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Here is the God of Children being worshipped.

(55 × 85 cm, black and white) Photograph by Jørgen Therkildsen.
Here are children swimming away their sickness inside the Godly river called Ombodu River.

(175 x 85 cm, colour) Photograph by Jørgen Therkildsen.
Here is the female natural ruler in a special dress with the beaded drums during the New Yam Festival.

(55 × 85 cm, black and white) Photograph by Jørgen Therkildsen.
Here is a new King being escorted to his Palace followed by some of the King’s Makers and some of his Wives.

(40 × 170 cm, black and white) Photograph by Peter Højrup.