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Governor  
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**ENEMY SUBJECTS**

**1915**

26th March

Sends statements of names including those resident in Uganda. All enemy subjects except those in Statement A have been arrested and sent to India for internment. Statement B gives names naturalised British subjects of enemy birth whose loyalty there is reason to doubt.

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(Pursuant to order of the Secy of State)

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General Dept.

H. J. R.  
25/5/15

Mr Macnaghten

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These papers to be dealt with  
the other despatches in this bundle.

(Delayed this  
for a few days).

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GOVERNMENT HOUSE, 22 MAY 15  
 NAIROBI.  
 BRITISH EAST AFRICA.

EAST AFRICA PROTECTORATE

SECRET.

26th March 1915.

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Secret Circular despatch of 1st December 1914, relating to the disposal of enemy subjects resident in this Protectorate, and to inform you that I have only now been furnished by the Military authorities with the detailed information required to enable me to reply thereto.

2. The names of persons of enemy birth resident in the Uganda Protectorate are included in the statements which form enclosures to this despatch as such persons are under the supervision of the same Military authority as those resident in the East Africa Protectorate.

3. All enemy subjects have been arrested and sent to India for internment with the exception of those mentioned in Statement A.

4. In accordance with para. 3 of your despatch, a separate statement, B, is attached to show naturalised British subjects of enemy birth whose loyalty there is no reason to doubt.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

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THE RIGHT HONOURABLE  
 LEWIS HARCOURT, M.P.,  
 SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES,  
 DOWNING STREET,  
 LONDON, S.W.

*H. Conway* Secy. Genl.

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*A. Conway* Required.

GOVERNOR.

## ENCLOSURES

In Detachment *Proceedings of 2nd June 1915.*

## STATEMENT A.

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22 MAY 15

Enemy subjects resident in East Africa Protectorate  
and Uganda who have not been interned.

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EAST AFRICA PROTECTORATE.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Nationality</u>	<u>Remarks</u>
Rudolf Franz Mayer	Nairobi	German	*On bond £1,000
Frieda Schulze	Nairobi	Born of German parents in Cape Colony.	*On bond £1,000
Federic Wilhelm Kilger	Nairobi	German	No bond. Specially exempted by Major General Aitken as a J.P. of the Protector- ate.
Bertrude Schmit	Nairobi	German	No bond. Living with H. Collinge, Mechanical Transport Dept., as his wife.
Miss Charles Hoyer	Nairobi	German	No bond. A Russian by birth. Married Charles Hoyer, who for some time past endeavoured to become naturalised, believing him to be a British subject. Has been living apart from her husband for some years-by mutual arrange- ment.

\*The Commissioner of Police being satisfied that these persons  
are harmless, they were released on bond by the G.O.C.

UGANDA PROTECTORATE.

Brother Herman	Katende	German	Released on parole by order of the Governor of Uganda and are confined to their stations. It is understood that full particulars have already been sent to the Secret- ary of State. The G.O.C. will enquire into each case when he visits Uganda and act accordingly.
" Crepin	Kisubi	"	
" Silvestre	"	"	
Father T. Utz	Budini	Austrian	The Mother Superior Tofo
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(P.C.S.)

UGANDA PROTECTORATE (CONTD.)

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Nationality</u>	<u>Remarks</u>
Simon Tanti	Gulu	Austrian	
Wittenberger	Hoima	"	

STATEMENT B.

British subjects of enemy birth resident in East  
Africa Protectorate whose loyalty is doubtful.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Nationality</u>	<u>Remarks</u>
A. Bessler	Survey Dept., Nairobi.	German	Is a naturalised British subject. There is no concrete evidence against him. He was friendly with all enemy subjects resident in East Africa and is looking after the property of some during their enforced absence. Is closely watched and all correspondence censored.
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