

SANTO/MALO ISLAND COURT
LUGANVILLE

LAND COURT CASE DECISION:

LAND - "LOWETWET" TITLE 631, HOG HARBOUR.

Santo/Malo Island Court i bin sitaon stat long namba 3 February 1986 kasem namba 21 February 1986 blong harem Land case blong Lowetwet.

Court i harem case ia folem Appeal blong Warput Nathrit we i bin lodgem long namba 24 June 1982. Warput i bin appeal againstem ol declarations we Minister blong Lands i bin signem long namba 2 June 1982. Folem decisions blong East Santo Area Land Committee ol Declarations i bin go long Warput Nathrit, Lorris Wells, Kalwas Soltar mo long Kaltho Solra. Warput i bin appeal from hemi stanap strong se hem wan nomo i stret kastom ona blong Lowetwet mo ino agri long trifala narafala man ia.

Court i bin harem ol evidences mo storian blong claims blong olgeta 4 (four) man ia wetem ol toktok blong ol witnesses blong olgeta.

Court i bin study tu long ol sketch maps blong ol wan wan claims mo i bin visitim sam parts blong ol diferen boundaries blong olgeta man ia.

Court i bin lukluk long ol diferen history blong olgeta 4 man ia mo i basem decision blong hem long ol findings blong hem we oli go olsem:-

Warput Nathrit (Appellent)

Court i faenem se Warput igat more right long Lowetwet. Hemia from we hemi claim long pupu woman Articutth daughter blong N'Kenrelrel we i stret man ples ia. Articutth i bonem Arti mo Arti nao i bonem Warput. Folem right blong graon long saet blong papa blong hem, hemi gat istap - be long claim blong Lowetwet, hemi gat raet long saet blong mama blong hem.

Lorris Wells - (No. 1 Deffendent)

Court i faenem se Lorris Wells tu igat sam right long graon Lowetwet. Court i luk se Varso we Lorris i claim long hem i blong L'Vargan - be folem reason blong fight bifo mo sick nao i mekem Varso ikam stap wetem N'Kenrelrel - mekem tu

N'Kenrelrel i fixim up ol trabol blong hem mo pem woman blong hem Warsiliath we i bonem Poleana we i mama blong Lorris Wells. Court i luk se Varso i salem graon folem right we N'Kenrelrel i givim long hem blong stap wetem hem.

Kalwas Soltar - (No. 2 Deffendent)

Court i no faenem wan raet long saet long claim blong Kalwas. Court i faenem se Soltar mama blong hem i blong Sakau mo papa blong hem Wasre i blong Lemenvenliath, wan village antap long hill long way behaen long North long Hog Harbour village. Court i faenem tu se Nunoc we Kalwas i claim se i salem Lowetwet, i bin mekem wan trabol wetem family blong Soltar and afta i ron we i go haet wetem N'Kenrelrel mo Nathrit mo tufala i givim wan pig blong fixim up trabol blong hem. Nunwoc i salem graon long fasin blong stil.

Court i surprise tu blong luk se, taem graon istap dispute long 1982 ikam, Kalwas ino bin wok long area we i claim long hem - be taem Court i stap ready blong harem case blong dispute, Kalwas i kirap i go pulum fenis blong bulluk. Court i andastan se Kalwas igat custom graon long nara saet long boundary blong Lowetwet, hemia long saet igo long Leklek village.

Kaltho Solra - (No. 3 Deffendent)

Court i no faenem wan raet tu long saet long claim blong Kaltho. Court i faenem se Kaltho i claim long Novpesi, be Novpesi ino salem wan pis graon blong Lowetwet mo Novpesi i wan chief blong Cape Quiros we i bin ron we long faet ikam long Lowetwet. Court i faenem tu se Thotelthe we Kaltho i claim long hem i blong Lovethveth wan village long area blong Cape Quiros mo hemi ron we from trabol blong fight mo ikam stap wetem N'Kenrelrel pupu blong Warput. Court i faenem se Kaltho papa blong hem Solra mo Solra papa blong hem Thotelthe mo Thotelthe hemi blong Lovethveth klosap Cape Quiros.

DECISION BLONG ISLAND COURT

Court i decide se Raets blong graon Lowetwet igo long 2 (tu) man nomo - hemia Warput Nathrit mo Lorris Wells.

BOUNDARIES BLONG GRAON OLI RON OLSEM


Lorris Wells :

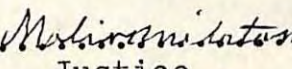
Boundary blong Lorris Wells istat long Peris igo Kasem tree ia long solwora nem blong hem Neway mo stat long Neway iron igo kasem stampa blong hill mo go antap long Natora long cliff mo iron igo antap long flat ples folem claim blong Lorris kasem Nabanga long mark blong hem wetem Warput mo long nara saet mark blong hem iron wetem blong Pasvu.

Warput Nathrit

Boundary blong Warput istat long Neway long solwara wetem Lorris igo raon long point igo kasem Spring Water mo igo kasem big stone we i fall down long cliff long nara saet mo i ron igo antap long hill folem claim blong Warput igo stret kasem Nabanga we grave blong N'Kenrelrel istap long hem - mo hem nao boundary blong Warput mo Lorris i meet long hem.

Hemia nao decision blong Santo/Malo Island Court long Land Court Case blong Lowetwet Title 631 long Hog Harbour, East Santo.

Sign: 
Justice
Moli Tacetamata

Sign: 
Justice
Moli Rani Malom


Sign:
Justice
Chief T. Bulluk

Sign: 
Clerk
S. Marina Atingting



Dated 11th day of APRIL 1986.

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- DECREE : (1) Warput mo Lorris ino mas mekem eni wok long ol boundary blong tufala we decision i kam aot long hem kasem taem we Survey Department i markem ol marks folem Decision blong Island Court.
- (2) Kalwas imas removum or tekem aot fenis blong hem long graon ia insaet long 3 manis stat long date blong today.
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RIGHT BLONG APPEAL

SAPOS ENI WAN LONG YUFALA OL CLAIMANTS MO WARPUT INO AGREE LONG DECISION IA I SAVE APPEAL IGO LONG SUPREME COURT INSAET LONG 30 DAYS STAT LONG DATE BLONG TODAY NAMBA 11TH APRIL, 1986. COURT INO SAVE ACCEPTEM ENI APPEAL WE I KAM AFTER LONG 30 DAYS IA. THANKYOU.