

Kompiyutelin si Kitebi

Kompiyutelin tagna' paguwa' si tahun 1940. Iye ne ī'en pinag'ēnan de *oscillator*lin. Hadje iye ubus tahinang ne tarabahuhin kulang. Bang patekka kamali' pe iye si pagtali' me' umbul. Tagna' ne ley, kompiyutelin makahinang hadja tarabahu iye bakas tasulat si me' *program* den. Si dambuwa' tarabahu pinahinang si iye teggel te'ed meke ta'ubus ne.

Sa' tahun pa'in mapalabeyin iye *word processor* miya'an tahinang ne. Kompiyutelin makakilale ne me' *basic command* duk makatali' ne me' *logic*. Saddi pe amban ī'en, pasōng lakkasan nen nali' dambuwa' tarabahuhin. Kompiyutelin tahinang kuwe' hadje tabang we' ka'āhanin pa'imut'imut ne ngandel si iye. Ngusa siye kompiyutel si pangeddo' de habal duk pangenna' de kakatas-katasan importante. Me' kumpanyahin magtagna' ne ngusa iye sabab du isab si pages nen si pagtali' habal duk si ta'u nen si pagbista.

Si tahun walumpū', niya' miya'an hadje kapindahan si me' kapanyapan kompiyutelin, amban *transistor* pī si iye inēnan de *microchip technology* ingge *word processor*lin sapat te'eran makatalus hinang. Kompiyutelin tahinang ne te'ed ta'u si pagtali' me' *logical command*. Ubus dambuwa' hadje kaguwa'an kompiyutelin iye ne *Internet technology*. Makapagkasuwa' iye me' a'ahin duk makapaglalin-lalin me' habal amban si pinag'ēnan de *information superhighway*'in. Mahadjehin si *technology* inin iye *virtual location* tapapanjari nen. Pinagpa'in-pa'in makabo'o ne ka'u me' anak-tangan nun misan-antag lahat.

Si kuwe'itu, kompiyutel magbaya'an kēmonin. Agen kēmon kapanyapanin *computer-based* ne kuwe' ne me' bangku, ka'opisinahan, me' eskulan, me' paktori, duk misan si pagbansān sasakatan diya'utin duk diyata' bulak. Kompiyutelin pinag'usa si bayu'an sasakatan kuwe' me' ariplanu, me' kappal duk misan pe me' awtu. Kompiyutelin, bang aku, iye ne hadje hinangan a'a. Bang binalik si ga' pe niya' me' panyaga'an inin, pikil-pikil ku, ellum pe ke kite bang ga' kompiyutel?

Vocabulary

kompiyutelin *n* the computer
paguwa *v* introduced
oscillator'lin *n* the oscillator
kamali' *v* make an error
pagtali' *n* computing
makahinang *v* could do

dambuwa' *adj* each
teggel *adj* a lot of time
makatali' *v* processed, able to process
saddi *prep* aside (*var* seddili)
pasong *v* increased

Translations

rubber output of the country. The majority of the crops produced come from Basilan Island.

In order for the province to sustain its status, the companies are encouraged to develop and improve their farming equipment using the most technologically-advanced farming system that can be adopted in this industry. However, most of the companies are small and do not possess the technology needed for the improvement and promotion of this industry.

At the recent Business Congress held in Lamitan on Basilan Island, the expansion of the rubber industry was one of the major concerns. Seeing the high probability of making this industry a major source of economic advancement for the people, the ARMM governor and the provincial government of Basilan encouraged the local planters and multinational firms to invest more in order to keep up with the demands of both local and international markets.

With the kind of attention and focus that the government of Basilan is giving to this industry, before long, the country will be able to compete in the world market and be able to realize the objective of making Basilan Province the "Rubber Capital of the Philippines." As a result, the rubber industry will become significantly influential in the improvement of the socioeconomic condition of the people, not just on Basilan Island, but in the entire Philippines as well.

31. Why We Fast

Last month, all of the Muslims in the world celebrated the holy month of Ramadan. Everyone was devoutly religious, performing all the recommended activities that should be done during this month. Fasting has been prescribed for all Muslims even during the times of the previous prophets until the time of Prophet Mohammad.

But what is fasting and why do Muslims so closely follow this command? Fasting is the abstention from food and drink and sex between spouses during the day. But, during the night, Muslims are allowed to eat, to drink, and, for the married ones, to have sex. More than these prohibitions, the most important reason a Muslim fasts is his total submission to the commandments of his Creator.

Because whatever the Creator has commanded, believers don't question their Creator because they know that the Creator knows what is good for His creations. There are plenty of concepts and lessons that a person can

takakanin *adj* the edible
takakan-kakan *n* delicacies, snacks
takasuwa' *n* finding
takasuwa' *v* can be found, can find
takilale *n* recognition
takite *v* can see, able to see
takite-kite *v* seeing
takole' *n* capacity
talabey *v* gone through
Tambak *prop* Tambac
tampal silangan *n* eastern part
tampal te'ed *adv* obviously
tanam *adj* convenient
tanda' *n* warning, alarm; warning signals
tantu *adj* certain
tanul *adj* decent
tapa hāp ilanin *v* comes to mind
tapa'in *n* said to be
tapa'in *v* can say; concluded; considered, thought of, regarded, supposed
tapa'iskul *v* able to send to school
tapagdambuwa' *v* compiled
tapag-isunan *v* agreed on
tapagsali'-sali' *v* can deal justly
tapagtampu *v* incorporated
tapahalap *v* developed
tapahaleng *v* turned
tapajatu *v* implement
tapaka'at *v* destroyed
tapaka'atin *n* toll
tapakeg *v* please
tapalabeyin *v* passed
tapalabo' *v* be poured
tapamanjari *v* amended
tapandoga *v* noticed
tapanganggastu *v* spent
tapangurung *v* gives, yielded
tapaniya' *v* earned
tapapayam *v* have been tested; tune in
tapasagad *v* neglected
tapasali' *v* linked (*lit* compared)

tapasi *prep* will be for
tapasi'atey *v* felt
tapene' *v* elected
tara'ag *n* loser
tarabahante *n* worker, employee
taragang *v* sold
tarak *n* trucks
tarapik *n* traffic jam
tarasul *n* poem
tarupang *v* fooled
tasagang *v* control
tasambut *v* receive
tasigi-sigi *v* able to sustain
tasiguru *v* expected
tasulat *v* be recorded
tasuley *v* tried
tatabangan *adj* relief
tatantu *v* assured, can be made certain
tatatal *v* lashed
tatilew *v* asked
tattap *v* maintained
tatulungan *n* donation
tatutat *adv* specifically
tawakkal bahani ngatu *n* competitive edge
tawwa' *v* falls
te'ed *adv* extremely, certainly
te'ed *adj* most, main, supreme
te'eran *adj* formal
te'erin *adj* main
technology'hin *n* technology
teggel *adv* a long time, a lot of time, long hours
teggelan ellum *n* lifetime
teggelan ne *conj* how long
tekka *prep* by
tenga'-sin-tenga' *adj* one-fourth
tengnga' *adj* central, middle; *adv* amidst
tengnga'an *adj* the central
tes *n* test
tibihin *n* television