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Sentinelese party could reach the spot in their cance, the Sentinelese of the second spot had already collected the gifts from the Contact Party. Therefore, there were no gifts left for first Sentinelese party which arrived little late.

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The first Sentinelese party
beached their canoe and an adult Sentinelese stayed
on the beach. Thereafter the adult members of the
second group followed by children greeted that adult
Sentinelese of the first group who was sitting
on the beach in a manner described above i.e.
by sitting on one's lapse and hugging each other.

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By this observation it is clear that the two groups were different though the distance between the two camps is not more than 2 kms. on the sea shore. Secondly, the method of greeting among themselves is similar to that of Onges and Jarawas.

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Kindly peruse the preceding detailed report by the Director(TN) on the latest contact expedition to the Jarawas and the Sentinelese undertaken on 12th and 13th February, 1993. The important observations made regarding skin sores the Jarawas had