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NORTHERN PROVINCE

KENYA. 1962/63.



TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA

PATROL REPORT

District of NORTHERN Report No. KAKOJA No. 1/62-63

Patrol Conducted by L. W. BAILEY. A-D.O.

Area Patrolled WAWONGI, SONAI, UMAKBURU Census Division

Patrol Accompanied by Europeans.....

Natives.....

Duration—From 14/8/1962 to 29/8/1962

Number of Days 15

Did Medical Assistant Accompany?.....

Last Patrol to Area by—District Services...../...../19.....

Medical/...../19.....

Map Reference.....

Objects of Patrol Routine, Census, Tax Collection

Director of Native Affairs,

PORT MORESBY.

Forwarded, please.

/ /19

District Commissioner

Amount Paid for War Damage Compensation £.....

Amount Paid from D.N.E. Trust Fund £.....

Amount paid from P.E.D.P. Trust Fund

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DEPARTMENT OF NATIVE AFFAIRS.

MEMORANDUM OF PATROL

Patrol No. **1/62-63** Subdistrict **KOKODA** District **NORTHERN**
 Officer Conducting Patrol **L.W. BAILEY** **A. D. O.**
 Census Division Patrolled **WAWONGA, SONGI, UMOKOMEU.**
 Objects of Patrol **1. Census Revision, 2. Tax Collection 3. General Administration.**
 Date Patrol Commenced **14. 8. 62** Date Completed **28. 8. 62**
 Duration—days **15 days.**

SUMMARY OF CORRESPONDENCE ARISING FROM PATROL

For patrol diary see folios 6 to 24 of Field Officer's Journal.

- 6.2.1 D.O. Cash Cropping Wawonga Census Division**
14.2.1 D.O. Villages - Wawonga Census Division
28.4.1. C.S.B. Passbooks for Interests.
28.4.2 Treasurer Deceased Native Depositor
28.12.2. D.O. Tax Collections Wawonga Census Division.
37.6.2. Welfare Officer. Enquiry by ISORO of Asisi
38.2.2 D.O. S.A.P. Applications
49.1.1 Medical Assistant Kokoda - Aid Post for Siorata
59.1.1 D.O. Absentee Labour Wawonga Census Division
80.3.1 Health Education Council - Health Education Survey- Wawonga.
92.1.1. D.O. Replacement Village Constable for Ujile

L. W. Bailey
 Patrolling Officer's Signature.

I certify that all necessary local administrative action has been or is being taken on matters arising out of this patrol and that the correspondence above indicated by a "tick" has been forwarded to the Headquarters, Department of Native Affairs, Port Moresby.

G. L. W. [Signature]
 District Officer.

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to supply some of the information necessary to compile it, and requested that I defer the matter until they had been able to discuss it with an absent land controller.

Inspected village. A number of houses in the process of being replaced. In fair order.

Returned to Kokoda in the late p.m.

End of the patrol.

29.8.62.

Acquitting patrol advances, checking postal advances, correspondence, and station works.

30.8.62

C.S.B., taking in advances from other departments, correspondence, etc.

31.8.62

Admin servants pays, balancing cash, etc.

1.9.62

C.S.B., checking on vehicle parts, stores, etc. Station inspection.

3.9.62

Returns, correspondence, C.S.B., etc.

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with Council Clerk bringing his registers up to date, and compiling a list of absentees. N.M.O. conducted medical check. Health good. Discussion on Council activities and rules with these people as well as other general matters. Their dissatisfaction with the present system of buying cocoa at Ajpha was voiced. I informed them that the matter had been discussed at the last Council meeting, and had subsequently been referred to the District Agricultural Officer by the Agricultural Officer at Kokoda. The three villages were inspected and found to be in good order. Night at Asisi.

28.8.62

Took statements in a compensation for injury claim. Conducted part of investigation into application for out of town business lease by D.R. Mc Seath. Land surveyed but proper genealogy could not be compiled as land controllers present were not certain of certain able

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25.8.62

Conducted a rough census check in conjunction with Council Clerk bringing his registers up to date, compiling lists of absentees, etc. N.M.O. conducted medical check. Health good.

Several minor complaints brought forward for attention.

Savings bank passbooks collected to be forwarded for insertion of interest.

Discussion on cash cropping, ^{Council} activities and general matters. Nothing of significance arose out of the discussion.

Night at Aisi

26.8.62

Completed compilation of census figures for the Wawaga area. Discussion with clan leaders and others on land tenure and social organisation.

Night at Aisi

27.8.62

Crossed the Kumusi and visited Evasuse, 40 minutes walk, then Botu a further 15 minutes walk, and then Sorape a further 10 minutes walk. Conducted a rough census check in each village in conjunction

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24.8.62

matters. They have decided to pay the proceeds from the sale of cocoa from their large community garden (it contains ~~about~~ 1,354 trees) into a bank account to be subsequently used for the benefit of the village as a whole. At present they have about £10 in hand.

Night at Siorata.

25.8.62.

Further discussion with village elders (EMBO PEMI) on social organisation and land tenure.

Inspected Siorata village in company with the councillor DAVID LAKEMBO who is the President of the Ilimo Council. Village in good order - one house to be replaced. Village consists of 30 houses.

Short visit to Mission station - the school was closed - it being Saturday.

Only the preparatory grade children attend school here (there are about 20) and the balance go (i.e. standard 1 and 2 children) ~~then~~ attend E1W0 Mission school.

Left for Asini at about 10.30 and arrived at about 12.15.

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23.8.62. about three years ago and the balance
either last year or early this year.
Discussed the re-grading of
the track between Namanaia and
Managube and Namanaia to the
boundary with Sivorata with the
village people
Obtained some more information
for the Health Education Survey
Night at Namanaia.

24.8.62. To Sivorata arriving at
about mid-day.
Conducted a rough census check
to enable the Council Clerk to
bring his tax registers up to date
prior to preparing new registers
for 1963. N.M.O. conducted medical
check. Health good. The Council
Clerk also compiled a list of
absentees and their whereabouts
so that they can be contacted
concerning the payment of their
outstanding taxes.
Several minor matters brought
forward for attention
Savings Bank passbooks collected
to be forwarded for interest.
Discussion with some of village
people on cash cropping and general

Total Field Days
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23.8.62

lected to replace a Councillor absent working on a plantation. Three coffee gardens here - one communal and two individual - individual gardens still in the process of being planted with shade. One garden owner had already transplanted some seedlings from his nursery although shade only a few inches high. Advised her not to transplant any more seedlings until shade at least a couple of feet high.

To Emo - changed carriers here. These people claim to have thirteen coffee gardens, nine of which are fully or partly planted with coffee. These gardens sighted were well tended. However in two of the gardens located between Emo and Managube coffee was being planted without shade. Stressed the importance of shade and advised against further planting of coffee until the shade is adequate.

Continued on through Managube to Namanaia in heavy rain

The Namanaia people claim to have eleven coffee gardens in various stages of planting. One garden of ~~was~~ about $\frac{1}{2}$ acre was established

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22.8.62.

At from Kovic, Tetebi, Lijilo and Awoma villages. Two classes are conducted - Preparatory and Standard 1. New pupils are not being encouraged to attend at present as the teacher cannot cope, however an additional teacher is being made available at the beginning of 1963. The school appears to be well conducted and the teaching standard reasonably good.

Attended a meeting of people from Kovic, Tetebi, Awoma, Lijilo and Ejaro re development of in the area (see separate memo)

Collected information for Health Education Survey.

Night at Awoma.

23.8.62.

Inspected Awoma - 25 houses all in fair order.

One additional Councillor elected for Awoma and his votes explained.

To Lijilo - inspected coffee gardens. Two communal gardens of a total of about 1/2 acres and one small individual garden. All reasonably well tended.

To Ejaro - new Councillor

Total Field Days
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22.8.62.

the village. One is a communal garden of about $\frac{2}{3}$ acre just recently planted with seedlings from a nursery and the other garden of about $\frac{1}{2}$ acre contained coffee about 3 years old and belonged to the Village Constable. Both were well tended although the shade in the V.C.'s garden was patchy. Discussed this with him.

Kovio village inspected - 14 houses. Village in fair order.

10 mins walk to the Kovio Mission settlement - ~~5~~ 5 houses in the course of erection. Satisfactory.

25 minutes walk to Tetebi village. These people have recently shifted village from a site located just above the present site. 7 houses completed and a further 6 in the process.

A councillor for this village elected, and his duties explained.

Arranged for a sick person to be carried to the Aid Post at Emo.

Returned to Awona - 40 minutes.

Visited Awona S.D.A. Mission school conducted by Mission teacher T.A.C. from Rigo. 44 pupils (30 boys and 14 girls) attend.

Total Field Days
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22.8.62.

Since the last census.

28% of the able bodied males absent at work inside the District and 4% (one man) absent at work outside the District.

Health good.

S. A. P. applications received and investigated.

Discussion re the movement of the village to a site 20 minutes walk along the track towards Awona. The New Bay Adventist evangelist in the area, SORI/AIO of MENARI village, has established a small settlement about 10 minutes walk from Kovic. Four families of Kovic are living there with him. However the site is too small for more than two or three additional houses, and he has been endeavouring to persuade all the Kovic people to build a new village on the ^{bigger} ~~larger~~ site mentioned also. The Kovic people were first of all in favour of moving to the new site and then later decided to remain where they are for the time being.

Inspected two coffee gardens located a short distance below

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21.8.62.

in future these people can be censused separately.

S. A. P. applications received and investigated.

Some C. S. B. business transacted and also C. S. B. passbooks collected for forwarding for insertion of interest.

Several minor complaints brought forward for attention.

Night at Awema.

22.8.62.

To Kovic 75 minutes walk passing through Teteli village en route. Kovic village is in the charge of Village Constable NEKI DABUA.

Village people assembled and addressed on the purposes of taxation, health and sanitation and a general discussion ~~was~~ followed on ways and means of obtaining a cash income (see separate memo.). There was no discussion arising from my talk on taxation.

Tax/census conducted. N. M. O.

conducted a medical check.

£8.10.0 tax collected and

4 exemptions granted.

1.6% natural population increase

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20.8.62.

20 minutes walk to Awoma
village (village Constable LAI-I SIKOI).
General discussion with some of the
village people.
Night at Awoma.

21.8.62.

People of Awoma and ~~Awoma~~ ^{Tetebi}
assembled. Talks given on purposes
of taxation, ways of obtaining a
cash wage, etc. There was some
discussion on development of the
area which was subsequently
adjourned to a meeting to be
held on the morrow.

Tax / Census conducted. N.M.O.
conducted medical check.

£22 tax collected and 18
exemptions granted.

5% natural increase in population
since the last census.

20.8% of able bodied males of
Awoma village absent at work
outside the District, and 46.2%
of the able bodied males from
Tetebi village.

Health good.

As Tetebi village is about 40
minutes walk from Awoma
village a separate census
compiled for Tetebi so that

Total Field Days
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20.8.62.

Village inspected - 8 houses - one to be replaced.

20 minutes walk to UJILU village which is the resident village of the village Constable for ETARO and UJILU villages.

People assembled. Talk given on the purposes of taxation, etc.

No discussion on this talk.

Tax/census conducted. N.M.O. conducted medical check.

£5.10.0 tax collected and six exemptions granted.

6.7% ^{male} labour potential absent at work outside the District.

2.3% population decrease. Three of the four babies born since the last census died at or shortly after birth and a further three young children aged under 4 years died since the last census - possibly from pneumonia. The medical check by the N.M.O. revealed no serious diseases.

Village inspected - 11 houses - satisfactory.

Interviewed a replacement village Constable for GAGAMO who is becoming too aged and suffering too many illnesses to carry on.

Total Field Days recorded this Folio = 2 1/2

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20.8.62

of necessity in English as the teachers do not speak the local language. The children attending the school who are from Nanania village board at the school during the week. Children from Nanania, Moragube, Emo and Ejaro villages which is the "Anglian area" in the Wamonga attends the school. The school appears to be well conducted and the standard of teaching reasonable for this type of school.

55 minutes walk to EJARO

village which is at present controlled by Village Constable GAGAMO OVIVI of UJILU village. Village people assembled, ^{and talk given} on the purpose of taxation, etc. No comments offered on any part of the talk.

Tax/census conducted. N.M.O. conducted medical check.

£4 tax collected and four exemptions granted. 55% of labour potential absent at work inside the District ~~and~~ 2 absentees accompanied by their families. 10% absent at work outside the District. 3.3% natural population increase since last census.

Health good.

Total Field Days recorded this Folio = $\frac{1}{2}$

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19.8.62.

General discussion with a few village people on their social organisation, system of land tenure and checking information for Health Education Survey.

Night at Emo.

20.8.62.

Emo village inspected - 24 houses of a good standard with split timber walls and floors. One sub-standard house in the course of replacement.

From Emo 10 mins walk to Emo Aid Post, and Emo River Anglican Mission and School located on the bank of the Emo River.

Aid Post in the charge of Aid Post orderly ERORO of EJARO village. Neat and tidy and buildings in good repair.

Four patients in residence and about twenty daily outpatients.

In Mission school in charge of Mission teacher GILES of IAUSSAI village with two trainee teachers from DIVINIKOSSI village. 43 boys and 24 girl pupils in preparatory and standard 1 classes. Teaching is

Total Field Days recorded this Folio = 2

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Date	Para No.	Description
18.8.62		Heavy rain prevented census. Worked on census figures, etc. Night at EMO.
19.8.62		Village people assembled and talk given on purpose of taxation, cash cropping, health, sanitation, etc. The people had no comments to make on taxation but did on cash cropping (see separate memo). Tax collection and census revision conducted. N.M.O. conducted medical check. Tax collected £10. 11 exemptions granted. 34% able bodied males absent at work inside the District - 1 person accompanied by family. 5.7% able bodied males absent at work outside the District. 6.25% natural population increase. Health good - these people live in close proximity to an Aid Post. Several minor civil complaints brought for attention. Special P.S. Permit Applications received and investigated. C.S.B. business - three new accounts opened and old passbooks taken in to be forwarded for interest.

Total Field Days
recorded this Folio = 4

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18.8.62. Some of the new gardens had been planted with shade. At Managube there is one communal garden of about 1 1/2 acres in area planted 3 yrs ago.

The people of Managube assembled and a talk given on the purposes of taxation, etc. Tax / Census conducted. N.M.O. conducted medical check.

£5.10.0 tax collected and 4 exemptions granted. 1.25% natural population increase. 25% labour potential absent at work inside the District - one person accompanied by his wife.

Health - one child suffering from malnutrition ordered to hospital. Balance of this family suffering from scabies accompanied it. Otherwise health satisfactory.

Inspected village - 13 houses in reasonable condition. This village is controlled by village Constable LIRA EISI.

50 minutes walk to EMO village (V.C. OIBE IRUBEI). The present village of EMO is composed of the people of the former EMO and RUMARA villages and is located between the old village sites.

Total Field Days
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17.8.62. family. 2.5% natural population increase.
Health - a few children with sores but generally good.
The Warobila people have now all combined in the one village with Namanai, so their names were transferred to Namanai.
Several minor complaints brought forward for attention.
Obtained information for Health Education Survey, and also obtained some information on the people's system of land tenure.
Night at Namanai.

18.8.62. Inspected village - 17 houses with 6 new houses of a much better standard in the course of erection. Issued instructions for a further 4 houses to be built because of overcrowding, otherwise village satisfactory.
Departed at 0830 for Managube village and arrived at about 1000.
About six new coffee gardens recently lined by agriculture fieldworkers and one coffee garden of 255 trees about three years old seen en route.

Total Field Days recorded this Folio = 1

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15.8.62.2

In the p.m. had a discussion with some of the Sirorata people on cash cropping, their system of land tenure, construction of an aid post in their village, and general matters. Night at Sirorata.

16.8.62.

Departed Sirorata at about 8.30 a.m. and arrived at Namanaia (V.C. SIAGA-JOJA), the first village in the Nawonga Census Division, at about 3 p.m.

General discussion with village people.

Night at Namanaia.

17.8.62.

Village people assembled and talk given on purposes of taxation, cash cropping, sanitation, housing, etc. The people had no comments to make on the matter of taxation although they did on the marketing of their cash crops (see separate memo)

Tax collection and census revision conducted. N.M.O. Wilfred conducted medical check.

Tax collected £8.10.0. 10 exemptions granted. 17% labour potential absent at work inside the District - one absentee accompanied by

Total Field Days recorded this Folio = 2

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13.8.62

Station - correspondence, drawing up genealogies Kanondo. Prime land, and getting equipment and stores prepared for patrol.

14.8.62

To Ajeha Met Assistant District Officer, Popondetta, and proceeded Sairopi with him. Discussed extent of land boundaries with Tara, Ombi, Ajeha, Sairopi and Mumuni people in order to ascertain most suitable location for new Sub District boundary. After this matter resolved returned to Ajeha with A.D.O., and then on to Ilimo. Discussed a number of matters requiring attention with the Council Clerk and then proceeded to Asisi in the late p.m., in order to commence a patrol of the Nawonga, Songi and Umohombu Census Divisions. Night at Asisi.

15.8.62

1. Awaited the arrival of some more gear from Kokoda and then departed for Sivorata at about 10 a.m., arriving about 11.30 a.m.

Total Field Days recorded this Folio = 1 1/2

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