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CHIMBLI PROVINCE.

CEMBOGL

1962-63

1. 1962-63 P.A. HARDIE. MITNANDE C. DIVISION

7. 1962-63 D.H. HARDIE. NIGLKANDE C. DIVISION.

Place in
MILITARY C.O. Patrol Report
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TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA

PATROL REPORT

District of..... EASTERN HIGHLANDS Report No..... GEMBOGL 1/62-63

Patrol Conducted by..... P.A. HARDIE P.O.

Area Patrolled..... MITMANDE CENSUS DIVISION

Patrol Accompanied by Europeans..... NIL

Natives..... 1 MEMBER R.P. & N.G.C.

Duration—From..... 19/ 3 /19⁶² to..... 4 / 9 /19⁶²

Number of Days..... 20

Did Medical Assistant Accompany..... NO

Last Patrol to Area by—District Services..... / 9 /19⁶¹

Medical / 5 /19⁶¹

Map Reference.....

Objects of Patrol..... ROAD LOCATION AND SURVEY

Director of Native Affairs,
PORT MORESBY.

Forwarded, please.

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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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67-2-2

Sub-District Headquarters, (96)
Chimbu Sub-District,
XUNDIANA.

28th September, 1962.

The District Officer,
Eastern Highlands District,
SUROKA.

Subject: Gembogl Patrol 1-62/63.

Attached hereto please find the following documents relating to the above patrol conducted by Mr. F. Hardie, F.O.I.C., Gembogl.

- (i) Memorandum of Patrol.
- (ii) Diary of Patrol in duplicate.
- (iii) Report in duplicate (Gembogl memo 10-3-3(14) of 7th September, 1962).
- (iv) Kundiana memo 10-8-10(2) of 28th September, 1962 in duplicate.
- (v) Camping Allowance Claim submitted by Mr. F. Hardie, F.O.

2. Patrol was of a special nature being a survey of possible routes for a road from Gembogl to Bundi in the Haliai District.

3. For your information and further action, please.

(James W. Kent.)
Assistant District Officer.

JWK

Plan in ^{cd.} M. House Patrol
Reports File

JWK/lam.

Gembogl Patrol 1-62/63

10-8-10

Sub-District Headquarters, (2)
Chimbu Sub-District,
KUNDIAWA.

27th September, 1962.

The District Officer,
Eastern Highlands District,
GOROKA.

Subject: Road Location : Terwambune
to Iwam Pass.

Reference: Gembogl memo 10-3-4(14) of
7th September, 1962.

Subject matter arises out of Gembogl Patrol 2-62/63.

2. Construction of this road would depend upon a number of factors; the most important being:-

- (a) Is there economic justification for such a road and
- (b) In view of the difficulties of terrain and lack of population would the economic benefits, if any, outweigh the cost of construction and subsequent maintenance.

It is my opinion that the present economic development of the Upper Chimbu Administrative Area does not justify the initial expenditure and subsequent maintenance costs of such a road. It is also my opinion that providing there are no now and as yet unheard of high yielding cash crops introduced or minerals located the economic potential of the area would not warrant the construction of the road. There may be other factors involved, i.e. a road link to Madang via Wandu. However such factors would have to be considered in light of (a) and (b) above and the decision would have to be made at higher levels than a Sub-District Headquarters.

3. Should it be decided that such a road is essential for development it would be necessary for:-

- (a) An agreement to be reached between the District Commissioners, Goroka and Madang that staff and resources be employed full time once the project was commenced; and
- (b) In the Eastern Highlands District section of the road staff other than D.H.A. Field Staff be employed in the actual construction. The P.O.I.C. Gembogl is fully occupied in direct native administration. With the limited staff resources at our disposal it would be fatal to have one officer in the Administrative Area solely engaged in the supervision of the construction of a road. Especially so if there is only one officer in the Administrative Area.

4. Submitted for your information and further action, please.

James W. Kent

(James W. Kent.)
Assistant District Officer.

MEMORANDUM OF PATROL

Patrol No. GEMBOGL 1/62-63 Subdistrict CHIMBU District EASTERN HIGHLANDS

Officer Conducting Patrol MR. P.A. HARDIE P.O.

Census Division Patrolled MITNANDE

Objects of Patrol LOCATE SUITABLE ROUTE FOR ROAD
FROM UPPER CHIMBU TO IWAM PASS.

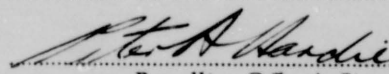
Date Patrol Commenced 19.3.62 Date Completed 4.9.62

Duration—days 20

SUMMARY OF CORRESPONDENCE ARISING FROM PATROL

10-3-4 TO A.D.O. KUNDIWA - ROAD LOCATION AND CONSTRUCTION -
TOROMAMBUNO TO IWAM PASS.

P1 TO A.D.O. KUNDIWA - CAMPING ALLOWANCE CLAIM


Patrolling Officer's Signature.

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

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District Officer.

DEPARTMENT OF NATIVE AFFAIRS.

MEMORANDUM OF PATROL

Patrol No. GEMBOGL 1/62-63 Subdistrict CHIMBU District EASTERN HIGHLANDS

Officer Conducting Patrol MR. P.A. HARDIE P.O.

Census Division Patrolled MITNANDE

Objects of Patrol LOCATE SUITABLE ROUTE FOR ROAD FROM UPPER CHIMBU TO IWAM PASS.

Date Patrol Commenced 19.3.62 Date Completed 4.9.62

Duration—days 20

SUMMARY OF CORRESPONDENCE ARISING FROM PATROL

10-3-4 TO A.D.O. KUNDIAMA - ROAD LOCATION AND CONSTRUCTION TOROMAMBINO TO IWAM PASS.

P1 TO A.D.O. KUNDIAMA - CAMPING ALLOWANCE CLAIM

P.A. Hardie Patrolling Officer's Signature.

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District Officer.



TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA

PATROL REPORT

District of EASTERN HIGHLANDS Report No. GIMBOGL 7/62-63

Patrol Conducted by P.A. HARDIE PATROL OFFICER

Area Patrolled NIGLKANDE CENSUS DIVISION

Patrol Accompanied by Europeans Mr. P. EMMERY D.A.S.F.

Natives 1 Member R.P. & N.G.C., 1 Interpreter, Medical Assistant

Duration—From 6./6./19.63 to 20./9./19.63

Number of Days NINETEEN

Did Medical Assistant Accompany Yes

Last Patrol to Area by—District Services 4/19.62

Medical 6/19.63

Map Reference

Objects of Patrol ROAD MAINTENANCE, BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION, HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY
ELECTIONS DISCUSSIONS AND INSTRUCTION

Director of Native Affairs,
PORT MORESBY.

Forwarded, please.

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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

PAH/pal

File No. 67-4-2

GEMBOGL Patrol Post,
Chimbu Sub-District,
Eastern Highlands District.

25th September, 1963.

The Assistant District Officer,
Chimbu Sub-District,
KUNDIAWA.

REPORT OF GEMBOGL PATROL 7/62-63

Please find attached three copies of Report of
GEMBOGL Patrol No. 7/62-63. Also attached are for respective all
correspondence arising from the Patrol.

Sub-District Office
KUNDIAWA
7th October 1963

P. A. Hardie

(Peter A. Hardie)
Patrol Officer-in-Charge.

District Officer
KUNDIAWA

The above mentioned report is forwarded herewith.
Correspondence arising from the patrol has
already been forwarded under respective files.

G.R. Burfoot
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G.R. Burfoot. A.D.O.

TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA

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File No. P.1

GEMBOGL Patrol Post,
Chimbu Sub-District,
Eastern Highlands District.

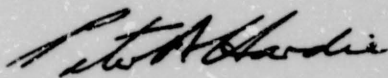
25th September, 1963.

The Assistant District Officer,
Chimbu Sub-District,
KUNDIAWA.

CAMPING ALLOWANCE CLAIM - MR. P.A. HARDIE

Please find attached Camping Allowance Claim by Mr. P.A. Hardie for the duration of Gembogl Patrol No. 7/62-63.

2. As Gembogl's funds on V.11-2-6 are exhausted, could funds please be made available to meet this claim.



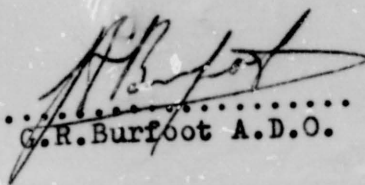
(Peter A. Hardie)
Patrol Officer-in-Charge.

Sub-District Office
KUNDIAWA

7th October 1963

District Officer
KUNDIAWA

Forwarded please.



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G.R. Burfoot A.D.O.

MEMORANDUM OF PATROL

Patrol No. **GEBOGL 7/62-63** Sub-district **CHIMBU** District **EASTERN HIGHLANDS**
Officer Conducting Patrol **P.A. HARDIE, PATROL OFFICER**
Census Division Patrolled **NIGLKADE CENSUS DIVISION**
Objects of Patrol **ROAD MAINTENANCE, BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION, HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY
ELECTION DISCUSSIONS AND INSTRUCTION.**
Date Patrol Commenced **6-6-63** Date Completed **20-9-63**
Duration—days **NINETEEN**

SUMMARY OF CORRESPONDENCE ARISING FROM PATROL

- 51-1-2 - A.D.O. KUNDIAMA - NATIVE ATTITUDES - NIGLKADE C/D**
- 10-3-2 - A.D.O. KUNDIAMA - ROADS AND BRIDGES - NIGLKADE C/D**
- P1 - A.D.O. KUNDIAMA - CAMPING ALLOWANCE CLAIM - MR. P.A. HARDIE**

P. A. Hardie
Patrolling Officer's Signature.

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District Officer.

PATROL DIARY

- 6-6-63 To Mandime.
Supervise road maintenance works in Mandime area.
Night at Mandime.
- 7-6-63 Repaired bridges and culverts in Kamanegu Area.
Returned Gembogl.
- 28-6-63 To Mandime.
Made road maintenance payments and supervised operations.
Night at Mandime.
- 29-6-63 Returned Gembogl.
- 16-7-63 To Duglpagl.
Inspected site for bridge across Chimbu River on
Giainigl branch road.
Night at Duglpagl.
- 17-7-63 Inspected road maintenance work in Kamanegu area.
Discussions with local people re Chimbu River bridge.
Night at Duglpagl.
- 18-7-63 To Kundiawa inspecting road maintenance in route.
Returned Duglpagl - night there.
- 19-7-63 Supervised pulling of log for bridge over Chimbu River.
P.M. returned Gembogl.
- 9-8-63 To Yombai.
Supervised reconstruction of bridge over Waganigl Ck.
which had been destroyed by washaway.
Night at Yombai.
- 10-8-63 Supervision of bridgeworks at Waganigl.
Night at Yombai.
- 11-8-63 To Kurumugl.
Night at Kurumugl.
- 12-8-63 A.M. Supervision of road maintenance Kamanegu area.
P.M. Supervised completion of bridge over Waganigl Ck.
Returned Gembogl.
- 10-9-63 A.M. To Mandime.
Discussions with people of Mandime concerning forthcoming
House of Assembly elections and instructions as to voting
procedure.
P.M. To Yombai.
Election talks with people of Yombai.
Night at Yombai.

- 11-9-63 A.M. More election talks at Yombai.
P.M. To Duglpagl.
Election discussions and instruction.
Night at Duglpagl.
- 12-9-63 A.M. More election talks at Duglpagl.
P.M. To Goromaugo.
Election discussions and instruction.
Night at Goromaugo.
- 13-9-63 More election talks at Yombai.
Returned Gembogl.
- 18-9-63 A.M. To Goglme.
Election discussions and instruction.
P.M. To Gungugme.
Election talks.
Night at Gungugme.
- 19-9-63 To Kanggiri.
Election discussions and instruction.
Night at Kanggiri.
- 20-9-63 Returned Gembogl.

END OF PATROL