

25. b. *Nawariyi Subgroup*

A multiple classifying subgroup with some concord.
(SAW)

25. Wandarang ** Ranjdjiridj (north of N91 (AIAS N120)
 Rose River) south to
 Wayagibi (south of
 Edward Island) and
 16-20 miles inland (Hughes)

Wandaran (T, O'G, 'RLS'), *Wandarang* (AC, APE, SAW,
Sharpe, AIAS), *Andarang* (Hughes)

A full account to supplement minor study made by
Sharpe (1968-9 and 1973) would be welcome. There are
some speakers at Rose and Roper Rivers and possibly
elsewhere. Tindale's vocabulary of some Arnhem Land
languages contains about 500 items in *Wandarnag*. (1928)

26. B. ALAWIC GROUP

Alawa is a prefixing language distinguishing 2 genders
and 3 numbers in nouns. The verb has an invariant verb root
with following auxiliary verb inflected for tense, aspect,
mood and for agreement with subject and often with a referent
(Sharpe). Sharpe's phonological study is of particular inter-
est in view of the suggestion the language might have exhibited
tone.

26. Alawa * Area encompassed by Hodgson N1 (AIAS N92)
 Downs, Nutwood Downs and
 Tanumbirini Stations (south
 of Roper River and east of
 Stuart Highway) (Sharpe)

kalawa means 'bone' (Sharpe)

Alawa (AC, APE, Berndt, O'G, 'RLS', SAW, Sharpe, AIAS),
Allawa (T), *Galawa*, *Waliburu* (both Sharpe), *Allua*,
Allowa, *Alowa*, *Allowiri*, *Allaura*, *Leealowa*, *Kallana*
(all 'RLS')

Sharpe (Cunningham) has done major study - see *Alawa*