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Mr. Fiddes

As this is an M.P., Mr Harcourt
may have to send him an acknowledgment?

Mr. H

Mr. Harcourt has written
to Govt. Sect. copy attached

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LONDON

Jan 28 1890

To the Rt. Hon.

The Sec. of State for the Colonies

Dear Sir. In further ref

erence to your letter No 385/1900
I write to say that I had an
interview with His Excellency
the Gov. of the East Africa Protectorate
and suggested by you

After an interesting
conversation with him he sug-
gested that I should write to the
Secretary of the Administration at
Nairobi, East Africa, setting out
clearly the concessions I desired
enclosing map, & stating the
purpose for which I wanted the
land.

I have done so & herewith
am enc. a copy of the letter for

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At the suggestion of the
Hon. the Under Secretary for the Colonies
I have also called upon Mr. W. J. G. G.
Head of the East Africa Department
to witness I signed the sign of
private bank of both.

I trust that the concern
for which I have applied money
presented to me, in my compliance
with the usual conditions.

James Mill
Secretary

(C. S. Leach)

image of
the agreement
not void himself
H. J. R.

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D.P.Y.

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"Springfield",
Canonbury Park South,
LONDON, N.

17th January 1911.

the Secretary of the Administration,
Nairobi,
British East Africa.

I have been in correspondence with the Secretary of State for
Colonies with a view to ~~my~~ being granted a leasehold concession
in the Protectorate, bounded approximately, on the East by the
crest of the Sakoki Hills; on the North by a line parallel with the
crest of the Eruera of Lake Jelori, but about two miles south thereof; and
on the West by the Native Reserve, the line being continued northwards
to the boundary of the fibre area - (see ~~map~~ *attached map* and tracing for
location).

- The objects for which a leasehold *concession* is *proposed* are:-
1. The gathering of the ~~bar~~ *of the 1882 rubber vines* which have been destroyed by *the natives*.
 2. The clearing of the ~~unclear~~ *growth* in order to encourage the growth of the young shoots of the Rubber Vines and the cutting and extraction of Rubber therefrom.
 3. The selling of the growing timber and the planting of other approved trees or plants in place thereof.

On the 14th inst. I had an interview at the Colonial Office with His Excellency the Governor of the Protectorate who suggested that I should make application *in writing* setting out exactly my desires.

His Excellency informed me *that* leaseholds are granted at about *one* penny-per acre rental and also *that* no Native Rights can be *alienated*. This latter stipulation I have respected in the area *marked* in red on the ~~attached~~ *attached* map enclosed, which was supplied to me by the order of the Secretary of State.

I shall be glad to hear that the area in question (or *any* *desirable* portion thereof) should the whole area not be *granted* to me *on my complying* *with the conditions* *attached*.



Downing Street,

3 February, 1911.

Dear Dr. Cook

I have received your letter of the 28th
ultimo and am glad to hear that you had such a
satisfactory and interesting conversation with Sir
Percy Girouard.

I am obliged to you for sending me the
copy of the letter which you have written to the
Secretary of the Administration, Nairobi.

Yours sincerely
(sd) L. Harcourt