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AUSTRALIA AND OCEANIA

AUSTRALIA: → Continent & Country
 Capital: Canberra ⊆ New South Wales.

- It is the only continent which is also a country
 - It lies between the Indian and the Pacific oceans
- It is surrounded by
- ✓ Timor Sea in the North-West
 - ✓ Gulf of Carpentaria in the North,
 - ✓ Great barrier reef in the north-east &
 - ✓ Great Australian bight in the south
 - ✓ To the south east of the mainland lies the island of Tasmania ⊆ Australia.

Major states
 It has 6 states and 2 centrally administered territories.
 Its 6 states are: (see map attached)

- Western Australia
- Queensland
- South Australia
- New South Wales
- Victoria
- Tasmania

Australia Physical
 Major physiographic divisions of Australia are:

- Great Dividing range = Eastern Highlands
- Central Lowlands
- Western Plains

Great Dividing Range:

- An example of Block-fault Mountains. Also known as the Eastern highlands
- It extends from Cape York peninsula to Victoria and continues beyond Bass Strait into Tasmania

Central Lowlands:

- Situated along western flanks of the Great Dividing Range from the Gulf of Carpentaria in the North to the Great Australian Bight in the South
- Lake Eyre surface is the lowest in the region
- It contains two major basins:
 - Artesian basin
 - Murray Darling basin

Western Plateau Region:

- Belongs to Pre-Cambrian era
- Rich in mineral resources
- Great Sandy, Gibson, Great Victoria deserts are part of this plateau

WESTERN AUSTRALIAN:
 Its landscape is surrounded by

- ✓ The Great Sandy Desert in the North-West,
- ✓ Gibson Desert in the central part lying to the south of the Lake
- ✓ Disappointment and Great Victoria Desert extending into the South Australia

Darling Range:

- It runs in North-South direction located in the South West of Western Australia
- Kimberley plateau lies to the North of the Great Sandy Desert

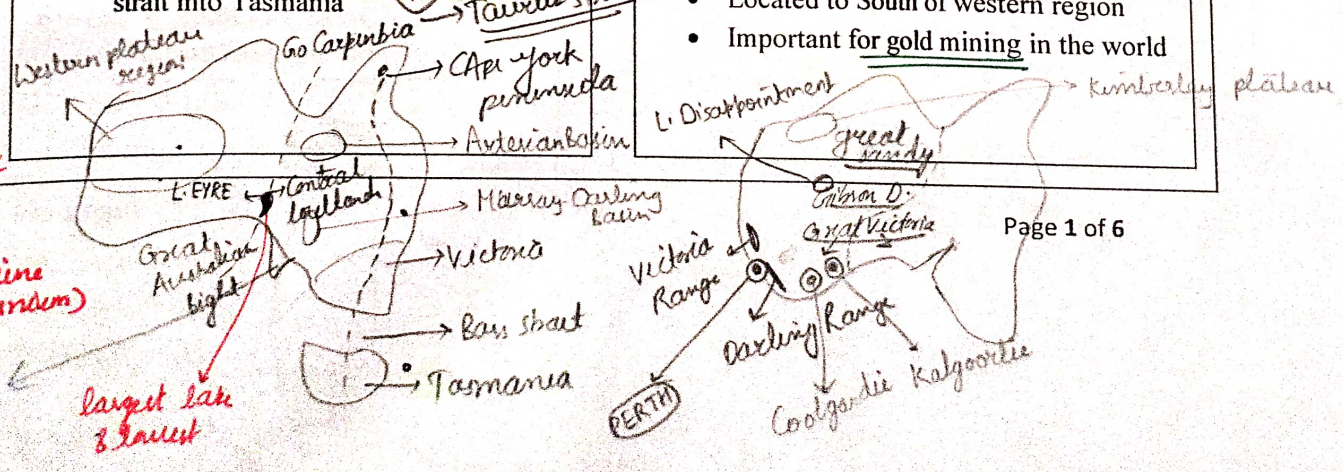
Cities of Western Australia

PERTH:

- Situate on Swan river (Awan R.)
- It is the capital of western Australia

KALGOORLIE and COOLGARDIE:

- Located to South of western region
- Important for gold mining in the world



last remaining wilderness on earth

only tectonic zone + Olympic Dam mine (uranium)
 Eye Peninsula
 largest lake & lowest

SOUTH AUSTRALIA - Major Physiographic regions

GREAT VICTORIA:

- A sparsely populated desert area in western Australia and South Australia

FLINDERS:

- An example of block mountains

LAKE EYRE:

- Deepest point of Australia
- Lowest part is filled with salt pan caused because of seasonal expansion and subsequent evaporation

Important cities

ADELAIDE:

- It has a well developed agricultural industry such as fruit canning, flour milling, dairy industry and woolen textile

NORTHERN TERRITORY:

DESERTS:

- It comprises the Tanami desert in the North, Simpson desert in the South of the Alice Springs

HIGHLANDS AND PLATEAUS OF AUSTRALIA

- Macdonell ranges : Consists of parallel ranges from east to west of Alice Springs

IMPORTANT CITIES

DARWIN:

- It is the capital and chief port of the North Coast
- City is also called the 'Australia's front door'

AUSTRALIAN - EAST

MAJOR PHYSIOGRAPHIC REGIONS

GREAT DIVIDING RANGE:

- Runs parallel from Cape York peninsula to Victoria and continues beyond the Bass strait into Tasmania

AUSTRALIAN ALPS:

- Lies in the south east of New South Wales
- Includes the Australia's highest peak **Mount Kosciusko** (कोसमिउस्को)

MURRAY DARLING BASIN:

- River basin is formed by the Australian largest river system Murray and its tributary **darling**

GREAT BARRIER REEF:

- World's largest coral reef

NEW SOUTH WALES

SYDNEY:

- Australia's oldest and largest city
- Capital and major port of New South Wales

BROKEN HILL:

- Situated in the western part (Pb, Zn, Silver)
- Known for lead-zinc and silver mines

QUEENSLAND:

BRISBANE:

- Situated near Ipswich coal fields
- Capital and chief harbor of Queensland

MOUNT Isa

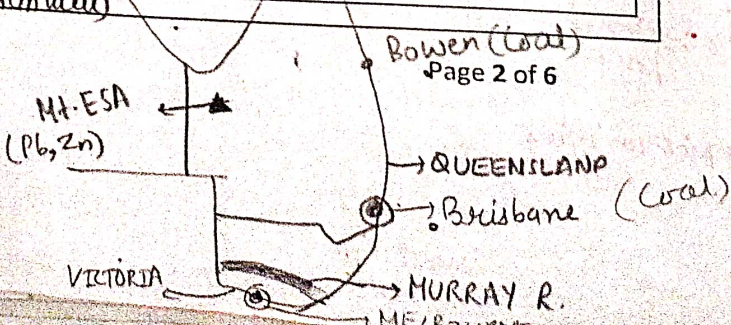
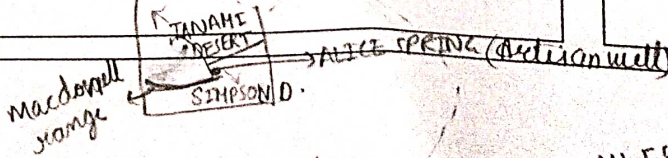
- Major centre for Lead and Zinc Mining

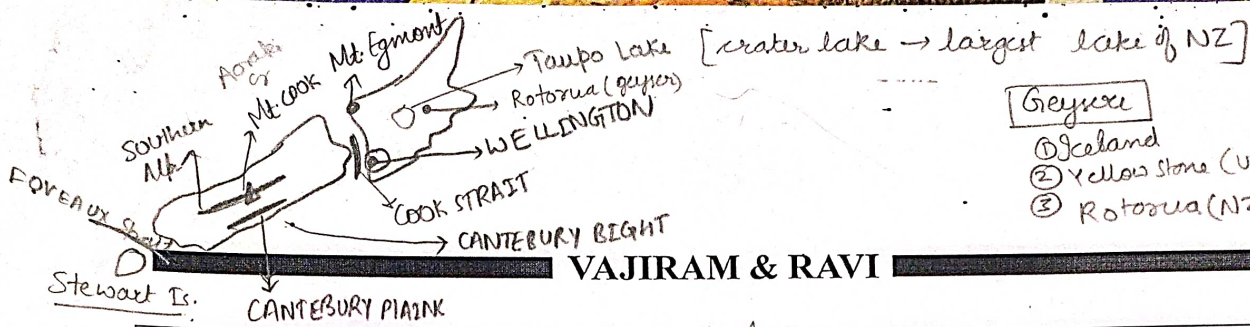
VICTORIA:

- Situated South East of Australia and Murray River divides it from New South Wales

MELBOURNE:

- Capital of Victoria
- Former capital of Australia





- Geysers**
- ① Iceland
 - ② Yellow Stone (US)
 - ③ Rotorua (NZ)

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CANBERRA:

- Australia's capital
- Situated to South of Sydney
- Main administrative city

NEW ZEALAND [Oceania]

Capital: Wellington

- Situated to south east of Australia and West of Chile in the south pacific ocean

PHYSICAL FEATURES

SOUTHERN ALPS:

- Mountains of the south island
- Highest peak is the Mount Cook

CANTERBURY PLAINS:

- Chief farming region of New Zealand
- Most extensive plains

An example of Piedmont Alluvial plain crossed by rivers of South island's East coast

MOUNT EGMONT:

An extinct volcano in the south west of north island

OCEANIA

Oceania, also known as Oceanica, is a region centered on the islands of the tropical Pacific Ocean.

They are of mainly three groups

- 1) MELANESIA
- 2) MICRONESIA
- 3) POLYNESIA

MICRONESIA:

It is an important US military base and tourist destination

Consists of four smaller group of islands like:

- NORTHERN MARIANA
- CAROLINE
- MARSHALL
- GILBERT ISLANDS

below equator

FEDERAL STATE OF MICRONESIA:

- Formerly known as the Caroline islands
- An archipelago of western Pacific

KIRIBATI (GILBERT AND OCEAN ISLAND)

Capital: Tarawa

Nauru:

Capital: Yaren district

- Lies to South of Equator in the Central Pacific ocean
- It is a coral island with huge deposits of Phosphate

POLYNESIA:

- ✓ Polynesia is a sub region of Oceania, made up of over 1,000 islands
- ✓ Polynesia is generally defined as the islands within the Polynesian Triangle

Includes Tuvalu, Samoa, Cook islands and Easter islands; French Polynesia, Pitcairn, Tokelau, Wallis & Futuna islands

TUVALU:

Capital: Funafuti

World's fourth smallest independent state

MELANESIA:

- Most westerly Pacific island group
- Lies between the Equator and Tropic of Capricorn

IMPORTANT ISLANDS OF MELANASIA

PAPUA NEW GUINEA

Capital: Port Moresby

FIJI

Capital: Suva

SOLOMON ISLANDS

Capital: Honiara

• Situated to the East of Papua New Guinea in the South West Pacific ocean

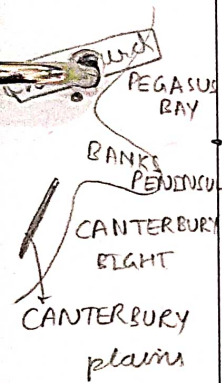
NEW CALEDONIA

Capital: Noumea

VANUATU

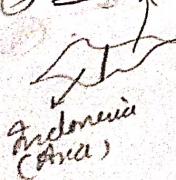
Capital: Port Vila

Australia agreement to take up their people if any natural calamity comes



- 1) Australia (with Tasmania)
 - 2) New Zealand (emerged)
- (Oceania) Australia Continental Mass

- ① Aus
- ② NZ
- ③ New Guinea



Mediterranean -> Perth, Adelaide

Dairies downs -> temperate grassland

Kimberley plateau -> Fe

Torres Strait ->

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Romania) Transylvanian Alps → Europe
Australian Alps → Australia
Southern Alps → NZ



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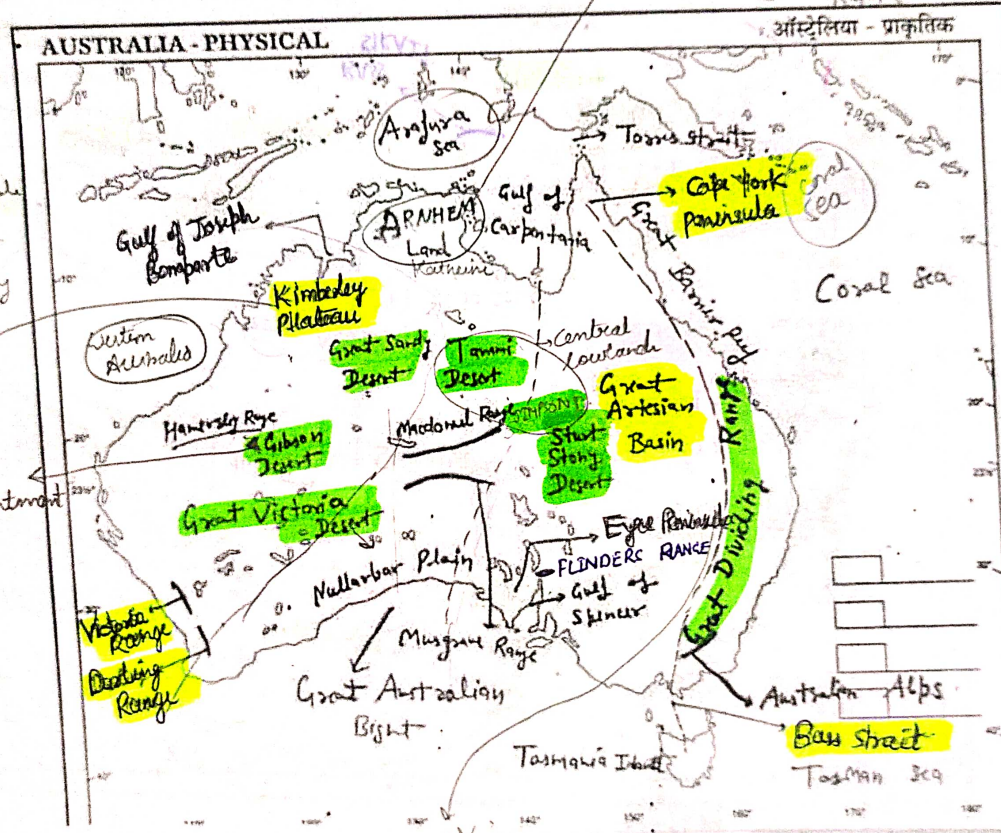
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 L.S. Desal
 Simpson - Simpson
 Stewart stony
 Great Victoria Desal
 Victory

Tanmay
 great
 gasba-simple
 Stuart

Iron (Fe)

Lake Disappointment

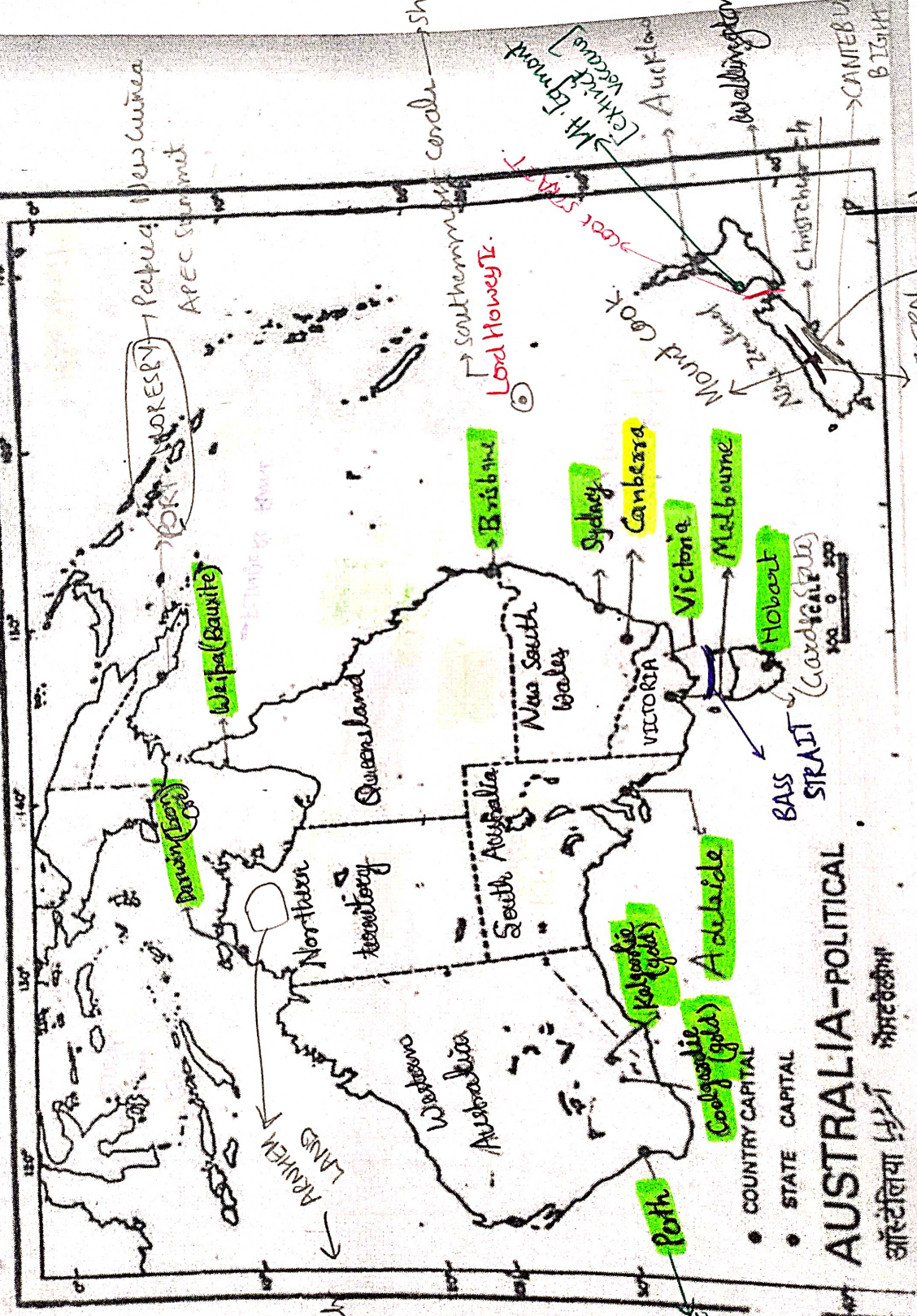


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 → Bisham
 → Mediterranean climate

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AUSTRALIA-POLITICAL

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- COUNTRY CAPITAL
- STATE CAPITAL

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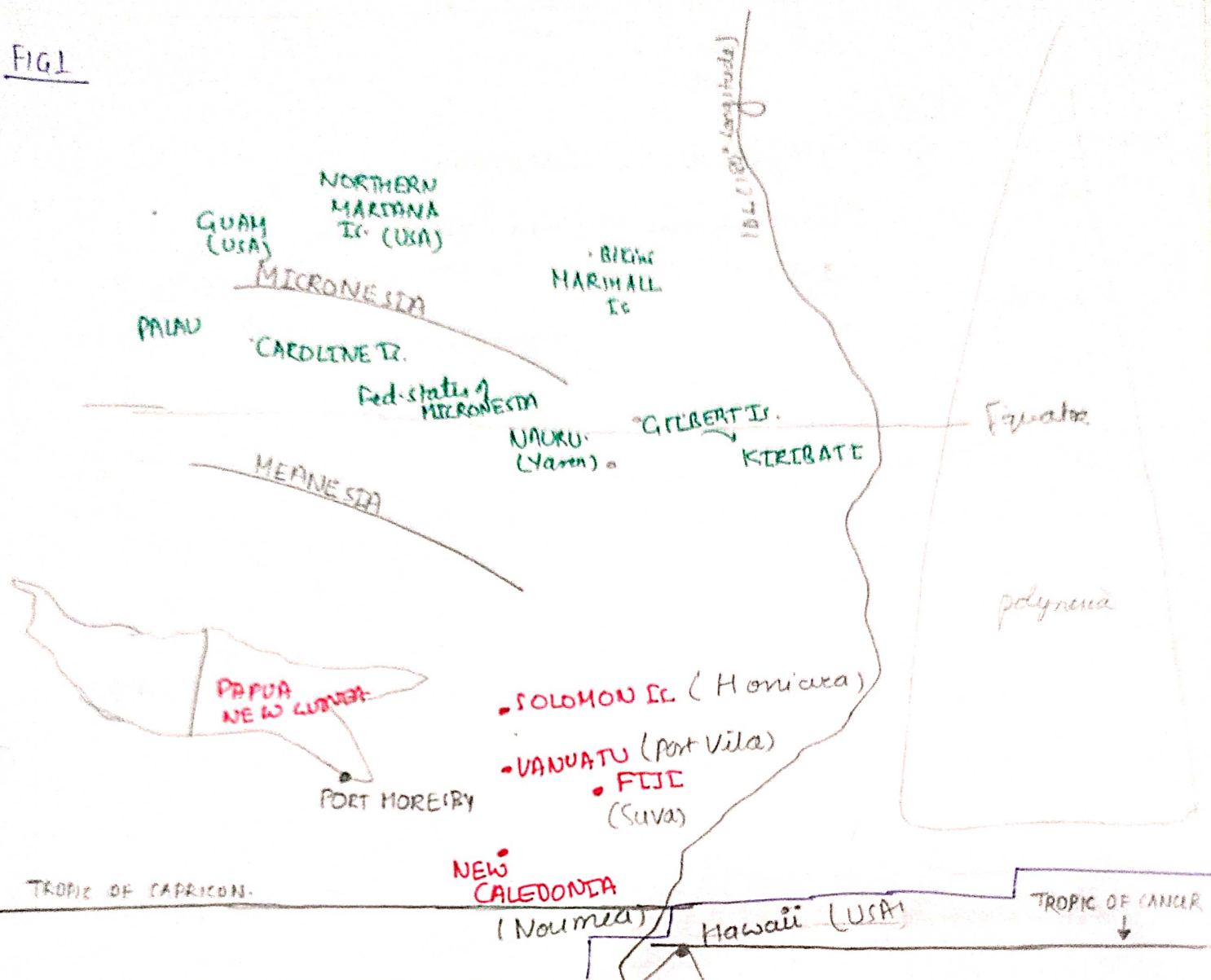


FIG 2.

