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Assaults by natives on white women and children

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Mr. Stokely

Sir J. P. B. -

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Secretary of State.

7 A. 11/25

Judges' petition signed by 1500 Europeans, and although offences have been few considered legislation desirable. Submits a Bill cited 'The Criminal Law Amendment Ordinance, 1924.'

Previous Paper

MINUTES

The collection of papers has taken some time. Minute within.

JWA

1/4/25

44026/24 should be read as indicating the last ^{substance} ~~substance~~ of feeling on this subject. In a scattered community the matter is certain to come up at intervals - usually as a result of a particularly distressing case, & it is impossible to avoid sympathy with the ~~people~~ ^{people} who have been in such cases and their sympathies.

I have not gone through all the

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Subsequent Paper

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the suggestion, but they cannot be
cut off as those of hysterical persons
or persons with South African traditions.
But it would be difficult for any one to
refuse to give a hearing on this subject.

I agree with Mr. Allen, but I
would not resist the proposed stiffening
of the penalties for crimes of sexual
violence provided that they do not
involve race discrimination, if the
O.A. and the Soc. Co. in course regard
it as necessary.

W.C.S. 11/4/55

Sir J. Risley -

I do not agree with the views expressed in the typed
minute. It is unnecessary to discuss the proposals in the petition, as
they have not been adopted in the Bill.

The penalties proposed in the Bill are maximum penalties - My
only objection to the Bill is the race discrimination, which however
exists to some extent in the existing law. See minute on 1938/11

Could we not hedge this difficulty by increasing the penalties
under 63 of the law, making no reference toatives of "white
women"; and leaving it to the Court to give the higher, or
sphere, penalty when that considers such a course
desirable?

C.S.
15.4.55

Mr. Strachey

If the penalties are to be increased at all, the
non-discriminative course which you suggest

would appear to be preferable. Except on the case
of the Field Officer (see 37/10/54) I doubt whether
an increase could be satisfactorily defended.

In the just law rape is a felony punishable with penal
servitude for life or not less than 2 years, or alternatively
with imprisonment with or without hard labour for
not more than 2 years, and no reasonable objection
could I think be taken to increasing the penalty
in Kenya from 14 years to life sentence in the
case of both natives and non-natives.

The offence dealt with in ssec 354 and 354a stand
on a different footing. In Sec. 354 the former w/
stroke, fall within the class of assaults with intent
to commit a felony, and the latter is indecent assault.
Both are misdemeanours carrying a maximum
punishment of 2 years imprisonment with or without
hard labour.

However ssec 354 of the Indian Code which is the
equivalent of Kenya ssec 354a, provides for same
penalty as the just law.

I cannot find the precise equivalent in the Indian
Code of Kenya ssec 354, but it appears from the
reference in 22820/52 to be founded on S. African
legislation, and the more punishments provided
by the Kenya law for these 2 offences are no
doubt due to "Black Peril" conditions potential
in East, as in South Africa.

Other was proposed to increase to 2 years to 14 (see 356)
and 7 years to 10 (see 354a) and as already
indicated, I question whether such increases
are justified by the facts now laid before the
J.P.S.

If they are not made it would be expedient
to leave ssec 4(3) of the Ordinance alone also.
I may, however point out that such a provision
as ssec 4(3) covers some cases which did come
before under the Criminal Law Amendment Act
1885 in which consent is immaterial,
and so under that Act if the girl is
under 13 the penalty is the same as

(1)

(2) (3)

7 see respectfully,

(but the enclosed report is
temporarily water)

(4)

W. B. Bentley

to rape should somewhere for life etc - wide subject there
is to some prohibition for making the maximum
penalty under Sec 4 (1) more than 5 years.

But on the whole - whether is decided on Sec 4 (1) -
not attempt to amend this isolated provision [Sec 4 (1)]
with the big bit of the Crime Law but Act unless
it can be put down as desirable to introduce a general
amendment on the lines of that Act of my
minutes on 19/2/13

JJA

7/4/13

There remains the end am still inclined to
press my suggestion. Sir J. Risley agrees to the principle - is
that it is quite superfluous, and needless provocation of criticism,
to introduce anything discriminating in the law proper as the first
of the four amendments are concerned -
as regards the second third, fourth has already cut itself loose from the
English law, and I do not see any serious objection to the
maximum penalties being put at 14 + 10 years instead of
10 + 7.
As regards the 4th amendment I gather that Sir J. Risley does not
really object to it unless the increases (amendments 2 & 3) are
not made.

This does not appear
to have been considered
I expect that local government
are responsible.

See copy of law
draft under proposed
amendments.

C.B.

8.6.14

I feel some doubt about touching the law at all - we
are not prepared to put in the death penalty & I
doubt whether increases in the already stiff penalties
will have any real effect. The first increase, viz
imprisonment for life for rape, is defensible on the
analogy of the English law: the others may be defensible as
a matter of local opinion, though I am sceptical of
their value. I have no great objection to the suggested
suggestion or the suggestion made for Debaron - be responsible
the opinion here

H2 11/6/15

Draft for Carson as proposed at conference
12.6.25

also 19308/13

The provisions of the Principal Ordinance
were exhaustively considered on 22820/13 when
a proposal to impose a death penalty for rape
(irrespective of race) was not allowed.

In 1920 a Committee found that sexual
offences were not on the increase and that
existing penalties were a sufficient deterrent.
These views were based on the fact that in the
six years 1914 - 20 there was no case of rape
and only nine other convictions, - in the four
years since then there have been no cases of
rape but four other convictions - a relative
decrease.

On the reasoning of the 1920 Committee
there is therefore no case for severer penalties.

The petition to the Governor is ill
considered and intemperate: ill considered
because it demands the death penalty for
attempted rape and lesser sexual offences when
obviously, if imposed, the penalty would be
limited to actual rape. It is intemperate
because of the reference to lynch law and the
description of 24 lashes as a few!

The despatch puts aside the petitioner's
request for the death penalty without remark;
but proposes to increase the maximum imprison-
ment penalties in the case of native offences
against white women as follows:-

	At present.	Proposed.
Rape.	14 years.	Life.
Attempted rape.	10 years.	14 years.

petition merely say that
the law is straightforward and
replicable incidents are bound
to occur. This may or may not be
a proof of intemperance -

At present. Proposed.

Criminal Assault	7 years	10 years
Unlawful carnal knowledge, etc., with consent	5 years	7 years.

No case has been shown for severer penalties, and except for the petition I doubt if these proposals would ever have been made. The increased sentences are unlikely to be any additional deterrent, and are probably useless even as a sop to local opinion, which will probably regard them as quite inadequate. In addition, they introduce discrimination between Africans and Europeans and Indians in matters (i.e., rape and criminal assaults) in which such discrimination is quite unjustifiable; and it is not at all clear why the clauses relating to voluntary connection between white women and natives should be dragged in at all - still less why the punishment of the native should alone be increased in such cases.

? Reply that it does not appear to the Secretary of State that the cases which have occurred since the Committee reported in July 1920 after the conclusion of the Committee that such cases are not on the increase and that the existing penalties are a sufficient deterrent: that in the circumstances and in the absence of any considered statement from the Colonial Government of the grounds on which it is held that the increased penalties are held to be justified or likely to be effective, the Secretary of State is not prepared to authorise the introduction of the draft Bill and could not in any case agree to the contemplated racial discrimination in regard to offences under Sections 354 and 376 of the Code, since he considers that any increased penalties should, like the existing penalties

penalties, apply equally to all such offences against women and children, European or native, whether committed by Europeans, Indians or Africans: say also that the Secretary of State does not understand why it has been thought necessary to deal also with offences under Clause 4 of Ordinance 7 of 1913, which are in quite a different category, and considers that the proposed discrimination between the parties to such offences is equally open to objection: say that although the Secretary of State is not convinced that any case has yet been made out for revising the conclusions of the Committee which reported in July 1920, any evidence that sexual offences are increasing and becoming a serious danger should be brought to his notice, when he would be prepared to consider the adoption of stringent measures to deal with the evil: add that while he regards the safeguarding of women and children, whether European or native, as one of the primary duties of the Government ^{of any self-respecting} ~~and~~ community, he would have been unable, had the petition been addressed to him, to refrain from expressing his regret that the petitioners should have thought fit to refer to the possibility of resort to ^{unlawful methods} ~~unlawful methods~~, since it is obvious that it would be wholly improper if the administration of justice were influenced by such considerations.

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GOVERNMENT HOUSE
NAIROBI,
KENYA

19th February, 1925.

Sir,

I have the honour to transmit for your consideration a copy of a petition which has been signed by approximately 1,500 Europeans resident in this Colony among whom appear the names of all the Executive of the Convention of Associations and of all but one of the elected members of Legislative Council.

Petition.

2. In July 1920 a Select Committee of Legislative Council submitted a report of which I enclose a copy, on the question of the apparent prevalence of assaults by natives on white women and children. This report was adopted by Council on July 26th, 1920. Since that date there have been no convictions for rape but four convictions for sexual offences by natives against European children. The most recent cases which prompted the preparation of the petition enclosed herewith, were briefly as follows:-

Report.

(a). A native was convicted of attempted rape on a European girl aged about ten years at Nakuru and sentenced to ten years imprisonment and twenty four lashes.

(b)

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE

LIEUTENANT COLONEL L. C. M. S. AMERY, P.C., M.P.,

SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES,

DOWNING STREET,

LONDON, S. W.

(b). A native was convicted of attempted rape on a European child at Sabatia and was sentenced to ten years Imprisonment and twenty four lashes.

(c). A native was convicted of outraging the modesty of a woman - a girl of 18 years of age and sentenced to five years Imprisonment.

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3. I am advised that in St. Lucia (cf. Mr. Thomas's despatch Kenya No.573 of June 5th, 1924) the maximum penalty for rape and for carnal knowledge of a girl under 13 years of age is imprisonment for life: while in South Africa, Canada and Australia the maximum penalty for rape is death.

4. The petition was considered by Sir Robert Coryndon in Executive Council who advised the drafting of the Bill which I am transmitting with this despatch.

Sir Robert Coryndon considered that the introduction of this Bill into Legislative Council is desirable - I will await your observations before taking further action.

Bill

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient, humble servant,

ACTING GOVERNOR.

REPORT OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON SEXUAL ASSAULTS
OF NATIVES UPON EUROPEANS.

YOUR EXCELLENCY,

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I have the honour to submit the Report of the Select Committee of the Legislative Council appointed to inquire into the question of the apparent prevalence of assaults by Natives on White Children.

The names of the Honourable Members appointed to form the Committee are—

- THE HON. THE CHIEF NATIVE COMMISSIONER.
- THE HON. THE PRINCIPAL MEDICAL OFFICER.
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- THE HON. MR. H. W. E. BLACKALL (Chairman).

The Committee held four meetings and, also paid a visit to the Nairobi Prison.

It was decided at a Preliminary Meeting that the Hon. the Chief Native Commissioner should obtain information from the various Provincial and District Commissioners as to Native Law and Custom on the question of sexual offences and inquire whether any cases of such offences on White children by natives had come to their knowledge. It was also decided that the Hon. the Principal Medical Officer should address a circular to all Medical Practitioners in the Protectorate asking them whether any such cases had come to their notice and informing them that names in such cases need not be given. The Hon. the Commissioner of Police was requested to compile a report of all cases reported to the Police and the Chairman to procure Court files of all cases tried by the High Court since 1914.

Finally, at the outset of its deliberations the Committee was approached by the East Africa Women's League who kindly offered to collect evidence about the cases which have not been brought to the notice of the Police. This offer was readily accepted by the Committee who feel under an obligation for the trouble the ladies concerned have taken in the matter. The result of their inquiries, however, has been somewhat meagre as they have informed the Committee that they have only heard of three cases which have not come into Court and in two of these the mothers have gone home with the children while in the third the mother refused to come forward and consequently the Committee has been unable to arrive at any definite conclusions with regard to them.

In addition to the inquiries instituted by the Women's League the Chairman of the Committee addressed a letter to the Press asking persons who might be in a position to give any information to appear before the Committee and suggesting that should any such persons feel reluctance in giving evidence before the whole Committee they should communicate their information to the Hon. the Principal Medical Officer who would treat it as strictly confidential but somewhat to the Committee's surprise no members of the public availed themselves of this invitation.

As above mentioned the Committee paid a visit to the Nairobi Prison for the purpose of inspecting natives convicted of sexual offences and also inspected juvenile offenders from the Kabete Reformatory. The natives in question did not in general show any signs of abnormality.

As the result of his circular to the District Officers the Hon. the Chief Native Commissioner informed the Committee that sexual assaults by natives on native children are unheard of, and that while such offences upon adult native girls are not unknown, they are extremely rare owing to the prevalence of free love among various tribes.

According to Native Law and Custom adultery and rape would appear to rank together and in all cases are compoundable at the option of the offended parties. On the question of assaults by natives upon White children all returns were received in all cases except two, and as both of these were reported to the Police they will be dealt with under that heading.

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single case however does any Medical Practitioner report the existence, as the result of his examination, of any physical injury apart from the existence of Gonorrhoea, and they were unable to give any information as to the circumstances under which or the person from whom the disease was contracted. It must be borne in mind that owing to the contagious nature of this disease, it can be contracted in many ways apart from that of sexual connection and it is a regrettable fact that native servants in this country are often engaged in a most casual way without any inquiry being made into the state of their health, although it is a well-known fact that venereal disease is greatly on the increase among the native population more especially in towns.

The result of the returns submitted by the Hon. the Commissioner of Police was to show that 16 cases in all have been reported to the Police during the past 10 years. With the exception of 3 which were tried prior to 1914, the remainder 13 were tried by the High Court and will be dealt with later. Of the 3 last mentioned one was a conviction for house-breaking with intent to assault but no actual assault took place. Another was a case of a native taking indecent liberties with a child of five, and the third for indecent exposure of the person to a girl of 15. From inquiries made it transpires that no cases have been reported in Mombasa, Machakos, Nakuru, Uasin Gishu or Kisumu Police Districts.

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Of the 9 cases in which convictions were obtained 2 were assaults on adult women but it is open to doubt in one case whether the motive of the assault was not that of robbery rather than sexual violence and in neither case was any attempt made to have sexual connection. Of the remaining 7 cases one was that of a native who had connection with a girl of 15. The accused was convicted under Section 4 (3) of the Ordinance of 1913, which makes it a crime for a native to have unlawful carnal connection with a white woman under circumstances not amounting to rape. There was no evidence that the accused used violence and the learned Judge appears to have been of the opinion that the girl was a willing party.

This leaves a total of six cases of assaults on white children ranging in age from 2 to 7 years. In two of these cases the accused were adults but in neither was any attempt made by them to have sexual connection with the children. In one instance indeed the crime consisted of the accused instigating a European boy of five years of age to attempt carnal connection with his four year old sister. In the remaining cases 4 in number the accused were boys aged from 10 to 15 years and were in every instance in the employ of the parents of the child assaulted. Three of these cases were actual or attempted assaults and in one of them the unfortunate victim contracted venereal disease. The fact that three of these cases occurred during the present year within a month of one another naturally gave rise to grave apprehension among European parents and led them to believe that this form of crime must be widespread. It should be observed, however, that in two of these cases the learned Judge expressed the opinion that there had been grave negligence on the part of the parents concerned in leaving their female children in the sole charge of totos little older than themselves.

After full consideration of the ascertainable facts and a careful investigation of all reported cases the Committee is satisfied that sexual offences by natives upon European women and children, so far from being prevalent, are quite exceptional in this Protectorate and that there is no reason to think that they are on the increase. Having regard to the fact that during the ten years under review not a single case of rape by an adult native upon a European woman or child has occurred, it would appear that the present penalties are a sufficient deterrent. Such few cases of sexual assaults upon white children as have been proved, have in general been committed by young boys who have been left in charge of small female children. The Committee, therefore, feel it incumbent upon them to warn parents of the grave danger of entrusting little girls to the care of native boys of an age at which sexual instincts are beginning to develop.

In conclusion the Committee is of opinion that the law should be amended so as to allow cases of sexual assaults by natives on Europeans to be tried by a Judge alone as it considers that the presence of native assessors in such cases is both unnecessary and undesirable.

Nairobi,

The 22nd day of July, 1920.

H. W. B. BLACKALL,

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This leaves a total of six cases of assaults on white children ranging in age from 2 to 7 years. In two of these cases the accused were adults but in neither was any attempt made by them to have sexual connection with the children. In one instance indeed the crime consisted of the accused instigating a European boy of five years of age to attempt carnal connection with his four year old sister. In the remaining cases 4 in number the accused were boys aged from 10 to 15 years and were in every instance in the employ of the parents of the child assaulted. Three of these cases were actual or attempted assaults and in one of them the unfortunate victim contracted venereal disease. The fact that three of these cases occurred during the present year within a month of one another naturally gave rise to grave apprehension among European parents and led them to believe that this form of crime must be widespread. It should be observed, however, that in two of these cases the learned Judge expressed the opinion that there had been grave negligence on the part of the parents concerned in leaving their female children in the sole charge of *totos* little older than themselves.

After full consideration of the ascertainable facts and a careful investigation of all reported cases the Committee is satisfied that sexual offences by natives upon European women and children, so far from being prevalent, are quite exceptional in this Protectorate and that there is no reason to think that they are on the increase. Having regard to the fact that during the ten years under review not a single case of rape by an adult native upon a European woman or child has occurred, it would appear that the present penalties are a sufficient deterrent. Such few cases of sexual assaults upon white children as have been proved, have in general been committed by young boys who have been left in charge of small female children. The Committee, therefore, feel it incumbent upon them to warn parents of the grave danger of entrusting little girls to the care of native boys of an age at which sexual instincts are beginning to develop.

In conclusion the Committee is of opinion that the law should be amended so as to allow cases of sexual assaults by natives on Europeans to be tried by a Judge alone as it considers that the presence of native assessors in such cases is both unnecessary and undesirable.

Nairobi,

The 22nd day of July, 1920.

H. W. B. BLACKKILL,

Chairman.

INTITULED

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CRIMINAL LAW AMENDMENT
ORDINANCE, 1913.

ENACTED by the Governor of the Colony of Kenya with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof:-

1. This Ordinance may be cited as "The Criminal Law Amendment Ordinance, 1924," and shall be read as if with The Criminal Law Amendment Ordinance, 1913. hereinafter referred to as "the Principal Ordinance".

2. Section 3 of the Principal Ordinance is amended by the insertion of the following Provisions:-

"Sub-Section (3) (a) after Section 376:-

Provided that where a native commits rape upon a white woman the punishment may extend to imprisonment for life.

"Sub-Section 3 (b) after Section 354:-

Provided that where the attempt to commit rape is made by a native upon a white woman the punishment may extend to fourteen years.

After Section 354 (a):-

Provided that where the assault or use of criminal force is made by a native upon a white woman the punishment may extend to ten years."

3. Section 4 (3) is amended by the deletion of the words "five years" and the substitution thereof of the words "seven years"

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 Mr. J. Shackburgh.
 Mr. O. Davis.
 Mr. G. Grindle.
 Mr. [unclear] 24
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Downing Street,

30 June, 1925.

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KENYA.
 CONFIDENTIAL.
 O.A.G.

I have etc. to ask. the receipt of your Confidential despatch No.19 of the 19th of Feby., forwarding a petition from European residents of the Colony regarding the prevalence of assaults by natives on white women and children, and also transmitting a copy of a Bill to amend The Criminal Law Amendment Ordinance 1913.

2. While I am doubtful whether, on the facts as laid before me there is any real justification for the increase of the penalties provided by *with h. of [unclear] value* the Ordinance of 1913, I am *not* prepared to *strictly* *approve* the increase of such penalties if, on further consideration, you

on further consideration,
you are satisfied that the necessity for
such a course ^{is necessary} exists. I must, however,
make it clear that I deprecate the racial
discrimination which is contemplated by the
terms of the proposed Bill, and I consider
that ^{it is a decided thing that the} ~~the~~ ^{penalties} provided in the
various cases may be increased as suggested,
no reference should be made ^{in the amending Ordinance} to natives or
Europeans as such, but ^{that it is left} ~~should~~ ^{be left} for
the Court in each case to inflict the higher
of extreme penalty, when it considers such a
course desirable.

3. With regard to the detailed
proposals, ^{as advised} ~~I would observe~~ ^{of the Bill, my legal advisers have referred as follows:-}

(a) Section 3(a) of the 1913 Ordinance: I am
advised that in English Law rape is a felony
punishable with penal servitude for life, or
not less than three years, ^{or imprisonment} or alternatively,
with imprisonment with or without hard labour
for not more than two years. In the circum-
stances it does not appear that any reasonable
objection could be taken to increasing the ^{maximum}
penalty in Kenya from 14 years to a life
sentence

sentence in the case of both natives and non-natives.

(b) Subsection 3(b) of the 1913

Ordinance The offences dealt with ^{which are substituted for sec 374} in Sections 354 and 354(a) of the Indian Penal Code as applied to Kenya appear to be on a different footing from that dealt with in Section 376. In English Law offences under Section 354 would fall within the class of assaults with intent to commit a felony, while those under Section 354(a) would amount to indecent assault. Both are misdemeanours carrying a maximum punishment of two years with or without hard labour. The existing law in Kenya upon this point, however, is already at variance with that in this country, and, in the circumstances, while I am doubtful of the necessity for such action, ^(C. de Vries) I do not see ^{serious} any objection to the maximum penalties in these two cases being

being put at 14 years and 10 years
respectively instead of 10 years and
7 years.

(c) Section 4(3) of the 1913 Ordinance:


If it is decided not to make the amendment
referred to in (b) above, no action should
be taken to amend this subsection. In this
connection, however, ^{it should be} ~~I would observe~~ that
a provision such as this subsection covers
some cases which would in this country come
under the Criminal Law Amendment Act 1885,
in which consent is immaterial. Under that
^{if the girl is under 13 years of age}
Act, ~~the penalty is in several cases the same~~
as for rape, and there would accordingly be
some justification for making the maximum
penalty in Kenya under this subsection more
than 5 years. ^{Law} My ~~advisors are~~ disposed to
consider, however, that whatever action is
decided upon as regards Section 3 of the 1913
Ordinance, no attempt should be made to amend
this isolated provision (Section 4(3)) in the
light of the Criminal Law Amendment Act, unless
it is thought desirable to introduce a general
Ordinance

Ordinance on the lines of that Act.

I shall be glad if you
will give the matter your further
consideration in the light of this
despatch.

I have, etc.

(Signed) L. S. AMERY



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I have, etc.

(Signed) L. S. AMERY

PETITION.

To His Excellency the Governor, Sir Robert T. Gonyea, K.C.M.G.

In the recent outrages, committed by natives on European children, the miscreants were guilty of a double crime, and have been awarded the maximum penalty under the Indian Penal Code of ten years hard labour and a few lashes, a penalty entirely inadequate for crimes of such a hideous nature.

Your Petitioners therefore feel that the Indian Penal Code has again proved its failure to ensure that safety to our people, against this horrible menace, to which they are entitled.

Your Petitioners now pray that you will do away with this criminal law, substituting that of South Africa, which can impose the death penalty for such offenses.

Your Petitioners would respectfully impress upon you that these crimes, and the frequent lawlessness by natives towards European women, are on the increase, and that unless the Government adopts drastic measures to put a speedy stop to this state of affairs, then regrettable incidents are bound to occur here, as they have done in the United States and in South Africa, prior to that safeguard being ~~imposed~~ instituted.

Eisdell Cooper
Marie Cooper
Tommy Denny
R. P. ...
Charles S. ...
McKinnon
Sturman
Lillian H. Yack
W. Jackson

J. M. Hamilton

A. P. ...
Julia ...
Wm. ...
M. ...
S. A. ...
Wanda ...
W. O. ...
Mrs. ...
A. ...
W. J. ...

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J. L. Campbell
E. W. Atherton
A. M. Colwell
E. W. Coate
G. E. Hume
A. S. Turner

F. B. Bondillon

capt.

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W. B. Bader

J. B. Shank

M. H. Wainwright

G. R. Owen

E. P. Sikes

W. K. Birch

J. Hargreaves

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Am Bueys
W. Jensen
E. M. Hargreaves
J. G. Orr
H. L. Cameron

Wm W. H. Hedlow

J. Campbell.

H. Herlake Thomas.

C. Dransley

M. White.

C. Cook.

G. D. Milby

Mrs James May
E. M. Hargreaves

~~W. J. Miller~~

W. Sutherland
A. H. Randall

~~C. H. Walker~~
C. H. Walker

W. Sutherland

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(in paper)

Frederick Clarke	Foster H. Bardwell	J. C. [unclear]
Amy Clarke	L. M. Bardwell	M. S. Hill
[unclear]	R. S. Butler	Ch. K. Hill
Wm. P. [unclear]	30 York	P. L. Lyall
Cecil T. Soames	Elinor L. Jone	P. H. [unclear]
Esther J. Soukes	Edith Maitland	Georgees
Catherine [unclear]	G. P. Jennings	K. Hutchence
Miss J. Jennings	Hanley [unclear]	T. R. Grant
F. G. Lorton	J. Kitcher	G. C. Brown
N. M. Tuntors	B. Pilcher	R. W. A. Lewis
H. Wilson	Mary Wilson	Stuart [unclear]
		Raw [unclear]
		P. [unclear]
		A. Thomas

Thorne

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Venetia Norway

W. Perry

F. J. Paterson

Florence Perry

Abraham Symonds Jones

William E. Seymour - Jones

J. E. Seymour - Jones

Hannah J. Seymour - Jones

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~~WMA~~ Harris

Sarah M. Hanna

Alice L. Harris

Hugh Hannay

Oswald C. Harrison

A. G. B. Boden

Marquet Phelps

E. A. Phelps

W. H. H. H.

TO THE EUROPEANS OF KENYA:

Two outrages have recently been committed by natives on two white children, aged eight years.

These crimes on our women and children are on the increase.

All those with whom I have discussed the grave state of affairs, are agreed that the time is already overdue for the people of this Colony, to make a determined stand, at whatever cost, to safeguard the sanctity of those dear to them.

AS A FIRST STEP.

The attached petition to His Excellency the Governor is now being circulated throughout the Colony, and it is hoped that ALL Europeans, both male and female, who are able to write their names, will append their signatures.

(Signed) A. B. ALLISON.

NAKURU.
March 1924.

M. J. Todd	M. Greenlad
S. H. Kattan	E. E. Browne
C. B. Dennis	C. Stewart
W. A. Pennington	X. Isherwood
	D. J. Humphreys

C. F. Campbell. Cause

R. Aston. Montgomery
Wood. B. & Co.

R. M. Matheson

R. Matheson

L. V. Lee

Chas. P. Wanching

E. O. Gilby Bayle

H. Binchiff

J. de Stancy

J. H. Theron Foods A. M. Lucy W. Broadhead

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W. P. Thomas

John. Koch

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Frank L. Clark

Edna Hunt. Ball

W. Mitchell
W. P. Longley

Bernie

Castell

J. H. Korman

J. T. Oulton

Dulce M. Webster

W. Weir

Mary Dorman

W. P. Crawford

C. F. Campbell Claus

R. A. Foster
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Montgomery

B. B. Cotts

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W. Broadhead

C. M. M. M.

Capt. Starnes

John Koch

W. D. Nightingale

Hugh

Frank L. Christie

Edna Stuart Wall

W. M. Mitchell

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W. S. M. M.

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E. R. Biddleton

C. W. L. Butler

J. Humphrey

C. Cardale Luck

C. Holloway

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H. Walters

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H. H. Dugway

A. Longle

J. Longfath

G. Simpson

McKessiah

J. R. Gledsworthy

A. S. Vatman

Hubbard Ford

J. H. Gray

H. J. Weston

Levin

E. Mansell
J. Whitfield

J. Sletcher

E. J. Brown

W. Cryer

J. Smeyster

N. S. Hancock

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V. Nash
J. H. ...

Abraham

J. Hawking

Mary A. Hawking

M. Constantine

Lilian E. Constantine

Kinsey

Samuel Fowens

Wm. Fowens

South B. Fowens 1/17

Alexandra Fowens.

Margaret Newman.

Blanche Lavender.

Geoffrey Schwyz

G. J. de Jager 380

J. Engelbrecht
H. Engelbrecht
C. F. Engelbrecht

Herbert Vickershaft

A. Stanton
W. Joubert
A. S. Joubert

M. G. Stanton
G. W. G. G. G.

J. W. Howard

J. J. McCoy

W. McCoy

C. M. Maltitz

H. von Maltitz

F. Wahl

S. M. C. Wahl

H. de Jager

W. Melby

B. Gillon

H. M. Sanderson

H. C. C. C.

L. C. C.

John L. Langstaff

Pharmacia

A. H. C.

D. Wahl

P. J. Wahl

P. J. P. P.

C. van D.

L. J. A.

H. M. C. C.

Total 39
Women 6

L. Mahony
Major S. Mangin

W. G. G. G. G. G.
W. G. G. G. G.

Ch. Holt
W. P. E. E. E.

F. J. J. J. J.

George Sharp

K. Sharp

P. J. J. J. J.
Major Pitman

Alain Kere

W. W. W. W.

T. H. H.

C. P. P. P.

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C. J. J. J. J.
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J. G. G. G. G.

P. P. P. P. P.

W. W. W. W.

Total 23

women 4

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D. A. K. M. M.

A. Barker

E. J. Lerman

A. J. Lerman

13. Lobban

A. M. Corrie

W. E. Corrie

Joh. L. Langstaff

J. J. de Jager

L. G. de Jager

J. S. de Jager

E. M. de Jager

G. J. de Jager

S. E. de Jager

P. J. de Jager 382

H. M. Lawrence

Z. Maroff

J. J. Bates

J. Cousin

Total 20
Women 4

Woodfellow.
J. H. Tweedie
O. J. Bentley.
G. W. Wise (H
J. S. Russell.

for L. Anderson

A. B. B. B.

J. Bennett

J. H. H. H.

David Woodfellow

H. S. Swain

H. V. Cunningham
O. Cunningham

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W. P. G. G.

H. C. C. C.
L. A. Procter

W. D. D. D.

H. B. B. B.
W. W. W. W.

H. L. L. L.

R. G. G. G.

M. H. H. H.

Total 22
Women 2

D. J. Proctor

Clack

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H. H. H.

R. H. H.

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M. H.

affiliated

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→ W. B. Carter

Ray Letcher

Geo. R. Rymton

Edith D. Alrycup

A. Ruben

W. M. B.
S. R. B.

Edith D. Alrycup

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J. Hall

J. Archer

Mrs V. Bell

Mrs. Mearns
Rose Mearns
W. R. Hatfield

C. C. Reynolds
T. W. Reynolds

J. C. G. Lincoln

W. M. Brier

J. Kemp
Kemp

M. Napier

Mrs. & Mrs. C. A. Stradling
Cap. & Mrs. S. H. Starnard

Wm. Colank & Mrs. Black

Mrs. P. ...
Mrs. P. ...
Mrs. P. ...

Mayor & Mrs. ...

Mrs. & Mrs. ...

A. M. ...

J. ...

J. R. ...

M. H. ...

A. M. ...

Mrs. & Mr. ...

R. T. Quate

D. W. ...

R. B. ...

Total 42
Women 15

(no addn)

Mr. Southey
W. N. Rail
Dreyer
W. J. Rail
L. Rail-

387

Total 5.

E. D. Rutherford
Chisley.

Henry A. Ridley
L. H. Swift

W. A. Kane.

P. W. Barnett.

G. W. Denton.

E. A. West

H. H. Hines

W. J. Johnson

~~Chisley~~

E. S. W. H. Hines

~~J. H. Hines~~
~~G. W. Denton~~

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Total 14

46 Kirk

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Machine

A. B. Stearns

George Gurnisling

C. Bolton

G. P. Todd

W. A. Nascigato

J. C. Jones

C. M. Bolton

E. C. Hamble

NAME

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J. B. Poole
 J. Poole
 T. N. Gregory
 T. N. Gregory
 37. P. Steadman
 W. Bobbett
 J. Mays
 D. H. Gilbert
 H. F. Malcolm Smith
 H. G. Kirkell
 A. Harford
 E. J. Stapp
 Geo. Mansford
 Haene S. Gardner
 Daisy Hickey
 J. Hickey
 C. F. Birch
 R. S. Ritchie
 W. H. Ritchie
 M. Turner
 H. W. Summers
 H. Vos
 Malahus. Kidston
 G. H. Stanley
 Emmie A. Russell
 W. H. Wasell

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 The Deel Kauriti Ranch
 Ruini Or
 Kuranja, Kahawa
 Kauriti Downs, Kahawa P.O.
 Hamdi Ranch Ruini
 Acacia Kauriti

G. Wilnot

Arch. R. Colville
a. Wordingham

~~W. B. ...~~
G. Smythies

K. Smythies

~~W. W. ...~~

C. Paterson

L. H. Barnadell

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~~J. ...~~

Robert Hall

Geoffrey Hampson

J. M. Hampson

~~W. ...~~

D. D. ...

~~A. H. ...~~

F. Beigley

W. ...

J. deBlanc-Smith

G. deBlanc-Smith

W. ...

Alma ...

R. G. ...

A. Plenderleith

Gallbraith Cole

(25)

Curran

Wentworth

H. C. Beacroft
Ferry Main

Approved by 150 N.R. M.D. Caldwell

Whitehead

H. Barker

F. L. G. Bradley

John [unclear]

A. F. Sumner

Madison W. [unclear]

J. H. [unclear]
D. [unclear]
R. A. [unclear]

Stokes [unclear]

C. [unclear] 395

P. W. [unclear]
P. C. [unclear]

(Museum)

W. M. L. Jones

W. Andrew

B. Crockett

W. C. Dickerson

W. M. Smith

W. B. Ford

F. Hayes

C. E. Irvine

W. J. Kelly

John L. Disney ~~W. B. Ford~~

L. Bruce

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W. H. Kelly

J. McDonald
~~W. B. Ford~~ W. B. Ford

W. B. Ford

John Wallace

C. Disney
John Harris
W. H. Knowles

R. Wheeler

R. F. Kopp

J. P. Brekke

A. J. Kruger

E. J. Steig

H. G. Grawkamp

W. van Aardt

J. P. Hill

G. B. Day

Ch. J. B. Fournil

K. Holstrom

L. Duperris

Ch. E. Kopp

A. E. Potgieter

J. J. Du Plessis

D. J. Potgieter

W. B. Baker

Total 20

Total 49

Women 6

R. L. Shea

H. Brown

G. H. Loumeau

Jos. J. Hughes
L. Adam

E. M. C. Hall

W. H. Marble

C. H. Whittensham

L. A. Shaw

Jos. C. Smith

D. L. Booth

A. W. Mason

Marye Lovemore

J. M. Mason

J. J. Palfrey

W. J. Palfrey

J. Etheridge

W. A. Smith

C. A. Jordan

W. J. Jones

J. P. Redman

H. W. Gray

Edmund H. Pardee

Maurice H. Merri

Leptus Turner

Dr. J. M. Wells

J. P. Kelly

H. P. Johnson

Wm. J. Logue

W. D. Dinsley

L. E. Mum

Jos. C. Keliner

J. L. Beck

J. J. Van Vuren

J. A. Green

H. Engellrecht

J. Krell

L. H. J. Van Aort

Wm. Wheeler

M. Smith

M. P. Smith

L. Smith

E. Endlin

J. E. Smith

J. J. Peopie

R. L. Shea

H. Brown

G. H. Lovemore

Jos. J. Hughes
L. Adam

E. S. McCall

W. H. Matzlenka

C. H. Whittensham

W. A. Shaw

Douglas C. Smith

D. B. Hood

Al. D. Mason

M. J. ...

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J. J. Palfrey

M. J. Palfrey

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W. A. ...

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Edward H. ...

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L. H. J. van ...

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M. ...

S. Smith

E. Endlin

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A. R. Radt

M. J. G. Faurit

H. M. Fourier

1 P. J. Steenkamp

H. J. M. Steenkamp

S. J. G. Engelbrecht

Lara Buxton

E. Bocher

~~C. E. Jones~~

S. E. Lee-Mullen

H. W. Atto

J. Usher Jones

D. J. Usher Jones

B. F. Usher Jones

A. D. Usher Jones

~~W. J. Brown~~

N. H. Wilson

Miss M. Wilson

Geo. Richardson

E. L. Richardson

S. T. ~~Richardson~~

L. W. ~~Richardson~~

C. France

~~W. J. ~~Richardson~~~~

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Eliza M. Cameron

Carl Nyberg

~~W. J. ~~Richardson~~~~

C. M. Luck

Edw. Ace

C. I. Gurney

A. H. O'Brien

M. Hottidge

Guy Hottidge

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J. H. Watteris.

G. Watteris.

M. O. Rutherford

W. H. Ayler

C. M. Bruce

J. H. Kerby

J. H. Watteris

L. G. Blunt

Chas. Blunt

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Women 8

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AS A FIRST STEP.

The attached petition to His Excellency the Governor is now being circulated throughout the Colony, and it is hoped that ALL Europeans, ~~whichever~~ both male and female, who are able to write their names, will append their signatures.

(Signed) A. B. ALLISON.

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Your Petitioners therefore feel that the Indian Penal Code has again proved its failure to ensure that safety to our people, against this horrible menace, to which they are entitled.

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Your Petitioners would respectfully impress upon you that these crimes, and the frequent lawlessness by natives towards European women, are on the increase, and that unless the Government adopts drastic measures to put a speedy stop to this state of affairs, then regrettable incidents are bound to occur here, as they have done in the United States and in South Africa, prior to that safeguard being instituted.

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