TELEGRAM

FROM THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR DOMINION AFFAIRS TO THE GOVERNOR GENERAL.

LONDON, 19th May, 1927.

As a result of the police search at the premises of Arcos the information now available makes it abundantly clear that Arcos has been used as a centre of military espionage and of Communist activities both in this country and in the Dominions, and has been in close touch with the Soviet Diplomatic Agency for these purposes.

We have postponed promised statement in the House of Commons, pending fuller Cabinet consideration, till next Tuesday in view of the gravity of the information. Ends.

See my telegram of May 16th.

(Sgd) SECRETARY OF STATE FOR DOMINION AFFAIRS.

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