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Recruitment of Arabs for E.A.P

Leads tel from India. Political Resident at Aden has reported 100 recruits practically ready for service, and awaits orders if desired they could be sent to E.A.P. at earliest opportunity.

W. B. St. John's Mr. G. Fildes

? Telegraph to Gov. E.A.P.

the substance of the telegram from the Viceroy - tell him to make such arrangements as he thinks fit & to communicate direct with Aden, keeping L.S. inf of his action -

+ ack. sending copy of above telegram.

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Mr. Coppage sent 5 Oct 14

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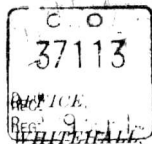
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Any further communication on this subject
should be addressed to—

The Under Secretary of State for India,
Military Department,
India Office,
London, S.W.

and the following reference quoted—

M. 15354.



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INDIA OFFICE

LONDON, S.W.

28th September 1914.

Sir,

In reply to your letter No. 20665/1914 of the
28th July 1914, I am directed to forward for the
c. 22468/1. information of Mr. Secretary Harcourt a copy of a
telegraphic reply received from the Government of
India regarding the recruitment of Arabs from the Aden
Hinterland.

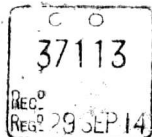
I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

General,

Military Secretary.

The Under Secretary of State,
Colonial Office.



COPY TELEGRAM FROM THE VICEROY

DATED 25th SEPTEMBER, 1914.

22488 1. Your Despatch dated 21st August No. 83
Military paragraph 8. I have no objection to the proposals.
Political Resident at Aden has reported 100 recruits
practically ready for service, and waits only orders.
If it is desired they could be sent to British East
Africa at earliest opportunity.

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Sir,

I am to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 28th of Sept (M 15354) and to ~~inform you that~~ transmit to you for the info of the Marquess of Crewe, the accompanying copy of a letter which has been sent to the Gov. of the EAP regarding the recruitment of Arabs at

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The Lt. Gov. for India
Military Dept
India Office

MINUTE.

- Mr. ~~Harper~~ 2/10/14
- Mr. ~~Bottomley~~ 2/10/14
- Mr.
- Mr.
- Sir G. Fiddes.
- Sir H. Just.
- Sir J. Anderson.
- Lord Islington
- Mr. Harcourt.

to Gov. EAP.
(afterwards) *Vote*

Order
(Signed) H. J. READ
FOR THE UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE

No 37113/1914

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Answer 25/10

Your des. of 14 Aug 14

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