

## (2) WAR SERVICE.

For the present no candidate will be considered by the Secretary of State for the Colonies for appointments at his disposal who has not—if of suitable age—served in some branch of His Majesty's Forces during the late War, unless his reasons for not doing so are considered entirely satisfactory by the Secretary of State.

## PART I.

## GENERAL.

The appointments at the disposal of the Secretary of State for the Colonies are confined to those Colonies and countries which are administered under his directions.

They may be classified generally as follows:—

(a) *Tropical Africa*, comprising—

On the east side of Africa: The Kenya Colony and Protectorate (late East Africa Protectorate), Nyasaland Protectorate, Tanganyika Territory (late German East Africa), Uganda Protectorate, Somaliland Protectorate, and Zanzibar Protectorate.

On the west side: Nigeria, the Gold Coast, Sierra Leone and the Gambia.

(b) *Eastern Colonies and Protectorates*, e.g., Ceylon, Hong Kong, the Straits Settlements, the Malay States, Weihaiwei.(c) *The West Indian Colonies*, e.g., Jamaica, Bahamas, Barbados, Windward Islands, Leeward Islands, Trinidad, &c., together with British Guiana and British Honduras.

## (d) Fiji and other islands in the Pacific.

## (e) Cyprus, Gibraltar and Malta, in the Mediterranean.

## (f) Various islands, e.g., Mauritius, Seychelles, Bermuda, Falkland Islands, and St. Helena.

(g) *Mesopotamia, Palestine and Aden*—

Arrangements are under contemplation for recruiting officers for service in these places by the Colonial Office, and candidates for appointment should apply to the Assistant Private Secretary (Appointments), stating