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GEORGE WASHINGTON WALKER (1800 - 1859)

CORRESPONDENCE

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Joseph Anderson, Norfolk Island 1835, 1836

Wife's health, saving of passengers and crew of shipwreck, would when time attend to G.W.W.'s kind hints and recommendations, description of settlement..

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James Bonwick, Victoria 1847, 1849 - 1858

General, spiritual, land from Henry Bilton, state of his accounts, Adelaide (1850), school, Victoria: gold digging and effect on school (March 1852), Gold Digger's Magazine, debts, Boroondar Boarding School (1855), book on the Black War of V.D.L. (1856, W7/24)
(24 docs)

27-29

James Boyd 1846, 1855

Maria Island (Aug. Oct. 1846), Port Arthur (Aug. 1855)

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Alexander Cairnduff, Maria Island 5 Dec. 1846

The operation of the probation system

31-37

Robert Clark, Flinders Island Dec. 1845 - Apr. 1846

Catechist Flinders Island: aborigines, making rapid advances out of their primeval ignorance, found they used to have a rest day similar to Lord's Day - no hunting, working or play (33), natives petitioned Queen against Dr Jeaneret being over them (1846 W7/34), Aboriginal Bible Society (W7/36), Dr. Milligan (7 docs.)

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Andrew Clarke, Colonial Secretary's Office July 1850

Lt.-Governor unable to assist the "Society".

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Richard Collins, Manchester UK 5 June 1845

Capt. Maconochie's help for a Norfolk Island prisoner George Worthington.

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William Comstive 20 Aug. 1842

Lately a prisoner on Norfolk Island - his pardon and spiritual matters.

(Added 24/10/01 transcript of letter + additional info. from Peter Thomas)

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Edward Curr, St. Helier, Melbourne 2 Feb. 1844

Sale of Curr's land in Bathurst Street, Hobart, to Walker.

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Richard Dry ND

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Henry Forbes, York UK 2 July 1828

Temperance movement.

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G.W. Walker to J.S. Hampton and Sir W. T. Denison 1846, 1849

To J. S. Hampton, surgeon on ship "Sir George Seymour": draft of letter concerning Pentonville prisoners on board (Jan. 1846); copy of memorial to Lt.-Governor: prisoner, Augustus Dalmas and his daughter Caroline, now Mrs Adams (1849).

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46,47 Henry Jeaneret, Flinders Island 1847, 1848
Flinders Island: people quiet and happy now "the arch tempter is away" (1847);
unable to pay account, problems (1848).
(2 docs.)
- 48 John Mercer, Asylum, New Norfolk, 1846
George Brown's discharge
- 49-50 Joseph, Milligan 1844, 1846
Flinders Island : Aborigines, Botanical Society.
(2 docs.)
- 51 John Saunders 22 June 1842
Charles Curtis, a prisoner.
- 52 Dennis Shea 18 Aug. 1842
Lately a prisoner on Norfolk Island
- 53-60 Rev. Lancelot Threlkeld, missionary to aborigines 1836-1838, 1846
Letter to London Missionary Society and reports of the Mission to the
Aborigines at Lake Macquarie, NSW. 1837-8 endorsed with letters to G.W.W.;
papers relating to the Australian United Christian Conference including translation of
letter of Queen Pomare of Tahiti 22. Sept. 1846.
(8 docs.)

MISCELLANEOUS NOTES

- 61 Walker's notes on the male convict population ND
- 62 "Confessions of a drunkard" ms. June 1844
- 63 Press Cuttings c 1847, 1855
Mercantile assistants thank G.W.W. and Basil Rout for inducing business
houses to close at 7 pm (1847); total abstinence (c Feb. 1855)