

DOMESTIC

EAST AFR. PROT.

N<sup>o.</sup> 26617

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R: 22 JUL 08

(Subject.)

Officer Individual

Mr. J. H. G.

1908

21 July

Last previous Paper

20/1908

Compassionate Gravity

Request form to enable her to apply

Final Dept

(Minutes.)

H. J. R.

24/7

Mr. Harris

As Mr. Fisher was covered for his M.M.  
 nothing has not a strong car but  
 will be some

~~1/2~~

July 27

Mr. Fisher had 3 years service & has salary of £250 a year

Not a strong car - conduct in one  
 after - left for car

alone

C.A.H.

27/7

T.O.

W Macnaghten

Mrs. Roche has now returned the farm, but  
as she is only 36, has no children, has still £300  
of the insurance money left, & as her husband died  
only 2 years ago, it will be some while  
before she has to make out to the President. But it really  
makes for the East African Mission better than  
for the funeral debt.

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Aug 11

Mr Read

I agree in the above.

T.C.M

N. Antonio say that the S. 12/8 has already enlisted  
but express regret that it is not one in which  
he would feel justified in authorizing a  
special fund?

His husband has not appeared & have  
been exposed to many special domestic  
visits. He had 7 previous & last  
failure

S.D.R

12/8

C.P.d. 12

at once

W. Macnaghten

Mrs Foster has now returned the farm, but as she is only 36, has no children, has still £300 of the insurance money left, & as her husband has only 2 years service, it hardly seems worth while sending out to the solicitors. That is really a sum for the East African Mission rather than for the funeral debt.

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Aug 11

Mr Read

I agree in the above -

T.C.M. 12/8

W. Antobles say their S. J. has entirely endorsed our <sup>but</sup> ~~desire~~ request that it be sent me in which he would feel justified in authorizing a special fund.

Her husband has not appeared & has been exposed to many special charitable risks. He died of pneumonia & heart failure.

S.D.R.

12/8  
C.P.D. 12

at once

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TELEGRAMS: MARSHAL, EAST AFRICA, LTD.  
Telephone No. 1844 GENEVA.

HOTEL YORK,

BERNERS STREET

LONDON, July 21, 1908.

To The Under Secretary of State for  
the Colonies.

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Sir.

RECD

Re 22 JUL 08

I have the honour to  
request that you will kindly  
forward to me an application  
form for a gratuity to a  
widow of an officer of the  
East Africa Protectorate.

I request that a gratuity  
may be granted her as  
my late husband Dr. C. J.  
Fisher of the Native Dept.  
East Africa Protectorate died

in April last & left me without  
any income. The only asset  
being £5.00 per week allowed  
his life was restored.

I have no Father or Mother  
living, nor can I expect  
help from my late husband's  
father who has a large  
family. I should be obliged  
if you would address any  
communicative on this  
subject to me - Gp H. J.  
Walton, Esq. "Sonshgate" Harborne  
W. Birmingham.

I am Your faithfully  
Eliza Fisher

**TROPICAL AFRICAN COLONIES AND PROTECTORATES.**

10 AUG 1908  
COLONIAL OFFICE

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**Form to be completed by distressed relatives of deceased officers who are applicants for relief from public funds.**

**NOTE.—** Relatives of deceased Colonial Officers are not entitled to any relief from public funds, but in cases of destitution, and where there are no relatives able to afford help, a small compassionate gratuity is occasionally, if the circumstances warrant it, allowed. The amount of such gratuity will not in any case exceed six months' salary of the deceased Officer.

**STATEMENT** by:

(1) Name of (2) Eliza Fischer (3) London

Applicant  
2. Relation  
of applicant  
to deceased  
Officer

3. Appoint-  
ment and  
name of  
deceased  
Officer

of the late Charles Jeremiah Fischer, Native Affairs

Colonial Service

**I. Present means of support.**

Where the applicant has other persons dependent on him or her the means of support possessed by these persons should be included.

Amount of policies of insurance on the life of the late Officer £ 0 00

Value of land or house property £ none

Amount of property in Stocks, shares, &c. £ none

Amount of annuities or pensions £ none

Amount allowed to applicant by relatives, friends, &c. £ none

Personal earnings £ none

5. The  
value of each  
item of  
property or  
income not  
above  
stated.

Value of other property or income not above described £ none

Total £ 0 00

**II. Allowance, if any, made by the deceased Officer to applicant and to persons herein named as dependent on applicant**

CERTIFICATES TO BE SIGNED BY TWO HOUSEHOLDERS  
ONE AT LEAST OF WHOM MUST POSSESS ONE OF THE  
QUALIFICATIONS SPECIFIED BELOW.

III. Date of birth July 24, 1944

**IV. Persons dependent on applicant for their subsistence**

Years of birth, death, and emigration  
and date of first residence in the United States.

V. Other particulars which it is desired to give

\$200.00 has been taken from the insurance money  
to pay all expenses & transportation in East Africa  
+ passage home amounting \$300.

I solemnly and sincerely declare that the foregoing is a true statement  
in regard to myself and the persons named as being dependent on me, and that  
I have no relatives who are able to give me the amount above I request.

## Our Friend

*Signature of the Applicant*

20 May 1910 from Mr. Southgate

Hastings & Birmingham

### Address

Note. When the distressed relatives are minors, application may be made by their guardian on their behalf.

CERTIFICATES TO BE SIGNED BY TWO HOUSEHOLDERS  
ONE AT LEAST OF WHOM MUST POSSESS ONE OF THE  
QUALIFICATIONS SPECIFIED BELOW.

I certify that I have read the statement hereto attached and believe the same to be correct, and that I believe the applicant to be in every respect deserving of relief from public funds as a distressed relative of a deceased Colonial Officer.

Signature. *Samuel C. L.*

Qualification late 12th Lancs.

Full Postal Address Ardila Shlobster Road  
Kingston Co Dublin

August 5<sup>th</sup> 1908

I certify that I have read the statement hereto attached and believe the same to be correct, and that I believe the applicant to be in every respect deserving of relief from public funds as a distressed relative of a deceased Colonial Officer.

Signature *K. Q. Stinson*

Qualification Physician & Surgeon

Full Postal address } Belvedere Avenue Road

Harbor

Birmingham

Date: August 7, 1908

\* The above Certificates may be signed by:

IN THE UNITED KINGDOM

- THE UNITED KINGDOM.

  1. Justices of the Peace.
  2. Notaries Public.
  3. Ministers of religion acting and resident within the town or district where they affect  
Commissioners appointed to administer oaths.
  4. Bankers whose names have been referred to the Commissioners of inland Revenue.
  5. Managers of banks and branch banks.
  6. Persons registered under the Medical Act.
  7. Officers of His Majesty's Naval or Military Services.
  8. Head Postmaster.
  9. Member of the Police Force of any above the rank of Sergeant.

IN THE COLONIES

Any of the principal officers of the Government, Justices of the Peace, Notaries Public, or Ministers of Religion acting or resident in the town or district where these affect.

ABROAD.

**British Consuls, Vice-Consuls, Chaplains, or Notaries Public.**

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DRAFT

Mrs. Fether

Madam

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July 1905

*MS.*  
MINUTE 17

Mr. Gwydir Esq.

Mr. Henn Esq.

Mr. Jule.

Mr. Antrobus.

X Mr. Cox. 35

Sir C. Lucas.

Sir F. Hopwood.

Mr. Sely.

The Earl of Cromer.

I am directed by the Earl of Cromer to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 21st instant, and to transmit to you a form which will enable you to apply for a gratuity in from the funds of the Royal Patriotic Fund.

After Protection should come into being, a warrant of £1000 will be issued to the Earl of Cromer, and he will be entitled to draw upon it at any time for any sum he may require. It will be his duty to pay over to the Earl of Cromer the amount of the gratuity, and to remit the balance to the Royal Patriotic Fund.

C. D.  
R. 14  
D. 17

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Mrs Fischer.

May

18 Aug 08

Madam,

I am etc. to inform you that he has carefully considered your application for a gratuity in consideration of the services of your late husband in the <sup>Marine</sup> R.A. Prot., but regrets that your case is not one in which he would feel justified in authorising a special grant from the funds of the Prot.

J. L.

ASB