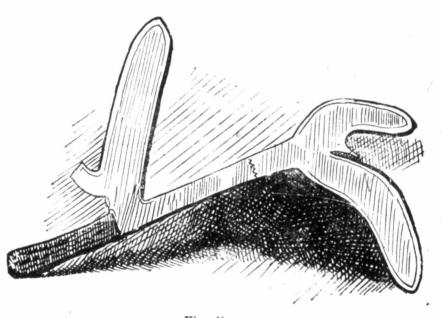
MAP OF UPPER CONGO.

N. These rapids are bad in low water, and both loads and extra people have to go by road, which is a good one, if cleared of creepers.

- 0. NYANGWÉ is a large Arab town, really consisting of three villages which are the head-centres of three Arab chiefs, Said bin Abéde, Said bin Habib, and Muni Mahara, the latter being subservient, I believe, to Mahara of Bagamoya. The other two chiefs are both powerful and independent.
- P. KABANGA, a large native village where there is a market, and at which point Tippu-Tib's territory commences.
- **Q.** The landing-place for Kassongo, which is an easy three hours' walk from here to the N.E., with a good road all the way.
- **R.** KASSONGO.—Tippu-Tib's chief town, and the largest of all the Arab towns on the Congo. I have heard Nyangwé mentioned as being the largest, but this is not a fact, nor can I believe it to be a place of so much importance, although it is on the **river**-bank.



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