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special ... as might have been expected,  
the S. L. legal ... does not furnish  
precedent.

Approved by the ... assenting  
- let ask for a report on the  
writing of the order to the  
... of a year ...

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GOVERNMENT HOUSE,  
NAIROBI,  
BRITISH EAST AFRICA.

EAST AFRICA PROTECTORATE.

February 5th 1914.

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Sir,

I have the honour to transmit herewith for favour of assent two copies of "The Trespass Ordinance 1913" as passed by the Legislative Council on the 19th December 1913.

2. The accompanying Memorandum by the Acting Attorney-General explains the necessity for introducing legislation of this nature and I have nothing further to add to his remarks.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your humble, obedient servant,

*W. H. ...*  
Deputy GOVERNOR.

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE  
LEWIS HARCOURT, P.C., M.P.,  
SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES,  
DOWNING STREET, LONDON, S.W.

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B. March 1914

Mr. [unclear]

Mr. H. B. Field

I have the honor to  
acknowledge the receipt of

your check, No. 226,  
for \$100.00, and to

inform you that I approve  
of your payment to

the Treasury Ordinance  
1913 as passed by the

Legislative Council on the

19th day of [unclear]

I have to request  
that you will forward  
me

me with a report  
on the workings of the  
machine when it has  
been in operation for  
one year.

THE TRUCKPASS ORDINANCE, 1913.

In 1913 an Ordinance was passed making provision for the prevention of theft of Stock and Produce, but under that Ordinance no provision was made, making it an offence for any irresponsible person entering on enclosed lands without being able to show they were there for a lawful purpose.

2. In order to strengthen the power given under the former Ordinance and to prevent stock theft, it has been deemed advisable to prevent Natives roaming at will over enclosed lands.

3. This Ordinance provides that any person who has been found without the consent of the owner or proprietor on enclosed lands and was unable to satisfy the Court that he was there for a lawful purpose may be proceeded against under the Ordinance. Provision is also made for any landholder or his agent might himself arrest any Native offering any offence against the Ordinance if he thinks the Native is giving a false name and address.

4. I do not know if Mr. Curzon adopted the Ordinance from the last of the Protectorate or not, so cannot supply a comparative table.

5. This Ordinance should be submitted to the Secretary of State before being assented to.

January, 1914.

J. H. MONTAGUE  
ATTORNEY GENERAL