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be met as shown by books.
All these proposals however
involve the disadvantages of
delay and enquiry, from
which the Indian system
appears to be free.

I shall be glad if you will
furnish me with further
information, including particulars
as to the salary involved, with
regarding the other points
raised in the certificate
which you refer to your
despatches of the 28th of
July and the 14th of Aug.*

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NAIROBI EUROPEAN SCHOOL
APPOINTMENT OF ASSISTANT MATRON

Recommends Salary £100. Candidates should have
experience of nursing sick children. Funds are available.

Don't let come in Aug 10

Mr. B. B. ...
I entirely agree with the
suggestion. I will give
approval. The difficulty
will be to get the right
kind of person at the
salary.

The matron - Mrs. Smith -
was drawn to £120 (benignable).
She was appointed locally
and I should have thought
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that the PU Govt should be
able to pick up someone
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doubt if we shall get one as good one for £100)

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GOVERNMENT HOUSE,

NAIROBI

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No. 676.

July 14th, 1914.

Sir,

I have the honour to address you on the subject of the appointment of an Assistant Matron for the European School, Nairobi.

2. It has been lately represented that the Matron cannot take charge of sick children as well as carry out her ordinary duties and it is most undesirable that she should be brought into contact with cases of an infectious nature. It is therefore deemed necessary to appoint an Assistant who will be able to take charge of invalids as well as help the Matron generally.

3. I quite agree that an appointment of this nature is desirable especially in view of the fact that the School is now quite full and is likely to continue so. The Matron's salary

is

RIGHT HONOURABLE

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

SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES,

DOWNING STREET, LONDON, S.W.

is £120 per annum and I think therefore that the salary of the Assistant should be £100 and I hope that there will be no difficulty in obtaining a suitable candidate at that figure.

4. I trust that you will sanction this proposal, in which case I should be obliged if the necessary instructions could be given to the Crown Agents so that no delay may occur in filling the post. It will be necessary to make it clear when advertizing that candidates should have some experience in sick nursing of children as that will form the greater part of the Assistant Matron's duties.

5. There will be no difficulty in providing the necessary funds from savings on the vote of the Education Department.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your humble, obedient servant,

W. H. H. H.

in the GOVERNOR'S instructions

For 3/112/1914

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