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Reorganization of E.A.P. Uganda

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Thompson suggests conference with prominent officials of the Prot. A one or two Grants to consider the whole question.

W. Fiddes

This is the Editor of the E. African Standard.

Sent copy of the ... to the ... of the E.A.P. ... ask him to ... the matter that ... letter has been received ... that ... which ...

W. Harrison

This is also the gentleman who ... H. J. R. ... 7/211 ... The results were ... to ... quite sufficient ... 9.12.10 ...

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P. O. BOX 45,
Nairobi,

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10th November 1909

The Principal Secretary of State,
For the Colonies.

RE-AMALGAMATION - E. E. A. & UGANDA.

Sir,

In 1909 I had the pleasure of forwarding to you a pamphlet proposing a new constitution for British East Africa & Uganda. I have received your reply through the Secretariat in a letter dated 22nd July 1909.

I take this opportunity of again bringing up this subject for your consideration.

The arguments in favour of bringing the two Protectorates under one policy are as strong - indeed stronger - than they were in 1909.

A union of the two Protectorates (strongly advocated by Mr. Cathcart Mason, M. P. and others) under our present Governor would tend to bring about a prosperity within the Protectorate Dominions which would prove astounding in a few years.

I have already ventured to suggest that your office

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should appoint a small Commission consisting of one or two prominent officials of both Protectorates including say both Treasurers and one or two Colonists to consider the whole question. I now repeat this suggestion with the addition that should your Office agree that if it is "not feasible to unite the two Protectorates at present" it is at least desirable to get together some information as to its feasibility, or otherwise, which information could be forwarded to you, Sir, through His Majesty's representative on the spot.

As this is a matter which touches us in this country very closely I feel it would be a very proper act on your part to give the matter the attention it so plainly deserves.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "A. J. ...", is written over a horizontal line.

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Sir,

Mr. Parkison 12/12 I have the honor to transmit
 Mr. Butler to you ~~for your info~~ copy of
 Mr. Fidd
 Mr. Jusk
 Mr. Cox
 Sir C. Lucas
 Sir F. Hopwood
 Col. Seely
 Lord Curzon

letter addressed to me
 by Mr. Anderson on the
 subject of the amalgamation
 of the East Uganda
 to request that you
 will inform ^{Anderson} him that
 I have received his
 letter

~~Mr. Anderson~~
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