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Hacks Ferry

Gazetted: 16 Apr 1993

A locality about 4km N by W of The Hatch locality and about 5km SE of Telegraph Point town. Hacks ferry linked the east and west banks of the Maria River and is named for the Hack family who owned the land on the eastern bank. James Hack arrived in Port Macquarie from Hollington in Sussex with his wife and children in 1866 and settled on 804 acres. This had formerly been a grant by purchase to Thomas Pidding before 1839 - later bought by J.R. Hughes 29 Jun 1839.

Hakea Park

Gazetted: 22 Dec 2000

A reserve situated at the intersection of Greenmeadows Drive and Hakea Place, Port Macquarie. Origin: Hakea Park is the popular choice of name by surrounding residents. Named after Hakea Place, a street which adjoins the reserve.

Halcyon Place

Port Macquarie. Mentioned in Annabella Boswells Journal. (See Annabella Boswell Journal, p.143).

Halfpenny Hatch

Mentioned in Inquest Reel No. 2653 - George King drowned there 25 Dec 1840. (See The Winding Sheet, p.167). Probably up the Maria River not far from "Grass Cutters". Winding Sheet says (10.7km or) "*6.7 miles from Port Macquarie - between "Goolawa" and first point of the river*".

Halfway House

Stood half way between Port Macquarie and Wauchope on the Oxley Highway. It was occupied by Mr. Palmer as an accommodation house - there was a vineyard around the home.

Halkiston

Farm Huntingdon area between Oxley Highway and Hastings River 6km W of Wauchope. First home of D.S. Lindsay family at Huntingdon - 16 rooms with veranda all way around built around a courtyard - beside the New England highway. Residence of Mrs. D. S. Lindsay 1902.

Halkiston House

Home belonging to D.S. Lindsay at Huntingdon.

Halliston

Home of H.J. Halliday Westport (see PMN, 16 Nov 1912).

Hamey Lookout
Gazetted: 6 May 1973

A lookout on Camden Head, south of the mouth of the Camden Haven River, about 2.5km E of the village of Dunbogan. Previous name Charles Hamey Lookout. Origins: William Charles Hamey was a prominent citizen of the Dunbogan area serving on both the Hastings Shire Council and the Oxley County Council. He was a dedicated advocate for the Dunbogan area and was involved in many community organisations. (See obituary CHC 4 May 1962 and naming proposal CHC 31 March 1966)

Hamilton

Was named after Miss Sarah Hamilton who lived here. It was later changed to Hibbard (see Hibbard). Home of Dr. W.B. Carlyle (see History of Port Macquarie, p.113). On the south bank of the Hastings River. 9 Mar 1849 - transferred from executors to Maria Sarah Hamilton (see History of Port Macquarie, p.135) 26 Dec 1850 sold to James Young.

Hamilton Court

Crown grant to Joseph D. Rowsell before 27 Jul 1845. Then 15 Apr 1889; application to Mary Ann Rowsell; 17 Sep 1889 to William Rowsell; 16 Apr 1905 to Robert Mackay in trust for Marshus Rowsell. Joseph Davies Rowsell land adjoining Magnus McLeod's land at Glen Esk.

Hampton Court

John Thomas Platt's vineyard (12.5 acres) 3.2km west of Port Macquarie on Old Lake Road (Oxley Highway) 1888 - comprised of 2 acre vineyard 1 acre adjoining rest part - cleared substantial 4 roomed cottage with veranda wine cellars. Property of Joseph William Lalor - a vineyard located between Clifton and the racecourse.

Hanleys Point
Gazetted: 22 Dec 1972

A point in the Camden Haven Inlet about 1km SSE of Laurieton.

Hannahs Road

Bulga State Forest Ellenborough area.

Hannam Vale Road

Runs SW from Lorne to Hannam Vale.

Hansfords Road

Runs south off Oxley Highway 5km W of Wauchope.

Happy Vale

Station about 20km W of Ellenborough on Toms Creek Road on Little Toms Creek.

Hardyes Plains

See Hardys Plains.

Hardys Plains

Contained a village reserve (see History of Port Macquarie, p.110). Home of Mrs Warwick, Upper Hastings 1896. North of Oxley Highway at Gannons Creek.

Harriets Crossing

Rawdon Island area.

Harriets River	Named after the third daughter, Harriett, of Capt. Frank Allman, first commandant in Port Macquarie (see History of Port Macquarie, p.46).
Harriets Rock	At the site of Rawdon Island Bridge - said to be the fastest flowing part of the river between Wauchope and Blackmans Point.
Hartley Grove	On Gannons Creek adjoins Oxley Highway.
Hartys Creek Gazetted: 22 Dec 1972	A partly perennial stream rising about 9km SSW of the village of Byabarra. It flows generally north for about 8.5km into Thone River.
Hartys Plains Gazetted: 16 Apr 1993	A locality about 3km WSW of Huntingdon and about 3km NW of Lindseys Hill. Previous name Gannons Creek.
Hartys Plains Road	Runs north from Oxley Highway at Hartys Plains to Brombin-Kindee Road.
Hassall Street	Port Macquarie. Named after Reverend Thomas Hassall who was appointed Chaplain of the Colony 1824 and was the first clergyman in the penal settlement. (see A Town Called Port by John Moyes).
Hastings Gazetted: 10 Jan 1969	A parish (lands administrative division).
Hastings Court	A retirement home on the Oxley Highway at Wauchope.
Hastings North	Proposed township site north of the Hastings River and west of the Wilson River Parish of Cairncross on land originally bought by J.T. Hughes (2743 acres) - which was mortgaged to the Bank of Australia which crashed in 1843 - this land was included in the first lottery held in Australia - nothing came of the township. (source unknown).
Hastings Park	George Allan Johnstone's property 1890 - at Butchers Yard Gannons Creek - sold to Norman Lindsay 1904 later Nicholson (see <i>article</i> "History of Hastings" by J.N. Johnson in Hastings Shire Gazette, 21 Nov 1974)

Hastings River

Gazetted: 10 Jan 1969

A perennial stream rising about 7km SW of Kemps Pinnacle. It flows generally SSE and E for about 128km into the South Pacific Ocean at Port Macquarie. Origin: so named by John Oxley on 24th September 1818, after the then Governor-General of India. Two men with the surname Hastings were Governor Generals in India.

(1) Francis Rawdon- Hastings, 1st Marquis of Hastings 1813-1821.

(2) Warren Hastings was the administrator in 1774 and died in England in 1818. Aboriginal name: Doongang or Big River. Name given by Port Macquarie Aboriginals. (See Ryan 'The land of the Ulitarra', 1964, p.8).

Hastings River Drive

Road running adjacent to the Hastings River from Gordon Street out to the Pacific Highway. Earlier known as the Kempsey Road and was originally part of the Pacific Highway.

**Hastings
Secondary College**

A school at corner of Owen and Burrawan Streets, Port Macquarie. Previous name Port Macquarie High School.

Port Macquarie Campus

Gazetted: 17 Apr 2015

**Hastings
Secondary College**

A high school, Oxley Highway, Port Macquarie, 2444. Previous name Westport High School.

Westport Campus

Gazetted: 17 Apr 2015

Hastings Villa

Vineyard of P. Chaumet, leaving the district 17 Apr 1894 (see PMN, 21 April 1894, p.5).

Haydon Hill

Station on Cowal Creek Road on Morton's Creek, 6km W of Bellangry.

Haydon Wharf Farm

Farm on Haydon's Wharf Road 4km NE of Telegraph Point.

Haydons Creek

Gazette: 29 Jun 1973

A stream rising at Sancrox Trig. Station, it flows generally N for about 5km into Hastings River, and 2km W of Dennis Bridge.

Haydons Road

Runs west off Pacific Highway S of Kew. Also W of Bellangry becomes Cowal Creek Road. Probably named for Bill Haydon.

Haydons Wharf	On the Maria River past Cooperabung Creek “we come to Haydon’s Wharf - it is situated on land owned by Michael Haydon (167.2.20 acres) used by the cream launch in picking up cream for the butter factory”. The Haydons were timber men. Wm Haydon known as “Cedar King” disappeared in the bush- it was assumed he fell down an abandoned mine shaft in the Washpool area.
Haydons Wharf Road	Road between Pacific Highway and Railway - 4km NE of Telegraph Point.
Hay Street	Port Macquarie. Robert William Hay (1796-1861) was appointed as the first permanent under-secretary at the Colonial Office in London in 1825. Colloquially known in the early years as Cow Street because everyone turned their cows loose in it.
Haytown	(1) Proposed township of Surveyor General Sir Thomas Mitchell; situated opposite Rawdon Island. It was from the SW corner of this reserve that the datum for all surveys in this area were made. Named after Undersecretary Robert William Hay. Several sawmills operated by N. Cain located there. (2) Was originally named the town of Hay. Then it became Sancrox. The town was gazetted but never eventuated because Wauchope was more convenient. See San Crox.
Haytown Hotel	Proposed name of the hotel at Haytown (Hay) proposed by Frederick Reginald Graham. (see PMN, 2 Jan 1904).
Hayward House	Thomas Hayward’s two storied house in Horton Street Port Macquarie.
Hayward Street	Port Macquarie. Named after Frederick Hayward (1854-1932) born in Hayward House which still exists on Horton Street. He was Mayor of Port Macquarie during 1890-92, 1894-1900 & 1904-05.
Hazelmoor	Property on Cedar Creek E of Pacific Highway and W of Queens Lake about 6km NE of Kew.
Heathervale	Farm 1km W of Ellenborough Falls.
Heathfields	Home of T. Maloney Port Macquarie (see PMN, 25 Jul 1925, p.4).
Hebron	Farm east of Forbes River road 1km NE Birdwood.
Henry Kendall Reserve Gazetted: 9 Jan 1987	A reserve on the northern side of Kew Road opposite cemetery, and to the east of West Haven and about 2km NW of Laurieton.

Herbert Island	In or near Limeburners creek - T. Dick had oyster lease there near Gilbert Smith's. Portion 5 Parish Torrens.
Hérons Creek Gazetted: 16 Apr 1993	A town/locality on the North Coast Railway, 61km by rail north of the town of Taree, and 16km S of the town of Wauchope. Just off the Pacific Highway near Kew. A sawmill there. Origin of name uncertain: some suggest the creek was named for the number of herons there. Another account says a convict named Heron drowned there.
Hérons Creek Gazetted: 23 Feb 1973	A partly perennial stream rising at Bago Bluff about 11.5km NW of Town of Herons Creek. It flows generally E, SSE, E, then SE for about 23km into Queens Lake. Previous names Queens Lake River; Barneys Creek.
Hérons Creek Post Office Gazetted: 22 Dec 1972	A post office in the town of Herons Creek about 5km NW of Herons Creek Railway Station.
Hérons Creek Public School Gazetted: 22 Dec 1972	A school, Pacific Highway, Herons Creek, 2443.
Hérons Creek Railway Station Gazetted: 22 Dec 1972	An unattended platform on the Sydney-Grafton-South Brisbane line North of Kendall railway station. About 273km from Sydney.
Herschell Street	Port Macquarie. Unknown naming information. This street was named sometime before 1936 but only parts of the street were open for use.
Hewens Road	Road on north side of Hastings River at Brombin - runs south off Brombin-Kindee road.
Hiah Pines	Farm east of Heron's creek 2km E of Herons Creek timber mill.
Hibbard Gazetted: 16 Apr 1993	A locality about 5km by road W by N of the town of Port Macquarie on Hastings River Drive. Originally known as "Hamilton". Changed to Hibbard in 1912, when the Post Master Generals Department claimed there was confusion with Hamilton Post Office at Newcastle. The new name was chosen because mail for the area was delivered in the private bag of Mr John Hibbard. Hibbard had two saw mills.
Hibbard Bridge	At Mt. Seaview.
Hibbard Creek Gazetted: 4 Dec 1987	A short but broad watercourse that flows into the Hastings River about 2km NW of Hibbard. Origin: flows through land portions 205 and 228 purchased by John Hibbard Jnr in 1900.

Hibbard Drive	Port Macquarie. Road running off Hastings River Drive opposite the airport. Named after John Hibbard (Snr) pioneer of the timber industry at Hamilton (renamed Hibbard in 1912) from 1879. John Hibbard was an Alderman on the first Port Macquarie Council and later was the first President of the Hastings District Hospital.
Higgleton	Farm on Tipperary Road 6km NW of Lorne.
Highfields	Farm on Left arm Pappinbarra Road 8km from junction. On Mackay's Road Parish of Tinebank. Farm 1km NW of Upper Pappinbarra on left arm of Pappinbarra River.
Hill Creek Road	Gum Scrub area - runs into old coast road.
Hill Street	Port Macquarie. Named about 1936 runs between Lake Road and Pacific Drive. Named after John Hooke Hill who came to Port Macquarie in 1911 and lived at "Arncliffe". Elected to first Shire Council and was Shire President in 1911. In 1914 he became an Alderman and served as Mayor of Port Macquarie 1916-21. He died in 1927.
Hillcrest	(1) Station 1km E of Bellangry. (2) Home of A.E. Pountney, Gordon St. Port Macquarie built in the 1880s. W.A.H. Slade lived there in 1898 after Pountney had sold the Port Macquarie News. T.Dick of Port Macquarie owned it by Oct 1926. Now the site of the Growers Market in Gordon Street.
Hillman Street	North Haven. Named after Hillman family who operated Hillman's corner store.
Hillview	(1) Farm 6km S of Lorne Savilles Creek area. (2) Farm in Gum Scrub area 11km E of Rollands Plains. (3) Farm near Kindee Creek 6km E of Birdwood on Rollands Plains Road. (4) Property on the Oxley Highway 5km W of Ellenborough. (5) Property 3 miles S of Ellenborough on Toms Creek road opposite "Oaks" station.
Hilston (Hillston)	(1) A school was established there, a Presbyterian denominational school. Later a school was built at Huntingdon and Hillston was moved closer to Wauchope (18 Feb 1899). (2) The property of McIntyre's at Rosewood. 1888. (3) Property of H.H. Kendall. Opposite Koree Island (see PMN, 9 Sep 1922).
Hinta Duffing	Farm on Clearfield-Dungay road 22km NW of Telegraph Point. (Marlo Merican.)

Hintons Corner	Site of early Tattersall's Hotel (Hinton) - Hallett Bros had a store there (see PMN, 9 Jul 1903).
Hintons Hotel (Temperance)	At the junction of Horton St and Tacking Point Road (see PMN, 11 Feb 1883) - this was William Street/Horton St. Probably Tattersall's hotel.
Holey Flat	(1) Forbes River area. Coombes had a property there (see PMN, 13 April 1912, p.4). (2) Creek/location just north of Moorland (see PMN, 26 March 1938, p.4). An early name for Moorland.
Hollis Creek Gazetted: 14 Feb 1969	A non-perennial stream rising about 4km NE of Yarras trig. Station. It flows generally N for about 3.2km into the Hastings River near Yarras.
Hollis Street	Wauchope. Named for Clr. George Hollis.
Hollisdale Gazetted: 16 Apr 1993	A locality about 6km WNW of Pappinbarra Trig Station and about 5km ESE of Pappinbarra locality. Previous name Hollis Dale. Named after Newman Hollis's family who settled the area.
Holmes Reserve Gazetted: 22 Dec 2000	A reserve situated south of the Flynns Beach Surf Club on Flynns Beach adjacent to Pacific Drive, Port Macquarie. Origin: Named in honour of the late Mr Leslie Holmes and the late Mrs Nell Holmes OAM, who lived at Flynns Beach for 50 years and who owned and operated the original Beach Park holiday complex. The late Mr and Mrs Holmes supported all types of clubs and organisations. Mrs Holmes was awarded an OAM for her work with the Royal Far West organisation.
Homedale Road	Kew. This area was originally known as Struggletown and was renamed Homedale around 1920. (Source: Footprints and Foundations. Kew Ross Glen Herons Creek).
Homelea	Property on the north bank of the Hastings River 4km N of Wauchope off the Redbank Road.
Homeville	Bulga State Forest area on Beech Road. Eland's area.
Honeysuckle	Station just N of Ryan's Road running E of Pacific Highway W of Lake Innes. Property of Mrs Zions Camden Haven Road in 1923.
Hoopers Wharf	On the east bank at Maria River about 4km downstream from Hacks Ferry. The Hooper family were farmers and their wharf was used by the cream launch to pick up the nearby farmers cream to carry it to the butter factory at Port Macquarie.

Hope Close	Named after Lake Hope now Gogley's Lagoon. See Gogleys Lagoon.
Hopetoun Close	Port Macquarie. Named after the steam tug "Lady Hopetoun" now in the Sydney Maritime Museum.
Horse Creek	E of Mt. Seaview runs NW into Grasstree Creek. Originates N of Mt. Seaview runs NW into Grasstree Creek thence into the Hastings river 10km W of Mt. Seaview.
Horse Creek Gazetted: 10 Jan 1969	A non-perennial stream rising about 4.4km NNW of Jaspers Peak. It flows generally NW for about 3.2km into Grasstree Creek.
Horton Street	Port Macquarie. Named after Robert Wilmot Horton (1784-1841) Under-Secretary of NSW in 1821. A plan was laid out for Port Macquarie streets in 1831 with Goulburn Street initially given to Horton Street. All original streets were renamed by 1836.
Hoschke Road	Laurieton. So named as it was the road leading to E. T. Hoschke's property.
Houston Mitchell Drive	Road that runs between the Pacific Highway near Herons Creek and Ocean Drive between Lake Cathie/Bonny Hills. Named after Houston Mitchell who was the original grantee of a large portion of land in the vicinity of the current road. Also known as the 'Ghost Road' after the large number of Ghost Gums beside the road.
Hudson Avenue	Port Macquarie. Named after Arthur Hudson, an early Port Macquarie auctioneer.
Hughes Inlet Gazetted: 29 Jun 1973	An inlet NW of Green Point, about 12.5km WNW of the town of Port Macquarie. At the mouth of Rawdon Island Creek off Munns Channel. Previous name The Bay.
Hughes Place	Port Macquarie. Named after Davis Hughes, Minister for Public Works 1965 to 1973.
Hulkiston	On the northern side of Oxley Highway S of Hastings River about 6km E of Gannons Creek. Property about 8km W of Wauchope between Huntingdon and Lindsay's Hill.
Humpy-Back Bridge	Old bridge between Laurieton and Dunbogan - built 1906.
Hunchback Bridge	Bridge now closed off' (see PMN, 3 Nov 1917). Possibly where Humpyback Bridge is now near Fernbank Creek.
Hunt Circuit	Stirling Green, Thrumster, Port Macquarie.

Huntingdon

Gazetted: 16 Apr 1993

A locality about 3km ENE of Hartys Plain locality and about 2km SE by E of Brombin locality. Previous name Huntington Heights. Another early name for the area was Barombin.

Huntingdon Church

Built in 1878 on land donated by the Lindsay family constructed by Francis Walsh, in 1926 it was removed closer to Huntingdon.

Huntingdon House

Home of Colonel Grey- bought by Lachlan Lindsay about 1856. (see History of Port Macquarie, p.110).

Hursley

Gazetted: 16 Apr 1993

A rural locality about 13km NW of the town of Port Macquarie. On the Left bank of the Hastings River across from Rawdon Island. Property of John Caswell RN, until Jan 1889. Sold to A. Fowler 1889 - 300 acres. J.H. Young once owned it and founded a shopping centre: he was a parliamentary representative. Name believed to have come from Hursley in Hampshire, England.

Hursley Creek

Gazetted: 6 Apr 1973

A stream rising about 5km NE of the town of Wauchope. It flows generally SE by E for about 6km into Carecorara Inlet.

Hursley Road

Runs east off Stony Creek Road Redbank.

Hyndmans Creek

Gazetted: 23 Mar 1973

A partly perennial stream rising about 1.5km ESE of Mount Tirrandubundeba. It flows generally NW for about 10km into the Hastings River.

Hyndmans Creek

Gazetted: 16 Apr 1993

A locality about 8km N of the town of Byabarra. The Hastings River forms part of its northern boundary, and the locality of Bagnoo adjoins to the west.