the Wagadj Subgroup. Possibly extinct (in 1967 only 2 speakers remained).

'man' : tjidje (DT); lagiyi (Walsh)

[ XXIV. MULLUKMULLUKAN FAMILY - deleted

41. Mullukmulluk

See Malag-Malag 39.1* ]

41*. XX. MURINBADA (O'G: GARAMA) FAMILY

A non-classifying prefixing family, now considered to consist of the one member Murinbada (Garama being considered as an alternate name).

41a*. Murinjbada * On coast at Port Keats N61 (AIAS N3)

(37.1; south to mouth of
37.2) Fitzmaurice River (AC)

Means 'good language', derived from murinj 'language', bada 'good' (Walsh)

Murinbada (AC, AIAS), Murinbata (Stanner, AC, SAW, DT, WGH); Garama (AC, AIAS, 37.1 'RLS', N29 AIAS N34), Karaman (T), Murinjbada (Walsh); called Mariwuda by Brincken speakers (WGH)

Being studied by Walsh at Port Keats. Study also commenced at Port Keats by Chester Street (SIL) in 1973. Maddock denies having worked on the Murinjbada language.

'man' : katu ; 'aboriginal man' : katu tjipman - lit. 'black man' (Walsh)

41b*. Murinjgura

Means 'water language' (Walsh)

One of two Murinjbada dialects. (Walsh)