Bent Gerald Head M.61.69x 28.
Carter Gertrude SissterF. S.26.4.4.
Rutty Charles Cousin M.S.23.
Carter Gloria Niece F.S. 4.
Ken Hubert Nephew M.S.10/12

Butcher Meat vendor. Family help. Farm labourer Mix.farm

Interview 4.6.47. with Gerald Bent. J.O. + T.O.

We met Gerald Bent in Cockpit Valley engaged into a casual bush-cutting at a place. He explained that the cultivations at this place belong to him. The land is not owned by him. He rents a piece of land here just to keep himmetatic cattle on this spot. Therexix The place suits cattle-breeding - there is plenty of pasture grounds here and plenty of water.

The steer kept on a rope nearby is not his own. He took it from a man to keep it and feed for a time. The steer was valued L.12 at the moment he took it. He expects that his value will grow to L.14 when the owner will be willing to sell the beast. They will divide then the increase in the value of the steer in half. The owner will get L.1 and himself also one pound.