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1 Introduction

This document describes the dataset All Other Records, also known as Miscellaneous Records.

2 All Other / Miscellaneous Records

2.1 Summary

This dataset is a collection of records from a great variety of sources, collating information which is not suitable for inclusion in other datasets. Records relate to employment, clubs and society membership, residence, land ownership, and many other categories.

The groups of records contributing to this dataset range from tiny (20 or fewer) to thousands of records. Each group of related records is assigned to a 'set', e.g. "Land Ownership & Use", and the group may be further qualified in the *Event*, *Source* and *Source2* fields.

Below is a list of the various record groups. You can find more information about each group in Appendix A.

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2.2 Coverage

Appendix A provides coverage information for each dataset.

2.3 Sources

Data in this dataset come from a variety of sources such as Government Gazettes, Parliamentary Papers, Church and Club membership and meeting records and newspapers. You can find more information in Appendix A.

2.4 Volume

There are 2,785,560 records in this version of the database, up from 2,437,742 [version 20251223].

2.5 Additional information

Provided in Appendix A, at the end of this document, you will find additional documentation relating to each of the subsets of records. It does not attempt to describe each group, but singles out those which may require further clarification, source and coverage and meaning of some fields. Many groups, have no additional or minimal documentation.

3 Versions

This is the latest of numerous updates to the All Other / Miscellaneous Records dataset since it was first created in 2016. Details of the most recent update is outlined below, and the action taken, where available, is provided for each update.

3.1 Version M-20260206

Added 347,818 records from magazines from a variety of sources.

3.2 Version M-20251223

Added 109,889 records relating to Nurses Registrations across the categories:

- a. General Nurses – 62,395
- b. Infant Welfare Nurses – 996
- c. Infectious Diseases – 304
- d. Mental Health – 2,993
- e. Midwives – 34,947

3.3 Version M-20251029

Added 726,409 records from 13 different subsets, all sourced from Government Gazettes.

- A. Business Agents - 3,625
- B. Circuit and District Courts 1873 to 2021 - 58,267
- C. Gold Buyers Register - 1,355
- D. Grange SLSC Annual reports - 59,970
- E. Land Agents Register - 28,192
- F. Land Valuers Register - 7,810
- G. Medical Register - Specialists - 37,763
- H. Moneylenders - 3,009
- I. Napperby South Methodist Church Trust Minutes - 137
- P. Return of Balances of Intestate Estates - 20,493
- Q. South Australia - First Police Force 1845 - 58
- R. Supreme Court 1854 - 1989 - 37,425
- S. Unclaimed Letters - 468,305

3.4 Other Versions

Details of previous updates are retained internally by the Database Development Team

4 Appendix A – Subset Information

Businesses & Institutions

Council of the University of Adelaide

Source: Gazette. Coverage: 1874

Church Memberships and Records

Confirmations

A small list of those undergoing confirmation at Buchsfelde Lutheran Parishes (Daveyston, St Pauls, Tanunda) and St Martins Church of England (Campbelltown). Source: Church Records. Coverage: Buchsfelde - 1883 to 1892; St Martins – 1887 and 1892

Gawler Congregational

Membership of the Gawler Congregational Church. Source: Church Records. Coverage: 1851 to 1873, some records undated.

Napperby South Methodist Church Trust Minutes

Provides names of those people present at the Trust's Annual General Meeting (AGM) for the years provided. Event Date is the year of the meeting with some full dates provided in the Notes field. Source: Napperby South Methodist Church Trust Minutes of Annual General Meeting. Coverage: 1926 to 1953, missing 1927.

Quakers – Society of Friends

Member and associates of the Society of Friends (as the Quakers called themselves). Source: Variety of SAGHS documents. Coverage: 1839 to 1925.

Tea Tree Gully Baptist

Membership of the Tea Tree Gully Baptist Church. Source: Church Records. Coverage: 1860 to 1917, some records undated.

Clubs & Societies

Ancient Order of Forresters Admission

Source: Gazette. Coverage: 1862 to 1864, some undated.

Dingabledinga Red Cross Sewing Circle

Mainly committee members. Coverage 1939, 1940, 1944.

Grange Surf Life Saving Club (SLSC)

Lists members and their role in the club for that year. Source: Grange SLSC Annual General Meeting reports. Coverage: 1956 to 2023.

Hope Forest WAB (Women's Agricultural Bureau)

This is a list of the WAB's members mentioned in the bureau's members lists and meetings. With graphics. Note that a person's name may be mentioned more than once in each pdf document. Coverage: 1956 to 1988.

Millicent Bowling Club

Presidents, Secretaries, Club Champions. Coverage 1932 to 1987.

Millicent Croquet Club

Presidents, Secretaries, Club Champions. Coverage 1929 to 1986.

Millicent Indoor Bowling Club

Presidents, Secretaries, Club Champions. Coverage 1966 to 1987.

Old Contemptibles Association

Coverage: 1950.

Tantanoola Football Club 1971-1986

Annual trophy winners. Coverage: 1971 to 1986.

Wickham's Hall Trust Subscriptions

Coverage: 1930 to 1933.

Commemorations & Memorials

This section is for recording community commemorations and memorials, including plaques, signs, etc. Note that many other 'memorials' are more likely to be recorded in the Cemeteries dataset, which includes graves and memorials.

Community Commemorations

These are taken from a number of different commemoration plaques and signs around SA.

St Aidan Niche Wall Plaques

From the wall plaques in St Aidan's Anglican Church, Marden.

Commissions & Enquiries

Commission for Exhibition in 1886

The members of the commission appointed in 1883 for the Jubilee International Exhibition to be held in 1886.

Military Volunteer Forces Inquiry

Source: Parliamentary Papers. Coverage: 1868. Compiled by: Marion Hextall.

Sanitation Commission Witnesses

Source: Parliamentary Papers. Coverage: 1876. Compiled by: Marion Hextall.

Various Other Commissions and Reports

Refer Appendix B for a full list. Source: Parliamentary Papers. Coverage: 1868 to 1913.

Courts

Circuit and District Court Sittings

Notices of court sitting dates and the prisoners required to attend at courts throughout South Australia. Event Date is the Sitting Date and Location is the Court Location. Additional information provided, when recorded, includes: the charge/offence, date and location of committal and whether in gaol or on bail at the time of the gazette being published. Source: Gazette. Coverage: 1873 to 2021.

Supreme Court Sittings

Notices of court sitting dates and the prisoners required to attend at the Supreme Court. Event Date is the Sitting Date and Location is the Court Location. Additional information provided, when recorded, includes: the charge/offence, date and location of committal and whether in gaol or on bail at the time of the gazette being published. Source: Gazette. Coverage: 1854 to 1989.

Deceased Estates

Returns on Balances of Intestate Estates

Details the status for any intestate estates. Date of death or date of order is found in Event Date field. May list prior residence, arrival ship and occupation. Source: Gazette. Coverage: 1849 to 1910.

Succession Duties 1876-1893

The *EventDate* is not always the date of death - it may sometimes refer to a date earlier or later than the death (e.g. the making of a will, or a decision made in executing the will). The *FileNo* may be used to request the file from State Records. Coverage: 1841 to 1893, limited records 1894 to 1914.

Dentists & Staff

This set contains information on dentists and their staff, mainly derived from registrations documented in the Gazette.

Clinical Dental Technicians

Coverage: 1985, 1991, 1994, 1995, 1997, 1998.

Dental Auxiliaries

Coverage: 1973 to 1984, limited coverage 1969 to 1972.

Dental Company Practitioners

Coverage: 1919, 1986, 1988 to 1998.

Dental Hygienists

Coverage: 1975 to 1989, limited coverage 1973, 1990 to 1994.

Dentists Register

This is the 'general' register. Coverage: 1901 to 1999.

Dental Specialists

Coverage: 1988 to 1998, limited coverage 1980 to 1985.

Directories & Censuses

1839 Directory of Adelaide

This group contains records from the first South Australian directory, published by Thomas & Co., the publishers of *The South Australian Register*.

1841 Census - South Australia

The census was taken late 1840 to early 1841. Note that much of the biographical information has been added later from other sources. In the *Notes* field, "Household=" describes the sexes and ages of the members in the household, e.g. 2xF21-34 means 2 females aged between 21 and 34 inclusive. Source: Collection from Graham Jaunay. Coverage: 1840-1841.

District A: north of Bay Road (now Anzac Highway) & Greenhill Road excluding Adelaide but including Port Adelaide and west of Mt Lofty.

District B: south of Bay Road and Greenhill Road to 35°10' and west of Mt Lofty.

District C: from 35°10' [i.e. mouth of the Onkaparinga River] to 35°20' [i.e. base of Sellicks Hill] and west of Mt Lofty.

Electoral Roll, Voters, and Residents

Adelaide City Citizens Rolls 1854-1910

These electoral rolls list those who can vote in Adelaide City municipal elections, which apply to the city square and North Adelaide. To qualify citizens had to either own or occupy property within the city. Some of the entries are from the Supplementary List, which may include those added after the roll closed.

Source: Transcribed by SAGHS volunteers from Adelaide City Council Archives, Corporation of the City of Adelaide (c40), Citizens Rolls (555), Items 1 (1852) to 33 (1910). Coverage: 1854 to 1910

City of Adelaide Voters

Source: Gazette. Coverage: 1840 to 1841

Electoral Rolls

The records do not include all districts, and do not necessarily include all sub-districts (voting places). Transcribed by Marion Hextall and other SAGHS volunteers. Sources and coverage as noted below:

1853: Districts: Burra, Light & Eyre, Mount Barker, Noarlunga, and Stanley. Source: transcribed from original records by A. J. Bott.

1862: Districts: Mount Barker. Source: transcribed directly from photographs of the original documents.

1874: Districts: all except Encounter Bay, Flinders, North Adelaide, Sturt, West Torrens and Yatala. Source: transcribed from State Records GRG 1/73.

Electoral Roll Adjustments

These adjustments taken from the Gazette record changes to the electoral roll in these years. Coverage: 1879 to 1899.

Electoral Roll Applications

District: Yatala. Coverage: 1864.

Lyrup Settlement Residents

Source: From the book *Lyrup village: A century of association 1894-1994* by Alan Jones. Coverage: 1891 to 1993.

Murray Bridge - Mobilong Jubilee Carnival 1934

Source: Persons mentioned in the 1934 Jubilee Carnival souvenir booklet. Coverage: 1934

Gaol Prisoners

Adelaide Gaol Register of Prisoners

Coverage: 1857 to 1889.

Industrial School Eye Inspections

These occurred after an outbreak of measles in the Industrial School at Magill. Source: transcribed from Parliamentary Papers by Marion Hextall. Coverage: 1884.

Magill Industrial School Admissions

Coverage: 1884 to 1893.

South Australians discharged from Victorian Gaols

Coverage: 1893 to 1894.

Government Employees

Collectors of Statistics

Source: Gazette. Coverage: 1850 to 1901.

Commissioners and Justice of the Peace

Coverage: 1841 to 1910

Customs Department Employees

Source: National Archives of Australia, Series D5139 - South Australian Customs Record of Offices Service. Coverage: 1864 to 1953.

Kadina Council Mayors, Town Clerks and Councilors

Source: Kadina Centenary 1872-1972. Coverage: 1872 to 1972.

Tramways Employees and Associates

Source: Adelaide Tramways Historical Booklet 1909.

Various Appointments

Source: OPIE 1840 (E.A.D. Opie's South Australian records). Coverage: 1980.

Various Other Records

Coverage: 1845 to 1895

Government Tenders & Contractors

Mail Contracts

Source: Parliamentary Papers, transcribed by Marion Hextall. Coverage: 1870, 1874, 1875.

Various Other

Refer Appendix B for a full list. Source: Parliamentary Papers. Coverage: 1850 to 1876.

Immigration and Emigration

Emigrants to Paraguay

A list of the South Australians who emigrated to Paraguay to establish the 'New Australia' settlement in 1893. Source: Government Gazette. Coverage: 1893 & 1895.

English Paupers on Ship Calcutta

Apparently, these were paupers from the poorhouse in the parish of St Martin in the Fields who arrived on the ship Calcutta. Source: Government Gazette. Coverage: 1853.

Various Other

Coverage: 1858 + 1864 + 1865.

Land Ownership & Use

City of Adelaide Town Acre Grants

Coverage: 1837.

Council Ratepayers

A list of ratepayers of various councils across South Australia. Shows number of acres and amount of rates paid. Source: Government Gazettes. Coverage: 1850 and 1851.

Cultivators

From a supplement to the 1841 census (see section 7.2), this collection records land use for a limited number of settlers. The districts are as described in section 7.2. Source: Collection from Graham Jaunay. Coverage: 1841. It includes the following, as applicable:

- Location and extent of the land.
- Crops (acres).
- Water access.
- Improvements: buildings, etc.

Declaration of Acreage

This collection includes declarations of the number of acres of land owned. The *Location* value is the Hundred name. Source: Government Gazettes. Coverage: 1847 to 1850.

Depasturing Licences

Coverage: 1842 to 1845.

Descriptions of Ruins

Coverage: 1844 to 1846.

Hundreds of Port Gawler, Grace, and Mudla Wirra

Coverage: 1856 to 1870.

Land Occupation Licences

Coverage: 1842 to 1845

Landowners

A record of all land purchases in South Australia from a variety of records held by the State Library and State Records of South Australia. This only includes purchases from individuals and partnerships, not companies and organisations. Source: Collection from Graham Jaunay. Coverage: 1835 to 1841.

Land Selections

Coverage: 1843

Leased Land

Coverage: 1849

Leases of Waste Lands

Coverage: 1851

Original Purchasers of City of Adelaide Allotments

This collection lists the distribution of the Adelaide allotments (called Town Acres). *AllocTA* (in Notes) indicates the Town Acre number(s) allocated by lot; *AuctionTA* indicates the Town Acre number(s) subsequently bought at auction 3 weeks later. Coverage: 1840.

Registered Land Managers

Source: Gazette. Coverage: 1957 to 1985.

Port Lincoln Special Survey Allotment

Coverage: 1839

Timber Licences

Coverage: 1842 to 1849

Wirrabara Estate Land sales

Coverage: 1909

Licences & Certificates**Application to keep Lying-in Home**

Source: State Records GRG/27/14. Coverage: 1900 to 1910.

Appraisers and Auctioneers

Source: Gazette. Coverage: 1840 to 1975.

Architects

Source: Gazette. Coverage: 1941 to 1999.

Business Agents

A list of persons granted licenses to conduct a business. Type of license/business recorded in Occupation. Event Date is the date licensed from. Source: Gazette. Coverage: 1939 to 1967.

Chiropodists

Source: Gazette. Coverage: 1952 to 1999.

Distiller

Source: Parliamentary Paper. Coverage: 1858 to 1868.

Gold Buyers

A list of persons registered to buy and sell gold and/or precious stones with the type recorded in Notes field, where recorded. Event Date is the date registered to. Source: Gazette. Coverage: 1938 to 1961.

Extra use of Water

Source: Parliamentary Paper. Coverage: 1864.

Hawkers Licences

Source: Gazette. Coverage: 1863 to 1899, 1900 to 1961.

Hide, Skin and Wool Dealers' Licences

Source: Gazette. Coverage: 1933 to 1961.

Land Agents

A list of persons registered to buy and sell land with the type recorded in the Occupation field, where recorded. Event Date is the date they were licensed to. Source: Gazette. Coverage: 1926 to 1985.

Land Brokers

Source: Gazette. Coverage: 1975 to 1985, limited coverage 1907, 1910, 1913 to 1917.

Land Valuers

A list of persons registered to value land with the type recorded in the Occupation field, where recorded. Event Date is the date they were licensed to. Source: Gazette. Coverage: 1971 to 1985.

Marine Board Certificate of Competency

Source: Parliamentary Paper. Coverage: 1878 to 1889, 1891, 1898.

Marine Licenses

List of those with a license for a boat, ship or for fishing. Source: Government Gazette. Coverage: 1886 to 1911.

Marine Store Collectors' Licenses

Source: Gazette. Coverage: 1902 to 1960.

Moneylenders

A list of persons registered to lend money. Event Date is the date they were licensed to. Source: Gazette. Coverage: 1942 to 1973.

Plumbers

Source: Gazette. Coverage: 1936 to 1994.

Registrars of Dogs

Source: Gazette. Coverage: 1868 to 1885.

Magazines

A variety of magazine transcriptions from 42 different sources, including schools, universities, work places, sports groups and theatre groups. Coverage varies depending on the source.

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| 1. Adelaide Boys High School | 22. Mercedes college |
| 2. Adelaide Girls High School | 23. Mount Gambier High School Magazine |
| 3. Adelaide High School | 24. Norwood Boys Technical School |
| 4. Adelaide Teachers College | 25. Port Augusta High School |
| 5. Adelaide Technical High School | 26. Regimental Magazine Woodside 1957 |
| 6. Adelect Magazines | 27. SA Teachers College Magazines |
| 7. Birdwood High School | 28. Seymour College |
| 8. Cadell Training Centre History 1960-2010 | 29. South Australian Institute of Technology |
| 9. Campbelltown High School | 30. South Australian Railways Institute |
| 10. Dental Students Magazine | 31. St Aloysius's College Magazine |
| 11. Federation Frontline 1901-2001 | 32. St Ignatius College |
| 12. Flinders University | 33. Tall Ship Magazine |
| 13. Gawler High School | 34. Theatre Groups |
| 14. Gilles Plains High School | 35. Therry Dramatic Society |
| 15. Glossop High School | 36. Uni SA |
| 16. Grange Bowling Club | 37. Walford School |
| 17. Hergott Springs-Marree 1884-1981 | 38. Wellington Rd School 1899-1999 |
| 18. Highgate Primary School 1923-1973 | 39. Western Teachers College |
| 19. Kadina Memorial High | 40. Whyalla Tech |
| 20. Kindergarten Union | 41. Woodlands School |
| 21. Kings College | 42. Yankalilla Area School |

Medical Certificates

Gazette Vaccinators

The *Government Gazette* frequently published a list of medical practitioners appointed to be vaccinators, e.g. "Town and District Vaccinators, under Act No. 16 of 1953, entitled 'An Act to extend and make compulsory the practice of Vaccination'". Source: Gazette. Coverage: 1854 to 1917.

Medical Officers Appointed to Attend to the Destitute Poor and Aborigines

Source: Gazette. Coverage: 1863 to 1916.

Medical Practitioners

Source #1: Parliamentary Paper, Page 156. Coverage: 1864.

Source #2: Gazette. Coverage: 1846 to 1852.

Medical Specialists

List of those registered as a medical specialist with the area of speciality found in the Notes field, along with their Certificate No, where recorded. Date of Registration is the Event Date. Source: Government Gazette. Coverage: 1969 to 1999. (Years 1974, 1986, 1986 and 1992 missing.)

Pharmacist/Chemist Register

Described as the "Pharmaceutical Register" in the Gazette. The EventDate is usually the date of registration by the Pharmacy Board. This may be qualified in Notes as reregistered or reinstated.

Source: Gazette: Coverage: 1893 to 1991.

Miscellaneous Deaths

Drownings at Goolwa

A list of people who drowned at Goolwa or nearby. Even date is date of drowning. Source: collated by Fran Ramsay from unknown sources. Coverage: 1837 to 1998.

Hospital and Asylum Deaths

Provides a list of those you died at various hospitals and asylums.

Source #1: Parliamentary Paper. Coverage: 1858

Source #2: Government Gazette. Coverage: 1863 to 1945.

Stillbirths

Civil registration of stillborn children was not performed between 1842 and 1995. Source: Graham Jaunay's collection from various sources. Coverage: 1843 to 1993.

Unregistered Deaths

Many deaths were not registered. Lack of registration was often due to the legal complications needed for registering a death (e.g. securing a death certificate). Sometimes the reason may have been an oversight, others remoteness or the need to bury the body. This collection lists deaths which were reported in newspapers, gazettes, books, etc. but where the death of the same person was not registered (although it may have been registered under a different name). Deaths where the person's name was not known are not included. Source: Graham Jaunay's collection from various sources. Coverage: 1840 to 1970.

Military Service

Includes enlistment, travel, desertion, deaths, etc.

British Service Personnel Pensions

Pensions to Civil Officers of the Ordnance Department and the Irish Constabulary, Chelsea Out Pensioners, Greenwich Out Pensioners and East India Company Military Fund pensioners resident in South Australia. Where recorded, the Notes field shows Regiment, Dates of service and amount paid. Source: State Records, GRG122/4, pages 83-88. Coverage: 1843 to 1853, 1871 to 1875.

Desertion

Source: Gazette. Coverage: 1842, 1845 to 1848

National Service Intake

Source: Taken mostly from photographs. Coverage: 1957

RAAF Burials in North Devon

Source: Unknown. Coverage: 1941 to 1943

Travel to Boer War and Boxer Rebellion

Source: Parliamentary Paper. Coverage: 1899 to 1900

WW1 Men from the Mid North Killed In Action

Source: *The Flinders News*, pub date 9 Nov 2016.

WW2 South Australians Killed In Action

Source: *The Advertiser*, pub date 15 Aug 1995.

Murders & Executions**Murderers and Executions**

A list of all those executed for murder up to 1965, including name of victim, location, and conviction date, where available. Coverage: 1840 to 1964.

Name Changes**Name Changes by Deed Poll**

Source: extracted from the index books originally stored at the Lands Title Office. Coverage: 1915 to 1954, limited coverage 1891 to 1914, 1956 to 1975.

The records have been processed so that both the 'from' and 'to' names appear in the normal name fields, i.e., there are at least 2 records per name change. The other names appear in the Notes field, as either "Changed to:" or "Changed from:". For each name change there were originally 2 records: a 'change from' and a 'change to' record, which should have contained identical information. Unfortunately, due to uncertainty in the transcriptions this was often not the case, resulting in many alternatives in the indexes.

In addition:

- Where there are alternative surnames, additional records have been added.
- Where there are alternative given names, these are indicated as alternatives (e.g., "John/Jon") or as uncertainties (e.g., "John? Richard").

Naturalisations**Naturalisation**

Naturalisation records taken from the Government Gazettes in those years. Sources and coverage as noted below:

1872: collated by Marion Hextall, from the Government Gazette 15 Aug 1872 (page 1146).

Unfortunately, they don't include the date of the ceremony.

1867 & 1886: collated by Graham Jaunay from the Government Gazettes in those years. The date is the year of publication and may not be the actual date of the ceremony.

Oath of Allegiance 1834

Source: OPIE 1840 (E.A.D. Opie's South Australian records). Coverage: 1980.

Nurses**Innamincka Inland Mission Nursing Sisters**

A list of nurses who worked at the mission. Source: unknown. Coverage: 1929 to 1951.

Midwives

A list of registered midwives. Source: Gazette. Coverage: 1922 and 1956.

Nurses

A list of registered nurses (General Certificate). Includes registration date where recorded. Source: Gazette. Coverage: 1922 and 1956.

Specialist Nurses

A list of registered nurses in specialist areas of Mental Health, Infant Welfare, Infectious Diseases. Includes registration date where recorded. Source: Gazette. Coverage: 1922 to 1956

Occupations (Not Listed Elsewhere)**Adelaide Art Engravers Employees List**

A list of employees. EventDate is date of commencement. Coverage: 1936 to 1986.

Barristers, Attorneys and Solicitors

A list of Barristers, Attorneys and Solicitors. May be multiple entries per person for each year registered. Location is address of person. Source: Gazette. Coverage: 1846 to 1867 but excludes 1848.

Defence Science and Technology Organisation (DSTO) Apprentices

A list of apprentices with the DSTO, the date they started and their occupation. Source: Independent. Coverage: 1951 to 1990.

Fire Brigade Employees

A list of employees at various stations and their rank/position, where recorded. Records sourced from the State Records contain Place and Date of Birth. Sources and coverage as noted below:

Source #1: Service Record books – Fire Brigades' Board (GRG77/4), State Records. Coverage: 1885 to 1936, some undated.

Source #2: Parliamentary Papers. Coverage: 1889-1913.

Frearsons Printing House Hindmarsh Employees

A list of employees. Source: appear to have been taken from a photograph. Coverage: 1934.

Photographers

A list of photographers. Source: collated by Graham Jaunay from various sources including newspapers and government documents. Coverage: 1845 to 1910.

Port Pirie Smelter Employees

A list of employees at the Port Pirie Smelter. Where entered, Event Date is persons Date of Birth and Notes field contains employment start and end dates. Location contains the area of the smelter they worked in. Source: Independent. Coverage: 1888 to 1952.

Whaling Employees

A list of employees. Notes field contains name of employer. Source: Gazette. Coverage: 1844 to 1851.

Other**Ferris Saddlery Order Books**

The books mainly contain orders, prices, and payments by customers of Ferris Saddlery (McLaren Vale). Coverage: 1889 to 1919.

Each record refers to the first entry for that person in one or more contiguous pages in a book. Users should browse subsequent pages to find other references to that person which may not have been included in the records.

The 'index' pages in each book refer to page numbers that book. Finding specific page numbers may be tricky, but generally those entries will normally have been included in the records as well.

First Gold Escort from Victorian Goldfields

The first gold escort was led by Inspector Tolmer and brought gold back from Victoria arriving back in Adelaide 19 March 1852. The names are those of the men sending gold back to Adelaide. Gives the name of the person to receive the gold, plus the weight of gold. Lists for later gold escorts were not printed after letters to the editor suggested possible danger to those who were receiving the gold. Source: Adelaide Observer 20 March 1852. Coverage: 19 March 1852.

Foster Parents

A list of people fostering or adopting. Source: State Records, GRG27/2. Coverage: 1918.

Insolencies

People deemed insolvent by Court. Source: Government Gazette. Coverage: 1841 to 1928

Lands and Immigration Department Correspondence

Correspondence of a variety of topics sent to the Lands and Immigration Department. Source: compiled from various Government files. Coverage: 1849 to 1899.

Livestock Brand Registrations

A list of people registering their branding of cattle, horses and sheep. Where entered, shows type of livestock and location. Source: Government Gazette. Coverage: 1841, 1879 and 1886.

Loxton Mardi Gras Past Queens

A list of past queens of the Loxton Mardi Gras. Coverage: 1958 to 1985.

Suspected Fenians

A list of persons suspected of having Fenian sympathies.

Temperance Pledges

A list of persons giving their pledge to temperance. One set of records appears to be from the Wilmington area (possibly the school) and lists at least one parent.

Source #1: unknown. Coverage: 1890 to 1931.

Source #2: compiled by Andrew Peake from unknown source. Coverage: 1849-1855.

Unclaimed Letters

A list of all letters that remained unclaimed from the General Post Office. Event Date field shows the date the letter was received before. Source: Gazette. Coverage: 1839 to 1902.

Yandama Time Capsule

Laid with foundation stone of Yandama Station, NSW, on 27 November 1899, listing those present at the laying of the stone. Opened 1964. Yandama Station is 220 km North of Broken Hill.

Coverage: 27 November 1899.

Parliamentary Papers

Parliamentary papers include reports from government departments, Royal Commissions, Committees of Inquiry and other documents which have been presented to a Parliament and then ordered by Parliament to be printed.

Refer Appendix B for a full list.

Petitioners**Manufacturing Districts Petition**

Source: collected from Parliamentary Papers by Marion Hextall. Coverage: 1882.

Mt Bryan Children Listed on Petition for School

Source: collected from Parliamentary Papers by Marion Hextall. Coverage: 1881.

Parkhurst Petition

An article published listing all the names of petitioners living in South Australia at the time who opposed the sending of young British men held in custody in England to Australia. Containing some 1600 signatures it is arguable the most complete list of colonialists of the time. It was quite controversial as the sending of convicts to NSW had ceased and England wanted rid of the myriad of boys held in custody. SA naturally did not want them (or any convicts for that matter). Source: collated from various newspapers in the National Libraries Trove collection by Kevin Bowden. Coverage: 1844.

Protest Petition

A petition rejecting the resolutions made by a public meeting of the colonists held at the Queens Theatre on 3 May 1841. The meeting and petition related to the government's handling of the current economy crisis. Coverage: 1841

Woman's Suffrage Petition

A petition in favour of extending the right to vote to women, signed by 11,600 people, was collected by the Women's Christian Temperance Union and the Women's Suffrage League and was presented to the House of Assembly by the Hon. G C Hawker on 30th August 1894. It requested that women in the colony be granted the right to vote. The original petition can be viewed in Parliament House, Adelaide. The legislation giving women the right to vote was signed by Queen Victoria on 21/3/1895. Source: State Records, GRG 92/5. Coverage: 30 August 1894.

Pre-Civil Births, Deaths, Marriages

A collection of vital records of events occurring before civil registration of births, deaths and marriages began in 1842.

Source: collated from various sources, including newspapers, BISA, church records, etc. which are in some cases shown in the *Source2* or *Notes* field.

Police Appointments**District Constables – Appointments**

A list of district constables, their appointments, promotions and demotions. Coverage: 1875 to 1899.

First South Australian Police Force

A list of those who made up the first ever Police Force in South Australia in 1845. Source: Gazette.

Police Constables – Appointments, Promotions and Demotions

A list of constables, their appointments, promotions, and demotions. Source: Gazette. Coverage: 1857 to 1864.

Police Joining 1857-1866

Past & present members of the Police Force. *EventDate* is the date of joining. Source: Collected from Parliamentary Papers by Marion Hextall. Coverage: 1857 to 1866.

Police Gazette Names

Source: derived from the South Australian Police Gazettes. Coverage: 1862 to 1933, 1935 and 1937 to 1940.

Each record identifies a person named in an article. Note that this may be as the perpetrator of a crime, or as the victim, or for some other purpose altogether.

In most cases it will be necessary to view the relevant Police Gazette to get value from the reference, and page numbers (and photo numbers) are provided for this purpose. Digital copies of the Police Gazette can be viewed at the Genealogy SA Library. They are also online at Ancestry.

The South Australian Police Gazette database has been compiled from the printed Indexes as published in each volume of the Police Gazettes. Some obvious errors have been corrected. However, in most cases the original text has not been checked. The assistance of the SA Police Historical Society in providing the Police Gazette volumes is gratefully acknowledged.

The *Event* field contains a summary of the types or articles and/or events referenced - occasionally this is extended into *Notes* when there is a large number of events. *Source2* contains the corresponding page numbers. The events and pages are both generally in chronological order of publication, but the user is warned that they often do not correspond 1:1.

Where the *Event* field contains, for example. "(NSW)", it indicates that this/these articles were copied from the NSW Police Gazette or other NSW sources.

Postal/Telegraph Employees

Postal Office Employees

A list of employees of Post Offices with various occupations. Source: collected from Parliamentary Papers. Coverage: 1864 and 1875

Post Office / Telegraph Appointments

Source: Gazette. Coverage: 1852 to 1889

Telegraph Operators

Source: collected from Parliamentary Papers by Marion Hextall. Coverage: 1895

Railways Employees

Railway Employees

Source: unknown. Coverage: 1939 to 1941.

Railway Workers

Various: Source: Independent and Parliamentary Papers. Coverage: 1857, 1905, 1907, 1908, 1911, 1912.

1924: Source: Independent. Coverage: 1924.

1943: Source: Gazette. Coverage: 1 July 1943.

Stationmasters at Jamestown Railway Station

Source: unknown. Coverage: 1878 to 1956.

School Qualifying Certificates

Qualifying Certificate

Where recorded, the *Notes* field indicates if they qualified or not. Source: derived from the *Education Gazette*. Coverage: 1915 to 1922.

QC Supplementary Exam Results

The "QC supplementary exam results" were the results for students sitting for the supplementary examinations. Source: derived from the *Education Gazette*. Coverage: 1915 to 1920.

School Teachers

Moonta Teachers

Source: derived from the school journal provided by Marilyn Philbey of the Yorke Peninsula Family History Group. Coverage: 1907 to 1973.

Teachers, Headmasters, Headmistresses, and other roles

A list of staff at various schools and their position, where recorded.

Source #1: Parliamentary Papers. Coverage: 1858, 1860 to 1862, 1864 to 1877.

Source #2: School records. Coverage: 1867 to 1969.

Social Welfare & Charity

Includes Destitute Board and Asylum activities, but not inmates of the Destitute Asylum which are in the *Hospital & Asylum Admissions* dataset.

Destitute Board Apprenticeships

A list of persons with apprenticeships arranged by the Destitute Board. Source: collected from Parliamentary Papers by Marion Hextall. Coverage: 1883.

Destitute Children Placement

Source: Parliamentary Papers. Coverage: 1871 to 1872.

Destitute Labourers

Source: Parliamentary Papers 1859-14, 1870-106. Coverage: 1859 and 1870.

Relief from Destitute Boards

A list of destitute persons receiving relief, including reasons in *Notes*. Source: collected from Parliamentary Papers by Marion Hextall. Coverage: 1867.

Surveyor Registers

Surveyors 1898-1995

A list of registered surveyors. Source: various Gazette between 1898 and 1995. Coverage: 1853 to 1994.

5 Appendix B – Parliamentary Papers

Parliamentary papers include reports from government departments, Royal Commissions, Committees of Inquiry and other documents which have been presented to a Parliament and then ordered by Parliament to be printed.

The records provided in these groups are those persons referred to in the paper.

Many of these papers result in groups of records which are relatively small (often <100 records), and the groups are often difficult to categorise. The policy here is to have a Set for Parliamentary Papers and only store them in different Sets if there is some real value in doing so (e.g. Railway Employees).

Source: Majority of these were collected Papers by Marion Hextall.

PP Code	Parliamentary Paper Subject
1857-125	Tolmer & Alfold's Petitions
1858-18	Immigrant List 1858
1859-114	Destitute Labourers 1859 (road gangs, labor test)
1865-43	Immigrant List 1865
1867-213	Relief from Destitute Boards 1867
1867-91	Immigrant List 1867
1868/69-20	Enquiry into Diseases in Cereal Crops.
1868/69-77	Military Volunteer Forces Inquiry 1868
1870-106	Destitute Labourers 1870 (road gangs, labor test)
1873-64	Destitute Children Placement 1871-1872
1875-132	Petition against Stamp Duties Act 1875
1875-20	Mail Contracts 1875
1876-18	Sanitation Commission Witnesses 1876
1877-264	Overland Telegraph Bonuses 1877
1881-81	Mt Bryan children listed on petition for School 1881
1882-82	Manufacturing Districts Petition 1882
1883/84-224	Destitute Board Apprenticeships 1883
1884-75	Industrial School Eye Inspections 1884 (These occurred after an outbreak of measles in the Industrial School at Magill.)
1888-28	Commission on Land Laws of SA
1889-113	Travelling Stock Reserves Report
1890-32	Mining Commission
1890-33	Queensland Border Railway Commission
1890-33A	Queensland Border Railway Commission
1890-94	Royal Commission on The Water Conservation Dept.
1891-30A	Public Service Commission
1891-33	Pastoral Lands Commission
1892-34	Royal Commission - Graving Dock in Sth Aust.
1892-35	Royal Commission - South East Drainage System
1892-37	Shops and Factories Commission
1892-38	Orroroo and Port Germein Railway Commission
1893-59	Vermin Proof Fencing Commission
1894-83	Mail Contracts 1894
1895-113	Village Settlements Report
1896-113	Village Settlements Association Rules
1896-76	Beetaloo Waterworks Royal Commission
1897-76	Bundaleer Waterworks Commission
1898/99-77	Pastoral Lands Commission
1899-19	South-Eastern Drainage Commission
1899-37	Royal Commission - Renmark and Murray River Settlements
1899-42	Codlin Moth Regulations Report
1900-110	Military travel to Boer War and Boxer Rebellion
1900-111	Boxer Rebellion China - Crew of HMCS Protector
1900-20	Public Service Commission
1900-23	Main Roads Royal Commission
1900-37	Royal Commission - Renmark and Murray River Settlements

1902-22	Royal Commission - Railway to Pinnaroo
1903-23	Waterworks Commission report
1903-36	Adelaide Fruit & Produce Echange Report
1904-71	Report on the Alleged Sweating Evil
1906-20	Royal Commission - Trade of the South East
1907-20	Royal Commission - Charges against Produce Merchants
1907-22	Laura Railway Extension
1908-20	Royal Commission - Marketing of Wheat
1909-23	Royal Commission - Marketing of Wheat
1909-27A	Royal Commission - Railway to Willunga
1909-28	Royal Commission - Port Broughton Railway
1909-30	Royal Commission - Eyre's Peninsula Railways
1909-31A	Royal Commission - Murray Lands Railway
1910-21	Royal Commission - Railway Pt Germein to Pt Pirie
1910-61	Royal Commission - Railway Deviation at Goolwa
1910-81	Riverton Railway Incident
1911/12-130	Royal Commission - Adelaide Higher Levels Water Supply
1911/12-23	Royal Commission - Railway Eudunda to Robertstown.
1911/12-26	Royal Commission - Railway Kangaroo Island
1911/12-28	Royal Commission - Railway Booleroo Centre Extension
1911/12-30	Royal Commission - Murray Lands Railways
1911/12-51	Royal Commission - Eyre's Peninsula Railways
1911/12-67	Report on Irregularities in Electoral Claims
1911/12-87	Royal Commission - Border Railways
1912-20	Royal Commission - Eyre's Peninsula Railways
1912-25	Royal Commission - Northern Railways Riverton & Spalding
1912-30	Royal Commission on Electoral Registration
1912-33	Royal Commission - Murray Lands Railways
1912-34	Royal Commission - Eudunda & Murray Flats Water Supply
1912-55	Royal Commission - Narrow-Gauge Extension & Break of Gauge
1912-73	Royal Commission - Murray Lands Railways
1913-26	Royal Commission on The Aborigines
1913-89	Seaport at Cape Thevenard report
1914-20	Royal Commission - Sedan Railway
1914-24	Management of the Metropolitan Abattoirs
1914-27	School of Mines and Industries, 1913 exams
1914-65	Crown Lands, Remission of Residence Conditions
1915-32	River Murray and Murray Lands Produce Report
1915-33	Port Hughes to Maitland Railway Report
1915-36	Rendelsham Estate Purchase
1915-62	Crown Lands, Remission of Residence Conditions
1915-64	School of Mines and Industries, 1914 exams
1916-20	Royal Commission - Port Adelaide Road Contracts
1916-21	Royal Commission - The Aborigines
1916-23	Royal Commission - Sedan Railway
1916-25	Royal Commission - Balaklava Railway Deviation
1916-27	Royal Commission - Electoral Matters
1916-30	Royal Commission - Electoral Matters
1916-50	Royal Commission - Water Supply - Eyre Peninsula
1916-51	Royal Commission - Water Supply - Murray Lands
1916-60	Royal Commission - North Terrace Reserves & Railway Centres
1916-61	Metropolitan Abattoirs Act - Amendment Report
1916-64	Standing Committee on Railways - Burrungul to Kongorong
1916-65	Standing Committee on Railways - Eyre Peninsula
1917-22	Royal Commission - Municipalisation of Gas & Electric Services
1917-29	Public Works Engineer-in-Chief's Dept: employees enlisted AIF to 30th June 1917
1917-29	Public Works Hydraulic Engineers Dept: employees enlisted AIF to 30th June 1917
1917-31	Standing Committee on Railways: Gumeracha
1917-32	Standing Committee on Railways: Wandana to Hundred of Bice
1917-43	Roseworthy students enlisted in military service
1917-47	Railway Employees died on active service
1917-51	Royal Commission - Water Supply - Mount Gambier
1917-52	Royal Commission - Water Supply - Baroota Creek Reservoir
1917-53	Royal Commission - Water Supply - Petersburg
1917-60	Mount Gambier Show Grounds Enquiry
1917-61	Royal Commission - North Terrace Reserves & Railway Centres

1917-65	Govt Produce Dept Staff enlisted AIF
1917-89	River Torrens Drainage Bill Report
1917-90	Port Adelaide River Report
1918-20	Royal Commission - North Terrace Reserves & Railway Centres
1918-21	Royal Commission - Hannaford's Quarry
1918-27	Royal Commission - Wheat Scheme & Rural Industries
1918-29	Public Works Engineer-in-Chief's Dept employees enlisted AIF to 30th June 1918
1918-29	Public Works Hydraulic Engineers Dept employees enlisted AIF to 30th June 1918
1918-29	Public Works Supply & Tender Board Dept: officers on active service
1918-33	Royal Commission - South Australian Wheat Scheme
1918-34	Royal Commission - South Australian Wheat Scheme
1918-35	SA Harbors Board: employees enlisted AIF
1918-47	Railway Employees died on active service during year ended 30 June 1918
1918-49	Royal Commission - Water Supply - Spring Creek & Mount Remarkable
1918-50	Royal Commission - Water Supply - Rating System
1918-51	Royal Commission - Water Supply - Murray Flats
1918-56	Royal Commission - Govt Land Purchases
1918-60	Queensland Border Railway
1918-61	Hanson to Booborowie Railway Report
1918-62	Proposed Railway near Mannum
1918-63	Proposed Railway: Port Adelaide Corporation Quarry to Salisbury
1918-64	Proposed Railway: South East
1918-65	Proposed Railway: Bowmans to Snowtown
1918-77	Motor Vehicles Bill Report
1918-80	West Terrace Cemetery Report
1918-81	Settlement of Soldiers & Repatriation Dept Report