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Mr. [unclear] [unclear]

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A. Holder

30 Oct.

Report favorably on his work but as he is a best Indian it is considered inadvisable to appoint him as part of Agrie Dept. as that of Plant Import Inspector where he would daily come into contact with Europeans.

LAST previous Paper:
File
6393
(Barlow)

Mr. B. Stanley

Mr. Holder will probably feel aggrieved. Let us approve of the Govt proposal to appoint Mr. Barlow as Agric Inspector under File 4383 and ask what arrangements he proposes to make with regard to the appointment of a successor to Mr. Barlow, down as appropriate. 7. D. 26-11-13

Mr. Read

SR have nothing on to Mr. Holder's original selection.

as proposed
b.c.s. 28/1/13

Mr. G. Fiddler

I feel some doubt about this especially as it is not clear whether Mr. Manning is expressing the Govt's views. Would it not be better to inquire by tel. whether the Govt concurs? If he does, I think that we shd. agree.

H. J. R.
28/1/13
A.T.O.

LAST subsequent Paper:

18225

Sir J. Anderson

I do understand this objection
to him in the first instance, but now that he
has got him the is well reported on
it seems some unfair to deny him promotion.

I do not see the ground so by doing this
that Mr. Walker is the given the post at
Kumbura. And apparently Barber is Agt. Superintendent
M 2.12.13

I agree.

W. J. Adams

2.12.13

see minutes on File 5540 Adams

Sir J. Anderson

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present. And apparently Barber is Agri. Inspector
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I agree.
- W. H. C. H.
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see minutes on File 5540. Adams

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GOVERNMENT HOUSE
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BRITISH EAST AFRICA.

October 30th 1913.

EAST AFRICA PROTECTORATE.

No. 841

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COL. OFFICE

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Sir,

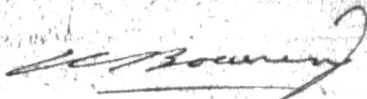
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4383*

In reply to your despatch No. 803 of the 25th of September, I have the honour to inform you that the Director of Agriculture reports favourably on Mr. Holder's work but in view of the fact that he is a West Indian, considers, and I concur in his opinion, that it would be inadvisable to appoint a person not of European extraction either to the post of Agricultural Instructor to settlers in the Highlands or to that of Plant Import Inspector at Mombasa where he would daily come into contact with representatives of European commercial firms.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your humble, obedient servant,



In the absence of the
GOVERNOR.

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE

LEWIS HARCOURT, P.C., M.P.,

SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES,

DOWNING STREET, LONDON, S.W.

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8 Dec. 1913

Sir,

I have etc to ack. the rec^d
 of your des^p N^o 841 of the 30th
 (40430) of Oct, and to inform you
 that I regret I am unable
 to concur in your opinion
 that Mr. ^{W.H.} Holden should
 not be considered for promo-
 tion either to the post of
 Agricultural Instructor or
 to that of Plant Import In-
 -spector at Bombasa.

I consider that, if
~~any~~ exception ^{can} be taken to
 his non-European extraction,
 in respect to the objection
 should have been raised on
 the occasion of his appt.
 to his appt. in the first
 instance. Now that he has
 been appointed
 and is well reported on.

DRAFT.

P.P. N^o 1041

W.C. Radfield P.P. Secy.

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MINUTE.

- Mr. Dennis 7.13.13
- Mr. Bolton 4/1/13
- Sir G. Piddes. H
- Sir H. Just.
- Sir J. Anderson.
- Lord Emmott.
- Mr. Harcourt.

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be unfair to deny him
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-ingly to approve of the
promotion of Mr. W. Barlow
to the post of Agricultural
Inspector, but I consider
that Mr. Holden should
be appointed to the post
of Plant Import Inspector,
Mombasa in succession to Mr. Barlow.

4. This arrangement will
necessitate the appt. of
a second
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to succeed Mr. Holden, and
I shall be glad to receive
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(Signed) L. HANCOCK.