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PETITION FROM THE SANAGA-MARITIME GROUP OF THE "UNION DES POPULATIONS
DU KAMERUN" CONCERNING THE CAMEROONS UNDER FRENCH ADMINISTRATION

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Group

c/o EXECUTIVE OFFICE

KOMBA

BRITISH KAMERUN

LETTER-TELEGRAM

To the Secretary-General of the United Nations

We inform you of serious situation. SANAGA-MARITIME. We mourn the killing of over 2,600 between 25 December 1956 and 11 January 1957. Veritable slaughter and full-scale battlefield. Constant arrival of troops and weapons for mass destruction. Massacres: men, women, children. HUTS burned. Constant deportations. Continual curfews. REQUEST rapid action; otherwise Kamerun will become a veritable desert, particularly SANAGA-MARITIME. Consequences: EXTERMINATION OF THE UM NYOBE RUBEN RACE (BASSA). Our REGRETS.

: D1a, 4 January 1957
