



## Greetings from Lincolnshire

After several wet but excellent days in Fort William, I'm back home. As always, a pleasure to receive the Nypol email and read the new items on the website. Meanwhile, as both organiser, participant and attendee at various 1940s/50s/60s 'living history' and 'vintage' events, I'm currently 'work in progress' on a Nyasaland Police version of the attached KenPol replica for the 2025 events season so my lovely partner Ania and I can cut a dash and show something both a little different and of course it's a great chance to inform/educate others. Buttons are extremely difficult to find, I've finally

tracked down a pair of collar badges in South Africa and a cap badge, minus its tongue, which a deft friend with a soldering iron is currently repairing. Let's hope I can find a tan somewhere too! Seriously though, the galleries on the website are an absolute goldmine of information and a huge help with this project!

Best wishes,

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**Note:** *Simon is a retired Lincolnshire Police Inspector having previously served in the Met and RMP . Although he has had no colonial police service he has acquired a historical interest of policing Africa.*