

P. A. LASZLO DE LOMBOS.

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to COUNSEL to make application.

TO COUNSEL is sent herewith:-

- (1) Print of Mr.de Laszlo's statement giving general history of his case.
- (2) Copy correspondence.

Mr.de Laszlo's statement was delivered as far back as the 7th. November, 1918.

On the 26th.November, 1918, the Solicitors instructing Counsel wrote pressing the Treasury for the substance of their case and particulars of the accusations.

On the 30th.November, 1918, the Solicitors were informed that these particulars would be delivered in due course.

Mr.de Laszlo, of course, is exceedingly anxious to have the case tried without any further delay, especially as on the 16th.May, 1919, his Solicitors wrote demanding a public trial, to which request the Treasury replied on the 25th.May that they would not refer the case to the High Court but that they would offer no opposition to any application to the Certificates of Naturalization (Revocation) Committee asking for a public hearing

Accordingly an appointment has been made for this purpose and will be heard by Mr. Justice Clavell Salter and the Committee to-morrow (Wednesday) morning at 1030.

The Treasury have been good enough to furnish a bundle of documents purporting, as the Solicitors understand, to be all the documents which are to be produced against Mr. de Laszlo. On examination, however, there seem to be a considerable number of

deficiencies and the Solicitors accordingly wrote on the 27th. May asking whether it was to be understood that this bundle included all documents which were going to be produced against Mr. de Laszlo. To this they have replied in rather a snappy manner.

COUNSEL is urged to ask the Court:-

- (1) That the case shall be tried on a fixed date in June.
- (2) That the Treasury shall furnish copies of all documents they propose to produce against Mr. de Laszlo, fourteen days before the hearing.
- (3) That they shall within seven days from the present time deliver full and complete particulars, with dates and items of the charges against Mr. de Laszlo, which he is supposed to meet.

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*Kings Bench Court 1.
10.30. Wednesday
4th June. 1919.*

Sir John Simon, K.C.

With you

Mr. C. F. Gill, K.C.

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