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1. CRIMINAL CASES

(a) JA Files

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		JA 26/2	Swakopmund Hans Hyronimus Stollhoff: Embezzlement	1916
		JA 46/1	Lüderitzbucht George Wulfrum: Attempted rape and housebreaking	1916
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		JA 71/6	(1) Michael Loubscher, (2) Andrew le Cordeur: Theft	1916
		JA 71/7	(1) John Thos Lees, (2) Peter Raphael Schreiber, (3) Wm Reinbach, (4) John Karl Otto Koopman, (5) John Chas Wernick, (6) Frank von Blerk: Attempt to rescue a person from lawful custody	1916
	1/1/2	JA 77/1	Grootfontein Ellinger: Theft	1915
		JA 77/2	(1) Heinrich Christian Kremer, (2) Petrus Hendrick Witbooi: Assault	1915
		JA 77/5	E.L.D. Lange: Assault with intent to do grievous bodily harm	1915
		JA 77/6	(1) Carl Bohn, (2) Otto Schroeder: Theft	1915-1916

¹ Files are marked A on the outside and JA in the inside

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		JA 77/8	Willy Mittelstedt: Stock theft	1915-1917
		JA 78/10	John Anstruther Byng: Theft	1916
		JA 78/11	Paul Zweiner, Otto Schweiger: Stock theft	1916
		JA 78/12	Leo Waibel: Martial Law Regulation 4, Section 10	1916-1917
		JA 78/13	Lourenz Korbelt: Theft and receiving stolen property	1916
		JA 78/14	John Stephen Viviers: Theft of 1 ox, 2 double sets of mule harness, 9 bags of mealies	1916
		JA 83/1	Gibeon Hans Schonke, Konjack Kaaiman, Hedomab, Hans, Sangib, Mose Kolrsup, Willem Dowsap: Murder (murder of Karl Bauer and wife)	1915
		JA 83/1	(1) H. Schonke, (2) Konjack, (3) Helomab, (4) Hans: Murder	1915 1915
	1/1/3	JA 83/2	(1) Johannes Filliboy, (2) Jacobus Anip: Stock theft	1915-1916
		JA 83/4	Carl Otto Leopold Hellwag: Theft	1916
		JA 83/5	Nicholas Roemant: Perjury	1916
		JA 83/6	Johannes Petrus van Rensburg: Inciting to commit the crime of perjury	1916
		JA 89/1	Rehoboth Willem and 11 others: Murder	1915
		JA 89/2	John Muter: Stock theft	1916
		JA 99/2	Bethanien (Bethany) George Moritz Stillger: Stock theft	1915-1916
		JA 104/3	Gobabis Tconob and Bushmen (11): Stock theft	1916
		JA 104/4	(1) David Venter, (2) Gabriel Joseph: Stock theft	1916
	1/1/4	JA 109/2	Karibib Ovambo Warombora: Theft	1915-1916
		JA 109/3	Marurn: Theft	1915-1916
		JA 109/4	Hamtinga: Theft	1915-1916
		JA 109/5	Kamakuba: Theft	1915-1916
		JA 109/9	Otto March: Buying stolen property	1916
		JA 110/10	Ludwig Fortmüller: Section 303, German Criminal Code	1916
		JA 110/14	(1) Franz Müller-Artois, (2) Heinrich Dopke, (3) Louis Loser: Evading censorship	1916
		JA 110/15	Emil Riebe: Martial Law Regulation 10	1916
		JA 110/16	Gustav Roesemann: Section 1, Govt. Notice 22	1916
		JA 118/1	Maltahöhe (1) Jacobus Hendrick van der Merwe, (2) Isaac Johannes van der Merwe, (3) Gert Theunis Bosch: Stock theft	1915
		JA 118/2	(1) Jacob, (2) Cornelius Goriman, (3) Sukab: Stock theft	1915

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		JA 118/3	Johannes Carl George Schroeder: Attempted murder	1916
			Okahandja	
		JA 123/1	Ernst Tonn: Assault with intent to do grievous bodily harm	1915-1916
		JA 123/2	John Wyers: Assault with intent to do grievous bodily harm	1915-1916
		JA 123/3	Folguard Jakobsen: Theft	1915-1916
		JA 123/4	Esak: Theft	1915-1916
		JA 123/5	C.W. Blunden: Assault with intent to commit rape	1916
		JA 123/7	Franz Rappenecker: Proclamation 22 of 1915	1916
		JA 123/8	Karl Abech: Proclamation 22 of 1915	1916
		JA 123/9	Fritz Werner: Proclamation 22 of 1915	1916
		JA 124/10	Phillip Grüner: Proclamation 22 of 1915	1916
		JA 124/12	William (Native Constable): Theft	1916
		JA 124/13	Paul Shoenert: Theft of a mule	1916
		JA 124/15	Erich Masser: Proclamation 22 of 1915	1916
	1/1/5	JA 124/16	William Hannemann: (1) Assault with intent, (2) Section 1: Proclamation 10 of 1915	1916
		JA 124/17	Peter Windisch: Proclamation 22 of 1915	1916
		JA 124/18	Carl Wilhelm Heck: Section 1, Proclamation 22 of 1915	1916
			Omaruru	
		JA 128/5	Carry Venuleth: Murder	1915-1916
		JA 128/6	Louis Benseler: Receiving stolen property	1915-1916
		JA 128/7	Walter Maertins: Section 259 and 16 of German Criminal Code	1915-1916
		JA 128/8	Wilhelm Krockner: Theft by means of embezzlement	1915-1916
		JA 128/9	Carlo Carusan: Theft	1915-1916
		JA 129/5	Erhardt Mühlenbruch: Receiving stolen property	1916
	1/1/6	JA 129/10	Johann Müller: Stock theft	1915
		JA 129/13	Paul Paeseler: Stock theft	1916
		JA 129/16	Friedrich Lindholm: Theft	1916
		JA 129/17	Curt Cramer von Clausbruch: Stock theft	1916
		JA 130/19	(1) Rudolf Tomaschewsky, (2) Emma Tomaschewsky: Forgery and uttering a forged instrument	1916-1917
		JA 130/21	Fritz Quasib: Perjury	1916
		JA 130/22	Marta Kemnitz: Malicious injury to property	1916
		JA 130/22	Friedrich Yamahoko: Perjury	1916
		JA 130/24	William Kapnaar: Theft by means of false pretences	1916
		JA 130/25	Richard Schiller: Theft	1916
		JA 130/26	(1) Rudolf Tomaschewsky, (2) Richard Schiller: Section 1, Proclamation 22 of 1915	1916
		JA 130/27	Paul Korab: Stock theft	1916
		JA 131/28	Wilhelm Ohrt: Section 1, Govt. Notice 22	1916
		JA 131/29	Antonius Seteck: Section 1, Proclamation 22	1916
		JA 131/32	Paul Katyrikiza: Theft	1916
		JA 131/33	Frank Dickson: Indecent assault	1916

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		JA 131/36	Harro Christiansen: Martial Law Regulation 14	1916
	1/1/7	JA 132/1	Outjo (1) Frederick, (2) Fritz Bunteherdt: Murder	1915
		JA 132/3	(1) Ouxason, (2) Jacob: Stock theft	1915
		JA 132/5	Hermann Edmond Edward Conrad Neugebauer: Stock theft	1915-1916
		JA 132/6	(1) Franz, (2) Arakana: Stock theft	1915-1916
		JA 132/8	Jakob Casob: Stock theft	1916
		JA 134/37	Omaruru (1) February Nqoiseb, (2) Jacob Komsaub: Stock theft	1916
		JA 134/39	Arthur Scheich: Contravention of Game and Firearms Laws	1916
		JA 136/3	Tsumeb Hans Bull Brodtkorb: Sale of firearms to Natives	1916
		JA 136/4	Franz Ernst Becker: Murder	1916
		JA 136/7	Aukub: Malicious injury to property	1916
		JA 141/2	Warmbad Jan Mostert: Stock theft	1915-1916
		JA 141/3	(1) Johannes Markus, (2) Jakobus Markus: Stock theft	1916
		JA 146/3	Otjiwarongo Paul Seidler: Stock theft	1915
		JA 146/4	Arthur Willy Stoermer: Attempted murder	1915
		JA 146/5	Fritz David: Stock theft	1916
		JA 146/6	RA Degenhardt: Proclamation 22 of 1915	1916
		JA 146/7	Ludwig Roos: Proclamation 22 of 1915	1916
		JA 146/8	Max Ernst Gustav Schucholz: Proclamation 22 of 1915	1916
	1/1/8	JA 215/2	Keetmanshoop Mans Stephanus: High treason (with annexures)	1922-1925
		JA 215/3	Warmbad Stephanus Christian: High treason (with annexures)	1922-1923
		JA 215/4	Rex versus Jacobus Christian: High treason (Questions of Law Reserved) (with annexures)	1922-1923

(b) JB Files¹

Film number	Storage unit	File number	Description	Date
	1/2/1	JB 2/24 JB 126/23 JB 128/169	Rex versus J.P. Steyn Rex versus Troopers Pienard and Van Aswegen: Martial Law Regulation 54B Rex versus Lance Corporal G.H. Raubenheimer	1919 1919 1919-1920

¹ All Crown Prosecutors' files

(c) JC Files

Film number	Storage unit	File number	Description	Date
	1/3/1	[JC 2/1] [JC 4/9] [JC 39/48]	[Death of Kondumbo - Otto Kröhnert: Culpable homicide] Inquest: Hendrik Ceyana Inquest Proceedings: Izak Rooi	1915 1920 1922-1923

(d) JD Files

Film number	Storage unit	File number	Description	Date
	1/4/1	JD 25/5	Franz Petrus Bredenkamp, John O'Brien, Peter Stephanus van Tonder, Jacob Johannes Roesch: Theft of 80 head of cattle	1915-1917

(e) JH Files

Film number	Storage unit	File number	Description	Date
	1/5/1	[JH 1/101] JH 22/162 [JH 66/105] JH 66/308 JH 76/115/24 [JH 91/490] JH 95/516 JH 141/220	Schneiderberger versus Rex Rex versus Frederick Johannes Botha: Section 1(1) of Proclamation 28 of 1921 Rex versus Fritz Hartmann: Stock theft Rex versus Albert Paul and 3 others: Proclamation No. 1 of 1915 Insolvent Estate Statz Heinrich Bennecke Rex versus David Cohen: Insolvency Law Cases arising out of the Bondelswart Rebellion Rex versus Appolus: Rape	1922-1923 1923 1923-1924 1919-1920 1924 1922 1922-1923 1918-1919

(f) JL Files

Film number	Storage unit	File number	Description	Date
	1/6/1	JL 2/6	Criminal Appeal: Paul Kurze versus Rex, Warmbad	1920

2. CORRESPONDENCE

(a) Registered Correspondence

Film number	Storage unit	File number	Description	Date
	2/1/1	4/101 239/5 1344	(i) First Filing System Witness High Court of SWA: Criminal Sessions and Circuit Codes Review Cases from Magistrates' Courts	1923-1925 1922-1925 1922-1924
	2/1/2	2 2/65 2/65/1 2/74 2/74/1 4/5 4/5/1 12/5 12/5/1 17/11 17/11/1 20/2 20/2/1 25 25/2 25/2/1	(ii) Second Filing System SECRETARY FOR SWA Industrial Legislation Precedents Commissions Powers Ordinance 6/1927 Precedents Bonemeal and Super-phosphates Control Precedents Sunday Trading Proclamation 12/1919 Precedents Free Pardon Individual Cases Work Colonies Precedents ACTS Nurses Act, 45 of 1944 Precedents	1951-1952 1952 1947 1948 1947-1950 1951 1952-1953

(b) JP Files

Film number	Storage unit	File number	Description	Date
	2/2/1	JP 35/308/27 ¹ JP 61/314/28	Legislation: Draft Company Law Game Preservation Ordinance, Amendment Ordinance 1929	1927 1928
		JP 17/323/30	Draft Ordinance to provide for the improvement of livestock	1930
		JP 23/324/30	Draft Ordinance to amend the Law relating to the Preservation of Game	1930
		JP 55/331/31	Draft Ordinance imposing a Poll Tax, and in addition an Income tax	1931-1932
		JP 53/331/31	Regulations: Cattle Improvement Ordinance	1931
		JP 16/340/34	Ordinance to amend the Law relating to the Preservation of Game	1934
		JP 46/344/35 ²	Motor Vehicle Ordinance 1926	1935
	2/2/2	J 5/1/38 (JO 26/429/36)	J Series Cattle Improvement Ordinance	1936-1943
		J 5/2/37 (JP 18/348/36)	Suggested Amendment of Section 20 of Ordinance No. 8 of 1931	1936-1943
		JP 5/2/42	Income Tax Ordinance	1941-1947
		J 5/3 (JP 7/347/36)	Fertilizers, Farm Foods, Seeds and Pest Remedies Act	1936
		J 5/3/42	Motor Vehicle and Wheel Tax Ordinance	1941-1946
	2/2/3	J 5/4/42 ³ J 5/5 (JP 3/347/36)	Old Age Pensions Ordinance Grass Fires	1942-1945 1936
		J 5/5/42	War Taxation Ordinance	
		J 5/5/1	Turnover Tax	1942
		J 5/5/2	Tax on Persons	1945
		J 5/5/3	Land Tax	1942-1945
		J 5/5/4	Companies Tax	1942-1944
		J 5/5/5/42	Special Taxation of Aliens	1945
		J 5/6/36 (JP 2/347/36)	Stamp Duties and Fees	1936
		J 5/6/42	Prohibited Areas Ordinance	1942
		J 5/7/37 (JP 11/428/36)	Roads and Outspans Ordinance No. 15 of 1927, Section 49(2) and 57(1)	1931-1947
		J 5/7/44	Draft Co-operation Consolidation Ordinance	1944-1946
		J 5/8	Rail Facilities for Persons employed by the Administration	1943-1944
		J 5/8/37 (JP 5/348/36)	Motor Licence and Wheel Tax Amendment Ordinance	1936-1940
		J 5/9	Charitable Institutions Control Draft Ordinance	1944
		J 5/9/37 (JP 18/338/33)	Insolvency Ordinance 1928	1933

¹ Files arranged according to the last number, i.e. of the year

² File JH 42/464/35 included

³ J 5/4/1 included

Film number	Storage unit	File number	Description	Date
		J 5/10	Territorial Development and Reserve Fund: Establishment of	1946
	2/2/4	J 5/10/38	Liquor Licensing Amendment Ordinance	1937-1945
		J 5/11	Liquor Ordinance	1946-1947
		J 5/12	The Law Society Amendment Ordinance	1944-1946
		J 5/13	Extermination of Hyenas Ordinances	1946
		J 5/41/41	Cattle Improvement Ordinance, No. 10 of 1930	1940-1941
		J 5/42/41 ¹	Cigarettes and Cigarette Tobacco Sales Tax Ordinance	1941-1942
		J 5/43/41	Game Preservation Ordinance Amendment	1940-1944
		J 5/44/41	Licence to Sell Tobacco by Retail in a Native Area: Draft Ordinance	1941
		J 5/45/41	Police Dogs: Exemption from Payment of Dog Tax	1941
		J 5/46/41 ²	Guardians Fund Ordinance	1941

¹ Files JP 19/329/31 and JP 9/337/33 attached

² File JP 36/345/35 attached

(c) Unregistered Correspondence

Film number	Storage unit	File number	Description	Date
	2/3/1	UA 1	Correspondence, telegrams, lists and notes kept by Crown Prosecutor, Attorney-General	1916-1934
		UA 2	Natives in SWA	1916-?
		UA 3	Land Sales, Land Settlement etc.	1918-1926
		UA 4	Court Cases	1918-1927
		UA 5	Legislation, legal opinions, various matters	1920-1926
		UA 6	Naturalization	1924
		UA 7	Constitutional Position	-
	2/3/2	UA 8	Documents relating to future form of Government	-
		UA 9	Complaints	-
		UA 10	Estates	-

3. OTHER ARCHIVES**(a) Agreements**

Film number	Storage unit	File number	Description	Date
	3/1/1		Agreements, declarations etc.	1920-1923

(b) Legislation (not SWA)

Film number	Storage unit	File number	Description	Date
	3/2/1		Translation of German Laws Mining Law (German): Translation Laws relating to the Native Population German Criminal Code Index to Laws, Proclamations, Acts and Regulations of the Transvaal	1871-1915 1888-1914 - - 1902-1916

(c) Proclamations¹

Film number	Storage unit	File number	Description	Date
	3/3/1		Index to and lists of Proclamations Proclamations Proclamations Licences Proclamation 1920	1918-1925 1919-1923 1924-1930 1920-1921
	3/3/2		Roads and Outspans Proclamation 1923 Regulations under Commando Laws (Burgher Force Proclamation)	1923 1923

¹ Files contain discussions of proclamations, drafts thereof and corrections made

(d) Registers

Film number	Storage unit	File number	Description	Date
	3/4/1/1 3/4/1/2 3/4/2/1 3/4/2/2		Register: Index, Preliminary Examinations Register: Index, Preliminary Examinations Index of Inquests and General Correspondence Index of Inquests and General Correspondence	1916-1923 1923-1930 1923-1930 1947-1950