



**RAPID TRANSIT** — At the village of BuonTuong, 50 miles north and west of Nha Trang Village of the Rads tribespeople, Flint elders Waldo Tucker and Amos Ponder hitch a ride on a Vietnamese "bus." Pictured are (l-r) Wayne Briggs, Tucker, Lynn Yocum, Y-Kre Mlo, Ponder and the elephant driver.

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## Michigan Elders Make Vietnam Survey Trip

**FLINT, Mich.** — Two elders of the Lennon Road congregation in Flint recently returned from an inspection tour of Vietnamese mission programs and called for continuing efforts to reach that country with the gospel.

Amos Ponder and Waldo Tucker spent 11 days visiting several Vietnamese cities in late March and early April.

Both men said they were warmly received by the Vietnamese people. The Montagnards, people who live in Vietnam's mountainous regions, adopted them into their village with a formal ceremony.

"Vietnam is still a troubled, war-torn country," said Ponder. "However a missionary

can still work there in a great amount of safety if he observes the curfews and stays away from the known trouble areas."