

1928

*Kenya
Somaliland*

No. *13019*

SUBJECT

CO 533/374

*Abyssinian Raids into Kenya
Cones as to Publication of White Paper*

Previous

4/10/25/27

Subsequent

12/15/27

Kenya & Somaliland

it is for the consideration of the form
have prepared (a summary of all the
reads to Kenya, Sudan, Uganda, etc.)
will meet with the points

I have now prepared a summary
of the Kenya reads from the material
in X 5526 (2025) or X 70115/12. The
relevant part sent home, however, seems to
require a good deal of elucidation,
I have drawn up a note of the points
which have struck me. I submit a
draft after speaking to you.

G.F. Sear
11/2/48

his sell has spent much time in
collecting his m/f.

After doing so, he discussed the
matter with me, & the annexed
drafts are the result of an
examination of the m/f available.

It is going to publish the
White Paper, but we, & all that
we have been asked to do
to supply the m/f forwarded to
Kenya.

It appears from the m/f that

both the m/f and the summary
and inaccurate names, & I feel
sure that the m/f will say that
the summaries must be returned to
Kenya for revision before they can
be published.

That is for the m/f which
the present d/f cover adequately what
is required so far as we are
concerned. We shall have some further
the details with some care, & I
don't think you need trouble to
make through them.

Guspatrick
11/2/48

I have made no or two additional
& alterations after discussion with

Regy. unless you think it is
necessary to do it.
at home 15/2/48

4 To O O (10) Schedules copy (10) and copy (10) 17 FEB 1948

the copy enclosed to be printed deep
black. It may regarding said
interdiction

This may be put by?

Continued by

15. Partly
Question by Mr. Richardson. Mr. Bon. P.D. Hill

14. Yes. This is for P.D. to
incorporate in the White Paper

20.

to be a notice

16. November 1944. 342. 22. Nov. 1944

Submits revised summary of case of
Abyssinians for inclusion in the White Paper,
and explains extent of amendment of his
original summary.

This is the revised version of the
Schedules which I drew up & which
were sent to the Govt in No. 10.

Local Govt appear to have
taken some trouble at last with them
and the edition in which they
compact and generally satisfactory
I think it can be sent to P.D. who
will now presumably be in a
position to proceed to publish the
White Paper.

I now send dupl. despatch and enclosure
to P.D. reference No 11.

Suggest to raise of the Gov's remark
in § 3 that (a footnote should be added
to the schedule of raids to the Moyale
District (Schedule II), that the expression
"Tigre" is used to denote Abyssinian subjects
originating in the Tigre highlands.

Also draw attention to § 24 of the
Gov's despatch, and say that S. J. S.
observes that in the return of raids in the
Sudan, enclosed with No. 14 the names
of individual British Officers are frequently
mentioned. Say that the Govt of Kenya's
action in deleting the names of individual
officers in its last para. 3.

The AFE enclosed with No. 4, suggests that
the cases of Sir Austin Chamberlain may imply
consider the desirability of amending
the Sudan return so as to preserve
uniformity in this respect.

Add that S. J. S. will be prepared
to assist, if necessary, in the revision
of the drafts of the White Paper in so far
as concerns the sections dealing with
Kenya & Somaliland.

Ask say if's written to others

appreciation of the care which has been taken in respect of the ^{return} which has now been communicated to FO for inclusion in the White Paper.

Return to make for
in getting on
with sign off

Mr. Daghlig was a return

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20.7.78

cc Parmesan

20.7.78

above

My

1/2 of 6 (under 10) 31 JUL 1978

31 JUL 1978

Mr. Daghlig

Mr. Behrens (FO) came on this morning. They are ready to print the White Paper, but suggested that the covering dispatches to the Somaliland and Kenya Returns respectively i.e. nos 13-16 on (then file) should or perhaps be included. No 16 is clearly unsuitable for inclusion.

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and stands as it refers to the revision & amendment which have been necessary. As regards No 13, there is no point in including it, & it is intentionally Confidential.

After discussion with Mr. Behrens we agreed that a formal letter might be sent to FO, purporting to transmit the two Returns, so that F.O. can print it together with the Returns in the White Paper. By this means publication of nos 13-16 of the letters to the FO of 23 June & 31 July respectively can be avoided.

I submit herewith

14/8/78

FO would sanction to cover the Kenya & Somaliland returns, so as to counterbalance the scoop from Cairo & Khartoum covering the Sudan returns which they are publishing.

Yours truly

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Foreign Office 11 Sept 1928
The copy of White Paper respecting
Hindustani Words and Inclusions into
British Dictionary. Glad to hear of any
amendments or suggestions.

I have found at one conclusion
to make after a careful comparison
with the list behind no 18 & 13

I understand that the substitution
of capital letters in for 'rer' in
the Hind. Words is correct.

return as in of the
S. H. H.
17/9

See further slight amendments
on pp 2 & 30, for which I have
amended the draft.

Also on the last page, I am
not sure that the word "ghi",
twice occurring, is not more
commonly spelt "ghee" in English,
though "ghi" is apparently correct
in Hindustani (Concise O.P. Dictionary)

S. H. H.
13 Sept 28
- and returned - 18 SEP 1928

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Abyssinia No. 1 (1928)

CORRESPONDENCE

respecting

Abyssinian Raids and Incursions into British Territory and the Anglo-Egyptian Sudan

[In continuation of "Abyssinia No. 1 (1925)", Cmd. 2553]

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[In continuation of "Abyssinia No. 1 (1926)," Cmd. 2653.]

No. 1.

Mr. Bontinck to Sir Austen Chamberlain.

Sir, Addis Ababa, March 12, 1928.
I HAVE the honour to inform you that the negotiations concerning the raids by Abyssinian subjects into Kenya Colony are now finished, and that the Ethiopian Government have agreed to pay 316,784 Maria Theresa dollars (approximately £21,578) as compensation. They have paid 150,000 Maria Theresa dollars down, and the balance is to be paid by the 31st March, 1929.

2. I have also discussed in a friendly manner the question of the future administration of Southern Abyssinia, and a memorandum in which I incorporated some private and unofficial suggestions on this subject has been favourably received by the Director-General of Foreign Affairs. The Ethiopian Government have by these tokens done their best to mend recent wrongs and show a real desire to encourage cordial relations between the two Governments.

I have, &c.

C. H. BONTINCK.

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Cairo, March 24, 1928.

Enclosure 1 in No. 2.

Sir John Maffey to Lord Lloyd.

My Lord, Khartoum, February 28, 1928.
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Sir,
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I HAVE the honour to inform you that the negotiations concerning the raids by Abyssinian subjects into Kenya Colony are now finished, and that the Ethiopian Government have agreed to pay £16,784 Maria Theresa dollars (approximately £21,578) as compensation. They have paid 150,000 Maria Theresa dollars down, and the balance is to be paid by the 31st March, 1922.

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Sudan territory from 1915 onwards and to your Lordship's telegram of the 24th February* to the effect that this summary should cover the last fifteen years.

2. I forward herewith the summary in question, which embraces with approximate completeness all instances in which violations of the frontier by armed Abyssinian subjects have come to the notice of the Sudan Government during the years 1913-27.

3. Your Lordship will observe that these raids, which are of varying degrees of seriousness, fall into four distinct classes:—

- (1.) Incidents arising out of the unsettled condition of the Abyssinian district of Beni Shangul and the warfare between the local feudatory chiefs in that area.
- (2.) Tax-collecting raids in districts claimed by the local Abyssinian authorities to be within Abyssinian territory.
- (3.) Incursions of poachers into the hunting grounds on the Dinder River and Khor Galaga.
- (4.) Incursions of Abyssinian, Swahili and Baluchi poachers, based on Maji, into Mozambique Province. The presence of these elements within Sudan territory may be described as almost continuous and it is probable that not all incidents have been reported.

I have, &c.
J. L. MAFFEY,
Governor-General of the Sudan.

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Ex. Paper 2 of No. 2

RETURN OF RAIDS INTO SUDAN TERRITORY

I.—FUGG PROVINCE

No. Record	Reporters	Place.	Week & Month.	Sudan Cavalry Companies and Persons Captured.	Incidents' Casualties and Persons Captured.	Remarks.
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1 Dec. 1917	Abyssinian Agents of Khartoum (Beni Shangul)	Near Warragura, latitude of Khartoum longitude 33° 56'	Nil	Nil	Nil	None
2c. 1918	Abyssinian poachers	Regent on River Dinder	Nil	Nil	Nil	10 killed and 10 wounded
3 April 1918	Abyssinian people of Beni-shangul about 45 miles from Beni-shangul	Bancana in Ellet Terraco.	Nil	Nil	Nil	3 killed and 10 wounded

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1 - TEXAS PROVINCES - (continued)

No. in serial	Participants	Place	Abd. & Loot	Slaves, Children, Captives and Persons Captured	Badgers' Comments and Personal Capture	Remarks
15	20 - Abyssinians under Doge and Akbarul	On the Abassi River	NI	NI	NI	Slavery expression noted are without, but Abyssinians driven back. This is presumed to be a reprisal for the death of the brother of Doge and Akbarul, who was killed by all very patrol in the preceding year.
16	Abysinnians	Khad Gleson	NI	One man, called "Omirat" with a "cabin" and "One man's leg broken"	NI	A party of about 20 Abysinnians from Khat Gleson (near Doka in Gekko District) was attacked by a band of armed Abyssinians. Several Abysinnians were taken to have been in the hands of their abductees.
17	Abysinnians - Some 300 rifles under Klamers & Gany, On and Weyman, (all officers of Professional Troop)	Elber Dees Werra Gars (S. W. N. 83-82 E.) near Ghar and other villages	NI	10 - Berma men (including Chief Stella - Kongo) near (Khalis and Tingo) 1 woman, and 2 children, all abducted	NI	This raid is normally in a collection of tribes.
18	Abysinnian poachers	On Olikha River	NI	NI	1 killed, 1 man, 1 child	Poachers from Gekko District Abassi provinces killed 1

19	Abysinnian poachers	On Abassi River	NI	NI	NI	A party of about 20 Abysinnians from Gekko District Abassi provinces killed 1
20	26 Abyssinians	On the Abassi River	NI	NI	2 killed & wounded	Party captured by the Dinka
21	19 Abyssinians poachers	Next Gekko District	NI	NI	NI	Slaves are captured by the Dinka
22	6 Abyssinians poachers	Next Dinker Post	NI	NI	NI	Slaves are captured by the Dinka
23	18 Abyssinians poachers	Dinka	NI	NI	NI	Slaves are captured by the Dinka
24	18 Abyssinians poachers	Measur - Zera	NI	NI	NI	Slaves are captured by the Dinka
25	20 Abyssinians poachers	Dinker and Khat Gleson	Large quantities of ivory and skins	NI	NI	Slaves are captured by the Dinka
26	20 Abyssinians poachers	Dinker and Khat Gleson	Large quantities of ivory and skins	NI	NI	Slaves are captured by the Dinka

Colonial Office to Foreign Office

Dropping Sheet, August 16, 1928

Sir, I am directed by Mr. Secretary Amery to transmit to you to be laid before the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the accompanying returns which have been furnished by the Governors of Kenya and Somaliland, giving particulars of raids from Abyssinia into Kenya and Somaliland respectively, which have taken place since the beginning of 1926.

I am, &c.

A. C. G. PARKINSON

Enclosure 1 in No. 3.

RETURN OF RAIDS INTO KENYA

I.—MANDERA DISTRICT.

No.	Date	Perpetrators	Place	Stocks Lost	Kenya Casualties	Raiders Casualties	Remarks
1	April 1921	Dagodis from Odau	Bivan Dava	5 donkeys	1 Gureeh woman wounded		
2	Aug. 4, 1921	200-300 Somalis from the Ogadaa Province, armed with rifles and spears	Nehoi (within sight of the "bomas")		5 men and 1 woman (Gureeh) killed	14 killed and many wounded; 5 rifles captured	
3	October 1921	Dirre Buras from Abyssinia	Near Baalasa		2 men and 1 woman (Gureeh) killed		
4	Dec. 1921	Dagodis from Odau	Kalcho	1 camel	1 Gabbra killed		
5	Jan. 1922	Dagodis from Odau	Nehoi	6 camels (4 recovered by military)			1 wounded
6	Feb. 1922	Somalis from the Ogadaa Province	Una	50 oxen (20 remaining in the Gureeh territory (Allis recovered by this country))			

1 - MANDERA DISTRICT - (continued)

No.	Date	Perpetrators	Place	Stocks lost	Deaths	Injuries	Remarks
7	March 1922	Somalis from the Ogaden Province	Dolo	Unspecified number of camels belonging to the Gurraha Murrah. (All recovered) (in the camp)	3	1	Two camels recovered
8	April 1922	Somalis from the Ogaden Province	Uua	60 cattle (All recovered)	2 men and 1 woman (Gurraha Murrah) killed	2 killed	
9	May 1922	Boys from Dolo	Bessire	15 heads of goats	5 men killed (Gurraha)	5 killed	
10	October 1922	Boys from Odaa	Maha-Safara	1 cattle	1 Gurraha wounded	1 killed	
11	Dec. 1922	Somalis from the Ogaden Province	Ben-Gelambah	22 camels (some subsequently returned through the Abyssinian frontier at Dolo-Bolla)			
12	Jan. 1923	Boys from Odaa	Mandera		1 Gurraha severely injured		Dak was on way of returning to a camp in the Mandaia district. Given up the trip.

13	March 1923	Somalis from the Ogaden Province	Ben-Safra	All unspecified number of cattle (All subsequently recovered)	1 man killed and 5 women - 1 mortally - wounded	2 wounded	
14	March 1923	Somalis from the Ogaden Province	Near River Dava	200 cattle (Recovered by military)			
15	Jan. 6 1924	Somalis from the Ogaden Province	Uua (near Neka)	300 head of goats, many cattle belonging to Gurraha (Nearly all recovered by military)			
16	Dec. 1924	About 300 not identified	Kalaha				
17	Jan. 5 1925	Somalis from the Ogaden Province	Kalaha and Bessire		1 Gurraha killed and 2 severely wounded	2 killed	
18	March 1925	Somalis from the Ogaden Province	Kalaha-Bessire	250 cattle belonging to Gurraha			
19	Jan. 1925	8 Abyssinian soldiers absorbed under the authority of the sanitary service Gabriel	Dolja	12 camels, 40-50 sheep and goats killed			

I - MANDERA DISTRICT (Continued)

No.	Date	Parties/Forces	Place	Stock, etc. Looted	Kenya Casualties	Madaya Casualties	Remarks
22	Feb. 1924	9 Abyssinian soldiers reported to be acting under the authority of Fitzroy Waldi Gabriel	Near Baitisa	40-50 sheep and goats	Gurrah killed 1, Dchikram son killed, 1 died of wounds, and 1 wounded		
23	Feb. 1923	12 Abyssinians shot down under Aba Wasmu, reported to be acting under the authority of Fitzroy Waldi Gabriel	Dazzolu Karbu Madai	3 rams, 2 sheep, 10 goats and 2 cows			
24	Mar. 11 1923	25 Somali Abyssinians	Gambaha	200 heads			
25	Mar. 17 1924	100-200 Somalis from Abyssinian territory	Dirchika	500 cattle and 2,000 sheep and goats	2 men killed and 2 wounded, 1 woman killed and 2 wounded		

26	Mar. 31 1926	4000 Somalis from Abyssinian territory	Kalaha	500-700 cattle, 2,500 sheep and goats, 1,700-2,000 heads of cattle and 1,000-1,500 goats	4 civilian Gurrah and 3 police killed		
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Note: Raids prior to 1921 are included under the Mandera District and are not included in this report.

II - SOLEA DISTRICT

27	Feb. 1916	Tigre	Kalaha	30 rams, 2 cows	10 men and 4 women killed, 1 woman and 4 women wounded, 2 boys mutilated		
28	March 1917	Tigre and Gabbu Hidden	Gabbu		7 Boran men and 4 Ajaran women captured and held in prison		
29	Aug. 1917	Tigre	Sololo		1 Boran killed and 3 killed		
30	Aug. 1917	Tigre	Kalaha		1 Government soldier wounded, 1 Askari soldier killed, 1 boy wounded		

The price of Kancha varies from 100 to 150 dollars

The term "Tigre" has a different meaning than the meaning of "banditti" and pure the present report is to present summary of the "Tigre" only as applying to the present situation in the Solea District.

II. MOUNTAIN DISTRICTS—(continued)

No.	Date	Perpetrators	Places	Prisoners	Konyak, Dismalities	Rescues, Casualties	Remarks
6	Jan. 1918	Abyssinians or Tigre	Kilba	9 bulls of which 4 belong to the Gurezi and 5 to the caravan	1 Somali killed		
7	Sept. 1918	Tigre	Soleto	10 caravans	1 Askari killed	1 killed and wounded	
8	Sept. 1918	Boyan of Aba Gud-Boya	Bite	200 cattle and 70 camels	1 Ajuran killed		
9	October 1918	Abyssinians of Tigre	Gurezi	500 camels and 2000 mules	1 man and 2 boys captured		
10	October 1918	Tigre and Dirre	Dantla	300 camels and 2000 mules			
11	October 1918	Abyssinians of Garamatuk	Hida Ibbi	300 camels and 2000 mules	3 Boran (1 of whom had his ear cut off) captured and 200 mules		
12	October 1918	Gash	Soleto				
13	Jan. 1919	Abyssinians of Garamatuk	Moyale	Cattle (number unspecified) and sheep, recovered by military			
14	May 1919	Tigre, Dirre, Aba Gud-Boya and Karamatuk	Moyale	Cattle (number unspecified) and sheep, recovered by military	2 Askaris killed and 1 wounded	7 killed	
15	March 1919	Tigre, Dirre, Aba Gud-Boya and Karamatuk	El-Omdhaka		4 Askaris wounded	17 killed (Abyssinians reported 30 killed)	
16	April 1919	Qizilbash and Tigre	Yar Kari		67 Bendite killed	17 killed	
17	May 1919	Tigre	Yar Kari		1 Ayce killed		
18	August 1919	Tigre	Yar Kari		1 Boran and 1 man and 2 camels captured		
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II—MORALE DISTRICT (continued)

No.	Date	Perpetrators	Place	Stock, etc. Lost	Kovya Casualties	Raiders' Casualties	Remarks
34	Feb. 20, 1921	20-30 Abyssinians	Salo	2 frails of cattle (All but 18 head were returned through action of Northern Frontier Constabulary)		All captives probably released	
35	Sept. 12, 1922	Abyssinians	Sololo	200 cattle (All recaptured by military)			
36	October, 1922	Abyssinians	Between Godoma and Gaddadma	80 sheep and goats			
37	October, 1922	Abyssinians	Gaddadma	Cloth	1 Borna wounded		
38	Nov. 13, 1922	Abyssinians	Kupa Wells	3 frails of cattle (2 frails were returned and 10 cattle and 2 abbeys captured by military)			
39	Nov. 14, 1922	Abyssinians	Dutaneh	7 panels of which 4 were returned	2 men and 3 women (Borna captured and subsequently released)		1 killed
40	July 20, 1925	Abyssinian clerics of Bisanari Wajja Gabiel	Salo Wells	7 frails of cattle (All recovered by military)			

III—MARGABIT DISTRICT

No.	Date	Perpetrators	Place	Stock, etc. Lost	Kovya Casualties	Raiders' Casualties	Remarks
1	April 1919	Gambha from Butul Province	Gurguwa	7 camels and 1 horse	57 Rendalle killed		
2	Sept. 1925	Gambha and Abyssinians from Radol Province	Motte	4,000-5,500 camels	20 killed and 1 wounded (Bendata, Gabbera and Borna)		
3	June 24, 1927	Abyssinians	Bugaga	1 camel, 18 sheep and goats and 1 rifle	1 policeman killed and 3 wounded		4 killed and several wounded

IV—TURKANA DISTRICT

1	Sept. 1925	Abyssinians aided by armed Northern Turkana	Loikel (near Lolima)	About 500 head of camels, 1 elephant and 500 sheep	3 men killed and 100 wounded	4 Abyssinians and 1 Turkana killed and 1 Abyssinian and 11 Turkana captured	
2	Nov. 1925	Abyssinians led by Kanvuzmatol Lakh, who had been on a visit to the Kavir pool at Karum and perpetrated this outrage on his return journey	Natelele	300 cattle (600 in Kavir) and numerous sheep and goats	3 men killed and 100 wounded		

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and address of the Secretary of State, London, E.C. 4.
The Under Secretary of State, Foreign Office, London, E.C. 4.

THE Under Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs presents his
compliments to the Under Secretary of State for
the Colonies and, by direction of the Secretary of State,
transmits herewith copy of the under-mentioned paper.

Foreign Office,
18th October 1928

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<p>Beltingburgh Commissioner at base no. 724 of 2nd Oct</p>	<p>Proposed White Paper respecting Anglo-German roads into British territory</p>

Similar letter sent to ✓

1914,

The reference to your meeting, August 1st, 1914 (S. 1220/117) at Singapore was a letter from London dated London 1st August 1914 which the Acting Governor-General had asked me to offer in regard to the point of the title paper Egyptian Egyptian title and independent title British territory, which was enclosed thereto, in that the words "and the Anglo-Egyptian Sudan" should be added to the title.

The point of the title is a matter of which we are not concerned by the Sudan Government. In answer thereto.

I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Yours faithfully,
1914.

Yours obediently,
W. H. GARE.

(Sd) W. H. GARE.

ACTING GOVERNOR-GENERAL.

The Right Honorable
The Secretary

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1509-18 Kenya
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Mississippi alone 16 July 1974

Dear Behrens

As promised on the 16th

August I enclose an official letter purporting to be from the Behrens of Kenya and Somaliland regarding Algerian guards. Attached you have already received

under cover of our letter

no 1509-18 of the 25th June and 31st July respectively. We

understand that you will find the Behrens in the White Paper with this letter now enclosed

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Mr. Chamberlain
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THE SECRETARY OF STATE
FOR
FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Sir,

In reference to the letter from
this Department No. 15019/26 of the 24th
March regarding the proposed publication
of a White Paper on the subject of the
raids by Abyssinians ^{into} British
territory, I am etc. to transmit to you
to be laid before Secretary Sir Austen
Chamberlain, the aadg. copy of a despatch
from the Governor of Kenya enclosing
a revised summary of the raids which
have taken place ^{into} Kenya Territory
since the 1st Jan^y 1916
~~Special Circular letter 1916~~

2. In view of the Governor's remarks

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Chamberlain's consideration that, in incorporating the Summary in the proposed White Paper, a footnote should be added to the schedule of raids into the Moyale District (Schedule II), that the expression "Tigre" is used to denote Abyssinian subjects ^{whose} originating in the Tigre ~~Highlands~~.

3. With regard to para. 2(d)

of the despatch, the Secretary of State observes that in the return of raids into the Sudan, of which a copy was enclosed with your letter No. J.1712/119/1

of the 31st of May, the names of individual British officers are frequently mentioned.

The action of the Governor of Kenya in

deleting the names of individuals ^{from the Kenya Summary} is in

~~accordance with~~ ^{seems to have been taken in consequence of} para. 2(d) of the note enclosed in the letter from this Dept.

of the 17th of February, and I am to suggest

that, in the circs., Sir Austen Chamberlain

the meeting and Sudan returned amended
50 and to preserve uniformity in this
respect.

4. I am to add that the Secretary
of State will be prepared to assist,
if necessary, in the revision of the
proofs of the White Paper insofar as
concerns the sections dealing with
Kenya and Somaliland etc.

I am, etc..

(Signed)

GEORGE PARKINSON



GOVERNMENT HOUSE,
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KENYA.

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KENYA.

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Sir,

With reference to your Confidential despatch of the 15th of March on the subject of raids by Abyssinians, I have the honour to submit, for inclusion in the proposed White Paper, a summary revised on the lines indicated in your letter

Summary

No. 4

No. 15019/28 of the 17th of February to the Foreign Office and the reply from the Foreign Office No. J.597/119/1 of the 1st of March.

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2. The original summary has been amended generally in the following manner:-

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(a) Raids in 1926 have been excluded as have those whose local origin is not definitely Abyssinian or in which the perpetrators were not known to be definitely and exclusively either Abyssinians or Abyssinian subjects.

No raid appears twice in the present summary and two raids of a trivial nature, of which no details are recorded, have been omitted.

(b) The statement retains its original form of arrangement by districts, but uniformly has been observed in the column headings and it has been found possible to distribute among the other headings most of the information previously contained in the "Remarks" column which is used in the present summary only for the record of some peculiar circumstance in connexion with a raid.

(c) Graphical errors have been corrected and all abbreviations and obscure terms avoided. Unessential details have also been eliminated.

(d) The names of individuals have been retained only in cases where they are an important means of identification.

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THE RIGHT HONOURABLE,
LIEUTENANT COLONEL LE M. S. AMERY, P.C., M.P.,
SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE COLONIES,
DOWNING STREET,
LONDON, S.W.

3. With regard to the use of the descriptions "Tigre" and "Abyssinians", I am advised that the generic distinction is one which is recognised in Abyssinia and should properly be retained in the statement. It is, however, a fact that the term "Tigre" has acquired, on the frontier, the meaning of "bandits" and care has been taken in the present summary to use "Tigre" only as applying to people whose origin is in the Tigre Highlands.

4. You will observe that the limitation of raids included herein to those perpetrated exclusively by Abyssinians or Abyssinian subjects has reduced the list of raids in the Turkana District from eight to two. I trust, however, that the publication of this statement may in no way be held to prejudice any future consideration of the fact that the majority of these raids are attributable to the presence of a large number of Abyssinian subjects in the Turkana District. It is the policy of the British Government to extend the limits of the Turkana District to the north and east of the present boundaries.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient, humble servant,

Edward Gigg

G O V E R N O R .

MANDERA DISTRICT

No.	Date	Perpetrators	Place	Stock etc. looted	Kenya Casualties	Raiders Casualties	Remarks
1.	April, 1921	Degodia from Oddo	River Dawa	6 donkeys	1 Gurreh woman wounded		
2.	4th August, 1921	200-300 Somalis from the Ogaden Province armed with rifles and spears	Nebel (within sight of the 'boma')		8 men and 1 woman (Gurreh) killed	14 killed and many wounded. Two rifles captured.	
3.	October, 1921	Dirra Boran from Aboacina	Near 3-irra		2 men and 1 woman (Gurreh) killed		
4.	December, 1921	Degodia from Oddo	Khalicha	1 camel	1 Gabbra killed		
5.	January, 1922	Degodia from Oddo	Nebel	6 camels (5 recovered by military)		1 wounded	
6.	February, 1922	Somalis from the Ogaden Province	Una	60 cattle belonging to the Gurreh Murreh (All recovered by the Gurreh)			
7.	March, 1922	Somalis from the Ogaden Province	Doko	50 camels (20 recovered by military)			Two separate raids.
9.	April, 1922	Somalis from the Ogaden Province	Unsi	50 cattle (All recovered)	2 men and 1 woman (Gurreh Murreh) killed	2 killed	
10.	May, 1922	Degodia from Oddo	Bissika	15 kraals of goats	5 men killed (Gurreh)		

No.	Date	Perpetrators	Place	Stock etc. looted	Karya Casualties	Raiders' Casualties	Remarks
11	October, 1922	Desodis from Odo	Nata Safara	7 cattle	1 Gurrah wounded		
12	December, 1922	Somalis from the Ogaden Province	Rer gelannen	92 cattle (Some subsequently returned through the Abyssinian in charge at Dolo-Bai)			
13	January, 1923	Desodis from Odo	Mandera		1 Government Syce murdered		This was by way of retaliation for a raid in this trade previously given by the syce
14	9th March, 1923	Somalis from the Ogaden Province	Nata Safara	An unspecified number of cattle (All subsequently returned)	1 man killed and 5 women mortally wounded	3 killed and 2 captured and subsequently killed	
15	March, 1923	Somalis from the Ogaden Province	Near River Dawa				An attack on the incoming mail which was, however, beaten off
16	7th January, 1924	Somalis from the Ogaden Province	Jirma (near Neboi)	100 cattle. (Recovered by military)		2 wounded	
17	December, 1924	About 300 - not identified	Kalicha	3,000 head of stock, mainly cattle, belonging to Gurrah. Nearly all recovered by military		10 killed and 9 wounded	
18 19	3rd January, 1925	Somalis from the Ogaden Province	Kalicha and Bissika	3 kresals of cattle	1 Gurrah killed and 2 severely wounded. 2 of King's African Rifles wounded	23 killed	Two raids.
20	March, 1925	Somalis from the Ogaden Province	Kalicha Bissika	250 cattle belonging to Gurrah			
21	January, 1926	6 Abyssinian soldiers, reported to be acting under the authority of Fitaurari Walde Gabriel	Golje	12 camels, 40-50 sheep and goats, 4 rifles			

No.	Date	Perpetrators	Place	Stock etc. looted	Kanya Casualties	Raiders' Casualties	Remarks
22.	February, 1926	9 Abyssinian soldiers reported to be acting under the authority of Witaaurari Walde Gabriel	Near Bahissa	40-50 sheep and goats	1 Gurreh killed, 1 Policeman killed, 1 died of wounds and 1 wounded		
23.	February, 1926	12 Abyssinian soldiers under Abu Waganu, reported to be acting under the authority of Witaaurari Walde Gabriel	Daddaha Karna Akad	2 camels, 21 masep and goats and 2 rifles			
24.	11th March, 1926	25 Somalis from Abyssinian territory	Gambisa	200 cattle			
25.	17th March, 1926	150-200 Somalis from Abyssinian territory	Birchika	150 cattle and 2,500 sheep and goats	2 men killed and 2 wounded; 2 women killed and 2 wounded		
26.	31st March, 1926	400 Somalis from Abyssinian Territory	Kalicha	300-600 camels; 2,500 cattle, sheep and goats, 1 rifle and some kit and fatives of the Police. (1,100 game) were recovered	1 Gurreh killed and 2 Police killed		

NOTE: prior to 1921 are included under the Moyale District, of which the Mandera District originally formed part.

II. MOYALE DISTRICT

No.	Date	Perpetrators	Place	Stock and Looted	Kenya Casualties	Soldiers' Casualties	Remarks
1.	October, 1916	Tigre	Kalacha	30 loads of shags	16 men and 4 women killed, 1 man and 1 woman wounded and 2 boys killed.		
2.	March, 1917	Tigre and Gabbra-Haidan	Gondar		7 Boran men and 4 Ajuran women captured and held to ransom.		The price of ransom varied from £ 100 to £ 150.
3.	August, 1917	Tigre	Sololo		1 Boran killed and 1 Government syce wounded.	2 killed	
4.	1917	Tigre	Kalacha		1 Askari and 1 syce wounded.	1 killed	
5.	January, 1918	Abyssinians or Tigre	Kilta	2 rolls of cloth belonging to a Gurreh trading caravan.	1 Somali killed		
6.	September, 1918	Tigre	Sololo		1 Askari killed	1 killed and 1 wounded	
7.	September, 1918	Boran of Ma'rade Mogi	Buta	16 cattle	1 Ajuran killed		
8.	September, 1918	Abyssinians or Tigre	Gurreh	280 cattle and 70 camels belonging to a caravan.	1 man and 2 boys captured		
9.	October, 1918	Tigre and Birta Boran	Dandé	100 cattle belonging to a caravan.			
10.	October, 1918	Abyssinians of Garaz-match Gashi	Riga Lala	40 head of cattle			
11.	October, 1918	Tigre	Sololo		3 Boran (one of whom had his arm cut off) captured and held to ransom.		
12.	January, 1919	Abyssinians of Garaz-match Gashi	Moyale	Cattle (number unspecified). All were recovered by military.			

In agreement with the word to all the other reports in making of the Tigre and Gabbra...

No.	Date	Perpetrators	Place	Stock etc. Lost	Kenya Casualties	Indians Casualties	Remarks
13.	April, 1919	Tigre under Ali Almayu and Waha Eyash	Moyale	Cattle (number unspecified). All recovered by military.	2 askaris killed and 1 wounded	7 killed	
14.	April, 1919	Tigre hunting party under Ali Almayu and Waha Eyash	El Chillaiko		4 askaris wounded	17 killed. (Abyssinians reported 50 killed)	
15.	April, 1919	Galluba from Rudolf Province	near Kadal	Handile stock taken and re-captured by the owners.	67 Handile killed	17 killed	
16.	May, 1919	Tigre	Watitti		1 hyce killed		Attack upon a Government caravan
17.	August, 1919	Tigre	Kara Saku		6 Boran and 1 Gurrak captured and held to ransom. (2 escaped, 3 were rescued and 1 was released after having his ear cut off)		
18.	August, 1919	Tigre and Degodia	Near Muddo		1 askari killed	3 killed	Attack upon a detachment of King's African Rifles
19.	September, 1919	Tigre	Rakko		1 Boran captured and ransomed	6 killed and 2 wounded	Attack upon a Government caravan
20.	10th October, 1919	8 Tigre and 2 Somali	Irsofth	3 camels, all recovered by military		4 killed and 3 wounded	
21.	10th October, 1919	8 Tigre and 2 Somali	Kafi (Dawa River)			2 killed and 300 camels captured	The entire party was held to ransom with the exception of 100 camels which were captured in raid 2018 above.
22.	23rd October, 1919	8 Abyssinians	Near Bata	1 bullock	4 Boran men and 3 women captured. (All were subsequently rescued by military)	1 killed	
23.	7th November, 1919	Abyssinians	Turbi	1 camel killed	1 askari killed	1 killed	Attack upon detachment of King's African Rifles in camp.
24.	November, 1919	9 Abyssinians	Gadnaguma and Gwar		8 Boran, 1 Gurrak and 1 Somali captured and held to ransom. All subsequently escaped.	1 killed by rifle captured by the escaping Somali	

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No.	Date	Perpetrators	Place	Stock etc. looted	Ravage Casualties	Raiders' Casualties	Remarks
35.	12th Septem- ber, 1922	Abyssinians	Sololo	200 cattle (all recaptured) military			
36.	1 October, 1922	Abyssinians	Between Giddama & Geddadums	60 sheep and goats			
37.	1 October, 1922	Abyssinians	Geddamma	Cloth	1 Boran wounded		
38.	15th Novem- ber, 1922	Abyssinians	Kura wells	3 kraals of cattle. 12 kraals were re- turned and 19 cattle and 2 donkeys cap- tured by military			
39.	14th Novem- ber, 1922	Abyssinians	Dikarlet	7 camels, of which 4 were returned	2 men and 3 women (Boran) captured and subsequently returned		
40.	20th July, 1925	Abyssinian soldiers of Fitaurari Waldo Gabriel	Salo Wells	7 kraals of cattle (all recovered by military)		1 killed	

IRA. HARARAT DISTRICT

No.	Date	Perpetrators	Place	Stock etc. looted	Karya casualties	Raiders' casualties	Remarks
1.	14 April 1918	Gallaaba from Badia Trav- lins	Durgumma	camels and 1 horse	1 W. Rendile killed		
2.	November 1918	Gallaaba and Abyssinians from Sudul Province	Mollie	4,000-5,500 camels	25 killed and 5 wounded (Baddia, Gabra and Goran)		
3.	24th June 1927	Abyssinians	Bagaga	1 camel, 10 sheep and goats and 1 rifle	1 Policeman killed and 3 wounded	4 killed and several wounded.	

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21	November, 1925	Abyssinians led by Kenyas- mator Lake who had been on a trip to the Kenya post of Kakama and per- petrated this outrage on his return journey	Sakale	500 cattle, 70 donkeys and numerous sheep and goats	5 men killed and many wounded
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Foreign Office,
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1916	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
December 1917	Abyssinians Agents of Khogali al Hassan (Semi- Changal Chief)	Neat Tawra Dawa lat: 5° 15' N long: 33° 50'	Nil	Nil	Nil	The Neat tribe are subjected to (continuous) harassment. Will be tried for allowing them to move into Abyssinian territory.
February 1918	Abyssinians Peasants	Hegret on R. Dinder	Nil	one of patrol killed	11 killed & 10 wounded. Of the killed were: Sudan Dinka, a well known peasant and brother of Bahin Tawra and the son of Fit-meret, a native of Solon District.	Shiray Pele, an Abyssinian specialist is fired on by some Abyssinian Peasants. Soliman marches with 100 rifles to Dinder Port to arrange death of his son, but abandons project on finding strong force there.
April 1918	Abyssinians People of Khogali al Hassan. About 165 led by Aya of Banga	Demafra in Hillet Tawoch	Nil	Small Tawoch and another man bound & flogged. 1 man, a woman & 5 boys carried off.	Nil	Abyssinians from the R. Dinder (2 miles W. of Jaba) march. The affair is brought to the notice of Khogali al Hassan and list of captured people sent to him.
December 1918	Subordinates of Khogali al Hassan (over led by Mansasa)	Halla and Changa on left bank of Khor Tabus long: 33° 40'	Nil	10 Sudan men and 1 Sudan woman killed.	Nil	These Sudan villages are raided towards the end of December. Mansasa has previously raided the Sudan and Khogal Districts.
	Subordinates of Khogali al Hassan led by Simasha	Waragara	Nil	15 men killed and 5 women carried off.	5 killed	Khogal people raided. Simasha is an old offender.
September 1919	Armed force of 120 Abyssinians led by a follower of Dejazmach Abd al Rahman Tor al Guri.	Sudan village across the frontier nr. Kashan Haru. lat: 10° 45' N. long: 33° 35' E.	Small tribute forcibly taken from village	1 woman murdered who refused to go to Abyssinia	Nil	Dejazmach Abd al Rahman Tor al Guri is a Semi-Changal Chief.
March 1920	About 700 Abyssinians under Musa, son of Val Harumud	Hillet Bedirga, nr. Arao. lat: 10° 12' N. long: 34° 10' E.	Quantity of live stock driven off. Village burnt.	Inhabitants of village including the Acting Omda and one captured	Nil	Immediately after the raid Val Harumud captures all the people with the exception of those he considers to be slaves and all proceeds with the exception of 50 pounds of ammunition and 120 pounds. This is the investigation of the Acting Omda of Gura.
April 1920	150 Abyssinians belonging to Val Harumud	Dain Harar 18 miles S.E. of Harar inside the Sudan frontier.	12 cattle seized, the property of a servant of Harar.	Nil	Nil	These men reported to be patrolling round the village.

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RUSSIA PROSECUTION (Continued)

PERIOD	PERPETRATORS	P.L.A.C.E.	DEATHS	WOUNDS	SLAVERY, CIVILIAN CAPTIVITIES AND PRISONERS CAPTURED	PROPERTY CAPTURED	REMARKS
February 1921	Abyssinians (Slave Party) (Organized by Fikremari Kallala) About 300	Between Gera and Barda	Nil.	Nil.	1 man killed, one of whom was Arab. Kallala's father-in-law, 1 man severely wounded	Slavery Patrol on the Binda River (assaults on the river) Kallala's men, who fire on patrol and then retire across the Abyssinian border.	
April 1921	Abyssinians (Poachers)	On Binda Post.	Nil.	1 policeman wounded	1 Abyssinian man killed, 1 Abyssinian man wounded	Police from Binda Post encounters Party.	
	12 Poachers (presumably Abyssinian) with 10 rifles.	Between Gera and the Bahad. Dist. (22° 48' long) 30° 40'	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	This Party is reported as having been seen.	
	Abyssinian. Mikurafi Zalla 22's men.	Binda Post.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Insultory attacks are made on two successive days by Abyssinians. No casualties.	
July 1921	10 Abyssinians.	On the Barda District. Kallala Dist. (22° 48' long) 30° 40'	Nil.	1 woman woman married to a ranger of Bah. Abd Barda captured.	Nil.	Her return is demanded from Tur 31 Gera.	
February 1922	Abyssinians	On Binda Post.	Nil.	Nil.	1 man killed.	10 men of the Slavery Repression Patrol were attacked. 1 rifle captured.	
March 1922	25 Abyssinians under Hagarya and Alkayu	On Binda River	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Slavery Repression Patrol are attacked, but Abyssinians driven back. This is presumed to be a reprise for the death of the brother of Hagarya and Alkayu, who was killed by Slavery Patrol in the preceding year.	
	Abyssinians	On Gera	Nil.	1 man dies of thirst while traveling. One man's leg broken.	Nil.	A party of about 20 horse riders from Hushia (near Gera in Gedara District) are attacked by a band of armed Abyssinians. Several gangs of Abyssinian poachers are believed to have been in the Sudan territory during this month.	
March 1923	Abyssinians. Some 260 rifles under Fikremari Fanta, Oda and Wasana (all officers of the Jemisch Bira.	On Gera River. (22° 48' long) 30° 40'	Nil.	10 men men (including Oda (Khalifa's son), 1 man (Khalifa's son), 1 woman and 2 children about 10	Nil.	The raid is mainly to collect tribute.	
April 1923	Abyssinians Poachers 2 Abyssinian poachers.	On Binda River. On Atbara River.	Nil.	Nil.	1 killed, 1 captured.	Poachers from Gedara District fire on Fikremari's Police. A Police Patrol from Sofi Post en- counters poachers from Gedara District (Arba).	

FUNG PROVINCE (Continued)

DATE	PERPETRATORS	PLACE	STOLEN ETC. LOST	HUMAN CIVILIAN CASUALTIES AND PERSONS CAPTURED	RAIDERS' CASUALTIES AND PERSONS CAPTURED	R.E.MARKS
May 1925	15 Abyssinian Poachers	On Urag Island on the Dinder	Nil.	Nil.	12 killed 11 wounded	raid is reported by the Dinder River Post.
Apr 1925	14 Abyssinian Poachers	On Asal	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	shots are exchanged by the Dinder River Post.
	15 Abyssinian Poachers	Near Dinder Post	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	2 policemen carrying mails exchanging shots.
	13 Abyssinian Poachers	On Asal	Nil.	Nil.	1 armed Abyssinian	Party surprised by a Patrol. Shots exchanged.
	10 Abyssinian Poachers	Near E. Geraf	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Encountered by a Patrol of 2 men from the Dinder Post. The Abyssinians escape in the long grass, leaving a certain amount of kit.
May 1925 (April 1924?)	Gonkasech Ananich Eshinas Akulu Mera Kambamuh Talya Kunchi Ayala Yait Abaya Neguaye & followers	Dindaw & Khor Galega	Large quantities of ivory and game poached	Nil.	Nil.	H.E.M.'s Consul at Dargile reports that Villaram Zallisa, with the assistance of Ras Bilu, had previously won a large poaching party on the Dinder & Khor Galega in April (1924?) and obtained a large bag of elephants' tusks and giraffe and other game. The party consists of 170 rifles and stays in the Sudan about 12 months.
January 1926	10 Abyssinian Poachers - 25 & 17	On Kullib and Near Abu Rualu	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	The Governor Fung Province takes a patrol along the Dinder from Abu Rualu to the Frontier. Two parties are sighted on different days, but the Abyssinians escape after exchange of shots.
May 1927	10 Abyssinian Poachers	On the Asal	Nil.	Nil.	11 men killed and 4 men captured	A police patrol meets this band. Shots are exchanged. Captives taken to Gondar. Considerable quantities of camels and other booty captured.
December 1927	Armed Outlaws & followers of late Muhammad and Mahmud	Jshela Dal and Jerok	16 dead men robbed of their goods	16 men belonging to Khagali n. Hadda, killed	Nil.	R. I. I.

II. KASSALA PROVINCE

PERIOD	PERPETRATORS	PLA C E	WOMEN etc. LOOTED	CIVILIAN CASUALTIES OR PERSONS CAPTURED	RAI DERS' CASUALTIES OR PERSONS CAPTURED	REMARKS
1914	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	
October 1917	Abysinnians (Mashary)	Between Fashika road in junction of Khay el Bahari & Almagar	Nil	Nil	20 men captured	14 Abysinnians taken prisoners this party, with the exception of the one man captured above were executed.
December 1918	30 Abysinnians (Business living across Egyptian-Italian border)	Between Gallabat and Gedara	Nil	Nil	Nil	Abysinnian prisoner named Mohamed Osman, brother of Osman, who had been captured from Gallabat for intelligence with Italian forces, was at the village where taken prisoner and killed on account of his intelligence. His name was not taken down as official prisoner because Osman on this list is an Egyptian subject.
1919	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	
1920	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	
April 1921	Abysinnians (1000 men and 1000 mules with 15 rifles)	Between Gallabat and Gedara	Nil	Nil	Nil	Party reported as making for Fashika, Gallabat on the 20th. Patrol of 100 men, equipped with 12 rifles and 10 mules.
1922	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	
1923	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	
January 1924	Abysinnians (1000 men and 1000 mules with 15 rifles)	Between Gallabat and Gedara	Nil	Nil	Nil	Party reported as making for Fashika, Gallabat on the 20th. Patrol of 100 men, equipped with 12 rifles and 10 mules.
March 1924	Armed band of Abysinnians and Abyssinians	At Gallabat	Nil	Nil	Several wounded	Four Abysinnians, 100 men, 100 mules and 100 rifles were captured. 2 mules and 100 rifles were also captured.
1925	Abysinnians (1000 men and 1000 mules with 15 rifles)	Between Gallabat and Gedara	Nil	Nil	Several wounded	Four Abysinnians, 100 men, 100 mules and 100 rifles were captured. 2 mules and 100 rifles were also captured.
September 1925	Abysinnians of Khay el Bahari and Mohamed Osman	Between Gallabat and Gedara	Nil	Nil	Nil	Four Abysinnians, 100 men, 100 mules and 100 rifles were captured. 2 mules and 100 rifles were also captured.
March 1925	100 armed Abysinnians (1000 men and 1000 mules with 15 rifles)	Between Gallabat and Gedara	Nil	100 Abysinnians wounded	100 Abysinnians killed	Party of 100 Abysinnians, 100 men, 100 mules and 100 rifles were captured. 2 mules and 100 rifles were also captured.

CHARLESTON, 14th May 1903

My Lord,

I have the honour to refer to Your Lordship's despatch No. 87 of March 30th last, requesting Foreign Office despatch No. 303 of March 22nd for necessary action. The action required and the requesting letter is different from the original letter in which case reference is made to the Sudan during the period 1916 to the present day.

The attached copies showing the information given in this case under five heads

1. Name of person
2. Address
3. Rank
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of the persons mentioned in the despatch are enclosed in this despatch for the information of the Government. It will be noted that the names of the persons mentioned in the despatch are given in the order in which they are mentioned in the despatch.

I have the honour to be,
My Lord,

Your Lordship's most obedient, humble servant,

(Signed) H. A. MACMICHAEL

DEPT. SECRETARY
FOR GOVERNMENT OF THE SUDAN
(absent on duty).

His Excellency
His Majesty's High Commissioner

I. FUNG PROVINCE

PERIOD	PERPETRATORS	P. M. A. O. E.	STOCK etc. LOOKED	BUDAN CIVILIAN CASUALTIES and PERSONS CAPTURED.	RAIDERS' CASUALTIES and PERSONS CAPTURED.	REMARKS
1916	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.
December 1917	Abyssinians. Agents of Khogali al Hassan, (Bani Shungul Chief)	Near Warragarra. lat: 9°15' N. long: 35°50' E.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	The Khama tribe were subjected to considerable interference, with the view of inducing them to move into Abyssinian territory.
February 1918	Abyssinian Poachers	Hegairat on B. Dinder	Nil.	5 men of Patrol killed	3 killed & 10 wounded. Of the killed were Goran Beila, a well known poacher and robber of Bahin Kwara and the son of Vitarurari Zallaka of Beles District.	Slavery Patrol on the Abyssinian Frontier is fired on by armed Abyssinian Poachers. Zallaka marches with 400 rifles on Dinder Post to avenge death of his son, but abandons project on finding strong force there.
April 1918	Abyssinians. People of Khogali al Hassan. About 25 led by Aya of Banga	Banafana in Hillat Tawoosh	Nil.	Sheikh Tawoosh and another man bound & flogged. 1 man, 4 women & boys carried off.	Nil.	Abyssinians from Khor El Bani (3 miles W. of Jebel Barzan). The affair is brought to the notice of Khogali al Hassan and list of captured people sent to him.
December 1918	Subordinates of Khogali al Hassan (Nuer led by Menassa)	Billie and Chungya on left bank of Khor Taba.	Nil.	18 Burun man and 1 Burun woman killed.	Nil.	These Burun villages are raided towards the end of December. Menassa has previously raided the Burun in Khama Districts.
	Subordinates of Khogali al Hassan led by Binasha	Warragarra	Nil.	5 men killed and 5 women carried off.	5 killed	Shona people raided. Binasha is an old offender.
September 1919	Armed force of 20 Abyssinians led by a follower of Dejazmach Abd el Rahman Tor el Guri.	Sudan village across the frontier nr. Kashaan Kura. lat: 10°55' N. long: 34°55' E.	Small tribute forcibly taken from Village	1 woman murdered who refused to go to Abyssinia	Nil.	Dejazmach Abd el Rahman Tor el Guri is to Bani Shungul Chief.
March 1920	About 700 Abyssinians under Hana, son of Wad Mahaud	Hillat Madinga, nr. Afodi. lat: 10°12' N. long: 34°18' E.	Quantities of live stock driven off. Village burnt.	Inhabitants of village including the Acting Omda and Ora captured	Nil.	Immediately after the raid Wad Mahaud restores all the people with the exception of those he considers to be slaves and all property with the exception of 50 rounds of ammunition and 420 pintags. This at the instigation of the Acting Omda of Ora.
April 1920	50 Abyssinians belonging to Wad Mahaud	Dein Mansur 12 miles S.E. of Kuruk	22 cattle seized, the property of a merchant of Kuruk inside the Sudan Frontier.	Nil.	Nil.	These men reported to be patrolling round the village.

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I. PROVINCIAL (Continued)

PERIOD	PERPETRATORS	PLACE	STOCKS LOOTED	JUDA CIVILIAN CASUALTIES AND PERSONS DETAINED	HEADERS' CASUALTIES AND PERSONS CAPTURED	REMARKS
February 1921	Abyssinian Poaching Party organized by Pitaurari Zallaka About 200	Near Jebel el Negairat and Un Urog	Nil.	Nil.	2 men killed, one of whom was Bahhar, Zallaka's father-in-law. 1 man severely wounded	Slavery Patrol on the Dindar River encounters poaching party of Pitaurari Zallaka's men, who fire on Patrol and then retire across the Abyssinian border.
April 1921	Abyssinian Poachers	Nr. Dindar Post.	Nil.	1 policeman wounded.	1 Abyssinian man killed; 4 Abyssinian men wounded	Police from Dindar Post encounters Party.
	12 Poachers (presumably Abyssinian) with 10 rifles.	Between Shoreig and the Bahad. Lat: 12°58' long: 34°40'	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	This Party is reported as having been seen.
	Abyssinian. Pitaurari Zalla-ka's men.	Dindar Post.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Desultory attacks are made on two successive days by Abyssinians. No casualties.
July 1921	3 Abyssinians.	Hill of Mak Abu Salama in Kashaan Gafa District. Lat: 11°03' long: 34°16'	Nil.	Presumably woman married to a nephew of Mak Ab. Salama captured.	Nil.	Her return is demanded from Tur Si Guri.
February 1922	Abyssinians	Nr. Dindar Post.	Nil.	Nil.	1 man killed.	6 men of the Slavery Repression Patrol were attacked. 1 rifle captured.
March 1922	25 Abyssinians under Neguye and Alasayu	Nr. Dindar River	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Slavery Repression Patrol are attacked, but Abyssinians driven back. This is presumed to be a reprisal for the death of the brother of Neguye and Alasayu, who was killed by Slavery Patrol in the preceding year.
	Abyssinians	Khor Golega	Nil.	One man dies of thirst whilst carrying. One man's leg broken.	Nil.	A party of about 20 honey hunters from Raschid (near Boka in Gedaraf District) are attacked by a band of armed Abyssinians. Several gangs of Abyssinian poachers are believed to have been in the Sudan territory during this month.
March 1923	Abyssinians. Some 360 rifles under Pitaurari's (9°45' N. - E. Santa, Oda and Wasanna - (all officers of De'jamach Biru.	Khor Daga Warrigarra. (9°45' N. - E. Santa, Oda and Wasanna - (all Burui Village.	Nil.	10 Burui men (including Odlar (Shalla-Kong), 2 men (Khalifa and Ting), 1 woman and 2 children abducted.	Nil.	The raid is mainly to collect tribute.
April 1923	Abyssinian Poachers. 3 Abyssinian Poachers.	On Dindar River. On Atbara River.	Nil.	Nil.	1 killed, 1 captured. Nil.	Poachers from Gedaraf District fire on Province Police. A Police Patrol from Sofi Post encounters poachers from Gedabi nr. Wad Aru.

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PERIOD	PERPETRATORS	P.L.A.C.E	STOCK etc. LOOTED	SUDAN CIVILIAN CASUALTIES and PERSONS CAPTURED	RAIDERS' CASUALTIES and PERSONS CAPTURED	REMARKS
May 1924	25 Abyssinians	Um Urug Island on the Dinder	Nil.	Nil.	2 killed 4 wounded	Raid is reported by the Dinder River Post.
April 1924	12 Abyssinian Poachers	Mrs. Galaga Ura Asal	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Shots are exchanged by the Habinda-Dinder Post.
	15 Abyssinian Poachers	Near Dinder Post	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	2 policemen carrying mails exchange shots.
	11 Abyssinian Poachers	Ura Asal	Nil.	Nil.	1 armed Abyssinian	Party surprised by a Patrol. Shots exchanged.
	18 Abyssinian Poachers	Mashra El Zeraf	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Encountered by a Patrol of 8 men from the Dinder Post. The Abyssinians escape in the long grass, leaving a certain amount of kit.
May 1924	Gorgesech Asanich Tahiras Akula Kays	Dinder & Khor Galaga	Large quantities of ivory and game poached	Nil.	Nil.	H.R.N.'s Consul at Dargila reports that Kibderari Zallaka, with the assistance of Ras Zailu, had previously taken a large poaching party to the Dinder & Khor Galaga in April (1924 ?) and obtained a large bag of elephant, buffalo and giraffe and other game. The party consists of 170 rifles and stays in the Sudan about 2 months.
April 1924	Kantabmach Iniya Kunchi Ayala Yait Maha Neguaye & followers					
February 1924	Abyssinian Poachers - 10 & 17	Ura Khalib and Khor Abu Ramla	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	The Governor Fung Province takes a patrol along the Dinder from Abu Ramla to the Frontier. Two parties are sighted on different days, but the Abyssinians escape after exchange of shots.
May	Abyssinian Poachers	Near Khor on the Dinder	Nil.	Nil.	1 man killed and 4 men captured	A police patrol meets this band and shots are exchanged. Captives taken to Roseiree. Considerable quantities of carabls and other booty captured.
December 1924	Arabi Rutlawa - followers of Ito Muhammad Vad Mahmud	Jabels Dal and Zerok	16 dead men robbed of their goods	16 men belonging to Ito Mahdi - 100 of Khagali of Roseiree killed	Nil.	T I L.

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II. KASSALA PROVINCE.

PERIOD	PERPETRATORS	P.L.A.O.S.	(POOR etc.)	LOOTED	SUDAN CIVILIAN CASUALTIES and PERSONS CAPTURED	RAIDERS' CASUALTIES and PERSONS CAPTURED	REMARKS
1916	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.
December 1917	Abyssinian Poachers	Between Frontier roads	at junction of Bahr el Salam	at Athara B.	Nil.	Nil.	1 man captured A frontier patrol encounters this party, with the exception of the one man captured the party escapes.
December 1918	S. Renegade Sudanese living in Abyssinian border	Between Gallabat and Gedara			Nil.	Nil.	Sudanese Renegades Raouf Mohammed Gasuli, Native of Gallabat, who had been sent away from Gallabat for intruding with Dejazach (Melky). Arrived with 40 men, they take Gasuli and his dependents according to Abyssinia. Raouf sends back police-men but retains Mohammed Gasuli on plea that he is an Abyssinian subject.
1919	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.
1920	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.
April 1921	Abyssinian Poachers and at least 200 men with 46 rifles	Near Bahar	at 36° 12'	at 12° 47'	Nil.	Nil.	Party reported as making for Bahar Bahar on the Bahar. Patrol of 10 men from Gallabat fails to come up with party.
1922	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.
1923	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.
January 1924	Abyssinian Poachers (armed) 2 Abyssinians Poachers	W. of Mehra	at 36° 12'	at 12° 47'	Nil.	Nil.	Party of 20 men, patrol are fired on by this party, which came from Chilla, rifles, 199 rounds of ammunition, 3 mules and 1000 lbs are captured. Patrol consists of Eastern and Gorn.
March 1924	Armed band of Sudanese and Abyssinians	N. of Galega			Nil.	Nil.	Armed band of 20 men encounter armed band, rifles are exchanged, 2 mules and skins captured.
April 1924	10 Abyssinian Poachers	Near Bahar	at 36° 12'	at 12° 47'	Nil.	Nil.	Patrol of 20 men encounter this party, which escapes. 2 mules and rifles captured.
September 1925	Abyssinians of Khor Shatta and Mohammed Gasuli	Excavator			Nil.	Nil.	Mellon Consul at Bahari presents to Bah Goke at these acts of frontier lawlessness.
March 1925	40 armed Dervishes formerly followers of Mohammed (Khalid) killed in 1920	N. of Bahar			1 policeman wounded	3 brigands killed 13 captured one of whom dies later	Patrol of 4 policemen fired on by brigands they make off for Bahar in Abyssinia.

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II. KASSALA PROVINCE (continued)

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PERIOD	PREVAILING PLACE	STOCK etc. LOOTED	SUDAN CIVILIAN CASUALTIES and PERSONS CAPTURED	RAIDERS' CASUALTIES and PERSONS CAPTURED	REMARKS
December 1927	Abyssinian (Dochera) (continued from 150 to 100) led by H. J. Mesfin	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Dispersed by Company of Eastern Arab Corps.

III. UPPER HILLS PROVINCE.

PERIOD	PERPETRATORS	PLACE	STOCK etc. LOOTED	SUDAN CIVILIAN CASUALTIES and PERSONS CAPTURED	RAIDERS' CASUALTIES and PERSONS CAPTURED	REMARKS
1916 } 1917 } 1918 }	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.
December 1919	Abyssinian Aniak of Nyikan District	Sudan Aniak of Murrak lat 7° 25' long 33° 30'	15 head of cattle	2 men killed 6 women and children captured	Nil.	Cause of raid believed to be the regaining possession of a drum in the hands of Chief Abulo of Murrak.
1920 & 1921	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.
January 1922	Pitaurari Tekkon from Burai	Dkadi & other villages on left bank of Akobo river	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Reported to have collected tribute.
1923	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.
February 1924	Abyssinians, followers of Pitaurari Merdas -na, (Reported variously from 149 to 200)	Near Lies on Khor Daga +	Nil.	Nil.	3 Abyssinians captured	Party sent by Dejamach Biru to collect tribute from Burum. It arrives at Buru cattle camp, but Buru escape with their cattle. They then collect tribute in cotton & honey from Burum village and subsequently escape to Abyssinia. 5 horses, 4 donkeys, 4 rifles and ammu- nition captured.
June 1924	50 Abyssinians	Khor Daga Pont	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Police are reinforced by Burum tribes- men and Abyssinians leave off without attacking.
May 1925	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Denial of Abyssinian activity (Military) against Warragere. Patrol is dispatched but reports all quiet. Subsequently a Greek reports having encountered a force under Hapta Giornis on the frontier, which turned back as promised written orders from Dejamach Biru not forthcoming.
1926	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.
July 1927	5 Abyssinian Poachers	Near Galhak	Nil.	Nil.	All arrested, but 2 subsequently escape.	A British Officer on a shooting expedition arrests these poachers. Ivory and various skins taken. Captives sent to Rank.

N.B. Khor Daga now in Upper Hills Province instead of Fung Province.

IV. HONDURAS PROTECTED

PERIOD	PERPETRATORS	P.L.A.C.	STOCK etc. LOOTED	RUMOR CIVILIAN CASUALTIES and PERSONS CAPTURED	BATERS CASUALTIES and PERSONS CAPTURED	REMARKS
March-April 1916	200 Abyssinian Poachers (armed)	Larite Jebel				alarmed at appearance of troops near Toffi, this poaching party accepted with ivory on donkeys leaving horses and mules about 10 miles east of Toffi.
August 1916	15 Abyssinian Poachers	Within day's march of Mangalla	Some elephants killed	Nil.	Abyssinians captured	Poaching party scattered by a herd of elephants
March 1917	Abyssinian Poachers together with Baluchi, Swahili & Hagsada	Larua and Opari Districts	Ivory	Nil.	1 man killed	Mounted Battalion (10) and Police (6) surprised poaching party which escapes. Ratsie camp with 2) ivory trunks and ammunition captured.
May 1917	Over 100 Abyssinian Poachers	Tibish between Estria and Kidepp Rivers	Ivory	12 men killed 12 men wounded	17 men killed wounded unknown	Capt. G.H. Voller, Sergeant Winters, 1500 rifles and attacks this camp, rushes it with bayonet and puts enemy to flight. 105 elephant tusks, 14 donkeys and entire camp equipment captured.
1918	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.
April 1919	150 Abyssinians (armed) 30 Porters (unarmed)	Latake		Nil.	Nil.	The party is reported as poaching and trading in area and ammunition for ivory. It has 16 magazine and 1000 rifles. Heaven with all its property going East.
November 1919	Abyssinian Poachers (15 armed) 150 Porters (unarmed)	Near Jenol Lafona (Approx. lat: 59 long: 20 25')	Ivory	Nil.	35 Porters killed, 11 men (believed to be All Swahili) killed, 16 Swahili killed, 1 Abyssinian died or wounded	1000s. A.F. Kent-Leman, Tomes and Lancaster Regt. and Lt. G.L. Owen, Inspector, round up this party. 10 rifles and ammunition, 62 tusks, 15 heads of cattle and 37 donkeys captured.
March 1920	14 Abyssinian Chiefs with 90 men and a mountain gun	Nikor near Losinga		Nil.	Nil.	Party warn the Nikor Tapano that they do not recognize them as Government subjects and threaten to return and invade them in 5 weeks time.
July 1920	4 armed Swahili Poachers	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Arrested.
	125 Abyssinians & Swahili, some Toposa & Porters, Leaders said to be Lokiron and Kononona	Latuda Dadinga District	6 caribos of cattle 14 caribos of sheep	Nil.	Nil.	Subject of said to raid the natives of Lafon, but being warned of presence of police, they return to Nikor where they have been camping and after ten days they raid Latuda.

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February 1921	Swahili Poachers (armed) with 300 rifles	Rojas		Nil	Nil	Nil	Arrested.
	Swahili etc. (phant poachers, long-nosed Jim Bin) (Gos) armed with 300 rifle and ammunition	N. of Nilo		Nil	Nil	Nil	Arrested.
March 1921	10 Abyssinian and 10 Swahili poachers guided by Mamitche Tapona	Dodinga District	12 or 8 serbas of cattle		5 Dodinga men killed, 10 Dodinga women captured	Nil	Raid on Dodinga.
April 1922	10 Abyssinian poachers	Dora and Larit Hills		Nil	5 Dinka captured	Nil	Poachers capture Dinka and take them work for them. Dinka escape and report.
July 1922	Abyssinian Poachers	Lotelepy, (long: 35° 42', lat: 40° 48') Tapona District		Nil	Nil	1 poacher, Mukonda Bin Musoro, captured	Force under Capt. H. Wynne Finch, HQ Scots, attempt to round up poachers. 22 donkeys, 13 head of cattle, 2 rifles (Gos), 1 revolver, 50 rounds small arm ammunition, 5 pieces of ivory, grain, captured.
September 1922	Abyssinian Poachers	Tapona District		Nil	Nil	1 poacher killed	Small force of poachers came upon camp of poachers. 1 (Magaabe) captured.
September 1922	Abyssinian Poachers under Alerabok and Monda	Nolagir (long: lat:)		Nil	Nil	3 poachers killed	Some stores and cattle captured by force of Equatorial Battalion.
November 1923	Abyssinians	Nil		Nil	Nil	Nil	H.B.M.'s Consul at Harar reports extensive raid by Abyssinians on the tribes living between Galla and the Sudan border, in the course of which the frontier is violated in several places.
August 1924	Abyssinian Poachers (armed)	Latuka District		Nil	Nil	Nil	1 poacher armed with 300 magazines, rifle and ammunition captured near Latuka. Party reported in Latuka.
August 1925	Abyssinian and Swahili Poachers led by Bin Bin Ali (alias Akipi Earinga) (all roustlers from Tapotha	Near Kora-Kippi	Ivory		Most of the band captured, including Bin Bin Ali (who subsequently escaped from prison at Harar) (with 4 other poachers)	Nil	By Lt. W. H. Mason, R.F.M. (H.B.M.'s Consul for S.W. Abyssinia) captures this ivory caravan. Captures 12 slaves women and children captured by the band (these have been returned to their families) 2 rifles, 207 cartridges, 23 elephant tusks. Bin Bin Ali leader of the brigades in Tapotha. Upon his capture Evans becomes leader.

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IV. MOGALLA PROVINCE - (Continued)

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PERIOD	DESTRUCTORS	PLACES	WRECK etc. LOOTED	HUMAN CASUALTIES AND PERSONS CAPTURED	CASUALTIES AND PERSONS CAPTURED	REMARKS
1926	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.
April 1927	11 Abyssinians 1 Poachers	Nr. Kapeta (Teposa)	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Reported to be moving East after one night at Nalingara.
June 1927	15 Abyssinians (9 armed)	Nr. Kapeta (Teposa)	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Reported to have been seen.
	1 Abyssinian 1 Poachers	Nr. Mogalla Tork Road Also 2 miles South of Mogiri Also in Rajo- Kaji sub- district	Ivory	Nil.	Nil.	11 distinct parties (1 numbering 25) of poachers are seen and tracks of them are followed but without result. Remains of elephant are found.

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PERIOD	PERPETRATORS	PLACE	WRECKS LOOTED	SUDAN CIVILIAN CASUALTIES and PERSONS CAPTURED.	RAIDERS' CASUALTIES and PERSONS CAPTURED.	REMARKS
May 1927	Aboriginal Poachers	Near Batak (Bor District)	IVORY	NIL	NIL	3 or 4 elephants shot.

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My Lord,

I have the honour to refer to Your Majesty's despatch No. 57 of March 5th 1920, Administrative Commission Office (despatch No. 203 of March 22nd for necessary action. The action required was the reworking into a different form of certain information concerning Egyptian roads into the Sudan during the period 1916 to the present day.

The attached sheets provide the information required in this new form under five heads, namely:-

- 1. This Province.
- 2. Cairo.
- 3. Upper Nile.
- 4. Lower Nile.
- 5. Part of Sudan.

Although full details have been sent to the points indicated in paragraph 2 of the Foreign Office despatch under reference, it will, I trust, be recognized that particulars of detail in respect of the actual construction, their districts of origin, the amount of work done, etc., respectively, are of a technical nature.

I have the honour to be,

Yours,

Your Majesty's most obedient, humble servant,

(Signed) H. A. MACMICHAEL

DEVELOPMENT SECRETARY,
FOR GOVERNMENT OF THE SUDAN,
(absent on duty).

His Excellency,
His Majesty's High Commissioner for Egypt and the Sudan,
The Ministry of Public Works, Cairo.

My Lord,

I have the honour to refer to your Majesty's despatch No. 57 of March 30th 1929, transmitting certain Office despatch No. 523 of March 22nd 1929, supplementary copies. The copies required are the recording into a different form of certain information concerning Egyptian cases into the Sudan during the period 1916 to the present day.

2. The attached sheets provide the information required in this new form under five heads, namely:-

- 1. King Province.
- 2. Khartoum.
- 3. Nile Valley.
- 4. Sudan.
- 5. East of Sudan.

3. Although full details have been sent to the points indicated in paragraph 2 of the Foreign Office despatch under reference, it will, I think, be recognized that provision of detail in respect of the actual corporations, their district of origin, the point of departure, etc., were not always obtainable.

I have the honour to be,

My Lord,

Your Majesty's most obedient, humble servant,

(Signed) H. A. MACMICHAEL.

DAVID CLEGGAN,
FOR GOVERNMENT BY THE SUDAN,
(absent on duty).

His Excellency,
His Majesty's High Commissioner for Egypt and the Sudan,
100, Montague Street, Cairo.

2. THE GOVERNMENT (Continued)

PERIOD	RAIDERS	PLACE	STOCKS, LOOTED	SUNAT CIVILIAN CASUALTIES AND PERSONS CAPTURED.	RAIDERS' CASUALTIES AND PERSONS CAPTURED.	R. E. H. A. R. H.
February 1921	Abyssinians Poaching Party organized by Pitaurari Zallaba About 200	Near Jabol Hosirat and Um Urog	Nil.	Nil.	12 men killed, one of whom was Zhabar, Zallaba's father-in-law. 1 man severely wounded	Slavery Patrol on the Dindar River, submitted poaching party of 210 men and 2000 lbs. of ivory to Patrol and then retired across the Abyssinian border.
April 1921	Abyssinians Poachers	Nr. Dindar Post.	Nil.	1 policeman wounded.	14 Abyssinians killed & Abyssinian man wounded	Police from Dindar Post encountered Party.
	12 Spahero (presumably Abyssinian) with 10 rifles.	Between Hadrat and the Bahad. Lat: 12° 08' N Long: 34° 40' E	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	This Party is reported as having been seen.
	Abyssinians. Pitaurari Zallaba's men.	Dindar Post.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Hostile attacks are made on two consecutive days by Abyssinians. No casualties.
July 1921	9 Abyssinians.	Hill of Mok Abu: Salama in Bahad. Gada District. Lat: 12° 08' N Long: 34° 56' E	Nil.	1 pregnant woman married to a nephew of Mok Abu Salama captured.	Nil.	Hostile attacks are made on two consecutive days by Abyssinians. No casualties.
February 1922	Abyssinians	Nr. Dindar Post.	Nil.	Nil.	1 man killed.	16 men of the slavery Patrol on the Dindar River were captured.
March 1922	25 Abyssinians under Kadir and Kadir	Nr. Dindar River	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Slavery Patrol on the Dindar River, but Abyssinians were seen. This is presumed to be the party for the death of the patrol for Kadir and Almaghi, who were killed by Slavery Patrol in the previous year.
	Abyssinians	Nhor Gola	Nil.	1 man died of cholera while scouting. 1 man = 1/2 man.	Nil.	A party of about 20 horse hunters from Frankid (near Doka in Gada District) were attacked by a party of Abyssinians. 10 men of the party were killed. It is presumed to have been in the Gada District during this month.
March 1923	Abyssinians. Some 260 rifles under Pitaurari; 1500 lbs. of ivory and 1000 lbs. of Dejazmach Hira.	Nhor Baga Vogagara. Lat: 12° 15' N Long: 34° 52' E. Bura Village.	Nil.	10 Bura men (including Chief (Shalle Kera), 2 men (Shahid and King), 1 woman and 12 children abducted.	Nil.	Some 100 men sent to collect
April 1923	Abyssinians Poachers. 5 Abyssinian Poachers.	On Dindar River. On Abara River.	Nil.	Nil.	1 killed, 1 captured.	Poachers from Gada District fire on Dindar River. A Slavery Patrol from Dindar Post encountered poachers from Gada District (A.R.).

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III. KARGALA PROVINCE

Month	Perpetrators	Place	Victims	Civilian Casualties and Persons Captured	Raiders' Casualties and Persons Captured	Remarks
1916	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.
December 1917	Abyssinian Pogmers	Frontier road at junction of Rabat el Balan at Akbar R.	Nil.	Nil.	11 men captured	A frontier patrol encounters this party. With the exception of the one man captured the party escapes.
December 1918	18 Amogada whom were living in Abyssinia -lan border	Frontier road at junction of Rabat el Balan at Akbar R.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Amogada bandits capture Mohammed Osman, relative of Gallaiba, who had been sent away from Gallaiba for intruding with Dalmatian mules. Armed with rifles they take Osman and policeman escorting him to Abyssinia. The police send back policeman but retain Mohammed Osman on plea that he is an Abyssinian subject.
1919	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.
1920	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.
April 1921	Abyssinian Pogmers and 1000 Galla with 40 rifles	Frontier road at junction of Rabat el Balan at Akbar R.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Patrol reported to be looking for Red Indians for the same. Patrol of R.I. from Gallaiba falls in with party.
1922	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.
1923	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.
January 1924	15 Abyssinian Pogmers (armed) 10 Abyssinian Pogmers (armed)	Frontier road at junction of Rabat el Balan at Akbar R.	Nil.	Nil.	10 Abyssinians killed, 10 Abyssinians wounded, 10 Abyssinian mules (leader of party) and 10 mules captured	Patrols of R.I. are fired on by this party, which came from Gallaiba. 2 rifles, 100 rounds of ammunition, 3 mules and 10 mules are captured. Patrol consisted of Eastern Arab Corps.
March 1924	1000 men of Pogmers and Abyssinians	Frontier road at junction of Rabat el Balan at Akbar R.	Nil.	Nil.	Several wounded	Amogada patrol encounter armed band. Shots are exchanged. 3 mules and 10 mules captured.
April 1924	10 Abyssinian Pogmers	Frontier road at junction of Rabat el Balan at Akbar R.	Nil.	Nil.	Several wounded	Amogada patrol of 30 men encounter this party, which escapes. 2 mules and 10 mules captured.
September 1925	Abyssinians of Khor Ghatta and Mohammed Osman	Frontier road at junction of Rabat el Balan at Akbar R.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Amogada's General at Dargala protects to Ban Guxa at these notes of frontier lawlessness.
March 1926	100 armed Dalmatian formerly follow -ers of Mohammed and Mahmud, killed in 1920	Frontier road at junction of Rabat el Balan at Akbar R.	Nil.	11 followed wounded	15 brigands killed, 15 captured (one of them dies later)	Patrol of 5 policemen fired on by brigands. They make off for Jebel Buro in Abyssinia.

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II. SUDAN AREA - PROVISIONS - (continued)

PERIOD	PERPETRATORS	P.L.A.C.E.	STOCK etc. LOOTED	SUDAN CIVILIAN CASUALTIES AND PERSONS CAPTURED	RAIDERS' CASUALTIES AND PERSONS CAPTURED	REMARKS
December 1927	Abyssinian Poachers (estimated from 100 to 150 to 200) by Lt. Maslin	Abu Sirar 116 miles north of junction of Atbara & Nile at Bahariya	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Dispersed by Company of Eastern Arab Corps.

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III. UPPER BLUE BROWN HORSE

PERIOD	PERPETRATORS	PLACE	STOCK etc. COLLECTED	SUDAN CIVILIAN CASUALTIES AND PRISONERS CAPTURED	RAIENS' CASUALTIES AND PERSONS CAPTURED	R.E.H.A.R.E.S.
1916 1917 1918	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.
December 1919	Abyssinians (Anusk of Hyman District)	Budan Anusk near Mafalak lat. 7° 25' long. 35° 30'	139 head of cattle	2 men killed 8 women and children captured	Nil.	Command of raid believed to be the remaining possession of a dam in the hands of Chief Amulo of Mafalak.
1920 A 1921	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.
January 1922	Pitaurari Takken from Kurei	Uradi & other villages on left bank of Akqho river	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Reported to have collected tribute.
1923	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.
February 1923	Abyssinians, followers of Pitaurari Korassa (reported variously from 100 to 200)	Near Llan ion Khor Daga	Nil.	Nil.	Abyssinians captured	Party sent by Dullemech Bird to collect tribute from Kurei. It arrives at Khor Kabbala camp, but finds escape with their cattle. They then collect tribute in western & nearby from Sudan villages and subsequently escape to Abyssinia. 25 horses, 4 oxen, 1 mule and 200 cattle captured.
June 1923	150 Abyssinians	Khor Daga Post	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Police are reinforced by Bapun tribesmen and Abyssinians move off without collecting.
May 1923	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Headquarters of Abyssinian activities (military) against Warragerra. Patrol is despatched from Kurei on all sides. Subsequently a British party having information a force under Daga Daga at the frontier, which would have no political mission orders from Dullemech Bird not forthcoming.
1926	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.
July 1927	15 Abyssinians Poachers	Near Galhak	Nil.	Nil.	All arrested, but 2 subsequently escape.	A British Officer on a shooting expedition captures these poachers. Ivory and various skins taken. Captives sent to Rank.

Nil. Khor Daga now in Upper Nile Province instead of Fung Province.

IV. HORN OF AFRICA PROVINCE

Period	Perpetrators	P.L.C. or B.	Stock etc.	SUDAN CIVILIAN CASUALTIES and PERSONS CAPTURED	RAIFERRE CASUALTIES and PERSONS CAPTURED	D.E.H.A.F.R.M.
March - April 1916	250 Abyssinian Poachers (armed) (Abyssinian recruits (un-armed). A few Buganda, Leader named Dasta	Harice Jebela		Nil.	Nil.	Nil.
August 1916	15 Abyssinian Poachers	Within day's march of Mongella	Some elephants killed	Nil.	Abyssinian captured	Poaching party scattered by a herd of elephant.
March 1917	Abyssinian Poachers with British, Swahili & Baganda	Larika and Opari Districts	Ivory	Nil.	11 men killed	Equatorial Battalion (6) and Police (6) surprise poaching party, which escapes. Escapee carry with 23 ivory tusks and ammunition captured.
May 1917	Over 100 Abyssinian Poachers	Between Larika and Kicoppo Rivers	Ivory	12 men killed 12 men wounded	17 men killed, wounded unknown	Capt. O.H. Wolff - Comdant Rangers, surprised and attacks this camp, strikes it with bayonet and puts them to flight. 105 elephant tusks, 14 donkeys and entire camp equipment captured.
April 1918	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.
April 1918	10 Abyssinians (armed) 20 Porters (unarmed)	Latuka	Nil.	Nil.	11 Abyssinian escaped by a Dodinga	Poaching party captured and poaching and trading in ammunition for ivory. It has 10 cartridges and 189 Gram rifles. Leave with all their property, going East.
Nov 1918	Abyssinian Poachers (15 armed) 150 Porters (unarmed)	Harice Jebela	Ivory	Nil.	13 Porters killed, (believed to be British) killed 111 killed 11 Abyssinian died or wounded	Capt. A.L. Kent-Leman, Young and Manometer Regts. and Lt. G.M. Owen, Inspector, round up this party. Rifles and ammunition, 68 tusks, 15 head of cattle and 37 donkeys captured.
March 1920	Abyssinian Poachers with 20 men and a Mountain gun	Wiley near Looiaga	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Party seen and shot. They do not recognize each other. They take and ammunition to escape and escape that in 3 months time.
July 1925	1 armed Swahili Poachers	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Arrested.
	25 Abyssinians (Swahili, some Toposa & Porters. Hunters said to be Lorian and Kadronoi	Latuda Dodinga District	6 seribas of cattle 3 seribas of sheep	Nil.	Nil.	Subject of said is to raid the seribas of Latuda, but being warned of presence of police, they return to Harice where they have been camping and after ten days they raid Latuda.

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PERIOD	PERPETRATORS		PLACES	INDECS etc. LOCATED	SUDAN CIVILIAN CASUALTIES and ARMED CAPTURED		RAIDERS' CASUALTIES and ARMED CAPTURED		REMARKS
	Nil.	Nil.			Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	
April 1927	14 Abyssinians (Ponchosa)	Mr. Kaposta (Tatona)		Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Reported to be moving East later one night at Faltara.	
June 1927	15 Abyssinians (Ponchosa)	Mr. Kaposta (Tatona)		Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Reported to have been seen.	
	Abyssinians (Ponchosa)	Mr. Kongallo (Tatona Road) Also 1 mile South of Bogira Also in Kaja Kaji sub- district	Ivory		Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	3 distinct parties (numbering 15) of poachers were seen at 1 blocks of them are followed up without result. Remains of elephant one found.	

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V. BARBERE CHAZAL PROVINCE

PERIOD	PERPETRATORS	F.L.A.C.E.	STOCK etc. LOOTED	SUDAN CIVILIAN CASUALTIES and PERSONS CAPTURED	RAIDERS' CASUALTIES and PERSONS CAPTURED	REMARKS
May 1927	Abyssinian Poachers	Nr. Haiba (Bor District)	Ivory	Nil	Nil	3 or 4 elephant shot.

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CONFIDENTIAL

S H E I K H,

5th April 1928

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Sir,

With reference to Mr. Ormsby Gore's Confidential despatch of January 25th on the subject of raids by Abyssinians into British Somaliland, I have the honour to inform you that only three instances can be quoted with certainty as set out in the schedule attached. These are instances of incursions by Abyssinian soldiers.

2. In this respect I would invite your attention to my despatch No. 30 of March 31st. Raiding between the Somali tribes of both territories constantly takes place as you can see from that despatch but such raiding does not constitute a direct charge against the Abyssinian Government of malpractices but only of failure of administration.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient,

humble servant,

(Signature)

The Right Honourable

LIEUT. COLONEL L. C. H. S. AHERY, P.O., M.P.

etc., etc., etc.

Secretary of State for the Colonies.

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THE Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs presents his compliments to *the Under-Secretary of State for the Colonies*, and, by direction of the Secretary of State, transmits herewith copies of the under-mentioned paper.

Foreign Office
23 March 1928

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Reference to previous correspondence:

Colonial Office letter no. 15019/28 of 27 February

Description of Enclosure.

Name and Date.	Subject.
<i>Enclosure in printed Circular from High Commissioner, Sudan, No. 200 of 4 March.</i>	<i>Abyssinian roads into Sudan.</i>
<i>To Ritto, No. 303 of 22 March.</i>	

Similar letter sent to *✓*

KHARTOUM, 20th February, 1928.

My Lord,

I have the honour to refer to Your Lordship's despatch No. 14 of 20th January and enclosed relative to the desire of His Majesty Secretary of State to be furnished with a summary of raids from Abyssinia into Sudan territory from 1915 onwards, and to Your Lordship's telegram No. 48 of 24th February to the effect that this summary should cover the last fifteen years.

2. I forward herewith the summary in question, which embraces with approximate completeness all instances in which violations of the frontier by armed Abyssinian subjects have come to the notice of the Sudan Government during the years 1915-1927.

3. Your Lordship will observe that these raids, which are of varying degrees of seriousness, fall into four distinct classes :-

- (1) Incidents arising out of the unsettled condition of the Abyssinian district of Beni Shangul and the warfare between the local feudatory chiefs in that area.
- (2) Tax-collecting raids in districts claimed by the local Abyssinian authorities to be within Abyssinian territory.

His Excellency,
His Majesty's High Commissioner
for Egypt and the Sudan,
The Residency,
CAIRO.

(3)

- (3) Incursions of poachers into the hunting grounds on the Dinder River and Ehor Galesu.
- (4) Incursions of Abyssinian, Swahili and Baluchi poachers, based on Haggi, into Mengalla Province. The presence of these elements within Sudan territory may be described as almost continuous, and it is probable that not all incidents have been reported.

I have the honour to be,

My Lord,

Your Lordship's most obedient, humble servant.

GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF THE SUDAN.

SUMMARY OF RAIDS FROM ABYSSINIA INTO THE

GUDDAN 1911 - 1927.

1911.

March.

An unconfirmed report states that Sheikh Nayef Mohammed, brother of the Abyssinian border chief Ghalma of Chozaba, with a party of some 50 armed men has been hunting east of Jabel Shina on the Sudan side of the border.

April.

Dontin and Sarda two Daluchi chiefdoms and two women with 21 Swahili porters, 12 rifles and a large quantity of ammunition, are captured in the Gubat District (now Gubat Hills Province). They are taken to the garrison base at Hala in Abyssinia.

A party of 12 trucks loaded by an Arab party is also taken.

A party of about 130 persons under the leadership of Lt. Adil, a high official of Ras Walda Giorgis, crosses the boundary near Ballabat and proceeds down the river to the shooting game and ill-treating various natives they meet. On hearing of the presence of a Sudan Government official accompanied by troops in the vicinity they disperse and return to Abyssinia in small parties.

October.

A party of Abyssinian hunting party with 10 rifles make a raid on the Gubat Hills within Sudan territory. The raiders evade the pursuit of British troops against them.

November.

A party of 100 armed men led by a certain Arab leader crosses the boundary and forcibly abducts the daughter of a local leader from the Gubat Hills near Ballabat. The party is then driven back to avoid arrest on a crossing near the Gubat Hills.

December.

The presence of the Abyssinian frontier posts in the Gubat Hills is reported to have been maintained by the Sudan Government.

Sudan territory and captures 14 honey-gatherers of whom five escape. The remainder are taken to Kward in Abyssinia. After a protest addressed to Ras Walda Giorgis, the men are released in February. Subsequently the Abyssinians claim that the incident took place in Abyssinian territory, but this statement is not credited.

1914

January

In consequence of the persistent reports of mines Abyssinian frontier chiefs to report the frontier, it is decided to increase the garrison to 1200 men a column of 200. One of these patrols seized part of the boys of Fitarah and seized a Beni Shangul chief, who for some time commensurate their had a village in a small area at Fitarah and were to pay the tribute tax. Alleging that non-compliance was in Abyssinian territory, though actually situated several miles within the Sudan.

Feb

A patrol from Abyssinia fired on by Abyssinians near Jebel Ghass (1000 ft. alt. 10000 ft.) they are no longer. The aggressors, who number 2000 men, are believed to be men of Harar and Hamar.

December

A party of 2000 men from Kadda appears within a day's march of Fitarah (1000 ft. alt.) to the north of Fitarah.

1915

February

The Capt. of Menzies, who captured (one of the Beni Shangul) said Hiller, and the chief of Fitarah and carry off a number of the Beni Shangul within Sudan territory. Men are sent across the border into the Duran Country to demand tribute.

April

An armed party is hunting elephants in the neighbourhood of the Laff Mountains (Mongalla Province.)

May.

Five Sudanese, who had temporarily taken employment at Hogara in Abyssinian territory, are attacked by an armed party of 10 men near Subani (long. 36°33' lat. 1,917') in Kassala Province, while returning to their homes. One Sudanese killed, and women taken back to Hogara.

November.

A dependant of Hassanad Wan Mahmud raids the cultivation of the Jebel Jerak people and seizes some women and children.

1916.

March-April.

An Abyssinian poaching party stated to consist of 100 armed men with 200 servants and carriers, is hunting in the Larit Mountains. Certain Buganda employed by them escape to Rejaf.

August.

An Abyssinians poaching party of 15 shoot elephants within a day's march of Mongalla.

1917.

March.

A party of the Equatorial Battalion and Province Police surprise the camp of Swahili and Abyssinian poachers in Opavi district of Mongalla Province, killing one man and capturing 23 tusks of Ivory. The other poachers escape.

May.

Successful operations are carried out against poachers from Abyssinia in the country between Liria and the Kidoppo river (Mongalla Province).

A party numbering over 100 is put to flight after stubborn resistance; 7 of the enemy are killed and 105 tusks captured. Government casualties - killed 2, wounded 2.

December.

A frontier patrol captures a party of poachers between the frontier road and the junction of the Behr al Galan and Athara river.

The Kocia tribe near Barragarra (lat. 9°45', long. 33°50') throughout 1917 are subjected to considerable interference by agents of Khogali al Hassan (a Beni Shungul chief); especially with the view of inducing them by force or persuasion to move into Abyssinian territory.

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1918.

February.

A patrol of the Slavery Repression Department is fired on by poachers at Hengirat on the Dinder river and Joseph and one man. Three Abyssinians killed; amongst them a son of Yitmurari Zalinka.

April.

Men of Khogali el Hassan raid a Khoma village, and carry off one man, four women and five boys.

December.

Mohammad Casuli, a native of Gallabat, who had caused trouble by intriguing with Abyssinian officials, and was in consequence removed from the district, is kidnaped in Sudan territory by eight Kenegeese Gudanese and taken to Abyssinia, together with the policeman who is escorting him.

Hau Gussa subsequently sends back the policeman, but retains Mohammad Casuli on the plea that he is an Abyssinian subject.

Subordinates of Khogali el Hassan raid Burna villages on the left bank of Khor Talus, and attack the Khoms at Wargara. One of Burqa's son and a woman are killed in the first raid, and five Khoms men are killed and five women carried off from Wargara.

1919.

September.

An armed party, consisting of 100 men, crosses the Sudan river (Kassala) and takes a small village, and a Sudanese village. They subsequently capture a woman who returns to her country in Abyssinia.

The leader of this party is said to be a follower of Abd el Rahma Tur al Guri, one of the Beni Shungul chiefs.

November.

A party of about 15 armed poachers is rounded up near Laron Hill (Mongalla Province); one Abyssinian and four men believed to be Swahili, are killed; the remainder escape. 62 tusks, 10 rifles and a quantity of ammunition are captured.

December.

An inter-tribal raid of Abyssinian Atmak on Kellow-tribesmen in Sudan territory.

1920.

March.

A party of followers of Mohammed Abd Mahmad, reputed to number 700, attack a village near Afodi (lat. $10^{\circ}12' N.$, long. $36^{\circ}18' E.$); they burn the village and drive off the inhabitants and their livestock, but the captives are subsequently returned by Abd Mahmad with the exception of certain people whom he claims as runaway slaves.

Four Abyssinian chiefs with a force of 50 men and a machine gun arrive amongst the Fikis Topous (Kozzalis Province) and warn the inhabitants that they do not recognize them as subjects of the Sudan.

July.

Four armed Swahili passages arrested in Kozzalis Province.

Twenty-five Abyssinians and Swahili raid a Kozzalis village and capture a number of cattle and sheep.

February.

A heavy patrol on the Dinder encounters an Abyssinian poaching party believed to be organized by Fitaaurari Ballaka. After an exchange of shots the poachers retire across the frontier.

Two Swahili poachers arrested in Kozzalis Province, the west of the Nile.

March.

A party of 20 Swahilians and Swahili raid the Kozzalis village of Fikis, killing five men and ten women and carrying cattle.

April.

A party of Abyssinians numbering 26 rifles is reported near Lianna; (long. $36^{\circ}5'$, lat. $12^{\circ}47'$).

Police from Dinder post encounter Abyssinian poachers and exchange shots. One Abyssinian believed killed and four wounded. One policeman wounded.

A party of Abyssinians, said to be followers of Fitaaurari Ballaka, make a desultory attack on Dinder Post on two successive days, and retire without casualties on either side.

July.

Dinder Post reports that a freeborn woman married to a nephew of Mok Abu Salama, has been kidnapped from Tashanguru District (long. $36^{\circ}36' N.$, lat. $10^{\circ}34' E.$) by an armed party of eight Abyssinians.

1928.

January.

An Abyssinian official from Burei called Fitaurari Tekem collects tribute from villages on the left bank of the Akobo river.

March.

A party of Abyssinians attack the Slavery Repression Post on the Dindur, probably as a reprisal for the death of an Abyssinian killed by slavery police in the preceding year. They are driven back without casualties on either side.

April.

An armed Abyssinian band attacks a party of nomad gatherers near Khor Gidera. One man is injured and another dies of his wounds while escaping from the brigands.

Wooly things have been described by Abyssinian travellers as being the capture of a gazelle in the high mountains of the Galla (Haramay).

A patrol of the Galla Berabers and the King's African Rifles operate against poachers in the Toposa country. Most of the poachers escape, but one man is captured and his rifle and ammunition confiscated.

November.

A small column operating from Subukentia (long. 22° 23' E., lat. 4° 51' N.) ambushed poachers in the Toposa country, of whom one was killed.

December.

A patrol of a Company of the Equatorial Forces near the Nile (long. 22° 23' E., lat. 4° 51' N.) ambushed poachers in the Toposa country, of whom one was killed.

1929.

January.

A party of Abyssinians under the direction of the Galla Berabers attack the village of Khor Gidera near Khor Gidera. The party is repulsed and the village is destroyed.

A Galla Beraber party from the Fung Province attacks on the Dindur. One poacher is killed and one captured.

November.

H. B. H. Consul at Haji reports extensive raids by Abyssinians on the tribes living between Haji and the Sudan border, in the course of which the frontier is violated in pursuit of refugees.

1924

January

A patrol of the Eastern Arab Corps, reconnoitering from a post established at Haskin, Tahir flat, 129.4' N. long. 35730' E., is fired on by a party of five Abyssinians. In the skirmish 163 Abyssinians are killed and one badly wounded. The leader of the band, Abanbarde Yemari, is arrested.

February

Abdullin raiders in force, 2000, force down the Buran on the Buran valley down to Khor Daga. The force is met with the cattle, but the British Officer, one, attempting to intercept the raiders. The raiders find the cattle and return to their camp. The British Officer, one, is killed. The British Officer, one, is reported to have been shot by the raiders. The British Officer, one, is reported to have been shot by the raiders.

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September

An Arab Abyssinian poacher, who had come from Haskin, is arrested close to Haskin. Another party is reported to be operating in Latka District.

1925.

April.

On three occasions during the month patrols cross Dinder post encounter poachers. Shots are exchanged and an unnamed Abyssinian is taken prisoner.

May.

There are rumours of Abyssinian military activity against a Warragarra. No violation of the frontier occurs, but investigation shows that a raid had been contemplated and abandoned, probably in consequence of military precautions taken on our side.

H.M. Consul at Dargala reports that Fiturari Gallaka, with the cognisance of Has Hally, had personally taken a large poaching party to the Dinder and Khor Galega in April (1925) and obtained a large bag of elephant, buffalo, giraffe and other game. The party consisted of 170 rifles and stayed in the Sudan about two months.

September.

H.M. Consul for S.W. Abyssinia, while travelling near Moru-a-Kippi, arrests a party of Abyssinian and Swahili poachers, including a ring-leader Balib bin Ali, an Arab from Aden, who subsequently escapes from custody. Five rifles and 23 tusks are captured.

Acts of frontier lawlessness, committed by the inhabitants of the Abyssinian villages of Khor Ghatta and Mehamed Gullu, lead to a protest addressed to Has Dukas by H.M. Consul at Dargala.

1926.

February.

Patrols fight Abyssinians near Du Umali and on Khor Abu Ramla near the Dinder. Shots are exchanged and the poachers escape.

March.

Armed outlaws, originally followers of Mohamed Fad Mahaud, commit acts of lawlessness near Jebel Jerak, and fire on a police patrol. One policeman is wounded, three brigands are stated to be killed, and two are captured, one of whom dies later. The rest retire into Abyssinian territory.

1927.

April.

Eleven Abyssinians are reported near Kassa in the Toposa country (Kangalla Province.)

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May.

A police patrol came into contact with a band of poachers at Ban Inar on the Dinder. Shots are exchanged, one poacher is killed and four are captured.

H.B. It is not specifically stated that these poachers were Abyssinians.

June.

Abyssinian poachers are active in Bor District and shoot elephants near Malek on the Nile.

A party of 15 Abyssinians, nine of whom carry rifles, are seen within a mile or two of Khartoum.

July.

Three distinct parties of Abyssinian poachers are reported in Kougalla Province; they escape police pursuit, but evidence of their presence is found in the shape of buried tusks, and their deserted camps.

A British officer, while on a scouting trip, arrests a party of Abyssinian poachers in a small village near Dalhak (Upper Nile Province). Evidence of their poaching activities in the shape of ivory and skins is found.

October.

The Sudan railways, operated by the Government, were closed in 1911 and the people of the Sudan were asked to have killed and captured the poachers.

An Abyssinian poacher, with followers estimated variously from 50 to 100 is reported in Sudan territory at Abu Khar, six days march north of the junction of the Atbara and Nile at Khartoum, probably in search of ivory. On the arrival of a party, the poacher, having seen the baggage train of the party, and subsequently seeing

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FOREIGN OFFICE, S.W.1.
21st March, 1938.

My Lord.

With reference to Your Lordship's despatch No. 603 of the 4th March in which was enclosed a description of Abyssinian raids into Sudan territory during the years 1915 - 1927, it is now proposed to include the available information respecting the Sudan in a White Paper dealing with all Abyssinian raids into British territory generally, for the period January 1st, 1916 to the present day.

B. The White Paper in question will show the facts in tabular form, regard being had to the following points:-

- (a) The raids to be grouped together geographically, and arranged according to the district concerned.
- (b) Not only the date, perpetrators and locality of the raids to be described, but also, when possible, the amount of stock etc. looted and the number of civilian and military casualties.
- (c) The notes given in a column headed "Remarks" to be standardised in length and form.
- (d) The entries under a heading "Perpetrators" to be as exact as possible, expressions such as "Abyssinians" or "Abyssinian territory" being replaced where practicable by more precise details of the aggressors and locality in question.

C. I enclose specimen pages from the draft of the White Paper referred to above. It will be seen, however, that while these specimens provide a general model of the form

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The Lord Libby, O.C.S.I., O.C.I.E.,
etc., etc., etc.,
Cairo.

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in which it is desired to present the facts they do not in every case fulfil the requirements set out above, and they are therefore being referred back to the Government of Kenya for standardisation and revision. In the same way, I shall be glad if you will request the Sudan Government to recast the information contained in your despatch under reference.

I am with great truth and regard,

Yr Lord,

Your obedient servant,

(By the Secretary of State)

(Sd.) JOHN MURRAY.

White Paper giving a summary
of reports ~~to~~ ^{from} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~Sudan~~ ^{Sudan} ~~British~~ ^{British} ~~Somaliland~~ ^{Somaliland}
and Kenya during the period
1st January, 1926, onwards, (1926)

and that the material furnished
as regards Kenya is ~~in~~ ⁱⁿ ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~Northcote's~~ ^{Northcote's} ~~despatch~~ ^{despatch} ~~no~~ ^{no} ~~618~~ ⁶¹⁸ ~~of~~ ^{of} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~15~~ ¹⁵ ~~June~~ ^{June}, 1926, and the
despatch under reference has
been embodied in a return ~~which~~ ^{which}
was sent to the F.O. on the 17th Feb^y;
but that it is felt that this return may
require some further revision, to make it
before it can be considered
suitable for inclusion in the
Paper to be laid before Parliament.
In the circumstances I have
to request that you will
cause the return to be
carefully scrutinised and

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- Mr. Bottomley
- Mr. B. J. Harding
- Sir J. Shackleton
- Sir G. Grenville
- Sir O. Davis
- Sir S. Wilson
- Mr. Ormsby Gore
- Lord Lonsdale
- Mr. Amery

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that it is very necessary
that the White Paper
to be published should be
clearly intelligible and
that it should not
contain details the
accuracy of which
would be challenged.

(Signed) L. S. AMERY

and refer to the lines indicated
a view to its modification
and possible amplification
to the effect of the letter to the
F.O. of the 17th February
and that Dept's reply of the
17th March, and further
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Showing raids from Abyssinia into territory administered by the Government of Kenya (formerly the East Africa Protectorate) from the year 1915 onwards.

- I. Mardera District.
- II. Moyale District.
- III. Marsabit District.
- IV. Turkana District.

Date.	Perpetrators	Place	Stock etc. Looted.	Kenya Civilian Casualties	Raiders' Casualties.	Remarks
20. January 1926	6 Abyssinian Soldiers	Golja	Camels 12 Rifles 4 Sheep and Goats 4/50 And various other items			These Abyssinian Soldiers were reported to H.M.'s Consul at Mega to be acting under the authority of Fitaurari Walde Gabriel.
January 1926	8 Abyssinian Soldiers		1 Elephant killed			
21. February 1926	9 Abyssinian Soldiers	Nr. Bantisa	Sheep and Goats 40/50 and various other items	1 Gurreh		1 Kenya Police killed, 1 Kenya Police died of wounds, 1 Kenya Police severely wounded. These Abyssinian soldiers were reported to H.M.'s Consul at Mega to be acting under the authority of Fitaurari Walde Gabriel.
22. February 1926	12 Abyssinian Soldiers under Walde Gabriel's right hand man Aba Wavamu	Dadacha Kama area	Camels 4 Sheep and Goats 21 Rifles 2			These Abyssinian soldiers were reported to H.M.'s Consul at Mega to be acting under the authority of Fitaurari Walde Gabriel.
23. March 11th 1926	25 Somali (Aulihan) from Abyssinian Territory	Gomyissa	Cattle 200			
24. March 17th 1926	150-200 Somali (Aulihan) from Abyssinian Territory	Birchika	Cattle 450 Sheep and Goats 2,500		Killed:- Men 2 Women 2 Wounded:- Men 2 Women 1	
25. March 31st 1926	400 Somali (Aulihan) from Abyssinian Territory	Kalicha	Camels 500-600 Cattle 2,500 Sheep and Goats also police rifle, barremis, rations and kit of 9 askaris.	4 Gurreh	1 Aulihan	1 Kenya Police Askari killed, 1 Kenya Police Guide killed, 1,100 camels recovered.
25. January 1927	25 Somali (Aulihan) (Afgab) from Italian Territory.	Birchika			Killed:- 2 Wounded 2 one of whom was captured.	Driven off by Kenya Police picket raiding party reported to have had 16 rifles.

III MARSABIT DISTRICT.

(Not taking into account numerous poaching incursions, which are so common to be considered not worth reporting).

Period	Perpetrators	Place	Stock etc. looted.	Kenya Civilian Casualties	Enemy Casualties.	Remarks.
1 May 1915	Gelubba and Abyssinians	El Dukana	15 Kraals Cattle	5 males and 9 females killed (Gabbra and Boran)		
2 May 1915	Gelubba and Abyssinians	Gara Shebel	3 Kraals cattle and 8 Kraals sheep and goats	12 males and 10 females killed (Gabbra)		
3 April 1919	Gelubba	Gurgumwa	6 female camels 1 baggage camel 1 horse.	57 killed (Rendile)		
4 1924	Abyssinians	Sharamo Alis Manyatta				No details.
5 Sept. 1925	Gelubba and Abyssinians	Mcite	4000-5500 camels looted	29 killed, 5 wounded (Rendile, Gabbra and Boran).		
6 June 24, 1927	Abyssinians	Bagaga	1 camel 18 sheep and Goats. 1 Rifle.		4 killed, various wounded	1 Kenya Policeman killed. 3 wounded.

Period.	Perpetrators.	Place of Raid.	Stock etc. looted.	No. of persons captured and carried out of Colony.	Remarks.
1918 13 Oct.	Tigre and Boran	Dandu	700 Ajuran cattle	Sheik Ahmed Omar made prisoner.	
14 Oct.	Abyssinians of Gerazmatch Gashi	Hida Lolu	30 head of cattle of Gaia Rassa.	-	
15 Oct.	Tigre	Seiolo	-	3 Borans held to ransom	Boran's ear cut off.
1919 16 Jan.	Abyssinians of Gerazmatch Gashi	Mayalo	-	-	Dido Doyah cattle raided. Constabulary and K.A.R. recovered cattle after fight with Abyssinian Troops. No casualties.
17 Apl.	Tigre (Lij Alemayu) and (Walde Yeas)	Mayala	(?) Cattle taken	-	Tigre in Abyssinian home attacked and 7 killed. 2 Northern Frontier District askaris killed and 1 wounded. Cattle recovered.
18 Apl.	Tigre (Lij. do)	El Chilliako	-	-	Hunting party into Gurreh country. Lieut. Jenkins 5th K.A.R. attacked Tigre killing 17. 4 K.A.R. askaris wounded. Abyssinians report 30 killed including Agafat Boss.
17 Apl.	Rendist	Near Kural	Stock taken from Rendils.	-	67 Rendile killed. Raiders followed by Rendile and 2 Govt. Sycaes who recovered all the stock and killed 17 of the raiders.
20 May	Tigre	Wabitti	-	-	Govt. Safari attacked and 1 Syca killed.
21 Aug.	Tigre	Hara Baku	-	8 Boran and 1 Gurreh held to ransom.	Gurreh ransomed by Sheik Hussein. 1 Boran released after having his ear cut off. 2 escaped and 3 rescued in October 1919.
22 Aug.	Tigre and Degodia	Near Beddo	-	-	Tigre ambushed K.A.R. safari under Lieut. A.O. Jenkins. 1 askar killed. Degodia reported later that 3 Tigre killed by K.A.R.
22 Sept.	Tigre	Rakko	-	-	Capt. R.S. Kidd with party of K.A.R. attacked. Tigre killed 2 and wounded 2. One of Tigre casualties said to have been shot by own man in mistake. 1 Boran prisoner rescued. Mr Consul Hodson reports 6 Tigre killed altogether and 2 wounded.
Oct. 10th	8 Tigre and 2 Somalis	El Seio	254 cattle	-	Gri. Robleh Doria and 10 Northern Frontier District Constabulary pursued raiders to Eillo and recovered all cattle, rescuing 3 Boran held to ransom in August near Hara Baku. 3 Tigre wounded and 1 constable slightly wounded. Mr. Consul Hodson reports 4 Tigre killed and 3 wounded.

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Period	Perpetrators.	Place of raid.	Stock etc. looted.	No. of persons captured and carried out of Colony.	Remarks.
1919					
Oct. 10th	9 Tigre and many Degodia	Kalicha (Dawa River)			Concentrating for raid on K.A.R. Lt. J. E. Cochr. 5th K.A.R. with 10 men crossed river and routed enemy killing 2 and capturing 200 camels. Our casualties nil. This party reported to be identical with the Tigre and Degodia who ambushed K.A.R. safari near Muddo in August.
Oct. 23rd	8 Tigre or Abyssinians	Near Buda	1 bullock.	4 Boran men and 3 women.	Cpl. Jirte Ismail (Northern Frontier District) and 5 others on patrol near went in pursuit and rescued all near Dadscho. 1 Tigre killed, our casualties nil.
Nov. 7th	Tigre or Abyssinians	Tachi			Apparently attacked Lt. Kidd (3rd K.A.R.) at 7.30 p.m. at camp loading camels. 1 K.A.R. safari killed. Search made next day revealed no traces but Abyssinians had then camped in old K.A.R. camp. Doubtful if Tigre intentionally attacked Govt. camp probably thought it a party of traders or other harmless folk. Boran escaped at Mt. Kurri. Sgt. Ismail, Somali captured rifle and shot 1 Tigre and escaped also with the Gurrah.
Nov. 29	5 Tigre	Gashadman and Gurrah		2 Boran, 1 Gurrah and 1 Somali held to ransom.	
Nov. 29	8 Tigre	Near Buda			Hiding in bush preparatory to raid at Golbo. Lt. C. Zarluga and patrol returning from pursuit of N.E. 100(a.r.) attacked party in bush capturing 1 rifle and many clothes etc. 3 Tigre wounded of whom 1 died. Our casualties nil.
1920					
Feb. 11th	Abyssinian Soldiers	Salo Wells.	18 Boran cattle.		K.A.R. Patrol had been to these wells on same day but had left and returned to Minaborn where they and civil patrol were camped. Patrol could only intervene by following raiders into Abyssinian territory which being contrary to orders was not done.
Mar. 1st	Some 20 Tigre or Abyssinians.	Codoko			Attempted raid on walls K.A.R. patrol 1 and 3 were near by and were fired on by raiders. Fire was returned and lasted some
May 2nd	6 Tigre	Barbor near Moyala.	Value of stolen articles 1500.		One Boran killed, one Ajuran wounded. Manvatta approximately situated on border and occupants advised to move repeatedly. Barring attention to wounded no action possible in view of definite or term forbidding pursuit of raiders across the frontier. An armed party of Ajuran etc. hunted the raiders for 2 days but did not find them.

Period.	Perpetrators.	Place of raid.	Stock etc. looted.	No. of persons captured and carried out of colony.	Remarks.
1920					
33 June 10th	6 Tigre	Hadessa		4 men and 2 women taken prisoners. Ransom demanded 2000 per head.	No action of any value possible as raiders well away over the border before news arrived at Boma. A patrol sent following morning but no result achieved. One man was later released to return for ransom. Later 3 men managed to escape, 2 women still captive.
34 July 9th	Kama 50 Abyssinians.	Halo Ogorchi		A number of prisoners taken.	Leaders Lij Bachu and son of Pitaurari Walde Gabriel of Arero. 5 Boran murdered. Some prisoners returned and some escaped. Remaining prisoners on 16.7.20 were 1 man, 1 girl and 4 boys. Patrol on scene by 11th but raiders cleared away over the border. Raiders camped at Tull Adi and then went to Jimma near Arero. Formal protest to Addis Ababa.
35 July 18th	Tigre and Abyssinians, about 18 men via Gaddaduma	Danda Gurreh District	4 Karas Gurreh cattle.	Several prisoners taken.	Boran state Lij Bachu's men again. Pursuit by patrol of Ag. D.C. Gurreh. Raiders succeeded in crossing the border.
36 July 19th	Tigre and Abyssinians, 21 men via Gaddaduma.	Kufala and Madiku	6 Karas cattle of Boran, Ajuuran and Sakuye.		Followed by armed native party and stock all re-taken except 1 mule. 4 raiders said to have been wounded. 1 Ajuuran wounded. Gabora guide of raiders killed by Ajuuran later. 1 Ajuuran (Gera) killed.
37 Aug. 1st	37 Tigre, of Fit. Wayessa's son Alemayu, from Janak.	Moyale about 200 yds. from Boma.	(1) 15 Joras mardoof and 15 Joras Americani. (2) 215 3 Joras mardoof 3 shirts 100 rupees. (3) Rs.400.		(1) Boran traders from Dosa (2) Jama Deria, Nairobi Trader. (3) Mohamed Ali Gurra. Leaders of 37 Tigre remained at Govt. Boma Opposite. Killed 1 man of No. (3). Five minutes after alarm given raiders safely back across the border. Gadera (Pitaurari Gashila man) interviewed "heard the firing but knows nothing".
1921					
38 Feb. 26th	20/30 Abyssinians	Salo	2 Karas cattle		Followed up at 4 p.m. by patrol of 1 and 5 M.P.C. from Hamo all cattle barring 13 returned. No British casualties. 11 Abyssinian casualties reported. Probably exaggerated.

Period	Perpetrator	Place of raid	Stock etc. looted	No. of persons captured and carried out of Colony	Remarks
1922					
39. Sept. 12th	Tigre	Sololo	200 cattle.		Cattle re-captured by K.A.R. Patrol
40 Oct.	Tigre	Between Godama and Gaddaduma	80 head sheep and goats.		Matter referred to Ato Gabbra.
41 Oct.	Tigre	Gaddaduma	2 Tagas cloth		1 Boran wounded. Ato Gabru sends soldier to Illishiftas.
42 Nov. 13th	Abyssinians	Kura Wells	400/500 cattle.		1 kara cattle returned to British territory by themselves 1 kara was returned by the Abyssinians, the 3rd (the Boran bay) was taken by abyssinian soldiers to compensate them for the Boran who had fled to British territory. News was not received at Moyale until 8 p.m. too late to do anything. Later a patrol of No. 10 platoon returning from Halake Jirma's heard of this raid and sent to Capt. Wright who was on safari near Sololo. They were ordered to follow them and went after three hours with some armed Boran. On 15.11.22 nothing had been heard from the Patrol. Hasean Nobleh No. 10 Platoon returned Friday Nov. 17th from Lal. having found the Tigre in a boma there. 45 rounds were shot above the boma. The Tigre ran away and 19 cattle 2 donkeys were captured and brought back to village of Hako Huluta.
43 Nov. 14th	Tigre	Dakanish	7 camels	3 women and 2 men all Boran.	Patrol sent by Capt. Wright from Sololo reported that the 2 men and 3 women and 4 camels has been returned but 3 camels had been taken in direction of Mega these were followed but they got away.
1925					
44 July 20th	Abyssinian soldiers of Fit. Walde Gabriel.	Sajo Wells	7 karas cattle		K.A.R. Patrol fought with Abyssinians soldiers and recovered all the cattle. 1 Abyssinian soldier killed. British casualties nil.

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For any further communication
on this subject, please refer to
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The Under Secretary of State,
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1st March 1928

Sir,
With reference to your letter 15017/28 of the 17th
ultimo regarding the proposed publication of a further White
Paper relating to Abyssinian raids into British territory and
enclosing a summary of the raids which have taken place over
the Kenya-Abyssinia frontier during the period from 1915
onwards, I am directed by Secretary Sir Austen Chamberlain to
say that he considers that this summary should be referred back
to the Governor of Kenya for revision.

2. Sir Austen Chamberlain is of the opinion that the
corrections and additions to be made should be upon the lines
of the note you enclosed with the summary, - and that

a) any abbreviations or signs which are either obscure or
apparently wrong should be revised

b) each raid should come under its appropriate heading
and that no raid should be described twice in the summary

c) the notes given in the column of "remarks" should be
standardised in length and form

d) the entries under the head "papers etc." should be
more precise and vague expressions such as "in Abyssinia" or
"in Abyssinian territory" should as far as possible be replaced
by the exact details of the aggressor or locality in question

3. Sir Austen Chamberlain agrees that the White Paper
should only include incidents which occurred on or after
January 1st 1915.

I am,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John Murray

The Under Secretary of State,
Colonial Office.

15 March 1928

Copy to Sir J. G. ...

Mr. Secy. of State

London, 28. Somaliland

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Downing Street.

17 February 1926

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Sir,

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FOREIGN OFFICE

With reference to your letter No. 1,3695/124/1 of the 9th January regarding the proposed publication of a further White Paper relating to the proposed hand over of the territory of Somaliland to the British Government I am now directed to enclose herewith for the use of the Mr. *Ormsby-Gore* Chamberlain a summary of the events which have taken place over the territory of Abyssinia since the period from 1906 onwards.

2. This summary had been compiled from the material furnished by the Governor of Kenya in his despatches No. 674 of the 15th June 1925 and No.

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1927. Copies of these despatches
were communicated to you with the
letters from this Department No. 7553, 26
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X.106115/27, of the 29th of October,

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duces for the most part the actual
tabular statements submitted by the
Governor, but where ^a the tabular state-
ment was not sent, e.g. in the case
of the raids into the Marsabit District,
and the earlier raids into the Mandera
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into tabular form in this Department.

48. In collating the information
provided by the Governor of Kenya a

double check *care & notice*
number of *errors* have been raised

Particulars of which are given in the
enclosed note. The Secretary of State

would be glad to learn whether Sir

Austen Chamberlain feels that he is in
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3. In the letter from this
Dept of 28th December I
was intended to suggest that
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information from the beginning
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was explained some officially
after your letter of the 17th
had been received. It was
understood that Sir A. Chamberlain
saw no objection to copying
the return to events from 1916
onwards. It will be desired that
the return for Kenya actually
includes incidents from 1915 but
as the Governor of British East Africa
has been asked to supply only
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for Kenya only goes back to the
same date. It has been assumed
that all the info for 1915 will be
excluded from the white paper.

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~~a resolution to effect any necessary~~
~~amendment of the summary~~ ^{can be justified} without further
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~~or whether he would prefer that the~~
~~summary should be referred back to the~~
~~Governor with a view to its being revised~~
~~locally in the light of the queries which~~
~~have been raised.~~

I am also to state that the ~~Governor~~
 Governor of Somaliland has been requested
 in a despatch of which a copy is
 enclosed, to furnish the necessary
 material for inclusion in the White
 Paper as regards Somaliland.

I am, etc.

(signed) R. A. WISEMAN.

The sign "2" is again used apparently in error for "1".

Raid No. 37.

There appears to be an omission of some words after the figures 218 in note (1) in the citation "stock etc. looted."

III. Marsabit District.

Raids 1 and 2.

As already noted these raids appear to be included in the return under Moyale District.

IV. Turkana District.

It is observed in the note at the foot of this Schedule that the Turkana and Northern Rifle men are described as brigands living for the most part in Abyssinia and Sudan territory. It might perhaps be undesirable to refer the white paper to the fact that any of the ~~brigands~~ ^{gangs} of ~~the~~ ^{these} ~~gangs~~ ^{gangs} is home from Sudan territory.

Generally the notes given in the column of remarks are couched in the case of certain raids and movements in the district.

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Note: Re-arrangement
N.F.C. is not understood

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RETURN

Shows roads from Abyssinia into Kenia by administered
by the East of Kenia (formerly the East Africa Protectorate)
for the year 1918 onwards.

I Mandera District

II Moyale District

III Naivasha District

IV Turkana District

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Period	Perpetrators	Place	Stock etc. Looted	Kenya Casualties	Civilian Retirees Casualties	Remarks
January 1926	8 Abyssinian Soldiers	Githa	Camels 12 Rifles 4 Sheep and Goats 40/50 and various other items. 1 Elephant killed			These Abyssinian Soldiers were reported to H.M.'s Consul at Moga to be acting under the authority of Fitaurari Walde Gabriel.
January 1926	8 Abyssinian Soldiers	At Danissa	Sheep and Goats 40/50 and various other items.	1		1 Kenya Police killed. 1 Kenya Police died of wounds. 1 Kenya Police severely wounded. These Abyssinian soldiers were reported to H.M.'s Consul at Moga to be acting under the authority of Fitaurari Walde Gabriel.
February 1926	12 Abyssinian Soldiers under Walde Gabriel's right hand man Aba Tawana	Dadacha Kocma vien	Camels 4 Sheep and Goats 21 Rifles 2			These Abyssinian soldiers were reported to H.M.'s Consul at Moga to be acting under the authority of Fitaurari Walde Gabriel.
March 11th 1926	25 Somali (Aulihan) from Abyssinian Territory	Comfissa	Cattle 200			
March 17th 1926	150-200 Somali (Aulihan) from Abyssinian Territory	Birchika	Cattle 250 Sheep and Goats 2,000	Killed 4 Wounded 2 Went Missing 2		
March 31st 1926	400 Somali (Aulihan) from Abyssinian Territory	Kalima	Cattle 600-600 Rifles 2 Sheep and Goats 100 also police rifle, dynamite, rations and kit of 8 askaris	4	1 Aulihan	1 Kenya Police Askari killed. 1 Kenya Police Askari killed. 100 camels recovered.
January 1927	25 Somali (Aulihan) from Italian Territory	Birchika		Killed - 2 Wounded - 2 one of which was captured		Driven out by Kenya Police trucker. Said party reported to have had 16 rifles.

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I. Mandera District.

Date	Perpetrators	Place	Stock etc. Lost	Kenya Civilian Casualties	Raiders' Casualties	Remarks
1 April 1921	Degodia	R. Dawa	6 donkeys	1 woman wounded (Gurreh)		
2 4th August 1921	Somalis (Aulihan)	Nebol		8 men and 1 woman killed (Gurreh)	12 killed men wounded; 2 rifles captured. (2 Aulihan also killed at Malka Be by K.A.F. on 5th August 1921)	Enemy estimated at 200-300 men armed with rifles and spears. The raid was attempted within sight of Nebol Bona.
3 4th October 1921	Abyssinia Boran	Banissa (near)	1 mule	2 men and 1 woman killed (Gurreh)		
4 December 1921	Degodia	Kalicha	1 camel	1 killed (Gurreh)		
5 January 1922	Degodia	Nebol	6 camels		One wounded	4 camels recovered by Askaris
6 February 1922	Somalis (Aulihan)	Dolo	60 camels			cattle recovered by the owners (Gurreh-Murreh tribe)
7 March 1922	Somalis (Aulihan)	Dolo				Two raids during the month on the Gurreh-Murreh who on each occasion followed the raiders and recovered their stock
8 April 1922	(Somalis Aulihan)	Dolo		2 men killed (Gurreh-Murreh)	one killed, one mortally wounded	Stock recovered
9 May 1922	Degodia	Bisika	15 camels	1 man killed (Gurreh)		
10 October 1922	Degodia	Mata Safara	7 camels	1 Gurreh slightly wounded		
11 December 1922	Somalis (Aulihan)	Gelanneh	92 camels			Some of the stock recovered later through the Abyssinian in charge of Dolo Bona
12 January 1923	Degodia	Mandera		1 Government Syce murdered		"This was the Degodia method of retaliation for a slap in the face given at some previous date by the Syce"
13 9th March 1923	Somalis (Aulihan)	Mata Safara		1 man killed, 1 woman mortally wounded and 4 women wounded (Gurreh)	3 killed	All stock carried off but eventually returned to the owners. (2 killed on 1st March 1923 by K.A.F. on 2nd March 1923)
14 7th March 1923	Osadeyn	Near R. Dawa				Incoming mail attacked but the attack beaten off
15 1st May 1924	Somalis (Aulihan)	Jirma near Nebol			Two wounded	100 stock raided but recovered by K.A.F.
16 March 1924	Somalis (Aulihan)	Gerissa				"The Aulihan are well armed with rifles and ammunition which they have brought from German traders near Ind. in Abyssinia"
17 December 1924		Kalicha	3000 head of Gurreh stock mainly cattle		10 killed 8 wounded	Nearly all cattle recovered by K.A.F. Raiders estimated at 300

NOTE: Raids prior to 1921 are included under the Moyale District, of which the Mandera District originally formed part.

III. MOYALE DISTRICT

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Period	Perpetrators	Place of Raid	No. of persons captured and carried out of Colony	Rel. of Stock & taken by raiders (etc)	Remarks
1915					
1 May	Tigre	Gara Sura	14 persons (Gabra)	7 Bomas cattle 16 sheep	
2 Oct.	Abyssinians of Tigre	Jasa	-	25 camels 300 sheep & goats from Gurreh & Gabra	
3 Nov.	Abyssinians under direct command of Genazmatch Gabra Tegli I. B. Gaddadama	Deraaleh	3 persons held to ransom.	7 goats 3 cows & cloth.	
4 Dec.	Tigre	Turbi			Tigre Dr. Chail's safari, 6. 10 1 askari killed.
1916					
5 Oct.	Tigre	Kalacha		30 bomas sheep	Gabra killed, 16 men killed, 4 women wounded 1 man 1 woman mutilated 2 boys

1917

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1917					
Mar.	Gabra Hiddan Tigre	Ogondi	4 Boran held to ransom for 10% & 10 cows each 3 Boran and 4 Ajuran women held to ransom @ 100% each	\$ 2	100% paid for by Daido Abadua who voluntarily crossed into Dirre in Abyssinia. 150% paid for Hocka Hudana. The above 150% were repaid by Lid Belai. The 100% was not asked to return as the man voluntarily crossed into Dirre, Abyssinia.
Apr.	Tigre	Sololo	-	-	Fight with Police Patrol (2) & Syce wounded, 1 Boran killed, 3 Tigre killed.
(?)	"	Kalacha	-	-	(Fight bet. askaris & Tigre. 1 Tigre killed, 1 askari & 1 Syce wounded)
Jan.	Abyssinians or Tigre	Kilva	-	2 Boras mardoof	Gurre trading safari looted, 1 Small killed.
Sept.	Tigre	Sololo	-	-	Mr. Bamber's safari attacked, 1 askari killed, 1 Tigre killed and 1 wounded.
Sept.	Boran of Afa Guddo Toyi	Bute	-	18 cattle	1 Ajuran killed.
Sept.	Abyssinians or Tigre	Gurar	1 man & 2 boys	200 cattle & 70 camels of Ajuran	
Oct.	Tigre & Boran	Dandu	Sheik Ahmed Omar made prisoner	700 Ajuran cattle	

Period	Perpetrators	Place of raid	No. of persons captured & carried out of Colony.	No. of stock &c. taken by raiders (valued)	Remarks
1918 Oct.	Abyssinians of Gerazmatch Gashi	Hida Lolu	-	30 head of cattle of Gala Basse	
Oct.	Tigre	Sololo	3 Boran held to ransom		Boran's ear cut off
1919 Jan.	Abyssinians of Gerazmatch Gashi	Woyale	-		Dido Doyola cattle raided. Forstabulary and K.A.R. recovered cattle after fight with Abyssinian Troops. No casualties.
Apr.	Tigre (Lt. Alem & Walde Yese)	Woyale	-	(?) cattle taken	Tigre in Abyssinia. Boran attacked & 7 Tigre askaris killed & 4 wounded. Cattle recovered.
Apr.	Tigre (Govt.)	Elvillako	-		Hunting party into Tigre Country. Bient Jenki. 3rd K.A.R. attacked Tigre killing 14 K.A.R. askaris wounded. Abyssinians report 30 killed including Afafari party.
Apr.	R. spiat	Near Kulal	-	Stock taken from Rendile	57 Rendile killed. Raiders followed by Rendile and 2 Govt. syces who recovered all the stock and killed 17 of the raiders.
May 1919	Tigre	Wattiti	-		Govt. safari attacked 24 syces killed.

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1919					
1 Aug.	Tigre	Hara Saku	6 Boran and 1 Gurra held to ransom	-	Gurra ransomed by Sheikh Huhagin. 1 Boran released after having his ear cut off. 2 escaped & 3 recused in October 1919.
1 Aug.	Tigre & Degodia	Near Muddo	-	-	Tigre ambushed K.A.R. safari under Lieut. A.C. Jenkins. 1 askari killed. Degodia reported later that 3 Tigre killed by K.A.R.
1 Sep.	Tigre	Ranko	-	-	Capt. R.S. Kidd with party of K.A.R. attacked Tigre killed 2 and wounded 2. One of Tigre casualties said to have been shot by own men in mistake. 1 Boran prisoner rescued. Capt. Hodson reports 6 Tigre killed altogether and 2 wounded.
1 Oct. 10th	9 Tigre & 2 Somalis	Irisoftu	-	354 cattle	Cpl. Robert Daria & 10 N.F.M. Constabulary pursued raiders to Ellis and recovered all cattle, rescuing 3 Boran held to ransom in August near Hara Saku. 3 Tigre wounded & 1 constable slightly wounded. Capt. Hodson reports 4 Tigre killed and 5 wounded.
1 Oct. 10th	9 Tigre & many Degodia	Kalicha (Dana River)	-	-	Concentrating for raid on K.A. Lieut. I.E. Gooch 5th K.A.R. with 18 men crossed river & routed enemy killing 2 and capturing 300 camels. Our casualties nil. Reports this party identical with the Tigra and Degodia who ambushed K.A.R. safari near Muddo in August.
1 Oct. 10th	8 Tigre or Abyssinians	Near Bute	4 Boran men & 3 women	1 bullock	Cpl. Jirte Ismail (N.F.M.) and 5 on patrol near went in pursuit and rescued all near Dadacho. 1 Tigre killed our casualties nil.
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1919 Nov. 7th.	Tigre or Abyssinians.	Urbil.			Apparently attacked Lt. Kidd (3rd K.A.R.) at 7.30 p.m. at Camp. Loading camels, 1 K.A.R. askari killed and 1 camel killed. Search made next day revealed no traces but Abyssinians had camped in old K.A.R. camp (Chan) Doubtful if Tigre intentionally attacked Govt. camp probably thought it a party of traders or other harmless folk.
Nov. (7)	5 Tigre.	Gaddaduma & Gurar.	8 Boran 1 Gurree and 1 Somali held to ransom		Boran escaped at Eil Kurri. Egi Ismail Somali captured rifle and shot 1 Tigre and escaped also with the Gurree.
Nov. (7)	8 Tigre	Near Bute			Hiding in bush preparatory to raid at Golbol/Celshuga a patrol returning from pursuit of N.E. 100 (q.R.) attacked party in bush captured rifle and many clothes etc. 3 Tigre wounded of whom 1 died. Our casualties nil.
1920 Feb. 11th.	Abyssinian soldiery.	Salo Wells.		18 Karas cattle.	K.A.R. Patrol had been to these wells on same day but had left and returned to Minaboru where they and Civil patrol were camped. Patrol could only intervene by following raiders into Abyssinian territory, which being contrary to orders was not done.
Mar. 1st.	Some 20 Tigre or Abyssinians	Godoma			Attempted raid on wells. K.A.R. patrol 1 & 3 were near by and were fired on by raiders. Fire was

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1920
May 2nd. 6 Tigre. Harbor near Moyale.

Value of stolen articles 150%

was returned and leaves some
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in Manyatta of Shark Hussein,
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One man was later released to
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of course no satisfaction expect
ed.

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July 19th	Tigre and Abyssinians, 21 men via Gaddaduma	Kufle & Hadiku		6 Karas cattle of Boran Ajuran & Sakuye	Followed by armed native party & stock all was taken except 1 mule. 4 raiders said to have been wounded. 1 Ajuran wounded. Gabra guide of raiders killed by Ajuran. Later 1 Ajuran (Geren) killed.
Aug. 1st.	37 Tigre of Fit. Wayessa's son Alemayu, from Jamok.	Moyale about 200 yds from Boma.		(1) 15 Joras mardoof 18 " Americani (2) 213 2 joras mardoof 3 shirts 100 rupees (3) Rs. 400	(1) Boran traders from Uaso. (2) Jama Beris, Nairobi Trader. (3) Mohamed Ali Gurre. Leaders of 37 Tigre remained at Govt. Boma opposite. Killed 1 man of No. (3) five minutes after alarm given raiders barely back across the border. Gadesa (Fitaward Gasha's man) interviewed "heard the firing but knows nothing".
1921 Feb. 26th.	20/30 Abyssinians	Salo		2 Karas cattle	Followed up at 4 P.M. by patrol of Ag. 3 & 6 N.F.C. from Remo. All cattle returned. 13 returned. No British casualties. 11 Abyssinian casualties reported. Probably exaggerated. See Supplementary Report (Intelligence Report)
1922 Sept. 12th.	Tigre	Sololo		200 cattle	Cattle re-captured by K.A.F. Patrol
Oct. (?)	Tigre	Between Godome & Gaddaduma		80 head 5 ydged goats	Matters referred to Ato Gabora

Period	Perpetrators	Place of Raid	No. of persons captured & carried out of Colony.	No. of stock etc. taken by raiders.	Remarks.
Oct. (?)	Tigre	Gaddaduma	-	2 Tagas cloth.	1 Boran Gufa Galle wounded Ato Gabru sends soldier to kill shiftas.
Nov. 13th	Abyssinians	Kura wells	-	400/500 cattle	1 kara cattle returned to British territory by themselves. 1 kara was returned by the Abyssinians, the 3rd (the Boran say) was taken by Abyssinian soldiers to compensate them for the Boran who had fled to British territory. News was not received at Moyale until 8 p.m. too late to do anything. Later a patrol of No. 10 platoon returning from Halake Jimma's heard of this raid & sent to Capt. Wright who was on safari near Sololo. They were ordered to follow them and wait after three Shiftas with some armed Boran. To date 10.11.22 nothing had been heard from Patrol. Hassan Sulhan No. 10 Platoon returned Friday Nov. 17th from Lsi having found the Tigre in a home there. 45 round-ners shot above the home. The Tigre ran away with 18 cattle, 2 donkeys were captured and brought back to village of Wako, Laluba.
Nov. 14th.	Tigre	Dukanleh	3 women and 2 men all Boran	7 camels	Patrol sent by Capt. Wright from Sololo reported that the 2 men and 3 women and 7 camels had been returned but 3 camels had been taken in direction of Mege these were followed but they got away.
1925 July 20th	Abyssinian soldiers of Fit. Walde Gabriel.	Sare Wells		7 karas, cattle	Kia R. Patrol fought with Abyssinians soldiers and recovered all the cattle. 1 Abyssinian soldier killed. British casualties nil.

SCHEDULE OF ARMED RAIDS INTO MAREHBT DISTRICT

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(Not taking into account numerous poaching incursions, which are so common as to be considered not worth reporting.)

Period	Perpetrators	Place	Stock etc. looted	Kenya Civilian Casualties	Enemy Casualties	Remarks
Novr. 1914	Gelubba and Abyssinians	Maikona				No details of casualties or losses. (Promit as to early)
May 1915	Gelubba and Abyssinians	El Dukana	15 Kraals cattle	5 males and 9 females killed (Gabra and Boran)		same as (1)
May 1915	Gelubba and Abyssinians	Gara Shebel	3 Kraals cattle and 8 Kraals sheep and goats	12 males and 10 females killed (Gabra)		
April 1919	Gelubba	Gurgumwa	6 female camels 1 baggage camel 1 horse	57 killed (Rendile)		(Appears in (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) (6) (7) (8) (9) (10) (11) (12) (13) (14) (15) (16) (17) (18) (19) (20) (21) (22) (23) (24) (25) (26) (27) (28) (29) (30) (31) (32) (33) (34) (35) (36) (37) (38) (39) (40) (41) (42) (43) (44) (45) (46) (47) (48) (49) (50) (51) (52) (53) (54) (55) (56) (57) (58) (59) (60) (61) (62) (63) (64) (65) (66) (67) (68) (69) (70) (71) (72) (73) (74) (75) (76) (77) (78) (79) (80) (81) (82) (83) (84) (85) (86) (87) (88) (89) (90) (91) (92) (93) (94) (95) (96) (97) (98) (99) (100) (101) (102) (103) (104) (105) (106) (107) (108) (109) (110) (111) (112) (113) (114) (115) (116) (117) (118) (119) (120) (121) (122) (123) (124) (125) (126) (127) (128) (129) (130) (131) (132) (133) (134) (135) (136) (137) (138) (139) (140) (141) (142) (143) (144) (145) (146) (147) (148) (149) (150) (151) (152) (153) (154) (155) (156) (157) (158) (159) (160) (161) (162) (163) (164) (165) (166) (167) (168) 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1924	Abyssinians	Sharano Alis Manyatta				No details.
Sept. 1925	Gelubba and Abyssinians	Molte	4000-5500 camels looted	29 killed, 5 wounded (Rendile, Gabra and Boran)		
June 24, 1927	Abyssinians	Bagaga	1 camel 18 sheep and Goats. 1 Rifle		4 killed, various wounded.	1 Kenya Policeman killed. 3 wounded.

IV. TURKANA DISTRICT

Period.	Perpetrators.	Place.	Stock etc. looted.	Kenya Civilian Casualties.	Raiders Casualties.	Remarks.
January 1916.	Tapossa.	Zingote.	Considerable quantity, details unknown. Some re-captured.	Heavy, details unknown.	Heavy, details unknown.	
April 1917.	Abyssinian Swahili and Northern Turkana.	Loruguma.		1 Abyssinian killed.		No details available as to casualties or stock taken.
May 1917.	Northern Riflemen and Donyiro.	25 miles from Lokirama.				Enemy estimated 400 strong. Heavy punishment inflicted on them by Captain Payne, 1/5th K.A.R.
December 1917 - June 1918.	During this period the Labor Patrol, composed of Sudan and Kenya troops with levies from Kenya on the Sudan-Uganda (now Sudan-Kenya) boundary in Northern Turkana. An amount of stock was inflicted on Abyssinian, Turkana and other polyglot Northern Riflemen. Certain casualties were. The details of this Patrol are omitted as the territory concerned was not then Kenya, but Sudan were of the nature of border warfare.					tribes, undertook punitive measures captured and numerous casualties suffered by the Sudan-Kenya Force, Uganda, and the incursions made
September 1923.	Abyssinians and Armed Northern Turkana.	Lokket, near Loima		4 Abyssinians 4 Armed Turkana, 1 Abyssinian captured.		Abyssinian poaching party. Arms and ivory taken were:- 11 rifles, fusil gras, 466 rounds ammunition, fusil gras, 40 rounds ammunition .303, 1 pistol, 3 elephant tusks.
November 1923.	Abyssinians led by Karyamatch Laku	Nakalele.	Cattle 500 Donkeys 70. Sheep and Goats numerous.	3 males killed. Many wounded.	Nil.	Karyamatch Laku had accompanied Mr. Consul Hudson on a visit to the Kenya post of Akama and perpetrated this outrage on his return journey.
December 1924.	Tapossa and Northern Riflemen.	Zingote.	Cattle 2000 Donkeys 18 Sheep & Goats. 200.	Killed:- Males 10. Females 50. Children 46. Wounded:- Women & Children 41		
February 1925.	Tapossa (2nd Raid)	Zingote.		Killed:- Males 5 Females 3. Children 17.	Killed:- Northern Riflemen 8 Wounded 8 Killed:- Tapossa 45.	Raiders followed up by Lt. McConnell who inflicted heavy casualties and re-captured 340 cattle, 25 Donkeys and 2000 sheep and goats, 200 rounds of .303 ammunition and one .303 rifle captured.
March-April 1927.	Donyiro	Turkana in neighbourhood of Kenya-Sudan boundary North of Lotogipi Swamp.	Very numerous	Estimated at about 100.		Donyiro and Turkana had hitherto been living at peace and in close contact.

NOTE. The Turkana and Northern Riflemen mentioned as perpetrators of these raids are brigands, living for Territory, with a centre at Maji in Abyssinia. They are distinct from the Turkana tribesmen includes Abyssinians, renegade Turkana, Donyiro, Tapossa, etc. with a sprinkling of other East African races.

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THE Under Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs presents his
compliments to *the Under Secretary of State for*
the colonies and, by direction of the Secretary of State,
transmits herewith copy of the under-mentioned paper.

Foreign Office,

24th January, 1928.

Reference to previous correspondence:

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no. 7324/2526/1 of 6th December, 1927
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<i>Am. Minister</i> <i>at Addis Ababa</i> <i>no. 360 of 12th Dec.</i> <i>1927</i>	<i>Abyssinian hands into</i> <i>Kemba in 1925/6.</i>

Similar letter sent to

December 18th 1927. 114

Sir,

With reference to my telegrams Nos 181 and 188 of November 17th and December 3rd I have the honour to transmit herewith, in duplicate, the Report prepared by Major Miles and Mr. Glenday regarding their enquiry, in conjunction with the Abyssinian Frontier Commission, into the raids by Abyssinians into the Northern territory of Kenya during the years 1925 and 1926. You will remember that the first of these raids, the Gelubba, was brought to the notice of Ras Tafari and of the Fitaurari Hapta Giorgis by myself and Major Miles in February 1926 and that the Frontier Commission started its labours in May 1927. During the course of the enquiry the Anglo-Abyssinian Joint Commission travelled over one thousand miles along the frontier.

The discussions with the Director General of Foreign Affairs and the Negus Ras Tafari have now begun, but in view of Abyssinian dilatoriness and the inability of Emperor Menelik ever to take any decision, ^{in the interim} ~~to~~ ^{to} bargain ~~intimately~~ ^{intimately} about the smallest matter, these discussions are likely to be lengthy and unwise. I have explained to the Ethiopian Government that the two main points for consideration are (1) payment of compensation by the Ethiopian Government for the recent raids, regarding which I have complained and (2) what measures shall be taken to prevent such things happening in the future. Balassa-Habte is quite ready to discuss the second point, but he was reluctant to consider the first. However, he was obliged to listen to our complaint. To these he wishes to add a third, namely frontier delimitation. I shall have occasion to report

/again

Yours, Hon.

Sir Auston Chamberlain K. G.,

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again on those matters which our discussions shall have advanced further.

3. I have also the honour to enclose a copy of the instructions issued to Major Miles and Mr. Gladway by the Governor of Kenya to form the basis of our negotiations with the Abyssinian Government. I feel that unless we press for compensation for the past raids, the Abyssinian Government are scarcely likely to take serious measures to prevent such things happening in the future. Promises and guarantees from the Abyssinian Government of good behaviour in the future may be relegated to the category of mere "scraps of paper". When Abyssinia sees that her reputation throughout the world is at stake, she may take matters seriously. This is why I feel that it is essential for us to be in a position to threaten the submission of our case either to the League of Nations or to the Hague Court if anything is to be accomplished. I am anxious to learn from an answer of yours in Parliament that a further report on Frontier raids is to be published. I hope that on this occasion the manner in which we have suffered in the past may be brought out more clearly in Parliament than it was on the only in 1926, so that the public may know that we have endured patiently from Abyssinia what, as I have frequently told Ben Taffari and Selatsagheta Herui, we should not dream of tolerating from our American cousins.

I am forwarding a copy of this covering despatch to Haikoni.

I have the honour to be with the highest respect,

Sir,

Your most obedient,
humble servant,

(Signed) G. H. BENTINCK

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HIS MAJESTY'S CONSULATE
SOUTHERN ABYSSINIA.

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21st October, 1927.

Sir,

We have the honour to submit our report on our recent work with the Abyssinian Mission.

2. We realize and regret that the report which accompanies this letter may prove wearisome because of its great length but we have deemed it advisable fully to recount our conversations so that you may appreciate their intricacies and furthermore be in possession of a full record should any controversy arise with the Ethiopian Government.

3. As an aid we submit a summary together with such recommendations as we have considered within our mandate.

4. The report is divided into four separate parts so that any one part may be detached and studied by itself. They are—

Part I. Record of our conversations;

Part II. Summary of the results;

Part III. Recommendations and Conclusions;

Part IV. Appendices.

5. Throughout the report the term 'Mission' refers to the Abyssinian delegates only while the term 'Conference' means and includes both British and Abyssinian representatives.

We have, etc.

(Signed) A. T. Miles, M.C.

H.M. Consul.

S. Abyssinia.

HIS BRITANNIC MAJESTY'S ENVOY EXTRAORDINARY
AND MINISTER PLENIPOTENTIARY,

(Signed) V. G. Glenday.

Kenya Colony.

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I have the honor to inform
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 the Government of
 a Parliamentary Question
 asking for a return of
 lands during recent years
 from Assam with
 the following description
 It will be seen that
 it has been decided that
 any such lands with
 Sanaliland will be included
 in the White Paper which
 is proposed to issue on

the necessary material
for the preparation of
1966 awards. The Henderson
incident of 1964 is a case

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in point ^{that} it is appreciated
that the situation on the
Somalia-Abyssinia frontier
differs from that on the
Kenya-Abyssinia frontier, that
that ^{is} ^{the} ^{main} ^{reason} ^{why} ^{armed} ^{incursions} ^{by} ^{armed} ^{forces} ^{are} ^{mainly} ⁱⁿ

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question on the latter incursions
by armed Abyssinian tax-payers
are usually in order as the
former but it is desired to
obtain a comprehensive review of such incidents.

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9th January, 1928.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. 10115/27 of the 28th December last regarding the proposed publication of a further White Paper relating to Abyssinian raids into British territory, I am directed by Secretary Sir Austen Chamberlain to inform you that, in his opinion the period covered should be from 1915 onwards. This period is slightly less than that mentioned by Sir R. Hamilton in his question, but if he raises the point it will be possible to explain that, in order to permit of producing the White Paper within a reasonable period of time, only information which was available in a convenient form had been used in its compilation.

2. Sir Austen Chamberlain considers that the White Paper need only contain a summary, not reports, of raids, but would prefer that raids into Somaliland should be included from 1915 onwards even if some little delay is occasioned in obtaining the information about them.

3. To present a complete picture of conditions on the frontier the White Paper should also include a summary of raids into the Sudan during the same period and steps are therefore being taken to obtain the necessary information on this point from the Governor General of the Sudan. A copy of the despatch addressed to His Majesty's High Commissioner at Cairo for this purpose is enclosed herewith.

I am,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John Murray

The Under Secretary of State,

Colonial Office

25 JAN 1928

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(J 3698/114/1)

7th January, 1928.

My Lord,

With reference to the question of raids from Abyssinia into British territory, I transmit to you herewith copies of correspondence arising out of a Parliamentary Question on this subject on 31st November last.

In order to present a complete picture of conditions on the frontier the White Paper should include raids, from 1915 onwards, into the Sudan as well as into Kenya and British Somaliland. Unless, therefore, you see objection to this course I request that Your Lordship will invite the Governor General of the Sudan to submit with as little delay as possible information about such raids in a form suitable for publication.

I am with great truth and regard,

My Lord,

Your obedient servant,

(For the Secretary of State)

(Sd.) JOHN MURRAY.

The Lord Lloyd, G.C.S.I., G.C.B.,

etc., etc., etc.,

Cairo.