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War Office

1916

24 August

Last previous Paper.

German East Africa

Sent, for obvious, telegram from
General Smuts as to Political offices
in territory occupied by British forces.

Mr Butler

This arises out of our letter to you
on 31/3/53. We can, I hope, keep
this question of political offices for
the area occupied by the British
separate from the concurrent questions:

(a) British political offices for areas
occupied by the Belgians.

(b) Definition of Belgian sphere of
administration.

In regard to present positions,
please see also our 40012 Memorandum.
I think there is no doubt that
General Smuts' view must be
accepted as a working measure.

Subsequent Paper.

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a civil administrator is appointed
for S.S. Africa to rule over
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WAR OFFICE,

LONDON, S.W.

24th August 1916.

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Sir,

I am commanded by the Army Council to transmit for the information of the Secretary of State for the Colonies a copy of a telegram (No. 5545 of August 21st) received from G.O.C.-in-C., East Africa on the subject of the appointments, grades, and rates of pay of Political Officers for duty in the occupied territories in German East Africa.

For convenience of reference copies of the telegrams quoted in the above are also attached.

I am to request that the Council may be favoured at the earliest possible moment with the views of Mr. Secretary Bonar Law regarding the proposals now advanced by Lieutenant-General Smuts.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

P. D. B. Curtis

The Under Secretary of State,
Colonial Office, S.W.

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from General Smuts to G.I.G.S.

June 30th. 1916.

3 p.m.

5511.

Your 4234 of 26th. June and 19216 cipher, 26th. May.

It is not possible for the Governors of British East Africa and Uganda to assist with more officers but they have already helped with personnel, as has the Union Government. It is probable that the latter can send enough men with long experience and there are others present with the forces. It should therefore be possible to procure personnel here to an ample extent. The following is an approximate estimate for the purpose of finance of the numbers of ranks and gradings:- 6 Provincial Commissioners as Majors at about £ 600 per annum. 31 District Commissioners as Captains at about £ 400 per annum. The above estimate does not include chief political officer now holding local rank of Colonel, may be settled. Colonel Pritchard is required to attend his civil station but the next senior officer to him in his town department is now on his way home.

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C.G.S. to S.C.-in-C., East Africa.

18-7-16.

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No. 19661.- Your F.S.D.L. of June 30th. - It is desired by the Colonial Office that rates of pay in Northern and Southern occupied territories should, if possible, be assimilated. For Southern Districts following rates have been approved:-

Chief Political Officer, £11. - or annua.

Provincial Political Officers £1000-, maximum £700, annual increment £15.-

Assistant do. £400-, annua £1000-, annual increment £100.

For all, the above there is an additional increment cause of 10/-.

Officers appointed are to draw less than the established salary.

Are you now in a position to reply to my letter of June 18th as to political officers with the salaries?

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you forward same to C.I.O.B.

28th August 1946.

6.00 p.m.

P. 5546.

With reference to your letter 10,011 of 12th July and my P. 5546 of 30th June, I am of opinion, after further consideration, that it is not advisable to appoint provincial political officers, and that the easiest method is to adhere to the known established system of districts. Political officers, therefore, would be graded either district or assistant political officers. In view of the size of the districts and the responsibility and work involved in creating new administration, I consider that the rates of pay proposed for provincial Political Officers in your telegram quoted above should be allowed for district Political Officers under the new organization. Therefor so I agree. The rate of pay and allowances for Chief Political Officers proposed by you are considered suitable.

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