and one at Timber Creek. Stanner has done a little work on Djamindjung and Walsh has collected vocabulary, grammar and songs.

4LA.2 Yilngali  Below Victoria River to N44 (AIAS N2) Buffalo Springs in Legune area (Hoddinott)

Probably not a separate group. There is a tribal group called Jilngali in the above area but this is possibly a Gadjerong name for the Djamindjung tribe. Hoddinott's Jilngali is substantially the same as Djamindjung. Capell estimated a 52% cognate count with Djamindjung, but Cleverly said Capell's Jilngali was all either Djamindjung or Ngaliwuru. Cleverly also doubted whether it existed as a separate language.

4LA.3* Ngaliwuru  Junction of Wickham and Victoria Rivers, N.T. (not as in 'RLS') (WGH)

Ngaliwerra

A typescript 'Elementary Grammar of Ngaliwuru Language of the Northern Territory' by Bolt, Hoddinott, Kofod, 1971, covers basic grammatical material and a 500+ word vocabulary. It is closely related to Djamindjung, being also non-classifying, but unlike Djamindjung, it has both an alveolar and alveopalatal 'l' phoneme. Like Djamindjung it is an ergative language with auxiliary-type verbs like Ngarinjin and Bardi. Tribal members are now found from Fitzroy Station (30 speakers) to the Ord River irrigation scheme at Kununurra - an estimated 200 - 300 speakers. It is spoken widely throughout the area as speakers of Ngarinman (59.5) and Wadaman are also fluent in Ngaliwuru.

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