on the terms set down in the letter from the Colonial Office dated 4 August last. No man above the rank of Constable has volunteered. Of the men who have offered themselves I have selected the following three as being the most suitable for the appointments in question:-

1. Constable Martin Taniane, No. 58424, of the Co. Sligo Force; age 29 years 10 months; service in the R.I.C. 8 years; has no records, favourable or unfavourable; stated by his Officer to be a man of fair literary qualification, and a steady, intelligent, and energetic policeman.
2. Constable Henry Butler, No. 58448, of the Co. Galway, E.R., Force; age 27 years 9 months; service in the R.I.C. 8 years; no records, favourable or unfavourable.
3. Constable Owen McGlade, No. 59076, of the Co. Galway, E.R., Force; age 30 years 6 months; service in the R.I.C. 7 years. Has one favourable record and no unfavourable record. stated by his Officer to be a most zealous and intelligent young policeman.

The three men named are unmarried. They have been examined by the Surgeon of the Force as to their fitness for service in the tropics and pronounced fit, but the Surgeon recommended that Constable Butler should have his teeth properly attended to, and the Constable is at present having

The Inspector General of East Africa Protectorate Police has drawn attention in recent reports to the insufficient training of officers of the Force, and recommends that they should attend courses of instruction during their leave of absence in England.

Facilities for such instruction, however, are lacking. Officers of other Police Forces can be attached to the Metropolitan Police, and what can be done is to furnish them with information obtained from the Home Office to a Police Court, Magistrate and the Commissioner of Police in order to enable them to visit a Police Court and Station. The Print Office at Scotland Yard will also supply any difficulties they may find in studying the "Classification and Uses of Finger Prints" as recommended by the Home Office in a recent case.

Justice P.A.P. 32315/06

It does not appear probable, therefore, that the maximum standard of efficiency can be expected for in the present Officers of the Force or in the men under their command.

2. This lack of efficiency which is inevitable under the present system of selection may be remedied in one of two ways:-

- (A). By the appointment of suitable candidates;
- (B). By training selected candidates.

The first alternative is impracticable except

CO. 5th Lt. ...
407 36/06

26 March 1907

Sir,
I am directed by the
Lieut. Govt. to request
you to inform the Lieut.
Govt. that his
attention has been drawn
to the importance of
arranging for the training
of officers of the Police
Forces of the various
Colonies and Protectorates
in Tropical Africa in
the duties of their office.

W.A.F.C.

The Hon. Secretary

Public Works

NOTE

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H. W. ...
C. ...
The Hon. Secy.

Str.

With reference to your letter of
(No. 2367/06), I am directed by the
forward to you, for submission to the
the accompanying copy of a report from
General of Constabulary on the subject of
appointment of non-commissioned officers
to the East Africa Protectorate Police Force.

am.

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For obedient Service

Under Secretary of State,

Colonial Office,

London, S.W.

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