

## Foreword

The Kagoshima University Research Center for the South Pacific (KURCSP) carried out its third scientific survey in Papua New Guinea in 1983. The survey took place mainly in Lae and Port Moresby as joint projects with the scientists of the Papua New Guinea University of Technology (PNGUT) and the University of Papua New Guinea whose outcome appeared both in "The Prompt Report of the Third Scientific Survey of the South Pacific" published in 1984 and in the "Scientific Survey of the South Pacific, 1981-1983 : Fiji, Solomon Islands and Papua New Guinea" issued as Occasional Papers No.5 of KURCSP in 1985.

Taking the opportunity of our stay in Lae, a workshop was designed on marine science under the joint auspices of the Department of Fisheries, the PNGUT, and the KURCSP. The workshop was intended not only for the exchange of scientific information, but to increase the effectiveness and productivity of collaborative works between us in the future.

The speakers and their reported subjects in the workshop were as follows :

Keynote address..... M. Moramoro. (Vice-Chancellor of PNGUT)

First session (Chairman, W. Y. Tseng)

- 1) Aquaculture Ranching of Prawns in Japan ..... H. Hirata
- 2) PNG Inland Fisheries.....T. T. Kan
- 3) Detection of Fish Movement by the Use of Infra-red Light.....T. Yonemori
- 4) Coastal Fisheries of PNG .....N. Quinn

Second session (Chairman, H. Hirata)

- 5) Distribution of a Causative Organism of Ciguatera in the South Pacific ..... A. Inoue
- 6) Marine Biofouling and Fisheries..... W. Y. Tseng
- 7) An Ambitious Attempt in the Porphyra Culture..... S. Enomoto

General discussion (Chairman, A. Inoue)

The workshop was held in the Audio Visual Theater of the PNGUT on 10th of November, 1983 and many scientists and students of both countries were present for the various instructive discussions which took place.

This is a treatise on the proceedings of the workshop. Despite the timely submission of the PNGUT scientists' manuscripts for publication, the issue was long delayed for which I should express my sincere regret. I am deeply grateful to Mr. Moramoro, Vice-Chancellor of the PNGUT, on his warm support for the workshop. Gratitude also goes to the academic staff of the Department of Fisheries of the PNGUT headed by Professor W. Y. Tseng, for their planning of, and participation in the workshop.

I sincerely hope that this treatise can contribute to maintain friendly and amicable relation between the scientists of Papua New Guinea and those of Japan.

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