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VERTICAL FILES A

ADAMS, Herbert Wallace . Photocopies of photos of Herbert Wallace (1899-1966) and Dorothy Jean (1906-1979) (nee YOUNG, daughter of Robert Muir YOUNG). Includes some handwritten notes. (2p.)

ADDIS, Elsie Dorothy Shirley (nee DIXON).

Mrs Addis was born in Albany in 1935, and died in 2006. File contains obituary from the *Albany Advertiser* 29/8/2006. She was an outgoing, community-minded woman who was active in Albany, Nyabing and other communities. She married and had three daughters, whom she brought up after her husband left. In 1975 she married Trevor ADDIS of Nyabing, and started to develop her artistic talents, and later became President of the Albany Art Group. (1p.)

ADDISON, Mark. Extracts from his journal February 1852 held at the State Library of Victoria 5p. (Courtesy Jeanne E. Jordan, Newtownabby, N. Ireland). Ship called at Albany en route; description of harbour; could not land at townsite due to fever of one passenger.

ALBANY, Frederick. Duke. Third and favourite son of George III (1p.)

ANDERSON FAMILY.

- Arthur Charles ANDERSON (aged 36) married Margaret Elizabeth Sapphire Violet Jones KEARON (aged 22) in 1896. In 1897 Violet Clare, later known as AENID Violet Clare was born in Southampton, England. In 1900 Marion ANDERSON was born. Arthur Charles ANDERSON probably died of syphilis in 1908. His wife Margaret Elizabeth may have visited her parents in Ireland, then came to Western Australia. She lived in Claremont, close to the river.
- A relative, Lillian Violet ANDERSON (born 1885), married Isaac MATSON (mine manager) in New Zealand. She died in Perth in 1915 aged 30.
- AENID Violet ANDERSON married Harold George MANLEY in 1913. File contains an incomplete family tree and a typed letter from Aenid written in 1978 probably to her sister MARION. The family tree and this letter were made available

to the Albany History Collection by John MANLEY. (5p.incl. photo)

ANDERSON, (Black) Jack. (pirate) *West Australian* 20/7/1974. Article by Alex Harris (1p.)

ANDERSON, Robert. 1866-1954. Sergeant in police force. In November 1937, world club-swinging champion. *Albany Advertiser* 29/10/1931. (2 copies). Also article on his retirement from police force. (2 copies)

ANDREWS, James. 1797-1882. Alias for John Bailey PAVEY and John WILLIAMS. Convict escaped to Western Australia. Died Nunijup on 10 acres at Hay River. (5 p. typescript by Campbell Beer, October 2005).

ANGOVE, Harold. Newscutting reporting the marriage of Harold ANGOVE, son of Mr. W.H. ANGOVE of Albany to May BIRD, daughter of the Rev. T. BIRD in Perth in December 1907 at the Manse in Ord Street. They will reside in Albany. (1p.)

ANGOVE, Thomas. 1823-1889. Family came to Australia 1855. Family tree to 1995. (3 copies)

ANNICE, James. 1806-1884. Born Bedfordshire, England. To Albany 1835; friend of William DIPROSE and John WHITE; explored round Albany; and claimed to have found Cape Riche. Trader. Married 1st – Swedish girl Petronella STROMBERG who had come out with CHEYNE family. Married 2nd – Ann MOONEY; shifted to Boyup Brook.

ARBBER, Prudence. 1852-1932. H.I.H. IFFLA. Shepherdess in Plantagenet district.

ARMSTRONG, Alexander. 1821-1901. Sergeant in Highland Regiment. Wife Christina GROAT. Arrived Australia 28/1/1862 on "Lancelle". Family group sheet from Genealogical Society of Victoria.

VERTICAL FILES B

BAESJOU, Joannes Antonius. (died 1867). Copy of letter from researcher looking for the date of his arrival in Australia from Cardiff in the Dutch vessel "Ferdinandina Emma" which arrived in March 1851. Information required for the Welcome Wall. (1p.)

BANNISTER, Thomas . VF contains photocopy of allotment of land in Albany no. 16 Section B. Dated 5/2/1835.

BARKER, Collet (1784 – 1831) Review of book "Commandant of solitude" by John Mulvaney and Neville Green. *West Australian* 17/10/1992.

BARLEE, Sir Frederick. Copy of article in the Journal of the Royal WA Historical Society by J. Honniball "The country tours of a Colonial Secretary". 32p.

BATELIER, George Louis. Born Victoria. 1857-1938. Married 1881 Bedella Smith. Two sons Victor George (b. 1882) Claude James (1887-1971). To W.A. 1897. Photocopy of letters, family history, photocopy of tombstone of Claude James.

BEATTY, Herbert (Bert). Born Wangaratta, Vic. 1901; died Albany 1977. Married Hope WYLIE 1939. Farmer and motor mechanic in early years. Migrated to W.A. 1928 driving alone by car from Melbourne to Perth to take up marginal land at Babakin. *Transcription of diary of trip with photographs also in Vertical Files.* Managed stock and general agency at Narembeen. Family moved to Albany in 1952 (Hare Street). He built the service station at Golf links and Middleton Roads (photo in photographic collection). Farmed from 1957 at Narrikup.

BELL, John. Born Armadale, W.A. 4th December 1935, died 13th March 1996. Commercial pilot and whale spotter for Cheynes Beach Whaling Co. at Albany 1961 for ten years. From 1973, a casual pilot for the whaling company until the end of whaling operations in Albany in 1978. Concurrently set up the original Whaling Museum at Frenchman Bay. Oral history recording (two audio tapes 140 min and transcript) in Albany History Collection.

BELLANGER, Winefrede. To W.A. in 1899 to marry Pierre Bellanger in St. Mary's Cathedral in Perth. First to Toodjay then to Nornalup in 1910.

BENSON, Dorothy Anne 1888-1970 nee Reece. Born England. To W.A. with Bellanger family – Toodjay then Nornalup. Married Swedish born Karl, known as Charlie Benson, builder.

BENSON, Gerard. Born 1926. Youngest of 6 children of Dorothy and Charlie Benson.

BEST, John and Barbara Ruth (nee MacKenzie). Lived at King River and Lower King.

BIDWELL, Edward John. VF contains copy of his Articles of Agreement (1890) with the West Australian Land Company as linesman for the telephones, wires etc. for the Great Southern Railway. Formerly a plumber in Royal Engineers.

BIRCHALL, George. Died 21/5/1873 aged 7. Newscutting from *Western Mail*, 1927.

BISHOP, William. Brickmaker to W.A. 1885 with wife Susannah and five children. 2 p. typed.

BLACKBURN, Alexander. Died 1914 aged 84. VF contains copy of death certificate.

BLACKBURN, John. Born England 26/5/1842. Engineer. To Melbourne 1874. To Albany 1890 for 18 months designing and carrying out works at the Forts.

BLACKBURNE, Dr. G.H.S. (1874 to 17/11/1920) Killed in railway accident. Profiles of Dr. Blackburne and family. Correspondence with Albany History Collection. Copy of letter from Commonwealth Military Forces 16/10/1917 expressing appreciation of his help at the "Rocks" military hospital. Newscuttings on his death and report of funeral. Documents donated to Albany History Collection.

BLACKBURNE, Article on voluntary work undertaken by a Mr. Blackburne at hospitals in Albany and Denmark during World War II.

BLAINEY, Geoffrey. Vancouver Bicentenary lecture. Newscuttings from *Albany Advertiser* 8th & 10th October 1991.

BRASSEY, Thomas 1st Earl Brassey. 1836-1918. In VF photocopy of information 2p. Also article on Lady Anna BRASSEY.
BRIERLEY, Barbara. Memorial newscuttings and family death records.

BROWN, Joseph. Copy of Agreement of employment as ship hand with John HASSELL 23/2/1872; also copy of Ticket of Leave.

BRUCE, John and Alice (nee BISPHAN). Married 1881 in St. John's Albany (John aged 30). Sandalwood cutter near Bruce Rock. Lived in Albany. Family connected to MCKENZIES. 12 p. typed.

BURTON, Charles (born Berwick England 1/12/1881). Photocopies and negatives of Discharge from Mercantile Marine office 1903-5; boat licence as Master of harbour or river steamer at Albany 24/10/1904; certificate as engine driver 12/10/1927; permit to board ships from the Commonwealth National Security. 30/5/1946.

BUSSELL, Alfred (1813 –1882) and Ellen. To Swan River Colony and Augusta 1829. Photocopy from W.A. Historical Society Journal. 12p.

VERTICAL FILES C

CABAGNIOL, Julie. (d. 4/5/1895) Founding Mother of Missionary Sisters of St. Joseph of the Apparition in Albany 2/12/1878. 12p. booklet.

CAMFIELD, Henry and Anne. Henry and Anne by Bonnie Hicks. 73p. photocopy 1964.

CAMFIELD, Henry.

- Photocopies of papers submitted to Land Administration by Arthur Swift, a relative of Henry Camfield, re naming a new suburb in Perth "Camfield".
- CAMFIELD, Henry. Article re naming of Burswood after his home in Burswood in Kent. 10p. (*Land at Burswood may have been granted to Henry Camfield when he arrived at the Swan River Settlement. BHL*).

CARPENTER, Alan. Premier of Western Australia. Extract from *Weekender* 26/1/2007. Also *Albany Advertiser* 2/2/2006.

CARTER, William Gillen (1891-1982). Notes by D.A.P. West 2p. handwritten.

CASTLEDINE, Benjamin. (1822- 1907) Photocopy of newscutting on his death in *Albany Advertiser* 15/5/1907. 4p.

CHESTER. George (1826-1893) and Eliza (1837-1931). Why do we call it Chester Pass Road? A brief history of the Chesters in Albany by Alison Seager. 14p.incl. map.

CHEYNE, George.

- Photocopy from Court records 3/5/1837 Thomas Brooker Sherratt vs George Cheyne before W.H. Mackie.
- Builders of Albany; George Cheyne. Paper prepared by Robert Stephens for presentation to the W.A. Historical Society, 27/7/1951. 12p. (*Note: In this article Stephens incorrectly uses the name George Macartney Cheyne, who was a nephew of George Cheyne. BHL*)
- CHEYNE, George. Cheyne family and connections with Western Australia. Includes Muir, Moir, Melville etc. family trees. Approx. 150p.

- CHEYNE, George. The Cheyne family in Australia. Photocopy from "Marriage Lines" edited by Meg Probyn. 30p.

CLIFTON, Gervase. 1863-1932.

Son of W.C. CLIFTON. Educated Adelaide (St. Peters) and Hobart. To England with P&O. Returned to W.A. 1892. In 1898 became Curator of Intestate Estates at the Supreme Court, Perth. File contains photocopy from Encyclopedia of W.A. and death notice from *The West Australian*.

CLIFTON, Marshall Waller (1787-1861). Family tree. 30p. (Australind –uncle of W.C. Clifton)

CLIFTON, William Carmalt. (1820-1885)

- CLIFTON, William Carmalt. Notes on family and career; includes information on M.W. Clifton and family. 30p.
- CLIFTON, William Carmalt. Notes on family. 3p.

COCKBURN-CAMPBELL, Sir Alexander.

- COCKBURN-CAMPBELL, Sir Alexander. Newscutting from the *West Australian* 1/7/1935. Report of his death. His wife had died in 1926. He was survived by two children. (1p)
- COCKBURN-CAMPBELL, Alexander and family. Handwritten and typed copy of notes by Bonnie Hicks. 6p.
- COCKBURN-CAMPBELL, Sir Alexander and Thomas Cockburn-Campbell by Bonnie Hicks. 65p. Includes illus. of crests. Unbound. Photocopied.
- COCKBURN-CAMPBELL. Sir Thomas 1845-1892. Extract from Australian Dictionary of Biography. (1p)

COLLIE, Alexander Dr.

- COLLIE, Alexander. Expeditions. 4p.
- COLLIE, Alexander. Photocopy of letter from Governor Stirling re Collie. 2p.
- COLLIE, Alexander. Photocopy of Collie's grave. *Countryman* 25/5/1964. 2 copies.
- COLLIE, Alexander. A Sketch of his Life. Photocopy. *West Australian* 13/3/1936.

CONWAY, Charles. (1867-1950) Pharmacist Geraldton and Wagin. 14p.

COOK, Solomon (1813-1871)

- Solomon COOK, Builder. Paper researched and written by Greta Kuchling (Great granddaughter). Read to W.A. Historical Society 20/11/1985. 36p. Includes list of references.
- COOK, Solomon. Photocopies of newscuttings. 14p.

COOPER, William Carey (1826-1887) Family tree. 5p.

COWDEN, Harry (1881-1926). Photocopies of family history and letters. 23p.

COWLE, Mary (nee BIRD) and FELIX (also known as PAT). Diary of Mary Cowle from 1896-1900. Mary spent 4 years in Cue following her marriage in Albany to Melbourne barrister Felix Cowle. Diary records the transport problems to their home in Cue, 400 km north-east of Geraldton, growth of railway, weather, mines and miners, gradual growth of the town, and the influence of the townspeople and visitors (210 typed pages). Also includes a note written in 1960 of the changes that took place after Mary left, with the emphasis moving away from mining to the grazing of cattle and sheep. *Copyright held by Pat Ridley, a niece of Mary Cowle.*

There is also an account of a murder in the Mosque in January 1896 when TAGH MAHOMET was stabbed by GOULAM MAHOMET, and the subsequent trial. Copied from a news report. (5 typed pages)

CROXFORD, Eileen Jessie (1912-2006). Appreciation of her life written by grandchildren Harry Tysoe and Sue Dempster. 7p. Includes photo. 2 copies.

CULL, Matthew (1848-1938) Obituary for Matthew Cull published in *The Western Mail*. Born in Tipperary Ireland, only son in a family of eight, arrived in Western Australia on the ship "Berkshire" in 1855. Undertook a variety of jobs, and for nearly 60 years was sexton and gravedigger for St. Johns Church, He married Sarah Ann Hogg in 1868, and built his own house in Middleton Road. They had a family of fifteen children. (1p.)

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DALE, Bryan. Born Cornwall 1896. Joined merchant shipping. In 1916 joined Field Ambulance unit. Sent to Gallipoli. Wounded. In England married Ellen (nurse) in 1917 (died 1958). Family migrated to Western Australia with other Group Settlers to Denmark area in 1924. After a few years they moved to Albany where he found work with the Main Roads Dept, rising to Supervisor. Five children. Married Edith in 1963. (6 typed pages)

DALE, Robert, Ensign (1809-1853). Photocopied extract from "Bush Tucker Man" by Les Hiddins. Born England. With 63rd Regiment. Government Assistant Surveyor under J.S. Roe; competent artist and lithographer. Expedition to King George Sound 1832 to investigate reported grains growing in the Stirling Range vicinity. Returned to England in 1833. Copies of his journals were taken to England by Stirling.

DANBY, William Henry. Born Shropshire 1852 died ? 1871. Brief notes on research in England. Includes 3 photos of graves.

DARWIN, Charles (1809-1882).

- Photocopy of extract from "Voyage of the Beagle" on Darwin's visit to King George Sound February 1836. (4p.)
- Photocopy of article on Darwin's visit to Albany by Ron Colgate. *Albany Advertiser* 6/4/1970.

DAY, W.J. of Day & Phillips, Bakers. Presentation of award to Mrs. W.H. Angove for her 40 year patronage of the firm at a gathering of the oldest clients in the Lower Town Hall. On his retirement, Mr. Day outlines history of firm. Photocopy from *Albany Advertiser* 26/10/2000.

DEEMING, Frederick Bailey. Photocopy of reports from the Public Records of Victoria; an interactive display. (8p.) Also notes by Robert Stephens (1p.) and copies of report from the *Prescott Reporter* 19/3/1892. (3 copies)

DE GARIS, Clement John (1884-1925).

- DE GARIS, Clement John. Photocopy from *Truth*, Melbourne 15/3/1924. "Mildura boy wonder".

- DE GARIS, Clement John. Photocopy from *Truth* 17/1/1925. "Australia's greatest confidence inspirer; history of Melbourne's subdivision scheme".
- DE GARIS, Clement John. Study of De Garis. (15p.) Includes photocopy of airplane, portrait, and presentation at the opening of his office at Capital House, and a list of 31 newspaper articles. This story of C.J. De Garis states the study is the property of Albert De Pledge, per favour Veema De Garis, daughter of C.J. and V.
- DE GARIS, Clement John. Photocopy of newscutting "A tribute to C.J. De Garis by Albert De Pledge. (1p. 2 copies)

DE HAMEL, Lancel Victor. (1858-1891)

- Booklet, "Reply of Lancel Victor De Hamel to the slanders of Mr. T.W. Powell". 24p. Rebuffs comments made by Thomas Wilde Powell, Chairman of the W.A. Land Company at the ceremony of the driving of the last spike of the Great Southern Railway in December 1888.
- Letter of thanks 7/11/1978, about a request from a daughter of De Hamel for a plaque to be placed on the wall of the Albany Town Hall.
- Also letter of 3/2/1979 from Alan Campbell of Glasgow, Scotland, to Mayor of Albany advising that the tablet to his grandfather's memory was despatched by post in October, and should arrive shortly. Four bronze screws for mounting have been left with Mrs Nancy Campbell. He also enclosed photo of tablet, which is included in this file.

DEMPSTER FAMILY. Notes from Marion Dempster's journal. She married Dr. John Bryce Dunlop, Govt. Medical Officer, Northam. Brief family history. (1p.)

D'ENTRECASTEAUX, Brunei. (1739-1793 in Java) Copy of letter containing information on D'Entrecasteaux and his family from the village in France. Includes his exploration in the South Pacific and the coast of Western Australia. *In English and French.*

DIMER, Heinrich (Henry). Henry Dimer and friend jumped ship in 1884. They were found on the beach by Campbell Taylor, who took them to Candyup at Lower Kalgan and later to his property near Esperance. Photocopied extract from "Elsewhere fine" by Karl Dimer. South West Publishing Company, 1989. (6p.)

DIPROSE, William and Ann. To Albany 1835-36 to build the house at the Old Farm Strawberry Hill. Photocopy of family history. (28p.)

DIPROSE, William and Ann. Old Farm builder had eventful career. *Countryman* 7/4/1966 by Bonnie Hicks.

DOUGLAS FAMILY.

- Photocopy of newscutting on the death of Ernest Albert (Bert) Douglas. Includes mention of Captain Fred Douglas and Captain Alfred Douglas and the schooner "Grace Darling", and his father Captain William Douglas, who saved the lives of people from the wreck off Rottneest of the barque "City of York" in 1899. (1p.)
- Also newscutting from the *Albany Advertiser* on the appointment of Ron Douglas as Agent General in London.
- Also letter from L.L. Hill on the Douglas family. *Albany Advertiser* 20/4/1961.
- Photocopy of family tree of Douglas family, descendants of Joseph and Mary (nee Lodge) DOUGLAS, and in particular the descendants through Thomas and Phoebe Douglas, who migrated with two children from Essex, England, to Western Australia on the "Sabrina" in June 1852. Researched by Bob Douglas and other members of the family. (photocopy 100 plus pages)

DOUTTY, William Clement. (1798-1862) Died in Albany. Captain of ships to Albany. Married in Sydney 1838. In 1852 appointed Lloyds Agent and the Australian Royal Mail Company in Albany. Family corresponded with Albany Town Clerk and Audrey Dunn in 1971. Includes 10 pages of family history and tree.

DUNN FAMILY of Cocanarup. "The Dunns of Cocanarup" by Marion Brockman (16p.) Includes list of sources. James Dunn was born in Kent in 1813. To Albany 1834 as ship's carpenter. Includes photocopy of blacksmith apprenticeship papers for James Dunn 1826. From "Early Days" (1970) Vol 11. Part 4. p.429-445.

DUNN, James Richard. (1812-1875) Photocopy of notes with some photos. 5p.

DYMES, Ann. (died England 1937) Sister of Frank Dymes. *Albany Advertiser*. 14/1/1937; 25/1/1937; 19/7/1937. Toc H, Girl Guides, Boy Scouts all express appreciation of her help.

DYMES, Frank. (1849-) Born England, educated England. Lawyer in Albany from the age of 34. American Consul. Encouraged the American Great White Fleet to call at Albany in 1907, only port of call in W.A. Married Belinda Nicholson (nee Hassell) in 1906. Photocopy of article by Bonnie Hicks in *Albany Advertiser* 10/3/1972.

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EATON FAMILY. 1902-1978. Handwritten notes by Dorrit HUNT (5p.)

Mrs EATON wrote poetry which was published in *The Bulletin*, *Albany Writes*, and other publications.

EDWARDS, Colin. Photocopy from *Albany Advertiser* 18/9/1979 of article on his life in the Tom Allen Memorial Home for boys run by the Methodist Church. He mentions his friendship with Harry Butler during their time at the home. Colin Edwards was sports editor of the *Albany Advertiser*. (1p.)

EVANS FAMILY.

"The Evans Family as I Remember" by Edwyn Evans (4p.); an account written in 2008 about Gwilym and Eleanor Evans migrating from Wales to Albany 1927 with their six children, and their subsequent lives. Gwyn b. 1911, Trevor b. 1913, Cyril b. 1916, Leslie b. 1918, Edwyn b. 1923, Olwen b. 1925. Notes the harsh times faced by pioneering farming families in the Great Depression.

Also included is a family tree tracing the descendants of John Evans, b. 1796 and Daniel James b. 1818 including the Evans family in 20th century Albany.

See also: Genoni, John A. "My Albany Memories and Stories" p. 106. Photo of school children in the 1930's including Olwen and Eddie Evans. Photo also in Albany History Collection Photographs. See also: TIMEWELL FAMILY

EYRE, Edward John (1815-1901)

- Extracts from Journals of his expeditions 1840-41). (4p.)
- EYRE, E.J. The unveiling of a continent by Russell S. Clark (4p.) Photocopy from *Walkabout* 1/6/1936. (2 copies)
- EYRE, E.J. Photocopied extract of brief outline of his expeditions and career. Ex-Service Organization publication n.d. (1p. 2 copies)
- EYRE, E.J. Photocopied extract of information on Eyre Creek, Lake Eyre, and Eyre Peninsula. (2p. 3 copies)
- EYRE, E.J. Photocopy of extract from *Albany Advertiser* 31/12/1941 of review of *Waterless Horizons* by Malcolm Uren and Robert Stephens. (1p.)

- EYRE, E.J. Draft (by Robert Stephens) of the address at the unveiling of memorial to Eyre at Allambie Park. 12/8/1967. (two typed pages)
- EYRE, E.J. Photocopy of Robert Stephens and Mayor Formby at the unveiling of memorial to Eyre and Wylie. (1RS/952P)
- Photocopies of sketches of Eyre, Wylie, and photograph of Colonel Eyre, great nephew of E.J.Eyre.
- EYRE, E.J. Photocopy of letter from Eyre in Jamaica in response to letter from William Clifton, relating to unpaid taxes on land Eyre owned in Albany. Eyre states he does not remember or have papers, but believes that when he was in New Zealand he sold these to Sir George Grey. (3p. and typed copies) Also plans showing plot ownership of land in York and Duke Streets drawn by Phillip Chauncey 1851. (4 copies).
- EYRE, E.J. Letter 29/6/1992 from Secretary of Governor to Mayor of Albany accompanying photocopies of three letters from Eyre connected with the discovery of remains of Baxter. (1p.)
- DERBY, Earl of. Photocopy of letter 24/1/1883 from the Earl of Derby, Downing St. to Governor of W.A. Sir William Robinson. He has communicated news of the discovery of the remains of John Baxter to the Royal Geographical Society and to E.J. Eyre. (2p.)
- EYRE, E.J. Letter (16/1/1883) to the Earl of Derby, acknowledging receipt of news of remains of Baxter, and enclosing a letter to Sir William Robinson. (3p.)
- EYRE, E.J. Letter 16/1/1883 to Governor Robinson. He has received a copy of a letter from Mr. Graham, station master on the telegraph line at Eyre Station reporting discovery of bones supposed to be those of John Baxter. Expresses his thanks. (2p.) Also 2 photos of Baxter Memorial.
- 1991 Re-enactment. ROYAL WEST AUSTRALIAN HISTORICAL SOCIETY. Letters and notes of support to assist in planning for celebrations for the re-enactment commemorating 150th anniversary of Eyre's journey from Fowlers Bay to Albany 1841. May 1989; 21/4/1990; 15/5/1990; also letter from W.T. (Bill) Graham 28/4/1990 with suggestions on planning, and route to be taken.
- *Albany Advertiser* newscutting 9/7/1991 with report on completion of walk taking nearly 5 months by three

participants. Reception in Town Hall, and comments on planning and organization by Bill Graham. Map and comments on route (5+ copies)

- FOWLERS BAY Progress Association. Letter 25/2/1991 to Mayor of Albany sending greetings to Albany on the occasion of the re-enactment of journey of E.J. Eyre in 1841. Handwritten. (1p.)

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FAULKNER FAMILY. Henry and Louisa Faulkner arrived from England with their eight children in Albany in 1891. They established Surrey dairy on Middleton Rd. Sons Gilbert and Hugh moved to the Porongurups and established Balganup and Karribank in 1908. Brief family history, newscuttings and obituaries from *Countryman*, *Albany Advertiser* and photocopies of family members and family gatherings.

FERRY, Olive Blanche (1891-1985). Born in Delaware, South Australia, youngest of twelve children. Family moved to Western Australia in 1904 and settled at Woogenellup on property called "Burnside". Married in 1913 to W.R. Ferry at All Saints Church in Mt. Barker. Lived at his farm, Nindiups. Had a large family. Describes family life and development of Woodgenellup area, including schools. (19p.)

FESTING, Colston. (1795-1870) Retired as Rear Admiral. Captain of the "Fly" and "Amity". In 1842 married Margaret Marwood in York (England). Some of his family moved to Australia about 1912. Photocopy of portrait, and stories of family.

FINLAY, William (1840-1886). Born Dublin; family moved to W.A. 1850. Married in Busselton in 1861 to Sarah Coppin. Joined Police Force. First Mayor of Albany. Inspector of Local police. Newscuttings.

FISHER, Nehemiah (Henry) Harding. Died 1898 aged 79 years. Born Cape Cod. Captain of whaling ships. Married Jane Mottrem. 2 daughters. Catherine married John Phillip Gorman; Mary Jane married Henry Permain. (7p.)

FLINDERS, Matthew. Extract from 2 articles, including *Weekend Australian Magazine* 29/9/2001.

FORSTER, William Frear (1857-1932). Journalist, born Northumberland. Migrated to W.A. in 1886 with wife Ann. Sporting editor for *West Australian* until 1888, when he moved to Albany and helped De Hamel set up the *Albany Advertiser*. Owner and editor until 1891. Notes by Wendy Birman for Australian Dictionary of Biography. (4p.)

FREEMAN, Billy. Born England. Migrated to Australia. Trained for Ministry. Married Linda Squire in Mt. Barker. Joined Albany Baptist Church. On July 30, 1975 he was made a Freeman of Albany in recognition of his service to the town. Newscutting from *Albany Advertiser* 7/6/1979.

FROST, Susan. Died June 1987. Funeral mass.

FURNISS, Harry. (1854-1925). Caricaturist and illustrator for *Illustrated London News* and *Punch*. Extract on visit to Albany in 1898. Subjects include Quarantine station, characters in the town, shipping gold from the Port. (3p.)

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GABLEISCH FAMILY. *Alternate spellings GABLISH, GABLEISH.* Nicholas (Meikless) born 1850 in Vrboska, Yugoslavia. Died Albany 7/3/1935. Came to Australia in 1870's as first mate on sailing ship. Bought a ketch and took passengers to and from sailing ships. Married in Fremantle in 1875 Margaret Ann NICHOL. He later became a market gardener and ran a dairy on Middleton Road. File includes photocopy of story and photos in *Great Southern News* 12/1/1983, with references to book "Echoes of the past" by Mavis Verschuer. File includes family tree.

GAMBLE, Robert and Eliza. Family in Albany in 1830's. Requests in 2000 for information on their family to supplement the records they presently hold.

GATCHELL, Joseph. American seafarer and whaler visited Australia in the 1840's. Recollects his time in King George Sound, particularly the sale of rum, probably by T.B. SHERRATT. When he attended the Octagon Church on Sunday, he found the consumption of alcohol was condemned. Records incident on whaling ship from Two Peoples Bay. Also his impressions of Hobart. (4p)

GEAKE, Digory Sergent. (1792-1867) (*Digory may also be spelt Diggory*)
Arrived Fremantle January 1830 with wife Elizabeth and daughter Jan, aged 14. To King George Sound in 1831. This memorandum of Geake's life was compiled by Richard HARDIE in 1968 and outlines Geake's life in the Albany area through his and official correspondence and reports. His daughter Jane died in Perth at the age of 17 in 1833, and his wife in February 1861. Examines his applications for land, his brief career as auctioneer and as publican. (15p.)

GEAKE, Thomas (1812-1888). Brother of Digory Geake. Came to Albany from Sydney about 1860, after spending time in Sydney, and prior to that in Canada. His wife, Elizabeth, ran a boarding house in Stirling Terrace. They had five children:
MARY (b.1836) m. George POWNEY.
JANE (b.& d. 1838);
JANE JACKETT (b.1839 d. 1915) m. Alex BLACKBURN (d, 1914);
ELIZABETH (b. 1843) m. Edward PETTIT;

RICHARD DIGORY (b. 1853).

Memorandum which may also have been compiled by Richard HARDIE gives history of this family, including a family tree. Digory left his estate to his brother Thomas. (20p.)

GEAKE FAMILY. Letter from Richard HARDIE in 1968, with information on his research into the Geake family. (3p.)

GENONI, John Angelo. (1913-2007). Obituary in *Albany Advertiser* 4/9/2007 gives outline of his life and achievements. He had a serious accident at the age of 10 which could have incapacitated him for life, but he undertook a strict fitness and body building regime, excelling at football and other sports. His interest in books encouraged him to write books and newspaper columns. He earned his living as a mechanic, farmer, builder and businessman. He married Lillian DUNDAS in 1941. He was influential in establishing the Rostrum Club in Albany, (1p.)

GIBB FAMILY OF KING RIVER. Seton GIBB and his wife Janet migrated from Scotland to Queensland in 1888, then to Sydney, finally settling in Albany in 1891. Bought 125 acres at King River and named the property "Balgownie". Children attended King River School with teachers Miss Davis, Miss Kippenberger, Miss Wilkinson, Miss Bond. This is a history of the family who worked on the farm growing vegetables, fruit etc. for sale in Albany, transported at first by horse and cart. Seton died in 1931. The farm was carried on by his wife with the help of son WILLIAM and his wife ANNE. In 1969 William and Anne moved from the farm, and built a house on Lower King Road. He started to plant trees and shrubs on a nearby reserve, which is now known as the WILLIAM GIBB RESERVE. William died in 1984. Son SETON Jr. bought a property in 1903 on the King River called "Bon Accord". Son ROBERT's property was "Aberfeldy". The vegetables and fruit were transported by boat to "Balgownie", then by road to Albany. Eight pages of handwritten history compiled for the 1988 bicentennial by Hedley GIBB, September, 1988.

GILBERT, John. First British naturalist to collect birds, animals, reptiles, plants and shells in W.A. (in 1839 and 1842). In 1843 he joined Leichardt on his expedition from Brisbane, and was killed by natives in 1846. He had been included in expeditions by John GOULD, who sent him to W.A. His letters and diary notes provide glimpses of life in W.A. at that time, and his work with other

collectors, e.g. Johan PREISS from Germany, James DRUMMOND and his son Johnston DRUMMOND, Francis Fraser ARMSTRONG, Dr. WALKER, George GREY, William Nairne CLARK, Archdeacon J.R. WALLASTON, Francis SINGLETON. He described and collected many birds, e.g. the mallee fowl, and at Harvey River he collected the first specimen of the noisy scrub bird. A memorial has been erected to him at this site.

This paper was prepared by Major E.M. WHITTELL and read to the W.A. Historical Society 27/4/1949. Published in Vol. 4. Part 1, 1949. (30p.)

GILLAM FAMILY.

- This account of the family was written by Alfred Yule GILLAM who was born 22/12/1905 at the Travellers Rest Inn at Tenterden. His parents were John Pretious and Florence GILLAM. Family moved to Cranbrook in 1908 where his mother kept a boarding house, and his brothers and father worked as contractors and surveyors. He attended Albany High School in 1920, but left to return to work in Cranbrook. Two of his brothers were killed in World War I.

In 1935 he left to work in Busselton, but returned to Cranbrook in 1938, where he opened a menswear business. Married Kathleen Pope in 1940. Attempted to join up in World War II, but was rejected on medical reasons. In 1943 he bought the A.G. GARDINER business from the Estate, which had contracts with several agencies and a mail contract. Business flourished, and he was made a J.P. In 1951 he sold the business and bought a farm, but retained interests in Cranbrook. Son took over farm. This file includes list of places of interest in the Cranbrook area, and list of residents in surrounding areas. (12 typed pages. 2 copies)

- GILLAM, EDWARD. Original copies of two pastoral leases to Edward GILLAM of Bolganup, first at Two People Bay for 2,000 acres no. A2980 on 1/7/1877; second on King George Sound for 2,000 acres at A2981 on 1/7/1877.
- GILLAM, Thomas Meadows. 2 pages of notes on family history, which suggests Thomas Meadows GILLAM may have come to Albany in 1834.

GLYNN, Robert Maurice McMahon (b. Adelaide 1940 - d. Albany 2007). Magistrate in Albany for 13 years from 1992. His life had demonstrated courage and humanity. At age 3 he was diagnosed with TB of the lung and left hip, and he was isolated in a sanatorium between Grange and Semaphore, S.A. He was there 4 years; his parents visited him every week. After several years of bone surgery he was discharged at age 10. He attended St. Ignatius College, Norwood, and eventually qualified for university, and studied law. He married Rosalie in 1966. On being admitted to the Bar he joined his uncle Patrick McMahon GLYNN in his law firm in Geraldton, moving to Albany in 1992. His wife worked for the Association for the Blind. Despite recurrent bouts of cancer Robert was always active and a keen sportsman. In his official duties as Magistrate he was held in high regard. (4 typed pages and photo). Written by Rosalie Glynn.

GOADBY FAMILY. Sapper Theodore GOADBY was sent from England to supervise the laying of electrical submarine mines across the entrance of Princess Royal Harbour. General HUTTON visited Albany, about 1902 and decided the harbour did not need the mines, because Fremantle harbour had been developed. The mines were removed.

Recollections of Mrs A. Winifred Love (nee GOADBY) who was born in Albany in December 1895. The family lived in a wooden house near the entrance to the harbour, and after they moved they heard the house had been bought by DE GARIS, and the building was moved to Kendenup. She also recollects that the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall arrived unexpectedly on the P&O ship "Ophir", because the Duchess had suffered severe seasickness in the Bight. It was decided they should go by train to Perth. Includes other glimpses of life in Albany before the family moved to Perth. Two handwritten pages of recollections.

GOODE, Alison.

- Elected to Shire 1996. First Mayor of City of Albany 1999. (From Destinations Magazine.) Reviews her achievements and aspirations for the City. (1p.)
- Short study of Alison Goode's life with photos. (From Country Life 15/6/1999)

GORDON, Margaret. Senior Project Officer for Commonwealth Youth Support Scheme in Albany. Awarded Albany Business

Woman of the Year 1983/84 for her work with young people. (4p.)
Photocopy from Discovering W.A. by John Barnett. 1986.

GORMAN, James and Emma. James was born in Bunbury in 1855 soon after the family arrived in W.A. He died at 80 in 1935, having lived a large part of his life in Mt. Barker and surrounding areas. He started as a butcher, became coachman for the Royal Mail between Albany and Kojonup; 1878-1881 whaling with Messrs Sherratt and McKenzie; 1881 Chockerup Inn; 1888 to Mt. Barker where he took over the Old Bush Inn, also known as Cooper's Inn. Emma GORMAN, nee BISHAM was born in 1861, and died about 1925 aged 64. (3 typed pages)

GRAHAM, Cecil Irving (1877-1957) Born in Western Australia, he was the fifth child of William Henry and Emma Christina GRAHAM of Fairfield, Etipup. He travelled to England as a child. He qualified as a Doctor at St. Mary's Hospital, London in 1895; became a respected ear, nose and throat surgeon. Retired to the Cornish town of Galant on the Fowey River. (2 typed pages, with obituary from British Medical Journal).

GRAHAM, William Henry. (1839-1905)

- Fairfield and its founder, William Henry GRAHAM by Robert STEPHENS. Photocopy from the W.A. Historical Society Journal Vol. 4. Pt. 6. (34p.)
The Chapters are numbered, and the subheadings are listed in this summary. The page numbers refer numbered pages in the Journal.
Chapter 1 (p. 47) Links with the past; William Henry GRAHAM; Albany, a village.
Chapter 2 (p.51) Birth of a settlement; pasture quests; West to Broke Inlet; Final choice made.
Chapter 3 (p.53) Fairfield 1865-1880; new names for two (marriage 8/8/1865) ; the man himself; signs of progress; country scene at twilight.
Chapter 4 (p. 60) Black helpers and hinderers; Bobbinet writes home; Natives go bush.
Chapter 5 (p. 64) Fairfield medical Samaritan; equine helpers and playmates; sport of pioneers.
Chapter 6 (p.67) With compass and chain; unofficial district surveyor.
Chapter 7 (p.69) The years of absence; the pageant of history.

Chapter 8 (p.72) Return to Fairfield; by-passed by the railway; the march of time.

Chapter 9 (p.75) Pioneers public service; a man of parts; services almost overlooked.

Chapter 10 (p.77) A Christian gentleman.

Chapter 11 (p.78) The last expedition; died in Melbourne aged 64; part of the fabric of history.

- GRAHAM, William Henry. Correspondence between Cecily McKAIL and the Albany History Collection for her research for her book, "Reflections on the McKail Family".

Some misconceptions had arisen about W.H. Graham's arrival in Albany, and his move to Etip in 1860. At that time, J. William GRAHAM (also known as Bill) lived in the Great Southern. Bill was about 15 when he arrived in W.A. and may have owned property. He later joined the telegraph as station master at Eyre's Patch, and was involved in locating the remains of John BAXTER, murdered companion of John Eyre (See 1RS/262M).

Cecily McKail's research also resulted in her contacting the Graham family in England, W.H. Graham's fifth son, Cecil Irving GRAHAM (1877-1957).

- GRAHAM, William Henry and family.
Photocopies of letters from Irene GRAHAM, Launceston, Tasmania about 1965 to Mr. De GRANCY. Irene GRAHAM was daughter-in-law to W.H. GRAHAM's son, MONTROSE. Her husband was Colin GRAHAM. Irene Graham particularly asks if Mr. De GRANCY has any recollection of FARQUHAR, elder son of W.H. GRAHAM, who died after a fall from a horse. Gives some family history. Suggests that one of the nurses assisting was Gussie WARBURTON, who was a cousin on Emma's side of the family. MONTROSE married her in 1903. Their son, COLIN, was born in Kalgoorlie in 1904.

MR De GRANCY replied saying he was born in Mauritius in 1882, and came to Albany in 1884. When about 8 or 9 he visited Fairfield, and recollects his visits and impressions. Regarding the accident he understood that the GRAHAMS enjoyed chasing kangaroos, using brumbies trained for the

sport. Farquhar's saddle slipped, and he crashed against a tree. (3 typed pages and three photocopies).

GRAY. Carol Joy (b.1941). Born in Gnowangerup. Married Stanley PALFREY.

Parents: Colin Joseph GRAY and Kathleen KNAPP.

Grandparents: George GRAY and Dorothy MARRIOTT.

Great Grandparents: Mohammed ABDULLAH and JAKBAM; Nilgan BEVAN and Margaret DAVIDSON. Provides some details of their heritage. (1p.)

GREEN FAMILY. Report in the *Albany Advertiser* for 23/1/1979. Descendants of the two main branches of the Green family to meet at Collingwood Park in March 1979. Jane and John GREEN who married in Albany in 1862 and Francis and James GREEN who came to Albany 25 years later. Families were united when John GREEN's son RICHARD married James GREEN's daughter Emily in 1897. Interesting story of old Albany families. (1p.)

John Underwood GREEN (b.1827) came to Albany in 1855 from Leicestershire. He was a carpenter and builder, and worked in Albany on Hillside Lodge, St. John's Hall, and the Methodist Church. In 1862 he married Jane EATON.

File contains transcript of Pioneers Day talk at the Albany Shire Council on the 7th June 1984 on "The Greens of Albany" by Jim Underwood GREEN, son of Edward Green. He gives a brief history of his family and their contribution to the town of Albany, in which he grew up. He notes big changes, especially in the shipping and the Port, compared to his present company Co-operative Bulk Handling. His uncles Victor and Edgar Green established Greens Hardware in York Street.

GREY, Sir George. Extract from Encyclopedia of New Zealand. (4p.)

GREY, Sir George and Lady GREY (nee SPENCER).

Recollections of Sir George and Lady Grey in a privately published book "Memoirs of early days in South Australia" by Mrs. G.T. WATTS. Describes them as a happy handsome couple, but separated by the grief over the death of their son. Extract from letter from J.M. Christie. (1p.)

GREY, Sir George and Lady GREY (nee SPENCER). Photocopy from the *Australian Advertiser* 10/8/1894. Story of the unhappy marriage of Sir George and Lady Grey, and their reconciliation in later life. (1p.)

GRYLLS, John Couch. (1793-1854) Letter 10/1/2002 to Joan BARTLETT, author of "Built to Last" from the Rev. Edward DONCASTER who is researching the lives of Anglican priests in W.A. His problem arises from his research into the identity of Lucinda Petronella GRILLS, who he considers may have been the sister, not the daughter of the Reverend GRYLLS. She married Stephen Henry KNIGHT 1/12/1835. Their son William was baptised in 1838, and later became Mayor of Albany. Requests she check the spelling on the memorial tablet in St. John's for GRYLLS, not GRILLS. (2p.)

VERTICAL FILES H

HAESE, Elsie. Born Mt. Barker 1896. Widow of Jack Haese. Notes from *Albany Advertiser* on her 80th birthday, and in *Albany Advertiser* 17/7/1986 on her 90th birthday.

HALE, Bishop. Extract from the "Country Tours of a Colonial Secretary" published by the Royal W.A. Historical Society. An account of his travels with BARLEE, Colonial Secretary, in South West Australia in 1856. (11p.)

HALL, Rex. Born England 1878. To Australia 1908. Teacher at Perth High School. On return from World War 1 with his wife Dorothy, he took up land at Borden, but when this failed, shifted to Albany and ran the hostel for boys attending the Albany High School. Photocopy of extract on Rex Hall in Random Recollections by Mavis Verschuer.(6p.)

HANRAHAN, Henry John Chadwick, Dr. Arrived in Albany 1932, Mayor 1936-1939. Died February 1970. Well-loved doctor in Albany and region. Flew a tiger moth providing a flying doctor service to areas, e.g. Ravensthorpe. He was awarded the OBE. Obituary. (1p).

HARE, G.E.C. Photocopy of notice in the *Government Gazette* 16/4/1878 confirming the appointment of G.E.C. Hare as Government Resident of the Southern Districts with rank and precedence of Governor, to have effect from 1/1/1878. (1p.)

HART, James Frederick (known as Paddy). Born Dublin 1939. Joined Irish Merchant Navy in 1959. Jumped ship. Worked in mines etc. In Albany became friendly with Jack Davies, poet. Joined ships of Cheynes Beach Holdings. In 1965 took part in helping the injured Cheslyn Stubbs reach the rescue seaplane in heavy seas. In 1978 a tourist was taken by a King Wave at the Natural Bridge. Paddy Hart skippered a boat from the whaling station to the site and rescued the man. (6p) He became a supporter of Greenpeace and joined an anti-whaling mission to Japan. Reports from *The West Australian* 10 Dec 2008, and *Weekender* 18 Dec 2008.

HARTMAN, (Edith) Alison. Born Albany 1906. Died 1978. Respected teacher in Albany. Gardens in York St. named Alison Hartman in her honour. *Albany Advertiser* 4/9/1979. (1p.)

HASSELL FAMILY.

- Newscutting 7/3/1938. 100th anniversary of John Hassell in W.A. Notes from grandson Edmund Arthur Hassell. (2p.)
- HASSELL, Edmund Arthur. Son of A.Y. HASSELL, died at Jerramungup 26/9/1950, aged 68 years. Death notice from *West Australian*.
- Research by Toc H Western Australia on the properties S13 and S14 on Brunswick Road contains copied information on the legal documents beginning 1838 when George CHEYNE and Patrick TAYLOR had interests in the properties. In June 1865 the properties were transferred to John HASSELL. When he died the properties were shared amongst his family. Extracts from other documents suggest litigation between family members in 1887, 1888, 1890, 1902, 1903, 1910, 1914, 1914, 1928, 1931.

Note: In 1906 Frank Rawling DYMES married Belinda NICHOLSON (nee HASSELL). Following her death, Frank invited his sister Ann in England to Albany, and on his death left his and Belinda's estate to Ann. During her years in Albany, Ann was respected for the work and support she gave to Toc H, Girl Guides and Boy Scouts. She died in England in 1937. (12p.)

HERBERT, Emma. Died 1959. Widow of George Herbert who served his apprenticeship with *Albany Advertiser*. Built bicycles for plumber Alf Reeves. Later at Swan Brewery. Widow returned to Albany after his death. *Albany Advertiser* 30/12/1959. (1p)

HERBERT FAMILY. John James HERBERT and wife Mary arrived in Fremantle on the "Simon Taylor" in 1842. Being illiterate, the family also used the name ARBER. John was an agricultural worker, and was assigned to work for Lady Ann Spencer at her Forest Hill property near Mt. Barker, later taking up land at Hay River, establishing a farm and flour mill. He was killed aged 42 in accident in 1851 at the flour mill. His brother James ARBER cared for the family, and later married John's widow Mary. Detailed history of the family in W.A. (24 typed pages)

HILL, William (1814-1864) 63rd Foot Regiment. Appointed lighthouse keeper on Breaksea 1857. Disappeared, presumed drowned 22/3/1864. Photocopies of rescue attempt, family tree, certificates and reports on his military discharge. (4p.)

HOME, Arthur Robinson, Dr. Born England 1899. Died Albany 1966 aged 67. Married (1) Mabel Salter. Two sons Stuart and David. (2) Enid. In partnership with Dr. A.E.Vivian, and after the war Dr. Hanrahan. Included in this file are many reports on his life, with many tributes to his work in Changi prison during the war.

HOME, Enid. Widow of Dr. A.R. Home. Photocopy of certificate from the Albany Town Council bestowing the town's highest civic award, Honorary Freeman.

HOOVER, Herbert Clark. (1874-1964) Mining engineer at W.A. goldfields, later to become President of the U.S.A. On arrival in Albany he spent 2 weeks at the Quarantine Station, then by train to Coolgardie. (2p.)

HOPSON FAMILY. Memories of Emily Millward SMITH, nee HOPSON, who came with her family from England in 1887. Father worked on Great Southern Railway, moving to Albany. Family suffered severe hardships. (2 typed pages)

HORDERN, Anthony. (1844-1886). Photocopies of extracts from "Children of one family" the story of Anthony and Ann Hordern and their descendants in Australia 1825-1925 by Leslie Hordern. Sydney Retford Press (20p.) Story of Anthony (also known as Tertius) and family, and his involvement in the Great Southern Railway from Perth to Albany. Includes newscuttings from *Albany Advertiser* 28/10/1946 and 13/9/1963.

HORTIN FAMILY of Elleker. To South Australia in 1876, then Albany 1890. Developed large market garden. Family leave for holiday in England and will visit the grave of their son who was killed in the war. Newscutting 30/4/1992. (1p.)

HUGAL, Baron Carl (Charles) von. Naturalist and diplomat. (1795-1870). Excerpts from New Holland Journal November 1833-October 1834. Sailed in "Alligator" from Fremantle to Albany, where he spent time exploring the country and met settlers e.g. Sir

Richard and Lady Spencer, Cheyne, Morley. Interested in aborigines, their way of life, language, dances, etc. Visit to King River. Collected seeds. (19p. Illus)

HUGHES, Frank. Born Belfast. To sea at 15. Wartime career at sea. Won his master's certificate in 1948. To Albany 1953, and became gunner captain of the whaler Cheynes. *Weekend Mail*. 10/3/1956. (1p.)

HUMPHREYS, Henry. One of the first prison warders in Albany. Built the Colonial Guest House "Parkville" in 1853, using prison labour. Outlines history of building and includes photocopies of title deeds. (8p.)

HYMUS FAMILY.

Frederick HYMUS came to West Australia with the ill-fated Australia Settlement. On 24/2/1854 his daughter Catherine married Alexander MOIR. File contains family tree from 1555 for Johannis HIMMUS to 1990's. (*Note change in spelling of name*) (100+p.)

VERTICAL FILES I

INGOLDBY, Frederick, Dr. (c.1859-1940). Respected Doctor in Albany with his wife Annie May in Albany for many years. He was in a medical practice with Dr. T.H. ROBINSON. Enlisted in Boer War, and was wounded while attending to an injured man. This damage to his right arm curtailed some of his ability to practice as a doctor, and on his return he was health officer for the town and medical officer for the permanent artillery stationed at the port. He left Albany in October 1907 for England, and was given a rousing farewell by the Mayor and other citizens. He returned in 1921 to tour the South West and died in Albany in 1940 aged 81. File includes photocopy of report by a neighbour in Albany, Adeline Hicks.

Photocopy from the *Albany Advertiser* 5/10/1907 of a report of the farewell gathering when Dr Frederick INGOLDBY left Albany in 1907.

VERTICAL FILE J

JARDINE, Michael. Newscutting from *West Australian* 16/6/1993 on Michael Jardine as unsuccessful candidate for the National Party. Discusses his push for West Australia to secede from the Commonwealth. (1p.)

JARVIS, Frederick Herbert and Daisy. Migrated to Australia about 1924. In this file:

- photocopies of death certificates. Daisy died in Albany in 1930. Seven children. Frederick died in Perth in 1969. (2p.)
- notes from granddaughter Bev Wesson on the history of the family.

JELLICOE, John RUSHWORTH Viscount. (1859-1935). Entered Royal Navy in 1872. Promoted to Commander in 1891, and Naval Assistant to the Controller in 1901. Married 1902. He was appointed First Sea Lord in 1916 and after America entered the war, he introduced the convoy system, which effectively defeated the U boats. Granted peerage in 1919 as Viscount Jellicoe of Scapa. He visited India, Australia, New Zealand and Canada to advise on naval defence. He was Governor General of New Zealand from 1920-1924.

File contains biographical notes (4p.) *Albany Advertiser* of -/7/1919 contains a letter from A.J. Collins discussing the use of the Albany Town Hall for the address of welcome to Viscount Jellicoe prior to his departure for Port Lincoln in 1919. File contains reference to an illuminated address by Viscount JELLICOE, the ORIGINAL of which may be found in preservation.

JENNINGS FAMILY. Photocopy of family tree and 2 birth certificates. Other family names included BIRCHINALL, QUAID, McBRIDE. (2p.)

JOBSON, Frederick James. (1821-1881) Methodist minister and British representative to the Australasian Methodist Conference in Sydney in 1860. During his short visit to King George Sound he saw convicts coaling the ship, and encountered aborigines during a walk. Enjoyed the beauty of the flowers, and compared picturesque Albany with the Lake District in England. Notes from the W.A. Historical Society. (2p.)

JOHNSON, George Ernest. While visiting his son, Reverend G.V. JOHNSON of Happy Days, King River, Mr. Johnson, aged 80 was spending a few days with his nephew at Mindijup, 27 miles N.E. of Albany. On 3/6/1952 he went for a walk. When he did not return, police were notified, and search parties organized, but failed to find any trace of him. His body was found 9th October, by John BRACKNELL on his property by the Kalgan River. It is thought he left the track he was following, became tired, and lay down in a wind row to rest, and died of exposure. (2p.)

JOHNSON, Richard (b. 1880). Handwritten letter 10/10/1986 from Albany Public Library, signed on behalf of Audrey DUNN, to Miss Kathleen JOHNSTONE thanking her for making available to the Library the following certificates issued to her father: ORIGINAL 1908 Certificate of competency as third class engine driver; ORIGINAL 1912 License as Master of a harbour or river steamer; ORIGINAL 1927 Certificate of Competency marine motor engine driver of a harbour and river vessel to under 75B.H.P (note change in spelling of names of father and daughter).

JOHNSON, WARDELL G.M. "Albany Memories of an Octagenerian". Reprinted from *Albany Advertiser* August 1955.

JORGENSEN, Knud. (1863-1916)

Born Denmark, Scandinavia, died Albany. Married Marie Hanson (1862-1943). To Albany 1896. Worked on wharves. Hip injured in 1903, when a bale of wool fell on him. Naturalised 1905. 1907 rescued a man from drowning and was awarded bronze medal from the Royal Humane Society. In 1916 was missing from his job as night watchman on the Town jetty and it was found he had drowned. Brief listing of his eight children. (1p.) Photo in Library photo collection. Also photocopies of newscuttings of his rescue of the drowning man, and his disappearance and drowning.

VERTICAL FILES K

KENDALL, Franklin.

Journal entries and letters to his mother written while on board P&O ships on the England to Australia run. He may have been a purser on the ship or connected with the carrying of mail, or a trader.

- Letter number 3. 28/2/1858. Written from Suez, while a passenger on the "Pottinger".
- Letter number 17. 21/4/1859. Written at sea on the S.S. "Benares". Describes December visit to Mauritius; paragraphs 13 to 16 records arrival in King George Sound, and encounters with aborigines.
- Entries in his Journal May 14 to July 24, 1859.
May 14. Sydney. Describes many features of the city and people he met. Includes a visit to the University. Paragraph 47.
June 12. On board the "Oneida" for Melbourne arriving on June 15. Leaving on the "Benares" for Kangaroo Island, then at paragraph 68 for a short visit to King George Sound. Paragraph 72.
July 8 at Mauritius.
Paragraph 74 July 18, at Aden for Suez.
- Letter number 18 to his mother. Undated, and first part missing. Paragraphs 2-5 at King George Sound. Climbed the mountains and picked wildflowers. Paragraph 6 includes Kangaroo Island, Adelaide and Melbourne.
- Includes Appendix C clothing, Consumables and trade items carried. Domestic items. Old slops left over from the previous voyage. (30p. typed)

KING, Phillip Parker. (1793-1856) Report by Captain King of his visit to Oyster Harbour 20/1/1818. Includes illustration of entrance to harbour. (5p.)

KITCHER FAMILY. On May 18, 1993 the Albany Historical Society published photos in the *Albany Advertiser* of the Kitcher family, and asked for help from readers to identify the people involved. File includes a letter from Arthur Henry KITCHER (aged 82) who states that he is the last remaining member of his family. His mother was a member of the ALLAN family who came from Scotland. She taught the mandolin and banjo and formed the mandolin

orchestra, playing at live concerts. Mentions the family friendship with the GIBB family of King River. His and other letters identify people in the photographs.

KNAPP FAMILY. History of the family of Dorcas and Thomas Knapp (b. 1825) who came to WA in the 1850's married 1856; eleven children. Both had farming background; acquired land at Torbay Hill. Later moved to Quakalup, now Youngs Siding. Good details of early days, and the area including the visit of the two princes. Also the salvaging of copper from the wreck of the ship Dunsky. Photocopies of the Sessions (incomplete) held in his English county in 1849 which included the name of Thomas Knapp charged with wounding.

KNIGHT, Edward Nathan "Ted" (d. 1936)

- Born Guildford, W.A. Joined Land and Surveys Dept. Joined up during the war, and was a member of the Light Horse. After the war he was in command of the Garrison Artillery Unit at Albany. Transferred to Perth in the Lands Dept. 1929. File contains photocopies of success of the 24th Battery AGA Albany in the Commonwealth Competitions under the command of Lt. Knight in 1928. Contains photo of unit, with names of participants.
- Article in the *Albany Advertiser* 14/3/1961 on the 24th Battery AGA commemorates the achievement of 1928 under Lt. Knight.
- Photocopy of *The Listening Post* 20/1/1937 contains brief obituary of E.N. Knight.

KNIGHT, Leslie Albert (1890-1950) Bishop of Bunbury. First West Australian to be consecrated as a Bishop (in 1938). His father, a farmer at Wandering, died aged 46 in 1896. His mother remarried and went to live in New Zealand. Leslie completed his M.A. at Canterbury College, Christchurch and was ordained in 1916. He married Mary Bertha Moore at Timaru in 1919. Returned to Australia in 1928. Died suddenly at Timaru in 1950. (2p. typed)

Mary Bertha KNIGHT, widow of Leslie Albert Knight, had always been very active in the Mothers Union and in 1945 she became President of the Commonwealth Council, and represented Australia in London in 1948. She received a medal from the Queen. She remarried a Mr. BALL. (2p. typed)

KRAKOUER FAMILY. Descendants of Abraham Krakouer, also known as Abraham Joseph , born Fremantle 1853, are listed on cards and photocopied. File also contains two letters (undated) from Eileen TIMEWELL to Bob CHANDLER with information on land holdings in Albany of Abraham Krakouer.

VERTICAL FILES L

LANGE, Benno Edwin. Born Narrogin. Moved to King River on one of his father's farms. Member of Albany Road Board 1948, Chairman 1954. Retired after 27 years. Awarded Member of the Order of Australia (OM). Photocopy from *Albany Advertiser* 6/2/1979 (1p.)

LANGLEY, John (1771-1856). Letter 27/8/1992 from Anthony Avis (of West Yorkshire) re his great great grandfather John LANGLEY, who was born in Norwich, and enlisted in 34th company marines in 1789. Posted with the Chatham Division. He may have sailed with Vancouver. (2 typed pages). (*Photograph of portrait has been placed in the photographic section of the Albany History Collection*).

LINDSEY, Patricia (1921-2008) Early years in Perth and Armadale, WA where her father encouraged her interests in the bush. Joined the RAAF in World War II, later travelled to Africa. Returned to WA to care for her mother in 1960. She decided to take her mature age matriculation and in 1969 she started university studies in anthropology, graduating in 1974. In 1981, she sold her Perth home and moved to Suffolk Street, Albany. She became active in environmental groups; grew her own fruit and vegetables. Pat was a descendant of W.C. Clifton, P&O agent in Albany from 1861. Obit in *Weekender* 4 Dec 2008 by Sylvia Leighton.

BEATRICE and ROY LITTLE. Albany-born Beatrice (nee Watkins) is a graduate of UWA and a qualified specialist librarian who was Librarian and Information Officer at the British Film Institute, London in the 1950's. She designed special library classifications in Toronto for the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation's Programme Archives, in Ottawa for the Canadian Film Institute, and in Perth for the WA State Film Archives. Beatrice married Roy Little in 1965 in Perth. They had met in Toronto where they collaborated in support of the Toronto Film Society.

ROY LITTLE graduated from University of Toronto in Honours History. He taught five years at East York Collegiate Institute in Toronto. His leisure activities focussed on cinema. As a university student, he was the producer and cameraman for two amateur winners of Canadian Film Awards. He joined the Canadian Film Institute in Ottawa in 1959 as Assistant Executive Director and

became Executive Director in 1962. During a year on leave from Ottawa (1965-66), Roy was a Visiting Lecturer at the University of Western Australia where he lectured on cinema, organised a film-making school, and prepared a commissioned study on the use of audio-visual media in university education.

After one more year in Ottawa, the Littles returned to reside permanently in Perth. Roy established a business as a media consultant and representative of Canadian film makers. He lectured on cinema for the Albany Summer Arts School for seven years and also for the University's Summer School in Perth. He also served on the Film Committee of the Perth Film Festival and contributed articles to film and educational journals. He was appointed Senior Lecturer (1973-80) at the new West Australian College of Advanced Education (now Edith Cowan University) to establish a teaching centre and a resource centre for audiovisual media, together with a studio-based centre for producing educational television.

Since 1980, the Littles have directed their energies to their private business interests, in particular to wool and grain production at Woodanilling. They subsequently ran a small sheep farm at Lower Kalgan for 20 years, and now live in the city of Albany where they are volunteers for the Albany History Collection. They have contributed to cataloguing and indexing the Robert Stephens Collection, and designed the Subject Headings index for the Albany History Collection. They are Life Members of Friends of UWA Albany. They have established two permanent awards at the university, one to honour Robert Stephens and his remarkable contribution to local history, and the other to honour the highest academic achiever in first year at UWA Albany. They have been active in local community activities (e.g. Lower Kalgan Progress Association, Oyster Harbour Catchment Group, etc) leading to their publishing a major history on the Kalgan district (Richard Piggott's *Fishtraps and Floods, Apples and Spuds* 1992). They have also published a 200p. family history (*Kippenbergers of New Zealand*) covering ten generations originating in Germany. (*An extract with details of the Albany descendants is located in VF Persons under "Watkins". Copies of both books are held in the Albany Library, the State Library and the National Library.*)

Included in the file are:

- Press release announcing the inaugural winner of the Robert Stephens Bursary, Jaime Phillips, for her study of "The Rocky Gully Exodus".

- Developments, the Hackett Foundation, UWA June 2005 (p.1) announcing the establishment of the Watkins Family Award.
- Watkins Family Prize. Winners December 2005, 2006, 2007.
- *The West Australian* 15 Apr 1972. "Films" by Diana Warnock.
- *The West Australian* n.d. Film Scene by Caroline Plummer. Roy Little at the Adult Education Board's Summer School, UWA.

LIVERSEY, Sydney. Extract from *Albany Advertiser* 4/10/1913 reporting that Gladys GIBBONS aged 18 was drowned in the Kalgan River. She had been sitting on a branch of a tree overhanging the river when the branch broke. Sydney LIVERSEY from the opposite side of the river dived in and attempted to save her, without success. (1p.) File also contains extracts from Sydney LIVERSEY's diary written when he was a member of the 10th Light Horse at Gallipoli. (6p. copied from Colonial Office Reports. 30/6/1916.)

LOCKYER, Edmund Major. 1784-1860. FAMILY HISTORY.

- LOCKYER, Edmund. The Colston and Wenck families in Australia compiled a report on Edmund LOCKYER - his family, his 3 marriages and 15 children, his career and achievements. (4p. and photocopy of portrait).
- LOCKYER, Edmund. Photocopy of typed inscriptions of the gravestones of Sarah and Edmund Lockyer at Camperdown cemetery at St. Stephens Church of England, Newtown, Sydney. (1p.)
- LOCKYER, Edmund. Photocopy of Registration of Death of Edmund Lockyer who died of influenza on 10/6/1860. (1p.)
- LOCKYER, Edmund. Photocopy of sketch of Camperdown cemetery showing some of the principal historic graves and descriptive notes. [*These notes include the story of Judge DONNITHORNE and his daughter Eliza Emily. The judge died 15/5/1852, when his daughter was 24. She was engaged to be married, and the wedding breakfast was set in the dining room of the house. The bridegroom never arrived. She never left the house again. She died on 20/5/1886. (Charles Dickens is said to have based his character of the abandoned bride in "Great Expectations" on this story).*] (2p.)
- LOCKYER, Marion. Photocopy of the obituary of Miss Marion LOCKYER, who died 19/10/1946, daughter of Edmund

Lockyer and his third wife. Report from the Journal of the Royal Australian Historical Society Vol. 32. Pt. 4. (1p.)

- LOCKYER, Edmund. Wall tablets from St. Andrews Church, Plymouth. Photocopies of handwritten inscriptions. (8p.)

LOCKYER, Edmund in Western Australia.

- LOCKYER, Edmund. Report from Major Lockyer from 8/11/1826 to Governor Ralph DARLING. (5p.) From Historical Records of Australia. Series III, Vol.6.
- LOCKYER, Edmund, Major. 1826-1827. Major Edmund Lockyer to Governor DARLING 1827. (Historical Records series III, Vol. 6. 8/11/1826-16/1/1827.) Item extracted from "First Impressions" compiled by Douglas Sellick.
- LOCKYER, Edmund. Photocopy from Australian Dictionary of Biography. On line edition. (2p.)
- LOCKYER, Edmund. Photocopy of article on Major Lockyer from the Australian Encyclopaedia. Vol.5. 1967 edition. (2p.)
- LOCKYER, Edmund. Photocopy of original diary of Major Lockyer at King George Sound 19-21 January 1827. (2p. 2 copies) Requested by A. Green, Albany Museum, 8/1/1987.
- LOCKYER, Edmund. Photocopy from *Melbourne Argus* 15/1/1927. Article by his son Sir Nicholas LOCKYER commemorating the 100th anniversary of his father's claim on behalf of the Imperial Government of sovereignty over Western Australia and the whole continent. (1p. plus photos)
- LOCKYER, Edmund. Photocopy from the Journal of the W.A. Historical Society Vol. II. Part 19. 1936. Edmund Lockyer, an address by Robert STEPHENS on the unveiling of a monument to Major Lockyer at the Residency Point, Albany on 12/3/1936. (5p.)
- LOCKYER, Edmund. Photocopy of *West Australian* 13/8/1936 of report of the unveiling of the memorial to Lockyer by Sir James MITCHELL. Speeches by Robert Stephens and others. (2p.)

LOCKYER, Edmund. 1784-1984. Bicentenary.

- LOCKYER, Edmund. Folder containing information on the official opening of the renewed PILGRIMS PRIMARY SCHOOL in Plymouth, in the County of Devon 4-6 May, 1984, by R.A.N. DOUGLAS, Agent General for Western Australia. The new hall has been named the Albany Hall. Folder includes official programme of events, service at St.

Werburgh Church, Wembury, to mark the bi-centenary of the birth of Major Edmund Lockyer. Guests from W.A. included Eileen CROXFORD and Mrs. Adams. File also includes photocopies of information from the W.A. Government, news reports, etc. Photos of the events have been placed with the Photographic Collection of the Albany History Collection.

LOCKYER FESTIVAL, PLYMOUTH 1979.

On August 18 and 19, 1979, the Lockyer Festival was held in Devon celebrating the founding of W.A. 150 years ago. A Thanksgiving Service was held at St. Werburgh Church, Wembury, which was attended by the Hon. Graham McKINNON M.L.C., Minister for Tourism. The West Australian flag was handed over and a plaque unveiled. File also contains information about the Wembury Parish Council and the parish church of St. Werburgh. (9p.)

LOWNDES, Clara Selby. To Albany 1897. Domestic Science teacher in Albany and carer for many years. Returned to England 1928. Newscutting n.d. Obituary on her death in England aged 68, with tribute to her work in Albany.

LOXTON, Stephen. ORIGINAL information paper for registration of marriage. Stephen Chesellette LOXTON, aged 33, storekeeper of York St. married Ada Annie BENNETT of Ulster Rd. A nurse aged 26 in 1896.

LYTTLETON FAMILY. E.L. LYTTLETON was medical officer to the Peel Settlement. With his wife Sarah and 2 children he was appointed to Albany to replace Alexander Collie. He took up land and built a house. Mrs. Lyttleton became the unpaid post mistress. When her husband died she moved to Mandurah. From *Albany Advertiser* 15/9/1974.

VERTICAL FILES M

MACKILLOP, Mary (1842-1909). Co-founder of the Sisters of St. Joseph. In Albany on the "S.S. Golconda" 26/4/1873. Met her uncle who arrived on another ship. Extract from First Impressions by Douglas Sellick. (2p.)

MANNING, James. Photocopied extracts from Kangaroo Island 1800-1836 by J.S. Cumpston. Roebuck Society, Publication No.1. 1970. James Manning and James Newell managed to escape from Kangaroo Island, and made their way to King George Sound, with the help of natives. Includes comments of N.W. Clark, solicitor in 1842, describing the sealers on the Southern Coast. (7p.)

MANUEL FAMILY. Family tree – 4 generations. John Manuel born U.K. 1787. (1p.)

MATHESON FAMILY. Copies of certificates – birth, marriages and death covering the years 1853-1931. (15 documents)

MAWSON, William (1866-1947) and Esther (1869-1949). Copy of original diary of their journey from England to Albany December 1888-January 1889. Builder, carpenter, farmer, and Home Missioner for the Great Southern Railways. Councillor and Mayor of Albany 1911. (16p.)

MAXWELL, William, Sir (d. 1928). Maxwell was a special correspondent for the London Standard on the "Ophir" touring the Empire with the Duke and Duchess of Wales in 1901. Due to strong winds, the Duke and Duchess left the ship in Albany and took the train to Perth. Extract from First Impressions by Douglas Sellick. (3p.)

McKAIL FAMILY.

- McKAIL, Angus. Obituary on his death at 80. Photocopy from *Albany Advertiser*. n.d.
- McKAIL, Cecily Agnes (1931-2005). Photocopy of obituary of Cecily McKAIL from *The West Australian*, August 2005. Her husband Ron Miller died in 1999. Article gives an outline of her varied and busy life, as a farmer, training pace partner of Shirley STRICKLAND and Betty CUTHBERT, and particularly as an historian in Carnarvon where she wrote and published the photographic history of Carnarvon 1883 -

1983, and founded the Gascoyne Historical Society. She completed a two volume history of the McKail family entitled "Reflections on the McKail Family".

Correspondence with the Albany History Collection on her research for this book included the family of William Henry GRAHAM and his wife Emma Christina McKAIL is filed at VF Persons GRAHAM, William Henry. This research enabled her to trace details of William and Emma's fifth son, Cecil Irving, born in W.A. 1877 who became an ear, nose and throat surgeon in England. He died in 1957.

- McKAIL, John. (1811-1871) Photocopy of news story prepared by his great grandson Cedric McKail, claiming that John McKail may have built Albany's first jetty. (1p.)
- McKAIL, John. Photocopy from *Albany Advertiser* 8/12/1967 reporting paper read by H.A.H. Iffla to the Plantagenet Branch of the W.A. Historical Society entitled "People, places and the Porongurups". Suggests that the McKails may have been the first land holders in the area.
- McKAIL, Nathaniel William. Photocopies of legal documents. Trustee Co and N.W. McKail. Memorial of conveyance 23/6/1925 Albany Building blocks S21 & 22. Indenture 25/3/1911 between N.W. McKail and others as mortgagors G.W. McCrae, mortgagee. Indenture 14/12/1925 N.W. McKail and family re Building blocks S 21 & S22. Indenture 23/6/1825 re Building blocks S 21& S22. Mortgage 10/5/1923 between N.W. McKail and George

Winter

McRae.

Indenture 14/12/1934 N.W. McKail & family re sale Lot S22 fronting Stirling Terrace and Frederick Street.

MEREDITH, George. Extract photocopied from Kangaroo Island 1800-1836 by J.S. Cumpston. Roebuck Society Publication no. 1. 1970. Includes comments by N.W. Clark solicitor 1842 in which he describes the sealers of the Southern Ocean. (7p.)

MEYERS, Herbert Rubert Denny (known as Denny). Born in Lancashire in 1881, he migrated to Australia for health reasons in 1909. He settled in Denmark as an orchardist. He had a lifetime interest in photography and left a record of life in early Denmark. (1p.).

MIDDLETON, Charles. Sir (Lord Barham, Secretary of the Navy). Letter from Geoffrey C. Middleton to Albany Council 1985 asking if Middleton Bay, Albany was named after his ancestor.

MILES, Linda. Wife of Harry Miles of Miles, Tipping & Merrifield. Recollects her years in Albany from 1914. As providers, they were engaged in supplying the troop ships at Albany during World War I on short notice with essentials like fresh fruit and vegetables. To deliver them to the ships, the whaling boats were enlisted. She and her sister were allowed to accompany one of these boats. Many of the troops threw letters down to them for posting, and some sent coins for postage. Owing to the rough seas some of the letters fell into the water. (Transcript of tape recording)

MILLAR FAMILY. John and Elizabeth came to Australia in the late 1850's and became wealthy on the goldfields. They returned to Dublin, where their two sons Charles and Edwin completed engineering degrees. The family then left and returned to Australia where Charles and Edwin formed C. & E. Millar Trading Company. They built bridges and railways, and were awarded the contract for the Great Southern Railway in W.A. They also formed the Karri and Jarrah Timber Mills in W.A. in Mt. Barker. Daughter Ellen, with her husband William Reilly moved to Mt. Barker, then to Albany, where they bought the property "Brackenhurst". Later returned to Melbourne.

MINER FAMILY (Charles and Christina). To Australia 1861. Employed by Joseph Spencer to build accommodation for servant workers at Strawberry Hill Farm. Photocopy of photos and story. Includes family history of Miner family, and Joseph Spencer. Story by T. Tuckfield. (13p.)

MITCHELL. Obituary of Mrs. Clayton B.M. Mitchell of Mt. Barker. n.d.

MITCHELL, Samuel. Photocopy of Chapter 6 of "Mitchell Amen". Samuel was aged 4 when he arrived in Australia with his parents, and governess Ann Breeze (later Camfield) in 1838. Became light house keeper at Point King lighthouse.

MITCHELL, William. Index (handwritten and typed) of "Mitchell Amen", a biography on the life of the Reverend William Mitchell by

his grandson Frank Nelder Greenslade. Family came to W.A. in 1838. They had long association with Albany and Mt. Barker.

MOATE, John Thomas. Notes on Mr. MOATE as recalled by Edith WEBB. During the 1914-1918 war, Mr Moate owned "Tandara" at Two Peoples Bay. Mrs. Webb's father, H.C. POOLE who later owned the property, visited Mr. Moate in his corrugated iron shack, with resident carpet snake, when he went fishing. One day he was shown a copy of Hitler's Mein Kampf. He reported it to the police, who called at Mr. Moate's house in Brunswick St. The barrel of a gun was poked out of the door. They left. Mr. Moate was never seen again. (1p.)

MOIR, Alexander (1826-1893).

"Alexander Moir, merchant and pastoralist" by Robert Stephens in Builders of Albany series, published by the W.A. Historical Society 1958. (14p.) A study of his life and achievements. Also photocopy of a summary published in the *Albany Advertiser*.

MOIR, John (1856-1939). Obituary for John, the eldest son of Alexander Moir. He took over the business from his father and became Mayor of Albany. (2p.) From *Albany Advertiser* 24/7/1939.

MOKARE. (d. 9/8/1831)

- A summary of his achievements and capacities. (4 typed p.)
- MOKARE. In search of Mokare's grave by Bob Howard. 22/8/1995. (2 typed pages)
- MOKARE. Copy of letter from Mary Hill with recollections of her father's story of the location of the grave. (1p.)
- MOKARE. Heritage survey. (3p.)
- MOKARE. Mokare's domain by W.C. Ferguson. Includes portrait of Mokare and details of panorama by Robert Dale. (3p.)
- MOKARE. Mokare had vital role in Colony's success by David Carrigg.
- An unmarked grave by Bob Howard. *Albany Advertiser* 31/8/1995. (1p.) (2 copies)
- MOKARE. Aborigines of the Albany region 1821-1898 from Bicentennial Dictionary Vol.VI compiled by Neville Green. Photocopy of pages on Mokare. Includes comments by Nind, Collet Barker and others. (14p.)

- MOKARE. His skills and assistance to early explorers, his friendship with Dr. Collie, and description of Mokare's burial in 1831. Photocopy from *West Australian* 19/3/1936.

MONAGHAN, Peter. Military pensioner, died Albany 1906.

Essential details. (1p.)

MOONEY, Lawrence (d.1895) Born Ireland. Laurence Mooney joined the 21st Regiment of Fusiliers. Married, with 2 children sailed to Australia in 1833. To Albany 1836. Discharged 1840; joined Police and may have been light house keeper. Very supportive of Catholic Church in Albany. Talk prepared by Dora Bulbeck for Albany Historical Society 8/6/1967. Includes photocopies of references.

MOOR, George Hatherley. Major in First W.A. Mounted Infantry. Left Albany November 1899 for Boer War. Died February 1900. (2p.)

MOREL, Ric. Administration Officer for Great Southern Region. Has his head shaved in support of cancer sufferers.

MOWFORTH, John (1857-1941). To Albany 1880s. Family history. (30p.)

MOYLE FAMILY. Stephen Moyle was born in Boston Mass., and died in Albany . To Fremantle 1904. In 1911 moved to Upper Kalgan; farming. (2p.)

MUIR FAMILY.

- Muir Family. Settlers in Albany, Mt. Barker, Manjimup from 1844 by John A. Thomson. Published by Royal W.A. Historical Society. (19p.) (Fuller account in Battye Library)
- MUIR FAMILY. Handwritten copy from Dictionary of W.A. 1829-1914 . Vol. 3. p. 615 for Andrew Muir (1802-1874) by Rica Erickson. (2p)
- MUIR FAMILY. The Muirs of Deeside, paper prepared and read by John A. Thomson at the gathering of the branches of the W.A. Historical Society at Deeside 11/1/1970. (12p.)

MUNYARD, Cliff. Letter 23/2/2001 from Cliff Munyard to Albany Council, enclosing the ORIGINAL reference given to him in 1937 by Hector Bell of R. Bell and Co. Outlines his careers, and writes

with gratitude of the good experience he gained working for the Bells. In later life he became a mining engineer. (2p)

MURRAY, John David. General Manager of Cheynes Beach Whaling Company. Newscutting from *Sunday Times* 22/8/1971.

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NAKINA. Three Black Brothers of the King George Sound Tribe of Aborigines, Nakina, Mokare Waiter by Robert Stephens. (17p.)
Extract from the Journal of the W.A. Historical Society Vol. V. Pt. VII. 1961.

NEILL, Robert (1801-1852)

Painter and Public Servant Robert NEILL was born in Edinburgh. His family migrated to Hobart in 1818. His family had a long standing interest in Natural History. Robert worked for the British Army's Commissariat at first in Tasmania and was transferred in 1839 to the Swan River Colony. In 1842 he was stationed in Albany, and commenced a series of paintings of fish and reptiles. The outline of nearly every specimen was taken from its actual profile, by laying the fish on paper. In 1845 he presented the water coloured paintings and manuscript notes to the British Museum, now the Natural History Department, Royal Scottish Museum, Edinburgh. Collection includes 58 paintings of fish, 8 reptiles, 1 mammal. Robert Neill also provided illustrations for Eyre's journals and portraits of aboriginals. In 1848 he was recalled to England, and posted to the West Indies. In 1852 he and his wife and 4 children died in Barbados of yellow fever. (1p.)

NELSON, Joseph. Family tree 1819-1907. Also handwritten notes. Family arrived in W.A. 1851. To Albany 1857 with Captain WRAY to supervise construction on Breaksea Island. Stayed as lighthouse keeper, then to Point King lighthouse until 1867. In 1869 granted 60 acres at Chorkerup. Licence granted 1872 until 1877.

NEWELL, Joseph. Letter, handwritten 22/1/1992 to Albany History Collection from Herb Copeman. Draws attention to the book "Bread and Dreams" by Alfred Peacock, published 1965 by Gollancz. Book states that Newell took part in the Littleport Riots, and was sentenced on 18/6/1816, and transported to Sydney. Judge was an ancestor of Herb Copeman. (1p.) Also newspaper comment on James Newell and James Manning, and their walk from Port Lincoln to Albany in 1835. (1p.)

NORMAN FAMILY.

- Family tree from 1795 + (2 copies).

- “The Norman family from the beginning” by Bob Selby. Brief history from James Norman in 1829 to present day. *Albany Advertiser* n.d.
- Record of Colonial life by R.G. (Reginald Greenwood). Brief history of the Norman family following the death on 16/2/1946 of John Norman who worked in the Post Office for over 44 years. *Western Mail*.
- Letter from Albany History Collection to Denmark Historical Society 17/8/2000 re photograph of Percy NORMAN standing in front of his shack, “The Green House”, built at the Green House block at Mt. Many Peaks. Provides description of house and information on family and Percy, who was killed in France in World War 1.
- NORMAN, Poppy (nee Marie JAMES). Newscutting n.d. Wife of Bill NORMAN. The family moved from Mt. Many Peaks to Lower Kalgan in 1949. A great worker in the community.
- NORMAN, Gordon and Gwen. Nomination forms for Citizen of the Year, Gordon and Gwen. (2p)
- NORMAN, Gordon John and Gwenneth May. Half century of community service by Karen Bock. Article in *Albany Advertiser* 1/5/1984 on Gordon and Gwen; their work, and particularly after they retired in 1977, in the Town Council, Cemetery Board, Light Opera Company, and the Methodist Church. As this article was written they were about to embark on a 6 months caravan holiday around Australia. (1p. 5 copies)
- NORMAN, Gordon and Gwen. Brief summaries of their achievements. (1p.)
- NORMAN, Gwen. References of support for the recognition of Gwen as Achiever of the Year in 1988 from the Agricultural Society (2p.) and Leon Watt M.L.A. (1p.)
- NORMAN, Gordon John. Long serving President of the Agricultural Society sees shows come and go. *Albany Advertiser* 18/11/1993. (1p.)
- NORMAN, Gordon John. (1911-2000) Obituary and tribute by Malcolm TRAILL for the City of Albany. (2p.)
- NORMAN, Gordon John. Obituary. City mourns the loss of a gentleman. (1p.)
- NORMAN, A.R. Albany’s oldest chemist shop, P.H.W. JOHNSON, was founded in 1883 at 162 York Street. It closed in February 1970. It had been owned by A.R.

NORMAN for about 50 years. Newscutting *Albany Advertiser* 13/2/1970. (1p.)

NORRISH FAMILY. Richard Norrish (1812-1871) was born in England. He joined the 96th Foot Regiment and was posted to Ireland, where he married HONORA (1811-1900). They were moved to Tasmania, then Albany, then Kojonup, where Norrish was sent to quell the riots. The family was transported by cart to Kojonup, the two older boys, Richard and Thomas, being required to walk the 100 miles in the heat of the summer of 1847 to reduce the load. (Typed notes).

- NORRISH FAMILY. Study by Michael B.M. HOLLIER on history of the Norrish family, includes family tree and portrait of Honora. (6p.)
- NORRISH FAMILY. "Journey from a stranger". Incomplete account describes the journey by cart of the Norrish family to Kojonup, with particular emphasis on the walk of the 100 miles by the two boys, Richard and Thomas. (11 typed pages)
- NORRISH, Thomas Richard. The life of Thomas NORRISH by J.F.H. HILLMAN, published by the W.A. Historical Society. Second son of Richard and Honora. Describes the hard times for the family after his father was discharged with a back injury. He took up land at Warkulup near Kojonup. After the death of his father he took over the management of Ettakup (sic) on behalf of W.D. MOORE and managed to pay his father's debts with wool sales. In 1878 he rented Goblup from Mrs CAMPBELL, and later managed the property for Lord BRASSEY. He met with a severe accident in 1896 and returned to his property at Sunnyside.
- The memories of Mrs Thomas NORRISH (Christen Ann WRAY, married 1872) are collated by Canon A. BURTON. Gives graphic account of the years of struggle, the strength of the family and the collaboration of their neighbours, e.g. the Grahams of Fairfield, and the visit of the two princes to the area. Includes illustrations of the Etticup Church and Thomas and Christen Norrish. (8p.)
- NORRISH, John William (1848-1892) and Margaret (1850-1930). Family history of son of John and Gertrude, grandson of Richard and Honora. Includes information on Albany Town Lot 149 between Frederick and Earl Streets, which was owned by JohnWilliam NORRISH. File contains copies of title deeds, letters to Titles Office, Battye Library and others

to trace the history of the land and cottage. Includes letter from Ron and Fran CAMPBELL, who owned the block in 1989. (20+p.)

NORTH FAMILY. Family tree. Story of five generations of the North family. Daniel and his wife Mary came to Albany on the convict ship "William Jardine" in 1852. He was pardoned in 12/7/1856. The family have lived in Albany, Elleker and Bunbury. (5p.)

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OFFER, Henry. Born 1822 (?) in Somerset. Sentenced in 1848 for stealing; to Australia for seven years. Given conditional pardon in 1853. Became a special constable in 1859. Initially worked for Marshall Waller Clifton at Australind. Married Catherine Touhy, and had ten children. File contains brief family history. (4p.)

O'GRADY, Daniel John. Mr O'GRADY of Albany, Kendenup and Mt. Barker died on 28/5/1943 aged 82. Born Warnambool, Victoria, he was a stockman, butcher, station hand, horseman. He moved To Western Australia, working as a stockman for J.F.T. HASSELL, and butchering in Albany. His wife died in 1936 aged 86. Newscutting from *Albany Advertiser* May 1943. (1p.)

ORD, Lee. News cutting from *Albany Advertiser Extra* 17/2/1995. Report on her work in Albany as Administrator of the Vancouver Arts Centre and as Albany Town Council Community Arts Centre Officer. (1p.)

ORROCK, Alexander John. (b. Lambeth, England 23/6/1933 – d. Albany 10/10/1959). His widowed mother placed him in an orphanage at the age of 3 in Southampton. His mother never saw him again. In 1947, aged 14 he was sent to Western Australia to St. Mary's Agricultural School at Tardun, and remained there until 1950. He then went to Dinninup to the farm of Mr. A.P. King, as a farm hand. He was treated as one of the family and stayed until 1955. By 1957 he had a motor bike, was a member of the Cape Riche Road Gang, and was working with the Main Roads Department, Albany. On 10/10/1959 he collided with a truck on Middleton Road, and died instantly. A moving tribute written by the King family, who took the trouble to research his early life. (4p.) Also newscutting *Albany Advertiser* 13/10/1959. (1p.)

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PARKER FAMILY. John Ewart PARKER (aged nearly 28) married Emily MUNNS (aged 27) on 21/6/1888. Photocopy of group photo, with some biographical information supplied in February 1984 by grandson Tom Clarke, Kooyong Avenue, Albany. (2p.)

PARKER FAMILY. William and Margaret. Margaret died 25/6/1900 aged 35. 6 children. File provides some family history. (2p.)

PAVEY, John Bailey (1797-1882) Also known as John (Jack) WILLIAMS and John Williams ANDREWS. A study by Campbell BEER, October 2005.

John was born in 1797 in Hampshire, England. One of 11 children. Transported in the 1820s to N.S.W. Escaped to W.A., probably by sea. He used a variety of names, and was involved in sealing and whaling. He owned a 10 acre property known as "Nunijup" (Hay Location 2) and land in Mt. Barker area. He had an association with several Aboriginal women, and a number of children. (5 typed pages).

PHILLIPS, John Randal and family. Born in England in 1791 or 2or 3 – died 1852. Moved from Jamaica in 1830, then via England to Western Australia. He married Martha Smith in 1839 who had accompanied him as a servant on the ship. In Western Australia he developed property at Maddington, moved as Resident Magistrate to Williams, Plantagenet and Albany.

This extensive file of papers was sent to the Albany History Collection by Tom CHAPMAN of South Australia, a descendent of J.R. Phillips. Mr Chapman acknowledges the assistance he received from the Albany History Collection, and refers to the file 1RS/404M of the Robert Stephens Collection. Copies of these research documents are in this file, together with biographical notes on some of the children, particularly George Braithwaite Phillips (born 1836) who became Commissioner of Police and Colonel of the West Australian Military Forces. He married a daughter of Edward Gustave HARE, and later a daughter of Samuel BURGESS of York.

J.R. Phillips was a controversial figure in the history of W.A. especially in Albany, provoking curiosity on the extent of his family

and aroused the anger of T.B. SHERRATT and other members of the community. Eventually he was obliged to resign. More recently the family Bible was offered to St. John's Church by members of his family. The offer was accepted, but later some family members borrowed it, and it may not have been returned.

File also contains letters to and from Battye Library, Robert Stephens, newscuttings and interviews with relatives.

PIESSE, F. H. (d.1912). Harold V. PIESSE writes of his father who was an MLA under the Forrest Government. His family was based in Katanning, Wagin and Kojonup areas during the late 19th century. He was connected to the Great Southern Railways and commerce, and entered into all aspects of the community. He built the Flour Mill in Katanning, and his home Kobeleeya. He introduced different breeds of sheep and cattle to the area, and grew orchards and wine grapes. He married Mary J. CHIPPER, daughter of Tom CHIPPER, who carried the mail from Albany to Perth and other areas. (5 typed pages)

PIGGOTT FAMILY. Samuel PIGGOTT was born in England 1819, died Albany 1884. To Fremantle 1840 from Tasmania. A soldier with the 51st at York, then to Albany 1848 in charge of convicts with the 96th. Married Agnes Foster MUIR. They had 11 children. Resigned from forces, and was granted 1,000 acres in 1864 at Hay River "Moorlicup". He was the first person to send wool from Western Australia for sale in London. One of their sons Andrew Muir PIGGOTT (1855-1959) was the father of Eric Joseph PIGGOTT, the author of this family history. His mother was Mary Ann Waldron BROWN (1873-1947). They married in Albany in 1890 at the Catholic Church. She was well known and well respected as a midwife in Albany and surrounding area. Names and information on children are included. Study completed January 1981. (7 typed pages)

PITCHER, Robert A. As Director of Posts and Telegraphs, he accompanied the Postmaster General A.S. HULME at the official opening of Albany's new Post Office on York St. in 1964. Mr. Pitcher commenced his 47 year career with the Post Office as a telegraph messenger with the Albany Post Office. He was a great grandson of James Norman, the father of John Norman, former postmaster in Albany. In the file are photocopies of Mr. Pitcher's

career, and *Albany Advertiser* report on the opening of the York St. Post Office. (4p.)

POMFRET, Ruthven. (1916-2006) Obituary by Ben Baxter in *Albany Advertiser*. Ruthven Pomfret was born at Chatham, England. He loved flying and aircraft from an early age and he became at 17 the youngest qualified pilot in England. Served with the RAF. In 1959 with his South African born wife he moved to Kenya, and was involved with East African Airways. When Kenya gained independence they moved to England, then to Albany in 1970. A colourful multi-skilled citizen of Albany. (1p.)

POPE, Douglas Campbell. Born Katanning 1916; died Albany 2008.

Attended Guildford Grammar School; studied medicine in Melbourne. In 1941 returned to Perth joining the medical service of the armed forces. Received the Military Cross for service in New Guinea and Borneo. In 1947, he joined his father's medical practice in Katanning, and moved to Albany in 1961 where he became the Race Day doctor for the Albany Racing Club. He was respected for his commitment to his work and the community. Obit *Albany Advertiser*. (2 copies)

PRICE, William (1869-1937). Born Chepstow, Wales. To Queensland 1885, then W.A. 1896. In 1909 won Albany seat in the Legislature Assembly, which he held until 1917, when he was in the armed forces. Outlines various careers. Obit. from *West Australian* 23/8/1937.(1p.)

PRIOR, Henry (known as Harry). Born 1879. Article in *Albany Advertiser* 16/5/1961. Family moved from England to Bunbury, then to Albany, building the Prior building in Aberdeen St. Aged 14 when his father died he had to help maintain the family, working for Drew Robinsons, then Walter Sherratt at his store in Collie Street. Then to Goldfields. Returning to Albany he became a contractor, then an undertaker, a business he later handed over to his son Bill. He maintained many interests in the Albany community. He married 1. 1907 Ruby Feddern (d. 1945) one son, two daughters; 2. Margaret Norrish of Kojonup. (1p.)

PROUDLOVE FAMILY. *Albany Advertiser* 21/10/1970. Report on a surprise afternoon tea party at the Lower Kalgan Hall for Eddy Proudlove, who retired after 21 years of the local school bus. A

warm reception by families and children, who appreciated his long service. (1p.)

Also brief history written by Judith Swain. (1p.)

PROWSE, Lucy. Born in Morecombe, Lancashire. In 1904 family moved to W.A., settling at Claremont. Father started Dry Cleaning business in Bay View Terrace. Married Edgar PROWSE in 1933, farmer at Doodlakine. Moved to Darkan about 1949. Purchased brick making machine to enlarge their house (six children). Spurred by the Methodists, and other religions in the area, it was decided to build a church in the Darkan area, each family setting aside 25 acres of crop and 1 or 2 fleeces to finance the building. With the help of a builder, the church was built using the brick making machine, and local voluntary labour. Other churches in the area also used this machine. In 1962 Edgar Prowse was elected to the Senate by the Country Party. Family moved to Perth. Includes some comments on how that affected their lives. (40p.)

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RALSTON FAMILY. File contains family tree of the Ralston family since the late 18th century. It includes note that Robert Ralston purchased the Brig "Amity" and embarked from Leith at the age of 67 with his wife Elizabeth and family, cattle and farm machinery, arriving in Hobart in April 1824. Other sons arrived in 1826. Settled at Logan Falls, near Evandale. Notes that a George M. HUNTER visited the Brig "Amity" in Albany in 1991. File also contains copy of a letter from Mrs. P. WOODLEY dated 22/4/1998 to Mr. CURRIE of Glasgow, a descendant of the Ralston family, saying she has the family tree, but cannot find a reference to their sailing to Australia. (2p.)

REDDIN FAMILY. Notes from the *Albany Advertiser* and other sources on members of the Reddin family, e.g. Michael Reddin; J. Reddin; C.W. Reddin – White Hart Hotel, Secretary of the Princess Royal Sailing Club, and Mt. Barker Hotel, and Premier Hotel; Charlotte Reddin; Phil Reddin; John Reddin; F.J. Reddin, aged 77, was killed on his way to work. (4p.)

REEDY, Francis Moody. Opened Albany High School 1925, after experience at Perth Modern School and Kalgoorlie High School. His special contribution to the school and the community are noted in the *Albany Advertiser* article (n.d.) at the time of his funeral. (2p.)

REEVES, Otto Jacques. *Albany Advertiser* 4/11/1960 photocopy gives report of his funeral following his death at 84. Mr Reeves came to Australia in 1898, worked for Railway Department. Then to Albany in 1911 working for State Ships, later with Arthur Johnston and other companies in Albany. (1p.)

RENOUF, Wilfred. Photocopies from *Albany Advertiser* and *Daily News* recounts Mr. Renouf's experiences during his years in Guernsey, Channel Islands, during the war, when the island was occupied by the Germans. He migrated to Western Australia and Albany about 1956. He has placed these photocopies and documents with the Albany History Collection. One article expresses his support for the retention of the Monarchy. (22p.)

RICHARDSON FAMILY. Alexander Haywood RICHARDSON came to Australia in 1835. He was a member of the Richardson's

Bank of Edinburgh which amalgamated with the Royal Bank of Scotland.

A son, Arthur Haywood Richardson (b.1856) was directed to come to Western Australia in the 1890's, then a separate colony, to open branches under the name of the Bank of Western Australia. He came first to Albany, then to Kalgoorlie, and subsequently retired to Albany.

Son Alexander Haywood Richardson (b. 1885), known as Haywood, purchased a stone house at the corner of Middleton Road and Hay Street for 750 pounds. It had been built by the Scots Presbyterian Church in 1900 as a Manse. The property included a hall which had been used as a mission school and Sunday school.

File contains notes on the family including Olive MILLS (nee Richardson) who opened a girls' hostel for students of the Albany Senior High School.

RIGGS, Harry. Photocopy from the *Albany Advertiser* for 3/5/1990. Retired at the aged of 74 after 35 years on the Albany Shire Council; article comments on his contribution to the town, and his expectations for the future. (1p.)

ROBINSON/ROBESON FAMILY. The Family Group Sheet records George Robinson/Robeson was born in England in 1836 (d. Albany 1914). Migrated to Albany. Married Annie Armstrong (born Scotland 1851) in Albany in 1868. Some of their children adopted the surname ROBESON. (5p.)

ROBINSON, Denis. (c.1917-1975) Photocopies. *Albany Advertiser* 22/7/1975 reports the death of Denis Robinson, Managing director of Drew Robinson. He was Mayor of Albany from 1953-1955, Commodore of the Princess Royal Yacht Club for a number of years, and served with the Australian Navy during the war. (3p.)

ROE, John Septimus. Transcript (typed) of letters of J.S. ROE to his father, the Reverend James Roe, Rector of Newbury, Berks.

- Letter 10/11/1828 written from Lambeth, discusses his prospects of being included in James STIRLING'S expedition to the SWAN RIVER. Mentions that it is

suspected the French have an interest in the South West of W.A. (3p.)

- Letter dated 8/12/1828 advises he has received his appointment from the Colonial Office, also permission from the Admiralty to hold it, accompanied by leave of absence from them for 2 years. Sailing date will probably be some time in January. Writes of making an application to take 16 year old Lancelot COOK with him as his Clerk. Asks his mother to collect seeds and fruit stones for him to take with him (3p.)
- Letter 30/12/1828 reports the “Parmelia” was taken up by the Colonial Office to convey stores, provisions and Officers to the Swan River Colony. January 16th suggested as the most likely date of departure. The “Sulphur” is likely to accompany the “Parmelia”. Requests his father to find some packing cases for his belongings. (3p.)
- Letter 31/12/1828 Reports that the “Parmelia” would sail about the seventh or tenth of January. He also learned that the Colonial Office intended to restrict salaries until the ships landed at the Swan River. Sir George MURRAY intervened and ordered them to be placed on half salary until they landed, then on full salary. The officers, wives and families are all to sail on the “Parmelia” and to have free meals and board until they arrive. Discusses his bedding and furniture. (2p)
- Letter 6/2/1829 written on “Parmelia” off Portland. Discusses weather, his wife Matilda being sea sick. Accommodation comfortable, but cramped for storage room. Comments on fellow passengers and their wives and families. A private ship the “Calista” would follow the “Parmelia” and “Sulphur” so there should be 7,000 (sic) people at the Swan River in the first year. Letter sent from ship at Plymouth. (4p.)

ROE, John Septimus. Letter 7/10/1840 sent to George and James COLLIE, Aberdeen, Scotland re purchase of land in West Australia. Also reports that when he was in King George Sound he took the opportunity of having the body of their brother Alexander removed to the cemetery from the public land where it had been buried. The removal had been attended by the Governor and many people of the town, including native people. (7p.)

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SALE, James. Memories from Captain James Sale compiled from letters of 1932. Mention of Capt. S.G. BUTCHER, Andrew MUIR, Sir Richard SPENCER and family, TRIMMER family, and Patrick TAYLOR. Includes stories of ships and traders using the harbour. Photocopy from *West Australian* 14/3/1936.

SANDILANDS, Roy. Photocopy of Pitman database on Roy Sandilands who was born in 1893 at Tallygaroopna, N.S.W. He enlisted in the A.I.F. in 1918. He was a butcher, and worked in Boulder. His sister lived in Albany. (1p.)

SAW FAMILY. Photocopies of card entries of NELLIE and LILY SAW. Both served as nurses in WWI. Nellie died 31/3/1919. Lily may have returned to Albany in 1919.

Also a photocopy from the *Albany Advertiser* n.d. on the death of Mr. H.T. (Bert) SAW of Bow River, with photo. (1p.)

Herbert Thomas (known as Bert) born Albany 1887. Interest in photography from an early age. Moved to Bow River in 1909, where he continued his interest in photography. He left a valuable collection of glass plates recording the history of Nornalup-Denmark area. (1p.)

SHAND, Robert. Captain. (1843-1875). In 1994 a Mr. Robert SHAND of Cottesloe found a reference in a Bicentenary Dictionary to a Captain Robert Shand who was Captain of the coastal vessel "Georgette" and had died on the vessel when it was wrecked off Busselton. Research showed they were not directly related, but he continued his research. Born in Aberdeen, Capt. Shand chose a seafaring career. The research outlines Captain Shand's career, his time in New Zealand, and his marriage. Also reports that he is buried in the Albany cemetery Lot 526 in the Anglican section, and includes a sketch of the cemetery. It had been arranged that his wife would journey from New Zealand and arrive in Albany about the same time that he died. News cuttings and reports. (9p.)

SHERRATT FAMILY.

SHERRATT, Thomas Brooker. Albany merchant, whaler, ship owner and self appointed builder and lay reader of the Octagon Church in Albany. Monograph by Robert STEPHENS. Also includes the following subjects: Local Government service,

Anglican Church Association, Albany's quickening growth, death of son Thomas in 1895 aged 65.

SHERRATT: Third generation. Walter Pretious SHERRATT. When Robert Stephens and family first came to Albany, they lived in Cuthbert Street and were neighbours of Walter Pretious Sherratt, whose house was built on the site of the Octagon Church. W.P. Sherratt provided a great deal of information on early days in Albany. On his death, W.P. Sherratt's widow consulted Stephens on the disposal of family papers and the early history of Albany. (18p.)

Photocopy from the W.A. Historical Society records.

SHORT, Augustus. (1802-1883) First Bishop of Adelaide. Letter to the Reverend HAWKINS, Secretary for the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel in London, reporting on his first visit to W.A. in November 1848. The Reverend John WALLASTON and Henry CAMFIELD came on board the ship. Gives description of the Church which was sufficiently completed to allow him to consecrate the Church and confirm some of the congregation, and to give communion and baptise children. Also to consecrate the cemetery. (3p.)

SNOWBALL, Douglas Alexander Thomas Wood. (1946-2008). Born in Albany to Keith and Edith Snowball, educated Albany and Wesley College, UWA with a Masters degree at Monash, married Halina GLOWACKI from Kojonup in 1948. To USA where he became a well respected Professor of Accountancy. He is also remembered for his interest in sport. Children Emma and Brooke. Obituary from *Albany Advertiser* by Bev Baxter. (1p.)

SOUNNESS FAMILY. William Sounness was born in 1819 in Scotland, and died in Mt. Barker 1900. He arrived with wife Mary in 1841. Photocopies of biographical details and Cyclopedia of Western Australia . Includes family photographs and family tree. (8p.)

SPENCER FAMILY. (Separate Vertical File)

- SPENCER, Richard, Sir. Copy of entry in Royal Navy Biography by John Marshall, Supplement Part III, Pub. 1829. Richard SPENCER was born in London 1778. Entered Navy 1793. Outline of his career in the Navy. In 1806 Lt. Spencer was sent to negotiate with the Dey of Algiers for the ransom

of some Maltese who had been captured and enslaved prior to the island falling into the possession of the English. At first the Dey declined, then gave the slaves to Spencer – 30 men and 2 women with servants who had been slaves for more than 15 years. On his return to Malta the government rewarded him, and he received other recognition for his bravery. In 1807 he had been wounded in the forehead, eyes and nose by a shot striking the lock of a gun he was pointing. (9 typed pages)

- SPENCER, Richard, Sir. Photocopy of handwritten copy of some of the entry described above from the Royal Naval Biography by John Marshall. (2p.) Also typed copy of letter from Robert Stephens 7/1/1954 to Mr. Victor DENARO, Allied Malta Newspapers, with information on Richard Spencer, in connection with some research he was undertaking on behalf of Malcolm Uren. (5p.)
- SPENCER, Richard, Sir. Typed copy of a letter forwarded by Mrs. WILMOT which she found among her mother's papers after her death. (1p.) The letter to Sir Richard SPENCER dated 24/3/1836 from a man named WEBB discusses accounts and Sir Richard's application for land. (2p.)
- SPENCER family correspondence. Summaries of the contents of letters by Sir Richard SPENCER, Lady Anne SPENCER, Hugh Seymour SPENCER and Edward M. SPENCER written from Albany 1833-1840. They are similar to summaries found in the Robert Stephens Collection (1RS/303M). There are more letters in the Stephens Collection than in this Vertical File.
- SPENCER, Richard, Sir. Newscutting *Albany Advertiser* 6/12/1960. Report on career. (1p.)
- SPENCER, Richard, Sir. Review from the Weekend Extra of the *West Australian* 23/10/2006 by Peter Conole of the book Richard Spencer by Gwen CHESSELL. Very favourable review. (1p.)

SPENCER, Richard Lewis (b. 1868). Photocopy from Cyclopaedia of Western Australia on Richard L. Spencer, son of Joseph Spencer of Kojonup, and grandson of Sir Richard Spencer. Includes photos of Joseph and Richard Lewis. (1p.)

SPENCER, Robert Ernest. Photocopy of particulars for the Roll of Honour of Australia in the Memorial War Museum. Born Mt. Barker, wife Celia Alice Spencer of Perth. Enrolled in the 10th Light

Horse. Died 31/8/1915 at Gallipoli. Grandson of Sir Richard Spencer. (2p.)

SPENCER, Percy (d. 1976). To Albany from England 1922. He had worked in motor workshops and service stations since he was a lad, and had a great interest in racing and the Albany racecourse. The Albany course was named after him. Photocopy from *Albany Advertiser* 28/10/1976. (1p.)

STEAD, George William. Letter from Battye Library with information on G.W. STEAD, who was born in Monmouth in 1862, and came to W.A. in 1896. He was employed by W.A. Railways and in 1912 became general manager of the Midland Railway Company until he retired in 1920. He moved to Albany in 1928, and became Mayor in 1931. Died 1933. Buried in Anglican section of cemetery. (1p.)

STEPHENS, Robert (1886-1974).

- Biographical information about his family and early career, and his special interest in researching and writing about history, particularly the Albany area. (4p.)
- Carbon copy of interview with Robert Stephens printed in the *Great Southern Herald* 3/2/1934. He was standing as a candidate (Country Party) for the South Eastern Province in the forthcoming election. (2p.)
- Photocopy of letter to F.I. BRAY (known as Son) in Perth 4/7/1939. Written from Albany, he outlines his busy schedule, interests and activities. (5p.)
- Robert Stephens died in a nursing home in Perth on 22/6/1974. Several obituaries were published e.g. *Albany Advertiser* 24/6/1974, with tributes from A.H. IFFLA, Bonnie HICKS, and others. (5p.)
- Robert Stephens. Notes on his contributions to the Royal Historical Society and other writings. (1p.)
- Extract from *History West* Vol. 41, No.6. Contains announcement that the Robert Stephens Collection received a Community Heritage grant from the National Library for its preservation and conservation. More detailed indexing of his collection.
- Robert Stephens. Roy and Beatrice LITTLE endowed the Robert Stephens Bursary, a new grant for students at University of WA.

- Robert Stephens local history forum sponsored by the Albany Public Library and the Stephens family. Keynote speaker Professor Geoffrey BOLTON. Held at the Vancouver Arts Centre. (4p.)
- *Albany Advertiser* 17/8/1966. Report on family gathering to mark Robert Stephens 80th birthday. News cuttings and photocopies. Photos in Photo Collection.

STOKES, John Lort Commander (1812-1885). Explorer and hydrographer. Commander of HMS Acheron. Visited Albany 1836 and again in 1840. Describes harbour and town. He joined Lieutenant WARBURTON and others, including 2 natives, and kangaroo dogs to visit outstations. They observed with great interest the natives burning a section of the bush and their hunting. They also enjoyed hunting with kangaroo dogs, and cooking their catch. Published by the Historical Society. (5p.)

STORM FAMILY. The Storm family arrived in Albany in 1960. Cornelis (1918-1980), known as Cor, was born in the Netherlands. He was accompanied by his wife Alexandra, known as Sasha. With them were their young children, Michael and Ingrid. Their second son, Andrew, was born in Albany in 1964.

Cor was manager of the Albany branch of the stationery firm, Lamson Paragon. When Lamson Paragon (W.A.) was taken over by Lamson in Melbourne, Cor established his own business, Storm's Stationery, in 1977.

Cor was active in the Albany community: he was a co-founder of Rostrum 24; and as organist of the Scots Church, York Street for many years, he was well-known for his enthusiasm and for his successful efforts in having a pipe organ custom-built for the church.

Sasha was also an active member of the community, particularly as a kindergarten teacher initially at the Serpentine Road kindergarten. The children of the Lower King community benefitted from her work in establishing and running that kindergarten from 1977 to 1992. Sasha was born in Latvia in 1927. The village was close to the Russian border and her early years were influenced by the conflicts in Russia, and later by the invasion of Latvia and Russia by the Germans in World War II. The family was forced to leave their homeland and travel west, often on foot, from one

migrant camp to the next until the end of the war, when they had the opportunity to migrate to Australia.

Cor and Sasha's sons followed Cor into the stationery business. Michael built Storm's Stationery into a vibrant business at the Monument Arcade at the top of York Street, and won great respect as a successful country cricketer. He died at age 33 after a valiant fight with cancer. A community-based palliative care centre established on the Princess Royal Harbour foreshore was named Storm Cottage in his honour. He is survived by his widow, Megan, and children Julian and Emma. Andrew who was in the stationery and office equipment business in Perth died tragically in Darwin at about the age of 40. Ingrid was a human resources specialist in Sydney, and is happily married there to Kevin McCreton with a daughter, Juliet.

The file contains:

1. A summary of Cor Storm's life, "Cor's Early Days" (3p.) written by his wife July 2008.
2. A list of concerts held at Scots Presbyterian Church, York Street -- many arranged by Cor Storm to raise funds for the church pipe organ.
3. Photocopy of article by John GENONI, in "My Albany" entitled "We will miss our friend Cor" (3p.) published 2001.
4. Transcript of tape recording made in 2002 in which Sasha Storm is interviewed, compiled by Averil BESIEN (40p.)

STOUT FAMILY. E-mail to Albany History Collection from Rosalie STOUT re her great grandfather Stephen Montague STOUT who came to W.A. about 1868. He married Eleanor BROWN at Australind in 1868, and they had 8 children. Includes some details of a family tree, and asks if any further information is available. (3p.)

SWARBRICK, W.H. (Bill) (1879-1961). Obituary in *Albany Advertiser* 13/6/1961. Well known identity of Albany, particularly Emu Point. (2p.)

SWIFT, George. Typed copy from *Perth Gazette* 11/2/1843. George SWIFT and Thomas PRESCOTT were charged with stealing from a dwelling house 250 sovereigns belonging to John WILLIAMS ANDREWS, mariner (referred to as WILLIAMS). Report

of robbery and trial. Both men sentenced to 10 years transportation. (1p.)

SYMERS FAMILY.

- SYMERS, Mary. Mary of the Kalgan; a pioneer of Westralia, reprint from the *Australian Woman's Mirror*, written by Rhoda GLOVER. Outlines Mary's life in Madras, and her experiences at the property at Lower Kalgan. While her husband was away at sea, she also had to supervise the Kojonup properties, bought by her husband Thomas, and eventually to cope with his financial difficulties. (4p. 2 copies)
- SYMERS, Thomas Lyell (1797-1884) Re ships. Comments on "Caledonia" and "Ville de Bordeaux" "Champion" "Emma Sherratt" etc. (1p. 2 copies)
- SYMERS grandson: VAN RAALTE, Bob. **See:** VF Persons – V. Photocopied extract from "Fishtraps and floods" by Richard Piggott (October 1992). Recollections of the Candyup school at Lower Kalgan. (2p.)
- SYMERS, Thomas Lyell. Captain Symers at Albany by Rhoda GLOVER. Precis of thesis on Captain Symers probably published by the W.A. Historical Society. Born Scotland 1797. At 14 became apprenticed to the East India Company and went to sea. When he was 24, the ship "Blenden Hall" was wrecked on the Tristan da Cunha group of islands, and it was 6 months before the crew was rescued. Subsequently he was engaged in ship building and built the "Caledonia". He married Mary JOHNSTONE in Madras. Family moved to King George Sound. Reports on his many activities on land and sea. Includes bibliography. (19p.)
- SYMERS, Thomas Lyell. Account of the shipwreck of the "Blenden Hall". Thomas Symers was 2nd mate on the ship when it was wrecked on Impossible Island of the Tristan da Cunha group in 1821. His brother George was the ship's surgeon. The owner and skipper was Captain Greig, They were sailing from Gravesend to Bombay. The Captain's 17 year old son, Alexander, was sailing on the ship to a military position in Bombay. Alexander kept a diary which was published in London by Phillip Adams under the title "Blenden Hall". George Symers also kept a diary, which was later found at the family home at Lower Kalgan. The two diaries provide an account of the wreck of the ship on a reef, their heroic efforts to save the passengers and crew. Captain Greig wrote a letter, using penguin blood, which he placed in

a sealed bottle, hoping the message would be found. They survived the 6 months on the island by catching fish, seals, birds, and building boats, finally building a boat which reached an inhabited island, and eventually Cape Town in January 1822. The diaries report the courage and resourcefulness of Thomas and George Symers. (16p.)

SYMONDS, Alice. 1860-1952. The story of the wife of Job SYMERS, her marriage on Breaksea Island, and her life in Albany and Western Australia (5p)

SYMONDS, Job (known as Joe) Augustus (b.1868). Born in London to a family of undertakers, Joe ran away when 9 years old to work on the Thames barges, then joined the navy, and the merchant marine. He arrived in Albany in July 1887 and decided to settle here. In 1888 he was assistant lighthouse keeper on Breaksea Island, and he studied for his Harbour Master ticket. He asked his sweetheart ALICE COOK of Essex to join him. She arrived 5/5/1889, and immediately proceeded to Breaksea in a dinghy, accompanied by the Reverend JAMES , a minister of the Wesley Church, to be married. Several children were born while they were at Breaksea. Returned to Albany in 1894. He worked at various ports and lighthouses, and in 1901 at Rottnest, where he achieved fame by assisting the sailing ship "Waimea" to safety in a gale. File contains several news reports. Family moved to Bunbury, then bought a farm at Darkan. He was wounded at Gallipoli, losing part of his foot. In the 1930's he visited family who were living in various states. He was buried in Martin St. cemetery, Cairns. His wife Alice died on Xmas day 1952 aged 92. File includes notes on family and Job's prayer – a poem by Joan STRANGE, wife of one of his grandsons. Notes are compiled by a granddaughter and include a photocopy of Job and Alice's marriage certificate. (12p.)

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TASSELL family. Deaths of young children noted: JOSEPH 25/5/1865 aged 3 weeks; RUBERT(sic) HAROLD 11/10/1901 aged 5 years; MYRTLE HAZEL WOODROW 31/3/1902 aged 16 days. Includes names of parents and cemetery plots.

TAYLOR, Ernest George (b. Mt. Barker 1925). Raised on a farm at Mt. Barker in a family of 5 boys and 3 girls where all worked in the orchard, caring for sheep, cattle, pigs and horses. A good student, he left school at 13, being unable to attend High School in Albany. Worked on farms, then in 1942 put up his age to join the Navy. Sent to Queensland and joined HMAS Hobart, working in the engine room. Ship torpedoed in the Solomon Islands. Repaired in Sydney. Ship sent to Tokyo at the signing of the armistice . Left Navy in 1946.

To Albany, married and built a house in Millbrook. Keen on sport, managed the North Albany Colts for many years. Enjoyed helping young people. Awarded BEM. (6p.)

TAYLOR, Patrick and family. Born 1807 Montrose, Scotland; died Albany 1877.

- “Patrick Taylor; a Scottish settler at the Sound” by Bonnie HICKS. Review of his life, his family, adventures and misfortunes. *Albany Advertiser* 1/10/1963. (1p.)
- Script. “Patrick Taylor, the man”. Brief outline of family history, connections with the history of Albany and particularly the Patrick Taylor Cottage. (4p.)
- Letter from Robert MUIR to the West Australian Museum re old and rare books from the Patrick Taylor Cottage; dated 1991.
- Two pamphlets from the Albany Historical Society on the Patrick Taylor Cottage.
- John B. TAYLOR, my maternal grandfather by Andrew J. KELSO, 1995. Patrick Taylor had two sons: the elder was John Bruce (born 1841) and the younger son Campbell (born 1842). John’s history is not so well known as Campbell’s. John purchased a horse in 1868 for Campbell. The sale was on trust. The horse that John bought was alleged to have been stolen. With a warrant issued on Campbell, John wrote a letter clearing his brother, and fled to Vasse. He obtained work as a groom for Henry PRINSEP, and was in charge of horses being exported to India. The ship struck a sandbank

60 miles from Calcutta. Passengers were saved, but the horses were lost. He may have worked in India, then moved to Victoria. He married Elizabeth Vaughan in 1879 and moved to N.S.W. They had three daughters. John contracted typhoid and died in 1885. His wife visited Albany with her daughters, then returned to Silverton, where she remarried. (9p.)

- Notes from Grove Park Senior Men's Club from F.J. NEWMAN re the visit to the Club by Andrew Kelso of Canberra, with brief outline of his connection with the family of Patrick Taylor.
- Papers connected with the Estate of Catherine Louisa TAYLOR (1840-1913) daughter of Patrick and Mary Taylor. The executrix and Trustee of the Estate was Miss F. Ainslie FAIRBURN. The report on accounts was prepared by H.H. Wilson, public accountant of Howard St., Perth. The Estate consisted of shares, the Patrick Taylor Cottage on Town Lots 44 and 45 which were left to R.C. FAIRBURN, and Albany Lot 293 on Middleton Rd. to F.A. FAIRBURN. (8p.)

TERRY, Paul. (1948-1993).

- Interview with Paul and Joan Terry by James BROWN for Business Directory N36. June 1992. Outline of his background and career. (2p. 3 copies)
- Funeral memorial message, 1993.
- Advertising folder for Esplanade Hotel and Extravaganza. (4p.)
- News cutting from the *West Australian* Big Weekend supplement 30/11/1991. Front page article on Paul Terry by Andre MALAN.

THOMAS, William Charles (1812-1867). Thomas came to Albany in 1836. Bricklayer, Master builder. Worked on St. John's Rectory. Married Mary Woodrow in 1832. 11 children. 42p. and data sheet. Also family tree. 4p.

THOMPSON FAMILY.

Newton THOMPSON (1878-1944) and Beatrice Matilda Caroline Thompson nee HUPFELD /HUPPFIELD (1878-1971). Stepfather was Johann ZIMMERMAN.

Family left Germany in the "Patel" in 1845 arriving in Adelaide on 18/9/1845. They joined Scottish, English and Cornish miners at the

copper mine at Burra and worked in other mines in South Australia and surrounding areas.

File contains a history of the Hupfeld family; pages 5 -7 contain the story of William and Fanny HUPFELD who came to Albany with their children in 1894, remaining here until 1899, when all except their daughter Beatrice returned to South Australia. The family history of the Hupfelds has been meticulously researched, and provides detailed information on many members of the family. (42p.) The history has been supplemented photocopies of certificates of the marriage and death of Newton and Beatrice, letters and stories of family and friends; also many photocopies from the *Albany Advertiser* and other newspapers from 1890-2008. Includes programme for Hupfeld reunion in 2004. (Note: Some members of the family changed their name to Hupfield during World War 1.)

See pages 20-42. In 1901 she married Newton Thompson in the Wesley Church. He was a cab driver and became coachman for the colourful lawyer Frank DYMES, who delighted in his coach and white horses, and established Dymesbury Park. Later Newton worked for the Council. He was an accomplished pianist, and well liked in the community. For many years the family lived in a small house in Aberdeen Street, owned by Frank Dymes.

Newton and Beatrice had 6 children. Two died in infancy. A photo of Newton and Beatrice and some members of their family is in the photographic collection of the Albany History Collection.

THOMSON, Albert Stanley Lyell (b.1895 Mt. Barker, South Australia). Joined AIF 1915-1918. Then to W.A.1923 married Lily Ruth CHAPMAN. Farming at Newdegate. Tough times during the depression. Children brought to Albany to be born. Details of family. (5p.)

THOMSON, Bob. News cutting from *Albany Advertiser* n.d. Tribute of appreciation to Bob Thomson, who retired in 1965 as gardener of Albany. The Rotary Club plans to name the gardens in Middleton Road after him. (1p.)

THOMSON, Catherine Mary (known as Mary) born Fremantle 1911. Educated at St. Mary's Church of England School. Music degree L.A.B. and A. Mus A. Taught music at Kobeelya, Katanning. Married 1935 John (known as Jack) McIntosh

Thomson. Moved to Albany 1942. Signed carbon copy of resume of her busy life. She was awarded an MBE and an Honorary Freeman of the Town of Albany in 1977. Closely associated with many developments during and after World War II, e.g. Voluntary Air Observers Corps; Entertainment Committee for American Service Men on leave; Kindergartens; Country Women's Association; Friends of Albany Hospital; Aboriginal Committee; Unattached Youth Club; Albany Silver Band; Adult Education; Albany Primary School; St. John's church; Albany Sesquicentenary Celebrations; Albany Cottage Board of Management; Royal Flying Doctor Service. (6p.) Included in file is a photocopy of Town of Albany Honorary Freedom of the Town. (1p.)

TIMEWELL FAMILY. The family migrated to Western Australia in 1913 with their 5 children and lived in Albany. The family tree from 1842 is included in this file. Of special interest is the son George who was born in 1872 in Devon, married Elizabeth Sainsbury (b.1872) in 1895. George was a butcher, and was well known for his sausages which he made from a special sausage-making machine. Family lived in Cliff Street and later in Middleton Road.

Children of George and Elizabeth were:

- 1) DORIS, born 1896, married Malcolm SHARPE in Albany 1916.
- 2) GEORGE TIMEWELL was born 1897 and died in Denmark 1967. Enlisted in armed forces in 1916 aged 18. File contains photocopy of his service reports. Married Dorothy JENNINGS in 1921 in Perth. Their son Ross Sainsbury Timewell was born in December 1924. George and his wife ran a store at Youngs Siding and later in Bunbury.
- 3) HAROLD Francis (known as FRANK) was born in 1899 in Finchley. In 1917 he joined the 28th Battalion. File contains photocopy of his service reports. In 1922 he married Lily Olive JENNINGS. He gradually became an important businessman establishing cash and carry stores first in Mt. Lawley (Perth), in Mt. Barker in 1929 and in Albany in 1933 at the top of York Street. The Albany store was taken over by Foy and Gibson in 1949. In the 1950's he and his wife bought gardens and portion of Lot A18 between Millbrook Road and the King River from Frank Roenfeld, and later sold it to the Rev. Johnston. Timewell installed very large water tanks 1951-54. He and his wife ran the tearooms "Happy

Days". They made several visits to England. They had no children.

File contains photocopy of article from *Western Mail*.

References and advertisements can be found in the *Albany Advertiser* at the following dates: 26/11/1929; 18/12/1933; 13/08/1936; 20/08/1936; 26/11/1936; 14/04/1938; 5/09/1938; 2/05/1939; 13/06/1949.

- 4) CLARENCE Sainsbury was born in 1901. He married Doris Mabel COOPER on 24/12/1924 in Highgate W.A. He died in Wagin or Narrogin as result of an accident, probably in a collision with a train in February 1925. His daughter CLARICE was born in 1925. In February 1928 Doris married Henry Cecil Gordon SMITH of Donnybrook. CLARICE visited Albany and came to know her Timewell relatives when she was in her teens. She studied nursing, and married Leslie EVANS of Albany after the war. They farmed on the Evans family property east of Albany, had one son ALAN who, with his wife LOIS continues to farm at Albany, and two daughters.

DORIS TIMEWELL SMITH (nee COOPER) was a member of the family of Charles George Harvey COOPER who came to Western Australia in 1854 as a convict, was given his ticket of leave on arrival, and became Clerk to the Attorney General and a Senior Law Clerk to the law firm Stone and Burt. The file is fortunate to have a family tree of the COOPER family, an account of the crime and subsequent trial, and the valuable contributions made by Charles G.H. COOPER and his descendants to the community.

- 5) ADRIAN Timewell was born in October 1906 in Hensham. He was a carpenter builder in Albany, and Perth, and was manpowered to Exmouth during the war. He maintained a strong interest in mining. File contains a photocopy of an article by John Genoni published in "My Albany" (pages 66 and 67) following a letter written to him by Adrian's wife Barbara, describing her life with Adrian, and suggesting that he did eventually find gold in Kalgoorlie. He died aged 71.

TOLL, Henry Knighton. (b.1827 d. 29/7/1907) Married Ann Reynolds 1856. He had a remarkable and varied career. Born in Cornwall, died at 80 in Plymouth. With P&O for many years, and was often based in the Albany area. Spent time on Breaksea Island as lighthouse keeper, involved in the development of the

Overland Telegraph, attempted sheep farming in the Porongurups area. In 1868 Toll was Consular Agent for the USA. Returned to live in Plymouth, but made a visit to Albany to see his family in 1905.

File contains news cuttings of his letters to the *Albany Advertiser* and other papers, and comments on his activities. (10p.) Also a handwritten synopsis of letters and cuttings compiled by the Albany Historical Society. (14p.) Includes notes on family history. (5p.)

TONDUT, Charles Francois. (b. France 1816 –d. Perth 1898). Married Anne Caroline JACKSON in 1841 (b.1835- d.1887). Three daughters. Studied music and played the violin. His father hoped he would become a priest, but he left home for Marseilles, and joined a French whaler, arriving in Albany in 1835. He and his friend Henri were popular in Albany, and they decided not to return to the ship. They were befriended by the Reverend JACKSON, who hid them until the ship left port. They found work, but after about 12 months the ship returned to Albany, and to avoid the risk of being arrested they made their way to Perth. When the Jackson family moved to Perth, Charles resumed his friendship with their daughter Anne, and they were married. Along with two other families they were the first people to build homes in South Perth. Charles established a vineyard, and was granted the first licence to sell wine in W.A. Charles became a naturalized Australian in 1851. The story of the family is told by a great grandson Aloysius (Loy) WHITELEY in 1969. (31p.)

TROLLOPE, Anthony (1815-1882). Visit by novelist to Albany in 1872. He made favourable comments about the harbour as coal depot and P&O Company. Met an old school friend who filled the office of Resident Magistrate. Made a camping visit to Perth with a friend. Includes illustration of Albany 1863. (4p.)

TROODE, Edward Scobel Pomeroy (b. Fremantle 1864 – d.1940) Married Flora Elizabeth Ashton (1864-1935) Joined public service – Customs Department. Transferred to Albany 1889 rising to the position of Sub Collector at Albany until 1905. In the late 1890s Russia started to take an interest in W.A. A local militia group was raised called the Plantagenet Rifles, later known as the Albany Volunteer Artillery, of which Mr. Troode was a member. He was a keen sportsman. (3p.)

TUCKFIELD FAMILY. File has an outline of family and their achievements from Charles Tuckfield, who was born in 1851 and died in England in 1927. To Australia 1871, and associated with the Overland Telegraph. To Albany. He and his family had a dairy (on 10 acres) in Middleton Road. He returned to England with the family 1899. Son Charles, who was an aircraft engineer, and wife Ruby, returned to Western Australia. He successfully assisted with a problem of the leading plane in the England to Australia air race in the 1930s. He later moved to Sydney. Many of the models of the inventions of Charles Tuckfield Sr, and a model windmill made by son Charles, have been donated to the Albany Historical Society (the windmill by David Watkins), and photographs of the family have been placed with the photographs of the Albany History Collection. Other items included in the file are notes on the family, obituary notices for Charles Tuckfield Sr in 1927(2 copies). Also handwritten letters and recollections of the family written in 1974 (6p.) and 1976 (8p.) Includes sketch of location of dairy on Middleton Road.

TUNNEY, Mrs Robert (b. 1854). Born in Albany, the daughter of William Carey COOPER, and his wife Mary Ann THOMAS (who was the first white girl born in the district). Brought up on the family farm in Mt. Barker, she was a keen horse rider. Her pony was lent to the Duke of Cornwall when he was in Albany. Family party celebrated her 85th birthday. (1p.)

TWAIN, Mark (1835-1910). Visit to Albany January 1896 on the "Oceana". Describes the harbour and the ship manoeuvring to turn around. Also states that British law requires all ships to carry cats. (4p.)

TYSOE, Harry. Brief story of Harry TYSOE of the 2/4th Machine Gun Battalion. He was a prisoner of the Japanese at Kobe. He died aged 35. His widow, Eileen CROXFORD, re-married. Researched and written by his grandson, Kevin DEMPSTER for the Australian War Cemetery in Hodogay in Japan. (2p.)

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UGLOW FAMILY. Sophia BAKER 1814-1891 (nee POINTS) married John UGLOW (1799-1880) in 1845. She had first married Phillip BAKER (1805-1843) Sergeant in 21st Regiment who was transferred to King George Sound about 1833. BAKER had married Sophia POINTS about 1835. Four children survived.

- John and Sophia donated Lot 53 Duke Street to the Methodist Church, and 30 pounds towards the building fund in 1862.
- George UGLOW (1846-1937), son of John and Sophia Uglow, married Marion Ellen EARNSHAW (1846-1926) in 1887. (Marion's sister was Maud BIRD of Strawberry Hill). Their daughter was Sophia Mary Muriel (known as MURIEL 1889-1968). She lived in the family home on Middleton Road and cared for her mother and father. Marion's diaries for the years 1871-2 and 1926 have been deposited with the Battye Library. File includes 35 pages photocopied from the 1926 diary. Also a list of names and places listed in the diary (2p.).
- Sophia POINTS/BAKER/UGLOW's brother George POINTS (1822?-1888) probably came to Western Australia and owned Lot 216 Plantagenet Location 24 in 1885. Sophia UGLOW bought Lots 217 and 218 in 1885.

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VANCOUVER, Capt. George.

- Vancouver. *London Weekly Times*. 21/5/1936. Photocopy of article on Capt. George Vancouver written on the occasion of the ceremonies at Petersham and Richmond to commemorate the City of Vancouver (Canada) 50th anniversary of the establishment of the City, which came into being with the Canadian Pacific Railway. (1p.)
- VANCOUVER, George. "Voyage of discovery to the Pacific Ocean and around the world". Photocopied extract from Vol. 1 (of 3) of his discovery and time in King George Sound from September 29 to October 23, 1791. (12p.)
- "George Vancouver, Charting the South Coast." Article by Norman BARTLETT. Acknowledges assistance of Robert STEPHENS. Photocopy from W.A. Historical Journal, October 1938. (2 copies. 10p.)
- GEORGE VANCOUVER (1757-1798). Brief outline of his career. (1p.)
- Homage to VANCOUVER. Description of the ceremony at St. Peter's, Petersham attended by representatives from Canada and Western Australia – Sir Hal COLBATCH , Agent General from W.A. Newscutting from *West Australian* 25/6/1938. (1p.)
- "Albany's Debt to Vancouver" by Malcolm UREN. Pictures by Richard WALDENDORP. History of Albany and importance of Vancouver, written at the time of the removal of Vancouver's well from Oyster Harbour to Frenchman's Bay. Newscutting from *Walkabout*, n.d., but probably 1962. (5p.)
- VANCOUVER's well.
Design of Notch Weir to be built at Frenchman's Bay, designed by John Calder WILSON. This replaces the well built at Oyster Harbour. *Albany Advertiser* 18/12/1962, (1p.)

Letters by Dennis GREEVE and D.A.P. WEST to the *Albany Advertiser* 17/9/1991 regarding the exact location on the Peninsular of VANCOUVER'S source of water through the research undertaken by Eric HARLEY.(1p.)

Letters by Douglas SELICK and Les JOHNSON to the *Albany Advertiser* 19/9/1991 regarding the location of VANCOUVER'S source of water on the Peninsular. (1p.)

- VANCOUVER'S BICENTENARY CELEBRATIONS IN ALBANY
 - *VANCOUVER Bicentenary September – October, 1991. *Albany Advertiser* lift out 19/9/1991. (16p.)
 - *ALBANY Town and Shire. VANCOUVER Celebrations Committee. Update for preparations n.d. 3p.
 - *ALBANY Town and Shire. VANCOUVER bicentenary celebrations 26/9/1991 to 11/10/1991. Calendar of events. Co-ordinated by Janette ROWE. (12p.)
 - *Annette KNIGHT, Mayor of Albany, speaks on the importance of the VANCOUVER bicentenary to Albany, and the widespread interest it aroused in Canada and King's Lynne in England. Newscuttings from *Albany Advertiser* 3/10/1991 and 10/10/1991.
 - *ALBANY PUBLIC LIBRARY SERVICE. Photocopy (26/11/1991) of article written for the LISWA newsletter by Albany Librarian Marina WILLIAMS reporting on the bicentenary celebrations, and the opening of the Maritime Archives by the Governor General Bill HAYDEN. (1p.)
- 1991 VANCOUVER lecture in the year of the celebrations of VANCOUVER's Bicentenary. Albany 4 /10/1991 by Geoffrey BLAINEY. (8p.)
- VANCOUVER'S memorial proposed for Albany. *West Australian* 3/5/1938. Newscutting from *West Australian* 3/5/1938 (1p.)

VAN RAALTE, Bob. Grandson of Thomas Lyell Symers. Photocopied extract from "Fishtraps and floods" by Richard Piggott (October 1992). Recollections of the Candyup school at Lower Kalgan. (2p.)

VAUGHAN, Arthur Clement. Newscutting reporting the wedding of A.C. VAUGHAN on 31/12/1907 to Hilda WRIGHT, daughter of the Hon. J.A. WRIGHT, Resident Magistrate of Albany. Ceremony at St. John's was performed by Bishop RILEY. Bridesmaids were Mary LOUCH and Helen PLAYNE. The wedding breakfast and kitchen held at the Rectory were arranged by Mrs. LOUCH, and are described in the newscutting from 1907. The couple left for their future home at Candyup, Lower Kalgan. (2p.) (A.C. VAUGHAN died 23/9/1943.)

VIVIAN, Alfred E. Doctor in Albany for over 30 years. His career included distinguished service in the A.I.F. hospital unit in World War II. Obituary in *Albany Advertiser* 30/4/1963.

VIVIAN, Alfred Ernest, Doctor. "Appreciative recollections of Dr. Vivian" by Ruth MOIR, as a nurse working in the hospital, as a patient who, as a farmer's wife living 100 kms from Albany had confidence she could ask for advice when medical help was required, and his care at the birth of her children. (1p.)

VIVIENNE, May (1857-1926). Singer and writer (given name May Vivian RAYNOR). Her 1901 visit to Albany is described in an extract from "Travels in Western Australia". London, 1902. (8p.)

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WALPOLE, Margaret. 1861-193?. Diarist and housewife. Extracts from a typescript of the original diary in the National Library. She and her doctor husband were outward bound passengers on the "S.S. Pathen" travelling to Sydney. During the day they spent in Albany they were encouraged to stay in Albany by the chemist, because the only doctor in the town, Dr. RODGERS, was rarely available. They stayed from September 1883 to December 1884. During that time they contributed a great deal to the town. Her descriptions are interesting and enlightening, and there are many references to prominent people, e.g. HASSELLS, TAYLORS, Rev. WARDELL –JOHNSON. (29p.)

WALTER, Mary Ann. Newscutting from *West Australian* 26/1/1970 on her 99th birthday. Born in Kojonup 1871, daughter of Eleanor and Michael CRONIN, who took up 100 acres at Kojonup (called "Glencoe"). As a girl she collected botanical specimens for Baron VON MUELLER, who named a shrub "Cronianus" after her. (1p.)

WATKINS, Charles Edwin b. 1858 Akaroa, NZ – d. 1933 Albany, WA. Councillor, mining engineer, surveyor, farmer. Arrived in WA 1892; spent early years in the Goldfields (Southern Cross, Coolgardie, etc) . In 1896 purchased 10 acres on Mt Clarence above Middleton Road. Also farmed at Woodanilling from 1900; farm remained in the family till the 1990's. See: John Bird's "Round Pool to Woodanilling" p. 104, etc.

In Timaru, NZ he married (1884) Elisabetha Kippenberger b. 1858 Kindenheim, Germany – d. Albany, WA 1934. Only son, Charles Thomas Watkins b. 1886 Reefton, N.Z – d. 1969 Perth, WA. Solicitor.

- 12 page extract from "Kippenbergers of New Zealand" 1992 by Roy Little. Photocopy.
- "Family Award takes history into the future". Article. Developments, University of Western Australia June 2005. Re establishment by Beatrice and Roy Little of the Watkins Family Award at UWA Albany Centre. Photocopy. [Winners: 2005 Callum Murray; 2006 Cassie Bell; 2007 Emily Boegheim. In 2007 the winner received \$1,425.]

WEBB, William c.1834-1897.

- Information on William and his wife Lucy, with outline of his career. Includes photocopies of birth, marriage and death certificates. From Library Board of W.A. August 1986. (19p. two copies)
 - WEBB, William. "Albany's convict naturalist" by J. WEBB. Convicted of robbery in December in 1859 he was sentenced to 10 years transportation. He arrived in Albany in January 1862 in the "Lyncelles". After 15 months he obtained his ticket of leave, and worked for Alexander MOIR as a shepherd and sandalwood cutter. Granted full parole in 1870, in association with George MAXWELL he collected animal and bird skins, and seeds and plants for Baron VON MUELLER. Married in 1875 Lucy MEW, a young part aboriginal woman, and had 2 sons and 5 daughters. Died in 1897 aged 64. (1p.)
 - WEBB, William. West Australia's first naturalist. Brief outline of his life and contributor as a naturalist and writer for the *Albany Mail*. (1 typed page).
 - WEBB, William. Extract from "Birds of Western Australia". Notes on Webb's work, particularly in regard to the noisy scrub bird. (4p.)
 - WEBB, William. Photocopy of Court record for assault and theft in 1859. He was a miner aged 26. (1p. 2 copies)
 - WEBB, William. Photocopy of letter 16/2/1989 from British Museum to Mr. M. WOOLLEY of Stoke-on-Trent replying to his letter re WEBB, with information on the specimens in the Museum and elsewhere, and photocopies of extracts from catalogues. (3p.)
 - WEBB, William. Photocopy of death notice of William WEBB 5/2/1897. (1p.)
 - WEBB, William. Typed copies of comments on the work of WEBB. (2 copies)
- Marianne NORTH in *Recollections of a happy life*, 1893.
 GARDEN, D. *Albany, Panorama of the Sound*. 1977.
 BIGNELL, Merle. *First the spring*. 1971.
 BIGNELL, Merle. *The fruit of the country*. 1971. (2 copies)
 SERVENTY, D.L. *Birds of W.A.* 1976.
 BRASSEY, Annie (Baroness) *The last voyage to India and Australia*. 1889.
ALBANY MAIL. Extracts . 10/1/1883; 15/7/1884; 24/1/1893; 28/2/1883; 28/7/1885; 22/7/1884; 15/7/1894; 24/1/1883.

AUSTRALIAN ADVERTISER Extracts. 14/3/1896;
15/7/1895; 6/11/1895.

WELLSTEAD FAMILY.

- “John WELLSTEAD, pioneer settler at Bremer Bay” by Robert STEPHENS. W.A. Historical Society Vol.6.Pt. 6. 1967. Private John WELLSTEAD arrived in Albany in 1840 aged 20. Married Amy CRAWFORD in 1846. Took up 11 acres, Lot 121, in King Rd. 1855. His family probably made their home in Bremer Bay in the mid 1850s. He had 10 children. He died in 1896, a very well respected man (12p.)
- WELLSTEAD FAMILY. Newscutting from *Weekend Magazine*. n.d. “A home for all seasons” by John PERRY. Story of the WELLSTEAD FAMILY as told by Great Grandson Max WELLSTEAD. (2p.)
- WELLSTEAD FAMILY. Photocopies of records from Lands Department, Crown Law and other documents. Includes ORIGINAL letter re Daniel ROGERS and his purchase of freehold property of Sussex Location 218. (1p.)
- And: ORIGINAL receipt for five pounds from George HEINZMANN 26/2/1894.
- WELLSTEAD FAMILY. History project by Troy Mostert (Term 4, 2007). Records an excursion by three youths in November 2007 to Bremer Bay, Cape Riche and the town of Wellstead. Gives brief history of the town and surrounding area and the special contribution of the Wellstead family, who came to Albany in the 1840s. (15 pages, bound with illustrations).

WESTALL, William. Maritime artist with FLINDERS in the “Investigator”. Article by Bonnie HICKS in *Albany Advertiser* 20/2/1970. (1p.)

WESTON FAMILY. Story as told to William WESTON by his grandmother CAROLINE, nee NEWELL, and now given by his son Baden WESTON of Albany. James NEWELL and family came to Albany in the 1820s. George WESTON arrived from England in the late 1830s on a whaling ship. He jumped ship. Caroline NEWELL (b. 1822) and George WESTON were married in 1840. They moved between Albany and South Australia and Victoria. Gives information on family. Photocopy of handwritten notes. (1p.)

WHITE, Arthur Ernest. Reverend. 1883-1954.

(Separate Vertical File)

- Outline of his life and work. Born London, died Herberton, Queensland. Army Chaplain in World War I. Entered Theological College, Yorkshire, then Bachelor of Arts, Leeds University 1906. Joined the Bush Brotherhood of St. Boniface, and was sent to Williams, in Western Australia. (File includes photocopies of baptisms at Williams by Rev. WHITE 1911-1915). In 1916 he joined the Chaplains Department of the AIF and was appointed to the 44th Battalion in France, He returned to Australia in 1918 to the Military Hospital at Caulfield in Melbourne until 1919. In 1929 the Bishop of Bunbury suggested he become the Parish Priest at St. John's Albany. In 1938 he moved to Forbes, NSW, then in 1954 he moved to Herberton in Queensland. He was always active and popular in the communities he served. (3 typed pages)
- WHITE, Arthur Ernest, Reverend. The Padre WHITE National Memorial at the Princess Royal Fortress; Founder of the Dawn Service tradition. Outline of his career, and contribution to the Dawn Service in Albany, following a service in Albany on 24/2/1918 when, with others, he made a pilgrimage to the summit of Mt. Clarence for a short service, while, below on King George Sound, a wreath was cast onto the water. On the reverse is a plan of the Albany Forts and a brief history. (1p.)
- WHITE, Arthur Ernest. Reverend. Photocopies of information on the Reverend WHITE from the National Archives, supplied 9/1/2007. (13p.)
Also photocopy of Certificate from King George V appointing him an officer of the Army Chaplains Department. (1p.)
- WHITE, Arthur Ernest, Reverend. Newscuttings from *Albany Advertiser* 27/4/1931 and 21/4/1938 reporting on the Dawn Service and the Carnival.
- WHITE, Arthur Ernest. Reverend. Dawn Service enclosed with handwritten note from *Australia Post* 3/4/1986 entitled "Father of the Dawn Service" on the importance of the Dawn Service and Padre White's contribution, by Darryl COOPER.
- WHITE, Arthur Ernest, Reverend. Letter from the Reverend J.P. HALDANE-STEVENSON to the Curator Padre White Memorial Exhibition re the mention of Padre WHITE in Professor INGLIS's book "Sacred Places" which questions White's achievement in being the first to introduce the Dawn

Service. Includes photocopies from the book, which are difficult to read. (1p.) Also: Reply to the Reverend HALDANE-STEVENSON by Malcolm TRAILL re the Reverend White. (1p.)

- WHITE, Arthur Ernest. Reverend. The Reverend WHITE died in Herberton, Queensland on 25/9/1954. He is buried in Row 20 Grave 27 of the Anglican Section of the Herberton cemetery.
- Photocopy of photo of the Reverend WHITE on the summit of Mt. Clarence. Other photos in the Photographic section of the Albany History Collection.

WHITE, Hilda Ethel (known as Ethel, nee Hassell) (1919 – 2007); and Homer. Obituary in *West Australian* 13/12/2007 by Len Findlay. Daughter WHITE, Obituary in *West Australian* 13/12/2007 by Len Findlay. Daughter of A.Y. and Hilda (nee GRIST) HASSELL. She loved the family farm, Warriup, and returned there after her education. She was interested in the aborigines of the area. During the war she met Homer WHITE, U.S. submariner, and they were married in 1942. After the war they moved to Seattle, but after a year they returned to Albany. Both worked tirelessly for the people of the town, and were particularly involved with the Albany Historical Society.

WIGNALL, Bill. Newscutting from the *Hills Gazette* 10/4/1994. Pioneer vet spins golden yarns. He came to Albany from South Australia in the 1960s, and made a successful career as a vet and a wine producer.

WILLIAMS, Isaac. Newscutting 3/8/1931 re Estate of Isaac WILLIAMS. Tenders invited for property known as "Rocks Hill" at Carbarup in the Mt. Barker District. Describes the property. (1p.)

WILLIAMS, Leonard "Jack" (known as Uncle Jack). Received the NAIDOC award for Male Senior Citizen for the year 1997. Elder of the Noongar people of the Great Southern, teacher, story teller and craftsman. Born 1933 Gnowangerup. Since 1985 he has made artefacts, including didgeridoos, and received an Australian Arts Council grant in 1994. Works held in museums in Australia and other countries. Delegate to the World Indigenous Education Conference 1995. (2p.)

WILSON, Thomas Braidwood. Born 1792 in Braidwood, Lanarkshire, Scotland. Died Braidwood, N.S.W. 1843. Appointed Surgeon of the Royal Navy 1815 aged 23. In Australia 1822, as Surgeon Superintendent of convict ships.

- W.A Historical Society Journal VI, Pt. IV, 1965. Study of T.B. WILSON by Father Martin NEWBOLD of Denmark. Gives brief outline of his career, and his meeting with Collet BARKER, Dr. Robert DAVIS of the 39th Regiment, and John KENT. Captain BARKER and Dr. WILSON arrived in Perth in 1829, where they were delayed for several weeks. They explored the Darling Range and Canning River. In November he left on the "Governor Phillips" for Albany, en route to Sydney. They were again delayed. Dr. WILSON, with Mr. KENT, MOKARE, a soldier named GOUGH, and two prisoners, decided to explore to the north-west of the town. This expedition is described by T.B. WILSON in "Narrative of a journey around the world" published in London, 1835. An edited version of this expedition is described here.

On his 7th voyage to Australia in 1832, WILSON arrived at Hobart with his wife, who had come to settle in N.S.W. On a previous visit to Hobart, Wilson had brought with him the honey bee, and valuable plants; also some English partridges. A grant of land was made to him in N.S.W. and the property was named Braidwood. A village grew up around it, and after gold was found in 1866 the town grew considerably. Dr. WILSON became a magistrate, and was well known for his community spirit. His infant son died in 1837, and his wife, Jane, in 1838. He built a vault on a hill close to town. His two older children, James and Mary remained in Australia. In 1843, N.S.W. was hit with a depression and Braidwood lost all his property. He died in 1843 aged 51. He was highly respected, as an explorer, and for the care he gave to the convicts on the ships as Surgeon Superintendent. (21p.)

- WILSON, Thomas Braidwood. Excerpts from a "Narrative of a voyage around the world; a description of the British Settlement on the coastline of New Holland, in particular that of King George Sound" by T.B. WILSON. Edited by Douglas SELLICK. He has particularly edited the chapter on King George Sound in order to follow the day to day progress of a very brave group of early explorers. Also in the last 7 pages (at page 60) he gives the story of the death of Collet

BARKER from the account given by Captain STURT. (67 typed pages)

- WILSON, Thomas Braidwood. Photocopies of the cover and extracts from the book written by Father M. NEWBOLD of Denmark on T.B. WILSON to mark the Golden Jubilee of Local Government in the Denmark District. Photocopies from *Albany Advertiser* 11/12/1962, 18/12/1962 and 1/1/1963.

WINTON, Tim. Novelist. Interview with Tim Winton in Albany where he spent early teen age years when his policeman father was posted to Albany. Talks about the influence of the small town and particularly the marine environment. Extracted from the periodical *Good Weekend* 25/9/2004. (4p.)

WINZAR, Frank. Photocopy of news cutting on the funeral of Captain WINZAR, formerly West Australian Superintendent of Harbour and Light. In 1901 Captain WINZAR had piloted the "Ophir" conveying the late King George V, then Duke of York, into Albany on the occasion of his visit. (1p.)

WOLLASTON, John Ramsden (1791-1856). To Western Australia in 1841. In 1848 appointed to St. John's Church, Albany. File includes

- extracts from his diary published by the West Australian History Society.
- Also an extract by Joan Bartlett.
- Photocopy of Wollaston coat of arms.
- Report of speech by Prof. Geoffrey Blainey published in the *Anglican Messenger* Oct 1985.

WRAY FAMILY. John WRAY son of John and Celia WRAY, nee PLUMPTON, married Sara Ann ASHBOLT, daughter of William and Lydia ASHBOLT, nee MILLS, in St. John's Church, Albany on September 10, 1872. Gives birth details of their fourteen children born 1873-1894.

WRAY, Capt. H. Extract of article on Captain H. WRAY who designed Point King Lighthouse.

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YELVERTON FAMILY. Obituary notice from the *West Australian* for Eloise YELVERTON, who died 29/9/1945 aged 92, wife of Henry John YELVERTON of Busselton. Also list of descendants. (3p.)

YOUNG FAMILIES. John Samuel YOUNG, wife MARY, son DAVID and daughter AGNES arrived in Albany from Fifeshire, Scotland in the "Buffalo" in 1833. He was a carpenter. Disembarked at Middleton Beach, walked to the Old Farm, and camped for the night. In 1837 he commenced building the first house at Candyup for Patrick TAYLOR. He purchased land in the town of Albany, and leased land in the YOUNGS SIDING area. JOHN died aged 70 in 1866. MARY died aged 72 in 1868. The plan of Albany referred to in the notes is not included.

- Son DAVID worked for Patrick TAYLOR for about seven years, then obtained his own bullock team by the age of 15 and commenced work as a carrier. In 1849 he carted stone free of charge for the building of St. John's Church. He married Margaret MUIR in 1851. Leased land at Youngs Siding, and bought "Marblup" from Henry TULLY. He milled grain and purchased farm known as "Tillyup". In 1881 they entertained Prince Edward and Prince George at their property for 2 days. David died aged 83 in 1908. David could not read or write. Map showing property not included.
 - John William YOUNG owned Albany Hotel in 1902-1908. Vice President of North Albany Football Club. Died 1908.
 - Andrew Muir YOUNG. Notes on the complications of his Will.
 - Henry (Harry) YOUNG, William Wallace YOUNG and Robert Muir YOUNG. The sons worked with their father on the farm. Henry (Harry) YOUNG never married. He died aged 85 in 1942.
- William Wallace YOUNG never married. He died aged 82 in 1946.
- Robert Muir YOUNG married Ann PIGGOTT in 1895. They had eight children – 4 sons and 4 daughters. Robert died in 1953.
- Handwritten letter written by Agnes BISHOP, a descendant of John and Agnes YOUNG, who migrated from Scotland. Handwritten notes on family and life in Albany, Marbellup and Youngs Siding, and their connections with the MUIR and ADAMS families. (3 pages, 2 copies.)

- Family History and Tree compiled by Les and Norma Adams (23p.)