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22 July

Last previous Paper.

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P. O. Staff

You tel. 19 July. Can find savings up to £2500 on P.O. Extraordinary Item 1

Mr. Reed

The Baring wire telegraph today that savings amounting to £2500 can be effected this year on Public Works Extraordinary, on 1 - ...  
[It is to be hoped that this saving is being effected through inability to spend the amount voted during the current financial year, and not merely with the object of meeting the cost of additional ...  
This amount will be enough to meet the cost ...  
included this year, as this for a whole year ...  
amount to £2500 odd, and it is most ...

Received tel. 19 Aug 28881  
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the condition laid  
down in the letterhead of  
the Harcourt report  
of the 30th of May\* can be  
carried into effect, namely,  
that the funds required  
should not be used for  
purposes which would  
otherwise have to be  
\* not within the  
annual estimates; but

the Harcourt is inclined  
to think that it will  
be sufficient if a schedule  
of development works  
prepared is sent home  
each year for approval  
at the same time as the  
annual estimates, it  
being understood that  
alterations, or additions,  
to the list would similarly  
require the Secretary  
of State's approval.

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6. He thinks that T.L.  
will be able to give  
their sanction to this  
provision, and, as the

matter has become somewhat  
urgent he will be glad  
to have this <sup>reply</sup> answer at  
an early date. 490

I am etc.

Sales. It would of course  
be understood that the half  
and half principle would  
not apply to this special  
expenditure, the anticipated  
amount of which would be  
deducted from the <sup>estimated</sup> Land Sales  
Revenue in calculating the  
increase of revenue and thence  
the permissible expenditure  
on other revenues. It would  
also be understood that  
sums expended in any  
financial year would be  
carried forward into the  
next year.

4. As regards the portion  
of the receipts from Land  
Sales which should be  
regarded as available to  
meet the special expenditure  
proposed, the Honorable

Secretary suggests that the Board's  
classification of a fund of  
£100,000 of the 2<sup>nd</sup> of  
July should be adopted, that  
is, that only the revenue  
derived from the disposal of

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freehold areas and  
homesteads should be  
regarded as ordinary  
revenue in future years  
and that the whole of the proceeds  
from ~~the sales of~~ <sup>from</sup> ~~the sales of~~ <sup>stand premises</sup>  
on farms and town  
plots (which will form 75%  
for the greater part of the  
receipts) should be regarded  
as available for development  
expenditure in the estimates  
for the current year, leaving  
the whole estimated revenue  
from this source (£796,000)  
has already been taken  
into consideration in  
connection with the approved  
estimate of expenditure,  
and it will only be  
possible to add the  
actual excess of receipts  
above this figure to the  
special expenditure now  
proposed.

5. The Board has not  
suggested any means by which

Revenue from  
the land sales. This  
income is likely to  
last for some time but it  
cannot be treated as  
a permanent  
and the Government  
that T. C. will come  
in the view that the  
additional proceeds  
received should not  
be absorbed in general  
revenue but should  
be applied to special  
expenditure on  
road construction or  
development.  
Other works connected  
especially in connection  
with the development  
of mining, etc.  
of the ~~revenue~~  
districts.

3. The Harcourt would  
propose that of the  
two methods suggested  
by the <sup>Advisory</sup> Governor, for  
accounting for the  
sums to be expended  
the second alternative (a

para. 7 of his despatch)  
should be adopted with  
slight modification; that  
is to say, that the whole  
of the revenue derived  
from land sales, less  
in the first instance be  
credited to the Revenue Head  
"Land Sales" and that  
such portion of the total  
receipts as may be  
required to be expended  
on extraordinary development  
services should be provided  
for in a Special Head of  
Expenditure distinct from  
and following immediately  
after the estimated  
expenditure on the ordinary  
services, it being understood  
however that the payments  
to be incurred and  
charged against such  
provision would be  
dependent upon the  
actual yield from land  
sales.



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~~for no~~

5 Sept. 1913

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The Secretary to the  
Planning

MINUTE.

- Mr. Biddisley 4/9/13
- Mr.
- Sir G. Fiddes
- Sir H. Just
- Sir J. Anderson
- Lord Emmott
- Mr. Harcourt
- Freeman

I am directed by the  
Secy. General to answer  
to you of the land before  
the LC of the Trust, the  
account any reply of  
correspondence with the  
forwards of the E.A.P. on  
the subject of the disposal  
of the proceeds of the sale  
of occupation licences  
and the land ~~of~~ of  
land in the Protectorate

2. The present been demand  
for land both in the  
territories and in the  
country, coupled with  
the introduction of a  
system of auction, has  
led to a very great increase  
Nos 17406 and 27672

to Sir Capt 30 May (17/6)  
to Sir Capt 21 July (17/7)  
to Sir Capt 30 Sept 1913  
Fiddes  
I have thought it best to  
reply to the draft which has  
been forwarded and to refer to  
the same (1821) - 20

4.  
 Estimates, and, secondly, any sum unexpended at the end of the financial year would be carried forward to the next year.

8. As regards the current financial year, I would suggest that the whole of the land sales receipts, over and above the estimated amount, namely 27960, be treated as available for special expenditure on roads and communications and other development works, being either transferred, to a suspense account, or to a separate sub-head of revenue, as indicated in the two preceding paragraphs.

9. In preparing the revenue estimates for the current year, the possibility of farms being alienated by auction was not taken into account. The 213,017 received on May 19th can therefore be considered to be an unexpected windfall. As the sale of town plots had been in vogue for some time, allowance was made for a certain sum to be derived from this source though it is obviously quite impossible to make any even approximately accurate estimate of receipts of this description.

etc  
 I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your humble, obedient servant,

*C. J. Rowley*

Deputy Commissioner.

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headings (3) and (4) will be considerable though it is quite impossible to estimate, even approximately, what prices will be realized or what farms and plots will be alienated. During the current financial year 20570 has already accrued from the sale of township plots and 213012 from the sale of farms.

5. I would suggest that, in future, only the revenue derived under headings (1) and (2) should be credited to land sales and provided for on the Estimates, the whole of the receipts under (3) and (4) being credited to a special fund for road construction or other development works.

6. If this proposal is approved the method of accounting for the special fund will require consideration. The most convenient system would be to open a special suspense account to which the receipts would be credited and against which the expenditure on the special services would be debited.

7. Alternative method would be to credit the receipts to a special sub-head of revenue which would be balanced by a special sub-head of expenditure. If this course were decided upon it would be necessary to exclude the transactions from the "half and half" principle, so long as this principle remained in existence, and further to permit a deviation from the financial instructions whereby, firstly, the expenditure would be governed by the actual receipts and not by the actual provision on the Estimates.

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exercise of right whether expressed in the lease or implied under the Ordinance to freshhold a portion of lands leased.

(2) Homestead areas.

(3) Stand premia on farms.

(4) Stand premia on township plots.

3. When the new Land Laws have been in force for some years, only items (3) and (4) will have to be considered but for a limited period a certain amount of revenue will continue to be derived from items (1) and (2). The following table approximately analyses the land sales revenue of the past five years:-

	(1) Free- hold sales. £.	(2) Homestead areas. £.	(3) Stand premia on farms. £.	(4) Stand premia on town plots. £.
1908-09	976	1402	114	815
1909-10	170	1342	131	351
1910-11	408	1064	305	621
1911-12	362	515	43	5590
1912-13	561	1099 above	726	2400

In the table heading (3), up to the end of 1911-12, made up of the sale of leases of farms which have reverted to Government for non-fulfilment of conditions, and of Crown Reserves where the Reserve embargo was removed, but in 1912-13 the revenue was mainly derived from sale of the leases of a number of fifty acre Indian shambas in the Maberoni District.

4. Under the auction system, which is now being adopted in all cases, the receipts under headings

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GOVERNMENT HOUSE,  
NAIROBI,  
BRITISH EAST AFRICA.

CONFIDENTIAL No. 92



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21st July 1913.

*Handwritten:*  
for  
17406

Sir,

I have the honour to refer to your Confidential despatch of May 30th<sup>\*</sup> in which you deal with the question of the disposal of the proceeds of the sale of land, and to inform you that, prior to his departure from Nairobi, the Governor instructed me to reply to the effect that the matter had also been engaging his attention, and that he was only awaiting the allotment of the farms remaining unsold at the auction of May 19th before submitting a recommendation on the subject, similar to the second alternative suggestion contained in paragraph 5 of your despatch, viz: that the amount received from the sale of leases of all Crown lands should in future be expended on such purposes as roads and communications, more especially those directly affecting the blocks of land disposed of.

2. I am in some doubt as to how to discriminate between the "permanent" and "special" revenue from land sales. In past years the revenue credited to land sales has been derived from the following sources:-

- (1) Direct sales, under the 1902 Ordinance, and exercise

\* No 17406

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE  
LEWIS HARCOURT, F.C., M.P.,  
SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES,  
DOWNING STREET, LONDON, S.W.



following immediately after the <sup>estimated</sup> expenditure  
 in the necessary services, it being  
 understood however that the payments to be  
 incurred and charged against such provision  
 would be dependent upon the actual yield  
 from land sales. In connection with such  
 an arrangement it would be necessary to  
 waive the half and half principle and to  
 admit of any sums unexpended within the  
 year being carried forward to the next year.  
 [I am assuming that it is not proposed to  
 form a "Development and Road Improvement  
 Fund" as the U.K. plan - which would be the  
 effect of adopting the suggestion in para. 6  
 of this despatch.]

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I think this will be better than a separate  
 account for the road work, because  
 the <sup>main</sup> expenditure of the Post Office  
 as regards the half and half principle  
 the procedure will be similar to that  
 followed in the case of railway revenue -  
 the development work for the road will  
 be deducted from the "Road Subsidy" revenue  
 in order to meet the increase of revenue  
 in 1918 (after deducting by two) the

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because of expenditure permitted on  
 other services.  
 As regards the last part of para. 5  
 of our despatch on 19/10/17, and in case etc  
 I think it is to require that a schedule of  
 development work shall accompany  
 the estimates.

Copy of certificate of Treasury being  
 for approval accordingly.

C.W.S.  
 25/1/18

Mr. [Name]

Please speak to me

Mr. G. Fisher

To agree to do that for the present  
 to show approval of the Treasury for the present  
 year is concerned.

C.W.S.  
 28/1/18

B.S.

At once

P.S.  
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*W. Watson Roberts*  
PHOTOGRAPHER  
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for  
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19 March 1914

I am sorry to ask the receipt of  
 your letter of the 16th Feb., in  
 reply, to inform you that your  
 appln for employment in the  
 Col. Service will remain on records,  
 but that, having regard to the  
 very large no of cards for  
 all classes of Col. employment,  
~~that~~ he fears that he can  
 hold out very little prospect  
 of being able to meet your  
 wishes.

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28632/1913

18, Timber Street  
Pietermaritzburg  
Natal  
February 16th 1914

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 21st January for which I thank you.

I note that it is unlikely that any appointment will be open to me at the present time, but perhaps my name might remain on the list of prospective candidates, so that I might be advised in the event of any suitable vacancy occurring in Tropical Africa, or elsewhere, for which no prior application had been received.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

The Private Secretary  
To the Secretary of State  
for the Colonies,  
Cabinet Office,  
London, S.W.

*Woodrow Wilson*



place appearing satisfactory,  
it might be possible to place  
your name on the 1935  
list of candidates for junior  
legal and administrative appointments  
in Tropical Africa, but that  
even if your name were placed  
on that list no promise could  
be given that you would  
eventually receive an appointment, as  
the number of names noted is very  
considerably in excess of the  
number of vacancies likely  
to be at the Harcourt's disposal.

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W Jackson Esq

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H.S.D. 16-11-16

W. Battersbee 17/1

I am so to ack the recd of  
 your letter of the 15<sup>th</sup> Dec, & your  
 reply, to inform you that the  
 chances of his being able to  
 offer you employment in the Col  
 Service are so small that he  
 cannot advise you to undertake  
 a special journey to England <sup>nearly</sup> for  
 the purpose of an interview  
 with the P.S.

I am to add that in the  
 event of such an interview taking

place

18. Timber Street

Pietermaritzburg,

NATAL,

December 15th 1913.

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 15th November (20632/1913). I note that Mr Harcourt can hold out no hope of an appointment in the Colonial Service until I have been interviewed by his Private Secretary.

While I should be prepared to undertake a journey to England for the purpose of an interview if there were any likelihood of the latter resulting to my advantage it is, of course, rather a large undertaking to enter upon merely on chance. I do not know whether I can fairly ask it, but I should esteem it as a particular favour if Mr Harcourt would be good enough to indicate the probable nature of the appointments open to me in the event of an interview taking place and proving satisfactory.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

*Handwritten signature: Woodie B. ...*

The Private Secretary to  
The Secretary of State,  
Colonial Office,  
London, S. W.  
England.

if you should visit the country  
at any time you should take  
an opportunity of calling on  
the P.S. at this office. You  
should, of course, on no  
account undertake a special  
journey for this purpose  
as expenses incurred in coming  
up here for an interview  
cannot be refunded.

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for.  
28632

13 of Oct.

REC'D  
REPLY  
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15 Nov '13

T. W. Jackson Esq.

Dear Sir,  
I am very sorry to hear the result of your letter of the 23rd Sept., on the subject of your appl. for Col. employment, & to return the originals of the letters enclosed therein.

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I am to add that your appl. will remain on record, but that Mr. Hancock regrets that he can hold out no hope of being able to offer you an app. in the Col. Service until you have been interviewed by his P. S. I am to suggest, therefore, that

~~Original sent~~

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Sgd. ARCH. T. G. WALES

COLONEL

Hdqr Permanent Staff (Reserve)

S. African Forces.

Formerly Colonel of the Natal  
and Senior Staff Officer Permanent Staff, Natal

Militia, Natal, and Senior Staff Officer, Natal

Acting Colonel of the Natal Militia.

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(Heading)

380 Loop St  
Pietermaritzburg  
NATAL.

September 22nd, 1913.

## I HEREBY CERTIFY

That Mr THEODORE WALTON JACKSON is personally known to me, having held rank in the Natal Militia in the Department under my command, for a period of over six years. Mr Jackson held the command of the territorial Corps of Militia Reserves for the Masterial Division of Ugeni, Natal, with the rank of Captain, from March, 1908 until September 1912, when he resigned his appointment.

On resigning, his accounts and equipment were in perfect order and good condition.

I understand that his name has been registered for appointment in that rank to the Union Reserve of Officers shortly to be formed.

During his tenure of command, and previously when he held a subordinate appointment in the same Corps, I had ample opportunity of ascertaining his capabilities.

His character is exemplary, his intellectual attainments are of a very high order, and he possesses marked aptitude for command. His value as an officer was such that I had no hesitation in appointing him, during the Dinizulu Expedition in 1907, when he was a very young man, to the independent command of an intelligence unit, in which appointment he acquitted himself with considerable credit and to the entire satisfaction of the Department.

He has since proved himself to be possessed of considerable aptitude in the training of recruits, and has been very successful in machine-gun work, having been complimented in orders at the annual Camps of Training on two occasions by the late Commandant-General of the Natal Militia, Brigadier-General Sir D. McKenzie, K. C. G. C. B. & C.

As a disciplinarian Mr Jackson leaves nothing to be desired, exercising judgment, dignity and firmness. At the same time he has the knack of securing the affection and respect of his men.

At the examination for promotion in June, 1907, he secured a very high percentage of marks, and was placed fourth on the list out of over thirty entrants from the whole of the Natal Militia, many of whom had had considerable previous experience on active service, including the Boer War. He has since been very successful in preparing and coaching candidates for the Militia Examinations.

I have always found him, in the performance of his military duties, to be prompt, energetic, painstaking and enthusiastic, and I have no hesitation in recommending him for any military appointment calling for energy, intelligence and application.

My experience of his powers of administration and organization leads me to the opinion that he would successfully fill positions of considerable more importance than any which he has yet held. From my observation during peace training of his strategy and tactics, I am of opinion that he would make a valuable commander in face of the enemy. He has a good knowledge of native warfare as carried out in S. Africa.

To my knowledge he is a passable swordsman and a second class rifle and revolver shot. He is a French linguist and has a working knowledge of the Zulu language.

Should he leave Natal I should part with him with considerable regret, as I have always regarded him as one of the best officers in the local forces lately under my command.

Sgt. ARCH. T. G. WALKER

Colonel R.F.C.

22nd Sept, 1913.

THIS IS TO CERTIFY the very high opinion I have formed of Mr Theodore Jackson's character and abilities. On every occasion on which he has appeared before me he has very greatly impressed me with the care with which he has prepared his argument, and with the clearness and eloquence with which he has developed it. His legal knowledge, combined with capacity for painstaking research and an excellent manner and delivery, added to personal character of the highest kind, give me every confidence in thinking that he will perform with credit to himself and satisfaction to the community any legal duties with which he may be entrusted.

SGD. J. C. DOVE WILSON

Judge President

Natal Division

Supreme Court

of

South Africa.

of the best officers in the local forces lately under my command.

Sgd. ARCH. T. G. WALES

Colonel

(COPY)

Pietermaritzburg

22nd Sept 1913

Dear Jackson,

I am sorry to hear there is a prospect of losing you, as I regard you as quite one of the most promising juniors who appear before us. At the same time I recognise the congested state of the legal profession in Natal and I know from experience the weariness of the lean years which precede success in the case of all save the very fortunate. But I hope you will be satisfied before leaving us that it is something really worth while, as I should be sorry to see you waste yourself, and I do not doubt that things will come well for you in the long run. In the hope that it will help you I have great pleasure in enclosing a testimonial, and I shall always be pleased indeed to hear of your success - even if it is at our expense in Natal.

With every good wish

Believe me

Yours sincerely

J. C. DOVE WILSON

Theodore Jackson, Esqre.,

Advocate.

18, Timber Street

Pietermaritzburg,

NATAL

23rd September, 1913

Sir,

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With reference to your letter of the 29th ultimo (28632/1913) I have the honour to submit herewith for the information of Mr Harcourt, with copies in each case, :-

1. Letter dated 22/9/13 from the Judge-President of Natal to myself
2. Testimonial dated 22/9/13 by the Judge-President, and
3. Testimonial dated 22/9/13 by Colonel A. T. G. Wales, V.D.

I have not thought it advisable to send a large number of testimonials, those above mentioned being granted by the highest local judicial and military authority in each case. If it is considered necessary, however, I will submit such others as may be required. I should feel obliged if the originals might be returned.

I send also under separate cover a photograph of myself, which need not be returned.

I do not know whether I mentioned previously that I am, and have been since August 12, a Councillor of the Incorporated Law Society. Councillors are invested with semi-judicial authority over all members of the legal profession in Natal, and exercise semi-judicial functions in matters of discipline (vide Act 10/07).

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant

*Handwritten signature*

*in possession of Natal*

The Private Secretary to  
The Secretary of State  
Colonial Office  
London, S.W.  
England.



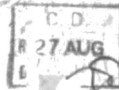
tests should deal particularly  
with the writers opinion of  
your character intellectual  
attainments, capacity for  
work, & power of command.

The originals will subsequently be  
returned to you provided that  
copies are all sent.

KAT

If Mr Jackson should happen  
to visit this country he  
should take the opportunity  
to call on my private  
Secretary, but he should  
on no account make a  
special ~~trip~~ journey for  
this purpose, as expenses  
thus incurred cannot  
be refunded.

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29 Aug 13

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Jackson bag

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Batteries  
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With refs your appln for  
employment in the Colonial Service,  
~~I am in a position to request~~ which has  
been forwarded to this Dept.  
from the G.O.P., I am in a position to  
request you to furnish me  
with details (originals & copies),  
relating to your school and  
college career & to your  
subsequent legal & military  
training & experience. The

details

For. 28632/1913

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21 August 1913

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for Belfast

M.A. 19/8/13

W. Head 19/8

1<sup>st</sup> Sec<sup>y</sup> of the

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Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of Mr. Brown's despatch, No 534, of the 21<sup>st</sup> of July, ~~and to~~ ~~inform you that~~ transmitting an application on the part of J. W. Jackson for employment in the colonies.

I have to request that you will cause Mr. Jackson to be informed that his application has been received and will be considered

Referees ...

Give the names and addresses of two referees. They should be responsible persons who know you well, either in private life or in business; and one at least should be well acquainted with you in private life. The names of distinguished persons should not be given unless they really know you well.

1. Name The Honourable J. C. DOVE-WILSON, K.C.

Address Pietermaritzburg, Natal.

Occupation Judge-President of the Natal Provincial Division of the Supreme Court of South Africa.

2. Name Colonel A. T. G. WALES, V.D.

Address 380 Loop Street, Pietermaritzburg

Occupation Colonel, upon the Headquarter Staff, Union Defence Forces; formerly Senior Staff Officer Natal; Commandant of Militia Reserves and Controller of Arms; sometime Acting Commandant-General, Natal Militia.

### Testimonials

Give the name, address, and occupation of the writer of each of your testimonials. Not more than six should be submitted. The originals must be sent for inspection, but they will be returned if their return is requested, and copies are sent with them for record in the Colonial Office. Copies may be either in MS. or in print; and it is desirable, though not absolutely necessary, that they should be on foolscap paper not larger than this form.

As a professional man I have had no occasion to collect testimonials. If desired I can submit the names of ten or twelve further referees, including Judges of the Supreme Court, Chief Magistrates, Staff Officers in the Defence Force, Members of Parliament and of the local Provincial Council, Justices of the Peace, Commanding Officers of Regiments of the local forces &c &c.

# Application for Colonial Employment.

Form to be filled up by the Applicant himself, and sent up to the Private Secretary to the Secretary of State, Colonial Office, London.

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Name in full: THEODORE WALTON JACKSON

Date of Application: July 1st 1913 In Despatch No. 561 of 27 1913

Profession or Occupation: Member of the Natal Bar

Address: 18 Timber Street, Pietermaritzburg, Natal

**INCLOSURE**

Father's Name: (The Revd) JOEL JACKSON

Profession or Occupation: Clerk in Holy Orders, Missionary to the Swazias.

Address: DECEASED.

If dead, his Name and Profession should nevertheless be given.

Day and year of birth: June 6th, 1868. Age last birthday: 25

Place of birth: Pietermaritzburg, Natal

Whether single, married or a widower: Single

Number of children: None. Aged respectively: -----

Daughters: -----

Education: Blenheim College, Pietermaritzburg, Natal, and Cape University. Entered the former 1896 and left 1902. Matriculated at the latter 1903, passed Bar Examination of the latter University 1905.

Professional qualifications (if any), and the date at which each was obtained: Admitted to Bar of Natal Supreme Court, June 8th 1909. Since continuously practised as attorney and advocate, Councillor of the Incorporated Law Society 1912-13, presently practising law as above.

Military qualifications: Lieutenant, Natal Militia, 1906, passed examination for promotion 1907, promoted Captain July 1907. Held independent command of intelligence unit during operations against Dinuzulu, December, 1907. Appointed to the command of the Umgeni Militia Reserve Corps, Natal Militia, March, 1908, held command until disbandment of the Unit consequent upon passing of the South Africa Defence Act, 1912; now Reserve of Officers for South Africa.

Appointment desired: Responsible appointment, judicial, military or administrative, in the British East Africa, Uganda or Nyasaland Protectorates (Crown Prosecutor, Magistrate, Civil Commissioner, District Administrator, or command in the Police or local military forces &c)

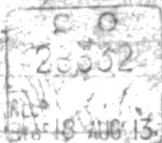
If you do not apply for a particular appointment, you should state to what Colonies you would go, and what is the lowest salary that you would accept.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,  
NAIROBI,  
BRITISH EAST AFRICA.

EAST AFRICA PROTECTORATE.

July 21st 1913.

No. 564



Sir,

I have the honour to forward herewith a form of application for Colonial employment duly filled in by Mr. T.W. Jackson.

2. I have no personal knowledge of the candidate.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your humble, obedient servant,

In the absence of the  
GOVERNOR.

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE

LEWIS HARCOURT, P.C., M.P.,

SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES,

DOWNING STREET, LONDON, S.W.

Employment for H. Pan that he  
can hold out a little prospect

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about



Mr. Battenbee

how will direct to him for facts  
from his school & college & as to  
his legal & military exp

Mr. Davidson

12/26/13 at once

Letter 23 Sept teeth & scopes attached  
wait for his horse

HSD

15/10/13

Mr. Risley for your stove please

11/11/13

Private Sec

I do not understand why this Natal Nut  
applied through the S.A.P.C. job, as  
he is and apparently has always  
been resident in Natal.  
This looks a good but he appears  
to me to be more suitable for an  
adviser than for a legal appointment.  
It is to impress the natives - of  
Dorcaswan

VJR

12/11/13

Mr. Battenbee

He may be an excellent person. His  
letter was good though most of his  
military report is written by a  
regular officer.

At the same time I would have been  
responsible for submitting him  
without having any opportunity of  
ascertaining the veracity of these  
photographs. From then I did not have his suitability for  
any job should be app'd without reference  
to Mr. Battenbee

Private Sec

Mr. Battenbee  
12/11/13

Mr. Battenbee

Letter 15 Dec attached

HSD

7/1/14

Mr. Risley,

It is rather difficult to know what answer to  
make to this letter. We strictly do not wish to discour-  
age him to come to this country for an interview.  
I should be inclined to think that it would  
of being able to offer him a position in the  
well that the Secretary of the Government should advise  
him to undertake a special journey for the purpose of an  
interview here. As to the last part of his letter  
which says he might come in the event of an interview  
being held and proving satisfactory it is not possible  
to say that he will be on the list for junior grade  
administration. The only way in which he  
would be eligible for the list is if he were to  
be appointed to the grade of junior grade  
administration. A number of such notes is possible and the  
number of vacancies likely to be at that grade is limited.

Private Sec

I agree

HSD

9.1.14

Mr. Battenbee

Letter 16 Feb attached

HSD

9/1/14

HSD

10.1.14

at once

Reply that his name will remain on  
record but that having regard to the large  
number of candidates for all classes of official

importation of such  
stock into the Port.  
He does not consider  
that the port is at  
present in a position  
to ask the Union  
Castle Steamship Company  
for any concession in  
the matter.

(Signed) H. J. READ.  
for the Under Secretary of State