



Macartney Family Papers

Accession number OM75-60

Date 1914-1944

Author / Creator

Macartney family

Macartney, E. H. (Edward Henry), Sir, 1863-1956.

Macartney, George William Cardew, 1887-1958.

Abstract Items pertaining mainly to the careers of Sir Edward Henry Macartney (MLA) and his nephew Lieutenant Colonel George William Cardew Macartney, D.S.O., M.B. It includes material relating to Doctor George W.C. Macartney's service as Medical Officer with during the First World War.

Scope and content Items pertaining mainly to the careers of Edward H. Macartney (MLA) and George Wm. Cardew Macartney. Envelope 1 contains: menu from complimentary banquet of E.H. Macartney; fire insurance policy with L'Union Fire Insurance Co. Ltd; autographed card, the 14th Australian Field Ambulance France; Australian Military Forces, certificates of stocktaking, and handing and taking over certificate. Envelope 2 contains: a scrap album; a letter written by Horton Percy Moore to Miss MacGregor from Jericho 1918; miscellaneous items and correspondence, and newsclippings mainly relating to E.H. Macartney becoming the new Agent General of Queensland.

System of arrangement Arranged into 4 series

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Series 1: Correspondence (1914-1944)

Series number 1

Series title Correspondence

Date 1914-1944

Scope and content

Items relating mainly to the military service of Doctor George William Cardew Macartney during the First and Second World Wars with the Australian Army Medical Corps. [Items OM75-60/1 - OM75-60/9]

Description

Description 9 letters & telegrams

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System of arrangement Chronological

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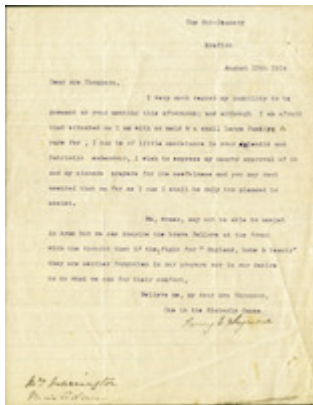
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Items in this series:

Letter (13 August 1914)



Unit ID OM75-60/1

Date 13 August 1914

Scope and content

Letter to Eva Thompson from Fanny Seymour, Grafton. She regrets her inability to attend the arranged patriotic meeting that day.

Author / Creator

Seymour, Fanny E.

Description

Description 1 letter (1 sheet, 1 page)

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Telegram (15 June 1915)



Unit ID OM75-60/2

Date 15 June 1915

Scope and content

Telegram from Trumble, Egypt to Alfred Thompson, Grafton. Responding to enquiry regarding the wounding of his nephew Doctor George Macartney, Gallipoli.

Author / Creator

Trumble

Description

Description 1 telegram

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Letter (17 September 1915)



Unit ID OM75-60/3

Date 17 September 1915

Scope and content

Letter to Alfred Thompson, Grafton from Major J.M. Lean, Officer in Charge, Base Records, Melbourne advising that his nephew Captain G.W. Macartney is now in hospital.

Author / Creator

Lean, James Malcom

Description

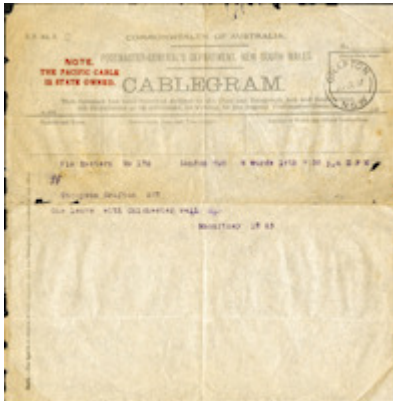
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Cablegram (23 July 1917)



Unit ID OM75-60/4

Date 23 July 1917

Scope and content

Cablegram from Captain [Doctor] George Macartney, London to his uncle Alfred Thompson, Grafton, advising of his health.

Author / Creator

Macartney, George William Cardew, 1887-1958

Description

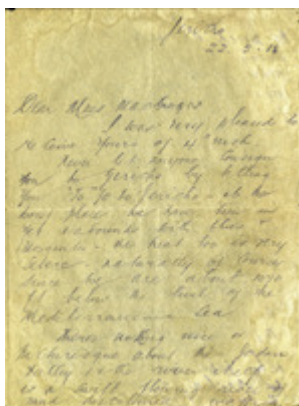
Description 1 letter (1 page)

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Letter (22 May 1918)



Unit ID OM75-60/5

Date 22 May 1918

Scope and content

Letter from Lieutenant Horton Percy Moore in Jericho, to Miss MacGregor [probably Lucie McGregor]. He describes his service in the Middle East with the 3rd Machine Gun Squadron.

Author / Creator

Moore, Horton Percy, 1876-1950

Description

Description 1 letter (8 pages)

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Military order (27 September 1918)

Unit ID OM75-60/6

Date 27 September 1918

Scope and content

Australian Army Medical Corps (A.A.M.C.) Order no.73 regarding the disposal of the Field

Ambulance on "Z" day.

Author / Creator

Third Australian Division. Australian Army Medical Corps

Description

Description 1 military order (2 pages)

Additional format Digital copy available

Letter (12 February 1920)

Unit ID OM75-60/7

Date 12 February 1920

Scope and content

Covering letter from Officer in Charge, Base Records, to Lieutenant Colonel Macartney, Grafton, regarding a Mention in Despatches certificate

Author / Creator

Lean, James Malcom

Description

Description 1 letter (1 page)

Letter (14 October 1944)

Unit ID OM75-60/8

Date 14 October 1944

Scope and content

Letter to Mr and Mrs Day, Brisbane, from Thomas Hall, Commander 7th [US] Fleet, New Guinea, thanking them for their hospitality.

Author / Creator

Hall, Thomas J.

Description

Description 1 letter (1 page)

Letter (7 May 1945)

Unit ID OM75-60/9

Date 7 May 1945

Scope and content

Letter to Mr and Mrs Day, Brisbane, from Thomas Hall, Commander Motor Torpedo Boat Squadrons, 7th [US] Fleet, in the Philippines. He thanks them for the package he has just received, and their recent hospitality.

Author / Creator

Hall, Thomas J

Description

Description 1 letter (2 pages)

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Series 2: Papers (1915-1937)

Series number 2

Series title Papers

Date 1915-1937

Description

Description 92 pages

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Items in this series:

Notes (15 March 1920)

Unit ID OM75-60/10

Date 15 March 1920

Scope and content

Typed notes entitled 'Mr Justice McCauley's Views' regarding legislation for the minimum wage in Queensland, stamped Robert J. Carroll.

Author / Creator

McCawley, Thomas William

Description

Description 15 pages

Policy (28th June 1921)

Unit ID OM75-60/11

Date 28th June 1921

Scope and content

Insurance policy covering the effects of Dr George William Macartney contained in his rooms, Wickham Terrace, Brisbane.

Author / Creator

L'Union Fire Insurance Company, Limited

Description

Description 2 pages

Letter (22 May 1930)



Unit ID OM75-60/12

Date 22 May 1930

Scope and content

Letter from Mai Macartney, Kensington, London to Alfred Thompson, Auchenflower, Brisbane regarding her presentation to court. Includes newspaper clipping.

Author / Creator

Macartney, Mai

Description

Description 10 pages

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Statements (October 1944)

Unit ID OM75-60/13

Date October 1944

Scope and content

Statements relating to the Officers Mess, 2/12th Australian General Hospital, Warwick.

Description

Description 8 pages

Certificates (20 October 1944)

Unit ID OM75-60/14

Date 20 October 1944

Scope and content

Unit stocktaking certificates relating to the 2/12 Australian General Hospital, Warwick.

Author / Creator

Australian Military Forces

Description

Description 37 pages

Lists (20 October 1944)

Unit ID OM75-60/15

Date 20 October 1944

Scope and content

Typed inventories relating to the 2/12 Australian General Hospital, Warwick.

Description

Description 15 pages

Report (21 October 1944)

Unit ID OM75-60/16

Date 21 October 1944

Scope and content

Commanding Officers report in readiness for change of command, 2/12 Australian General Hospital, Warwick.

Description

Description 2 pages

Certificates (20 October 1944)

Unit ID OM75-60/17

Date 20 October 1944

Scope and content

Handing and taking over certificate from Col. Macartney to Lt. Colonel Johnson for 2/12 Australian General Hospital, Warwick.

Author / Creator

Australian Military Forces

Description

Description 3 pages

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Series 3: Memorabilia (1915-1937)

Series number 3

Series title Memorabilia

Date 1915-1937

Description

Description 0 memorabilia

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Items in this series:

Commemorative item (23 December 1915)



Unit ID OM75-60/18

Date 23 December 1915

Scope and content

Commemorative pamphlet for those who were transported on RMS Ionic from England to Egypt late 1915 to return to duty.

Description

Description 4 pages

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Commemorative item (1916)



Unit ID OM75-60/19

Date 1916

Scope and content

Autographed card illustrated by Laurence Mattinson, from the 14th Australian Field Ambulance, France.

Author / Creator

14th Australian Field Ambulance

Description

Description 1 page

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Rosette (1918)



Unit ID OM75-60/20

Date 1918

Scope and content

George Macartney's special leave rosette, worn by soldiers who had been granted six months special leave for having enlisted in 1914 and were still serving in 1918.

Description

Description 1 rosette (costume accessories)

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Menu (4 July 1929)

Unit ID OM75-60/21

Date 4 July 1929

Scope and content

Autographed menu for banquet held at Rowe's Banquet Hall, Brisbane, illustrated by Charles Smith.

Description

Description 12 pages

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Program (12 October 1937)

Unit ID OM75-60/22

Date 12 October 1937

Scope and content

Program for annual exhibition held by Arts and Crafts Society of Queensland.

Description

Description 2 pages

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Greeting card

Unit ID OM75-60/23

Scope and content

New years greeting card, from Minna MacCartney (nee Cardew).

Description

Description 1 card

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Album

Unit ID OM75-60/24

Scope and content

Scrap album signed by Minna Cardew.

Description

Description 1 album

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Newspaper clippings

Unit ID OM75-60/25

Scope and content

Collection of newspaper clippings predominantly relating to the appointment of Edward Macartney as Agent-General for Queensland.

Description

Description 0 newspaper clippings

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