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(Subject.)

Officers in this theatre

London add'l Second Officer in excess
of establishment for current year
Ditto to know who 4th 2nd officers
are considered necessary for 1907-8

(Minute.)

In reply

So far as good without going into the
question of the first thing to do is to
fill up the staff as a whole.

At School called this morning & said
is cannot go unless he could take his wife.
He appears to have mentioned this to the
Private Secretary. After consulting Col.
Gilder I said that Kinnear was not
willing to perform unless a staff officer
was an accommodation. He will probably
withhold.

This is in the minutes of a Staff Officer
Gilder's minute on 5577 does not appear to
have been acted on, and I believe you
have been sent to P.S. a name to be
possible candidate of whom Col. Gilder
knows.

?? Colonel's secretary
GCA
2/12
Mr. Dunnington
Mr. Stearn

try to get 2 officers as soon as possible we may lose a thousand pounds through inability to run the new steamer if they are delayed a month. This is a pity Mr. Scheidt was not appointed earlier of the necessities of life in the garden.

W. S. P.
at once

Africa Dept

hoped ^{steps} taken to find an officer for the certain vacancy, & another in case Scheidt refuses. Please let us know definitely as to Scheidt as soon as possible

End

See telegraph with ref to 557 saying that 2 officers will be appointed as soon as possible but that the contract is not yet made.

As regards the 2 Second Officers for 1878 according to the ref statement there will be 4 of each rank, & it is in our hands for the Cape route & company.

W. S. P.
at once

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TREASURY CHAMBERS,

3119
07.

20 February 1907.

Sir,

In reply to Mr. Antrobus's letter of the 15th instant (5597/1907), I am to request you to inform the Earl of Elgin that the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury sanction an immediate addition to the establishment of officers for the Lake Steamers in connection with the Uganda Railway of one second officer in excess of the authorised establishment for the current year, thus raising the cadre to :

- Commanders 3)
- Chief Officers 3) 9
- Second Officers 3)

The Secretary of State will doubtless explain in connection with the Estimates for British East Africa why (as it would appear) four Second Officers in all are considered necessary for 1907-8.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Under Secretary of State,
Colonial Office.

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Tel

22 February

London

Referring to your telegram

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MINUTE.

Mr. Bottomley 72/2

Mr. Reid

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Mr. Antroub

Mr. Cox

Mr. Lucas

Mr. Graham

Sir H. Osmundson

Mr. Chamberlain

The Earl of Hly

Second Officers

will be set out

as soon as possible but

they cannot arrive

Sept
1894
5:20 pm
22/2/14

for more specimens
minute, but there are
two places (with
skeletons) etc etc

Allyfle March 15
300/2/2 interstate

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Mr. Anstons

For the vacancy for a 2nd Officer in the E.A.P. (Uganda Ry) steamer service on Lake Victoria I suggest Lieut. H. J. Turnbull RNR, Extra Master, who seems to be an excellent candidate.

Most of his Admiralty report is V.G.1 and two reliable referees have replied very favourably. I have seen him & he made a decidedly good impression. He is willing to leave at very short notice. He is 30 1/2 years of age.

(100)

W. J. B. S.

4/7 Feb 23

S.A. Dept.

I have told Mr. Turnbull that subject to medical exam etc. he will shortly be offered engagement & that he should be ready to leave England.

I have sent him etc. to Mr. P. Manson.

End

W. J. B. S.

The result of the conversation privately.

W. J. B. S.

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Very Truly
6355



Very Truly

February 1907

Gentlemen,

DRAFT.

Crown Agents

MINUTE.

- Mr. Secretary 28/2
- Mr. Read 27/2/07
- Mr. Astor
- Mr. Cox
- Mr. Lucas
- Mr. Graham
- Sir M. O'Malley
- Mr. Churchill
- The Earl of Elgin

For Crown

I am directed by the
 Earl of Elgin to inform you
 that he approves of your
 entering into an agreement
 with Lieut. Henry James
 Turnbull, R.A.R., whose
 address is 55 Bernwood
 Street, Russell Square,
 W.C., for three years
 service as a record officer
 in the War Office, during
 which service or before
 Victoria at a salary of
 £2400 a year. The agree-
 ment should be on the same
 terms as in previous cases.
 2. Lieut. Turnbull has
 been directed to present
 himself for medical