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These men are to fill existing vacancies in the Postal staff. The vacancies in the East 1913-14 are those referred to in the last para.

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Address reply to: "The Secretary, General Post Office"
 Posting Registration No. 48657/13

GENERAL POST OFFICE, LONDON.

March 1913.

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Sir,

With reference to your letters of the 23rd January No. 1880/1912-13, 30th January No. 2637/1913, and the 3rd ultimo No. 1544/E.A., respecting vacancies for three male Postal Clerks and Telegraphists in the East Africa Protectorate, I am directed by the Postmaster General to acquaint you, for the information of the Secretary of State for the Colonies, that he can recommend Messrs. W. A. Jackman, age 28, S. Hobbs, age 27, and W.V. Mackay, age 27, Sorting Clerks and Telegraphists at Burnley, Portsmouth and Paisley respectively.

Mr. Jackman has nine years' established service, and the other two officers named have each eight years' established service. The three are described as good officers and have a thorough knowledge of Postal and Telegraph duties. They are unmarried.

The Postmaster General assumes that the undertakings mentioned in the letter from this Office of the 25th of October 1911, No. 532067/10, will be applied in the present case; and in the circumstances he will make arrangements, as previously, for the officers selected to be seconded for a period not exceeding three years.

I am to add that the Postmaster General has under consideration your further letter of the 5th instant.

Under Secretary of State,

No.

COLONIAL OFFICE.

No. 39618/12, reporting additional vacancies for four male and three female Postal Clerks and Telegraphists in East Africa; and that he hopes to be in a position to recommend candidates for these vacancies on an early date.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

L Marshall

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18 March 1913

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Mr. Reed 17/3/13

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Sir G. Fiddes.

Sir H. Just.

Sir J. Anderson.

Lord Emmott.

Mr. Harcourt.

him etc. to add the receipt
of your letter of 4/3/13

of the 16th of March & to
request that if the

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the enclosed letters

of your efforts as Postal
Clerks & Telegraphists

in 2 copies may be
forwarded to Mr. W. G.

Jackman, Mr. J. Hobbs

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Jackman
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To Hobbs
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Mr. W. V. Mackay,

who have been

recommended for

~~offer~~ by the P. M. C.

for vacancies in the Postal Estab.

2. Mr. Barcott writes

that ~~the~~ ^{recommendations} additional

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due course for filling

the additional vacancies

for four male & three

female Postal Clerks

• Telegraphists in E. Africa.

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MEMO

W. A. Jackson, Esq.
J. H. Hobbs, Esq.
W. V. Mackay, Esq.

Rooming Street,

18 March 1913

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Recd 17/3/13
W. V. Mackay 17/3

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Sir,

I am directed by Mr. Secretary,

Harcourt to inform you that, subject to your being passed as physically fit for service, he proposes to select you for appointment as a Postal Clerk and Telegraphist in the East Africa and Uganda Postal and Telegraph Department with salary at the rate of £100 per annum rising by annual increments of £10 to £150 per annum. Government quarters free of rent (but not of rates or other similar outgoings) are provided for single men when such quarters are available. When such quarters are not available, a hut or other temporary shelter

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shelter is provided, as in certain cases an allowance in lieu of quarters is granted at the discretion of the Government. Free second class passages are provided to and from East Africa. Half pay is granted as from the date of leaving England and full pay as from the date of arrival at Mombasa.

A memorandum, showing the general conditions attached to appointments in East Africa and a copy of the leave and discipline regulations for civil officers is enclosed herewith, but you are to understand that you will be subject to any regulations which may hereafter be introduced by or with the sanction of the Secretary of State. A copy of the regulations as to pensions and a copy of the Colonial Regulations are also enclosed.

You will be seconded in the first instance in the Home Service for a tour of thirty months in East Africa and the leave incidental thereto, on the understanding that the period of your seconding (including passages and leave as well as the time spent in East Africa) shall not exceed three years. At the end of that period (provided that your services have been satisfactory) it will be open to you to remain permanently in Colonial employment or to revert to the Home Service.

4. If you are prepared to accept the appointment ^{on} these conditions, you should present yourself to one of the Medical Advisers to this Department whose names are given on the enclosed letter for the purpose of being medically examined. The letter is to be left

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with him, and he will send his report direct to this Department. The fee for the examination will be paid by the Government.

5. I am to request that you will inform me as soon as possible whether you wish to accept this offer. You should also inform me what is the earliest date on which you will be able to leave for East Africa where your services are

~~urgently required.~~

6. At the same time you should furnish me with an address to which communications intended for your relatives or friends can be sent during your absence from this country.

A copy of 'Notes for Officers appointed to East Africa and Uganda is enclosed.

I am, Sir,