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REMOVAL OF MUKERU WA NGWILI
OF MWALA LOCATION

States facts which Sir P. Girouard inadvertently omitted to report. The Chief has now applied to return to his home and in circumstances his request has been acceded to.

~~Mr. B...~~ Sir J. Field

The Governor, being on the spot, is the best judge whether it is expedient to allow Chief Mukeru to return to his home. Approval of his action?

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No. 173.

Sir,

I have the honour to report that in November 1911 my predecessor, as the result of evidence taken on oath by the District Commissioner, Machakos, deemed it necessary to take action under the Removal of Natives Ordinance 1909, and to deport one Mukeku wa Ngwill of Mwala location in the Machakos District to the district of Malindi in the Seyidie Province.

2. This man had been shown to have taken an active part in the propagation of the doctrine of rebellion against the Government, which necessitated the despatch of a patrol to the affected districts. The facts are fully related in Sir P. Girouard's despatch No. 856 of November 24th 1911.

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3. Shortly after the patrol returned to headquarters, the same state of disaffection evinced itself in the Mwala location, with Chief Mukeku wa Ngwill as the ringleader. The more sensible portion of the population were however loyal to the Government, and urged the deportation of their chief on

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the grounds that he was responsible for the disorder and was rapidly ruining the district, and as it appeared likely that a second patrol would be necessary unless prompt measures were adopted, Sir P. Girouard took the action stated above. I regret however that he inadvertently omitted to acquaint you with the facts.

4. Chief Mukeku has now applied to be allowed to return to his home. He has behaved in an exemplary manner during the interval, and as the Provincial Commissioner of the Ukamba Province reports the district to be perfectly quiet, I have acceded to his petition. He will of course hold no prominent position in the location, and will be clearly warned that the least sign on his part of a desire to adopt his previous attitude will entail his removal for a much longer period.

I have the honour to be,

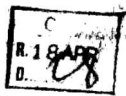
Sir,

Your humble, obedient servant,

H. Conway Beyard

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Sir,

I have the honour to
acknowledge the receipt of
your despatch, No 173,
of the 17 of March, and to
inform you that I approve
of your action in
permitting Chief
Mukuku wa
Ngwili to return
to his home.

17 April

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