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Previous Paper.

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(Subject)

Enlistment of Soldiers

It is stated in enclosed, ^{Serial 147} ~~Brady, Whiting, Corbett, and~~ ^{Brady, Whiting, Corbett, and} ~~Whiting, Corbett, and~~ ^{Whiting, Corbett, and} ~~Corbett, and~~ ^{Corbett, and} ~~and~~ ^{and} these constables propose to employ a party of men not suitable, one corporal, 32 Constables required. Dependent engagement of 5 Africans

Mr. Otter's Contables (Minutes.)

The previous papers are required in another connection. The position is as follows. On the 1st inst. 20 men were provided for - 1 Sgt Major, 1 Sgt, 1 Corporal of Troopers & Constables.

The Lt. Col. hadler asked for an addition of 20 men, to be met from savings. We telegraphed on this subject and asked what progress had been made with recruiting, saying that further recruiting was to be done at home.

The telegram is the reply. It has widely been assumed that the force as a whole will consist of:

	Establishment	Selected	Required
Sgt Major	1	Madley	—
Sgt	2	Corbett Fletcher	—
Corporal	2	Blunden	1
Constables	35	3	32
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Mr. Madley, I believe, was formerly a Lieutenant

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in the Somerset & ... I think he's ... Commission with the ... I don't know anything of the others.

... the ... they should engage ... force ... I think this will be much better than ... have already been secured.

I ... let ... and let ...

I ...

If there is no other way of getting the men I ... that there will be a sufficient number of satisfactory ... I suppose that they are all ... weeks to get men from ... If the men are engaged in ...

...

...

if possible 406
Competent person should see them and explain how necessary it is that the police should hold the balance fairly between white and black.

Wt. Mr. ...

1 Sgt.	£120
1 Corp.	115
10 P.C.	2024
20 Patten	480
20 Tangee	500
20 hooded cap	50
Local Traveling	500
Utility of post	300
Barack	5000
Total	£9,089

... 20 men with his ...

Until the necessity for the addition of some ... we should persist to request here. Thirty ... all ... It would be more satisfactory to have the 20 ... Police at hand for they could perfectly well act together in case of emergency. The ... police would greatly benefit from ... It is not ... 20 men until he has notified himself after personal enquiry that they are required.

The number to be raised now is 20, viz, 12 by hon, 1 Sgt, 1 Capt, 17 Troops Constables; but 14 by hon, 2 by hon, 1 Capt, 23 PCs have already been recruited locally leaving only 16 PCs to be selected here.

After consulting Mr Bowring I must report the following conditions proposed:

1. Rank of Constable 3 years (agreement under the usual agreement) - free for those inspected subject to all usual alterations. The men to be recruited only from the metropolitan Glasgow & Manchester Police or that of any large town or in the case of the Hong Kong Police. Mr Bowring will be arranged this with the Capt. on Tuesday.

2. Pay - £108 pa + 2/6 ration allowance. Free quarters furnished, or an allowance in lieu thereof.

(They will certainly have to live under canvas for some time to begin with.)

Free outfit, (and what hit locally). Free rail passages & rail expenses here.

Men to be unmarried and not less than 24 years of age. The maximum age might be left to the discretion of the recruiting officer.

Medical exam - by this hospital at Port. Expense before candidate could consent.

Successful applicants to be engaged by the local constabulary if possible.

3. Small & pleasant if not an engaging. If engaged, leave at Port - notice.

If unengaged, a full passage home.

The CA cannot recall select the men & I think Capt Graham would be the best man to do so. He will be here in the evening.

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Mr. Andrew Japer. I think that Col. Saller is badly nervous & I would not proceed

It is not possible to recruit the men to be recruited

(In practice the list will be sent by the

proceed with the recruiting of the 20 additional police before he has had an opportunity of reviewing the situation on the spot. The expense involved, some £10,000, is very great & there are so many pressing services for which money is required that I should be very

careful not to see money spent on them unless it is absolutely required if they are not absolutely required.

H. J. R.

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Make it clear in telegraphing to Col. Saller that the first 20 are being completed by the recruiting of 16 constables, and that it is only the second 20 whose recruitment is to wait for a further report from him. I refer as to the conditions of service.

But as to the £5000 for barracks, surely this is a very large sum to spend on housing 20 men?

W. H. 13
at once

Mr. Japer. I note 76 men to be recruited here, instead of 13. They have 7 PCs already. I submit that

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Copy.

Telegram. The Officer Administering the Government of East Africa Protectorate to the Secretary of State for the Colonies.

(Received. Colonial Office, 10 a.m. 17th April, 1907)

all
over

No. 53. Your Lordship's letter of 10th April. Inspector General of Police has enlisted Bradney Woking Corbett and Greenham Sergeants, Claidan Corporal, and three Constables. I have not yet confirmed appointments but I propose to if men prove suitable and if you concur. One corporal thirty two Constables required. Deprecate engagement of South African men owing to antagonism towards natives.

Jackson.

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Sat 11/10
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Telegram

24 April
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Jackson
Nairobi

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Referring to a telegram
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fiftythree / proceeding with
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recruitment of ~~thirteen~~

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~~Police~~ Police
extracted
required to complete
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twenty / provided in
pursuing
Estimated
admission

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Return info to me
if you have any
gone

STP 22
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AGENTS
TO THE COLONIES.

Downing Street,

25th April, 1907.

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MINUTE.

- Mr. Lobb 24/1
- Mr. Read 25
- Mr. Just.
- Mr. Antrous.
- Mr. Cox.
- Mr. Lucas.
- Sir F. Hopwood.
- Mr. Churchill.
- The Earl of Elgin.

Gentlemen,

I am directed by the Earl of Elgin
to request that you will take steps to call
for volunteers from the Metropolitan Police,
for volunteers from the Police Forces of Manchester,
Birmingham, and other principal towns in England
and Wales, for the purpose of assisting the
Police in the European Police at
Nairobi in the East Africa Protectorate.

of service.

*Working off-duty
should be started
to Nairobi as
the Post to is quite
suitable for
evidence.*

2. The conditions of service are
given on the statement enclosed herewith
and it is desirable that selected candidates
should

should be recorded from the force to which they belong in order that they may, if necessary, be reabsorbed at the termination of the period of the agreement under which it is proposed to obtain their services.

Applications, accompanied by a statement of the usual particulars with regard to the candidate's age, *official rank, etc.* and a certificate that he is fit for service in the East Africa Protectorate, should be forwarded through *his* official superiors to this Department for consideration.

All the course arrangements will be made for their attendance at this office when they will be finally selected by an officer detailed for the purpose. Railway expenses will be paid by Government.

I am to request that you will take action in the matter without delay as the services

services of these men are urgently required.

¹² It is
believed that
the interest and loyalty
of the ~~British~~
people for Empire interests.

R. H.

major
for reason

EAST AFRICA PROTECTORATE.

European Police.

Qualifications and Services.

3. Candidates should be over 24 years of age, unmarried, and certified by a Police Surgeon as fit for service in the East Africa Protectorate, otherwise their application can not be entertained.

The Surgeon's fee will be paid by the Department *in the case of those candidates whose physical fitness renders them eligible for special selection.*

The period of service shall be for three years from the date of arrival in the Protectorate and selected candidates will be required to enter an agreement (similar to those entered by Police Inspectors and the East Africa Protectorate subjects to the same conditions) *and to enter into an agreement.*

If a candidate, after temporary termination of his employment as Constable, is granted 3 months leave of absence with half salary if he does not renew his agreement.

If re-engaging for further service he may be granted leave according to the rules in force at the time for European subordinates in the Protectorate.

4. 3rd class Railway fare from place of residence to the port of embarkation and a 2nd class ocean passage to the Protectorate will be given to selected

