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1965/1966

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<u>Report No.</u>	<u>Officer Conducting Patrol</u>	<u>Area Patrolled</u>
1 - 1965/1966	A.J. Huelin	OK ✓ Gawanga Census Div.
3 - 1965/1966	J.T. Stobart	OK ✓ Urim, Gawanga, part Urat Census Div.
4 - 1965/1966	A.J. Huelin	OK ✓ Kombio, Eastern section of Gawanga & Eastern section of Urat Census Div.
5 - 1965/1966	A.J. Huelin	OK ✓ Urim Census Div.
6 - 1965/1966	J.T. Stobart	Urat, Wam & part Gawanga & Kombio Census Div.
9 - 1965/1966	J.T. Stobart	OK ✓ Part Urat Census Div.

WEWAK

12- 1965/1966 R. Kopi Wuvulu & Aua Islands

YANGORU

1 - 1965/1966 N.L. Wilson Part Kabobus Census Div.

PAGWI

4 - 1965/1966 K.J. Taylor Part Main River Part Chambri Lakes Census Div.

5 - 1965/1966 K.J. Taylor Part Burui Kunai, Main River, Chambri Lakes Census Div.



TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA

PATROL REPORT

District of SEPIK Report No. I of 65/66 (YANGORU)

Patrol Conducted by N.L. Wilson, Patrol Officer

Area Patrolled Part Kabobua Census Division

Patrol Accompanied by Europeans Nil

Natives Constable 9214 MAMAI

Duration—From 15/7/1965 to 19/7/1965

Number of Days 5 Days

Did Medical Assistant Accompany? No

Last Patrol to Area by—District Services 6/1965

Medical 3/1965

Map Reference Map Attached

Objects of Patrol a. Road Surveys

b. Routine Administration

Director of District Administration,
PORT MORESBY.

Forwarded, please.

23/9/1965

Ely Hicks
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 £.....

Amount Returned to Store

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14th October, 1965.

District Commissioner,
Sepik District,
W E W A K.

YANGORU PATROL REPORT NO. 1-65/66:

Receipt is acknowledged with thanks of a very brief
Patrol Report by Mr. Wilson, covered by your memorandum
67-3-11/601 of 23rd September, 1965.

2. Your comments only have been noted. The Assistant
District Commissioner's comments were not attached to
this report.

3. Mr. Wilson seems to have carried out quite adequately
the tasks set him. It is unfortunate that so many of the
village people were away at different places when the
patrol arrived mainly to do road work.

(T.G. Aitchison)
A/DIRECTOR.

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67-3-11/601

Department of District Administration,
Sepik District,
WEWAK.

23rd September, 1965.

The Assistant District Commissioner,
Sub-district Office,
MAPRIK.

YANGORU PATROL REPORT -
No. 1 of 1965/66.

The above Patrol Report, compiled by Mr. N.C. Wilson,
Patrol Officer, is acknowledged.

Your comments in the covering memorandum are noted.
Besides Sections 9, 13 and 15 of the Roads Maintenance
Ordinance 1953-63, Section 10(f) also places responsibility
of maintaining secondary roads on the owners of adjoining
land. Perhaps this is what Mr. Wilson refers to in his
report. I concur with your remarks concerning the standards
of maintenance.

Did Mr. Wilson stay overnight at KABOIBUS Village or
KABOIBUS School?

The report adequately covers Mr. Wilson's patrol of 5
days.

E.G. Hicks
E.G. HICKS,
a/DISTRICT COMMISSIONER.

c.c. Director,
Department of District Administration,
KONEDOBU.

PATROL REPORT.

District of Sepik. Report No I of 65/66 Yangoru.

Patrol Conducted by : N.L.Wilson. Patrol Officer.

Area Patrolled : Kahoibus Census Division.

Patrol Accompanied by : Constable MAMAI No 9214.

Duration : from 15th July to the 19th July 1965 - 5 days.

Last Patrol to Area by District Administration : June 1965.

Map Reference : Map Attached.

- Objects of Patrol :
- (a) Maintenance of roads.
 - (b) Routine Administration.

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TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA

YANGORU PATROL REPORT No I of 65/66.

INTRODUCTION.

The objects of this patrol were (a) survey new road works and inspect maintenance of existing roads and (b) Routine Administration. The two road works being undertaken are the construction of a section of road from YABOMINU village to the Yangoru - Kaboibus main road, and the rerouting of the road near Kaboibus village.

The patrol concentrated mainly on road works and little other Administrative work was carried out.

PATROL DIARY.

15th July Thursday.

1000 hours. Departed Station by motor bike for Kaboibus. Arrived 1115 hours.

Word sent out during the afternoon to inform councillors of a meeting at Kaboibus on the following day. Visited school and Aid Post.

Night at Kaboibus.

16th July Friday.

1045 hours. Commenced discussion on the state of roads with the councillors and villagers present. Completed 1230 hours. During the afternoon visited Kaboibus village and indicated sections of road which required maintenance.

Night at Kaboibus.

17th July Saturday.

0800 hours. Walked to Yabominu to familiarise myself with the terrain through which the road would pass.

1300 hours. Returned to Kaboibus and spent night.

18th July Sunday.

1000 hours. Departed Kaboibus for Dunigi. Arrived 1045 hours. A large number of the population absent in the Wewak Sub-District, so any discussion on constructing a road from the village to the main road would be pointless. Returned to Kaboibus.

1400 hours. Departed Kaboibus with the District Officer Yangoru and visited ULUPU and Malapaiem. Walked from Malapaiem to Yabominu and surveyed a continuation of the Suanambu - Malapaiem road. Returned to Kaboibus and spent night.

19th July Monday.

0730 hours. General survey of road works of Kaboibus, Bonahoitan and Yabominu.

1500 hours. Departed Kaboibus for Bukinara and Himburu. Villages completely deserted except for two elderly females.

1900 hours. Returned to Yangoru Station by Landrover.

Patrol Stood Down.

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NATIVE AFFAIRS.

No court hearings were held by this patrol, but several complaints were made which could give rise to later court action.

A high percentage of villagers from Kairiru and Dunigi were absent in the Wewak Sub-District. The Councillor was also absent and has been away for over one month.

IUI alias BOUTI of Dunigi was also absent in Wewak when the village was visited.

A large group of villagers from the Kaboibus area congregated at Kaboibus for a discussion on road works and used this as a forum to air their grievances about not being paid for the time they spend maintaining roads. The villagers were informed that as the road had been Gazetted then by law they must keep it in a reasonable state of repair as required by the Roads Maintenance Ordinance 1953 - 63.

ROADS.

The condition of the roads were much the same as during the last patrol (see Patrol Report No. 4 of 64/65).

The detour at Kaboibus village had not been worked on for some months and it was suggested to the people that they complete this as they had accepted £50 from the Council for the construction of the first section with the understanding that the remaining work was to be voluntary. This they agreed to do.

Yabominu villagers want to build a feeder road from their village to link up with the Yangoru - Kaboibus road. This will be difficult owing to steep ridges but a possible route was marked. The importance of this section is that it will give road access to villages that are now producing coffee and rice which now must be carried to points on existing roads.

A visit was made to Dunigi and Kairiru to discuss the proposed construction of a new road. As a large number of the villagers were absent, as well as the councillor, this was not discussed.

For further information see Yangoru Patrol Report No. 4 of 64/65.

CONCLUSION.

This patrol was only of 5 days duration but this allowed ample time for the surveying of two road extensions and maintenance of existing roads.

Little Administrative work was required as I had completed a patrol to the area some four weeks earlier.

M. L. Wilson
(M. L. Wilson.)
Patrol Officer.

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Appendix to Yangoru Patrol No. 1 of 65/66.

Comments on Police accompanying Patrol.

Constable 9214 MAMAI, is a good constable, his conduct and dress are of a good standard. He is reliable.

M.L. Wilson
M.L. Wilson.
Patrol Officer.

Form RS 1 forwarded Commissioner on 22/7/65.

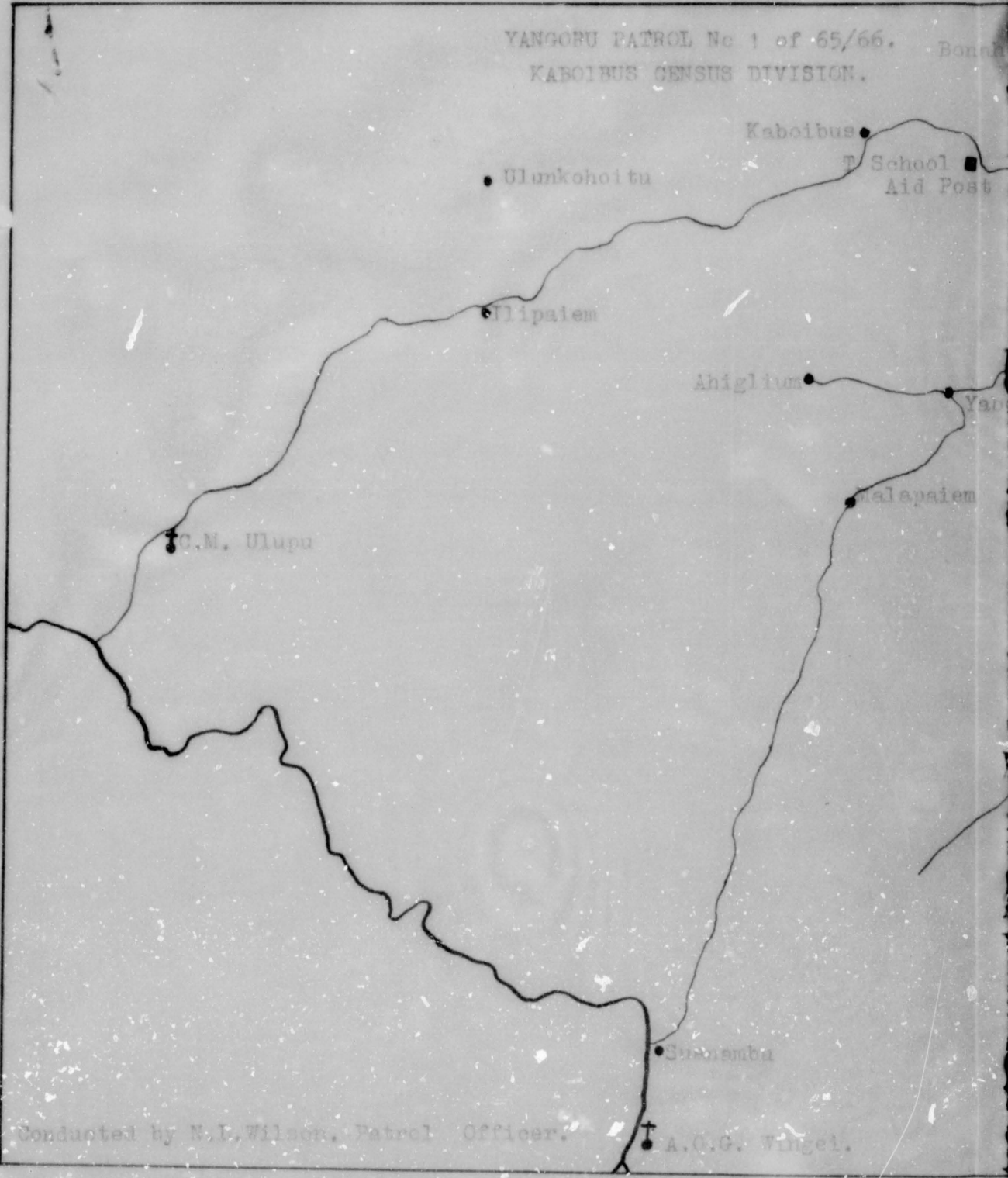
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YANGORU PATROL No 1 of 65/66. Bond
KABOIBUS GENSUS DIVISION.



Conducted by N.L. Wilson, Patrol Officer.

A.O.G. Wingel.

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YANGORU PATROL No 1 of 65/66.
KABOIBUS CENSUS DIVISION.

Bonghoitor

Kairiru
Dunigi

•Belagei

Kaboibus

• School
Aid Post +

• Wlankoholtn

• Ilipaiem

• Ahiglium

• Yabominu

• Bubuanio

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• Malapeiem

• Alisu

• C.M. Ulupu

• Karagamon

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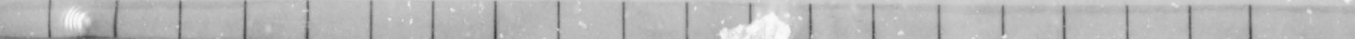
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• H.L. Wilson Patrol Officer.

• A.O.C. Wingel.

• C.M. Warabung



TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA
DEPARTMENT OF NATIVE AFFAIRS

Folio No. 1

Name N.L. WILSON

Station YANGORU

FIELD OFFICER'S JOURNAL

Govt. Print.—8761/10.62.—500 bks.

Date 1965
Para No.

15-7 1 0800 Preparation for patrol.
1000 Departed Station for KABOIBUS road wet
arrived 1130. Landrover returned to Yangoru.
Visited KABOIBUS School & village. Sent
two messengers out to the various councillors to inform
them that I wished to see them on the following
day. Slept KABOIBUS.

16-7 2. 1045 A large number of villagers from KABOIBUS,
BONAHOTAM, YABOMINU arrived with representatives
from ALISU, BUBUAMO, KURASAMON, NIMBIHU
KUMBUHUN, KUKINARA, HIMBUVU, DUNIGI & KAIRIRU &
ULUNKOHOTU - ILIPAIEM. The councillors of
AHIGLIUM - MALAPAIEM & KAIRIRU - DUNIGI being
absent.
Discussion held on the state of the road. They
were also informed that the Council truck
had been ordered.

Sections of the road at KABOIBUS were marked
for repair during the afternoon.
Slept KABOIBUS.

17-7 3 0800 Walked to YABOMINU to investigate site
of road from the village to the main KABOIBUS
road. This will be difficult as it entails descending
rather steeply from the ridge upon which the
village is situated down to the road.
Slept KABOIBUS.

Total Field Days
recorded this Folio =

Assistant District Officer to send Original to District Officer.
Patrol Officer to send Original to District Officer and
Duplicate to Assistant District Officer.
3 Patrol Days.

Name N. L. WILSON

Station YANGORU

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18-7 4.

Visited Belagel Duniigi & Kaisiu. The people are still at a dead lock as to which ~~the~~ villages on the road isto go through. Accompanied the District Officer Yangoru to ULUPU & MALPAIEM. Then walked from MALPAIEM to YABOMINU thence back to KABOIBUS.
Slept KABOIBUS.

19-7 5

General supervision of the road repairs at KABOIBUS, BONAHOTAM & the road to the school. Went to HIMBURU & BUKINARA. No sign of any persons except two elderly females at HIMBURU. 1830 Departed Hemburu for station. Arrived 1915.

Total Field Days recorded this Folio =

Assistant District Officer to send Original to District Officer. Patrol Officer to send Original to District Officer and Duplicate to Assistant District Officer.

2 Patrol Days.