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remained in water, maintaining a distance of 10 to 12 meters from the Sentinelese who also came into the water singing and Dancing.

Three Onges were also a part of the second ~~contact~~ team. The Onges were guided to ask certain question to the Sentinelese in their own language. Some communication seemed possible between them, however its difficult to conclude any thing with conviction at this stage. The conversation between them have also been recorded and is being analysed.

After the contacts with the Sentinelese the expedition team sailed for Lakra Lungta where the contact with the Jarawas was to be made. The ~~xxxxxx~~ contact team landed alongwith the Gifts on to the Jarawa Territory at 0745 hrs on 31st October. The Jarawas are very much used to such contacts and hence the scene here was much different. Almost all the Jarawas numbering 43<sup>(11 males + 9 females + 23 children)</sup> came on to the boat to collect the coconuts and bananas given as gifts to them as also to plunder any thing which remained on the boat. They are, by now, used to the Cameras and tape recorders which they never tried to snatch away.

The contact team spent around four hours with the Jarawas making observations and carrying out a systematic study of their ~~at~~ language with the help of the Onges as also the gestures. The language team is making a preliminary analysis of the <sup>language</sup> data collected by them.

Due to certain technical snags in the "M.V. Tarmugli" & <sup>Scheduled</sup> the second ~~xxxxxx~~ contact with the Jarawas at Chota Ling Bay and Foul Bay was <sup>aborted</sup> cancelled and the team proceeded to the Strait Island of the Great Andamanese on 1st November to assess the impact of the Tribal Welfare activities as also to look into their problems. The team spent around 7 hours at the Islands where after it proceeded to Port Blair.

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