Elections

This collection contains documents regarding elections dated from 1957-1971, though the large majority of documents originated between 1960-1964. Most files address the organization of elections, constituency boundaries, voter registration, candidates, polling stations and election results. Prior to 1962, elections were handled by the Chief Secretary's Office. Following independence, election-related responsibilities were transferred to the Office of the President. While this collection is relatively small, additional files regarding elections can be found in the Office of the President Collection.

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BOX	REFERENCE	YEAR	FILE NAME	START	CLOSING	CONTENTS AND NOTES
NO.	NO.			DATE	DATE	
1	1	1961	Constituencies: List of Branches in: West Mengo,	No Date	No Date	Most pages intact, but file is
		or	Masaka, Mubende, Toro, Ankole, and Kigezi Districts			very fragile. Handle with
		1962				extreme care.
1	2		Branch and Party Constituency Executive Elections	1-0ct-1970	12-0ct-1970	
1	3	1969	Congolese Political Storm, 1 August 1969, for H.E. the President	1-Aug-1969	17-Sep-1969	
1	4	No	Comment by Amin on Obote's letter written on the	No Date	No Date	
		Date	name of Secret Council 777			
1	5		Order of detention for two police officers: 1)	16-Feb-1971	16-Feb-1971	
			Mohamed Assan A.A.C.P., 2) Festo Wauyo SSP			
1	6	1969	D.P. Press Statement	27-Mar-1969	27-Mar-1969	EMPTY - left folder for
						reference
1	6	No	Uganda People's Congress: General	No Date	No Date	EMPTY - left folder for
		Date				reference
1	7	1969	Uganda Electoral Commission	18-Sep-1969	9-Jul-1971	Alternative File number is
						"P5/97"
1	18637		Elections: Reports by Observers	24-Jul-1957	18-Sep-1957	
1	C/NS. 39/1		Uganda Public Service Council: Minutes of Meetings	20-Feb-1969	24-Apr-1969	
1	L. 033/01 v.	1961	Publicity Posters	No Date	No Date	
	2	or				
		1962				
1	L. 039 v. II	1961	Elections 1962: Training	24-0ct-1961	No Date	EMPTY - left folder for
						reference
1	L. 087/01		Elections: Registration Certificates	14-Feb-1962	29-Mar-1962	
1	L. 107/4	1960	Transfers of Voters Names	1-Dec-1960	29-May-1962	

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1	L. 117	1958	Elections: 1958. Arrangements for Visitors to Witness	21-Aug-1958	12-Nov-1958	
			Polling			
1	L. 133	1960	Urban Constituencies	1-Apr-1960	7-Nov-1960	
1	L. 135 v. II	1962	Departmental Warrants	29-Jan-1962	14-May-1962	
1	L. 139/01	1961	Polling Stations: General	21-Jan-1961	25-Jan-1961	
1	L. 139/02	1961	Polling Divisions	No Date	No Date	EMPTY - left folder for
						reference
1	L. 139/03	1961	Polling Stations: Acholi	14-Jan-1961	17-Jan-1961	
1	L. 139/04	1961	Polling Stations: Lango	11-Jan-1961	No Date	
1	L. 139/10	1961	Polling Stations: Teso	24-Jan-1961	20-Feb-1961	
1	L. 139/11	1960	Polling Stations: Bugisu	13-Dec-1960	3-Feb-1961	
1	L. 141/1	1960	Literacy Test Certificates	8-Dec-1960	4-Apr-1961	
1	L. 145	1963	Nigeria Elections	5-Feb-1963	5-Feb-1963	Only one letter - document
						referenced appears to be
						missing
1	L. 147	1960	Elections: Lectures by S/E. and Elections Courses	26-0ct-1960	13-Mar-1962	
1	L. 147/01	1960	Lecture Notes	30-May-1960	31-0ct-1960	
1	L. 149	1962	(Temporary) Party Political Broadcasts, 1962	10-Apr-1962	No Date	
1	L. 153/6	1961	Stores: Bunyoro	25-Feb-1961	27-Feb-1961	
1	L.	1961	Candidates: Buganda: Masaka	8-Feb-1961	14-Apr-1961	
	155/013/2					
1	L. 155/6	1961	Candidates: Bunyoro	6-Feb-1961	2-Apr-1962	
1	L. 169	1962	Writs of Elections	29-Mar-1962	22-May-1962	
1	L. 181	1963	Ankole Eishengyero Elections	13-Mar-1963	4-Jun-1963	

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1	L.C. 14/1	1960	Constitutional Committee: Supplementary Report on	28-Jan-1960	14-Jul-1960	Hard to read ref number.
			Constituency Boundaries: Northern Province			Could be C. 14/1, J.C. 14/1.
						I.C. 14/1
2	1	1962	Urban Authorities (Elections) Rules. Mr. Peagram's	11-Apr-1962	No Date	
			Comments			
2	2	1961	1961 and 1962 Election Results	25-Nov-1961	1-Feb-1961	
2	3	1960	Mr. R.C. Peagram: Personal	21-0ct-1960	28-Mar-1961	
2	C/L. 004	1961	Elections 1962: Constitutional Matters	27-0ct-1961	25-Jun-1968	
2	EDU. 001/08	1962	Local Education Authority: Sebei	23-Feb-1962	23-Feb-1962	
2	L. 015	1957	Elections 1958: Miscellaneous receipts from	9-Nov-1957	6-Mar-1961	
			Government Printer and Treasury and Transport			
			Depts.			
2	L. 033/01	1960	Elections 1961: Printed Forms - Copies	14-Nov-1960	No Date	
2	L. 045	1961	Nomination of Candidates: Temporary Confidential	1-Mar-1961	5-Apr-1962	
2	L. 053	1959	Elections 1958: Northern Rhodesian Elections	25-Mar-1959	No Date	
2	L. 057	1957	Elections 1958: Vernacular Languages	15-0ct-1957	10-Jun-1960	
2	L. 097/11	1960	Polling Arrangements: Karamoja	17-Dec-1960	19-Apr-1962	
2	L. 103	1958	Elections 1958: Returns of Registration: Eastern	8-Apr-1958	2-Jan-1962	
			Province			
2	L. 105	1960	Returns of Registration: Buganda	29-Aug-1960	9-Mar-1962	
2	L. 119 v. 2	1962	Elections 1962: Report on the Elections by the	30-Apr-1962	23-Dec-1965	
			Supervisor of Elections			
2	L. 127/03	1961	1961 Election Results: Letters re: Governor's Writs	25-Feb-1961	6-Apr-1961	
2	L. 139/02	1961	Polling Stations: West Nile	2-Feb-1961	N/A	

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NO.	NO.			DATE	DATE	
2	L. 149	No	Party Political Broadcasters: Temporary Secret	No Date	No Date	EMPTY - left folder for
		Date				reference
2	L. 149/01	1960	Broadcasts: UBS Programmes	15-Dec-1960	21-Mar-1962	
2	L. 153/15	1961	Stores: Kampala Municipality	No Date	No Date	
2	L. 155/02	1961	Candidates: Acholi	10-Feb-1961	7-Apr-1962	
2	L. 155/09	1961	Candidates: Teso	7-Feb-1961	2-Apr-1962	
2	L. 155/15	1961	Candidate: Kampala Municipality	3-Feb-1961	2-Apr-1962	
2	L. 171	1962	East and Central Toro Bye-Elections	19-Apr-1962	21-May-1962	
2	L. 177		Arrangements for Bye-Election in South East Ankole	10-Sep-1962	29-Apr-1963	
2	L.C. 014/05	1960	Constitutional Committee: Supplementary Report.	6-Feb-1960	18-Jun-1960	
			Urban Constituencies			
3	27/1	1958	Agreement made on the 27th March, 1958, between	29-Nov-1957	3-Feb-1958	
			the Supervisor of Elections and Messrs Timbercraft			
			Ltd., P.O. Box 20022, Kampala, for making 15,000			
			Ballot Boxes (Original Articles of Agreement)			
3	C. 10746/2	1963	Electoral Commission: Ankole Electoral Boundary	12-Jan-1963	13-Aug-1963	
			Commission			
3	C.L. 14 v. III	1960	Legislative Council Elections Constituency Boundaries	19-Apr-1960	17-Feb-1962	
3	L. 015 I	1964	Elections: 1964: Miscellaneous Receipts from	30-Jul-1964	12-Dec-1964	
			Government Printer and Treasury			
3	L. 097/10	1961	Polling Arrangements: Bugisu	9-Feb-1961	22-Feb-1962	
3	L. 097/14	1960	Polling Arrangements: Jinja Municipality	22-Nov-1960	20-Mar-1962	
3	L. 099	1958	Elections 1958: Returns of Registration: Northern	3-Feb-1958	27-Jan-1962	
			Province			

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3	L. 107/01	1960	Registration of Electors: Extension of Period	6-Aug-1960	11-Jan-1962	
3	L. 107/03	1960	Returns of Registration: General	2-Aug-1960	12-Jan-1962	In addition to documents
						relating to voter registration,
						file also includes set of blank
						Employees Record Cards,
						Happy New Year card from
						the PM of Ceylon (1970), and
						Annual Reports from Water
						Dev and Irrigation Dept,
						Northern Rhodesia
3	L. 123		Elections 1958: Counting of Votes	3-0ct-1958	31-May-1962	
3	L. 127	1958	Elections 1958: Results of the Elections (includes	16-0ct-1958	2-Mar-1962	
			letters of thanks)			
3	L. 127/02	1962	Elections 1962: Results of the Elections (including	26-Apr-1962	17-May-1962	
			letters of thanks)			
3	L. 127/02	1960	1961 Election Results: Governor's Writs	20-Feb-1960	5-Apr-1961	
3	L. 139/14		Polling Stations: Buganda	15-Dec-1960	14-Dec-1961	
3	L. 139/15		Polling Stations: Jinja Municipality	16-Dec-1960	25-Jan-1961	
3	L. 139/16		Polling Stations: Kampala Municipality	28-Dec-1960	No Date	
3	L. 139/17		Polling Stations: Mbale Municipality	14-Jan-1961	No Date	
3	L. 141/01 v.	1961	Literacy Test Certificates	24-Feb-1962	24-Apr-1962	
	2					
3	L. 155/12		Candidates: Karamoja	4-Feb-1961	5-Apr-1962	
3	L. 155/13		Candidates: Buganda (Mengo)	15-Feb-1961	21-Feb-1961	
3	L. 155/14	1961	Candidates: Jinja Municipality	8-Feb-1961	2-Apr-1962	

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3	L. 155/16	1961	Candidates: Mbale Municipality	14-Feb-1961	2-Apr-1962	
3	L. 159	1961	South West Acholi: New Elections	3-Jul-1961	28-Feb-1962	
3	L. 179	1962	Busoga West By-Elections	21-Dec-1962	2-Apr-1963	
3	L. 183	1963	Karamoja District Council Elections	14-Jun-1963	20-Aug-1963	
3	N/A		Notes on the Organization of By-Elections in the Office of the Supervision of Elections	1-Jul-1960	6-Mar-1961	
3	S.D. 023/02/1	1960	Legislative Council Elections 1960/61-62	15-Mar-1960	25-Oct-1963	
4	1161 'A'		Bunyoro Rukurato Bye-Elections - Buyaga and Bugangazi Counties	30-Jul-1965	13-Dec-1965	
4	C.L. 028	1960	Registration of Voters: Europeans and Asians	9-Sep-1960	6-0ct-1960	
4	L. 017		Elections 1958: Eastern Province Arrangements	19-Sep-1957	16-Jan-1962	
4	L. 043		Elections 1958: Elections Offences	15-0ct-1957	18-Jun-1962	
4	L. 071		Elections 1958: Hearing of Elections Offences by Native Courts	17-Dec-1957	15-Jan-1958	
4	L. 097/16	1961	Polling Arrangements: Mbale Municipality	15-Feb-1961	2-Apr-1962	
4	L. 101	1958	Elections 1958: Returns of Registration: Western Province	3-Feb-1958	16-Jan-1962	
4	L. 113	1958	Elections 1958: Visit of T. E. Smith	6-Feb-1958	8-Aug-1958	
4	L. 119 v. 1		Elections 1958: Report on the Elections by the Supervisor of Elections	26-Aug-1958	15-Nov-1961	
4	L. 139/13		Polling Stations: Karamoja	20-Dec-1960	13-Feb-1961	
4	L. 141 v. 2		Literacy Tests for Candidates	20-Nov-1961	17-May-1962	
4	L. 155/03		Candidates: Lango	8-Feb-1961	2-Apr-1962	
4	L. 155/04	1961	Candidates: Kigezi	3-Feb-1961	3-Apr-1962	

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4	L. 165/01	1962	Lukiko Elections: Mengo 1962	22-Jan-1962	12-Feb-1963	
4	L. 175/01	1962	Arrangements and Time Table for Bye-Election in	4-Sep-1962	25-Jan-1963	
			North Karamoja			
4	L. 185	1963	Bugisu District Elections	15-Aug-1963	27-Aug-1963	
4	L. 196	1964	Bunyoro Rukurato Elections	30-Jun-1964	1-Dec-1964	
4	L. 197	1964	Lango West Bye Elections	19-Aug-1964	21-Aug-1965	
4	L.C. 14/02	1960	Supplementary Report on Constituency Boundaries:	1-Feb-1960	24-Jun-1960	
			Western Province			
4	L.C. 14/03	1960	Constitutional Committee: Supplementary Report on	1-Feb-1960	8-Feb-1960	
			Constituency Boundaries: Buganda Province			
4	N/A	1961	Elections 1961/62: Receipts	23-0ct-1961	6-Apr-1962	NO TITLE ORIGINALLY.
						CREATED TITLE 7/25/11
4	N/A	1962	Mr. Peagram's Personal Copies	23-Jan-1962	10-Mar-1962	