

Pacific Manuscripts Bureau titles documenting Banaba

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AU PMB DOC 99

Title: Pacific Islands Company Ltd: Pacific Phosphate Company Ltd Miscellaneous printed papers

Date(s): 1898 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 1 reel: 129 frames; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: Pacific Islands Company Ltd: Pacific Phosphate Company Ltd

Scope and content:

The papers relating to the Pacific Islands Company Ltd are: 1. Prospectus, c.1898 2. Report from 'The Times', 20 April 1899 3. 'Short notes on the Islands referred to in the Prospectus', c.1899 4. Prospectus, 3 June 1899 5. Notes on Baker (Guano) Island, n.d. 6. Notes on North-West and Tryon Islands, c.1898 7. 'We have this day sold to ...', c.1898 8. Issue of 9,850.00 first mortgage debentures 9. Report of Directors, 21 December 1900 10. Issue of 60,000.00 first mortgage debenture stock, 1902 11. 'Phosphate Deposits of Ocean and Pleasant Islands', by F. Danvers Powers The papers relating to the Pacific Phosphate Company Ltd are: 1. Issue of 100,000 six per cent cumulative second preference shares at par, 6 March 1914 2. Correspondence respecting Military Operations against German possessions in the Western Pacific, 1915 3. Sale of Shares, 26 July 1917 4. Notice of extraordinary general meeting, 8 July 1919 5. Report on annual general meeting, from 'The Times', 21 July 1919 6. Report of extraordinary general meeting, from 'The Times', 16 July 1920 7. 'A British Phosphate Enterprise', article by Thos. J. McMahon, in 'The World's Work', June 1919 8. Three clippings from 'The Times' - 28 May 1920, 17 June 1920, and undated.

Conditions governing access: Available for reference

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AU PMB MS 241

Title: Whaling logbooks, and other documents, copied in New England (USA) repositories

Date(s): 1841 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: New England Microfilming Project

Scope and content:

Please refer to the full entry in PMB 200 For indexes see American Whalers and Traders in the Pacific, Robert Langdon, ed., Canberra, 1978 and Where the Whalers Went, Robert Langdon, ed., Canberra, 1984. Information is provided in the following format: Name of ship (in upper case); Name of Captain/Logkeeper; Date of voyage; Area or places visited. MINNESOTA; ?; 1868-73; Continued from reel PMB 240 COSSACK; Potter; 1857-60; Indian Ocean, Tasmania, Hawaii, New Zealand, Western Australia THRIVER; ?; 1870-71; Atlantic JOHN WELLS; ?; 1854; South Pacific, Atlantic WASHINGTON FREEMAN; Jenney; 1868-70; Atlantic W. FREEMAN; Braley; 1868-70; North Atlantic HECLA; Smalley; 1858-59; South Pacific, Atlantic GEORGE HOWLAND; ?; 1852-57; Hawaii, Ellice Islands, Ocean Island, Carolines, Samoa, New Zealand, Juan Fernandez Islands GEORGE HOWLAND; Knowles; 1866-70; Hawaii LONDON PACKET; ?; 1841-44; South Atlantic, Indian Ocean, Fiji

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AU PMB MS 255

Title: Whaling logbooks, and other documents, copied in New England (USA) repositories

Date(s): 1850 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: New England Microfilming Project

Scope and content:

Please refer to the full entry in PMB 200 For indexes see American Whalers and Traders in the Pacific, Robert Langdon, ed., Canberra, 1978 and Where the Whalers Went, Robert Langdon, ed., Canberra, 1984. Information is provided in the following format: Name of ship (in upper case); Name of Captain/Logkeeper; Date of voyage; Area or places visited. HORTENSE; Lewis; 1863-64; Continued from reel PMB 254 CHAMPION WATERMAN; Bailey; 1850-53; Hawaii, Indian Ocean HECLA; Handy; 1867-69; Atlantic JAMES ARNOLD; Irving; 1878-82; South Atlantic, New Zealand, Kermadecs, Norfolk Island, Cook Islands, Tonga GOOD RETURN; Wing; 1855-58; Atlantic, Hawaii, Society Islands, New Zealand MILTON; Halsey; 1860-65; Ocean Island, Marianas, Hawaii, Cook Islands ROBERT MORISON; Macomber; 1869-71; Indian Ocean MILTON; Thompson; 1851-56; Atlantic, Galapagos Islands, Hawaii, Carolines, Ocean Island

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AU PMB MS 260

Title: Whaling logbooks, and other documents, copied in New England (USA) repositories

Date(s): 1836 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: New England Microfilming Project

Scope and content:

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AU PMB MS 262

Title: Whaling logbooks, and other documents, copied in New England (USA) repositories

Date(s): 1830 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: New England Microfilming Project

Scope and content:

Please refer to the full entry in PMB 200 For indexes see American Whalers and Traders in the Pacific, Robert Langdon, ed., Canberra, 1978 and Where the Whalers Went, Robert Langdon, ed., Canberra, 1984. Information is provided in the following format: Name of ship (in upper case); Name of Captain/Logkeeper; Date of voyage; Area or places visited. EAGLE; McKenzie; 1867-73; Continued from reel PMB 261 TRITON; Parker; 1838-43; Western Australia, East Indies, Tasmania, Lord Howe Island, Tonga, Fiji, Kermadecs, Society Islands OSCAR; ?; 1854-57; Hawaii, Ocean Island, Nauru, Cook Islands BEN TUCKER; Sands; 1851-53; Hawaii, Tuamotus AMANDA; ?; 1830-31; Atlantic ALBION; ?; 1831-32; Atlantic JUNO; Brownell; 1838-39; Atlantic MARS; Brownell; 1844-45; Kermadecs, Tasmania CHASE; ?; 1846-48; North Atlantic AMAZON; Eldredge; 1856-60; Indian Ocean, Western Australia, New Zealand, Marquesas, Hawaii, Phoenix Island, Nauru GOOD RETURN; ?; 1833-34; North Atlantic BRAHMIN; Howland; 1834-35; South Atlantic CLITUS; ?; 1835; North Atlantic JOHN; Howland; 1836-38; South Atlantic, Indian Ocean HIBERNIA; ?; 1840-42; Indian Ocean, Western Australia LONDON PACKET; Howland; 1843-47; Fiji, Hawaii, New Zealand WASHINGTON; ?; 1850; Atlantic HIBERNIA; ?; 1840-42; Indian Ocean, Western Australia LA DUCHESSE D'ORLEANS; Richardson; 1840-46; North Atlantic KEOKA; ?; 1858-60; Atlantic WAVE; Church; 1867-69; Atlantic

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AU PMB MS 264

Title: Whaling logbooks, and other documents, copied in New England (USA) repositories

Date(s): 1830 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: New England Microfilming Project

Scope and content:

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MARTHA; ?; 1852-57; Galapagos Islands, Gilbert Islands, Ocean Island, Ellice Islands, Hawaii
PANTHEON; Jenney; 1845-49; Tasmania, Society Islands, Hawaii, New Zealand, New South Wales,
Kermadecs, Walpole Island, New Hebrides, Norfolk Island FLORIDA; Fitch; 1849-50; Pacific
ALEXANDER MILLIKEN; Fitch; 1852-53; Atlantic STELLA; Hathaway; 1855-60; Galapagos, Juan
Fernandez Islands SALLY ANN; Netcher; 1830-32; South Atlantic, Indian Ocean BENJAMIN RUSH;
Eddy; 1841-45; Juan Fernandez Islands, Marquesas, New Zealand, Hawaii, Marianas, Galapagos
Islands CAPE HORN PIGEON; Gibbs; 1866-67; Atlantic EDITH MAY; Keith; 1867-69; Atlantic
GOLCONDA; Chase; 1835-38; Indian Ocean

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AU PMB MS 265

Title: Whaling logbooks, and other documents, copied in New England (USA) repositories

Date(s): 1835 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: New England Microfilming Project

Scope and content:

Please refer to the full entry in PMB 200 For indexes see American Whalers and Traders in the Pacific, Robert Langdon, ed., Canberra, 1978 and Where the Whalers Went, Robert Langdon, ed., Canberra, 1984. Information is provided in the following format: Name of ship (in upper case); Name of Captain/Logkeeper; Date of voyage; Area or places visited. GOLCONDA; Chase; 1835-38; Continued from reel PMB 264 WILLIAM AND HENRY; ?; 1855-57; Juan Fernandez Islands, Hawaii ATKINS ADAMS; Tripp/Church; 1858-63; Atlantic, Juan Fernandez, Galapagos Islands, New Zealand, New South Wales OCEAN ROVER; Keith; 1859-62; Atlantic, Indian Ocean, Western Australia SMYRNA; Webb; 1862; South Atlantic VIGILANT; Thatcher; 1870-74; Western Australia, East Indies, South Atlantic ADELINE GIBBS; Snell; 1875-78; South Atlantic MARIA THERESA; ?; 1847-51; South Atlantic, New Zealand, Hawaii, Fiji, Ocean Island, Carolines ARAB; ?; 1838-40; Indian Ocean, South Atlantic JAMES MONROE; ?; 1840-43; South Atlantic, Galapagos, Juan Fernandez Islands CONDOR; ?; 1844-45; South Atlantic, Galapagos, Juan Fernandez Islands CHAMPION; Gray; 1855-58; South Atlantic, Hawaii, Marianas

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AU PMB MS 268

Title: Whaling logbooks, and other documents, copied in New England (USA) repositories

Date(s): 1833 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: New England Microfilming Project

Scope and content:

Please refer to the full entry in PMB 200 For indexes see American Whalers and Traders in the Pacific, Robert Langdon, ed., Canberra, 1978 and Where the Whalers Went, Robert Langdon, ed., Canberra, 1984. Information is provided in the following format: Name of ship (in upper case); Name of Captain/Logkeeper; Date of voyage; Area or places visited. MARS; Wicks; 1878-81; Continued from reel PMB 267 NASSAU; Samson; 1833-37; Marquesas, Society Islands; Line Islands, Samoa, Tonga, Kermadecs, Fiji, Atlantic NIAGARA; Clough; 1851-54; South Atlantic, Indian Ocean, Hawaii MARY ANN; Dallman; 1854-58; Atlantic, Juan Fernandez, Galapagos Islands OHIO; Coffin; 1837-41; Society Islands, Hawaii, Nauru, Carolines, Bonin Islands, Ocean Island PALMETTO; Bolles; 1875-79; Atlantic PRESIDENT; Robinson; 1875-77; Atlantic STEPHANIA; ?; 1841-44; Indian Ocean, Western Australia, Tasmania, Marquesas, Society Islands REINDEER; ?; 1853-58; Hawaii

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AU PMB MS 284

Title: Whaling logbooks, and other documents, copied in New England (USA) repositories

Date(s): 1836 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: New England Microfilming Project

Scope and content:

Please refer to the full entry in PMB 200 For indexes see American Whalers and Traders in the Pacific, Robert Langdon, ed., Canberra, 1978 and Where the Whalers Went, Robert Langdon, ed., Canberra, 1984. Information is provided in the following format: Name of ship (in upper case); Name of Captain/Logkeeper; Date of voyage; Area or places visited. JOSEPH MEIGS; Winsor; 1849-50; Continued from reel PMB 283 MONSOON; Winsor; 1851-52; Atlantic, Indian Ocean CLIPPER SHIPS sailing to San Francisco, 1849-55 LAGODA; Maxfield; 1841-43; Atlantic, Western Australia, Tasmania, East Indies, Pacific WASHINGTON; ?; 1838-40; Atlantic, Australia WASHINGTON; ?; 1840-42; Indian Ocean, Australia CORAL; Seabury; 1839-42; Atlantic, Galapagos Islands, Society Islands CORAL; Seabury; 1842-46; South Atlantic, Juan Fernandez, Galapagos Islands, Hawaii CORAL; Seabury; 1846-50; Galapagos Islands, Atlantic, Juan Fernandez Islands CORINTHIAN; ?; 1836-39; Juan Fernandez, Galapagos Islands ALFRED GIBBS; Nickols; 1859-64; Marquesas, Galapagos Islands TWO BROTHERS; Clark; 1858-63; Gilbert Islands, Ocean Island, Solomons, New Guinea, Kermadecs, Samoa, Tokelau Islands, New Zealand, Lord Howe Island, New South Wales

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AU PMB MS 289

Title: Whaling logbooks, and other documents, copied in New England (USA) repositories

Date(s): 1791 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: New England Microfilming Project

Scope and content:

Please refer to the full entry in PMB 200 For indexes see American Whalers and Traders in the Pacific, Robert Langdon, ed., Canberra, 1978 and Where the Whalers Went, Robert Langdon, ed., Canberra, 1984. Information is provided in the following format: Name of ship (in upper case); Name of Captain/Logkeeper; Date of voyage; Area or places visited. OCEAN QUEEN; ?; 1873; Atlantic (VARIOUS SHIPS); Seabury; 1861; Atlantic (VARIOUS SHIPS); ?; 1867-69; Atlantic (VARIOUS SHIPS); Seabury; 1872-73; Atlantic HENRY CHAUNCEY; Seabury; 1869; Atlantic GRANADA; Seabury; 1873-74; Far East ARIZONA; ?; 1870-71; Far East (VARIOUS SHIPS); Gifford; 1854-64; Hawaii, North Atlantic MERCURY; Gifford; 1875-76; Indian Ocean RAJAH; Fisher; 1851-54; Hawaii JOSEPHINE; Smith; 1903-07; Atlantic, Indian Ocean A.M. NICHOLSON; Smith; 1909-12; Atlantic, Indian Ocean MOONLIGHT; Taber; 1860; Atlantic CAPE HORN PIGEON; Scullen; 1891-92; Carolines, Marianas NIAGARA; Howland; 1809; North Atlantic WILLIAM & ELIZA; Howland; 1811; North Atlantic AVERICK HEINEKEN; Stetson; 1838-40; Atlantic, New Zealand TUSCALOOSA; Taber; 1840-42; South Atlantic, Western Australia, South Australia, New Zealand, Samoa, Ellice Islands, Gilbert Islands AVERICK HEINEKEN; De Wolf; 1838-39; Indian Ocean, Australia, New Zealand TUSCALOOSA; De Wolf; 1840-43; Atlantic, Western Australia, Tasmania, Samoa, Marianas TUSCALOOSA; ?; 1843-44; Carolines, Ocean Island, New Hebrides, New South Wales, Lord Howe Island, New Zealand, Tonga POLLEY; ?; 1791; Atlantic SALLY; ?; 1793-99; Atlantic A.M. NICHOLSON; Smith; 1913; Atlantic YOUNG PHOENIX; Holmes; 1885; North Pacific TRIUMPHANT; Johnson; 1875-77; Pacific, Atlantic Of special interest on this reel (CAPE HORN PIGEON; 1891-92) Vessel seized at Vladivostok and then released.

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AU PMB MS 301

Title: Whaling logbooks, and other documents, copied in New England (USA) repositories

Date(s): 1790 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: New England Microfilming Project

Scope and content:

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1984. Information is provided in the following format: Name of ship (in upper case); Name of Captain/Logkeeper; Date of voyage; Area or places visited. MERLIN; Sturgis; 1876-80; Continued from reel PMB 300 MERLIN; Allen; 1881-82; Indian Ocean, South Atlantic MARCELLA; Tripp; 1876-79; Indian Ocean, South Atlantic BARCLAY; ?; 1839-41; North Atlantic THREE FRIENDS; Carr; 1790-91; Atlantic (VARIOUS SHIPS); Terry; 1849-53; Atlantic, Pacific LONDON PACKET; Samson; 1838-40; South Atlantic, Indian Ocean, East Indies, Western Australia SOUTH BOSTON; Morgan; 1851-54; Indian Ocean, Tasmania, Hawaii, Cook Islands FLORIDA; ?; 1854-58; Atlantic, Galapagos Islands, Hawaii, Ellice Islands, Ocean Island; Carolines, Far East FLORIDA; Williams; 1858-61; Atlantic, New Zealand, Hawaii FLORIDA; ?; 1858-61; Atlantic, New Zealand, Hawaii

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AU PMB MS 480

Title: Diaries

Date(s): 1870 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 1 reel (see also PMB 481-492); 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: Arundel, John T.

Scope and content:

John T. Arundel (1841-1919) was a leading figure in the Pacific phosphate industry in Kiribati and Nauru from the 1860s until his death. See: Pacific Islands Monthly, April 1874, pp.59-61. For a summary of Arundel's activities from 1865-92, see film PMB MS 494. The National Library of Australia holds a number of Arundel photographic albums. The diaries have been filmed on reels PMB 480 - 492. Diary 9 June 1870 - 31 December 1872. See also PMB 14, 498.

Conditions governing access: Available for reference

Existence and location of originals: National Library of Australia, Canberra

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AU PMB MS 481

Title: Diaries

Date(s): 1870 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: Arundel, John T.

Scope and content:

Please see reel PMB MS 480 for full entry. Diary of John T. Arundel, 1873 - 1880. During this period, Arundel managed guano digging in the central part of Flint Island, Kiribati. See also PMB MS 14, 498.

Conditions governing access: Available for reference

Existence and location of originals: National Library of Australia, Canberra

Existence and location of copies: Access this title at PMB Member Libraries or by contacting the Bureau directly: <http://asiapacific.anu.edu.au/pambu/accessing.php>

AU PMB MS 482

Title: Diaries

Date(s): 1870 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: Arundel, John T.

Scope and content:

Please see PMB MS 480 for full entry. John T. Arundel Diary 1881 - 1887. During this period, John T. Arundel & Co were involved in guano mining and coconut plantations in Kiribati. See also reels PMB MS 14, 498.

Conditions governing access: Available for reference

Existence and location of originals: National Library of Australia, Canberra

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AU PMB MS 483

Title: Diaries

Date(s): 1870 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 2 reels; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: Arundel, John T.

Scope and content:

Please see PMB MS 480 for full entry. Reel 1: John T. Arundel's Diary - 02/011888 - 01/04/1891; Reel 2: Diary - 01/04/1891 - 31/12/1892. During this period, John T. Arundel & Co were involved in guano mining and coconut plantations in Kiribati.

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Existence and location of originals: National Library of Australia, Canberra

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AU PMB MS 484

Title: Diaries

Date(s): 1870 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: Arundel, John T.

Scope and content:

Please see PMB MS 480 for full entry. John T. Arundel's Diary 1893 - 1894. During this period, John T. Arundel & Co were involved in guano mining and coconut plantations in Kiribati. See also PMB MS 14, 498.

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Existence and location of originals: National Library of Australia, Canberra

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AU PMB MS 485

Title: Diaries

Date(s): 1870 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: Arundel, John T.

Scope and content:

Please see PMB MS 480 for full entry. John T. Arundel's Diary 1895 - 1896. During this period, John T. Arundel & Co were involved in guano mining and coconut plantations in Kiribati. See also PMB MS 14, 498.

Conditions governing access: Available for reference

Existence and location of originals: National Library of Australia, Canberra

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AU PMB MS 486

Title: Diaries

Date(s): 1870 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 2 reels; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: Arundel, John T.

Scope and content:

Please see PMB 480 for full entry. John T. Arundel's diaries as follows: Reel 1: Diary - 02/01/1888 - 01/04/1891; Reel 2: Diary - 01/04/1891 - 31/12/1892. During this period, John T. Arundel & Co were involved in guano mining and coconut plantations in Kiribati.

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AU PMB MS 487

Title: Diaries

Date(s): 1870 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: Arundel, John T.

Scope and content:

Please see PMB MS 480 for full entry. John T. Arundel's Diary 1899 - 1900. In 1897, John T. Arundel & Co merged its business with trading and plantation firm Henderson and Macfarlane. They formed the Pacific Islands Company Ltd (PIC), which was based in London with trading activities in the Pacific, particularly Kiribati. In 1902, PIC became the Pacific Phosphate Company and began phosphate mining on Banaba, Kiribati in 1901 and on Nauru in 1906. See also PMB MS 14, 498.

Conditions governing access: Available for reference

Existence and location of originals: National Library of Australia, Canberra

Existence and location of copies: Access this title at PMB Member Libraries or by contacting the Bureau directly: <http://asiapacific.anu.edu.au/pambu/accessing.php>

AU PMB MS 488

Title: Diaries

Date(s): 1870 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: Arundel, John T.

Scope and content:

Please see PMB MS 480 for full entry. John T. Arundel's Diary 1901 - 1902. In 1897, John T. Arundel & Co merged its business with trading and plantation firm Henderson and Macfarlane. They formed the Pacific Islands Company Ltd (PIC), which was based in London with trading activities in the Pacific, particularly Kiribati. In 1902, PIC became the Pacific Phosphate Company and began phosphate mining on Banaba, Kiribati in 1901 and on Nauru in 1906. See also PMB MS 14, 498.

Conditions governing access: Available for reference

Existence and location of originals: National Library of Australia, Canberra

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AU PMB MS 489

Title: Diaries

Date(s): 1870 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: Arundel, John T.

Scope and content:

Please see PMB 480 for full entry. John T. Arundel's Diary 1903 - 1904. In 1897, John T. Arundel & Co merged its business with trading and plantation firm Henderson and Macfarlane. They formed the Pacific Islands Company Ltd (PIC), which was based in London with trading activities in the Pacific, particularly Kiribati. In 1902, PIC became the Pacific Phosphate Company and began phosphate mining on Banaba, Kiribati in 1901 and on Nauru in 1906. See also PMB MS 14, 498.

Conditions governing access: Available for reference

Existence and location of originals: National Library of Australia, Canberra

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AU PMB MS 490

Title: Diaries

Date(s): 1870 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 3 reels; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: Arundel, John T.

Scope and content:

Please see PMB MS 480 for full entry. John T. Arundel's diaries from the Pacific, largely Kiribati and Nauru as follows: Reel 1: Diary, January - October 1905; Reel 2: Diary, October 1905 - 15 June 1909; Reel 3: Diary 17 June 1909 - 31 December 1910. In 1897, John T. Arundel & Co merged its business with trading and plantation firm Henderson and Macfarlane. They formed the Pacific Islands Company Ltd (PIC), which was based in London with trading activities in the Pacific, particularly Kiribati. In 1902, PIC became the Pacific Phosphate Company and began phosphate mining on Banaba, Kiribati in 1901 and on Nauru in 1906. See also PMB MS 14, 498

Conditions governing access: Available for reference

Existence and location of originals: National Library of Australia, Canberra

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AU PMB MS 491

Title: Diaries

Date(s): 1870 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: Arundel, John T.

Scope and content:

Please see PMB MS 480 for full entry. John T. Arundel's Diary 1911 - 1913. At this time Arundel was associated with the Pacific Phosphate Company, which began phosphate mining on Banaba, Kiribati in 1901 and on Nauru in 1906. However, Arundel had already stepped down as deputy chairman of the company in 1909 following a heart attack. See also PMB MS 14, 498

Conditions governing access: Available for reference

Existence and location of originals: National Library of Australia, Canberra

Existence and location of copies: Access this title at PMB Member Libraries or by contacting the Bureau directly: <http://asiapacific.anu.edu.au/pambu/accessing.php>

AU PMB MS 493

Title: Correspondence

Date(s): 1897 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm. Digital PDF.

Name of creator: Arundel, John T.

Scope and content:

Arundel (1814-1919) was a leading figure in the Pacific phosphate industry from the 1860s until his death, active largely in Kiribati and Nauru. See Pacific Islands Monthly, April 1974, pp.59-61. The correspondence is chiefly with Lord Stanmore who was chairman of the Pacific Islands Company Ltd, and later the Pacific Phosphate Company Ltd, of which Arundel was the Vice-Chairman.

Conditions governing access: Available for reference

Existence and location of originals: Division of Pacific and Asian History, Research School of Pacific Studies, Australian National University, Canberra

Existence and location of copies: Access this title at PMB Member Libraries or by contacting the Bureau directly: <http://asiapacific.anu.edu.au/pambu/accessing.php>

AU PMB MS 494

Title: 'Sundry data of my life'

Date(s): 1865 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: Arundel, John T.

Scope and content:

Please see PMB MS 493 for full entry. A cash book containing a summary of John T. Arundel's activities from 17 December 1865 to 30 December 1892. During this period he was largely active in Kiribati. A notation on the first page reads: 'begun off Mornington Ids., Gulf of Carpentaria, 14/9/90' (For a fuller record of the period 1870-1892, see Arundel's diaries filmed on PMB MS 480-483). See also PMB MS 14, 498

Conditions governing access: Available for reference

Existence and location of originals: Division of Pacific and Asian History, Research School of Pacific Studies, Australian National University, Canberra

Existence and location of copies: Access this title at PMB Member Libraries or by contacting the Bureau directly: <http://asiapacific.anu.edu.au/pambu/accessing.php>

AU PMB MS 495

Title: Miscellaneous correspondence

Date(s): 1902 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: Arundel, John T.

Scope and content:

Please see PMB MS 493 for full entry. Miscellaneous correspondence of John T. Arundel, 1902-09. During this period, Arundel was involved in phosphate mining with the Pacific Phosphate Company in Kiribati and Nauru.

Conditions governing access: Available for reference

Existence and location of originals: Division of Pacific and Asian History, Research School of Pacific Studies, Australian National University, Canberra

Existence and location of copies: Access this title at PMB Member Libraries or by contacting the Bureau directly: <http://asiapacific.anu.edu.au/pambu/accessing.php>

AU PMB MS 497

Title: Diary, miscellaneous papers and correspondence

Date(s): 1900 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm. Digital PDF

Name of creator: Ellis, Albert Fuller

Scope and content:

Ellis (1869-1951) was born in Queensland and educated in New Zealand. In the 1890s he became an employee of the Pacific Islands Company Ltd of London, which was involved in the guano industry on islands in the Coral Sea and the Phoenix Group (Kiribati). In 1900, he became curious about a rock which was used as a doorstep in the Sydney office of his company and this led to the discovery of the phosphate deposits on Ocean Island and Nauru. He was a prominent figure in the Pacific Phosphate Company Ltd in 1902. After the phosphate company was bought out by the British, Australian and New Zealand governments after World War I, he became commissioner for New Zealand on the British Phosphate Commission, which was established to exploit the phosphate deposits on Ocean Island and Nauru. He was the author of three books, *Ocean Island and Nauru* (1936), *Adventuring in Coral Seas* (1937) and *Mid-Pacific Outpost* (1946). The documents on the microfilm include: 1. Ellis' diary for May 1900 when he went to Banaba (Ocean Island) in Kiribati to establish the phosphate industry there; 2. Clippings on the phosphate industry from various newspapers and journals; 3. Correspondence covering the period 1920-51.

Conditions governing access: Available for reference

Existence and location of originals: Division of Pacific and Asian History, Research School of Pacific Studies, Australian National University, Canberra

Existence and location of copies: Access this title at PMB Member Libraries or by contacting the Bureau directly: <http://asiapacific.anu.edu.au/pambu/accessing.php>

AU PMB MS 498

Title: Miscellaneous papers on the Pacific phosphate industry

Date(s): 1897 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: Arundel, John T.

Scope and content:

Please see PMB MS 493 for full entry. Newspaper clippings, official printed documents and typescripts on the Pacific phosphate industry. Largely associated with mining in Kiribati and Nauru. See also PMB MS 14, 480-495.

Conditions governing access: Available for reference

Existence and location of originals: Division of Pacific and Asian History, Research School of Pacific Studies, Australian National University, Canberra

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AU PMB MS 758

Title: Papers

Date(s): 1852 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm. Digital PDF.

Name of creator: American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions

Scope and content:

Please see PMB 738 for full entry. Continued from PMB 757 - Volume 17: correspondence 1900-09. Volume 18: Reports, estimates, financial statements and correspondence, 1910-19, from mission stations on Abaiang, Kusaie, Guam, Ocean Island, Nauru, Majuro and Jaluit. The correspondents are Elizabeth Baldwin, Jane Baldwin, Herbert E.B. Case, Irving Channon, Salome and Philip Delaporte, Richard Grenfell, Carl Heine, Jessie R. Hoppin, Effa Lanbach, Charles Maas, M.S. Maas, Alya Meitzner, C. Rife, Marion P. Wells, Louise Wilson, T.J. Woodward, and Marion Woodward (continued on PMB 759 and 760).

Conditions governing access: Available for reference

Existence and location of originals: Houghton Library, Harvard University, Cambridge MA 02138

Existence and location of copies: Access this title at PMB Member Libraries or by contacting the Bureau directly: <http://asiapacific.anu.edu.au/pambu/accessing.php>

AU PMB MS 766

Title: Papers

Date(s): 1852 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions

Scope and content:

Please see PMB 738 for full entry. Continued from PMB 765 - correspondence etc. 1903-09. - Micronesian Mission Women's Board - correspondence, 1909-27, from Kusaie, Ocean Island, Truk

and Jaluit. The correspondents are Elizabeth Baldwin, Jane Baldwin, Mrs Irving Channon, Jessie Hoppin, Mathilda Maas, Jennie Olin, Thomas Pratt, Louise Wilson and Marion Woodward (continued on PMB 767).

Conditions governing access: Available for reference

Existence and location of originals: Houghton Library, Harvard University, Cambridge MA 02138

Existence and location of copies: Access this title at PMB Member Libraries or by contacting the Bureau directly: <http://asiapacific.anu.edu.au/pambu/accessing.php>

AU PMB MS 967

Title: Diary

Date(s): 1914 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm. Digital PDF.

Name of creator: Donaldson T.H.

Scope and content:

Donaldson was one of about 40 British employees of the British-owned Pacific Phosphate Company on Nauru when World War I broke out. Nauru was then a German colony. On 6 September 1914, the Germans deported the British employees to Ocean Island, part of the Gilbert and Ellice Islands Protectorate. On 3 November 1914, an Australian force under Colonel W. Holmes, arrived at Ocean Island in the company's ship Messina, reembarked the British employees and returned them to Nauru, which was placed under Australian military control. The diary gives an account of these events and those preceding and following them.

Conditions governing access: Available for reference

Existence and location of originals: (1991) Unknown

Existence and location of copies: Access this title at PMB Member Libraries or by contacting the Bureau directly: <http://asiapacific.anu.edu.au/pambu/accessing.php>

AU PMB MS 1057

Title: Research notes on the Gilbert Islands

Date(s): 1956 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35 mm microfilm Digital PDF

Name of creator: Maude, H. E. (Henry Evans), 1906-

Scope and content:

Educated at Cambridge, Harry Maude spent the years 1929-48 working as a civil servant and administrator in various Pacific Islands, in particular the British colony of the Gilbert and Ellice Islands. From 1948-57 he worked for the South Pacific Commission, following which he worked as a Research Fellow for the Australian National University Research School of Pacific Studies until 1971. He has published widely on aspects of Pacific Islands history and was a prime mover in the establishment of the Pacific Manuscripts Bureau. The bulk of his personal papers are held at the University of Adelaide Barr-Smith Library. A refined version of some of Professor Maude's research notes on the history of the Gilbert Islands has been published as, H.E. Maude (compiler), *The Gilbert Islands Observed. A source book of European contacts with and observations of the Gilbert Islands and the Gilbertese*, Adelaide, Homa Press, 2006; 148pp. Seven volumes of typescript and Ms research notes and transcripts relating to the history of the Gilbert Islands, microfilmed in the following order: Gilbert Islands (general) 1870-1879 Gilbert Islands (general) 1880-1889 Gilbert Islands (general) 1890-1899 Gilbert Islands (general) undated Gilbert Islands (general) to 1849 Gilbert Islands (general) 1850-1859 Gilbert Islands (general) 1860-1869 The documents in each file are arranged in chronological order. The notes were taken from such sources as the Archives of the Western Pacific High Commission and various newspapers. Interleaved is some of Maude's original correspondence relating to the Gilbert Islands. Topics covered in the notes include missions, the labour trade, copra, customs, trading activities, health, education, historical events, murders, Ocean Island and visits of ships.

Conditions governing access: Available for reference

Existence and location of originals: Dr Alaric Maude, Parkdale, Adelaide, South Australia

Existence and location of copies: Access this title at PMB Member Libraries or by contacting the Bureau directly: <http://asiapacific.anu.edu.au/pambu/accessing.php>

AU PMB MS 1073

Title: Papers

Date(s): 1913 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 11 reels; 35 mm microfilm

Name of creator: Eastman, George Herbert

Scope and content:

Eastman and his wife Winifred (nee Grimwade, married 1914) ran the London Missionary Society Mission in Rarotonga from 1913 to 1918 and the LMS Gilbert Islands Mission from 1918 to 1947. The Gilbert Islands Mission, which was based at Rongorongo on the island of Beru included the Ellice Islands, Nauru, Ocean Island and the Phoenix Islands. Eastman, who was awarded an OBE in 1946, retired to Swanage, Dorset in 1949. For further information see Norman Goodall, *A History of the London Missionary Society, 1895-1945* (OUP, 1954) and John Garrett, *Ways across the ocean in*

Bernard Thorogood (ed.), *Gales of Change: responding to a shifting missionary context: the story of the London Missionary Society, 1945-77* (Geneva, 1994) pp.188-190. See also PMB 478 for Eastman's Rarotongan-English Dictionary, 1918. Reel 1: Personal correspondence, 1914-69. Reel 2: Cook Islands – news clippings, typescripts and pamphlets, 1914-18. Mss of Notes on Rarotongan Grammar, 1913. Personal notebook, 1918-46. Gilbert Islands Mission reports and newsletters, 1918-47. Reel 3: Gilbert Islands Mission financial and administrative papers, 1918-50 and papers on education, 1922-48. Reel 4: Sermons in English and Gilbertese: Old Testament, 1917-47, New Testament, 1918-22. Reel 5: Sermons - New Testament, 1923-44. Reel 6: Sermons - New Testament, 1945-47 (undated sermons at end of sequence) Reels 6-7: Research material on the history, culture and flora of the Gilbert Islands, including mss and typescript extracts and transcripts from other sources, printed and roneoed documents, notes, drafts and maps. Reel 7: 1922 mss transcript/revision of an English/Gilbertese vocabulary originally compiled by the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions. Reels 7-8: Mss working draft of an English Gilbertese vocabulary assembled by Eastman. Reel 8: 1948 typescript draft of Eastman's published English/Gilbertese vocabulary. 170 photographs taken in the Cook Islands and the Gilbert Islands. Reels 8-11: 48 books and pamphlets printed in Samoa and the Gilbert Islands, 1892-1978. 38 of these publications are in Gilbertese, three are in Rarotongan and the remainder are in English. A complete inventory of publications filmed is available. See Finding aids for details.

Conditions governing access: Available for reference

Existence and location of originals: Institution: George Knight Library, Pacific Theological College
Address: Private Bag, Suva Country: Fiji

Existence and location of copies: Access this title at PMB Member Libraries or by contacting the Bureau directly <https://asiapacific.anu.edu.au/pambu/accessing.php>

AU PMB MS 1084 – Item 231: Temaka, B. (1991). *The History of the Protestant Church in Banaba and Rabi*

Title: Bachelor of Divinity and Master of Theology theses

Date(s): 1968 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 33 reels; 35mm microfilm 290 Digital PDF

Name of creator: Pacific Theological College

Scope and content:

The Pacific Theological College in Suva, Fiji, is an ecumenical institution founded in 1966 to assist in providing the Pacific churches a highly trained indigenous ministry. The College established an international reputation for quality theological education, particularly in the three core areas of Biblical Studies, Theology and History of Christianity. In 1987 it began a Master of Theology programme in Pacific Church History. The thesis is an integral part of the PTC's Bachelor of Divinity and master of Theology programmes. Approximately 294 theses filmed in chronological order. Many

systematically apply detailed local knowledge to topics covering a broad range of cultural, social and political matters in the Pacific Islands. See reel list for further details

Conditions governing access: Available for reference

Existence and location of originals: Pacific Theological College Library, Suva

Existence and location of copies: Access this title at PMB Member Libraries or by contacting the Bureau directly: <http://asiapacific.anu.edu.au/pambu/accessing.php>

AU PMB MS 1136

Title: Documents relating to Dr Lampert

Date(s): 1933 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: Lampert, Ron, and Sigrah, Ken

Scope and content:

Phosphate mining began on Banaba (also known as Ocean island) before the First World War and continued until the British Phosphate Commissioners (originally established to exploit phosphate resources on Nauru and Banaba) left in 1980. The consequences of this mining have been devastating: only 150 acres of the original 1,550 acres of tropical vegetation on the island remain viable.

Ken Sigrah, a Banaban from Rabi is writing a history of Banaba. He has been taught Banaban culture, customs and genealogy from Clan Elders. Dr R. J. Lampert is an Archaeologist who excavated materials from Banaba in 1965. Ron Lampert's papers on his archaeological excavation at Teaka, Banaba, include a correspondence file, field notebook, scale drawings, plan of old Teaka village, photographs. There is a site map and summary of dig at Tabwewa, Banaba, by Mrs L J Thwaites and Mrs V Conrad, 1969, and a folder of post-War reports and notes on Ocean island and Nauru, including an account of the Japanese occupation of Ocean island.

Ken Sigrah's papers consist of various documents gathered for his history of Banaba, including material on the Banaban Settlement Scheme and the Banabans' legal conflict with the British Crown.

See reel list for further details

Conditions governing access: Available for reference.

Existence and location of originals: Mr Ken Sigrah, C/- **Banaban** Heritage Society, P.O. Box 536, Mudgeeraba, Queensland, 4213, Australia. Dr Lampert

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AU PMB MS 1152

Title: Personal papers, speeches, writings and records of Fiji sugar

Date(s): 1936 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 5 reels; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: Patel, Ambalal Dahyabhai

Scope and content:

A prominent Indo-Fijian lawyer and politician, A. D. Patel was born in Gujarat and educated at the Gujarat College in Ahmedabad. After a period at the London School of Economics, Patel graduated as a barrister in London and proceeded to Fiji in 1928 where he set up a legal practice in Suva. In the 1930s he moved to Ba and then Nadi, where he remained for the rest of his life. Patel was elected President of the Fiji Indian Congress and the Indian Association in 1930. He and his friend Swami Rudranandra were principal leaders of the growers in the 1943 sugar strike in Fiji. Patel was a member of the Fiji Legislative Council 1944-1950 and 1963-1969. He married Patricia Seymour in 1934 but the couple separated in 1934 and were divorced in 1943. In 1943 Patel married Leela Ben, the daughter of Professor B. N. Patel. (Reference: Brij V. Lal, *A Vision for Change: A D Patel and the Politics of Fiji*, 1997.) Papers held by Mrs Patel: general documents, mainly letters, some speeches and leaflets, 1936-1970; personal files as a member of Parliament; letters of condolence to his family on his death; two of his early notebooks; an album of photographs and letters compiled by his first wife, Patricia; case files compiled for his representation of Banabans at the United Nations, 1968-69; and working papers for the Fiji Parliamentary Committee on the Agricultural Landlord and Tenant Act, 1969. Papers held by Professor Lal: a complete set of A. D. Patel's speeches and writings, a file on the 1943 sugar strike in Fiji, compiled by Swami Rudrananda, and a set of the key Fiji sugar industry inquiry reports and awards, 1945-1970. See reel list for further details.

Conditions governing access: Restricted access. Researchers wishing to access these papers should write to Professor Brij V. Lal, CAP, Australian National University, Canberra ACT 0200, Australia.

Existence and location of originals: Papers held by Mrs A D Patel, Nadi, Fiji and by Professor Brij V. Lal, CAP, Australian National University, Canberra.

Existence and location of copies: Access this title at PMB Member Libraries or by contacting the Bureau directly: <http://asiapacific.anu.edu.au/pambu/accessing.php>

AU PMB MS 1157

Title: Collection of photographs and theatre, dance and sports programmes relating to Banaba (Ocean Island)

Date(s): 1909 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: Miller, Frank (1920-)

Scope and content:

Frank Miller was born on Banaba in 1920. His father, John Robert Miller, was employed as a carpenter, and later as a Foreman of Works, at Banaba from 1908 till 1939, with a break to serve with the First New Zealand Regiment during World War I. His mother, Beatrice Amy Miller, lived on Banaba from 1918 till 1939. His sister, Joy Miller (Mrs Talyor) was employed in the British Phosphate Commission office on Banaba. John Miller designed and built the Alexandra Theatre on Banaba where he and Beatrice Miller performed in many productions. He was also the first licensee for the film theatre at Nauru.

☐ Banaba / Ocean island theatre, dance and sports programmes and related memorabilia, 1908-1939

☐ "Banaba" photograph album holding photographs of Banabans, Europeans, the Miller family and British Phosphate Commission operations, 1909-1939.

See reel list for further details

Conditions governing access: Available for reference.

Existence and location of originals: Mr Frank Miller, Bribie Island, Queensland

Existence and location of copies: Access this title at PMB Member Libraries or by contacting the Bureau directly: <http://asiapacific.anu.edu.au/pambu/accessing.php>

AU PMB MS 1168

Title: Papers on Pacific Islands land matters

Date(s): 1919 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 10 reels, 35mm microfilm Digital PDF

Name of creator: Ward, Alan

Scope and content:

Alan Ward is Emeritus Professor of History at the University of Newcastle, NSW and contract historian for the Waitangi Tribunal, New Zealand. His Master's thesis was on the East Coast Maori Trust, in the Gisborne region of New Zealand's North Island where he was born and raised. During this research Ward became interested in customary Maori land tenure and its conversion to forms of title cognisable in the New Zealand courts and intended to facilitate land transfer and economic development. This interest led to subsequent research on land tenure in the Pacific islands, particularly in New Caledonia, Vanuatu and Papua New Guinea and to employment in land administration in the latter two countries. Emeritus Professor Ward is the author of a number of

books on land issues in PNG, New Caledonia and New Zealand, the most recent being *An Unsettled History: Treaty Claims in New Zealand Today* (Bridget Williams Books, Wellington, 1999). Almost half of this record group is concerned with PNG. These papers were gathered when Ward was Lecturer in History at the University of Papua New Guinea and adviser to the Land Evaluation and Demarcation Project Study (LEAD). The collection includes correspondence, notes, articles and papers, draft legislation and press cuttings. A small portion of these papers relate to politics and land matters in Australia, New Zealand, Solomon Islands, Africa, Marshall Islands, Kiribati, Vanuatu, Banaba, French Polynesia and Guadeloupe. The remainder of the documents are mainly concerned with New Caledonia between 1947 and 1990 and were assembled by Ward at La Trobe University, Melbourne, through the 1980s, particularly during the years of political uncertainty in the French Territory from 1984 to 1990. The complete, two hundred page calendar of microfilmed documents held in the Alan Ward papers is available. [[rtf format](#)], [[pdf format](#)] See reel list of file titles for a shorter summary.

Conditions governing access: Available for reference

Existence and location of originals: Records Room, Division of Pacific & Asian History (PAH), RSPAS, Coombs Bldg No. 9, Fellows Road, The ANU, Canberra, ACT 0200

Existence and location of copies: Access this title at PMB Member Libraries or by contacting the Bureau directly: <http://asiapacific.anu.edu.au/pambu/accessing.php>

AU PMB MS 1174

Title: J.T. Arundel & Company and Pacific Islands Company Limited, Australian Office correspondence files

Date(s): 1892 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 8 ; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: Arundel, Jt & Co

Scope and content:

John T Arundel, son of a LMS official, was born in England in 1841. His early work for a London firm with interests in guano, or phosphate, took him into the Pacific. By 1892 Arundel had formed his own company, J T Arundel & Co, which had acquired concessions over a number of islands in what is now Kiribati - Kanton, Enderbury, Gardner, Hull, Flint and Manra (Sydney) - to plant coconuts, make copra and mine phosphate. The Pacific Islands Company Limited (PIC) was formed in May 1897 and, in 1898, took over plantations and trade stores of Henderson & McFarlane Ltd in the mid-Pacific. Lord Stanmore, formerly Sir Arthur Gordon, the first Governor of Fiji and High Commissioner for the Western Pacific, was Chairman of the PIC. Arundel became its vice-chairman. PIC business interests stretched from Mexico to Fiji, with ready markets for copra and phosphate in New Zealand, Australia, the USA, Japan and the UK. In 1902 the PIC divested itself of all non-phosphate interests and merged with the Jaluit Gesellschaft of Hamburg, forming the Pacific Phosphate Company Limited (PPC). This new company was granted exclusive rights to mine phosphate on Banaba and Nauru. Phosphate

mining ushered in an era of ruthless colonial resource exploitation that effectively dispossessed the indigenous peoples of these islands who were paid minimum annual royalties while the company made millions of pounds in profit. This correspondence documents the early corporate history that eventually led to the environmental devastation of both islands, the diaspora of Banabans to Rabi in Fiji and elsewhere, and the near-bankruptcy of Nauru. Presscopy letter-books of outward letters from George C Ellis, A F Ellis, H E Denson and J T Arundel of the Australian Office of J T Arundel & Co and the Pacific Islands Co Ltd to business associates mainly in the UK, Australia, New Zealand and the Pacific. Some indexed by subject and/or addressee. All arranged chronologically. See also PMB 1175 & 1176, Pacific Islands Co Ltd & Pacific Phosphate Co Ltd, London and Australian Offices, and PMB 480-495,497-498, for diaries, correspondence and further papers of J T Arundel and A F Ellis. See reel list for further details.

Conditions governing access: Available for reference

Existence and location of originals: MP1174/1, Melbourne Office, National Archives of Australia, PO Box 8005, Burwood Heights Victoria 3151, Australia.

Existence and location of copies: Access this title at PMB Member Libraries or by contacting the Bureau directly: <http://asiapacific.anu.edu.au/pambu/accessing.php>

AU PMB MS 1175

Title: Correspondence files

Date(s): 1896 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 15 reels; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: Pacific Islands Co Ltd and Pacific Phosphate Co Ltd, London Office

Scope and content:

The London registered Pacific Islands Company Limited (PIC) was formed in 1897 following the restructuring of J T Arundel & Co, which had copra, phosphate and trading interests in the central Pacific. The first Chairman of the PIC was Lord Stanmore (Sir Arthur Gordon), with John Arundel (1841-1919) its vice-Chairman. In 1900 Albert Ellis (1869-1951), a company employee, travelled to Banaba (Ocean Island) and confirmed that the island contained huge deposits of phosphate. Ellis secured mining rights from island leaders while the PIC was granted an imperial mining license, completed by British annexation of Banaba. The company secured exclusive mining rights for 999 years in return for an annual payment of £50 to the Banaban people. Within a few years the company was making up to £125,000 per annum. This provoked a scandal, and the license was modified to provide for a trust fund and compensation for environmental damage; the later commitment was never fulfilled. So profitable was Banaban mining that the PIC sold all of its other non-phosphate interests in the Pacific. In 1902 it formed the Pacific Phosphate Company Limited (PPC) in collaboration with Jaluit Gessellschaft of Hamburg, giving it mining rights on German Nauru. Following World War I the PPC was replaced by the British Phosphate Commissioners (BPC) with

many of the company's former executives, including Ellis, rolling over their managerial positions to become the new commissioners. The BPC was not dissolved until 1981 by which time Ocean Island had been mined out and almost completely depopulated while Nauru, independent since 1968, had assumed direct responsibility for phosphate mining. The origins of many of these developments can be traced to the PIC and PPC whose correspondence is available here. Letters of J.T. Arundel, G.C. Ellis and A.H. Gaze, 1896-1901. Letters of J.T. Arundel to Pacific Islands Co Ltd, London, Letterbook Nos. 1-4, 1899-1908, and enclosures; Letters of Pacific Islands Co Ltd., Sydney, to Head Office, London, Letterbooks A-F, and enclosures, 1898-1904. See reel list for further details. See also PMB 1174 & 1176, 1205-1207, J.T. Arundel & Co, Pacific Islands Co Ltd & Pacific Phosphate Co, and PMB 480-495, 497-498, for diaries, corresp. & further papers of J.T. Arundel & A.F. Ellis.

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AU PMB MS 1176

Title: Correspondence files

Date(s): 1897 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: Reels 1-22; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: Pacific Islands Company Limited and Pacific Phosphate Company Limited, Australian Office

Scope and content:

See PMB 1174 and 1175 for administrative history of the Pacific Islands Co Ltd and the Pacific Phosphate Co Ltd. PIC/PPC, Sydney, letter books (letters-out), Gen. 1-12, Sep 1898-Jul 1906; J T Arundel (Sydney) letter books, Pvt. 1-4, Feb 1899-Mar 1905; Letter books, Islands 1-3, Sep 1898-Jun 1902; Letter books, JM & Co, Aug 1896-Mar 1903; Letter books, PI Co General 2 & 3, Oct 1900-Aug 1905; Letter books, PI Co Agency 1, Jun 1903-May 1905. Letter book, PP Co Insurance, Jul 1904-Jun 1906; PPC Sydney, Reports by J T Arundel, Nos.1-174, Mar 1903-Nov 1909; Letter book re purchase of Ralum property from E E Forsyth, 1900-1905; Letter book, Ocean Is. 1, Oct 1904-Jun 1906; Letter book/journal, Arthur C Bell, Supercargo, Emu, Jul-Sep 1900; Levers Pacific Plantations Ltd (inclu. Henderson & Macfarlane, Flint Island, etc.) reference file, 1897-1903; Copy Suwarrow Island diary, May-Jul 1902. See Finding aids for details. See also PMB 1174 & 1175, 1205-1207, J.T. Arundel & Co, Pacific Islands Co Ltd & Pacific Phosphate Co, and PMB 480-495, 497-498, for diaries, corresp. & further papers of J.T. Arundel & A.F. Ellis.

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AU PMB MS 1205

Title: Legal papers, agreements, reports, notes and press cuttings on Islands.

Date(s): 1840 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: Reels 1-5; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: Pacific Islands Company Ltd: Pacific Phosphate Company Ltd

Scope and content:

See PMB 1174 and 1175 for administrative history of the Pacific Islands Co Ltd and the Pacific Phosphate Co Ltd. PIC, Sydney, correspondence with London, 1897-1898; deeds, leases, accounts & other documents, 1877-1902; PIC articles of association, 1897 & 1902; notes on islands, 1840-1915; PIC prospectus, 1893-1896; Solomon Islands concession, 1903-04; Ocean Island Crown Lease, 1901; PIC agreement with Jaluit Gesellschaft, 1901; PIC Reports to Directors, 1899-1904; Copra Co Ltd estimates, 1893; PIC notice of purchase of Henderson & Macfarlane, 1989; Jaluit Gesellschaft Nauru concession, 1888; PIC press cuttings, 1886-99; PIC contracts, 1898-1902; Capt. Langdale, Account of Rob Roy expedition to the Solomon Islands, 1900. See Finding aids for details. See also PMB 1174-1176, 1206-1207, J.T. Arundel & Co, Pacific Islands Co Ltd & Pacific Phosphate Co, and PMB 480-495, 497-498, for diaries, corresp. & further papers of J.T. Arundel & A.F. Ellis.

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AU PMB MS 1206

Title: Ocean Island and Nauru correspondence

Date(s): 1900 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 26 reels; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: Pacific Islands Co Ltd & Pacific Phosphate Co Ltd, Sydney and Melbourne Offices

Scope and content:

See PMB 1174 and 1175 for administrative history of the Pacific Islands Co Ltd and the Pacific Phosphate Co Ltd. PIC Sydney/PPC Melbourne, Letters and enclosures to & from Ocean Island, Letterbooks Nos.1-18, 1900-1920; PPC Melbourne, general letters and accounts re Nauru to & from PPC London, Letterbooks Nos.1-7, 1906-1921, including correspondence with J.T. Arundel and A.F. Ellis; PPC Melbourne, General letters to & from Nauru, Letterbook Nos.5-16, 1911-1920. **See Finding aids for details.** See also PMB 1174-1176, 1205 & 1207, J.T. Arundel & Co, Pacific Islands Co Ltd & Pacific Phosphate Co, and PMB 480-495, 497-498, for diaries, corresp. & further papers of J.T. Arundel & A.F. Ellis.

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Existence and location of originals: National Archives of Australia, Melbourne Office

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AU PMB MS 1207

Title: London correspondence

Date(s): 1902 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 18 reels; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: Pacific Phosphate Co Ltd, Sydney and Melbourne Offices

Scope and content:

See PMB 1174 and 1175 for administrative history of the Pacific Islands Co Ltd and the Pacific Phosphate Co Ltd. PPC Sydney, Letters between J.T. Arundel and A.H. Gaze, 1902-1906; PPC Sydney & Melbourne, Correspondence-out to London, 1904-1909; PPC Sydney & Melbourne, Correspondence-in from London, 1904-1909; PPC Melbourne, Correspondence-in from London, 1909-1923. See also PMB 1174-1176, 1205-1206, J.T. Arundel & Co, Pacific Islands Co Ltd & Pacific Phosphate Co, and PMB 480-495, 497-498, for diaries, corresp. & further papers of J.T. Arundel & A.F. Ellis. See Finding aids for details.

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AU PMB MS 1227

Title: Papers

Date(s): 1803 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 2 reels; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: Arundel Family

Scope and content:

Sydney Dorothy Aris née Arundel (1884-1966) was born on Sydney Island in the Phoenix Group. The natives wished to call her Sydney because she was the first white child born on their Island. J.T. Arundel brought his child into the world, with the help of Mrs Surman and JTA's relative, G.C. Ellis. On the day of the christening of Sydney and Lillian, her sister, by the native pastor on Sydney Island the natives became so excited that they upset the little trolley car on which the babies and their mother, Eleanor Whibley ("Lillie") were being taken to the chapel. Though it was not known at the time Lillie Arundel must have been injured. As there was no means of communication with the outside world and there was need to report to HQ in London, the family left Sydney Island on the small yacht Explorer and waylaid a liner (off Samoa) on her way from New Zealand, Honolulu and then on to San Francisco. With the family was the devoted Monga, a young chief of Niue Island (Savage Island) who from his youth had insisted on following John Arundel ("Aneru" to all natives) and who now became the attendant on both babies. He had arrived with all his possessions knotted up in a red handkerchief, refusing to budge until accepted. At San Francisco Lillie Arundel and the children were left at Monterey while JTA and Monga returned to the Islands. Lillie Arundel realised that she was losing the use of her right arm but said nothing. Later on the family, including Monga, were reunited and came on to England, where they lived with Lillie Arundel's father, stepmother and family. Although Lillie Arundel was obviously ill, doctors did not understand the trouble and urged her to have another child. Twin sons were born but only lived a short time. Lillie died soon after. Monga took charge of the Arundel babies and if offended and would go off in a huff with them for many hours. JTA and Monga left soon afterwards for the Pacific, "leaving the small girls in the wonderful care of their grandparents and aunts". I do now understand why grandmother kept those letters and did not include them in the deposit in Canberra! There is a packet of 5 photos, four of Monga (in various dress, mostly as a Gentleman's Jeeves) and one of his sweetheart, Kate the English nursemaid he fell in love and proposed to many times, and with whom he wished to return to his island "where if any man speak to you I shoot him quick". After the death of JTA's wife in 1886-7, Monga returned to the islands with JTA. The rest of his story is told in the packet of letters microfilmed. Some are in Tahitian and most are dated in the 1880s. It is a wonderful story. Notes condensed from commentary by Anthony Aris, son of Sydney Aris. Family papers held by Sydney Dorothy Aris, daughter of J.T. Arundel. The records consist of: - papers of Rev. John Arundel, Home Secretary of the London Missionary Society, 1820-1846; - papers of J.T. Arundel, his wife, Lillie, his daughters, Sydney and Lillian; his Niuean servant, Mounaga; and his Tahitian-French protégé, Denis Drollet (Davide Dorlini). In particular, the papers include: - Irene Fletcher's biographical notes on Arundel; - letters of Lillie Arundel to her family, 1882-85; - letters of J.T. Arundel to his daughters, 1887-1901; - photographs of a painting of the ship 'Explorer', photographs of J.T.A., William, Sydney, Lillian and Lillie Arundel and nurse Surman; - correspondence, papers and photographs of Monga of Niue Island, including his letters to JTA in Polynesian, 1886-1900; - documents relating to the death of Squire Flockton on Jarvis Island in 1883; - Lillian Arundel's, "Six Months on a South Sea Island" (illustrated); - photographs of Nauru, Ocean Island, Jarvis Island; 1905; and - the Diary of A.F. Ellis,

Ocean Island, May 1900." See Finding aids for details. See also: PMB 14 H.I.N. Moouga: Diary, in Tahitian, Mangarevan and English, kept on Flint Island, Eastern Pacific, Apr 1889-Jan 1891. PMB 480-495 John T. Arundel: diaries, correspondence, miscellaneous papers on the phosphate industry, 1870-1919. PMB 1174 J.T. Arundel & Company and Pacific Islands Company Limited, Australian Office Correspondence files, 1892-1904.

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Existence and location of originals: Mr Anthony Aris, London.

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AU PMB MS 1261

Title: Letters from Ocean Island (Banaba) and the Gilbert Islands (Kiribati)

Date(s): 1934 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: Cyril G. F. Cartwright (d. c.1943)

Scope and content:

Cyril Cartwright took an appointment with the British Colonial Service in the Gilbert and Ellice Islands Colony (GEIC) in 1934. In June 1934 Mr Cartwright toured the Central Gilbert Islands and in July he was appointed acting District Agent in the Southern Gilbert Islands, based at Beru. He returned to Ocean Island in June 1935 where he eventually became Government Secretary. Mr Cartwright remained on the Island, with four other Europeans, after most of the GEIC and Phosphate Commission staff and some of the Chinese and Gilbertese labourers were evacuated in early March 1942. Mr Cartwright died during the Japanese occupation, probably in 1943. (See A. Ellis, *Mid-Pacific Outposts*, 1946; p.22 & p.148.) Mr Cartwright's letters track his voyage from England to Sydney on the MV Moulton, January-February 1934; and from Melbourne to Ocean Island in March 1934 on board the MV Triona. They go on to describe many aspects of life on Ocean Island, which was the Colony headquarters at the time, Tarawa, and the Southern Gilbert Islands. The letters are mainly addressed to Mr Cartwright's mother. A few are original letters, but most are transcript copies typed from the originals by Mr Cartwright's cousin, Maud, for circulation among his family. (See letter dated 12 Feb 1936.) The letters include detailed descriptions Ocean, Tarawa, Maiana, Nikunan, Onotoa, Arorae, Tamana, Beru and Tabiteuea Islands, and of transport (including, government ships, boats, surf-boats, canoes and railway vehicles), accommodation of all types (with sketches), communications, food and other provisions, native and colonial governments in the GEIC, Gilbertese dances (including the 'Barei' dance performed on Beru), and Mr Cartwright's daily round on Ocean Island. There are also comments on rivalry between Protestant and Catholic missions, an account of transfer of 50 lepers from Gilberts to Makogai leper settlement in Fiji, and descriptions of BPC recruiting practices in the Gilbert Islands. Mr Cartwright's letters include accounts of his associations

with Gilbertese, Ellice Islander, Nauruan, Ocean Islander and Chinese workers, as well as with traders, missionaries and European officers of the Colonial Service and the British Phosphate Commission. Among others, the letters refer to James Burns (Burns Philp & Co), Mr Barley (GEIC Resident Commissioner) and his wife, Mr Leembruggen (Government Secretary), Major Swinburne (Senior District Officer), Mr Clarke (Treasurer) and Mrs Clarke, Mr Bentley (Accountant) and Mrs Bentley, Mr Methuen (Police Officer) and Mrs Methuen, Mr English (Clerk of the Treasury), Kumkee (On Chong's Butaritari manager), Captain Heyen (Australian master on the On Chong's ship, the Macquarie), Narruhn (Burns Philp manager at Butaritari), Mr Kansaki (manager of Nanyo Boyeki Kaisha at Butaritari), Fr Guichard (Roman Catholic Priest at Butaritari), Mr Murdoch at Kuria, Harry and Honor Maude at Beru, Noa (Native Magistrate, Tabiteuea), Timau (Chief Kambure, Tabiteuea), Bishop Kempthorne, Mr Barrack (Auditor), Captain Forbes (temporary master of Govt ship Nimanoa), the Eastmans (missionaries at Beru), Sir Arthur Richards (High Commissioner); and Mr Cartwright's Islander servants and assistants, Temate and Kilifi (the latter an Ellice Islander), Iebeta and Barao (house boys), Kaburara (Interpreter), Teariki (Police orderly). See Finding aids for details.

Conditions governing access: Available for reference.

Existence and location of originals: Mr Anthony Aris, Westbourne Gardens, London.

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AU PMB MS 1268

Title: Transcript of proceedings

Date(s): 1987 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: Reels 1-5; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: Commission of Inquiry into the Rehabilitation of the Worked-Out Phosphate Lands in Nauru

Scope and content:

Nauru's environment has been devastated by 100 years of phosphate mining. Mining of Nauru's phosphate deposits began in earnest after the First World War under a joint Australian-New Zealand-British venture, the British Phosphate Commission. This mining was carried out with no regard for future rehabilitation and on terms that deprived the Nauruan people of reasonable returns for the sale of its phosphate in world markets. In 1987-1988 the government of Nauru held a Commission of Inquiry into the rehabilitation of its worked-out phosphate lands. In 1988 the Commission published a 10 volume report which concluded that the island's former administrators - Australia, New Zealand and the United Kingdom - were responsible for the rehabilitation of worked out areas of the island mined during the period of the Mandate and Trust. After several unsuccessful requests to the Australian government for financial assistance, Nauru took the findings of its Commission of Inquiry to the International Court of Justice which admitted a case against Australia. The case aroused much

interest and controversy with Nauru receiving vocal support from world-wide environmental groups. A Compact of Settlement was reached in 1993 before the substantive hearing took place in the International Court in which Australia agreed to pay the Republic of Nauru a cash payment of AU\$57 million and AU\$2.5 million annually for 20 years. This money was to be used on development projects. New Zealand and the United Kingdom each agreed to contribute AU\$12 million ex gratia towards the Australian out-of-court settlement Transcript of proceedings, as follows: Open Sitings, Days 1-33, 35-36, 39-52, pp.1-4191, 23 Feb 1987-30 Jan 1988. Closed Sitings, Days 25, 30, 33, 34, 37 & 38, pp.1-591, 23 Nov-11 Dec 1987. See Finding aids for details.

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AU PMB MS 1289

Title: Archives

Date(s): 1886 (Creation)

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 19 reels; 35mm microfilm

Name of creator: Catholic Diocese of Tarawa and Nauru

Scope and content:

Gilbertese catechists trained in Tahiti and established Catholicism on Nonouti in the early 1880s. In 1886 the Gilbert Islands were allocated to the Missionaries of the Sacred Heart (MSC) Vicariate of Melanesia and Micronesia, which also covered Papua and New Britain. The first MSCs (Fr Bontemps, Fr Joseph Leray and Br Conrad Weber) arrived in Nonouti in 1888, and succeeded in establishing the Catholic mission in a number of the Gilbert Islands in some cases against Protestant opposition. In 1897 a Vicariate Apostolic of the Gilbert Islands was established, comprised of the Gilberts, the Ellice Islands, Nauru and Ocean Island. In 1903 the Catholic headquarters moved from Nonouti to Butaritari. The Vicars Apostolic were: 1890-1897 - Mgr. Couppé MSC, (Vicar Apostolic of New Britain) 1898-1927 - Mgr Joseph Leray, MSC 1927-1933 - Mgr. Joseph Bach, MSC 1938-1961 - Mgr Octave Terrienne, MSC 1961-1966 - Mgr Pierre Guichet MSC 1966 Diocese of Tarawa and Nauru was established. 1966-1979 - Mgr Guichet continued as Bishop of the Diocese 1979-to the present - Bishop Paul Mea MSC The records are held in the Bishop's House, Teaoaraereke, Tarawa (2007). The papers were identified by Sister Margaret Sullivan FNDSC and the Bishop's assistant, Beitaake. They are arranged under the following categories, roughly following the system which Fr Amerigo Cools used for his arrangement and description of the archives of the Archdiocese of Papeete and the Dioceses of Rarotonga and Taihoe (Marquesas). A. Church Authorities B. Diocese of Tarawa and Nauru C. Diocesan Personnel D. Congregations E. Education F. Sacraments G. Apostolate / Social

Communications H. Relations - Civil Authorities J. Relations with other Religious Bodies K. Donations (Mission Aid Societies; Overseas Aid) L. Church Property. Lands, Ships, Seaplane, etc. N. Finances MS Manuscripts PM Printed Material See Finding aids for details.

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AU PMB MS 1418

Title: Archives and transcripts from people in Nauru and Ocean Island relating to WWII

Level of description: Collection

Extent and medium: 4 manuscripts in digital format.

Name of creator: Woolard, Tom

Scope and content:

Four manuscripts relating to World War II in Nauru and Ocean Island.

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Existence and location of originals: Institution: Dr. Tom Woolard Address: Hamilton South, N.S.W.
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