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July 6th 1922.

Sir,

With reference to the Foreign Office Circular T/5533/
349/350/ dated May 20th last, respecting the revocation of
certificates of naturalisation of subjects locally naturalised
in British dominions, I have the honour to enclose herewith,
a copy of a letter which Mr. Richards addressed to the
Registrar of the County Court of Westminster, British Columbia,
respecting a Mr. Whrich Lawrence Parsenow, to whom a Certificate of naturalisation had been granted by the latter official
on the 26th of April, 1912.

This would appear to be a case calling for a report under the circular in question. Mr. Parsenow, who was born in Stattin on September 15th 1881, joined the firm of Gildemeister in this country in 1915 as an engineer on the Gasa Grande Sugar Estate, and was therefore during the whole period of the war in the employ of a German firm which was working against British interests. He stated that he was proceeding to Germany on a pleasure trip and that he would return to this country.

I have etc.,

(sgd) A. J. STILL

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