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GENERAL

1

AUSTRALIAN WHEAT FARMING

Massey-Ferguson (Australia) Ltd  
A history of the Australian wheat farming industry highlighting the developments made in agricultural machinery and methods of soil preparation, sowing and harvesting, and the people responsible for these innovations.

Sunshine, Vic: Massey-Ferguson (Australia) Ltd, 197-?: 4 pages  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Wheat; Crops; Agriculture;  
Agricultural machinery; Farming;  
Rural development  
History  
McKay, Hugh Victor

2

FIFTY PLUS YEARS ON KOROROIT CREEK

Parsons R E  
Recollections of Kororoit Creek from a resident who has lived and worked along its banks from 1921-1976.

3 August 1981: 2 pages  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Creeks  
History; Anecdotes  
Kororoit Creek (Vic)

3

MELBOURNE METROPOLITAN WATERWAYS: STUDY REPORT

Victoria. Town and Country Planning Board. Melbourne Metropolitan Waterways Steering Committee  
A description of the Melbourne Metropolitan Waterways Study, including: 1) the aims of the study; 2) the study process; 3) recommendations for the format of

the information inventory, published separately: 4) recommendations concerning the management and planning processes related to urban waterways. Existing information on the waterways is assessed, and legislation and organisational structures are suggested.

Melbourne: The Board, August 1976: 89 pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Rivers; Catchment; Water; Water resources  
Management; Legislation; Study

4

PLANTS SUITABLE FOR THE SUNSHINE MUNICIPALITY

Sunshine (Vic). Council. Parks and Recreation Dept  
A handbook prepared by the Sunshine City Council as a guide for people on some of the plants which will grow in the Sunshine area. All of the plants listed have grown successfully in the municipality on the basis that they are suited to the environmental conditions of the area.

Sunshine, Vic: The Council, n.d.: 56 pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Vegetation; Environment; Flora; Trees  
Guidebook  
Sunshine (Vic)

5

SO WHERE IS THE REAL SOLOMON'S FORD?

A debate over the true location of Solomon's Ford along the Maribyrnong River.

Western Times, Feb 3 1984  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Rivers; Physiography; Topography  
Bites  
Maribyrnong River (Vic);  
Solomon's Ford (Vic)

5  
VOLCANIC PLAINS OF WESTERN  
VICTORIA: A STUDY IN CHANGING  
OCCUPANCE

Reichl P  
Analysis of the landscape pattern  
of the volcanic plains of western  
Victoria and the transformation  
of the land use from primitive  
hunting, fishing and collecting  
by aboriginal tribes through the  
feudalism of the squatters to the  
present scientific pastoral  
system.

Melbourne: Nelson. 1963: 33  
pages; 10 refs; Includes  
illustrations and photographs  
(Place, Time and People No. 2)  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Land; Land development; Land use;  
Physiography; Geology; Soil  
Occupancy; Aborigines; Squatters;  
Agriculture

#### MANAGEMENT AND PLANNING

7  
CONSTITUTION OF THE LOWER  
MARIBYRNONG VALLEY CONSERVATION  
GROUP

Lower Maribyrnong Valley  
Conservation Group  
An outline of the role and  
objectives of the Lower  
Maribyrnong Valley Conservation  
Group which was formed on 20th  
May 1982 with the stated aim of  
protecting and managing the  
valley.

1982: 16 pages  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Environment; Environmental  
protection; Associations;  
Management; Conservation;  
Constitutions  
Objectives; Role  
Lower Maribyrnong Valley  
Conservation Group: Maribyrnong  
Valley (Vic)

8  
IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR  
MARIBYRNONG RIVER

An outline of the multi-thousand  
dollar program to improve the  
Maribyrnong River and its  
surrounds currently being  
implemented by the Melbourne and  
Metropolitan Board of Works. The  
project aims to improve the water  
quality of the river, to fence,  
plant trees and control erosion  
and weeds on the banks of the  
river in Avondale Heights, Keilor  
and Maribyrnong.

11 Jan 1983: 2 pages  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Rivers; Environmental protection;  
Water  
Erosion; Planning; Projects;  
Pollution  
Maribyrnong River (Vic)

9  
LOWER MARIBYRNONG RIVER:  
ENVIRONMENTAL OBJECTIVES

An outline of the environmental  
objectives for the Lower  
Maribyrnong River regarding: 1)  
licensed discharges to the air  
and water; 2) relocation of  
industries; 3) landscaping; 4)  
recreation; 5) rezoning; 6)  
subdivision.

197?: 2 pages  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Rivers; Planning; Environment;  
Environmental protection  
Pollution; Industries; Landscape  
planning; Zoning; Land

subdivision  
Maribyrnong River (Vic)

10  
MARIBYRNONG RIVER AND TRIBUTARIES  
Victoria. Environment Protection  
Authority  
An outline of the water quality  
attainment policy for the  
Maribyrnong River and its  
tributaries which aims to control  
the pollution caused by discharge  
of domestic, agricultural and  
industrial waste into the river.  
The area under study in this  
report is divided into 3 sections  
- the rural section comprising  
the upper reaches of the  
Maribyrnong River, the suburban  
section from Jacksons Creek to  
the Ballarat Road bridge and the  
industrial section from the  
Ballarat Road bridge to the  
confluence with the Yarra River.  
For each of these sections, the  
beneficial uses to be protected  
are listed together with the  
ambient water quality criteria  
required for these uses. Accounts  
of the existing water quality  
conditions and the major sources  
of waste discharges are also  
given.

utilisation: 2) flooding and  
drainage: 3) collection,  
treatment and disposal of  
wastewater: 4) water quality: 5)  
land management: 6) recreation  
and ecology. Conclusions and  
recommendations are directed  
mainly towards management of  
resources and policy development.

East Melbourne: The Ministry, May  
1981: 204 pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: V30V

Rivers; River basins; Water;  
Catchment; Water resources;  
Flooding; Drainage; Waste  
disposal; Land use; Recreation;  
Ecology; Environment  
Management; Study; Report  
Maribyrnong River (Vic)

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MARIBYRNONG VALLEY  
Sunshine (Vic). Council. Planning  
Dept

A concept plan for the section of  
the Maribyrnong River Valley and  
environs within the City of  
Sunshine to: 1) provide an open  
space area to be developed for  
the enjoyment of residents in  
Sunshine and the western suburbs;  
2) to provide for the protection  
and re-establishment of the  
natural environment of the  
Maribyrnong River Valley. In view  
of these aims, the report  
suggests immediate planning  
action to be taken by the  
council. It also makes  
suggestions for the long term  
development of the river valley  
which might be adopted by the  
council as a guide for future  
action. These suggestions concern  
: 1) rezoning of the land in the  
Maribyrnong River Valley: 2)  
acquisition of land for  
parklands, residential and  
industrial development: 3)  
landscaping and planting of trees  
in the Maribyrnong River Valley.

Sunshine, Vic: The Council, Dec

East Melbourne: The Authority.  
April 1973: 25 pages: Draft  
environment protection policy No  
1-30  
Book

AVAILABILITY: V30V

Water: Water resources: Water  
supply: Rivers  
Policies: Pollution: Waste  
disposal: Standards  
Maribyrnong River (Vic)

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MARIBYRNONG RIVER BASIN WATER  
RESOURCES STUDY  
Victoria. Ministry of Water  
Resources and Water Supply  
A detailed study of the  
Maribyrnong River and its  
catchment area, broken into 6  
parts: 1) water resources and

1974: 71 pages; 5 appendices;  
Includes 2 maps and 5 photographs  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Planning; Environment; Open  
space; River basins  
Open space; Recreation; Parks;  
Development

Maribyrnong River Valley (Vic)

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MINUTES OF THE LOWER MARIBYRNONG  
VALLEY CONSERVATION GROUP

Lower Maribyrnong Valley  
Conservation Group

Minutes of the meetings held on  
August 3 and September 30, 1982.

August-Sept 1982: 2 pages  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Rivers; Conservation;  
Environment; Environmental  
protection; Associations  
Meetings; Minutes  
Maribyrnong River (Vic)

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PLANNING AND ENVIRONMENT ISSUES  
IN THE WESTERN SUBURBS OF  
MELBOURNE

Western Suburbs Planning and  
Environment Action Program.  
Interagency Study Team

The first stage of The Western  
Suburbs Planning and Environment  
Action Program (WSPAP) of the  
Victorian Ministry of Planning  
focussed on identifying issues of  
concern and ideas for future  
development affecting the  
municipalities of Sunshine,  
Footscray, Williamstown, Altona  
and Werribee. The report is based  
on 132 submissions by individuals  
(83), community interest groups  
(73), political party branches  
and MPs (14) and government  
agencies (12) and an independent  
survey of resident views. The  
main conclusions concern the need  
for: 1) improved land use and  
environmental planning; 2) action

on unemployment; 3) collaborative  
planning with the community; 4)  
improvement in the region's  
image; 5) more trees. The WSPAP  
is described together with  
investigations currently being  
undertaken in the region and  
action programmes already  
initiated.

Victoria: The Program, March  
1983: 57 pages; 2 appendices  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Planning; Development;  
Industries; Recreational  
facilities; Residential  
development; Land use  
Needs; Recommendations; Report  
Western Suburbs Planning and  
Environment Action Program

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PLANNING OPPORTUNITIES ALONG THE  
MARIBYRNONG RIVER

Melbourne and Metropolitan Board  
of Works. Maribyrnong Working  
Committee

Report to the Melbourne and  
Metropolitan Board of Works on  
the Maribyrnong River between the  
Maribyrnong Valley Metropolitan  
Park and the mouth of the river,  
including: 1) description of the  
characteristics and potential of  
the river with regard to  
ownership, access, conservation  
and recreation; 2)  
recommendations of improvements  
such as cleaning up, tree  
planting and rezoning for  
recreation development; 3) a  
statement to be used as a basis  
for policy and decision making;  
4) a paper on boating on the  
Maribyrnong.

Melbourne: The Board, May 1982:  
17 pages; 2 appendices; Table of  
planned improvements  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Rivers; Environmental protection;



Conservation: Parks: Recreational facilities: Leisure: Metropolitan parks

Boats and boating: Management: Planning: Recommendations: Policy: Maribyrnong River (Vic)

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A RESCUE OPERATION FOR KOROROIT CREEK: FINDING A NEW LEASE OF LIFE FOR NEGLECTED URBAN WATERWAYS

Coveney J (Footscray Institute of Technology)

Outline of a plan to use the undeveloped Kororoit Creek area as a recreation park. The area is polluted and has few trees to counteract the ugly industrial landscape. Development similar to that at Brimbank Park or Cherry Lake is proposed.

Habitat Australia vol. 9 pages 10-11, Feb 1981: 2 maps

Journal article

AVAILABILITY: V60U

Parks: Recreational facilities: Creeks

Development: Pollution: Trees: Industry

Kororoit Creek (Vic)

NATURAL RESOURCES

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GEOLOGY OF THE MELBOURNE DISTRICT, VICTORIA: EXPLANATORY NOTES ON THE STRATIGRAPHY, STRUCTURE AND ECONOMIC GEOLOGY TO ACCOMPANY THE GEOLOGICAL MAP OF MELBOURNE AND SUBURBS (1959, SCALE 1:21,530)

Geological Survey of Victoria

This description of the geology of Melbourne and its environs is intended to accompany and provide an explanatory text to the geological map of Melbourne and suburbs, published in 1959, and also provide a general reference book circulating the work that has been done to date. It takes the

form of a symposium of articles written by geologists of the Mines Department, covering such subjects as: the physiography of the Melbourne area; general geology of the area; economic geology; underground water resources; and fossil plants.

Melbourne: The Department, 1967: 95 pages: Bibliography: Maps: Plates

(Geological Survey of Victoria Bulletin No. 59)

Book

AVAILABILITY: V30U

Geology: Physiography: Water: Water resources: Artesian water: Fossils: Geography: Mineral resources

Mines and mining: Soil: Structure: Maps

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THE MARIBYRNONG RIVER

Armstrong S (City of Footscray Historical Society)

An outline of the physical boundaries of the Maribyrnong River and the environmental degradation that has occurred in and around the river, especially in the Footscray environs, due to sewerage and industrial discharges into its waters.

In 'The Maribyrnong: notes on the Maribyrnong River prepared for the Footscray Historical Society' by S Armstrong, Sept 1970: 1 page Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: V60U

Rivers: Environment: Environmental degradation: Physiography: Water: Water pollution: Maribyrnong River (Vic)

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REVIEW OF VICTORIA'S WATER RESOURCES AND UTILIZATION: PART 1: GENERAL OUTLINE: Victoria. Ministry of Water

Resources and Water Supply. Water Resources Council

An assessment of the surface and ground water resources of Victoria, their present degree of utilization, and the magnitude and location of the remaining resources that may be used for irrigation, domestic and stock supplies, urban water supplies, recreation and hydro-electricity. The aim of the report is to provide a framework for future overall planning for the conservation and development of the State's water supply to ensure that salinity, eutrophication, turbidity and chemical concentrations do not reach levels that would impair water quality and hence the resources potential for use. The report also includes a history of development of water resources in Victoria, highlighting the various authorities responsible for managing Victoria's water resources.

Victoria: The Ministry, March 1980: 109 pages; Appendix; Tables; Maps; ISBN 0721120333 Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Water; Water resources; Water supply  
Usage; Management; Irrigation; Public utilities; Recreation; Hydro-electric schemes; Planning; Environmental protection; Water pollution; Salinity; Bacteria; Report

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VICTORIAN CANOE CLUB: TRIP REPORT - MARIBYRNONG RIVER, AUGUST 1981  
Victorian Canoe Club  
A log of a trip undertaken by 3 canoeists along the Maribyrnong River from Bulla to Keilor prepared to outline the value of the river as a recreation asset and to aid in the formalising of an environmental policy for the Maribyrnong River.

Kew, Vic: The Club, Nov 1981  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Rivers; Canoeing; Recreation; Recreational planning; Environment  
Environmental studies; Policy  
Maribyrnong River (Vic)

## ARCHITECTURE

21  
BUILDERS OF MELBOURNE: THE COCKRAMS AND THEIR CONTEMPORARIES, 1853-1972  
Shaw M T

A chronicle of activities of the family of master builders, T R and L Cockram, from 1853, and the role of their building firm in school, terrace, house, hotel, church, theatre and hospital construction in Melbourne.

Melbourne: Cypress Books, 1972: 136 pages; 25 refs; Index; 42 plates; ISBN 090930798 Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Construction; Historic buildings; Building industry; Businesses; Companies  
History  
T R and L Cockram Pty Ltd

22  
THE BUILDERS: GREAT AUSTRALIAN CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS  
Carroll B

A look at the people behind some of Australia's well known building projects from 1788 to the present. It traces the development of techniques and materials used throughout the different periods of construction in Australia: the eucalypt timber, palm and wattle used by the early settlers; the bluestone quarried at Williamstown and Footscray used for the

construction of buildings in Victoria: and the latter use of brick veneer. The author also describes such epic projects as the building of the Overland Telegraph, the Victorian Goldfields Water Scheme, the Trans Australian Railway, Sydney Harbour Bridge and the Snowy Mountains Scheme, and the trials and tribulations of such men as Walter Burley Griffin, Joern Utzon and Albert Jennings.

North Ryde, NSW: Cassell Australia, 1981: 148 pages; Includes an index; ISBN 0726914150  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSOJ

Architecture; Architects;  
Buildings; Historic buildings;  
Construction; Design  
Projects; History; Development

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BUILDING A CITY: 100 YEARS OF MELBOURNE ARCHITECTURE  
Wilson G; Sands P

A guide to the first 100 years of architecture in Melbourne as reflected through the styles of the buildings erected throughout Melbourne's history. These buildings record the different periods of architecture: the primitive wattle and daub cottages built by the early settlers; the mid-Victorian residential and public buildings; the grand mansions of the Boom era; the Gothic Revival churches and cathedrals; Queen Anne and Edwardian architecture; and the modern work of the 1930's. The aim of the study is to place Melbourne's buildings in their historical and architectural context and to contribute towards an increased appreciation of the city's architectural heritage. Includes photographs of Williamstown Grammar School, Overcawton (Kellon), Lindalay (Williamstown) and Werribee Park

and references to Lowther Hall (Essendon), George Ponds Uniting Church and St Marys (Williamstown).

Melbourne: Oxford University Press, 1981: 201 pages; Bibliography; Includes a glossary, a list of architects and an index; ISBN 0195542924  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSOJ

Architecture; Architects;  
Historic buildings; Buildings;  
Building industry; Construction;  
Design; Heritage  
History; Development

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EARLY MELBOURNE ARCHITECTURE:  
1840 TO 1883

Casey M (comp) (ed); Lindsay J (comp) (ed); Casey D A (comp) (ed); Freeman J R (comp) (ed); Freeman T D (comp) (ed); Henderson A R (comp) (ed)

A photographic record of buildings erected throughout Melbourne, including Williamstown, between 1840 and 1883 compiled to encourage the people of Melbourne to take some action in preserving their architectural heritage.

Melbourne: Oxford University Press, 1975: 181 pages; 14 refs; Glossary; Index; Third ed.; ISBN 0195505077  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSOJ

Architecture; Historic buildings;  
Buildings; Construction; Design;  
Preservation; Heritage;  
Photographs of buildings  
Williamstown (Vic)

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A GLOOMY FUTURE FOR A SUNSHINE HISTORIC BUILDING

Refusal of a submission by the federal government to grant \$30,000 to the Sunshine City

Council to restore the former  
Hunt Club Hotel in Deer Park and  
convert the building into a  
community centre.

The Advocate, 11 March 1981  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Historic buildings; Restoration  
Submission; Federal government;  
Funding; Community centres  
Hunt Club Hotel, Deer Park (Vic)

26  
HOMESTEADS OF VICTORIA 1836-1900  
Cantlon M  
Notes and sketches of historic  
homesteads in Victoria, including  
Exford, Eynesbury, Overnewton and  
Werribee Park.

Melbourne: Georgian House, 1967:  
108 pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Historic buildings; Architecture;  
Heritage; Preservation  
Ownership; Construction; Design  
Exford, Melton (Vic); Eynesbury,  
Melton (Vic); Overnewton, Kellor  
(Vic); Werribee Park (Vic)

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HUNT CLUB HOTEL  
Ford O  
Suggested guidelines for the  
preservation and restoration of  
the Hunt Club Hotel to its  
original 1830 style on the  
grounds that it is one of a few  
remaining nineteenth century  
buildings in the City of Sunshine  
and could become a major tourist  
attraction.

1982: 2 pages  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Historic buildings; Preservation;  
Restoration

Policy; Standards  
Hunt Club Hotel, Deer Park (Vic)

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HUNT CLUB HOTEL, BALLARAT ROAD,  
DEER PARK: PRESERVATION OF ITEMS  
OF HISTORICAL INTEREST  
An outline of the concept plan  
and costing analysis for the  
conversion of the former Hunt  
Club Hotel to a community centre  
and historical museum. The  
estimated cost of the project is  
\$29,000.

n.d.: 5 pages  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Historic buildings; Community  
centres; Museums  
Cost analysis; Planning  
Hunt Club Hotel, Deer Park (Vic)

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HUNT CLUB HOTEL, DEER PARK  
Sunshine, Vic: Sunshine District  
Historical Society, 197?  
Photograph

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Historic buildings; Hotels;  
Photographs of hotels  
History  
Hunt Club Hotel, Deer Park (Vic)

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RESEARCH INTO THE FORMER  
MELBOURNE MEAT PRESERVING COMPANY  
BUILDINGS, VAN NESS STREET,  
MARIBYRNONG  
Kellaway C  
A description of the bluestone  
buildings dating from the 1860s  
or earlier, which once formed  
part of a complex owned by the  
Melbourne Meat Preserving  
Company, a pioneer in the  
Australian meat export industry.  
The buildings still stand on the  
banks of the Maribyrnong River  
and are still in use by the Hume  
Pipe Company, the present owners.

Victoria: National Trust of Australia (Victoria), 11 Sept 1980

Inbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: V331

Industries: Meat Industries;  
Historic buildings  
History  
Melbourne Meat Preserving Company, Maribyrnong (Vic); Hume Pipe Works, Maribyrnong (Vic)

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SUBMISSION BY CITY OF SUNSHINE TO HISTORIC BUILDINGS PRESERVATION COUNCIL CLASSIFICATIONS SUB-COMMITTEE

Sunshine (Vic). Council

A submission to the Historic Building Preservation Council to preserve a building complex along the river frontage in Maribyrnong on the grounds that it constitutes one of the few surviving examples of Melbourne's nineteenth century history. The complex is a colonial adaptation of English industrial design with bluestone walls, split levels and segmented arches and columns and consequently is considered to be of architectural and historical significance. The subject land has been an important industrial site for Joseph Raleigh's Salting Works, the Melbourne Meat Preserving Company and the Hume Pipe Company between the 1840s and 1970s. The submission calls for an immediate interim preservation order under the Historic Buildings Act 1974 to protect the buildings from vandalism and planning in the long term for its preservation and restoration. The submission also includes short biographies of the architect, builder and contractors responsible for the construction of the industrial complex.

Sunshine, Vic: The Council, 1980?: 11 pages; 5 refs  
Inbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: V331

Historic sites; Historic buildings; Industries; Preservation; Restoration; Submission  
Architecture; Design; Biography  
Historic Buildings Act 1974; Purchas, Albert; Pigdon, John; Joseph Raleigh's Salting Works, Maribyrnong (Vic); Melbourne Meat Preserving Company, Maribyrnong (Vic); Hume Pipe Works, Maribyrnong (Vic)

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TRUST THANKED

Ford O (Sunshine and District Historical Society)

A letter from Olwen Ford to the National Trust thanking them for their support in preserving the bluestone buildings on the Hume's site and for their classification of these buildings as historically significant.

Trust News vol. 10 no. 2 page 11, August 1982

Journal article

AVAILABILITY: V331

Historic buildings; Historic sites; Heritage; Preservation  
Hume Pipe Works, Maribyrnong (Vic)

## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

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ENVIRONMENT EFFECTS STATEMENT FOR PROPOSED MINI STEEL PLANT, TOTTENHAM: SCT MEAT AND PAPER PTY LTD

Georgsons Consolidated Industries  
An examination of the economic and environmental effects that would arise if SCT Meat and Paper Pty Ltd constructed a mini steel plant in Tottenham. Conclusions reached in the report indicate that: 1) the plant potentially represents an investment of \$25,000,000; 2) the plant would

directly employ approximately 200 people; 2) the plant would have no significant adverse effects on the physical or visual environment. In view of these findings, the report supports the implementation of the steel plant proposal subject to conditions of pollution control and licensing procedures to be determined by the Environment Protection Authority and other relevant delegated authorities.

Tottenham, Vic: Smorgons Consolidated Industries, 1981?: 27 pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Manufacturing; Industry; Steel industry; Industries; Environmental impact; Environmental studies; Factories Planning; Management; Economics; Employment; Ecology; Pollution; Standards  
Tottenham (Vic); Smorgon Consolidated Industries

34  
VANDALS DAMAGE HISTORIC PLACES  
A request to the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works, the present owners of the vacated Hume Pipe Works, by the Sunshine City Council to resume security surveillance on their historic factories to ensure that vandalism does not further destroy the buildings.

Western Times, 24 March 1982  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Historic buildings; Historic sites; Preservation; Vandalism  
Hume Pipe Works, Maribyrnong (Vic)

## HISTORY

35  
ALLUVIAL TERRACES IN THE MARIBYRNONG VALLEY NEAR KEILOR, VICTORIA

Bowler J M (Australian National University)  
Examination of alluvial stratigraphy from soil pit exposures, excavations and cores in the Maribyrnong River terraces has been combined with a topographic survey, textural and radiocarbon analyses to provide a detailed account of the late Pleistocene to Holocene river terraces and the climatic environments which controlled them.

Memoirs of the National Museum of Victoria no. 30 pages 15-58, 1969: Bibliography  
Journal article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Archaeology; Archaeological excavations; Geology; Soil; Topography; Climate; Terraces; Stratigraphy  
Analysis; Methods  
Maribyrnong River terraces (Vic); Radiocarbon dating

36  
AN ARTEFACT, PROBABLY OF PLEISTOCENE AGE, FROM KEILOR, VICTORIA

Mahony D J (National Museum of Victoria)  
A large pebble extracted 35 years ago from a low cliff of silty clay on the right bank of the Maribyrnong river, a mile south of Keilor, was identified by the National Museum as belonging to a pleistocene terrace deposit. A description of the artefact is included.

Memoirs of the National Museum of Victoria no. 14 pages 37-38, 1944: 5 refs; 1 plate  
Journal article



# PHYSICAL ENVIRONMENT

AVAILABILITY: V60N

Archaeology: Archaeological  
excavations: Fossils; Terraces  
Analysis: Measurements  
Maribyrnong River (Vic)

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EXCAVATIONS AT KEILOR: REPORT NO.  
2

Gallus A

A description of recent  
discoveries in the Keilor  
excavations, including a detailed  
analysis of the bone-working  
floors.

The Artefact no. 27 pages 9-19.  
Nov 1972: 10 refs  
Journal article

AVAILABILITY: V60N

Archaeology: Archaeological  
excavations: Fossils; Prehistory  
Analysis  
Keilor terraces (Vic)

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EXCAVATIONS OF THE GREEN GULLY  
BURIAL

Casey D A (National Museum of  
Victoria); Garragh T A (National  
Museum of Victoria)

The discovery and excavation of  
human remains found in an ancient  
river terrace of the Maribyrnong  
River near Keilor are described.  
The remains were in a shallow  
grave sealed by three feet of  
undisturbed soil. Radiocarbon  
analysis indicated that the bones  
are about 6,460 years old.

Memoirs of the National Museum of  
Victoria no. 30 pages 3-13, 1970  
Journal article

AVAILABILITY: V60N

Archaeology: Archaeological  
excavations: Prehistory; Fossils;  
Terraces

Location

Green Gully (Vic)

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FLAKED STONE MATERIAL FROM GCR-1  
Bright R V 3

A research report with the stated  
aim of establishing a  
relationship between artifacts  
and deposits at the Green Gully  
excavation site (GCR1), a part of  
the Keilor terrace in which the  
burial of the Keilor fossil was  
located. Evidence shows that: 1)  
industry at GCR1 is relatively  
recent; 2) large scrapers are not  
found on their own at GCR1; 3)  
microscrapers and fabricators  
outnumber large scrapers at GCR1.

Memoirs of the National Museum of  
Victoria vol. 30 pages 79-92,  
1970: 15 refs

Journal article

AVAILABILITY: V60N

Archaeology: Archaeological  
excavations: Fossils; Terraces;  
Prehistory  
Research; Report  
Green Gully (Vic); Keilor  
terraces (Vic)

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THE KEILOR FOSSIL MOUND:  
GEOLOGICAL WIDENESS OF ACTIVITY  
Mahony D J (National Museum of  
Victoria)

Evaluation of the age of the  
Braybrook, Maribyrnong Park and  
Keilor river terraces indicated  
that: 1) the terraces represent  
the eustatic rise of sea level  
during the Riss (late interglacial  
phase); 2) height above sea level  
corresponds to the 10-50 foot  
raised beaches of northern  
Tasmania.

Memoirs of the National Museum of  
Victoria no. 13 pages 70-81,  
1943: 5 refs

Journal article

AVAILABILITY: V60N

Geology: Fossils; Rivers;  
Archaeology: Archaeological  
excavations: Terraces

Evaluation

Keilor skull; Braybrook River Terrace (Vic); Maribyrnong Park River Terrace (Vic); Keilor River Terrace (Vic); Dry Creek (Vic); Maribyrnong River (Vic)

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KEILOR MAN  
Gill E D

A description of the finding and examination of the Keilor skull. Possibilities concerning the age, diet and environment of Keilor Man are suggested.

Antiquity, pages 110-113, n.d.:  
12 refs  
Journal article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Archaeology; Archaeological excavations; Fossils; Prehistory  
Diet; Environment  
Keilor skull

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MAN AND THE MARIBYRNONG

Armstrong S (City of Footscray Historical Society)

An outline of the history of humans in the Footscray and Maribyrnong River areas prior to 1835.

In 'The Maribyrnong: notes on the Maribyrnong River prepared for the Footscray Historical Society' by S Armstrong, 1970?: 1 page  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

History; Prehistory; Archaeology  
Fossils  
Maribyrnong River (Vic); Keilor skull; Green Gully (Vic)

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PROVENANCE AND AGE OF THE KEILOR CRANIUM: OLDEST KNOWN HUMAN SKELETAL REMAINS IN AUSTRALIA

Gill E D

Describes the Keilor skull: where it was found, including the geological background of the

area; its provenance and characteristics; and its probable age.

Current Anthropology vol. 7 no. 5  
pages 581-584, Dec 1966: 11 refs  
Journal article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Archaeology; Archaeological excavations; Fossils; Geology  
Analysis  
Keilor skull

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WHEN THE RIVER RAN CLEAR AND FREE  
Holdsworth R

An outline of the transformation of the Maribyrnong River from a favourite recreation area in 1840 to its present neglected and polluted state. Includes a recommendation by the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works to develop a park running 30 miles from the mouth of the Maribyrnong River in an attempt to recreate its original state.

The Sun, pages 26-27, 31 Jan 1976  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Environmental degradation;  
Recreation; Pollution; Rivers  
Parks; Recommendations  
Maribyrnong River (Vic)

PREHISTORY

45

THE AGE OF KEILOR MAN, AUSTRALIA  
Gill E D (National Museum of Victoria)

Radiocarbon analysis of the Keilor Terrace indicates that the terrace is approximately 9,000 years old and that the Keilor cranium, which was found buried in terrace, is approximately 500 years older (9-10,000 years old).

Anthropos no. 50 page 27, 1955

Journal article

AVAILABILITY: VSON

Archaeology: Archaeological  
excavations: Prehistory;  
Terraces; Fossils  
Methods; Analysis  
Keilor skull

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ARCHAEOLOGY OF THE DREAMTIME

Flood J

A study of the human origins of Australia from 40,000 to 10,000 years ago based on archaeological examinations of fossil evidence and aboriginal oral traditions that have been passed down as myths and legends. It examines the ways in which the aborigines adapted to and modified their environment, how their culture and art developed and was passed on and how they coped with such massive changes as the rising of the seas at the end of the last ice age.

Sydney: Collins, 1983: 238 pages;  
Bibliography; Appendix; Includes  
glossary and index: ISBN  
0002164442

Book

AVAILABILITY: VSON

Archaeology: Archaeological  
excavations; Fossils; Prehistory;  
Terraces; Aborigines; Culture;  
Heritage  
Occupancy; Methods; Analysis

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EXCAVATION OF THE GREEN GULLY  
BURIAL

Casey D A (National Museum of  
Victoria); Barragh T A

The discovery and excavation of human remains found in an ancient river terrace of the Paribyrnong River near Keilor, Victoria, are described. The remains were in a shallow grave sealed by 3 feet of undisturbed soil. Radiocarbon analysis indicated that the bones are about 6450 years old.

Remains of the National Museum of  
Victoria no. 30 pages 3-13, 1970

Journal article

AVAILABILITY: VSON

Archaeology: Archaeological  
excavations: Prehistory;  
Terraces; Fossils  
Methods; Analysis

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JOURNEY TO ABORIGINAL VICTORIA

Hassola A

An account of the aboriginal occupation of Victoria from approximately 7,000 years ago, in particular, the destructive influence that European settlement had on aboriginal tribes and customs. It locates, defines and assesses the aboriginal sites which were once of supreme importance to the aborigines in Victoria and then traces the history of these sites and what happened to them. Includes an analysis of the archaeological fossil evidence excavated at Green Gully in Keilor.

Adelaide: Rigby, 1969: 196 pages;  
Includes photographic plates;  
Index

Book

AVAILABILITY: VSON

Aborigines; Prehistory;  
Settlement; Archaeology;  
Archaeological excavations;  
Fossils; Culture  
Occupancy; Sites

Keilor skull: Green Gully (Vic)

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THE KEILOR ARCHAEOLOGICAL AREA

Coutts P J F; Cochrane R M

The Victoria Archaeological Survey's account of the Keilor archaeological area detailing information on: 1) the history of the site; 2) stratigraphy; 3) prehistoric climates and environment; 4) artifacts; 5) human skeletal material; 6) the

future of the Keilor site.

Victoria: Victoria Archaeological Survey, Aug 1977: 12 pages; Bibliography Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Archaeology: Archaeological excavations; Prehistory  
Climate: Environment; Sites;  
Artefacts; Stratigraphy  
Keilor (Vic); Keilor  
Archaeological Area (Vic)

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MELBOURNE BEFORE HISTORY BEGAN

Gill E D (National Museum of Victoria)

Documentation of 5 talks given by Edmund Gill on the Australian Broadcasting Commission Programs to describe the physical nature of Melbourne before white settlement, especially in regard to its physiography, volcanic activity, geology and aboriginal occupation.

Sydney: Australia Broadcasting Commission, n.d.: 16 pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Geology: Physiography; Geology;  
Aborigines; Occupancy; Prehistory

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READINGS IN VICTORIAN PREHISTORY  
VOL 1: ARCHAEOLOGICAL THEORY AND PRACTICE

Coutts P J F

An introduction to the fundamental concepts of prehistory and archaeology in Australia highlighting the progress that is being made in discovery and excavations in south-eastern Australia, and in particular Victoria. It includes descriptions of specific sites, including Green Gully in Keilor, and attempts to interpret the archaeological evidence in relation to the prehistoric

occupation of Victoria.

Melbourne: Victoria Archaeological Survey, Dec 1978: 203 pages; Bibliography; Includes glossary, tables, photographs and illustrations  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Prehistory: Archaeology;  
Archaeological excavations;  
Fossils  
Sites  
Green Gully (Vic); Keilor skull

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RECORDS OF THE VICTORIAN ARCHAEOLOGICAL SURVEY NUMBER 8

Vanderwal R (Dr) (La Trobe University. Division of Prehistory) (ed)

A report prepared by the Victorian Archaeological Survey to outline the developments and programs undertaken by the Survey during 1978 to locate, define, assess and protect the major archaeological sites in Victoria. Includes detailed progressive reports on the excavations and fieldwork undertaken at the Keilor archaeological area during 1977-78.

Albert Park, Vic: Victoria Archaeological Survey, July 1978: 66 pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Archaeology: Archaeological excavations; Prehistory;  
Environment; Environmental studies; Fossils  
Methods; Analysis; Development; Projects; Sites  
Keilor skull; Green Gully (Vic)

# POPULATION AND SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS

## GENERAL

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### JILL BATTEN CONNECTION

Lienisch 2

An account of the life and careers of three generations of the Batten family and their connection with the W. V. McKay agricultural machinery industry since the early 1900's.

196-2: 1 page

Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Family; Genealogy; Biography  
Career  
Batten family

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### COOINDA FESTIVAL 1974

Cooinda Management Committee

A souvenir program of the activities and events held at the first Cooinda festival in Sunshine from 25th-31st March 1974. The aim of the festival was to bring together the community of Sunshine and to promote community pride in the local environment. The initial proposal for the people's festival was forwarded in the policy speech of councillor Vic Parsons when he took office as mayor of Sunshine in September 1973.

Sunshine, Vic: Sunshine (Vic). Council, March 1974: 9 pages  
Booklet

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Programs: Community participation; Festivals  
Activities: Events  
Cooinda festival, Sunshine (Vic);  
Sunshine (Vic)

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### COUNCIL PROJECTS PROGRESS

A progress report on projects undertaken by the council in Sunshine including kerb and

channel road works, the construction of the Diamond Reserve Kindergarten, the construction of the library-kindergarten complex at Highpoint West and the construction and landscaping of the Ballarat Road infant welfare centre.

The Advocate, Sept 27 1979  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Local government; Urban development; Projects  
Road construction and maintenance; Preschools; Libraries; Welfare services; Infants; Construction  
Sunshine (Vic). Council

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### EVAN PINCUS RESIGNS HIS SOCIETY 'JOB'

An announcement of Evan Pincus' resignation from the Sunshine and District Historical Society. His contributions as founder and secretary to the Society are briefly recorded.

The Advocate, August 20 1975  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Associations; Community organisations  
Role; Biography  
Pincus, Evan; Sunshine and District Historical Society

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### GLIMPSES IN AND AROUND SUNSHINE

Sunshine West High School

A collection of thoughts, impressions and insights of form 2 students at Sunshine West High School in regard to the physical environment of Sunshine and the cultural, social and educational facilities available in the municipality.

1975: 32 pages

Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Environment: Social environment  
Vegetation: Traffic; Shopping  
centres: Schools; Recreation;  
Leisure  
Sunshine (Vic); Kororoit Creek  
(Vic); Horribee Sewage Farm (Vic)

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AN INVITATION BY THE COOINDA  
MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE  
Hebb J K (Cooinda Management  
Committee)

A letter written by the Cooinda  
Management Committee to  
organizations in the western  
suburbs inviting them to attend a  
meeting for the purpose of  
formulating plans for the Cooinda  
festival in 1976.

14 Oct 1975: 1 page  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Meetings; Festivals  
Associations; Planning  
Cooinda festival, Sunshine (Vic)

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OUR KIDS, OURSELVES

Caddick A (ed) (Western Region  
Committee on Child Care and  
Family Services); Wannon L (ed)  
(Western Region Council for  
Social Development, Family and  
Community Services)

Articles contributed from people  
living and working in the Western  
Region to communicate information  
and consciousness of current  
activities and services that  
would be of interest to the local  
community, especially children  
and their parents.

Footscray Vic: Western Region  
Council for Social Development,  
March 1978-March 1980: Issued  
monthly: Incomplete holdings  
Booklet

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Information sources: Community  
services: Community facilities:  
Community  
Community participation;  
Children; Youth; Newsletter

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PRELIMINARY RESULTS OF A STUDY  
CONDUCTED IN 1971 OF ONE PER CENT  
OF THE ADULT POPULATION OF  
SUNSHINE

Sunshine (Vic). Council. Welfare  
Dept

Preliminary results of a study  
conducted in 1971 of 1% of the  
adult population of Sunshine to  
develop a social profile of  
residents in the area regarding  
their: 1) nationality; 2)  
occupation; 3) educational  
standards; 4) attitudes towards  
their local government; 5)  
involvement in the community; 6)  
eligibility to vote; 7) knowledge  
of the council and it's  
responsibilities; 8) awareness of  
community facilities and services  
available in the area.

Sunshine, Vic: The Council,  
1971?: 31 pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Statistics; Census; Population  
Social environment; Ethnic  
communities; Occupations;  
Education; Local government;  
Voting; Community facilities;  
Community services; Community  
participation  
Sunshine (Vic)

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RECORD OF THE COOINDA COMMITTEE  
MEETINGS IN THE COMMITTEE ROOM AT  
THE MUNICIPAL OFFICES, ALEXANDRA  
AVENUE SUNSHINE FROM 22ND MAY  
1974- 31 OCT 1974

Sunshine (Vic). Council  
Minutes of the Cooinda Management  
Committee meetings held in the  
committee room at the municipal  
offices, Alexandra Avenue on 22nd  
May 1974, 12 June 1974 and 31  
October 1974 regarding



preparation for the activities and events to be included in the 1978 Corinda festival.

Sunshine, Vic: The Council, 29 May-1 Nov 1974  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: V

Footscray, Vic: Community  
participation: Minutes  
Activities; Events; Meetings  
Corinda festival, 30-31 Oct (Vic)

A REGIONAL  
Community  
vic: Western Suburbs  
Regional Centre  
A social profile of the Western  
Region providing information on:  
1) population trends; 2)  
socioeconomic characteristics; 3)  
employment and unemployment  
trends; 4) welfare; 5) housing.  
The report is an initial document  
intended to constitute the basis  
for future research regarding the  
needs of workers and residents in  
the western suburbs. Based  
primarily on data from the 1976  
census.

Footscray, Vic: The Department,  
April 1979: 59 pages: Tables:  
Statistics  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Social environment: Population:  
Socioeconomic factors: Welfare:  
Employment: Unemployment:  
Housing: Minutes: Ethnic  
communities  
Report: Leads

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SALT WATER RIVER FESTIVAL 1978:  
22TH JANUARY TO 12TH FEBRUARY  
Footscray Community Arts Centre

A program of the events and  
activities planned for the 1978  
Saltwater River Festival. The  
festival is a community

celebration of the landing of the  
first European settlement in the  
Footscray area on the shores  
of the Salt Water River  
(Paribyrnong River). It involves  
aquatic events, craft and  
musical festival,  
agricultural events, a kite fly,  
a procession and historic display.

Footscray, Vic: The Council, Nov  
1977: 1 page  
Unbound sheets

Footscray, Vic: Celebrations:  
Community participation: Programs  
Activities: Events  
Saltwater River (Vic):  
Paribyrnong River (Vic):  
Saltwater River Festival,  
Footscray (Vic)

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A SOCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE SUNSHINE  
MUNICIPALITY

Helia F  
Analysis of the demographic  
characteristics of the 1981  
census data for the municipality  
of Sunshine to determine  
population, socioeconomic,  
employment and housing  
characteristics and trends for  
each district within the local  
government area. The findings of  
this report are intended to: 1)  
provide a general demographic and  
socioeconomic profile of the  
local government area of  
Sunshine; 2) provide a basis for  
the assessment of needs and the  
development of future services by  
the Sunshine council or any  
interested organisations; 3)  
provide useful information in the  
preparation of submission  
reports; 4) provide the basis for  
any further research necessary in  
initiating action to meet the  
needs of the Sunshine residents.

Sunshine, Vic: Sunshine (Vic).  
Council, Community Services Dept,  
Feb 1984: 174 pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Social environment; Demography;  
Population; Socioeconomic  
factors; Employment; Housing;  
Census

Trends; Report

Albion (Vic); Ardeer (Vic);  
Braybrook (Vic); Deer Park (Vic);  
Maidstone (Vic); Sunshine (Vic);  
St Albans (Vic); Brooklyn (Vic);  
Maribyrnong (Vic)

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# SUNSHINE RESOURCE DIRECTORY

The aim of the directory is to provide an up to date listing of welfare, recreational and educational services and resources in Sunshine. Where these are either non-existent or only available on a limited basis, organisations outside the Sunshine area providing these services and resources, were also included. The following are listed: 1) information resources (e.g. local newspapers); 2) accommodation; 3) animals; 4) buying, selling, recycling; 5) children's services; 6) community organisations; 7) counselling and family support services; 8) education; 9) elderly persons services; 10) emergency services; 11) employment and unemployment; 12) ethnic services; 13) finance and income; 14) government; 15) health services; 16) handicapped and disabled persons services; 17) legal; 18) recreational; 19) religious groups; 20) transport; 21) women; 22) youth services. Index included.

Sunshine, Vic: Sunshine (Vic).  
Council, 1978-1983: Unpagged  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Directory; Welfare; Education;  
Recreational facilities; Service  
clubs; Health services;  
Employment; Clubs; Churches;  
Legal services; Community

services

Sunshine (Vic)

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# SUNSHINE SPRING FESTIVAL

Sunshine (Vic). Council

A program of activities and events held at the Sunshine Spring Festival from the 11th to 20th September 1981.

Sunshine, Vic: The Council, Sept  
1981: 4 pages  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Programs; Community  
participation; Festivals  
Archives; Events  
Sunshine Spring Festival

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# WE HAVE LOST A GOOD FRIEND

An announcement of the death of Mrs Doris Van der Halen in October 1981 and a tribute to the work she performed as a journalist of women's affairs in the 'Weekly Times'.

Weekly Times, 23 Oct 1981  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Obituary

Career; Journalism; Biography  
Van der Halen, Doris

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WOMEN OF THE WEST: REPORT OF THE  
SURVEY AND THE OTHER ACTIVITIES  
CONDUCTED BY THE SUNSHINE  
INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S YEAR ACTION  
COMMITTEE FORMED IN OCTOBER 1974  
Goedecke G

A compilation of activities conducted by the Sunshine International Women's Year Action Committee, including a survey of the needs of women and their families in the City of Sunshine in regard to accommodation, communications, education, employment, leisure, health and

Welfare. The report also includes a history of women in the Sunshine district, a summary of the recommendations made at the seminar 'Women of the West' and an outline of community services and facilities available to women in the western suburbs.

Sunshine, Vic: Sunshine International Women's Year Action Committee, 1976: 175 pages: 12 appendices  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Women; Women's liberation; Facilities; Community services  
Needs; Accommodation; Communications; Education; Employment; Leisure; Health; Welfare; Survey; History  
Sunshine International Women's Year Action Committee; Sunshine (Vic)

STATISTICS: DISTRIBUTION, GROWTH,  
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MIGRATION  
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1986 POPULATION FORECAST FOR THE CITY OF SUNSHINE  
Sunshine (Vic). Council  
The 3 models that have been used to forecast the population of the City of Sunshine in 1986 are: 1) the linear model; 2) the exponential model; 3) the cohort survival model. These methods have predicted that the potential population for 1986 will be 104,600, 105,400 and 102,000 for each model respectively. The results yielded from these models will be used for the future planning of the municipality.

Sunshine, Vic: The Council, 1981?: 16 pages: 12 refs; Appendix  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Population: Demography;  
Futurology  
Methods: Statistics  
Sunshine (Vic)

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ABS 1981 CENSUS OF POPULATION AND HOUSING  
Australian Bureau of Statistics  
A record of the population and housing statistics for the local government areas of Sunshine and Melton released from the 1981 census.

Canberra: The Bureau, 1983?: 14 pages  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Statistics; Census; Population; Housing  
Sunshine (Vic); Melton (Vic)

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CENSUS DATA FOR THE WESTERN SUBURBS, 1976  
Western Region Council for Social Development. Fieldwork and Evaluation Unit

A summary of the statistics available from the 1976 census regarding population characteristics of residents living in Altona, Bacchus Marsh, Essendon, Footscray, Keilor, Melton, Sunshine, Werribee and Williamstown. Analysis of these figures indicates that: 1) the percentage of Melbourne's population living in the west has risen significantly from 1971 to 1976; 2) the percentage of pre-school children in the west has declined since 1971; 3) there has been a slight decline in overseas born residents in the west; 4) there is a high proportion of residents over 60 years of age living in the west, especially in Essendon, Footscray and Williamstown.

Footscray, Vic: The Council, 1976?: 16 pages  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Census: Statistics: Population; Demography

Altona (Vic); Bacchus Marsh (Vic); Essendon (Vic); Footscray (Vic); Keilor (Vic); Melton (Vic); Sunshine (Vic); Werribee (Vic); Williamstown (Vic)

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CENSUS OF POPULATION AND HOUSING, 30 JUNE 1971, COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA: BULLETIN 7: CHARACTERISTICS OF THE POPULATION AND DWELLINGS LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREAS: PART 2: VICTORIA

O'Neill J P

An outline of the characteristics of the population and dwellings in the local government areas of Altona, Essendon, Footscray, Keilor, Melton, Sunshine, Werribee and Williamstown.

Canberra, ACT: Commonwealth Bureau of Census and Statistics, May 1973: 723 pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Statistics: Census: Demography: Population

Altona (Vic); Essendon (Vic); Footscray (Vic); Keilor (Vic); Melton (Vic); Sunshine (Vic); Werribee (Vic); Williamstown (Vic)

73  
COMPARATIVE STATISTICS 1981 CENSUS

Comparative statistics for the population characteristics of Sunshine, Dandenong, Footscray, Altona, Camberwell and Broadmeadows extracted from the 1981 census data.

1981?: 1 page  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Statistics: Census: Population; Demography

Sunshine (Vic); Footscray (Vic); Altona (Vic)

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POPULATION STATISTICS SUNSHINE 1947-1981

Population statistics for Sunshine extracted from the Australian Bureau of Statistics census in 1947, 1950, 1956, 1961, 1966, 1971, 1976 and 1981.

1947-1981: 1 page

Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Statistics: Population; Census  
Sunshine (Vic)

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SUMMARY OF STATISTICS RELEASED FROM THE 1981 CENSUS: SUNSHINE AREA

A summary of statistics released the 1981 census in regard to the population, housing and labour force characteristics of Sunshine.

Herald, 25 May 1983  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Statistics: Census: Population; Housing; Occupations; Income  
Sunshine (Vic)

OCCUPATION AND EMPLOYMENT

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FLEXTIME AT SUNSHINE CITY COUNCIL Ferris R

The Sunshine City Council introduced a 'flexitime' work arrangement to replace conventional working hours. This scheme aimed to meet the needs of the organisation and contained elements of fixed hours, flexible working hours and a compressed working week. This report outlines the attitudes of staff to this arrangement and the

effect that this arrangement has had on productivity, job satisfaction, overtime and short term absences. Conclusions reached in the report indicate that: 1) officers and workers were highly in favour of flexitime continuing; 2) flexitime has improved worker's morale; 3) flexitime has allowed a desirable balance between work and private life; 4) workflow has been more evenly spread; 5) the quality and quantity of work improved since flexitime was adopted; 6) flexitime has not adversely affected the ability of supervisors to perform their assigned duties.

Footscray, Vic: Footscray Institute of Technology, 1975: 61 pages; Questionnaire Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Work conditions; Employees; Employment  
Productivity; Job satisfaction;  
Absenteeism; Administration  
Sunshine (Vic). Council

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#### SCHOOL LEAVERS REPORT

Jordan B; Petzierdes D; Freeburn G; Rocca Della G; Lucchesi J  
Results of a survey conducted by year 12 students from Sunshine High School to determine the proportion of school leavers in 1980 who: 1) had jobs; 2) were unemployed; 3) had pursued tertiary education, and their attitudes towards their present situation. The report also includes documentation of 4 interviews held with past pupils of Sunshine High School.

Sunshine, Vic: Sunshine High School, 1981: 27 pages; Appendix; Questionnaire  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Employment; Unemployment;  
Occupations; Post-secondary education  
Surveys; Interview; Students  
Sunshine High School (Vic)

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#### SHIRE OF WERRIBEE LABOUR FORCE AND EMPLOYMENT STUDY: FINAL REPORT

Eccles D J (ed) (Footscray Institute of Technology); Eale A R (ed) (Footscray Institute of Technology)

A study of the labour force and future employment in Werribee undertaken to assist the Council of the Shire of Werribee to develop local economy and employment opportunities.

Includes: 1) data from the Australian Bureau of Statistics; 2) surveys within the urban area of Laverton and Werribee of residents (1443); Year 9 and higher level students; basic firms located in both the urban and non urban areas (63); 3) and interviews with government departments and institutions (8) and neighbouring municipalities (3). The conclusions of the report indicate: 1) mismatching in the number of people who want to work in Werribee and the number of jobs available; 2) little chance of decentralization of industry to the West.

Footscray, Vic: Footscray Institute of Technology, Dec 1978: 92 pages; 6 appendices; Prepared by Footscray Institute of Technology, Planning Studies students; ISBN 090853308X  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Work force; Employment; Local government; Economics  
Industry; Supply and demand; Occupations; Education;  
Households; Population;  
Statistics; Survey  
Werribee (Vic); Shire). Council;  
Laverton (Vic); Werribee (Vic)



## ETHNIC GROUPS

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## FACILITIES FOR MIGRANTS IN THE WESTERN SUBURBS: A SURVEY OF PROBLEMS AND RESOURCES

Oliver P

A survey of organisations in the Western Region who either specifically cater for migrants or who have a large number of migrant users to determine whether existing migrant services are adequately serving the large ethnic population of the region. Conclusions reached in the report indicate that: 1) there is a shortage of facilities designed for ethnic communities in regard to health, education, employment, industry, income, family welfare, civil rights, housing and recreation; 2) the majority of facilities are concentrated in Footscray and Sunshine; 3) there is a lack of properly trained interpreter services; 4) contact between ethnic organisations and Australian organisations is minimal. Recommendations made in the report to improve migrant facilities and services concern: 1) the cooperation and involvement of leaders of ethnic communities in community planning; 2) the establishment of an interpreter training service; 3) the production of literature on laws, by-laws, transport facilities and community facilities in other languages other than English; 4) further research to determine the extent to which migrants are using local community facilities.

Sunshine, Vic: Sunshine (Vic). Council. Welfare Dept, 1971?: 73 pages: 10 appendices: 23 pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Migrants; Ethnic communities;  
Migrant services; Community  
facilities; Community services:

## Community planning

## Recommendations: Report

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## THE MIGRANT AGED IN THE WEST: A SEMINAR ORGANIZED BY THE WESTERN REGION COMMITTEE ON THE AGEING AND THE WESTERN REGION COMMUNITY RELATIONS COMMITTEE HELD ON THE PREMISES OF THE 'HOUSE OF HAPPINESS' SENIOR CITIZEN'S CLUB MAIDSTONE

Documentation of the addresses and reports by discussion groups at the seminar 'Migrant aged in the West'. The aim of this seminar was to discuss the problems that migrants experience in their old age and to suggest possible planning strategies to improve this situation. The major problems identified at the seminar were: 1) language and cultural barriers; 2) a lack of financial support; 3) feelings of isolation, alienation and uselessness; 4) few available opportunities to learn English. In view of these problems, recommendations were made to community organizations and the 3 tiers of Australian government in regard to: 1) improved recreation, health and welfare services for the migrant aged; 2) the lowering of the qualifying period for pensions to migrants; 3) the provision of telephone, gas and electricity concessions; 4) the liaison between senior citizen clubs and migrant organizations; 5) increasing community awareness and understanding; 6) translation of information relevant to the aged in languages other than English.

Oct 25 1979: 19 pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Ethnic communities; Migrants;  
Migrant services; Aged; Welfare;  
Welfare services; Community  
services  
Seminar; Recommendations;

Planning

YOUTH AND CHILDREN

31

DETACHED WORK PROJECT IN THE WESTERN SUBURBS

Melbourne Metropolitan Young Men's Christian Association  
An outline of the 'Detached Work' project for the western suburbs which has allocated a team of 4 detached workers to the suburbs of Seddon, Mairstone, Braybrook and Saint Albans, the worst areas identified for youth crime and violence in the western region. The role of these detached workers is to work in conjunction with the Sunshine City Council and local community organizations to: 1) establish a rapport with members of the community, particularly the youths; 2) help reduce conflicts between youths; 3) provide a counselling service for youths who have problems relating to family life, unemployment and drugs; 4) develop interest groups for youths in the region. The project is being funded by the Department of Youth, Sport and Recreation at a cost of approximately \$30,000.

August 5 1974: 15 pages  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Youth; Youth services; Community services; Welfare services; Counselling; Sociology; Social environment  
Crime; Violence; Projects  
Seddon (Vic); Mairstone (Vic); Braybrook (Vic); St Albans (Vic)

32

LOCAL YOUTH GROUP RESEARCH PROJECT 1982

Sunshine Volunteer Youth Resource Group Management Committee  
Results of a survey of volunteer youth leaders and participants of

youth groups in Sunshine to assess the role of local neighbourhood youth clubs in providing recreation that meets the needs and interests of youth in the municipality. The results of the survey were compiled to form a youth group directory and recommendations for the future planning of youth groups in the Western Region. These recommendations concern: 1) volunteer training; 2) public relations and advertising; 3) resources; 4) youth affairs; 5) leadership development; 6) organisation of groups; 7) fund raising; 8) program planning.

Melbourne: Victoria. Dept of Youth, Sport and Recreation, 1982: 30 pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Youth; Youth services; Community services; Clubs; Youth clubs; Recreation; Recreational facilities; Leisure  
Survey; Recreational planning; Directory; Recommendations; Report  
Sunshine (Vic)

33

MELTON YOUTH INQUIRY REPORT

Melton (Vic: Shire). Council. Committee of Inquiry into Youth Needs in Melton

A report for the Shire of Melton on the needs of young people in the municipality, based on: 1) a series of meetings and workshops with young people, youth workers and others involved in youth affairs; 2) surveys of about 390 young people; 3) submissions from schools and organisations involved with young people. Recommendations are made concerning: 1) a Municipal Youth Policy; 2) youth support services; 3) a youth centre; 4) family support; 5) unemployment; 6) education; 7) leadership development; 8) recreation



facilities: 2) transport.

Melton, Vic: The Council, 1982:  
105 pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Youth; Welfare services;  
Community services; Youth  
services  
Education; Family; Juvenile  
delinquency; Recreation;  
Employment; Unemployment; Survey;  
Recommendations; Report  
Melton (Vic)

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PROBLEMS OF UNEMPLOYED YOUTH IN  
THE WESTERN REGION OF MELBOURNE:  
A STUDY LOOKING AT BACKGROUND,  
ASPIRATIONS, AND ACCESS TO  
EDUCATION OF YOUTH IN THE 15-19  
AGE GROUP

Wassel M (Dr)

Concern at the high level of  
unemployment among Australian  
youth and questions about the  
relevance of Technical and  
Further Education (TAFE) Colleges  
to students led to this research  
project. Three groups in the  
15-19 age group were surveyed: 1)  
Unemployed youths; 2) youths who  
have returned to school as they  
are unable to find employment;  
and 3) youths who are continuing  
to study at Footscray TAFE  
College. The report identifies  
the need for: assistance to  
disadvantaged schools; both  
vocational and academic  
orientation within schools; more  
job opportunities; more migrant  
English teachers in schools;  
financial assistance for  
students; increased awareness of  
TAFE colleges.

Footscray, Vic: Footscray  
Technical College, July-Oct 1976:  
87 pages: 2 refs  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Unemployment; Youth; Technical

Education: State aid to schools  
Migrant education: Survey  
Footscray College of Technical  
and Further Education (Vic)

35

SURVEY INTO THE NEEDS OF YOUTH IN  
THE CITY OF SUNSHINE 1971: THIRD  
INTERIM REPORT

Smith R

Results of a survey into the  
needs of youth in the City of  
Sunshine. These results provide a  
framework for planning and  
implementing youth service  
programs in the future in view of  
the following social conditions:  
1) income and wealth; 2)  
education; 3) employment; 4)  
housing; 5) health; 6)  
recreation; 7) family well-being;  
8) civil and political rights.

Sunshine, Vic: Sunshine (Vic).  
Council, 1971?

Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Youth; Youth services  
Surveys; Needs; Planning; Social  
environment; Income; Education;  
Employment; Housing; Health;  
Recreation; Politics; Reports  
Sunshine (Vic)

36

YOUTH STUDY FOCUSES ON SUNSHINE

A review of the reports prepared  
by students at Sunshine High  
School that make recommendations  
for social action regarding  
issues of education, youth  
rights, vandalism and recreation  
in Sunshine. The reports under  
review were produced as part of a  
non traditional education program  
'9/10/11' that has been underway  
at the school for the past 6  
years.

The Age, page 22, Nov 1 1982  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Employment; Youth; Education;

# POPULATION AND SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS

Secondary education: Vindalish;  
 Recreation: Social environment  
 Review: Projects  
 Sunshine High School (Vic)

## DISABLED

### 87 ACCOMMODATION NEEDS OF PEOPLE WITH PHYSICAL AND INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES LIVING IN THE WESTERN REGION

Western Region Committee for the  
 Disabled. Accommodation  
 Sub-Committee

An assessment of the  
 accommodation needs of physically  
 and intellectually disabled  
 people in the municipalities of  
 Essendon, Sunshine, Keilor,  
 Footscray, Williamstown, Altona  
 and the shires of Werribee,  
 Melton and Bacchus Marsh by the  
 Accommodation Sub-Committee of  
 the Western Region Committee on  
 the Disabled. Recommendations  
 made include: 1) establishment  
 and operation of a wide range of  
 accommodation options- family  
 group homes, adolescent group  
 homes, independence training  
 homes and independent living  
 units; 2) regionalisation of  
 accommodation facilities; 3)  
 provision for social and physical  
 integration of the disabled; 4)  
 provision of temporary and  
 permanent accommodation; 5)  
 inclusion of the disabled and  
 their families in the planning of  
 residential facilities; 6)  
 further investigation and  
 research into existing housing  
 and rental markets for  
 accommodation of the disabled.

Footscray, Vic: The Committee,  
 July 1981: 29 pages; 2 appendices  
 Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Disabled; Accommodation; Housing;  
 Residential development  
 Recommendations; Report

### 88 PUBLIC TRANSPORT AND DISABLED PEOPLE: A LOBBY KIT

Western Region Committee for the  
 Disabled

An outline of the problems that  
 disabled people face when using  
 public transport and the  
 development of ideas and  
 legislation in Australia and  
 overseas to remedy these  
 deficiencies. The initiatives  
 described aim to make public  
 transport more accessible and  
 relevant to the disabled and to  
 provide a stimulus for lobbying  
 purposes and submission writing  
 for the future planning of  
 transport services.

Caulfield East, Vic: Chisholm  
 Institute of Technology.  
 Technology Research Unit, 1983:  
 40 pages; Bibliography; Appendix  
 Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Transport; Disabled; Public  
 utilities  
 Planning; Legislation

### 89 SERVICES AND FACILITIES FOR THE HANDICAPPED IN THE WESTERN REGION

Jandy P; Jannan L  
 A directory of community  
 organisations that provide  
 services and facilities for the  
 handicapped in the Western  
 Region.

Footscray, Vic: Western Region  
 Committee for the Disabled, March  
 1977: 10 pages  
 Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Directories; Disabled; Community  
 organisations; Community  
 services; Community facilities

### 90 WESTERN REGION RESOURCE DIRECTORY FOR DISABLED PEOPLE

Western Region Committee for the

Disabled

A directory of organisations that provide facilities and services for disabled people living in the Western Region in regard to issues of education, employment, accommodation, recreation, health and welfare.

Footscray, Vic: The Committee, June 1982: 49 pages; 2nd ed published April 1984  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Directories; Disabled; Community organisations; Community services; Community facilities  
Education; Employment;  
Accommodation; Recreation;  
Health; Welfare

91

WESTLINE

Western Region Committee for the Disabled

A newsletter for the handicapped, to help facilitate information exchange between organisations and individuals both within and outside the Western Region.

Footscray, Vic: The Committee, June 1978-July 1984: Irregular  
Booklet

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Disabled; Community services  
Community organisations;  
Community centres; Welfare;  
Health services; Newsletter

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A GUIDE FOR OVER 60s IN THE WESTERN REGION

Directory of information for elderly people about accommodation, welfare services, senior citizens clubs, health, local problems and other areas.

Footscray, Vic: Western Region Committee on the Ageing, 1979-1982  
Booklet

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Aged; Welfare services  
Accommodation; Senior citizens;  
Health services

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SUNSHINE NEWS FOR THE AGEING  
Sunshine (Vic). Council. Welfare and Education Dept

A newsletter written to inform the aged of activities and events held by community organisations and senior citizen clubs in the Western Region.

Sunshine, Vic: The Council, July-Dec 1974: 18 pages  
Booklet

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Aged; Senior citizens  
Newsletters  
Sunshine (Vic)

COMMUNITY ORGANISATIONS AND

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ASSOCIATIONS  
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CITY OF KEILOR COMMUNITY DIRECTORY

Bellamy J (ed)

A directory of information on the council and its facilities, community organisations, health and welfare services and local traders in Keilor. Also gives information on by-laws.

Keilor, Vic: Keilor (Vic). Council, 1982-1983  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Directory; Local government;  
Community organisations; Health services; Welfare services;

# POPULATION AND SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS

Businesses

Schools; Senior citizens; Clubs  
Keilor (Vic)

95

CITY OF WILLIAMSTOWN DIRECTORY:  
1978

Mayer J (comp); Parrott Z (comp);  
Rollinson R (comp); Sutherland L  
(comp)

A directory of community  
organisations, facilities and  
services in Williamstown.

Williamstown, Vic: Williamstown  
Community Centre Cooperative Ltd,  
1978: 32 pages; Produced with  
support from the Williamstown  
City Council  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Directory; Community  
organisations; Community  
facilities

Aged; Youth; Migrants; Health  
services; Welfare services;  
Children's services; Recreation;  
Sport  
Williamstown (Vic)

96

HISTORY TALK

An announcement of a meeting held  
by the Sunshine and District  
Historical Society that will  
include short talks on the Mount  
Derrigut property, the history of  
Deer Park State School and local  
industries and reminiscences by  
local residents of their early  
days in the district.

The Advocate, Oct 9 1974  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Meetings; Associations; Societies  
History; Development; Anecdotes  
Sunshine and District Historical  
Society

97

IT'S A RIGHT NOT A PRIVILEGE: A  
REPORT ON COMMUNITY CENTRES IN

THE WESTERN REGION OF MELBOURNE

Kelly E

The Western Region Council for  
Social Development has  
established community centres at  
Essendon, Laverton, Melton, North  
Altona, Saint Albans, Werribee  
and Yarraville, as well as a  
Western Suburbs Union Community  
Centre. The termination of the  
Australian Assistance plan (AAP)  
has critically affected seven of  
the eight centres. The report  
recommends that the Australian  
Government re-establish some form  
of AAP, and provide sufficient  
bridging finance immediately.

Footscray, Vic: Western Region  
Council for Social Development.  
Evaluation and Fieldwork Unit,  
Sept 1976: 141 pages; 12 refs; 3  
appendices  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Community centres; Community  
facilities; Community  
participation; Community  
information; Community planning;  
Community services  
Data collection; Management;  
Decision making; Funding;  
Activities; Counselling;  
Objectives; Analysis; Evaluation;  
Recommendations; Report  
Essendon Community Centre (Vic);  
Laverton Community Centre (Vic);  
Melton Community Resource Centre  
(Vic); North Altona Migrant  
Community Centre (Vic); St Albans  
Community Centre (Vic); Werribee  
Community Centre (Vic); Western  
Suburbs Union Community Centre  
(Vic); Yarraville Community  
Centre (Vic)

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LIVING MUSEUM OF THE WEST:  
MINUTES OF STEERING COMMITTEE ON  
6 JULY 1983

Living Museum of the West  
Steering Committee  
Minutes of the Living Museum of  
the West Steering Committee on  
the 6th July 1983 regarding their

submission to the federal government for an Employment Initiative Program grant to finance their Living Museum of the West project.

July 1983: 1 page  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Associations; Community organisations; Museums  
Projects; History; Meetings; Minutes; Funding  
Living Museum of the West

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LIVING MUSEUM OF THE WEST:  
MINUTES OF A MEETING HELD AT JOAN KIRNER'S OFFICE ON DECEMBER 13TH, 1983 AT 5PM

Living Museum of the West  
Steering Committee

Dec 1983: 2 pages  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Museums; Community organisations; Associations  
Projects; History; Culture; Social environment; Meetings; Minutes  
Living Museum of the West

100  
MINUTES OF THE SUNSHINE AND DISTRICT HISTORICAL SOCIETY MEETINGS

Sunshine and District Historical Society  
Minutes of the meetings held on: October 20 1980; November 11 1982; March 2 1983; October 26 1983.

Oct 1980-Oct 1983: 2 pages  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Associations; Community organisations; Societies  
Minutes; Meetings

Sunshine and District Historical Society

101

PRELIMINARY SURVEY INTO THE NEED FOR CHILD CARE IN THE WESTERN REGION, COVERED BY THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREAS OF FOOTSCRAY, ALTONA, MELTON, KEILOR, SAINT ALBANS, AVONDALE HEIGHTS, SUNSHINE, WILLIAMSTOWN AND WERRIBEE

Wenig V (Community Controlled Child Care); Sussex M (Community Controlled Child Care)

A survey of child care facilities in Footscray, Altona, Melton, Keilor, Saint Albans, Avondale Heights, Sunshine, Williamstown and Werribee to determine whether ante-natal, post-natal, infant welfare and child care services are adequately catering for the communities in the Western Region in regard to the care of children from birth to school age.

Sunshine, Vic: Sunshine (Vic). Council. Welfare Dept, 1972?: 38 pages; 4 appendices  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Children's services; Child care; Community services; Welfare services  
Survey

102

THE SHIRE OF MELTON: THE GOOD LIFE

Associated Media Consultants Pty Ltd

A directory of social, cultural, sporting, community and educational contacts in the shire of Melton.

Melton, Vic: Melton (Vic: Shire). Council, 1984: 34 pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Directory; Community information;



# POPULATION AND SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS

Community services; Community facilities; Information sources  
Melton (Vic)

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SUNSHINE AND DISTRICT HISTORICAL SOCIETY BOOKLET

Ford O (Sunshine and District Historical Society)

A letter written to the Sunshine City Council requesting that the council underwrite the cost of the Sunshine Historical Society's booklet to the amount of \$2000. The book deals with the history of Sunshine and has already been partially funded by a grant (\$300) through the Interim Committee, Western Region Council for Social Development.

August 19 1974  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Grants: Finance  
History

Sunshine and District Historical Society

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SUNSHINE AND DISTRICT HISTORICAL SOCIETY ANNUAL REPORT: FEB 1974

Pincus E (Sunshine and District Historical Society)

A record of the activities, events and achievements of the Sunshine and District Historical Society since its founding meeting on 11 December 1972.

Sunshine and District Historical Society Newsletter no. 1 pages 1-3, Feb 1974  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Associations; Societies; Annual report

Activities; Events; Achievement; Newsletter

Sunshine and District Historical Society

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SUNSHINE AND DISTRICT HISTORICAL SOCIETY NEWSLETTER

Sunshine and District Historical Society

A newsletter compiled by the Sunshine and District Historical Society to keep its members abreast of projects and activities that have been completed, are underway or planned for the future.

Sunshine, Vic: The Society, Feb 1974-August 1981: Irregular publication  
Booklet

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Associations; Societies  
Activities; Events; Projects; Achievement; Newsletter  
Sunshine and District Historical Society

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SUNSHINE AND DISTRICT HISTORICAL SOCIETY: CORRESPONDENCE

Sunshine and District Historical Society

1980-1982

Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Associations; Community organisations; Societies  
Sunshine and District Historical Society

HISTORY

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ABORIGINES IN THE WERRIBEE DISTRICT

James K

An account of the life of the aboriginal tribes whose ancestry in the Werribee district dates back for over 20,000 years. The work specifically details: 1) aborigine groupings in the Werribee district; 2) history of

contacts between the aborigine  
groups and the settlers; 3)  
aboriginal occupancy of the  
district as understood by both  
anthropologists and the settlers.

Geelong. Vic: Campbell Wilson,  
1978: 41 pages; Bibliography: 6  
appendices; Presented by Werribee  
District Historical Society with  
assistance from Werribee Shire  
Council  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Aborigines; History  
Tribes; Occupancy; Settlers;  
Anthropology; Race relations;  
Conflict  
Werribee (Vic)

108

ALBION AND ITS ORIGINS

Popp E

A historic look at the  
development of Braybrook,  
Maidstone and Albion in the  
1860's, particularly in regard to  
housing and occupational status.

A talk by Miss Edith Popp to the  
Sunshine and District Historical  
Society at Albion Primary School,  
Sept 1973: 4 pages  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

History; Development  
Housing; Occupations;  
Socioeconomic factors; Social  
class; Comparative study  
Albion (Vic); Maidstone (Vic);  
Braybrook (Vic)

109

THE BITTER FIGHT: A PICTORIAL  
HISTORY OF THE AUSTRALIAN LABOUR  
MOVEMENT

Harris J

An account of Australia's working  
class and trade union history,  
covering in particular, the  
formative years of the labour  
movement (1824-1922). Includes a  
brief description of the role

that Hugh Victor McKay played in  
setting a precedent for the  
development of the basic wage in  
Australia's industries.

Queensland: University of  
Queensland Press, 1970: 319  
pages; Bibliography;  
Illustrations: Index; ISBN  
070220613X  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Unions; Labour; Labour relations;  
Work force; Strikes; Industrial  
relations  
History  
McKay, Hugh Victor

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BRINGING SUNSHINE INTO THE WORLD  
Wignell E

A brief account of the life of  
Hugh Victor McKay including the  
role he played in the development  
of the Australian agricultural  
industry. His contributions to  
the invention of the harvester  
stripper are also recorded.

The Age, page 11, 3 Feb 1924  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Biography; Agricultural  
machinery; Agriculture  
Role; Development  
McKay, Hugh Victor

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CECIL MCKAY: IT WASN'T ALL  
SUNSHINE

McKay H

A detailed biography of Cecil  
McKay (1899-1968) based on  
anecdotes from both his family  
and the harvester factory works  
at Sunshine.

Melbourne: Hawthorn Press, 1974:  
245 pages; Index; ISBN 0725601272  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN



# POPULATION AND SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS

Biography: Agricultural machinery  
Anecdotes  
McKay, Cecil Newton

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DEER PARK: OVER THE YEARS  
Sunshine and District Historical  
Society (comp)  
A brief history of Deer Park 1875  
-1936 highlighting its population  
growth and industrial  
development.

Nov 1976: Compiled by the  
Sunshine and District Historical  
Society for the Deer Park  
community day, 28 November, 1976  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

History  
Population; Development;  
Industries  
Deer Park (Vic)

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EX FARMBOY RECOGNIZED  
Tom Connor, a former worker for  
the Sunshine firms McKay Massey  
Harris Ltd and Connor Shea, was  
presented with an Advance  
Australia award for his  
contribution to the Australian  
farming industry. He invented the  
mechanical post-hole digger in  
1935.

Weekly Times, Nov 12 1980  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Agriculture; Agricultural  
machinery; Awards; Farming  
Inventions; Biography  
Connor, Tom

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H V MCKAY, PIONEER INDUSTRIALIST  
Rendall F J (Science Museum of  
Victoria)  
A biography of H V McKay, a  
pioneer industrialist including  
an outline of the contributions  
he made to the manufacture of  
agricultural machinery and to the

industrial development, in  
Australia, of policies in regard  
to protection, trade,  
arbitration, unionism and  
conditions for workers. The  
monograph is based on research  
into the H V McKay archives held  
by the Science Museum of  
Victoria.

Victoria: Council of the Science  
Museum of Victoria, Nov 1979: 11  
pages; 3 refs; A booklet issued  
by the Science Museum of Victoria  
to mark the opening on 21  
November 1979 of the historic  
farm smithy in which the first  
McKay harvester was built  
Booklet

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Agricultural machinery;  
Biography; Industries;  
Manufacturing  
History; Archives; Research;  
Role; Policy  
McKay, Hugh Victor

115  
HUGH VICTOR MCKAY: THE YOUNG  
INVENTOR  
Wheelhouse P  
An outline of the life of Hugh  
Victor McKay highlighting the  
role that his invention of the  
stripper harvester played in his  
rise to becoming a successful  
business man and in the  
development of the Sunshine  
Massey Harris Pty Ltd

Sydney: Wentworth Books, 1971: 24  
pages; 4 refs; Series published  
for young readers; ISBN  
0355370060  
(Australia Past and Present)  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Agricultural machinery;  
Biographies  
Companies; History  
McKay, Hugh Victor; Sunshine  
Massey Harris Pty Ltd

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## THE JAMES FLOOD BOOK OF EARLY AUSTRALIAN PHOTOGRAPHS

Paynting H H (ed) (James Flood Pty Ltd)

153 photographs taken during the pre motor car era in Australia revealing the streets, transport, dress and living conditions of the early pioneers. The photographs are complemented with authentic text written prior to 1910 by people who lived during the era.

Footscray, Vic: James Flood Charity Trust, 1970: 157 pages; 9 refs  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Transport; Photographs of social history

Catalogue; History; Anecdotes

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## LIVING MUSEUM OF THE WEST

Museum West Working Party

A submission to the 150th Anniversary Committee for the funding of \$1.3 million over a period of 2 years to develop stage 1 of the Living Museum of the West proposal. The proposal involves the construction of a resource centre and the employment of the local community in collecting documents, photographs and artifacts that reflect the social and cultural history of the Western Region.

n.d.: 9 pages; Appendix  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Museums; Culture; Community participation

Heritage; Community planning;

Social interaction; Exhibitions;

Management; Structure; Funding;

Projects; Submission

Living Museum of the West; Museum

West Working Party

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## THE MCKAYS OF DRUMMARTIN: THEIR PERSONAL STORY

McNeill D

A personal family history, spanning over 180 years, outlining the generations of the children of Nathaniel and Mary McKay, a pioneer family that settled in Drummartin in 1864. Includes the life stories and achievements of their 12 children, especially of Hugh Victor, who invented the Sunshine harvester and became an important figure in the agricultural industry of Australia. It was through Hugh's invention and business ability that the other members of the family became associated in the harvester business as is reflected in each of their life stories.

1984: 96 pages; 50 refs;  
Published privately for the H V McKay reunion 1984;  
Illustrations; Family trees  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Genealogy; Agricultural machinery; Biography; Family History; Achievement; Role McKay, Hugh Victor

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## MELBOURNE ELECTORAL ROLL 1847

Hughes T A (comp)

A re-publication of the 1847 electoral roll for the Melbourne wards of Bourke, Gipps, La Trobe and Lonsdale. The residents that qualified for enrolment in these wards were those who held freehold properties valued at over 200 pounds or those who occupied a dwelling house with a clear annual value of 20 pounds.

Melbourne: The Genealogical Society of Victoria, 1979: 14 pages; An electoral roll originally published in 'The Melbourne Argus' in 1847; ISBN 0959935351

# POPULATION AND SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS

Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Electoral rolls; Elections;  
Voting  
History

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OLD MELBOURNE HOTELS SKETCHBOOK

Bechervaise J

A history of development and sketches of 27 of Melbourne's earliest hotels including the Keilor Hotel, the Braybrook Hotel and the Prince of Wales hotel in Williamstown.

Melbourne: Rigby, 1973: 62 pages:  
Illustrations by Bill Beasley  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Hotels

History: Social environment;  
Architecture  
Prince of Wales Hotel,  
Williamstown (Vic); Braybrook  
Hotel (Vic); Keilor Inn (Vic);  
Keilor Hotel (Vic)

121

A PUBLIC INVITATION TO A MEETING  
HELD BY THE SUNSHINE AND DISTRICT  
HISTORICAL SOCIETY ON MAY 31ST  
1973

Sunshine and District Historical  
Society

A public invitation to a meeting  
held by the newly formed Sunshine  
and District Historical Society.  
The meeting aims to bring  
together people of the area who  
are interested in local history  
and to discuss the historic find  
of a booklet written by Thomas  
Flynn in 1906 on the history of  
the district.

Sunshine, Vic: The Society, 31  
May 1973

Brochure

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Associations; Meetings; Societies

History: Community participation  
Sunshine and District Historical  
Society

122

A REQUEST FOR STORAGE AND WORKING  
SPACE BY THE SUNSHINE AND  
DISTRICT HISTORICAL SOCIETY  
PinCUS J (Sunshine and District  
Historical Society)

A draft of the letter written on  
behalf of the Sunshine and  
District Historical Society  
requesting the use of the council  
owned garage building behind the  
Corio Street library to  
accommodate the restoration and  
preservation work undertaken by  
the Society.

17 June 1974

Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Preservation; Restoration;  
Associations; Societies  
Buildings  
Sunshine and District Historical  
Society

123

TROUBLE-SHOOTER OF THE TOWN HALLS  
Wilkinson H

A brief biography of Councillor  
Alex Gillon, a government  
administrator for the Sunshine  
City Council from 1976 to 1982.

The Sun, July 13 1982  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Local government  
Biography  
Gillon, Alex; Sunshine (Vic).  
Council

124

THE VAGABOND PAPERS: JOHN STANLEY  
JAMES

Cannon M (ed)

A compilation of the works  
written by journalist, John  
Stanley James (the Vagabond) who  
reported on the degradation and

brutality of life in the Australian urban slums during the Victorian era. His works specifically report on paupers, funerals, baby farming, base-knuckle prize fights and conditions in prisons and asylums.

Parkville, Vic: Melbourne University Press, 1969: 274 pages; Bibliography; Index; Illustrations; First published in 5 volumes by George Robertson 1877-8; ISBN 0522839460  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Social environment; Urban development; Social class; Social life and customs; Sociology; Derelict and dirty premises; Working class; Socially disadvantaged; Poverty Chronicle; History

125

VICTORIA 1851: EXTRACTS FROM THE 'BLUE BOOK OF STATISTICS FOR THE COLONY OF VICTORIA, 1851'

A facsimile of sections from the 'Blue book of Statistics for the colony of Victoria, 1851'. Includes statistics for the parish of Cut Paw Paw regarding: 1) population; 2) churches; 3) schools; 4) public works; 5) produce and stock; 6) manufacturers, mines and fisheries.

Melbourne: Victoria. Public Record Office, 1978: 22 pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Statistics  
Population; Churches; Schools; Public utilities; Manufacturing; Mines and mining; History  
Cut Paw Paw Parish (Vic)

## GENERAL

125

LETTERS FROM VICTORIAN PIONEERS:  
A SERIES OF PAPERS ON THE EARLY  
OCCUPATION OF THE COLONY, THE  
ABORIGINES, ETC

Bride T F

A publication of 50 letters  
addressed from squatters and  
other early settlers of Victoria  
to Charles Joseph La Trobe,  
Lieutenant Governor of the colony  
in 1853 to describe the early  
settlement and occupation of  
Victoria and their experiences as  
pioneers. Letters from Thomas  
Chirnside and Thomas Pyke,  
settlers of Point Cook and Upper  
Merribee respectively, are  
included.

South Yarra, Vic: Lloyd O'Neil  
Pty Ltd, 1993: 455 pages: Index;  
Illustrations: First printed and  
published the Trustees of the  
Public Library, Museums and  
National Gallery of Victoria by  
Robert S Brain, Government  
Printer, Melbourne 1893; ISBN  
0955506130

Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

History; Settlement; Settlers;  
Pioneers

Information sources

Chirnside, Thomas: Pyke, Thomas H

127

MELBOURNE: AN ANNOTATED  
BIBLIOGRAPHY TO 1850

Billot C P

An annotated bibliography of  
Melbourne up to 1850 making  
reference to books, periodicals,  
newspapers, maps and pamphlets  
printed or published in Melbourne  
or written by Melbourne  
residents.

Geelong, Vic: Rippleside Press,  
1970: 61 pages: Appendix; Index;  
Includes a list and location of  
unpublished material such as

personal manuscripts, diaries,  
records and letters relating to  
Melbourne's earliest days; ISBN  
0900910014

Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

History; Bibliographies;  
Reference material; Information  
sources  
Archives; Settlement;  
Development; Newspapers; Maps  
Melbourne

128

PASTORAL PIONEERS OF PORT PHILLIP  
Billis R V; Kenyon A S

An account of the pastoral  
occupancy of Port Phillip  
including the names of pastoral  
licensees and the particulars of  
the properties which they  
occupied.

Melbourne: Stockland Press, 1974:  
318 pages; ISBN 0909474087

Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

History; Heritage; Pioneers  
Land settlement; Ownership  
Port Phillip

129

SEMINAR ON 'THE DEPRIVED WEST',  
HIGHWAY INN HOTEL, DEER PARK,  
VIC, 1972

May 7 1972: For details of  
individual papers see entries  
under authors: B Burgell; C  
Benjamin; d Jenkins; E Coulson; A  
G Robertson; D T Bottomley; F  
Roper; C A Wilson

Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Socially disadvantaged

## MANAGEMENT AND PLANNING

130

GREATER MELBOURNE

Lynne A.

A description and analysis of the internal structure and growth of Melbourne and its local government areas in regard to developments made in industry, commerce, transport and population characteristics and distribution.

London: Cambridge University Press, 1974: 112 pages; Bibliography: Includes maps and illustrations  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Urban development; Industries; Transport; Commercial development; Demography; Population Structure

INDIVIDUAL SETTLEMENTS OR AREAS

131  
INFORMATION CONCERNING SAINT ALBANS, VIC

A compilation of historical and statistical material about Saint Albans extracted from newspapers, books, directories and other sources.

April 1979: 42 pages  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

History: Urban development  
Population; Schools  
St Albans (Vic); Keilor (Vic)

LAND USE

132  
MELBOURNE STUDY AREA REPORT:  
VOLUME 2 (COLOURED MAPS)

Land Conservation Council, Victoria

Line coloured maps of the Melbourne study area to

illustrate land use, population distribution, geology, physiology, topography, rainfall, vegetation, water resources and mineral resources in the area.

Melbourne: The Council, 1973: Vol 2 of the 'Report on the Melbourne Study Area' by Victoria. Land Conservation Council. Melbourne: The Council  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Maps; Land use  
Population; Geology;  
Physiography; Topography;  
Rainfall; Vegetation; Recreation;  
Water supply; Public utilities;  
Mineral resources

133  
REPORT ON THE MELBOURNE STUDY AREA

Land Conservation Council, Victoria

A report on the Melbourne study area comprising information that is relevant to the future planning of public land and natural resources in the study area. It describes the physical nature of the land and its environment, examines the likely forms of land use and assesses the hazards associated with these potential landuses. The report does not contain recommendations but aims at providing a factual basis on which landuse recommendations can be formulated.

Melbourne: The Council, Dec 1973: 443 pages; 4 appendices; Vol 1 of the 'Report on the Melbourne Study Area' by Victoria. Land Conservation Council. Melbourne: The Council  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Natural resources; Environment; Environmental studies; Land use; Zoning; Land development



Geology: Physiography: Climate;  
Water resources: Soil: Fauna:  
Vegetation: Recreation:  
Agriculture: Mineral resources;  
Water resources: Public  
utilities: Reports

## HOUSING

134

### ABATTOIRS WILL BECOME A HOUSING ESTATE

An outline of the proposal by the Ministry of Housing to develop a housing estate and a park along the banks of the Maribyrnong River on the site where the Newmarket abattoirs and saleyards were previously located. The aim of the proposal is to develop high standard, medium density housing for the people of the western suburbs.

The Age, 27 April 1983  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Housing; Residential development;  
Urban development; Planning  
Abattoirs  
Newmarket Saleyards (Vic)

135

### AN EXAMINATION OF THE VICTORIAN HOUSING COMMISSION'S OPERATIONS IN BRAYBROOK-MAIDSTONE

Iuchnievicz J

An examination of the Victorian Housing Commission's (VHC) rental operations to determine whether the tenants in Braybrook-Maidstone are receiving benefits comparable to the increased rents imposed on them in January 1976. Conclusions reached in the report indicate that the tenants living in the estate face costs not directly related to the services derived from their VHC dwelling. These include: 1) the costs of subsidizing rents on the newer stock of rental dwellings; 2) the costs of taxation on all

components of rent and thereby the costs of subsidizing of public and privately built dwellings; 3) the costs of subsidizing the owners of public and privately built dwellings; 3) the costs of the inefficiencies of the VHC. It also indicates that the services public tenants receive from their VHC dwelling are of a low quality. These include: 1) the low structural quality of the dwelling; 2) the high level of maintenance needed to keep up the standard of the dwelling; 3) the limitation on the possible usage of the housing services.

Victoria:

Sunshine-Braybrook-Maidstone Housing Commission Tenant's Union, 1976: 48 pages; 16 refs; 4 appendices  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Housing; Tenants; Rents and renting; Residential development; Public housing  
Cost benefit analysis;  
Construction; Maintenance  
Braybrook (Vic); Maidstone (Vic);  
Housing Commission, Victoria

136

### HOUSING IN SUNSHINE

Gilley T (Sunshine (Vic). Council)

A report outlining strategies that can be implemented by the Sunshine City Council to: 1) increase the amount of and improve the housing stock in Sunshine; 2) develop a housing policy for the municipality of Sunshine; 3) provide a basis for future planning of private and public housing for all of the Sunshine residents, including the aged, disabled and migrants. These recommendations were made following an examination of the present and projected housing needs in Sunshine and in new of a deepening housing crisis in the



municipality.

Sunshine, Vic: Sunshine (Vic).  
Council. April 1984: 45 pages; 8  
appendices: 40 pages: maps;  
Statistics  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Planning; Urban planning;  
Housing; Residential development;  
Public housing  
Policy; Aged; Disabled; Ethnic  
communities; Migrants;  
Recommendations; Report  
Sunshine (Vic)

EFFECTS OF URBANISATION AND  
INDUSTRIALISATION

137  
ENVIRONMENT: CHANGES DUE TO IAN  
Simovski A  
A personal account of the  
transformation of Sunshine from  
its natural state when it was  
first settled to its present  
state as a diversified industrial  
centre.

n.d.: 1 page  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Industries; Environmental  
degradation; Pollution  
Environmental impact  
Sunshine (Vic)

138  
LOCALS FIGHT ABATTOIR PLANS  
Approval by the Town Planning  
Appeals Tribunal for an abattoir  
at Derrimut has created much  
opposition from the Sunshine  
Action Committee and local  
residents on the grounds that the  
chemicals manufactured at the  
site could form components of  
agent orange.

The Sun, 30 July 1980

Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Abattoirs; Meat industry;  
Industries  
Resident action; Protest groups;  
Environmental impact; Planning  
Derrimut (Vic)

139  
NEWPORT: ABUSE OF POWER  
Anti-Newport Power Station  
Coalition  
A paper outlining the controversy  
between the State Electricity  
Commission and conservationists  
in regard to the proposed  
construction of a 1000 MW power  
station at Newport and the  
environmental consequences that  
will arise if the proposed 1971  
bill is implemented. The paper  
also looks at the alternative  
methods for energy production and  
alternative sites for a power  
station.

East Melbourne: The Coalition,  
1975: 49 pages; 24 refs; Includes  
tables and graphs  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Energy resources; Electricity  
supply; Environmental impact;  
Energy; Conservation; Pollution  
Conflict; Debate; Decision  
making; Resident action;  
Community participation; Planning  
State Electricity Commission of  
Victoria; Newport Power Station  
(Vic); Victoria. Environment  
Protection Authority

140  
OUR LIFE'S NOT ALL SUNSHINE  
A complaint from a resident of  
the Glengala housing estate in  
Sunshine in regard to the  
pollution caused by neighbouring  
noxious trades.

The Sun, Jan 24 1983  
Newspaper article

## URBAN AND REGIONAL SETTLEMENT

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AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Toxicous trades; Environmental degradation; Pollution: Industries  
 Grievance procedure; Public housing  
 Sunshine (Vic); Glengala Housing Estate (Vic)

### HISTORY

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141

ANNALS OF ESSENDON TO 1924

Essendon Historical Society

A chronological listing of important dates in the history of Essendon and district, from 1803 to 1924.

Essendon, Vic: The Society, 1980: 58 pages  
 Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

History: Heritage; Chronicle  
 Essendon (Vic)

142

THE BACCHUS STORY: A HISTORY OF CAPTAIN W H BACCHUS, OF BACCHUS MARSH, AND HIS SON

Oshorn B

An outline of the life of Captain William Henry Bacchus and his family from 1838 when they arrived in Bacchus Marsh from England to 1972, highlighting the role they played in the settlement and pastoral development of the district.

Bacchus Marsh, Vic: Bacchus Marsh and District Historical Society, 1973: 118 pages: Bibliography; Includes photographs and an index; ISBN 0959971815  
 Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

History: Settlement; Pioneers; Land settlement  
 Agriculture: Genealogy; Family;

### Biography

Bacchus Marsh (Vic); Bacchus, William Henry

143

BACK TO BACCHUS MARSH SOUVENIR 12TH-20TH OCTOBER, 1957

Bacchus Marsh and District Citizens' Progress Association

A souvenir program of events and activities held at the 'Back to Bacchus Marsh' celebrations held between the 12th- 20th October 1957. Includes a history of Bacchus Marsh that traces the development of the district from a pastoral industry to an orcharding, mining, military and industrial centre, developments that were influenced by the goldrush of the 1850's and the second world war.

Bacchus Marsh, Vic: The Association, 1957: 23 pages  
 Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Programs; History; Industries  
 Events; Activities; Mines and mining; Gold rush; World War II, 1939-1945

Maddingley Brown Coal Pty Ltd, Bacchus Marsh (Vic); Darley Firebrick Co Pty Ltd, Bacchus Marsh (Vic); Darley Military Camp, Bacchus Marsh (Vic); Bacchus Marsh (Vic)

144

CHRONICLE OF PORT PHILLIP: NOW THE COLONY OF VICTORIA FROM 1770 TO 1840

Gurner H F

A chronicle of events outlining the settlement of the Port Phillip District from 1770 to 1840 and the explorers responsible for opening up the land for development.

Ascot Vale, Vic: Red Rooster Press, 1978: 54 pages; 46 refs; Originally published, Melbourne: George Robertson and Company 1876; Introduced and edited by

Dugb Anderson; ISBN 095954900X  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Pioneers; Settlement; History;  
Exploration  
Chronicle

145

THE CHRONICLES OF EARLY MELBOURNE  
: 1835 TO 1852: HISTORICAL,  
ANECDOTAL AND PERSONAL

Garryowen

A description of the social environment and daily life of Melbourne during its foundation years (1835-1852). There are accounts of the first fires, floods, bushrangers, court cases, theatres, inns and newspapers. Also included is accurate and detailed information on early Melbourne families, immigration, transport, squatting, gold rushes, banks, building societies, amusements, public utilities, churches, hospitals, markets, the City Council, parks, shipbuilding, commerce and schools. The work is contained in 3 volumes, the third volume comprising biographical notes on Edmund Finn (alias Garryowen) and a descriptive index.

Melbourne: Heritage, 1976: 3  
vols; 1000 pages; Index; Includes  
portraits and illustrations;  
Originally published, Melbourne:  
Fergusson and Mitchell, 1966  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

History; Social history; Culture;  
Heritage; Lifestyle  
Chronicle; Biography; Anecdotes

146

CITY OF KEILOR CENTENARY SOUVENIR  
: 1863 TO 1963

MacFadyen J; Price G E

A history of Keilor from 1863 to  
1963, covering: historic figures  
(William Taylor, the McNab family  
and R G Sly); the gold rush; and

local aborigine ls. Includes:  
population growth statistics from  
1881 to 1962; a list of schools,  
churches, home help services; and  
names of mayors from 1863 to  
1963.

Glenroy, Vic: Broadglen  
Publishing, 1963: 43 pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

History; Local government  
history; Community services  
Aborigines; Gold rush; Historic  
sites; Land settlement; Industry;  
Bridges; Population  
Keilor (Vic); Taylor, William;  
McNab family

147

CONTINUING THE STORY OF DERRIMUT  
IN THE DAYS WHEN A HOME HAD WALLS  
LIKE A FORT FOR GOOD REASONS: IT  
WAS BUILT TO BEAT THE BUSHRANGERS  
An outline of how Richard Morton  
sold his homestead, which he  
named 'Skelesmergh Hall', along  
the banks of the Campaspe near  
Kyneton and his cattle herds at  
Mount Derrimut before his return  
to England in 1876. The article  
also describes the life of James  
Howartson, who later acquired the  
property at Mount Derrimut, and  
his influence in the area.

Deer Park Regional News, 1954  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Settlers; History  
Biography; Role; Settlement; Land  
settlement  
Mount Derrimut (Vic); Morton,  
Richard; Howartson, James

148

FOOTSCRAY'S FIRST 100 YEARS: THE  
STORY OF A GREAT AUSTRALIAN CITY  
A history of the City of  
Footscray from 1859 to 1959.  
Includes descriptions of  
Footscray's development, industry  
and commerce, clubs and

organisations, facilities, and personal anecdotes.

Footscray, Vic: Footscray-Western Suburbs Advertiser, 1959?: 214 pages: Index added 1981  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VGSUN

History; Industries; Commercial development; Clubs; Associations; Facilities  
Hospitals; Banks and banking; Churches; Biography; Anecdotes; Development  
Footscray (Vic)

149

FOUNDATION OF VICTORIA: ORDER TO ESTABLISH PORT PHILLIP DISTRICT Victoria. Public Record Office. Department of Property and Services

A copy of the original letter written on 12th September 1836 to Captain Lonsdale, 4th Kings Own Regiment, informing him of his appointment to command a detachment troops to proceed to the Port Phillip District.

Melbourne: The Office, n.d.: 7 pages  
Booklet

AVAILABILITY: VGSUN

History; Settlement  
Development  
Port Phillip

150

GARRYOWEN'S MELBOURNE: A SELECTION FROM 'THE CHRONICLES OF EARLY MELBOURNE, 1835 TO 1852' BY GARRYOWEN

Waidenhofer J (ed)

A selection of personal recollections and reminiscences of an early Melbourne journalist extracted from 'The chronicles of early Melbourne, 1835 to 1852' written by Edmund Finn (alias Garryowen), depicting the social environment and daily life of Melbourne during its infancy.

They include accounts of the first bushrangers, court cases, theatres, inns and newspapers and information on immigration, transport, amusements, churches, hospitals, the City Council, commerce and schools.

Melbourne: Thomas Nelson (Australia), 1957: 197 pages: Includes photographs and illustrations  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VGSUN

History; Social history; Culture; Heritage; Lifestyle  
Chronicle; Anecdotes

151

GLIMPSES OF EARLY SUNSHINE: DAWN OF A DISTRICT FROM ABORIGINAL TIMES TO 1901

Popp E

The western suburbs have a long and colourful history. This description of early Sunshine does not attempt to present a comprehensive study, but an introduction to many aspects of early Sunshine, including the Aborigines, discoverers and early settlers, the gold rushes, and later development of the area to 1901 and beyond.

Sunshine, Vic: Sunshine and District Historical Society, 1979: 112 pages; Bibliography; Index  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VGSUN

History; Historic sites; Settlement  
Aborigines; Development  
Sunshine (Vic)

152

A GUIDE TO HISTORIC WILLIAMSTOWN Williamstown Historical Society Descriptions of historic places and buildings in Williamstown. Also includes a short outline of Williamstown's history,

Facilities, councillors and general information, and a history of the Williamstown Historical Society.

Williamstown, Vic: The Society, 1972: Unpagged Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

History: Historic buildings; Historic sites; Heritage Officials Williamstown (Vic); Williamstown Historical Society (Vic)

153  
HAIL VICTORIA!  
Jssher K

An outline of the settlement and colonization of Victoria from 1803 to 1934 highlighting the life of and contributions made by early explorers, governors, settlers, pastoralists, inventors and artists in the development of Victoria.

London: Hodden and Stoughton, 1934: 262 pages Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Settlement: Pioneers: Exploration; Settlers McKay, Hugh Victor

154  
AN HISTORICAL RECORD OF MELTON  
Pollitt J H  
A historical record of Melton outlining its settlement and cultural, social and economic developments.

Melton, Vic: Melton (Vic: Shire). Council, n.d.: 64 pages; 9 refs; Appendix Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

History: Urban development; Settlement

Settlers  
Melton (Vic)

155  
HISTORICAL RECORDS OF PORT PHILLIP: THE FIRST ANNALS OF THE COLONY OF VICTORIA  
Shillinglaw J J (ed)  
A transcript of the official records regarding the first survey and subsequent settlement of Port Phillip under Lieutenant-Governor Collins in 1803. The records consist of: 1) a journal of exploration of Port Phillip made by Charles Grimes, Surveyor-General of New South Wales 1802-1803; 2) an order book of Lieutenant-Governor David Collins during his stay at Port Phillip, 1803-1804; 3) a journal of the Reverend Robert Knopwood, chaplain to the settlement from 24 April 1803 to December 1804.

Melbourne: Heinemann, 1972: 225 pages; From papers presented to Parliament by order of the Legislative Assembly of Victoria, on the motion of M W J O'Hea, MP, 14 August 1878; Originally published, Melbourne: Government Printer, 1879 (Heinemann Pioneer Series) Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

History; Settlement; Settlers; Pioneers; Exploration Archives; Records Port Phillip

156  
A HISTORY OF ALTONA  
Clark A J  
Altona Historical Society  
A history of Altona from 1802 to 1973. Includes historical highlights and population growth statistics for 1900 to 1973.

Altona, Vic: The Society, 1974: 23 pages; Map Booklet

## LOCAL AND REGIONAL SETTLEMENT

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

History  
Land settlement; Industry;  
Schools; Politics in local  
government; Statistics  
Altona (Vic)

157

HISTORY OF BRAYBROOK

Flynn T (comp)

A brief biographical account of  
the early settlers that resided  
in the Braybrook district between  
the 1850's and the 1880's.

Sept 1906: 9 pages  
Booklet

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Settlement; Settlers; History;  
Pioneers  
Biography  
Braybrook (Vic)

158

HISTORY OF THE MARIBYRNONG RIVER  
Wilks J

A comprehensive history of  
Maribyrnong River and Keilor,  
concerning: 1) early explorers of  
the River - Batman, Grimes,  
Wedge, Hume and Hovell; 2)  
settlement of Keilor by early  
squatters; 3) recollections by  
Harry Dodd and George Milburn on  
their early lives and some local  
natural and man-made features; 4)  
archaeological excavations  
undertaken along the Maribyrnong.

n.d.: 43 pages; Bibliography  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Rivers; History; Settlement;  
Exploration; Land settlement;  
Archaeology; Development  
Anecdotes  
Maribyrnong River (Vic); Keilor  
(Vic)

159

KEILOR HISTORICAL SOCIETY:  
MARIBYRNONG RIVER CRUISE

Keilor Historical Society  
Describes 32 historic sites  
located along the Maribyrnong  
River. Includes information on  
construction work performed in  
Port Phillip Bay.

Keilor, Vic: The Society, n.d.: 4  
pages; Includes Maribyrnong River  
Cruises brochure  
Brochure

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Historic sites; Historic  
buildings; Rivers  
History  
Keilor (Vic); Port Phillip Bay;  
Maribyrnong River (Vic)

160

LATEST INFORMATION WITH REGARD TO  
AUSTRALIA FELIX, THE FINEST  
PROVINCE OF THE GREAT TERRITORY  
OF NEW SOUTH WALES INCLUDING THE  
HISTORY, GEOGRAPHY, NATURAL  
RESOURCES, GOVERNMENT, COMMERCE  
AND FINANCES OF PORT PHILLIP,  
SKETCHES OF THE ABORIGINAL  
POPULATION AND ADVISE TO  
IMMIGRANTS  
Arden G

Carlton, Vic: Queensberry Hill  
Press, 1977: 113 pages: 2  
appendices; Index; First  
published, Melbourne: Arden and  
Strode Printers, 1840; ISBN  
0909174040  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

History; Settlement  
Geography; Topography; Natural  
resources; Government; Commerce;  
Economics; Aborigines; Social  
environment; Development  
Port Phillip; Williamstown (Vic)

161

MARIBYRNONG  
Gross A

A history of Maribyrnong,  
including Joseph Raleigh's  
interest in the area and the role  
of the explosives factory and



ordnance factory during the First and Second World Wars.

The Victorian Historical Magazine  
vol. 22 no. 2 pages 49-56, Sept  
1947

Journal article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

History: Munitions industry;  
Development

Settlement; Industries

Maribyrnong (Vic): Raleigh,

Joseph: Raleigh's Castle

Maribyrnong (Vic)

162

THE MELBOURNE SCENE 1803-1956

Grant J; Serle G

A description of the growth of Melbourne and the life and labour of its citizens in its first 150 years of development compiled from some 200 extracts taken from historic letters, journals, reports and newspaper files written by residents of Melbourne between 1803-1857. References are made to the physical structure of the city area and to its natural beauties, aborigines, public sport, the gold rushes, electioning riots, the emergence of Australian rules football, views on architecture, art exhibitions, the boom of the eighties, illegal betting, larrikins, the police strike of 1924, the centenary air race and the 1956 Olympic Games.

Neutral Bay, NSW: Hale and Tremonger Pty Ltd, 1975: 308 pages; Bibliography; Index; Includes reproductions of early prints; First published, Melbourne: Melbourne University Press, 1975; ISBN 0908094230

Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

History: Sociology: Social environment; Urban development; Social life and customs

Aborigines; Gold rush; Elections; Sport; Architecture; Arts

163

MELBOURNE'S MISSING CHRONICLE: BEING THE JOURNAL OF PREPARATIONS FOR DEPARTURE TO AND PROCEEDINGS AT PORT PHILLIP BY JOHN PASCOE FAWKNER

Billot C P (ed)

A manuscript of the private journal kept by John Pascoe Fawkner, a pioneer of the Port Phillip District, between 18th July 1835 and 3th August 1836. It outlines Fawkner's impressions of the settlement and early days in and around Melbourne, and the people responsible for the city's growth.

Melbourne: Quartet Books, 1982: 108 pages; Index; ISBN 0908128207

Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Pioneers; Settlement

Diary; History; Biography

Fawkner, John Pascoe

164

MELBOURNE'S YESTERDAYS: A PHOTOGRAPHIC RECORD 1851-1901  
Bennetts D

A photographic record of Melbourne consisting of 250 photographs that illustrate the life and times of Melbourne and its forefathers from 1851-1901. Includes photographs of Williamstown, Footscray, Newmarket and Essendon during this time.

Melindie, NSW: Souvenir Press (Australia), 1976: 159 pages; Index

Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

History; Urban development; Sociology; Social environment; Photographs



165  
MELBOURNE: JOHN BATMAN'S VILLAGE  
Bell A P  
A comprehensive account of Melbourne from 1835 when John Batman settled in the Port Phillip District to 1955. Social, political and economical developments made throughout Melbourne, including the Footscray and Williamstown region, during this time are discussed.

Melbourne: Cassell, 1965: 178 pages; Bibliography; Index Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Settlement; Industries;  
Commercial development; Urban development; Social environment; Settlers  
Arts; Culture; Economics; Politics; History  
Batman, John

166  
OLD MELBOURNE MEMORIES  
Baldrewood R  
Recollections of life in early Melbourne, originally published in 'The Australasian' during the late 1870s and early 1880s. They are based on the author's experiences as a squatter, stock drover, magistrate, traveller and sportsman and depict the social environment, daily life and colourful personalities of Melbourne in the era prior to the discovery of gold.

Melbourne: Heinemann, 1969: 210 pages; Index; Originally published as a book in 1934 (Heinemann Pioneer Series) Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

History; Squatters; Biography; Social life and customs  
Anecdotes

167  
OUT OF THE SHADOW: THE CAREER OF JOHN PASCOE FAWKNER  
Anderson H  
An outline of the life and career of John Pascoe Fawcner, an early pioneer of the Port Phillip District from 1792 to 1869, compiled from newspaper articles, books, pamphlets and his own personal diary.

Melbourne: Cheshire, 1962: 237 pages; Bibliography; Index Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Biography; Exploration;  
Settlement; Pioneers  
Career; History  
Fawcner, John Pascoe

168  
PERSONAL RECOLLECTIONS OF EARLY MELBOURNE AND VICTORIA  
Westgarth W  
A facsimile of the recollections of Melbourne and Victoria from 1840-1857 recorded by William Westgarth, an early Victorian merchant and historian. His recollections outline the development of Melbourne and the people that were responsible in laying its foundations for growth.

Geelong, Vic: Rippleside Press, 1970: 178 pages; Originally published, Melbourne: George Robertson and Company 1938; ISBN 0909910006 Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

History; Urban development; Sociology; Social environment; Social life and customs  
Anecdotes

169  
PORT OF MANY PROBS  
Evans W P  
A comprehensive account of the settlement and growth of the

community of Williamstown, highlighting the influence its port facilities and shipping industry had in: opening up the western hinterland; the distribution of population; the progress of the entire tract of land that was eventually to become the state of Victoria. It also records the regeneration of Williamstown to become a dormitory suburb with a potential for housing a huge workforce for the whole metropolitan area.

Melbourne: Hawthorn Press, 1969:  
200 pages; Index  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Ships and shipping; Ports; Urban development; History; Settlement  
Social environment; Local government; Schools; Churches; Hotels; Transport; Commerce; Culture; Population; Community; Anecdotes  
Williamstown (Vic)

170  
PORT PHILLIP PANORAMA: A MARITIME HISTORY  
Noble J

A maritime history of Port Phillip outlining the development of the ports of Melbourne (including Williamstown) and Geelong, both the birthplaces of some major Australian shipping organisations: from the paddle steamers to the container ships of today. It includes a description of the sailors and the ships that were responsible for the settlement, and subsequent development of the Port Phillip District.

Melbourne: Hawthorn Press, 1975:  
169 pages; Bibliography; Index;  
Includes photographic plates;  
ISBN 0725601193  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Ports; Ships and shipping; Exploration; Settlement; Development; History of ships and shipping  
Williamstown (Vic); Port Phillip District

171  
THE PUBLIC LANDS OF AUSTRALIA  
FELIX: SETTLEMENT AND LAND APPRAISAL IN VICTORIA 1834-91  
WITH SPECIAL REFERENCE TO THE WESTERN PLAINS  
Powell J M

A chronological study of the disposal of public lands in Victoria in its formative years, highlighting in particular, the ways in which public policy, political expediency and the necessities of settlement and expansion interacted to produce the solutions arrived at. The study also identifies and analyses the influence of the principle ideas, personalities and institutions involved in the disposal of land during this time.

Melbourne: Oxford University Press, 1970: 328 pages;  
Bibliography; Appendix; Includes maps; A revised version of a doctoral thesis presented to Monash University in December 1968; ISBN 0195503406  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Land; Land development; Land resumption; Land settlement; Land subdivision  
Policy; Politics; History

172  
RURAL PORT PHILLIP 1834-1851  
Hopton A J

A detailed description of the settlement and development of Port Phillip from 19th November 1834, the date of Edward Henty's landing at Portland Bay to 1st July 1951, when Victoria became a separate colony. It recalls the lives of the squatters

(merchants, farmers, labourers, women, lawyers, doctors, policemen, clergymen) during these 15 years of pastoral development, their struggles, hardships, successes and failures, all of which contributed to the social, economic and cultural growth of the colony. Includes a brief account of the rise of towns in the Port Phillip district between 1834 and 1951, such as Bacchus Marsh, Braybrook, Footscray, Keilor and Williamstown.

Royal Australian Historical Society Journal and Proceedings vol. XXXVI pages 233-339, 1950  
Journal article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

History; Settlement; Land settlement; Pioneers; Squatters; Settlers; Agriculture; Exploration; Rural development; Housing; Ships and shipping; Bridges; Schools; Churches; Hotels; Women; Police; Labour; Courthouses  
Port Phillip; Bacchus Marsh (Vic); Braybrook (Vic); Footscray (Vic); Keilor (Vic); Williamstown (Vic)

172

THE STOP-OVER THAT STAYED: A HISTORY OF ESSENDON  
Aldous G

A history of Essendon from the 1830s, covering: early development; gold rush; churches; world wars; Depression years. Includes a large number of illustrations and early photographs of the area.

Clayton, Vic: Wilke and Company, 1979?: 150 pages; 20 refs; Index; ISBN 0959516603  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

History; Settlement

Municipalities; Photographs  
Essendon (Vic)

174

THE STORY OF MOUNT DERRIMUT

A description of how the Horton brothers and their colleague Leach arrived in Victoria in 1850 to seek their fortune breeding cattle, and how they turned off the track, now known as Ballarat Road, and made for the hill two miles away which was later to be known as Mount Derrimut. The herd they founded there was to dominate the cattle industry in Australia for 60 years or more.

Deer Park Regional News, July 1, 1954  
(Home of Pioneers: part 1)  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Beef industry; Agriculture; Cattle  
history  
Mount Derrimut (Vic); Deer Park (Vic)

175

THE STORY OF MOUNT DERRIMUT

An outline of the settlement of Mount Derrimut initiated by William and Samuel Jackson who sought suitable grazing land around Port Phillip in 1836. Also included is an explanation of how Derrimut derived its name.

Deer Park Regional News, 12 August, 1954  
(Home of Pioneers: part 2)  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

History; Settlement; Names  
Mount Derrimut (Vic); Jackson, William; Jackson, Samuel

176

THE STORY OF MOUNT DERRIMUT

An outline of how in 1850 Richard and Septimus Morton left their

house at 'Skolesburgh Hill' in the Lake District of England where they had farmed prized family shorthorns since 1811 to seek suitable grazing land around the Port Phillip District in Australia. The article describes their settlement at Mount Derrimut where they built bluestone cottages, cattle byres and sheds that were to become a part of their successful establishment of a cattle breeding industry.

Deer Park Regional News, Sept 23 1954  
(Home of Pioneers: part 3)  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Pioneers; Settlers; Cattle;  
Agriculture; Beef industry;  
Industries  
History; Land settlement  
Morton, Richard; Morton,  
Septimus; Mount Derrimut (Vic)

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VICTORIA AND ITS METROPOLIS: PAST AND PRESENT, VOL. 2

Ellery R L J; Kernot W C; Von Mueller F; Neild J J; Le Bouef A A C; Turner H G

A comprehensive account of the settlement and growth of Victoria outlining the people, buildings and events that played an important role in its development from 1836-1883. Includes brief references to the residents, financial institutions, merchants, manufacturers, constructors and builders in Williamstown, Footscray and Essendon.

Melbourne: McCarron, Bird and Co Publishers, 1888: 822 pages; Includes a biographical index and illustrations  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

History; Settlement; Pioneers

Development

Williamstown (Vic); Footscray (Vic); Essendon (Vic)

178

VICTORIA AND ITS METROPOLIS: PAST AND PRESENT, VOL. 1

Sutherland A

A comprehensive account of the settlement of Victoria and its metropolis including the districts of Werribee and Williamstown.

Melbourne: McCarron, Bird and Co Publishers, 1888: 594 pages; Includes an index and illustrations  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

History; Settlement; Pioneers  
Development  
Werribee (Vic); Williamstown (Vic)

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VICTORIA THE FIRST CENTURY: AN HISTORICAL SURVEY

Historical Sub Committee of the Centenary Celebrations Council (comp)

A comprehensive account of the settlement and development of the state of Victoria in the 100 years following its settlement. Includes a brief account of the growth of the metropolis and the official proclamation of districts such as Williamstown, Sunshine, Footscray, Yarraville and Essendon.

Melbourne: Robertson and Mullens, 1934: 462 pages; 2 appendices; Includes illustrations and an index  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Settlement; History  
Williamstown (Vic); Sunshine (Vic); Footscray (Vic); Yarraville (Vic); Essendon (Vic)

120

VICTORIAN HISTORY AND POLITICS:  
EUROPEAN SETTLEMENT TO 1920: A  
SURVEY OF THE LITERATURE

Monie J

A survey analysis and evaluation of published literature relating to the history of Victoria from the earliest years of European settlement to the second world war. Volume 1 includes references to studies that have been written in regard to the industrial and urban development of Footscray, the establishment of the Sunshine Harvester Company and local government issues in Williamstown. Volume 2 includes references to the aboriginal occupation of the Werribee district, the urban development of Footscray and the establishment of Essendon Grammar School. Includes author and subject indexes.

Bundoora, Vic: La Trobe University. The Boncharit Library. 1982: 689 pages; Bibliography: 2 vols: ISBN 0853163217  
Book

AVAILABILITY: V&U

Bibliography; Reference material; Information sources; Settlement; Development; History; Urban development  
Sunshine Harvester Company (Vic); Williamstown (Vic); Footscray (Vic); Werribee (Vic); Essendon Grammar School (Vic)

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A WALK ALONG THE MARIBYRNONG  
Armstrong S (City of Footscray Historical Society)

Text to accompany a historical walk along the Maribyrnong River from Yarraville to Essendon, indicating many historical sites along the banks and events connected with the river.

In 'The Maribyrnong: notes on the Maribyrnong River prepared for

the Footscray Historical Society' by S Armstrong, n.d.: 6 pages  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: V&U

Rivers; Historic buildings; Historic sites; Walking History; Heritage  
Maribyrnong River (Vic)

122

WESTERN: A NATURAL AND CULTURAL HISTORY OF THE WESTERN REGION OF MELBOURNE

Shaw G (Footscray Institute of Technology)

Describes the natural history, prehistory, and more recent development of the Western Region, covering Aboriginal times, the European settlers, the industrial development and the environmental deterioration of the area. Encourages residents to learn more about the area from their local library or from the Westdoc collection in Footscray Institute of Technology Library.

Footscray, Vic: Footscray Institute of Technology. Library. 1980: 1 video-cassette; 17 mins  
AV Video-cassette

AVAILABILITY: V&U

History; Prehistory; Archaeology; Archaeological excavations; Industry; Environmental protection; Information sources  
Maribyrnong River (Vic)

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 COMMERCIAL AND SERVICE CENTRES  
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THE DEADLY KNEEL FOR THE SMALL  
 TRADER? 'CENTRE SURE TO RUIN US'

McNiece K

An outline of the adverse effects  
 that traders of the Sunshine  
 Shopping Centre will experience  
 with the advent of the new  
 Hershfield shopping complex on  
 Hampshire Road in Sunshine.

August 19 1981

Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Shopping centres; Commercial  
 development; Retail trade  
 Sunshine Shopping Plaza (Vic);  
 Sunshine Shopping Centre (Vic)

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HERSFIELD'S MULTI-MILLION DOLLAR  
 BABY: MASSIVE SHOPPING COMPLEX

Altair A

An outline of the plans for the  
 development of a multi- million  
 dollar shopping complex facing  
 Hampshire Road in Sunshine on  
 land formerly owned by  
 Massey-Ferguson Pty Ltd.

August 12 1981

Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Shopping centres; Commercial  
 development; Retail trade;  
 Planning  
 Projects  
 Sunshine Shopping Plaza (Vic)

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NEW LIFE FOR AN OLD QUARRY

James Hardie and Co Pty Ltd

An outline of the drainage and  
 engineering methods and equipment  
 that were employed to convert the  
 old quarry site in Maribyrnong  
 into the Highpoint West Shopping  
 Centre.

Sydney: James Hardie and Co Pty

Ltd. Publications Dept. 1975: 6  
 pages  
 Booklet

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Drainage; Quarries; Shopping  
 centres; Commercial development;  
 Engineering  
 Methods  
 Highpoint West Shopping Centre  
 (Vic)

INDUSTRY

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S41M ORDER FROM ARABS FOR MF

Massey-Ferguson has received an  
 order from Saudi Arabia for 2,300  
 tractors and 8,500 farm  
 implements valued at \$41,000,000.  
 The order is part of a 5 year  
 plan to improve productivity and  
 agricultural development in Saudi  
 Arabia.

Weekly Times, 15 April 1981

Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Agricultural machinery  
 Exports; Markets  
 Massey-Ferguson (Australia) Ltd

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75-YEAR-OLD WAGE JUDGMENT GETS  
 NEW RELEVANCE

Rickard J

An outline of the events leading  
 to the handing down of the  
 harvester judgment on 8th  
 December, 1907 and the effect  
 that this statement had in  
 setting the precedent for minimum  
 industrial wage regulations. The  
 role that Hugh Victor McKay  
 played in the development of this  
 judgement is also explored.

The Age, 8 Nov 1982

Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN



Work force; Employment; Industry;  
Legislation; Wages and salaries  
History  
McKay, Hugh Victor

188  
CANE HARVESTERS TO INDONESIA  
Massey-Ferguson (Australia) Ltd  
has been contracted to export 27  
sugar cane harvesters to  
Indonesia.

Weekly Times, page 17, 13 April  
1983

Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Agricultural machinery  
Exports; Markets  
Massey-Ferguson (Australia) Ltd

189  
CORPORATIONS IN RECESSION: THE  
AUSTRALIAN AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY  
INDUSTRY

Madley D A  
An examination of the production  
and marketing of farm machinery  
during the Australian rural  
crises of 1967-1972 by groups of  
major enterprises including  
Massey-Ferguson Australia Ltd and  
Ralph McKay Ltd.

Canberra: Australian National  
University. Dept of Human  
Geography, 1979: 109 pages;  
Bibliography: Includes tables and  
maps: A study revising a Ph. D  
thesis submitted to the  
Australian National University in  
1974; ISBN 0008160257

(Department of Human Geography  
Monograph Series HG/13)  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Agriculture; Agricultural  
machinery; Marketing; Retail  
trade; Manufacturing; Finance;  
Industries; Companies  
Productivity  
Massey-Ferguson (Australia) Ltd;  
Ralph McKay Ltd

190  
FINANCIAL PETITIONS 1 F WIND UP  
Fitzsimmons J

A petition has been lodged by  
Capel Court Corporation Ltd, a  
merchant banker, for the winding  
up of Massey-Ferguson Finance  
(Australia) Limited on the  
grounds that they have not repaid  
a debt of \$3,000,000.

Weekly Times, 23 Jan 1981  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Industries  
Finance; Banks and banking  
Massey-Ferguson (Australia) Ltd

191  
HERBICIDES BIG SELLERS: MONSANTO  
IN RECORD GAINS

Monsanto Chemicals, an  
agricultural products company,  
has achieved a record profit of  
\$250,430,000 in the first half  
year of 1981 due to increased  
sales in agricultural products,  
chemical intermediates, plastics  
and textile fibres.

The Advocate, 5 August 1981  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Industries; Agricultural  
products; Manufacturing  
Profits  
Monsanto Chemicals, Sunshine  
(Vic)

192  
M-F PLAN IN PLACE  
An outline of the elements of the  
Massey-Ferguson company's \$715  
million refinancing plan.

Weekly Times, page 19, Feb 29  
1981  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Agricultural machinery; Finance;

Companies: Commercial development  
Massey-Ferguson (Australia) Ltd

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MASSEY FERGUSON IN APRIL 1979  
Massey-Ferguson Ltd recorded a  
loss of £1,500,000 in the April  
term 1979 due to a decrease in  
exports and industrial machinery  
sales.

The Sun, 12 July 1980  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Agricultural machinery  
Profits  
Massey-Ferguson (Australia) Ltd

194

MEATWORKS SALE 'A SCANDAL'  
Mitchell G  
A criticism of the federal and  
Victorian governments on the sale  
of the farmers and graziers  
direct meat supply abattoirs at  
Brooklyn to Protean (Holdings)  
Ltd for a sum of \$2,000,000. The  
facility is estimated to be worth  
\$20,000,000.

16 Dec 1981  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Abattoirs; Meat industry;  
Industries  
Federal government; State  
government; Criticism;  
Brooklyn (Vic); Protean  
(Holdings) Ltd

195

NEWMARKET SALEYARDS: THE  
ECONOMICS OF RELOCATION:  
Sunshine (Vic). Council. Planning  
Dept  
A report on the relocation of the  
Newmarket Saleyards, concluding  
that: 1) the Saleyards should be  
moved; 2) Derrimut is no longer a  
suitable site for the Saleyards;  
3) a thorough cost benefit  
analysis should be undertaken; 4)

in the event of the Derrimut site  
being chosen by the government,  
the City of Sunshine should be  
guaranteed full participation in  
the planning and implementation  
of the project. A site in the  
Shires of Melton and Werribee is  
recommended as an alternative to  
the Derrimut site.

Sunshine, Vic: The Council, April  
1976: 20 pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Abattoirs; Land use; Zoning  
Drainage; Residential development  
Newmarket Saleyards (Vic);  
Derrimut (Vic)

196

TAKEOVER OFFER FOR R MCKAY  
A \$20,000,000 offer has been made  
by American controlled  
Borg-Warner (Australia) Limited  
for the takeover of Ralph McKay  
Ltd, maker and distributor of  
agricultural and industrial  
equipment.

Weekly Times, 5 August 1981  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Agricultural machinery;  
Companies; Industries  
Ralph McKay Ltd

197

TRACTOR DUTY WRAIGLE  
The by-law giving concessional  
rates of duty entry to grain  
loaders into Australia has been  
revoked by the federal government  
and replaced by a 15% tariff,  
estimated to add between \$5,000  
and \$10,000 to the cost of the  
imported machine. The decision  
was announced in response to the  
availability of large capacity  
harvesters in December 1982 by  
Massey-Ferguson Australia  
Limited.

Weekly Times, page 3, Jan 26 1983

Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSOV

Agricultural machinery;  
Agriculture; Legislation: Federal  
government; Tariffs  
Massey-Ferguson (Australia) Ltd

## GENERAL

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## GREAT AUSTRALIAN DISASTERS

## Mackay I

A description of the natural disasters and accidents caused by man that have afflicted parts of Australia including the collapse of the West Gate Bridge and the Sunshine railway disaster. Each incident described includes eye witness descriptions and photographs.

Melbourne: Rigby, 1982: 176  
pages; 25 refs; Index; ISBN  
0727014609  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Disasters; Bridges; Rail  
services; Accidents  
Photographs  
West Gate Bridge (Vic); Sunshine  
railway disaster

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MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN  
TRAMWAYS BOARD: ITS PROGRESS AND  
DEVELOPMENT 1919-1929

Melbourne and Metropolitan  
Tramways Board

A review of the establishment and growth of the tramway system of the metropolis in the 10 years that followed the inauguration of the Melbourne and Metropolitan Tramways Board on 2nd July, 1919. Includes a brief outline of the unification, conversion and extension of tramway services undertaken by the Board and the cost of these projects.

Melbourne: The Board, Sept 1929:  
29 pages; 5 appendices  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Transport; Tram services;  
Community services; Public  
utilities  
History; Development;

Achievements; Finance  
Melbourne and Metropolitan  
Tramways Board

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METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION STUDY  
: TRAVEL IN MELBOURNE: A SUMMARY  
OF THE CONSULTANT'S REPORT

Metropolitan Transportation  
Committee

A survey of 30,000 households, 583 taxi drivers and 41,000 motorists (approximately 200,000 passenger trips) to determine the travel patterns and use of transport services in Melbourne. Results of the study indicate that: 1) 63% of households have cars available for use, 14% having access to 2 or more vehicles; 2) car ownership rates are lowest in the inner suburbs; 3) the volume of traffic of many roads exceeds the desirable carrying capacity of roads; 4) the highest concentration of traffic occurs in and around the central business district; 5) there has been a decrease in the use of public transport over the last 10 years; 6) there has been a marked increase in car ownership and usage between 1950 and 1964. The results provide current and projected trends in transport operations in Melbourne and are to be used as a framework for future planning of transport facilities and for establishing priorities in planning so that available money will be spent on works that will provide the greatest immediate benefit.

Carlton, Vic: The Committee,  
1966: 15 pages; Includes  
statistics and maps; A summary of  
the report 'Travel in Melbourne'  
by Wilbur Smith and Associates  
and Len T Frazer and Associates.  
Carlton, Vic: The Metropolitan  
Transportation Committee, 1963  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Transport; Public utilities;

## TRANSPORT

Roads and streets; Motor vehicles; Traffic; Planning; Urban planning  
Survey; Trends; Statistics; Maps; Recommendations; Report

52 pages; 27 road maps; Includes a comprehensive streets index  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

201  
SHIRE OF MELTON BIKE PLAN  
Kinhill Planners Pty Ltd

Directory; Maps; Roads and streets

A concept plan and costing analysis to extend existing bicycle planning and bicycle facilities in the Shire of Melton. The plan includes a comprehensive engineering and planning strategy to be implemented progressively complemented by a range of education, enforcement and encouragement activities which can be undertaken by the Council and other bodies to encourage safer and increased cycling in the Shire. The plan is proposed to be undertaken over a period of 5 years at a cost of approximately \$142,455.

SERVICES  
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203  
MELBOURNE TRANSPORTATION STUDY  
Wilbur Smith and Associates; Len T Frazer and Associates  
Based on a comprehensive survey of transport in Melbourne, which was completed in 1965. Volume 1 deals with the results of the survey regarding modes of travel, origin and destination of travellers, travel time and other travel patterns. Volume 2 deals specifically with parking in the central business district, and Volume 3 describes a detailed transportation plan based on the results of the survey, using 1985 as a design year. It includes plans for the Underground Rail Loop, new freeways and other roads, improved and new railways, buses and trams, and parking facilities, costing a total of \$2,616 million.

Melton, Vic: Melton (Vic: Shire). Council, May 1982: 45 pages; 10 refs; 3 appendices; Questionnaire; and Maps and maps  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Bicycles; Bicycle paths; Community facilities; Cycling  
Surveys; Planning; Regional planning; Engineering; Education; Recommendations  
Melton (Vic)

202  
UNIVERSAL STREETS DIRECTORY FOR MELBOURNE CITY AND SUBURBS  
Universal Business Directories (Aust) Pty Ltd  
37 road maps of Melbourne and its suburbs. The maps include features such as schools, hospitals, police stations, public telephones and numbered train stops.

Melbourne: Universal Business Directories (Aust) Pty Ltd, 1955:

Carlton, Vic: Metropolitan Transportation Committee, July-Dec 1969: Vol. 1: survey; 162 pages; Appendix: survey forms; Vol. 2: parking; 77 pages; 5 appendices; Vol. 3: the transportation plan; 61 pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Transport; Parking; Rail services; Bus services; Tram services; Roads and streets; Freeways; Commercial development  
Survey; Planning; Finance  
Underground Rail Loop, Melbourne; Melbourne; Melbourne Central Business District

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## WESTERN SUBURBS TRANSPORT STUDY

Wilbur Smith and Associates

The Western Suburbs Transport Study was designed to complement and update the Melbourne Metropolitan Transportation Study conducted in 1964. Its objective was to provide information for planning to upgrade and extend the existing transport systems within the Western Region, specifically Altona, Bacchus Marsh, Essendon, Footscray, Keilor, Melton, Sunshine, Werribee and Williamstown. The report is based on: 1) a public opinion survey, conducted in 10,000 statistically selected households; 2) a survey of railway passengers at 38 railway stations; 3) a tram and bus survey, conducted on all bus and tram routes in the study area; 4) submissions from local councils and the Western Region Commission on the Ageing.

Melbourne: Wilbur Smith and Associates, May 1975: 95 pages; Prepared for the Victorian Ministry of Transport  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Transport: Public utilities; Rail services; Tram services; Bus services

Planning: Survey; Statistics; Questionnaire

## ROAD AND RAIL

205

## AUSTRALIAN TRAINS AND RAILWAYS

Pestro R

A history of the development of the passenger and cargo railway system that operated throughout Australia from 1946 to 1972 including a brief outline of the Sunshine railway disaster.

Melbourne: Lansdown Press, 1972:

39 pages; Illustrations  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Transport; Rail services; Disasters

History: Development

Sunshine railway disaster

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## MELBOURNE BIKEPLAN STAGE 2: SUMMARY REPORT

Victoria. State Bicycle Committee  
An outline of the recommendations made by the State Bicycle Committee for the second stage of the Melbourne Bikeplan which aims to extend the bike route system to include approximately two-thirds of Melbourne. The recommendations concern: 1) the approval of funding by the State government; 2) improvement of road networks; 3) integration of bicycles and other modes of transport; 4) introduction of traffic management measures; 5) parking facilities; 6) safety courses; 7) laws and regulations for cyclists. Implementation of these recommendations involve an expenditure of \$3,300,000 over a period of 10 years. The money would be allocated for local council engineering works (\$5,000,000), safety education programs (\$1,500,000) and police enforcement programs (\$400,000). The plan also includes maps of the existing bike facilities in Keilor/Sunshine, Broadmeadows and Epping/Hawthorn.

Melbourne: The Committee, Dec 1971: 24 pages; Includes maps and illustrations: ISBN 0724134551  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Transport; Bicycles; Bicycle paths; Roads and streets; Road safety; Planning; Urban planning; Community planning; Community facilities; Cycling  
Projects; Engineering; Education;



## TRANSPORT

Safety; Management;  
Recommendations; Maps; State  
Government; Funding  
Melbourne Bikeplan

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METROPOLITAN ARTERIAL ROAD ACCESS  
STUDY (METRAS): ACCESS TO  
MELBOURNE AND ESSENDON AIRPORTS:  
FOR DISCUSSION PURPOSES ONLY  
Victoria. Ministry of Transport.  
Priorities and Planning Division  
An outline of the alternative  
strategy plans proposed to  
improve access to the Melbourne  
and Essendon airports based on  
the predicted growth of the  
Melbourne airport and forecasts  
that the existing road network,  
particularly the Tullamarine  
Freeway, will not be able to  
provide an appropriate level of  
access for potential traffic  
volumes. The options outlined are  
either to: 1) maintain the  
existing access provisions, which  
would restrict future development  
of the Melbourne airport; 2)  
improve road access by extending  
and creating public transport  
links and encouraging patronage  
of existing services; 3) improve  
road access by upgrading the  
Tullamarine Freeway, developing  
Bell Street and constructing a  
road facility within the 'outer  
ring road'. This paper makes no  
recommendations but aims to  
stimulate discussion on the  
provision of access to the  
airports and to invite councils,  
government agencies and community  
groups to comment on the  
alternative strategic frameworks  
proposed.

Melbourne: The Ministry, May  
1984: 24 pages; 4 appendices  
(Issue Paper No. R 2/3)  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSON

Transport; Roads and streets;  
Accessibility; Traffic; Airports;  
Air services; Urban planning;  
Zoning; Futurology; Rail

services; Bus services; Tram  
services  
Planning; Zoning; Futurology;  
Government policy  
Tullamarine Freeway (Vic);  
Essendon Airport (Vic); Melbourne  
Airport

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REPORT OF THE STATE DEVELOPMENT  
COMMITTEE ON THE EFFECTS OF THE  
CONSTRUCTION OF THE LOWER YARRA  
CROSSING ON AREAS WEST OF  
MELBOURNE  
Victoria. Parliament. State  
Development Committee  
A report on the likely effects of  
the Lower Yarra Crossing on the  
traffic, road accidents,  
development, public utilities and  
public transport of the western  
suburbs of Melbourne.  
Recommendations include: 1)  
rezoning of land to encourage  
residential development in the  
western suburbs; 2) additional  
land should be made available for  
recreational use; 3) improvement  
and widening of feeder roads to  
the Lower Yarra Crossing.

Melbourne: Victorian Government  
Printer, Sept 1969: 31 pages; 4  
appendices: Maps; Presented to  
His Excellency the Governor in  
Council and laid before both  
houses of parliament to the  
provisions of the State  
Development Act 1958  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSON

Traffic; Transport; Public  
utilities; Roads and streets;  
Bridges; Road construction and  
maintenance; Residential  
development; Industries;  
Commercial development  
Legislation  
Lower Yarra Crossing (Vic); West  
Gate Bridge (Vic)

209

STEAM SUBURBAN  
Hudson R

A pictorial presentation of the

development of Melbourne's suburban steam train system which operated from the early 1900's to 1912, comprising historic photographs collected from the Victorian Railways, the Tramway Museum Society of Victoria and the Royal Historical Society of Victoria. The book includes photographs of the old erecting shops at Newport and Williamstown.

Prahan, Vic: Windsor publications, n.d.: 54 pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Rail services; Transport  
Photographs of rail services;  
History

210

THE SUNSHINE RAILWAY ACCIDENT:  
REPORT OF EVIDENCE AND ADDRESSES  
OF COUNSEL GIVEN AT CORONER'S  
INQUEST HELD AT SECOND CIVIL  
COURT, MELBOURNE BEFORE DR R H  
COLE (CORONER) AND JURY

Documentation of the testimonies  
given by train drivers,  
passengers, doctors that attended  
the injured, railway guards and  
inspecting engineers at the  
coroner's inquest that was held  
to determine the cause of death  
of one of the persons who was  
killed in a railway accident on  
the 20th April 1908 at the  
Sunshine Railway Station. The aim  
of the inquest is specifically to  
decide whether the death was due  
to negligence of the train  
drivers or failure of the brakes.  
The verdict reached by the jury  
was that the collision was caused  
by culpable negligence of drivers  
Leonard Milburn and Gilbert  
Dolman and station master  
Frederick Kendall.

Victoria: Victorian Railways  
Commission, 1908: 339 pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Transport; Rail services;  
Accidents; Disasters; Inquest  
Sunshine railway disaster

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THE SUNSHINE RAILWAY DISASTER:  
WHO WAS TO BLAME?: CORONER'S  
SEARCHING ENQUIRY

Bagley W O

An outline of the coroner's  
enquiry into the railway  
collision between the Bendigo and  
Ballarat passenger trains at  
Sunshine on April 20, 1908. The  
aim of the enquiry was to  
determine whether the 44  
passenger deaths and another 400  
injuries were caused by brake  
failure or culpable negligence by  
the engine drivers. The report  
includes testimonies from  
experts, passenger witnesses and  
the train drivers.

Melbourne: W O Bagley, 1909: 205  
pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Transport; Rail services;  
Disasters; Inquest  
History  
Sunshine railway disaster

212

WEST GATE

Hitchings W

A detailed account of the  
building of the West Gate Bridge,  
its collapse, the subsequent  
Royal Commission, and the events  
leading up to its final opening  
in 1978.

Collingwood, Vic: Outback Press,  
1979: 172 pages; ISBN 0868882267  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Bridges; Construction; Disasters  
West Gate Bridge (Vic)

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DRAFT ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT  
STATEMENT ON CONCORDE OPERATIONS  
IN AUSTRALIA

Great Britain. Parliament;  
British Aircraft Corporation;  
British Airways

An outline of the proposal to provide a supersonic service with Concorde aircraft between London and Melbourne, and the environmental impact that these airline operations will have on areas in its flight path, including parts of the western region, in regard air and noise pollution. The statement, which was prepared to fulfil the requirement of the Environmental Protection Act of 1974, concluded that the audio and visual effects of the aircraft on the environment would be acceptable and in most cases insignificant.

Great Britain: Great Britain. Parliament, Dec 1975: 69 pages; 37 refs; Includes maps, tables and graphs  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Transport; Airports; Air services; Air pollution; Noise pollution; Environment; Environmental impact; Environmental studies; Planning; Communications Review  
Environmental Protection Act 1974; Concorde; Melbourne Airport; Tullamarine Airport (Vic)

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DRAFT ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT  
STATEMENT ON CONCORDE OPERATIONS  
IN AUSTRALIA AUGUST 1975:  
APPENDICES A TO I

Great Britain. Parliament;  
British Aircraft Corporation;  
British Airways  
Appendices containing historical

and technical information on the design of the Concorde that is proposed to provide communications between London and Melbourne and the effects that its operation will have in regard to air and noise pollution. These appendices are intended to supplement and provide a background to the Environmental Impact Statements on Concorde operations in Australia.

Great Britain: Great Britain. Parliament, 1975: 115 pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Transport; Air services; Air pollution; Noise pollution; Environment; Environmental impact  
Concorde

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FINAL ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT  
STATEMENT ON CONCORDE OPERATIONS  
IN AUSTRALIA

Great Britain. Parliament;  
British Aircraft Corporation;  
British Airways

An outline of the amendments that have been made to the proposed Concorde operations between London and Melbourne to reduce the effects of air and noise pollution on areas in its flight path, including parts of the Western Region. The amendments were made following public statements from 24 corporate bodies and 23 private individuals about the proposed Concorde services. In response to these public comments, proposed flight path was altered in an attempt to reduce disturbance.

Great Britain: Great Britain. Parliament, July 1976: 44 pages; 19 refs; 8 appendices  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Transport; Air services; Air pollution; Noise pollution;

Environmental impact;  
Environmental studies; Planning  
Concorde; Melbourne Airport;  
Tullamarine Airport (Vic)

# HISTORICAL AND SOCIAL ASPECTS

216  
AUSTRALIA'S WORST RAIL DISASTER  
Burke J  
An outline of the events leading  
up to and following one of  
Australia's worst railway  
disasters at the Sunshine  
Junction on April 20, 1908. The  
disaster involved the collision  
of the Bendigo and Ballarat  
passenger trains, killing 44  
people and injuring a further  
431.

Parade, page 28-29. April 1973  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Rail services; Transport;  
Disasters; Accidents  
History  
Sunshine railway disaster

217  
THE BRAYBROOK DISASTER  
A list of the passengers killed  
in the railway disaster at  
Braybrook in 1908.

The British-Australasian, page 4,  
April 30 1908  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Rail services; Transport;  
Disasters; Accidents; Obituary  
Sunshine railway disaster

218  
CENTRAL ROAD BOARD OF VICTORIA:  
RETURN OF WORKS AND EXPENDITURE,  
1853. PRESIDENT'S CONFIDENTIAL  
REPORT AND COMMENTS, 1854  
A reproduction of a report of the  
Central Road Board of Victoria, a  
department responsible for road

construction and maintenance. in  
1953. its first year of  
operation, as recorded by its  
president. Includes an overview  
of the works undertaken by the  
Board and the costs of  
maintaining the department and  
their projects.

Melbourne: The Public Record  
Office, 1978: 23 pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Roads and streets; Road  
construction and maintenance  
Projects; Finance; Development  
Central Road Board of Victoria

219  
DISASTER AT SUNSHINE - 44 DEAD  
A chronological account of the  
events surrounding the Sunshine  
railway disaster of 1908, a  
collision between the Bendigo and  
Ballarat passenger trains that  
was responsible for killing 44  
people and injuring another 431.  
It records the incidents from the  
outset of the train journeys to  
the payment by the Victorian  
Railway Commission of  
compensation claims amounting to  
125,000 pounds. It highlights the  
rescue operations following the  
collision and the tests  
undertaken by engineering experts  
to determine the reason for the  
brake failure.

n.d.: 3 pages  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Transport; Rail services;  
Accidents; Disasters  
History; Events; Compensation;  
Rescue services; Testing  
Sunshine railway disaster

220  
THE FOURTH JAMES FLOOD BOOK OF  
EARLY MOTORING  
Paynting H H (ed) (James Flood  
Pty Ltd)

## TRANSPORT

A history of early motoring in Victoria reflected through the catalogues published in the 1920s by well known car manufacturers such as Cadillac, Fischer, Rolls Royce, Itala and Bentley.

Footscray, Vic: James Flood Charity Trust, 1980: 271 pages; Index  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Transport; Motor vehicles;  
Photographs of motoring  
History  
James Flood Pty Ltd

221

INQUIRY FOR SUNSHINE RAILWAY  
DISASTER

A plea by the Amalganated Railway Employees' societies to the Victorian government to have a public inquiry to determine the cause of the Sunshine railway disaster so that the public will be safeguarded from such accidents in the future.

Victorian Railway News, 7 May  
1908

Journal article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Rail services; Transport;  
Disasters; Accidents  
History; Obituary  
Sunshine railway disaster

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THE JAMES FLOOD BOOK OF EARLY  
MOTORING

Paynting H F (ed) (James Flood  
Pty Ltd)

A photographic record of motoring in Victoria from the time the first automobile was built in Melbourne in 1897 together with information on early record attempts, trials and races and extracts from early catalogues and publications. The role played by James Flood Pty Ltd in the development of the motoring

industry in Victoria is also recorded.

Footscray, Vic: James Flood  
Charity Trust, 1968: 320 pages;  
Index  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Transport; Motor vehicles;  
Photographs of motoring  
History  
James Flood Pty Ltd

223

REPORT BY THE CHAIRMAN OF THE  
VICTORIAN RAILWAYS REGARDING THE  
SUNSHINE RAILWAY DISASTER ON 20  
APRIL 1908

Victorian Railways

A detailed and technical account of the events leading up to, including and following the collision between 2 passenger trains at Sunshine in 1908, a disaster that resulted in 44 deaths and 431 injuries. It records a detailed description of the damage, the Railway's rules in regard to signalling and the rescue operations. In view of the accident, the Railway Commission also records its condolences to the families of those killed, thanks to the doctors and rescuers who rendered medical assistance, and the suspension of the train drivers from duty pending a coroner's inquiry into the cause of the collision.

Melbourne: The Railways, 24 April  
1908: 10 pages

Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Transport; Rail services;  
Accidents; Disasters  
History; Events; Regulations;  
Rescue services; Obituary;  
Inquest  
Sunshine railway disaster

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THE SECOND JAMES FLOOD BOOK OF





## TRANSPORT

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AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Transport; Rail services;  
Accidents; Disasters; Inquest  
History; Compensation  
Sunshine railway disaster

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TWO TRAINS WRECKED: WORST RAILWAY  
ACCIDENT IN THE HISTORY OF  
AUSTRALIA

An account of the Sunshine  
railway disaster as was recorded  
by Reuter on April 21-22, 1908.

The British-Australasian, April  
23 1908

Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Rail services; Transport;  
Disasters; Accidents  
History  
Sunshine railway disaster

## GENERAL

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BROCHURES FOR THE CITY OF  
SUNSHINE COUNCIL ELECTIONS ON 7  
AUGUST 1982

Election brochures outlining the  
candidates from various parties  
that are running for election in  
the City of Sunshine South Ward  
on 7 August 1982.

1982: 5 brochures  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Local government; Elections;  
Politics in local government  
Sunshine (Vic). Council

231

CITY OF SUNSHINE HANDBOOK  
Sunshine (Vic). Council

A guide produced by Sunshine City  
Council to inform ratepayers of  
the recreational, social,  
cultural and educational  
organisations and services  
available to them within the  
municipality.

Sunshine, Vic: The Council, 1976?  
Booklet

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Community organisations;  
Directory; Community services  
Guidebook; Recreation; Culture;  
Education; Welfare; Health  
Sunshine (Vic). Council

232

CITY OF SUNSHINE STATUTORY  
ELECTIONS 7TH AUGUST, 1982

An announcement of the statutory  
election for the return of more  
councillors to the Sunshine City  
Council held on 7th August, 1982.  
Includes a map indicating the new  
ward boundaries and polling booth  
locations within the City of  
Sunshine.

Western Times, page 8, August 4

1982

Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Local government; Elections;  
Electoral divisions  
Sunshine (Vic). Council

233

COUNCIL SACKING MAY GAIN FAVOR  
Mathews I

An outline of the events leading  
up to and following the sacking  
of the Keilor and Sunshine  
Councils in 1975 and 1976  
respectively, emphasising in  
particular, the performance of  
the government appointed  
administration that replaced the  
former elected council system.

The Age, page 12, March 23 1981  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Local government; Politics in  
local government  
Administration; Management;  
Finance; Elections  
Keilor (Vic). Council; Sunshine  
(Vic). Council

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LOCAL GOVERNMENT SYSTEMS OF  
AUSTRALIA

Power R (ed); Wattenhall R (ed);  
Halligan J (ed)

A report describing the  
development of local government  
in each of the six Australian  
states compiled to provide a  
basis for discussion and for  
councils to use in inviting  
submissions and arranging  
seminars that ultimately lead to  
the council's own reports.  
Includes brief references to the  
local governments in the Western  
Region, particularly Footscray.

Canberra: Australian Government  
Publishing Service, 1981: 330  
pages; Bibliography; 3  
appendices; Includes statistics  
and map; ISBN 0642047987

(Australia. Advisory Council for Inter-government Relations. Information paper no. 7) Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Local government; Policy; Intergovernment relations; Local government finance history; Structure; Responsibility; Role; Statistics

235  
SUNSHINE CITY COUNCIL MAYORAL REPORTS

Annual reports prepared by the acting mayor of the Sunshine City Council to give residents and ratepayers an indication of how their money was used during the years and the progress made in municipal affairs regarding welfare, health, recreation, public utilities and community services.

Sunshine, Vic: Sunshine (Vic). Council, 1958-1984  
Booklet

AVAILABILITY: VSUN (incomplete holdings)

Local government; Annual report  
Local government finance;  
Projects; Welfare; Health;  
Recreation; Public utilities;  
Community services  
Sunshine (Vic). Council

236  
SUNSHINE MAY GET COUNCIL BACK  
Cafarella J

An announcement that recommendations will be made for the reinstatement of an elected council at Sunshine by Mr Lieberman, the Minister for Local Government, in late January, 1982.

The Herald, Jan 20 1982  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Local government; Politics in local government; Elections Administration  
Sunshine (Vic). Council

237  
SUNSHINE NEWS

A newsletter circulated within the Sunshine City Council with the aim of encouraging communication between employees. It relays news and information about people, events and decisions made in the council.

Sunshine, Vic: Sunshine (Vic). Council, Feb 1978-July 1979: 4 pages  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Local government  
Newsletter; Employees;  
Communications; Events; Decision making  
Sunshine (Vic). Council

238  
SUNSHINE TO GET COUNCIL SOON  
Cafarella J

An announcement by the Minister for local government, Mr Wilkes, to re-instate an elected council in Sunshine to replace the presently appointed state government administration.

The Herald, April 13 1982  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Local government; Politics in local government; Elections Administration  
Sunshine (Vic). Council

239  
VICTORIAN MUNICIPAL DIRECTORIES  
Excerpts from the Victorian Municipal Directory relating to the City of Sunshine between selected years from 1956-1982, outlining the names of employees and their responsibilities within the council. Also includes a

brief outline of the major industrial development in Albion, Ardeer, Braybrook, Brooklyn, Deer Park, Derrinut, Haidstone, Inderburg, Sunshine and Tottenham, that have resulted from council decisions.

In 'Victoria Municipal Directory: state guide and water supply record'. Brunswick, Vic: Arnall and Jackson Pty Ltd. 1956-1982: 3 pages; Published every second year  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Local government; Directory;  
Industries; Development  
Employees; Role  
Sunshine (Vic). Council

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YES, SUNSHINE LIGHTS UP AGAIN

Jackson A

An outline of the conflict that arose between councillor Ian Hill, who was mayor when the Sunshine council was sacked in 1976 and councillor Don McKay, the only other former councillor member, at the first meeting held by the new council on 17th August 1982.

August 17 1982

Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Local government; Politics in  
local government  
Meetings; Conflict  
Sunshine (Vic). Council

241

YOUR SHARE IN SUNSHINE

Sunshine (Vic). Council

A publication produced by the Sunshine City Council to inform the local community how the funds in its charge are being spent, what projects have been planned and what the council has achieved in the fields of social welfare, health, town planning and culture

in the municipality. The guide was compiled with the aim of stimulating public interest in regard to decisions and actions being made by the council which vitally affect the local community.

Sunshine, Vic: The Council, 1972?  
Booklet

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Local government; Community  
planning; Community services;  
Community facilities  
Local government finance;  
Projects; Achievement  
Sunshine (Vic). Council

PUBLIC FINANCE

242

WESTERN REGION COMMISSION:  
SUBMISSION TO COMMONWEALTH GRANTS  
COMMISSION

Western Region Commission

A submission to the Commonwealth Grants Commission for financial aid to cater for the needs of 9 local government council members of the Western Region. This application for funds to develop educational, medical and social welfare and library services is based on the following criteria: 1) a majority of the residents in the region have low incomes; 2) unequal distribution of private and public resources in the past favouring the eastern region; 3) high rates of growth requiring additional service needs; 4) a disproportionate share of the cost in establishing migrants is borne by the Western Region councils. A total of \$449,804,500 is requested by local government councils for: 1) residential development (\$42,800,000); 2) roads and bridges (over \$42,800,000); 3) medical and social welfare (\$29,651,850); 4) sewerage (\$61,150,000); 5) library services (\$2,102,000); 6)

Hospitals (\$25,990,000).

North Sunshine, Vic: The  
Commission, Feb 1974: 26 pages;  
29 appendices  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Federal aid to local government;  
Local government; Local  
government finance; Finance;  
Residential development; Welfare;  
Health services; Community  
services; Sewerage and  
sanitation; Libraries; Education  
Needs; Submission

## PUBLIC UTILITIES

243

MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN BOARD  
OF WORKS: REPORT FOR THE YEAR  
ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1915

Melbourne and Metropolitan Board  
of Works

A report written by the chairman  
of the Melbourne and Metropolitan  
Board of Works outlining the  
progress and costs of the Board's  
work in regard to water supply  
and sewerage reticulation  
throughout the Melbourne and  
metropolitan region for the year  
ending 30th June 1915.

Melbourne: The Board, 1916: 35  
pages

Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Water supply; Sewerage and  
sanitation; Public utilities  
History: Report  
Melbourne and Metropolitan Board  
of Works

244

THE MELBOURNE AND METROPOLITAN  
BOARD OF WORKS: THE CHAIRMAN'S  
REPORT FOR THE PERIOD 1ST  
OCTOBER, 1899 TO 30 SEPTEMBER,  
1901

Melbourne and Metropolitan Board

of Works

A report written by the chairman  
of the Melbourne and Metropolitan  
Board of Works outlining the  
progress and costs of the Board's  
work in regard to water supply  
and sewerage reticulation  
throughout the Melbourne and  
metropolitan region during the  
period from October 1899 to  
September 1901.

Melbourne: The Board, 1901: 146  
pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Water supply; Sewerage and  
sanitation; Public utilities  
Melbourne and Metropolitan Board  
of Works

## HUMAN SERVICES

245

REPORT OF THE INTERIM COMMITTEE  
OF THE WESTERN REGION COUNCIL FOR  
SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

Western Region Council for Social  
Development. Interim Committee

A report on the formation,  
activities, projects, personnel,  
standing committees and finances  
of the recently formed Western  
Region Council for Social  
Development.

Footscray, Vic: The Council, Sept  
1974: 23 pages; Appendix  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Welfare services; Aged; Youth;  
Migrants; Children's services;  
Community services  
Report

Western Region Council for Social  
Development

# HISTORY

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NEW MUNICIPAL OFFICES: CITY OF  
SUNSHINE, VICTORIA

Sunshine (Vic). Council

The book is divided into 2  
sections: 1) the building of new  
Sunshine municipal offices, which  
includes photographs, sketches,  
floor plans and statistics on the  
size of the land and buildings;  
2) a history of Sunshine  
including: early settlements in  
Braybrook and Braybrook junction;  
the life of H V McKay, 1865-1926,  
a local harvester who helped to  
industrialise Sunshine;  
Sunshine's population growth.

Sunshine, Vic: The Council, 1972:  
32 pages; Includes: 'Planning the  
new building' by G S Warmington;  
History of Sunshine by B Bolch;  
Presented by the Mayor and  
Councillors of the City of  
Sunshine, March 1967 on the  
completion of the new municipal  
offices  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Municipal offices; Local  
government history  
Buildings; Specifications;  
Design; Planning; History  
Sunshine (Vic). Council; Sunshine  
(Vic); Braybrook (Vic); McKay,  
Hugh Victor

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SUNSHINE CAVALCADE: A SOUVENIR  
BOOKLET COMMEMORATING THE  
PROCLAMATION OF THE CITY OF  
SUNSHINE ON 16TH MAY 1951

Carlton C G (ed) (Sunshine (Vic).  
Council)

A retrospective survey of the  
social, commercial and industrial  
developments made in the  
municipality of Sunshine from  
1960 when the District Roads  
Board was created to 1951 when  
the City of Sunshine was  
officially proclaimed. The survey

was compiled to commemorate the  
proclamation of the city and the  
contributions made by early  
residents and administrators who  
shaped and laid the foundations  
of the municipality.

Sunshine, Vic: Sunshine (Vic).  
Council, 1951: 79 pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Local government history;  
History; Industries; Commercial  
development; Development  
Administration; Projects  
Sunshine (Vic); Sunshine (Vic).  
Council

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SUNSHINE COUNCIL: A BRIEF HISTORY  
Sunshine (Vic). Council

A history of the Sunshine City  
Council from the 1880's when the  
first council meetings were held  
in the shire of Braybrook to 1976  
when the elected council was  
sacked and replaced by a state  
government appointed  
administration.

Sunshine, Vic: The Council, 1982:  
5 pages  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Local government history;  
Politics in local government  
History  
Sunshine (Vic). Council



GENERAL

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MELBOURNE'S DEVELOPMENT AND PLANNING

Seed S (University of Melbourne, Dept of Regional and Urban Economic Studies)

An analysis of the advantages and disadvantages of living in big Australian cities, especially Melbourne in view of their urban transport structures, pollution, landuse and suburbanisation patterns. It explores the ways in which the advantages might be enhanced and the disadvantages reduced. In addition, it evaluates the difficulties in achieving these improvements.

Melbourne: Clewara Press, 1981:  
338 pages; Bibliography; Index;  
ISBN 0959416617

Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Urban development; Urban  
planning; Transport; Pollution;  
Land use; Planning

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YARRAVILLE: MYLLS, MUD AND MEMORIES

Roberts P

A personal account of the development of Yarraville, an industrial suburb of Melbourne, consisting of anecdotes from people that have worked or resided in the area.

The Age, page 22, 31 Oct 1981  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Oral history; Industries  
Anecdotes  
Yarraville (Vic)

MANAGEMENT AND PLANNING

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A COMMUNITY IS UP-IN-ARMS OVER A  
THREAT TO VICTORIA'S HERITAGE:  
THE BATTLE OVER THE BLUESTONE

Cafarella J

An outline of the opposition of the Sunshine and District Historical Society, the Sunshine City Council and the residents of Sunshine to the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works proposal to rezone the Hume Pipe Works site from public open space to residential. The development proposal threatens to destroy the century old vacant factories occupied by the Hume Pipe Works and future plans to develop the site as a major park for recreation, education and cultural activities.

The Herald, 11 Dec 1981  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Resident action; Protest groups;  
Zoning; Residential development;  
Recreation; Parks  
Historic buildings  
Hume Pipe Works, Maribyrnong  
(Vic)

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DEVELOPMENT AREAS ACT 1973: LAND  
REQUIREMENTS AND RECOMMENDED  
DESIGNATED AREAS REPORT ON THE  
INVESTIGATION AREAS AT POINT  
COOK, WERRIBEE, PLEMPY, BERNICK,  
BERWICK-PAKENHAM, CURRUM DOWNS,  
CRANBOURNE, LANGWARRIN AND BAXTER  
-BALIOMBE VALLEY

Melbourne Investigation Areas  
Study Team

A report containing  
recommendations for accelerated  
or controlled development in  
investigation areas within the  
Melbourne Metropolitan Planning  
Area, including Werribee and  
Point Cook. The recommendations  
for the organization, planning  
and regulation of these

designated areas are based on examinations of the availability of land, the suitability of this land for development and estimates of population growth and the demand for housing in the specified areas.

Victoria: Town and Country Planning Board, April 1975: 64 pages; 12 appendices; 171 pages; Includes maps  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Growth centres; Corridors; Planning; Land use; Land development  
Recommendations; Population; Housing; Report  
Point Cook (Vic); Werribee (Vic); Development Areas Act 1973

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FINAL RECOMMENDATIONS: MELBOURNE STUDY AREA

Land Conservation Council, Victoria

Final recommendations submitted to the Ministry for Conservation for the allocation of public land in the Melbourne Study Area for major forms of land use including recreation, parklands and reserves, water supply, mining, agriculture and military training. The recommendations also consider the most appropriate form of tenure for the land and the most appropriate authorities to be responsible for their management.

Melbourne: The Council, Jan 1977: 120 pages; 2 appendices  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Land use; Zoning; Land development; Planning; Recommendations  
Parks; Historic sites; Recreation; Agriculture; Education; Mines and mining; Management

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LYNCH'S BRIDGE PROJECT

Robinson G (Victoria. Dept of Planning); Holdsworth J (Victoria. Dept of Planning); Wade G (Victoria. Ministry of Housing); James T (Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works); Bailey L (Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works); Noonan J (Melbourne (Vic). Council); Walters I (Footscray (Vic). Council)

An outline of site profiles and the redevelopment potential of designated sites within the Maribyrnong River Valley. The sites being considered for redevelopment are: 1) properties along Racecourse Road; 2) the stockyards and stockbridge; 3) the Newmarket saleyards; 4) the abattoirs; 5) Hobsons Road properties; 6) the army ordnance depot; 7) the former William Angliss meatworks; 8) Michaelis Bayley land.

Melbourne: Victoria. Dept of Planning, May 1983: 28 pages; 12 maps  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Urban development; Planning; Urban planning; Abattoirs  
Sites; Land use; Vegetation; Ownership; Buildings; Community facilities; Transport; Traffic; Roads and streets; Maps  
Maribyrnong River Valley (Vic); Newmarket Saleyards (Vic); William Angliss Meatworks, Footscray (Vic); Michaelis Bayley

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PLANNING A BETTER PLACE TO LIVE: THE WESTERN SUBURBS FACTS BOOKLET  
Western Suburbs Planning and Environment Action Program  
Provides background information on the western suburbs of Melbourne and their: 1) population; 2) housing; 3) shopping and business centres; 4) industry; 5) land use and zoning

in accordance with the Melbourne Metropolitan Planning Scheme: 6) environment protection; 7) history and culture; 8) recreation; 9) landscape. The book is to be used as a basis for public discussion.

Victoria: The Program, Oct 1982: Unopened Industry; Land use; Environmental protection; Culture: Recreation Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Planning; Statistics; Housing; Shopping centres; Business; areas; Historic buildings Topography; Flora Western Suburbs Planning and Environment Action Program

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PROPOSED RECOMMENDATIONS: MELBOURNE STUDY AREA Land Conservation Council, Victoria

Proposed recommendations submitted to the Ministry for Conservation for the allocation of public land in the Melbourne study area for major forms of land use including recreation, parklands and reserves, water supply, mining, agriculture and military training. The recommendations also consider the most appropriate form of tenure for the land and the most appropriate authorities to be responsible for their management.

Melbourne: The Council, Feb 1975: 101 pages; 2 appendices Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Land use; Land development; Planning; Zoning Parks; Historic sites; Recreation; Agriculture; Education; Mines and mining; Management; Recommendations

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RECREATION STUDY WITHIN THE CITY OF SUNSHINE, 1977

Duivenvoorden J J

A survey of 1,950 residents in Sunshine over the age of 5 years to determine whether existing recreational facilities are adequately serving the existing and latent recreational demands of the community. Findings of the survey indicate that a need exists for a strategically located community centre of a major nature supervised by highly skilled staff within the Western Region. In view of these findings, the report recommends the establishment of a sporting complex that would serve 83,000 young people aged between 5 and 25 in the Western Region by providing: 1) a network of friendship clubs for peer groups of all ages; 2) a wide range of interest and hobby groups; 3) classes and courses not offered at other local community centres; 4) adequate indoor sporting facilities for competition within the district; 5) a drop-in centre especially geared for teenagers; 6) counselling and career advice; 7) an adventure playground; 8) leadership training programs. The suggested site for the centre is the Young Men's Christian Association Family Centre in Essex Street, West Footscray, where some of this work is already taking place.

Sunshine, Vic: Sunshine (Vic). Council, 1977: 67 pages; 20 refs; 5 appendices; Questionnaire Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Recreation; Recreational facilities; Recreational planning; Leisure; Youth; Youth services; Community services; Community centres Needs; Survey; Recommendations; Questionnaire; Report Sunshine (Vic)

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REGIONS: SUGGESTED DELINEATION OF REGIONS FOR THE PURPOSE OF SECTION 17, GRANTS COMMISSION ACT 1973

Australia. Dept of Urban and Regional Development

A report suggesting a pattern of interim regional delimitations comprising local government areas throughout Australia, to be used by the Minister for Urban and Regional Development to achieve equality of living standards and opportunities between regions throughout the nation.

Canberra: Australian Government Publishing Service, Oct 1973: 62 pages; 2 appendices: maps and tables

Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Local government; Planning; Urban planning; Regional planning; Social environment

Recommendations; Report  
Grants Commission Act 1973

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REZONING A THREAT: RIVER LOCALS

Foley S

An outline of the controversy between the Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works (MMBW) and the Maribyrnong River supporters regarding the rezoning of the Mure's site from public open space to residential. The proposal follows the failure of the MMBW to negotiate the sale of the site to the Sunshine City Council.

The Sun, 22 Dec 1981  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Zoning; Residential development; Protest groups; Resident action  
Debate

Mure Pipe Works, Maribyrnong (Vic)

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SUNSHINE SHOPPING CENTRE: A REPORT TO THE SUNSHINE CITY COUNCIL

Loder and Bayly

A concept plan and costing analysis for the improvement of the Sunshine shopping centre. The aims of the proposal are: 1) to provide accommodation for anticipated growth in retail and commercial activities; 2) to improve the convenience, attractiveness and safety of the centre for pedestrians and private and public transport users; 3) to provide adequate parking facilities to service all areas of the centre; 4) to integrate appropriate health, welfare, leisure and community facilities in the centre. The recommended program is planned in 3 stages at a total cost of approximately \$917,000. It provides for: 1) a pedestrian mall in Hampshire Road; and 2) a possible market in City Place; 3) bus terminal; 4) welfare services building; 5) retail expansion; 6) traffic and car parking improvements.

Sunshine, Vic: Sunshine (Vic). Council, July 1972: 79 pages; 5 appendices; Questionnaire  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Shopping centres; Commercial development; Urban planning; Retail trade  
Cost analysis; Projects; Traffic; Parking; Car parks; Malls and plazas; Markets; Sites; Bus services; Welfare services; Survey; Questionnaire; Recommendations; Report  
Sunshine Shopping Centre (Vic)

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THE WESTERN REGION: ACTION FOR THE EIGHTIES

Cain J (MP)

An outline of the programs and funding that are underway for

planning by the local, state and federal governments to bring new services to the west, upgrade existing ones and provide needed resources to assist the community of the western suburbs. These programs provide initiatives in regard to: 1) job creation schemes; 2) the revitalization of industry and business; 3) improved public housing stock; 4) environmental planning; 5) improved public transport services; 6) the expansion of Footscray Institute of Technology; 7) the Living Museum of the West Project.

6 Oct 1983: 25 pages; Address by the Hon John Cain, MP, Premier of Victoria at Footscray Institute of Technology on October 6 1983  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Social environment; Employment; Housing; Public utilities; Transport; Environment; Planning; Government; State government; Community services  
Projects; Funding; Job creation; Development  
Living Museum of the West; Beanland lecture, 1983

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WESTERN SUBURBS PLANNING AND ENVIRONMENT ACTION PROGRAM: STAGE 1. ISSUES IDENTIFICATION REPORT: REPORT ON GROUP DISCUSSIONS WITH RESIDENTS AND TASK GROUPS ON INDUSTRIAL, RESIDENTIAL AND RECREATION ISSUES

A report on the first stage of the Western Suburbs Planning and Environment Action Program, which aims to investigate community concerns about living conditions and opportunities for improvement in Altona, Footscray, Sunshine, Williamstown and Werribee. This report is a companion document to 'Planning and environment issues in the western suburbs of Melbourne' and covers: 1) the

results of group discussions with residents; 2) industrial and related issues; 3) residential and related issues; 4) recreation and cultural issues.

Victoria: Victoria. Ministry for Planning, March 1983: 209 pages in various page sequences; 19 refs; Consists of: 1) report on group discussions with residents by Maxine Cooper and Associates; 2) report on industrial and related issues by the Industrial and Related Activities Task Group; 3) report on residential and related issues by the Residential and Related Activities Task Group; 4) report on recreation and cultural issues by the Recreation and Cultural Activities Task Group; Also published as 4 separate volumes  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Environment; Lifestyle; Community participation; Industry; Industrial refuse; Pollution; Residential development; Housing; Recreation; Culture  
Planning; Research; Survey  
Altona (Vic); Footscray (Vic); Sunshine (Vic); Williamstown (Vic); Werribee (Vic); Western Suburbs Planning and Environment Action Program

DECENTRALISATION AND GROWTH  
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CENTRES  
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989H URGED FOR MELTON: GOVERNMENT REPORT HOLDS SATELLITE KEY

The report submitted to the Victorian government regarding the development of Melton as a satellite city urges that 389.6 million be spent over a period of 5 years to implement the proposed development. The finance requested is to be allocated for construction of a by-pass



(\$21,000,000), provision of a sewerage system (\$10.8 mill), electrification (\$9.3 mill), a water supply system (\$7.5 mill), a new technical school (\$1.8 mill), a new secondary school (\$1.75 mill), a library (\$30,000), a regional police headquarters (\$250,000) and a home for the aged (\$80,000).

Sunshine Mail, page 1, 19 April 1978  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Growth centres; Urban development; Urban planning; Funding; State government Road construction and maintenance; Sewerage and sanitation; Electricity supply; Water supply; Secondary schools; Public libraries; Community facilities; Report  
Melton (Vic)

#### URBAN RENEWAL

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#### SUNSHINE RESIDENTIAL STUDY

Urban and Regional Analysts; Sunshine (Vic). Council  
The City of Sunshine commissioned an investigation into: existing problems of the area; possible future problems; and opportunities for future improvements and integrated development. In this report, the characteristics of and influences on Sunshine are examined and a Strategy Plan is identified with the goals of: 1) providing high standard housing; 2) creating an attractive environment; 3) improving recreation opportunities; 4) integration of services and facilities; 5) rationalizing traffic flows; 6) increasing community awareness of and participation in community activities. Policies to facilitate the implementation of

the Strategy Plan, minimize problems and maximize benefit to residents are outlined.

Sunshine, Vic: The Council, Sept 1975: 78 pages; 4 appendices  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Urban development; Community planning; Residential development; Housing; Facilities; Transport  
Traffic; Environment; Policy  
Sunshine (Vic)

#### INDUSTRY

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#### BIBLIOGRAPHY: MELBOURNE MEAT PRESERVING COMPANY

Field P  
A list of books, newspaper and journal articles that hold information regarding the Melbourne Meat Preserving Company, one of the early industries established in Maribyrnong.

1983?: 3 pages  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Bibliography; Information sources; Industries; Meat industry  
Melbourne Meat Preserving Company, Maribyrnong (Vic)

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#### THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE MANUFACTURING INDUSTRY AT SUNSHINE

Popp E  
An investigation of the development of manufacturing industry in Sunshine from 1937-1972 to determine the forces and factors involved in the nature and rate of growth in industries in the study area. The study concludes that certain



forces have operated in the past to attract industry to Sunshine. These 'pull' forces include: 1) the use of the Maribyrnong River for an outlet for effluent; 2) close proximity to raw materials and the Melbourne market; 3) a cheap and plentiful supply of land; 4) no restrictions on noxious industries in the area prior to the 1900's. The report also includes a survey of 36 firms in Sunshine to determine the factors that are responsible for the present location of industry in Sunshine. These forces include: 1) the availability of land at reasonably low prices; 2) proximity to market; 3) a supply of a labour pool; 4) good transport facilities; 5) proximity to related industries.

1972: 79 pages; Bibliography: 6 refs; Includes questionnaire; Unpublished research report  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Manufacturing; Industry:  
Industrial development; Factories  
Sites; Decision making; Markets:  
Noxious trades; Land; Land  
values; Labour; Work force;  
Transport; Economics; Research;  
Reports  
Sunshine (Vic)

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FOOTSCRAY: A LINK WITH SAXON  
TIMES

A history of Footscray from 1840 to 1931 highlighting the importance of early industries (sugar refineries, ropeworks, meat works, tanneries, fertilizer works and shipbuilding) in developing the manufacturing centre that exists today. It also includes an explanation of how Footscray derived its name.

Port of Melbourne Quarterly vol.  
30 no. 4 pages 19-24, Oct-Dec  
1931

Journal article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

History; Industries:  
Manufacturing; Factories; Tapes  
Tanneries; Meat industry;  
Fertilizers; Ships and shipping;  
Names  
Footscray (Vic)

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A GLOBAL CORPORATION: A HISTORY  
OF THE INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT  
OF MASSEY-FERGUSON LIMITED  
Nuefeld E P (Dr) (University of  
Toronto)

A history of Massey-Ferguson  
Limited, a multinational  
corporation involved in the  
manufacturing of agricultural  
machinery, from 1847 when it was  
a local family enterprise to  
1969, with particular reference  
to the years after the second  
world war.

Canada: University of Toronto  
Press, 1969: 427 pages;  
Illustrations; Index; ISBN  
08020322044

Book

AVAILABILITY: V331

Industries; Agricultural  
machinery  
History  
McKay, Hugh Victor;  
Massey-Ferguson (Australia) Ltd

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H V MCKAY COMMEMORATIVE ENVELOPES  
Australia Post

Commemorative envelopes produced  
by Australia Post to celebrate  
the centenary of the invention of  
the H V McKay stripper harvester  
in 1834.

Carlton, Vic: Australia Post, Feb  
1984  
Envelopes

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Industries; Agricultural

machinery  
History; Celebrations  
McKay, Hugh Victor

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INDUSTRIAL AWAKENING: A GEOGRAPHY  
OF AUSTRALIAN MANUFACTURING 1788  
TO 1890

Linde G J R (Australian National  
University)

A comprehensive account of the  
development and spatial  
organisation of manufacturing in  
Australia in its first 100 years  
of settlement (1788-1890) and the  
role that this manufacturing  
played in Australia's economy.  
The book gives brief reference to  
the industrial development in  
Footscray and Williamstown.

Canberra, NSW: Australian  
National University Press, 1979:  
345 pages; Bibliography; Appendix  
: statistics of manufacturing in  
Australia 1860 to 1900; Index;  
ISBN 0708104193  
Book

AVAILABILITY: V3UN

Manufacturing: Industries;  
Factories; Economic history  
History; Economics; Development;  
Statistics; Research; Archives

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INDUSTRIAL SITES ATLAS: MELBOURNE  
WESTERN REGION

Melbourne Western Region Joint  
Working Group

A series of maps showing the  
location, number, classification  
and zoning of industries and  
vacant industrial sites in the  
Western Region of Melbourne. The  
atlas also provides general  
information on population,  
employment, infrastructure such  
as transport and energy supply,  
regional planning and zoning in  
the Western Region.

Melbourne: Melbourne and  
Metropolitan Board of Works,  
March 1984: 39 pages; maps and  
tables; Working Group established

by the Western Suburbs Planning  
and Environment Action Program  
Book

AVAILABILITY: V3UN

Industry; Land use; Zoning;  
Regional planning; Development  
Population; Employment;  
Transport; Energy resources;  
Waste disposal; Sites  
Western Suburbs Planning and  
Environment Action Program;  
Altona (Vic); Essendon (Vic);  
Footscray (Vic); Bacchus Marsh  
(Vic); Keilor (Vic); Melton  
(Vic); Werribee (Vic);  
Williamstown (Vic); Sunshine  
(Vic)

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AN INVITATION TO THE OPENING OF A  
SPECIAL DISPLAY 'H V MCKAY  
INVENTOR AND INDUSTRIALIST' IN  
THE SWINBURNE HALL OF THE MUSEUM  
OF VICTORIA TO MARK THE CENTENARY  
OF THE INVITATION OF MCKAY'S  
STRIPPER HARVESTER IN 1884

National Museum of Victoria.  
Council

Victoria: The Council, Feb 1984  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: V3UN

Agricultural machinery;  
Industries; Agriculture  
History; Celebrations  
McKay, Hugh Victor

273

JAMES FLOOD THE VEHICLE BUILDER  
James Flood Pty Ltd

A history of James Flood Pty Ltd,  
a company that manufactured  
vehicle bodies and sheet metal  
products from 1911.

West Footscray, Vic: James Flood  
Pty Ltd, n.d.: 8 pages  
Booklet

AVAILABILITY: V3UN

Companies; Manufacturing; Motor  
vehicles

History: Development  
James Flood Pty Ltd

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LIBERTIAN: MORGON TOLD TO SEEK  
REBORN

The Ministry for Planning, the  
Melbourne and Metropolitan Board  
of Works and the Conservation  
Department has suggested that  
Morgon Consolidated Industries  
apply for the rezoning of land in  
Tottenham so that a \$25,000,000  
steel mill can be built on the  
site.

The Age, 27 July 1931  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Industries: Zoning: Steel  
industry  
Planning  
Morgon Consolidated Industries

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MASSEY-FERGUSON HOLDINGS  
(AUSTRALIA) LIMITED ANNUAL REPORT  
FIFTEEN MONTHS ENDED JANUARY 31,  
1933 AND NOTICE OF MEETING TO BE  
HELD ON APRIL 29, 1933

Massey-Ferguson (Australia) Ltd  
The annual report produced by  
Massey-Ferguson Holdings  
Australia Limited includes: 1) a  
report from the director and  
accounting officers; 2) a report  
to the shareholders; 3) financial  
highlights; 4) profit and loss  
statements; 5) a review of the  
years activities and events.

Sunshine, Vic: Massey-Ferguson  
(Australia) Ltd, 1933: 23 pages  
Booklet

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Company: Industries:  
Agricultural machinery  
Finance: Activities: Events:  
Projects: Annual reports  
Massey-Ferguson (Australia) Ltd

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MASSEY-FERGUSON

REPORT 1962

Massey-Ferguson (Australia) Ltd  
The annual report produced by  
Massey-Ferguson Limited includes:  
1) a report from the director and  
accounting officers; 2) a report  
to the shareholders; 3) financial  
highlights; 4) profit and loss  
statements; 5) a review of the  
years activities and events.

Sunshine, Vic: Massey-Ferguson  
(Australia) Ltd, 1962: 24 pages  
Booklet

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Annual report: Industries:  
Companies: Agricultural machinery  
Finance: Activities: Events:  
Projects: Review  
Massey-Ferguson (Australia) Ltd

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MCKAY COMPONENTS

An advertisement for the  
agricultural components  
manufactured by Ralph McKay Ltd.

Weekly Times, 25 May 1983  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Agricultural machinery  
Advertising: Promotion  
Ralph McKay Ltd

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MCKAY TIMES SAVE TIME

Slimline times which were  
introduced in 1980 by the  
agricultural component  
manufacturer, Ralph McKay Ltd, are  
now available as a range of extras  
by several farm machinery  
manufacturers today. The times  
aim to reduce tractor draft and  
provide savings in fuel  
consumption.

Weekly Times, 11 May 1  
Newspaper art

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Agricultural

Industry; Industry  
Wilson McKay Ltd

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MEMOIRS OF A STOCKMAN

Peck H H

A compilation of the memoirs of Harry H Peck, a cattle auctioneer at Newmarket, which were originally published in serial form in 'Stock and Land' from 1939 to 1941. They outline the developments made in the pastoral industry from 1834, when the cattle saleyards were established at Newmarket, to the 1960s. The personalities (stock agents, buyers, suppliers, classers and drovers) that were involved in the operations at the saleyards or on cattle properties in Victoria are also recorded.

Melbourne: Stock and Land Publishing, Nov 1972: 373 pages; Includes photographs and an index; Reprint of a 1946 edition; ISBN 0909474050  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Agriculture; Cattle; Meat industry; Stock yards  
History: Development; Anecdotes  
Newmarket Saleyards (Vic); Peck, Harry H

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NEWPORT REVIEW PANEL: FINAL REPORT TO THE GOVERNMENT AND THE TRADES HALL COUNCIL

Hatheson L (Newport Review Panel); Fraser J (Newport Review Panel); Smith M A (Newport Review Panel)

A report submitted to the government and the Trades Hall Council regarding the feasibility of the proposed 500 MW power station at Newport. The report analyses the environmentally acceptable alternatives for locating the power station and the cost of establishing on these sites. Conclusions reached in the report indicate that: 1) Newport

is the most economically viable location for the construction of a power station; 2) the contract for the supply of gas to the station is void if the location is not at Newport; 3) the contribution of pollutants from a 500 MW station can be minimized by plant shutdowns. In view of these findings, the report recommends that the station should be built at Newport subject to conditions of pollution control and landscaping.

Melbourne: Newport Review Panel, April 1977: 63 pages; 14 appendices: 48 pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Energy resources; Electricity supply; Energy; Planning; Environmental impact; Environmental studies  
Decision making; Sites; Cost analysis; Pollution; Recommendations; State government  
Newport Power Station (Vic)

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NOTES ON HUME PIPEWORKS, HARBORNOG  
Ford O

A history of Hume enterprises, a company that manufactures concrete and steel pipes, from its establishment on the old Melbourne Meat Preserving Company site in Harbournog to its decision in the 1970s to relocate to Laverton. The history also outlines the relationship between the bluestone buildings and the Hume's sheds.

1983: 9 pages; 4 refs  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Industries; Manufacturing; Factories; Companies; Historic buildings  
Concrete; Pipes; History;

Development  
Tune Pipe Works, Maribyrnong  
(Vic)

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RALPH MCKAY LIMITED ANNUAL REPORT  
AND NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL  
MEETING

Ralph McKay Ltd

The annual report of Ralph McKay  
Limited includes: 1) notice of  
the annual general meeting; 2)  
reports from the director and  
accounting officers; 3) a review  
of the years activities and  
events; 4) profit and loss  
statements.

Maidstone, Vic: Ralph McKay Ltd,  
1975-1976  
Booklet

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Companies; Industries;  
Agricultural machinery  
Finance; Activities; Events;  
Projects; Annual reports  
Ralph McKay Ltd

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RALPH MCKAY RELEASES NEW SWEEPS  
The flanged dart sweep engineered  
by Bill Johnson has been released  
on the Australia agricultural  
market. The new sweep is an  
innovation of the original dart  
sweep that was introduced in  
Australia in 1975-76.

Weekly Times, page 16. 2 Feb 1983  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Agricultural machinery; Industry;  
Manufacturing  
Engineering  
Ralph McKay Ltd

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THE SALTWATER RIVER POWDER  
MAGAZINE (JACK'S MAGAZINE)

Moore J W

A history of the Saltwater River  
Powder Magazine from 1875 when a  
tract of land was purchased and

plans drawn up for its  
construction to 1941 when the  
magazine was officially known as  
the Ammunition Depot,  
Maribyrnong. The history includes  
a list of major figures that were  
responsible for the operations  
and running of the Magazine since  
its official opening in May 1878.

n.d.: 6 pages  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Munitions industry; Industries  
History; Development  
Saltwater River Powder Magazine,  
Maribyrnong (Vic); Ammunition  
Depot, Maribyrnong (Vic)

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THE STORY OF MONSANTO: FAITH,  
HOPE AND \$5,000: THE TRIALS AND  
TRIUMPHS OF THE FIRST 75 YEARS  
Forrestal D

A history of the development and  
growth of Monsanto Chemical  
Works, a \$4,000,000 multinational  
corporation, from 1901 to 1976.

New York: Simon and Schuster,  
1977: 285 pages: Bibliography; 2  
appendices; Index; ISBN  
067122784X  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Chemical industry; Industries  
History; Development  
Monsanto Chemicals, Sunshine  
(Vic)

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SUNSHINE - 100 YEARS ON  
Anderson J

A brief account of the life of  
Hugh Victor McKay including the  
role he played in the development  
of the Australian agricultural  
industry. His contributions to  
the invention of the harvester  
stripper, the construction of the  
Sunshine Harvester Works and the  
establishment of the minimum  
industrial wage principle are



also recorded.

The Sun, page 10, 3 Feb 1981  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: V30N

Agricultural machinery;  
Industries; Agriculture  
Biography: Role; Development  
McKay, Hugh Victor

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SUNSHINE HARVESTER PRESS: THE  
STORY OF 70 YEARS DEVELOPMENT OF  
ONE OF AUSTRALIA'S GREAT  
INDUSTRIES

Sunshine Harvester Press

A history of development of the H  
V McKay Massey Harris Pty Ltd  
from 1884 to 1954 including the  
contributions made to the company  
by Hugh Victor McKay and his  
invention of the stripper  
harvester.

Sunshine, Vic: Sunshine Harvester  
Press, 1954: 14 pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: V30N

Biographies: Agricultural  
machinery; Companies  
History: Development;  
Manufacturing  
McKay, Hugh Victor; McKay  
Harvester Co; H V McKay Massey  
Harris Pty Ltd

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TALK DELIVERED 24/7/1973 TO  
SUNSHINE AND DISTRICT HISTORICAL  
SOCIETY AT MASSEY FERGUSON BY MR  
F J KENDALL DEPUTY DIRECTOR,  
SCIENCE MUSEUM OF VICTORIA  
Kendall F J (Science Museum of  
Victoria)

A talk delivered to the Sunshine  
and District Historical Society  
on the role that Hugh Victor  
McKay and his invention of the  
harvester stripper played in the  
development of the agricultural  
industry in Australia. The  
question of whether Hugh Victor  
McKay produced the first

successful harvester or invented  
the principal of the harvester is  
also explored.

24th July 1973: 23 pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: V30N

Agricultural machinery;  
Industries  
McKay, Hugh Victor

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WELCOME TO SUNSHINE MASSEY HARRIS  
: TRACTORS FARM MACHINERY

Sunshine Massey Harris Pty Ltd

A souvenir guide outlining the  
manufacturing processes and the  
equipment used in the making of  
agricultural machinery at  
Sunshine Massey Harris Pty Ltd.

Sunshine, Vic: Sunshine Massey  
Harris Pty Ltd, n.d.: 12 pages;  
Includes photographs  
Booklet

AVAILABILITY: V30N

Companies; Agricultural  
machinery; Factories  
Guidebook; Manufacturing  
Sunshine Massey Harris Pty Ltd

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WHEELS UPDATE AT UHI FARM

An outline of the mutual  
arrangement that exists between  
Massey-Ferguson (Australia) Ltd  
and the Faculty of Agriculture  
and Forestry at Melbourne  
University. Under this  
arrangement, the University is  
presented with a tractor for use  
on their Mount Derrinut farm. In  
return, Massey-Ferguson is  
permitted to use the University's  
farm for training of local staff  
in equipment use, test programs  
and photographic purposes.

Weekly Times, 23 May 1981  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: V30N



## CURLIN AND REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT

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Agricultural machinery;  
Cooperation; Agriculture  
Massey-Ferguson (Australia) Ltd;  
Mount Derrin (Vic)

Meat industry; Industries;  
Companies  
History; Development  
Thomas Borthwick and Sons Pty Ltd

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THE CITY OF SUNSHINE: A HISTORY  
A brief history of Sunshine from  
its settlement in the early  
1800's to its development as a  
centre of diversified industrial  
production in the 1970's.

19762: 6 pages  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

History; Industries; Urban  
development  
Sunshine (Vic)

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DIGGING STICK TO ROTARY HOE: MEN  
AND MACHINES IN RURAL AUSTRALIA  
Wheelhouse F

An outline of the research that  
was undertaken in the Australian  
agricultural industry to develop  
and modify agricultural machines  
and implements that were to  
improve methods of ploughing,  
harvesting, seeding, shearing and  
wool pressing. It highlights in  
particular, the men responsible  
for the development of the stump  
jump plough, the stripper  
harvester and the header  
harvester.

Adelaide: Rigby, 1972: 222 pages;  
43 refs; Index; First published,  
Melbourne: Cassel Australia, 1966  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Agriculture; Agricultural  
machinery; Rural development;  
History; Research; Methods;  
Industries  
McKay, Hugh Victor

295

FROM FEDERATION TO WAR, 1901-1914  
Dutton G  
A predominantly pictorial

### HISTORICAL AND SOCIAL ASPECTS

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AUSTRALIAN INVENTIONS AND  
INNOVATIONS

Ingen P

An outline of how Australian  
inventions or innovations that  
came about, why they came about,  
who made them and the effects  
they had in Australia and the  
rest of the world. Includes H. V.  
McKay's invention of the  
harvester-stripper, and  
innovation that resulted in the  
establishment of the McKay  
Harvester Machine Company  
Limited.

Adelaide: Rigby, 1982: 30 pages;  
Bibliography; Index; Includes  
sketches and photographs; ISBN  
0727015062  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Agriculture; Agricultural  
machinery; Rural development;  
Inventions  
Industries  
McKay, Hugh Victor

292

BORTHWICKS: A CENTURY IN THE MEAT  
TRADE, 1863-1963  
Harrison C

A history of the family firm  
Thomas Borthwick and Sons Ltd  
from 1863-1963 highlighting the  
role that its growth and  
development played in  
revolutionising the meat supply  
industry throughout the world.

London: Thomas Borthwick and Sons  
Ltd, 1963: 222 pages; Appendix  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

presentation of the development of Australia between 1901 when the Commonwealth of Australia was officially declared, to the onset of the first world war. It provides a collection of historic photographs of major changes, discovery, political and economic crises and elements of the social environment and daily life in Australia (fashion, sport, entertainment and transport). Includes an advertisement of the agricultural machinery produced by Hugh Victor McKay Ltd.

Melbourne: Cheshire, 1971: 60 pages; ISBN 070151230X (Australia since the camera: 2) Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Photographs of agricultural machinery; History; Sociology Social environment; Politics; Economics; Lifestyle; Development; Transport; Sport; Clothing; Entertainment; Agricultural machinery; Advertising Hugh Victor McKay (Australia) Ltd

296  
GHOSTS ASTER AT DERRIMUT: TO BE GREAT AGAIN  
An outline of the development plans for a brief shorthorn stud by ICIANE on its Mount Derrimut farm, a site where the original shorthorn stud was founded in the 1850s by the Morton brothers and their colleague Leach.

Deer Park Regional News, 1954?  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Beef industry; Development; Agriculture; Cattle Mount Derrimut (Vic)

297  
A GUIDE TO ALTERING OLD HOUSES  
Harvey D; Waters C  
Renovating guidelines for the

preservation of the historical and architectural characteristics of Italianate, Mid Victorian, Queen Anne, Californian Bungalow and Early Modern houses.

In 'City of Essendon: urban conservation extracts'. Footscray Institute of Technology. Humanities Dept, Essendon, Vic: Essendon (Vic). Council, 1981: 11 pages; 8 refs Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Historic buildings; Architecture; Preservation; Restoration Guidebook

298

JOHN FLYNN: APOSTLE TO THE INLAND  
McPheat W S

A biography of John Flynn, highlighting in particular, the role he played in the development of a flying doctor service and pedal radio, innovations that lead to developments in communications and safety schemes throughout inland Australia.

London: Hodder and Stoughton, 1963: 286 pages; Bibliography; 2 appendices; Includes photographs and an index Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Biography; Health services; Medical services; Community services; Communizations Role; History  
Flynn, John; Flying Doctor Service

299

LAND BOOM AND BUST  
Cannon H

A detailed analysis of the land boom that swept through Victoria in the 1880s and 1890s, highlighting in particular, the political and commercial corruption that was evident in a social environment where there

Were no strict controls on free enterprise. Includes brief references to the industrial, commercial and urban development in Footscray, Essendon, Maribyrnong, Werribee, Williamstown, Ascot Vale, Albion and the parish of Cut Paw Paw.

Melbourne: Heritage, 1972: 409 pages; Bibliography; 4 appendices; Includes illustrations; Index Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Land; Land development; Economics; Economic history; Corruption; Politics; Industries; Commercial development; Urban development History

300

MELBOURNE MARKETS 1841-1979: THE STORY OF FRUIT AND VEGETABLE MARKETS IN THE CITY OF MELBOURNE Cole C E (ed) A history of Melbourne's wholesale fruit and vegetable markets from 1841 to 1979 highlighting the establishment of the Melbourne wholesale fruit and vegetable market in Footscray.

Footscray, Vic: Melbourne Wholesale Fruit and Vegetable Trust, 1980: 196 pages; 3 appendices; Index; ISBN 095943700X Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Markets History Footscray Market (Vic)

301

A SETTLEMENT AMPLY SUPPLIED: FOOD TECHNOLOGY IN THE NINETEENTH CENTURY AUSTRALIA Farrer K T H An outline of the developments made in the science and engineering fields that lead to

the improvements made in the production, processing, packaging, distribution, preparation and utilization of food in Australia. The developments are traced from simple procedures employed by the original colonists to factory operations which made Australia a major food exporter. Particular reference is given to the contributions that canning and refrigeration methods played in developing food technology in Australia.

Carlton, Vic: Melbourne University Press, 1980: 332 pages; Bibliography; 3 appendices; Photographs; ISBN 052284197X Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Industries; Agriculture; Agricultural products; Food industry Procedures; Productivity; Engineering; Science; Technology Melbourne Meat Preserving Company, Maribyrnong (Vic)

302

THEN AND NOW: HISTORY OF MARIBYRNONG FACTORY An historical account of the Maribyrnong factory located on land bounded by Rosamond Road, Raleigh Road and the Maribyrnong River from 1963 when it was operated as a meatworks by the Melbourne Meat Preserving Company to its present use as a site for manufacturing pipes by the Hume Brothers Cement Iron Company.

n.d. Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Manufacturing; Industries; Meat industry; Factories; Historic sites History Melbourne Meat Preserving

Company, Maribyrnong (Vic); Hume  
 Brothers Cement Iron Company Ltd,  
 Maribyrnong (Vic)

303

UNIVERSITY FIELD STATION MOUNT  
 DERRIMUT STATION ROAD, DEER PARK  
 University of Melbourne. School  
 of Agriculture

An outline of the historical  
 development of the Mount Derrimut  
 station from the mid 1850's when  
 it was the home of one of  
 Australia's greatest cattle studs  
 to 1962 when it was taken over by  
 the University of Melbourne for  
 agricultural field studies. The  
 outline, which includes plans for  
 the future development of the  
 station, was compiled to announce  
 the official opening of the  
 station by the Professor of  
 Agriculture on September 30th  
 1964.

Melbourne: The University, Sept  
 30 1964  
 Brochure

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Agriculture; Cattle; Beef  
 industry  
 Development; History;  
 Universities  
 Mount Derrimut (Vic)

GENERAL

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EMPLOYEE FITNESS AND RECREATION  
IN YARRA WEST

Victoria. Dept of Youth, Sport  
and Recreation

A study of employee fitness and recreation in Yarra West including: 1) findings of a Yarra West survey to determine employees attitudes to the provision of fitness and recreation programs at work; 2) case-studies of existing activities by industries and organisations including those undertaken at CSR (Yarraville), Australian Carbon Black (Altona), Link Industries Pty Ltd (Altona north), Hoechst Australia Ltd (Altona), Dunlop Olympic Tyres (Footscray west), Footscray Community Arts Centre and Werribee Shire Council; 3) commentaries from agencies offering advice or assistance to employers regarding fitness and recreation activities for their workers.

Melbourne: The Department, 1983?:  
34 pages: 2 appendices  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Physical fitness; Recreation;  
Industrial recreation; Industry;  
Work force  
Survey; Case study; Projects

MANAGEMENT AND PLANNING

305

AN APPLICATION FOR \$20,000 TO  
ESTABLISH A HISTORICAL PARK IN  
THE MUNICIPALITY OF SUNSHINE  
Ford O (Sunshine and District  
Historical Society)

An application to the Ministry  
for Tourism and Recreation for  
\$20,000 to organize and acquire  
equipment for a historical park

in Sunshine and to promote  
interest in such display. The  
money would be allocated for  
publication of a booklet  
(\$2,300), overhead expenses  
(\$1000), re-erection of a  
bluestone cottage (\$6000),  
interior cottage furniture  
(\$1000), purchasing and restoring  
historic items of farm equipment  
and historic vehicles (\$6000),  
construction of historic items  
(\$2700) and preparation, mounting  
and framing blow up photographs  
of historic interest.

Sunshine, Vic: Sunshine and  
District Historical Society, Dec  
23 1974: 2 pages  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Parks; Recreational facilities;  
Heritage; Grants  
Historic buildings; Historic  
sites; Submission; Finance  
Sunshine (Vic)

306

FOOTSCRAY RECREATION STUDY

Eccles D J (ed) (Footscray  
Institute of Technology)

An investigation of the  
population characteristics and  
resident use of recreational  
facilities in Footscray with the  
stated aim of: 1) identifying  
existing and likely future  
participation levels in a range  
of away from home recreational  
activities; 2) establishing a  
relationship between the use of  
recreational facilities and age,  
sex, occupation and residential  
origin factors; 3) evaluating the  
expenditure commitments of the  
council in regard to recreational  
facilities and programs.  
Conclusions reached in the study:  
1) Footscray residents  
participate in a wide range of  
recreational activities, most of  
which are non-competitive and  
unstructured; 2) future  
participation in recreation will  
continue to support non sporting

recreational facilities; 3) recreation expenditure is flowing mainly to competitive sports clubs and outdoor activities; 4) expenditure commitments do not accord with the recreation needs of the community. In view of these findings, recommendations have been made for future planning in recreation. These include: 1) a recreation policy for the Footscray municipality; 2) public participation in recreational planning; 3) detailed statements of expenditure; 4) an inventory of recreation programs, facilities and clubs.

Footscray, Vic: Footscray Institute of Technology. Humanities Dept. Dec 1981: 197 pages; 3 appendices; Questionnaires; Maps; Tables Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Recreation; Recreational facilities; Community services; Community facilities; Recreational planning; Municipal recreation User survey; Population; Community participation; Sport; Clubs; Policy; Local government finance Footscray (Vic)

307

A LOCAL RECREATION INITIATIVES GRANT FOR THE 'SUNSHINE WALKABOUTS' PROJECT

Phair P (Victoria. Dept of Youth, Sport and Recreation)

A letter from the Department of Youth, Sport and Recreation approving a Local Recreation Initiatives Grant of \$500 towards the cost of "Sunshine Walkabouts", the planning and production of 3 fold out leaflets outlining and describing possible walks of historic and environmental interest in Sunshine.

n.d.

Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Walking; Environment; Grants Projects; History; Historic sites Sunshine Walkabouts; Sunshine (Vic)

308

A REQUEST TO THE SUNSHINE CITY COUNCIL TO ACQUIRE LAND FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF A HISTORIC PARK OR OPEN-AIR FOLK MUSEUM IN THE SUNSHINE AREA

Ford O (Sunshine and District Historical Society)

A letter from the Sunshine and District Historical Society to the Sunshine City Council requesting that the Council provide land and their support to establish a historical park or an open-air folk museum within the Sunshine area. The park or museum would aim to display early equipment connected with agriculture and early industries; some buildings in bluestone; examples of early transport vehicles and historical household items, all of which would recall pioneer settlement in Sunshine from the late 1830's.

4 Feb 1975: 2 pages

Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Parks; Museums; Folk museums; Heritage; Preservation; History; Historic buildings; Agricultural machinery; Transport Sunshine and District Historical Society

309

SAVE ALL THIS FOR POSTERITY!

Ford O

An outline of the need to develop a master plan to acquire ownership of the Hume Pipe Works site and develop it as a major park for recreation, education and cultural activities. The



importance of developing the plan is to preserve the historic bluestone factories for historic and architectural posterity.

Western Times, page 4, 15 Dec 1982

Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Planning; Recreation; Parks; Preservation

Industry; Sites; History; Architecture

Dume Pipe Works, Maribyrnong (Vic)

310

SUNSHINE OPEN SPACE STUDY FOR SUNSHINE CITY COUNCIL

Scott and Furphy Engineers Pty Ltd. Landscaping Division

An examination of the existing and proposed landuse zoning and population distribution in the municipality of Sunshine to: 1) determine the need for additional or improved open space areas in the region; 2) to develop guidelines for future landuse planning. These suggested guidelines are intended to result in a better informed and a more rational decision making by the council with regard to open space. They are: 1) to increase the general rate of development of open reserves even if it means less expenditure on purchase of new reserves; 2) to develop, as soon as possible, open space reserves the newer areas; 3) to purchase additional land as it becomes available for the development of a children's playground network and neighbourhood parks; 4) to develop a community centre at Moore Park to serve the Sunshine community; 5) to gain control of and development Kororoit Creek reserve.

Sunshine, Vic: Sunshine (Vic). Council, 1972?: 65 pages: 15 refs; 2 appendices; Graphs and

tables

Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Open space; Planning; Regional planning; Recreation areas; Land use; Municipal recreation Needs; Community; Zoning; Land development; Parks; Reserves; Community facilities  
Sunshine (Vic)

311

WEST PARKS PROGRAM

Victoria. Ministry for Planning and Environment

A sample of a questionnaire sent to residents in Werribee, Altona, Sunshine, Footscray and Williamstown to determine the usage pattern of Kororoit Creek and their ideas for improvement of the creek and its surrounds. This questionnaire is part of the West Parks Program which aims to work with the community to provide recreation areas to meet the needs of residents in the western suburbs.

Melbourne: The Ministry, April 1984: 4 pages  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Questionnaire; Creeks; Recreation; Recreation areas; Parks; Environment  
Usage

Kororoit creek (Vic); West Parks Program

FACILITIES

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312

BRIMBANK PARK

Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works

A tourist brochure outlining facilities, park hours, and visitor services for Brimbank Park.

Melbourne: The Board, n.d.  
Brochure

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Parks; Recreation areas;  
Recreational facilities; Leisure;  
Open space; Metropolitan parks  
Promotion; Advertising  
Brimbank Park, Keilor (Vic)

313

BRIMBANK PARK RIVER TRAIL  
Melbourne and Metropolitan Board  
of Works

A guide to a river trail in  
Brimbank Park along the  
Maribyrnong River highlighting  
geological features, vegetation  
and points of interest.

Melbourne: The Board, 197-?  
Brochure

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Parks; Recreation; Recreation  
areas; Leisure; Open space;  
Walking; Bushwalking  
Rivers; Guidebook; Promotion;  
Advertising  
Brimbank Park, Keilor (Vic);  
Maribyrnong River (Vic)

314

MARIBYRNONG RIVER CRUISES  
Maribyrnong River Cruises  
Administrative Office

A tourist brochure advertising  
the river cruise along the  
Maribyrnong River in the ferry,  
'Blackbird'.

Airport West, Vic: The Office,  
198?  
Brochure

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Rivers; Recreation; Leisure;  
Tourism; Promotion; Advertising;  
Ferry services  
Community information  
Maribyrnong River (Vic)

315

MARIBYRNONG VALLEY METROPOLITAN

PARK

Melbourne and Metropolitan Board  
of Works

A tourist guide produced to  
inform the public of where to  
find Brimbank Park and the  
facilities available at the park.  
Includes future plans made by the  
Melbourne and Metropolitan Board  
of Works to extend the parks  
facilities.

Melbourne: The Board, n.d.  
Brochure

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Parks; Recreation; Recreation  
areas; Leisure; Open space;  
Metropolitan parks  
Promotion; Advertising  
Brimbank Park, Keilor (Vic)

316

SUBMISSION TO THE AUSTRALIAN  
GOVERNMENT'S DEPARTMENT OF  
TOURISM AND RECREATION, CANBERRA,  
ACT FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A  
SPORTING COMPLEX IN THE CITY OF  
SUNSHINE, VICTORIA  
Sunshine (Vic). Council. Planning  
Dept

A submission to the Department of  
Tourism and Recreation for the  
Department to establish a  
sporting complex in Sunshine to  
serve the local community,  
particularly 10-25 year olds. The  
submission is made on the grounds  
that: 1) recreational facilities  
are not increasing at the same  
rate as the increase in density  
of housing; 2) there is a lack of  
sporting and recreational  
facilities, especially of a high  
standard, in Sunshine to serve  
the community and in particular  
the 10-25 age group; 3) travel to  
other sporting complexes outside  
the area is complicated by poor  
public transport; 4) the centre  
will bring people together in a  
healthy physical and  
psychological environment; 5) it  
will provide a healthy outlet for  
young people's energy and  
therefore curb juvenile

linguency: 6) it will contribute to overcoming a lack of facilities for young people not only in Sunshine but in the whole western region. The suggested location for the sporting complex is at Braybrook, adjacent to the escarpment of the Maribyrnong River.

Sunshine, Vic: The Council, n.d.: 10 pages  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Recreation; Recreational facilities; Planning; Community facilities; Sport; Youth services  
Submission  
Sunshine (Vic)

317  
SURVEY OF USERS PATTERN OF A SPORTS CENTRE

Thompson G (Victoria. Dept of Youth, Sport and Recreation)  
Results of a user survey of 269 people that attend the Sunshine Sports Centre concluded that: 1) the majority of the respondents actively participated in activities at the centre; 2) most users were introduced to the activity at the centre; 3) few users attend the centre as part of a club; 4) most users travelled to the centre by car; 5) the catchment area of the centre was approximately 18 minutes travel time or a 3.3 mile radius; 6) 62% of the respondents were between 15-29 years old; 7) most of the centres users were employed full-time; 8) 77% of the users stay at the centre for more than one hour; 9) many of the users came to the centre more than once per week; 10) users learnt about the centre through friends, newspapers, schools and members of the family.

Melbourne: Victoria. Dept of Youth, Sport and Recreation, 1976: 32 pages; 2 refs: Appendix: questionnaire; Map

Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Community centres: Recreational facilities; Indoor recreation  
User surveys; Usage; Recreational planning  
Sunshine Sports Centre (Vic)

318  
A TEACHER'S GUIDE TO THE TMBW'S METROPOLITAN PARKS  
Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works  
A brochure outlining the resources, facilities and services offered to teachers and students at Brimbank park and other metropolitan parks.

Melbourne: The Board, August 1981  
Brochure

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Parks: Metropolitan parks  
Facilities; Maps; Community services; Community facilities  
Brimbank Park, Keilor (Vic)

319  
USAGE PATTERNS OF A SPORTS CENTRE  
Victoria. Dept of Youth, Sport and Recreation  
Local, state and federal governments have been providing funds to construct indoor multi-use recreation facilities. To better plan and design these facilities, the Victorian Department of Youth, Sport and Recreation conducted a study to evaluate the usage patterns of the Sunshine Sports Centre. Over a 7 day period (11-17 Aug 1975), 269 submissions were received from centre users. Of these, 49.8% attended keep fit classes, 45.2% used the sauna, 42.3% bounceball, 22.6% recreational swimming, 19.7% weight training, 7.1% learn to swim, and 31.3% attended one or more activities.

Melbourne: The Department, 1976: 37 pages; 2 refs: Appendix:

includes survey questionnaires:  
ISBN 0724135476  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Sport; Recreational facilities;  
Facilities: Community facilities  
Usage: User survey  
Sunshine Sports Centre (Vic)

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AMUSEMENT PARLOURS AND LEISURE: A  
REPORT FOR SUNSHINE CITY COUNCIL  
Van Moorst 4 (Footscray Institute  
of Technology. Dept of  
Humanities)

A report of the interviews with  
proprietors and patrons of  
amusement parlours, police,  
parents and teachers to determine  
the attitudes towards the 22  
existing amusement rooms in  
Sunshine and the possibility of  
further establishments.  
Conclusions reached in the report  
indicate that: 1) there is no  
good reason for the council to  
take action against amusement  
parlours; 2) there is a need for  
strict government supervision to  
ensure that the parlours provide  
facilities other than just  
pinball machines. Inview of these  
findings, the report recommends  
that there be permits to control  
the number of parlours  
established within a given area  
and the facilities that are  
provided with these parlours.

Sunshine, Vic: Sunshine (Vic).  
Council. Nov 1974: 15 pages;  
Appendix  
Inbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Recreation; Recreational  
facilities: Amusements; Leisure  
Interviews; Community;  
Recommendations; Government;  
Recreational planning; Building

laws and ordinances;  
Specifications; Reports  
Sunshine (Vic)

321

BUSABOUT-BOATABOUT-WALKABOUT  
SUNSHINE

Promotion of a historic tour  
through Sunshine and its environs  
held on Saturday 4th April from  
10am-4.30pm. The tour involved 3  
modes of transport- ferry, bus  
and foot and aims to look back  
over 120 years at rural and  
industrial community of the  
district. It explores some of  
Sunshine's early volcanic and  
aboriginal past and visits  
historic spots and landmarks of  
more recent times.

The Advocate, 11 March 1981  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Tourism; Promotion; Historic  
sites  
Historic buildings; History  
Maribyrnong River (Vic); Sunshine  
(Vic)

322

HOUNDS ARE RUNNING: A HISTORY OF  
THE MELBOURNE HUNT  
Ronald H B

A history of the Melbourne Hunt  
from its inception in 1853 to the  
present, tracing the locational  
changes of the event throughout  
Melbourne, one of which was at  
Mount Derrinut and its surrounds.  
It also highlights the  
contributions made by various  
landowners, benefactors and fox  
hunting enthusiasts to ensure the  
survival of the sport.

Kilmore, Vic: Lowden Publishing,  
1970: 136 pages; Bibliography;  
Photographs; Index; Glossary  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Sport; Fox hunting; Hunting;  
Recreation

History  
Mount Derrimut (Vic); Melbourne  
Hunt

Youth; Behaviour; Crime;  
Violence; Debate; Resident  
action; Reports

323

THE POLICING OF LEISURE:  
AMUSEMENT PARLOURS AS SCAPEGOATS  
Van Moorst H (Footscray Institute  
of Technology. Dept of  
Humanities)

A paper outlining the major  
allegations being made against  
amusement parlours by police  
officers, school principles,  
council officers and members of  
the public. The grounds for their  
disapproval are that: 1)  
amusement parlours cause truancy;  
2) the money spent at the  
parlours is stolen; 3) crimes are  
planned at the parlours; 4) there  
are frequent complaints of  
misbehaviour, bad language and  
littering of streets; 5)  
'undesirable' people meet at the  
parlours; 6) amusement parlours  
have a destructive effect on  
children and young members of the  
community; 7) the parlours are  
located too close to residential  
neighbourhoods and schools; 8)  
young people become more violent  
after playing pinball machines.  
This paper questions the validity  
of these allegations and  
challenges the decision by the  
Town Planning Appeals Tribunal  
(December 1979) to ban amusement  
parlours. The paper also includes  
the methodology and  
recommendations made in the  
Sunshine study of amusement  
parlours in 1974.

Footscray, Vic: Footscray  
Institute of Technology. Dept of  
Humanities. April 1980: 15 pages;  
3 refs; An occasional paper put  
out by Footscray Institute of  
Technology. Dept of Humanities  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Recreation; Recreational  
facilities; Amusements; Leisure  
Conflict; Grievance procedure;

324

PIC WILLOWS HISTORICAL PARK  
MELTON: A BRIEF HISTORY  
A brief history of 'Willows'  
Historical Park from its use as a  
pound for wandering stock in 1851  
to its conversion as a site for a  
folk museum in 1982.

Melton, Vic: Melton and District  
Historical Society. 1982: 5  
pages; Compiled from research  
material at the Public Records  
Office, Melbourne  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Museums; Parks; Historic sites;  
Historic buildings  
History  
Melton (Vic); Willows Historical  
Park, Melton (Vic)



GENERAL

325  
COPY OF LETTER FROM GEORGE SEELAF  
Seelaf G (City of Footscray  
Historical Society)  
A letter to Joan Kirner (a member  
of parliament for Melbourne West)  
suggesting that a committee be  
formed by the Living Museum of  
the West Steering Committee to  
organise a reunion of employees  
who worked on the Angliss  
property.

May 16 1983: 1 page  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Meat industry; Employees  
History  
Living Museum of the West;  
William Angliss Meatworks,  
Footscray (Vic)

326  
HUNT CLUB HOTEL PROPOSAL  
Humphris M (Sunshine and District  
Historical Society)  
A letter to the Sunshine City  
Council from the Sunshine  
District Historical Society  
outlining their support to the  
Council's submission to the  
federal government for funding of  
the 'Hunt Club Hotel' project.  
The project aims to convert the  
former Hunt Club Hotel to a  
community centre incorporating  
historic displays, arts and  
crafts, adult education, meeting  
rooms, school visits and  
exhibitions.

n.d.: 1 page  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Historic buildings; Preservation;  
Restoration; Community centres  
Submission; Federal government;  
Funding  
Hunt Club Hotel, Deer Park (Vic)

327  
HUNT CLUB HOTEL RESTORATION  
GUIDELINES  
Parsons R (Sunshine and District  
Historical Society)  
A letter to the Sunshine City  
Council from the Sunshine  
District Historical Society  
regarding the establishment of a  
permanent management committee to  
implement the guidelines for the  
restoration of the Hunt Club  
Hotel complex as a community  
centre.

13 Nov 1982: 1 page  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Historic buildings; Preservation;  
Restoration; Community centres  
Management; Planning  
Hunt Club Hotel, Deer Park (Vic)

328  
LIVING MUSEUM OF THE WEST:  
APPLICATION FOR EIP, 1983/84  
Nixon P (Living Museum of the  
West Steering Committee)  
A submission by the Living Museum  
of the West Steering Committee  
for an Employment Initiatives  
Program grant to research the  
past and present of the western  
suburbs by and for the people in  
the region. Ultimately they hope  
to document, display and  
disseminate a cultural and social  
history of the region.

1984: 10 pages; 3 appendices  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Submission; Funding; State  
government; Museums; Employment  
Culture; History  
Living Museum of the West

329  
LIVING MUSEUM OF THE WEST: NOTICE  
OF MEETINGS FOR COMMITTEE  
Kirner J  
A list of meetings and their  
purpose arranged for the Living



Museum of the West Steering Committee between 20 June-25th July 1983.

15 June 1983: 1 page  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Meetings; Museums  
Projects; History; Culture;  
Social environment  
Living Museum of the West

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MINUTES OF THE ART AND CULTURAL COMMITTEE HELD AT 9 WILKINS STREET SUNSHINE, 20TH NOVEMBER, 1974

Sunshine (Vic). Council. Art and Cultural Committee

Sunshine, Vic: The Council, 25 Nov 1974: 3 pages  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Arts: Culture; Minutes

331  
PEOPLES' RIGHTS  
Georgina M

A directory of information summarised from "Your rights" by John Kenneth, and translated into Greek, Italian, Turkish, Spanish, Yugoslav and Maltese. Information covers personal and legal problems, health, consumer complaints and advice (including credit and other types of finance, buying a car, buying a house, and tenancy), government and other welfare services, community organisations, and services to migrants.

Sunshine, Vic: Sunshine (Vic). Council. Welfare and Education Dept, n.d.  
Booklet

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Directory; Civil rights; Legal services; Migrants; Community

services  
Health services; Credit; Welfare services  
Greek language; Italian language; Turkish language; Spanish language; Yugoslav language; Maltese language

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A SUBMISSION TO THE SUNSHINE CITY COUNCIL ON THE FORMATION OF THE ART AND CULTURAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Van Hoorst A (Sunshine (Vic). Council. Welfare and Education Dept)

A submission to the Sunshine City Council to formulate and finance the works of an art and cultural advisory committee. This committee would be responsible for promoting art and cultural activities in the municipality and compiling an annual directory of organisation and resources available in the Sunshine community.

Sunshine, Vic: Sunshine (Vic). Council, 10 Dec 1974: 3 pages  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Arts; Culture; Community services; Community organisations; Submission Activities; Directory; Promotion Sunshine (Vic)

333

WESTERN COMMUNITY MEDIA

Footscray Community Video; Turtle Video

A submission for funding to the Film, Radio and Television Board and the Australian Film Institute for funding to extend the Community Access Video project. The aim of the project is to: 1) establish a regional network for gathering and distributing information; 2) link resources held in a number of media access points in the region; 3) establish a liaison between Community Outreach in north

Williamstown, Footscray Community Arts Centre, Sunshine Technical School and Sunshine Union Community Centre. The submission calls for a grant of \$101,195 in 1975 and 1976 which is to be allocated for salaries (\$52,500), operational expenses (\$31,340), software (\$4,000), hardware (\$8,435) and studio equipment (\$920).

Footscray, Vic: Footscray Community Video and Turtle Video, April 1975: 13 pages  
Booklet

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Networks; Information systems;  
Arts; Films; Community services;  
Community facilities  
Submission; Accessibility

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WESTERN REGION MEDIA: MEDIA ACCESS PROGRAM, VIDEO DISTRIBUTION PROGRAM, SPECIAL PROJECTS PROGRAM: SUBMISSION FOR FUNDING TO THE FILM RADIO AND TELEVISION BOARD

Footscray Community Video; Turtle Video

A submission for funding to the Film, Radio and Television Board to support the work of the Western Community Media Program in its second year of operation. The finances requested will be used to employ 4 project workers and to purchase hardware and software for the Media Access Program (\$62,071), the Video Distribution Program

(approximately \$12,300) and the Special Projects Program (approximately \$15,500). These aim to initiate: 1) video distribution programs; 2) translation of video tapes; 3) video cablecasts and broadcasts; 4) video workshops to be conducted at the Footscray Community Centre, the Altona Municipal Library and Community Outreach (Williamstown); 5) video storytelling; 6) video production

programs; 7) silkscreen workshops; 8) the printing of small scale community newspapers; 9) a geographical and historical video recording of Footscray.

Footscray, Vic: Footscray Community Video and Turtle Video, August 1975  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Networks; Information systems;  
Arts; Films; Community services;  
Community facilities  
Submission; Funding; Projects;  
Workshop  
Western Community Media Program

SCHOOLS, COLLEGES AND

UNIVERSITIES

335

BACK TO ST ALBANS: 80TH ANNIVERSARY 1969

Lambert G D (St Albans State School no. 2969)

A history of Saint Albans State School 2969 from 1889- 1969 highlighting the contributions made by students, teachers and administrators to its development and the difficulties it faced in its formative years.

St Albans, Vic: St Albans State School no. 2969, 23 Sept 1969: 38 pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Schools; Primary schools; Primary education  
History; Students; Teachers; Administration; Development  
St Albans State School no. 2969 (Vic)

336

DEER PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL

A history of Deer Park Primary School no. 1434 from 1871, when

the Board of Education agreed to allocate land for a school in the Braybrook shire, to 1971: highlights the problems the school faced in its formative years in regard to its construction and facilities.

1971: 4 pages  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Schools: Primary schools;  
Education  
History: Development  
Deer Park Primary School no. 1434  
(Vic)

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DEER PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL NO. 1434  
: CENTENARY SOUVENIR 1974-1974  
Deer Park School Centenary  
Committee

A history of Deer Park Primary  
School no. 1434 compiled to  
commemorate the school's 100  
years of operation (1974-1974).  
Outlines the contributions made  
by past principals, staff  
members, committees and students.

Deer Park, Vic: The Committee,  
1974: 24 pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Schools: Primary schools;  
Education: Primary education  
History: Celebrations;  
Development  
Deer Park Primary School no. 1434  
(Vic)

338  
THE FIRST 100 YEARS: 1970-1970:  
MELTON STATE SCHOOL NO. 430  
Melton State School no. 430  
A history of the first 100 years  
of Melton State School no. 430  
compiled from old records and  
memories on the occasion of the  
centenary of the opening of the  
first bluestone schoolroom,  
erected on the present site in  
October 1870.

Melton, Vic: Melton State School  
no. 430, 1970: 27 pages; Includes  
a centenary program for 23rd-25th  
October, 1970  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Schools; Primary education;  
Primary schools  
History; Anecdotes; Celebrations  
Melton State School no. 430 (Vic)

339  
THE READBACK: 3RD EDITION  
A school newspaper comprising  
short stories, articles and  
comments contributed from  
students and members of staff at  
Saint John's College to keep  
those involved with the school  
informed of its current events  
and activities.

Braybrook, Vic: Saint John's  
College, 1982: 13 pages  
Booklet

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Newspapers; Schools; Secondary  
schools  
Events; Activities; Students;  
Teachers  
St John's College, Braybrook  
(Vic)

340  
SCHOOLS OF THE 70'S  
Victoria. Public Works Dept  
An outline of the changes that  
have occurred with education in  
Victoria and the effects that  
this has had on the design and  
construction of School buildings  
that were established during the  
1970's. Includes a description of  
Saint Albans Special School and  
how its design and resources  
cater for its students and the  
subjects taught at the school.

Victoria: The Department, 197?:  
24 pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

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Education; Schools; Construction;  
Architecture; Buildings; Special  
education

Design; Students

St Albans Special School (Vic)

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SUNSHINE TECHNICAL SCHOOL:  
OFFICIAL OPENING BY THE PREMIER  
OF VICTORIA, HON R J BAKER ON  
FRIDAY 19TH SEPTEMBER, 1980 AT  
3.00 PM

Sunshine Technical School

A program of the official opening  
of Sunshine Technical School on  
September 1980.

Sunshine, Vic: The School, Sept  
1980: Includes a brief history of  
Sunshine Technical School  
Brochure

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Schools; Secondary schools;  
Education; Programs; Technical  
education

History: Celebrations

Sunshine Technical School (Vic)

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SUNSHINE TECHNICAL SCHOOL

A collection of information  
relating to the establishment of  
a technical school at Sunshine.  
Includes: 1) an account of the  
events leading up to and  
including the official opening of  
the school; 2) plans of the  
school extracted from the  
Victorian Education Department's  
annual report 1911-1912; 3) an  
enrolment application for courses  
at Sunshine Technical School  
printed in the 'Advertiser',  
Footscray, on 23 August 1913.

n.d.

Inbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Schools; Secondary schools;  
Education; Technical education

History; Construction; Design;  
Courses

Sunshine Technical School (Vic)

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THIS IS OUR CASSETTE WHAT SHOULD  
WE CALL IT?

A school newspaper comprising  
short stories, articles and  
comments contributed from  
students and members of staff at  
Saint John's College to keep  
those involved with the school  
informed of its current events  
and activities.

Braybrook, Vic: Saint John's  
College, 1982: 8 pages; Later  
title: 'The Readback'  
Booklet

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Newspapers; Schools; Secondary  
schools

Events; Activities; Students;  
Teachers

St John's College, Braybrook  
(Vic)

344

WESTERN METROPOLITAN REGION  
DIRECTORY

Victoria. Education Dept. Western  
Metropolitan Regional Office

A listing of all schools and  
special education centres located  
in the western metropolitan  
region of Melbourne.

Moonee Ponds, Vic: The Dept, 1979  
-  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Directory; Schools; Education;  
Primary schools; Secondary  
schools; Special education;  
Technical education; Continuing  
education

LIBRARIES AND INFORMATION

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SERVICES  
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345

BOOK 'AM' POPULAR

The library loans of the Sunshine

Central library, the branch libraries and the bookmobile increased by 70% in the 1977-1978 period.

The Advocate, Dec 13 1973  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Libraries; Public libraries;  
Information sources; Information services  
Sunshine Public Library (Vic)

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BRAYBROOK NEWSLETTER

Tottenham Technical School

The aim of the newsletter is: 1) to inform the Braybrook area of the local activities; and 2) to help foster interest in community projects.

Braybrook, Vic: The School, 1976-1978: Irregular  
Booklet

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Community services; Community facilities

Newsletter; Activities; Community use of school facilities; Education  
Braybrook (Vic)

347

A COMPUTER AT THE SUNSHINE-MELTON LIBRARY

Sunshine-Melton Library Service  
A guide for users of the Sunshine-Melton Library Service explaining the new LIBS 100 circulation system introduced into the libraries in 1983.

Sunshine, Vic: The Service, Nov 1983  
Brochure

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Libraries; Public libraries;  
Community services; Online information systems  
Guidebook

Sunshine-Melton Library Service (Vic); LIBS 100 circulation system

348

A HISTORY OF THE SUNSHINE LIBRARY SERVICE

A history of the Sunshine Library Service from 1908 when the Sunshine Mechanics Institute served the library needs of the district to 1973 when the library services were administered through a central library in Sunshine, branch libraries in Maribyrnong and Sunshine and a bookmobile that visited 20 sites in the municipalities.

1978?: 5 pages; 5 refs  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Libraries; Public libraries;  
Information services; Community information; Community services  
History; Development  
Sunshine Mechanics Institute (Vic); Sunshine Public Library (Vic)

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INFORMATION FOR SPORT AND RECREATION IN THE WESTERN REGION OF MELBOURNE: A COMMUNITY SEMINAR CONDUCTED BY FOOTSCRAY INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY LIBRARY, 19 AUGUST 1980

Ianna G (ed) (Footscray Institute of Technology, Library)  
Transcript of the proceedings of a seminar on the need for and distribution of information on sport and recreation in the western suburbs, including the following issues: 1) the role of Footscray Institute of Technology Library; 2) a comparison between the Australian and overseas situations; 3) the needs of municipal and other recreation workers; 4) the role of public libraries; 5) the role of coaches.

Footscray, Vic: Footscray

Institute of Technology, Sept  
1970: 53 pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Sport; Recreation; Information  
services; Libraries; Public  
libraries  
Municipal recreation; Information  
systems; Online information  
systems; Seminar  
Footscray Institute of  
Technology. Library (Vic)

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INTRODUCING THE MELTON LIBRARY  
Melton Public Library  
An introduction to the Melton  
library for residents of the  
shire outlining the available  
bookstock (and non print  
materials) and services and hours  
of opening.

Melton, Vic: The Library, n.d.  
Brochure

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Libraries; Public libraries;  
Community services  
Guidebook  
Sunshine-Melton Library Service  
(Vic)

351

LEGAL RESOURCES AVAILABLE TO THE  
WESTERN REGION OF MELBOURNE  
Peguero G (ed) (Footscray  
Institute of Technology)  
Transcript of the proceedings of  
a seminar on legal resources  
available to people in the  
western suburbs of Melbourne.  
Papers are given on government  
and voluntary legal aid services,  
and the role of libraries as a  
legal resource. Also includes: 1)  
a bibliography of legal resources  
held in the Footscray Institute  
of Technology library and public  
libraries in the Western Region;  
2) a list of libraries and legal  
aid services in the Western  
Region; 3) a list of participants  
in the seminar.

Footscray, Vic: Footscray  
Institute of Technology, July  
1979: 105 pages; Bibliography; 4  
appendices  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Law; Legal services; Libraries;  
Information sources; Community  
information  
Seminar; Bibliography

352

LIBRARY SERVICES IN THE CITY OF  
SUNSHINE: THEIR FUTURE  
DEVELOPMENT AND REGIONALIZATION  
Library Council of Victoria.  
Public Libraries Division  
A development plan and costing  
analysis for the regionalization  
and future development of library  
services in the City of Sunshine.  
This report recommends as a  
program of library development  
within the study area: 1) that a  
regional library service be  
formed in the western region,  
initially between Sunshine and  
Melton; 2) that the regional  
library service be financed by  
the annual contributions from  
participating municipalities and  
by government subsidy; 3) that  
the central library in Sunshine  
be extended; 4) that the City of  
Sunshine provide branch libraries  
at North Sunshine, West Sunshine  
and at the Maribyrnong regional  
shopping centre; 5) that a  
specialized library and  
information service be  
established to serve the needs of  
the business and industrial  
sector of the area.

Melbourne: The Council, March  
1971: 38 pages; 5 appendices; 19  
pages; A report to the Sunshine  
City Council  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Information sources; Libraries;  
Public libraries; Community  
services; Community facilities



Needs: Community;  
Recommendations: Planning;  
Regional planning;  
Municipalities: Government;  
Funding; Cost analysis; Reports  
Sunshine (Vic)

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MELTON-BACCHUS MARSH: BOOKS BUY FROM U K

Announcement of the decision made by the chief librarian at Sunshine to purchase books directly from the United Kingdom for the branch library at Melton on the grounds that books acquired by these means are on average 40% cheaper than those at local book shops.

The Advocate, March 14 1979  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Libraries: Public libraries;  
Information sources  
Decision making: Costs and costing  
Melton Public Library (Vic)

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NEW BOOK MOBILE IS ON THE ROAD

A new 5,000 book carrying bookmobile has been launched by the Sunshine City Council to provide library services at 20 sites throughout the municipality.

The Advocate, Sept 27 1973  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Information sources; Libraries;  
Public libraries; Bookmobiles;  
Community services  
Sunshine Public Library (Vic)

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THE ROLE OF THE SUNSHINE LIBRARY SERVICE

Stevenson L (Sunshine Public Library)

A description of the philosophy and the role that the Sunshine

Library Service plays in providing resources and services for the community of Sunshine and the whole of the Western Region. The role of the library is outlined in terms of borrowing and membership services, the mobile library service, the range of book and non print materials held in the central and branch libraries, the staffing expertise available within the service and the provision of special programs. It also includes plans for developments in the future in regard to publicising basic services of the libraries, expanding the physical library and operating further special educational and cultural programs.

1974: 11 pages  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Libraries: Public libraries;  
Information services; Community services; Community information  
Role; Facilities  
Sunshine Public Library (Vic)

356

SUNSHINE CITY LIBRARY

A collection of clippings from local newspapers in the Western Region ('Mail', 'Mirror' and 'Advocate') during 1976, 1978, 1979, 1980 and 1981 that provide information on the Sunshine Public Library and its branches in regard to issues such as: 1) library usage; 2) library services and resources; 3) staff appointments.

1976-1981  
Newspaper article

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Libraries: Public libraries;  
Information sources; Information services; Community services  
Sunshine Public Library (Vic);  
Melton Public Library (Vic)

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SUNSHINE CITY LIBRARY SERVICE:  
GENERAL BRIEF FOR SUNSHINE  
LIBRARY COMPLEX

Sunshine (Vic). Council  
An outline of the development  
plans for a central library in  
the Western Region on a site  
bounded by McCracken and  
Wilkinson Streets and Alexandra  
Avenue in Sunshine. The plans for  
the library aim to extend library  
services to a greater number of  
people in the region, with  
improvements in quality of  
service and extension into new  
media and methods. The plan  
includes recommendations  
regarding library services to be  
undertaken by the library and the  
buildings and facilities needed  
to cater for these activities.

Sunshine, Vic: The Council, 1964:  
36 pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Libraries; Public libraries;  
Planning; Community services;  
Information services  
Recommendations  
Sunshine-Melton Library Service  
(Vic)

358

SUNSHINE TECHNICAL SCHOOL:  
HISTORY

A history of Sunshine Technical  
School from its opening in July  
1913 to 1980.

Sunshine, Vic: Sunshine Technical  
School, Sept 1980: 29 pages; A  
special edition of 'Sun-Child',  
the Sunshine Technical School  
newspaper  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Schools; Secondary schools;  
Technical education; Education;  
History of schools  
Development  
Sunshine Technical School (Vic)

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SUNSHINE-MELTON LIBRARY SERVICE:  
ANNUAL REPORT

Moore S  
An annual report prepared by the  
Sunshine-Melton Library Service  
outlining the developments made  
during the year at the central  
and branch libraries in regard to  
their collections, services and  
staff.

Sunshine, Vic: Sunshine-Melton  
Library Service, 1979-1983: 20  
pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Annual reports; Libraries; Public  
libraries  
Sunshine-Melton Library Service  
(Vic)

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THE WESTUDY REPORT: A REPORT TO  
THE MINISTER FOR ENVIRONMENT,  
HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT  
ON THE INFORMATION AND LIBRARY  
NEEDS OF THE CITIZENS OF THE  
WESTERN REGION OF MELBOURNE  
Library Council of Victoria;  
Victorian Council of Social  
Service

A study of the library and  
information needs of the  
residents of the western suburbs,  
including a comparison of present  
resources in the Western Region  
(Region 12) with those in Region  
17 (the Caulfield - Oakleigh -  
Moorabbin area). The information  
needs of 6 families in the  
Western Region are studied in  
detail, and a number of projects  
and planning recommendations are  
given. These include the  
establishment of a Western Region  
Information and Library  
Authority, and a pilot program to  
study the range of community and  
school relationships in St  
Albans.

Canberra: Australian Government  
Publishing Service, 1976: 113  
pages; 13 refs; 7 appendices;

ISBN 0812017350

(Australia. Dept of Environment,  
Housing and Community Development  
: Urban paper)  
Book

hall in 1977.

Saint Albans, Vic: The Club,  
1977: 14 pages  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Libraries; Information sources;  
Community information; Community  
organisations; Information  
services

Socially disadvantaged; Needs;  
Recommendations; Projects;  
Funding

Western Region Information and  
Library Authority

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YOUR FREE SUNSHINE CITY LIBRARY  
SERVICE

Sunshine Public Library

An introduction to the Sunshine  
City Library Service for rate  
payers and residents living in  
the municipality. Outlines:  
locations of the central library  
and its branches, the available  
bookstock (and non print  
materials) and services and hours  
of opening. The brochure includes  
translations in German, Greek,  
Italian, Maltese, Polish,  
Jhranian and Yugoslav.

Sunshine, Vic: The Library, Dec  
1971

Booklet

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Libraries; Public libraries;  
Community services

Guidebook

Sunshine-Melton Library Service  
(Vic)

ARTS

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1977 2ND ANNUAL ART SHOW

Rotary Club of Saint Albans

A catalogue of prices of art  
pieces exhibited at the art  
exhibition at the Kellor shire

Art; Art exhibitions  
Catalogue

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THE IMAGINED CITY: MELBOURNE IN  
THE MIND OF ITS WRITERS

Arnold J

Biographies of Australian authors  
who have written novels which are  
set to some degree in the  
Melbourne metropolitan area and a  
review of the books they have  
written. Includes a description  
of William Dick, who was born in  
Yarraville, and his novel 'A  
bunch of rathags', a realistic  
account of his youth in the slums  
of Footscray.

Sydney: George Allen and Unwin,  
1983: 130 pages; Bibliography:  
ISBN 0868610534  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Literature; Arts; Authors

Review; History

Dick, William; Footscray (Vic)

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A LETTER OF THANKS FROM THE  
COOINDA MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Woods J (Rotary Club of Sunshine)

A letter of thanks written to the  
librarian of the Sunshine  
municipal library for  
contributing to the displays in  
the arts and crafts section of  
the Cooinda festival.

23 April 1975: 1 page  
Unbound sheets

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Festivals

Arts; Crafts; Public libraries  
Cooinda festival, Sunshine (Vic)

365  
WESTERN REGION MUSIC  
DIRECTORY

Directorial information for musically interested people living in the western region compiled to answer queries for those who want to: 1) listen to music at home, at venues or at music listening centres; 2) read about music or related issues; 3) arrange for musical entertainment; 4) become a member of a choir, singing group or a music club; 5) obtain information on music education in the region.

1981?: 50 pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Arts; Music; Directories  
Associations: Clubs;  
Entertainment; Education

CHURCHES

366  
A CAUSE IN THEIR NEIGHBOURHOOD: A LOOK AT THE HISTORY OF AN INNER-CITY CHURCH

Garner H; Garner S  
A history of the Newmarket Baptist Church from the foundation in 1886 to the reconstitution in 1940. There may be trends and principles relevant to other small, inner-urban churches.

Mawthorn, Vic: People's Christian Creative Workshop, 1978: 33 pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Churches; History of churches  
Newmarket Baptist Church (Vic);  
Baptist Church

367  
FAITH, FORESIGHT AND FORTITUDE:  
THE FIFTY YEAR HISTORY OF SCOTS  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH WEST

FOOTSCRAY, VICTORIA  
Johnstone W C  
An account of the congregational life of the Tottenham Presbyterian Church from 1927-1977.

Spotswood, Vic: William G  
Johnstone, 1977: 153 pages; 8  
appendices  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Churches; Religion; Doctrine  
History  
Scots Presbyterian Church, West  
Footscray (Vic)

368  
THE PHOENIX PARISH: TWENTY-FIVE  
YEARS AT CHRIST THE KING,  
BRAYBROOK  
McKay M J (ed)

A history of the first 25 years (1952-1977) of the Christ the King parish in Braybrook and the role that the parishioners played in its early development. It also includes their subsequent contributions to the parish especially in the aftermath of the 1961 fire disaster.

1977: 72 pages; 17 refs;  
Illustrations; Index; ISBN  
035826157X  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Churches; Religion; Doctrine  
History; Development  
Christ the King Church, Braybrook  
(Vic); Roman Catholic Church

369  
SACRED HEART SAINT ALBANS  
1953-1978  
Eastman M (comp)  
A history of Sacred Heart Parish in Saint Albans from 1953-1978 based on recollections from parish priests and members of the congregation.

Victoria: Dove Communications Pty

Ltd. 1978: 32 pages: ISBN 0859241009  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Churches; Doctrine; Religion  
Anecdotes  
Sacred Heart Parish, St Albans  
(Vic); Roman Catholic Church

370  
SUNSHINE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH:  
MCKAY MEMORIAL 1907-1982

Sunshine Presbyterian Church  
A summary of the historic  
development of the Sunshine  
Presbyterian Church from 1907 to  
1982 including a list of members,  
ministers, officers and organists  
who contributed to its 75 years  
of service.

Sunshine, Vic: Sunshine  
Presbyterian Church, 1982: 21  
pages  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Churches; Religion: Doctrine  
History  
Presbyterian Church, Sunshine  
(Vic); McKay, Hugh Victor

HISTORY  
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THE LANGUAGE OF VICTORIA: A LATE  
SURVEY

Harcus L A  
A grammatical analysis of the  
aboriginal languages spoken  
throughout Victoria during early  
aboriginal occupation and an  
outline of the geographical  
limitation of these languages.  
Special emphasis is placed on the  
Werbawemba language and the  
second volume provides a  
dictionary of its terms.

Canberra: Australian Institute of  
Aboriginal Studies, 1969: 2 vols  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Aborigines; Culture; Tribes  
Analysis; History; Occupancy

372  
A REVISED LINGUISTIC SURVEY OF  
AUSTRALIA  
Oates L F; Oates W J  
Geographic delimitations of  
aboriginal tribes and languages  
throughout Australia.

Canberra: Australian Institute of  
Aboriginal Studies, 1970: 282  
pages; Index; Includes maps; ISBN  
0855750103

(Australian Aboriginal Studies  
no. 33)  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Aborigines; Culture; Tribes;  
Occupancy  
Survey; History

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VISION AND REALISATION: A  
CENTENARY HISTORY OF STATE  
EDUCATION IN VICTORIA  
Blake L J (ed)  
Victoria. Education Dept  
A detailed history of government  
education in Victoria from 1882  
to 1972. Volume 1 deals with  
various subjects and periods and  
describes the development of the  
Victorian Education Department,  
and volumes 2 and 3 deal with the  
history of individual schools,  
divided into regions.

Melbourne: The Department, 1973:  
3 vols; Vol. 1: 1652 pages;  
Bibliography; 5 appendices; Vol.  
2: 1104 pages; Vol. 3: 1380  
pages; Each volume indexed; ISBN  
0724104535  
Book

AVAILABILITY: VSUN

Education; Primary education;  
Secondary education; Technical  
education; Schools; History of  
education

Special education: Post-secondary  
education: Development;  
Administration



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