



„Jensen and Haile Selassie“ (Pa 8-31)

The expedition team spent their first five weeks in Addis Ababa. There they faced a number of bureaucratic complications, such as delays in retrieving their equipment from customs. Fortunately, their administrative problems came to an end when Prof. Jensen was invited to meet with Haile Selassie. The brief meeting of 15 minutes resulted in a letter which asked all administrative staff to assist the expedition team in every possible way. Given the positive outcome of this letter, it is no wonder that the letter was frequently mentioned in the expedition report and personal letters of Pauli.



„The expedition team and boys in front of the rented house“ (Je 1-35)

From their rented house in Addis Ababa the team tried to get up-to-date information about road conditions and contact points in the south.



„The King-George Bar at Piazza“ (Pa 86-30)

Pauli describes Addis Ababa in 1950 as an extremely spacious city, full of contrast.



„A typical street in Addis Ababa“ (Ha 16-1)

Not far from the modern town square one could find unpaved streets surrounded by small houses and trees.



„Roll call at the Menelik School“ (Wd 3-7)

Discovering Addis Ababa in horse carts, the expedition members took photographs of people and places.