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Review of Yes/No Questions

Directions: Read the following news story. Then, write questions using the present progressive for the answers that follow.

Scientists in Oslo, Norway said on Tuesday that they had found a "Lost World" in an Indonesian mountain jungle, home to dozens of exotic new species of birds, butterflies, frogs, and plants. Indigenous peoples living near the Foja range, which rises to 2,200 meters (7,218 feet) said they did not venture into the trackless area of 3,000 square kilometers (1,200 square miles)--roughly the size of Luxembourg or the U.S. state of Rhode Island.

The expedition found a new type of honeyeater bird with a bright orange patch on its face, known only to local people and the first new bird species documented on the island in over 60 years. They also found more than 20 new species of frog, four new species of butterfly and plants, including five new palms.

--adapted from CNN.com

1. Q: _____?
A: Yes, the indigenous people live near the Foja range.

2. Q: _____?
A: Yes, they are analyzing the various new types of flora and fauna.

3. Q: _____?
A: No, they aren't venturing into the trackless area yet.

4. Q: _____?
A: Yes. The scientists study the plants, too.

5. Q: _____?
A: No. The scientists are not working on finding a new oil supply.

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