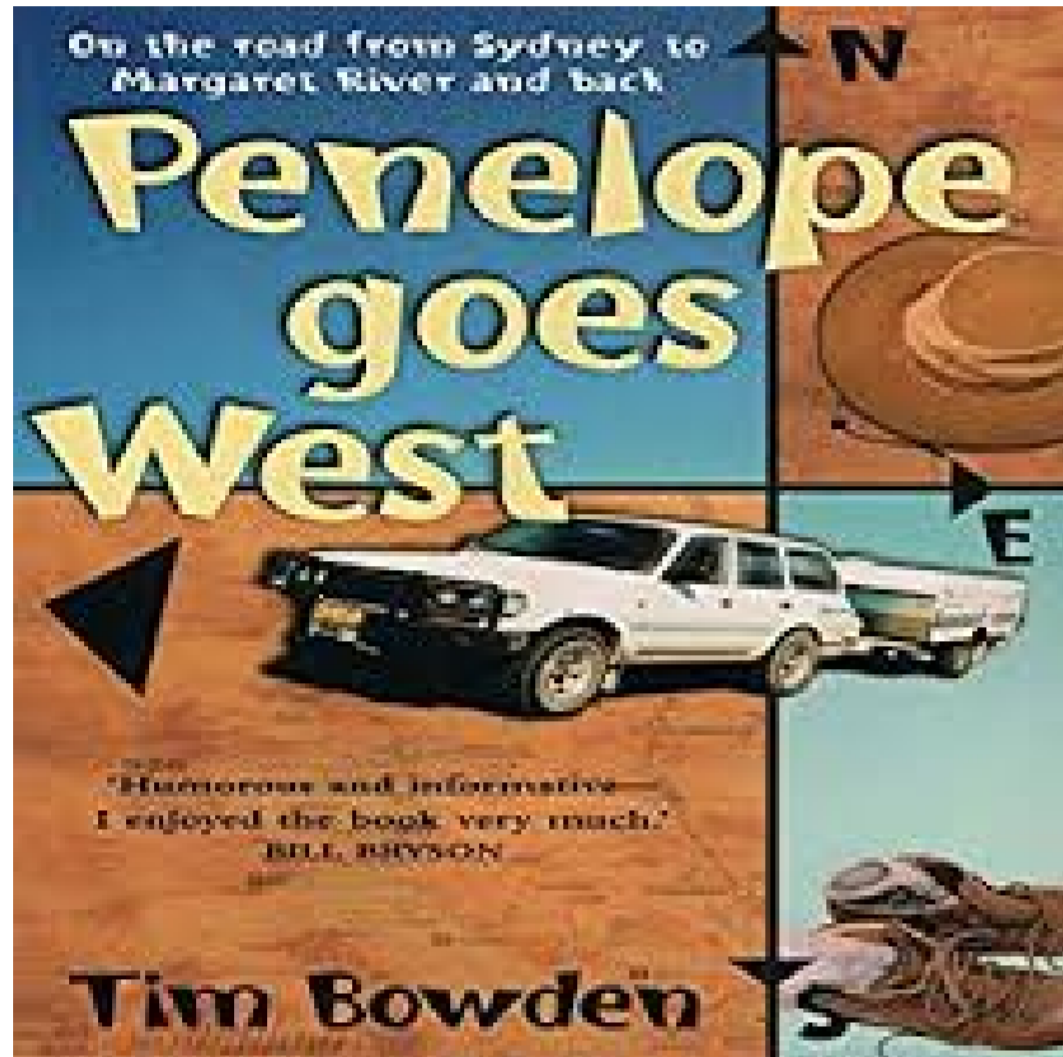
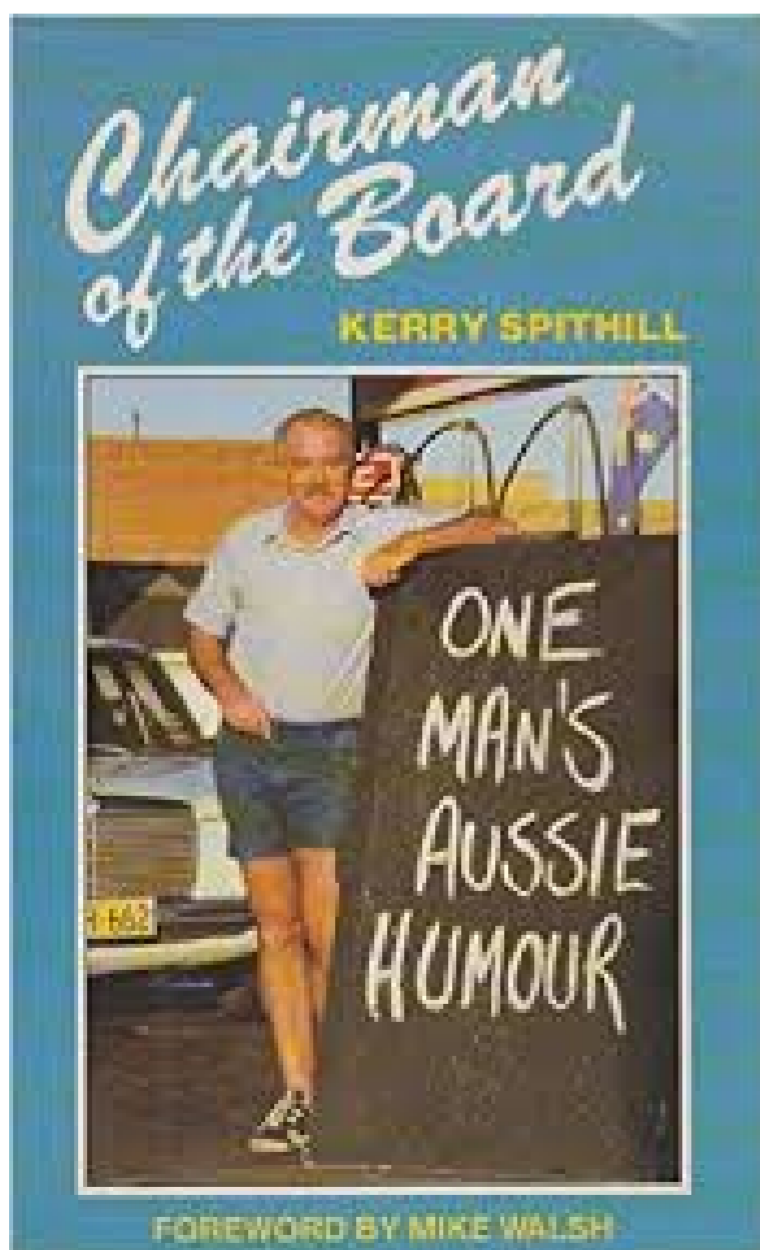


# More books

George Ranken  
Kerry Spithill  
Tim Bowden  
Meg Stewart



**TIM BOWDEN** lived at Northbridge and worked at the ABC in Crows Nest for many years. His son attended Chatswood High School. Tim wrote a number of books including about travels in his Volkswagen camper called Penelope.



For many years **KERRY SPITHILL**, the proprietor of a petrol station in Crows Nest, entertained motorists with his laconic messages penned onto a chalk board outside his garage. .

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**GEORGE RANKEN** settled in St Leonards in 1876.

The Invasion (1877), published under the pseudonym W.H.Walker, is an account of an imaginary invasion of Australia by a Russian fleet.

Colonisation in 1876, Homestead settlement: grazing, past, present and future and The Land law of the future were written by George Ranken under the pseudonym Capricornus.



Capricornus

**MEG STEWART** is the daughter of Douglas Stewart and is associated with Crows Nest.

Nancy and Mark (her husband) were part of a group of friends who regularly joined my parents Douglas Stewart & Margaret Coen round our cedar dining table. My parents' other friends included...the amiable Fitz – the poet (R.D. FitzGerald).