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<b>Racecourse Head</b>	Headland just north of Delicate Nobby, Crescent Head about 8km north of Point Plomer.
<b>Racecourse Swamp</b>	Upper Hastings River in Werrikimbe National Park.
<b>Radnor</b>	Property of Jeremiah Warlters on the Oxley Highway.
<b>Raheen</b>	Farm on Hursley Creek at the western end of Rawdon Island.
<b>Railway Street</b>	Kendall. The road leading to the railway. Through the 1930s and up until the 1940s it was called Factory Street. (Source: The Early Dwellings and Residents 1860-1960 Kendall)
<b>Rainbow Ridge</b>	Farm on the north side of the Oxley Highway near the Comboyne Road turn-off.
<b>Ralfe</b> Gazetted: 22 Dec 1972	A parish (lands administrative division).
<b>Ralfes Creek</b> Gazetted: 14 Feb 1969	A mostly perennial stream rising about 1.2km NE of Oxley Trig Station. It flows generally SE, NE, SE and NNE for about 25km into the Hastings River, 4km W of Yarras. Previous names Sheepstation Creek; Ralfes Rivulet. Name Origins: Named after Surveyor James Ralfe who carried out the initial survey in the region. In 1840 he prepared a dray crossing for the wool road (Walcha Road/Oxley Highway) to New England.
<b>Ralfes Creek Flora Reserve</b> Gazetted: 3 Dec 1999	A reserve situated on both sides of Ralfes Creek about 4km W by N of Ralfes Peak.
<b>Ralfes Peak</b> Gazetted: 14 Nov 1980	A peak about 4km SE by E of Glen Oxley and about 7km SSW of Kokomerican Trig.Station and about 16km W of Yarras. Previous name Raffles Peak. (see Place of Banishment, p.20).
<b>Ralfes Peak</b> Gazetted: 10 Jan 1969	A minor Trig. Station about 2.2km NE of Sheep Station Trig Station, and about 12.8km WSW of Yarras.
<b>Ramsay Farm</b>	Station 2km W of Rollands Plains.

<b>Randall Street</b>	Wauchope - named after Mrs Thomas Wallace (nee Webb Randall). In 1906 an approach was made to the newly formed Council to rename the street Ayres Avenue after Richard Ayres, chemist and dentist, and Alderman of Port Macquarie.
<b>Range Street</b>	(1) Formerly the road leading to the rifle range at Port Macquarie. In 1908 the Rifle Club was formed and the street, then only a bush track, led in a straight line to the range. The street was covered in trees so large that that there was no undergrowth. It took the contractor 12 months to clear these trees. (2) Road from High to King Street Wauchope Country Club and former rifle range.
<b>Ranjis Flat</b>	Part of Bain's "Yeppin Yeppin"- "It was a lovely little spot with sally wattle all round the top and Yeppin Creek at the Bottom". Aboriginal man named Ranji lived there (Hazel Suters memories).
<b>Rapids Road</b>	Located 6km NW of Ellenborough Falls.
<b>Ravenswood</b>	R.B. Smith land next to Cooperabung Estate 1905 (see PMN, 31 Jan 1905)
<b>Ravenswood Cottage</b>	"Hector Hynes Halloran was born at Ravenswood Cottage Port Macquarie". (no further details)
<b>Ravenswood Creek</b>	Near Smiths Creek Cooperabung (see PMN, 28 Nov 1908, p.2)
<b>Rawdon Channel</b> Gazetted: 29 Jun 1973	A channel about 3km long. Starting at Quetta Island and flowing generally ESE into Munns Channel. Previous name Ana Branch (Hastings River). Channel between Rawdon Island and Rawdon Island North.
<b>Rawdon Creek</b> Gazetted: 29 Jun 1973	A stream rising about 3km NE by N of the locality of Pembroke. It flows generally SE by S then ES for about 5.5km into Munns Channel. Previous name Rawdon Island Creek.
<b>Rawdon Island</b> Gazetted: 6 Apr 1973	An island surrounded by Hastings River, Caswell Channel and Munns Channel. It is about 10.3km NW of Port Macquarie. Named after Francis Rawdon Hastings first Marquis of Hastings (1754-1826) and the first Governor of India. (see Place of Banishment, p.39).
<b>Rawdon Island</b> Gazetted: 16 Apr 1993	A locality about 10km W of Port Macquarie. The Hastings River forms its southern boundary and Caswell Channel to the west divides the localities of Rawdon Island and Redbank.
<b>Rawdon Villa</b>	Small village on the North Rawdon Island. Original land purchased in 1868 by William Delaforce who called it Rawdon Villa. The first Catholic Church in the area was built there in 1868 (now the property of Hastings District Historical Society).

<b>Rawson Falls</b> Gazetted: 10 Jan 1969	A waterfall on Mumfords Creek, about 4.5km SSE of Innes View, about 2 3/4 miles east by north of Sugarloaf Mountain and about 5km W of Mrs Fishers Girraween Gardens (10km SW of Comboyne). It has a total drop of about 46m.
<b>Raymondville</b>	Home of George and Clara Saville of Camden Haven (see PMN, 11 Feb 1905 p.5).
<b>Ready Money Creek</b> Gazetted: 6 Apr 1973	A stream rising about 10km NW by N of the locality of Bellangry. It flows generally ENE for about 7km into Wilson River.
<b>Red Flag Store</b>	Store was located in High St. Wauchope and operated by J.N. Parker & Sons. (see People and Places, Vol.3, p.7).
<b>Red Hill</b> Gazetted: 4 Dec 1987	Name given to the hill in Hayward St Port Macquarie - part of old Bridge Street. (see PMN, 14 Apr 1917). Mr A. Bailey bought the original 100 acres (Mrs McLaughlin) on Red Hill. Origin: This hill derives its name from the rich red soil colour.
<b>Redbank</b> Gazetted: 16 Apr 1993	A village locality about 14.5km W by N of Port Macquarie. Original grant of Lieutenant Matthew Mitchell 2560 acres on the north bank of the Hastings River above Sancrox. He farmed here in 1828. Suggested that it was named after the red soil in the vicinity. It included the Government Farm at Redbank (see History of Port Macquarie, p.82.)
<b>Redbank</b> Gazetted: 6 Apr 1973	A parish (lands administrative division).
<b>Redfern</b>	Reed's paddock – (see PMN, 3 Mar 1906 mention in reference to a mining lode).
<b>Redstead</b>	Farm 4km SW of Comboyne.
<b>Reedhurst</b>	Property of W. Reed Rawdon Island (see PMN, 20 Jun 1903)
<b>Reedy Creek</b>	Runs from the SE of Kempsey into the Maria River.
<b>Reedy Island</b>	On the Hastings River - Patrick Carey there 1869/70 electoral roll. Richard Woodlands married Elizabeth Boltwood there 31 Aug 1870.
<b>Reform Store</b>	Port Macquarie - John Atkinson's store in Clarence Street 1895.
<b>Regatta Grounds</b>	Early name for McInherney Park at Settlement Point Port Macquarie where the sailing regattas were regularly held.

<b>Regent Street</b>	Port Macquarie. Named after the 'Prince Regent' one of the three ships that brought the first soldiers and convicts to Port Macquarie in April 1821. On the 17th April the ship struck a submerged rock on its way into the harbour but was able to unship the rudder to continue in.
<b>Reid Street</b>	Laurieton. Named after Albert (Bert) Reid - Councillor of the Hastings Shire.
<b>Reids Road</b>	Telegraph Point. Runs from Rollands Plains road to Pembroke road through the Cairncross Forest west of Telegraph point.
<b>Reidsdale</b>	Station on the west bank of the Maria River near Hacks ferry.
<b>Renton</b>	Station on the north side of the Oxley Highway just east of Comboyne turn-off, south of the Hastings River at Lindsay's Hill. Farm on Maher's Creek near Comboyne Road turn-off.
<b>Ridgelands</b>	Station just west of Bellangry.
<b>Rigney Avenue</b>	Stirling Green, Port Macquarie. Named after Reverend Father John Rigney of Port Macquarie (1847). First minister to hold mass in the Macleay Valley 1846.
<b>Rigneys Hill</b>	Telegraph Point. Progress Committee 11 Jun 1887: - Mr Warlters moved that application be made for the erection of a telephone line from Rigneys Hill at Telegraph Point to Rollands Plains.
<b>Riven Hill</b>	Property of J.L. Ruthven (Snr) at Ennis on Gowrie Estate - built in 1870 - it was the original grant of Lieut. Matthew Mitchell of 1829. Later Rev. Buntine in 1895. For sale 8 acres 23 Jan 1904 A.J. Bartrim.
<b>River Street</b>	Comboyne, Dunbogan, North Haven, Kendall and Wauchope. The road leading to the river.
<b>Riverbend</b>	Farm on the south side of the Hastings River at the eastern part of Sancrox near the bridge to Rawdon Island.
<b>Riverfront Reserve</b> Gazetted: 19 Feb 1993	A reserve at North Shore fronting Hastings River west of North Shore.
<b>Riversdale</b>	Possibly Rowsell's sawmill Telegraph Point (see PMN, 31 Oct 1903).
<b>Riverside</b> Gazetted: 16 Apr 1993	A locality 30km south of Crescent Head, with the Hastings River as its southern boundary. Limeburners Creek forms the eastern boundary of the locality of Riverside and the western boundary of the locality of North Shore.

<b>Riverside</b>	Property on the left bank of the Maria River about 1km from the river mouth. Home of Walter Fryer at Ennis June 1900.
<b>Riversleigh</b>	Station 5km NW of Pappinbarra on the east side of Pappinbarra Creek.
<b>River Street</b>	Kendall. On mapping dated 1951, River Street was still named Main Street. (Source: The Early Dwellings and Residents 1860-1960 Kendall)
<b>Riverview</b>	Property east of the Pacific Highway west of Queens Lake about 5km NE of Kew. Property of W.H. Hayward Piper's creek area. (see PMN, 14 Apr 1914).
<b>Riverview Place</b>	North Haven. Named for the view from the homestead.
<b>Roberts Plain</b> Gazetted: 16 Apr 1993	A rural locality about 3km W of The Hatch locality and about 5 km SSE of the town of Telegraph Point.
<b>Rock Creek</b> Gazetted: 10 Jan 1969	A partly perennial stream rising about 0.75km N of Mount Kophi. It flows generally NW for about 8km into Toms Creek.
<b>Rock Knob</b>	Small peak in Lorne Forest 12km W of Lorne.
<b>Rock Road</b>	Near Queens Lake Forest west of Bonny Hills. (Jolly Nose).
<b>Rocky Beach Lookout</b> Gazetted: 6 Apr 1973	A beach at Port Macquarie. North of Flynns Point and South of Oxleys Beach.
<b>Rocky Beach Lookout</b> Gazetted: 23 Sep 1994	A reserve overlooking Rocky Beach and located on the eastern side of Pacific Drive in the vicinity of Hill St and Arncliffe Ave, Port Macquarie.
<b>Roden Island</b>	Possibly Rawdon Island. Ellen McDermott lived there.
<b>Rodeo Drive</b>	Runs parallel to the Pacific Highway west of Kundabung.
<b>Rodger Street</b>	Laurieton. Named for John Rodger, a sawmiller.
<b>Rodgers Hill</b>	On Old Lake Road (see PMN, 6 Aug 1921).
<b>Rodlee Street</b>	Wauchope. Rod Lee was a local mill owner who died in 1944.
<b>Rollands Plains</b> Gazetted: 16 Apr 1993	A village locality about 5km NW by N of the locality of Ballengarra. Named by Captain Rollands during an expedition towards Mt. Cairncross. He saw a blanket of fog about 2km wide hugging the ground above and near the river from Ballengarra to the property which was later named Glen Esk and mistakenly assumed this was a plain. Discovered by convict Richard Oliver 1823.

<b>Rollands Plains Cemetery</b> Gazette: 4 Dec 1987	A general cemetery at Rollands Plains about 5km NW of Ballengarra. Dedicated on 29th April, 1884.
<b>Rollands Plains Post Office</b>	Rollands Plain established 1 Jan 1856. (see Maitland Mercury and Hunter River General Advertiser, 12 Jan. 1856, p.8).
<b>Rollands Plains Recreation Reserve</b> Gazetted: 4 Dec 1987	A reserve for public recreation at Rollands Plains, about 5km NW of Ballengarra.
<b>Rollover</b> Gazetted: 9 Jul 1982	A Trig. Station, located on Broken Bago Range, just S of Bago Bluff. Origin: Located beside Rollover Road and in a locality locally known as The Rollover.
<b>Rooty Hill</b>	In the area between Upper Rollands Plains and Kempsey. Percy Reid commented "From Clarefield over Molly Mulligan's to Dungay Creek.....one steep pinch Rooty Hill." (see PMN, 3 May 1919)
<b>Roscommon</b>	Farm at Pembroke on the western side of the railway. Possibly named after the place of that name in Ireland.
<b>Rose Villa</b>	Mr Joseph Churchill's farm at Long Flat. (Born c1860 - Died 1944). Moved into Port Macquarie around 1938 (see PMN, 22 April 1944 p.3).
<b>Rosebank</b>	Station 3km NE of Pappinbarra Junction on the right arm of Pappinbarra Creek.
<b>Rosedale</b>	James Gaul's property Blackmans Point road - 1880s.
<b>Roseleigh</b>	Property of Mrs. D.Sonter Church St. Port Macquarie 1928.
<b>Rosemount</b>	Property 10km west of Beechwood on the eastern side of Pappinbarra road on the south side of Pappinbarra Creek. John Roach lived there.
<b>Rosendahl</b> Gazetted: 16 Mar 1990	A trig station located about 1.5km W of Port Macquarie Trig. Station and about 300m S of Rosendahl Reservoir. Origin: takes its name from the reserve in which it is located, the nearby reservoir. Rosendahl was the name of the original property owner.
<b>Rosendahl Reserve</b> Gazetted: 4 Dec 1987	A reserve beside Rosendahl Reservoir. Located about 3km SSW of Port Macquarie town centre and 4km WNW of Tacking Point. Origin: the land acquired for the Port Macquarie dam belonged to the Rosendahl family.

<b>Rosendahl Reservoir</b> Gazetted: 4 Dec 1987	A reservoir of waters impounded by Port Macquarie Dam. Located about 3km SSW of Port Macquarie town centre and 4km WNW of Tacking Point, between Koala Street and Ocean Drive
<b>Rosenheath</b>	(1) Residence of G.R. Beattie, Rawdon Island 26 Aug 1893 (see PMN, 6 Sep 1913). (2) Home of Mrs. Pead Wauchope (see PMN, 19 Jun 1913).
<b>Rosevale</b>	Property of James Gaul fronting the main Port Macquarie - Kempsey Road with frontage to Widdersons Lane and bounded on the west by 'Clifton' and in the south by Douglas Vale (see PMN, 23 May 1896). "Known as Treachery Plains then Cedar Party Plain, then Rosewood." (source unknown)
<b>Rosevear</b>	Home of William Wood Nicholls and wife Catherine, Gordon Street Port Macquarie. (Probably Westport). Named after Catherine's mother Mary Ann Rosevear.
<b>Roseville</b>	Station on the Telegraph Point-Rollands Plains Road NE of Mt. Cairncross. Percy Reid's property Ballengarra Dec 1910.
<b>Rosewood</b> Gazetted: 16 Apr 1993	A locality about 2km SE of Beechwood and about 5km NW of Wauchope. In the early days it was known as Cedar Cutters Plains and later Treachery Plains because of conflict between the cedar getters or European settlers and the Indigenous population. Anne Mary Parker (nee Cross) land grant of 1280 acres in the early 1930s (see History of Port Macquarie, p.82) later renamed Rosewood Park, then Rosewood, after the trees that grew there in abundance. Alex and John McMillan leased it (1869/70 Electoral Roll) roll. William Skottowe Parker had freehold (1869/70 Electoral Roll) T.C. Payne had freehold (1869 /70 Electoral Roll). Original grant of Mrs Anne Mary Parker 1280 acres
<b>Rosewood Park</b>	Marriage grant to Mary Ann Parker (nee Cross) -1280 acres on the south bank of the Hastings River 1830 - deeds issued to William Cross and Dr James McIntyre in trust.
<b>Ross Glen</b>	Property and district on the Camden Haven River 4km south of Kew and west of the Pacific Highway. Named after F.D. Ross who bought land with the idea of one day establishing a deep water port there. N.B. The locality is spelt <i>Rossglen</i> , whilst the road is spelt <i>Ross Glen</i>
<b>Ross Glen Road</b>	Rossglen. The road leading to Rossglen.
<b>Rossglen</b> Gazetted: 16 Apr 1993	A locality about 3.5km S of the village of Kew. Named after an early settler Frederick D. Ross who, with his wife Mary O. Ross, moved into the Ross Glen area. (Source: Early History of the Camden Haven. CHHS1991)

<b>Rossglen Railway Station</b> Gazetted: 23 Feb 1973	An unattended platform on the South Brisbane to Sydney line about 428km via rail from Sydney.
<b>Rotary Park</b> Gazetted: 30 Sep 1992	A reserve bounded by William St, Lord St and Stewart St, Port Macquarie.
<b>Rothesay</b>	Home of George Lindsay William St. Port Macquarie - a founder of the Golf Club.
<b>Roto House</b>	Old residence in Port Macquarie, built 1891, which is situated off Lord Street and was built by surveyor John Edmund Flynn. It was owned by the Flynn family until 1979. Now owned by the National Parks and Wildlife Service and is home to the Port Macquarie Koala Hospital. <i>"It is not known when the name 'Roto' was adopted for the house. The name is said to have come from a town of the same name near Hillston N.S.W., where Flynn once lived. It is also the name of a railway siding 'Roto Siding' near Broken Hill, an area John is thought to have liked as a student"</i> (Source: Roto House Conservation Management Plan. NPWS Sept. p.12)
<b>Roto Place</b>	Port Macquarie. Named after 'Roto House'.
<b>Round Flat</b>	Farm on the Forbes River. Charles Coombes land Forbes River area. (see inquest PMN, 21 Jul 1917).
<b>Rowleys River</b>	In Bulga State Forest in the Doyle's River area. (Kokomerica)
<b>Rowsells Road</b>	Port Macquarie. So named because it was the road leading to F.W. Roswell's property.
<b>Royal Oak</b>	Building located at Short and Clarence Streets Port Macquarie and operated by Jeremiah Warlters in 1834.
<b>Rudders Creek</b> Gazetted: 6 Apr 1973	A stream rising about 2km WNW of the locality of Bellangry, It flows generally E by N and S for about 7km into Coolapatamba Creek.
<b>Running Gully</b> Gazetted: 14 Feb 1969	A non-perennial stream rising about 1.25km NE of the town of Comboyne. It flows generally north for about 1.25km into the Thone River.
<b>Rushbrook</b>	Region on later maps Yarrowitch area. North of the Oxley Highway.
<b>Rushcutters Way</b>	Port Macquarie - named after HMAS Rushcutter, a minesweeper.



- Rushes Creek**  
Gazetted: 10 Jan 1969
- A mostly perennial stream rising about 2.5km SE of Yarras trig. station. It flows generally north east for about 9.7km into the Hastings River. Name Origins: named because of the bull rushes which grew there and made good feed for the stock once processed through the chaff cutter.
- Rushes Creek Road** South of the Oxley Highway 10km W of Ellenborough.
- Ruthven Hill** Property and home of J.L. Ruthven on the north side of the Hastings River at Redbank, near Rocks Ferry bridge 1km NE of Wauchope – see *a/so* Riven Hill.
- Ryans Road** Runs east from the Pacific Highway west of Lake Innes within Lake Innes boundary. Built on land owned by the Ryan family.
- Rye Cottage** Home of Mrs Elizabeth Eggert at Maher's Hill Wauchope - moved there from Letterewe - built of vertical slabs shingle roof small front veranda four rooms with calico ceiling. (see People and Places, Vol.3, p.34.)