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District of Western Report No. 1 of BOZE 1967/68
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Area Patrolled Oriomo/Bituri Census Divisions (part)
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Natives 1. Member - RP & NGC
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Last Patrol to Area by—District Services June/1967
Medical/...../19.....
Map Reference Fourmil of Kiwai
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2. Council Road Duties
3. Routine Administration

Director of District Administration,
PORT MORESBY.

Forwarded, please.

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Mr.....

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Department of District Administration,

Western District,

DARU.

16th November, 1967.

The Director,
Dept. of District Administration,
KONEDOBU.

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P. Bensted
(P.A. BENSTED.) *AB*
DISTRICT COMMISSIONER.

c.c. The Officer-in-Charge,
Patrol Post,
BOZE.

67-3-4

3rd January, 1968.

District Commissioner,
Western District,
DARU.

BOZE PATROL 1 - 67/68.

Receipt of the above report is acknowledged.

2. The attention of Mr Loko is drawn to Chapter IV Part II of Departmental Standing Instructions which lays down the headings to be used in a patrol report and indicated the sort of information which is required. The Assistant District Commissioner DARU should ensure that the next report submitted by Mr Loko is comprehensive and detailed.
3. It is hoped that the Council was paid for the use of the m.v "DOROIAM" by the patrol. Also in view of inadequate shipping reported this vessel should not abandon any scheduled services to be engaged on Administration patrols. From the report it could seem that the people needed the vessel to market produce whilst it was being used to transport the patrol officer and his family.
4. I would have liked to have heard more about the motives of the Councillors who complained about "tuba" making and trading. Were they concerned about some social problems arising from this trade or merely activated by some personal affairs? Did they think that the majority of the people would like to see this long established trade vigorously suppressed, or merely controlled to prevent anti-social effects or health hazards? What were Mr Loko's impressions of the trade? What would he recommend should be done? At present action against tuba makers could probably only be taken under Excise legislation by Customs officers.
5. The remarks on roads were inadequate. What roads are under construction? What are the purposes of the roads? Existing roads are not shown on the patrol maps.

T. W. Ellis
(T.W. ELLIS)
Director.



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DC.

cc. The Officer-in-Charge,
Patrol Post,
Boze

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Patrol Post,
BOZE, Western District.
26th October, 1967.

The Assistant District Commissioner,
Sub-District Office,
DARU.

PATROL REPORT - No. 1 of BOZE 57/68

Attached please find three copies of Boze Patrol No. 1
of Boze 1967/68.

Also forwarded are claims for camping allowances and
overtime.

N. K. Lokoloko
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(N. K. Lokoloko)
Officer in-Charge.

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Harvest season in the region is drawing closer and it appears to show good signs of prosperous year.

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VILLAGES.

Villages visited are generally clean and tidy and some of them have improved quite a lot since the writer's first patrol in the area last March. This is true of MASINGARA and BARANAP villages where some new houses have been constructed.

.....
(N. K. Lokoloko)
PATROL OFFICER - BOZE.

INTRODUCTION

The patrol visited and made contact with following villages :-

BOZE	WAIDORO	WONIE
UME	GNAO	IAMEGA
KUNINI	SEBE	WIPIM
MASINGARA	KIBULI	PODARI
BARANAP	NANU	GAMAEVE
TOGO	GLABI	GIRINGAREDE
KUPERI	KURU	

The main purpose of the patrol was to inform people about the forthcoming 1968 House of Assembly General Elections and generally to bring them to understand its basic functions.

On the rivers the patrol used Council vessel, the M.V. DOROIAM. The patrol was accompanied by Patrolling Officer's family. The other half of the patrol was accompanied by two Commonwealth Savings Bank Field Officers, J.ELDER and L.KOTAP.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY POLITICAL EDUCATION

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There seems to be some interest amongst the people about the candidates who will be standing in the next elections. Some names of candidates heard so far were mentioned to people. Villagers were also encouraged to listen to Political Education programmes on Radio Daru.

ROADS

General discussions were held in which villagers were told mainly to pay their Council taxes and to begin work immediately on roads. Some Council road tools such as spades, shovels, ricks and axes were issued to villages on this patrol. Villagers were advised to cut trees and begin putting in drains leaving the bridges and other major works to be done under the supervision of the writer or other officers visiting from Daru.

Proposed visit of Mr. Cadet Patrol Officer Arnold in this area was mentioned to people and arrangements have also been made for the people around WIPIM and KURU to prepare for his visit. These people are road enthusiasts and apparently have done some road work therefore it is proposed to send Mr. Arnold up there to supervise and advise villagers on roads.

NATIVE AFFAIRS

Native Affairs brought to notice of patrol were very few and those that were worth noting are as Below.

Almost in every village visited villagers approached the patrol and complained about their transport difficulties which have resulted in non-payment of their Council taxes. They were only told to work hard like they have been and pay their taxes. The Council

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PATROL DIARY

11
SEPTEMBER 1967, 17th

Sunday.
Departed BOZE 1000 hrs per M.V. DORCIAM arrived
BARANAP 1730 hrs. Talks on H.of A. education at
Baranap and overnigheted.

18th Public Holiday.
Proceeded to TOGO and KUPERI - gave talks on H.of
A. education. Did WAIDORO and Kuperi together at
KUPERI. Quite a number of people absent. Returned
to Baranap and overnigheted.

19th Departed Baranap 0830 hrs per M.V. DORCIAM arrived
GNAO via KODORO School about midday. Gave talks on
H.of A. education at Gnao. Recaptured an escapee.
Proceeded to SEBE arrived 1730 hrs. Gave talks on
H.of A. and general discussion mainly on road works.
Overnigheted at SEBE.

20th Departed Sebe 0730 hrs for KIBULI and NANU. Talks
on H.of A. education at Nanu and at KIBULI for
GLABI and Kibuli. Also discussed plans for roads.
Councillors absent in Daru. Returned to Sebe arri-
ved 1800 hrs and overnigheted.

21st Departed Sebe 0700 hrs for Boze via villages along
PAHOTURI and BINATURI Rivers arrived 1730 hrs.

BREAK IN PATROL

27th Departed Boze 1030 hrs on foot for KURU arrived
1500 hrs. Gave talks on H.of A. education and held
discussion about roads and Mr. C.P.O. Arnold's
visit. Issued some Council road tools. Overnigheted
at Kuru.

28th Departed Kuru 0830 hrs arrived WONIE 12 noon.
Gave talks on H.of A. and held general discussions
on roads. Issued some Council road tools.

Departed Wonie 1500 hrs arrived IAMEGA 1740 hrs.
Almost whole village absent in gardens. Overnigheted
at Iamega. Told village to assemble at WIPIM next
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OCTOBER 1967,

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PATROL REPORT

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Patrol Conducted by.....R.A.I. Arnold

Area Patrolled.....PART ORIONO CENSUS DIVISION

Patrol Accompanied by Europeans.....NIL

Natives.....1 member R.P.N.C.C.

Duration—From 6/10/1967 to 15/10/1967 17/10/67 to 28/10/67

Number of Days.....22

Did Medical Assistant Accompany?.....NO

Last Patrol to Area by—District Services...../ 9 /19 67

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

Map Reference.....Journal of DABU and KIWAI

Objects of Patrol.....to construct a serviceable vehicular road from KURU

.....village to WIPIM village

Director of District Administration,
PORT MORESBY.

Forwarded, please.

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W. Beasted
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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TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA

Ref: 67-3-10

Dept. of District Administration,
KONEDOBU, Papua.

9th May, 1968.

District Commissioner,
Western District,
DARU.

PATROL NO. BOX 2 OF 1967/68

I acknowledge with thanks receipt of Memorandum
* ~~at Daru~~/Patrol Report covering patrol by... B.J. ARNOLD C.P.O....
to PART OMOMO Census Division.

COPIES of patrol instructions, patrol map and comments
from the ADC, DARU were not received with the report.

Officers below the rank of Assistant District Officer must
submit a full and formal patrol report as laid down in Standing Instructions
after each patrol. Mr. Arnold has not covered more than a part of one of
the headings listed in these Instructions.

His failure to submit a satisfactory report may be partially
due to inadequate instructions from his senior officer. Please ensure that
on his next patrol he is furnished with full instructions including a
reference to the requirements of Departmental Standing Instructions Vol 1
Chapter IV Part 11.

T.W. Ellis
(T.W. ELLIS)
Director

* Telefax as necessary.



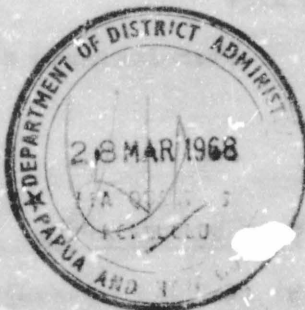
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Mr.....RAC.bd



Department of District Administration,
Western District,
DARU.

15th February, 1968

The Director,
Department of District Administration,
KONEDOBU.

BOZE PATROL 2/67-68

Please find herewith two copies of a short report submitted by Cadet Patrol Officer B.J. ARNOLD. This report covers a 22 day period spent by him in assisting with road work in the Oriomo area of the Daru Sub-District.

2. Apart from such work as Mr. ARNOLD'S patrol, the Administration is assisting this enterprise with Minor New Works (Engineering) funds on a small scale designed to act as the trigger for a Council self-help programme.

3. The report calls for no other comment, other than to note that Mr. ARNOLD has not achieved any noticeable improvement in report writing. The object of the patrol, as defined on the cover of the report has not been achieved, although Mr. ARNOLD states in the text, at page 2, that "the patrol achieved its main object". No map has been prepared, and the report itself is virtually useless.

F.A. Bensted
(F.A. Bensted) *Mc*
DISTRICT COMMISSIONER.



67-2-1

Sub-District Office,
KIUNGA,
Western District.

13th November, 1967.

The Assistant District Commissioner,
Sub-District Office,
DARU,
Western District.

BOZE PATROL REPORT NO.2 of 67/68 ROAD WORKS.

Patrol conducted by - B.J. Arnold, C.F.O.

Area patrolled - Part Orissa Census Division

Patrol accompanied by -

Europeans - NIL

Natives - 1 member B.P.N.G. C.

Duration of patrol - 6/10/67 to 15/10/67 22/10/67 to 28/10/67

Number of days - 22

Last patrol to area - 9/67

Objects of patrol - To construct a vehicular road from
Kuru village to Wipin village.


B.J. Arnold,
C.F.O.

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INTRODUCTION.

1. This patrol was initiated solely for the purpose of advising the people of the Oriomo/Bituri Local Government Council area in the construction of their road system.
2. Work was done on a village basis, with groups of villages combining to construct the sections covered by this patrol.
3. The roads constructed were the road from Kuru to Woni, with its branch to Wipin. Of the first mentioned, about 10 miles of completed road was constructed, and one culvert. Of the second more later.
4. The people were in the main co-operative, and willing workers, and nothing was done without a discussion between myself and the people. This led to a spirit of co-operation in the first village, but not so in Wipin, as there, the people refused to co-operate at all, until the Council Road Maintenance Rule was mentioned, and prosecution threatened, on advice from the O.L.C. Here, and then some work was done.
5. All in all, the patrol achieved its main object, in that the people were advised in road construction methods, and work on the road sections was at least commenced.

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DAIRY OF PATROL.

Friday Oct. 6.

- 1040 Departed Daru for Bone per speedboat.
1545 Arrived Bone, overnight rest house.

Saturday Oct. 7.

At Bone all day.

Sunday Oct. 8.

At Bone, observed.

Monday Oct. 9.

- 0910 Departed Bone for Kuru
1515 Arrived Kuru Village, people of Kuru, Wenio and Deragori
Villages present in the village to commence road work.
1600 Inspected site of road, and discussed the route with the people.

Tuesday Oct. 10.

- 0700 Began work on the road,
1200 Stop ed for lunch, work going ahead well.
1300 Work again.
1600 Work ceased for the day, inspection of the days work.

Wednesday Oct. 11.

As above, but this day installation of the only culvert on the
road carried out.

Thursday Oct. 12.

As above.

Friday Oct. 13.

As above.

Saturday Oct. 14.

- 0700 Road work through to 1200.
0945. Self and policeman departed for Oriomo, as I had received an injury
injured elbow on the previous evening.
1415 Arrived Oriomo Mission after a hell of a walk, over a track that
has not been used for several years. Overnight at the Mission.

Sunday Oct. 15.

- 1630 Departed for Daru per speedboat.
1810 Arrived Daru, had elbow treated.

Tuesday Oct. 17.

- 1030 Departed Daru for Bone per M.V. "Jade".
1330 Arrived Bone.
1400 Departed Bone for Kuru.
1859 Arrived camp abt four miles outside Kuru.

Wednesday Oct. 18. to Thursday Oct. 19.

Road work all day.

Friday Oct. 20.

- 0700 to 1200 Road work.
1545 Departed for Wenio.
1815 Arrived Wenio

Saturday Oct. 21.

At Woni, discussions on road routes and work with people.

Sunday Oct. 22.

At Woni, morning observed.

1235 Departed Woni for Lamaga.

1405 Arrived Lamaga

1515 Departed Lamaga for Wipin.

1630 Arrived Wipin.

Monday Oct. 23.

Villagers employed on airstrip maintenance, no road work done, because of impending airstrip inspection.

Tuesday Oct. 24.

As above.

Wednesday Oct. 25.

As above.

Thursday Oct. 26.

Morning on discussion with the people, who refused to have anything to do with the route suggested, saying that if the road didn't go their way, then they wouldn't work at all.

After discussions in the radio with the C.I.C. Base, and further discussions with the people, no further progress was made this day.

Friday Oct. 27.

Morning as above, and the differences were finally resolved at about 1130.

1300 At last road work can commence, and the people worked well for the afternoon.

Saturday Oct. 28.

1000 Gelf and gear to Dara per SPOLair.

END OF PATROL.

ROAD WORKS.

1. The methods of construction used on this patrol, and the types of road constructed were. The final dimensions of the road were 12-14 feet wide, and the drains ranged in depth from three to one foot, dependent on the slope being traversed, and the volume of water expected to have to be catered for.
2. Only one culvert was required in the 12 miles or so of completed road, and no bridges. The road as much as possible is following old Oil Company routes, which, while heavily overgrown, have been previously graded, and were surveyed in the past by engineers, and thus follow the best routes for all weather serviceability. In the main the roads follow the tops of the ridges, which in this area lie conveniently along the direction the road has to take.
3. Apart from a large river close to Wipin village, which may possibly be bridged at high level, this section of the road (Kuru-Wipin) will be open for most of the year, and what I saw of the route, I can see no point at which the road will close unless there is a very heavy wet season.
4. The co-operation of the people has been previously discussed, as has been the troubles encountered with the Wipin people.
5. From a long range point of view, this road system, provided that the people do not lose interest, and allow the whole thing to fall into a state of disrepair, and Administration advice is always readily available to the council and the people in the construction and maintenance of roads and bridges, should open up the whole region economically, allowing better access of Agricultural representatives and equipment, and without a doubt, the economics of the area lies in the field of agriculture. The roads also allow greater market access for the produce so obtained, and better movement of goods into the area.
6. To speed the development of the road scheme, the tractor and terracer blade is urgently need in the Wipin area to level off the roads where they have to run along the sides of hills for long distances this is quite beyond the labour resources of the villages. Apart from which the construction of this sort of thing by hand would take ages.
7. These roads are an essential to the development of the area, and I feel that every assistance should be given to the people to finish them.



TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA

PATROL REPORT

District of Western Report No. 3 of BOZE 1967/68

Patrol Conducted by N. K. Lokoloko, Patrol Officer

Area Patrolled Orimo and Bituri Census Divisions

Patrol Accompanied by Europeans Nil

Natives 2 Members of BP & NGC
3 Members of Council Tax Review Committee

Duration—From 26/11/67 to 28/1/68

Number of Days 34

Did Medical Assistant Accompany? No

Last Patrol to Area by—District Services /10/1967

Medical /8/1967

Map Reference Fourmil of Daru

Objects of Patrol 1. Census
2. Assistance to Council Tax Collection
3. House of Assembly Political Education

Director of District Administration,
PORT MORESBY.

Forwarded, please.

19/4/1968

Assented
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

67-3-23

10th May, 1968.

The District Commissioner,
Western District,
DARU.

PATROL NO. BOZE 3-67/68

I acknowledge with thanks receipt of the above report by N.K. Lokoloko, P.O. to the ORIKO and BITURI Census Divisions.

Mr. Lokoloko has written his report clearly and he shows a genuine and active interest in the welfare and development of the area.

In the Village Population Registers submitted it is noted that the figures for the two Census Divisions are scrambled. Also the names of two villages, ABAM and BOZE, are shown but do not appear in the 1968 Village Directory. The figures for the village DRAGELE have been omitted. Please ask Mr. Lokoloko to submit separate Registers for the two census divisions, showing individual totals for each and amend them to show figures for DRAGELE and explain the inclusion of BOZE and ABAM.

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If the trading in liquor is taking place in Papuan jurisdiction, a police investigation should be conducted and, if necessary, court action taken. If the business is being conducted in Queensland jurisdiction the information could be passed to the Thursday Island authorities.

(T.W. ELLIS)
Director.



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Mr.



Department of District Administration,

Western District,
DARU.

19th April, 1968

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TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA

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Dept. of District Administration,
Patrol Post,
BOZE..... W.D.

18th March, 1968.

The Assistant District Commissioner,
Sub-District Office,
DARU.

Patrol Report - No.3 of BOZE 1967/68.

Attached please find 3 copies of abovementioned patrol report conducted by myself. Also attached are claims for camping allowance and overtime spent on the House of Assembly Political education.

2. Census figures are delayed because there are no more spare clean forms left to copy the figures properly. Please on the first available mail forward 20 copies of Village Population Register forms. I have asked the skipper of the M.V. Doroiam to contact your office to collect these forms.

Pressure on other duties has delayed early submission of this report.

W. K. Lokoloko
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(W. K. Lokoloko)
Officer in-Charge.

PATROL DIARY

1967

- NOVEMBER 26 Departed Boze 1440 hrs per M.V. Jade arrived Kodoro School 1930 hrs. Off loaded education gear and slept there.
- 27 Tax collection. Departed early AM via Gnao and SEBE. Visited Nenu conducted census and political education - returned to Sebe and slept.
- 28 Census and political education at Kibuli. Enroute to Kodoro picked up 3 people from Sebe with their vegetables for sale in Daru. Slept at Kodoro.
- 29 Departed early morning for Gnao - census and political education. From Gnao direct to Togo Landing then on foot to Togo - census and political educ. Returned to Togo Landing then to Baranap - conducted census and political education and slept.
- 30 Back to Kodoro at 0740 hrs picked up Mr. R. Fawcett and headed direct for Boze arrived 1500 hrs. M.V. Jade returned to Daru with Mr. Fawcett, no copra.

BREAK IN PATROL - Hospital

- DECEMBER 20 Visited Masingara per tradewind and outboard motor for census. Met by A.D.O. Sage - returned to Boze then back to Masingara conducted census and political educ. Unable to complete census returned to Boze arriving 1845 hrs.
- 21 Resumed census at Masingara - completed then onto Dragele and Irupi. Slept at Irupi.
- 22 Conducted census and political education at Irupi for Irupi and Dragele. Returned to Masingara and slept.
23. Picked up tradewind and motor at Mawata then to Boze. Worked on census figures.

BREAK IN PATROL - Christmas Holiday

- 1968
JANUARY 2 Per tradewind and outboard motor to Kura River then on foot in 2 hrs arrived Waidoro. Conducted census and political education for Waidoro and Kuperi. Returned to Kura River and slept.
- 3 Returned to Boze. Worked on census figures and other patrol correspondence.

BREAK IN PATROL - Council Meeting

- 6 Visited Kunini per tradewind and motor - conducted census and political educ. Returned to Boze PM.
- 7 At Boze - worked on census figures.
- 8 Censused Ume and Boze at Boze village.
- 9 Picked up Council tax collector at Mawata. Preparations for overland patrol.
- 10 Awaited patrol constable and kero ex Daru - arrived at night.
- 11 Departed Boze 1010 hrs arrived Giringarede 1215 hrs. Census and political educ. and slept.

PATROL DIARY (cont'd)

1968

JANUARY

- 12 Departed Giringarede 0815 hrs arrived Gamaeve 1110 hrs
Census and political education. Council put 3 men
in court for non-payment of tax - each sentenced to
2 months imprisonment. Onto Sogalo in 3 hours and
slept.
- 13 Conducted census and political education for Sogalo
and Glabi at Sogalo. Departed 1400 hrs arrived Podari
1700 hrs and slept.
- 14 Conducted census and political talks at Podari for
Podari and Biambod. Then onto Wipim and slept there.
- 15 Conducted census and political talks at Wipim. Depart-
ed 1400 hrs arrived Wim 1640 hrs. Courts - adultery
and riotous behaviour charges. Slept.
- 16 Conducted census and political talks at Wim for Wim
and Kanel. Encountered Mr. D.D.C. Holmes and 2 sons.
Departed 1350 hrs arrived Kapal 1740 hrs. Slept at
Kapal. Mosquitoes really bad.
- 17 Conducted census and political talks at Kapal for
Kapal and Rual. Departed 1340 hrs per canoe arrived
Sanguanso 1820 hrs. Current in favour. Slept. One
court - man charged with assaulting his wife. Again
mosquitoes.
- 18 Conducted Census and political talks at Sanguanso for
Upiara, Tewara and Sanguanso. 7 tax defaulters in
court, one fined six received sentences of 2 month
each. Settled numerous complaints. Slept.
- 19 Departed Sanguanso 0910 hrs arrived Kapal 1430 hrs.
Current against. Conducted census and political talks
at Sanguanso for Mutun. Slept.
- 20 Departed Kapal 1030 hrs arrived Iamega 1710 hrs and
slept.
- 21 Conducted census and political talks at Iamega. Depart-
ed 1600 hrs arrived Wonie Road Camp via Wonie 1930 hrs.
Bituri River, Wim, Wipim and Iamega men accompanying
for road work.
- 22 84 villagers on roadwork. PM conducted census and
political education for Wonie at camp. Courts - 2
men charged 1 with both adultery and riotous behaviour
and other with riotous behaviour, each received sent-
ences of 2 months. Heard and settled 2 minor complai-
nts. Completed approx. 500 yards of actual road and
cleared over 1 mile of trees and bushes. Slept.
- 23 Road duties. Work progressing - no complaints from
people except patrol personnel running out of supply.
Slept at camp.
- 24 Villagers left on roadwork under supervision of four
councillors. Departed 0800 hrs arrived Boze via Kuru
and Ume 1750 hrs. Conducted census and political talks
at Kuru.
- 25 Visited Masingara per tradewind and motor where census
and political talks of Tati was conducted. Returned
to Boze.

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PATROL DIARY (cont'd)

1968

JANUARY

- 26 Ber tradewind and outboard motor arrived Daru and slept.
- 27 Visited Dorogori per tradewind - census and political education at Dorogori. PM to Abam census and political talks conducted. Slept.
- 28 Visited Peawa where census and political talks was conducted. Also political talks and census at Peawa for Zim. Unexpectedly met Zim people at Peawa fax. Returned to Boze via Daru arrived 1730 hrs.

END OF PATROL

INTRODUCTION

The patrol visited and made contact with all the villages in the area. It was an annual ~~XXXX~~ census patrol in which assistance to Council tax collections and the House of Assembly were carried out. The Oriomo-Bituri Local Government Council Tax Collector and Review Committee accompanied the patrol.

Several breaks in patrol were made to attend Council meeting, to offer personal assistance to family in hospital and to have a break over Christmas and New Year period.

The patrol also carried out some road duties and has spent 2 days on a camp supervising roadwork.

VILLAGES

Villages in the area are generally clean although the standard of housing is poor. Most houses are of temporary design. Building materials are plentiful but people just want to have houses built in a short time therefore construct ones which only last a year or two. Villages along the Bituri River system are situated on high grounds and have pleasant sites. Locations of most other villages have a lot to be desired.

Main supply of water for villages along and of the river is from river. Villages away from rivers use streams and wells. Water supply is not the best as far as the drinking water is concerned. However, no complaint was ever made for having or using polluted water. The Oriomo-Bituri Local Government Council's plan to build tanks and catchments at Kuperi, Gnao, Waidoro and Peawa was a wise plan to give its people better drinking water unfortunately due to Council's having lack of funds for these projects last year none of them were completed except the one at Peawa. The Council is not in a position this year of supplying these tanks as it is ~~in~~ the middle of a financial burden. It should be encouraged to supply these tanks when its financial position is improved.

Changing of village site is a common practice. During the last two years or so the following changes have occurred :-

Kanel has abandoned its site and has permanently resettled at Wim. Both names of villages are used as people are unwilling to adapt a common name. However, both villages are known as "WIM" which is also the name the villages should be called. It is most likely that in the near future the name, "Kanel" will be forgotten. However, the Kanels insist on using the name and like to be addressed as Kanels. Both villages have originally came from same tribe therefore their ~~it~~ mixing together may not be ~~not~~ a problem in future.

Tewara has abandoned its site and has resettled permanently at Sanguanso under the new name, "Sanguanso No.2". Everyone has moved to Sanguanso and has indicated no desire for returning in future.

Nine families of Togo have broken away from Togo and resettled on a site on the west bank of the Pahoturi River, the distance of which is 40 minutes by workboat from Mabadauau. This new village is called "Baranap". Water transport and garden land are their main reasons for moving away from Togo. The site of this village is recommended suitable.

Molta, an hamlet of Kibuli has completely abandoned and its inhabitants being ex-Dimiri, Morehead Subdistrict have returned to where they originally came from some years ago. Their return was caused by constant unfriendly attitudes of their neighbouring villages.

NATIVE AFFAIRS

The patrol was well received and its movements was conveyed through the Councillors a week before and as a result a majority of people were present in their villages on patrol's arrival. Carriers were recruited on voluntary basis from village to village.

Altogether 8 complaints and ~~fourteen~~ 14 courts were heard during this patrol. Complaints were mainly about marriage, adoption of children and failure to return money and other things borrowed from other people. Three married women were staying away from their husbands because they don't treat them properly and that they have other wives too. At Glabi a man complained a child which was adopted by him but has returned to its parents. After consulting ~~the~~ the parties concerned the child was then returned to its adopted parents who were told to treat the child as their own and not to let it return to its parents again. Four men borrowed money (small amounts) and goods from other people but have not returned them since. Some of these were returned during patrol's presence. Orders were given for rest of the things to be returned.

One, Jone Garude, a male person of Dorogori has requested for a transfer from Oriomo-Bituri Council to Kiwai Council. His reason for transfer was that he and his sons belonged to Kiwai Council before the Oriomo-Bituri Council started so now they wish to return. The matter was investigated so as to ascertain whether the whole of the Dorogori village was involved and the matter only involves Jone and his family but not the whole of the Dorogori village. It was felt that there may be other reasons for his transfer but none of these were mentioned. He was told that if he insist on returning to Kiwai Council he would be easily transferred by just paying his future Council tax to the Kiwai Council. The Councillors of this village was asked to bring the matter up at the next Council meeting.

A survey of shortguns and other firearms held in the Oriomo-Bituri Local Government Council Area was conducted and a register was prepared. The survey is a complete one and has covered every village. To have the newly completed register up to date and to eliminate a village from owning too many shortguns would future applications to purchase arms be recommended from this office. Incidentally, a village of Kuperi ~~and~~ which has a total population of 143 is holding 13 shortguns, a number which is too much for a village of this size. Additionally villages of Kibuli and Nanu have expressed their fears for being fired at and this made them think about putting restrictions on hunting grounds.

Two workboats from Saibai Island were encountered on the Pahoturi River buying vegetables and local articles. The crews of these vessels were told that it is illegal under section 6 of Migration Ordinance for them to visit the Territory of Papua and New Guinea and other countries without valid entry permit. In reply they stated that they have been informed by the Secretary of Local Government Council in Cape York that they need not obtain permits to enter the Western Coastal area of the Western District. According to section mentioned above their visit was still illegal and their statement did not apply.

Also some people from the Western Coastal area are selling spirits and wine to people on the islands of Thursday Island for profit. My informants are from the Western Coastal area themselves and have actually seen their friends taking and selling liquor to islanders.

Personally I am unwilling to create a barrier against our southern friends from visiting this part of the District which they have been doing for many years by trying to enforce law. But my official position has forced me to say that an action should be taken through the District Office in Daru to ~~eliminate~~ and if possible eliminate illegal visits to and from and attempt to end the reported liquor traffic. This may mean a need for an establishment of a Rural Police Post at Mabudauan or Sigabaduru.

CENSUS

Absentees at the time of census was not high, apart from workers outside the area there were a number of people absent on visiting. Census was conducted during school holiday period therefore most school children were present for census. The new census register is being compiled, the one previously in use has been utilized. Wipin village was censused separately from Potari where it has been previously censused. On the new register Wipin has been made a ~~separate~~ separate census village because it is a permanent village and is large enough to have a census of its own.

COMMERCE & INDUSTRY

Trade Stores are mostly village owned. They are most inefficiently run, stocks are very limited. The owners are not business-minded and their knowledge of running small scale business on village level is very low. The trade stores are mainly built there to supply villagers' day to day requirements. Continual inflow of stock is unusual. One can hardly notice the growth and improvements of these trade stores except the one owned by Ume and Boze people under the name of Iru Dai. After discussions with the people about the general running of this industry on village level, they have expressed their wishes for sending in representatives for short training courses. No answer was given to this approach but the people were informed that the matter will be referred to the Co-operative Officer in Daru and they will be advised of the outcome. If there are possibilities of holding these courses, it would be best done by sending a representative from the Business Advisory Section of the Department of Trade and Industry out here. This course is required.

The Dirimu Co-operative Society formed by Ume and Boze people was registered as Co-operative body January, this year. The main purpose of this society is to produce and market copra from a plantation now temporary worked by Ume and Boze people.

The plantation belongs to the Luff Estate which is the property of the Public Curator. In August, 1966 Ume and Boze people temporary tookover the work and since then they have been producing copra, a half of which went to the Public Curator and the other half went to the people. They managed to save every dollar they earned from the sale of their half of copra and up to now they have saved \$3,600 which will be used later to purchase the 13 acre plantation. A move is underway now through the Co-operative Officer in Daru to raise loan so that people can buy the plantation.

Since Ume and Boze people's takeover of the plantation no maintenance work was done to it and as a result the plantation is ~~xxx~~ overgrown. It is estimated that about 40% of the fallen nuts since were left unpicked mainly because of thick undergrowth and people's not having spent much time on the plantation. They spend 2 days a week on the plantation and from experience the working hours of these 2 days a week is not properly spent. The workline mainly to collect nuts is very unorganized. No effort was made to cut and clear undergrowth. In October 1967 it was arranged for the people to concentrate on cutting and clearing the undergrowth while woman folks follow behind picking up nuts. This plan only worked for 4 days and collapsed mainly because people could not possibly ~~spend~~ afford to spend a week working on the plantation alone. Two days a week work on plantation which they have been doing since could not possibly produce maximum output. A plantation of this size is capable of producing 50 or 60 bags of copra a month if properly managed. The management of this is to be closely watched when they finally purchase it. The total number of able-bodied men and women in Boze and Ume who are associated with the Dirimu Co-operative Society is 130.

AGRICULTURE

Generally people are well-fed with sago and garden crops. Villages along and of the Bituri are now living mainly on sago. No food shortage is reported anywhere in the area. There is always surplus of food for sale. Rice and flour are supplements.

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Rubber is spreading rapidly mainly in the inland area. Recently some rubber seeds were issued to villages on the upper Pahoturi. ~~Villagers River~~ Villagers on the Bituri River area have asked the District Agricultural Officer for rubber seeds and are now waiting for a Field Assistant from Wipim Agricultural Station to visit them and help them to mark out their land. Some blocks have already being cleared.

Generally rubber planting is going on well. People are showing a lot of interest in it. Rubber is grown communally. The District Agricultural Officer has the current figures for seeds issued to the villages.

EDUCATION

The patrol was unable to obtain information on both Administration and Mission schools because they were closed down for school holidays.

HEALTH

There are 11 aid posts, 2 of were built by the Oriomo-Bituri Local Government Council and the rest were by the Administration. Supplies and pays for the 11 aid posts and orderlies are supplied by the Administration. The orderlies are helpful and are seemed to be doing their duties well.

No case of illness was reported except a child at Upiara with a swollen testicle. An arrangement was made with the pilot of the U.F.M. cessna from Wasua and the child was flown into Daru for treatment the next day. The only other disease reported was the sipoma in the Bituri river area. A gallon of sipoma paint as requested was delivered to the people after the completion of patrol. Generally the health needs in the area are well served.

BOZE/WIPIM ROAD

The main purpose of this road is to give access to people so that they can take their fresh vegetables to market. The idea is to connect Boze, the Administrative centre of the area with Wipim. Boze also has a port. Road is definitely required in this area. It will certainly solve the existing transport problem once it is completed.

The Administration grant of \$1,100 on Minor New Works (Engineering) was allocated to Oriomo-Bituri Local Government Council to assist to construct this road. \$681 of this was used to purchase road tools and the remainder is to be paid to people (not as payments) who work on this section of road. This money shall be used when maximum work is achieved. I intend to spend the balance of the grant before the end of May this year after spending 3 or 4 weeks with the people on roadworks.

Up to now a total of 4 miles of actual road has been built and 7 miles of bushes have been cut (see patrol map). The villagers need to be supervised as there seems always disagreements amongst different groups about where the road should be built and how the labour is to be divided.

Bush between Kuru and Wonie Camp has been cleared the next and major part of the job is to put in actual roads and bridges. There are two routes to join Kuru/Wonie Camp section with Wipim. One from Wonie Camp and the other through Iamega. The first route is very much preferred as it is close to Wipim, only 3 or 4 weeks hard labour will bring the road right through to Wipim. The second route is wanted by Wipim and Iamega people because they fear that Iamega is going to miss out on benefits of road if it is to follow per first route. No decision was made as to where the road should reach Wipim from Wonie Camp because the patrol did not have time to walk through the country so as to ascertain the nearness of the two routes. I intend to visit this part of the area in next April for duration of 3 to 4 weeks on road duties.

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The patrol managed to collect 42 volunteers from the Bituri river villages. These men accompanied the patrol to a road site camp and camped out there for a week working on the road. These men were also joined by Wim, Wipim, Iamega and Wonie men. The patrol spent first 2 days with the people at the camp supervising roadworks. A work roll was prepared so that when time came to pay the volunteers the would then be used.

OROMO-BITURI LOCAL GOVERNMENT COUNCIL TAX 1967/68

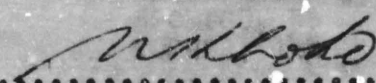
In the tax collection that was taken during this patrol (which was the third tax collections this year) almost every taxable person living in the Council area has paid up his or her tax. There are about 40 men and 6 women who have not yet paid their tax, they were absent during the visit of patrol. It is suggested that this tax shall be collected as back tax for 1968/69.

Annual tax rates of \$6 per male and \$2 per female are not too high, they can afford to pay these rates. Those who did not pay tax or some of it earlier had the money to pay full tax but they wanted to "try" the tax collector and his party first before they paid full tax. If a man came to them and told them his not having enough money to pay full tax and had only 40 cents or so to pay as part payment of his tax. The tax collector and his party without arguing or protesting against his offer accepted what he had offered them. When other saw this they came and did the same.

This Council cannot possibly exempt 15.1% of its taxable persons. This figure represents the total percentage of tax exemptions issued to the end of 1966/67. About 75% of this figure represents exemptions issued to females having three or more children. In setting future tax rates it would be wise for the Council to delete females from paying tax. The tax review committee needs to be tactful in its dealings or in other words needs to argue strongly on matters put forward by those seeking tax exemptions. Apparently they have not been doing this.

Altogether the Council prosecuted 10 tax defaulters in court during this patrol. 8 were imprisoned for a term of 2 months each and 2 were fined with fines of \$5 and \$10. The Council has taken an wise step in prosecuting its taxdefaulters. It would be also a lesson for those who do not pay their tax on time. It might also assist the Council to avoid this practice of 3 or 4 tax patrols a year.

There was evidence of tax money being collected but no tickets were issued. A brief check was made which showed that only some of the people's names who paid tax were found on the duplicate copies but the originals were not located. There was also evidence of where the tax exemption tickets were issued by one or two members of the Review Committee.


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(N. K. Lokoloko)
Patrol Officer.

APPENDIX 1

SPECIAL ARMS PERMITS AND OTHER FIREARM PERMITS HELD IN
THE ORIOMO-BITURI LOCAL GOVERNMENT COUNCIL AREA.

<u>VILLAGE</u>	<u>NAME OF HOLDER</u>	<u>MAKE & MODEL</u>	<u>SERIAL No.</u>
MUTUM	GAZI ZIMI PENEGUM PATARA	CYCLOPE, ASTRA	28815
RUAL	AMANI AIMEN DIKARA MAIK BUAGO IRUGO	CYCLOPE, ASTRA GOOEY, 840 GOOEY, 840	22383 C7934 46156
TEWARA/SANGUANSO	ABEAM MENA BAIRI KINJU KARZI NABEA KOMER DINDIM SIMBU GADE SONEAM GAINA MERE WIRIAN SONEAM	CYCLOPE, ASTRA " , " " , " " , " GERMANY, GECADO GOOEY, 840 TOPPER, 158	23430 36139 75637 25276 7935 V34562
UPIARA	GEBA WANES AKAL DURIKA KAKU SURU NUNJU TIRISIM	WINCHESTER, 27 GERMANY, GECADO STEVENS, 95 GOOEY, 840	141484 15908 834 46156
KAPAL	LOKOR BOROMO TAKAKO KAMAKESA RINDA DUBIN DIWARI DUMOB TARUA SOSOA	CYCLOPE, ASTRA " , " WINCHESTER, 37 TOPPER, 158 WINCHESTER, 37	28784 23830 135651 V34093 135543
WIM	MOROSE MOGI GEBAL GEWA PITUMURA DUBE MAINA YERIEI BOBAS MAPOA BINDA DURU	CYCLOPE, ASTRA " , " " , " " , " GOOEY, 840 TOPPER, 158	28847 28729 8453 33739 55695 32805
PODARI	BAPI BURUMER DANIEL PORAM KALEM IAKE POK MAKSC BURABURA LIELIE	TOPPER, 148 CYCLOPE, ASTRA " , " GOOEY, 840 TOPPER, 158	V29761 23237 20301 89727 32861
NANU	MONU IAGA NUAM NEVERE IAGI LOA BARSO MURRI PARIKI MAKASI	TOPPER, 158 ELBARRES WINCHESTER, 37 SPORTCO TOPPER, 158	29797 10097 135591 5252 V34491
GLABI	BER KENIAU RIGIN MAIKE BOZI GINI BARUMI BOGALE	TOPPER, 148 WINCHESTER, 37 SPORTCO, 55 " , 55	V29772 135680 4159 5429
KIBULI	KURELI BOIEM KAIWA BANGE BEAK GIDA POTA BOGET	SPORTCO, 55 WINCHESTER, 37 SPORTCO, 55 TOPPER, 148	6581 120324 5963 29773
SEBE	SAWOI BOZI NAWI LALAMO TUDI GAJUBU BLAZI ODO TANGE JABARO	SPORTCO, 55 CYCLOPE, ASTRA SPORTCO, 55 " , 55 CYCLOPE, ASTRA	6425 9175 5665 6082 8313

GNAO	AP BOIEM	SPORTCO, 55	9090	
	SERI GIADA	" , 55	1606	
	NIRO TAKAG	" , 55	6559	
	MAUK BOIEM	CYCLOPE, ASTRA	20517	
	NEMOA ADUMU	" , "	5879	
	NAGI BODOM	" , "	37255	
	ULUG BORA	" , "	41261	
	ZALI DONO	KRUPP	11078	
	BISA KAMA	SPAIN	22591	
	DABAI BAZAR	SPORTCO, 55	5889	
AIA TOM	(Under going repair)			
WIPIIM	NEWO MUNGE	SPORTCO, 55	6460	
	POKEN IORA	" , 55	5317	
	BOTUNGA JABAIN	TOPPER, 158	V34492	
	SACERE KOUSA	" , 158	V34480	
TOGO	MAGARA MASE	GERMANY, GECADO	25004	
	DABE WAKE	COOEY, 840	75571	
	DADIA LABU	SPORTCO, 55	4234	
	UDU KANI	" , 55	4592	
	SALIKA KALIM	ARGYLE	729	
	SAUGO NOGO	TOPPER, 158	V24526	
	BIRUGO NOGO	SPORTCO, 55	4235	
TJPERI	GAU GUNAI	COOEY, 840	9010	
	NIM BADE	SPORTCO, 55	1110	
	GAMOGABO SIBIERO	" , 55	5849	
	KANGI WAPU	EIBARRES	10094	
	BINAGABO WOMAI	SPORTCO, 55	4236	
	ORE BAIKAMO	" , 55	5776	
	BEN ITU	WINCHESTER	20325	
	MENARU MAUWI	"	15199	
	SEGRAMO SUB	TOPPER, 158	V34445	
	ZABAI GUASI	" , 158	34497	
	MAIRE ITU	" , 158	V29767	
	KHLE GOAZI	ARGYLE	719	
	MAGU NAWI	CYCLOPE, ASTRA	67762	
	WAIDORO	BAMAGA IMARI	STEVENS	23.7
JOHN CAIRI		COOEY, 840	C7913	
SOKA CAIRI		STEVENS	1.023	
NOKAI BANGEL		WINCHESTER	130087	
ANIBA GIDAMA		EIBARRES	22686	
MABOA ZAMI		WINCHESTER	126130	
WALI MEMAGU		JAPANESE	8616	
GAMBA MUKA		CYCLOPE, ASTRA	7063	
IRUPE/DRAGELE		DIRI TORE	SPORTCO, 55	5178
		TORRE SIWEI	GERMANY, GECADO	25013
	MARUDE GIRISA	CYCLOPE, ASTRA	3450	
	SOGOANE JAME	SPORTCO, 55	5843	
	NODERE INGETUBU	CYCLOPE, ASTRA	8481	
	TAREU GIDRA	STEVENS	39	
	ASAE DONO	EIBARRES	40708	
	MIGURI WEGE	COOEY, 840	76347	
DJEINI IGU	CYCLOPE, ASTRA	2203		
TATI	IRU WABI	EIBARRES	10059	
	BUMA WAIU	SPORTCO, 55	5322	
GAMAEVE	DUMENA DATI	WINCHESTER	136905	
	AGISA IDA	COOEY, 840	15891	
	KINJU BALISA	CYCLOPE, ASTRA	64819	
	RADIM PEMKISA	CYCLOPE, ASTRA	63783	
GIRINGAREDE	DIPU GORA	WINCHESTER	135543	
	DUGI SAKURO	EIBARRES	10082	
	PORAP SAKURO	CYCLOPE, ASTRA	35201	
	AIEDE GULI	TOPPER, 158	V30617	
	NIRA BUGIA	CYCLOPE, ASTRA	8388	

BOZE	IOSIA ASIRI PETA GIDU IDRI GIDU BANI DEGAI LEGA DAI SAMOGI IDEI INU DAI WIA KEWAMU TRAWA ASIRI LUDU PETA UMO PUGI	STANDARD TOPPER, 158 SPORTCO, 55 CHOKE BERETTA CZECHSLOVAKIA SPORTCO, 55 WINCHESTER TOPPER, 158 EIBARRES COOEY, 840	994697 32542 518 1480 2276 16229(.22 aut.) 10675(.22 aut.) 766c5 110281 27406 90080
UMU	PAPUA BALISA SIDO WIRIAM MAGAU KUSIDA GENA BUZI MURENI SUMEI	USA, TRUST " CYCLOPE, ASTRA " EIBARRES	27407 27414 23433 10633 10490
KURU	WAINAME MERE JABAIMO HEREAMO	EIBARRES COOEY, 840	27441 76576
WONIE	GWALIPUM WALIMOP GEDARE DUMBURR MIKE GURZOGO	SPORTCO, 55 COOEY, 840 ", 840	5280 15549 17938
IAMEGA	IRIO VARI GOBA KUMU DUMO KENO KUDUMA WASA SUNDA IOGEN NABEA GIWA MOSE GABALAK	STEVENS, 94F CYCLOPE, ASTRA GERMANY, GECADO TOPPER, 158 GERMANY, GECADO COOEY, 840	4 33838 15948 V33473 13750 28556
ZIM	JOHN KIAZ BISAI BEGERE GEDI GENAME DUO JAU PADIK DUMO PETER BEGERE ONANDI DOBO	WINCHESTER, 37 COOEY, 840 TOPPER, 158 CYCLOPE, ASTRA SPORTCO, 55 COOEY, 840 (Holder absent)	133665 38554 V34238 33782 4151 17889
PEAWA	TEGIO MANIGARA SIMIAN DEBE BADIA JUBO MAITOI AMANI ADAM JUBO CHARLIE IVAI GANAO DALIDO GOGENT PUGIA MALAKI BEGERE WAIKE GUR	WINCHESTER, 37 COOEY, 840 COOEY, 840 CYCLOPE, ASTRA " " " " " " STEVENS, 94F	90104 75804 176572 61677 36689 22116 26604 61550 63676 SAN10
ABAM	SAGOI KATOMI SABE DRANGE GAGURU WOLAP SEREPA NAPEL OGENARA KOTOME	GERMANY, GECADO SPORTCO, 55 CYCLOPE, ASTRA (absent) (")	15068 5320 26727
MASINGARA	SAWEAMO TORO DUSINI DARE SAWEDE GIME OGEPawe GAJAGE GIME IBATI ARUSA PUDE	SPORTCO, 55 CHAMBER SPORTCO, 55 VANGUARD " TOPPER, 158	5172 22 6317 19172 19159 V34487
KUNINI	TATIE OLEWALE GIAD E OPAI DAGI GAIU WAMU TOWA	SPORTCO, 55 COOEY, 840 SPANISH SPORTCO, 55	EA10386(.22 autom.) 90129 86882 1870

DOROGORI

MUGU MERIAN
BOZI WANI
NARA HOSKWATA
WAIDIM GEORGE
WOKI JONE
IADI GEREW

SPORTCO 55
" 55
COOEY, 40
" 40
WINCHES, 37
COOEY, 40

6266
6130
6264
18952
67913
5697

APPENDIX 2

COURTS

<u>Name</u>	<u>Village</u>	<u>Charge</u>	<u>Section</u>	<u>Verdict</u>
Kinju Balisa	Gamaeve	Failure to pay Council tax	89 of Local Gov. Ord. 1963	Gaoled for 2 months
Gairi Balisa	Gamaeve	"	"	Gaoled for 2 months
Wimolam Balisa	Gamaeve	"	"	"
Hawaia Buduru	Upiara	"	"	"
Zieba Mauduka	Upiara	"	"	"
Manua Daura	Upiara	"	"	"
Masuru Durika	Upiara	"	"	"
Maike Sania	Upiara	"	"	"
Papiak Rinag	Sarguanso	"	"	Fined \$10
Sak Sale	Peawa	"	"	Fined \$5
Sikiei Pukama	Tewara	Stealing	78(6) of NRO's	Gaoled for 2 months
Sanga Swalipium	Wonie	Riotious behav.	8(e) of P.O.O.	Gaoled for 1 month
" "	Wonie	Adultery	84(2) of NRO's	Gaoled for 1 month
Bozo Woge	Wonie	Riotious behav.	8(e) of P.O.O.	Gaoled for 2 months

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APPENDIX 3

Existing Trade Stores in the Oriomo-Bituri Local Government
Council Area

<u>Licencee</u>	<u>Village</u>	<u>How owned</u>	<u>Remark</u>
Inu Tai	Boze	Village	Now registered as Co-op. Sty. under Co-op. Ord.
Samoge Idei	Boze	Family	
Supo Iamasara	Ume	Village	
Billy Kotome	Abam	Individually	Also runs outboard motor
Gedi Zubo	Peawa	"	" " " "
Maitoi Amani	Peawa	"	x
Simion Dewe	Peawa	"	
Meriam Sibiri	Kunini	Village	
Ibazi Dege	Masingara	Village	
Biango Buia	Togo	Village	
Saibu Tuiu	Gnao	Village	
Parike Gaie	Nana Sebe	Village	
Abua Kureli	Kibuli	Village	
?	Nanu	Village	
Sabla Mabo	Clabi	Village	
Gime Geba	Sanguanso	Village	
Irio Bur	Iamega	Village	
Gadowa Pok	Podari	Village	
Johe Jiji	Giringarede	Village	
Gedare Dumbri	Womie	Individually	
Meream Jabaima	Kuru	Village	
J. Eustace	Oriomo Sawill	?	Operates mainly to serve sawill workers

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APPENDIX 4

AID POSTS

<u>Place</u>	<u>Name of A.P.O.</u>	<u>Villages they cover</u>	<u>Remark</u>
Boze	Pewamu Asiri	Ume and Kuru	
Masingara	?	Mawatta, Dragele and Irubi	A.P.O. absent on duty.
Waidoro	Saire Gale	Kuperi	
Togo	Biango Buia	Baranap	Staffed by A.P. supervisor.
Kodoro School	?	Gnao	
* Sebe	Kloa Saba	Kibuli, Nanu, Glabi and Sebe	
Podari	Gora Munge	Biambod, Wipim and Wim	
Iamega	Bama	Kapal and Rual	
* Upiara	Maipani	Sanguanso, Tewara and Upiara Mission School	A.P.O. transf. no replacement as yet.
Giringarede	Wapoli Mugi	Gamaeve and Tati	
Oriomo Agric.	? ?	Oriomo and Oriomo sawmill	

* Aid post built by Oriomo-Bituri L.G. Council



FALY RIVER (1)

GITURI R.

UPPER

• SHAGUNISO

• TEWABA (ASHIPOLAS)

• KONT

• KAPUL

• KANEI (AGAWONSI)

• MUTUM

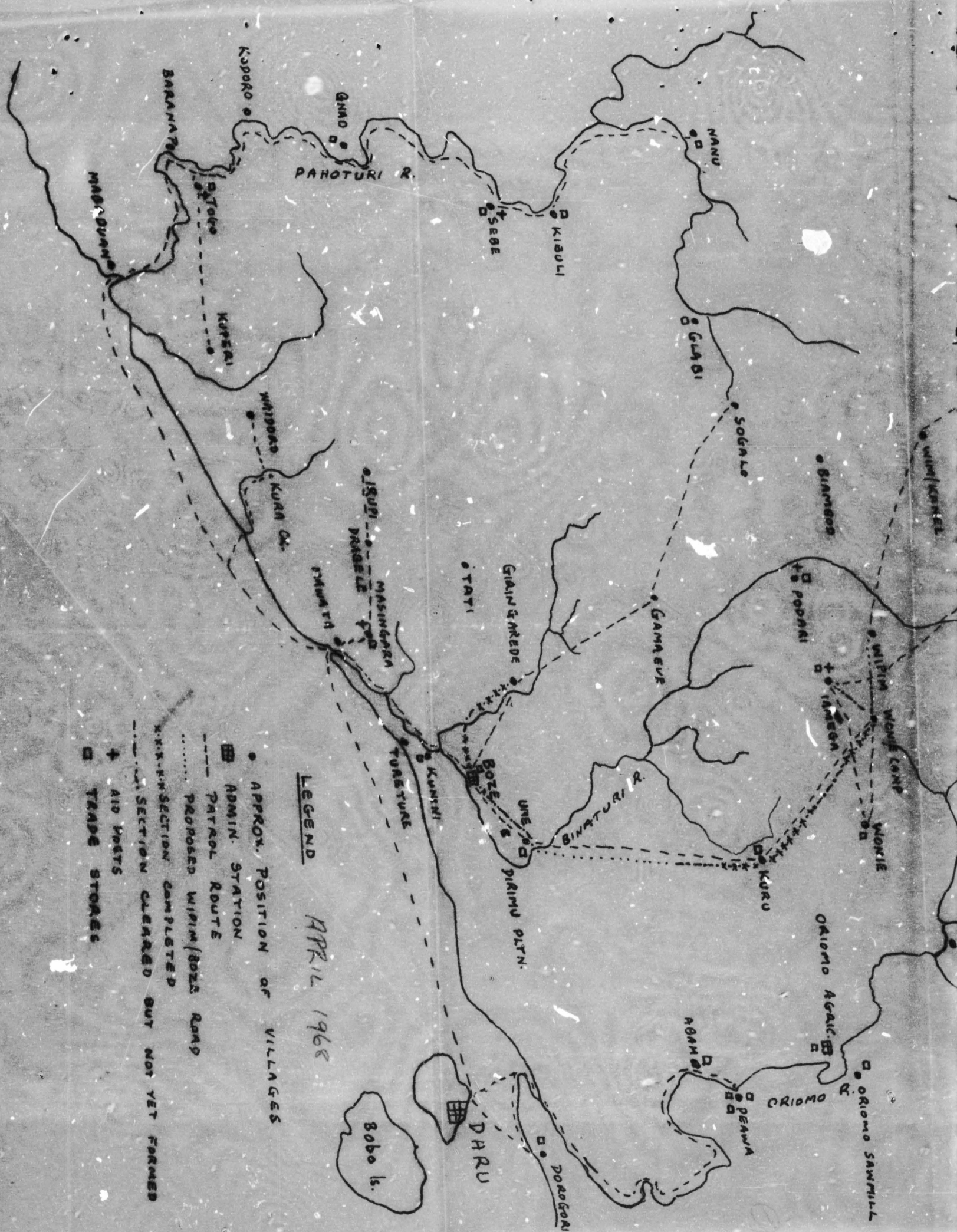
WESTERN DISTRICT

OROMO-GITURI AREA

Scale: Four Miles: One Inch.

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TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA

PATROL REPORT

District of.....Western.....Report No.....4 of 1967/68.....^{Boze}

Patrol Conducted by.....N. K. Lokoloko, Patrol Officer.....

Area Patrolled.....Oriomo-Bituri Census Divisions.....

Patrol Accompanied by Europeans.....N11.....

Natives.....2 Electoral Officers
3 " " Interpreters

Duration—From.....14.2./1968.....to.....11/3./1968.....
1 Member of RP&NGC

Number of Days.....27.....

Did Medical Assistant Accompany?.....No.....

Last Patrol to Area by—District Services...../.....1...../1968

Medical/.....1...../1968

Map Reference.....Fourmil of Kiwai.....

Objects of Patrol.....Elections for 1968 House of Assembly.....

Director of District Administration,
PORT MORESBY.

Forwarded, please.

1 / 5 / 1968

Bensted AC
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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June 13th, 1968.

The District Commissioner,
Western District,
DAHU.

PATROL REPORT - BOZE NO.4. 1967/68

Receipt of the above report and your 67-2-1 dated
3rd May, 1968 are acknowledged with thanks.

A full and formal report on every patrol by Patrol
Officers is a requirement of Standing Orders.

I fully concur with the A.D.O's remarks, and trust
he will assist Mr. Lokoloko by ensuring full reports are in
fact compiled and checked in future.

(T.W. ELLIS)
Director *h*

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TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA

Telegram: DISADM

Telephone

Our Reference: RAC.pb

If calling ask for

Mr. 67-2-1



Department of District Administration,

Western District,
DARU.

3rd May, 1968

The Director,
Department of District Administration,
KONEDOBU.

BOZE PATROL 4/67-68

Please find herewith the above report, with
comments by the Assistant District Commissioner, DARU.

F.A. Bensted
(F.A. BENSTED)
DISTRICT COMMISSIONER.

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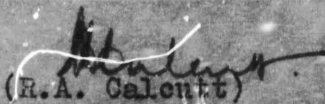
1st May, 1968

The District Commissioner,
Western District,
DARU.

BOZE PATROL 4/67-68

Please find herewith a brief report on the above patrol, which was mounted to conduct House of Assembly Elections in the ORIOMO-BITURI Census Division. Mr. N.F. LOKOLOKO, Patrol Officer, has not attempted a full report, and in view of a number of recent reports, and the fact that this was solely an election patrol, nothing more was expected.

Mr. LOKOLOKO's English still leaves a lot to be desired, and for this reason, it would possibly have been wiser to instruct him to submit a full report, as the practice he is getting in writing official correspondence is obviously not sufficient to produce improvement.


(R.A. Calcutt)

ASSISTANT DISTRICT COMMISSIONER

67-1-1

Patrol Post,
BOZE,
Western District.
22nd March, 1968.

The Assistant District Commissioner,
Subdistrict Office,
DARU.

Patrol Report No. 4 of Boze 1967/68.

Attached please find 3 copies of abovenamed report conducted by myself. Also attached are camping allowance claims for Messrs U.Gumoi and D.Kaku and myself.

2. Please prepare 2 Patrol Report jackets for my other copies of report. I have no more jackets on the station.

N. K. Lokoloko
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(N. K. Lokoloko)
Officer in-Charge.

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INTRODUCTION

The patrol was purported to conduct elections for the 1968 House of Assembly in all the villages ~~except~~ in the Oriomo-Bituri census divisions excepting the villages along and off the Oriomo and Binaturi Rivers. Elections on the Oriomo and Binaturi villages were done by the Kiwai West patrol. Owing to limited time a very little ~~time~~ attention was paid to complaints and other routine Administration matters. The patrol was accompanied by Scrutineer T.Olewale form Candidate E.N.Olewale.

PATROL DIARY

- 1968 February 14. Departed Boze per M.V.Aketa arr. Gnao late pm and slept. Villages along and of Pahoturi were informed about Election dates in their villages. Towing station dinghy with 20 HP mercury. Encountered Scrutineer Olewale at Kodoro School.
- 15 Departed Gnao 8.30 am arrived Kibuli and continued on foot to Glabi and slept. Scrutineer Olewale following.
- 16 From Glabi to Wim Camp via Biambod and Wim arrived 6.30pm and camped. T.Olewale stopped at Wim.
- 17 Saturday. Unable to reach Upiara owing to sudden rise of flood waters and heavy rain. Remained at camp and slept.
- 18 At 11 am 3 double canoes ex Upiara arrived and carried patrol to Upiara arriving 4.30 pm and slept. Heavy rain enroute.
- 19 Polled at Upiara for 4 hrs. A lot of other villagers who happened to be there voted. Proceeded to Sanguaso and held elections from 3pm to 5pm. 26 voters voted on S.130. Slept at Sanguaso.
- 20 Departed Sanguaso 8.30am arr. Kapal 2.30pm. Poll opened from 3pm to 5.30pm. Slept. S.130 envelopes ran out.
- 21 Departed 8.45 am arrived Wim 1.45pm. Poll opened from 2.30pm to 4.40pm. T. Olewale present. Slept.
- 22 Dep. Wim 9.30 arr. Wipim in 3 hrs. Rained enroute. Polled at Wipim village for 1 1/2 hrs and then moved to Wipim School. Polled for 2 1/2 hrs - Iamega people voted there. Slept at Wipim.
- 23 Contacted RO by radio from Wipim requesting for s.130 envelopes and food. Waited to collect supplies as advised. Slept.
- 24 At District Sched I was informed that supplies were carried to Kibuli by M.V.Aketa so patrol proceeded to Podari. Polled at Podari for Biambod and Podari for 2 1/2 hrs. Slept.
- 25 Sunday. Podari to Glabi in 5 hrs. Polled at Glabi for 2 hrs. Scrutineer Olewale voted there and left patrol. Patrol moved onto Kibuli and found M.V.Aketa waiting. Slept.
- 26 Am proceeded to Nanu per M.V Aketa held Elections from 9.45am to 12.12pm. Returned to Kibuli and held elections for 2 1/2 hrs. Slept.

- 27 From Kibuli to Sebe in 45 min. Conducted polling at Sebe from 9 am to 10.30am. Continued to Gnao and polled for 2 hrs thence to Kodoro School and polled there from 4.15pm to 5.30 pm. Returned to Gnao and slept.
 - 28 Departed Gnao 8.20 am for Togo via Kodoro Education. Met Togo people at Baranap so conducted poll at Baranap from 2.30 pm to 5.30pm and slept. Rained.
 - 29 Dep. Baranap for Waidoro landing where patrol proceeded on foot to Waidoro arrived at 2.15 pm. Held elections for Waidoro and Kuperi from 3.45 pm to 6.30 pm - poll adjourned. M.V. Aketa with gear to Mawata.
- March
- 1 Waidoro poll completed at 9.45 am. Proceeded to Irupi where elections was conducted from 1.30 pm to 3.30 pm. Patrol continued to Mawata and slept. Met M.V. Aketa.
 - 2 Aboard M.V. Aketa to Binaturi School thence on foot to Giringarede. M.V. Aketa left for Daru. Met Tati and Gamaeve villages at Giringarede. Held elections for Tati from 3.45 to 5.30 pm. Slept at Giringarede. Scrutineer Olewale present.
 - 3 Sunday observed at slept.
 - 4 Conducted elections for Giringarede and Gamaeve from 8 am to 11.30 am. Dep. for Boze 12.30 pm arr. 2.45 pm and slept. Scrutineer Olewale present & left patrol.
 - 5 Dep. Boze for Kuru but unfortunately forced to camp out after 2 hrs walk due to heavy rain.
 - 6 From camp to Kuru in 2 1/2 hrs. Rain continuing. Unable to hold election. Slept.
 - 7 Conducted elections from 8 am to 10.15 am. From Kuru to Wonie in 3 hrs and slept.
 - 8 Conducted Elections at Wonie from 8 am to 11 am. 12 Iamega men & women who did not vote at Wipim voted. Proceeded to Zim and slept.
 - 9 Prepared work on electoral returns and slept.
 - 10 Continued work on returns. M.V. Aketa arrived ex Daru and slept.
 - 11 Dep. for Daru 9 am and arrived at 5.15 pm. and slept.

End of Patrol

ELECTIONS

Polling in each village ended without any incident. Continuous broadcasting of electoral dates during polling period was ideal. Because of this or perhaps people's eagerness in voting the patrol found about 85% of the eligible voters in the villages at that time present for elections. In some polling villages, booths were not made however, these were done without delay in the presence of Electoral party. Men and women present in the villages at the time of polling have all voted. Some cripple, blind and aged people have also voted, others of their class did not vote because they felt that 2 or 3 min. walk to polling booth was too much walk for them. During the whole polling there was no indication of anyone refusing to vote. Many candidates especially the Regional ones were unknown to electors. First and second preferences were won by those candidates (2 or 3) whom the electors have heard of or knew. Marking of ballot papers was usually done by for those electors who were unable to begin marking by calling out candidates' names by reading out (in secret). Voting by display of photographs was not encouraged.

Almost every elector needed assistance in marking ballot papers. In general people know very little about electoral procedures, however, their ~~enthusiasm~~ willingness to vote was impressive and their assistance to patrol was worth appreciating. The patrol started polling a day late however, every effort was made to make up this time during travelling hours and as a result the patrol finished 2 days before the schedule.

The patrol was made up of writer as Presiding Officer, Mr. Kaku as Assist. Presiding Officer, Mr. U. Gumoi as Poll Clerk and 3 Councillors (Wena, Bari and Ickowor) as Poll Interpreters. Each interpreter was used in each of the 3 main language areas. At each polling booth patrol used only one interpreter. Towards the end of ~~the~~ the patrol ran out of supplies. This shortage was met by fresh supplies from Boze Station store and by more buying of fresh food.

Official scrutineers for Candidates were not seen except Scrutineer Mr. T. Olewale for Candidate Mr. E. N. Olewale who appeared at most of the polling booths. Scrutineer Olewale has done his duties within the meaning of Ordinance and has done it in a very quiet manner which unusually expected of him. The 3 interpreters had some associations with him but to best of my knowledge these associations did not in any way interfere with the elections. Scrutineer Olewale is a Councillor (Chairman) himself and the 3 of his councillors found it difficult to avoid one whom they know well as a colleague.

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