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I. CORRESPONDENCE  
(a) Registered

Vol. no.	File no.	Description	Date
1	1915/1/2	German Prisoners of War. Particulars and Correspondence. Female	1915
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Vol. no.	Description	Date
1	Matters affecting German P.O.W.'s, civilians (transfer, property etc.) with lists of P.O.W.'s attached.	1915
	Matters affecting S.A. Force personnell and P.M. personnell.	1915
	Charges against civilians, P.O.W.'s S.A. men; investigations, statements	1914-1915
2	Repatriation of Germans to Germany (mostly medical personnell)	1915-1916
	Claims for Damages by Deportees. Particulars Statements and Correspondence	1914-1915
	Deportees' Inventories, Nos. 61-113	1914
3	Various applications for permits, permission (to proceed out of town, to trade etc.)	1915-1916

Correspondence etc. i.c.w. diamonds	1914-1915
General correspondence	1915
<u>Correspondence of various other bodies</u> <sup>1)</sup>	
Correspondence to and from Town Police	1914-1915
Correspondence to and from O.C. Base Depot	1915
Correspondence to and from various C.O.'s, S.O.'s etc.	1914-1915

(c) Letter copy book

Vol. no.	Description	Date
3	Letter copy book	1915

(d) Index: Letters received

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3	Index letters received	1915

1) This is not correspondence of the Provost Marshall, but of other offices. It is kept here because of it's minimal size and content-wise fits with the PM.

(e) Telegrams

Vol. no.	Description	Date
3	Telegram book	1915
	Telegram book	1915-1916
	Telegrams received and despatched	1915-1916

II ROUTINE ORDERS, BULLETINS, NOTICES  
(a) Notices

Vol. no.	Description	Date
4	Notices, Proclamations etc.	1915-1916

(b) Routine orders

Vol. no.	Description	Date
4	by officer commanding C Force (Beves)	1914
	by officer commanding C Force (McKenzie)	1914-1915
	by officer commanding First Infantry Brigade (Beves)	1914
	by officer Commanding Base and lines of Communication Defences, Central Force/Base and District Lüderitz-bucht to Aus/Base Commandant (Dales)	1915
	by Inspector General of Communications C Force	1914
	by Divisional Headquarters C Force	1914-1915

by officer commanding Keetmanshoop area (Rush)	1915
by SAMR Keetmanshoop, 4th + 5th Regiment	1916
by Chief Paymaster UDF	1915

(c) Reuters Bulletins and news

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5	Reuter Bulletins	1915-1916
	Cablegram news	1914-1915
	News	1914-1915

III RETURNS AND STATES

Vol. no.	Description	Date
5	Returns of civilians in town, natives in location	1914-1915
6	States of natives living in location	1914-1915
	Weekly states of employees at offices	1915

IV TRANSLATIONS OF GERMAN DOCUMENTS

Vol. no.	Description	Date
6	Ordinance relative to a contract with native servants; ordinance relative to the control of natives  "Etat" 1914	1907  1914

V SAFE DOCUMENTS

Vol. no.	Description	Date
6	Two envelopes containing documents of inhabitants handed to Provost Marshall for safe keeping	