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(Subject)

Mr Judds applies for appointment as Game Ranger

Reports on Mr Judd would be desirable to  
ascertain how far post of Game Ranger

(Minutes)

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Mr Hains }

See minutes on 21185

P. L. G.

H. J. H.

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L. G. H.

Governor's Office,

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Kathala,

May 17th 1907.

My Lord,

I have the honour to reply to your telegram of  
 14th inst. (Confidential) of the 14th inst.

I hardly knew Mr. Judd personally, but Mr. Ashley  
 and Mr. Moore speak well of him, and Mr. Percival notes that  
 he was one of the men selected by the late Sir Distewart  
 for the post of Game Warden when the enlargement of the  
 Department was under consideration.

Mr. Judd is a man of about 40 years of age, of  
 good character, but he pretensions to any social rank.  
 He was a transport driver during the South African war,  
 He has been some years in the Protectorate as a hunter  
 and trader and has recently been an acknowledged thief to  
 the late period.

A. S. Principal Secretary of State

The Old Parliament

Whitehall, London

W. P. C. S., C. I.

4. He probably knows as much about game, especially  
elephant, as any one in East Africa.

5. I should, however, have some hesitation in  
recommending a man of his station, who has been conducting  
sporting parties, for the post of Game Warden.

Very truly yours to be,

With the highest respect,

My Lord,

Your Lordship's most obedient,

Public servant,

*Frederick Selous*