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FORCES

VACANCIES FOR EUROPEAN COMMISSIONERS

1921

FIFTH MARCH

Represents C.A. may be instructed to engage and send out four men of a type suitable for ultimate promotion to commissioned rank.

last previous paper

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to H. S. Stanley,

We must be careful not to give any ground for complaint if such men as Gov. wants are obtained & then do not get promotion.

In fact the policy is really new, no promotion from the N.C.O. ranks is regarded in Kenya except as the exception.

? copy to C.O. next time to engage in usual agreement. Please try to find promotable from Constabulary for Kenya - very difficult. It is desirable to draw as good a class of constabulary as possible, C.A. must

last previous paper

19685 (see)
attn
Gifford

RECORDED IN THE OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SECRETARY FOR KENYA

be careful not to give considerations
granted to striking men they
will ultimately be granted
to commissioned rank, or
such promotion as at present
the exception. So the advantage of the
one and equal share by all for
the organization and the government becomes
less & less & less for org. exp.

I write to you - I ask you
whether this recommendation
was concurred by G. P.
as to whether he concurred

R.D.
9.4.11

Major J. S.

This new departure may be of
inestimable value in dealing with
clients for commissioned ability -
at all events I should be glad to have
your views.

C.A. need be told, I think, that
the motion is for their guidance
(and for that of the labor leaders if
they concur) and is not, at
present at least, intended for
recommendation to consider, etc.,
by G. A. & C.

Oct. 4. 11.

~~No objection~~

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Should we prefer to consider this
carefully? We have recently
inaugurated a somewhat
similar system in R.P.
but do the soliciting members
have written and signed that
are the pay to other members
there are such compensation
terms with the T.T. firms
of this area with you as to
prospect of getting suitable
work etc. (I doubt if
a mixed system would work
well if you are going to
make promotion from the
rankers the rule - we
must ~~consider~~ carefully consider
the pros & cons before
we start & I think we
might take it up to the
Dist. Ch.)

R.D.
29. 4. 11

No opposition

he discussed this &
agreed that you did not want
to adopt anything like this
T.T. system at present & that
it would be enough at the moment
if in the Dist. Ch. to get the best type of
members can R.D. reply

PROTECTORATE OF KENYA,
FROM PROTECTORATE
No. 354.

C.O.
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GOVERNMENT HOUSE,
NAIROBI,

BRITISH EAST AFRICA COLONY

22 APR 21

11 March, 1921.

Sir,

With reference to correspondence ending with
Viscount Milner's telegram of 13th July, 1920, I have
the honour to request that the Crown Agents may be
instructed to send out four more European Constables.

2. I would express the hope that, if possible,
a better class of man may be selected than those
recently sent out as the Acting Commissioner of Police
is anxious to obtain men, who might be suitable for
ultimate promotion to commissioned rank in the Force.
I consider that the pay offered is sufficiently
attractive and I need hardly emphasize that such a
course would prove of considerable benefit to the
Police Service in this Colony by improving its tone.

3. It is suggested that the Crown Agents might
consider it desirable to approach the larger Labour
Exchanges where it is understood numbers of young
ex-officers and others out of employment are
registered and to whom this class of employment
should prove attractive.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your humble, obedient servant,

Edward Northey

GOVERNOR.

RIGHT HONOURABLE
WINSTON CHURCHILL, P.C., M.P.,
SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES,
DOWNING STREET,
LONDON, S.W.

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Card # 4706
61661
2nd

21 May 1921

I have the honor to act the secy. of

DRAFT. your dep. No. 354 of the 11th of March,

Kenya N° 823

Gov. Northey, requesting the engagement of four European

Constables, & to transmit to you,

MINUTE.

Mr. Clark 19/3/21

for your informⁿ, a copy of the

Mr. Parkinson.

various which have been sent to

Mr.

Mr. Grindle.

Sir H. Lambert.

Sir H. Read.

Sir G. Fiddes.

Col. Amery.

Mr. Churchill.

the C.A. for the Cons.

(2) I shall be glad to know whether

the recommendⁿ: that, ~~not~~ if possible,

men should be selected who might

prove suitable for commissary rank

was considered by the Inspector-General

C.A. 1st herewith
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21 May 1921

See Bl. Scott
See

Gentlemen,

SF

DRAFT.

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MINUTE.

Mr. Clark 19/1

Mr. Parkinson 19/1

Mr.

Mr. Grindle

Sir H. Lambert.

Sir H. Read.

Sir G. Piddes.

Col. Amery.

Mr. Churchill.

I am to transmit to you

the accompt. copy of a despatch from the

Gov^r of Kenya, and to request that

you will engage on the usual agreement

Police

for Police Constables four Constables for

service in

Kenya on the usual form of agreement

for these appointments.

(2) While it is desirable to secure

as good a class of men as possible,

the indication in the despatch of

the standard desired should be

regarded as being for your own

information and not for communication to

candidates, and you

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