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#### PART I

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#### PRISONS DEPARTMENT

I.—STAFF.

The authorized establishment of European Staff for the European the year was nineteen—the same as for the previous year.

2. As a measure of economy the post of Assistant Commissioner was left in abeyance for the whole year. The duties of Assistant Commissioner were carried out by an Assistant Superintendent seconded to Headquarters.

3. One Chief Officer, Mr. J. A. Foot, was promoted to Assistant Superintendent and one post of Superintendent remained vacant during the year.

4. The Commissioner of Prisons proceeded on vacation leave on 12th May, and returned on 16th November; during his absence Mr. M. Dards, Senior Superintendent of Prisons, acted as Commissioner.

5. The Superintendents of the three first-class prisons throughout the year were as follows :---

Nairobi : Mr. B. B. Donald, 1-1-34 to 19-11-34; Mr. M. Dards, 20-11-34 to 31-12-34.

Kisumu : Mr. M. Dards, 1-1-34 to 30-4-34; Mr. J. H. Rogers, 1-5-34 to 31-12-34.

Mombasa : Mr. A. H. Marshall, 1-1-34 to 31-12-34.

6. The establishment of the Asian Staff of the Depart- Asian staff. ment was reduced by one Master Tailor.

7. The African establishment of the Department for the African staff. year was :---

Chief Warders			•••	5
Sergeant Warders	•••	•••	•••	10
Corporal Warders	•••	•••	•••	45
Lance Corporal Ward	lers			80
Warders		••• ·	•••	255
Recruits		,		40
Female Warders	•••	•••	•••	4
African Schoolmaster		•••	•••	1

Eighty-two recruits were enlisted for training at the depot. Of the latter one recruit was dismissed for misconduct.

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