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MILNE BAY DISTRICT

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SAMARAI

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3-73-74	S.B. HALLWORTH	PART SAMARAI LOCAL ISLAND - jacket
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9-73-74	J.B. QUINN	PART SAMARAI ISLANDS - jacket
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11-73-74	J.B. QUINN	SUAU C/D - jacket
12-73-74	S.B. HALLWORTH	SUAU C/D -
13-73-74		
14-73-74	J.A. STANDING	SUAU C/D - jacket

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15-73-74	S.B. HALLWORTH	SUAU C/D - jacket
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17-73-74	J.A. STANDING	SUAU C/D - jacket
18-73-74	J.A. STANDING	SUAU C/D - jacket
19-73-74	J.A. STANDING	SUAU C/D - jacket
20-73-74	DAVID KASURI	SUAU C/D - jacket

RABARABA

1-73-74	D.J. FRECKELTON	STANDIN PATROL AGAUN - jacket
2-73-74	R.J. OAG	PUMANI AIRSTRIP - jacket
3-73-74	R.J. OAG	CAPE VOGEL & GOODENOUGH BAY INLAND - jacket
4-73-74	D.J. FRECKELTON	MAKAMAKA L.G.C. "starding" - jacket
5-73-74	R.J. OAG	CAPE VOGEL - jacket
6-73-74	JOHN B. SILIKARA	MAKAMAKA L.G.C. - jacket
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SUAU

1-73-74	R. WAREA POA	SUAUC/D - jacket
2-73-74	A.M. DIDLICK	SUAU C/D - jacket
3-73-74	R. WAREA POA	KWAIOA WARD - jacket

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# PATROL REPORT

Report number: 1-73/73

District: Milne Bay

Patrol conducted by: R.N. Lock

Area patrolled: Baleba & Buhutu C/D

Duration of patrol: 31/7/73 to 14/8/73

Last D.D.A. patrol: 7/5/73

Last O.L.G. patrol: -

Map reference: Army Series  
T504 Fournil

Objects of patrol: Census & Updating Area Study.

Station: Alotau

Subdistrict: Alotau

Designation: Patrol Officer

Personnel accompanying: A. Diak Broadcasts Officer  
S. Dierome Interpreter.

Number of days: 12

Total population of area: Baleba 2230 Buhutu 901

Council area: Milne Bay

House of Assembly Electorate: ALOTAU

~~The District Commissioner,  
Milne Bay District,  
ALOTAU~~

In respect of this patrol, I attach

- Field Officers Journal Folios 1 To 5, (✓)
- Patrol Instructions, (✓)
- The Report and my comments, (✓)
- Area study, (-)
- Updating of area study, (✓)
- Situation Reports No's 1- , (→)
- Patrol map, (✓)

DATE: 28/8 1973.

*R. S. Sutton*  
a/ Assistant District Commissioner

The Secretary,  
Department of the Administrator,  
Division of District Administration,  
KONEDOBU, Papua New Guinea.

*Neil Smyth Diers*

In respect of this patrol, I attach

- Area study, ( )
- Updating of area study, (✓)
- Situation Report No's. 1- (NIL)
- ..... ( )
- ..... ( )

District Headquarters assessment of  
Patrol & Report.....

Above average  
Average  
Below average

Date: 4/9/1973.

*R. S. Brewer*  
a/ District Commissioner

## POPULATION

Date of Census	Village	TOTALS (Excluding Absentees)				ABSENTEES (Resident outside Electorate)				Grand Total
		CHILD (Under 15 yrs)		ADULT		CHILD (Under 15 yrs)		ADULT		
		M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	
<u>BUHUTU CENSUS DIVISION.</u>										
GELEMALATA	10-8-73	43	50	43	42	-	-	28	6	212
IPOULI	11-8-73	52	35	53	59	3	2	26	12	242
MILA	10-8-73	41	39	53	42	-	-	14	2	191
SIASIADA	13-8-73	63	41	66	58	2	-	24	2	256
										901
<u>EALEBA CENSUS DIVISION</u>										
DAIC	3-8-73	70	81	78	65	1	-	19	15	329
DAWADAWA	1-8-73	42	31	57	49	1	-	6	2	188
GAMADGUDOU	7-8-73	56	44	48	54	3	1	6	4	216
KILAKILANA	9/8/73	71	70	66	56	1	-	14	5	283
GWAWILI	2-8-73	79	93	132	100	1	-	25	10	440
LAMEAGA	1-8-73	64	71	76	75	1	4	14	4	307
WAGAWAGA	6-8-73	96	93	107	103	3	-	38	27	467
										2230



The District Commissioner  
Milne Bay District  
P.O. Box 35  
ALOTAU

13th September, 1973.  
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ALOTAU PATROL NO. 1 of 1973-74

I acknowledge with thanks receipt of Area Study Amendments arising out of the above patrol of EAJEBA and BUHUTU Census Divisions, as submitted by Mr. R.N. Lock.

*W. P. Ryan*

W.P. RYAN  
s/Secretary

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AREA STUDY PALEBA CENSUS DIVISION: UPDATE.

B. POPULATION DISTRIBUTION & TRENDS:

- A. INTRODUCTION: PARAGRAPH 5. GURNEY Airstrip will shortly be open to category F27. Small ships wharves are now situated at ALOTAU, GABAGABUNA, WAGAWAGA, RASE, DAIU, GIBARA, and GWILI.

**B. POPULATION DISTRIBUTION & TRENDS:**

**C. Village Population figures are attached to the patrol report jacket.**

C. SOCIAL GROUPINGS.

D. Mr. Moore in his original Area Study covered this topic adequately. No changes were noted. The previous reports covered this topic with added point that Mr. Moore is no longer M.H.A. and he has not visited the area for a considerable time. He doubts if he did return the previously mentioned "Silver Tongue" would install his sons again in public favour.

LAND TENURE AND USE:

D. LEADERSHIP:

... remains unchanged from MR. MOORE'S  
The previous update covers this topic with added  
point that MR. ABEL is no longer M.H.A. and he  
has not visited the area for a considerable time.  
No doubt if he did return the previously mentioned  
"Silver Tongue" would install him once again in  
public favour.

<u>ORIGINAL LISTING</u>		<u>REVIEW WITH CORRECTIONS</u>	
<u>NO.</u>	<u>AREA</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>AREA</u>
1	28	7	28
2	26	8	27
3	8	9	12
4	32	10	32
5	17		34
	111		

E. LAND TENURE AND USE:

This section remains unchange from MR. MOORE'S original Study.

F. LITERACY:

1. STANDARD OF LIVING:

The following represent a break up of schools in the BALEBA Census Division:

WAGAWAGA ADMIN.

<u>STD.</u>	<u>PUPILS</u>
1	31
2	39
3	33
5	24
6	13
	<u>140</u>

GIBARA CATHOLIC

<u>STD.</u>	<u>PUPILS</u>
2	31
3	21
	<u>52</u>

DAIO (KWAKWELA) CATHOLIC.

<u>STD.</u>	<u>PUPILS</u>
1	28
3	26
4	8
5	32
6	17
	<u>111</u>

GWAWILI UNITED CHURCH

<u>STD.</u>	<u>PUPILS</u>
2	35
4	32
5	12
6	22
	<u>91</u>

G. STANDARD OF LIVING:

H. This again is covered adequately by MR. MOORE'S report.

MR. MOORE'S Report adequately covers this topic.



- I. POP-INDIGENES report adequately covers this topic.
- H. MISSIONS MR. MOORE'S Report adequately covers this topic.

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3. COMMUNICATIONS:

- I. NON-INDIGENES: Another separate report from  
WALSH OF MISSISSIPPI is in a private strip upon  
**MR. MOORE'S** report adequately covers this topic.  
But consolidation and improvement work are being  
continued.

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J. COMMUNICATIONS: CLERICAL SKILLS:

There now exists another airstrip apart from Gurney at SIASIADA it is a private strip open to category "C". This strip as yet is still rough but consolidation and improvement works are being continued.

K. TECHNICAL AND CLERICAL SKILLS:

MR. MOORE has covered this topic adequately.

L. THE STAGE OF POLITICAL DEVELOPMENT

MR. C. APPEL is no longer M.H.A. and he is resident at WAKAWAGA. MR. D. YOUNG is now MHA for the area along with MR. J. QUINN.

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**I. THE STAGE OF POLITICAL DEVELOPMENT**

MR. G. ABEL is no longer N.H.A. and he is resident at WAGAWAGA. MR. D. YOUNG is now NHA for the area along with DR. J. GWISE. <sup>Plans for new planning,</sup> <sup>although not bearing, for several in the vicinity</sup> of 2000 acres. Thus overall the situation has remained basically the same since MR. MOORE'S & MR. PARKER'S Study and updating.

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N. THE ECONOMY OF THE AREA AND THE ECONOMY:

The census figures for economic crops have remained unchanged in the new census, has been situation is made by D.A.S. For the totals for new plantings, report though not bearing, for coconuts in the vicinity of 2000 trees. Thus overall the situation has remained basically the same since MR. MOORE'S & MR. PARKERS Study and updating.

**N. POSSIBILITIES OF EXPANDING THE ECONOMY:**

This section has been covered adequately in both Mr. Moore's Study & Mr. Parker's updating. The situation is still relatively static. As mentioned in the patrol report grants have been made from the Rural Improvement Fund for roads throughout the area in question.

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P. ATTITUDE TOWARD CENTRAL GOVERNMENT:

O. ATTITUDE TOWARD LOCAL GOVERNMENT. Further changes have been made.

This section has been adequately covered in Mr. Parker's updating.



**F. ATTITUDE TOWARD CENTRAL GOVERNMENT:**

Mr. Parker has covered this and no farther changes have taken place since. is in no need of updating being adequately covered previously.

*A. N. M.*

**A. N. LOCK,  
RECORD OFFICER.**

**9. ACCOMMODATION SERVICES AND FACILITIES:**

This section again is in no need of updating  
A. being adequately covered previously.

Paragraph 6. There is now a category "C" Airstrip situated at Sagarat (SIARIADA Village). This strip is open and privately maintained by Steamships Trading Company.

*R. N. M.*

**R. N. LOCK,**  
**PATROL OFFICER.**

AREA STUDY UPDATING BUNHTU CENSUS DIVISION:

... census figures are attached to the  
A. INTRODUCTION: ...

Paragraph 6. There is now a category "C" Area strip situated at Sagarai (SIASIADA Village). This strip is open and privately maintained by Steamships Trading Company.



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C. SOCIAL GROUPINGS:

D. LEADERSHIP:

This has been adequately covered by Mr. Cernillies' Study. Cernillies' comments are adequate and are still valid.

LAND TENURE AND USE:

D. LEADERSHIP:

THIS HAS BEEN ADEQUATELY COVERED.

Mr. Cornillier's comments are adequate and are still valid.

F. LITERACY.

The following represent a break up of Schools in the MICHIGAN Census Division:

**E. LAND TENURE AND USE:**

**This has been adequately covered.**

IPCVLI CATHOLIC.

BIASIADA ADMIN.

<u>STD.</u>	<u>PUPILS</u>	<u>STD.</u>	<u>PUPILS</u>
1	41	2	24
3	20	5	18
	—		—
	61		40
	—		—

F. LITERACY.

The following represent a break up of Schools in the BUHUTU Census Division:

<u>ROMAN CATHOLIC.</u>		<u>SIASIADA ADMIN.</u>	
<u>SCH.</u>	<u>PUPILS</u>	<u>SCH.</u>	<u>PUPILS</u>
1	41	2	24
3	20	5	16
	<u>61</u>		<u>40</u>
	<u>        </u>		<u>        </u>



NON-PROFITABLE:

Mr. J. Parry has been replaced by a new manager  
Mr. R. McArthur and Mr. I. Griffiths has been replaced

STANDARD OF LIVING:

This section also needs no further comments. Its stead.

J. COMMUNICATIONS:

H. NON - INDIGENES:

are covered adequately in the previous study  
 Mr. J. Parry has been replaced by a new  
 Mr. R. McMurtrie and Mr. Z. Griffiths has been replaced  
 by a local Mr. S. Parufa. completed the proposed wharf  
 and is reported as in operation and a  
 The Ipeuli trade store has been shut down and a  
 villager is operating his own trade store in its stead.  
 There is now an airstrip  
 situated north east of SIASIADA Village. This, whilst  
 still rough is open to category "C" aircraft.

XJ. COMMUNICATIONS: RACIAL SKILLS.

Roads are covered adequately in the previous Study & Upating.

Sea. The counsil have completed the preposed wharf at Sagarai and is reported on in my patrol report.

Air. As mentioned previously, there is now an airstrip situated north east of SIASIADA Village. This, whilst still rough is open to category "C" aircraft.

K. TECHNICAL AND CLERICAL SKILLS.

This has been adequately covered in Mr. Cernillies' Study. This also has been covered sufficiently.

L. THE STAGE OF POLITICAL DEVELOPMENT:

This also has been covered sufficiently.

M. THE ECONOMIC OF THE AREA:

There has been no significant change since the last census & area study were compiled. It could be said that the HUNTS I. even more static than the BALMERA census Division.

N. POSSIBILITIES OF EXPANDING THE ECONOMY:

M. THE ECONOMY OF THE AREA: equately in the previous area study.

There has been no significant change since the last census & area study were compiled. It could be said that the BHMUTU is even more static than the BALNEA census Division.

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N. POSSIBILITIES OF EXPANDING THE ECONOMY:

This has been covered adequately in the previous Area Study.

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07. ATTITUDE TO LOCAL GOVERNMENT

This has been covered previously covered in the  
previous study & updating.

This report was covered in the original  
report.



P. ATTITUDE TO CENTRAL GOVERNMENT

This again has been adequately covered in the previous study & updating.

This report was prepared by the original  
1955 1956

Q. ACCOMMODATION SERVICES & FACILITIES

This aspect was covered adequately in the original Area Study.

*R. N. M.*

R. N. LOCK,  
PATROL OFFICER.

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### PATROL REPORT

Report number: 2 of 1973/74  
 District: MILNE BAY  
 Patrol conducted by: R. T. Headly  
 Area patrolled: Tavara Census Division  
 Duration of patrol: 23 Days (BROKEN)  
 Last D.D.A. patrol: JULY, AUGUST 1972  
 Last O.L.G. patrol:  
 Map reference: JOURNAL OF SAMARAI

Objects of patrol: Census & Area Study  
 Station: ALOTAU  
 Subdistrict: ALOTAU  
 Designation: Patrol Officer  
 Personnel accompanying:  
 Number of days: 16 Days  
 Total population of area:  
 Council area: Milne Bay  
 House of Assembly Electorate: ALOTAU.

The District Commissioner,  
 Milne Bay District,  
 ALOTAU

In respect of this patrol, I attach

Field Officers Journal Folios 5 To 10,	(✓)
Patrol Instructions,	(✓)
The Report and my comments,	(✓)
Area study,	(✓)
Updating of area study,	( )
Situation Reports No's 1—	( )
Patrol map,	(✓)

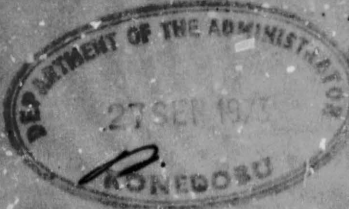
DATE: 12 / 9 1973.

*R.S. Sutt*  
 a/Assistant District Commissioner

The Secretary,  
 Department of the Administrator,  
 Division of District Administration,  
 KONEDOBU, Papua New Guinea.

In respect of this patrol, I attach

Area study,	(✓)
Updating of area study,	( )
Situation Report No's. 1—	( )
.....	( )
.....	( )
District Headquarters assessment of Patrol & Report.....	Above average Average Below average



Date: 30/9/1973.

*G.S. Brennan*  
 District Commissioner

67-4-9

# PATROL REPORT

Report number: \_\_\_\_\_ Objects of patrol: \_\_\_\_\_  
 District: \_\_\_\_\_ Station: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Patrol conducted by: \_\_\_\_\_ Subdistrict: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Area patrolled: \_\_\_\_\_ Designation: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Duration of patrol: \_\_\_\_\_ Personnel accompanying: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Last D.D.A. patrol: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of days: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Last O.L.G. patrol: \_\_\_\_\_ Total population of area: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Map reference: \_\_\_\_\_ Council area: \_\_\_\_\_  
 House of Assembly Electorate: \_\_\_\_\_

The District Commissioner,  
 Milne Bay District,  
 ALOTAU

In respect of this patrol, I attach  
 Field Officers Journal Folios 5 To 10,   
 Patrol Instructions,   
 The Report and my comments,   
 Area study,   
 Updating of area study,   
 Situation Reports No's 1- ,   
 Patrol map,

DATE: 12 / 9 1973.

*R. S. Sutter*  
 a/Assistant District Commissioner

The Secretary,  
 Department of the Administrator,  
 Division of District Administration,  
 KONEDOBUBU, Papua New Guinea.

In respect of this patrol, I attach  
 Area study,   
 Updating of area study,   
 Situation Report No's. 1-   
 \_\_\_\_\_   
 \_\_\_\_\_   
 District Headquarters assessment of  
 Patrol & Report.....

Above average  
 Average  
 Below average

Date: / / 19

.....  
 District Commissioner

The District Commissioner  
Milne Bay District  
P.O. Box 35  
ALOTAU

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District Officer

ALOTAU PATROL NO. 2 OF 1973/74

I acknowledge with thanks receipt of Area Study recom-  
pilation arising out of the above patrol of TAVARA  
Census Division, as submitted by R.T. HEADLY.

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AREA STUDY

TAVARA CENSUS DIVISION

A. INTRODUCTION

(a) The topography of the Tavara Coast is that of a fertile coastal strip with a conforila ridge line which runs the centre of the division ending at East Cape.

The Gumine river in the head of Milne Bay serves as a division between Tavara & Baleba Census Divisions.

Annual rainfall in the area is in the vicinity of 200 inches during the south eastern Monsoon.

Vegetation on the plain and slopes, is of a heavily wooded nature with areas of swamp in the lowlands.

(b) This area is fortunate in having good vehicular roads to most of the villages namely Haura to Divinal. However the road from Divinal towards East Cape is in poor condition.

There is a large wharf at Alotau and numerous smaller wharves along the coast. Gurney airstrip has now been upgraded to Focker Friendship class, and lies some twenty five minutes drive from Alotau.

(c) This area has had a long history of Administration, Mission and European contact resulting in a good degree of sophistication. These influences have been in the area for 60 to 85 years.

Obviously one of the main influences on the lives of the people of the area was the Second World War. The people were affected by the large cash and material compensations which were received. The use of war materials in construction of many of the houses is still to be observed. It has been stated previously that, "The war was and still is responsible for a serious breakdown in the social structure and traditional Technology in this area.

B. POPULATION - DISTRIBUTION AND TRENDS

- (a) Census revision and recompilation of census books was conducted by the patrol. Please refer to Population figures on the patrol jacket.
- (b) The Neo - natal mortality rate is very low being less than one per cent. However the migration out of persons to other census divisions is relatively high in some villages.
- (c) With Villages being close to Alotau many of the persons are finding employment away from the village. Similarly many persons are working within the District and outside district in towns such as Moresby, Lae & Rabaul. I am continually wondering if these absent workers are being censused twice, once in their home villages and again in the District they are working.

c.

SOCIAL GROUPINGS

(a) The main clan groups in this area as reported in the reports are:-

- GALUBOI
- BUMESUME
- HIYAI
- TOMOKU
- HULALAMA
- TAGOLFIA

However I have gone to the trouble of trying to acquire names of clans in respect to their villages.

VILLAGE  
MATWARA

CLAN  
GALUBOI  
MODEWA  
HULAMA  
HGHYGO

BOU

BAGOMANI  
HINIACDA  
MODEWA  
GONILA  
HIMALA  
HULAMA

IANIAMI

DOWADOWAMA  
DASLAWA  
SINABADA  
IANFIAMEME  
DELAMA  
KELAKELA



VILLAGE

CLAN

WALALAI

TAGOLEWA  
HIHZYOOLA  
HULAMA  
MODEWA  
GALUROI

DIVINAI

GOMILA  
MODEWA  
HEHEGO

BUBULETA

TAGOLEWA

HIMALA  
DEWAWAI  
HULAMA  
BAGUMAMI

AHIOMA

HULAMA  
HIHIBOLA  
HIMARA  
GOMILA  
DURIA  
GARUBOI  
HARUWASI  
ETUERU  
NUAWOI  
BAGUMAMI  
TAGOLEWA  
URLEAWA

WAEMA

YAWARATA  
DURIA  
HEHEGO  
GOMILA

NIGILA Village

CLAN

HULAMA  
GOMILA  
MOBEWA  
TAGOLEWA  
HIHIEAOALA  
HALUWASI  
GALUBOI  
NUWAOI  
ULIEAWA

MUTUUA Village

TAGOLEWA  
GOMILA  
BAGUMAMI  
DURIA  
HEHEGO  
KAPITOUKI  
GOILATETERUIMA

BIMAMA  
TUNOKU  
KEHOI  
SIAI  
KWALAUTO  
TAKUA  
MAGESUBU

The clans are named after birds and interest  
I now list a few.

CLAN

BIRD

HULAMA  
MOBEWA  
TAGOLEWA  
HALUWASI  
GALUBOI  
NUWAOI  
ULIEAWA

MAGESUBU  
KULOKULO  
BIMAMA  
GEWALA  
WAIWAI  
GIMO  
DAWAHI

EAGLE  
SMALL SPOTTED BIRD  
HORN BILL  
BROWN BIRD WITH LONG NECK.  
CROW  
OWL  
ALBATROSS

(b) The functional social unit is the extended family.

(c) The language in this division is t TAVARA. The main cohesive forces which link the various social groups are in order of prominence

- (1) Language
- (2) Inheritance
- (3) Land tenure
- (4) Traditional custom (marriage, death)

Groups in this area have a matrilineal line of descent.

(d) Relationships between the clans are good although in the past this was not so, cannibalism being rife along the coast until the early 1900s.

#### LEADERSHIP

D.

Obviously some people look upon the Members of the House of Assembly as leaders in the community. Similarly councillors can be said to be leaders within their own right. However the real leaders are still the old traditional leaders who know all the customs of the people.

Information on this matter was not readily forthcoming as these old traditional leaders prefer to remain in the background and leave the minor issues up to the councillors. However I did obtain a few names of traditional leaders.

PUDIDI  
NIGILA

TAMIELMA Of BUEULETA Village.  
DIMEME Of NIGILA Village.

GOPAIA                      SEKOMI    Of    NIGILA Village  
SELOMI                      SIPA       "       "       "

Finally the Missions must have a mention.  
People in this field are certainly respected  
and would be also classed as leaders.

LAND TENURE AND USE

- (a) The traditional method of inheritance of land in this area is by way of matriline.
- (b) The following list is of alienated land in the TAVARA census Division.

<u>PORTION</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>ACREAGE OR HECTARES.</u>
127	R.C.MISSION, HAGITA	5000 acres
128	WAIGANI PLANTATION	3251 acres
122	D.YOUNG, GILIGILI PLANTATION	1778 acres
83	MR. THOMAS MORELY	50 acres
156	MR. BILLY TEMBE	40 acres
161	MR. DANIEL TEMBE	30 acres
159	MR. RAY NANURI	23 acres
158	MR. BILLY PILACAPIO	33.27 hectares
65	KWATO MISSION EXTENSION	73 acres
45, 46, 47	MR. MICHAEL CADIGAN	313 acres.
135-137		
140		
48	L.M.S.	3 $\frac{1}{2}$ acres
163	K.B. MISSION (UNITED CHURCH)	184 acres
121	KWATO MISSION EXTENSION	16 acres
143, 145	CROWN LAND-PENDING TRANSFER TO N ELIJAH MOAME	79 acres
12	JAMERON TRADING	192 acres
69	D.A.S.F. BUBULETA STATION	153 acres
63	D. YOUNG	8 acres
11	D. YOUNG. HIHILA PLANTATION	105 acres
64	" " "	85 acres
62	" " "(Freshhold	160 acres
60	D.A.S.F. KILERTON ISLAND	28 acres

B. LAND TENURE AND USE (Cont)

(b)

<u>PORTION</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>ACREAGE OR HECTARE</u>
70	H. ASHTON	10 acres
181	ALOYISIUS GEROGO	10 acres

A certain portion of Giligili Plantation has already been bought for corrective Institutions, however I have not the exact figures to hand.

K.B., Kvato and L.M.S. are all now incorporated in the United Church.

As I have intimated before the people are conservative. Although they have an idea of tenure conversion, they would still prefer to keep to their own traditional system.

(c) Cash cropping has been in existence for some time, however rather than report myself, I would refer the reader to Section M. subsections (a) and (b), where figures will provide a realistic reply.

F. LITERACY

(a) The following is a list of schools teachers, grades, numbers of students boys and girls and total enrolments.

SCHOOL	STAFF	GRADE	BOYS	GIRLS	TOTAL
ALOTAU "T"	J. Reilly H/M	-	-	-	-
	G. Spe. Sewinde	VI	15	16	31
	L. Gray	V	22	18	40
	M. Baroa S/T	IV	21	19	40
	R. Imutana	III	23	21	44
	T. Nicholas	II	22	18	40
	S. Baroa	Prep	16	11	27
			<u>137</u>	<u>123</u>	<u>260</u>
ALOTAU "A"	M. Wilkinson	S/T VI	1	3	4
		VI	6	2	8
		IV	7	2	9
		III	2	5	7
		II	3	2	5
		I	5	4	9
A. Reilly		Prep	4	3	7
			<u>28</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>49</u>
BIVINAI	R. Pulung	VI	17	11	28
	N. Renagi	V	16	22	38
	M. Jugas H/M	IV	28	21	49
	P. Walo	III	16	12	28
	A. Ronulus	II	17	11	28
	G. Ronenu	I	25	14	29
			<u>119</u>	<u>91</u>	<u>210</u>
LELEHUDI		IV	6	15	40
		III	13	7	20
		I	21	19	21
			<u>40</u>	<u>41</u>	<u>81</u>
Naura	G. Urau H/M	V	7	12	19
		II	16	15	31
			<u>23</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>40</u>

P. LITERACY (Cont.)

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SCHOOL	STAFF	GRADE	BOYS	GIRLS	TOTAL
MAISE	S. Arek H/M	V	16	14	30
	Mathew	IV	7	9	16
	Mrs. George	III	16	12	28
	Mrs. Kavstead	II	15	16	31
	Mrs. R. Vai	I	10	10	20
			64	61	125

UNITED CHURCH AGENCY

MAIWARA	E. Andrew H/M	IV	10	10	20
	L. Kalotau	II	18	13	31
			28	23	51
WATUNOU	M. Dickson	I	26	12	38
LELEHOA	M. Bauega	IV	22	13	35
	A. Tania H/M	III	13	11	24
			35	24	59

CATHOLIC AGENCY

LADAVA	H. Kalava H/M	IV	24	8	32
	S. Tiwoka S/T	VI	13	15	28
	P. Tobigaweaha	V	17	13	30
	U.	II	14	23	37
	K. Sipulona	I	24	15	39
			92	74	166.





(b) I would suggest that approximately half are literate or semi-literate in the vernacular, and a quarter in English. The area has been well served by the Missions and the Government for the past 73 years.

(c) I have attempted to provide a comprehensive list of names, however some villages were either unco-operative or just did not know. The list should give an indication of Higher Education in the area.

<u>WATUNGU VILLAGE.</u>	<u>STANDARD</u>	<u>SCHOOL</u>	<u>POSITION 1973.</u>
<u>NAME</u>			
KELA GEORGE (M)	Form IV	CAMERON	Bougainville
JOYCE GEORGE (F)	" "	"	Kabaul Teachers College.
DILIEBO GEORGE (F)	" "	"	Kerevat High School.
RODESI KELOSANI (M)	" "	"	Panguna Electricity.
LULUBUENI TAULEDO (F)	" "	POPONDETTA	Goroka Teachers College.
BAGIANI TAULEDO (M)	" "	CAMERON	Lands, Lee.
LEOBENA NADIA (M)	" "	"	Panguna Motor Mech.
NIMOI KABU (M)	" "	"	D.A.B.F. POPONDETTA
BETINA NORIS (F)	" "	"	Goroka Teachers College.
NELI DAGOILA (F)	" "	"	Typist, Elcom, Moresby.
KAKO DAGOILA (M)	" "	"	P.&.T. MORESBY.
AMY KELA (F)	II II	"	Kerema Nurse Training.
<u>BUBULETA VILLAGE.</u>			
ASIA-LOUIS (M)	IV	"	Army Recruit 1972.
KAILANE KEMOA (M)	"	"	Teacher Kavieng
MAIA DEL JA (M)	"	"	Engineer Navy
WAPATAI DEDELI (M)	II	"	Moresby Teachers College.
DOLEIA MOSES (M)	II	"	Applied for Army.
IUNA BAIO (F)	IV	"	Ex-nurse married at Bubuleta.

WALALAYA VILLAGE

<u>NAME</u>	<u>STANDARD</u>	<u>SCHOOL</u>	<u>POSITION 1973.</u>
DAVIS WILLIAM (M)	Form III	LAKE TECH.	Trainee Builder
MIDI GNEST (M)	" "	WESLEY	Unemployed
JOSEPH ISAKU	IV	CAMERON	Reporter, Post Courier, Rabaul.

MUTIWA VILLAGE.

EMI ABOLA (F)	IV	CAMERON	GOBOKA TEACHERS COLLEGE.
ALALINA ABOLA (F)	"	"	SOGERI HIGH
JUDY ABOLA (M)	"	"	TEACHER AT WAGAWAG.
TOBOIFFEPE ABOLA (M)	II	"	POPONDETTA HIGH
MUERO TALI (F)	"	"	COMMERCE TRAINING, KONEDOBUI.
IBONIGU DELIWATA (F)	IV	"	WELFARE MADANG
TOGITE DOBIE (M)	"	"	SHRELL OIL CO.
IEAK IOGHWAI ITUBERA (F)	"	"	TEACHER BARIBA
WENOLDI ITUBETA (F)	III	"	TEACHER MISIMA
MATHEW PAPRI	VI	Graduated Lae Tech.	Trained in Sydney for 6 months. Surveyor in Moresby.

RABE VILLAGE.

WANI AUBUTI (M)	V	SOGERI	EX PHOTOGRAPHER C.R.A. NOW UNEMPLOYED.
DEBUEBU (F)	IV	CAMERON	EX WELFARE NOW MARRIED AT RAB.

WAZEMA VILLAGE.

JAMES LIEDI (M)	IV	RABAU	ANNOUNCER RADIO MILNE BAY
JOSEPH ABANI (M)	UNIVERSITY GRADUATE		PORT MORESBY
ALBERT LOIAI (M)	IV	IDUABARA	POPONDETTA DASH

MAIWARA VILLAGE.

NUKU DADDOW (P)	III	KWATO HIGH	EX SISTER AT RABAU, NOW MARRIED AT VILLAGE.
GAYE GAHU (P)	III	CAMERON	EX WELFARE NOW MARRIED MAIVARA

IANIANINI VILLAGE.

ELIZABETH LAWRENCE	V	SOGERI	SOGERI HIGH
IVAN AMBROSE	II	IDUABADA	IDUABADA
JOSEPH ERIC	II	CAMERON	ARAWA TECH.

(D) GERARD LAGE seems to be the only person studying in Australia. He is from Ianianini Village and is studying at New England University. His relations could not tell me what subjects he is taking.

(e) A great interest is shown in the radio, especially Radio Milne Bay. However, it has been pointed out to me that they receive very few requests from the TAVARA and seem content to listen to what is served up to them; this comes from the Station Manager. All villages have at least one radio and the area is generally well informed.

There seems to be no interest in newspapers, however it was pointed out to me in one village that comics seem to be most popular form of reading.

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(c) The United Church is based at K.B. near Alotau. They provide a limited Primary School service in the area.

The Catholic Church is based at Hagita. Services provided are a High School and Hospital, both at Hagita. A large medical centre at Ladava is controlled by the Church.

(d) There are two persons Jehovah Witnesses (man & wife) living at K.B. However it is unknown what their following is in this community.

I. NON INDIGENOUS.

(a) There are four plantations namely :-

WAIGANI  
GILIGILI  
HINIUA  
HAGITA

(b) Commercial Establishments include:-

- (1) Andrew Chan & Co. Alotau - STORE.
- (2) Richard CHEONG & Co. Alotau - STORE
- (3) Bladens Store. Alotau - STORE
- (4) Lewis Store Alotau
- (5) GILIGILI Trade Store - Giligili
- (6) Chris ABEL Trade Store. K.B.
- (7) F. Craig (private contractor)
- (8) B.Y Theatre (Pictures) G. HAINERS.
- (9) Alotau Guest House - F. CRAIG.

(c) Plantations would employ in excess of 300 persons, whilst commercial establishments would be in excess of 100.

(d) The <sup>canon</sup> N.S.L. Social Club is considering building accommodation to house visitors to Alotau.

J.

COMMUNICATIONS

(a) ROADS

A formed road in reasonable condition repair links NAURA with all villages to Alotau. This Naura road is at the time of writing being up graded. The road from BUBUBETA to WALALATA is in poor condition and needs urgent attention.

On the Savara coast feeder roads link all plantations to the main road, wharves at Alotau, RABE and GABAGABUNA and the airstrip at Gurney.

(b) SEA

Small ships wharves exist at :-

GABAGABUNA  
RABE (Council Chambers)  
KOIABULE Mission (K.B)  
DIVINAI (POOR CONDITION)  
WALALATA.

The wharf at Alotau is now not large enough to cater for all the visiting shipping and Government trawlers.

However plans are being made to enlarge the present wharf.

(c) AIR

Gurney is the only operable airstrip and is now open to Focker Friendship Standard. It is used regularly by ANBETT an MACAIR.



(d) RIVERS.

There is only one navigable river and that is at MAIWANA. I believe speed boats can navigate it up to five miles.

K.

TECHNICAL AND CLERICAL SKILLS

Please refer to patrol report no. 9 - 1972/73.  
Little has changed in the last few months.

L. BASES OF POLITICAL DEVELOPMENT.

The system of both local and national Government is understood by the majority of the people. The Milne Bay Council and the Local Government system has been in operation for nearly twenty years.

The people are strongly aware of what is going on around them, mainly through news broadcast, political education programmes been contacted and educated for the past seventy odd years.

Also they benefit from the fact that they have regular contact with two M.H.A.'s.

(a) Dr. John Guise. and (b) Mr. Dennis Young who live in this area.

On the subject of Unity between Papuans and New Guineans the village people were non committal. However I suspect that land would be jealously guarded from any aspiring person from New Guinea.

Some Government employees are much more open on this subject and in discussion with one Kerema man. I learnt that he was definite anti New Guinea and strongly for Miss Abaijaha Papuan movement. He warned that bloodshed would happen and there was no stopping eventual outcome.

M. THE ECONOMY OF THE AREA.

(a) It is disappointing that the Department of Agriculture Stock and Fisheries have not supplied figures on economic trees for some considerable time. However it is surmised that figures would have changed very little in the past few years.

Very little has occurred in the way of new plantings.

(b) and (c)

GILIGILI PLANTATION  
WAIGANI           "  
HAGITA           "  
HINILA           "

The figures for the above plantations are no longer available at Samarai and Alotau. Possibly they could be gained from the Copra Board or D.A.S.F. at Port Moresby.

Naura Village produced 2.5 tons worth \$300, which is 50% less than in 1968. Obviously the people have lost interest in this enterprise. Referring to patrol report No.7 of 1972/73 and D.R.D.O. of D.A.S.F., and working on the assumption that there are 22,000 trees in the Tavara area which yield 400 tons per year, this figure is half of what the production of 800 tons could be if approved methods were used.

Obviously the family consumption eating of coconuts would lessen this figure slightly.

(2) Vegetables are purchased from Naura by two schools, Cameron and Hagita High School, spending approximately \$150 per week. Individuals sell their product at the Alotau Market but sales figures are unknown.

(e) Apart from the township of Klotau the major source of cash earnings would be: Waigani, Giligili, Hagita and Nihila plantations.

(f) Co-operatives are functioning in the area:

	CAPITAL
Hala (Cabagebana)	\$14,737
Rabe	12,782
Ahiona	6,995
Divinai	10,813
Malalai	7,954

The sum total share capital invested in all five societies is \$52,331.

There are no Rural Progress Societies or the marketing societies in the area.

(g) The main entrepreneur in this area would be Mr. D. YOUNG, who partly owns three plantations and a projected abattoir. Another is a Mr. WASHINGTON (Total) who operates a small service station and mechanical workshop.

There are a few small plantations mainly financed by the Development Bank. The ones listed below also run cattle.

NAME	PLACE	LOAN APPROVED
Ladava P. & C.	Ladava School	\$280
Mark Pikoli	Dubuleta	360
Romulus Phillip	Divinai	410
Lebasi Mark	Naura	480
Shelden Epati	Divinai	495
Sila Dickson	Ahiona	320
Seoka Tanato	Higila	520
Billy Tembe	Ladava	1500
Kanedeu Niemi	Lavisa	1840
Peuka Tanebola	Rabe	1920
Ray Pousue	Naura	3140

Most of these loans have been paid off. With the completion of Dennis Young's abattoir and construction of overseas wharf at Klotau these enterprises should be quite successful.

(h) As reported before there are approximately 1,200 Savings Bank books held by the people of the Iavara Division.

(i) The attitude towards their Local Government and the paying of council tax is dealt with more fully near the end of this report.

(j) Very difficult to estimate what the capital income of this area is. I agree with Mr. Smalley that the majority of village people earn only what they want to earn. He has estimated in the vicinity of \$30. I cannot disagree with that as I have very little figures to work on.

#### N. POSSIBILITIES OF EXPANDING THE ECONOMY.

(a) There is a good possibility of expanding the economy at least double if the people would only work. Apart from the low price on copra over the years - (only coming good now), disillusionment with coffee, there is general apathy, lack of incentive on the part of the people to work harder than they need. I cannot see any improvement in the immediate future.

(b) If cattle projects develop and are successful this will definitely expand the economy.

(c) As there is no industry and little likelihood of plantations employing more persons than they do, I cannot see wage earnings increasing.

(d) There is little possibility of introducing new industries at the moment. Generally Papuans have not got the finance (apart from loans from the Development Bank) and non-indigenous are wary of investing any more finance. In addition some village people are complaining about alienated land, saying it was given away or purchased too cheaply. They are talking of wanting their land returned to the original owners or descendants.

No, for the next few years, I believe there will be little or no improvement in this sphere.

0. ATTITUDE TOWARDS LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

(a) The Milne Bay Council has been in existence for nearly twenty years. The attitude of the people towards the Council is fairly poor, mainly because in the past the Council has failed to complete many projects.

The paying of Council tax is by the majority resented. It has been suggested that Councils should try and obtain their tax through other indirect methods, rather than the once yearly lump sum. If this could be achieved then resentment against Councils, the inevitable court cases, fines or imprisonment would cease.

One possible way of achieving this would be by taxing commercial enterprises, trade stores co-operative stores etc. Naturally of course the products sold in these establishments would be increased in price.

I believe the day will come when people will openly refuse to pay their council taxes. I have already seen an incident of this with Kirwina Council, and feel sure there will be many more incidences of this in the years to come. It is said that prevention is better than cure, so I strongly feel that the Government should now be giving consideration to an alternative and indirect method of Council taxation.

If trouble does develop in collecting Council taxes in the future then an alternate scheme can be immediately put into operation.

Obviously if nothing is done and council taxes are not collected then alternatively the Council is finished or will have to be heavily subsidised by the Government. Neither of these alternatives is desired, particularly now with approaching Independence and the need for unity.

P. ATTITUDE TOWARDS CENTRAL GOVERNMENT.

The people are politically aware owing to their high degree of sophistication.

I sincerely believe that their attitude towards Central Government is good. Apart from this statement it is very difficult to comment further. I certainly did not hear of any complaints.

Q. ACCOMMODATION SERVICES AND FACILITIES.

Alatau provides all services and facilities that are needed. There is one good Guest House with limited accommodation.

The Cameron social club is considering building an accommodation wing to the club and if this eventuates visitors will have first class accommodation.

The town is fortunate in having an excellent picture theatre owned by a Mr. G. MASTERS. Unfortunately however he is considering returning to Australia (going finish). This may mean the closing of the theatre and a farewell to a much enjoyed entertainment.

One facility that the town is lacking is a swimming pool.

R. CONCLUSION.

Although not the correct procedure I am enclosing appendixes of villages visited listing numbers of radios, shot guns, Trade stores, Co-operative stores, bicycles, copra driers and clan names.



This is purely of interest, but may be of assistance. One can readily see that there are numerous radios and the people are well aware of the news of the day, constantly listening to radio Milne Bay.

Milne Bay people are extremely friendly and it is a pity that they cannot be motivated to increase their cash crop productions.

*R. T. Headly*

**R.T. HEADLY,  
Patrol Officer.**

APPENDIX (A).

MUTUWA.

Radios	24
Shot Guns	5
Trade Stores	1
Co-op Stores	X
Women Club	1
Bicycles	7
Cars	Nil
Trucks	6
Boats	Nil
Copra Driers	5
Development Bank Projects	2

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CLAN NAMES

Tagolewa	Binama
Gomila	Tuwoku
Bagumani	Kehoi
Duria	Siai
Hehego	Kwalauto
Lapitouli	Takua
Gollateteruina	Magesubu

APPENDIX (B)

BOU.

Radios	8
Shot Guns	2
Trade Stores	Nil
Co-op	Nil
Aid Post	1
Womens Club	1
Sopra Briers	15

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CLANS

1. Bagumani
2. Hihiaola
3. Modewa
4. Gomila
5. Himala
6. Hulana

Council project - Womens Club.

1 water well Bou (2).

~~2/2~~

APPENDIX (C)

LEL-KUDI

Trade Stores	Nil
Shot Guns	4
Aid Post	Nil
Women Club	1
Radios	3
Sewing Machines	5
Copra Driers	7

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APPENDIX B.

DIVERSAL

Radios	15
Shot Guns	2
Trade Stores	1
Aid Post	1
Co-op Store	1
Sewing Machines	7
Copra Driers	20
Cattle Projects	2

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CLAN NAMES

Gemila  
Nodewa  
Nehogo

~~28x~~

APPENDIX (E)

RESULTS.

Radios	8
Trade Stores	5
Womens Club	1
Aid Post	Nil
Sewing Machines	Nil
Shot Gun	4
Co-op Store	Nil
Copra Driers	4
New Church	(Permanent building material).
Cattle Projects	2

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CLAN NAMES

Tagolewa	Hihiaola
Himala	Bagumani
Devawai	
Hulana	

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APPENDIX (P)

WATUNGU.

Radios	9
Shot Guns	1
Trade Stores	1
Womens Club	NIL
Co-op Store	1
Sewing Machines	2
Copra Driers	4

APPENDIX (G)

HIOILA

Trade Stores	N11
Shot Guns	4
Co-op Store	1
Womens Club	N11
Copra Driers	22
Radios	23
Aid Post	N11
Sewing Machines	5
Truck	1
Bicycles	4

CLAN NAMES

Hulana	Galuboi
Gomila	Muwaoi
Modewa	Ulicawa
Tagolewa	
Hihicola	
Haluwasi	



APPENDIX (H)

MIOMA

Radios	11
Sewing Machines	3
Shot Guns	2
Trade Stores	Nil
Co-op Store	1
Womens Club	1
Cars	1
Copra Driers	14
Bicycles	6

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CLAN NAMES

Hulena	Harunasi
Hihieura	Muera
Hinara	Muawoi
Gonila	Bajunani
Duria	Tagolewa
Garuboi	Urleawa

~~30x~~

APPENDIX (I)

WAIEMA.

Radios	30
Shot Guns	4
Trade Store	1
Co-op Store	Nil
Copra Driers	25
Sewing Machines	12
Trucks	3
Aid Post	1
Womens Club	Nil
Bicycles	2
Plantations with Cattle projects	3

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CLAN NAMES

Yawarata  
Duria  
Hehego  
Gomila

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APPENDIX (J)

IANIANINI

Radios	Nil
Trade Stores	2
Sewing Machines	1
Copra Dryers	3

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CLAN NAMES

Dowadowana  
Basiawa  
Sipenda  
Dalama  
Keiakela

X274

APPENDIX (K).

GABAGABUNA & LAVIAM

Rabies	35
Trade Stores	2
Co-op Store	1
Shot Guns	8
Rifles 22	2
Aid Post	2
Cattle projects	4

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APPENDIX (L)

WALALALA

Radios	3
Sewing Machines	4
Aid Post	1
Womens Club	1
Shot Gun	1
Boat - 25ft.	1
Co-op Store	1

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CLANS NAMES

Tagolewa  
Hihiyaole  
Hulana  
Moeva  
Galanoi

APPENDIX M.

TABLE.

Rabies	10
Shot Guns	1
Sewing Machines	6
Copra Driers	15
Trade Stores	2
Co-op Society	1
Women's Club	1
Bicycles	6



DDA 67.4.15.

# PATROL REPORT

Report number: ~~73-~~ 73/74

Objects of patrol: CENSUS & UPDATING AREA STUDY

District: MILNE BAY DISTRICT

Station: ALOTAU

Patrol conducted by: A.D. McARTHUR

Subdistrict: ALOTAU

Area patrolled: ~~MARAMATANA~~ CENSUS

Designation: PATROL OFFICER

Duration of patrol: 16-28th August, 1973

Personnel accompanying: N.MARK. L.C.M.

Last D.D.A. patrol: 10-11th September, 1973

Number of days: 15 DAYS BROKEN

Last O.L.G. patrol: 12-30th June, 1973

Total population of area:

Map reference: MIL-INCH GLHUA

Council area: MARAMATANA L.G.C.

House of Assembly Electorate: ALOTAU

cts)

The District Commissioner,  
Milne Bay District,

In respect of this patrol, I attach

- Field Officers Journal Folios 5 To 9 , ( x )
- Patrol Instructions, ( x )
- The Report and my comments, ( x )
- Area study, ( )
- Updating of area study, ( x )
- Situation Reports No's 1-4 , ( ✓ )
- Patrol map, ( )

DATE: 26 / 9 1973 .

*J. P. Shaw*  
Assistant District Commissioner

The Secretary,  
Department of the Administrator,  
Division of District Administration,  
KONEDOBU, Papua New Guinea.

In respect of this patrol, I attach

- Area study, ( )
- Updating of area study, ( ✓ )
- Situation Report No's. 1— ( ✓ )
- ( )
- ( )

District Headquarters assessment of  
Patrol & Report.....

Above average  
Average  
Below average

Date: 11 / 10 / 1973.

*J. S. Bravery*  
District Commissioner





## POPULATION

Date of Census	Village	TOTALS (Excluding Absentees)				ABSENTEES (Resident outside Electorate)				Grand Total
		CHILD (Under 15 yrs)		ADULT		CHILD (Under 15 yrs)		ADULT		
		M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	
17/8/73	LAVORA	52	41	67	72	13	2	22	8	277
17/8/73	IAPOA NO.1	15	20	45	28	-	-	2	-	110
18/8/73	TOPURA	65	63	97	91	2	-	32	4	354
20/8/73	WAMAWAMANA	43	45	83	73	3	6	33	11	297
20/8/73	TAUPOTA NO.1	29	47	61	56	1	-	14	1	209
20/8/73	TAUPOTA NO.2	34	45	68	59	4	3	28	8	249
21/8/73	GARUHAI	58	48	71	63	1	-	8	2	251
21/8/73	AWAIAMA	45	43	66	64	2	1	18	4	243
22/8/73	KEIA	56	52	60	61	1	1	5	2	238
23/8/73	IAPOA NO.2	67	57	105	76	1	-	11	4	321
23/8/73	POLOTONA	37	40	42	41	2	2	3	2	169
24/8/73	HUHUNA	76	69	97	89	-	-	12	5	348
25/8/73	WAGAHUHU	38	27	69	72	-	-	4	1	211
27/8/73	BIWA	29	23	41	39	-	-	-	-	132
27/8/73	RONANA	81	70	113	103	3	1	21	5	397
28/8/73	EAST CAPE	47	45	56	48	-	-	7	1	204
11/9/73	NUAKATA	65	64	79	73	12	12	6	13	324
11/9/73	IABAMA	19	19	25	21	-	-	5	1	90
25/8/73	GUGA	113	66	116	92	1	1	6	-	395
		969	884	1361	1221	46	29	237	72	4819

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District Commissioner  
Milne Bay District  
ALOTAU

31st October, 1973.  
67-4-15

B.J. Maume  
District Officer (Projects)

ALOTAU PATROL NO.3 OF 1973/74:

I acknowledge with thanks receipt of Situation Report 1 arising out of the above patrol of MARAMATANA Census Division, together with the appropriate assessments and also the Area Study amendments, as submitted by A.D. McARTHUR.

The Situation Report has been distributed to appropriate Headquarters' Branch for information and any action required.

*W.P. Ryan*  
W.P. RYAN  
s/Secretary

ALOTAU

A.D. McARTHUR

MILNE BAY DISTRICT

ALOTAU

NORTH EAST COAST

MARAMATANA.

AREA STUDY - UPDATING.

Introduction

No change since the submission of the last Area Study.

CARSON D. CARCA

LATPA

THOMAS MING

SANDAL

POPULATION - DISTRIBUTION AND TRENDS.

The new population register is attached, the main features of which are.

Population	4819
Absentee Rate	6.06%
Natural Increase	2%

The majority of absentees can be placed in the High School student or 'visiting' category, and there has been a small but steady increase in the flow of skilled labour towards Alotau township, which continues to absorb persons in this capacity. The number of single males working in the larger centres remains fairly constant however there has been a small increase in the number of families returning to the rural sector. There was a 1.54% decrease in the absentee rate since the last revision.

The position at the Eastern end of the Division has stabilised for the moment but increasing population and shortage of arable land must eventually force migrations to more fertile subsistence areas on nearby Normanby Island.

CARSON PUNAROA

TANGA

1

THOMAS NIMO

SAKALU

1

**SOCIAL GROUPINGS**

The land grants listed hereunder are a complete coverage of alienated land in the North East Coast Census Division.

No change.

Number	Area	Organization	Remarks
873		Diocese of New Guinea	Presbytery
102			
17		Anglican Mission	
2		Diocese of New Guinea	
17		Anglican Mission	Anglican Mission
<b>LEADERSHIP</b>			
No change			
247		Marist Mission Society	
30		I. Wick	
13		Anglican Mission	Evangelical
23			Evangelical
26		F. White	Evangelical
24		M. Clark	
312		C. Mack	
80		V. Brown	
50		A. Brown	
91		Anglican Mission	
10		Anglican Mission	
21		H. Bennett	
24		F. White	
40		J. Smith	
45		J. White	
98		J. White	
7		Anglican Mission	
48		Anglican Mission	

Total Alienated Land 2012 acres.

There have been no other changes since the publication of the last Report.

ROBERT	MURRAY	1
CARSON	DUMAS	1
THOMAS	MING	1

LAND TENURE AND USE.

The land tracts listed hereunder are a complete coverage of alienated land in the North East Coast Census Division.

<u>Portion</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Owner/Lessee.</u>	
78	7	Bishop of New Guinea	Freehold
76	870	" " "	"
75	102	" " "	"
1	19	Anglican Mission	"
24	7	Bishop of New Guinea	"
86	17	J.Cadigan	"
185	2	Anglican Mission	Agric. Lease
378	5	" "	"
377	5	" "	"
360	20	Paraslos	"
23 )	547	Maramatana L.G.C.	"
45 )			
27 )			
173	30	L.Wick	"
168	10	Maramatana LGC	Spec. Purpose
127	28	" "	Rural Health
18	99	V.Guise	Agric. Lease
21	99	E.Mark	"
154	217	C.Mark	"
166	30	W.Warren	"
165	60	W.Waren	"
155	91	SDA Mission	"
184	34	Methodist Mission	"
10	10	V.Guise	"
15	21	E.Evenett	"
7	24	J.Guise	"
8	40	J.Guise	"
5	45	F.Pryke	"
12	98	F.Pryke	"
6	7	Methodist Mission	"
1	48	" "	"

Total Alienated Land 2612 acres.

There have been no other changes since the submission of the last Report.

ROBERT	MULIYANA	1
CARSON DUMAROA	IAPOR	1
THOMAS W/NO	...	1

LITERACY

There has been no change since the presentation of the last report with the exception of numbers of students attending Secondary and Primary School.

A list of North East Coast students attending Secondary Institutions is attached as appendix A and numbers of students attending primary schools are attached as appendices B to E respectively.

ADURAGA ROBERT	HUMINA	1
GAFFE DELAHOA	LADA	1
THOMAS NEW	SABUHAJ	1

**STANDARD OF LIVING**

**No charge.**

**MISSIONS.**

**No charge**

AMERICA LIBERTY

MURINA

1

JAMES BEN ROA

NEW

2

MICHAEL KISS

DEVANT

1



NON INDIGINES.

There are two (2) non indigines living in the area; these are:-

Mr. R. Barnes, Anglican priest residing at Awelama.

Mr. D. Colding, United Church, East Cape, who will be returning to New Zealand during November, 1973.

All other persons in the area consider themselves to be Papua New Guineans.

ADURASA NOB 87	AUHUNA	1
GARON JUMBOA	LAPCA	1
THOMAS STYO	WAKIRAI	1

**COMMUNICATIONS.**

No change.

Despite the efforts of various business organizations, the affairs of this Society have remained in all these years. Since previous reports the Society has not been able to produce its quarterly reports, and is out of the longer term view. This has been brought

**TECHNICAL SKILLS.**

No change.

There have been no changes in the financial position of the Society since the last report. The first two years were spent in liquidating the cash which was brought in.

**THE STAGE OF POLITICAL DEVELOPMENT AND ATTITUDE TOWARDS CENTRAL GOVERNMENT.**

No change.

The delivery of the bulk of the goods has ended to a considerable extent, as well as the fact that there has been considerable pressure by other lack of interest to wind up the organization. To remedy this, numerous recommendations regarding the liquidation of goods, reformation of assets, and the supply of all items have been made, to no avail, due to the lack of interest of the members in the Society. Recommendations have been made to C.S.S. to supply of goods as the Society accounts exceeds the liquid assets, and taking into account the possibility of sea loans.

Although well publicized attempts have been made to call a General Meeting to sort out the Society's affairs, there has been no response, and the Registry of Co-operative Societies has been called upon to convene a Special General Meeting when an officer can be appointed to enquire into the workings of the Society, and will make any decision as to the Society's future.

There has been no other change since the completion of the last report.

REYNOLD WEBB	MURINA	1
CARSON DUNN	ZAFU	1
LEWIS BING	SAVVA	1

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Maramatana Co-operative Society. Despite the efforts of District Business Development, the affairs of this Society have reached an all time low. Since November last year the Society has declined due to problems in operation, and 19 out of the 23 Member Stores are no longer operative. This has been brought about by:

- a. Some stores have ceased to operate due to financial difficulties.
- b. Other member stores, because they made a profit in the first two years, wound up their activities, and divided the cash whilst they were ahead.
- c. Others have ceased to operate through the people's mistrust of the storemen.
- d. The Wholesale Society has been operating on the basis of selling to retailers and individual consumers alike.
- e. Poor delivery to the bulk store has tended to aggravate the situation, as well as the fact that there has been considerable pressure by sheer lack of interest to wind up the organisation.

To counter this, numerous recommendations regarding transport of goods, rejuvenation of member stores, and bulk supplying to all comers have been made, to no avail due to the complete lack of interest of the members in the Society and its problems. Recommendations have been made to C.W.S. to cease supply of goods as the Society accounts exceeds the liquid assets, not taking into account the possibility of bad debts.

Although well publicised attempts have been made to call a General Meeting to sort out the Society's affairs, there has been no response, and the Registrar of Co-operative Societies has been called upon to convene a Special General Meeting when an officer can be appointed to enquire into the workings of the Society. This will enable some decision as to the Society's future.

There has been no other change since the submission of the last report.

ABURABA BOBBER

HURUNA

1

CAROLAN DUMARCA

LAPPA

1

THOMAS NINDO

OSUNDAI

1

**POSSIBILITY OF EXPANDING THE ECONOMY.**

**No change.**

There have not yet been great changes in the economy towards local government, the council with a view to the fact has rejected the idea of a new situation. Situation Report 3 of Feb. 2-1977 refers.

*Dr. J. H. H.*

ABRAHAM ROBERT	HELENA	1
JAMES DUNN	JAMES	"
NICHOLAS KING	ANNE	1



APPENDIX "A" (CONT.)  
 ) APPENDIX "A".

<u>NAME</u>	<u>VILLAGE</u>	<u>FORM</u>	<u>HIGH SCHOOL</u>
EVEFUS GIHORI	TOPURA	1st yr Arts	UPNG
GLEN NATHAN	ARVAIAMA	5th yr VET SCIENCE	UPNG
WASHINGTON SAM	TOPURA	H/SCHOOL TEACHER	DOGURA MBD.
DIXON DADUE	RONANA	H/SCHOOL TEACHER	POPONDETTA ND.
BATUTU DADUE	AMATAMA	TEACHERS COLLEGE	GOROKA.
ENI ABORA	HUHUNA	" "	"
DOROTHY OSEYBO	WAMAWAMAVA	" "	"
ABARIMA ABORA	HUHUNA	5	"
BROWN OKAIRA	HUHUNA	4	SOGERI CD.
JOLLY CIDEON	TOPURA	4	POPONDETTA ND.
CLIVE CLEMENT	"	4	DOGURA MBD.
MERVIN TAUMANOA	KEIA	4	POPONDETTA ND.
JUNE REUBEN	GARUHAI	4	ALOTAU MBD.
D'USEI ARADINZ	IAVORA	4	DOGURA MBD.
SAUNDERS SCOWIN	WAMAMANANA	4	"
BOGER PUDIA	"	4	POPONDETTA ND.
JEAN SAM	RONANA	4	"
ASPASIA ABINEGO	"	4	DOGURA MBD.
SAMULIA ILAISA	RONANA	3	PORT MORESBY.
MARGARET VELAGIA	"	3	DOGURA MBD.
WALA MESIWASA	"	3	SALAMO "
EMIA YERE	"	3	" "
JEAN AWASI	WAGAHUHU	3	ALOTAU "
MEDINA KAIA KAIA	HUHUNA	3	DOGURA "
HEROY MELLA	"	1	POPONDETTA ND.
ADRAL ROBERT	ZURRA	1	"
CASON MARGA	TAPOA	1	"
TAYLOR MEND	MANUALI	1	"

APPENDIX "A" (CONT.)

CRISTA MODELI	WAGAHUHU	2	DOGURA MBD.
SENTERO KAIA'KAIA	HUHUNA	2	SALAMO MBD.
TAUBOIGEGE ABORA	"	2	DOGURA "
DAVID TAUBABA	"	2	POPONDETTA ND.
KIWANI TILAKA	WAPOA	2	ALOTAU MBD.
DAVID PRASCUS	AWAIAMA	2	GOROKA
PENNY ARADINA	GARUHAI	2	POPONDETTA ND.
CONSTANCE OTSURO	"	2	DOGURA
EULYN SOLWIN	WAMAWAMANA	2	"
IDA NEDJLAIRE	"	2	"
ARNOLD EVENTUS	TOPURA	2	POPONDETTA ND.
ARNOLD MIKN	"	2	"
KENNETH JASPER	"	2	"
GABRIEL CHESNEY	LAVORA	1	DOGURA MBD.
ROBERTSON RUSSEL	LAVORA	1	DOGURA MBD.
CTIA AMINEGO	"	1	" "
ENA DOLLA	RONANA	1	" "
BWADELE ABENITA	"	1	POPONDETTA ND.
PURO WADAGOIA	"	1	ALOTAU MBD.
NANCY PRYKE	"	1	" "
IASECE GOGOMAU	"	1	SALAMO MBD.
TANGOGENE DADUE	"	1	ALOTAU "
SISILIA DAPIWA	WAGAHUHU	1	DOGURA "
ROBBIE DUWESI	HUHUNA	1	SALAMO "
HERND DUWESI	"	1	POPONDETTA ND.
ADURABA ROBERT	HUHUNA	1	" "
CARSON DUMAROA	LAPOA	1	" "
THOMAS NIMO	GARUHAI	1	" "

GLEND NIMO	GARUHAI	1	APPENDIX " DOGURA MBD.
SISILIA GINISI	"	1	" "
EMY GARUBUDIDI	AWAIAMA	1	" "
ESME INORI	GARUHAI	1	" "
FRANK GERIBO	"	1	" "
MAX WARREN	"	1	" "
MURIEL ORERE	"	1	" "

NO OF TEACHERS:

STANDARD	BOYS	GIRLS	TOTAL
1	18	18	36
2	19	13	32
3	18	19	37
4	19	20	39
5	14	16	30
6	19	10	29

BUILDINGS.

Two double permanent material classrooms. One single permanent material classroom. One semi-permanent material classroom.

POTENTIAL HIGH SCHOOL ENTRIES.

10 Pupils.



APPENDIX "B".

PRIMARY "T" SCHOOLS.  
NORTH EAST COAST CENSUS DIVISION.

NAME OF SCHOOL: UNITED CHURCH PRIMARY "T" SCHOOL.  
SCHOOL EAST CAPE.  
NO OF TEACHERS: PAPUAN/NEUGINEAN 6.

<u>STANDARD</u>	<u>BOYS</u>	<u>GIRLS.</u>	<u>TOTAL.</u>
1	18	18	36
2	19	13	32
3	18	19	37
4	19	20	39
5	14	16	30
6	19	10	29

BUILDINGS.

Two double permanent material classrooms. One single permanent material classroom. One semi-permanent material classroom.

POTENTIAL HIGH SCHOOL ENTRIES.

10 Pupils.

APPENDIX "C".

PRIMARY "T" SCHOOL.  
NORTH EAST COAST CENSUS DIVISION.

NAME OF SCHOOL:

NAME OF SCHOOL:

NO OF TEACHERS:

NO OF TEACHERS:

ADMINISTRATION/COUNCIL SCHOOL.

HUHUNA.

PAPUAN/NEW GUINEAN 5.

STANDARD.

1

2A

2B

BOYS

GIRLS

TOTAL.

27

12

39

16

21

37

15

19

34

110

BUILDINGS:

One double semi-permanent material  
classroom. One double bush  
material classroom.

BUILDINGS:

One permanent material  
classroom.  
Council building.

APPENDIX "D".

PRIMARY "T" SCHOOL.

NORTH EAST COAST CENSUS DIVISION.

NAME OF SCHOOL:

ANGELICAN MISSION/COUNCIL

NAME OF SCHOOL:

SCHOOL. GARUHAI.

NO OF TEACHERS:

PAPUAN/NEW GUINEAN. 5.

NO OF TEACHERS:

PAPUAN/NEW GUINEAN. 5.

STANDARD

BOYS

GIRLS

TOTAL.

1

23

14

37

3

15

11

26

4

15

18

33

5

13

14

27

6

17

18

35

BUILDINGS:

One double permanent material

158

Classroom. One double semi

BUILDINGS:

Two double Permanent material

Classrooms. 1 permanent material

Council building.

APPENDIX "E".

PRIMARY "F" SCHOOL:  
NORTH EAST COAST CENSUS DIVISION.

NAME OF SCHOOL: ANGLICAN MISSION. PRIMARY SCHOOL  
TAUPOPA.  
NO OF TEACHERS: PAPUAN/NEW GUINEAN 3.

<u>STANDARD</u>	<u>BOYS</u>	<u>GIRLS</u>	<u>TOTAL:</u>
1	25	11	36
2	18	10	28
5	12	21	33
			<u>97</u>

BUILDINGS: One double permanent material  
Classroom. One double semi  
permanent material Classroom.

DDA 67.4.11

### PATROL REPORT

Report number: 4-73/74  
 District: Milne Bay  
 Patrol conducted by: A.D. McARTHUR  
 Area patrolled: Buhutu CD  
 Duration of patrol: 12-21 Sept 73  
 Last D.D.A. patrol: 31.7.73 to 14.8.73  
 Last C.L.G. patrol:  
 Map reference: Army series T504 Fourmil

Objects of patrol: Construction of rest house  
 Station: Alotau  
 Subdistrict: Alotau  
 Designation: Patrol Officer  
 Personnel accompanying: S Morea PWD  
 N Mark LAW  
 Number of days: 10 days  
 Total population of area: 901  
 Council area: Milne Bay  
 House of Assembly Electorate:

The District Commissioner,  
 District,  
 Milne Bay

In respect of this patrol, I attach

- Field Officers Journal Folios To , ( x )
- Patrol Instructions, ( )
- The Report and my comments, ( x )
- Area study, ( )
- Updating of area study, ( )
- Situation Reports No's 1- , ( )
- Patrol map, ( )

DATE: 6/9/1973

*[Signature]*  
 Assistant District Commissioner

The Secretary,  
 Department of the Administrator,  
 Division of District Administration,  
 KONEDOBUBU, Papua New Guinea.

In respect of this patrol, I attach

- Area study, ( )
- Updating of area study, ( )
- Situation Report No's. 1- ( )
- ( )
- ( )

District Headquarters assessment of ~~Above average~~  
 Patrol & Report..... Average

~~Below average~~

Date: 28/4/1973

*[Signature]*  
 District Commissioner



The District Commissioner  
Milne Bay District  
P.O. Box 35  
ALOTAU

9th October, 1973  
67-4-11  
B.J. Mauns  
District Officer  
(Projects)

ALOTAU PATROL NO. 4 OF 1973/74

I acknowledge with thanks receipt of Patrol Report  
Jacket arising out of the above patrol of BUHUTU Cen-  
sus Division, as submitted by A.D. McARTHUR.

*W.P. Ryan*  
W.P. RYAN  
s/Secretary

DDA67.4.23.

### PATROL REPORT

Report number: <sup>5</sup> 4/73-74

District: MILNE BAY

Patrol conducted by: R.N. LOCK

Area patrolled: MARAMATANA

Duration of patrol: 5 DAYS

Last D.D.A. patrol: 28th AUGUST, 1973.

Last O.L.G. patrol: 30th JUNE, 1973.

Map reference: MILINCH GEHUA

Objects of patrol: ERECTION OF WIRELESS AERIALS

Station: ALOTAU

Subdistrict: ALOTAU

Designation: P.O.

Personnel accompanying: 1 R.F.N.G.C. MEMBER

Number of days: 5

Total population of area: 4,819

Council area: MARAMATANA

House of Assembly Electorate: ALOTAU.

The District Commissioner,  
MILNE BAY District,  
ALOTAU.

In respect of this patrol, I attach

- Field Officers Journal Folios - To 15, ( x )
- Patrol Instructions, ( )
- The Report and my comments, ( x )
- Area study, ( - )
- Updating of area study, ( - )
- Situation Reports No's 1- , ( )
- Patrol map, ( )

DATE: 21/11/73

*[Signature]*  
Assistant District Commissioner

The Secretary,  
Department of the Administrator,  
Division of District Administration,  
KONEDOBU, Papua New Guinea.

In respect of this patrol, I attach

- Area study, ( )
- Updating of area study, ( )
- Situation Report No's. 1- ( )
- ( )
- ( )

District Headquarters assessment of  
Patrol & Report.....

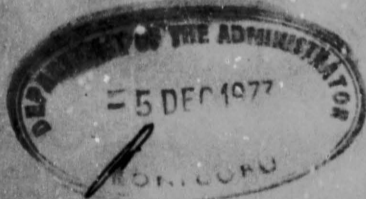
Above average

Average

Below average

*[Signature]*  
District Commissioner

Date: 21/11/73



DEPARTMENT OF THE CHIEF MINISTER & DEVELOPMENT ADMINISTRATION

P.O. Box 2396

KONEDOBU

Ref.: 67-4-23

Date: 12/12/73

The District Commissioner  
Milne Bay District  
P.O. Box 35  
ALOTAU

RE:.....ALOTAU.....PATROL NO. 5.....OF 1973/74.....  
CONDUCTED BY MR. R.W. LOCK.....  
TO.....MARAMATANA.....CENSUS DIVISION.

I acknowledge with thanks receipt of Patrol Report ~~XXXXXX~~  
and your comments.

P. BOURAGA  
a/Secretary



DDA 67.4.26

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PATROL REPORT

REPORT NUMBER: 6/73-74	OBJECTS OF PATROL: Supervision of construction of R/house
DISTRICT: Milne Bay	STATION: Alotau
PATROL CONDUCTED BY: R.N. Look	SUB-DISTRICT: Alotau
AREA PATROLLED: Buhutu	DESIGNATION: P.O.
DURATION OF PATROL: 5 dyas	PERSONNEL ACCOMPANYING: Interpreter.
FIRST D.D.A. PATROL: 14.8.'73.	NUMBER OF DAYS: 5
LAST O.I.L.G. PATROL: -	TOTAL POPULATION OF AREA: 901
MAP REFERENCE: Army Series T504 Fourmil	COUNCIL AREA: Milne Bay
	HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY ELECTORATE: Alotau.

The District Commissioner,  
Milne Bay District,  
ALOTAU.

In respect of this patrol, I attach,  
Field Officer's Journal Folios - to 17  
The report and my comments.

DATE 19/12 / 1973



Assistant District Commissioner.

*The Secretary  
Dept. Chief Minister & Development Administration  
Koror*



*Average.*

*C.S. Brannan  
o/bc*

4/1/74

DEPARTMENT OF THE CHIEF MINISTER & DEVELOPMENT ADMINISTRATION

P.O. Box 2396  
KONEDOBU  
Papua New Guinea

Ref.:  
Date: 67-4-26  
15/1/74

The District Commissioner

Milne Bay District .....  
P.O. Box 35 .....  
ALOTAU .....

RE:.....ALOTAU.....PATROL NO. 6.....OF 1973/74  
CONDUCTED BY MR.....R.N. LOCK.....  
TO.....BURUFU.....CENSUS DIVISION(S).

I acknowledge with thanks receipt of Patrol Report Jacket.

P Bourage  
P. BOURAGE  
s/Secretary

DDA 67. 4. 43

### PATROL REPORT

Station: ALOTAU  
 Subdistrict: ALOTAU  
 District: MILNE BAY  
 Report No: 7-73/74  
 Conducted by: R. N. LOCK  
 Designation: PATROL OFFICER  
 Duration: 29/4/'74 to 3/5/'74.  
 No. of Days: FIVE  
 Census Division: KARAMATANA

Population: 4,819  
 Council Area: KARAMATANA  
 House of Assembly Electorate: ALOTAU  
 Map Reference: MILINCH GERUA  
 Last Patrol: 20/11/1973  
 Objects of Patrol: ORGANISE THE CLEANING OF PUNI PUNI PLANTATION.

The District Commissioner,  
 MILNE BAY District,  
 ALOTAU.

In respect of this patrol, I attach

Field Officers Journal Folios To ,	( )
Patrol Instructions,	( )
The Report and my comments,	( )
Area study,	( )
Updating of area study	( )
Situation Reports Nos 1— ,	( )
Patrol map.	( )

DATE: / /19

Assistant District Commissioner

The Secretary,  
 Department of the Chief Minister and Development Administration,  
 KONEDOBUI, Papua New Guinea.



In respect of this patrol, I attach

Area study,	( )
Updating of area study,	( )
Situation Reports Nos 1— ,	( )
.....	( )
.....	( )
Patrol & Report.....	Below average
District Headquarters assessment of	Average
	Above average

DATE: 16/5/1974.

*R. P. Puanan*  
 District Commissioner

DEPARTMENT OF THE CHIEF MINISTER AND DEVELOPMENT ADMINISTRATION

P.O. Box 2396

KONEDOBU

Ref. : 67-4-43

Date : 27/5/74

The District Commissioner

Milne Bay District .....

P.O. Box 35 .....

ALOTAU .....

RE :...ALOTAU.....PATROL NO.....7.....OF 1973/74.....

CONDUCTED BY MR.....D.S. LOCK.....

TO :.....MABAPENA.....CENSUS DIVISION.

I acknowledge with thanks receipt of Patrol Report Jacket.

*W.P. Ryan*  
W.P. RYAN  
S/Secretary

**REPORT No. 7-73/74**

Station ALOTAU, S.D.O. Officer Compiling R.N. LOCK, P.O.

District KILNE BAY Subdistrict ALOTAU

Census Division NORTH EAST COAST L.G. Council BARANATANA

Subject: ORGANISE THE CLEANING OF PUNIPUNI PLANTATION.

Subdistrict Officer  
ALOTAU

Assessment Assistant District Commissioner

Date Received

14-5-74.

Herewith a report of the above patrol by Mr. R.N. Lock Patrol Officer, Relevant Field Officer's folios are also attached.

It is regrettable that the number of man days for cleaning of PUNIPUNI had to be finished by such a high wage however I believe the job will be completed for \$2000.

Action Taken:

Sgd. A.M. Didlik (a/A, P.O.)

Date 14-5-74

PATROL REPORT No.

Station..... ALOTAU ..... Officer Compiling..... R. N. LOCK,  
 District..... MILES BAY ..... Subdistrict..... ALOTAU,  
 Census Division..... MAKAMATANA ..... L.G. Council..... MAKAMATANA.

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Two thousand dollars has been made available for the clearing of the MAKAMATANA LOCAL GOVERNMENT COUNCIL'S Plantation, Puni Puni. For the duration of the patrol I organized, in conjunction with the Council President and Works Foreman, the hiring of labour and a supervisor. On the 2nd May, 1974, sufficient labourers were available and the clearing was commenced. Good progress was made and the inevitable minor difficulties sorted out. The Supervisor appeared competent and did his job conscientiously.

One feature which is not pleasing, though it will in no way mar the completion of clearing, is the excessive pay rate that had to be agreed to. One labourer costs \$1-75 per day. This will give 20 clear working days for 50 labourers before the money bar \$200 is exhausted.

A rolled steel joint has been reclaimed and is now being used as a drag behind the Council's tractor on the plantation. This implement can only be used in the less overgrown areas, however, it will be a boon for keeping the plantation cleared after the labour line has completed its task.

The Council is experiencing some minor difficulty with their transceiver, on my visit next week, the radio will be collected and brought to Alotau for attention.

*AM*  
 R. N. Lock,  
 Patrol Officer.