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CUSTOMS

1913

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Last previous Paper.

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CUSTOMS VACANCIES

Recommends MR G. MINETT and MR G. WALSH. States that they have good general knowledge of Customs work etc but offers to make arrangements for them to obtain a wider experience if it is thought necessary.

Mr Read

(See files 4977, 4978 &c.) I saw these two men the other day and gave them letters to the MA. They have now been passed as physically fit for service.

D.G. in consonance.

[I am recommending Mr Walsh,
the elder of the two, for the more
responsible post of Customs Collector, Mombasa.]

H. D. 8/4/3

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Please reply to this Letter
and be addressed to
The Secretary,
Customs House,
London, E.C.
and the following number
quoted.

No. 5009
1913

7 APR
Customs House, London
St. April, 1913

Sir,

In reply to Mr. Read's letter of the 27th February last, No. 6348/1913, I am directed by the Board of Customs and Excise to acquaint you that they have interviewed five applicants who appeared to possess the necessary qualifications for the vacant posts in the East African Customs at Kilindini and Mombasa, and they recommend : -

Mr. Geoffrey George Minett, born 14th September 1886; entered this service 6th November 1903; he is married, but is prepared to make arrangements for keeping his family at home.

Mr. Geoffrey Walsh, born 17th July 1884; entered this service 5th April 1906; he is unmarried.

Each of these Officers has a good general knowledge of Customs work and is acquainted with testing, running and with the Abel test of petroleum; but if the Secretary of State desires it arrangements will be made for them to acquire a wider experience in these matters as suggested in the second paragraph of the letter under reply.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Under Secretary of State,
H.C., &c., &c.
Colonial Office.

Thorning

11 April 1913

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The Rec
Board of Customs & Excise

MINUTE,

Mr. Downie 8/4

Mr. ~~B. G. Read~~, 8/4

Sir G. Fiddes.

Sir H. Just.

Sir J. Anderson.

Lord Emmott.

Mr. Harcourt.

for concurrence

Yo Ano G. P. Waller
M 4/9/13
Ano G. G. M'Nutt
M 4/9/13

Lu,
I am etc to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No.
(443) 6009 of the 5th of April 1913
and to transmit that
you will forward
the accompanying letters
to Mr. G. S. Finnett
and Mr. G. Walsh
respectively who have
been nominated by the
Board of C. and E. as
candidates for the
vacant posts in the
Customs Dept of the
East Afr. Prot.
you also to let me know the
D. 4th May 1913 or the 6th 1913
2. The engagement of

3/26

H. Open 7/1913

~~Clarke, Hedges & Co
is Oct 20 1913~~

Sir,

I am etc to inform
you that you have been
passed as physically fit
for service, and that we
accordingly propose to
select you for appointment as

Collector of Customs at

From base in the E.A.P.

① Assistant in the Customs Deptt ^{at salary} E.A.P.
with salary at the rate of

£250 p.a. rising by annual

increments of £10 to £400

p.a.

2 Government quarters

free of rent but not of

heat or other similar outgoings

are provided for single men
when

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S. Walsh Esq
C. G. Bennett Esq

MINUTE.

Mr. Downie 8/4

Mr. Read 8/8

Sir G. Fiddes 2

Sir H. Just 2

Sir J. Anderson.

Lord Emmott.

Mr. Harcourt.

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June 23
July 1913
Aug 23
Sept 29

Sept 1914
Oct 1914
Nov 1914

Dec 1914

Jan 1915

Feb 1915

Mar 1915

Apr 1915

May 1915

Jun 1915

to Customs house "M&G"

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to

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Circular
for ~~Govt~~ Govt. - 167

A copy of the right and
perverse and a copy of
the C.O. Reg's are also
enclosed.

3. In the first instance
you will be remunerated for
the term of service which
varies from 20 to 30
months at the discretion
of the Governor, with the usual
consequent theron.

An outfallance of
£30 will be granted
subject to your undertaking
to refund that amount in
the event of your accepting
a permanent appointment with
the Prost.

M. H. understands
you should settle
the Dept as soon as
that you are willing to



11 April 1913

S.

I am etc to request you
to info the L.C. of the
Treasury that with the

concurrence of the B^d-of
Customs and Excise, he

has selected Mr G. G.
Minett and Mr G.

Halsh for appointment

as Assistant in the
Customs Dept and as

Collector of Customs
respectively, in the East
Africa Prots.

2. It is reported to

second these officers in
the first instance for
a term of residental
service varying from 20

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The Rec

to The Treasury

MINUTE.

Mr. Downie 8/4

Mr. Read 8/8

Sir G. Fiddes,

Sir H. Just,

Sir J. Anderson,

Lord Emmott.

Mr. Harcourt.

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to 30 months at the discretion
of the Governor, with the
consequent taxon,

and I am to request that
sanction may be given to
the service being sent
from the Imperial Customs
Duty Service accordingly.

The ultimate pension
clauses in respect of their
service in the E.A.P. will
be defrayed from E.A.P.
funds.

3. It is to be obliged
if an early reply could
be sent to this letter, ^{as}
it is desirable that
these officers should reach
for the P.M.L. as soon
as possible.

S. D. A. M.