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SQUARE  
DEAL

Layout of  
FIBERGLASS CLOTH  
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SCHEDULE  
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IN  
PRIOR  
BOOK

3-11 APRIL 2006 SPC FISHERY CHIEFS MEETING  
(AND PRESENTATION)

25 MARCH - 6 APRIL 2007

SYDNEY & NEW CALEDONIA <sup>ON</sup> p. 7-

MOVEMENTS and

Expenses Summary p. 194-196

TONTOUTA

AIRPORT TO NOUMEA = ~ 50 km

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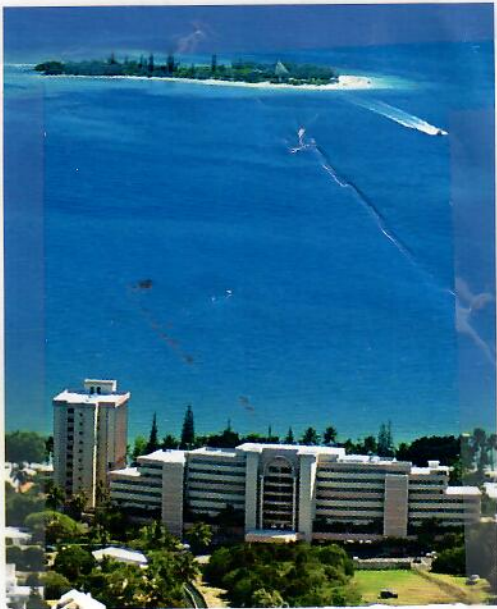
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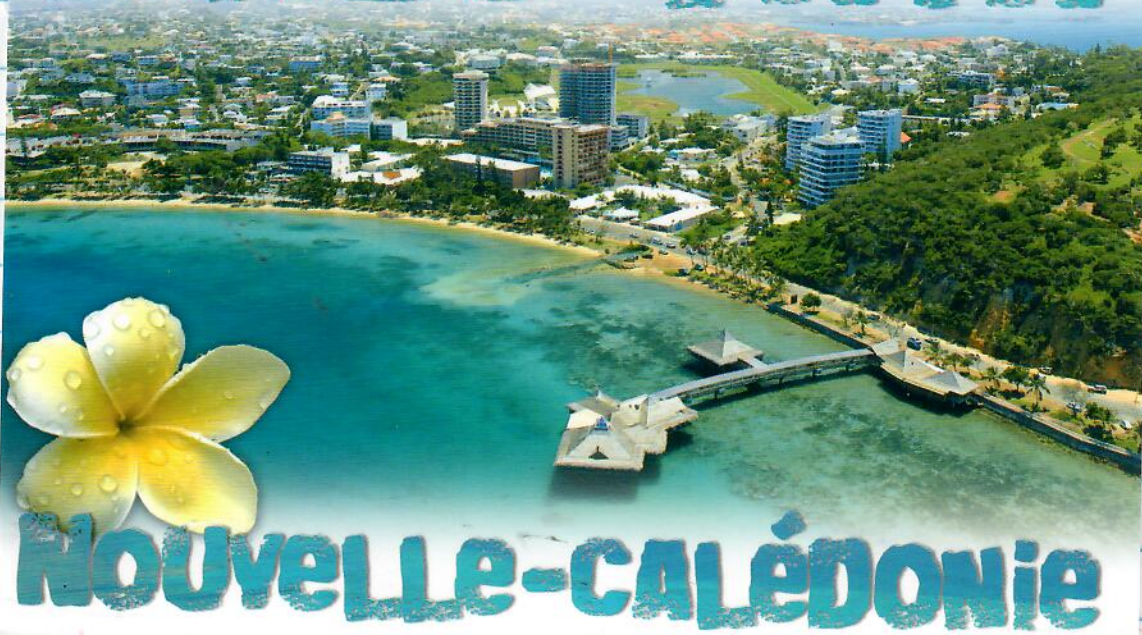
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# ANSE VATA



Notes:

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04/09/2007



excerpt for  
3/07 HILITE used  
Justification for Continuing Resolution Spending

-This travel has been planned for and included as a priority item in the MTRP FY07 budget, and the travel has been designed as High Priority on the PIFSC official list of 2007 foreign travel.

-Continuing progress and the ultimate success of this multi-partnership investigation of the South Pacific loggerhead sea turtle stock is heavily dependent upon this travel being carried out. A commitment (pending the availability of funds) was made for George Balazs to work with partners in New Caledonia during this time frame to 1) meet and build team planning for 2007-2008 work tasks that need to be accomplished - confer with colleagues and build capacity and continued trust, 2) provide advice on hatchling rearing techniques and facilities, 3) advise on satellite tagging, and 4) Give talks on North Pacific loggerhead pelagic research accomplished and underway. The partnership of this research includes MTRP, EOD (Jeff Polovina), PIRO (Ray Clarke), SWFSC (Peter Dutton), and (highly significant in the international arena) the New Caledonia Noumea Aquarium Research Division, the New Caledonia Southern Province Authority, and the Association for the Conservation of Natural Resources in New Caledonia.

-A PSD PIFSC Milestone (to accomplishment progress) formally exists for FY07 upon which this travel depends.

-The project, hence this travel, is linked to seeking an improved understanding of interactions of pelagic commercial fisheries and Southern Stock loggerhead turtles, hence of high potential importance to NOAA's international role in fisheries management to protect endangered loggerhead turtles and build healthy fisheries.

*(Faint handwritten notes)*  
① Long Report to Jean-Louis (has report)  
② Survey completed  
③ ...  
Michelle ... SPPD?  
how many turtles?  
Status of ...  
DATA BASE - yfs, COLLECT, ...  
COMPUTERIZED

MARCH 25, 2007 Sunday Honolulu

Depart 1145 pm AC 033 UA flight 8489  
AIR Canada Honolulu to Sydney ~10 hours  
Land 3/27 Tues. 630 AM. Phyd Theres  
TO Airport HOLIDAY INN Room 205

Breakfast at hotel. Walked to Botany Bay  
City - Mascot district. Warm/sunny.  
Departed hotel to Terminal I 1245 pm  
Shuttle. Phoned MILANI from Airport.

27 March Tuesday  
Departed AIR CAN SB141 315 pm  
for Noumea - 2.5 hour flight.  
61411475119 CK 570

ARRIVE TONTOUTA, NC AIRPORT ~7 pm. Met  
by Richard Farman - ~35 min drive to  
Noumea Hotel - Cyclone said to be coming/passing  
by

Notes: Some still hatching at BOUKAID

(2) Limpus Report to Jean-Louis was Report Summary from  
Council Honolulu meeting 2 years ago

(3) Aerial survey completed CESSNA 206 - single? engine

SPREP  
OR Limpus

(4) TAGS used at Bouaid by 2003/04 or  
Michelle Boyle - SPREP? or Limpus tags

- how many tagged?
- How many genetics samples?
- STATUS of her PhD thesis?

JEAN-LOUIS d'AUZON - TAGGINGS DATA  
DATA BASE - TAG#S, COUNTS, LOCATIONS,  
COMPUTERIZED

OBTAIN  
and  
CONTACT  
W/ MILANI

TO HAWAII  
FOR A VISIT





NIGHT ① PC

3/27/07 to Bed ~ 10 PM  
Tuesday

Room 3306  
7540 Night  
XPF

⑨

3/28/07 Up ~ 645 am Heavy overcast.  
Wednesday Buffet breakfast R, 400 CFP

745 am Walked to Aquarium - met Richard  
Saw and photoed the loggerhead post-hatchlings.  
All looked very good - thick body & growing. Not  
individually IDed, up to 10 each from  
different nets over several weeks -  
FIRST COLLECTION OF HATCHLINGS - DATE =

The one that is <sup>Bucket</sup> separate slow grow - slight  
distortion to plastron.

2 SAM drove w/ Richard to REGIS office for  
meeting presentation w/ Mike McCoy (with SPC(?) man)  
NAME =  
dive in 2 months near CONTAINER YARD  
AHHAB husband met GIBSON  
Sophie  
Demos of line cutters (great belt cutter)  
LINE REMOVERS. NC fishermen - ~ 10 days trip  
NO OBSERVERS. leatherback + olives never seen.  
So - most common species? "Turtles hooked  
fishermen tell them" in 20 years is what

Report to FWS?  
Ask BAS

7 eggs had?

★ [ Need-Carretta carretta connection  
where cited in other papers.

Need Isle Sable 1) google earth + 2) Denise maps > LAC  
Islet

John EVANS Hoyt - year  
Transported Turtles.

vessel place? in

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CALL AGAIN  
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TOP Priority = Genetics  
WUF EXPAT - A) CITES  
B) Anything everything  
C) Deed

FOR NC - 1) give to SPC library  
2) Scan Jean-Louis reports

Electronic of McCoy to Richard -

SPC Library

my SPC Report - SPC library have it?

Subsistence living - Take what you can get to eat (11)

3/28/07 Regis Meeting continued = McCoy - most challenging Wednesday issue, she would like help on, is when crewman say they take turtles in their village - so why isn't their vessel an extension of that cultural right.

McCoy - Mau PIALug wanted logs to build large "The Last Navigator" <sup>change to get 100 turtles, (so he could)</sup>

McCoy - doesn't subscribe to Bob Johannes theories of traditional conservation (but considers Hawaiian bird extinction "Demise" by him)

- need PDFs of Johannes papers,

Regis and female assistant JULIE MOUNIER will visit Hauou in August for a meeting.

Returned to Aquarium w/ Richard after meeting - tried looking up (Sable) isle east of Chestertfield - <sup>"Sable" is French?</sup> must be shallow area dots of sand - not a large island as mapping programs show it.

Need from Mike

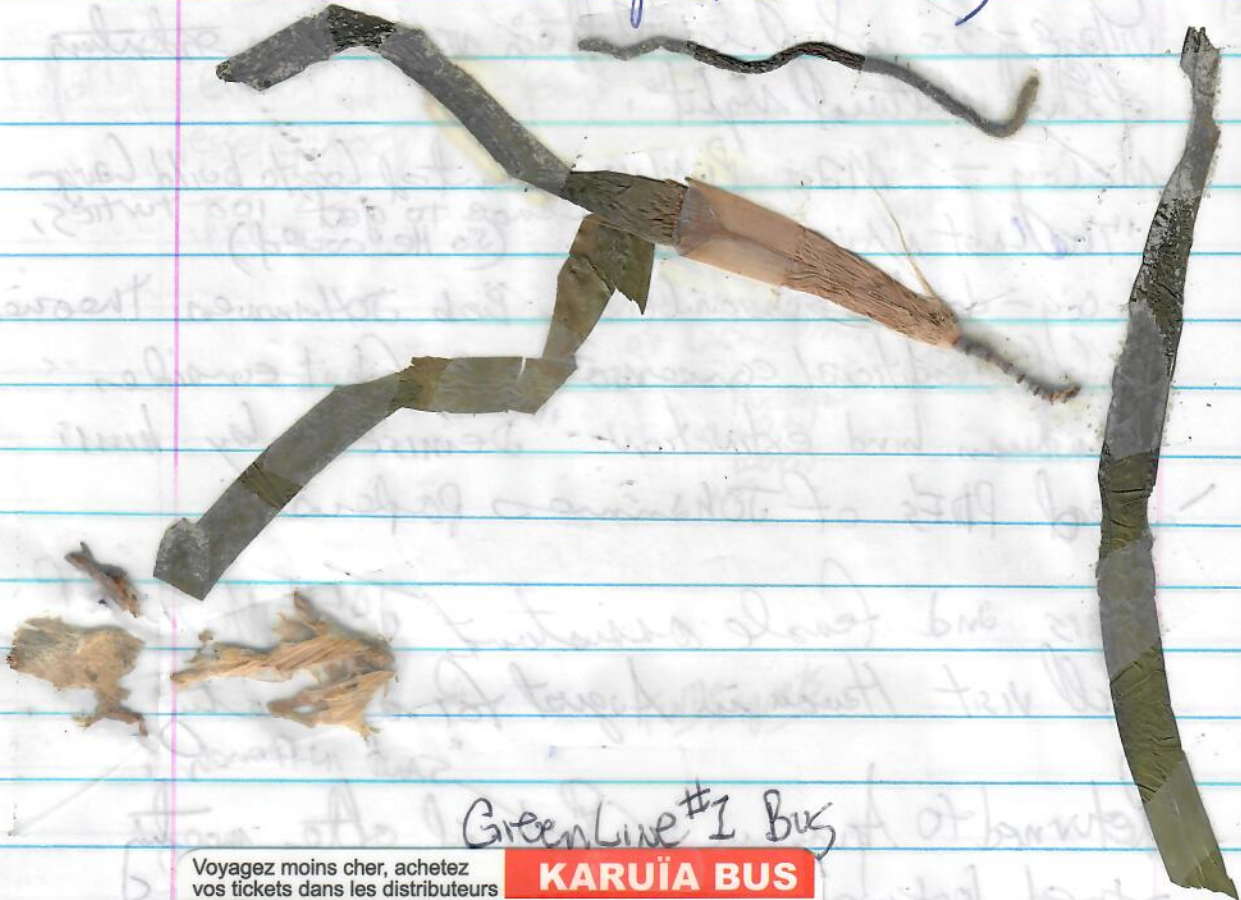
Met at 12 noon by Mike McCoy and SPC man - walked to Super

Restaurant 4 of us had lunch and told stories - need send McCoy 5690 pdfs + HPA links.

5/29/09  
NEUVATA pool

3/28/07

Seagrass drift along beach  
(also included lots of  
Sargassum + others) #17



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Eastern AUSTRALIA and  
New CALEDONIA/VANUATU ?

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(13)

3/28/07 Walked back to hotel - looked in shops.  
Wed. Saw large <sup>(eggs)</sup> hawk & green polished shell "MAY" type.  
Dinner at Viet Namese road front restaurant  
plastic tables - very good. (nearby Chinese  
restaurant says they wouldn't seat one person).  
Watched Taijituangubup practice adjacent to  
lobby. Checked into means to get to  
Aste Over<sup>even</sup>.

Bed ~ 1030 pm.

3/29/07 up ~ 730 am - <sup>COVER BACK TRIPS BAR</sup> overcast. <sup>Continental</sup> Simple 1,400  
Thursday breakfast buffet in hotel. Walked to  
Aquarium - met w/ Richard & Sebastien.  
Review "2<sup>nd</sup> Edition" WRFMC loggershead  
proceedings - <sup>Boyle</sup> Lundy <sup>papers</sup> + obtained  
full copy in French of WRF aerial survey  
funded by FWS.

✓ French NAVY vessel may be best  
- wt for release <sup>CAN I GO?</sup>. 2 releases possible.

- SCL now? =

NC - Source of auto feeders? Battery?  
worry about theft.

Richard get CITES for Export.

> JEFF - Current systems in area -  
any thing like Kuroshiro?

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 Ridet : 998366443

BIENVENUE DANS VOTRE MAGASIN

COCA COLA LIGHT  
 VIN DE PAYS DU GARONNE

TOTAL ( 2 )

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\* ||| numbers Prefix



NIGHT 3  
CONT.

Helen MARCH  
DIED MARCH 6, 2007  
waited 45 min for train - Louis, " in California!

(15)

3/29/07 At Beef Soup noodle lunch at Bambino  
Thursday (Vietnamese) next door - Same as dinner  
(chicken GASIN/RICE) last night.

Bus to Noumea - RAN - to Loyalties  
boat terminal.

"Cyclone"  
"Becky"  
from  
Loyalty  
direction  
ashore  
to the  
north  
NC  
today!

Return - 5:30 pm strong wind on shore ANSE VATA.  
RAN.

Dinner (Appelli & Salmon + Salad + red wine) 3,100  
at Italian street front nearby.

Watched French James Bond version on TV.

3/30/07 UP - 7:45 am - Sunny partly cloudy.

FRIDAY Voice mail ① Shawn said no voice received from Seneca.

cell phone voice mail ② Cody said need to program my  
= KATEA ABOUT PAPER cell \*228 option upon return.

Toast & coffee at Le Bambino. " No seen 15?  
BUG Bites?

① Items for Richard this morning -

3 (30 TO Richard)

1) Small tags / Applicator

2) Triple antibiotic saline

\* 3) SAT TAG / Send smaller ST 24-3

4) Dropsy punches excavated / shells?

5) Dead hatchlings - pourail / anywhere?

\* 6) CITES EXPORT -

7) update on POST-NEST Loggerhead

8) Thank for  
MIRIAM GIFT  
HATCHLINGS  
w/ sand

Something very  
name?



Jeff - Dispersal  
of Ca hatchlings  
from NC?

Bourail  
pins?

need to meet  
w/ Akab & Sophie

Jean-Louis

- ① who collected DNA 10/50 Scott BAKER
- ② photocopies of reports

Prefix #5 Size ↓ TAGS

Need - auto feeder - Pet shop Noumea

- fedex feed + Triple antibiotic to Richard from w/ Conk

- Caliper to Bourail

- Biopsy punches

- Richard apply for CITES

- Discuss w/ Richard - french/english  
Sea Turtle Meeting

- Status of loggerhead nesting - New Hebrides  
(Vanuatu)

Twite

- Wallis <sup>french</sup> Futuna <sup>french</sup> Turtles

- MARTINIQUE

- Reunion

- Mayotte

- Fretey

- french/GUIANA

- Sea Turtle Coloring book

Translate into French (SPC)

- WPR FMC "second edition" Lumps

- My Saily Proceedings

- Polovina diving paper Fish Bull

- french MTSQ Strategy

- Need JW French Necropsy MANUAL

- web search - Sea Turtle books in French

- Doug Perrine Book - TO BOURAIL

3/30/07 ~ 10AM walked to Aquarium  
Friday Confered w/ Richard & Sebastian.

demoed size 1 tagR3-45 application.

possible  
contact  
from  
me  
to  
Richard

Met outreach woman - photos.  
only a single <sup>older</sup> loggerhead in aquarium <sup>was</sup>  
said to have vision & buoyancy problems  
so staff doesn't want to release,  
walked back to Nouvata, picked  
up 12 noon by Jean-Louis for lunch  
at "Fun Beach" Restaurant across from  
Aquarium. Had "Box Prawns" and "French beans"  
(French style green).

Discussed early December 1-week visit for  
Jean-Louis to Hawaii.

He needs visa (Electronic passport best)

He will go to Europe April/May  
He needs to fix email so I am not on his spam list

check  
w/  
Loi Bell

SPREP Turtle Project not linking  
direct on the group w/ those they  
showed. In each country.  
All collected by <sup>many</sup> <sup>employment</sup> <sup>from</sup> <sup>same</sup> <sup>part.</sup> But as we

Need to  
contact  
Dutton?

J-L said "50" BOUTAIL samples prior  
sent to Scott Baker - in NZ - University  
there. In 2004 or (2002). He was told  
that haplotype different than Australian  
loggerheads are. After lunch J-L drove  
me to his office. Secretary (?) has



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\ Nouvelle-Calédonie

3/30/07 <sup>Tarte (Tribal Design)</sup> <sup>Photos</sup>  
Friday Saw dried green turtle shell, Saw  
paper "database" of d'Entrecasteaux Reef  
green turtle tagging 1989 (?) to 2004.  
4000 turtles - all SPRAT tags.

He says all Same time period, same level of effort  
(number of staff)

\* Need all paper reports - to take back  
w/ me to scan for him.

Brought up topic of Maria analyzing  
green turtle tagging (2nd largest in  
the Pacific - the largest of nesting  
of the Pacific Islands)

His Tagging database given to Regis to  
computerize.

I noted PCs in his office all look  
\*very old\*

at 3pm walked around town, including "CASINO market"  
Went to boat office for transport to  
Ile de Pins + Loyalty Islands  
360 CPF  
Red wine  
Plastic bottle

at 7:00pm Bus back to hotel - Big Lightning  
in sky + Dinner (chili, chicken) 1000  
we had a drink

3/30/07 Light Rain - Roads wet,  
Friday night

3/31/07 "Hope for the Sea Turtles of  
the South Pacific & The  
SATURDAY New Caledonia (N) Stronghold"

UP 7:15am. Eggs/Jamban  
Cafe on late at Le Bambino. Picked up  
by Ridard at ~ 8:30am. Drove to Bourail  
~ 2 hours. Stopped at town for a drink -  
Restaurant w/ many eggs hanging from ceiling.  
Walked for end of beach - Suppressed w/  
mosquitoes - bite didn't give immediate itch well  
like most mosquitoes. Saw 5 iron cages  
still to hatch (and excavate), up to many  
nest remains (rebarred - no dead hatchlings  
collected for DNA. No surf waves. only  
one family on the beach. Rocks put in  
for erosion control now covered w/ sand.  
New turtle sign put in.  
Advertisement about Aquarium project resulted  
in ~ 150 visiting beach over ~ 3 months  
period. People kept dogs away - digging  
nests. Dogs learn from "lead" dog to  
dig. They are well fed, don't need eggs  
to eat.



Grand Colipe -

- Early season sat toy  
DATA - loggers - nest temp

3/31/07 - Richard drove to BAIE de Tortue

SAT. Hot Humid. Found 2 nest sites -

Little or no mound - crab <sup>many</sup> holes. Dug by hand into one found eggs - "Amfit" deep.

Found yolk, magots and even an earthworm but no sign of embryos, possible that no hatchlings came out. They said this was typical.

Small yellow fin tuna come into bay to feed on small fish <sup>within</sup> 20 meters of shore.

Dolphin seen close to shore - they wonder if they eat them (hatchlings).

- Sounds heard in nest before hatchlings come out they wonder if hatchlings make sounds

Departed for Noumea ~ 5pm -

Arrived ~ 7:30pm.

DINNER San Remo  
Trois Fromage small pizza  
San Remo Salad special  
Small petit vin rouge

3/31/07

~ 2-5pm

(25)

Saturday Meeting AT BOURAIL  
EL KANTARA Hotel  
w/ Members "BIWARA TORTUE MARINE"

from KAUAI  
ANINI Beach  
Teenage son  
goes to school  
here.

Rob + Danie McReynolds

BP 697

98870 BOURAIL

NEW CALEDONIA

LOT 69 LOTISSEMENT CAZEAN

LA ROCHE PERCÉE

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email sent  
4/07

(PO BOX 767)  
KILAVEA HI 96754

Marie BERNARD

Nandai, 98 870 BOURAIL

New Caledonia

email = marcmouf@yahoo.fr

sent  
4/07



3/3/07 Saturday

Association = BWARA TORTUE MARINE

Excellent English spoke the most orange T-shirt

→ Dominique LAFAGE  
25 Lot. DREMON - LA ROCHE PERCÉE -  
98870 BOURAIL  
email: jackdaniels@lagoon.mc sent 4/07

~~sent 4/07~~

Non-English PAID BY Province Tourist Beach

M<sup>re</sup> Bottaro Roberto  
B.P. 279 Bourail  
Presqu'île de la Roche-Percée  
TEL: 84-73.35.

White collared shirt

JALZER Fabrice  
email: jalzerf@yahoo.fr

sent 4/07

adresse: BP 39 Gouraro - Bourail -  
Nouvelle Calédonie

Good English

6-18-08  
Bourail  
took picture from

♀  
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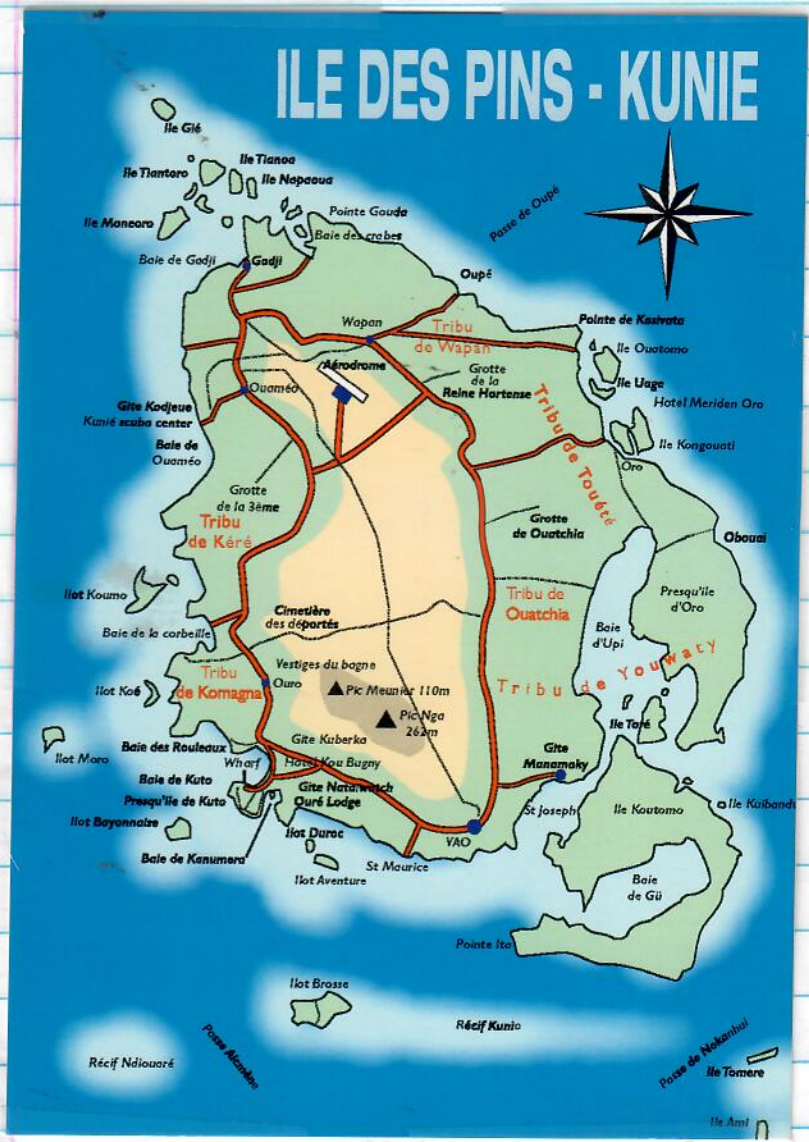
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22 APRIL 1988 8:20 AM  
OUVEA Killings by French military  
Release turtles from BETICO?

people at Isl  
de Pins have  
close ties  
with people  
at YATE  
on SW coast  
of Grande Ter

see  
MAPS  
P. 168-173  
ISLE  
DES PINS



APRIL 1, 2007 UP 530AM  
SUNDAY Metrol TAXI 6AM ~~1450XPF~~ TO Bettico  
dock - "Cotacoran" ferry w/ 4 outboard motors  
~ 100ft long - 3 decks, Economy/comfort/VIP  
10,470XPF RTO "comfort" CLASS

Depart 7AM - ALL inside Reef.

Went between Isle Owen and MAINLAND - MAINLAND <sup>see</sup> HAS MINE <sup>still</sup>

High  
Nocturnal  
green

Saw village Isle Owen. Someone said  
only 60 people (tribe) on island. Proceeded south  
Passed by 2 small islets - white sand beaches  
open ocean - seems deep.

Arrived KUTO Bay wharf ~ 930AM.  
Walked to Hotel that  
rents cars.

Photo of poster in snack shop (close to  
boat) showing green turtle and say  
taking not allowed in SUD Province,  
Mainland exception was

possible  
excellent  
opportunity  
FOR  
DATA  
sample  
collection

"NATIONAL DAY" = 4/2/07  
when turtles & yams eaten  
Richard  
corrected this <sup>Says</sup>  
"cultural use" allowed  
Gov. festivals  
such as <sup>YAM</sup> etc

Rented car and drove ~ 70km around  
island. SAW:  
Two large gt (photo) shells - one on outside  
wall of house - one inside house.  
MAN SAID - CAUGHT BY HAND

(PS)

4/1/07

BAI DE KUTO

22° 39.63S  
167° 26.25E

GPS  
Shown on  
BETICO video  
"Screen"

Pronounced  
"BETICHO"

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E-Mail : commercial.betico@mls.nc



"THE FACE OF THE  
TURTLE HUNTER"

~ 50 years old?

(31)

\* DETERMINATION \*

4/1/07

photo - of him - holding  
Ching book, PWF brochure, French key  
to species.  
Seep. 159  
New pickup truck  
(white) has TORTE  
LOGO.

Baie. St JOSEPH

DOUPEPÈRE JOSEPH

BP 45

Ile des Pins

Told  
him will  
return  
8008  
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MASTERS  
TURTLE FISHER

Ridgard  
says he is wood  
a master ~~carver~~

4/1/07  
Sunday

Isle de  
Ile des Pins

- juvenile <sup>cm</sup> on garage wall - St. Joseph Bay area
- Adult <sup>shell (cm)</sup> male propped up by house
- few kms from KUTO
- P/Astron Subadult <sup>cm</sup> rotting by boats - St Joseph Bay
- Nearby - scute on rib <sup>bone</sup> yellowish <sup>cm</sup>.

Family  
ASKED ME TO TAKE PHOTO on 4/11/07  
KUTD what BI PINS  
need to send

How will  
I know  
7000

SACHIKO SUZUKI

e-mail:

take\_sachi@hotmail.com

4/1/07  
Sunday

(33)

Depart 5pm<sup>VIA</sup> Betico - Heavy clouds,  
Dark out at 6pm, but following seas -  
Smooth, from Isipins KUTO  
ARRIVE ~ 7pm - Raining. Buses stopped  
RUNNING at 7pm. Waited 30min TAXI center  
to get a taxi - back at hotel ~ 8:15pm.

~ 9pm  
Curry Beef Dinner at Le Bambino



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Petstore II

ANIMAL PASSION II  
RUE Charles VERNEILH

(THIS BRANCH CLOSED FEB)

Le Pielard

UMA  
MURMAN

Actress

ANAPAE  
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98846 Nouméa - N<sup>o</sup> Calédonie

龍馬猴犬



New  
Calendary  
Postal  
Stamp  
Trim  
YEAR OF THE PIG  
2007

Photo  
Pic  
HAB

# Breakfast Le Bambino

3/2/07

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LES NOUVELLES CALEDONIENNES

2 APRIL 2007

N° 10806

(130F)

Monday ARTICLE

< WWW.INC.NC >

"ENVIRONNEMENT" SOPHIE MONIER,

COORDINATRICE POUR WWF « POUR PROTÉGER LES

TORTUES, NOUS DEVONS MIEUX LES CONNAÎTRE »

Book

"La Pêche new Caledonia"

AT  
Book  
STORE

Shows several juvenile hawksbills in a wood-slat pen.

need  
book

8,000 XPF book "HISTORY OF BOURAIL"

Police Station - used toilet

visited Marche - vegetables very expensive. Post office for phone cards - stamps.

Visited St. Joseph Catholic Church

(Across five street from AIR CALIN office)  
(Reconfirmed Return Reservation)

need  
CONTACT  
EARL  
B.A.S.

Walked Rue de Anse VATA (Bus #7 Route) to find address "Animal Passion" pet store location

up over hills then down - a long walk. Auto feeders not at this location. Got #9 bus, but nearly to Anse VATA side anyway.

Massey  
Dunneally

Talked to Ahab Dunneally to arrange lunch

Tues 3/3/07.

Thurs steak dinner at San Remo.  
(TUNA)

Discussed over - they said - totally

33

on screen  
prior to  
movie

cp "WIN TV" (from Western Australia)

Aborigines & Torres Strait Islanders  
are warned that the following  
program may contain

IMAGES AND voices of people  
who have passed away.

4/2/07 Monday

WIN TV

GURUNDJI Aborigines  
www.abc.net.au / message

1966  
STATE  
STATION

Lord Vestey

FRANK HARRY  
Communist Author

(AUNT)

~~Pod~~ Kenneth written to 4/07

APRIL 3 2007 up ~ 7:15am heavy overcast - had  
Tuesday " rained some during the night

Le FACE " <sup>ATE</sup> Breakfast Bread & cappuccino  
Went to

IN Richards' office - Reading/translating  
Jean-Louis Vincent report

March 15, 2004 N=30 genotypes - collected on  
one day

d'Extremocoteau N=10 greens HUON EMBRYOS TO  
2003 " N=65 green turtle sent TO AUKLAND Scott  
BARK

N=31 HUON N=6

need → TRY TO CONTACT VINCENT

28 = N BOURAIL 2004  
EMBRYOS & dit through separate?

need → Richard need 2.4K  
TO KNOW what's needed

Need call

JULIE MOUNIER BORN  
will visit Hauou in August 2007


Regis' ASSISTANT

picked up by Sophie at 11:30 am  
drove to Botanical/Zoological Garden  
high above city - Phone Cam tower  
Had lunch there 2 hours w/ Ahab &  
Sophie - saw Highbert briefly  
Discussed meal they did - totally lol  
Limpus

Priority needs (for Return)

- ① Fix Carretta Carretta reference  
and send to PDF List Server
- ②  Call Dutton - Scott Baker NZ <sup>WRRFMC Edition "2"?</sup>
- ③  Meet w/ Jeff Polovina where to release  
Nancy Fitzsimmons
- ④ Tim Adams - PDF in toward for translating
- ⑤ Send ST 245 to RICHARD Coliper
- ⑥  Tim translate into French his necropsy Manual
- ⑦ Jean-Lui Foreign clearance ± Cody teach
- ⑧ "Sable Island"

AERIAL SURVEY - end  
6 days of December 2006  
START OF JANUARY 2007



**Re Yamse Festival**

**Fabiola Pouihamboutte**  
Accueil

**Tourisme Province Nord - Nouvelle-Calédonie**  
Centre commercial « Le Village » • 35, av. du M<sup>l</sup>-Foch  
BP 115 • 98845 Nouméa - Nouvelle-Calédonie  
Tél. : 27 78 05 • Fax : 27 48 87  
E-mail : info@tourismeprovincenord.nc  
Site Web : www.tourismeprovincenord.nc

4/3/07 TUESDAY

VIDEO TAKEN?

DURING AERIAL TRACK SURVEY

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? speed  
? ALTITUDE

observing & counting - 6 days of flight  
CESSNA (206 - Ahab Copilot - 6 total

usually Sophie or news reporter in the back

Sept. - Did they do complete video? I

didn't ask. Colin TRAINED Ground TRUTHERS.

THEIR NEXT STEPS: GET Report from Limpus

Get copies of raw data - he took everything.

① PRODUCE 15 MIN VIDEO ON turtle conservation -

in French - take to villages - have person NARRATE

into local language while film is RUNNING.

\* BUT what would the message be?

② Convene workshop on turtles within NC - all  
players but w/ 1-2 outside experts.

③ Buten's Bayre - Pleades Sud & Nor - go  
and tag <sup>and</sup> collect genetics - East Coast greens a  
different genetic stock.

④ Collect more loggerhead samples.

Pointed out that points on map of different sizes  
(ie "1-10" etc) represent estimate number of  
turtles nesting per year - an extrapolation  
from number of fresh nests Limpus saw on  
overflight of beach area. How ~~really~~ estimate  
was made is presently unknown.

3:00pm Sophie drove me to the city  
post office + Animal pet store to certain ~~available~~ supplies.

RailCorp ABN 59 325 778 353 Tax Invoice (includes GST)  
All traffic carried subject to the Transport Administration Act 1988

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MASCOT CITYRAIL

GST #0:44

04APR07 \$4.80

2307 2324477469

Issued subject to conditions - see over.

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Deep Sea 3D<sup>s</sup>

IMAX - Johnny Depp  
DARLING HARBOR

**Indian**

**Zaaffran**

Zaaffran

Level 2, Harbourside, Darling Harbour Tel:

9211 8900. Arguably the best Indian in the city blessed by beautiful views across Cockle Bay. The flavours are to die for and the range is wider than most other Indian restaurants. Once you have dined here, you will be back!

Bob Joshua's plan  
Pay had AVAILABLE = 1/10

(4)

4/3/07 evening dinner meeting at Richard's  
Tuesday house with him and Miriam

7:30pm → 10pm, Briefed him on AHRB <sup>meeting</sup>  
Walked back to hotel afterwards.

4/4/07 Depart hotel 8am in van - Crazy woman  
Wednesday driver - waited 20 min at residence then  
drive down country road for pick up -  
then waited by toll gate because she forgot  
passport or something.

Depart Toronto AIR CAN

11:05 AM, Land Sydney 1:30 pm Sydney  
time (2:30pm NC time). Said to be

1111 miles NE to Sydney. Van to  
Holiday Inn, check in Room 622 (also  
a corner room. Train to Town Hall -  
Darling Harbor. Dinner at Indian  
food restaurant.

APRIL 5, 07 Breakfast at Hotel 7:00-7:30am,  
Thursday Van to Airport. Made numerous  
calls to Hawaii.

Depart AIR Canada 10AM - <sup>Seat 37B, 15k</sup> said to  
be a 10 hour flight. ARRWE

11:30 AM - home ~ 12:45 am APR 15,  
2007



• MAJOR MEETINGS/APPEARANCES •

2007

3/27 EVENING ARRIVAL IN NEW CALEDONIA.  
Tues. SHORT BRIEFING by Richard FARMAN of schedule.

3/28 Wed. ① Aquarium Meetings with Richard Farman AND STAFF.  
② Conference/workshop AT Fisheries office of Rejis  
Mike McCoy ASSN WWF SPC on Bycatch, RE TRAINING of/LL fishermen.

3/29 Thurs. Aquarium Meetings with Richard Farman, Sebastian and other staff. Reviewed WWF aerial Survey reports, means of pelagic Release, etc. Delegated responsibilities, Review Limpus "2nd edition" WRFMC data report, CITES export for genetics. Mapped arrangements for Isl des Pins survey.

3/30 Friday ① Morning meeting with Richard/staff.  
② Arrived for Size I tag placement. Afternoon major meeting with ASSN Jean-Louis d'Auzon. Reviewed Cc and Cm data (d'Entrecasteaux Reef since 1989 for Cm).

3/31 Saturday Travel ALL DAY to Bourail - Meeting and Training of BOURAIL TURTLE MARINE organization

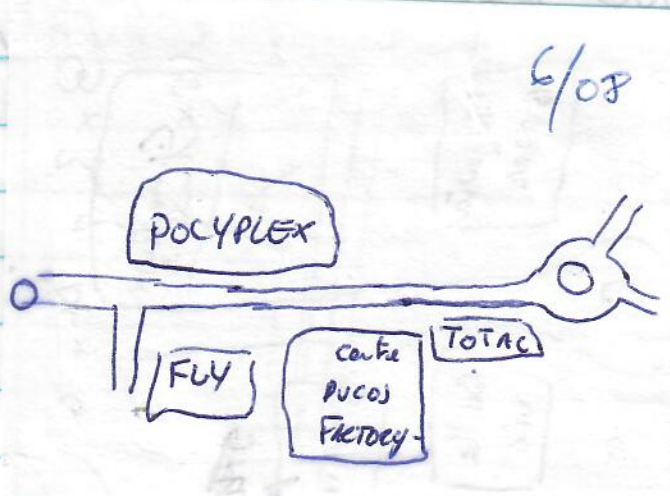
4/1/07  
SUNDAY  
⑤ DEPART 6 AM  
Travel to Ile des Pins for meetings  
and site surveys with local resident  
Turtle fishers. YAM festival - Link to ATE  
Return 9 PM

4/2  
Monday  
⑥ Morning FREE. Afternoon scouted pet supply  
STORES, MADE ARRANGEMENTS by phone for  
meetings with WWF ANAB Downer, Vet Sophie Manton  
and J-L d'Auzon.

4/3  
Tuesday  
⑦ ① Meeting with WWF personnel - reviewed  
in detail NC project - past/present/future.  
② FINAL WRAP-UP meeting w/ Richard FAEMAN.  
Confirmed all commitments

HO HUI-WEN  
 1057 SEC. 1  
 CHUNG-SHEN RD.  
 TA-CHIA TOWN  
 TIATUNG COUNTY  
 TAIWAN

sect  
6/16



June 2008

DATA Loggers returned by Dominique from BOUFAIL 2007-2008 Season

- 1 # 1155720
- 2 1155728
- 3 1155721
- 4 1155713
- 5 1155711
- 6 1155708

from Richard FAAMAN ST 245 Returned & tested 6/20/08

<u>ARGOS ID</u>	<u>Telones</u>	<u>Cycle</u>
40477	596567	6/24
40469	571484	6/24

Items Needs in Noumea

- ✓ ✓ Clear <sup>SNAPON</sup> w/ LIDS N=42 (25 have open w/ lids + clear w/ lids)
- ✓ Containers TO HOLD TURTLES on SHIP
- ✓ Lowering BASKETS & LINE
- ✓ Resin and catalyst + test here
- ✓ FILE(S) of some sort / need finer ones
- ✓ Soft brush - for algae on head
- ✓ Weigh & measure
- ✓ Order <sup>500</sup> INCOREL <sup>size</sup> 681 tags - Aquarium address
- ✓ AQUARIUM DES LAGONS
- ✓ Vaseline equivalent / water seal - so scutes don't peel

BRING PIT TAGS for 42 CC  
 order 681 tags for N=42 CC (and Richard)  
 42 Saline vials for DNA punch tool

TAKE back ST24's

CONTACT NEW Zealand PhD student  
 Real time estimated Cold Zone for release  
 See Jeff Temp =

Items Left AT Aquarium

- SHIP MAKE 3 - ELASTOMER - refrigerated
- 3 Fiberglass <sup>cloth</sup> <sup>rolls</sup> tape (= 3 different sizes) cut before w/ Hovohu
- Seawater source on ship + bucket
- SHIP Resin check Fedex

\* - ARTIFICIAL flower leis  
 mtDNA of males (?) such as when immatures are sampled

# Sydney & New CALEDONIA (49)

14 - 20 JUNE 2008  
Saturday Friday

6/14/08 HA FL 451 depart 1255 pm <sup>Sunday</sup> 6/15/08 ARRIVE 745 pm  
Saturday overnight Holiday INN Sydney Room 626

6/16/08 PANTAS FL 91 Depart 740 AM for <sup>Monday</sup> Noumea - ARRIVE ~ 1145 am

Hawaiian AIR Flight to Sydney TUES. Thurs. Sat.  
Other AIRLINES? = 0

Navy ship depart Sept. 7 evening.

→ picked up by Richard Farman -  
discussed project on the way in -  
Lunch at PAPA RAZZI restaurant -  
Saw John Hampton + other, SPC was  
QUASI-extinction SSC snorer  
last week in Honolulu - Mizri there too.

CHANCE  
MEETING

described Snorer Eco. Modelling paper Rebuttal. He  
hadn't seen it. Knew about my authorship  
departure from NPS.

After lunch Richard drove me to Nouvata  
Hotel - Pacific Wing check-in Room 3805

6/16/08, unpacked, called LN, then one hour later walked Monday back to Aquarium. Saw turtles consisting of: 2 circular tanks with baskets suspended - first partially covered with screening on top, second with screening on top and down sides square opening each end. Both have 2 wood branches with plastic cages (baskets) suspended - one turtle in each. But first circular has largest turtle in it not in a basket. These turtles were detected with bacterial lesions to each side (margins) of shell. All healed now, but some indentations.

2nd 2 rectangular, thick walled, concrete tanks, half covered with frame structure with white tarp. No filamentous algae growing on these turtles. - those in circular tanks (especially first) yes. Algae on head (green) not scrubbed off for fear of hurting eyes.

fed 4x a day 8Am 12 noon 2pm 5pm. Containers of pellets (local) fish. They eat washed abd <sup>squid etc</sup> mix of sea food that has cooked green mussel in it (They

Monday  
6/16/08

won't eat that, but will eat fresh mussel  
mussel. He also gets shrimp with  
tails on - near free (non-human grade or?)

4X Need weights of pellets =  
each feeding  
fresh seafood

2nd  
Change  
Meeting  
of  
the day!

Regis arrived - stayed and watched feeding -  
He had not prior seen the turtles.

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Richard's  
preference  
↓

WRITE HUMB 10  
UNIVERSITY 10  
HAWAII 96744 12

NEW CALEDONIA  
WRITE AQUARIUM  
BP 8185 NOUMEA

13 AQUARIUM DES LAGONS 13  
NOUMEA 13 NC 13 BP 8185 13  
14 ANSE-VATA 14  
14 FARMAN 14

\* PREFIX =  
AQ1 -  
AQ499

15 NOUMEA 15  
WRITE AQUARIUM 14  
[LAGONS] NOUMEA 15 BP 8185 12

\* AQUARIUM 15  
WRITE NOUMEA 12  
BP 8185 N.C. 11

New Caledonia 13



TAG 6/17/08 4:15 PM Tuesday  
SIZE 1 3:00-5:15 PM AT AQUARIUM

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FF (1) XP 72 loose in 6 suspended CAGE TANK  
WAY TO large for NON-ROLLER plastic containers  
+ BOTH

FF (2) XP 67 from suspended CAGE TANK TOO LARGE For Both

FF (3) XP 64 " " photos OK for NON-ROLLER

FF (4) XP 74 " " photos BARELY ok for non-roller

FF (5) XP 66 (with sat tag 8552) photos ok for non-roller  
photo spots " very light color

Stephan works at Aquarium

feed turtles ~ 5:00 pm machine first  
then pellets - but turtles ate pellets.  
32% PROTEIN floating Tetapia feed

Room 3805

(continued from p. 53)

6/16/08. Watched turtles being fed - pellets first ~~Monday~~ Small size, but floats of many readily eaten.  
~ 7pm walked back toward hotel - spotted at new shopping area corner - ate at Vietnam restaurant (Souper/doch & Gungee, Le Eternity Restaurant)  
to bed ~ 10pm

6/17/08 ~~Wednesday~~ up ~ 7:45am - Breakfast at hotel. Rented car at nearby <sup>NUPIA =</sup> ~~car~~ Budget. Drove searching for plastic containers w/ lids for turtles 2.5+ months from now - depart 9/7/08 arrive New Zealand 9/11/08. Navy ship.

Bought 2 at "Gold & Sea" near Postoffice - too small (see page 55)

Saw boxes (coll) at "Noumea Pas Cher"  
48<sup>cm</sup> x 35<sup>cm</sup> x 28<sup>cm</sup> (1490 F) x 42 = ~ \$1650 USD  
~~N=16~~ Bought 53 cm 39 cm 31.5 cm (1990 F) x 42 = ~ \$850 USD



6/17/08 <sup>again</sup> ate dinner at Vietnamese CE Eternite  
Tuesday watched NTK English news/channel  
Bed ~ 10pm

6/18/08 Up ~ 7am. Checked voice  
Wednesday mail ① Shun Sat. phone. ② Denise  
no / L18 for <sup>part</sup> 2 days ③ Zenia - need to change  
my own UA return from L.A.

Looked in phone book for stores - resin  
+ plastic containers. Breakfast in hotel.

Drove to Aquarium. Meet w/ Richard -  
Volunteer. Saw Small Caliper - Sent to Bourail  
dorsal hind flipper injuries  
SAID TO BE ALMOST ALL ON LEFT • for Adults by  
SEB  
w/ Small loggerhead <sup>turned in dead that's why we couldn't</sup>  
<sup>FIND IT IN TANK yesterday.</sup>

Drove to Area across harbor "ALTO MARINE" - bought  
Resin Catalyst at "CORRAIL Marine" supply.

Drove to MATERIAL Center XXL/46 lye Ampere  
not a building supply type of store. Drove then  
to Bourail stop at TONTOURTA store.

ARRIVE BOURAIL beach 2 PM. Met  
w/ DOMINIQUE, Marie, ROB (KUA),  
CHRISTOPHE, others!

Met for ~ 2 hours. Rocks now under  
saw 50-60 people a night to see turtles  
nest. No camping allowed.

Meeting

TRANSLATED FOR ME.

6/18/08

Lived in Australia

Excellent English  
A School Teacher  
2 young children

need

Christophe Mesnier

Kenza @lagoon.nc

BP 1024 Bourail 98870

New Caledonia

Monitor beach nightly to about 7 P.M.



Bourail

Yves-Marie ANNE  
Responsable antenne "Zone côtière ouest"  
Service de la mer

Direction de l'Environnement  
19, avenue Foch  
BP 3718 - 98846 Nouméa Cedex  
Tél : 77 40 29 - Fax : 24 32 57  
e-mail : yves.marie.anne@province-sud.nc

Wednesday Given copy of Annual report.  
6/18/08 They want to build a tourist  
education reception area.

~~Med~~  
~~DATA~~ Given Temperature data loggers,  
Sep not known of 42 to be released -  
Many of these turtles were rescued <sup>during</sup> nest  
excavations.

Walked beach - sand eroded since last  
year. Lots of seasonal variation I was told.

Visited collapsed cave through cliff - photos  
of near full moon and beach.

Made wrong turn and ended up at  
POE Beach - popular for beachgoers +  
some green turtle nesting.

Dinner at La Foa (terrible).  
Sign says 165 km to Noumea  
from turn off to BOUAIL turtle beach.  
Back at Hotel @ 10 pm

6/19/08 up ~ 6:45 am. Breakfast at hotel.  
Thursday TO Aquarium ~ 8:55 am. Met w/ Richards  
~ 8:45-9:30 am. Measured each turtle  
and put a new size me tag LHF. Three had lost  
<sup>miss</sup> tags. Drove to "Gold & Sea". Bought 25 blue  
open-top tags 1450F each. Took 13 to

6/19/08 aquarium. 12 others to be picked up  
Thursday Tested resin on steps of old  
aquarium. Works fine.

Drove back to town ~ 12 noon -  
duck lives sold at open air safe  
plaza. Bought 16<sup>+</sup> 53cm x with  
snap-on lids, took them back to  
aquarium ( $\frac{17}{42}$  total + 2 smaller w/lids I bought for  
the test)

Returned rental car ~ 4:45 pm, <sup>show</sup> at hpt

Picked up by Richard ~ 5:15 pm - presentation

and met w/ volunteer group ~ 1 hour

a "Best Question" of the afternoon =

Will you get into the water w/ them  
to film & see where they go?

Dinner at Richard and Miriam's home,

Philippe & Natasha <sup>STEWARTS FOR</sup> (WORLD FISH <sup>(UNION?)</sup>) - the old ICLARM.

6/20/08 to bed in midnigh  
Friday 5AM VAN TO AIRPORT - 4 nights  
SAW TIM Adams + wife/daughter - daughter home from Aberdeen College Scotland - <sup>contact Richard</sup> re. Volunteers. Tim & wife going to NY, the Scotland home for 3 weeks.

Depart QANTAS QF366 8AM  
to Sydney, 1130am <sup>Sydney time (-1 hour)</sup> arrive. <sup>(NORMAN)</sup>  
to Holiday Inn 10th floor rooms -



Proc - (3) ELASTOMER + Fiberothra

(65)

# 8559 9897 9835  
7/25/08 Fedex to Richard FARMAN  
0425

sent (2) ELASTOMER 30.  
1-Box 100 RUBBER GLOVES 20.  
25 MIXING CUPS 12.50  
25 PAINT BRUSHES 12.50

sent 8/4/08 # 8559 9897 9754  
(2) Silicons + 72 Bushes

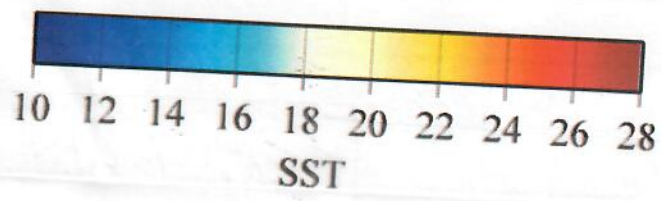
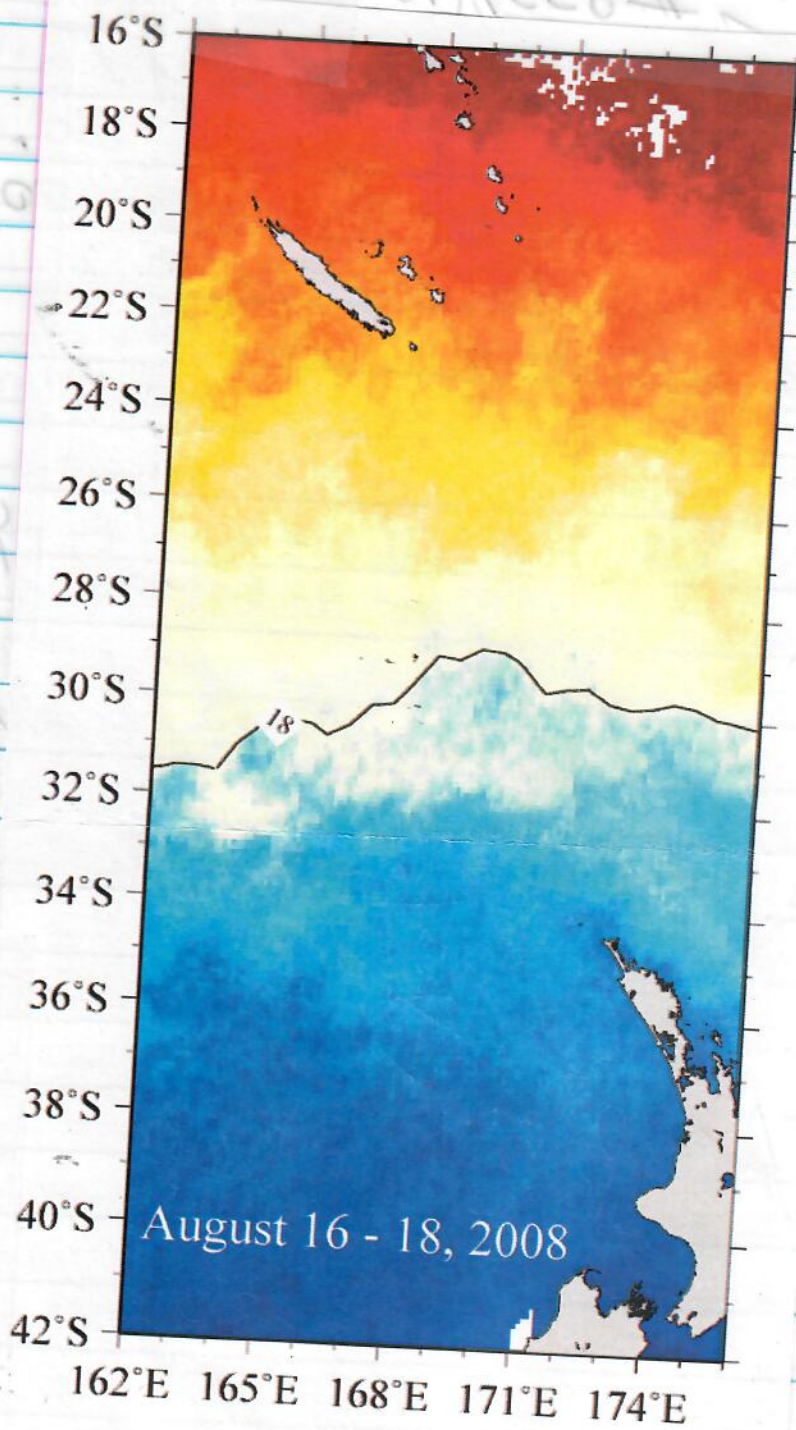
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15 Baskets + rope,  
cloth TOWELS + PLASTIC TRASH BAG

See other Book

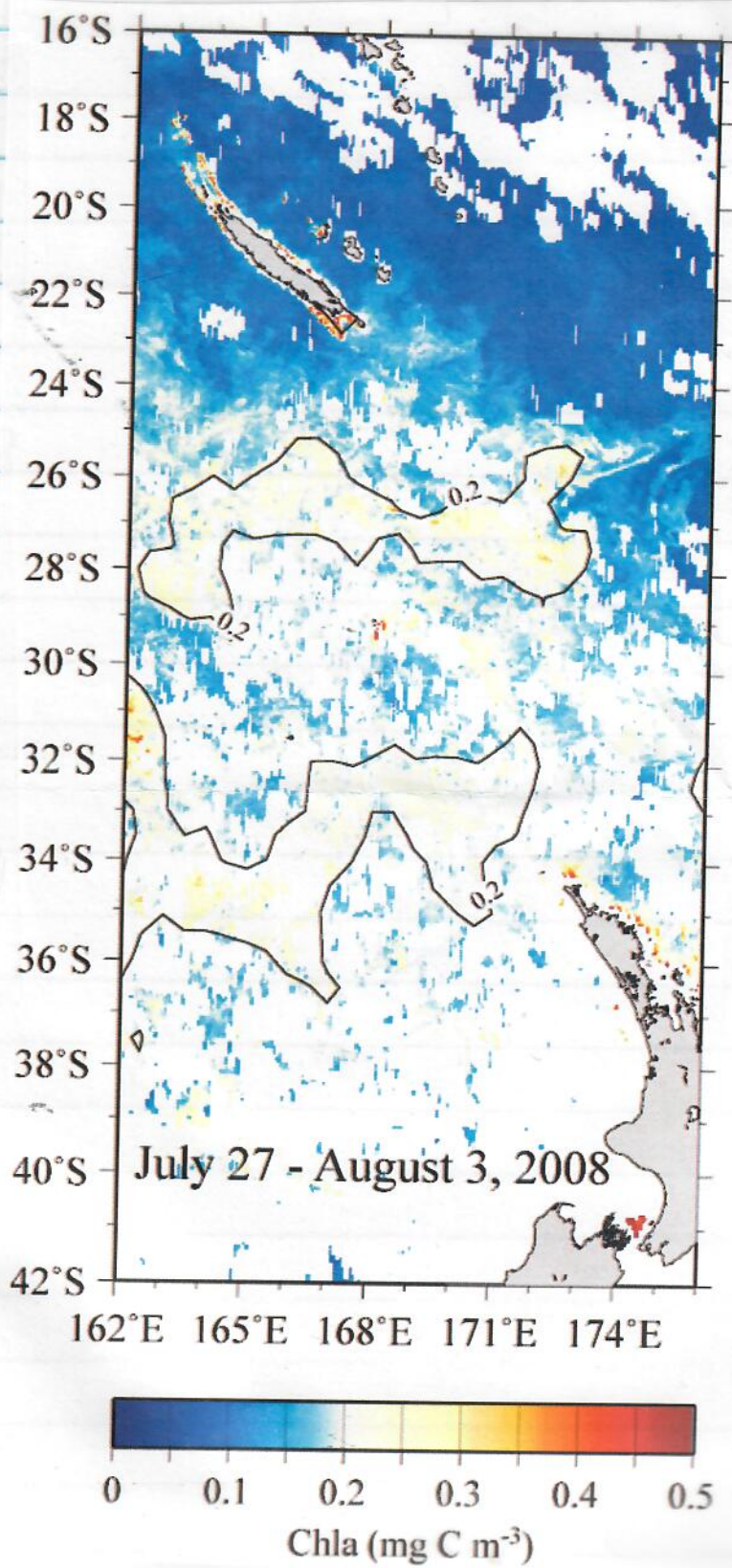
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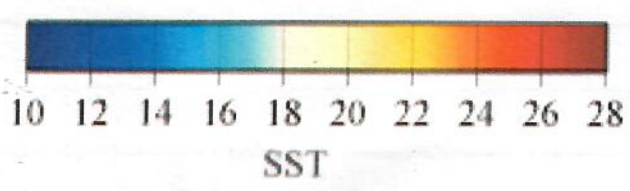
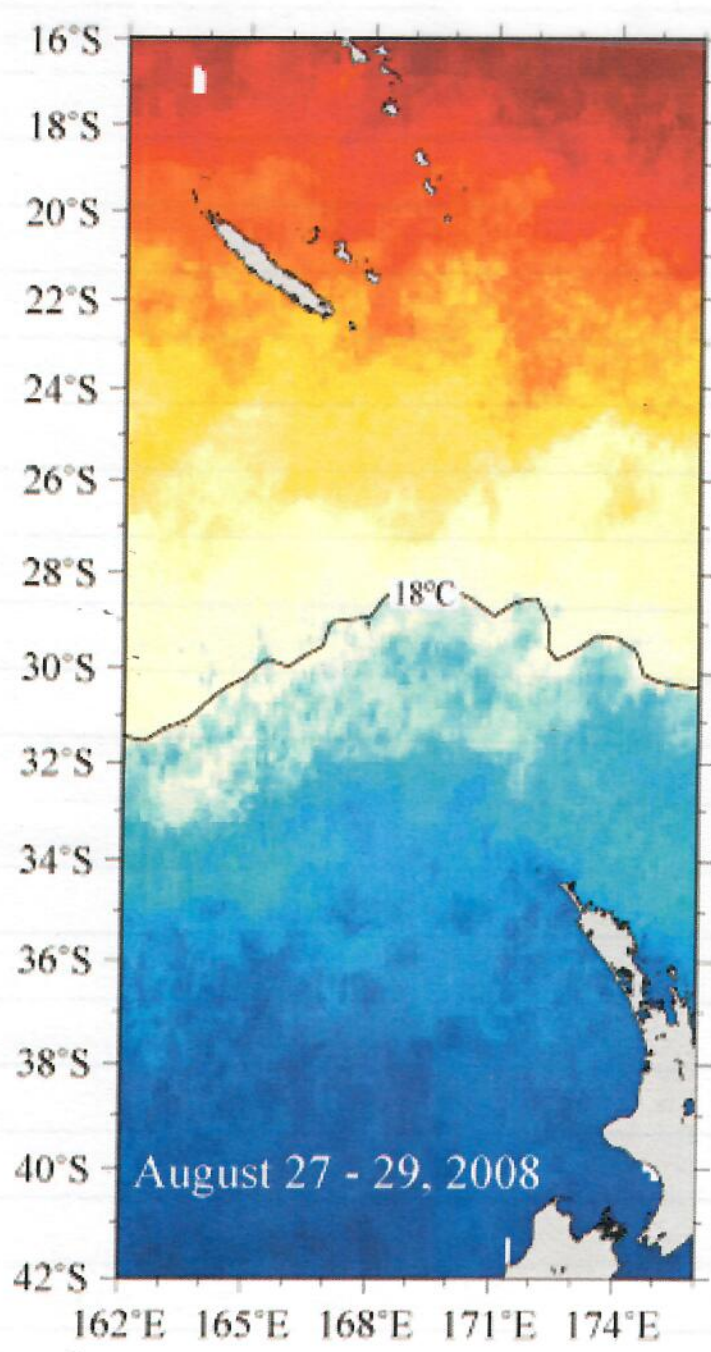
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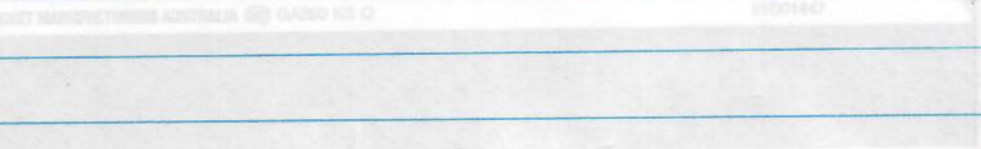
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9/19/20 "Limosin" MEX  
we & we 5/2 Marine

7 pm  
Hotel Room  
\$200 my night

9/4/20  
Thurs



Mark Rice / Lisa Jim  
Heidi Nakamura & Carol  
(MEX)