

POSTSCRIPT

Calvin Roesler, T.E.A.M. linguist stationed at Ayam, kindly sent me the new data listed below after he had read the manuscript of this monograph. Unfortunately they arrived too late to be worked into the body of the text. I have sub-divided them into six points, cross-referenced to the relevant sections.

1. (Sections 3.1.1, 3.1.2.1, p. 15): Geminate consonant clusters do seem to occur in KW, at least in normal and slow speech.
In some inflected verbs at least four vowels occur in sequence. In the Simai sub-dialect as spoken in Ayam no vowel sequences are found in monomorphemic words.
2. (Section 3.1.2.2, p. 17): The Ayam communalect has a labialized series of consonants: /pw/, /mw/, and /fw/; [b, ɸ, p] do not seem to occur as allophones of /p/, and /t/ never has a nasal release.
3. (Section 3.1.2.2, p. 21): In Yaosakor (KP), [e] and [ɛ] seem to be separate phonemes.
4. (Section 3.2, p. 23): The anteriority forms are very restricted in the Simai sub-dialect. They are found only in the oral literature.
5. (Sections 3.2, 3.3.1, p. 24): Roesler regards the form *awun* as a fourth pronoun suffix, e.g. *nor-awun I without the presence of others mentioned in the context*. [*awun* is found also in the Flamingo Bay area but was not analysed as a suffix in Voorhoeve 1965.]

The villages Mecow and Yuni are definitely Simai although they have their own linguistic peculiarities. Muet belongs to KP but also has its own peculiarities. During the last 10-15 years

several smaller groups (Minipo, Amnes, and others) have moved in with Muet. Their speech is somewhat different from the Muet variety of KP and it is not certain whether it belongs to this dialect. [Maps iii, iv, and v have been corrected accordingly.]

6. (Section 5.1, p. 35): Tamanim (no. 68) is not a Citak speaking village. People from the KP dialect of CA can communicate quite well when they are at Tamanim. Roesler however is not sure whether the Tamanim communalect belongs to KP or to SO. The unlocated village of Wowi probably is the same as Wooi (no. 46).