

Activity: Write a brief newspaper article for the *Portsmouth Gazette* or *Mottley's Naval and Military Journal* about the choice of Port Jackson for the convict settlement. Save a copy to your desktop, type over the sections in the template below, then delete these instructions. If you are working on paper, use the template as a guide.

<h1>Name of your newspaper</h1> <p>Date of issue</p>	
<h2><u>MAIN STORY</u></h2> <h2><u>HEADLINE</u></h2> <p style="text-align: center;">Name of writer</p> <p>Newspapers usually lead with a dramatic and attention-grabbing headline and story so as to entice people to buy the paper.</p> <p>Your story will be about 150-200 words.</p> <p>In newspapers, paragraphs and sentences are short. Often the paragraphs are only one or two sentences.</p> <p>'Choose a sentence from your story to highlight an important point. Write the sentence in single quotation marks.'</p> <p>Continue your main story.</p>	<p>Your main photo should grab the reader's attention. Copy and paste a photo from a website.</p>
	<p>Write a caption for your photo.</p>
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