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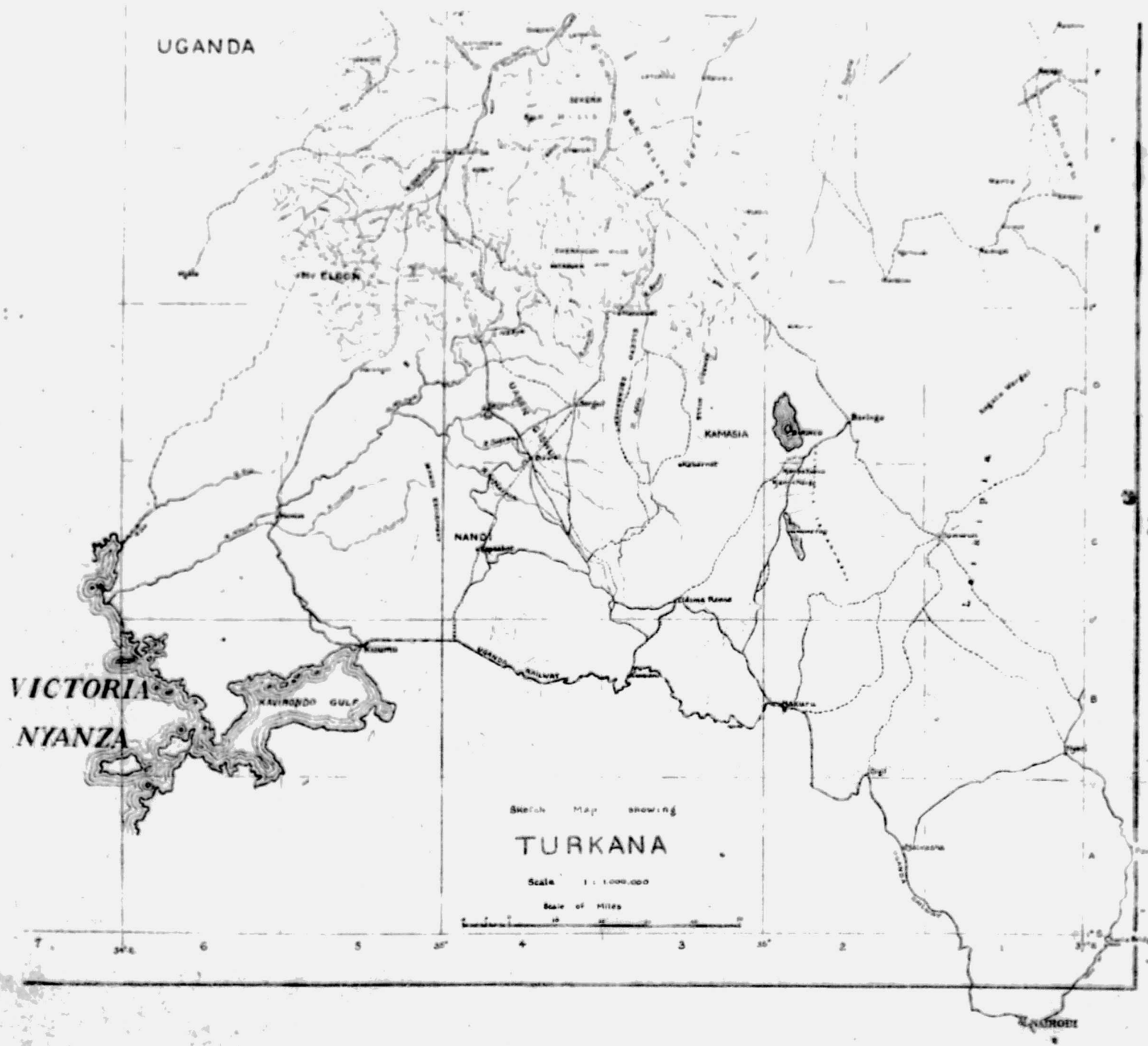
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Sketch Map showing

TURKANA

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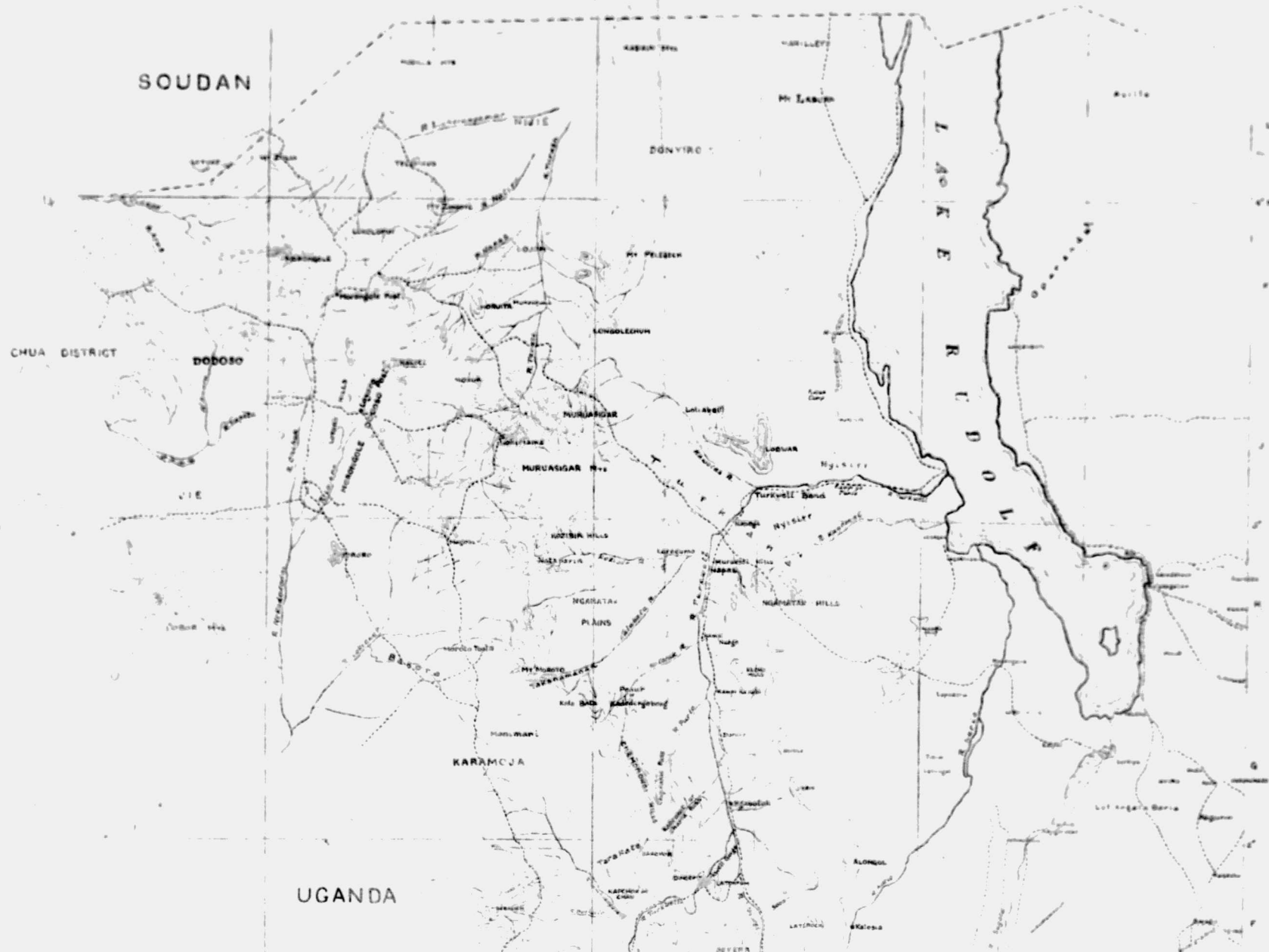
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Reference Sketch Map showing Turkana enclosed
with precis of 26th May.

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Gazetteer of places mentioned in the precis
regarding Turkana Unrest dated May 26th 1917.

N.B. Places underlined are not mentioned
in the Map.

Kacheliba	E. 4.
Lekiriana	J. 5.
Napasa	H. 4.
Kabrakot Pass	G. 4.
Chamerong'i Hills	G. 4.
Pemar Pass	G. 4.
Katorak River	H. 4.
River Turkwell	H. 4.
<u>River Kobukor</u>	<u>H. 4.</u>
Lorogamo	H. 4.
River Kozibir	H. 4.
Dodoco	K:J. 7.
Loliabe	J. 4 (?)
Mernasigar	J. 5.
Lomolecham	K. 4.
Tarash	K:J. 5.
Moroto	H. 5.

Reference sketch map showing Turkana enclosed
with Precis of 26th May 1917.

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Gazetteer of places mentioned in the precis
regarding Turkana Unrest for the period December
1916 to April 8th 1917 and dated 14th May 1917.

Kapwalas	J.3: 4.
Samburru	F.W. 1.
Nyisirr	J. 3.
Maruessi Hill	H. 4.
Lokiriama	J. 5.
Laburr	L. 3.
Dedoo	K:J. 7.
Morenkwole	K. 5.
Pelesoch	K. 4.
Takanashanan	H:G. 5.
Karaboja	G. 5.
Perur	G. 4.
Mambotok	G. 4.
Kacheliba	B. 4.
Napasa	H. 4.
Fosibirr River	H. 4.
Chekarat Pass	G. 4.
Kabrokot Pass	G. 4.
Lodwar Hill	J.3: 4.
Turkwell Gorge	F. 4.

A general review of the raids shows that the Turkana have, during the months of February, March and April successfully carried off between ten and fifteen thousand head of cattle, very few of which have been recovered.

The Ngusatak Turkana have undoubtedly assisted their tribesmen from the North, and have now, themselves, moved northwards towards LOLIABE and east of MORUALIPAR and LONGELCHIM.

The Farash Turkana are moving in towards LOKIRIAMA and have expressed Loyalty to the Government.

On May 3rd. there were at LOKIRIAMA

2 British Officers and 81 Rank and file B. Company } 1/5
 1 British Officer and 76 Rank and file A. Company } K.A.P.
 and one British Officer and 24 Rank and file A Company.
 1/5 King's African Rifles were en route to LOKIRIAMA via MOROTO.

Captain Rainsford with his Company, being overdue for relief were due to leave LOKIRIAMA at the beginning of May, after handing over the station to Captain Rayne.

Messrs. Crampton and Boulderson left LOKIRIAMA on 29th April and were due to arrive at KACHLIBA on 12th May.

26th May, 1917.

were found amongst the captured stock.

Captain Rayne and Mr. Crampton proceeded North to NAPASS. Mr. Trafford, having got into touch with Captain Rainsford, had crossed River Turkwell and joined that officer at LOROGUMU on River KOIBIR.

After a delay of one day owing to the flooded state of River Turkwell, Captain Rayne and Mr. Crampton crossed River Turkwell on April 18th and on the 19th joined Captain Rainsford at LOROGUMU there also finding Lieutenant Raikes and Mr. Trafford.

ON APRIL 21st. Captain Rainsford, with Lieut. Raikes and 51 Rank and File, accompanied by Mr. Trafford, left LOROGUMU to collect an additional fine from the NGAMATAK Turkana. Captain Rayne and Mr. Crampton left LOROGUMU for LOKIRIAMA, arriving on April 26th.

ON APRIL 23rd. Mr. Boulderson intercepted raiders from DODOSO 12 miles from LOKIRIAMA recapturing four hundred head of cattle. On the morning of APRIL 24th Mr. Boulderson was attacked by the raiders who came out of their fortification to meet him, only retiring inside when he opened fire, and subsequently making a determined stand. Articles abandoned by the raiders and captured by Mr. Boulderson point to the fact that the leaders were not Turkana and it is probable that all the raids which have taken place during March and April have been organised by what are known as Swahili outlaws from Southern Abyssinia.

April 26th. The camp at LOROGUMU, on River KOIBIR guarded by twenty police was attacked by armed parties of Abyssinians and Swahilis. These were driven off leaving behind many loads of food and sugar, and several handkerchief cartridges. One Abyssinian was killed and one policeman wounded.

TURKANA UNREST.

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Reports received during the weeks ending May 4th, 11th, 18th and 25th, and dealing with the period April 2nd to May 3rd.

Captain Rayne left KACHELIBA for LOKIRIAMA on April 2nd. He was joined, on April 3rd by Messrs. Crampton and Trafford, and it was decided that the whole force, consisting of 3 British Officers and 106 Rifles should proceed to LOKIRIAMA via NAPASS, the objective being to attack raiders wherever found and to inflict punishment on the NGEMATAK Turkana for assisting the raiders.

The party proceeded via KABROKOT Pass, over CHEMORONGI Hills to the Mouth of PENUR Pass, thence down the KATOROK River reaching River TURKWEEL on the 13th April. No Turkana were encountered between the CHEMORONGI Hills and River Turkwell, but several deserted Manyattas were seen.

April 15th. Mr. Trafford, accompanied by 26 Rank and File, K.A.R. and 30 Police proceeded to NAPASS patrolling both banks of River Turkwell. Captain Rayne and Mr. Crampton with fifty rifles swung East of River Turkwell into NGEMATAK country. Some NGEMATAK Turkana were encountered on the dry bed of River KOBOKOR. No resistance was offered and stock amounting to 50 donkeys, 37 camels, 244 head of cattle, about 3000 sheep and goats was captured, together with 5 men and 8 women. No Turkana were killed or wounded.

April 16th. Mr. Crampton released the prisoners and returned the sheep and goats, retaining the cattle, camels and donkeys. Several raided Suk cattle were

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23 JUL 17

May 31st, 1917.

CONFIDENTIAL

Sir,

Handwritten initials and date: 3/25/17

With reference to my Confidential despatch No. 81 dated the 14th May 1917, I have the honour to transmit herewith a summary of events relating to unrest in Turkana covering the period April 2nd to May 3rd.

PrecisMap

2. A sketch map showing Turkana and gazetteers indicating the locality of places named in the summaries are also transmitted.

3. Both the sketch map and precis have been prepared by Mr. G. R. Sandford, Assistant District Commissioner, who is temporarily employed in the Secretariat.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your humble, obedient servant,

Handwritten signature of J. H. G. G. G.
ACTING GOVERNOR.

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE

WALTER LONG, P.C., M.P.,

SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES,

DOWNING STREET,

LONDON, S.W.