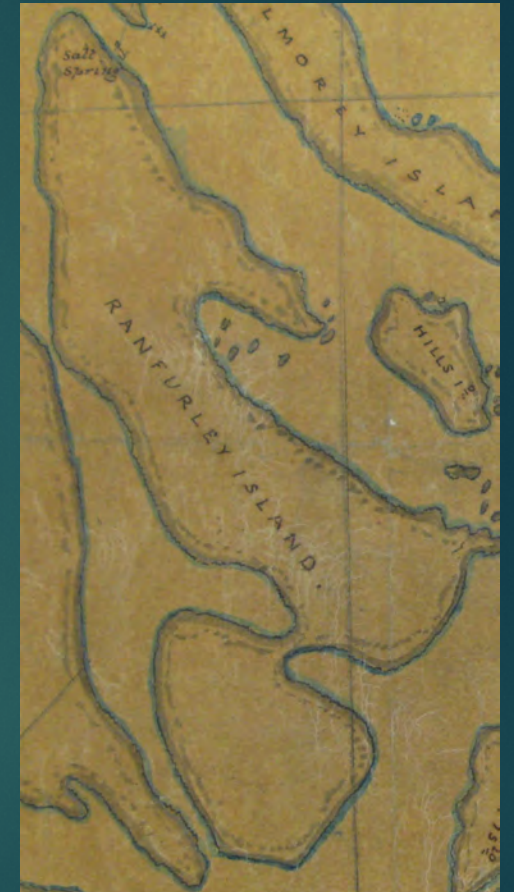
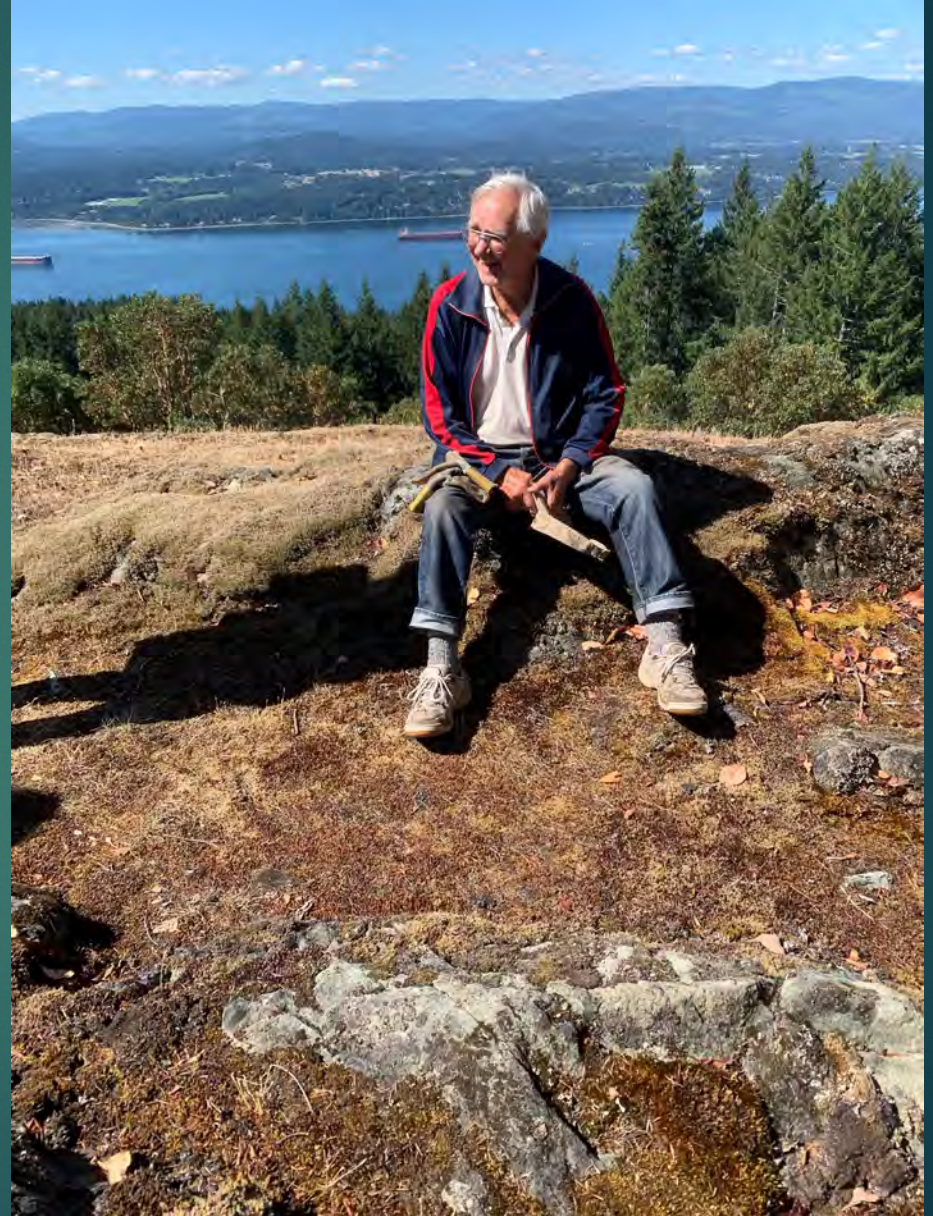


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- ▶ George Laundry on the former family homestead
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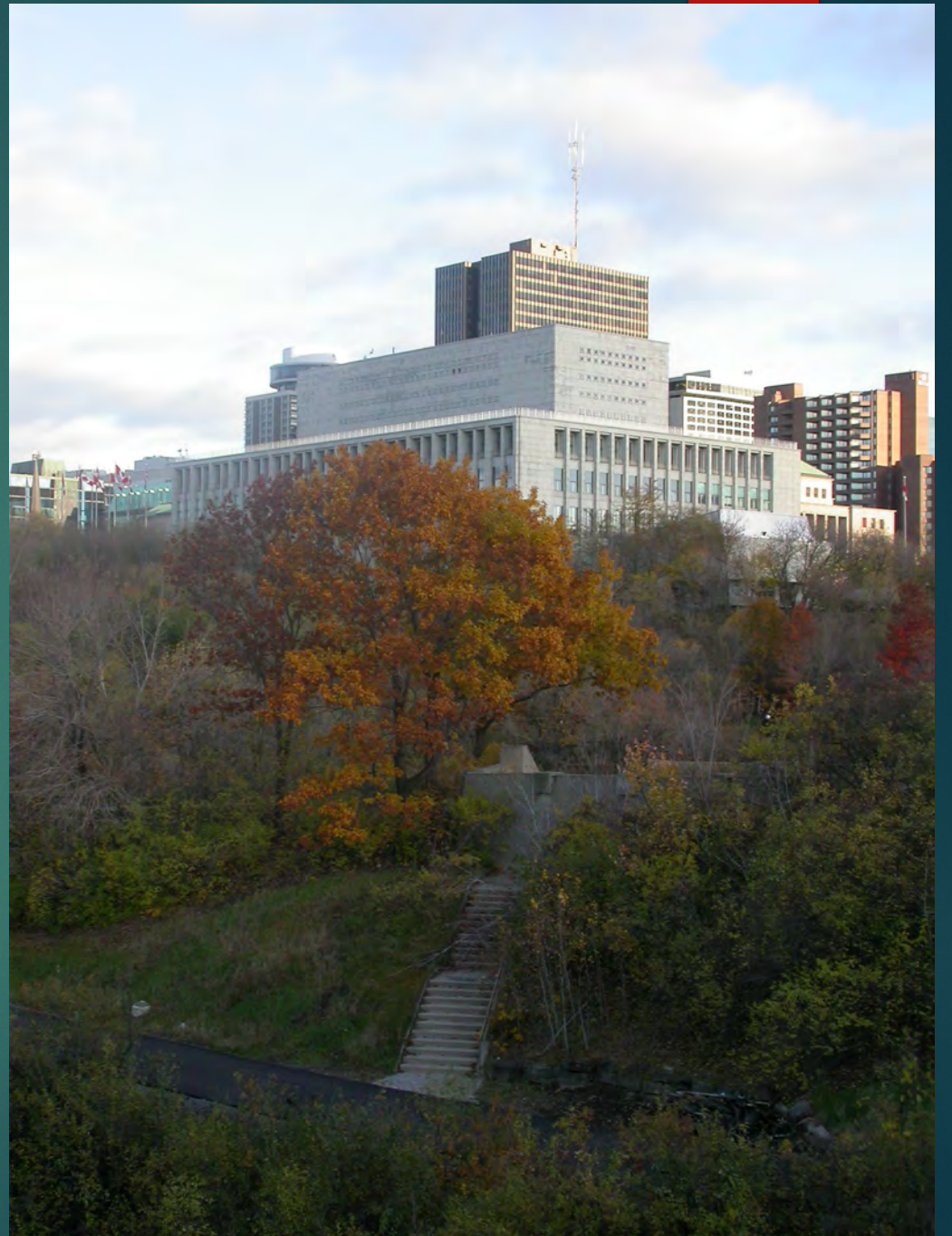




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► Michael Layland at the Land Title And Survey Authority

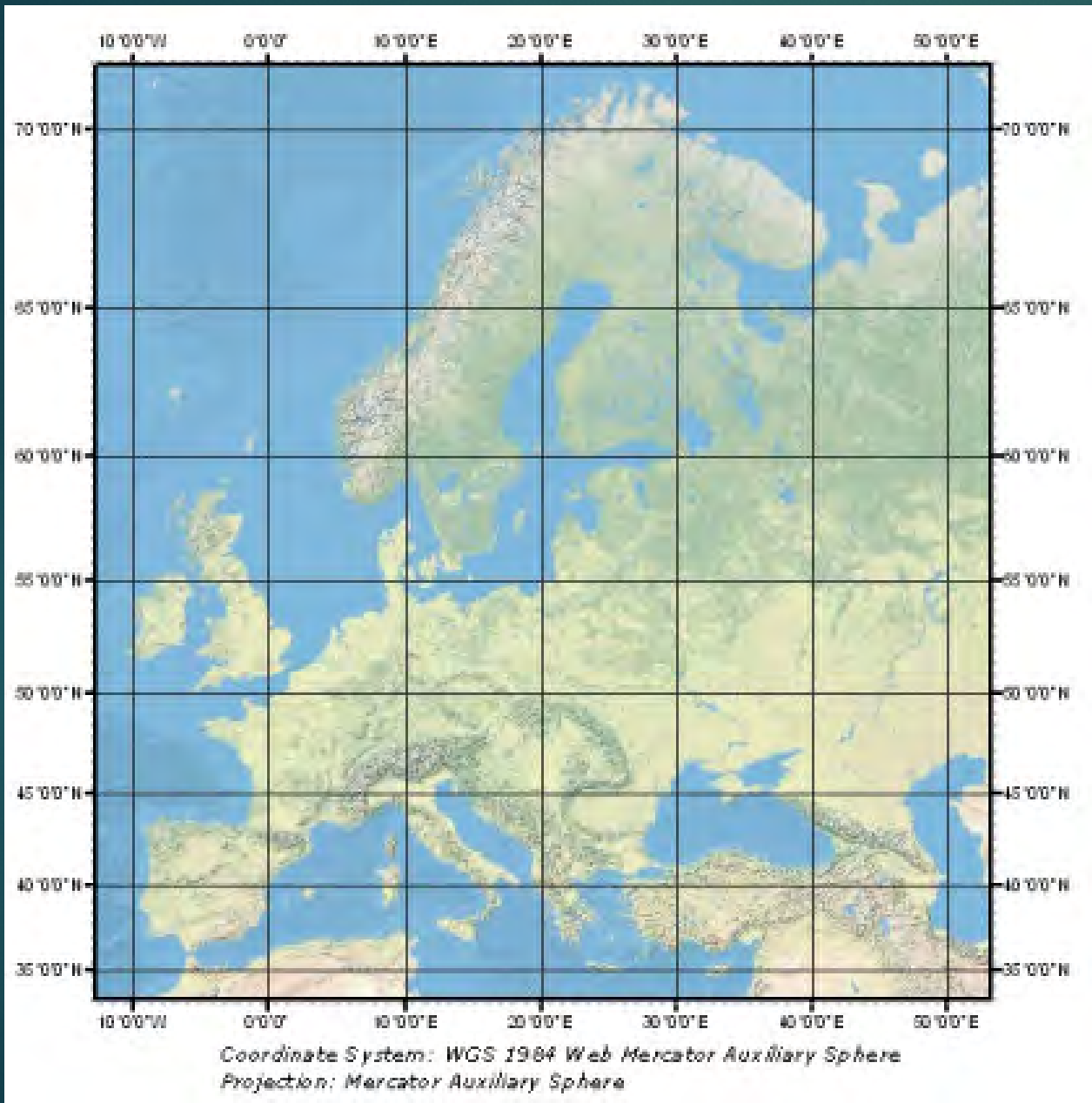


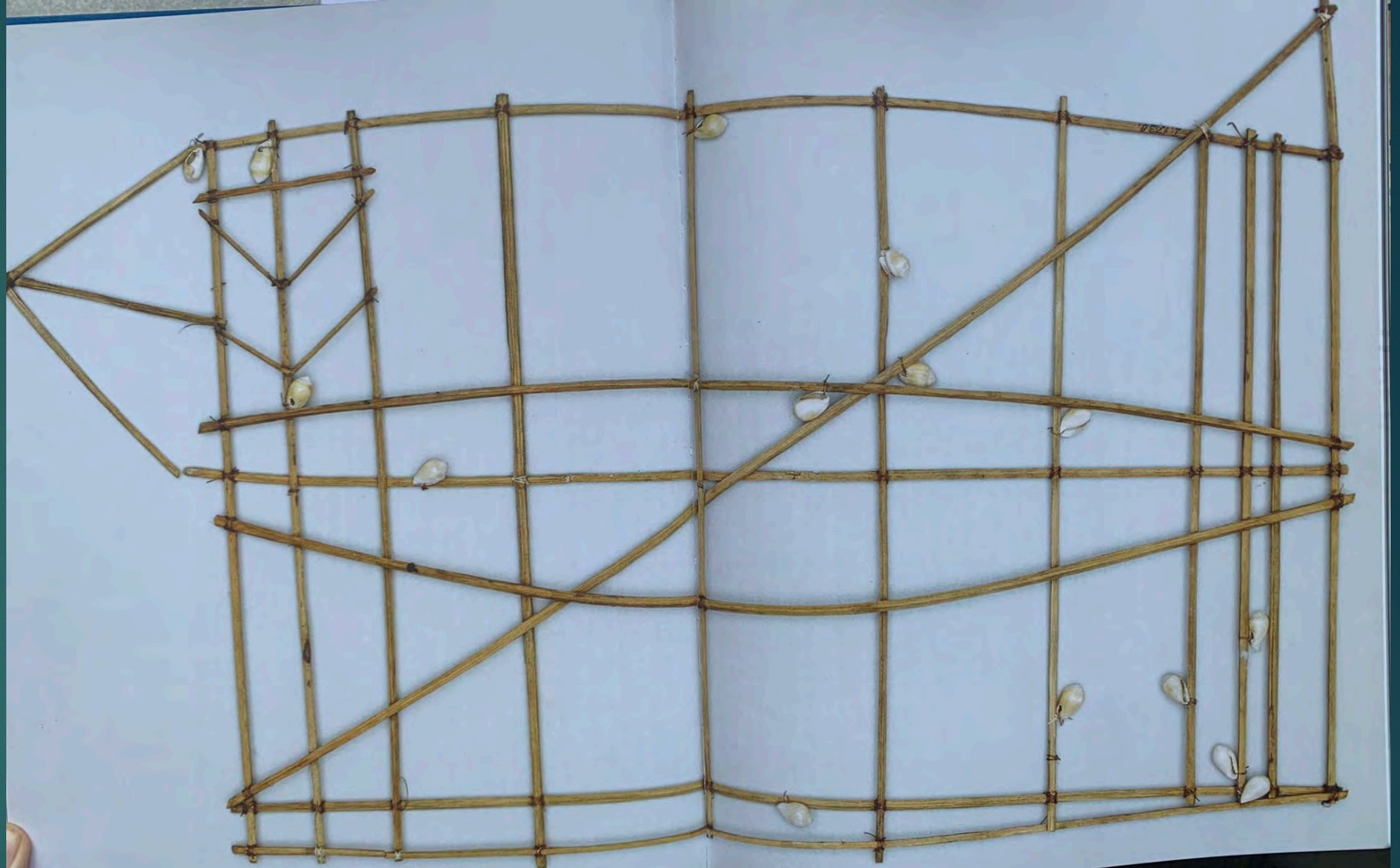
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George Vancouver (attributed)



James Cook





Maritime navigation chart Marshall Islands, 18th Century

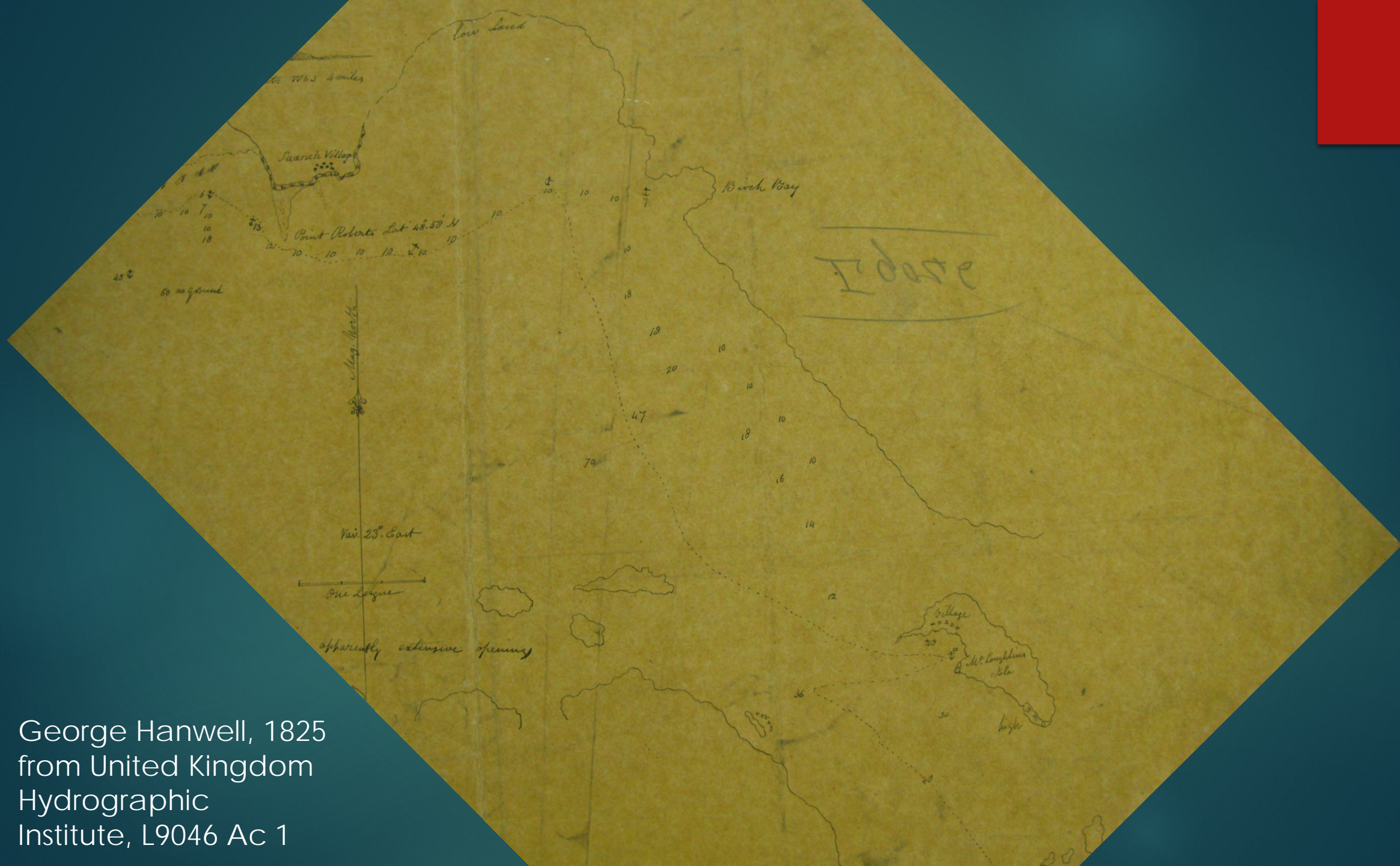


► Detail of Costa Nor America by Galiano and Valdes, (1792) pub 1795.



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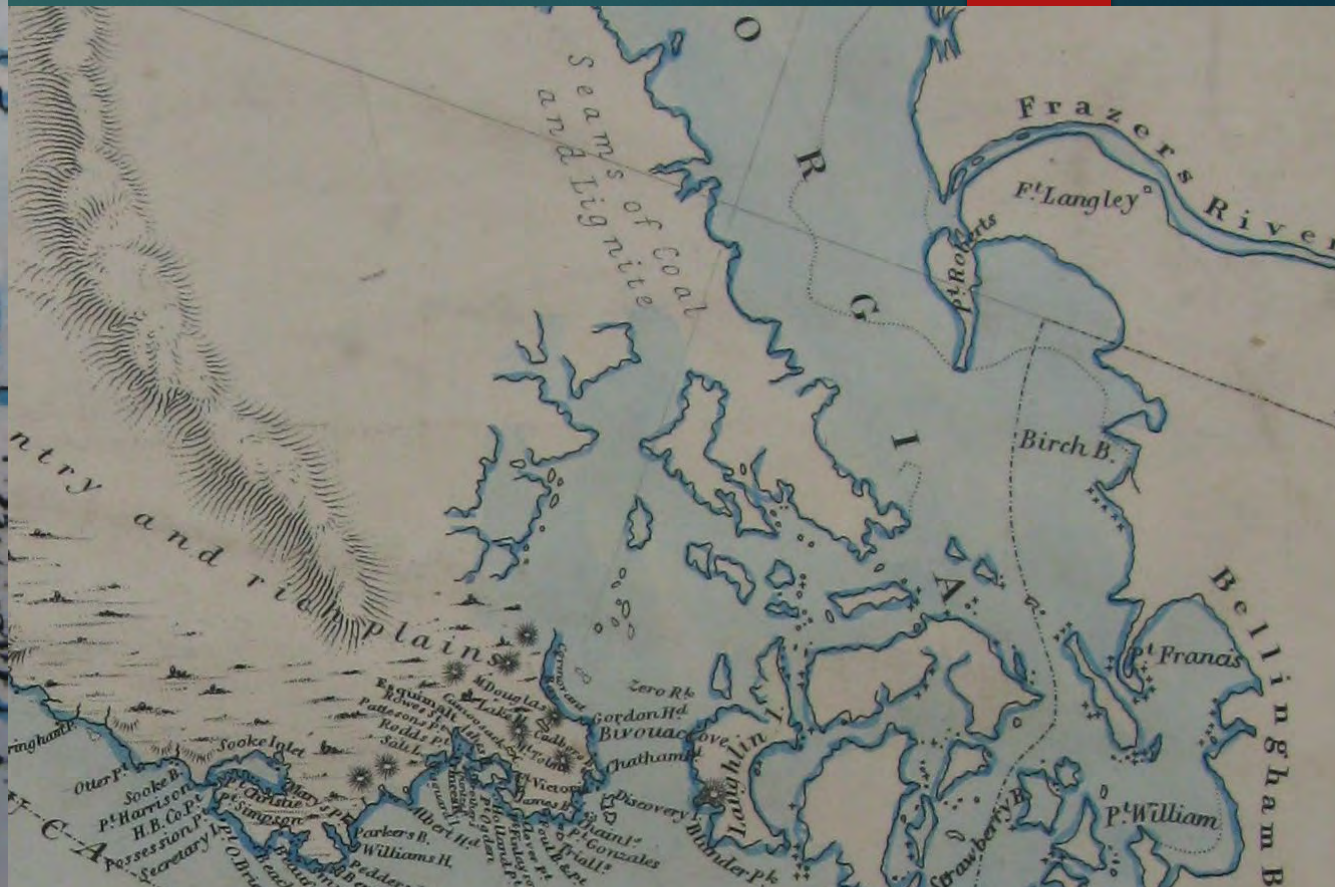
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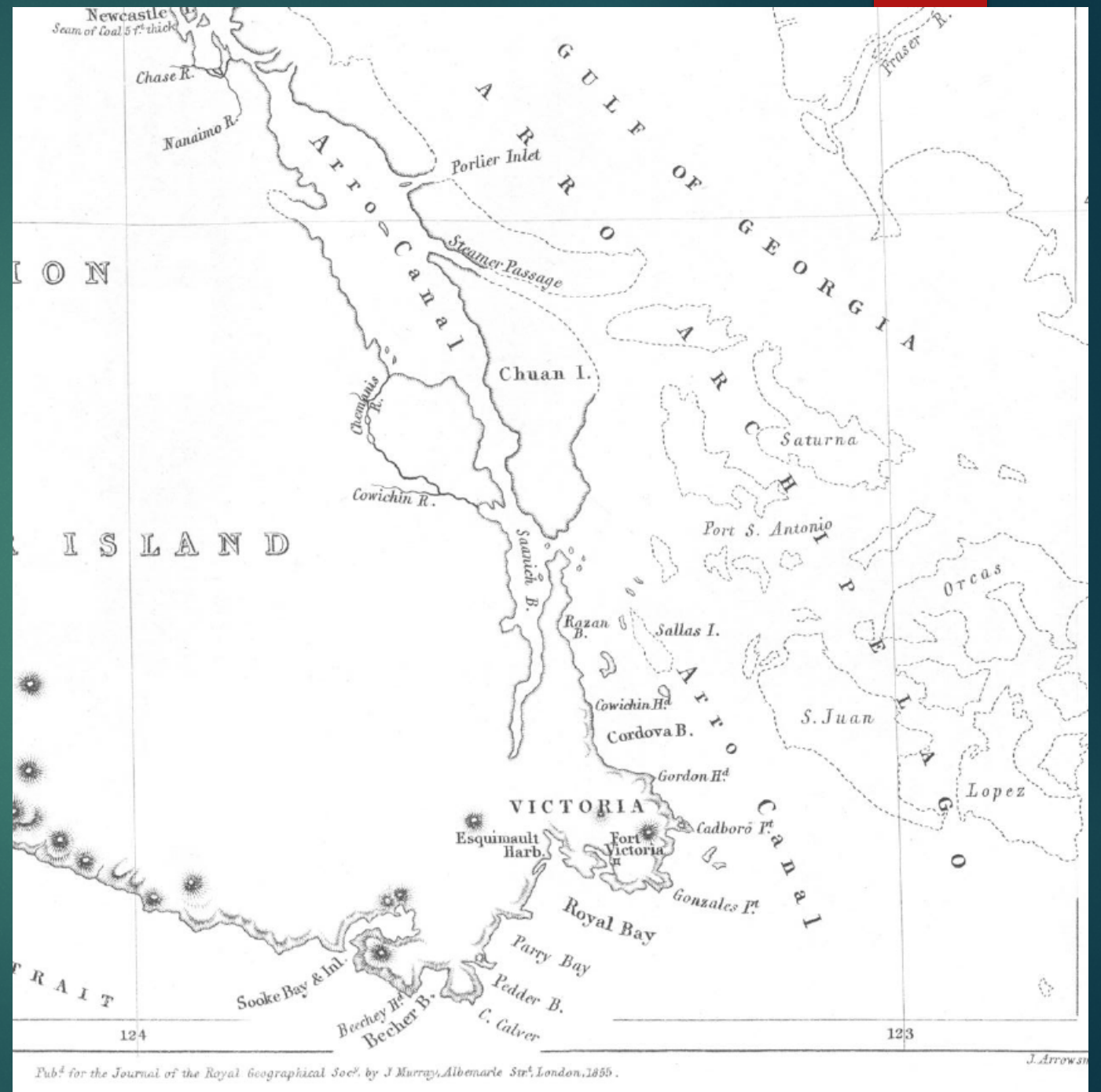




► Details from Wyld 1848

► Douglas and Pemberton, August 1852

► (Published in the Journal of the Royal Geographical Society 1854)



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- ▶ combining Wyld 1848 and Douglas 1852

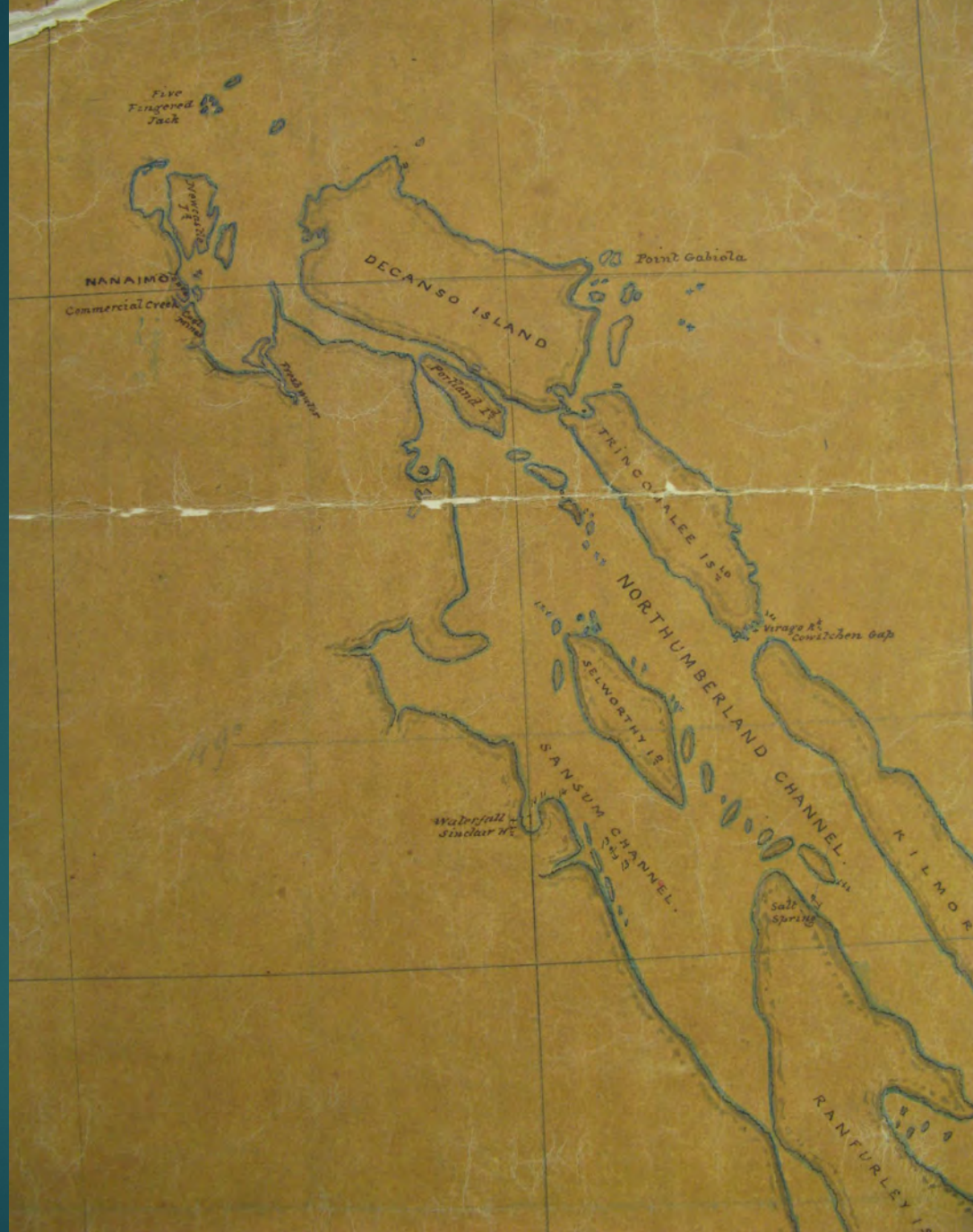




Joseph Pemberton 1852 (Hudson's Bay Company Archives, G1 258o)



Detail from Stuart, Sketch of the East Coast VI, 1854



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SHEET 19
VANCOUVER ISLAND
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PART OF VANCOUVER ISLAND
EAST COAST
WITH
INNER CHANNELS
By the officers of
H. M. S. PLUMPER
1858
Natural Scale
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G.R. Richards, Manuscript,
1858, UK Hydrographic Office
D4061, D4732 Press 7a

► Fernwood
Detail of
Richards
Mss, 1858



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Harbour Detail of
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HARO AND ROSARIO STRAITS

SURVEYED BY CAPT^Y G. H. RICHARDS, & THE OFFICERS OF H.M.S. PLUMPER

1858-9

The shores of Juan de Fuca Strait to Admiralty Inlet from Capt^Y H. Kellett's Survey, 1847

H.W.F. & C. Victoria Spring tides rise 7 to 10 feet

D^o Frazer River D^o 12

— Flood. — Ebb. kn. knots. Kelp. D. Doubtful.

f. fine, d. dark, g. gravel, m. mud, r. rock, s. sand, sh. shells, st. stones, wd. weed.

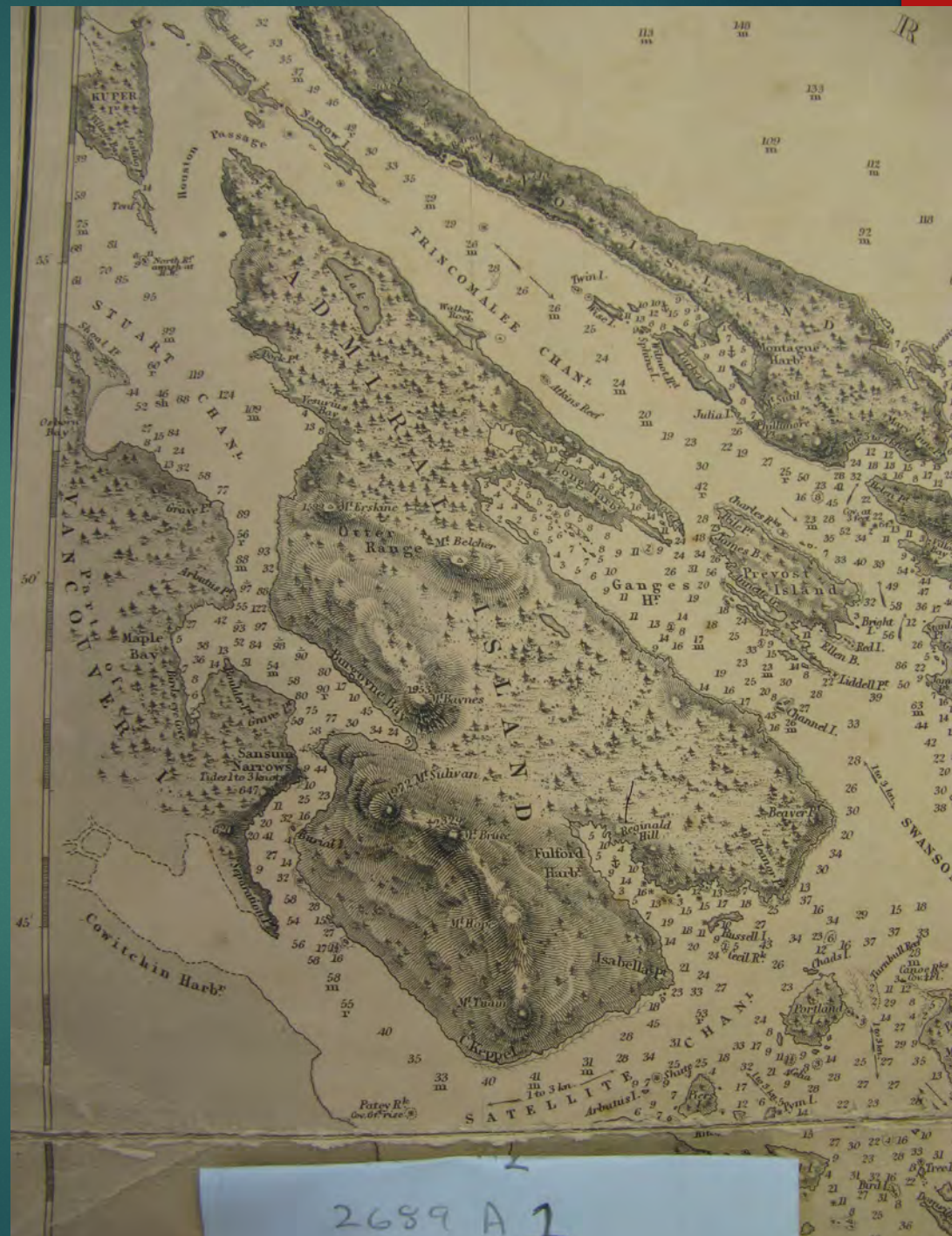
Figures on the land show the heights in feet above mean Sea Level.

Variation in 1859

SOUNDINGS IN FATHOMS

Natural Scale 1:500

The coast in thin lines from the American Surveys of 1841.



G.R. Richards published chart 1859,
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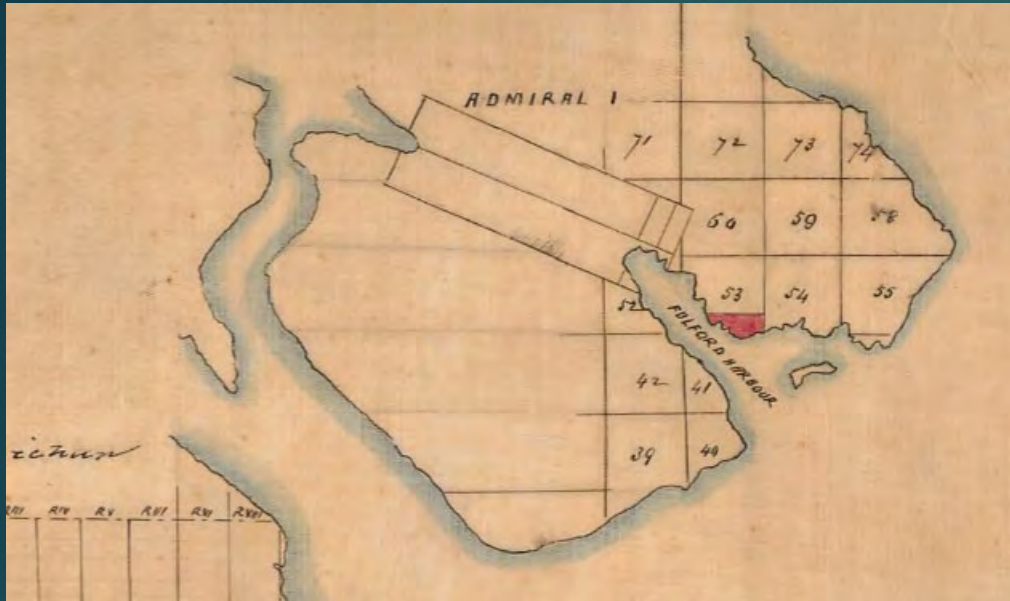
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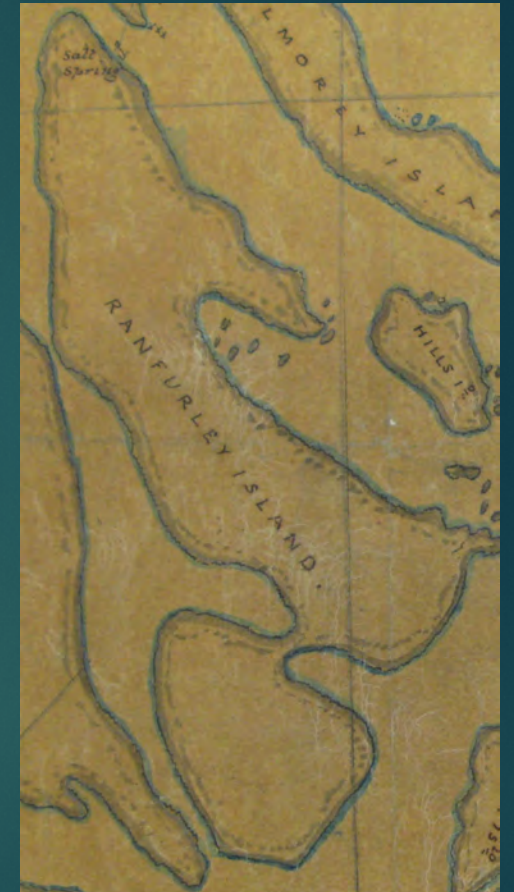


Signed by G.M. Sproat, Indian Reserve Commissioner, 3
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