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TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA

## PATROL REPORT

Report Number. GUARI No. 1-68/69	)		
SubdistrictGOILALA			
District CENTRAL			
Patrol Conducted by R.B.PHILIPPE P.	.0.		
Area Patrolled	KARUAMA CENSUS DIVISION (NON=		
(Council and/or	COUNCIL AREA)		
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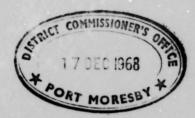


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Mr ..

Department of District Administration, Konedobu, Papua,



11th December, 1968.

The District Commissioner, Central District, PORT MORESBY.

## PATROL 110. GUARI 1/68-69

Your reference is 67-10-1.

I acknowledge with thanks receipt of Area Study/Situation Report by Mr. R.B. Phillips to Karuama Census Division.

I draw your attention to circular memorandum 67-1-0 of 21st June, 1968 - Patrol Reports Generally, Paragraph 12. I quote, "Comments, therefore, must do more than merely praise or find fault. They must correct and guide; they must be draigned to improve the quality both of reporting and patrolling".

(T.W. ELLIS)
Director

67-10-1

2nd, December, 1968.

Director, Department of District Administration, NONEDONU.

## PATROL REPORT NO. GUARI 1-68/69

The above report is ferwarded for your information please. It also contains a brief area study.

Very peoply compiled. There is no mention of movement of those people to the Bush Hokes area where they have established themselves and planted up coffee and secons.

Admittedly there is probably very little to write on this completely undeveloped area, but surely a little more detail could be included. Otherwise, the comments unde by Assistant District Commissioner Espini are adequate.

## (R.T. GALLOWAY) DISTRICT COMMISSIONER G.D.

Assistant District Commissioner, TAPINI.

Next petrol through Karmana, please ensure that a better submission of Area Study is submitted. I commend Mr. Phillips to use a publication called "Gover's Plain Words" also a dictionary.

(R.T. GALLOWAY)
DISTRICT COMMISSIONER C.D.



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Department of District Administration,

Sub-District Office, TAPINI, Central District,

25th November, 1968.

District Commissioner, Central District, PORT MORESBY

## GUARI PATROL REPORT 1-68/69 KARUAMA CENSUS DIVISION

Attached please find three copies of the above mentioned report, submitted by Mr. R.B. Philippe, Patrol Officer in Charge Guari.

The patrol was of a routine nature. I have the following few comments to 2. make:

## LOCAL GOVERNMENT

The prospects of commencing Local Government in this area have been the subject of much correspondence. The present situation appears to be as Mr. Philippe describes it - the people show no desire for a Council and it would be unwise to push them into it. However, the suggestion that some leaders should be invited to attend a Council meeting seems reasonable and will be mentioned at the next meeting.

## VILLAGE OFFICIALS

The Record of Service for the new appointed Waivarip Gamumai has already been forwarded for processing.

#### RURAL PEVELOPMENT

A great bar to economic development has been the lack of transport facilities for marketing purposes. Now that two successful cattle drives have taken place to Port Moresby the problem has been partly overcome, as all that is needed is a suitable track (already in existence)

Cash crops should not be encouraged until some means of transport is found. It is good to see that the bridle paths have been maintained to motorcycle standard. There has been a vast improvement over the last two years and if the people keep up their enthusiasm it may be possible to widen the present ZANIYALAVAVA - KARUAMA bridle path to vehicle standard. Such a road would eventually connect Tapini to Bereina and vehicle standard. the Karuema Valley.

#### AREA STUDY: LITERACY

With only one Administration school in the whole Goilala, population over 32,000 it is unlikely that the Department of Education would consider opening a school in the Karusma Census Division, population 1171. The people will have to continue to depend on the Missions in this field.

STANDARD OF LIVING The Karuema villages have followed the Kunimaipa trend towards building better houses situated in small hamlets near the main bridle paths. Together with latrines rubbish pits and clean surrondings, they are a welcome improvement on the traditional filth infested hovels of the Goilala. POLITICAL DEVELOPMENT. Reports from the election patrols throughout the Goilala were almost unanimous - a reluctance towards preferential voting and an ignorance of regional electorates. This is understandable and can only be overcome though more political edutorates. cation over a period of time. Mr. Philippe could pay more attention to his spelling. 3. Only one copy of a map is enclosed - could further ones be photocopied, please. Por your dates bac A claim for camping allowance is attached for your approval, please. Snel, Pathin Diers. (R.E. a/Assistant District Commissioner Att. copy. Officer in Charge, Patrol Post, GUARI

## DEPARTMENT OF DISTRICT ADMINISTRATION

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REP

Patrol Post, GUARI. 12th November '68

Assistant District Commissioner, Goilala Sub District Office, TAPINI.

## PATROL REPORT

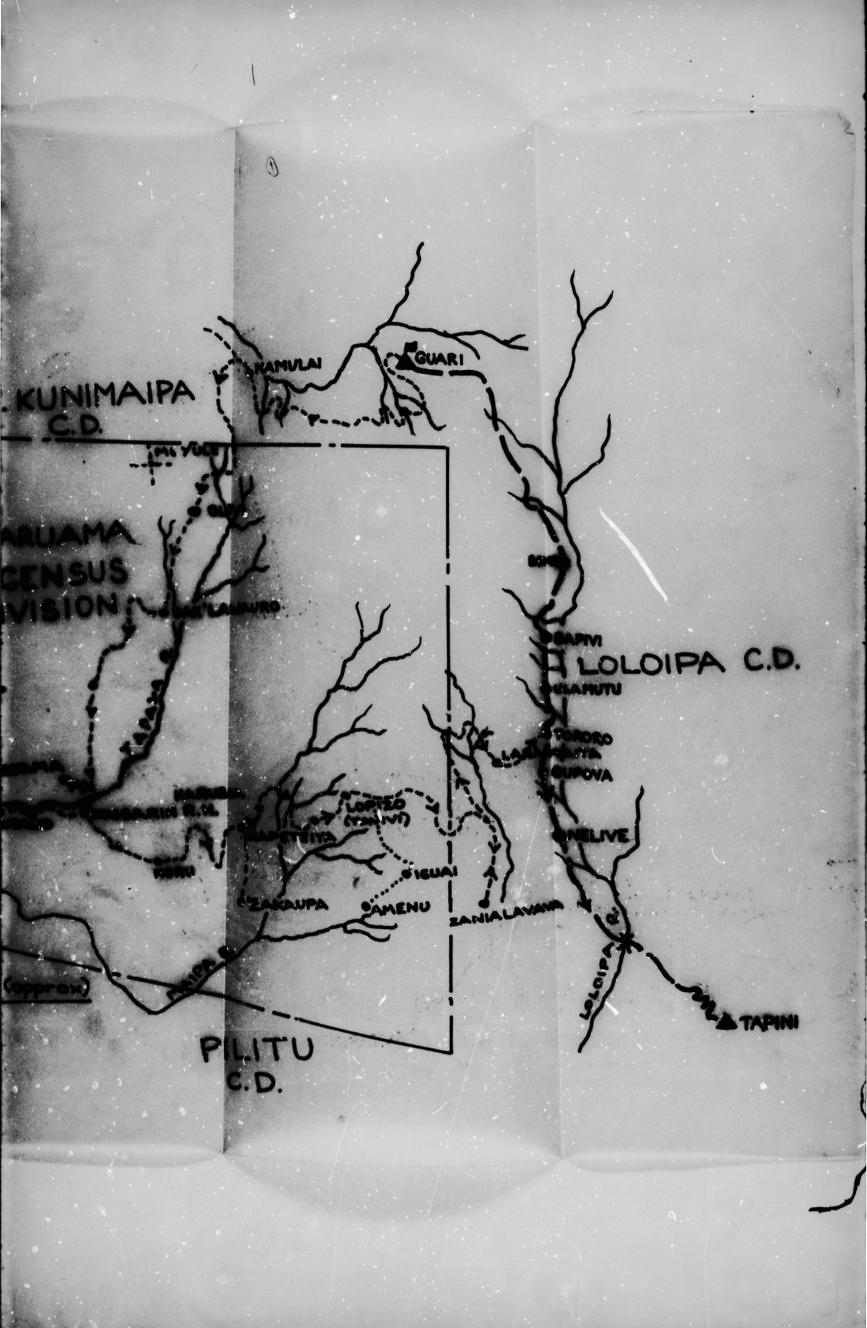
Please find enclosed Guari Patrol Report No. 1-68/69. For your information and enforwarding please.

R.B. Britispe Officer in Charge

Encl. Patrol Diary. Situation Report. Area Study. Appendix (a); Census Figures.

Att. Camping Allowance Claim.

L. KUNIMAIPA PILITU C.D.



## PATROL DIARY

!	13-8-68	1045	Police and carriers departed GUARI Patrol Post for KAMULAI
,		1115	Self and Mr.D.Hall E.M.A. departed for KAMULAI by motorcycle. Inspected progress of GUARI/KAMULAI road.
		1205	Arrived KAMULAI Catholic Mission
		1405	Police and carriers arrived Kamulai.
		1500	Inspected TONAMENA village.
		ROAD TIMES:	GUARI to KAMULAI
		0.35	Motorcycle 50 minutes
			Walking 3 hours 20 minutes.
			Road condition good, grade easy.
	14-8-68	0915	Departed KAMULAI C.M. for OLIVI
	14-0-00	1055	Self and E.M.A. arrived OLIVI per motor-
)		1000	cycle.
		1130	Inspected two OLIVI "house lines"
		1400	Police and carriers arrived OLIVI
		ROAD TIMES:	KAMULAI to OLIVI
			Motorcycle 1 hour 40 minutes
			Walking 4 hours 45 minutes.
			Road condition wet and slippery, several
			short steep grades.
	15-8-68	0900	Conducted census revision for OLIVI
		1430	General discussion with people whilts awaiting needles and stringes to arrive from KAMULAI.
)		1510	Assisted Mr. Hall B.M.A. with CDT and triple antigen injections.
	2848-88		Overnight at OLIVI Rest House.
	16-8-68	0825	Departed OLIVI for DAK'LAWAURO
		0900	Arrived DAK'LAWAURO
		0945	Police and carriers arrived.
		1050	Commenced census revision
		1410	Completed census revision
		1515	Heard three minor complaints.
		BOAR TEMPOR	Overnight DAK'LAWAURO Rest House.
		ROAD TIMES:	OLIVI to DAK'LAWAURO
)			Motorcycle: 35 minutes Carriers : 1 hour 20 minutes.
			Panarios Tavivio for Zavis avers
	17-8-68	0805	Departed DAK'LAWAURO for KOSGARIN Rest House
		0835	Arrived KOSGARIN
		0925	Carriers arrived
	127	1100	Commenced census revision for KARUAMA, KORU, PORAMALIO, INAVORENA and KWAPA villages.
		1540	Completed census
			Overnight at KOSGARIN Rest House
		ROAD TIMES:	DAK LAWAURO to KOSGARIN
)			Motorcycle 30 minutes
,			Carriers 1 hour 20 minutes.
			TOTAL EN MITTINGS

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18-8-68	1020	Departed KOSGARIN for KARUAMA	
	1030	Arrived KARUAMA. Inspected village	
	1005	Returned KOSGARIN	
	ROAD TIMES:	KOSGARIN to KARUAMA Motorcycle 10 minutes.	0
19-8-68	0815	Departed KOSGARIN for PORAMARIO	
	3415	Carriers to KAPETEIYA.	
	0850	Arrived KOSGARIN Road very rough Inspected village.	
	0925	Departed PORAMALIO	
	0955	Passed through KOSGAKIN	
	1005	Arrived KORU Lispected village	1
	1025	Departed KORU	
	1045	Arrived KAPETEIYA Inspected village	
	1110	Departed KAPETAIYA	
	1115	Arrive GUARI/MAIPA Mission Station	
	1220	Conducted census revision for KAPETAIYA and ZAKAUPA Overnight at GUARI/MAIPA	
	ROAD TIMES:	Kosgarir to Poramalio and return Motorcycle: 35 minutes KOSGARIN TO KORU	
		Motorcycle: 20 minutes KAPETAIYA to GUANI/MAIPA	
		Motorcycle: 25 minutes	1
		KOSGARIN to GUARI/MAIPA .	
		Motorcycle: 35 minutes	
		Carriers : 1 hour 40 minutes.	
20-8-68	0825	Departed GUARI/MAIPA for TAVIVI Rest Ho	use
	9855 0950	Arrived TAVIVI Rest House Police and carriers arrived TAVIVI	
	1110	Commenced census revision for KARUSIA, LOPIZO, IGUAI and AMENU	
	1545	Completed census revision.	
		Inspected village	
		Overnight TAVIVIO Rest House	
	ROAD TIMES:	GUARI/MAIPA to TAVIVI	
/		Motorcycle: 30 minutes	
		Carriers: 1 hour 25 minutes.	
21-8-68	0715	Departed TAVIVIV for ZANIALAVAVA	
21-0-00		(Tapini Local Government Council area)	-
	0910	Arrived ZANIALAVAVA	
	1120	Police and carriers arrived	
	1220	Informal talk with people re-roads and bridges and House of Assembly.	
	1540	Inspected village Overnight at ZANIALAVAVA	
	ROAD TIMES:	TAVIVI to ZANIALAVAVA	
		Motorcycle: 1 hour 55 minutes	
		Carriers: 4 hours 5 minutes.	

ROADS TIMES:

Departed ZANIALAVAVA for TORORO Via

Arrived LARAMAITA. Informal talk with people. Inspected village.

Departed LARAMAITA

Arrived TORORO. Informal talk with people.

Departed TORORO for TAPINI Arrived TAPINI.

END OF PATROL

ZANIALAVAVA to LARAMAITA

Motorcycle 50 minutes

Carriers 2 hours approx

LARAMATTA to TORORO

Motorcycle 15 minutes

Carriers 35 minutes

TORORO to TAPINI

Motorcycle 1 hour 5 minutes

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## (a) POLITICAL

#### LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

At present there is no Local Government
Council in the Karuama Census Division and
the people in the area showed no desire
to be in the Council. This Census Division
in my opinion a long way behind the areas I
have seen in the Tavini Local Government
Council area and I believe that it would
be unwise to push them into a Council but
I think that if an experienced Local
Government Officer were to explain to them
the basic facts of Councils and that a
regular intervals village leaders were to
sit in on Council meetings it would be
possible to bring these people into a Council
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## VILLAGE OFFICIALS.

In the Karuama Census Division there are twelve village constables and twenty-one village Councillors. Of these officials approximately half appeared to have good control in their villages. The other half were very unimpressive. Some were very old and I have no doubt have previously been doing good work but now because of their age seem to be lossing control in their village. Taking the village officials as a whole they appear to be doing a reasonable jobs. Just prior to the patrol being mounted the village constable at INAWORENA died and during the patrol a new village constable was appointed.

## HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

Very little was known about the working of the House of Assembly and its work. I attemped to explain to the people of all villages very simply the workings of the House of Assembly but I'm afraid it did not appear to be very successful as was shown when I later asked them simple questions on what I have said.

## HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY MEMBERS.

is small minority of people knew that Mr. Louis Mona was the new member for Goilala Open and there was not one person who knew Mr. Oala Oala Rarua was the member for Central Regionnal. Neither of these members have visited the area but I believe Mr. Mona is planning a short visit in the near future to parts of the area, and has arranged with Fathers at Kamulai to have some of the village leaders present when he visits Kamulai.

## POLITICAL EDUCATION.

Short simple talks were given at each village on political education but I'm afraid these did not appear very successful. Most people were aware that they were represented by a two members ine the House of Assembly, they were also aware of the boundries of the Goilala Open Electorate even though very few knew who the member for Goilala was, but in in the Central Regional Electorate only a few knew the boundries and none the name of the member.

## POLITICAL EDUCATION (Cont.)

In my opinion to make the political education talks a success visual aids such as the simple flip charts used in the 1964 elections have to be used because the people do not seem to respond to somebody standing in front of them talking. I think flip charts would create a greater interest and make it much easier for the people to understand.

## PREFERENTIAL VOTING.

The system of preferential voting was not understood. The people just could not see the reason for it.

## (b) ECONOMIC.

## GENERAL RURAL DEVELOPMENT.

Rural development in the Karuama Census
Division is almost non-existant. There are
two small Coffee gardens in the area which
are now overgrown because the owners do not
know how to process the Coffee beans and
a group of people a Kapeteiya village have
four head of cattle which were given to them
by Father Abel at Guari Maipa Mission Station
for services rendered.
Cattle I believe is the only future for these
people because they have large areas of
grasslands where the cattle can graze. There
is also a good potential in the supply of
vegetables when eventually a road is built
into the area either from Kamulai Catholic
Mission or from Tororo of the Tapini to Guari
road. At present vegetables are grown but
because of the great distance from markets
how of these are sold except to patrol passing
through and a few to Guari Maipa Mission
Station.

The Guari Maipa mission station operates a pit saw and I see no reason why a water driven sawmill could not be set up. There is an abundance of timber in the area and the fast flowing streams would provide an excellent service for a water driven sawmill but again a road would have to be built into the area to transport the sawn timber out.

### ACTIVITIES OF DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENTS.

This area has been neglected by development Departments especially Department of Agriculture Stock and Fisheries who have made no attempt the help the two people who have coffee plots. If D.A.S.F. were to go into the area I believe that the people would readily accept their advice because my impression was that people as willing to work to gain some economic development for their area this has been proved by some of the people from INAWORENA and PORAMALIO moving down into the Kairuku Sub-District to MARABOI and starting a Cocoa plantation.



## PROCESSING AND MARKETING.

If cash crops were to be established in the area the marketing centres would be Tapini, Guari and possibly Bereina.

#### VILLAGE CASH CROP EXTENSION.

There has been no village cash crop extension in the Karuama Census Division.

#### NON INDIGENOUS DEVELOPMENT.

There is no non-indigenous development in the area.

SOCIAL

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EDUCATION.

There are no primary school in the area but one is to be built at Guari Maipa mission station when father returns from leave at the end of this year. The villages at the headwaters of the Tapala river send their children to primary school at Kamulai which teaches up to Standard 3. The villages at the lower end of the Tapala river and the Meipa river send their children to primary school at Beipa village in the Kairuku Sub-Dastrict.

There are catacist schools at the following villages OLIVI, DAK'LAWAURO, KARUAMA, KAPETAIYA and TAVIVI.

Very few of the educated people stay in the villages but go to Port Moresby to seek work. Of the people who were in the villages very few were literate in police motu or pidgin.

HEALTH.

There are two aid post in the census division one at DAK'LAWAURO and the other at TAVIVI but the aid post ordelies did not appear very competant.

Mr.D.Hall the medical assistant from Tapini station accompanied the patrol and gave the first injections of B.C.G. and triple antigen. A hospital orderly is a present on patrol in the area giving the second injections in this campaign.

The people themselves appeared healthy and no serious illness were brought to Mr.Hall. Many cases of sipoma were seen.

Several deaths were reported from PCRAMALIO and INAWORENA which from the symtoms described appeared to be malaria. These villages were previously situated on low ground but area now in the process of moving further up the Tapala river onto higher ground. This will possibly help to keep the deaths from malaria down.

### LAW AND ORDER.

The only case brought before the patrol which warranted court action was one of five men playing cards. All other cases were of a petty nature and were settled by arbitration. The village constable system of law and order appeared to be working very well with one case being brought before the patrol of

## LAW AND ORDER (cont.)

village people were refusing to work on roads and keep their village clean.

## SERVICES PROVIDED BY THE GOVERNMENT.

The only services provided by the Government and its agencies are the two aid posts and the vaccination programme by Public Health Department and the services provided by Department of District Administration.

#### MISSIONS.

The whole of the Karuama Census Division are adherants to the Roman Catholic Mission who has a mission station at Guari Maipa close to KAPETAIYA village which is manned by a European Father. During thet time that I was on patrol this station was unmanned the good Father being on leave. Father Abel regulary patrols the area giving advice and holding church services. With his advice and help on roads he has brought the roads up to such a standard that a motorcycle can be ridden to all villages except two which are well away from the main bridle path.

### CULTS AND UNREST.

There are no cultist activities or unrest in the area.

#### COMMUNITY EDUCATION.

There have been no community education programms except for health education carried out by the Aid Post Supervisor from G Guari carried out in the area.

#### AREA STUDY

## A. INTRODUCTION .

The Keruama Census Division consists of two river systems the Tapala in which approximately three quarters of the population live and the Maipa. Both these rivers are very fast flowing mountain streams with steep banks.

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This census division is situated in a south easterly direction from Guari Patrol Post the first village OLIVI being twenty—two miles away by bridle path. The most prominent geographical feature in the area is mt. Yule which towers over all other mountains in the area. There are thirteen villages in the census division which are situated at heights above sea level ranging from 4500 feet to 1500 feet. The climate in the area is very similar to Rapini warm days and cool evenings and on the rainfall would be approximately 80 inches to 100 inches a year. Most of the ranges in the area are covered with rain forest which large areas of grassland.

## B. POPULATION DISTRIBUTION AND TRENDS.

All villages in the census division are linked by bridle paths with the exceptions of AMENU and IGUAI which are linked to the main bridle path by bush tracks.

There is quite a large flow of labour out of the Karuama to Port Moresby the reason for this being that it is almost impossible in this census division to earn any sort of cash income. Most of this labour flow is young men in the 18 to 25 years age group who have received a small education some up to standard 3 from the Roman Catholic Mission and now they have this education even though small they want to go out and earn an income.

## C. SOCIAL GROUPINGS.

There are twenty-three social groups in the Karuama which are based on clans. Each clan is a social group. These social groups generally live together in one hamlet but in two cases two social groups were living in the same village one group together occupying one half of the village area and the other half. The Karuama people comprise of about one seventh of the people who speak the Kate language. The following is a group of everyday English words and there meaning in Kate.

Man		adaz	House	Zeimak
Woman		hanapu	tree	zimed
boy		nopu	village	jeila
girl		naripa	road	nonora
baby		nonoulapu	sky	winiu
pig		bolopu	grass	sisoiu
stone		keleio	river	iveri
big	•	abanagop	good	sinaria
small		guepu	bad	koridi

Relationships between social groups are good. Unmarried women from one group marry into another group and are freely accepted by her husbands group.

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## C. SOCIAL GROUPINGS (cont.)

In the case of sing sings and feasts two or three social group join up and hold the feast or sing sing and invite the people from other social groups in the area and in the case of a big sing sing people from all over the Kate language group.

The relationship with major groups adjacent to the Karuama again appears very good. The only neighbour that does not speak the Kate language is the Bush Mekeo and these two groups appear to be on good relations. A few girls from the Mekeo are now married in the Karuama and appear to be accepted by the people. At MARABOI the Karuama people have approximately permitted the people of IMOUNGA and I'OI (Bush Mekeo C.D.) use their traditional lands.

## LEADERSHIP.

### leaders:-

The following men have influence and are regarded as

ZAUWAI AMANIA GEIWA MANAIA	of OLIVI of DAK'LAWATRO	hereditary aquired
MOTOPO KOVEGAI	of KARUAMA	hereditary
NAMA KOMURA	of KORU	hereditary
ANTHONY KAPEI	of INAWORENA	aquired
GITOIA GITOIA	of PORAMALIO	hereditary
PAPIA PIROWA	of KWAPA	hereditary
AUWARI LAIAM	of KAPETAIYA	hereditary
AGAWUT GOMIAI	of ZAKAUPA	aquired
TURUA AMAIA	of LOPIZO	aquired
EMAI IWORO	of KARUSIA	hereditary
MANA VEREKIA	of AMENU	hereditary
TATART ENAWAT	OF TOTAT	omired.

The following is a brief back ground of the abovementioned

men.

ZAUWAI AMANIA: - Age 49, education Nil, present employment Nil, previous employment village police man, convicted one adultery, extent of influence all OLIVI village, no known prejudices general attitude towards progress good, attitude towards the Administration excellent.

GEIWA MANAIA: - Age 44, education nil, present employment village constable, convictions nil, influence DAK'LAWAURO village, no known projudice, attitude towards progress very good, attitude towards Administration excellent.

MOTOPO KOVEGAI: - Age 45, education nil, present employment village constable president of Karuama Demarcation Committee, convictions one assault, sphere of influence elmost all of the Karuama regarded by people as paramount village policeman, no known predudices, attitude towards progress very good, attitude towards Administration excellent.

## 5. SOCIAL GROUPINGS (cont.)

NAMA KOMURA: - Age 43, education nil, present and previous employment subsistance farmer, convictions three failing to maintain roads and assault (twice) extent of influence KORU village, attitude towards progress fair, attitude towards the Administration good.

ANTHONY KAPEI:- Age 49, Education Standard 2, convictions not known present employment hospital orderly, extent of influence INAWORENA village, no known prejudices, general attitude towards progress good, attitude towards Administration good.

employment subsistance farmer previous employment labour, convictions five failing to maintain roads (two) murder, assault, adultery, extent of influence PORAMALIO, no known prjudices, attitude towards development fair, attitude towards Administration fair.

PAPIA PIROWA: - Age 44, education nil, present and previous employment subsistance farmer, convictions one assault, extent of influence KWAPA village, no known prejudices, attitude towards progress good, attitude towards the Administration good.

AUWARI LAIAM: - Age 30, education standard 1, present employment village policeman, previous employment labour@/, convictions nil, extent of influence KAPETAIYA, ZAKAUPA, KARUZIA village, attitude towards progress excellent, attitude towards the Administration excellent.

AGAWUT GOMIAI: - Age 32, education nil, present employment village policeman, convictions one riotous behaviour, extent of influence ZAKAUPA village, attitude towards progress fair, attitude toward the Administration good.

TURUA AMAIA: - Age 48, education nil, present and previous employment subsistance farmer, convictions not known, extent of influence LOPIZO village, no known prejudices, attitude towards progress bad, attitude towards the Administration fair.

EMAI IWORO: - Age 43, education nil, present employment village policeman previous employment subsistance farmer, convictions nil, extent of influence KARUSIA village, no known prejudices, attitude towards progress good, attitude towards the Administration fair.

MANA VERERIA: - Age 37 education nil, present employment subsistance farmer, previous employement labour, convictions two riotous behaviour gambling, extent of influence AMENU village, no known prejudices, attitude towards progress very good, attitude towards the Administration good.

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SOCIAL GROUPING (cont.)

TAIARI ENAWAI: - Age 48, education nil, present and previous employment village constable, convictions three riotous behaviour, assault, gambling, extent of influence IGUAI village, attitude towards progress fair, attitude towards the Administration good.

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The traditional pattern of leadership does not appear to be changing. Younger men are now being put in as village officials but most of the time they are only figureheads for the traditional village leader.

## E. LAND TENURE AND USE.

The land tenure system is patrilineal, land his handed down from father to son. Women have no rights of disposal of land.

They do have rights of usage. If a woman marries a man from another area and he choses to live in his wifes' village then his wife's family will give him usage rights of some land which is later given to his male children if he has any, the children having full rights over the land.

There is no cash cropping in the Karuama Census Division.

## (F) LITERACY.

There are no primary'T' schools in the area the only schools in the area are catechist schools which are at the following villages OLIVI, DAK'LAWAURO, KARUAMA, KAPETAIYA and TAVIVI which are run by the Roman Catholic Mission.

Approximately seventy-five of adults in the area are literate in the lingua franca and the venacular and approximately ten are literate in English.

These figures are gradually getting higher because the people are now sending their children to boarding at either Kamulai Roman Catholic Mission school at Beipa in the Kairuku Sub-District. It is also planned to open a primary school at Guari Maipa in the near future. No person residing in the area has received a high education. A lot of interest is shown in radio. At all villages the people crowded around the rest house and police barracks to listen to the radio. There are only three radios in the census division.

## STANDARD OF LIVING:

Village standard were very good. Housing in the area is of the traditional style. Pandanus leaf roof split timber walls and floor. Houses are large with no windows. All houses have a toilet and rubbish pit built outside the village boundries. All the people with the exception of the old men wear European style clothing, in general these clothes were reasonably clean and the people themselves appeared clean.

## STANDARD OF LIVING (cont.)

The old men still wear the traditional sidi.

The staple diet, tare, corn, pig, fish (in season) pandanas potatoes and cabbage. The only introduced food are potatoe and cabbage. No canned foods are purchased because of the peoples very low income and there is no trade store in the census division.

There are no community centres women's club or youth groups in the area. The people do not appear interested in sport.

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## (H) MISSIONS:

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There is only one Mission in the area and that is the Roman Catholic Mission which is base at Guari Maipa approximately in the centre of the census division.

This mission is manned by a European Father who was on leave at the time of patrol. The Father patrols the area regularily giving advice and holding chuch services. All the people in area follow the Roman Catholic Mission. At almost all village there is a Fathers house and a church. There are catechist schools at four villages and a primary school is planned for GUARI MEIPA when the Father returns from leave. When the Fathers house and the church were being built at Guari Meipa a number of men were employed as labours but now the only people employed by the mission are four catechist teachers and two labours at Guari Meipa. The peoples attitude towards the mission is excellent they all appeared to be quite strong allerants.

## (I) NON-INDIGENOUS.

There are no non-indigenous in the census division other than the Father at Guari Meipa. There are no plantations, factories or commercial establishments in the area.

### (J) COMMUNICATIONS.

There are no vehicular roads or airports in the area. The area is served by a bridle path which has been sufficiently widened to enable a motorcycle to pass. This bridle path could be widened even further which out a great amount of effort and a tractor or landrover would be able to pass. No sites were seen in the census division where on airstrip could be built.

## (K) TECHNICAL AND CLERICAL SKILLS.

working in the area and there is one driver, one carpenter and one hospital orderly working outside the area. All other absent workers are labours.

## (L) THE STAGE OF POLITICAL DEVELOPMENT.

Political development in the area is not very high. Even though the people have been given numerous political education talk they still do not understand the machinery of the House of Assembly. Very few people knew the name of the member for the Goilala Open Electorate. Nobody knew the name of the member for Central Regional electorate. The people find it very hard to understand and concentrate on the political education Three people in the area have attended a Council meeting nobody has attended a Co-operative Conference or the House of Assembly.

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## (M) THE ECONOMY OF THE AREA.

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The numbers of economic trees were not counted because they are so numerous. The main types of trees are I believe pine and a little cedar and another variety the name of which I don't know. The only production of these trees is done by the Catholic Mission at Guari Meipa who have a pit saw the sawn tim' timber being used for mission building only. The quantity they cut is only very small.

There are no market gardening enterprises in the area.

The total cash earned by wage labour is about \$150 per year.

Approximately \$1820 per year is earned by the hospital orderlies and the catechist teachers. No Co-operative or Rural Progress Societies are or have functioned in the area. There are no enterpreneurs in the area.

Commonwealth

There are five people in the are with Savings bank account with a combined total of approximately \$2400 the majority of this being held in a book belonging to one of the hospital orderlies.

No tax is paid in the area.

## (N) POSSIBILITIES OF EXPANDING THE ECONOMY.

There are many possibilities of expanding the economy. cattle could be introduced there being large areas of grass land which is outside for cattle. Water driver sawmills could be set up the only problem here being lack of roads to bring the sawn timber out.

Market gardens could be set up there being a great deal of orable available suitable for potatoes and other European type vegetables the problem here being the long distance from markets.

Wage earning could not be increased in the area because as private

wage earning could not be increased in the area because as private enterprise have not moved in and it is most unlikely whether they will. The only wages earn in the area are earn by Administration employees and Mission workers and it is unlikely that these will be increased.

The introduction of cash crops, cattle or timber would be greatly accepted by the people but until a road is built into the area cattle seems to be the only answer.

The Karuama people would be most appreciative of an activity

## (N) POSSIBILITIES OF EXPANDING THE ECONOMY (cont)

introduced because at present the people are

not heppy with the situation and wish to improve it so that they can earn some sort of income. The people are quite willing to work hard if it will be of benefit to them.

## (M) ATTITUDE TOWARDS LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

There is no Local Government at present in the Karuama Census Division and the people at present do not wish to be included in a Council. The main reasons for this wish is that they believe will do nothing for them in their area, but just help areas where the people are better educated and that they will have to pay to much Council tax. Generally they think that Local Government is a good idea but they do not wish to join until they are a bit better off and I do not think it would be a good idea to push them into a Council against their wishes.

(R.B.Philippe)
Patrol Officer

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## VILLAGE POPULATION REGISTER

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(Folio No. 1.)

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## TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA

## PATROL REPORT

Report Number GUARI No. 2-68/69	
Subdistrict	
District CENTRAL	
Type of Patrol CANSUS REVISION	
Patrol Conducted by R.B.PHILIPPE PAT	
Area Patrolled	UPPER & LOWER KUNIMAIPA CENSUS
(Council and/or DIVISIONS (NON COUNCIL)	
Census Division/s.)	
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	3 MEMBERS R.P.& N.G.C.
	1 HOSPITAL ORDERLY
8-10-68  Duration of Patrol—from 18 / 11 / 68	24-10-68 To 5/ 12/ 68
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Objects of Patrol (Briefly) CENSUS REVISI	
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Total Population of Area Patrolled 4009	
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## TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA

## DEPARTMENT OF DISTRICT ADMINISTRATION

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Sub-District Office, TAPINI.

9th. April 1969.

The District Commissioner, District Office, P.U.Box 776, PORT MORESBY.

## CAMPING ALLOWINCE CLAIMS

l. Please find attached two (2) camping allowance claims in favour of n.B.Philippe P.O.. These claims were not submitted with relevant patrol reports to wit Guari Patrol Reports Nos. 2 and 3-68/69.

For your approval, please.

(G.P.Hardy)
Assistant District Commissioner



TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA

Telephone 4601 Our Rejerence... 67-1-17



Department of District Administration, Konedobu, Papua,

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6th March, 1969.

The District Commissioner, Central District, PORT MORESBY.

## PATROL NO. GUARI 2/68-9

Your reference 67-10-2 of 10th February, 1969.

I acknowledge with thanks receipt of Annual Census Report by Mr. R.B. Phillippe, P.O., to Upper and Lower KUNIMAIPA Census Divisions.

A good report containing a great deal of pertinent information.

Your comments to A.D.C. TAPINI conterning the establishment of a council in the area are noted. Any proposals on this matter will receive my consideration on their submission.

No copy of map was received. Same would be appreciated, please.

Were written instructions issued to Mr. Phillippe?

- w. bein (T.W. ELLIS) DIRECTOR.

ADC. Lapini Forwarded blease. 67-10-2

10th February, 1969,

Assistant District Commissioner, Tabini.

Patrol Report No. Guari 2-68/69. Mr.R.B. Phillippe. P.Q.

Thank you for the above report. I am returning 4 copies of the map.

## LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

- I have read Mr. Philippe's comments on local government in the Kunimaipa area with a good deal of interest. The prospect of establishing a Local Government Council there has been a matter of consideration for some time. You will recall that I referred to it in my mnmorandum 67-8-7 of 25.5.67 to you (see Tapini Patrol Report 7 of 66/57), and mentioned then that I had a number of reservations in regard to local government in the Kunimaipa. My views remain basically the same.
- 2. Mr. Philippe has acted quite correctly in endeavouring to allay the fears of the people regarding high taxes if a Council is started the setting of the tax rate is clearly the right of the council and initially it could be set at a purely nominal figure. The idea of having groups of village leaders attend meetings of the Tapini Local Government Council is a good one and you should pursue it so that a better understanding of the whole concept of local government might develop.
- 3. While I still retain reservations about the need for us to press on with the establishment of local government in the Kunimaipa area, if the people want it then there is a clear obligation to move accordingly. At the present time it appears that they do not want it because of misconceptions about tax rates. The thing to do is to continue to explain local government principles to the people, to build up their knowledge of how it works by visits to the Tapini Council and then, if it appears that there is a change of attitude, a formal survey could be carried out to ascertain their wishes.
- 4. Headquarters had in view (in 1967) the incoporation of the whole of the Kunimaipa administrative area in a single council. This means, of course, all the Middle and Upper Funimaipa and the Karuama. It is a large area with a small population viely scattered. At that time I had some doubts, which I still entertain, as to the practicability of such a proposal. It is doubtful if the Kunimaipa Valley sector itself could sustain a Council and likewise doubtful that the Tapini Council could or should be enlarged to include either the Funimaipa or Karuama.
- 5. All the factors involved must be given very careful consideration so that, if a recommendation is made to the Director, there is a reasonable prospect that the new Council would be successful. Please pursue the proposal accordingly.

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## VILLAGE OFFICIALS.

Guari is one of the few areas where these men are still fully employed. Many of them have over the years given excellent service and it is pleasing to see that in this day and age they are carrying out their duties effectively.

#### RURAL DEVELOPMENT.

There seems to be delays in the final clearing of the area and preparation of holding paddocks on the Port Moresby Tapini proposed route. Untill all these points can be clarified, there is little hope of these people being able to obtain cattle.

Such delays as this could cause the kunimaipa people to bring cattle in from the Mekeo area overland and so place the area back in the tick infested category. Care will have to be taken that this does not occur.

#### MISSION.

This rivalry existed in 1947. It has not improved appreciably. It is a pity these two cannot live in harmony as their coastal counterparts do, using the same building as a place of worship.

#### GENERAL.

There has been a vast improvement in the presentation of this report. A little more care is needed in spelling.

## DISTRICT COMMISSIONER-C.D.

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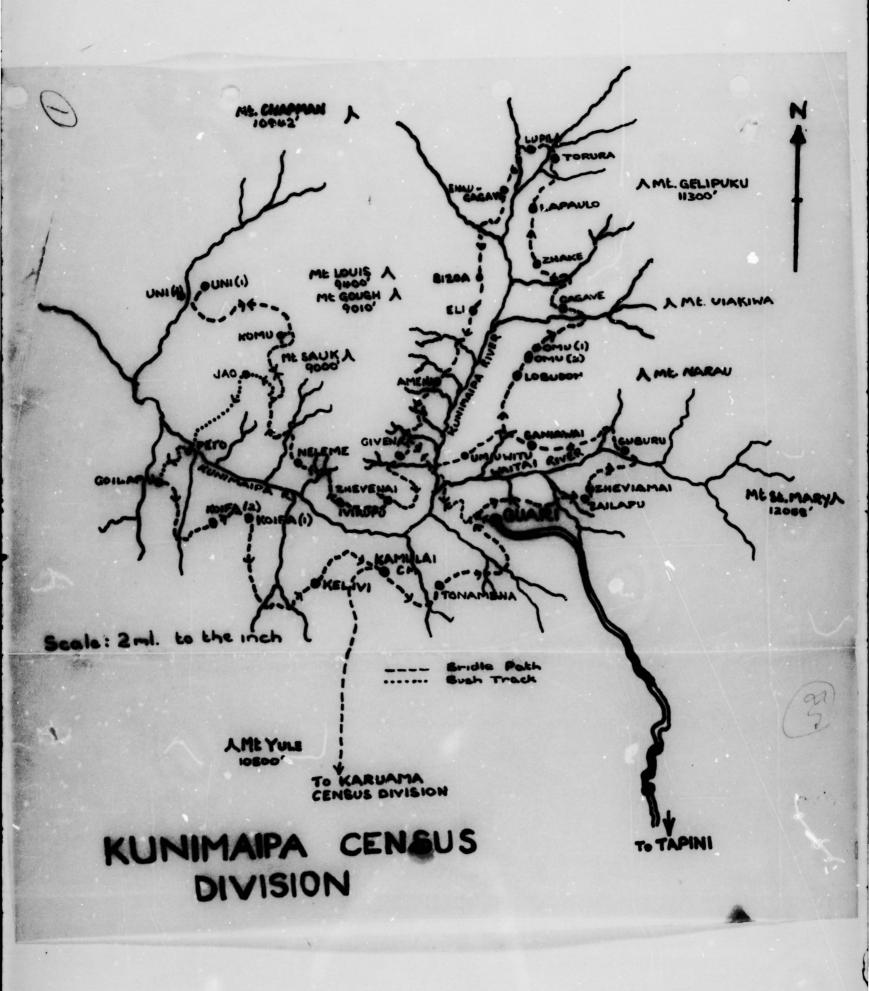
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The Director,
Dept. of District Administration,
Konedobu.

Forwarded, please, together with two copies of Report & Map for your information.

(R.T.GALLOWAY)
DISTRICT COMMISSIONER.C.D.

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## TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA

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Department of District Administration, Sub-District Office, TAPINI C.D.

28th January, 1969

The District Commissioner, Central District, PORT MORESBY

## GUARI PATROL REPORT 2-68/69 UPPER AND LOWER KUNIMAIPA C/D

Attached please find three copies of the above report submitted by Mr. R.B. Philippe, Patrol Officer in Charge Guari.

My comments ar ;

### SITUATION REPORT

### Local Government

The possibility of bringing the Guari area into a Local Government Council has been the subject of previous correspondence.

At this stage I would agree that a seperate council should be formed to include all the Guari area and posibly the Kunimaipa speakers in the Tapini Council. However, a survey must be carried out before any decision can be made.

### Village Officials

The Guari administerd people are probably the most law abiding and keep their villages and roads maintained better, them any other group in the Sub-District. This reflects on the efficiency of the Village Official system.

### House of Assembly

Mr. Bauai Koito, Village Constable of Omu (1), was an unsuccessful candidate for the 1968 elections.

#### Rural Development

Cattle raising appears to have a good future in the Goilala, particularly in the Kumimaipa grasslands. The people are very keen at the mement and it is a pity that D.A.S.F. cannot meet the demand for calves.

The Upper Kunimaipa shows the most promise for economic development, and a Guari - Omu road project will be included in the next estimate for rural development funds.

#### Mission

The rivalry and ill feeling between certain Christian missionary bodies could be described as being most "un-Christian", and often the fault lies not only with the native catechists and teachers.

### AREA STUDY

## Introduction

11-10-68

There is no "Kunimaipa Census Division". This patrol combined the Lower Kunimaipa and the Upper Kunimaipa Census Divisions. Although the two divisions are often patrolled separately, I recommended that since there is divisions are often patrolled separately, that they be included in the one Area Study.

- Only one copy of a patrol map has been submitted could further ones be photocopied please.
- 4. Mr. Philippe has submitted a comprehensive report which is an improvement on his last one (Guari 1-68/69)

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Departed Cagave per a/eyels for Theke.

Conducted expens revision for Can No. 1 and No. 2

Arrived Carnye. Road good, needed help over large orack.

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a/Assistant District Commissioner

## PATROL DIARY

8-10-68	1110	Departed Guari per motorcycle for Zailapu.
	1150	Arrived Zailapu, road fair .
	1330	Conducted census revision for Zailapu and Zheviamai.
	1540	Heard one complaint.
	1610	Inspected Zailapu and Zheviamai villages.
	000	Overnight Zailapu R.H.
		The said of the latter of the Book Toth Ladiring Arra M. Charles S.
9-10-68	0715	Departed Zailapu per m/cycle for Ganiavai via Guburu.
	0740	Arrived Guburu. Road good.
	0810	Carriers arrived.
	0830	Conducted census revision for Guburu. Nil disputes or
		complaints.
	1010	Departed Guburu.
	1130	Arrived Gainiavai. Road good, neededassistance with
	11,50	m/cycle over one creek.
	1305	Conducted census revision for Ganiavai and Umuwitu.
	1535	Inspected Geniavai village.
	1222	Overnight Geniavai R.H.
		Overland dentaval with
10-10-68	0745	Heard a few minor coplaints.
10-10-00	0950	Departed Ganiavai per m/cycle for Omu.
30-0-0	1035	Arrived Onu. Road excellent.
	1200	Carriers arrived.
	1340	
	1340	Spoke with people of Omu 1 and 2 and Lobudon re Omu road, cattle and H of A. Heard many minor complaints.
		Overnight Omu R.H.
11-10-68	0915	Conducted census revision for Lobudon
11-10-00	1305	Conducted census revision for Omu No. 1 and No. 2.
	1,00,	Overnight Omu R.H.
		Overnight out were
12-10-68	0930	Inspected Omu 1, Omu 2 and Lobudon villages.
12-10-00	0750	Heard several more minar complaints and disputes.
		Overnight Omu R.H.
		Beard Beverus Almer complaints
13-10-68		Observed at Omu.
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14-10-63	0735	Departed Omu R.H. for Gagave.
22-13-60	0815	Arrived Gagave. Road good, needed help over large creek.
	0900	Carriers arrived.
	1010	Conducted Census revision for gagave.
	1210	Inspected village.
	1340	Heard one minor complaint.
		Overnight Gagave R.H.
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15-10-63	0720	Departed Gagave per m/cycle for Zhake.
	0730	Arrived small hamlet of Zhake.
	0805	Continued on.
	0825	Arrived Zhake
	0835	Carriers arrived.
	9910	Commenced census revision for Zhake
	1140	Completed census revision
	1305	Heard four local courts and a few minor complaints.
		Overnight Thake R.H.

16-10-68	0755	Departed Zhake for Lapaulo
	0805	Arrived Lapaulo. Road excellent
	0820	Carriers Arrived.
	0945	Commenced census revision for Lapaulo.
	1120	Completed census revision.
		Inspected village Heard several minor complaints and one Local Court.
	1330	Heard several minor complaints and the action
		Overnight Lapaulo R.H.
		Imparted assure for otrona
17-10-68	0800	Heard one Local Court.
	0845	Departed Lapaulo for Torura Arrived Torura. Road good, help required with m/cycle
	0900	Arrived Torura. Moad good, help required with
		over last creek
	0925	Carriers arrived.
	1020	Commenced census revision for Lupila.
	1145	Completed census revision
		Rained all afternoon
		Heard a few minor complaints
		Overnight at Torura R.H.
		- Torura
18-10-68	0845	Commenced census revision for Torura
	1110	Inspected Torura village. Heard one Local Court and many minor complaints and
	1340	
		disputes.
		Overnight Torura R.H.
48.04		Departed Torura for Lupila
19-10-68	0820	Departed Torura for Dapita
	8830	Arrived Lupila R.H. Carriers arrived.
	0840	Heard one minor complaint
	0950	Heard one minor complaint
		Inspected village Overnight Lupila R.H.
		Overnight public were
		Observed at Lupila
20-10-68		
/0	07725	Departed Lupila per m/cycle for Enau-Gagave
21-10-68	0735 0745	Arrived Enau Gagave. Road good.
	0800	Carriers arrived.
	0905	Commenced Census revision
	1340	Heard several minor complaints
		Inspected village
	1530	Overnight Enau Gagave
		Completed consus rurision
40 60	0710	Heard one minor complaint
22-10-68	0805	Departed Enau Gagave for Bizoa
	0830	Arrived Bisoa. Road fair
	0910	Courtons errived
	1005	Commenced cesus revision for Bizoa and Eli
	1220	Gamelated commune revision
	1400	Heard two local courts and several minor complaints
	1510	Inspected Bizoa village
	1510	Overnight Bizoa R.H.
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23 -10-68	0725	Heard two minor complaints.
25 = 10=00	0900	Departed Bizoa for Amena via Ell
	0915	Arrived Eli Inspected village
	0956	Departed Kli
	0950	Arrived Amena No. 2. Road good. Help needed with
	5,,5	M/cycle at one creek. Inspected village

		Inspected village.
	1010	Departed Amena No.2 "hous lain"
	1020	Arrived Amena
	1040	Carriers arrived Amena
	1145	Commenced census revision for Amena
	1430	Heard four minor disputes
		Overnight at Amena
24-10-1	0755	Departed Amena for Givena
	0845	Arrived Givena. Road good
	0930	Conducted census revision for Givena
	1050	Completed census revision
	1145	Departed Givena for Guari
	1340	Arrived Guari. Road fair.
	1,70,0	Help needed with m/cycle at Kumimaipa River
	1603	Carriers Arrived Guari
		Patrol Stood down
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18-11-68	0945	Departed Guari for Givena per M/cycle
	1105	Arrived Givena. Road good
		help needed at Kunimaipa River
	1220	Carriers arrived in rain which continued all des
		afternoon
	1350	Heard two minor complaints
		Overnight Givena R.H.
19-11-68	0735	Departed Givena for Zhevenai
	0825	Arrived Zhevenai. Road good
	0990	Help meeded with m/cycle at large creek close
		to Givena
	0910	Carriers arrived.
	1015	Conducted census revision for Zhevenai
	1345	Heard seven minor complaints and disputes.
	1610	Inspected village, spoke with people.
	07220	Overnight Zhevenai R.H.
		the Tuning parties)
20-11-68	0745	Departed Zhevenai R.H. for Suasi R.H.
	0805 9	Passed through Ivirupu
	0820	Arrived Suasi Road excellent
	0850	Carriers arrived
	0955	Commenced census revision for Ivirupu and Neleme (Suas) villages
	1150	Completed census revision
	1310	Heard many minor complaints
	1510	Overnight Suasi Rell.
		Breed two alsor membelships Spoke with people
21-11-68	0700	Departed Suasi for Kamulai after receiving a letter
		from Mr. Weber a/A.D.C. to meet himself and District
		Inspector Mr. Brown there.
	0820	Arrived Kunimaipa River
	0915	Departed on foot m/cycle V/S
	1105	Met Messers Weber and Brown on Kamulai Rd.
	1200	Repaired m/cycle. Proceeded to Kamulai.
		Inspected road, construction en route
	1320	Arrived Kamulai. Discussion with Messers Weber
		and Brown and Fathers
	1620	Paid some of the Guari to Kamulai road workers.
	ie.	Overnight Kamulai
22-11-68	0845	Diparted Guard per m/cycle for Succi
22-11-00	0045	Paid remaining Kamulai road workers. Accompanied
		Messers Weber and Brown to Guari who departed for Taping
		at 1330 hrs



23-11-68	0845	Departed Quari for Suasi
	1225	Arrived Suasi. Held up on road awaiting help with M/cycle
	1435	Heard three local courts.  Overnight at Suasi R.H.
		restrod Your at C.M. Spoke with Fathers.
24-11-68		Payment(\$32.00) made for Suasi airstrip ground plus \$7.00 for improvements. Rest of day observed.
25-11-68	0735	Departed Suasi per m/cycle for Komu
	0815	Arrived Jao turnoff. Left m/cycle and continued on by foot after then minutes spell.
	0850	Arrived Komu. Road good
	0930 1100	Carriers arrived. Conducted census revision for Komu
	1340	Heard few minor complaints
		Overnight at Komu R.H.
		Overnight at Lomu
26-11-68	0755	Departed Komu for Uni (1)
	0835	Arrived Uni (1) Road good enough for M/cycle
	0940 1150	Conducted census revision for Uni (1) and Uni (2) Completed census division.
	1405	Heard several Minor complaints and dispates and one
	.40	Local Court
		Overnight Uni Rest House.
27-11-68	0745	Departed Uni for Jao
	0855	Arrived Jao Turnoff Rested
	0920	Continued on Arrived Jao. Road from Uni to Jao turnoff suitable for
	1010	m/cycle. From turnoff to Jao a native track.
	1105	Conducted census revision for Jao
		Overnight Jao rest house.
28-11-68	0720	Departed Jao for Pito (hamlet of Goilapu on the banks of
		the Kunimaipa River)
	0830 0945	Arrived Pito. Steep bush track Heard one minor complaint. Spoke with people
	0945	Overnight at Pito R.H.
29-11-68	0555	Departed Pito for Goilapu
2,-11-00	0715	Arrived Goilapu. Bush track resonable grade through
		grassland
	0900 1115	Commenced census revision for Goilapu Completed census revision Inspected village
	1340	Heard two minor complaints. Spoke with people
		Overnight at Goilapu rest House
30-11-68	0725	Departed Goilapu per m/cycle for Koifa Rest House
	0815	Arrived Koifa R.H. Road very good inspected village
	0935	Carriers arrived Koifa
	1050 1420	Commenced census revision for Koifa (1) and Koifa (20) Completed census revision
	1420	Overnight at Koifa
1-12-68		Observed at Koifa
2-12-68		Heard several minor complaints and disputes, and two
		Local Courts.
		Overnight Koifa Rest House
3-12-68	0720	Departed Koifa rest house for Kelivi
	0810	Arrived Kelivi. Road very good no help needed with m/cycle
	0910 1030	farriers arrived Kelivi Commenced census revision for Kelivi
	1215	Completed census revision

	1340	Heard four minor complaints and disputes. Overnight Kelivi Rest house
4-12-68	0705 0805	Departed Kelivi for Tonamena Arrived Kamulai C.M. Spoke with Fathers.
	0845	Carriers arrived Kamulai C.M. and preceeded on to
	0940 1315	Commences census revision for Tonamana Heard two minor complaints
	1515	Overnight at Kamulai
5-12-68	0815	Departed Tonamena for Guari
	0900 1125	Arrived Guari Carriers arrived Guari
		Patrol Stood Down

End of Patrol

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### SITUATION REPORT

### a) POLITICAL

### Local Government

At present there is no Local Government Council in the Kunimaipa Area and as far as could be ascertained the people do not wish to either join the Tapini Local Government Council or start a new The main reason the people do not wish to have a Council Councill. is that they are afraid of high taxes. It was explained to them that the tax rate was fixed by the people within the council area at tax meetings but this did not appear to change their ideas on tax. I my opinion the people of the Kunimaipa are very nearly ready to form a Local Government Council and during 1969 it is intended to send groups of village leaders to Tapini to attend the Tapini Local Government Council Meetings. If the Kunimaipa Area was put under the control of Local Government Council a seperate Kunimaipa Local Government Council should be formed. It would be unwise for the area to be incorporated into the Tapini Local Government Council until the people have had a few more years experience in running their own Council. I am in the opinion that with careful explanation of Council machinary and procedures and the attendance of village leaders at Local Government Council meetings a Kunimaipa Local Government Council is in the too far distant future.

### Village Officials

Each village in the alsa has a village constable and either one or two village councillors. In general these efficials are doing a very good job in maintaining law and order, looking after toads and keeping the village area clean. The most outstanding village constables in the area are Gaina Kiara of Omu (2), Barri Koîtoi of Omu (1) and Bauai Koit of Enav Gagave. These three men are very progressive in their ideas and have a great deal of influence in the area. A few younger men have been appointed as village officials but with the exception of the councillor from Zhaka they did not appear to have the influence and receive the respect of their older counterparts.

### House of Acsembly

Most villages in the area had very little knowledge of the machinary of the House of Assembly. The people of Lobudon, Omu (1), Omu (2) have quite a good knowledge of the basic working of the House of Assembly. Most of this knowledge was probably gained from Dr. M. Mec Arthur an anthropologis who was working at Omu prior to and during the House of Assembly Elections and from the head teacher at Omu Primary "T" school who has a sound knowledge of the House of Assembly gained by reading pre-election pamphlets and other material. The majority of the people knew that the House of Assembly consisted of members from all Districts in the Territory and that Mr. Louis Mona was the Member for the Goilala Open. Few people knew that Mr. Oala Oala Rarva was the Member for Central Regional.

### House of Assembly Members

Mr. Louis Mona visited Guari Patrol Post and Kamulai Catholic Mission during September and gave talks on what he had done and what he intended to do in the Guari area. His talks mainly consisted of increasing cattle heads and building vehicular roads. Mr. Oala Oala Rarua has not visited the area.

### Political Education.

Short political education talks were given at each village but I found it very hard to keep the people's attention. To keep the people's attention and therefore make the political education takk more of a success i think some sort of visual aid should be used such as flip charts similar to those used in the 1964 elections. The people lose interest very quickly when somebody just stands in fromt of them and talks.

### Preferential Voting.

The preferential system of voting was not understood.

### b) ECONOMIC

### General Rural Development

Eight villages in the Kunimaipa have purchased cattle. They are Zailapu two head, Ganiavai three head, Omu 1 head (three head were sent to Port Moresby in the cattle drive during August)

Zhake one head, Givera four head, Kelivi five head and Tonamena three head. Most of these cattle were brought from the Roman Catholic Mission at Kamulai who at present have fifty one head of cattle and hope to greatly increase their herd in the next two to years so that they can keep up with the demand which is at present far greater than what can be supplied by either the Catholic Mission or D.A.S.F. at Tapini. This year the first village owned cattle from the Guali area were driven down to the saleyards at Port Moresby. These cattle were owned by the Omu people and fetched an average price of \$105 each. This represented a profit of \$50% to the Omu people who originally purchased the cattle for \$30 a head. During this patrol many villages approached me with money to buy cattle but unfortunatly I was unable to help them because as stated before demand is far greater than supply. The Catholic Mission at Kamulai are presently negotiating for a loan so that they can purchase more cattle to try and catch up with the demand.

Coffee is grown at almost all villages in the areawith the majority being grown in the Uni valley and the Upper reaches of the Kunimaipa River. Approximately 200 pounds of dried coffeebeans are sold to D.A.S.F. in the Tapini each year.

### Activities of Development Departments

The Department of Agriculture, Stock and Fisheries have shown a great interest in cattle development in the Kunimaipa area and the Stock Inspector from Tapini regularily visits villages in the area inspecting cattle and giving advice to cattle owners and potential cattle owners. D.A.S.F. have also conducted two patrols into the area helping and giving advice to coffe growers. Public Works Department have also shown an interest in the Guari airstrip They have planted marker pags, carried out progress surveys and given advice as to the construction of the airstrip.

### Processing and No keting

This year three head of village omed cattle were, driven to Moresby



for marketing. The drive started at Guari, they were then driven to Tapini, then to Woitape via Kerau, and then to Moresby. This route to Port Moresby from the Kunimaipa area and a route from Guari through the Karuama Census Division into the Kairulu Sub-District and thence to Port Moresby has been inspected. This route was found to be very suitable, the only problem being that it passes through tick areas.

Coffee is carried into Guari then taken by tractor to Tapini where it is sold to D.A.S.F. and sent to Port Moresby for processing. Potatoes are sold to the Catholic Mission who transfort them to Tapini by tractor where they are sold to J.B. Martin who then fly's them to Port Moresby.

### Village Cash Crop Extension.

Coffee is the only cash crop in the area and this is grown at almost all villages D.A.S.F. extension officers Patrol the area giving advice and help to coffee growers.

### Non Indigenous Development.

There is no non indigenous development in the area.

### c) SOCIAL

### Education

There are two Primary "T" schools in the Kunimaipa area bath run by the Roman Catholic Mission. They are situated at Kamulai and at Omu. At present both these schools only teach up to standard 3 but in 1969 the Kamulai school is expanding to standard 4, 1970 standard 5 and 1971 standard 6. Up until this year on completion of standard 3 student were transferred to Kosipi near Woitape Patrol Post to complete standard 6 and then to Mainahana at Bereina for High School.

Catacist schools are run by the Catholic Mission in all villages in the area and by the United Church in the following villages Neleme, Komu, Jni, (†), Goilapu, and Koifa (1).

### Health

The people of the Kimimaipa area appeared healthy. The only calls brought to the hospital orderly who accompanied the patrol were of a minor nature of two cases of philumonia. There are four aid posts in the area run by Public Health Department and one run by the Catholic Mission at Kamulai. The P.H.D aid Posts are situated at Guari Patrol Post, Lobudon, Enau - Gagave and Neleme. All of these aid posts were inspected and found to be very elean and well run. The aid posts supervisor from the Guari aid post conducts inspection and health education patrols to these aid posts once every two months.

### Law and Order.

Fifteen men and one woman appeared before the local court during the patrol. Ten of these defendants were charged with assault, four with riotous behaviour and two with adultery. Four defeudants in assault cases were aquited. All other cases were found to be proved. A great deal of minor complaints and disputes were brought before the ratrol for arbitration. These mainly concerned pigs, pandangs a, non-payment of debts and marriage disputes. The village constable system of law and order appeared to be working satisfactorly.

### Services Provided by the Government.

The only services provided by the Government and its agencies are to four aid posts in the area set up by Public Health, regular inspection of cattle for diseases by D.A.S.F. and service provided by the Department of District Administration.

### Mission.

There are two missions in the area the Roman Catholic Mission who have adherants in every village and the United Church who have adherants in the following villages, Ivirupu, Neleme, Komu Uni (1), Uni (2), Jao, Goilapu and Koifa.

The Catholic Mission have its headquarters in Kamulai on the south bank of the Kumimaipa river about 10 miles from Guari Patrol Post where three European Fathers look after the mission interests. These Fathers regularily patrol the Kunimaipa area. The United Church have their headquarters at Moru in the Gulf District. Mr. H.A. Brown patrols from Moru to the Kunimaipa about one every six months. While in the area Mr. Brown usually stays at Suasi where he has a small mission station with a church, a store and several houses.

At Neleme and Ivirupu there is a great deal of conflict among
Members of the two missions. This was borne out by the fact that
nearly seventy five per cent of the numerous complaints and disputes brought before the patrol were between Members of the two
missions. A lot of this conflict seemed to stem from the native
Paster in charge who resides at Neleme. A case of this was when
the Paster complained against a man for making a garden on mission ground. After investigation it was found that four man had
made gardens on the mission lease when asked why he did'nt complain against the other three he said " they belong to the United
Church he belongs to the Catholic Church which is a very bad church"
Another case was when the Neleme people brought food to the patrol to purchase he said in a loud voice " The United Church people
will give you food for nothing. The Catholic Church people alwas want money" It coments like the above which have been the
hasis of this ill feeling between followers of the two Missions.
Neleme and Ivirupu were the only places where this conflict between the Missions was seen.

### Cults and Unrest.

There are no cults or unrest in the area.

### Community Education

Health Education is being car ied out in the area by the Aid Post Supervisor from Guari Patrol Post. Other than this there has been no community education carried out in the area.

### AREA STUDY

### A. INTRODUCTION:

In the Kunimaipa census division all villages are situated in either the Kunimaipa valley or the valleys of one of it tributaries. The nearest village to Guari patrol post (which is in the census division is Guari (1) which is on the Tapini to Guari road just outside the patrol post boundries. The furtherst village from Guari is Uni situated in the Uni valley approximately eight hours walk by bridle path.

The census division consists mainly of grassland with wooded areas on the higher slopes of the ridges with the exception of the Univalley which consists almost wholly of heavily wooded forest. The climate of the area is moderate, warm days and cool nights with an average yearly rainfall of about one hundred inches.

Access to the area from Sub-District Headquarters at Tapini is by road to Guari Patrol Post and then by bridle path to the Kunimaipa villages. All villages in the area with the exception of Jao and Goilapu are connected by bridle paths which are suitable for either horse or motor cycle. The census division is in a northerly direction from both Sub-District and District Headquarters, in the Owen Stanley Ranges on the border between Papua and New Guinea. At present the only access to the area is by road from Tapini but it is hoped that in the near future the airstrip under construction at Guari Patrol Post will be completed so giving quiker access to the main centres.

In the early days the census division was patrelled by Officers from Kairuku but in 1949 the Guari Patrol Post was set up and since then the area has been regularily patrolled. The inhabitants of the census division are very pro-administration and co-operative.

### B. POPULATION DISTRIBUTION AND TRENDS.

All villages in the area with the exception of Jao and Goilapu are linked by graded bridle paths which are suitable for motor cycle and horses. Jao and Goilapu at present is linked by a steep native track but it is hoped that these two villages will be soon linked by a bridle path. The population fo the villages in the area range from the fifties up to two hundted with most of the villages having a population of between eighty and one hundred and fifty. The population is evenly distributed throughout the area.

There is quite a large flow of labour out of the area to either the Wau area of the Morobe District where the people are fossicking for gold and to Port Moresby where employment is sought as labourers. The reason for this outward flow 46 labour is because there is very little opportunity in the Guari Administrative area to obtain a steady each wage and because a certain amount of prestige is gained by going to Port Moresby and other centres.

### C. SOCIAL GROUPINGS.

There are seventy eight social groups in the area, the social unit being the clan. These groups live usually in a hamlet of there own but in some cases the groups to a hamlet and in one case three groups in the same hamlet. Where two groups live in the same hamlet each group has it's houses situated together in one half of the hamlet.



### C. Continued.

There is only one indigenous language spoken in the area and that is the Kate language, and there is one dialect of the Kate Language spoken throughout the area. The Kate language is also spoken in the Garaina area, the Waria valley of the Wau area, the Loloipa valley of the Tapini area, and the Karuama census division of the Guari area. All these areas are adjacent to the Kunimaipa census division so there is a good deal of fraternization between these areas and the Kunimaipa people. When "sing sings" are organised in any of these areas the people from the Kunimaipa are invited to attend and when the people from the Kunimaipa have a "sing sings" the people from the other areas are invited. Relationships between the social groups within the Kunimaipa and social groups outside the Kunimaipa in the areas mentioned above is very good.

There is very little social relationship between the people of the Kunimaipa, the Bush Mekeo and the Kikori people of the Gulf District.

### D. LEADERSHIP

There are no signs at present that the traditional pattern of leadership is starting to change. At some villages younger men have been elected as village constables and village councillors but these men are not regarded as village leaders by the people and are usually only a figurehead for the real village leader. These younger village officials do not appear to have very much to influence at all. Men who have been to Port Moresby have a certain amount of prestige in the village when they return but because they have been to Port Moresby does not mean that they gain anymore influence in the village. The younger people who have been educated generally move away from the village to seek employment and do not play any part in the village way of life. If they do return to the village they are not regarded as leaders because of their education.

The following men have a lot of influence in the village and are regarded as leaders.

Peto Bauai	of	Zailapu	hereditary
Leles Maia	of	Zheviamai	an manager
Katai Omui	-	Guburu	
Taumini Noia		Ganiavai	aquired
Koipai Murarib		Umuwitu	hereditary
Daulo Enau		Lobudon	to such a red to
Bauai Koitoi	"	Omu (1)	
Gainai Kiara		Omu (2)	1
Emai Javijai		Gagave	1
Kailia Noia		Shake	
Dumoi Siman		Lapaulo	
Muinai Zap	11	Toruru	aquired
Itoaizap		Lupila	hereditary
Bavai Koit	**	Enau Gagave	11
Gurigai		Bizoa	
Zupuia Kavijo	11	Eli	THE PARTY STATE
Givenai Moilct	11	Amena	
Robert Hatau		Givena	Althorn stands
Noi'a Koimai	11	Zhevenai	pasal Haber
Banua Giveni	11	Ivirupu	aquired
Lavai Orin	11	Neleme	Mary Mary State
Alavette Takoi	11	Komu	Hereditary
Komoi Gorap		Jao	aquired
Mavai Poia	11	Uni (1)	hereditary
Ailiva Gaiware		Uni (2)	"
Koitoi Batas		Goilapu	
Donai Teitei		Koifa (†)	aquired

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Kariar Atei of Koifa (2) hereditary
Bauai Kamau " Kelivi "
Bauai Girau " Tonamena aquired
Manai Laiam " Guari (1) hereditary
Lavai " Guari (2) "

PETO BAUAI of Zailapu Age 28, education standard 2, present employment mission worker, previous employment labourer, convictions two for failing to maintain roads, extent of influence Zailapu and Zheviamai attitude towards progress excellent, towards Administration good.

LELEA MAIA of Zheviamai age 43 education nil present employment village constable previous employment nil convictions nil no known prejudices extent of influence Zheviamai, attitude towards progress and the Administration very good.

KATAIA OMUI of Guburu age 50, education nil present employment nil to convictions not known no known prejudies general attitude towards progress fair towards the Administration good.

TAUAMINI NOIA of Ganiavai age 34 education standard six, Catholic Mission teachers training course, present employment teacher, previous employment nil, no known prejudices, general attitude towards progress excellent, towards the Administration fair, extent of influence Ganiavai, convictions nil.

KOIPPI MUMARIB of Umuwitu Age 52 education nil present employment retired previous employment nil convictions not known, extent of influence Umunitu, no known prejudices, general attitude toward progress fair, towards the administration good.

MULO ENAU of Lobudon, Age 50 education nil, present employment village policeman previous employment village counciller, extent of influence Lobudon, no known prejudices attitude towards progress good, towards the Administration excellent.

BAUAI KOITOI of Omu (1) Age 47 education nil, present employment village constable, previous employment labourer, convictions nil, extent of influence almost ail of the Kunimaipa regarded as the paramount village constable in the area, prejudices nil, general attitude towards progress excellent, he is a member of the Central District Admisory Council and was an unsuccessful candidate for the 1968 House of Assembly Elections.

GAINAI KIARA of Omu (2) Age 52 education nil taught himself to read and write Motu and Pidgin, present employment village policeman, previous employment labourer, convictions two assault, failing to maintain roads, extent of influence all of Upper Kunimaipa, no known prejucises attitude towards progress very good towards the Administration excellent, he is chairman of the Kunimaipa Demarcation Committee

EMAI JAVIJAI of Gagave Age 42 education nil, present employment nil previous employment nil, convictions three offcness not known extent of influence Gagave no known prejudices, general attitude towards progress and the administration good.

KAILIA NOIA of ZHAKE age 32 education standard 1, present employment entrepeneur, previous employment labourer, convictions two assault adultery, extent of influence Zhaka, no known prejudices attitude towards progress and Administration excellent.

DUMOI SIMAN of Lapaulo Age 59 education nil, present employment retired, previous employment village constable, convictions nil extent of influence Lapaulo, no known prejucis, attitude toward progress good, towards Administration excellent.

MUINAI ZAP of Torura Age 58 education nil, present employment nil previous employment subsistance farmer, convictions one assault, extent of influence Torura, no known pejudices attitude toward progress and Administration good,

BAUAI ITOAIZAP of Lupila Age 40 education nil, present employment village constable previous employment labourer, convictions three adultery (twice), unlawfully lay hold of, no known prejudices attitude towards progress and the Administration excellent

BAUAI KOIT of Enau Gagave Age 51, education nil, present employment and previous employment village policeman, convictions nil, extent of influence Enau Gagave, no known prejudices, general attitude towards progress and the Administration excellent.

GURIZAI BAUAI of Bizoa Age 60 education nil, present employment retired previous employment village councilor, convictions not known extent of influence Bizoa, no known prejudices, general attitude towards progress fair, towards the Administration good.

ZUPUIA KAVIJO of Eli Age 52 education nil, present employment councilor, previous employment nil, convictions two assault extent of influence Eli, no known prejudices, general attitude towards progress and the Administration good.

Givenai Moilot of Amena Age 43 education nil, present employment village policeman previous employment subsistance farmer, convictions two unsanitary housing and gailing to maintain roads, extent of influence Amena, no known predudices, attitude towards progress good towards the Administration fair.

ROBERT HATAU of Givena, age 44, present employment village councillor entrepeneur, convictions nil, extent of influence Gimena and Umunitu, no known prejudices, general attitude towards progress excellent, toward the Administration very good.

NO'A KOIMAI of Zhevenai Age 46 education mil, present employment village constable, previous employment subsistance farmer, convictions one assault, extent of influence Zhevenai, no known prejudices, general attitude towards progress good, towards the Administration fair.

BANUA GIVENI of Ivirupu Age 60 education nil, present employment retired, previous employment village constable, convictions three all assault, extent of influence Ivirupu and Neleme, no known prejudices, general attitude towards progress bad towards the Administration good.

LAVAI ORIN of Neleme Age 54 education nil, present employment nil previous employment policeman, convictions nil, extent of influence Neleme, Komu, Jao and Ivirupu, no know prejudices general attitude towards the Administration excellent, he served during the second World War at Lae.

ALAVETTE TOKOI of Komm Age 50, education mil, present employment village constable previous employment laburer, convictions mil, extent of influence Komu, no known prejudices, general attitude towards progress fair, towards the Administration good.

KCMOI GORAP of Jao Age 43 education nil, present employment village constable, previous employment subsistance farmer, convictions



nil, no known prejudices, attitude towards progress and the Administration very good.

MAVAI POIA of Uni (1) Age 46, present employment village councillor previous employment labourer, education nil, convictions four gambling (twice) unsanitary housing (twice), extent of influence Uni (1), no known prejudice, general attitude towards progress good, towards the Administration excellent.

AILIVA GAIWARE of Uni (2) Age 50, education nil, present employment and previous employment subsistance farmen, convictions one unsanitary housing, extent of influence Uni (2), no known prejudices, general attitude towards progress and Administration good.

KOITO BATAS OF Goilapu Age 51 education nil, present employment village constable previous employment subsistance farmer, convictions one assault, extent of influence Goilapu, no known prejudices, general attitude toward progress good, toward Administration excellent.

DONAI TEITEI of Koifa (1) Age 48 education nil, present employment village constable, previous employment runer, convictions nil, extent of influence Koifa (1) no known prejudices, attitude towards progress and the Administration excellent.

KARIAI ATRI of Koifa (2) age 56, education nil, present employment retired, previous employment miner and subsistance farmer, convictions four assaults roitous behavior failing too maintain roads, extent of influence Koifa (2), no known prejudices, general attitude toward progress excellent, towards the Administration good.

BAUAI GIRAU of Tonamens. Age 43 education nil, present employment village councillor and rock drill operator, previous employment labourer effences not known, extent of influence Tonamena no known prejudices, attitude towards progress excellent towards the Administration good.

MANAI LAIAM of Guari (1) Age 60, education nil, present employment retired, previous employment village constable, convictions nil, extent of influence Guari (1) and Guari (2), no known prejudices general attitude towards progress and the Administration Good.

LAVAI TUUA of Suari (2) Age 59 education nil, present employment village councillor, previous employment subsistance farmer, convictions two assault adultery, extent of influence Guari (2) no known prejudices, general attitude towards progress good, towards the Administration excellent.

### E. LAND TENURE AND USE

The land system in the Kunimaipa is patrilineal. There was some beliefs that the land system was a mixture of both patrilineal and matrilineal but after long discussion with the people about their land system is was found that this was untrue. The reason that some people have been led to beleive this is because when an outsidemale marries into a clan and lives with his wife's clan the dan leaders usually give him and his wife usufructuary rights to some land. If the woman bears any male children they eventually become the owners of the land that their parents have had usufructuary rights of and when asked how they obtained the land they usually say that it was handed down to them from their mother, which in fact is untrue because the mother had no rights of disposal of the land the land actually coming from the grandfather. The traditional system of land tenure is patrilineal except in the case mentioned above where usufructuary right are given to land. Women have no rights of disposal of land but they do have usufructuary rights.

There is no land leased from the Administration or the Crown held by individuals and the people have no knowledge to tenure conversion.

The Roman Catholic Mission and the United Church hold a number of leases in the Kunimaipa area.

Cash crops grown in the area area all grown by individuals on the individuals own land. There are no cases of communally owned plantings.

### F. LITERACY

There are two Administration registered primary T. schools in the area both of these being run by the Roman Catholic Mission.

These schools are situated at the Catholic Mission Headquarters for the area at Kamulai and at Omu village. Both of these schools teach in English to grades from Preparatory to Standard 3 and next year the school at Kamulai will be teaching up to Standard 4.

The following is a break up of students at each school:-

Kamulai Primary T.			
	Male	Female	Total
Preparatory	19	9	28
Standard 1	26	7	33
Standard 2	20	10	30
Standard 3	17	15	32
	82	41	123
Omu Primary T.			
	Male	Female	Total
Preparatory	10	10	20
Standard 1	18	12	30
Standard 2	12	-	12
Standard 3	26	5	31
	66	27	93

Previously a few students who completed Standard 3 have been transferred to either Kosipi Frimary T. school or one of tje Catholic Mission Primary T. Schools in the Kairuku Sub-District to complete their primary education. Fight students from the Kunimaipa are at present attending the Mainahana Catholic Mission High School at Bereina. Approximately two hundred and five adults from the Kunimaipa are literate in either the venacular, the lingua france or English.

John Gitai from Omu has passed the Intermediate Examinations and is at present in Port Moresby working as a clerk for Steamships Trading Company. He also attended High School for one year in Australia

Five males and one female from the area have received training at Yule Island as teachers and three females have received training as "Little Sisters" None of these people have received any education higher than Form 1. There are no student away from the area receiving higher education. There is not a great deal of interest shown in newspapers but there is a lot of interest shown in radio as an entertainment media. There is at least one radio in every village a the area and in most villages there is three or four radios.

### G. STANDARD OF LIVING

All houses in the area are of the traditional style - split palm floor, woven bamboo walls and pandanas leafe roof. Gainai Kiara of Omu has approached the Catholic Mission at Kamulai with money to purchase cement to make bricks to build a brick house in his village but at this stage no work has been commenced. All houses have a pit toilet and rubbish pit outside the village boundry. All people in the area with the exception of a few very old men who still wear the traditional "sisi" wear European style clothes. Both inside and outside the house European artifacts are used almost all the time, the only exception being the use of large wooden bowls for serving food when a large number of people are eating together.

The staple diet of the people is sweet potato, banana, taro, pandanas (in season) and pig. The following foods have been introduced: potato, tomato, pumpkin, cabbage, cucumber, peanuts and onion and these are eaten at all times by the people when they are available. Canned meat, fish, and rice are eaten when money is available to purchase them.

There are no community centres or organisations such as Red Cross, Boy Scouts, and Girl Guides in the area. The people of Guari Patrol Post, Guari (1), Guari (2), Zailapu, Zheviamai, Omu and Lobudum show a lot of interest in basketball and soccer and have played competetive games against one another.

### H. MISSIONS

There are two missions operative in the area the Roman Catholic which operate from Kamulai and the United Church which operate from Moru in the Gulf District. There are three Fathers at Kamulai who regularily patrol to every vilage in the area and Mr. H. Brown from Moru patrols the villages that follow the United Church approximately once in every six months. The Roman Catholic Church bas adherents in every village in the Kumimaipa area,

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The United Church has adherants in the following villages:-Ivirupu, Neleme, Komu, Jao, Uni (1) Uni (2) and Goilapu. Ivirrupu and Neleme there is quite a bit of conflict and tension between the followers of the two Missions which was borne out by the fact that approximately seventy five per cent of the minor complaints and disputes heard by the patrol were between members of the two missions. A lot of this conflict seems to come from the United Church Paster at Neleme. Two cases of this were when the Pastor complained that one man had made a garden on the United Church lease. After investigating the matter it was found that four men had made gardens on the lease but the man whom the paster complained against was the only Roman Catholic. When asked why he hadn't complained against the other three men he said " they belong to the United Church, he belongs to the Catholic Church which is a very bad church" The other case was when the people brought food to the patrol to sell he said " the United Church people will give you the food for nothing but the Catholic Church people always want money for food" It is comments like these the which has been the basis of the ill feeling between the followers of the two Missions. At Komu, Jao, Uni (1), Uni (2) and Goilapu there is little or no conflict between the two missions. The Catholic M The Catheric Mission has a catacist teacher in every village in the area. he United Church has a native Paster in every village where they have adherants. These catecists and pasters conduct Church services and prayer meetings in the villages. The Catholic Mission have two P imary T schools in the area one at Kamulai and one at Omu and an aid postmat Kamulai. The Catholic Mission have eighty two full time mission workers (Fathers, Sisters, catacists and school teachers) and the United Church eight (Pasters) The attitude of the people towards the Christian Mission is excellent. Native religions have now died out in the area.

The Roman Catholic Church Mission is the stronger of the two Missions.

### I. NON INDIGENES

There are no plantations, factories or commercial establishments operated by non indigenous persons in the area.

### J. COMMUNICATIONS

a) Roads.

Guari Patrol Post is linked by vehicular road to the Sub-District Headquarters at Tapini. Approximatly seven miles of vehicular road has been completed of the ten miles road to from Guari patrol post to Kamulai and two miles of road has been completed from Guari to Omu village. These are the only sections of vehicular road in the Kunimaipa area. All other villages are linked to these roadsby graded bridle paths which are suitable for motorcycles and horses. The only villages in the area not linked by bridle path are Jao and Goilapu which are linked by a native track.

For any commercial development in the area such as vegetables it will be necessary to complete the road to Omm and extend it to Torura in the Laedwaters of the Kumimaipa, build a road into the Uni valley, and extend the Guari to Kamulai road to Goilapu. None of these proposed roads would be extremely difficult to build, it is only a matter of widening the exicting well established bridle paths and blasting any roaks where necessary. These roads could probably be built in the future on a self help basis with Rural development funds.

b) Sea.

Not applicable.

### c) Air

At present there are no airstrips in the are. Airstrips are presently under construction at Guari Patrol Post and at Neleme village. The airstrip at Guari is nearing completion and it is hoped that it will be completed within the nexttwelve to eighteen months. When completed it will be 2200 feet long and 140 feet wide and suitable for Pilatus Porter and Cessna. Approximatly eight hundred feet of the airstrip has been completed but virtually no work has been done for one year and it appears to be almost an impossible task to complete this airstrip to Department of Civil Aviation standards.

### K. TECHNICAL AND CLERICAL SK

There are several men in the area who have picked up the basics of carpentery and bricklaying either by working as casual labourers for the Catholic Mission or the Administ ation. There are no other men residing in the area who have technical or clerical skills but there are two men working as drivers and three men working as clerks in Port Moresby.

### L. THE STAGE OF POLISEGAL DEVELOPMENT.

In general the people of the Kumimaipa are not very far advanced in the knowledge of politics and the House of Assembly. The people . understand that the House of Assembly consists of members from all over the Territory who are elected by the people and that the House of Assembly makes laws and decides what will be done with Government monies but that is about the limit of their knowledge.

Bauai Koitei the village constable from Omu (1) an unsuccessful candidate in the 1968 House of Assembly Elections is probably the most knowledgable indigenous person in the area regarding politics

Bausi Koitoi, Gainai Kiara, Taumini Noia, Thomas Laiam, Adrian Daul,. Bauai Koit, Peto Kuvia, Bauai Laiam, and Gigori Enau have all attended at least one Local Government meeting.

Adrian Daul has attended a sitting of the House Of Assembly.

Bauai Koitoi is a member of the Central District Advisory council.

John Gitai Attended high school for one year in Ametralia.

### M. THE ECONOMY OF THE AREA.

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The only economic trees in the area are found in the Uni valley the area between Komu and Goilapu, and the headwaters of the Kunimaipariver and it tributories. These trees are mainly oak and pine with small scattered areas of Cedar. Pit saws are operated by the Administration at Guari and the Catholic Mission at Uni (1) with only enough timber being cut to supply the needs of the Administration and the Mission.

The people of Tonamena village soil approximatly four hundred pounds of potatoes a week to the Roman Catholic Mission who in turn sell thaem to John Martin at Tapini so earning \$8.00 a week.

Approximatly \$9,000.00 is earned by ..ge labours in the area a further \$800.00 is earned by other means such as sellong vegetales and lirewood.

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There are several entrepeneurs in the area who have either a small trade store, some cattle or both but none of these could be regarded as outstanding or successful. Probably the most outstanding of them all would be Taumini Noia from Ganiavai who has two trade stores one at Ganiavai the other at Omu and three head of cattle, but he could not survive on these "businesses" alone. Of the other entrepeneurs the best would probably make \$2.00 a week at the most.

There is approximatly \$4,500 held in Savings Bank accounts in the area most of this being held by Hospital Orderlies and Mission s school teachers.

The average per capita income figure is approximatly \$3.00. This figure is appreciably higher in the villages close to Guari Patrol Post and Kamulai Catholic Mission and lower in the village further away from these centres.

Cattle has been introduced into the Kunimaipa area by the Administration and the Roman Catholic Mission and a total of twenty two head have been brought by indeviduals of the villages. The only group to receive any return so far from cattle are the Omu people who sent three head of cattle to Port Moresby from the Goilala and made a net profit of seventy dollars per head.

### N. POSSIBILITIES OF EXPANDING THE ECONOMY

Sufficient arable land is available for the planting of tree crops. Probably about twenty thousand acres of land would be available.

Market gardening could be increased but it would be useless to do so until vehicular roads are built because of the long distances the produce has to be carried to the road heads.

Wage earning has been increased with the introduction of the Rural Development scheme and with the Catholic Mission cattle project where extra casual labour has been employed to build fences plant improved pastures and for the supply of fence posts but the employment of wage labour has this year appeared to have reached its peak. All labour employed by the Administration and the Mission is obtained from villages within the Kumimaipa area.

Cattle appears to be the answer for expanding the economy. Now that the Cmu people have received a cash roturn for their eattle many people have made enquiries to the Administration and the Catholic Mission regarding the purchase but unfortunately the demend is far greaterthan the supply. The Catholic Mission is at present embarking on a cattle scheme in which they hope to be able to supply forty head of cattle a year to the village people. Several villages have built fances and yards for the cattle and now they are swaiting delivery. Some villages have planted improved pastures with the natural grasses which on its own is suitable for cattle grazing.

The people realise that the only way to increase the economy of the area is by hard work and when the cattle scheme does become a reality of probable reaction of the people will be "lets work a bit harder and buy some cattle"

### O. ATTITUDE TOWARDS LOCAL GOVERNMENT

There is no Local Government Council in the area and judging from observation the people do not want to form a Local Government Council or join an already established council. Their main reason for this attitude is they are afraid of high taxes and they claim it will be of no benefit to them.

The general opinion appears to be that Local Government Council is a good idea but they are only poor people and can't afford to pay taxes otherwise the attitude towards Local Government is good.

R.B. PHILIPPE.
PATROL OFFICER.

### VILLAGE POPULATION REGISTER

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## VILLAGE POPULATION REGISARIA

(Folio No. 1.)

CENSUS DIVISION UPPER KUNIMAIPA Birth Rate — 3 1 per 100

Death Rate — 1 per 100

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### APPENDIX 1

### VILLAGE POPULATION REGISTER

(Folio No. 1.)

CENSUS DIVISION LOWER KUNIMAIPA Birth Rate = 3.35 per 100

Death Rate = 1.95 per 100

Year 1968 Month NOVEMBER/DEC. Natural Increase = 1.4 per 100

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### TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA

# PATROL REPORT

Patrol Conducted by Mr. R. B. Philippe P.O.I.C.
Area Patrolled
Patrol Accompanied by Europeans
Duration—From. 8/1/1969to17./1/19.69
Number of Days10
Did Medical Assistant Accompany?
Last Patrol to Area by—District Services/.11/19.68
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Map Reference. Adamsons Map of the Goilala
Objects of Patrol Routine Administration
Director of District Administration, PORT MORESBY.  Forwarded, please.
/ / 19  District Commissioner
Amount Paid for War Damage Compensation \$

DEPARTMENT OF DISTRICT ADMINISTRATION

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Sub-District Office, TAPINI.

9th. April 1969.

The District Commissioner, District Office, P.U.Box 776, PORT MORESBY.

## CAMPING ALLOWINGE CLAIMS

1. Please find attached two (2) camping allowance claims in favour of R.B. Philippe P.O.. These claims were not submitted with relevant patrol reports to wit Guari Patrol Reports Nos. 2 and 3-68/69.

2. For your approval, please.

(G.P.Hardy) (G.P.Hardy)



### TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA

Telegrams DISADM Telephone 4601

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Department of District Administration, Konedobu, Papua,

14th March, 1969.

The District Commissioner, Central District, PORT MORESBY.

Your reference is 67-10-3 of 26th February, 1969.

- 2. I acknowledge with thanks receipt of Special Report by Mr. P.R. Ryan, C.P.O. to Karuama Census Division.
- 3. I agree that it is pleasing to read this report.
  No doubt with further experience Mr. Ryan will improve, his style
  of reporting as regards fuller treatment of details observed.

T. W. Yelis

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67-10-3

26th. February, 1969.

Director,
Department of District Administration,
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PATROL REPORT - GUARI MO. 3 - 68/69 Mr. P. RYAN, C.P.O.

The above report, together with map is forwarded for your personl please.

This is the first report submitted by Hr. Byon.
It has a nest presentation and it is pleasing to read a report with so for errors. The map is quite a good effort also.

Comments regarding this patrol, conducted by Mr. R.B. Phillips have already been forwarded. Mr. Ryan was on a training exercise and has submitted the attached report.

DISTRICT COMMISSIONER C.D.

e.c. Assistant District Commissioner, PAPINI:

c.c. Mr. P. Ryan, District Office, PORT MORESBY.



### 67-10-3 TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA

Our Reference 67-1-3

If calling ask for Mr. PRR

In Reply Please Quote

Sub-District Office TAPINI Goilala Sub-District Central District 24th January 1969

Assistant District Commissioner Goilala Sub-District Office TAPINI

PATROL REPORT

Please find enclosed five copies of Guari Patrol Report No. 3-63/69 For your information and onforwarding please.

Cadet Patrol Officer

Encl. Patrol Diary. Situation Rep. Patrol Map.

Att. Camping Allewance Claim

TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA

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If calling ask for

Mr. WJSG/mp

In Reply Please Quote

Department of District Administration, Sub-District Office, TAPINI

Central District.

17th February, 1969.



The District Commissioner, Central District, PORT MORESBY

### PATROL REPORT GUART No.3 -68-69

Attached is a report submitted by Mr. P. Ryan C.P.O. on a patrol conducted by Mr. R.B. Philippe P.O. Mr. Ryan accompanied Mr. Philippe on this patrol and this I believe is his first ever patrol report.

- 2. Mr. Ryan's report is brief and matter of fact. The matters raised have all been raised by Mr. Philippe in his report. They have been adequately commented on by myself, and your reply has been received. I think it would be more instructional for Mr. Ryan to read Mr. Philippe's report and the comments thereon, rather than rehush the various matters raised as his report closely parallels that of Mr. Philippe.
- I feel that any development, be it economic or political, of the Karuama Cersus Division is dependent on access to the area. A proposl has been put before the Rural Development Committee that funds be allocated for the construction of a road into the Karuama. The road would be a continuation of the Tororo Zanialavava road at present under construction by the Tapini Local Government Council. All will depend on the availability of funds.

Att/...

a/Ascistant District Commissioner

### PATROL DIARY

8-1-69	0835	Departed Guari Patrol Post
	1103	Arrived Kemulai Catholic Mission
	100	Carriers and Police arrived
	330	Had a discussion with Father Morant
		Remained overnight
	ROAD TIMES	
		Self: 2 hours 25 minutes
		Carriers: 3 hours 30 minutes
		Road slippery when wet, otherwise in
		good condition.
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9-1-69	0810	Departed Kamulai
	1135	Arrived Olivi
	1230	Carriers and Police arrived
	1415	Inspected village
	1530	Miner complaint settled by arbitration
		Remained overnight
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	1125	Inspected village
	1330	Two minor disputes settled by arbitration
	1500	Informal talk with people re-reads, bridges
		and House of Assembly Remained overnight
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		Road in good condition, easy grade
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	0910	Arrived Kosgarin Rest House
	0925	Carriers and Police arrived
	1115	Three minor disputes settled by arbitration
		Remained overnight
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		Self: 1 hour 10 minutes
		Carriers: 1 hour 25 minutes
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	6915	Inspected village
	0945	Crossed Tapela river to the new site of
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	1015	Inspected village
	1315	Two minor disputes settled by arbitration
	-	Remained overnight
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		Carriers: 40 minutes

Road rough in parts, easy grade

14-1-69	0755	Departed Inavorena
	0950	Arrived Kapateiya
		Inspected village
	1010	Departed Kapateiya
	\$020	Arrived Guari-Meipa
	1130	Carriers and Police arrived
	1325	Five disputes settled by arbitration
	1610	Inspected village
	2012	Remained overnight
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		Carriers. ) hours )) annuces
		Road in excellent condition from Kosgarin R.H
		to Guari-Meipa
15-1-69	0755	Departed Guari-Neipa
	0810	Arrived Karusia
		Inspected village
	0820	Departed Karusia
	0905	Arrived Lopizo No.2.
		Inspected village
	0915 0920	Departed Lopizo No. 2 Arrived Taveve Rest House
	0930	Carriers and Police arrived
	1035	Inspected Aid-post
	1115	Three disputes settled by arbitration
	1220	Inspected village
	1405	Minor disputed settled by arbitration
		Remained overnight
	ROAD TIMES	
		Self: 1 hour 5 minutes
		Carriers: 1 hour 35 minutes
		Road in good condition
16-1-69	0755	Departed Taveve R.H.
	0030	Arrived Lopisa No.3
		Inspected village
	0855	Departed Lopizo No.3
	1110	Arrived Zanialavava
	1220	Carriers and Police arrived
	1330	Three disputes settled by arbitration
	1510	Fight started outside rest house.
	4515	Several arrested for assault
	1545 1600	Inspected village and Aid-post Two minor disputes settled by arbitration
	1000	Remained overnight
	ROAD TIMES	
		Self: 2 hours 50 minutes
		Carriers: 4 hours 25 minutes
		to the Engines area is since
		Read in fair condition, grade very steep
		in parts
17-1-69	0750	Departed Zanialavava
	0915	Arrived Laramaita
		Inspected village
	1000	Departed Laramaita
	1130	Arrived Tororo
	1200	Carriers paid
	1230	Departed Tororo by Landrover
	1345	Arrived Tapini
		Reported to A.D.C.
		END OF PATROL
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	ROAD TIMES:	ZANIALAVAVA to TORORO

ROAD TIMES: ZANIALAVAVA to TORORO

Self & Carriers: 2 hours 55 minutes

TORORO to TAPINI Vehicle: 1 hour 15 minutes

### SITUATION REPORT



### (a) POLITICAL

### LOCAL GOVERNMENT .

At present there is no Local Government Council in the Karuama Census Division. This has been the subject of much discussion and the apparent solution is to combine any future Karuama Council with a Kumimaipa Council.

The village constables and councillors, as a whole, are doing a reasonable job of maintaining control of their villages, but there are a few who seem to be incapable of carrying out the instructions given by the Officers of previous patrols.

### HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY .

The people when asked simple questions on the machinery of the House of Assembly knew very little about it. An attempt was made to explain it to them, in very simple terms, but I'm afraid it did not appear to be very successful as was shown later when further questions were

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY MEMBERS.

Some of the people knew that Mr. Louis Mona is the member for Goilala Open but nobody knew that Mr. Cala Cala Rarua is the member for Central Regional. Neither of these members have as yet made their presence felt in this area although, I believe Mr. Louis Mona is planning a visit.

POLITICAL EDUCATION.

The short talks given, at different villages, on the mechanism and aims of the Government, did not appear to be very successful. It is quite apparent that to have a chance of imparting any form of knowledge, to these people, would be greatly enhanced by the introduction of some form of visual aid. e.g. flip charts of the type used in the 1964 elections.

PREFERENTIAL VOTING .

This system of voting is beyond the comprehension of

### (b) ECONOMIC

### GENERAL RURAL DEVELOPMENT .

Rural development in the Keruama area is almost non-existant. There are a couple of small coffee gardens in the area, but as the people lack knowledge in the processing and the marketing of it, these gardens are being neglected. An experienced Agricultural Officer is needed to patrol this area and advise the people on the production methods and on the marketing possibilities. Most types of European vegetables can be grown in the Karuama area but due to the great distance from markets it does not seem to be a very sound venture for these people at the present time.

Timber is a possibility, but as there is a lack of adequate facilities for the cutting and transporting of timber, this industry is not feasible at present.
Cattle could be the future for these people as they have large areas of grasslands where the cattle can graze. There have been two successful cattle drives to Port Moresby thus the problem of establishing a stock route has been overcome.

# ACTIVITIES OF DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENTS.



This area has been neglected especially by the Department of Agriculture, Stock and Fisheries.

D.A.S.F. have made no attempt to help those people, in the Karusma area, interested in the production of coffee. If an Agricultural Officer was to go into the area I believe that the people would accept his advice as it is my impression that the people are willing to work. This is borne out by the fact that I was asked many questions, about the production of coffee, by those people that are growing it.

# PROCESSING AND MARKETING

For cash crops to be established in the Karuama area a more adequate means of transporting them to the marketing centres of Tapini and Guari has to be provided.

# VILLAGE CASH CROP EXTENSION .

There has been Division. no cash crop extension in the Karusi

# NON-INDIGENOUS DEVELOPMENT .

There is no non-indigenous development in the area.

# (e) SOCIAL

EDUCATION .

There are no primary schools in the Karvana area but one is to be built at the guari-Meipa Mission Station.

The villagers at present send their children to either the primary school at Kamulai Or to the primary school at Beipa village in the Kairuku Sub-District.

There are catecist schools at Olivi, Dak'Lassaure, Karusua, Kapateiya and Taveve.

As to be expected very few of the educated people remain in their villages but go to Fort Moresby to seek employment

HEALTH

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There are two Aid-posts in the Karusma Census Division, on at Dak'Lawauro and the other at Taveve. The orderlies in charge though do not appear to be very competent. The people themselves appeared healthy although there are quite a few who have Brilli. There was one death reported at Inavorena. The cause, from the symptoms described, appeared to be malaria.

LAW AND ORDE

There were only two cases brought before the patrol which warranted court action. One for card-playing the other a case of assault.
All other cases were of a petty nature and were settled by arbitration.

# SERVICES PROVIDED BY GOVERNMENT AND GOVERNMENT AGENCIES.

The only services provided are the two Aid-posts and the vaccination programme by the Public Health Department and the services provided by the Department Of District Administration.

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The whole of the Karuama Cemsus Division are adherants to the Roman Catholic Mission which has a mission station at Guari-Meipe. This station was unmanned at the time of the patrel as the European Father in charge was en leave. Father Abel regularly patrels the area giving advice and holding church services. Through his advice and help the reads have been brought up to such a standard that a

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motorcycle can be ridden to all villages except two, which are well away from the main bridle path.

CULTS AND UNREST .

There are no cultist activities or unrest in the area.

COMMUNITY EDUCATION .

Except for the Health education by the Aid-post Supervisor from Quari carried out in the area, there have been no community education programmes.

( P. R. Ryem ) Gedet Petrol Officer



TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA

## PATROL REPORT

Report Number	
Subdistrict	
Patrol Conducted by R.B.Philippe Patrol Officer	
Area Patrolled	Karuama C.D., Goilela S.D., Non Council
(Council and/or	Area, Mekeo C.D., Kairuku S.D., Counci
Census Division/s.)	AREA.
Personnel Accompanying Patrol	Fr. Fournier (C.M. Kamulai)
Mr. P.Stefanski (C.M. Kamulai) Interpreter	2 Members R.P.& N.G.G.
Duration of Patrol—from18/4/.69 To7/5/69  No. of Days	
To purchase land known Guari Kapeteiya.	
Total Population of Area Patrolled	
Director of District Administration, KONEDOBU.	
Forw	arded, please.
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	District Commissioner.

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Assistant District Commissioner, TAPINI

P.O. Box 776 7th Augus t, 1969

### PATROL GIARI NO. 4 1968/1969

Attached are three copies of the map as requested.

(R. T. GALLOWAY)
DISTRICT COMMISSIONER.

Attach.





## TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA

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Mr

Division of District Administration,
Department of the Administrator,
KONEDOBU. PAPUA.

24th July, 1969.

67-10-4

The District Commissioner, Central District, PORT MORESBY.



### PATROL NO. 4 GUARI 1968-69

Your 67-10-4 of 30th June, 1969, refers.
The original and six copies of your map are

T.W. ELLIS)
Secretary

Department of the Administrator.

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67-10-4

30th June, 1969.

Director,
Department of District Administration,
KONEDOBU.

# PATROL NO. 4 GUART 1968-69.

Your 67-1-40 of 24th June, 1969.

Attached is original of map. Could you send me six copies please.

It is pleasing to note the close co-operation between Alasion, administration and the local

(R.T.GALLOWAY)

DISTRICT COMMISSIONER C.D.

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ND NEW GUINEA TERRITORY

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STRICT COMMISSION-A-S 26 JUN 1969

Department of District Administration, Konedobu, Papua,

24th June, 1969.

The District Commissioner, Central District, PORT MORESBY.

PATROL NO. GUARI 4/68-6

Your reference 67-10-4 of 13th June, 1969.

I acknowledge with thanks receipt of Special Report by Mr. R.B. Phillipe, Patrol Officer, to Parts of KARUAMA and MEKEO Census Divisions.

Report clearly shows work completed to date, and indicates all will be in readiness for the planned cattle drive.

It is pleasing to note the close co-operation between Mission, Administration and the local people.

A copy of map is required, please.

(T.W. ELLIS) Director. ~ 67-10-4

13th June, 1969.

The Director,
Department of District Administration,
KONEDOBJ.

PATROL REPORT NO. GUARI 4 - 68/69 NR. R.B. PHILLIPE P.G.

The above report, in duplicate is forwarded for your information.

Gurrently, work is being undertaken on two cattle routes into the Goilala Sab-District. One from Mariboi to the Vanapa head-waters will provide access to the southern and central areas of the Sub-District whilst the other will provide access to the Kuminsipa

In both cases it is a natter of re-opening old reads, improving their surface and widening where accessary. The final location of helding paddocks will be determined later and will them be established.

Tje forst "drive" is a mission - Department of Agriculture joint venture, some 25 head of cattle will be taken in for sole to the area.

> (R.T.GALLOWAY) DISTRICT COMM SSIONER G.D.

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Assistant District Commissioner, TAPINI.

Vouchers are returned for payment.

(R.T.GALLOWAY) ODISTRICT COMMISSIONER C.D.

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# TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA

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Department of District Administration, Sub-District Office, TAPINI, Central District.

28th May, 1969.

The District Commissioner, Central District, PORT MORESBY

### GUARI PATROL REPORT No.4 OF 1968/69.

Attached please find the abovementioned submitted by Mr. R.B. Philippe, Officer-in-Charge, Guari Patrol Post.

- 2. This was a special patrol conducted for the purpose of carrying out a survey of a cattle route from Bereina to Guari and to purchase an area of land known as Guari Kapetaiya. The objects of the Patrol were successfully achieved and Mr. Philippe has submitted a well prepared report together with a map covering the area traversed.
- The contracts let to develop the cattle route are sufficiently detailed in the report and appear to be quite reasonable. Your advice regarding the request for a further \$200.00 to open the section of the route between Mariboi and (Individual) and the construction of holding paddocks at Rarai, Mariboi and Lavidako would be appreciated, please. As the route is for the people from the Guari Administrative area, perhaps the work on the route to (Individual) could be done by the Kunimaipa people, provided there are no objections.
- An excellent start has been made on this project due to the co-operation of the various persons concerned, and the availability of funds, and all being well, it should be completed by the time the cattle are due at Waima on 10th July, 1969. It is pleasing to know so much progress on this project has been achieved in readiness for the establishment of a cattle industry in the Quari area.
- 5. The completed purchase documents for the area of land known as Gueri Kapetaiya have already been forwarded; my 35-12-7 of the 16th instant refers.
- 6. As requested by Mr. Philippe, could you please arrange for a copy or photostate copy of the report to be forwarded to Mr. Griffiths, Veterinary Officer, D.A.S.F.
- 7. Mr. Philippe showed a keen interest in his work which was carried out efficiently.
- 8. A claim for Camping Allowance is forwarded for your approval, please.

Att/..

Assistant District Commissioner



## TERRITORY OF PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA

MAY 1969

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## DEPARTMENT OF DISTRICT ADMINISTRATION

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Assistant District Commissioner, Sub District Office, TAPINI.



No.

Patrol Post, GUARI.

23rd. May, 1969.

# GUARI PATROL REPORT No. 4-68/69

Please find attached four (4) copies of the abovementioned patrol report together with a map of the Guari to Bereina cattle route.

During a Radio Telephone conversation with Mr. Griffiths the retain Veterinary Officer with the Department of Agriculture and Fisheries he requested that a copy of the report be forwarded to him. Would you please request the District Commissioner to make a photocopy of the report and forward the same to Mr. Griffiths.

For your information, action, and onforwarding, please.

(R.B.Philippe)
Officer in Charge

Att. Patrol report (4 copies)
Map, Guari to Bereina cattle route
Camping Allowance claim, R.B.Philippe

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R.B.Philippe, c/o Patrol Post, GUARI, Via TAPINI, Goilala Sub District.

18-4-69 to 25-4-69	To payment of camping allowance Guari patrol No. 4-68/69. 7 nights @ \$1.05 per night	1.05	7 35
1-5-69 b-5-69	I certify that abovementioned is a single officer and that he actually camped out during the periods stated and that no cook was provided by the administration.	1.05	5 25
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INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

To DISTRICT Commission En From A.D.C., TPT INI

Subje. ATTACHED MAY Date 2.8/3/49

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Photostat copies of the attached

map please

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# PATROL DIARY

18-4-69	1450 1540	Departed Guari for Kamulai. Arrived Kamulai. Overnight Kamulai.
19-4-69	0855	Departed Kamulai together with Fr. Fournier and Mr. P. Stefanski (lay missionary) for Guari Maipa.
	1015	Arrived Olivi.
	1020	Departed Olivi.
	1050	Arrived Dak'lawauro. Departed Dak'lawauro.
	1125	Arrived Kosgarin.
	1140	Departed Kosgarin.
	1215	Arrived Guari Maipa. Overnight Guari Maipa.
20-4-69	1230	Purchased Guari Kapetaiya ground. Spoke with peaple re Guari to Bereina cattle route. Overnight Guari Maipa.
21-4-69	0815	Departed Guari Maipa per motorcycle for Levidako.
	0850	Arrived Kosgarin, Organised carriers.
	0920	Departed Kosgarin.
	1000	Arrived Poramalio. Awaited carriers.
	1020	Carriers arrived. Departed Poramalio.
	1110	Arrived Mosibi. Left motorcycles at rest house.
	1145	Departed Mosibi on foot.
	1235	Arrived Lavidako (deserted).
	1345	Greated bush camp. Overnight Levidako.
22-4-69	0650	Departed Levidako for Kariboi settlement.
	1225	Arrived Mariboi settlement.
7	1400	Freeted bush camp.
		Overnight Maribol settlement.
23-4-69	0700	Departed Mariboi for Inauvavuni.
	0750	Arrived Imounga.
	0810 0915	Departed Imounga. Arrived small hamlet (name unknown).
	0925	Departed Hamlet.
	1120	Arrived Inauvawuni.
		Overnight Inauvavuni Mission house.
24-4-69	0645	Departed Inauvavuni for Bereina Station.
	0735	Passed through small hamlet. Passed through Rarai.
	0910	Passed through Amoamo.
	0930	Arrived Beipa'a Mission station.
	1300	Departed Belpa'a by mission Landrover for
	1325	Bereina. Arrived Bereina. A.D.C. absent at Gally Reach.
	1515	A.D.C. returned. Made arrangements with him re cattle route.
25-4-69		Anzac Day.
26-4-69		Saturday.
27-4-69		Sunday.
28-4-69		Disscussion with A.D.C., D.A.S.F. Bereina and
		Roman Catholie Mission re cattle route.
29-4-69		Travelled to Waima to inspect beach landing
		site.



30-4-69		General discussion with A.D.C No transport available.
1-5-69	0930 1005 1030 1300 1335 1430	Departed Bereina by truck for Beipa'a Arrived Beipa'a. Carriers departed Beipa'a for Rarai. Self departed Beipa'a for Rarai. Passed through Amoamo. Arrived Rarai. Overnight Rarai.
2-5-69		Supervised with Fr. Fournier the construction of a cattle crush and repair of fencing at Rarai mission lease.
3-5-69	0555 0625 0630 0720 0800 0945 1105 1220 1250 1340 1420	Departed Rarai for Mariboi settlement. Arrived Gagaifua hamlet. Departed Gagaifua hamlet. Arrived Inauvawuni. Departed Inauvawuni. Arrived small hamlet. Departed hamlet. Arrived Imounga. Departed Imounga. Arrived Mariboi settlement. Awaited carriers. Garriers arrived. Transferred cargo across river. Set up camp. Overnight Mariboi.
4-5-69	0705 0900 1155 1345 1430 1540	Departed Mariboi settlement for Mosibi. Arrived road labourers camp. Fr. Fournier conducted mass. Departed labourers camp. Arrived Levidako. Departed Lavidako. Arrived Mosibi. Overnight Mosibi rest house.
5-5-69	0735 0800 0830 0850 1040 1105 1115 1245 1245 1315 1400 1435	Departed Mosibi per motoreyele for Kamulai. Arrived Inaworena. Departed Inaworena. Arrived Kosgarin. Awaited carriers. Departed Kosgarin. Arrived Dak'lawauro. Departed Dak'lawauro. Arrived Olivi. Departed Olivi. Met Fr. Abel returning to Guari Maipa. Continued on. Arrived at Olivi Gap in Heavy rain. Departed Olivi Gap. Arrived Kamulai. Overnight Kamulai.
6-5-69	0830 0910	Departed Kamulai for Guari P.P. Arrived Guari P.P. END OF PATROL

## DEPARTMENT OF DISTRICT ADMINISTRATION

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Patrol Post, GUARI. 22nd. May, 1969.

Assistant District Commissioner, Sub-District Office, TAPINI.

## GUARI PATROL REPORT No. 4-68/69

The purpose of this patrol was to carry out a survey of the Guari to Bereina cattle route and to purchase land known as Guari - Kapetaiya. The latter was done without incident.

On the patrol I was accompanied by Fr. Fournier and Mr. Philippe Stefanski of the Roman Catholic Mission at Kamulai. Fr. Fournier is going to carry out all blasting necessary and Mr. Stefanski is at present supervising work on the Lavidako to Mariboi section of the road.

Right contracts were let during the patrol details of which are set out below, however due to lack of funds contracts were not let for the Mariboi to Inauvavuni section of the road of for the construction of holding paddocks at Rarai, Mariboi, (both Kairuku Sub District) and Lavidako (Goilala Sub District). It is estimated that with a further allocation of \$200 this work can be completed.

The cattle I believe are expected to arrive at Waima beach on the 10th. July 1969, from Waima they will be trucked to Rarai village where they will be held for a period for tick eradication. They will then be walked to Mariboi settlement where they will again be sprayed for tick. From Mariboi they will be walked to Lavidako where Fr. Fournier intends to spell the cattle for a few days to allow them to aclimatise to the mountains. From Lavidako they will be walked to Kamulai where they will sold to the Kunimaipa neople at \$50 per head. Many requests have been received from village people both by myself and by the Fathers at Kamulai for the purchase of these cattle.

The following contracts were let:

# 1. Kamulai to Olivi: \$25.00

This contract was let to the people of Kelive village and under the supervision of Fr. Willem work has been completed. This section of the road is approximately 11 miles in length and rises from 5500 ft. a.s.l. at Karılai to 7500 ft.a.s.l. at Olivi Gap and then descends to 4700 ft.a.s.l. at Olivi village. Many small creeks cross the read. Work involved on this section was widening several sections and repairing the many small fords.

#### 2. Ue River Bridge: \$30.00

This bridge is midway between Olivi and Dak'lawauro villages and is approxiamately 30 feet in length. A contract was let to the Dak'lawauro villagers and on my return from Bereina the bridge was completed to my satisfaction. With all bridge contracts on the cattle route Ueli timber was specified for the bearers and decking. This type of timber is very hard and does not rot easily.

# 3. Olivi to Kosgarin: \$25.00

This contract was let to the people of Olivi village and work has now been completed. This section is 9 miles long and descends from 4700 Ft.a.s. 1. to 1900 ft.a.s.l. at Kosgarin. The main work involved in this section was the repair of the road where it passes under a large waterfall and the widening of the road in several places. The work was carried out under the supervision of Fr. Abel from Guari Maipa C.M. station and was completed to my satisfaction when I inspected it on my return from Bereina.

# 4. Tapala River Bridge: \$30.00

This bridge crosses the Tapala river at Kosgarin and is a large two section bridge which built by Fr. Abel about 2 years ago. The first section of the bridge (about 25 feet) was previously built of stone but during the last wet season this section was washed away by floodwaters. It was decided to rebuild this section of the bridge in timber. This contract was let to rebuild this section and to redeck the second section of the bridge. Again Ueli timber was specified for the bearers and the decking. This work has now been completed.

#### 5. Kossarin to Lavidako: \$50.00

This section of the road is about 10 miles long and follows the Tapala River. A contract was let to Koru villagers and work has now been completed The majority of work necessary ont this section was on the section between Kosgarin and Inaworena. This section follows the old river bed and was strewn with round boulders and stones. These stones have now either been removed or chipped with crowbars to give the cattle a footing. Other parts of this section have to be widened and a few fords have to be repaired. Work was carried out under the supervision of Fr. Abel.

# 6. Maina River Bridge: \$70.00

This bridge crosses the Maipa river approximately 50 yards upstream from its junction with the Tapala river. The existing bridge was built by Mr. John Martin several years ago and the bearers are now rotting. The reason for the high contract price for this bridge compared with the other two is because of the inaccessability of Ueli timber of any other suitable timber to the bridge site. The timber has to be cut in the bush about half a mile from the bridge site and then dragged by hand to the site. I believe that all bearers have been cut and are now ready for placing in position over the river.

# 7. Lavidako to Mariboi: \$200.00

This section of the road unlike all the other sections is not part of a normal patrol poute and therefore has fallen into a bad state of disrepair. Many trees have fallen across the road, landslides have caused several esections of the road to be impassable, in several places the road is virtually non-existant and a great

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deal of repair work has to be done on the many fords. The work on this section of the road is being carried by a group of men from the Upper Kunimaipa Census Division under the supervision of Mr. Philippe Stefanski a lay missionary from Kamulai. He expects to complete the work in two weeks. This section is by far the worst section of the cattle proute. It is also the longest section being about 15 miles.

# 8. Blasting Various Places: \$70.00

This work is to be carried by Fr. Fournier and he expects to commence work shortly. The bulk of the blasting will be done in the section between Lavidako and Mariboi. Work is expected to be completed in mid Tune. to be completed in mid June.

As mentioned above contracts were not let for the Mariboi to Inauvawuni section of the road or for the construction of holding paddocks at Rarai, Mariboi and Lavidako due to lack of funds. The work involved is set out hereunder.

## Mariboi to Inauvavuni.

This section of road is in reasonably good condition and the only work involved is the clearing of several trees which have fallen across the road (some of these the cattle could bypass) Widening the road in a few places and digging the banks of the creeks to form ramps. \$100.00 would cover this work if it is carried out by Kunimaipa labour. If the work is done by Mekeo labour the cost would be a great deal higher. This estimate includes rations.

#### Holding Paddocks Rarai, Mariboi, and Lavidako.

The estimated cost to build these holding paddocks and crushes at Rarai and Mariboi is \$100.00. At Rarai Fr. Diaz from Beipa'a C.M. station some time ago aconstructed a barbwire fence around the mission lease. The fence has now into a state of disrepair but could be repaired without to much difficulty. A crush was built at Rarai whilst we were on patrol and many new fence posts were cut and planted. D.A.S.F. Bereina have undertaken to build a holding paddock on the beach at Waima and it is understood that they have ordered barbed wire and star pickets for the holding paddocks at Rarai and Mariboi. Barbed wire is available from Guari for the holding paddock at Lavidako. Rations are also included in this estimate.

It is expected that all work will be completed and the road ready for cattle by mid June.

(R.B.Philipps) Patrol Officer

