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Membership - Dealership

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at camp gum 1 gam Sunday Aug 3

Reduch 1 qao 2 1 qi'ge II gase (gai sheq) II

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sun. qi'ge answering questions
When a headman dies - who becomes next head man. If he has a son, the son becomes headman.

sun. If the son is a child, what happens? That group will not have a head man till son grows up.

sun. Who acts as head man. Who decide when to go hunting, or to move to find water at another place. If young boy has an elder sister - she would divide the food. If he did not have a sister, could his mother divide the food? Yes. Which if both? wife if living.

sun. If there is no son who would become headman? ^{Wife if living.} If not the ^{Elder} daughter. (if 1 name)

sun. Does he know any group where wife or daughter is acting as head man?

Here gase q II qui q I come into discussion.
qi'ge saw 1 woman who took father's place. Her name was 1 game at 1 Khan 1 n̄

sun. If no son + no daughter, who becomes headman? qi'ge does not know.

1 Khan 1 n̄ is so west near to our Eiel track.

This p. name for Gam II quadrangle

Hunting territory

Change
wly to R4/Kg.
" is q. q.
read man.

at camp qan / qan Sunday Aug 3

Ques. If no son daughter or wife living
who becomes head man. Does not know.

Ques. Can the group choose a head man.

Yes. people can call everyone together
and choose a young man. They said
qi ge qase qao all talked on this point.

Ques. Do they know of this happening.
No. they know no case. This is
a hypothesis.

Ques. Do they know of people not liking
their head man and changing? Never
heard of this.

Ques. Or anyone quarrelling or fighting to
gain headmanship? Never heard of
this. If anyone did this there
would be a war. Did they
ever hear long ago of any such war?
No.

Qui who has been with admin. is back from
Chavungo way 6 days walk. The party is
going to Hoo! Hoo. to east.

Note: Qi ge when he gave genealogy said he
had no brother. This a.m. he says his older
brother was Hoo.

Where from.

1 Qui neander
qao helmet Fedimo

a.m. July 17 1953 9₃

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Big tree at weigt. No one built a skern
under it. Why was that? 1 Qui says
it is their custom that one skern ~~do~~
is not built in the middle of the others.
1 Nai's is near because it is new. In
the future it would be moved. He says
some nations might build in the middle
they do not. Would it look to them if
some one built in the middle that he
were setting himself up as more important
than others? They would be surprised ~~and~~
1 Qui + ask why. They would think
he was afraid of lions 1 Qui says qao
is naughty. He may build his skern
there if he wants. qao says he will
stay there next time & if people ask him
why he will say that Mrs. Marshall (Fedimo's
word) asked what would happen if he
did. Does anyone have a first choice?
yes who makes first choice? The person
who went ahead. The old man, the
leader, all these were said. it the old
man qao in 1 Qui's group would go ahead
to choose the place & make his choice
first of places for his skern.

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1 Gam

Monday July 28 1952

Tsam gao's father was the head man of 1 Gam.

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" Took his father's place here - at Ngam
& asked how !qi!gae came to be headman here.
Got a confused answer about water. Try again.

How is Tuma goma head man at gantcha

He says he does not know.

felt he closed the interview when I asked how
he came to be head man.

People are supposed to ask permission of the
headman to take water. One should ask !qi!gae

When did !qi!gae first see a white man?

His father worked with Europeans while he was small

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He says !qi!gae took about 70. Europeans came
through to find elephant teeth ostrich eggs & feathers
they walked through from Okavango from
the south west. They had oxen & wagons. Were
there women with them. Yes. He did not see
them. His father told him about this. (the Boer
Treeh?) of hunter van Zyl living in ruins at 1 Gam.

He saw Europeans first when he was
about 10 at the place we turned into Gaur
omerumba. They were on way to Okavango. Had
wagons with horses. Beginning of rain season.
There were women with them. Were they friendly?
Yes. They gave food.

He says the next time he saw Europeans
they were the men who were arrested by the police at
Ky Ky - last year. There were 6. It was winter.
They came to 1 Gam from Kietmanshop & took
him to Ky Ky. Why were they arrested? Came in
without permission. Names? One was Fricke. Kubi

a woman caught a grass hopper.
825 pulled off its wings & legs & tossed it
in front of her skinn on the ground.

1 housewife - 2 german - and afrikaaner.
" was 1 of the german.
1 gas was with them too.

group 2
Fredrick (con) Qly + J. Gum Sat. July 26 1952
about 1 qi!ge (Tee!kai) headman of group 2

Ques. How is he head man?

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Ans. He is head man. he can send anyone to
catch a Kudu and he must go.

Ques. Why is he head man?

Ans. He takes the place of his father, 1 gao (#Gow)

Ques. Did his father live at gum? Yes

" Does he know Tuma. Yes

" Is he related. Yes, a cousin.

" Cousin? What no?

Ans. Tuma is born from his aunt.

Ques. Her name? Ans. Di // Khao

~~this is name of his mother.~~

Di // Khao was his father's sister.

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Ques. Why do these people live together with 1 qi!ge
Ans. If a man marries a girl he must come to
live with her parents.

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At this point 1 qi!ge had a very slight
seizure, panting + looking tearfully distressed
He said he wanted tobacco. We did not give
it.

→
1 qi!ge's 2 daughters are here. and
their husbands.

Ques. 1 qi!ge did not go to live with his wife's parents
why? Because he is headman,

1 Ti!Kag said he became headman when
he was about 35-40

Sunday July 27

Add the the statement at bottom of page

(about ! U).

L.S.M says I U said this to

~~the~~ Later we observed it to be her custom. She very rarely visited at other fires. Women are ideally supposed to stay at home and not gad-about.

In the joking relationship men say that their wives are always visiting and not home when they want them.

Water

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people used to quarrel over water. If any one
came & drank without permission there would be a
quarrel. Did they fight or just use words?
Just talk. They do not quarrel now
there is enough water. If there were not
enough what would happen? When they
dig out a little water they quarrel. Not
when there is enough.

Present

qua group.

Bo + F Nisa

Iqao + F Nisa is her looking her face

I gasa. I qao I ~~wish~~ ~~muslach~~ ~~Wly~~ ~~assumed~~

F qao. Kho Kove here.

Kham || a - + || ^{muslach} ~~just~~ were here + went to Kai'Ka
muslach live at Nama

Kham . Be

Dam . I Naoga / Naoka

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Headman - Theog

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qao's group

This qao is the one who is husband of Bai

Is he headman? yes.

His father # qoma is headman of Debra group.
" " died so he is headman.

group's name? They I am qao from Debra.

~~What~~ ^{word} for headman I a ha o Choo Toma

What ways does a man become headman.

It is not necessary for any man to be headman
but if his father is, then he can be.

The only way to be a headman they say is
if one's father is.

suppose a headman had no sons. What then?

Then his wife would be.

If she were dead - it would be the wife's family
<sup>no - they say later they would
my keep.</sup>

The husband's family would come & stay
with the wife of the headman, very unclear.

If there is no family to inherit - ~~the~~ group
stays without a headman.

They could choose a headman - they could ask
a good hunter to be their headman if they wanted

can a headman's son become headman? yes
(if no sons) brother yes

wife's brother - no

only thru. headman's family they say now

What does a headman do. It depends on the water.
when people come they go to the headman &
ask for water. He knows how much he has & says
what they can do.

The qura group is answering - The men
qao - young boy " very well - takes initiative in answering

(over)

1 Ngani Saz =

Head man is called 1 ni gow

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1 Ni gani Saz = head man ship inherited from father. That if a head man had no sons, his daughter would be head man

Duties. if a daughter inherits head man ship?

1 Ni gani says the people must understand her. If they did not like what she did, they would put the mother of the daughter.

1 Ni gani says he has never known of a daughter to be "head man"

He says if when the head man died there were no children to succeed him, his brother would be head man, then his son

A head man should know every thing. He should know how to hunt, what things they must eat. (The gov't does not allow to shoot Eland. They may shoot wildebeest & spring buck.) Headman should know how many Bushmen are here and there. If a

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