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Customs

1919

4 May

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Customs Dept. Vacancies.

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Recommends Mr A. E. V. Barton for collectorships,  
Mr J. McClearen for asst. collectorships, Mr C. Stanford  
and Mr C. N. Taylor for preventive officeship.

*Major Parkinson*

Please see minutes on 24451.

We shall want one more Preventive

Officer at presumably one more Ass't Collector.

See also Mr Fox's letter attached.

5/30/19

Officer left up to Tanga then  
to the mainland, as planned here, as in the  
file case below.

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29-5-19

+ Bring up again for the remaining  
appt. when the recommendations of the CS Committee  
have been considered.

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29-5-19

Subsequent Paper.

3699. Barton 6/1.

2700. McLean

6177. Stanford

12416. G. N. Taylor

12417. Stanford

41803. (unclear)

~~X~~ W. H. Hamerley X

Suggested the position to be as follows:-

### Vacancies.

- |                           |                |               |
|---------------------------|----------------|---------------|
| (a) 1 Assistant Collector | £ 210. 10. 00  |               |
| (b) 2 Preventive Officers | £ 150. 10. 250 | (C.O. 121/19) |
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- |                          |                |                  |
|--------------------------|----------------|------------------|
| (a) 1 Collector (Urgent) | £ 210. 10. 00  | (C.O. 185/88/19) |
| (b) 1 Preventive Officer | £ 150. 10. 150 |                  |

There was an extra Assistant Collector created for (C.O. 189/88/19) - for whom an Assistant Chief Collector was substituted (S.O. 21/69/19) & then struck off altogether (for 2445/19).

### Recommendations by Adm. of Customs.

- (a) Mr. H. H. M. Chapman
- (b) Mr. Stamford & Mr. Taylor.
- (c) Mr. Barton

unfilled by Adm. of Customs so far only one Preventive Officer.

New salary for Assistant Collector is shown  
in 1919 as £11. 0. £400. 20. £500 + £100  
per 1000 cases, being Collector - must

be assumed as S.O. 189/88/19, which  
was removed from it at time it was written.  
? (1) Propose to give to the 2 Preventive  
Officers respectively

- (2) adm. recd. my. H. H. M. Chapman, as to  
position of Collector of Customs (Urgent)  
ask whether this affects their N.C.  
of Mr. Barton for that app't or Mr. Chapman  
for the adst. Col. app't. - (explain  
what basis for higher scale £400 - £500)

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I say that we do not want  
a second post till the time  
the only remaining one for  
me Pres. Mich.

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The box was clean there both the  
1st class men were to be at £250. £15.  
£400. His - anxious enough  
that one should be called a collector  
but I think we can assure that  
it is all right & leave it to the  
people to give the higher rate if  
they wish to.

Offer all odds up. ~~as well~~  
Thanks with  
~~stand~~ as at A

15th

about this letter  
is addressed to  
the Secretary  
of State for  
the Colonies  
London, E.C. 3.  
in my personal  
The following  
and committed —

16698/1919

CUSTOM HOUSE, LONDON, E.C. 3.

24th May, 1919.



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Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 22nd instant,  
No. 30417/1919, regarding the selection of candidates  
for certain Customs posts in East Africa, I am directed  
by the Board of Customs and Excise to state that the  
nine candidates referred to in my letter of the 20th instant  
were interviewed yesterday and that the Board now  
recommend the following candidates for appointment, viz :-

- |  |  |                          |
|--|--|--------------------------|
| A. S. V. Barton, Officer,<br>Liverpool, age 25, (unmarried)        | } for Collectorship and<br>McLagan, Officer,<br>Hampton, age 25, (unmarried) | Assistant Collectorship. |
| B. Standard Preventive Man,<br>Bawdsey, age 25 (married)           |  |                          |
| C. D. Taylor, Preventive Man,<br>Colchester, age 27 (unmarried)    | } for Preventive Officerships.   |                          |
| D. F. G. Taylor, Preventive Man,<br>Colchester, age 27 (unmarried) |  |                          |

My Board regret that in view of the limited response  
to their Circular advertising the posts they have not  
found it possible, having regard to the necessity for  
maintaining

maintaining a proper standard of fitness to recommend sufficient candidates to fill all the vacancies offered on this occasion.

They note that the cost of the travelling etc., expenses of the candidates interviewed will be borne by East Africa Protectorate funds.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

*W. Manning*

The Under Secretary of State,  
Colonial Office.

maintaining a proper standard of fitness to recommend sufficient candidates to fill all the vacancies offered on this occasion.

They note that the cost of the travelling etc., expenses of the candidates interviewed will be borne by East Africa Protectorate funds.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

*John Murray*

The Under Secretary of State,  
Colonial Office.

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communications on this subject  
addressed to

UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE,  
COLONIAL OFFICE,  
LONDON, S.W.

following number quoted—

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My 4.6.19

Dorning Street,

Dept Parkhouse Esq. 6<sup>th</sup> June 1919.

for 28

Done/3677

Sir.

Viscount Milner

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 Probationary Officer in the Customs Department  
of the East Africa (Protectorate) (Uganda)

with salary at the rate of £150 a year rising by annual increments  
of £10 to £250 a year, <sup>in the year in which you are appointed</sup> ~~and~~ At present war bonus the rate of £600  
~~which corresponds to a salary of £150, is £158 for a married officer~~  
~~and £135 for an unmarried officer. Quarters are provided free of rent (but not of  
rate or similar outgoing) or an allowance is given in lieu of same and class foreign  
expenses showing the usual compensation attached to~~

appointments in the Protectorate and the leave and pay regulations  
for all officers are enclosed herewith, but you are to understand that you

will be subject to any regulations which may subsequently be introduced by  
order of the Secretary of State. You are accordingly invited to

apply for appointment to the above post at the earliest opportunity, up to the provision of  
Probationary Officers. A copy of the regulations as to pensions and a copy of

the Colonial Regulations are also enclosed.

3. If you are prepared to accept the appointment on these  
conditions, you should present yourself to one of the medical officers of  
this Department whose names are given on the enclosed letter, for the  
purpose of being medically examined. The letter is to be left with him  
and you will be required to pay him £1 for his services. He will send his

report direct to this Department. The fee of one guinea for the  
examination will be paid by the Govt.

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JULY

5 I now 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~~ ~~Espric~~.

6 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.

7 *Copy of "Note for Officers appointed to East Africa and Uganda"*  
*and "Handbook of Nyasaland"*  
is enclosed.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Major G. GRINDLE

2. You will be seconded in your home appointment in the first instance for one term of service ~~in the~~ <sup>(varying from)</sup> ~~which~~ ~~will~~ ~~last~~ ~~one~~ for 20 to 30 months at the discretion of the Governor with the base contingent theron, and can only be all "fit & 30" will be greatest subject to your understanding to regard that amount as the limit of your accepting a commandment as in the E. African C-

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6<sup>th</sup> June 1919

Secretary,  
Customs

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1st June 1919

I am to ask the rest of your  
letter A. 16698/1919 of the 20th of  
May, recommending concrete fu-  
nerary app. in the Custom byt

part of the E.A.P. Agency as to  
expressing thanks to the Board  
of Casting Office for the

work which they have done  
in the matter.

I am to request that the  
enclosed letter may be forwarded  
to the offices named below -

the P.M.

take care

Mr A.S.V. Barton, off of agent

Collector with Customs Dept., E.A.P.

Mr J. McLagan, off of agent

Post Collector with Customs Dept., E.A.P.

Mr G. Stanford, or Mr G.N.

Taylor, off of agent as Postmaster

Officer with Customs Dept., E.A.P.

~~Mr Parker~~ ~~Post Collector~~

is now now required, and the only  
remaining question is that for a

~~Post Master Officer~~

~~of the post office~~ Main

~~Post Master Officer~~ will be the

~~Post Master Officer~~ of the ~~Post Office~~

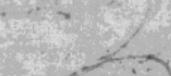
~~Post Master Officer~~ of the ~~Post Office~~

~~Post Master Officer~~ will be removed

~~from the list of Customs~~

~~Officers~~ ~~Post Master Officer~~

Bl. of Customs  
were never  
sold of the

  
EDWARD G. SHEDDLE