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# Papua New Guinea Patrol Reports

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KAIRUKU

2 - 1965/1966	B. Kegana	Upo
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28th September, 1965.

District Commissioner,  
Central District,  
PORT MORESBY.

KAIRUKU PATROL REPORT NO. 2/1965-66:

Receipt is acknowledged with thanks of a very brief patrol report by Mr. Kegana, covered by your memo 67-7-2 of 11th August, 1965.

2. Your comments and those of Mr. Brown have been noted.

3. The training of these new Patrol Officers lies entirely in the hands of the Assistant District Commissioner to whom he is attached. Mr. Kegana and others like him need experienced officers to give them on-the-job training.

4. Please direct your Assistant District Commissioners to train these young officers to observe accurately, take copious notes in the field and then finally report concisely and clearly what they have observed.

(T.G. Aitchison)  
A/DIRECTOR.



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TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA

In Reply  
Please Quote

No. 67-7-2



Department of District Administration,  
District Office,  
Port Moresby,  
Central District.

11th August, 1965.

The Director,  
Department of District Administration,  
K O N E D O B U.

PATROL REPORT NO. 2 ~~65~~66  
MR. B. KEGANA A.P.O. (Trainee)

The above report is forwarded, please.

Mr. Kegana has made quite an error in survey of the block and it will have to be checked. I propose to advise the A.D.C. Bereina to send an experienced officer with Mr. Kegana to give on-the-job training.

*R.T. Galloway* 490  
(R.T. GALLOWAY)  
DISTRICT COMMISSIONER. C.D.



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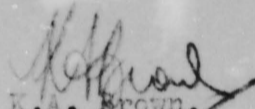
Sub-District Office,  
BERGINA.

30th July, 1965

District Commissioner,  
Central District,  
FORT MORESBY.

PATROL REPORT No.2. of 1965/1966

1. Above report and camping allowance claim for your comment please.
2. Mr Kegana is a very inexperienced officer and the patrol was intended to break him into Field work.
3. The report itself is very brief but at this stage little more can be expected.
4. The plan of the traverse indicates that about 800 acres was surveyed. This of course was impossible and I was unable to locate the errors without going to UPO. The next step will be to accompany him back and find out where the errors occurred.
5. I am satisfied after discussions with Mr Kegana that he cut traverse lines on approximately 25 acres and this will at least facilitate the next move.
6. I would be pleased of your comments on my approach to the training of these indigenous officers. I intend taking him with me to the Kuni area at the end of August.



K.A. Brown.  
Assistant District Commissioner.

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Sub-District Office,  
KAIRUKU.

12th July, 1965

Mr. B. Kegana,  
BEREINA.

PATROL No.2. of 1965/1966

1. This confirms verbal advice that you are to accompany Mr. Holmes on Monday 19th July, 1965, to Kairuku.
2. For the first few days you will remain with Mr Holmes to gain experience in census work, then you are to do a compass traverse of approximately 25 acres of land called "Upo" opposite Yule Island.
3. The Patrol Officer in Charge at Kairuku will arrange for necessary equipment and assist you where necessary.

K.A. Brown.  
Assistant District Commissioner.

District Commissioner,  
Central District,  
FORT MORESBY.

Mr Kegana has received instruction in use of compass and chain since he has been posted to Bereina. Apart from the need to have this area traversed for a land application it will serve as a useful exercise and give him a few nights experience in camping out. One officer will be detailed to supervise the task from Kairuku if I am unable to do it myself.

*K.A. Brown*  
K.A. Brown.  
Assistant District Commissioner



TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA.

67-2-8.

Sub-District Office,  
Kairuku.  
30th July 1965.

K. Brown,  
Assistant District Commissioner,  
BEREINA.

PATROL REPORT NO.2 OF 1965/1966.

INTRODUCTION: The purpose of this patrol was to carry out a compass traverse of approximately 25 acres of land called 'UPO' opposite Kairuku for Mr. Harry Obi who is to retire and live there. Also I gained some experience with Census work.

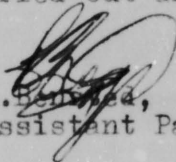
PATROL DIARY.

- Monday 19/7/65. Left Bereina 8.a.m. for Irobo. Launch to Delena with Mr. Holmes, C.P.O. Inspected the village and talked with officials. Mr. Brown A.D.C. arrived in the afternoon and looked over the village. Slept Delena.
- Tuesday 20/7/65. Delena Census, 8.a.m., finished 11a.m. Giving lectures on Decimal Currency, looking at trade stores and doing the plan of the village.. 2.p.m. Poukama Census, finished 4.30.p.m. Talked with village officials about village matters and Gun Permit problems. Slept Delena.
- Wednesday 21/7/65. 9.30.a.m. By a barge to Kairuku. Talked with Mr. Harry Obi about the land, looking at the maps of the block. 1.p.m. accompanied Mr. Obi and did the traverse.
- Thursday 22/7/65. By a dinghy to UPO and finished the job at 1.p.m. and returned to Kairuku and slept.
- FRIDAY 23/7/65. Working on traverse work and going around the station talking to people and getting to know the station.
- Saturday 24/7/65. 8.a.m. accompanied Mr. Holmes C.P.O. to Tsiria, Census finished 1.p.m. Slept Kairuku.
- Monday 26/7/65. Discussion with Mr. Obi on the block. 3.15.p.m. on the radio conversing with Mr. Dennis Fisher, arranging for a landrover to Bioto the next day.
- Tuesday 27/7/65. 44 dinghy to Nikura, Census finished at 10.45a.m. then to Bioto. By truck to Bereina, arrived 1.50 p.m.

END OF PATROL.

GENERAL. The information for Census and other matters will be covered by Mr. Holmes' report. This was my first patrol and I really learnt some of the things which I never knew before, especially the Census work.

TRAVERSE OF LAND 'UPO'. The job was carried out and I attached the plan of my work with the report.

  
K. Brown,  
Assistant Patrol Officer (Trainee).