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Asst. District Commissioner

Recommends offer recently engaged on temporary basis as - if satisfactory, should be taken on staff on probationary appt. If agreed, probationary appt. shd count from date of temp. appt.

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My Lord,

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With reference to my despatch No. 619 of 30th June 1919, I have the honour to recommend to Your Lordship that those among the officers recently engaged on a temporary basis as Assistant District Commissioners whose work should prove satisfactory, and who may desire permanent employment, should be taken on the staff on probationary appointment in the usual way.

2. Should Your Lordship be disposed to concur in this arrangement, I desire that such probationary appointment should be allowed to count from the date of the temporary engagement, conferring seniority accordingly.

3. Several of the officers referred to have raised the point of their eventual position in the service, in the event of their services being retained, and I have caused them to be informed of my opinion as above expressed. I have however of course

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE

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course made no definite promise pending receipt of Your Lordship's decision. In the meantime I have made it clear that these appointments are purely temporary and liable to termination at a month's notice on either side.

I have the honour to be,
Your Lordship's,
humble, obedient servant,

Edward Nathan

GOVERNOR.