

ITINERARY IN KENYA COLONY AND THE UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA

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(Rijksherbarium, Leiden)

In 1949 a trip was made to Kenya Colony, British East Africa, with the aim of collecting Phanerogamic plants and Ferns. The intention was to collect 12 sets of each number which I managed to do for about 70 %.

Except for the first set which will be incorporated in the Rijksherbarium, the plants will be sold to those institutes in Europe, S. Africa and America which had subscribed in advance. It is expected, however, that a few more sets in excess of the 12 aforementioned will be available. It should be noted that these will prove rather incomplete, numbering less than 30 % of the total amount.

In addition to the Phanerogams and Ferns mentioned above Lichens, Mosses, Fungi and a few Algae were collected, whereas occasionally I also paid attention to Insects and Molluscs.

After completion of the Kenya safari's, the Union of South Africa was visited where I collected Cryptogams and a few Insects and Molluscs. Of course, the latter groups will not be dealt with in this paper, but for technical reasons it is considered useful to enter them here. For the same reasons some specimens collected during the voyage from Europe to Mombasa, from Mombasa to Lourenço Marques, and from Cape Town back to Europe are inserted in this list.

Neither Insects nor Molluscs which have been inserted in the "Rijksmuseum van Natuurlijke Historie", Leiden, have received collector's numbers; they are entered in the list between brackets. At a rough estimate they amount to roundabout 3000 and 600 items respectively.

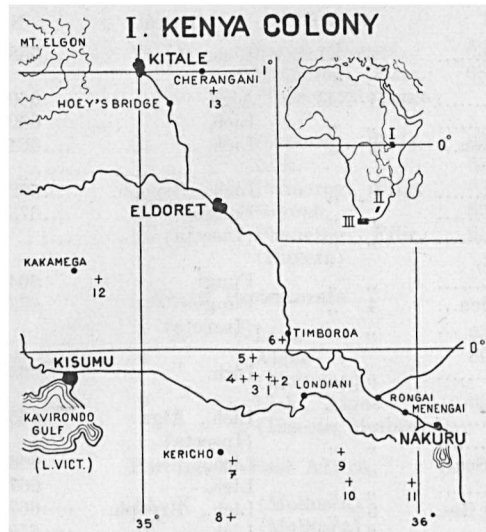
Finally, it may be added that the Cryptogams have only been numbered provisionally; more likely than not some numbers will have to be split into a, b, c, etc.

Locality	Date	Group	Numbers
	1949		
		Italy	
Genova	31 III—5	IV (Mollusca)	
Rapallo, Arenzano	1 IV	(")	
Nervi	4 "	(")	
		Egypt	
Port Said	11 IV	(")	

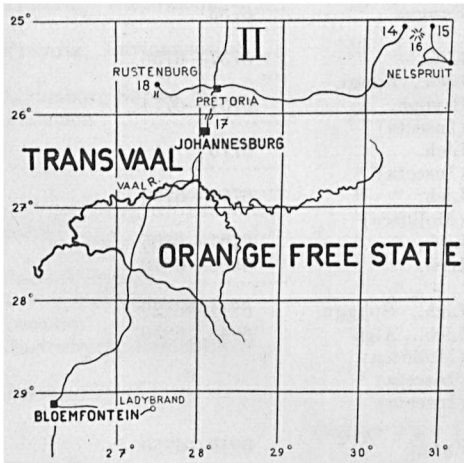
Locality	Date	Group	Numbers
British East Africa, Kenya Protectorate			
Mombasa	26 IV	Lichenes	4382—4385
Kenya Colony (Map I)			
Nairobi	27 IV—6 V	Lich., Fungi, Bryoph., Cyanophyc. (Insecta)	4371—4381, 4386—4505
Menengai	7 "	Phanerog.	4506—4523, 4526—4527
"	" "	Fungi (Insecta)	4524—4525
Rongai	8 "	Phanerog.	4528—4534
Menengai	" "	Phanerog.	4535
"	" "	Lich.	4536—4550
Menengai—Rongai	" "	Lich., Fungi	4551—4563
Menengai	9 "	Phanerog.	4564—4579
"	" "	Lich., Fungi	4605—4623
Lake Nakuru	10 "	Phanerog.	4580—4604
"	" "	Lich., Bryoph. (Insecta)	4624—4644
Londiani	12—13 "	Phanerog., Filic.	4645—4665
Nairobi	16—18 "	Phanerog.	4666—4679
"	19 "	Lich.	4680—4686
Cherangani, locality 13	20 "	Phanerog., Filic.	4689—4693, 4696—4707
"	" "	Lich., Fungi, Bryoph.	4694—4695, 4708—4740
"	22—23 "	Phanerog., Filic.	4741—4796
"	" " "	Lich., Fungi, Bryoph. (Insecta)	4797—4856
Nairobi	30 "	Phanerog.	4857—4859
Londiani	7 VI	Phanerog.	4860, 4862
"	" "	Fungi	4861, 4863—4864
"	9 "	Lich., Bryoph.	4865—4898
"	10 "	Lich., Fungi	4910—4914
"	11 "	Phanerog. (Insecta)	4899—4909
Tinderet Forest Reserve, camp 1, 0° 5' S. 35° 27' E.	14 "	Phanerog., Filic.	4915—4932
"	" "	Lich., Fungi, Bryoph.	4933—4964
"	15—16 "	Phanerog., Filic.	4965—4984, 4988—5010
"	15 "	Lich.	4985—4987
"	17 "	Lich., Bryoph.	5011—5020, 5027—5030
"	" "	Phanerog., Filic. (Insecta, Mollusca)	5021—5026
Tinderet F. R., camp 2 0° 6' 30" S. 35° 29' E.	19—20 "	Phanerog., Filic.	5031—5065
"	20 "	Lich., Fungi	5066—5095
"	21—22 "	Phanerog., Filic.	5096—5126, 5159—5174
"	22 "	Lich., Fungi, Bryoph. (Insecta, Mollusca)	5127—5158, 5175—5183
Tinderet F. R., camp 3 0° 4' 45" S. 35° 24' 45" E....	26 "	Phanerog., Filic. (Insecta, Mollusca)	5184—5204
Tindert F. R., camp 4 0° 6' 10" S. 35° 22' 30" E....	28—30 "	Phanerog., Filic.	5205—5287
"	29 "	Fungus	5309
"	1 VII	Lich., Fungi, Bryoph.	5288—5303, 5329—5342, 5346—5360

Locality	Date	Group	Numbers
0° 6' 10" S. 35° 22' 30" E....	1—2 VII	Phanerog., Filic.	5304—5308, 5310—5328
"	3 "	Phanerog., Filic.	5343—5344
"	" "	Fungus (Insecta, Mollusca)	5345
Tinderet F. R., camp 5			
0° 1' 15" S. 35° 23' 30" E....	6—9 "	Phanerog., Filic.	5361—5453
"	6 "	Lich.	5570—5578
"	8 "	Fungi (Insecta, Mollusca)	5454—5463
Tinderet F. R., camp 6			
0° 0' 30" N. 35° 31' 30" E....	12—15 "	Phanerog., Filic.	5464—5509, 5514—5527
"	12 "	Lich., Fungi, Bryoph.	5536—5545
Timboroa-Equator	13 "	Lich.	5528—5529
Tinderet F. R., camp 6	15 "	Lich., Bryoph., Algae	5510—5513, 5530—5535, 5548—5567
"	" "	Phanerog., Filic. (Insecta, Mollusca)	5546—5547, 5568—5569
Eldoret	24 "	(Insecta)	
Eldoret-Timboroa, Burnt Forest	25 "	Phanerog.	5579
Timboroa-Equator	28 "	Lich.	5580—5600a
" "	31 "	Fungus (Insecta)	5600b
South Western Mau Forest Reserve, camp 7			
0° 23' 30" S. 35° 19' 45" E.	7—10 VIII	Phanerog., Filic.	5601—5661, 5669—5688
"	9 "	Hepat.	5668
"	10 "	Lich., Fungi, Bryoph., Algae (Insecta)	5662—5667, 5689—5708
S.W. Mau F. R., camp 8			
0° 36' 30" S. 35° 18' 20" E.	12 "	Lich., Bryoph.	5709—5725
"	12—15 "	Phanerog., Filic.	5726—5790, 5796—5812
"	12—14 "	Lich., Fungi, Bryoph. (Insecta)	5791—5795, 5813—5830
Londiani	18 "	Phanerog., Filic.	5831—5840, 5854—5859
"	18—19 "	Lich., Bryoph. (Insecta)	5841—5853
Eastern Mau Forest Reserve, camp 9			
0° 22' 30" S. 35° 43' E.	25 "	Lich., Bryoph.	5860—5879
"	25—28 "	Phanerog., Filic.	5880—5958
"	27—28 "	Fungi (Insecta)	5959—5964
E. Mau F. R., camp 10			
0° 28' S. 35° 45' E.	30 VIII—2 IX	Phanerog., Filic.	5965—6021, 6034—6057
"	31 VIII—2 IX	Lich., Fungi, Bryoph., Algae (Insecta)	6022—6033, 6058—6092
E. Mau F. R., camp 11			
0° 28' 30" S. 35° 58' 30" E.	4—8 IX	Phanerog., Filic.	6093—6203, 6205
"	8 "	Lich., Fungi	6204, 6206
"	9 "	Phanerog., Filic. (Insecta)	6207—6230
Kisumu	14 "	(Insecta, Mollusca)	
Kakamega Forest Station, locality 12			
0° 14' N. 34° 51' 45" E.	16—18 "	Phanerog., Filic.	6231—6241, 6247—6292
"	16 "	Lich.	6242—6246

Locality	Date	Group	Numbers
Lower Chapman's Peak.....	25 XI	Lich.	6585—6604
Mosselbaai-George,			
Brakrivier	1 XII	Alga	6605
George-Wilderness	" "	Lich.	6606—6610
Knysna, Garden of Eden...	2 "	Lich.	6611—6623
Tzitzikama Mts., Storm			
Riv., Plaatbos	3 "	Lich., Bryoph.	6624—6647
"	" "	Fungus	6737
"	" "	(Insecta)	
" , Eland Forest,			
Lottering	" "	Fungi	6648—6649
Knysna, Garden of Eden...	4 "	Fungus	6735
"	" "	(Insecta)	
Storm Rivier-Knysna,			
Blauwkrantzpas	" "	Lich.	6650—6652
Storm Rivier-Knysna,			
Groot Rivier	" "	Lich., Alga	6653—6664
Plettenbergbaai	" "	(Insecta)	
" Robberg (Cape Seal)	" "	Lich.	6665—6672
Knysna, The Heads	" "	Lich.	6673
" , Deepwalls Forest Res.	5 "	Lich., Bryoph.	6674—6699
Calitzdorp-Kruisrivier	6 "	Lich.	6700—6714
Montagu, Baden farm	7 "	Lich.	6715—6729
Montagu, Cogmanskloof	" "	Lich.	6730—6731
Somerset West-Caledon,			
Elgin	8 "	(Insecta)	
Cape Flats, Zeekoevlei	12 "	Phanerog.	6732
"	" "	Fungus	6733
False Bay, Steenbras River			
Mouth	10 "	Lich.	6737—6756
Cape Town, Devil's Peak...	14 "	Lich., Fungi, Bryoph.	6757—6774
"	" "	(Insecta)	
Cape Flats, Claremont	15 "	Lich.	6775
" , Newlands	" "	(Insecta)	
IJzerfontein	17 "	Lich.	6786—6790
"	" "	(Mollusca)	
Cape Peninsula, Houtbaai ..	18 "	Lich.	6791—6805
Wijnberg Flats	19 "	Lich.	6806—6810
Cape Town, Table Mt.,			
Plat Klip	20 "	Lich., Sphagn.	6811—6825
Cape Flats, Strandfontein...	" "	Lich., Alga	6948, 6830
"	" "	(Mollusca)	
" Mowbray	" "	(Insecta)	
Rondebosch, Groote Schuur		(Insecta)	
Kirstenbosch, Nat. Bot.			
Gard.	22 "	Fungi	6949—6950
South West Africa			
Walvisbaai	25—31 XII	Alga	6831
"	" "	(Insecta, Mollusca)	
Swakopmund	28 "	Algae	6828—6829
"	" "	(Mollusca)	
Tenerife			
Laguna	9 I 1950	Lich.	6954—6956



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| 1—6 | — | — | — | Collections made in Tinderet Forest Reserve |
| 7—8 | — | — | — | South Western Mau Forest Reserve |
| 9—11 | — | — | — | Eastern Mau Forest Reserve |
| 12 | — | — | — | Kakamega Forest Reserve |
| 13 | — | — | — | Cherangani Foothills & Mts. |



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| 14 | Lijdenburg |
| 15 | Sabie |
| 16 | Mt. Anderson |
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| 18 | Retiefskloof |

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| 19 | Platklip |
| 20 | Kirstenbosch |
| 21 | Devil's Peak |

