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Documents 101-129; No. 109: Ernst reports on a journey to the Elongasie area; No. 114: report on the Middle School and Seminary; No. 129: List of the buildings on the Station; Bombe: letters and reports from the Station at Bombe, Documents 130 - 143; No. 143: Annual Report, inter al Stolzmentions the effects on the people of the prohibition of secret societies (Iosango); Mangamba: letters and reports from the Station at Mangamba; Documents 144-167: No. 144: Keller reports in detail on his approach to the Iosango cult in his area. See also No. 148; Nos. 153-154: Wittwer reports on the progress of his work in Aboland and the regulations agreed for the united congregations in Aboland. (See also E-2.6,82 and E-2.7,34. Soon after the founding of the Mangamba Station the Abo Christians, led by the teacher Josef Koto, founded their own mission Organisation and asked others to join them. They then decided to finance their congregations and evangelisation themselves and thus become independent of financial aid from the Basel Mission); No. 157: Keller, Wittwer and Chapuis ask for permission to found a Boys' School in Mangamba; No. 159: essay by Keller on small children in Cameroon ("Wie es kleinen Kindern in Kamerun ergeht und ergehen kann"); Nyasoso: letters and reports from the Station in Nyasoso, Documents 168-180; No. 172: contains a sketch of Kupe mountain; No. 173: Dorsch complains about the behaviour of Dr. Esch who has been travelling in the area for the Colonial Government; Lobethal: letters and reports from the Station at Lobethal, Documents 181-195; No. 189: Gantenbein reports on a secret society which had been abolished; No. 190: Gantenbein on the liquor problem in the area and on the work of the Catholic missions; Edea: letters and reports from the Station at Edea, Documents 196-198; Victoria: letters and reports from the Station at Victoria, Documents 199-216; Nos. 199 and 200: are concerned with the Government's plan to Station a doctor at Victoria; Buea: letters and reports from the Station at Buea, Documents 217-243; No. 232: Station Conference minutes concerning a decision by the Government to assign more land to the Basel Mission in Buea on condition that part of it is used; No. 233 includes a sketch map showing the land involved; No. 233: estimates of the costs of the missionaries' plans for the use of this land; No. 238: Schuler describes the Situation on the southern slope of Cameroon Mountain

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