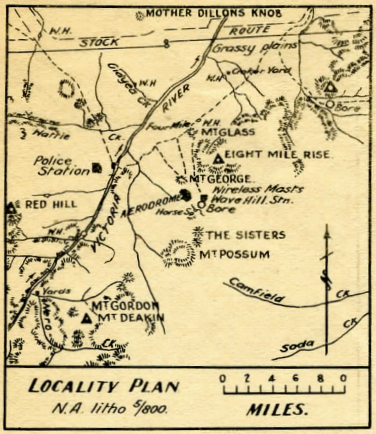
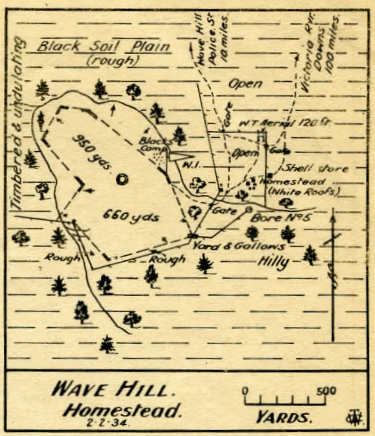
CIVIL AVIATION BRANCH DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE AUSTRALIA.

NOTICE TO AIRMEN NO. 11/1934.

(HOMESTEAD) WAVE HILL, N.T.





CLASS OF GROUND: Aerodrome suitable for use by all types of landplanes.

PROPRIETORS: Commonwealth of Australia (Controller of Civil Aviation, Melbourne).

POSITION: Immediately West of Homestead buildings. Lat. 17° 30' S., Long. 130° 57' E.

DISTINCTIVE FEATURES: Creek on three sides. Homestead buildings, with some white roofs. W/T aerial 120 feet high North of Homestead.

MARKINGS: White circle and Wind Indicator.

DESCRIPTION: Irregular in shape with the sides gradually falling North, West and South to the Creek. Black soil and numerous small stones with filled in soft patches. Would probably be heavy after rain.

DIMENSIONS: N.-S. 660 yards; E.-W. 660 yards; N.W.-S.E. 950 yards.

HEIGHT ABOVE SEA LEVEL: 700 ft. approx.

MAGNETIC VARIATION: 3½° E. approx.

APPROACHES: North and East, open; South and West, scattered trees.

SURROUNDING COUNTRY: Black soil and stony plains.

PETROL AND OIL: Wave Hill, "Shell" Depot.

WATER SUPPLY: Homestead, adjacent.

WORKSHOPS: Garage, adjacent.

HANGAR ACCOMMODATION: Nil.

NEAREST TELEGRAPH: W/T at Homestead.

NEAREST TOWN: Katherine, 300 miles N.N.E.

NEAREST RAILWAY STATION: Katherine.

REMARKS: When approaching, W/T aerial masts 120 feet high and about ½ mile North-East of aerodrome, should be looked for.

RELATIVE STRIP MAP: No. 1.

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