

TELEGRAPH	
NO. 5	

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1905

2 Oct

(Subject)

Chief Officer,
Lake Seaway

My tel. 162 says rocks when Chief Officer may
be collected as well as sand once

(Minutes.)

Mr. Repell How is this matter progress-
ing 1905 6/10

Mrs. Ellis

I have sounded a Lt. England
but he hasn't get my letter till
Monday (so his father informs me).
I have asked him to telegraph on
Monday whether we wish to be
considered or not for the

vacancy

CR 7/10

T.O

Mr. Autobus

We have "sounded" the
bulk of our Marine Candidates for
this vacancy but as is usually the
case the majority turn out not to
be available. Of those who wish
to be considered there are two
between whom I don't think there
is much to choose.

To
The H. M. S. go to Mr. A. Robinson
and enclose this letter, etc.

- 1) Lieut Young R.N.R. 6008/5 age 27, single, acting sub Lieut in the
R.N.R.; Extra Master's Certificate
from the B. of T. Now employed by
the Union Castle line. He made a
fair personal impression and is
recommended by Sir E. Reed* who
knows him and his family and
says he feels absolutely certain
that he would give entire satisfaction.

- 2) Lieut Lang R.N.R. 35872/4 age 30,
single; He is a Lieut but only
has the ordinary master's certificate
from the R. N. Torpedo and Gunnery
certificates. He made an excellent
impression on Mr. Marsh and Capt.
Child saw the papers and
thought him a good candidate.
He is now at Gibraltar but wishes to
be considered. Ch 24/10.

Having referred to what Sir E. Reed
says, I think that Young ought to be chosen.
Ald. Oct. 26 at once.

P.S. If
8th



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Telegram. Deputy Commissioner Jackson to Mr Lyttelton.

(Received Colonial Office 6.48 p.m. 5th October 1905).

No. 196.

My telegram, No. 183. Manager asks when Chief Officer may be expected as Weller leaving at once.

