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TANGANYIKA (MAFIA ISLAND).

1915 (Jan.), 2 1/2 Heller brown to 3 Rupees, blue-black and red of German East Africa, (10 values), handstamped "G.R.Mafia" in black on all values except the 2 1/2 Heller, which is in violet-black and was never issued in black, S.G. M1-M10(A), Michel 1-10(a), Gibbs 1A-10A, unused with part original gum, are in my opinion genuine.

The 1 Mark is a corner sheet margin stamp; the 45 Heller has the left hand corner perforation defective.

A very rare set.

