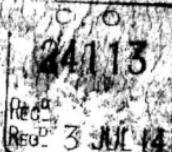


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1914

June

Last previous Paper,

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Chief (Civil) Commissioner,

A. Rochester, M.A.

(new app'd)

Vacancy from

Private Secretary }  
Patronage Dept. }

3/1914

No. three was brought over last

and the four last day we have had  
 more. Will you please look  
 through your candidate "any already  
 sent to you" and see which  
 you prefer and when he is ready  
 to begin business with the S. Africa

~~Mr. J. F. Miller~~  
Dr. J. Miller

1914

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Next subsequent Paper

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Besides speaking to you I have prepared

a preliminary list for the Patronage Committee, which

we hoped to have held last week.

The Meeting of the Committee, however, has been postponed and before we go on with it, I shall be glad to learn whether you are prepared to consider this appointment at the present juncture.

C.H.

8 Am /14

I think that we had better proceed without it.

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Not Read

The new app't of Chief (Capt.)

Commr., Northern Frontier District, C.A.M. (£1000 + £100 duty allowance), was brought before the Admrs'g Committee at their meeting of the 27th of August, when the following were considered:

Mr J. Anson, Capt. Provincial Commr., P.E.I.;  
Major H. G. Bracke, C.B., D.S.O. formerly Com  
mandant of Local Forces & Inspector Genl  
of Constabulary, Trinidad;

Col. Colin Harding, Capt., District Commr.,  
Northern Territories, Gold Coast;

Major J.D. Mackay, late of the R.A.R.,  
Mr D.D. McNaught, Ass't to High Commr. for  
the Western Pacific;

D. J. Maxwell, Capt., 1st Class Recruit,  
Southern Provinces, Nigeria;

Mr H.L. Price, Capt., 1st Class Commr., Jamaica;

Major B. M. Read, Provincial Commer,  
Northern Territories, Gold Coast.

reference also being made to the possibility  
that the War Dept might prefer fresh  
blood of the stamp of Colonial Louis Jackson.

R.E. Long or Colonel Burrows

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The Committee was advised  
~~decided~~ that a man of exceptionally  
firm and strong character is needed for this  
post and that Col. Jackson ~~then~~ would probably be  
~~much~~ better than any of the officers in the service  
whose names were before them. ~~Committee~~. On the  
other hand D' Maxwell appeared to them to have  
stronger claims on the Secretary of State. He, however,  
is married and might not wish to take the appointment.

The Committee decided to submit the names  
of both these gentlemen with an indication of  
the view just expressed.  
Pitmeier, of both are advised.

T.C.M. 28/8/14

Sir G. Fiddes

Col. L. Jackson is the sort of  
man we require, but I find that  
he is now working at ~~the~~ 100,000  
in age (58) against him.  
that we must I think leave him  
out of consideration further.

D' Maxwell seems to be suitable  
enough in some respects, but I  
doubt whether he is sufficiently  
hard-bitten to deal with turbulent

F-2

## Abyssinian or Somalis.

Perhaps the best plan will be  
to keep the app't open for  
a short time?

4-18

3/18/14

This is my view.

Aug 14

Jappell  
W. Konkel

*Eduardo*

his Read  
by B. Murray

See minutes as of 3/4/39/11  
This is to be re-submitted  
to Patronage Committee at an

factory date

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To be done in accordance with

W. Hunter

A. J. R.

28/9/14

Dr. G. Fritsche

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This vacancy came up  
again at the 1<sup>st</sup> at the meeting on  
the 27<sup>th</sup>, but owing to the absence of  
suitable candidates no recommenda-  
tion was made.

was made.  
H. Butler admitted from the P. to  
see if I had the name of Capt. Mac-  
Ewen, whose papers are annexed. Capt. M.  
is the son of one we require, but the  
D.O. believe that he is serving at  
present with the Cameron Highlanders  
in the country.

Write to the Fr. & say that  
it seems to be essential to have  
a man with military & civil  
experience. That we are unable to  
find a man with the necessary qualifications  
to ask whether

at the present time - & ask ~~whether~~  
him to consider what  
~~recommendations~~ amongst can be made  
for carrying on & to submit proposals?

H. J. R.

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*Stone Gr. 3. 11. 13.*

Colonel Town & Jackson

Received his first commission

the Royal Engineers, 1875, received  
the C.M.G. for his services on the Anglo-  
German Commission for defining the Yola  
and Lake Chad Boundary. Was placed  
on retired pay in 1911, but is now acting  
as Temporary Assistant Director at the  
War Office

children. A.A. M.D. Edinburgh. District Surgeon  
Sierra Leone, 1897; District Commissioner, 1900; 1st  
Class Resident, Southern Provinces, Nigeria, 1914.

(2000-25-21,000 + 2100 duty  
allowance).

1909. Both Sir F. Cardew and Sir C. Harman reported warmly upon his services.

1909. Governor Probyn:- "possesses strong natural aptitude for administration. He understands and manages natives better than anyone I have ever met". Acting Governor Holdsworth (reporting upon Mr. Maxwell and the Assistant District Commissioner) - I cannot close this report without expressing how impressed I am with the respect in which they are held, and the confidence reposed in them by the people of the railway district. Of these two officials I heard only good reports not only from the European merchants, but also from the Sierra Leone Native traders, as well as the aboriginal natives in the District".

1909. Governor Probyn:- "qualified for promotion, it seems to be the aim of his life to help the natives and I am informed that he would probabl (I have) made a larger income in his own profession than that attached to his office".

1909. Acting Governor Holdsworth:- "an excellent official, has a thorough knowledge of the natives and the way to deal with them, worthy of promotion".

1911. Governor Probyn:- "marked administrative ability" - "soundly & emphatically for promotion. He will be a loss to the colony".

1912 & 1913. Governor Ferreyra:- "a very able and conscientious officer whose capabilities are well known. He has great influence with the natives and is an ideal District Commissioner. I feel sure that he would fill with credit any post to which he might be appointed".

Pris. Sec.  
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Vacancy form

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~~RECD  
Vacancy~~

Chief (Civil) Commissioner  
of the Northern Frontier District,  
S. A. P.

Paper

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Causes of  
Vacancy

New appointment.

Salary

L7000 + L500 duty.

Pensionable.

Remarks

1. This will be a "high official" stationed at some strategic centre who will exercise, subject to general & special instructions from HQ R.S., the fullest control over all the Somali & H.F. tribes & the borders of the last mentioned.
2. He will be authorized to act at his own discretion with the forces at his disposal.
3. He will issue such orders as may be necessary to administer
4. An officer of mature experience, considerable administrative capacity & great tact is required.

5. Factor of est. com recommended  
none of the S.A. men. The app  
is referred to S. & P. Dept.
6. If there is no one in the Col.  
service fitted for the post  
(wh. is improbable) we may  
try the London Govt. for a man.

Accts  
28/6/14

H. J. A.  
26/6/14

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to Capt

Sir H. C. Belfield

MINUTE

Mr. Harcourt

Mr. Bottomley

Mr. Read

Mr.

Sir G. Fiddes

Sir H. Just

Sir J. Anderson

Lord [redacted]

Mr. Harcourt

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(70665)

With reference to 5 (3) of my  
last despatch of the 3<sup>rd</sup> of July,  
I have the honour to  
inform you that I have  
had under consideration the  
vacant appointment of  
Chief Commissioner of the  
Northern Frontier District.  
It appears to me to be  
essential that this  
officer selected should  
have both military and  
civil experience; and as  
you are unable at the present  
time to secure the services

of a candidate with the  
necessary qualifications. In  
the circumstances I have to  
request that you will  
consider what arrangements  
can be made for carrying  
on the duties of the assistant  
and that you will submit  
your proposals to me.

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P. S. - FEBT.

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Under Date March 2, 1908, the 2d Year charges for previous attendance  
is now off the books by the New Cable Communication.

Tropical Africa 30 - Advertisement of *Ba. b. africana*

Minneapolis City Council upon the application.

Handwritten by Dr. Carl M. Deneke 15th Medical Officer, in American Hospital at Tientsin.

Original from the University of Michigan

Branch of Clinical Medicine / Major Medical Officer

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*Myrmecocystus* 2 July - Mycetophagous - Capital spruce upper

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~~proper abortion, etc., commercialized. My assignment of 10250~~

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