

MV. Bulolo – Messrs. Burns Philp and Co., Ltd.

An Australian Icon of the Past



MV. Bulolo 1938 – 1968

Built by Barclay Curle and Company Ltd., in 1938 for Burns Philp Co., Ltd.

Cargo – Passenger vessel GRT 6267

This ship was an Australian Icon engaged in the Australia – Papua New Guinea – Solomon Islands – New Hebrides (Vanuatu) – Norfolk and Howe Island service. During WW2 (1939-1946) she was requisitioned by the Australian Government. In March 1951 she suffered a fire in her cargo of Copra, causing her to be scuttled. She was refloated in December the same year and underwent refurbishment before resuming commercial service. She was sold for demolition in 1968.

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