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REPLY, SIR W.

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FACILITIES FOR FRANCOIS HEMELERS

DATE MAR 24

Last previous Paper.

The letter from Earl of Hardwicke enclosing one from Sherlet Hemelers asking that his father may be granted facilities during his journey to Belgian Congo.

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Mr. Calder by Mr. Gumbel

... no objection to proceeding as we did on 4022/15.

...? Please look over S. J. 2 A 12 & try to help to give ^{any} facilities that may be necessary to his Hemelers & so on. Sir W. will.

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Further
... going out to take part in the operations against G.E.A. & was given exemption from custom duties. There is no ground for giving such exemption to the father who is merely going on a pleasure trip. The most we could do would be for the P.S. to furnish him with the usual form of letter of introduction to the Governor of E.A.B. & Uganda but I am not sure whether such letters are granted to foreigners.

*Copy of 20 March 1919
Copy to Mr. Gumbel*

Last subsequent Paper.

Mr. Gumbel's General note in column 'Customs' ...

should be told that there will be delay
in getting money and that this is
not a case in which we should
return to help a Postal subject to
the money of money.

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BULL & BULL
SOLICITORS
COMMERCIAL

Sir William Hall
Gilbert & West
1, F. Castella

12, 13, 14, KING STREET
LONDON W.C.2

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3 Stone Buildings
Lincoln's Inn W.C.2

London 13th March 1909

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Dear Sir,

The enclosed letters explain themselves. Will you kindly do anything you can for the Earl of Hardwicke, who applies to me under the impression that I am still connected with the Colonial Office.

Yours sincerely,

Winn

The Secretary,
Colonial Office
S.W.1.

TELEPHONE
50 WAYFAIR

MAR 1919

46, UPPER GROSVENOR STREET,

SEEN
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Sunday March 23/19

Dear Sir William Bull.

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MAR 1919
POST OFFICE

Thanks for your
letter of the 12th inst. in reply
to mine, asking for a letter
from the Colonial Office for Belgium
Senator Hemelers who is
travelling shortly to the Belgians
ago. He explained that we
found such a letter very
valuable, receiving facilities &
advice thereby from the British
authorities.

What Mr Long told me
must have had an interesting
to Lebrugge

Yrs always sincerely

Hardwick

Had not heard any thing from

44 on the above subject

CARLTON CLUB,

FALL HALL, S.W.I.

Wed. March 12/19.

My dear Mr William Bull,

The writer of the enclosed
 is a distinguished Belgian
 consular officer who married a
 young English lady whom I
 have known all her life, incidentally
 great kindness I would have
 like to see married to a English-
 man. However Hensler is a
 very good fellow.

you see he wishes a similar
 to given to his brother from
 their minister of the colonies,
 given to his father who is
 member of the Belgian Senate
 would be extremely obliged
 you could recommend

The proper authority to issue
As I can vouch for the genuineness
of the parties concerned -
Trusting that I am not
presuming in your good nature

Yrs sincerely

Hardwick

My dear Hardwicke,

When my brother went to East Africa in 1915 for the war - here, he received a receipt - maintenance from the British Minister of Colonies (Mr. Harcourt) which requested "that every help should be given by all British authorities to my brother". This recommendation - has, we found very useful.

I should like to get the same now for my father

(Faint handwritten notes, possibly bleed-through from the reverse side of the page)

who is very shortly going
to make a trip in the
Belgian Congo.

So you think you could get
this for me; I should be be
grateful.

Yours sincerely
Hemelers. Stanley.

P.S. Name: HEMELEERS.

Christian " : FRANCOIS.

Occupation: Belgian "Senator
suppléant" (means member of
our "House of Lords")

Age : 62

Travelling: From Belgium to
the Belgian Congo and vice-versa
perhaps through the British
Colonies.

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For Mr. [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]
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For [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]
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Mr. [unclear], 27 March

Mr. [unclear], 24.3

Mr.

Mr. [unclear].

Sir H. Lambert.

Sir H. Read.

Sir G. Fildes.

Col. Amery.

Lord Milner.

with ref to me (now Viscount)
Baron's conf Sep. of the 24th of
Jan 1915 I have the honour to be.

to you the ac copy of a letter, with
enclosures, from Sir W. Bull, to

request that you will afford
facilities that may be necessary
~~to be desired~~ facilities to Mr

Hansis Hemelers on his
journey to & from the Belgian

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13 March

Harold

(S) Michael

~~Draft~~
27th March 1919

Draft
For William Bull etc

Sir,

Lt B 25 March

I am so to speak the rest of your letter, etc of
letter of the 13th of March & to
inform you that a despatch has
been sent to the post. Dept.

The T.A.P. representing ^{(them to grant any facilities}
~~the facilities~~ ~~to be granted~~
that may be necessary
of the facilities desired to M.

Francis Kemmlers on his
journey to join the Belgian
Corps

I am to advise that M.

Kemmlers will doubtless experience
delay in obtaining a passport & that
his case is not one in which, were
he a Por subject, how much would
be able to intervene to secure a
swift passport

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