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and sent
Bombay

Date.
21 Dec
previous Paper.
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a case pending retirement

Requests decision as to date on which he
would be entitled to 14 years' service for pension
purposes (? 1 May) & asks to refer point that
date. asks as to leave. Dates of service

Mr Butler

I am sorry not to have had time to deal
with this before, but perhaps it will not have
done any harm to keep his Commission writing
a little while

I feel to understand that he arrives at two
6th of May as the date on which if he returns
he will, with the leave due to him, complete
14 years of service. I would fear that date
at the 31st of June on that day he will have
a total of complete/29 months of accidental service in India
and will therefore be entitled to 14 days leave
at all, including vacation & other leave. Adding

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15 days for the voyage, so get a total of 489 days.
This would carry him to the 3rd of January
the next of his length of service. I think that
he ought for him the extra 6 days.

As to the date of his retirement: say that
the Gov^t of the East will be consulted how
long his services can be spared, and that
a further letter will be addressed to him
on the receipt of the former's reply.

As to his special annual leave: refer
to the letter from his Dept of the 4th
of Dec^r or 30765.

And I write to the former sending copy
of corr. with his former, enquire how long
his services can be spared, and ask generally
what is the present position of the
question with regard to the abolition
of the Bombay Agency.

Drafts herewith for review.

W. B. 28/1

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ALL COMMUNICATIONS
TO BE ADDRESSED TO
THE AGENT GENERAL IN INDIA
THE ABOVE DEFERENCE AND THE DATE
OF THIS LETTER BEING QUOTED.

BRITISH PROTECTORATES IN AFRICA
ADMINISTERED BY THE COLONIAL OFFICE
APOLLO STREET BOMBAY.

21st December 1911.

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 35564/1911 dated the 29th of November 1911 informing me that I shall be allowed to complete 14 years' service including leave and transmitting me a copy of the Leave and Passage Rules held to apply to me.-

2. As far as I understand these Regulations I shall complete 14 years' service for pension purposes in any case if I remain at my present post until the 6th April 1912 and I beg that I may be informed at your earliest convenience whether this is correct or not.-

3. Your letter under reference leaves the matters of my future and the obligations undertaken towards me by the Secretary of state for Foreign Affairs with regard to special annual leave still unsettled - it affords me no prospect of satisfaction and leaves it wholly uncertain how long I may be called upon to continue to serve without leave.-

4. I have now been uninterruptedly at my post since the 29th January 1910 in spite of leave being due to me.- To remain on indefinitely without relaxation is, I fear, beyond my powers.- I therefore beg that Mr. Secretary Harcourt may be pleased to determine

Yours

UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE,
COLONIAL OFFICE,
LONDON.

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from what date I shall be entitled to 14 years' service for pension purposes, that is to say by what date I shall be entitled to 21/60ths of my pay as pension and sanction my retirement from such date with such leave as may be due to me.-

5. This date, as already stated, I make to be the 6th of ^{May} April 1912 and by leaving Bombay as soon as possible thereafter I should escape some of the great heat and the monsoon of that year.-

6. In addition I beg that he may be pleased to grant me in Europe the two months special leave for 1910 and 1911 of which I have been deprived, or compensation in lieu thereof and also sanction my one months special leave for 1912 being added to my home leave and enjoyed in Europe.-

7. I regret to have to take this step but find myself compelled to do so as I feel that by remaining longer in this climate my health would be permanently injured.-

8. For the information of Mr. Harcourt I beg to remark that I am in my 62nd year of age and 40th year of service in India.-

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient humble servant,

Agent General.

The 6th of April 1912 plus

- (a) Special annual leave for 1912.
- (b) Home leave to which I shall be entitled.
- (c) 1 day for each month of resident service.
- (d) The two months on the home leave (15 days)..

carries me to the 10th January 1915 on which date I complete 14 years' service including leave.-

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L.S.P.

27 Jan 1912

Sir

I am the to ack. the
recd of your letter to 15
of the 21st of Dec. on the
subject of your attachment
from this post service.

DRAFT.

the Agent General in India
for the British Possessions
in East Africa

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- Mr. A.S.B. 20/1
- Mr. Butler 26
- Mr. Fiddes 20/1
- Sir H. Just
- Sir J. Anderson.
- Lord Emmott
- Mr. Harcourt

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how you ^{calculate the days of service}
~~of that sort, as the date~~
~~should if you return you~~
will have, when you have then
be able to
doubt you, (complete 14

years of post. service for
purpose of pension.
~~to complete 14 years of service, it~~
would appear necessary that
you should remain in the
at least until the
of June in that day
you will have complete
date of 29

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Copy for Sir 27 Jan

~~24~~ number of residential
 service in India, and his
 presence to be settled to 144 days
 leave, including vacation
 leave leave, a, adding 15
 days for the month, 149
 days in all. This would

carry your leave up to
 the 5th of January 1913. In
 view of your length of service,
 to be granted leave, if necessary,
 to forward to extend your
 leave into full pay for the
 remaining ten days ^{50 or} ~~become~~

carry your leave up to

the 5th of January 1913, or the same
 result would be secured by your remaining at your
 3. Note your, however, post for six days after the
29th of June

to the exact date of your
 quitting your post,
~~it will~~ ^{enquire of}
 necessary to ~~ascertain~~ ^{ascertain} the

former of the last has
 been your service can
 be found. A despatch
 is being addressed to
 Sir P. G. G. on the subject
 by his mail, and on the
 receipt of his reply a
 further letter will be
~~sent~~ ^{sent} addressed to you.

As to the ~~the~~ question
 of your special annual
 leave, I am to refer to
 the letter from his office
 of the 11th of Dec.

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27 Jan 1912

(In copy/33152)

See Site reference to my
desp. No 825 of the 26th of
Oct, I have the honour

ms. 10341

to transmit to you, for
your examn, the accompanying
copy of corr. with the

Agent General in India for
the British Provs in East
Africa in the subject of
his attestation from the
prot. service

I shall be glad to
hear how soon you
consider that his services
can be spared,
and to be informed generally
as to the present position

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of the ~~proposed~~ ~~arrangements~~
* the proposed abolition of
* the Boundary Agency

I gather from the continuance
of the promise for the Agency
in the draft B.C. for next
financial year that you
do not think that it
will be possible to introduce
the new arrangements before
the 1st of April next