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Postal Clerks & Telegraphists

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July

Previous Paper

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Nominatee Mr. Loder, Mrs. Paddy & A. Davies
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Address reply to "The Secretary, General Post Office,"
quoting Registered No. 209699.

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GENERAL POST OFFICE, LONDON,

July 1910.

With reference to your letters of the 1st instant, No. 214 E.A., and 3rd of May, No. 12032/1910, and previous correspondence, concerning the vacancies for three Male Postal Clerks and Telegraphists in British East Africa and Uganda, I am directed to acquaint you, for the information of the Secretary of State for the Colonies, that out of the numerous candidates who, as stated in the letter from this Office of the 18th of October last, No. 257862/09, offered themselves for the two last similar vacant appointments, a considerable number possess the necessary qualifications, and the Postmaster General has therefore reconsidered the claims of the candidates not selected in that instance.

The most suitable candidates appear to be Messrs. M. Hirst, H.M. Gidy, and A. Bowles, Sorting Clerks and Telegraphists in Provincial Offices, aged respectively 21, 24 and 31. They are good telegraphists and efficient in postal duties. All of them have good health; but, in case one of them should not be passed by the Medical Adviser to the Colonial Office or for any other reason should fail to take up the appointment, Mr. Samuel suggests Mr. V. Sutcliffe, provincial Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist, aged 25, as the officer whom he would next select. Each of the officers appointed will be

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The Under Secretary of State,
COLONIAL OFFICE.

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"seconded" for a period of three years.

I am to express the Postmaster General's regret that it has not been practicable to make a recommendation at an earlier date.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Matthew Nathan

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Communications on this subject
should be addressed to—
The Under Secretary of State
Colonial Office,
London, S.W.,
in the following terms quoted.

Downing Street,

26 July 1970

under flying seal
through G.P.O.

M. Oddy Esq
A. Davis, Esq
K. S. S.

End of Course

I am directed by the Secretary of State for the Colonies to

inform you that, subject to your being passed as physically fit for
service, he proposes to select you for probationary appointment as

a Postal Clerk & Telegraphist in the combined
postal & telegraph service of the Africa &
Mauritania Protectorates, with salary at the
rate of £150 p.a. rising by annual
increments of £8 to £200 p.a. Quarters
are provided free of rent (but not of rates or
similar outgoings), or an allowance in lieu.

2. A memorandum showing the general conditions attached to
these conditions will apply to your appointment, except that 2nd class postage
appointments in the Protectorate is enclosed herewith and you are to
understand that you will be subject to any regulations which may here-
after be introduced by or with the sanction of the Secretary of State.

A copy of the regulations as to pensions is also enclosed. A copy
of the Colonial Regulations is also enclosed.

3. You are also to understand that you will be available for
employment in any appointment which the Governor of the Protectorate
may direct, and it will be within his discretion to recommend to the
Secretary of State your transfer to another branch of the administration
if he sees fit to do so.

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M. Oddy
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3. If you are prepared to accept the appointment on these conditions, you should present yourself to one of the medical advisers of this Department, whose names are given on the enclosed letter for the purpose of being medically examined. The letter is to be detached and left with him; and you will be required to pay him a fee of one guinea. He will send his report direct to this Department.

4. I am to request that you will state whether you accept this offer, and, if so, that you will inform me of the earliest date at which you will be prepared to leave for the Protectorate.

5. You should at the same time furnish me with an address to which communications intended for your relatives or friends may be sent during your absence from this country.

A copy of private for officers appointed is enclosed for your info

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I am to explain that, in the event of your accepting this appointment, you will in the first instance be seconded for a period of three years from the Imperial Postal Service.

This letter is to be detached and left with the Medical Adviser.

Downing Street, London.

1910

Sir,

I am directed by the Secretary of State for the Colonies to request that you will be good enough to examine the bearer of this letter,

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+ Davis
M. Lester

and report whether, in your opinion, he is physically fit for service as

a Postal Clerk or Telegraphist in the Combined Postal and Telegraph Service of the E. Africa & Uganda Protectorates

He has been informed that he will have to pay you a fee of one guinea.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

R. L. ANDERSON

G. V. Fiddle

C. W. Daniels, Esq., M.B., M.R.C.P.
50, Welbeck Street, Cavendish, London.

Sir Patrick Mansel, K.C.M.S., M.D., F.R.S. (Hours: 10 a.m. to 12 noon.)
21, Queen Anne Street, London, W.

Brigade-Surgeon Lieutenant-Colonel James Arnott, M.D., (Hours: 2 p.m., except Saturday.)
8, Rothesay Place, Edinburgh, or

J. Hawtrey Benson, Esq., M.D., (Hours: 2.30 p.m.)
57, Fitzwilliam Square, Dublin.

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26 July 10

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Mr. Just.

Mr. Cox.

Sir C. Lucas.

Sir R. Hopwood.

Col. Seely.

Lord Crewe.

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Letters 26 July
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I am etc. to ack: the receipt
of your letter 209699 of the
21st. of July, etc request that
the P.M.G. will be good
enough to have transmitted
to Mr. M. Lister, Mr. W. M.
Oddy and Mr. A. Davies,
the accompanying letters
of any other apts
as Postal clerks, a Telegraphist
in the Combined Postal

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Telegraph service
of the East Africa &
Uganda P.O.

I have to request
that you will
inform the Board
that Lord Cromer
is greatly
obliged to him
for the trouble
which he has
taken in
recommending
candidates for
these posts.

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- Sir G. Lucas.
- Sir F. Hopwood.
- Col. Spaldy.
- Lord Cromer.

To the Secretary
Public Works Dept

with reference to the letter from
this Dept of the 26th ult. I
am to be requested you for
the info of the Board that
that Mr. de Looze has declined
the offer of app't as a Postal
Clerk and Telegraphist in
the East Africa & that his
Lordship proposes to select
Mr. T. Salscliffe the fourth
candidate recommended in
your letter of the 21st of July
for app't. I am accordingly to
request that the accompanying
letter may be transmitted to
Mr. Salscliffe offering him the
app't.