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NEFIS INTERROGATION REPORT No. 817.

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isation and were sentenced by Japanese Naval authorities:-

Dr. Haga	Governor of Dutch Borneo;
Mrs. Haga	Wife of the Governor;
Dr. Raden Soesilo	Director of Public Health Department, Bandjermasin.
Vervallen	"Controleur" at Kotabaroe;
Mrs. Vervallen	Wife of "Controleur" Vervallen.
3 Chinese and 17 Malays.	Inhabitants of Bandjermasin, names unknown.

XII. PERSONALITIES.

Civil Officials: Kotabaroe, Laoet Island (S. Borneo) Oct 44:

M. Sugai	Minseibu official;
Horiki	do
Watanabe	do
Hadji Anang Goedang	Former Kiai (district head), Laoet Island; employed in a similar capac- ity by Japanese;
Goesti Achmad	Police Magistrate;
Raden Soetadi	President Civil Court, Bandjermasin;
Boestani	Clerk with Minseibu;
Djam Djam	Clerk with Minseibu;
Wife of Djam Djam	Leader of Women's Organisation.

XIII. GENERAL.

Civil Internment Camps: All European civilian internees were transferred from Kotabaroe to Bandjermasin in Feb 42.

Prostitution: Kotabaroe, Laoet Island (S. Borneo) Oct 44: Twenty Javanese women were located in a brothel reserved for the exclusive use of Japanese. Their average age was about 25 years.

Hotels: Hotel "Pondokan Santosa" at Kotabaroe, Laoet Island (S. Borneo) was mostly visited by Japanese officers and officials passing through Kotabaroe. Indonesians were also admitted if accommodation was available. The hotel register was carefully checked by Minseibu (Oct 44).



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Camp Columbia, 8th January, 1945.

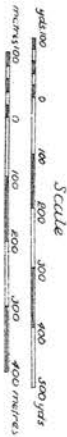
Enclqsure: NEFIS Sketch No. FY 5356 - Kotabaroe.

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KOTABAROE

P LAOET
S. W. COAST BORNEO

Outline of map enlarged from Borneo, N.E.I. 1:100,000 series, sheet N°65/XXVIII. A.M.S.
reprint 1943 from Dutch map dated 1927



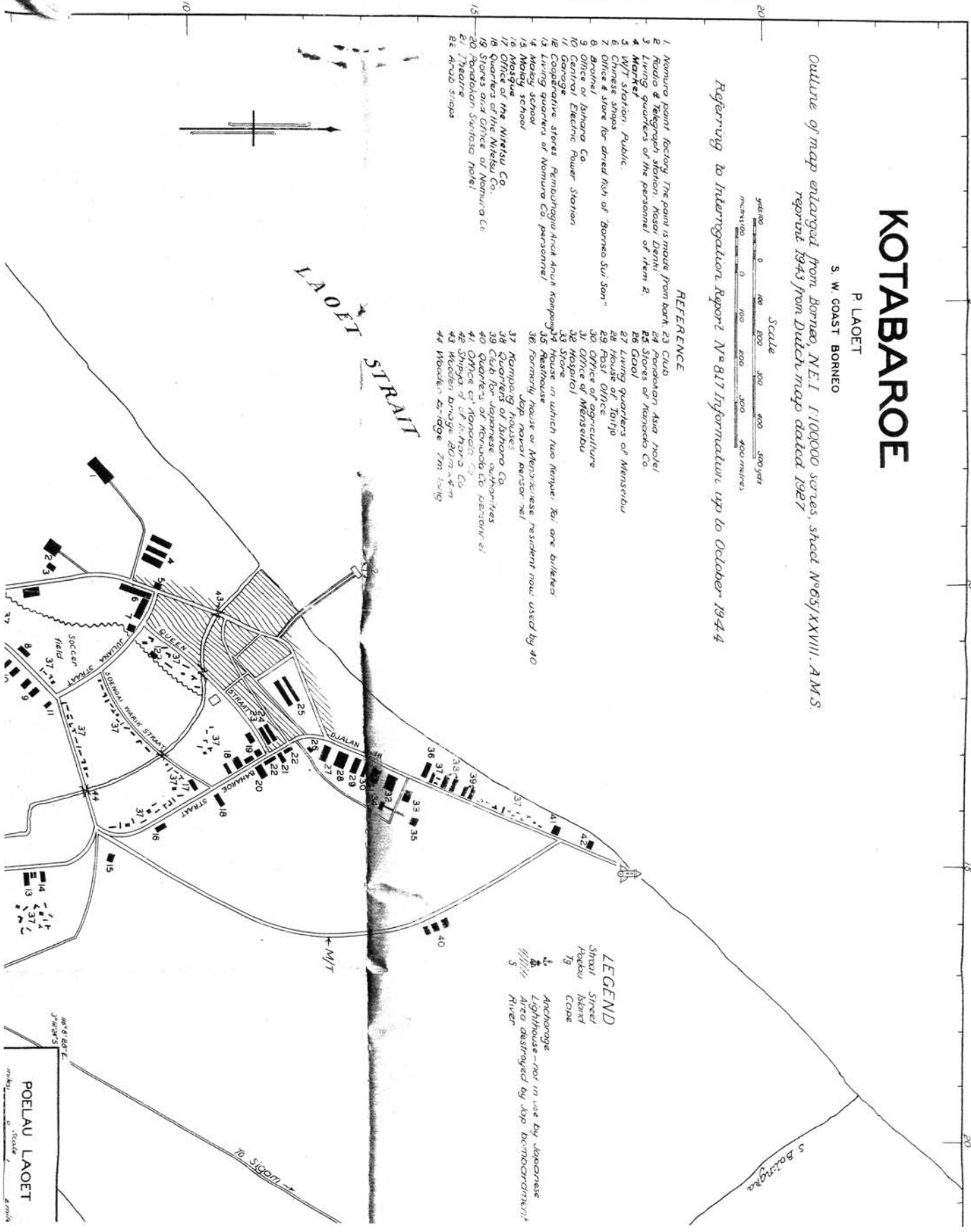
Referring to Interrogation Report N° 817 Information up to October 1944

REFERENCE

1. Nomura paint factory. The paint is made from bark.
2. Radio & Telegraph station. Kasai Denshi.
3. Living quarters of the personnel of item 2.
4. Market.
5. WPT station. Public.
6. Chinese shops.
7. Office & store for dried fish of "Borneo Sui San".
8. Branch of Ishihara Co.
9. Office of Ishihara Co.
10. Office of Electric Power Station.
11. Garage.
12. Cooperative stores. Pambagogi Krok Aruk Kampung.
13. Living quarters of Nomura Co. personnel.
14. Maday school.
15. Maday school.
16. Mosque.
17. Office of The Nippon Sui Co.
18. Quarters of The Nippon Sui Co.
19. Stores and Office of Nomura Co.
20. Pandakon Surtosa Hotel.
21. Theatre.
22. Arcade Street.
23. Club.
24. Pandakon Asia Hotel.
25. Stores of Nippon Sui Co.
26. Coal.
27. Living quarters of Menshiku.
28. House of 1017p.
29. Post Office.
30. Office of agriculture.
31. Office of Menshiku.
32. Hospital.
33. Store.
34. House in which two female Jap. are billeted.
35. Residence.
36. Formerly house of Mentawaiese resident now used by 40.
37. Nanyang houses.
38. Quarters of Ishihara Co.
39. Club for Japanese authorities.
40. Quarters of Nomura Co. personnel.
41. Office of Nomura Co.
42. Shops of Ishihara Co.
43. Wooden bridge 80m x 4m.
44. Wooden bridge 7m long.

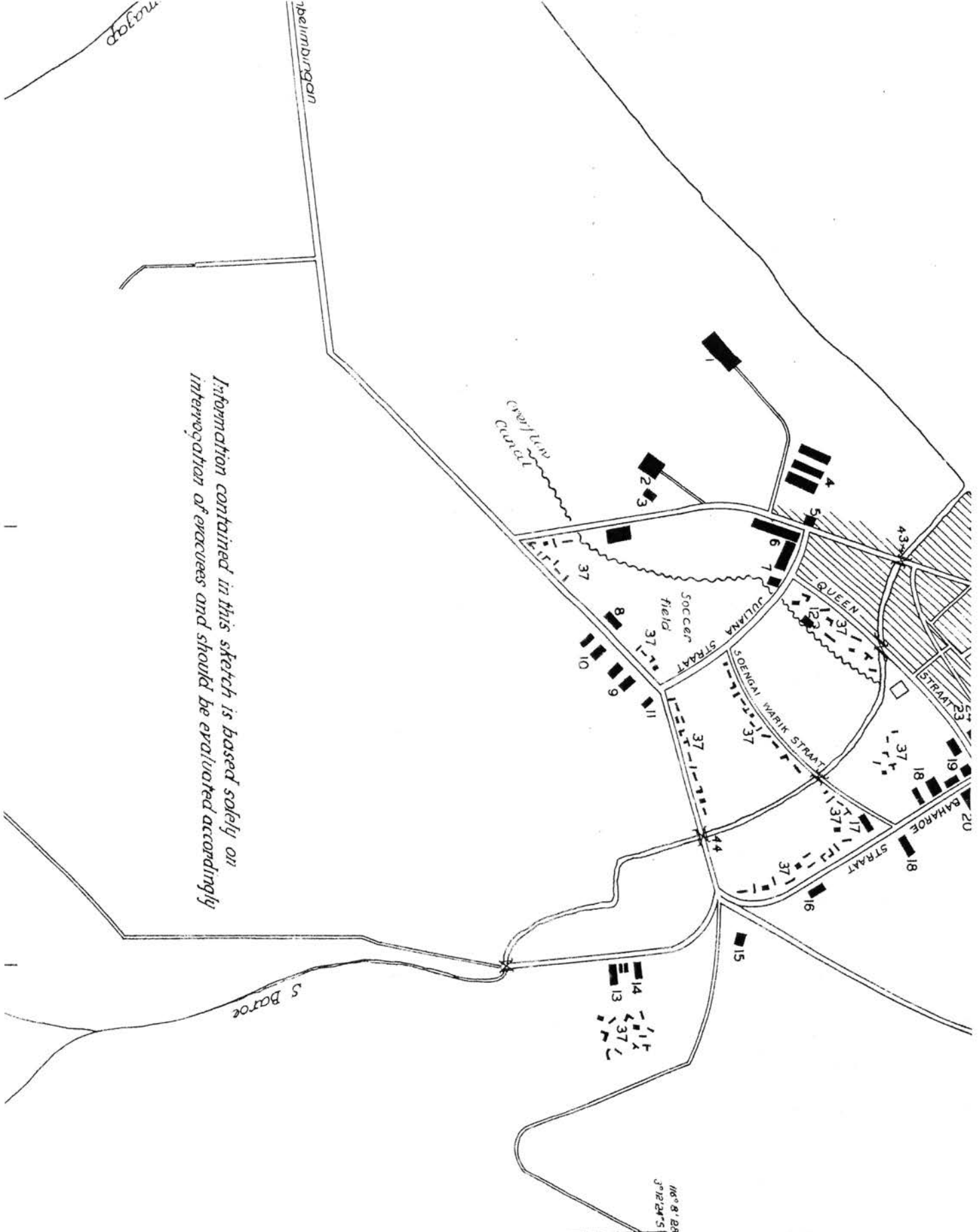
LEGEND

- Shoat
- Street
- Island
- Cape
- 1 Anchorage
- 2 Lighthouse - not in use by Japanese
- 3 Area destroyed by Jap. bombardment
- 4 River



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POELAU LAOET
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*Information contained in this sketch is based solely on
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116° 8' 30" E
 3° 22' 45" S

POELAU LAOET

Scale
 mks. 0 1 2 3 km
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LAOET STRAIT

Stagen

XXX Gov. Coal Mine

Semdelimbingan

An inset map titled 'POELAU LAOET' showing the island's location in the 'LAOET STRAIT'. It includes a north arrow, a scale bar in meters (0-3 km) and kilometers (0-3 km), and labels for 'Stagen', 'XXX Gov. Coal Mine', and 'Semdelimbingan'. The map shows the island's shape and its position relative to the strait.