BUSH BUSH MAMMALS

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(Note: Those marked with asterisk not collected by T.R.V.L.)

A. Order MARSUPIALIA
   Family DIDELOPHIDAE (Opossums)
   1. Didelphis marsupialis insularis Allen "Black-eared Opossum or Manicou", TRVL 2725, 25 August '60.

B. Order CHIROPTERA
   Family EMBALLONURIDAE (Reflex-winged Bats)
   Family PHYLLOSTOMIDAE (Leaf-nosed Bats)

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**Family DESMODONTIDAE** (Vampire Bats)

**Family THYROPTERIDAE** (Disk-winged Bats)

**Family VESPERTILIONIDAE** (Smooth-faced or Common Bats)

**C. Order PRIMATES**

**Family CEBIDAE** (Monkeys)
21. **Cebus albifrons trinitatis** Pusch “Weeping Capuchin” (Seen on numerous occasions).

**D. Order EDENTATA**

**Family MYRMECOPHAGIDAE** (Anteaters)
22. **Tamandua l. longicaudata** (Wagner) “Three-toed Anteater, Yellow Tamandua, Mataperro or Matapel” (One seen 1960 at mile boundary mark by Moon Jury. Smell like skunk: one smelled 19 Nov. ‘62 by Chittram and THGA).
23. **Cyclopes d. didactylus** (Linn.). ‘Two-toed or Silky Anteater, “Poor-me-one”, (Mohan held one in 1962).

**Family DASYPODIDAE** (Armadillos)
Stands of Moriche palm on the eastern edge of Bush Bush island. The boat canal is seen at lower right.
E. Order RODENTIA
   Family SCIURIDAE (Squirrels)

   Family HETEROMYIDAE (Spiny Pocket Mice)

   Family CRICETIDAE (Rats & Mice)
   32. Rattus r. rattus (Linn.) “Black Rat”, TRVL 2583, 30 Nov. 1959.

   Family ERETHIZONTIDAE (Porcupines)
   35. Coendu prehensilis longicaudatus Lace., “Prehensile-tailed Porcupine or Coendu”, TRVL 2236, 28 May ’59.

   Family DASYPROCTIDAE (Agoutis)
   * 36. Dasyprocta agouti (Linn.), “Agouti” (Said to be common by Moon Jury; seen by Mohan 1962).
   * 37. Agouti paca (Linn.), “Paca or Lappe”, (Spoor and tracks seen by Moon Jury 1962).

   Family ECHIMYIDAE (Spiny Rats)

F. Order CARNIVORA
   Family PROCYONIDAE (Raccoons)
   * 39. Procyon c. cancrivorus (Cuvier) “Mangrove
Dog, Crab-eating Racoon or Chien Mangue". (Seen by Mohan Jury 100 yards S. of camp 1961).

Family MUSTELIDAE (Weasels)


Family FELIDAE (Cats)

G. Order SIRENIA
Family TRICHECHIDAE (Sea Cows)
* 43. Trichechus manatus (Linn.) “Manatee or Lamantin” (Known from nearby Nariva River).

H. Order ARTIODACTyla
Family TAYASSUIDAE (Peccaries)
* 44. Tayassu tajacu (Linn.). “Collared Peccary or Quenk” (Diggings seen at Carat Patch by Moon Jury; the bands come and go.)

Family CERVIDAE (Deer)
* 45. Mazama americana trinitatis Allen “Red Brocket, Deer, Biche”. (Seen at Carat Patch by Moon Jury, tracks seen by THGA and Mohan at Big Bush Bush “South Lagoon” 13 March '63).

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