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KUALA LUMPUR, Wed.—The latest position of detainees removed from Jenderam on Feb. 15 last year was explained by

Mr. E. B. David, Secretary for

Defence, when he answered a series of questions put to him by Enche Abdul Aziz.

Mr. David said that of the 1,609 persons detained, 1,347 have been released. Sufficient evidence was forthcoming against 194 of these persons, namely, 157 Malays and Indonesians and 37 Chinese to warrant the making of individual orders of detention. These 194 persons have in detention with them 68 dependent children in the Kluang Detention Camp.

The Malays and Indonesians who have been released have not been resettled. They were allowed to join their relatives in various parts of the State except in South Selangor. A few have joined their relatives outside the State. None of them wished to be resettled.

The proceeds of sales of perishable goods which the detainees had at the time of their removal were deposited in the sub-treasury, Kajang. The total amount realised by the sales was \$2,097.50. No payment has yet been made because no claim has been lodged. The District Officer, Ulu Langat, has published a notice to the effect that all claims



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About 70 per cent of the
perishable goods handed back
As a general rule, a check is made to see if the
genuine nature of the goods is
ed to produce purchase
ceipts, but any claimant is
able to satisfy the particular officer
is allowed to take
her property.
Government will
paying compensation
sons detained under Regulation 17c
Regulation 17c
Regarding detention
David said that
use at Ipoh, Port
Tanjong Bruas,
Kluang and Majed in
Bahrū. The case
Bras is in prison
down and will shortly be
for other purposes.
Detainees are graded
to the degree of the estimate
risk to public security which
would be involved
released.
At Feb. 29 this year there
6483 Chinese, 116 Malays
Indians, 73 Thais
in these camps.



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