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23 May '14

Gov. Belfield 409

MEDICAL STAFF.

1914

30 April.

Last previous Paper.

- Gov/18866
- File 5434 (Tudhope)
- File 5460 (Collar)
- File 5516 (Mackinnon)

Refers to current despatches respecting absorption of four of the six Medical Officers originally engaged for plague duty, and of the other two proposes to employ Dr. Tudhope as Assistant Health Officer and Pathologist in the Sanitation division, and to hold Dr. Collar as supernumerary.

~~Mr. Fiddian,~~ *See also Gov 18867/14 & 1102 in file 5516 Ed.*  
~~Mr. Bottomley~~

On the Estimates we provided for 20 instead of 17 probationary Medical Officers at £400 by £20 to £500: the natural way to fill the vacancies is to absorb the temporary Medical Officers. These are -

Tudhope, Welch, Collar, Russell, Spence and Mackinnon.

Of these the Governor wishes to take Russell, Welch and Spence for these three new appointments: Mackinnon for the vacancy caused by appointment of Pirie as Pathologist and Assistant Bacteriologist, and Tudhope temporarily as Assistant Health Officer and Pathologist, a new appointment in the Sanitation Department which carries the £400 - £500 scale.

*We might readily agree unless to the proposal to keep on Collar as a supernumerary (and you get a new one) it is well to keep him if satisfactory - besides there is*

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every chance that Hamilton will not  
return to S.A. after this leave).  
but there is one point wh. arises :-  
Collar is 'senior' to Russell,  
Spencer & Mackinnon, although  
of course all those men were  
appointed so close together  
that seniority in one sense shd  
count for little. Yet if  
the present proposals are  
approved, the result will be  
to make Collar lose 3 places  
in the list of M.O.S. & that  
apparently without reason,  
seeing that the O.M.S. wants  
to keep him in the service.

? ask: all these three dis?  
say that Sgt. approves of  
~~rearranging~~  
absorbing five of the six  
temporary M.O.S. & of his  
retaining the 6<sup>th</sup> as a supernumerary -  
but before approving of the appt.  
of the various officers specifically  
recommended point out that if  
(as appears to be the case) all  
are all satisfactory the 9<sup>th</sup> of

of seniority shd be taken into account  
as in acc. with present recommendation.  
Collar & possibly Tindhope (if  
re-transported to a med. appt.)  
would apparently lose seniority.

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There is no evidence to speak of that Dr Mackinnon  
has any special qualifications for the post of Pathologist  
& Asst Bacteriologist, but he is undoubtedly a good  
man. I remember him coming before the S.C. Com.  
whom he impressed very much.

Dr Tindhope's efforts in the direction of  
sanitary work before he went out to S.A., were  
confined to working for 6 months for the D.P.H.  
(he failed in one subject in Part I of the  
exam.). But his work was only by a borrowed  
appt. AF 28/5/14

I would agree to the O.M.S. proposals  
without reservation. The P.M.S. wants  
to retain Dr Collar but puts the other  
first. In the case of these 6<sup>th</sup> retention  
of these purely temporary men I do not  
think we should lay stress on seniority.

As proposed by Mr. Bottomley?  
28/5/14

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H. J. D.  
28/5/14  
at home P.M. 29.5.14

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EAST AFRICA PROTECTORATE.

No. 409.

Sir,

I have the honour to refer to my  
despatches Nos. 407 and 408 of today's date  
respecting the vacancies existing in the ranks  
of Probationary Medical Officers in the Medical  
Department.

*See 18866,  
File 5576.*

2. If my proposals receive your sanction,  
four of the six temporary Medical Officers who  
were originally engaged in connection with the  
recent outbreak of plague, will hold appoint-  
ments on the normal establishment of the Depart-  
ment. Of the other two, the Principal Medical  
Officer proposes to utilize the services of  
Dr. W. Tudhope as Assistant Health Officer and  
Pathologist in the Sanitation Division until  
he is in a position to make definite

*File 5434*

recommendations

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE

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

SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES,

DOWNING STREET

LONDON, S.W.

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recommendations regarding this appointment, while he desires to regard Dr.F.Collar as supernumerary for the time being. As the appointment of this officer is only for a year in the first instance, and as it is possible that other vacancies may in the meantime occur, I trust that this proposal may be approved, his salary being met by savings on the Medical Vote.

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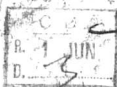
SIR,

Your humble, obedient servant,

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GOVERNOR.

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Sir

4 June 1914

Sir

I have the honour  
to acknowledge the receipt of  
your despatches No. ~~405~~  
407, 408 and 409, of  
the 30<sup>th</sup> of April, and  
to inform you that I  
approve of your proposal  
to appoint Doctors  
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and Mackinnon, Temporary  
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DRAFT.

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W. C. Belfield  
MINUTE.

Mr. Haden 30/5/14

Mr. Bottomley 1/6/14 p

Sir G. Fiddes

Sir H. Just.

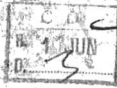
Sir J. Anderson.

Lord Emmott.

Mr. Harcourt.

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408 No. 4 on file  
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*[Handwritten signature]*

4 June 1914

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*Ed.*

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W. C. Balfour  
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409 Jan. 1886/14 lat.

Mr. Mackenzie 2/5/14

Mr. Bottomley 1/6/14

Sir G. Fiddes.

Sir H. Just.

Sir J. Anderson.

Lord Emmott.

Mr. Harcourt.

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Medical Officers.

2. I also approve of

your employing Dr. Teddhop's  
being employed provisionally  
as Asst. Health Officer  
and Pathologist in the  
Sanitation division, and  
of Dr. Collier remaining  
supernumerary <sup>to the General Sanitation Board</sup> for  
the time being

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Gen. Sir H. Belfield

10 July 1867

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- Mr. ~~de la~~ 4/1
- Sir G. Fiddes.
- Sir H. Just.
- Sir J. Anderson.
- Lord Emmott.
- Mr. Harcourt.

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Ans 7th 9134  
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Sir,  
with ref. to my disp. No. 599 of the 20<sup>th</sup> of June, I have the honor to invite your attention to para 2 of my disp. No. 587 of the 10<sup>th</sup> of June on the subject of the employment of Dr. Collier as a supernumerary m.o.

2. I presume that the vacancy caused by the retirement of Dr. Hornilton will be

is filled by the ab.  
reception of a. Tolson  
into the staff of  
probationary m.o.'s

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CLERK L. B. RICHARD.