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CRAWFORTH
LORD

LAND SETTLEMENT SCHEME 383

1919

JUNE

set previous Paper.

Asks amended scheme. Request that scheme is not limited by 1500 men who have seen active service. Also considers unfair and undesirable that no conditions shall apply unless he has had Colonial experience.

Mr. Bottomley

Two points -

(a) Active service. Paragraph 6 is now worded so that while no cut and dried definition of 'active service' which would only lead to discussion is necessary, it is quite open to the Selection Board in view of the last sentence, to make their own working arrangements and if they desire, to reject anyone who has not actually seen fighting. I think further explanation. I think Lord Cranborne would agree that it is better to leave it open to the Board to decide cases on their merits than to attempt a definition which has been seen in other cases and not satisfy everybody.

(b) Class A. There are only 3 forms; and

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... for dealing with Colonial ...
... the like most likely to ...
... you

... to Lord Cromwell ...

My dear ...

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Please see minute of discussion
with Sir H. Fairfield and Sir N. McKinnan
to do:

x Now attached
the general
(34306/19)
C.D.
18/9

As to (a) we might reply that it is
desired to leave the scheme open as wide, as
possible, so that it will be within the
discretion of the Local Board to decide now
for the will be guided by a mass record of
service in accepting or rejecting his application

As to (b), it is decided to abolish the
restriction, we can inform Lord Cromwell accordingly
if not, explain us as (b) in my first
minute.

Mr Bottomley

Reply as in dft. here and when

Advise copy of the attached
scheme (as per request to the other members of the Board
without covering letter

13/6/9

same time neither was it the part
of a man shown as a physical issue
presented, from among the pieces at
the para. 8 note that ^{the} Candidate
apply unless he has had Colonial experience
If this is the intention it seems to
not only unfair but most undesirable
would strongly urge that the words "and
East" is amended to or previous East.

3rd Faithfull,
Cannworth

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EAP

10th June 1919

My Lord,

I am ~~to~~ to act.

DRAFT.

J.M.L.

Lord Cranworth, M.C.

The receipt of your letter of the 2nd of June, and to transmit to you herewith

MINUTE.

an advance copy of the E.A.P.

Land Settlement Scheme

Mr. Jeffries 13/6/19

Mr. Bottomley 14/6/19

in the form in which it has

Mr.

been finally approved by him

Mr. Grindle.

~~his Lordship.~~

Sir H. Lambert

Sir H. Read.

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Sir G. Fiddes.

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Lord Milner.

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change (copy herewith)

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14 June 1919

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- Mr.
- Mr. Grindle.
- Sir H. Lambert
- Sir H. Read.
- Sir G. Fiddes.
- Col. Amory.
- Lord Milner.

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scheme
(copy Cranworth)

scheme to men with actual fighting service.

It remains within the discretion of the Selection Board to decide how far they will take the nature of a candidate's ^{war} ~~military~~ service into consideration in dealing with his application.

3. You will observe that the clause relating to candidates under Class A of the scheme had been amended so that ~~that~~ previous Colonial experience is no longer obligatory.

4. Enclosed ~~are~~ ^{is} copies of the scheme have been sent to the other members of the Board & also to the London representatives of the various firms which have offered their services in the connection with the Scheme. 2

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It remains within the discretion of the Selection Board to decide how far they will take the nature of a candidate's ^{war} ~~training~~ service into consideration in dealing with his application.

3. You will observe that the clauses relating to candidates under Class A of the scheme have been amended so that ~~the~~ ^{the} previous Colonial experience is no longer obligatory.

4. Similar ~~Advices~~ ^{Advices} of the scheme have been sent to the other members of the Board & also to the London representatives of the various firms which have offered their services in the Commission with the Scheme.

2 (Signed) G. GRIDDLE

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Signed G. GIBBLE