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declines

Mr. H. H. Hurd

It was - in paper at any rate -
me of the best men you had
got for us.

Will you please find another
Candidate? Acad

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Mr. Harcourt

In place of Mr

Haswell, I submit

Mr. H. E. Welby (23527/11) 267

single. Educated at Eton & Corpus Oxford
4th in History. His Dean of Grundy though

How to Sept 6
To be by two Dept. in 27/7/11

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3908 (Willy)

acquainted professionally almost too
well with Mr. Welby, speaks well of
him. ^{Mr. Welby} has subsequently been for some
years in Mexico in various capacities
has had to supervise large bodies
of men. Made a good impression.

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SUNDERLAND.

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Wed, Sept 6, 1911

Sir,

I have received the telegram of the 4th inst, and also the confirmatory letter of the 5th inst re appointment as Assistant District Commissioner in British

East Africa

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I regret to say that I
am at present unable
to accept this offer,

but I shall be glad
to have my name placed
upon the select list so
that at any future time
I can without further
application have a
chance of a like post.

Your obedient servant,

P. H. St. John

The Under Secretary of State
Colonial Office