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(Subject.)

Lt Wright

States he will be given command of new steamer when launched. In the meantime he will fill vacancy of Chief Officer + act as commander during Farnell's absence on leave.

Copy of Comm's 27 & 28 July 1905

Not Read (Minutes) Done 26/7

James Comin's 10/4/05 papers on which we approved of the promotion of Lt Townsend to be Commande of the new steamer "The Clon Hill" from the date on which he assumes the duties of the appl. The only explanation of these proposals is that Lt Townsend has been promoted before that date, but if so Sir D. Stewart ought to have said so. Unless you think it necessary to ask by telegraph what is being done with Lt Townsend, I to Private Secretary & Lt. Harris for copies of other candidates with Lieut. Wright.

I think that Lt. B. You will see from the 29/7/05 30 papers attached we had better let the Comm. have the same information. This was a pledge to him by the 29/7/05.

I see no objection. But I think that Sir D.

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TELEGRAM. Commissioner Sir Donald Stewart to Mr. Lyttelton.

(Received Colonial Office 12.36 p.m. 21st July, 1905.)

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Your telegram of 20th July if satisfactory
Wright will be given command of new vessel when
launched. In the meantime he will fill vacancy Chief
Officer and act as Commander during Varnall's absence
on leave. Despatch sent reporting moves and promotions.

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9 August 1905

Mr. Secy: G. H.

Ans'd 28976

Sir, Ind:

Admiralty

I am directed by

MINUTE.

Mr. Secy: Lytton to

Mr. B. 7/13

request you to inform

Mr. Read 8

the Lords Comrs of

Mr. Andrews

the Admiralty that

Mr. Cox

he has received

Mr. Lucas

a telegram from the

Mr. Graham

Comm: of the East

Sir M. Ommannoy

Africa Protectorate

The Duke of Marlborough

asking that ~~the~~

Mr. Lytton

of Lieut. H. W. Wright

Comm 29365
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R. N. H. S. Forte
of the aff^{rs}

may be recommended

as Chief Officer of

one of the Uganda