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BOUGANVILLE DISTRICT PATROL REPORTS

1964/1965

KIETA, WAKUNAI

<u>Report No.</u>	<u>Officer Conducting Patrol</u>	<u>Area Patrolled</u>
<u>KIETA</u>		
1 - 1964/1965	R. G. Godden	Koromirax and South Nasioi Census Div.
3 - 1964/1965	R.G. Godden	North Nasioi & Eivo Census Div.
5 - 1964/1965	R.G. Godden	Eivo, North Nasioi & part Guava Census Div.
6 - 1964/1965	R.G. Godden	Guava Census Div.
7 - 1964/1965	R.G. Godden	Guava Census Div.
<u>WAKUNAI</u>		
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5 - 1964/1965	R.E. Dargie	Aita Census Div.
7 - 1964/1965	R.E. Dargie	Rotokas and Aita Census Div.



TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA

PATROL REPORT

District of.....BOUGAINVILLE..... Report No.....KIETA NO. 1-64/65.....

Patrol Conducted by.....ROBERT G.GODDEN, CADET PATROL OFFICER.....

Area Patrolled.....KOROMIRAX AND SOUTH NASIOI CENSUS DIVISION.....

Patrol Accompanied by Europeans.....R.W.FLOWERS, CADET PATROL OFFICER.....

Natives.....3 MEMBERS OF THE R.P.& N.G.C.....

Duration—From.....25/6/1964.....to.....3/7/1964..... and 7/7/64 to 27/7/64.....

Number of Days.....28.....

Did Medical Assistant Accompany?.....NO.....

Last Patrol to Area by—District Services...../3/1964.....

Medical/5/1964.....

Map Reference.....BOUGAINVILLE FOURMIL.....

Objects of Patrol.....CENSUS REVISION. ROUTINE ADMINISTRATION.....

DIRECTOR OF DISTRICT SERVICES
AND NATIVE AFFAIRS,
PORT MORESBY.

Forwarded, please.

30 / 11 / 1964

District Commissioner

Amount Paid for War Damage Compensation £.....

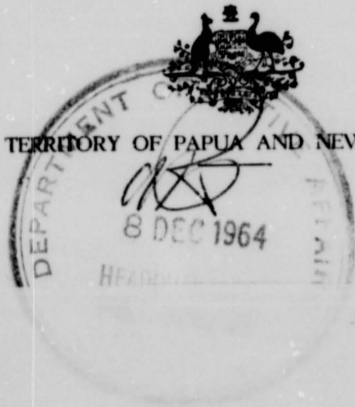
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Our Reference.....

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Bougainville District.

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The Director,
Department of District Administration,
KORORUA, PAPUA.

67-11-23

December 30th, 1964.

The District Commissioner,
Bougainville District,
SOHANO.

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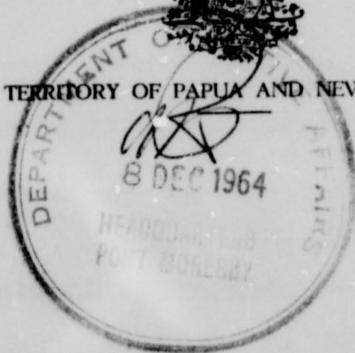
Receipt of the abovementioned Report is acknowledged with thanks. The delay in the forwarding of this report is deplorable. Kindly ascertain the officer responsible for the delay and seek an explanation.

Patrol
The Report itself is well presented and from the record, appears to have made a most desirable impact on the people. When the Council becomes fully operative, we will be able to observe what real impact our contemporary institutions are making on the people.

Please let me know how the people are progressing on receipt of this memo.

(J. K. McCarthy)
DIRECTOR

TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA



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30th. November, 1964.

The Director,
Department of District Administration,
KONEDOBU. PAPUA.

KIETA PATROL REPORT NO. 1/1964-1965.

Attached hereto please find Original of a report on the above Patrol as submitted by Mr. R. G. GODDEN, Cadet Patrol Officer. Mr. GODDEN had fourteen (14) days between the completion of this Patrol and the commencement of the next and I can see no reason why the Report should not have been submitted months ago. I shall draw this to the attention of the Assistant District Commissioner.

The Cargo Cult type activity mentioned by Mr. GODDEN was reported by the Assistant District Commissioner, KIETA, in June, 1964 and in his Memorandum of the 24th. November, 1964 (attached), Mr. DENEHY reports the situation as satisfactory.

The Report is too far out of date to be of much use and for a twenty eight (28) day Patrol is far too short. This will be brought to the attention of the Officers concerned.

For your information please.

(P. J. MOLLISON).
DISTRICT COMMISSIONER.

(A)

Sub-District Office,
KIETA.

14th November, 1964.

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The Assistant District Commissioner,
KIETA.

PATROL REPORT KIE 1/64-65

STATION: Kieta.

SUB-DISTRICT: Kieta.

DISTRICT: Bougainville

PATROL NUMBER: 1

PATROL CONDUCTED BY: R.G.Godden, Cadet Patrol Officer

AREA PATROLLED: Koromira and South Nasioi
Census Divisions.

PERSONNEL ACCOMPANYING: R.W.Flowers, Cadet Patrol Officer
3 members R.P.&N.G.C.

DURATION OF PATROL: 25th June, '64 to 3rd July, '64
7th July, '64 to 27th July, '64.

NUMBER OF DAYS: 28

LAST PATROL TO THE AREA: D.D.A. March, 1964.
D.A.S.F. December, 1963.
P.H.D. May, 1964.

OBJECTS OF THE PATROL: Census Revision. Routine
Administration

MAP REFERENCE: Bougainville Fourmil.

INTRODUCTION.

The Koromira Census division is in the southern-most portion of the Kieta Sub-District. The division borders with the Buin Sub-District on the Luluai river to the south. The majority of the villages are situated in the lower foothills of the Crown Prince Range, while only two are on the coast. Most of the villages have small hamlets on the coast and they live in these when they go to the coast to look after their cash crops. The area is wholly Roman Catholic with Seventh Day Adventist and Methodists in the minority.

The South Nasioi census division lies to the east of the Crown Prince Range, bounded to the north by the Kieta Peninsula and the Koromira Census Division to the south. All but two, the villages are sited on the Range's ridges which run perpendicular down to the sea

Two villages, Kobeinan and Osirei, are situated on the coast.

The South Nasioi division would have the best network of roads in the Sub-District. Many of the villages have excess to the Kieta-Iwi coastal roads by a network of feeder roads. This area has a big potential in cash cropping and with the roads they are able to bring their produce down to the coast.

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DIARY.

- Wed 24th June; Departed Kieta 9.15am with A.D.O. Denehy to Toimonapu plantation and due to heavy rain unable to proceed to Taki. Spent the night.
- Thur 25th " Departed Toimonapu 7.00am and arrived Taki 8.15am. People lined and census taken. Talk by Mr. Denehy. Village inspected and departed at 12.00pm. Arrived Amapo 1.5pm. Lunch. Census taken and village inspected. Slept the night Amapo.
- Fri 26th " 7.00am departed Amapo and proceeded to Siorovi. Census taken and departed Siorovi 11.15am. Arrived Minani 1.5pm after inspecting and taking the census of Pondona. 2.30pm village inspected and census taken. Slept the night Minani.
- Sat. 27th " Departed Minani 7.30am and arrived Munias 9.30am. Census revised.
- Sun 28th " Observed at Munias.
- Mon 29th " Departed 7.5am and proceeded to Romeina taking census at Mangona enroute. Romeina, Sipurei and Peiwana all lined at Romeina and census taken. Slept the night.
- Tues. " Departed Romeina 7.45am and travelled to Ioro inspecting hamlets of Romeina and Sipurei and Peiwana villages on the way. 10.30am Ioro lined and census taken. Afternoon inspected village and general discussion. Slept the night Ioro
- Wed. 1st July Departed Ioro 7.30am and travelled to Koromira Mission. Thence by tractor to Kamarovi arriving at 10.00am. 1.00pm walked to Sirowai, village lined and census taken. Inspected village and returned Kamarovi 4.45pm Slept Kamarovi.
- Thurs 2nd " 8.00am Kamarovi lined and census taken. Inspected village. 1.30pm inspected hamlets of Munias and Kamarovi. Spent the night Kamarovi.
- Fri 3rd " Departed Kamarovi 11.00am by tractor and travelled to Iwi plantation. Departed Iwi 3.00pm by truck and arrived Kieta 5.00pm.
- Tues 7th " Departed Kieta 9.30am by truck and travelled to Pirineiu arriving 1.00pm. 2.00pm village lined and census taken. Heavy rain. Slept Pirineiu.

- Wed 8th July 8.00am - 11.30am Heavy rain.
11.30am inspected Pirineiu village. 12.30pm walked to Nabuia lined the village and took the census. Returned Pirineiu 3.45pm. Slept the night.
- Thur 9th " Departed Pirineiu 9.00am and travelled to Aropa plantation by truck. Thence walked to Wida arriving 2.30pm. Spent the night.
- Fri 10th " 8.00am Wida lined and census taken. Village inspected. 11.00am departed and travelled to Aurui arriving at 1.30pm. Village lined and census taken. Slept at Aurui.
- Sat 11th " 7.00am - 10.30am inspected Aurui and line. 10.30am travelled to Nasioi arriving at 12.00pm. Morangasina and Nasioi lined and census taken Slept Nasioi.
- Sun 12th " Sunday: Observed.
- Mon 13th " 7.30am - 9.00am rain. 9.00am departed for inspection to Morangasina village and hamlets, also Nasioi village and hamlets. Returned 1.15pm. 2.30pm inspected Aid Post. Slept the night Nasioi.
- Tues 14th " Departed Nasioi 7.45am and travelled to Darutui inspecting Unabato enroute. 10.30am Unabato lined at Darutui and census taken. 1.00pm Moinam lined and census taken. 2.00pm Darutui lined and census taken. Slept the night at Darutui.
- Wed 15th " 8.00am Kokadei lined and census revised. 9.30am - 12.00pm Paper work. 1.00pm inspected Moinam, Darutui and hamlets returning at 4.30pm. Slept the night at Darutui.
- Thurs 16th " Departed Darutui 7.30am and travelled to Bakatung arriving 9.00am. Inspected Kokadei enroute. Bakatung lined and census taken. Departed at 10.30am and arrived at Rumba 11.00am 1.00pm Rumba, Simbona and Sirambana lined and census taken. Slept Rumba.
- Fri 17th " 8.00am inspected Rumba and outlying hamlets. Returned 11.45am. 1.00pm accompanied two natives Taruori and Ipinu to look over a piece of ground known as Paraienu. Returned 4.45pm. Slept the night.
- Jat 18th " 8.00am walked to Sirambana. Inspected village and hamlets Returned 11.00am. 1.00pm - 3.00pm inspected Siromba.
- Sun 19th " Sunday. Observed at Rumba.
- Mon 20th " Departed 7.15am and proceeded to Makeiniko. Village lined and census taken. Village inspected and departed 11.00am. 11.30am Taula - Pelia lined, census taken and village inspected. Departed 12.00pm and arrived Bonamung 12.30pm. 1.30pm village lined and census taken. 2.30pm inspected village and hamlets. Slept the night Bonamung.

General. On the 15th July the Administrator proclaimed the Kiva Local Government Council. All persons villages and the South Kastoi villages of Krasai, Morangasina, Kotsinon, Darutui (No. 1 line) and Rural are inside the council area. With all the Krasai villages inside the council, this would put down on the large activities and set their hands towards cash cropping which had been falling heavy in this area.

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- Tues 21st "July Departed Bonerung 7.20am and travelled to Tavidua inspecting hamlets, Aid post enroute arriving at 8.30am. Rain 8.30am - 10.00am. 10.00am village lined and census taken. 11.20am inspected village. 1.00pm walked to Karimans arriving 2.00pm. Village lined and census revised. 3.00pm inspected village and two hamlets. Arrived back at Tavidua 5.15pm. Slept the night Tavidua.
- Wed 22nd " Departed Tavidua 7.45am and travelled by truck to Kieta.
- Thur 23rd " Travelled to Kobeinan by landrover for census revision. Returned Kieta.
- Fri 24th " Travelled to Osirei for census revision. Returned Kieta.
- Mon 27th " 8.30am travelled by landrover to Kuräifor census revision. Returned Kieta 12.30pm.

End of Patrol.

RECEPTION OF PATROL. The patrol was always greeted on friendly terms and no incidents occurred.

VILLAGES. All villages, with the exception of Nabuia, were of reasonable standard. Nabuia was found to be unclean and badly sanätated. Instructions were given for the place to be cleaned up before the next patrol.

VILLAGE OFFICIALS. All village officials were most helpful. The Tuitul of Romeina, Tawa, asked if he could resign but agreed to stay on until the council is opened.

OUTLINE OF POLITICAL SITUATION. Over the past years the Koromira division has proved one of the most difficult to accept government Administration. Cargo cult activities have frequently flared up in this area and proved a throwback to government personnel. Prior to the patrol setting out, a malcontent MENA, of Pondona, was jailed for trying to bring a system based on the Mahalis Welfare Society, into the area.

The patrol endeavour to try and straighten the matter out. Talks were given on how this society could effect the economic and social standings of the division. Each village listened attentively and I think that there will be a change of views.

The South Nasioi is an area where most villages voted anti Native Local Government Council. On pursuing the point of the Council, many villagers seemed to be of the opinion that they voted for the Council in the House of Assembly elections. It was explained to them that this was not the case, but I think that until the Council comes into effect, they will remain of the same mind.

General. On the 14th July the Administrator proclaimed the Kieta Local Government Council. All Koromira villages and the South Nasioi villages of Kokadei, Morangasina, Kobeinan, Daratui (No.1 line) and Kurai are inside the council area. With all the Koromira villages inside the council, this should cut down on the cargo activities and set their minds towards cash cropping which has been falling away in this area.

undoubtedly ^{edly} ~~with~~ watch the outcome of the council and if it turns out good, then they will come inside.

AGRICULTURE. The area patrolled is still subject to subsistence gardening for foodstuffs. Such crops as kaukau, yams, taro, fruit etc are the favourites.

The Koromira division is well planted in cash crops (coconuts and cocoa). However there is a ~~marked~~ lack of interest being shown by the younger men as to cash crops. This is a pity because many acres have been planted by the old men and in years to come this work will be wasted if the young men refuse to be interested.

The South Nasioi has the biggest potential in the Kieta Sub-District. A lot of planting has been done in this region which in a few years hence will bring a big economy. Experiments are being carried out ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~ with rubber at the back of Aropa plantation. Rubber is already grown on Aropa Plantation, so the experiment should be a success.

COMPLAINTS. A few minor complaints were heard by the patrol and these were arbitrated successfully. None were referred to Kieta for court action.

ROADS AND BRIDGES. All roads and bridges were found to be in satisfactory order. However the main coastal road from Kekere plantation to Tolmonapu plantation is rather unroadworthy. If this stretch of road has too much rain the villagers from Taki, Amapo and Siorovi are unable to bring there produce to the Darumai Society.

The South Nasioi is particularly fortunate in that it has feeder roads to Pirineiu, Kurai, Wida, Aurui, Darutui, Rumba, Tavidua and Osirei. These roads are all trafficable in good weather. They play a vital role in the economic sphere of the division.

HEALTH. The two division patrolled seemed to be free of any dangerous disease. Only a few cases of 'kus' and grille were noticed. Aid ~~posts~~ posts and Mission Stations at Koromira, Rorenang and Tubiana help to keep the two division healthy.

CENSUS. No problems were encountered with the census. Those absent had acceptable excuses and no action was necessary.

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APPENDIX I

LIST OF VILLAGE OFFICIALS

KOROMIRA VILLAGE

TAKI
AMAPO
SIOROVI
PONDONA
MINANI
MUNIAS
MANGONA
PEIWANA
SIPUREI
ROMEINA
IORO
SIROWAI
KAMAROWI

KUKURAI

MARATA
MAKEI
MAIKEI

BOREI'UREI
BIROASI
MIRINO
PIRUNG
DINGOMA
MIRAKU
BAMBA
TANGIE
IRERO

TULTUL

DURI
NUNOPI
LAUWANA
DERATJI
SISIETA
PIRA
MAITO
IKIMA
AMARA
TAWA
KOBANA

TAREPIU

SOUTH NASIOI

PIRUNEIU
NABUIA
WIDA
AURU'I
MORANGASINA
NASIOI
UNABATO
MOINAM
DARATUI
XOKADEI
BAKATUNG
SIRAMBANA
SIROMBA
RUMBA
MAKENIKO
TAULA - PELIA
BONAMUNG
TAVIDUA
KARAKUNG
KOBAINAN
OSIREI
KURAI

OWORE
MOANSI
KARENA
AMIAU
MOWO
BATORA
KOPEI'U

ONABURA
KIROI
BARO
EINSINI
APEINUM
LUNILA

PIWANSI
KOI-IRI
KOVA
TEIBA
MI'EI
TUMA

MORU
NANUMA

ARINGONA
TANIMARI
MOKARA

NARENU
ORINO
URU
DAKONA
LAPOBA
BAKATANU
BIKAKA
MEIROA

NORUANSI
KAMOKA
ASINA
SIOKU
AULA
MIRIGI

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TAKI
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PONDOKA
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MUNIAS
MANGONA
PEIWANA
SIPUREI
ROMEKINA
IOBO
SIROWAI
KAMAROWI

KUKURAI

MARATA
MAKEI
MAIKEI

BOREI'UREI
BIROASTI
MIRINO
PIRUNG
DINGOMA
MIRAKU
BAMBA
TANGIE
IRERO

TULTUL

DURI
NUNOPI
LAUWANA
DERATJI
SISIETA
PIRA
MAITO
IKIMA
AMARA
TAWA
KOBANA

TAREPIU

SOUTH NASIOI

PIRUNEIU
NABUIA
WIDA
AURUI
MORANGASINA
NASIOI
UNABATO
MOXINAN
DARATUI
KOKADEI
BAKATUNG
SIRAMBANA
SIROMPA
KUPERA
MAKENIKO
TAULA - PELIA
BOHAMUNG
TAVIDUA
KARAKUNG
KOBELINAN
OSIREI
KURAI

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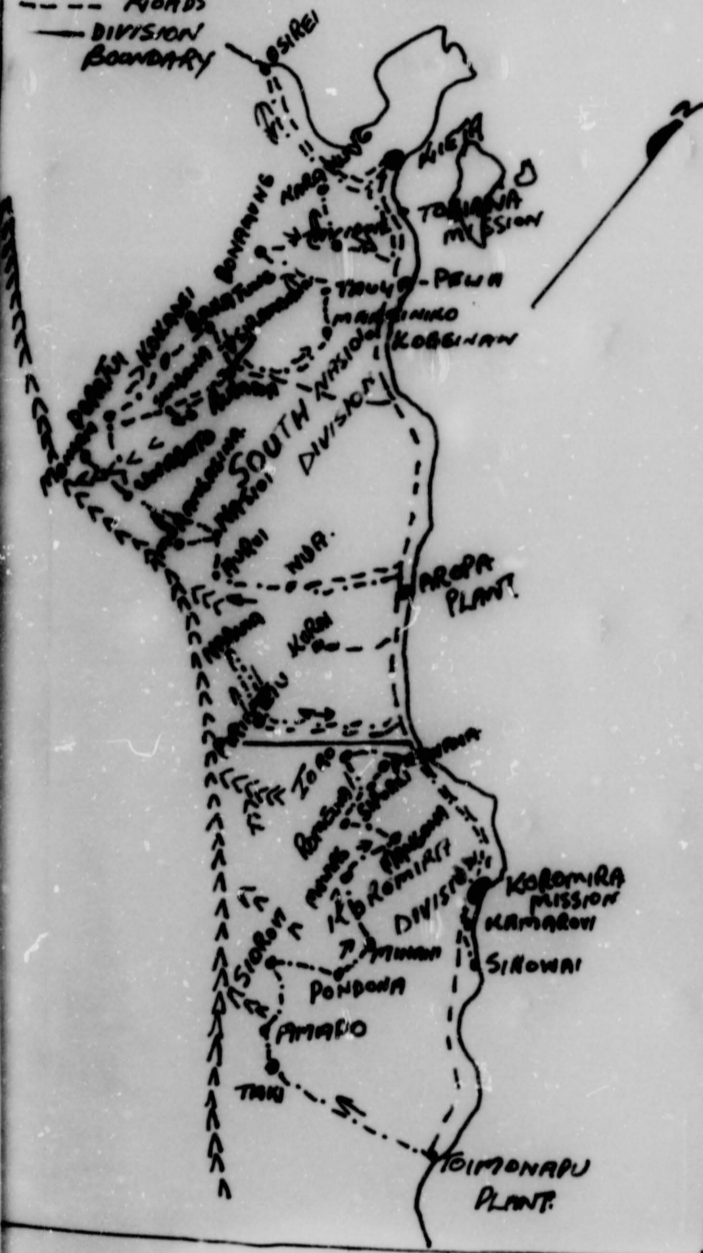
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- DIVISION BOUNDARY

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KOROMIRA & SOUTH NAHAI C.D.





TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA

PATROL REPORT

District of BOUGAINVILLE Report No. KIETA NO 3/64-65

Patrol Conducted by R.G.GODDEN, CADET PATROL OFFICER

Area Patrolled NORTH NASIOI AND EIVO CENSUS DIVISIONS

Patrol Accompanied by Europeans.....

Natives 3 MEMBERS OF THE R.P.& N.G.C

Duration—From 11/8/1964 to 31/8/1964

Number of Days 21

Did Medical Assistant Accompany? NO

Last Patrol to Area by—District Services...../ 3/1964

Medical / 6/1964

Map Reference BOUGAINVILLE FOURMIL

Objects of Patrol CARRY OUT INITIAL ELECTIONS FOR KIETA NATIVE LOCAL GOVERNMENT COUNCIL.

DIRECTOR OF DISTRICT SERVICES
AND NATIVE AFFAIRS,
PORT MORESBY.

Forwarded, please.

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District Commissioner

Amount Paid for War Damage Compensation £.....

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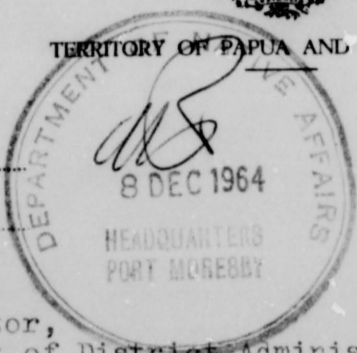
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30th. November, 1964.

The Director,
Department of District Administration,
KONEDOBU. PAPUA.

KIETA PATROL NO. 3/1964-1965.

Attached hereto please find a Report on the above Patrol submitted by Mr. R. G. GODDEN, Cadet Patrol Officer. The delay in submitting this Report was due to the fact that the patrolling Officer attended a course in PORT MORESBY shortly after completing the Patrol.

Comments and information on the Elections have already gone forward in the Assistant District Commissioner's Memorandum.

For your information please.

(P. J. MOLLISON).
DISTRICT COMMISSIONER.

Att.

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Sub-District Office,
KIETA.

16th November, 1964.

DIARY.

Tues 11th August: Departed 8.30am and travelled to Angoni. Conducted elections for Angoni and Waga. Slept at Angoni.

Wed 12th " Departed Angoni 8.30am and proceeded to Buwaga. The Assistant District Commissioner, Buwaga, Iaita and Lingwa. Slept Buwaga.

Thur 13th " Travelled to Korogoro. Rest of day spent in bed with slight sickness.

PATROL REPORT NO. 3/64-65

Fri 14th " Conducted elections for Korogoro. Inspected village. 1.00pm departed and proceeded to Bakawari. Slept Bakawari.

STATION: Kieta.

Sat 15th " SUB-DISTRICT: Conducted elections for Kieta and Korpei. Inspected villages. Slept Bakawari.

DISTRICT: Bougainville.

Sun 16th " Sunday. Observed at Bakawari.

PATROL NUMBER: 3

Mon 17th " Travelled to Tonara. Hamlet Perma refused to vote. PATROL CONDUCTED BY: ion. 1.00pm vote R.G.Godden, Cadet Patrol Officer.

Tues 18th " AREA PATROLLED: started Tonara and tra North Nasioi, Eivo and part Progress Society. Condu Guava Census Division. and Karakila. Departed and proceeded to Angoni.

PERSONNEL ACCOMPANYING THE PATROL: 3 members of the R.P. & N.G.C.

Wed 19th " 8.00am conducted elections for Angoni and Topina. DURATION OF PATROL: 11th August to 31st August, 1964 21 days. Slept Tonara.

Thur 20th " LAST PATROL TO THE AREA: 8.30am discuss D.D.A. March, '64 villagers who refused to vote. D.A.S.F. July, '64 P.H.D. June, '64. proceeded to Korogoro. Slept Korogoro.

OBJECTS OF THE PATROL: To carry out initial elections for the Kieta Native Local Government Council. only in w a vicinity Routine Administration.

Fri 21st " 7.30am - 9.30am discuss when refused to vote. 8.15pm departed 10.15pm Slept Korpei.

MAP REFERENCE: Bougainville Fourmil.

Sat 22nd " Polling conducted for Korpei. Rest of day spent in Paper work. Slept Korpei.

Sun 23rd " INTRODUCTION. On the 14th July, '64 the Administrator proclaimed the Kieta Native Local Government Council. On the 11th August the patrol set out to carry out the initial elections in the North Nasioi, for Guava and Eivo census divisions.

Tues 24th " The North Nasioi division is situated on the east side of the Crown Prince Range. This division is the wealthiest in the Sub-District with an outcome of 60 tons of cacao per year. All villages in this division, with the exception of Bairema and Arawa, had voted in favour of the council, Bairema and Arawa being more or less controlled by one anti-administration malcontent Peter Teona. and travelled to Naitwota.

Thur 26th " 8.00pm polling conducted for Nanisawa and Kopikiri. Three villages, Pakia, Sieronji and Borumai, of the Guava division are also situated on the east side of the Crown Prince Range. The fourth village of the division inside the council Dapera, is situated on the west side, but a large percentage of its inhabitants now live at Pakia. Villagers of the Guava division are now excepting coffee as the stable economic crop as the area is not suitable for cacao. and Alakabau. Slept Vito.

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Sat 29th August: Preparing ~~XXXXXXXX~~ election report. Spent the night at Manetai

Sun 30th " Observed at Manetai Mission.

Mon 31st " Returned to Kieta by small ship.

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OUTLINE OF POLITICAL SITUATION.

Polling General. The overall result of the polling was particularly successful. Due to the House of Assembly elections in March, the People had a good understanding of the principles of voting and what was required of them. The average percentage of voters to those eligible to vote are as follows:-

North Nasici:	84%
Guava:	80%
Eivo:	90%
Average	<u>84.5%</u>

Attitude to Patrol and Voting. The patrol was always greeted on friendly terms with no incidents occurring.

At Tonara one of the hamlets Porma at first refused to vote. A discussion was held with the group and they all seemed to be influenced by one female Taruansi whom I believe is a ~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~ regular visitor to Peter Teona's village Bairema. The attitude of the women was that if the men voted they need not return to their homes. On further discussion the patrol was able to win over all but ten of the villagers.

At Lonsiro and Rorovana the patrol was again met with a refusals to vote. Prolonged discussions was only successful in a handful from each village voting.

A discussion with Wau, the Kukurai of Rorovana, revealed that on the Sunday prior to the elections the Rorovanas held a discussion with the villages from Bairema and Arawa (Teona's territory) and were now waiting for the local M.H.A. to form a council.

The overall percentage of voting for Lonsiro is 13% and Rorovana 23%.

CONCLUSION. In conclusion it can be said that the elections was highly successful with an overall percentage of 84. Once the Council is opened and the local M.H.A. attends the opening it is probable that the two villages Lonsiro and Rorovana will eventually become fully pro-council.

COMPLAINTS. No complaints were brought to the notice of the patrol.

HEALTH. In some villages a few people were unable to vote due to small attacks of the flu. No serious diseases were noticed.

ROADS AND BRIDGES. All bridle tracks and bridges throughout the area patrolled were in satisfactory condition. The main vehicular road from Arawa Plantation to Kieta is only trafficable in dry weather. Earlier in the year two tipper trucks were keeping maintenance on the road but these were recalled for the Bika road. Serious concern has been expressed by many natives over this road as it provides a major link in getting their produce to market.



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Cadet Patrol Officer

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
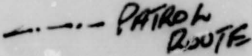
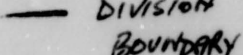
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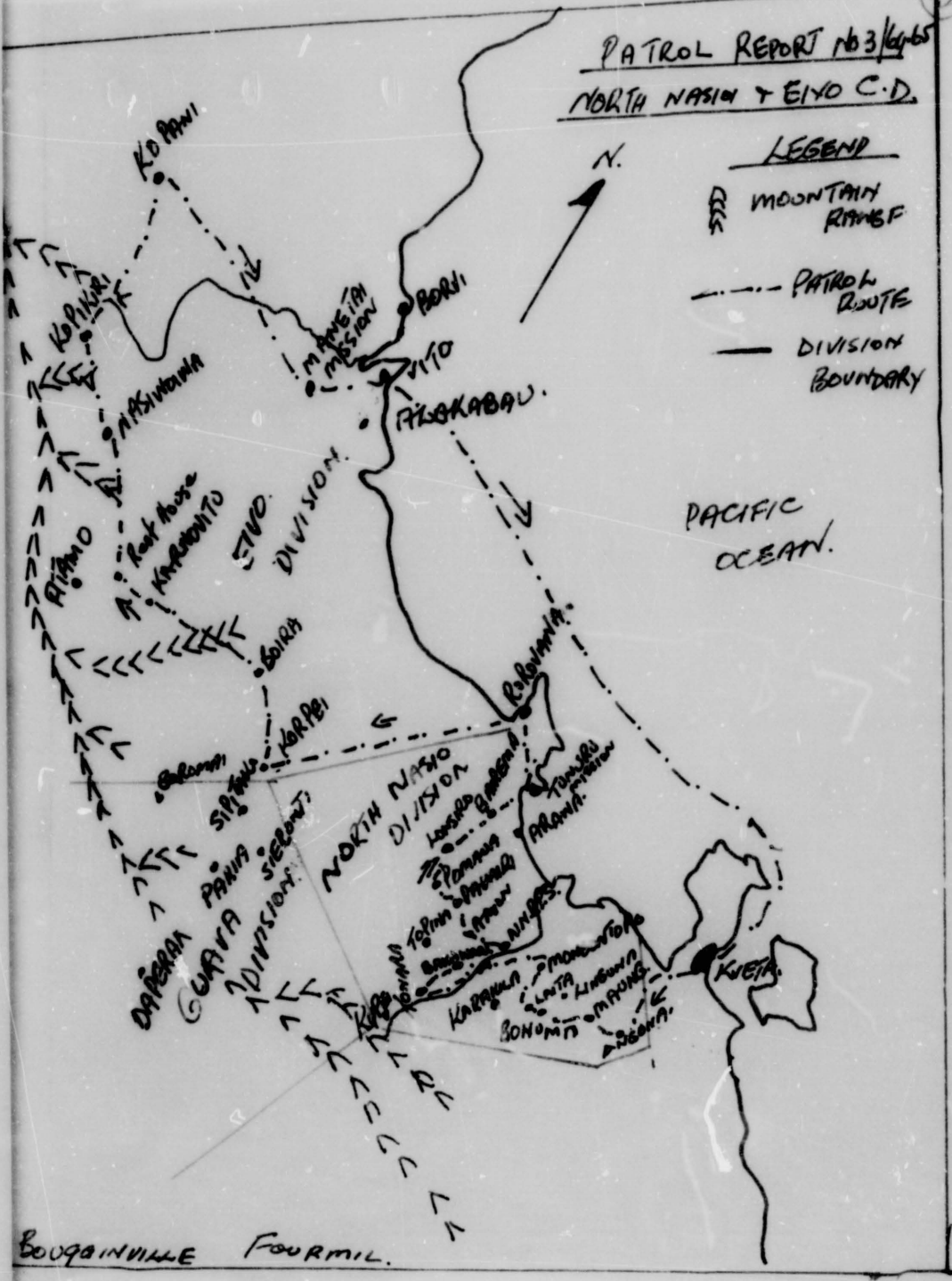
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 -  DIVISION BOUNDARY



BOUGAINVILLE FOURMIL.



TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA

PATROL REPORT

District of BOUGAINVILLE Report No. KIE 5/64-65

Patrol Conducted by R.G. GODDEN, CADET PATROL OFFICER

Area Patrolled EIVO, NORTH NASIOI, AND PART GUAVA CENSUS DIVISION

Patrol Accompanied by Europeans NIL

Natives 3 MEMBER OF THE R.P. & N.G.C.
3 COUNCILLORS OF THE KIETA N.L.G.C.

Duration—From 23/11/1964 to 19/12/1964

Number of Days 24

Did Medical Assistant Accompany? NO

Last Patrol to Area by—District Services 8/1964

Medical 8/1964

Map Reference BOUGAINVILLE FOURMIL

Objects of Patrol COLLECTION OF KIETA N.L.G.C. TAX, COLLECTION OF GOVERNMENT
TAX, CENSUS REVISION, ROUTINE ADMINISTRATION

DIRECTOR OF DISTRICT SERVICES
AND NATIVE AFFAIRS,
PORT MORESBY.

Forwarded, please.

12/2/1965

D. J. Clary
District Commissioner

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May 26th, 1965.

The District Commissioner,
Bougainville District,
SOHANO.

KIETA PATROL REPORT No. 5/64-65

Receipt of the above report forwarded by your memorandum
67/1/6 of 10th February, 1965, is acknowledged.

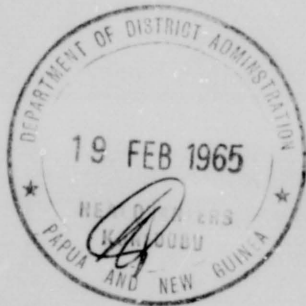
2. I agree that this report indicates a well conducted
patrol. It is interesting to note the reactions of the people
in the area to the attempts to collect Council Tax for the first
time. Your covering memorandum addressed to the Assistant
District Commissioner Kieta has dealt with matters requiring
comment.

T.G. Aitchison
(T.G. AITCHISON)
Director

(D. J. CLANCY)
Assistant District Commissioner

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Bougainville District,
SOHANO.

10th. February, 1965.

The Assistant District Commissioner,
KIETA.

KIETA PATROL NO. 5 OF 1964/65.

Receipt is acknowledged of the Report on the above Patrol as submitted by Mr. GODDEN and you covering Memorandum 67/4/1 of 19th. January, 1965.

With a number of exceptions the collection of Council Tax went off very well with little opposition being encountered.

Cash cropping in the NORTH NASIOI Division is playing an important part in the life of the Village people and it appears that this is now being realised in the EIVO Division.

The drop in Infant mortality is indeed heartening and is a credit to the work of Sister RATTENBURY and her Nurses.

Mr. GODDEN's Report is well written and is evidence of a well conducted Patrol.

D. J. Clancy

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ACTING DISTRICT COMMISSIONER.

Minute To :

The Director,
Department of District Administration,
KONEDOBU. PAPUA.

For your information please.

D. J. Clancy

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Ministry to note the reactions to samples
& collect Council Tax - appear to have been
a well conducted patrol*

Sub-District Office,
KIETA.

21st December, 1964/

The Assistant District Commissioner,
KIETA.

PATROL REPORT KIE 5/64-65

STATION: Kieta.

SUB-DISTRICT: Kieta.

DISTRICT: Bougainville.

PATROL NUMBER: 5

PATROL CONDUCTED BY: R.G.Godden, Cadet Patrol Officer

AREA PATROLLED: Eivo, North Nasioi and part Guava Census Divisions.

PERSONNEL ACCOMPANYING: 3 members R.P.& N.G.C.
3 Councillors of the Kieta Native Local Government Council.

DURATION OF PATROL: 23rd November, '64 to 27th November, '64
30th November, '64 to 19th December, '64.

NUMBER OF DAYS: 24

LAST PATROL TO THE AREA: D.D.A. August, 1964.
D.A.S.F. September, 1964.
P.H.D. August, 1964.

OBJECTS OF THE PATROL: Census Revision. Collection of Kieta Native Local Government Council tax.
Routine Administration.
COLLECTION OF GOVT. TAX
Bougainville Fourmil.

MAP REFERENCE:

INTRODUCTION.

The Eivo, North Nasioi census divisions, and the villagers of Pakia, Sieronji and Borunai in the Guava census divisions, are situated on the Eastern slopes of the Crown Prince Range. All villages (except coastal) are located in the valleys or on the ridges which extend from the main range down to the coastal plains. One village Dapera of the Guava Division is situated on the West side of the range.

INTRODUCTION CONT.

All the villagers are semi-accustomed to the sea and proceeded to or less in sight of the sea. The bulk of the population lined for a belt lying between 700' to 1,500'.

The vegetation consists of secondary tropical rain forests giving way to bamboo growth in altitudes 1,000 to 2,000 feet. Climate ranges from hot and humid on the coast to mild and pleasant in the ranges.

The main object of the patrol was to carry out the collection of tax for the newly formed Kieta Native Council. This is the first time the Council has collected tax. Three Councillors made up the Tax Tribunal and a secondary school lad from Riga Marist Brother's High School was employed to do the clerical work.

The undersigned spent four days with A.D.O. A. Marks in the Kongara census division observing ways of collecting Council tax and any incidents which may arise.

DIARY:

- Mon 23rd November: Departed Kieta 10.00am and travelled to Sipuru to meet A.D.O. A Marks. Slept Sipuru
- Tues 24th " Departed Sipuru and proceeded to Kuritawai. Observed the collection of Council tax. Census taken. Proceeded to Muau for tax collection and census revision. Slept Muau.
- Wed 25th " Proceeded to Marilau. Observed tax collection and census revision. Slept Marilau.
- Thurs 26th " Departed Marilau and proceeded to Daratui. Slept Daratui.
- Fri 27th " Back to Kieta.
- Mon 30th " Departed Kieta 6.45am by small boat. Arrived Borvi 10.00am. Due to ~~many~~ people not ready, observed. Walked to Borvi plantation to settle one complaint. Slept Borvi.
- Tues 1st December 8.00am Borvi lined for Council tax collection and census revision. 10.00am Tarara lined for collection of government tax and census revision. 2.00pm Alakabau and Vito lined. 4.30pm to Manetai. Slept Manetai.
- Wed 2nd " Departed Manetai 10.30am and arrived at Kopani 1.00pm. Village lined for census revision and tax collection. Slept Kopani.
- Thur 3rd " At 8.50am finished Kopani. Arrived Kopikiri 10.00am. Census taken and tax collected. Arrived Nasiwoiwa 1.15pm. Census taken and tax collected. Slept Nasiwoiwa.
- Fri 4th " Departed 7.30am and arrived Atamo 9.30am. Atamo and Karnovitu lined for census revision and tax collection. Slept Atamo.
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station at Rumba. The station is staffed by one European missionary and native assistants.

PERSONAL TAX:

As stated in the sub-heading Political Situation, the only villagers who refused to pay tax was Lonsiro. The reason being was the influences of Peter Teona.

No incidents arose out of the collection of government tax from villagers outside the council.

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MASINGWA	ATAMO	2	0
ATAMO	BOIRA	2	30
BOIRA	KBEEK KOPPEI	2	0
KOPPEI	PAKLA	1	0

CENSUS:

No problems were encountered with the census. Those absent had acceptable excuses and no action was necessary.

PAKLA	HOROYANA	3	30
HOROYANA	BAIRIMA	1	0
BAIRIMA	LONSIRO		30
LONSIRO	POMAU	1	0
POMAU	ANION	1	30
ANION	BAKAWARI		30
BAKAWARI	TONARA		30
TONARA	MONGONTORO		0
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BUNUMA	ANGONAI		30

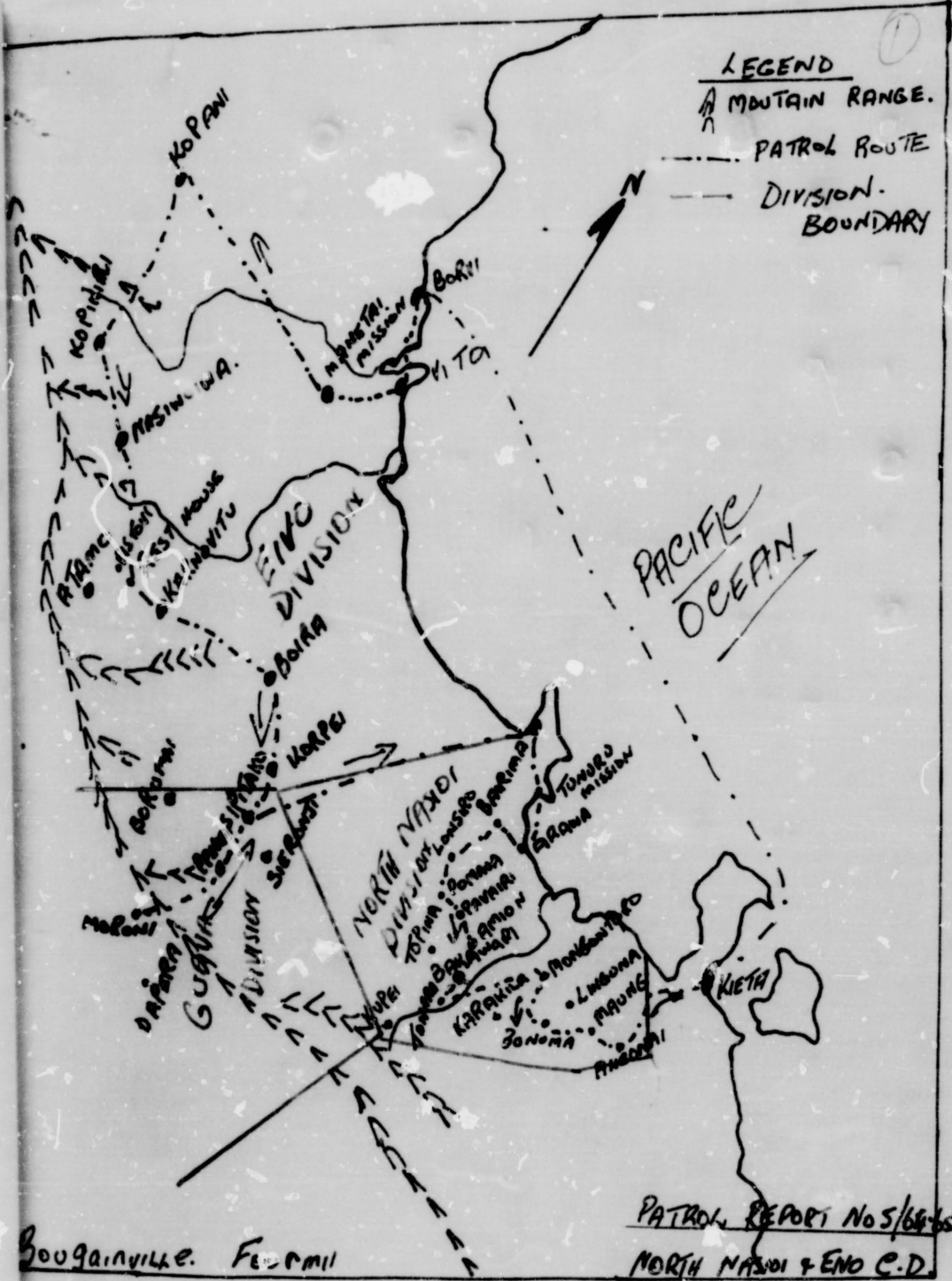
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NESIWOIWA	ATAMO	2	0
ATAMO	BOIRA	2	30
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KORPEI	PAKIA	1	0
PAKIA	MORANIE	2	30
PAKIA	ROROVANA	3	30
ROROVANA	BAIRIMA	1	0
BAIRIMA	LONSIRO		30
LONSIRO	POMAU	1	0
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TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA

PATROL REPORT

District of BOUGAINVILLE Report No. KIA 6/64-65

Patrol Conducted by ROBERT GEORGE GODDEN, CADET PATROL OFFICER

Area Patrolled GUAVA CENSUS DIVISION

Patrol Accompanied by Europeans NIL

Natives 3 MEMBERS OF THE R.P. & N.G.C.

Duration—From 11/1/1965 to 30/1/1965

Number of Days 19

Did Medical Assistant Accompany? NO

Last Patrol to Area by—District Services 2/1964

Medical 9/1862

Map Reference BOUGAINVILLE FOURMIL

Objects of Patrol CENSUS REVISION. TAX COLLECTION. ROUTINE ADMINISTRATION

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

67-11-20

June 4th, 1965.

The District Commissioner,
Bougainville District,
SOHANO.

KIETA PATROL REPORT No. 6/64-65

Receipt of the above report forwarded by your memorandum 67-1-6 of 25th March, 1965, is acknowledged.

2. Mr. Gedden is obviously interested in his field duties and has paid close attention to all aspects of the situation in the area patrolled. The report is a good factual one. The reasons for the majority of the people desiring to be included in the proposed Nagovini Council appear quite logical.

T.G. Atchison
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Director



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TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA

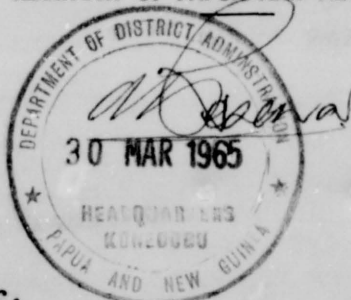
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Department of District Administration,

Bougainville District,
SOHANO.

25th. March, 1965.

The Director,
Department of District Administration,
KONEDOBU. PAPUA.

KIETA PATROL NO. 6 OF 1964/1965.

Attached hereto please find a Report on the above patrol submitted by Mr. R. G. GODDEN, Cadet Patrol Officer, and accompanying Memorandum 67/4/1 from the Assistant District Commissioner at KIETA.

For the present the GUAVA Census Division will continue to be Administered from KIETA, but with the establishment of the proposed BOKU Council the position will be reconsidered.

It appears quite clear that the people of the Census Division are not against Councils as such but they all wish to join the NAGOVISI Council at BOKU when it starts.

The position regarding the attitude to C.R.A. is being watched and it is pleasing to note that at the present the GUAVA people are quite happy with the situation.

The Report is fairly well presented although Mr. GODDEN should take more care with his typing and spelling.

I will instruct the Assistant District Commissioner at KIETA to carry out Coronial Enquiries concerning the suicides of the two people mentioned in the Report.

(D. J. CLANCY).

ACTING DISTRICT COMMISSIONER.

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Mr. Godden obviously very interested & has had close study to all aspects of the prevailing situation. A good, factual report. The reasons for desiring inclusion - the proposed NAGOVISI Council are quite logical.*

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INTRODUCTION:

The Guava Census Division covers the western side of the Great New Britain Range, including the villages, Paria, Boruzal and the eastern slopes. The area covers 100 miles.

Sub-District Office,
KIETA.

2nd February, 1965.

The Assistant District Commissioner,
KIETA.

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PATROL REPORT KIE 6/64-65

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STATION:

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SUB-DISTRICT:

Kieta.

DISTRICT:

Bougainville.

PATROL NUMBER:

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PATROL CONDUCTED BY:

R.G. Godden, Cadet Patrol Officer.

AREA PATROLLED:

Guava Census Division.

PERSONNEL ACCOMPANYING:

3 members of R.P. & N.G.C.

DURATION OF PATROL:

11th January, '65 to
30th January, '65

NUMBER OF DAYS:

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LAST PATROL TO THE AREA:

D.D.A. February, 1964.

D.A.S.F. September, 1963.

P.H.D. September, 1962.

OBJECTS OF THE PATROL:

Census revision. Tax collecting.
Routine Administration.

MAP REFERENCE:

Bougainville Rourmil.

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INTRODUCTION:

The Guava Census Division is situated on the South Western side of the Crown Prince Range, with the exception of three villages, Pakia, Borumai and Sieronji, which are on the North Eastern slopes. The area covers a distance of approximately 150 square miles.

The villages are mainly situated on ~~the~~ a number of ridges, running at right angles to the Crown Prince Range and extending down to the Nagovisi Plain. This is a fairly isolated area with very restricted communication and access, and the people are among the least sophisticated on Bougainville. The area apart from two very small pockets of Seventh Day Adventists and Methodists, is wholly Roman Catholic under the auspices of Deomori Mission.

Of the newly formed Kieta Local Government Council only four villages of this division are inside the council. They are the villages of Pakia, Sieronji, Borumai and Dapera. The patrol endeavoured to find at the present situation of the people outside the council and this shall be discussed more fully under the sub-heading Political Situations. Other objectives were Routine Administration, revision of census and collection of tax for 1964.

Fri 22nd

Travelled from Dapera to Mumurai. Village lined for census revision and tax collection. Slept at Mumurai.

DIARY.

- Mon 11th Jan. Departed Kieta 9.30am and proceeded to Sipitako school. Inspected site of suicide of a man who died the night ~~before~~ before. Slept Sipitako.
- Tues 12th " Held enquiry with the relatives of the deceased. Travelled to Sieronji for census revision ~~and tax collection~~. Then travelled to Pakia for ~~tax collection~~ ~~and~~ census revision. Travelled to Borumai. Slept Borumai.
- Wed 13th " 7.30am Borumai lined for census revision. Departed and proceeded to Mainoki arriving 11.40am. Village lined for tax collection and census revision. Slept Mainoki.
- Thurs 14th " Departed Mainoki 8.15am and travelled to Sirowai arriving 9.10am. Village lined for census revision and tax collection. and proceeded to Paura. Village lined. Travelled to Paura but due to heavy rain unable to line the people. Village lined ~~and~~ census revised and tax collected. Slept Sirowai.
- Fri 15th " 8.00am proceeded to Paura where the village was lined for census revision and tax collection. Travelled to Kokomatei arriving 11.45am. Discussion with men in the afternoon due to heavy rain. Slept Kokomatei.
- Sat 16th " 7.35am Kokomatei lined for census revision and tax ~~and~~ collected. Travelled onto Larenai arriving 11.30am. 1.00pm people lined for census revision and tax collected. Slept Larenai.
- Sun 17th " Observed at Larenai.

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- Mon 18th Jan Departed Larenai for Onovi. Village lined for census revision and tax collection. Inspected village. Slept Onovi.
- Tues 19th " Travelled from Onovi to Dapera. Village lined for census revision and tax collection. Returned to Onovi and slept the night.
- Wed 20th " Departed Onovi and travelled to Pisinai visiting Dcomori mission enroute. Village lined for census revision and tax collection. Enquiry into small case of pseudo cargo activities. Slept the night at Pisinai.
- Thurs 21st " Departed Pisinai and travelled to Piawora. Village lined, census revised and tax collected. Proceeded to Kokorei. Census revised and tax collected. Returned to Pisinai and slept the night.
- Fri 22nd " From Pisinai to Mumurai. Village lined for census revision and tax collection. Slept at Mumurai.
- Sat 23rd " Travelled from Mumurai to Orami. Census revised and tax collected. Inspected village. Slept at Orami.
- Sun 24th " Observed at Orami. Discussion on various topics with some of the men.
- Mon 25th " Travelled to Daru. Village lined for census revision and tax collection. Discussion held with villages. Inspected village and returned to Orami. Slept Orami.
- Tues 26th " Departed Orami and proceeded to Irang. Census revised and tax collected. Settled one dispute over land. Inspected the village and slept the night.
- Wed 27th " Departed Irang and Proceeded to Panka. Village lined for census revision and tax collection. Proceeded onto Musinau. Village lined and census revised and tax collected. Rain. Slept Musinau.
- Thurs 28th " Finished lining Musinau. Proceeded to Guava. Village lined for census revision and tax collection. Visited C.R.A. camps.
- Fri 29th " From Guava travelled to Tonara. Slept Tonara.
- Sat 30th " Returned to Kieta.

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RECEPTION OF PATROL:

The patrol was always greeted on friendly terms with no incidents occurring.

VILLAGES:

Housing of all villages and hamlets visited was in satisfactory condition. Minor suggestions were issued in cases where needed. Bamboo and sago seemed to be in plentiful supply. Most of the villages were a lengthy distance from water and this was carried to the village in bamboo piping.

Health and Hygiene is improving. Latrines were found to be ^{reasonably} well kept. Drains have been dug so as to allow excess water to be carried away.

The villagers of Mainoki and Sirowai are in the process of moving their village down to the ~~the~~ edge of the Nagowisi Plain. The reason for this is that the villagers of Mainoki, Sirowai and Paura plan to build a road down to Morotona Mission. However nothing has started yet and the planned route is still heavy bush.

VILLAGE OFFICIALS:

With the exception of ONI, Kukurai of Guava, the village officials in this area do not seem to hold much influence over their respective villages. At Musinau the patrolling officer was asked by the Kukurai if he could write a letter stating the Kukurais power over the people on Government work days. This was not done but it was explained to the people that the Kukurai marks the work to be done on Government work days.

The Tultul of Pisinan, IAMARI, was found to ~~be~~ be the ringleader of the small case of cargo cult. This offender together with his five offiders were sent into Kieta for ~~trial~~ trial.

CNI, Kukurai of Guava, is probably the most influential man in the division. He is strongly pro-administration. Although his influence is sometimes neglected, he is respected by all the villagers.

LINE OF POLITICAL SITUATION:

One of the chief aims of the patrol was to find out the present feelings of the people towards the Kieta Council. As stated in the Introduction only four villages in this division are inside the Council.

As mentioned in Patrol Report No. 5 it was heard that the villagers of Mainoki wish to join the Council. However a plebiscite was conducted and only 12 males and 11 females voted in favour. The rest of the villagers then stated that they wish to join the Nagowisi Council when it was started.

As the patrol proceeded through the division, it was brought to the notice by all villages with the exception of Dapera, Guava and two small lines of Irang, that they wish to be administered from Boku. The reasons given for this change of attitude

(a) Easier to go to Boku rather than cross the Crown ~~ETIAE~~ Prince Range to Kieta.

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(b) Most of the cash cropping shall be carried through the Nagovisi to the coast for shipping.

(c) Some of the men around Daru and Orami area stated that they were members of the Nagovisi Rural Progress Society, and so wish to be administered from Boku.

All villages in the division with the exception of Guava (19 males and 16 females; the rest of the village wishes to be placed in the Musinay book) and two small lines of Irang, expressed a willingness to join the Nagovisi when it is started. This is undoubtedly a show of loyalty towards the local M.H.A. They want his Council.

19 males and 16 females of Guava village wish to form an electorate with the S.D.A. and Methodists lines of Irang and so come inside the Kieta Council. The electorate would consist of 29 males and 31 females. The catholic line of Irang stated that they did not want to join the Kieta Council but wish to join the Nagovisi Council.

The people of the villages inside the Kieta Council are showing a keen attitude towards their Council. They have elected good, strong and influential men to be their Councillors. The President of the Council, Severinus Ampos, is the Councillor for the Dapera - Borumai electorate.

AGRICULTURE:

The area patrolled is still subject to subsistence gardening for foodstuffs. Crops such as kaukau, yams, taro and various fruits prove to be the favourites.

Because of the difficulty of communications and access this division has little cash cropping. In the division there is only 14,600 cocoa trees, 31,800 coconuts and 7,000 coffee trees. During the past few years there was a tendency among the people not to worry about cash cropping. However, around the Guava and Kokorei area, there is an awakening interest in coffee growing. Coffee is being planted and advice given by Agriculture Field Workers is being heeded. Gardens are being well looked after.

Some of the villagers from villages, which are situated on the lower ridges of the Crown Prince Ranges and are only a short distance from the Nagovisi division, have cocoa plantings in the Nagovisi area itself.

As stated in the sub-heading Political Situation, all villages with the exception of one and two small elements of another wish to be administered from Boku. One of the reasons given is that they shall be carrying their cash crops through the Nagovisi to the coast. This is sound reasoning on their part. ~~The only~~ PROBABLE road access to the Guava division shall come from the Nagovisi area. It is easier to walk down to the Nagovisi with their produce to the road network in the this area. Most of the villages in the Nagovisi and which lie close to the Guava division are connected to the coast by roads. The Missionary in Charge at Deomori has told the people that if they help to build a road to Deomori from the Nagovisi, he will then help them with their produce to bring it to the coast by mission tractor.

For villagers to bring their produce to the eastern coast for shipping they first have to climb to 4,800 feet to cross the Crown Prince Range.

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However, at present, situated about 2 miles north east of Guava village, the mining firm C.R.A. is carrying out exploration into the copper and mineral potential of the area. If copper or any other mineral is found to exist on a large scale then commercial mining shall commence. If commercial mining is commenced then probably the firm shall build a good road from the eastern coast across the range to the mining site. This road could be used by the natives to bring their produce down to the east coast.

COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY:

As mentioned in the previous paragraph C.R.A., one of the largest mining companies in the world, is carrying out exploration into mineral potential of the area called Barapana and Panguna. (see map for location).

The firm is now in its second stage of operations. Drilling has commenced, and samples of soils from various levels are now being analysed.

This firm provides employment for about 90 men in the area. When asked how they thought about C.R.A. the answer was that it is a good thing, providing employment and bringing money into the area.

Undoubtly if commercial mining is eventually commenced then more employment will be needed for buildings and general labouring.

COMPLAINTS:

Numerous complaints were heard by the patrol. One, involving a small case of cargo cult, was sent to Kieta for court action. The body of the story is that six men from Pisinan claimed they saw a lamp rise from a recently deceased man's house and went floating through the bush on its own accord and eventually came to the house of another man at Larenai. They then stated that this man poisoned the man who had just died. They then asked the man for money if he wanted to keep the matter quiet.

Several minor complaints regarding pigs damaging gardens etc were arbitrated to the satisfaction of both parties.

REST HOUSES:

All rest houses were found to be in satisfactory condition. Each village maintains its own.

CARRIERS:

Most of the villages in the area patrolled have enough men to carry cargo. In all villages carriers volunteered willingly. Walking distances between villages are short with the longest being 3 1/2 hours, and as new carriers are hired at each successive village, no carrier need be away more than one day with from his village.

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HEALTH:

As mentioned by previous patrols this division is one of the healthiest in the Kieta district. This was not the case experienced by this patrol. Serious diseases were found to be throughout the whole division.

The most noticeable disease was Conjunctivitis. Each village had its isolated cases. Discharges from the eyes were quite noticeable. No concern was shown by the natives about the disease. The answer the patrol received when asking them if they are receiving treatment was that we have cases before and everything has cleared up satisfactory. It was suggested that if the disease did not clear up, treatment should be sought at the Kieta hospital.

At Kokorei it was brought to the notice of the patrol that three infants had died of Diarrhoea during the previous week. Their deaths were not recorded in the census figures due to births occurring after the previous census and so their names were not recorded in the census register. The Aid Post Orderly from Plawora stated that there were some men in Kieta to collect diarrhoea medicine.

Cases of Measles were reported around the Kokorei - Guava area.

Patrolling through the division at the same time was Sister M. Rattenbury of the Infant Welfare division. Sister Rattenbury was patrolling the division giving talk to mothers on infant care and also trying to get at least one mother from each village to attend a small course on Infant Welfare at Sohano. Some complaints were brought to the notice of the patrol by Sister Rattenbury regarding improvements to latrines and building of a hospital at Dapera. Instructions were given in all cases.

When lining the people at Kokomatei it was noticed that one small child seemed to be suffering from malnutrition. It seemed that the mother was not capable of giving proper feeding to the child. Another case was noticed at Dapera where the mother of the child was mentally unbalanced.

The people of Guava and Musinau stated that they wish to build an Aid Post and they wish an Aid Post Orderly be posted there. This has been verbally reported to the Local Medical Officer.

Undoubtedly the above information was brought to the notice of Sister Rattenbury and she shall be informing the District Medical Officer in her report. Also the local Medical Officer shall be conducting a patrol through the division in the near future.

All Aid Posts were found to be clean and tidy.

EDUCATION.

During the time the patrol was in the division all children were home on their Christmas holidays so a approx figure of number of school children cannot be given.

At Sipitako school provides Education for the children from Sieronji, Pakia and Borumai. One of the teachers, the councillor for Korpei, stated that this year they expect a roll of 150 and a qualified teacher to teach up to Standard 3.

Two cases of suicide were brought to the notice of the patrol. At Korpei investigations were carried into the matter the night before. Relatives were interviewed and it was ascertained that the man appeared to be extremely upset over the death of his brother and sister a week previously.

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EDUCATION CONT:

Schools at Falupalu (near Paura), Pisinan and Mumura are based on the same scale as Sipitako. Due to teachers being away from the schools one was not able to gain any attendance records.

When students have completed their education at Sipitako they are sent to Tururu Mission where they are taught up to Standard IV. This is the same with the schools on the other side of the range. Students are taught to Standard IV at Deomori mission. On completion of Standard IV boys generally further their studies at Rigu and the girls at Asitavi or Chabi.

There are no government schools in the division.

ROADS AND BRIDGES:

All mule tracks were found to be in reasonable condition. However, due to heavy rain just about every day, walking was rather boggy.

As stated in the sub-heading Villages, the people of Mainoki, Sirowai and Paura plan to build a road down to Morotona Mission. No work has been done yet and the proposed route is still bush. On talking to the priest at Deomori mission it seems that there is no suitable route from the three villages down to the mission.

MISSIONS:

The whole division is essentially Roman Catholic with the exception of a small S.D.A. and Methodist lines at Irang. The three villages on the east coast are influenced by the mission station at Tururu. This station is staffed by one priest, three Nuns and various native assistants.

The rest of the division is influenced by the Mission station at Deomori. This ~~is~~ is at present staffed by one European Priest and two European lay missionaries. Schooling is taught by native teachers.

PERSONAL TAX:

No incidents occurred in the payment of tax. Each man paid willingly. A total of £134 was collected.

CENSUS:

No problems were ^{ENCOUNTERED} encountered with census. Those absent had acceptable excuses and no action was necessary.

INVESTIGATIONS:

Two cases of suicide were brought to the notice at the patrol. At Kozpei investigations were carried into a man committing suicide the night before. Relatives were interviewed and it was learnt that the man appeared to be emotionally upset over the deaths of his brother and sister a week previously.

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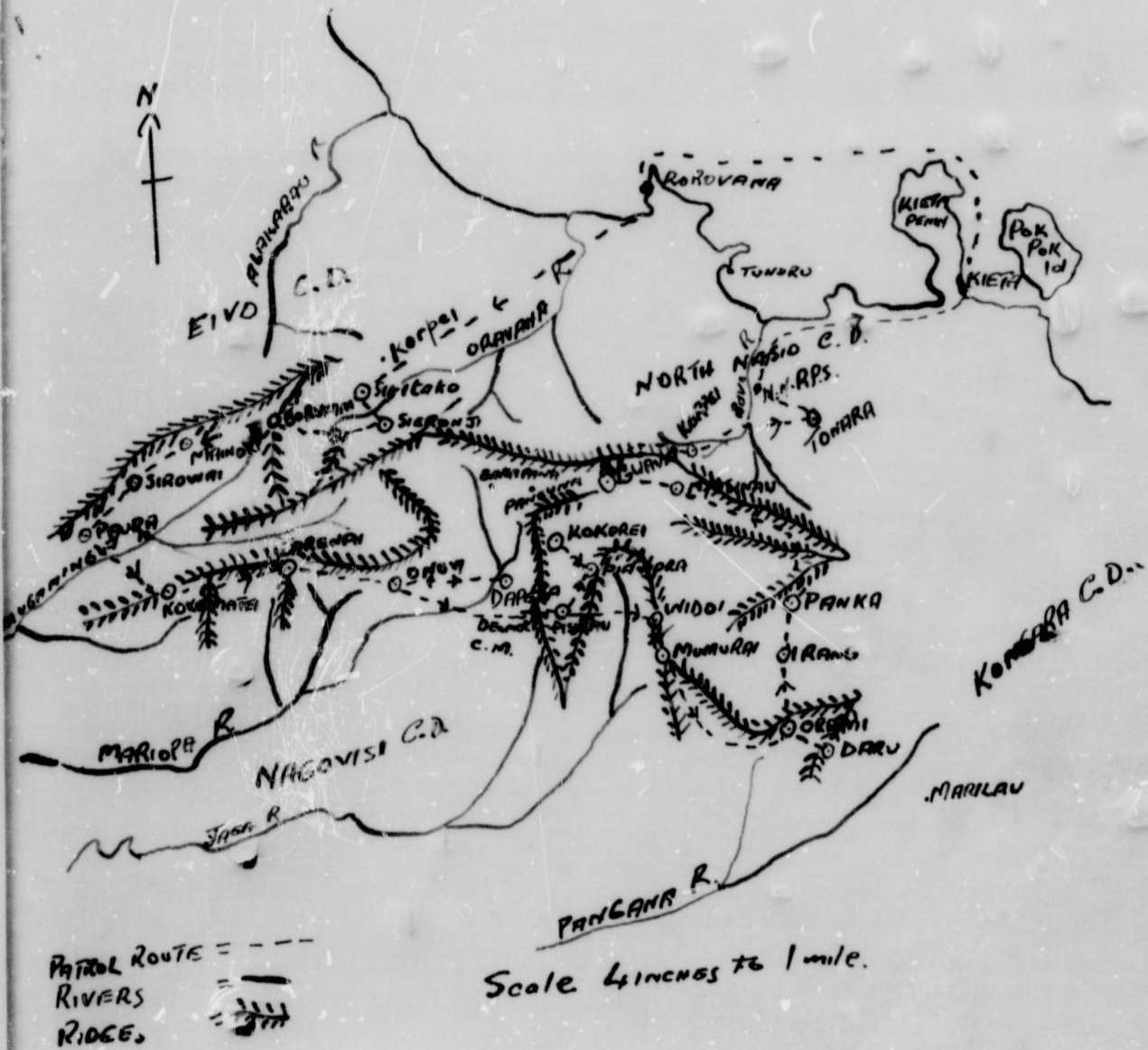
At Oran it was discovered that a young girl had hanged herself about a month before. Investigations failed to find a reason why she committed suicide.

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Cadet Patrol Officer

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GUAVA CENSUS DIVISION



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VILLAGE POPULATION REGISTER

(Folio No. 1.)

Year.....1965.....Month.....JANUARY.....
 Birth Rate =per 100
 Death Rate =per 100
 Natural Increase =per 100

VILLAGE	Day of Month	DEATHS										BIRTHS	MIGRATIONS					
		Under 1 Year		1-5 Years		6-10 Years		11-15 Years		16-45 Years			46 and over		IN		OUT	
		M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F		M	F	M	F	M	F
SIERONJI	12-1-65			1									2	4	1	1	2	3
PAKIA	12-1-65												5	8	2	1		
BURUMAI	13-1-65								1				1	1	6	4	6	2
MAMUKI	13-1-65												1	7	5	1		9
SIRUNAI	14-1-65					1							4	5	2			1
PAURA	15-1-65					1				1			10	2	3	4		
KOKOMATEI	16-1-65												1	1	8	1		2
LARENAI	16-1-65								1		1		6	8	1	2	1	
ONOVI	18-1-65				1					1			2	5	6	1	5	6
DAPERA	19-1-65												1	5	4	4		1
KUKUKI	21-1-65												7	3	3	6		1
PANORAI	21-1-65												1	2	2	1		1
PISINBU	21-1-65												7	5	6	6	3	3
MUMURAI	23-1-65												1	1	10	5	1	2
CHITANI	23-1-65												1	7	6	1	2	2
TOTALS																	

VILLAGE	Day of Month	ABSENT WORKERS				ABSENT STUDENTS								
		Inside District		Outside District		Inside the District		Outside the District						
		Child	Adult	Child	Adult	Child	Adult	Child	Adult					
SIERONJI	12-1-65		7		1				4	4				
PAKIA	12-1-65		16	1			1	8	4	12	8		1	
BURUMAI	13-1-65		6				1	7	1	2	1			
MAMUKI	13-1-65		11		7		1	12	5	8	7			
SIRUNAI	14-1-65		2					2	7	2				
PAURA	15-1-65		3		2			12	6	4	1			
KOKOMATEI	16-1-65		1					6	4	4	1			
LARENAI	16-1-65		1					8	11	5	6			
ONOVI	18-1-65		3					15	24	6	8			1
DAPERA	19-1-65		14		5			23	23	4	5			
KUKUKI	21-1-65		16					15	16	5	7			1
PANORAI	21-1-65		7					11	9	6	1			
PISINBU	21-1-65		0					11	12	4	1			
MUMURAI	23-1-65		19					15	24	5	3			
CHITANI	23-1-65		10					21	19	9	5			
TOTALS													

VILLAGE	Day of Month	POPULATION IN VILLAGE AT TIME OF CENSUS										TOTALS, inc. ABSENTEES		GRAND TOTAL	Average size of Family				
		Under 1 Year		1-5 Years		6-10 Years		11-15 Years		16-45 Years		46 and over				Child	Adult		
		M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F			M	F		
SIERONJI	12-1-65	3	7	7	5	8	5	1	7	15	4	4	17	19	23	23	82	3.5	
PAKIA	12-1-65	3	5	12	15	8	9	3	7	19	29	7	13	23	40	56	51	180	3.6
BURUMAI	13-1-65	5	3	11	8	6	5	3	5	19	19	3	3	32	19	28	25	104	3.0
MAMUKI	13-1-65	4	2	18	20	11	8	4	6	35	33	8	19	49	41	70	59	219	3.2
SIRUNAI	14-1-65	3	5	11	10	6	7	3	14	19	3	4	24	32	21	28	100	3.5	
PAURA	15-1-65	3	1	12	11	4	6	4	1	20	26	7	6	40	33	26	22	128	3.5
KOKOMATEI	16-1-65	6	4	8	1	4				15	17	2	16	29	23	20	55	3.2	
LARENAI	16-1-65	5	7	11	14	9	5	3	23	26	7	6	31	46	36	38	145	3.3	
ONOVI	18-1-65	2	2	11	13	3	4	1	1	32	27	8	13	39	40	43	50	176	2.7
DAPERA	19-1-65	4	5	13	10	6	1	1	1	25	25	7	2	37	30	37	33	166	3.6
KUKUKI	21-1-65	4	7	16	17	13	7	1	1	41	37	12	14	51	46	61	51	227	3.5
PANORAI	21-1-65	1	1	4	3	2	3	1	1	17	17	5	10	23	19	27	25	71	3.5
PISINBU	21-1-65	2	3	16	13	7	5	1	1	33	25	6	7	39	26	24	25	101	3.5
MUMURAI	23-1-65	2	3	19	13	4	11	1	1	36	35	5	13	41	57	57	52	202	3.1
CHITANI	23-1-65	7	3	10	10	7	5			21	25	7	9	28	20	22	22	207	3.2
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VILLAGE POPULATION REGISTER

(Folio No. 1.)

Birth Rate = 8 per 100

Death Rate = 1 per 100

Year.....Month.....

Natural Increase = 7 per 100

VILLAGE	Day of Month	DEATHS								BIRTHS	MIGRATIONS									
		Under 1 Year		1-5 Years		6-10 Years		11-15 Years			16-45 Years		46 and over		IN		OUT			
		M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F		M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F		
DARU	25/15			1	1	1				1		4	7	1			1			
IRANG	26/15									1		2	7	2			1			
PANKH	27/15											2	4	1	2	1	2			
GUARA	25/15									1		4	0	1	2	11	10			
MUSINAV	27/15										1	2	3	3	1	7	5			
TOTALS				2	2	3				3	4	7	8	5	11	12	37	26	48	42

VILLAGE	Day of Month	ABSENT WORKERS				ABSENT				STUDENTS										
		Inside District		Outside District		Inside the District				Outside the District										
		Child		Adult		Government		Mission		Government		Mission								
		M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F					
DARU	25/15		4						10	8	2	2								
IRANG	26/15			2					10	1	1	3								
PANKH	27/15								13	11	2	1								
GUARA	25/15			2					20	15	6	2								
MUSINAV	27/15			1		2			13	9	3	3								
TOTALS			4	2		2			56	43	12	11								2

VILLAGE	Day of Month	POPULATION IN VILLAGE AT TIME OF CENSUS								TOTALS, inc. ABSENTEES		GRAND TOTAL	Average size of Family			
		Under 1 Year		1-5 Years		6-10 Years		11-15 Years		16-45 Years				46 and over		
		M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F			M	F	
DARU	25/15	1	7	9	9	4	3			16	11	6	20	27	23	27
IRANG	26/15	2	5	10	4	3	3	1		27	25	3	27	29	37	30
PANKH	27/15	1	3	9	7	2	6			28	15	5	36	27	37	31
GUARA	25/15	1	5	16	22	7	10			15	27	5	8	47	59	43
MUSINAV	27/15	2	15	3	11	5				19	24	11	21	41	34	39
TOTALS		5	27	47	43	22	22	1		105	102	24	120	171	190	130



TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA

PATROL REPORT

District of **BOUGAINVILLE** Report No. **KIE 7/64-65**

Patrol Conducted by **R.G.GODDEN, CADET PATROL OFFICER**

Area Patrolled **GUAVA CENSUS DIVISION**

Patrol Accompanied by Europeans **NIL**

Natives **3 MEMBERS R.P. & N.G.C.**

Duration—From **22 / 2 / 1965** to **17 / 3 / 1965**

Number of Days **23**

Did Medical Assistant Accompany? **NO**

Last Patrol to Area by—District Services **1 / 19 65**

Medical **2 / 18 65**

Map Reference **BOUGAINVILLE FOURMIL**

Objects of Patrol **ROUTINE ADMINISTRATION**

Director of Native Affairs,
PORT MORESBY.

Forwarded, please.

2 / 4 / 1965

[Signature]
District Commissioner

Amount Paid for War Damage Compensation £.....

Amount Paid from D.N.E. Trust Fund £.....

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Telegrams DISADM

Telephone 67/1/6.

Our Reference.....

If calling ask for

Mr.....

Department of District Administration,

Bougainville District,
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7th. April, 1965.

The Director,
Department of District Administration,
KONEDOBU. PAPUA.

KIETA PATROL REPORT NO. 7/1964-1965.

The attached Patrol Report and Memorandum of 25th. March, 1965, from the Assistant District Commissioner, KIETA, are for your information please.

Relations between the Mining Company and the GUAVA people are pleasant and without any undue stresses and strains. Dr. WATSON, Medical Officer, KIETA, who has recently returned from a Patrol to the Area reports in much the same vein as Mr. GODDEN.

The only people, really, who raise objections to the presence of the Company are the NAGOVISI. Why, as it is not their land involved, is not clear, but it probably stems from opinions expressed about the Australian Administration cheating the BUIN people over the TONELEI Timber Rights. Such talk cannot be understood by the unsophisticated NAGOVISI and they have become so bemused and upset that they start at shadows.

The Report is quite a good one and comments made are sound and to the point.

(D. J. CLANCY).
ACTING DISTRICT COMMISSIONER.

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Sub-District Office,

KLEVA.

25th March '65

The District Commissioner,
Douglasville District,
EDWARD.

KLEVA PATROL REPORT NO. 7/64-65

SHAVA DIVISION

Attached please find the above report submitted by Mr. Godden, C.P.O.

Mr. Godden patrolled the area in January of this year and returned in the latter half of February primarily to ascertain if there had been any change in the attitude of the people towards C.P.A. activities in that Division. He reports that there is no evidence of friction or animosity.

C.P.A. is now carrying out intensified test drilling at three sites; two of these are above the population line (the nearest village is Gwona Village) on the southern side of the Crown Prince Range. The third site is on the southern side of the range well above Kyeid Village at the old Kyeid mining site. The latter is in the North West Division. Company officials advise that they will not know conclusively the results of the tests until the end of the year.

I understand that the Company intends to examine the problem of road access late next month.

The reasons given by the people for their expressed desire to be administered from Baka Patrol Post appear quite sound, however I am pleased that you have ruled that the Baka Native Local Government Council be inaugurated before disturbing the status quo.

The high proportion of children attending school is pleasing. The Division is well catered for by centrally placed area schools, all of which have some certificated teachers on the staff.

Mr. Godden has submitted a neat report of a well conducted patrol.

Claims for Camping Out Allowance is attached.

(M.J. Denahy)

Assistant District Commissioner

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INTRODUCTION:

Sub-District Office,
KIETA.

The Guava Census Division is situated on the South Eastern side of the Great Prince Range, with the hamlets of Pakia, Borumai and Sirumai, which are found to be on the North Eastern slopes. The Division covers an area of approximately 120 square miles.

18th March, 1965.

The villages are mainly situated on a number of ridges, the Assistant District Commissioner, Bougainville. This is a fairly isolated area with restricted communications and access, and the people are among the least sophisticated on Bougainville. The area, apart from two very small pockets of Seventh Day Adventist and Methodists, is wholly Roman Catholic under the auspices of Danwari Mission.

PATROL REPORT KIB 7/64-65

Four villages, Pakia, Sirumai, Borumai and Dapera, are inside the Kieta Local Government Council. Several groups of Villages outside the Council are also in the area. The patrol shall be carried out under the sub-heading Political Situations. Other objectives were Routine Administration and a survey was carried out as to the number of children attending school (the District Officer memorandum 24/1/1 of 18th January, 1965 refers).

DISTRICT: Bougainville.

MON 22nd: Patrol started Kieta 8.00am and travelled to Pakia arriving 4.00pm. Heavy rain. Slept Pakia.

Tues 23rd: Patrol conducted by R.G. Godden, Cadet Patrol Officer. Survey on Pakia. Walked to Sirumai for survey. Returned Pakia 2.30pm and travelled to Borumai. Slept Borumai.

Wed 24th: AREA PATROLLED: Guava Census Division. 7.30am Educational survey conducted. Departed 8.00am and arrived Mainaki 11.10am. Survey conducted. Inspected village.

PERSONNEL ACCOMPANYING: 3 members of R.P.A N.G.C.

Thurs 25th: 7.30am - 9.30am inspected Pital's hamlet. Travelled to Sirumai. Educational survey conducted. Inspected village. Slept Sirumai. **DURATION OF PATROL:** 22nd February, '65 to 17th March, '65.

Fri 26th: Departed Sirumai 7.30am and travelled to Faura arriving 1.30pm. Educational survey conducted. Inspected village. Slept Faura.

Sat 27th: LAST PATROL TO THE AREA: 7.30am and 8.30am. Educational survey carried out. Inspected village. Slept the night. **D.D.A. January, 1965. D.A.S.F. February, 1965.**

Sun 28th: Observed at Kobumai. **P.M.D. February, 1965.**

Mon 1st: Departed Kobumai and travelled to Laramai arriving 9.00am. Educational survey carried out. Inspected village. 1.30pm inspected hamlet. Slept Laramai. **OBJECTS OF THE PATROL: survey carried Routine Administration.**

Tues 2nd: MAP REFERENCE: started Laramai and travel Bougainville Fourail. Educational survey conducted. Slept Gourd.

Wed 3rd: Departed Gouri and travelled to Dapera. Survey conducted. Inspected Aid Post and village. Slept Dapera.

Thurs 4th: Departed Dapera and travelled to Pisisan visiting Danwari Mission curate. Educational survey conducted at Pisisan. Inspected village and hamlet. Slept Pisisan.

Patrol ended at Pisisan. Total distance travelled 120 miles. Total time 18 days.

INTRODUCTION:

The Guava Census Division is situated on the South Western side of the Crown Prince Range, with the exception of three villages, Pakla, Borumal and Sieronji, which are found to be on the North Eastern slopes. The division covers an area of approximately 150 square miles.

The villages are mainly situated on a number of ridges, running at right angles from the Crown Prince Range and extending down to the Nagorlad Plain. This is a fairly isolated area with restricted communications and access, and the people are among the least sophisticated on Bougainville. The area, apart from two very small pockets of Seventh Day Adventist and Methodists, is wholly Roman Catholic under the auspices of Demomri Mission.

Four villages, Pakla, Sieronji, Borumal and Dapera, are inside the Kieta Local Government Council. ~~Other~~ ^{Other} villages outside the Council were sought and these shall be discussed more fully under the sub-heading Political Situations. Other objectives were Routine Administration and a survey was carried out as to the number of children attending school (the District Commissioner memorandum 26/1/1 of the 15th January, 1965 refers).

ITINERARY:

- Mon 23rd Feb. Departed Kieta 8.00am and travelled to Pakla arriving 4.00pm. Heavy rain. Slept Pakla.
- Tues 23rd " Education survey on Pakla children carried out. 10.30am walked to Sieronji for survey. Returned Pakla 2.50pm and travelled to Borumal. Slept Borumal.
- Wed 24th " 7.30am Educational survey conducted. Departed 9.00am and arrived Matroki 11.10am. Survey conducted. Inspected village. Slept Matroki.
- Thurs 25th " 7.50am - 9.50am inspected Tultul's hamlet. Travelled to Sieronji. Educational survey conducted. Inspected village. Slept Sieronji
- Fri 26th " Departed Sieronji 7.50am and travelled to Paura arriving 9.00am. Educational survey conducted. Inspected village. Slept Paura.
- Sat 27th " Departed Paura 7.50am and travelled to Kokomatel arriving 8.50am. Educational survey carried out. Inspected village. Slept the night.
- Sun 28th " Observed at Kokomatel.
- Mon 1st Mar. Departed Kokomatel and travelled to Iarenal arriving 9.00am Educational survey carried out. Inspected village. 1.30pm inspected hamlet. Slept Iarenal.
- Tues 2nd " Departed Iarenal and travelled to Onovl arriving 9.20am. Educational survey conducted. Rain. Slept Onovl.
- Wed 3rd " Departed Onovl and travelled to Dapera. Survey conducted. Inspected Aid Post and village. Slept Dapera.
- Thurs 4th " Departed Dapera and marched to Plainsau visiting Demomri Mission enroute. Educational survey conducted at Plainsau. Inspected village and hamlet. Slept Plainsau.

VILLAGES CONT:

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- Fri 5th Mar.** Departed Pisinau and travelled to Piawora arriving 9.15am. Educational survey conducted. Inspected village. Travelled onto Kokorei arriving 10.30am. 1.00pm Educational survey carried out. Heavy Rain. Slept Kokorei.
- Sat 6th** " General discussion held with villagers. Inspected village. Visited C.R.A. camp at Marapana. Returned 6.00pm. Slept Kokorei.
- Sun 7th** " Observed at Kokorei.
- Mon 8th** " Departed Kokorei and proceeded to Mumurai inspecting Kokorei hamlet and Aid Post enroute. Educational survey carried out. Heavy rain all afternoon. Slept Mumurai.
- Tues 9th** " Departed Mumurai 7.30am and travelled to Orami, visiting Biampa school enroute. 10.30am travelled to Daru and carried out Education survey. Returned Orami 2.30pm. Survey carried out with Orami. Inspected village. Slept Orami.
- Wed 10th** " Departed Orami 8.00am and travelled to Irang arriving 9.00am. Educational survey conducted. Heavy rain. Slept Irang.
- Thurs 11th** " 8.00am - 9.30am settled one dispute over land. Departed Irang and travelled to Panka. Educational survey carried out. Proceeded onto Musinau arriving at 12.50pm. Survey conducted. Inspected village. Slept Musinau.
- Fri 12th** " Departed Musinau 7.30am and travelled to Guava via one hamlet. Educational survey carried. Slept Guava.
- Sat 13th** " Inspected Guava and Half line. Proceeded to Hamlet of Pakia (Moroni) for inspection. Visited two C.R.A. camps. Slept Panguna camp.
- Sun 14th** " Observed at Panguna.
- Mon 15th** " Returned to Guava. Typing out Patrol Report. Slept Guava.
- Tues 16th** " Typing report also collecting information on one assignment. Slept Guava.
- Wed 17th** " Returned to Kieta.

RECEPTION OF PATROL:

The patrol was always greeted on friendly terms with no incidents occurring.

VILLAGES:

All villages, with the exception of Mainoki and Sirowai, were found to be in satisfactory order. The excuse given by the villagers of Mainoki and Sirowai is that they are moving their village to a new site and have been working clearing the new site.

Each family were generally found to have a house, kitchen and latrine of their own. To those families that did not have this, it was suggested that they follow this practice.

VILLAGES CONT:

Patrolling the division at the same time was the Local Medical Officer. He found latrines to be far too shallow and instructed that they should build deeper ones. This is now being carried out.

The Kukurai of Kokomatei states that villagers plan to move the village site further down the ridge. He claims that strong winds damage houses etc. at the present site.

VILLAGE OFFICIALS:

All village officials were found to be very helpful in their respective villages. Instructions given to the officials by the previous patrol have been carried out.

The Fulful of Naindel, OBOBIN, together with the former Kukurai of Naindel, TAPU, seems to be responsible for their hamlet now wishing to come into the Kieta Council. This seems also to be the case with the Kukurai of Irang, TAMWAM, whose line together with the Methodist line wish to come inside the Kieta Council.

The patrol of Pisman, TAMARI, is at present serving a term in the Corrective Institution for being the ringleader of a small case of 'orange cult'.

A list of Village Officials is attached as an Appendix.

OPINIONS ON POLITICAL SITUATION:

As stated in Patrol Report No.6 64/65 only 13 males and 11 females of the villagers of Naindel wish to join the Kieta Council. This small group is headed by the Fulful, OBOBIN, and the former Kukurai, TAPU. Their hamlet is situated about an hour walk from the main village. This group wishes to be placed with Borumai in the electorate.

The S.D.A. and Methodist line of Irang still wish to join with the Guava villagers and form an electorate in the Council. One hamlet of Guava, headed by a former Medical Fulful, MIRIMORO, wishes to migrate out of Guava to Musinan. This is probably a show of anti-council.

At Larenai a large body of men from Kokomatei and Larenai assembled in the rest house and expressed their like to be administered from Boku. Reasons given are as follows:-

- (a) closer to Boku.
- (b) some of their ground is close to the Nagovisi area.
- (c) Cash cropping shall be carried through the Nagovisi rather than cross the mountain range to Kieta.
- (d) road to Decemal mission is easier from the Nagovisi area. They are helping the priest in working the road.

This like was expressed by all villagers except those mentioned above who wish to join the Kieta Council.

The villages inside the council are showing a keen attitude towards their council. When asked what they thought of the Council they stated simply that it was 'good'.

AGRICULTURE:

Nothing more can be really said under this sub-heading than that was stated in Patrol Report No. 6.

EDUCATIONAL At guava village it was requested by the local Agriculture Field Worker that the undersigned have a discussion with the men from this village and try and encourage coffee planting around the area. A discussion with the Kukurai, ONI, revealed that many men are working for C.R.A. and so have little or no time for planting.

One of the points brought up by the villagers wishing to be administered from Boku was that cash cropping shall be carried through the Nagovisi area for shipping. In order to bring it to the east coast, they first have to climb to 4,800 feet to cross the Crown Prince Range.

The village Mainoki had 3 males and one female not attending school. When asked the reason for this they stated that they were unable to take them. The following morning when the undersigned was in the area it was learned that there was a shortage of carriers.

COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY:

C.R.A., one of the largest mining firms in the world, is at present carrying out exploration into mineral potential of the area called Baravana and Panguna. The firm is now in its second stage of operations. Drilling has commenced and samples of soils from various levels are being analysed.

The firm provides employment for about 90 men in the area. If commercial mining is commenced then more employment shall be available.

No complaints were heard by the patrol about the Company. All seemed contented and some stated that it was good, providing employment etc.

THE MEN OF KOKOREI STATED THAT C.R.A. SHOULD TEACH THE NATIVES HOW TO USE THE MACHINERY.

COMPLAINTS:

ROADS AND BRIDGES:

Several complaints were heard by the patrol. However these were of minor matters and were arbitrated successfully to the satisfaction of both parties. condition. However, heavy rain was experienced just about every day and this made walking rather rocky.

REST HOUSES:

As stated in Patrol Report No. 6 the villagers of Mainoki, Sioronji and Paura plan to build a road down to Korotona. All Rest Houses were found to be clean and tidy. Each village with the exception of Sioronji, Piawora and Panka maintains its own. with as the proposed route is through mountains or steep hills. The villagers stated that the surveyors, working in the district, were going to survey this road. The undersigned was going to Kieta and discussing this with the surveyor it was found that this was not true.

CARRIERS:

No problems were encountered with carriers. In each village carriers volunteered willingly.

MISSIONS:

HEALTH:

The whole division is essentially Roman Catholic with the exception of a small S.D.A. and Methodist lines at Irang. The three villages on the east side of the range are influenced by the missionaries. As mentioned in Patrol Report No. 6 this division was infested with diseases. Epidemics of measles and chicken pox were reported by the local Medical Officer who was patrolling the division at the same time. The latter disease however was subsiding steadily.

The rest of the villages in the division were influenced by the missionaries. Isolated cases of Conjunctivitis were noticed in many villages.

One of the main complaints recorded by the Medical Officer was that latrines were not deep enough. Villages visited by the patrol after the doctor were in the process of building new latrines.

It is anticipated that the Medical Officer shall be reporting the above mentioned diseases to the District Medical Officer in his report.

EDUCATION:

One of the objects of the patrol was to endeavour to find out the number of school aged children attending school. This was requested by the District Commissioner's memorandum of the 15th January, '65.

In the division there are 429 males and 373 females children of school age. Of this only 9 males and 8 females were not attending school. Various reasons were given for their non-attendance.

The village Mainoki had 3 males and one female not attending school. When asked the reason for this they stated that the school was unable to take them. The following morning when talking to the teacher it was ~~learned~~ learnt that there was a shortage of dormitory space.

At Mumurai it was noticed that three girls in the 8-14 years old bracket were not attending school. When asked for the reason of this it was said that they had finished school and were now staying in their village.

Of the other non attendants it was found that some had been expelled from their school. It was suggested that they try another school.

A proforma on attendances is attached as an appendix.

ROADS AND BRIDGES:

All bridle tracks were found to be in reasonable condition. However, heavy rain was experienced just about every day and this made walking rather boggy.

As stated in Patrol Report No. 6 the villagers of Mainoki, Sirowai and Paura plan to build a road down to Morotona Mission. At Paura the undersigned walked a short distance along the proposed route and it was found to be quite level with no mountains or steep hills. The villagers stated that the surveyors, working in the district, were going to survey this road. ~~and~~ On returning to Kieta and discussing this with the surveyor it was found that this was not true.

MISSIONS:

The whole division is essentially Roman Catholic with the exception of a small S.D.A. and Methodist lines at Irang. The three villages on the east side of the range are influenced by the mission station at Tunuru. This station is staffed by one priest, three Nuns and various native assistants. The Council President is a teacher at this station.

The rest of the villages in the division are influenced by the mission station at Decmori. This is staffed by one priest and one European lay missionary

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APPENDIX II

SCHOOL STATISTICS ON ATTENDANCE

VILLAGE	CHILDREN ATTENDING SCHOOL								CHILDREN NOT ATTENDING SCHOOL								
	No. Under 8		No. 8-14		No. Over 14		Total		No. Under 8		No. 8-14		No. 14-16		Total		
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	
SIERONJI	3	3	6	6	6	4	15	13	3				2	2		2	
PAKIA	1	7	14	10	12	7	27	24	1							1	
BORUMAI	3	4	12	2	3	1	18	7									
MAONOKI	1	2	13	16	12	7	26	25	2		1		1			3 1	
SIROWAI			5	8	5	3	10	11	1				1				
PAURA			13	5	6	3	19	8	3				1				
KOKOMATEI	1	1	6	10	4	4	11	15					1				
LARENAI			9	13	3	7	12	20	1							1	
ONNOVI	5	2	11	17	8	12	24	31			1					1	
DAPERAI	3	2	21	23	8	4	32	29									
PISINAU	4	1	15	11	4	3	23	15									
KOKOREI	2	2	20	17	6	6	26	25									
MUMURAI	2	1	13	21	9	2	24	24		1	1		3			1 4	
DARU	3	2	8	8	3	2	14	12									
ORAMI	1	2	25	18	7	4	33	24									
IRANG	1	3	8	9	3	3	12	15			1		1	1		1 2	
PIAWORA			9	6	5	2	14	8									
PANKA	6	2	7	8	8	3	21	13									
MUSINAU	4	1	17	8	5	3	26	12									
GUAVA	8	7	17	17	8	10	33	34									
							420	365									9 8

school. All schools are able to take extra students

APPENDIX III.

LIST OF SCHOOLS

NAME	NO. OF PUPILS	NO. CERTIFICATED TEACHERS	NO. NON-CERTIFICATED TEACHERS
SIPITAKO	135	4	NIL
PALUPALU	128	3	2
PIRUARU	89	3	1
DEOMORI	120	4	NIL
TARURUANAU	25	1	1
BIAMPA	113	3	1
GUAVA	64	1	1

All villages are not more than four miles away from the near est school. All schools are able to take extra students except Palupalu which is short of dormitory space at the moment.

APPENDIX IV

VILLAGES
 PAKIA
 SIKOMUJI
 KOGUMAI
 MAIKOKI
 SIROWAI
 PAUSA
 PAKOMATEI
 JABENAI
 OHOVI
 PISIRAU
 DAPERAI
 HOKORAI
 MUMURAI
 ORAKI
 DANU
 PIAPORA
 IRANG
 PAKIA
 MUSIRAU
 GUAVA

TOTALS 405

GOVAY
 MUSIRAU
 4-6
 1
 11
 11
 8
 2
 10
 3
 450
 302
 33
 34
 52
 45

APPENDIX IV

LITERACY SURVEY of GUAVA DIVISION

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VILLAGE	PIDGIN		ENGLISH	
	M	F	M	F
PAKIA	29	11	9	12
SIKRONJI	15	5	2	2
BOKUMAI	19	4	-	-
MAINOKI	33	4	1	2
SIROWAI	16	5	-	-
PAURA	23	7	-	1
KOKOMATEI	16	2	1	6
LARENAI	15	4	-	4
ONNOVI	28	1	3	2
PISINAI	18	1	-	-
DAPERA	36	6	4	3
KOKORKI	28	-	1	1
MUMURAI	19	-	-	-
ORAMI	21	1	5	-
DAHU	9	-	1	-
PIAWORA	14	-	3	-
IRANG	19	2	2	1
PANKA	12	1	-	-
MUSINAI	17	1	1	1
GUAVA	17	5	3	2
TOTALS	405	57	36	37

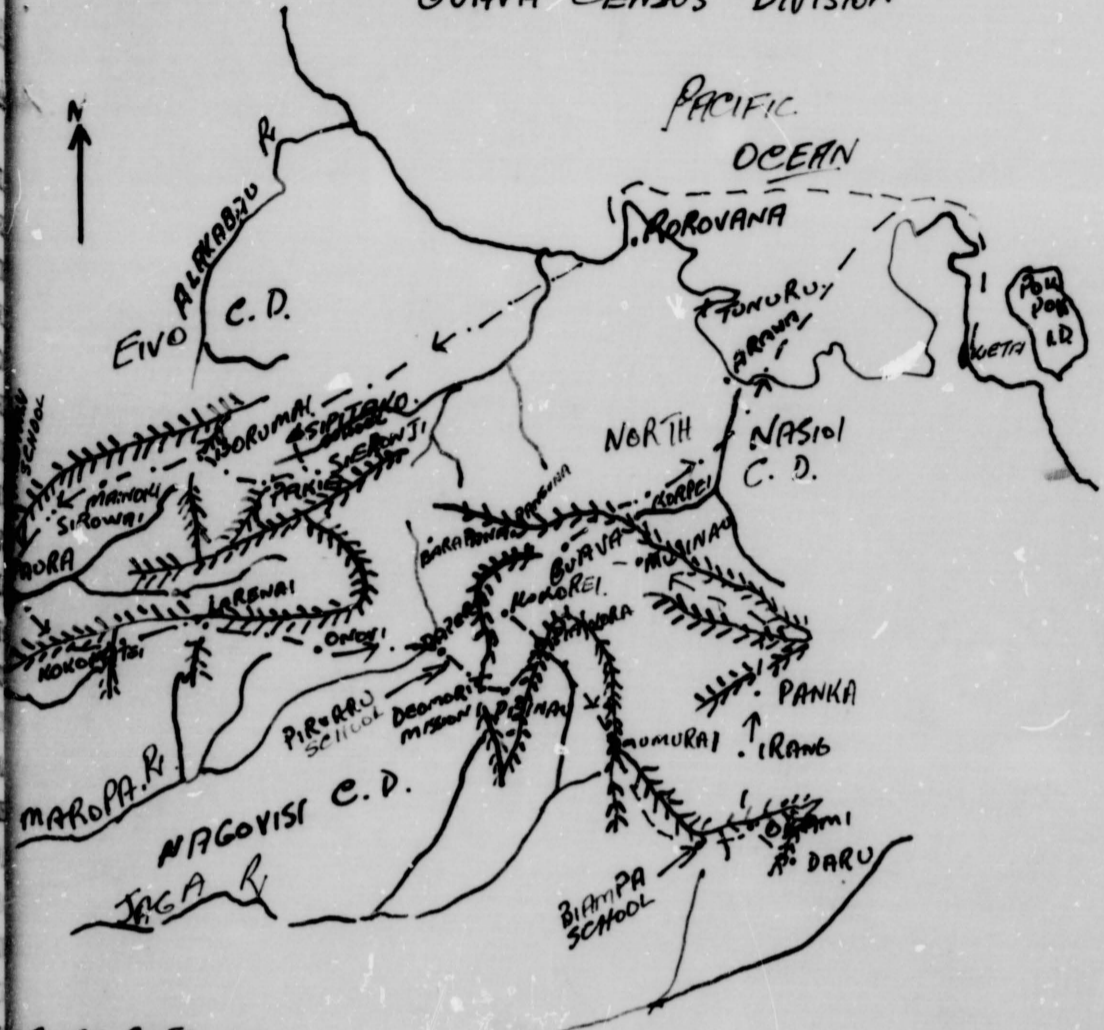
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GUAYA CENSUS DIVISION

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