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Editor's Note

The Editor desires to thank, most sincerely, those women of Queensland who, by their invaluable help, have made this volume of records possible.

A little surprise may be felt at the absence of several names in this issue, but it must be explained that in some cases the invitations had to be withdrawn because of the expiration of the time permitted for acceptance.

Despite this, however, it is felt that our efforts have been well rewarded by the splendid representation, within these pages, of women and their activities.

Our success is, in great measure, due to the Advisory Committee upon whom rested the responsibility of nominating those women who were eligible for inclusion, and since the number of invitations were limited we are confident that their choice will meet with general approval.

Every care has been taken in the compilation of this record, but no responsibility is accepted for any errors that may occur. Before going to press each patron received a copy of her details for correction but several failed to return these within the time specified, therefore any inaccuracies are not the fault of the publishers.

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FOREWORD

By His Excellency, the Governor of Queensland,
COLONEL RT. HON. SIR LESLIE ORME WILSON,
G.C.S.I., G.C.M.G., G.C.I.E., D.S.O.

This Biographical Record of Queensland Women is a book which is wanted. In nearly every other State in Australia, the work of the women in philanthropic and charitable spheres, is on record, and it is only right that, here in Queensland, there should be a similar record. In addition to such work, it is very necessary that the names of those who have rendered pioneer service—and great service in their lives—should be remembered for all time.

There are those also, whose names are well known in sport, in the professions, and in National, Public, and Social Service, who have done valuable work.

It has always been my complaint that we are leaving too little on record for future generations. We have been forgetful in handing on to posterity the work of those in the past, who laid the foundations of the State—and this applies to both men and women. This Biography will, at any rate, give to the future a reminder, for all time, of women who have done much in our generation by service in many ways, and will also be a reminder to generations to come and afford information to many to-day, of the great part which women are playing in the development and progress of a young State.

Leslie Wilson

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LADY WILSON (Winifred May).

Born at Sydney, New South Wales. Wife of Colonel the Rt. Hon. Sir Leslie Orme Wilson, G.C.S.I., G.C.M.G., G.C.I.E., D.S.O., Governor of Queensland since 1932.

Family, two sons and one daughter

ACTIVITIES. Lady Wilson has always taken great interest in all women's activities in this State and has lent her valued patronage to some sixty organisations. Recipient of the Kaiser-i-Hind Gold Medal, Jubilee and Coronation Medals.

HOBBIES. Sketching, gardening and reading.

CLUB. Ladies Carlton, London.

ADDRESS. Government House, Brisbane.

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MRS. R. G. C. ALLEN (Selena Lucille).

Born in Townsville, Queensland, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hof, of Townsville, well-known early residents, and educated at North Ward Girls School, Townsville. Wife of Robert George Cary Allen, Chemist of Brisbane.

Family, two sons and one daughter, John Robert, James Frederic and Margaret Mary.

ACTIVITIES. Mrs. Allen is a Vice-President of the Town and Country Women's Club. An active member of the Queensland Country Women's Association and is on the Committee of the Queensland Authors and Artists Association. She is also a member of the National Council of Women, the Democratic Council and the League of Women Voters.

Mrs. Allen is a prominent member of the musical world, having won three Soprano Championships in Queensland Eisteddfods, and was the Solo Artist for the Percy Grainger Concerts, and the first to sing Sir Granville Bantock's songs in Queensland. She was also Soloist for the Austral Choir on many occasions, and has arranged many programmes for various charities.

HOBBIES. Singing for Charities, composing and painting.

CLUB. Town and Country Women's Club.

ADDRESS. 10 Dorinda Street, Greenslopes, Brisbane.

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Photo by Roy Cooper.

MRS. AMOS (Elizabeth Alice Dalziel), B.A. (Sydney).

Born at Maitland, New South Wales. Daughter of the late James Brownlie of Maitland, and of Mrs. Brownlie of Queensland. Widow of Edward Thorpe Amos of Bundaberg. Educated at Maitland, Sydney and Berlin. A graduate of the Women's College, University of Sydney. Family, one daughter, Margery Brownlie Amos.

ACTIVITIES. Mrs. Amos was Principal of the Newcastle Girls' Grammar School, New South Wales, and later of the Church of England Girls' School in Bundaberg. As a student of languages, was at the Institut Tilly in Berlin at the outbreak of the Great War.

In Bundaberg, Mrs. Amos was President of the Q.W.E.L., President of Bundaberg Croquet Club, Executive member of the Red Cross Society.

In Brisbane, Mrs. Amos was President of the Lyceum Club 1936-38, and is now a Vice-President; Executive member of the National Council of Women 1936-39; Queensland Cancer Trust, 1931-36; Chairwoman Queensland Committee Pan-Pacific Women's Association 1931-37, having represented Queensland at the first Pan-Pacific Women's Conference at Honolulu; Member of the Executive New Educational Fellowship, 1938.

HOBBIES.—Travelling, reading and bridge.

CLUB. Lyceum.

ADDRESS. "Yarrowonga," Charlton Street, Ascot, Brisbane.

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Photo by Ranald Simmonds.

MISS AMOS (Margery Brownlie).

Daughter of the late Edward Thorpe Amos of Bundaberg and of Mrs. E. A. D. Amos of Brisbane. Educated at Somerville House, Brisbane, now doing an Arts Course at the University of Queensland.

ACTIVITIES. Won the Championship Cup for the highest number of individual points in the Australian Inter-'Varsity Swimming Carnivals held in Brisbane 1937, and in Melbourne 1938, and has her full Blue for that sport. Was chosen for the Combined 'Varsity Carnival for all her races, and was Swimming Vice-Captain in 1938.

Miss Amos is now President of the Queensland University Women's Swimming Club, and Vice-President of the University Women's Club.

Also a member of the Queensland 'Varsity Hockey team for the Inter-'Varsity Hockey Carnival, 1939.

HOBBIES. Swimming, hockey, golf and tennis.

CLUB. University Women's Club.

ADDRESS: Women's College, University of Queensland.

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MISS E. ARMSTRONG



MISS M. ARMSTRONG

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MISS ARMSTRONG (Eva).

Born at Drayton, Queensland; daughter of the late William Archabald Armstrong, M.D., M.R.S.E., of Limerick, Ireland, who was number 1 on the first Queensland Medical Register, and the late Mrs. Dora Eliza Armstrong (nee Beit) of London, daughter of John Nicholas Beit, who, in the early fifties chartered a sailing vessel and transported himself and family to Parramatta, New South Wales, where he took up residence. Aunt of Lord Huntingfield, Governor of Victoria, and sister of the late the Hon. William Drayton Armstrong, a former speaker of the Queensland Legislative Assembly. Niece of the late William Beit, who built and resided at Westbrook Station, Darling Downs, Queensland.

ACTIVITIES. Gave service in the interests of the Red Cross, particularly during the Great War.

HOBBY. Gardening.

ADDRESS: "Giltsknock," Colstoun Street, Toowoomba, Queensland.

MISS ARMSTRONG (Maud).

As above.

CLUB. Forum, Sydney.

Resident in Sydney, where Miss Maud Armstrong has certain interests.

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SISTER ARMSTRONG (Harriette Octavia).

Born at Mt. Perry, Queensland; daughter of the late Octavius Armstrong and of the late Jessie Armstrong (nee Francis) daughter of Henry Grosvenor Francis of Sydney and a descendant of a well known pioneer family.

Her father, who was born at Limerick, Ireland, was educated at Trinity College, Dublin, and was the youngest son of a large family, several of whom came to Queensland; two brothers, doctors, settled on the Darling Downs, and his only sister married the Hon. H. E. King, Barrister and Crown Prosecutor, and at one time Speaker of the Queensland Legislative Assembly. In the early days Mr. Armstrong had large grazing interests in Central Queensland and he later entered the Government Service as Police Magistrate.

ACTIVITIES. Miss Armstrong was educated in Brisbane and trained in Sydney, and during the Great War gave her services in the interests of the Red Cross. She was appointed Sister-in-charge of one of the first Baby Clinics opened in Brisbane by the Queensland Government in 1918. She has held the position to the present time and is a devoted and enthusiastic worker amongst the children. She has pioneered in Child Welfare work in Brisbane and on the Darling Downs, where she was sent to establish the work of the first Baby Clinic opened there, her headquarters being Toowoomba with sub-centres in many of the country districts.

HOBBIES. Art work, painting and gardening.

ADDRESS. Maternal and Child Welfare Centre, West End, Brisbane.

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Photo by Ranauld Simmonds.

MISS AXELSEN (Ida Marie), A.T.N.A.

Born at Tiaro, Queensland; daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Andreas Axelsen, of Brisbane and formerly of Norway. Educated in Queensland.

ACTIVITIES. Sister at the Maternal and Child Welfare Centre, Brisbane. Trained at the Maryborough General Hospital, the Melbourne Women's Hospital and the Child Welfare Centre in Brisbane, where she has served for the past 15 years. Sister Axelsen opened the Maryborough St. Mary's Private Hospital and was appointed Matron. For eight years was Nursing Sister at the Central Methodist Mission in Brisbane. During the Great War was appointed to No. 2 Hospital Ship "Kanowna," in which she made nine voyages between England, Egypt and Australia. Upon her return to Australia became Matron St. Helen's Private Hospital, Brisbane, and later Matron of the Sanitorium at Westwood, Central Queensland. For many years a member of the A.T.N.A. Council. A past member of the National Council of Women. Keenly interested in the Mothercraft Association.

ADDRESS. 14 Murray Street, Red Hill, Brisbane, Queensland.

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MISS BAGE (Anna Frederica), M.Sc. (Melb.), F.L.S. (Lond), J.P. (Qld.).

Born in Melbourne, Victoria, daughter of the late Edward and the late Mary Charlotte Bage of Melbourne, and educated at Fairelight and the University of Melbourne, later doing research work in Biology at King's College, London.

ACTIVITIES. Miss Bage has been Principal of the Women's College within the University of Queensland since its inception in 1914. She has been a member of the Senate of the University of Queensland. She is also a Vice-President of the National Council of Women of Queensland, on the Executive of the League of Nations Union and Patroness of both the University Women's Hockey Association and the Queensland Women's Hockey Association, of which she was President for six years. For five years Miss Bage was Treasurer of the League of Nations Union and has also held the offices of Secretary and Treasurer of the National Council of Women. In 1926 and 1938 she was the Women Substitute Delegate for Australia to the League of Nations Assembly at Geneva.

HOBBY. Motoring.

CLUBS. Lyceum, Melbourne and Brisbane, and Brisbane Women's Club.

ADDRESS. The Women's College, Kangaroo Point, Brisbane.

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MRS. T. J. BALE (Doreen Rosamond), A.C.M.M.

Born at Gympie and educated at the Glennie School, Toowoomba. Wife of Theo John Bale, Esq., Solicitor.

Family, two sons: John Howard and Michael Arthur.

ACTIVITIES. Takes an active interest in the Queensland Bush Children's Health Scheme.

HOBBIES. Gardening, tennis and music.

ADDRESS. "Larne," Rome Street, Yeronga, Brisbane.

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MISS D. BARDSLEY (Doris), A.T.N.A.

Born at Liverpool, England; daughter of V. W. Bardsley, Esq. Educated at Liverpool.

ACTIVITIES. Superintendent of the Maternal and Child Welfare Service for Queensland. Trained at the Diamantina Hospital, South Brisbane, for general nursing, the Melbourne Women's Hospital for obstetrics, and at the Queensland Training Centre for Child Welfare.

Staff nurse at the Diamantina Hospital, 1920. Matron at St. Denis Hospital, 1922-23. Sister-in-charge Queensland Baby Clinics 1925-37. Member of the Technical sub-committee of the Mothercraft Association. Member of the Queensland Nurses' and Masseurs' Registration Board. Hon. Secretary of the Australasian Trained Nurses' Association, Queensland Branch. Delegate to the National Council of Women of Queensland.

Miss Bardsley was a member of the International Congress of Nurses held in London, 1937.

ADDRESS. Maternal and Child Welfare Training Centre, Fortitude Valley, Brisbane.

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MISS BARRON (Ellen).

Born in Berkshire, England. Daughter of the late J. J. Barron, Oxley. Educated at Oxford and Queensland.

ACTIVITIES. Trained at Brisbane General Hospital 1896 to 1899. Staff Nurse 1899 to 1901. Head Nurse Maryborough General Hospital 1902 to 1904. Trained in obstetrics Women's Hospital, Rockhampton, one year, 1904 to 1905. Matron Lady Musgrave Hospital, Maryborough, 1906 to 1908. Matron Chillagoe Hospital 1909 to 1910.

Obtained Certificate of Incorporated Society of Trained Masseurs, London, England, 1912; certificates for medical gymnastics, and teacher of massage and medical gymnastics 1912 and 1913. Life member of Chartered Society of Massage and Medical Gymnastics.

Appointed to staff of Queensland Government Baby Clinics 1918. In 1922 arrangements were made by the Government, Queensland, with Dr. Truby King for Miss Barron to proceed to The Karitane Hospital, Dunedin, New Zealand, to receive training in child welfare, with the object of establishing a similar training centre in Brisbane, on her return.

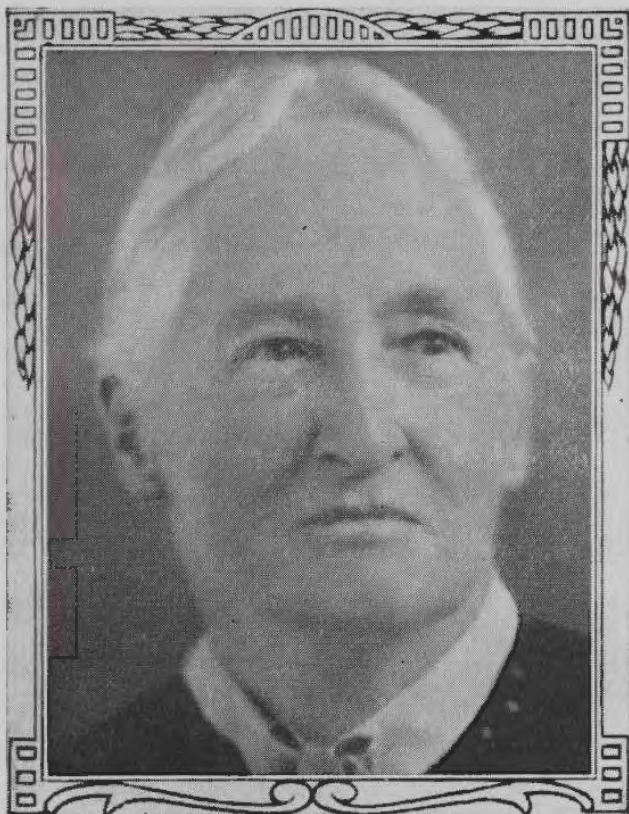
Appointed Superintendent of Nurses and Child Welfare Training Centre 1925, and retained this position until retirement in 1939. Member of Queensland Nurses' and Masseurs' Registration Board for three years. Member Australasian Trained Nurses' Association Council for a period of years. Associated with A.T.N.A. Nurses' Rest Home from its inception in 1924, in capacity of Honorary Secretary and Co-Trustee.

Awarded Jubilee Medal 1935, and Coronation Medal, 1937.

ADDRESS. C/o Miss Chatfield, Cooma Street, Eagle Junction, Brisbane.

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MRS. G. A. BELL (Gertrude Augusta).

Born at Sydney, New South Wales; daughter of the late James Norton, of Sydney, and Harriotte Norton (nee Walker), of "Rhodes," Launceston, Tasmania. Widow of James Thomas Marsh Bell, grazier, of "Belmont," New South Wales, Umbercollie, Camboon and Coochin Coochin stations, Queensland.

Family, five sons and three daughters: Archibald, Ernest (Member for Fassifern district, State Parliament, for 17 years), Francis, Victor (O.B.E.), Bertram (D.S.O., D.S.C., C. de G. and Palm), Una, Enid, and Aileen. Mrs. Bell came to Queensland in the year 1875.

ACTIVITIES. For many years Mrs. Bell has been noted for her garden parties at Coochin Coochin by which she raised funds for charity. Actively interested in the Boonah branch of the Ambulance service. During the Great War she worked continually in canteens in England for the Australian troops. Author of "Under the Brigalows," a book of life on an Australian cattle station in the "seventies."

HOBBY. Gardening.

ADDRESS. "Coochin Coochin," Fassifern, Queensland.

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MRS. N. BELL (Isobel Amy).

Born in Gympie, Queensland, and educated at the Cheltenham Ladies' College, Gloucester, England. Wife of Norman McLeod Bell, Company Director and Engineer.

Mrs. Bell's mother arrived in Australia in 1853 and her father, John Elworthy, eleven years later, when he with his brother William and Matthew Mellor bought Imbil Station from the Lawless family, and also Dovedale Station, which is still in the family. There are now three generations of Mrs. Bell's family that have been born in Australia.

ACTIVITIES. During the last war, Mrs. Bell helped to raise funds by the sale of her flowers and also worked for the Children's Hospital. She is a member of the Clayfield Branch of the Queensland Country Women's Association, and of the Brisbane Shakespeare Society.

HOBBIES. Gardening, painting and singing.

CLUB. Brisbane Women's Club.

ADDRESS. "Tighna-Braich," 67 Wellington Street, Clayfield, Brisbane.

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MRS. E. G. BLUME (Florence Lucy).

Born at Clermont, Queensland; daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Craven of Queensland. Educated privately and at the Maryborough Girls' Grammar School. Wife of E. G. Blume, Esq., grazier of Queensland.

Family, two sons and two daughters: Edward, John, Florence (Mrs. P. G. Fegan), and Filmer.

ACTIVITIES. President of the Boys Home at Enoggera for the past 16 years. Member of the Executive Committee of the Victoria League. Member of the Country Women's Association. Active in the interests of the Red Cross and various charities.

HOBBY. Gardening.

ADDRESS. "Bayuda," Windermere Road, Ascot, Brisbane, and Bexley and Yanburra Stations, Longreach.

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MRS. C. BODEN (Florence Atherton).

Born in Brisbane, first attended Miss O'Connor's School for Girls, then a boarder at Miss Jardine's School, Wickham Terrace, and completed her education in Sydney. Wife of Mr. Carl Boden, formerly of the Postmaster General's Department.

Family, two sons: Langley Carl and Eric Hawksley.

ACTIVITIES. Mrs. Boden is a Foundation Member of the Ladies' Harbour Lights Guild, of which she is also a Vice-President, and is on the committee of the District Nurses' Association. She held the position of Vice-President of the Queensland Country Women's Association, Clayfield-Hamilton Branch, for some time and is also interested in Church work.

HOBBIES. Gardening and flowers.

CLUB. Brisbane Women's.

ADDRESS. 23 Jolly Street, Clayfield, Brisbane.

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MRS. BOOTH (Doris Regina), O.B.E.

Born and educated in Brisbane. Daughter of Henry Wilde, Esq., Accountant.

ACTIVITIES. Attended the Lapstone Conference on Pacific Relations. Has done considerable welfare work in New Guinea, and was presented with a silver tray inscribed, and tea and coffee service by the settlers in the Morobe district for nursing and making available hospital facilities on her own initiative. In further recognition of this work, Mrs. Booth received the O.B.E.

Owner of gold mines in New Guinea.

HOBBIES. Reading and golf.

CLUBS. Brisbane Women's and Overseas Clubs (Life Member) and Lyceum Club.

ADDRESS. Wau, New Guinea.

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MRS. GEORGE BROWN (Mary).

Born in Yorkshire, England, and educated both there and in Australia. Wife of George Brown, Esq., retired, but has interests in the firm of Messrs. Brown and Broad of Brisbane.

Family, two daughters: Nancy and Miriam.

ACTIVITIES. Associate President of the Royal Queensland Golf Club; Member of the Committee of the Ladies Golf Union and is active in local Church work.

HOBBIES. Gardening, reading and politics.

CLUB. Royal Queensland Golf Club.

ADDRESS. "Kholo," 71 Windermere Road, Hamilton, Brisbane.

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MISSES BRYANT (Edith Maud and Ada Gertrude).

Born at Maryborough, Queensland, and educated at the Maryborough Girls' Grammar School. Daughters of the late Frederick and Maria Rachel Bryant of Maryborough. The late Mr. Bryant will be remembered by his considerable activities in establishing Maryborough, where he was Mayor from 1872 to 1882. In 1884 he was again elected Mayor, and 1888/89 saw him serving in the same capacity. Mr. Bryant was a prime mover in bringing about the first Municipal Conference held in Brisbane, and was a Director of many companies.

The Misses Bryant have in their possession a medal of Historic interest, awarded to their mother, on which is engraved her name, "M. R. Aldridge," and the inscription "Australia offers her first fruits to Great Britain," with the date of the Exhibition, "1862." These jams and preserves were sent to relatives in London who exhibited them.

ACTIVITIES. The Misses Bryant who, for 14 years, lived in England, are now active in the interests of the Red Cross, and Air Raids Precautions in Queensland.

HOBBIES. Music, bridge, golf and tennis.

CLUBS. Stinchcombe Golf Club, England, and Maryborough Golf Club.

ADDRESS. Harold Wood, Pialba, Queensland.

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MRS. A. D. BUCHANAN (Annie W.).

Born and educated in Scotland. Wife of Dr. Angus D. Buchanan, M.B., Ch.B., President of the Oxley Golf Club.

Family, three sons: Angus J., Archie D., and James B.

ACTIVITIES. Member of the Committee of the Adult Deaf and Dumb Mission; Creche and Kindergarten; Ladies Social Committee of the Queensland Cameron Highlanders; Chelmer Lacrosse. Social Convener Oxley Progress Association. Group Leader of the Oxley Red Cross branch and President of the Oxley Bridge Circle.

HOBBY. Gardening.

CLUB. Oxley Golf Club.

ADDRESS. Station Road, Oxley, Brisbane.

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MRS. J. J. BUCHANAN (Jessie Jane).

Born and educated in Brisbane. Widow of John Alfred Buchanan, Merchant. Family, two sons and three daughters: Charles Pakenham, Joseph David, Jessie Susan (wife of Dr. T. McKenna), Maude (Mrs. T. P. Power), and Yda (Mrs. E. E. Edwards).

ACTIVITIES. President of the Lady Bowen Hospital for twenty-five years, member of the General Hospital Committee and interested in all charitable work. Recipient of Jubilee Medal.

HOBBIES. Reading and writing.

ADDRESS. Canberra Hotel, Brisbane.

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MRS. J. G. CALLANAN (Brenda).

Born in Brisbane and educated at Miss Bishop's Private School and the Brisbane Girls' Grammar School. Wife of John George Callanan, Esq., member of the firm of George Henderson, Calcutta, India, where Mrs. Callanan resided for nine years.

Family, One daughter: Shirley Ann.

ACTIVITIES. Past member of the Ladies' Golf Union Committee, and Secretary of the Nudgee Golf Club for one year. Mrs. Callanan won the Associates' Championship for four years in succession, from 1934-1937.

Associate member Gables Golf Club, Peninsula Country Club and Vesta Society (Headquarters, London).

HOBBIES. Golf, riding and motoring.

ADDRESS. 19 Harcourt Street, New Farm, N.1., Brisbane.

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MRS. J. K. CANNAN (Lillian Mabel).

Born in Surat, and educated in Toowoomba at the Grange School. Wife of John Kearsby Cannan, Solicitor. Family, two daughters: Mrs. G. E. Bain, Bombay, and Mrs. C. B. Withy of Brisbane.

ACTIVITIES. Mrs. Cannan worked for the Red Cross during and since the War and possesses the Long Service Medal for 20 years service. She is also the Treasurer of the Queensland Ladies' Golf Union.

HOBBIES. Golf, gardening and bridge.

ADDRESS. "Kura," Hanlon Street, Chelmer, Brisbane.

CLUBS. Moreton and Yeerongpilly Golf Clubs.

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MRS. W. C. CARMODY (Ida Florence).

Born at Gunnedah, New South Wales, and educated at New England Girls' School, Armidale, New South Wales. Wife of Wilfred Clarence Carmody, Esq., A.A.A. Superintendent, Public Saleyards, Cannon Hill, Brisbane.

Family, one son and one daughter: Donald and Marjorie.

ACTIVITIES. Was Treasurer and Vice-President of the Metropolitan branch of the Country Women's Association for several years. Mrs. Carmody did Red Cross work during the Great War 1914-1918. Organised classes sponsored by the Arts and Crafts Society, for teaching handicrafts at the Montrose Crippled Children's Home which are still functioning successfully.

Elected a member of the Creche and Kindergarten Executive in 1934.

Elected a member of the Executive of the Playground Committee in 1930.

Elected a life member of the Arts and Crafts Society of Queensland. Mrs. Carmody has given demonstrations and lectures on various crafts. At the Annual Exhibitions of the Arts and Crafts Society her exquisite needle, art and craft work has been a feature.

HOBBIES. Handicrafts, painting, music and gardening.

CLUB. Brisbane Women's Club.

ADDRESS. "Carinya," Skew Street, Sherwood, Brisbane

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MRS. A. B. CARVOSSO (Gertrude Margaret).

Born, and educated in Sydney, New South Wales. Wife of Doctor Arthur Benjamin Carvosso, B.A. (Sydney), M.B., C.M. (Edinburgh).
Family, one son and one daughter: Allan Banks, and Beryl Olive.

ACTIVITIES. Keenly interested and active in the Comforts Fund, and the Coo-ee Cafe. Conducted a branch of the Belgian Kitchen for relief of the Belgians during the Great War.

HOBBY. Reading.

ADDRESS. "Allawah," Moray Street, New Farm, Brisbane.

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MRS. C. J. CHANDLER (Constance Jean).

Born at Boombah, St. George, Queensland, and educated at Duporth, Oxley, and the Brisbane Grammar School. Wife of Cyril John Chandler, Grazier.

Family, two sons and two daughters: Colin John Ross, William Ross, Mary Ross, and Jean Ross.

ACTIVITIES. Past Vice-President of the Country Women's Association (Aughthella branch). Country Vice-President of the Moreton Club.

HOBBIES. Reading and gardening.

CLUB. Moreton.

ADDRESS. Luguquilla, Southport, Queensland.

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MISS CHATFIELD (Florence), O.B.E.

Born in Sussex, England, and educated in Worthing and London.

ACTIVITIES: Trained as General Nurse, Brisbane Hospital, from 1889 to 1891. Subsequently holding positions of Sister and Deputy Matron of that Institution, from which she retired in 1898.

Then for 2 years worked with Dr. E. Sandford Jackson in his private practice.

In 1900 was appointed Lady Superintendent of the Government Diamantina Hospital for Chronic Diseases when that Institution opened and retired from that position after 34 years' service.

A foundation member of the Australasian Trained Nurses' Association (Queensland Branch), and after holding for many years the position of Hon. Secretary, became Vice-President, and still holds that office.

The establishment of the A.T.N.A. Nurses' Rest Home for the benefit of aged and incapacitated nurses was an objective in which Miss Chatfield was very keenly interested. She was a foundation member of the Committee, and is now President and Co-trustee of that body. For some years was a representative of the Government on the Committee of the Hospital for Sick Children, and represented the A.T.N.A. for many years on the Nurses' and Masseurs' Registration Board.

When Baby Clinics were first established in Queensland in 1918 she was appointed Supervisor and Organiser, and held that position for several years.

In 1932, Miss Chatfield received the Order of the British Empire.

HOBBY: Reading.

ADDRESS: "Parkhurst," Cooma Street, Eagle Junction, Brisbane.

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LADY CILENTO (Phyllis Dorothy), M.B., B.S.

Born in Sydney, educated at "Tormore House," Adelaide, graduate of the University of Adelaide. Wife of Sir Raphael Cilento, Director of Health and Medical Services for Queensland and Professor of Social and Tropical Medicine.

ACTIVITIES. Lady Cilento is President of the Mothercraft Association, which position she has held, with the exception of one year, since its inauguration. She is also on the Education Committee of the Creche and Kindergarten, the Management Committee of the Commonwealth Pre-School Child Centres, the Organising Committee of the Queensland Nutrition Council, and the State Nutrition Advisory Board for Nutrition.

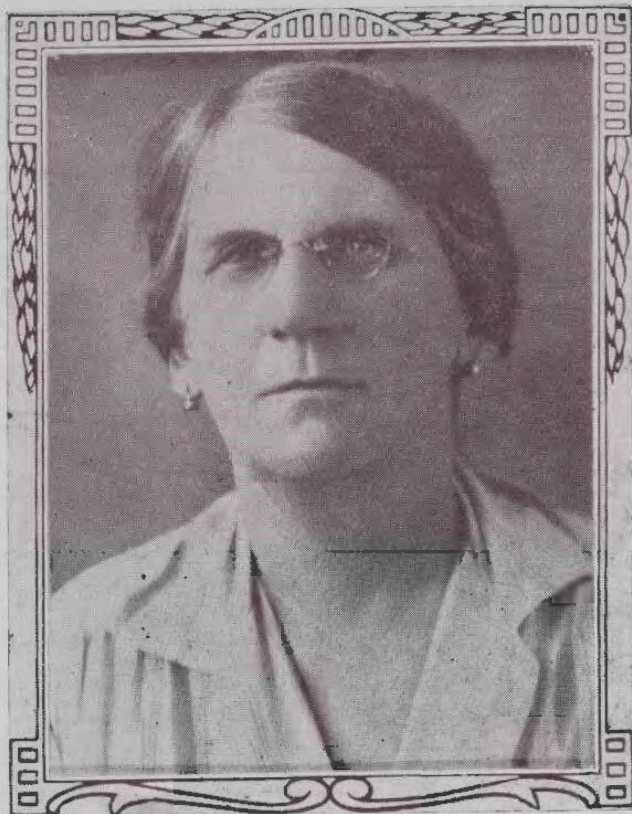
HOBBIES. Tennis, swimming and motoring.

CLUB. Lyceum.

ADDRESS. "Seiano," Ipswich Road, Annerley, Brisbane.

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MISS CLAYTON (Fanny Elizabeth).

Born at Cape Town, South Africa; daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Nassau Clayton of "Aberfeldy," Toowong, Brisbane.

ACTIVITIES. For many years took an active interest in politics and Women's Organisations. Owner and Lady Editor of the Queensland "Figaro." Executive member of the Victoria League; member of the Red Cross Society, and the Comforts Fund.

INTERESTS. All sports, gardening and photography.

ADDRESS. "Aberfeldy," Toowong, Brisbane.

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MISS CLENDINNING (Rosa Persse).

Born at Toowoomba, Queensland; daughter of the late W. S. Clendinning and the late Mrs. Rosa Persse Clendinning who, in 1874, sailed from Ireland to Australia via Cape Horn in a China Clipper. They settled in Toowoomba which, at that time, was little more than a swamp. For twenty-seven years the late Mr. Clendinning was manager of the Bank of New South Wales in that town, after spending many years in Northern Queensland.

ACTIVITIES. Was active in the interests of various organisations during the Great War, and has again joined committees of the Sock and Comfort Fund, etc., to help in the present war.

HOBBIES. Painting and gardening.

CLUB. Town and Country Club, Toowoomba.

ADDRESS. Herries Street, Toowoomba, Queensland.

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MRS. COLLINS (Mary Adelaide Gwendoline).

Born at Kuriwao Station, New Zealand, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fitzclarence Roberts of New Zealand. Educated privately and at the Girls' High School, Dunedin. Widow of William Collins, grazier of Beaudesert, Queensland.

Family, one son and three daughters: John William Fitzclarence, Dorothea (Mrs. Jan Scott), Beryl (Mrs. Robert De Burgh Persse), Janette (Mrs. Dudley De Burgh Persse).

ACTIVITIES. Past President of the Country Women's Association, Beaudesert branch. Vice-President Red Cross Society, Beaudesert.

Mrs. Collins was presented at the Court of St. James in 1912, and in 1927 she presented her daughter, Mrs. Dudley De Burgh Persse. Mrs. Scott and Mrs. Robert De Burgh Persse were presented in 1925.

Received Royal Command to attend the Coronation of King George VI. at Westminster Abbey.

HOBBIES. Gardening and Music.

CLUBS. Ladies Empire (London), Moreton (Brisbane), Macquarie and Queens (Sydney), and Alexandra (Melbourne).

ADDRESS. Nindooindah House, Beaudesert, Queensland.

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MRS. J. COLLINS (Margaret Eleanor).

Born in Sydney, New South Wales, and educated at "Ascham," Sydney. Wife of John William Fitzclarence Collins, Esq., grazier of Queensland.

ACTIVITIES. Member of the Country Women's Association. With her husband, Mrs. Collins won the Adelaide Centenary Air Race from Brisbane to Adelaide last year in a Percival Vega Gull machine.

HOBBIES. Tennis, Swimming and motoring.

ADDRESS. "Nindooindah," Beaudesert, Queensland.

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MRS. W. J. COOPER (Louie Dorothy Marion).

Born in Leicestershire, England, and educated at Cheltenham Ladies College, England. Wife of Walter Jackson Cooper, Esq., Senator, and Grazier, Queensland.

ACTIVITIES. A Vice-President of Kingsholme, President of the Women's Auxiliary (Wynnum Branch) of the R.S.S.I.L.A. Actively engaged in C.W.A. work.

HOBBIES. Tennis, golf and gardening.

ADDRESS. "Molena," Gordon Parade, Manly, Queensland, and "Brackenburgh," Winton, Queensland.

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LADY COWLEY (Marie), O.B.E.

Born at Natal, South Africa. Educated at St. Mary's College, Richmond, Natal. Widow of Sir Alfred Sandlines Cowley, who was Minister for Lands, Queensland, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly for ten years, Chairman of the Patriotic Fund for Queensland and Chairman of the A.M.P. Society.

Family, three sons and two daughters: Campbell (deceased), Eric, Roy, Heather and Theodora (deceased).

ACTIVITIES. First President of the Queensland Soldiers' Comfort Fund; Vice-President of the Queensland branch of the Red Cross Society and of the Sock Fund. On the committee of the Young Women's Christian Association; also first President of the Women's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Children's Homes for ten years.

CLUB. Past Member of the Moreton Club.

ADDRESS. "Silky Oaks," Toowong, Brisbane.

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MRS. T. O. COWLISHAW (Kate Burgoyne).

Born and educated at West Maitland, New South Wales. Wife of Thomas Owen Cowlshaw, Esq., Solicitor.

ACTIVITIES. President of the Queensland Braille Writing Association, President of the Cintra Branch of the Red Cross, on the Committee of the Comforts Fund, on the Committee of the Weavers Club and Delegate to the National Council of Women. A councillor of the Victoria League in Queensland and a member of the Royal Empire Society.

HOBBY. Gardening.

CLUBS. Moreton and Brisbane Women's.

ADDRESS. "Burgoyne," 56 Breakfast Creek Road, Bowen Hills, Brisbane.

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MRS. G. E. COX (Geddes Elizabeth).

Born and educated in Victoria; second daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cay of Victoria, and formerly of Edinburgh, Scotland. Educated privately in Victoria. Widow of Henry H. Cox, Pastoralist of Carrington, Toowoomba, and Weewondilla, Queensland.

Family, two sons and three daughters: Hunter, Neil, Nan, Geddes and Veronica.

ACTIVITIES. A Committee member of the Red Cross during the Great War. Past President and member of the Mothers' Hospital. Mrs. Cox was presented at the Court of St. James in 1914.

HOBBY. Gardening.

CLUB. Town and Country Club, Toowoomba.

ADDRESS. Carrington, Toowoomba, Queensland.

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MISS NAN COX

MISS COX (Nan Cay).

Born at Muswellbrook, New South Wales; daughter of the late Henry H. Cox and Mrs. Geddes Elizabeth Cox of Carrington, Toowoomba, Queensland; great-great-granddaughter of Captain William Cox, who came to New South Wales as early as 1880. Educated at Hobart, Tasmania; Sydney, New South Wales; and Brussels.

ACTIVITIES. At present serving in the Voluntary Aid Detachment, Toowoomba branch. A Foundation member and chairwoman of the Young Contingent of the Victoria League. A foundation member of the Town and Country Club, Toowoomba. Past member of the Riding Club. French Mistress at the Glennie Preparatory School. Miss Cox was presented at the Court of St. James in 1914.

INTERESTS. Reading and photography.

CLUB Town and Country Club, Toowoomba.

ADDRESS. Carrington, Toowoomba, Queensland.

MISS COX (Veronica Cay).

Born at Carrington, Toowoomba, Queensland; daughter of the late Henry H. Cox and Mrs. Geddes Elizabeth Cox of Carrington, Toowoomba; great-great-granddaughter of Captain William Cox, who came to New South Wales as early as 1880. Educated at the New England Girls' School, Armidale, New South Wales.

ACTIVITIES. At present serving in the Voluntary Aid Detachment, Toowoomba branch. A member of the Young Contingent of the Victoria League. A recipient of a New South Wales certificate and medal for life saving. Miss Cox was presented at Holyrood Court in 1937.

HOBBIES. Reading, music and sketching.

CLUB. Town and Country Club.

ADDRESS. Carrington, Toowoomba, Queensland.

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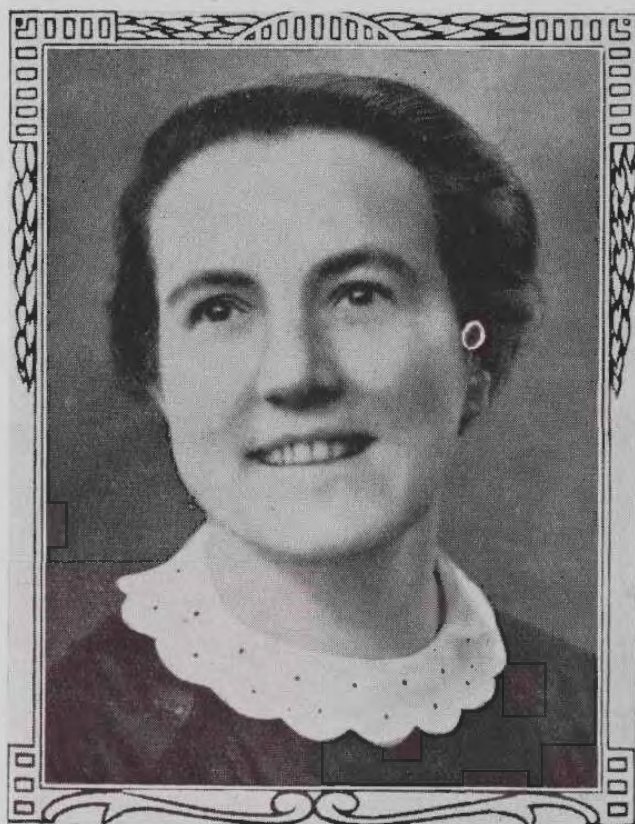


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DR. M. S. CRAWFORD (Muriel Shirley), M.B., Ch. M.

Born at Newcastle, New South Wales. Educated at Newcastle, and the University of Sydney. Wife of Captain A. J. P. Crawford, 1st Military District H.Q.

ACTIVITIES. Vice-President of the Queensland Mothercraft Association. Dr. Crawford is well-known for her talks on Mothercraft over the National Stations.

HOBBIES. Gardening and embroidery.

ADDRESS. Woodstock Road, Toowong, Brisbane.

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MRS. CROMBIE (Joyce Lockwood).

Born at The Hermitage, Toowoomba, Queensland; daughter of the late John Lockwood Graham and the late Mrs. Georgina Graham (nee Duckett White), pioneer grazier family of Tabragalba, Beaudesert, and Calliope, Gladstone District. Educated in Toowoomba. Wife of Richard Dry Crombie, Esq., son of the late Andrew Crombie, grazier of Strathdarr and Cameron Downs, Queensland.

ACTIVITIES. A member of the Local Association of the Toowoomba Branch of the Girl Guides.

HOBBY. Gardening.

CLUB. Town and Country Club, Toowoomba.

ADDRESS. "The Hermitage," Margaret Street, Toowoomba, Queensland.

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MRS. G. S. CROUCH (Dorothy).

Born at Orange, New South Wales, and educated in Victoria, Queensland and New Zealand. Daughter of the late Reverend T. Nisbet, D.D., and of Mrs. Nisbet, of Queensland. Wife of George Stanton Crouch, Esq., Managing Director of Messrs. Crouch & Connah Pty., Ltd., of Brisbane.

ACTIVITIES. Mrs. Crouch is a member of the Red Cross Executive, Queensland Division; a driver in Lady Goodwin's District Nurses Driving Corps; President of Western Suburbs Group of the Women's College Building Fund Committee; Vice-President Bush Book Club; Assistant Secretary of St. John's Cathedral Friends of the Cathedral Fund. Lecturer for Red Cross on the Air Raids Precaution Committee. One of the original members of the Handicrafts Section of the Red Cross which was started during the last war. A Foundation member of the Moreton Club, and member of the Committee.

HOBBIES. Bridge, reading and needlework.

CLUB. Moreton.

ADDRESS. "Dirleton," Indooroopilly, Brisbane.

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MISS CULPIN (Daisy Ellen), B.A.

Born in London, England; daughter of Dr. Millice Culpin and the late Mrs. Hannah Culpin (nee Munsey), of Brisbane. Educated at the Brisbane Girls' Grammar School and the Sydney University.

ACTIVITIES. Principal of the Presbyterian Girls' College, "Fairholme," Toowoomba. Prior to receiving this appointment Miss Culpin was Science and Classics Mistress at the Rockhampton Girls' Grammar School, and later First Assistant at Somerville House, Brisbane.

INTERESTS. Reading and sport.

HOBBY. Photography.

ADDRESS. "Fairholme," Toowoomba, Queensland.

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MRS. CUMBRAE-STEWART (Zina Beatrice Selwyn).

Younger daughter of the late R. K. Hammond, Esq., of Brighton, Victoria, widow of Professor Francis William Sutton Cumbrae-Stewart, K.C., D.C.L. (Oxon), Professor of Law at the Queensland University. Family, one son; Francis Denys, LL.B., Melbourne University.

ACTIVITIES. For 22 years an original Executive Member of the Queensland Red Cross Society. Now representing Queensland as a delegate on the Australian Red Cross Society in Melbourne, the headquarters of the Society. An original member of the Mothers' Union, and President for nine years. Represented the Mothers' Union on the National Council of Women for over a quarter of a century. President of the National Council of Women for 10 years. An original member and vice-president of the Travellers' Aid Society for seven years. An original member and vice-president of the Association of the Care of the Mentally Deficient. An original member and vice-president of the Mothercraft Association. Original Member of the Cancer Trust and Chairwoman of the Women's Section of the Cancer Appeal Committee. Member of the Use More Wool Campaign. Original Executive member of the Social Service League formed to relieve distress caused by Unemployment. A vice-president of the Women's Section of the Social Service League, a Member of the League of Nations Union. A member of the Bush Nursing Association and of the District Nursing Association. A member of the Artists' and Authors' Association. Member of the Dickens Fellowship. Member of the Queensland Prevention of Cruelty Society. Member of the executive of the Shakespeare Society. Original member of the Soldiers' Sock Fund for the four years of the war. Inaugurated a weekly tea at the Anzac Hostel for Incapacitated Soldiers, which she conducted for 11 years. Commandant of the Voluntary Aid Detachment, 1915-1919. Convenor of the Handicraft Red Cross Depot for the sale of the work of Sick and Wounded Soldiers. For 18 years vice-president of the Junior Red Cross Association. A member of the Education Committee on Broadcasting and a member of the Women's Section Committee. Was the first woman to speak in public from the platform of the City Hall, Brisbane.

DECORATIONS: King George V. Jubilee Medal. Serving Sister of the Venerable Order of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem. Twenty years Service Medal of the Red Cross Society.

CLUB: Lyceum, Brisbane. **HOBBY:** Gardening.

ADDRESS: "Parkwood," 27 Park Street, South Yarra, Melbourne, Victoria.

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**DR. DART (Ellice Ettie Peden), B.A., B.Sc., M.B., Ch.M.
(Sydney).**

Born in Sydney and educated there and at the Sydney University. Wife of John Leslie Dart, M.B., Ch.M. (Sydney), Eye Specialist.

Family, two sons and one daughter: John, Clive and Ruth.

ACTIVITIES. Dr. Dart is a member of the Queensland Nutrition Council, Senior Vice-President of the National Council of Women, for which she is also the Australian Convener of Health, Vice-President of the Y.W.C.A., on the Executive of the Mothercraft Association, and Senior Vice-President of the Brisbane Women's Club.

In 1915 Dr. Dart won a Science Research Scholarship, and for three years was on the staff of the Physiology Department of Sydney University. During 1937-38 was honorary demonstrator in Physiology at the Queensland University.

HOBBIES. Tennis and knitting.

CLUB. Brisbane Women's Club.

ADDRESS. Swann Road, St. Lucia, Brisbane.

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MRS. P. L. DAY (Nancy Florence).

Born at Herberton, North Queensland, and educated at Brisbane Grammar School.
Wife of Philip L. Day, Esq., Engineer.
Family, one son: Philip Denny.

ACTIVITIES. Past President of the Social Service League (Yeronga Branch).
Past President of the Women's Auxiliary of the Yeronga Branch of Boy Scouts.
Member of the Yeronga Branch of the Church of England Guild. Worker in the
Great War Comforts Fund, and also Red Cross.

HOBBIES. Gardening, sewing and motoring.

CLUB. Brisbane Women's Club.

ADDRESS. "Cayuga," Hillcrest Road, Yeronga, Brisbane.

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MRS. A. DEANS (Annie Beatrice).

Born in Shropshire, England; educated at the Cheltenham College, and the Birmingham University. Wife of the Reverend Absalom Deans, B.A., Edinburgh University, and Adelaide University; Congregational Minister; President of the Queensland Congregational Union, and Secretary of the Congregational Union of Australia and New Zealand.

Family, four sons and two daughters: Edgar A., A.C.A.; Dr. Berwyn L., M.D., S. Rawson, B.Com.; Arnold (deceased); Ida (wife of Rev. S. G. Haynes, B.A.), and Joyce.

ACTIVITIES. Queensland President of the Women's Commission of the International Peace Campaign. President of the Congregational Women's Association of Australia and New Zealand. President of the Queensland Congregational Women's Association. Committee Member of the National Council of Women. Mrs. Deans was also actively interested in the Students Christian Movement in Melbourne.

HOBBIES. Music, reading, croquet, and walking.

ADDRESS. The Manse, Cracknell Road, Annerley, Brisbane.

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MRS. D. F. DENHAM (Alice Maud).

Born in Langport, Somerset, England, educated privately in England, and in Guernsey, Channel Islands. Wife of the Hon. Digby Frank Denham, Premier of Queensland from 1911-1915, and a Cabinet Minister for eight years.

Family, one son and two daughters: Dr. Harold Knight Denham, M.A. Oxon., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., who was Queensland Rhodes Scholar in 1911 and served as Surgeon Sub-Lieutenant in the Royal Naval Vol. Reserve from April, 1915, to February, 1919, being mentioned in Dispatches; Mrs. Richard Steacy, wife of Col. the Rev. R. H. Steacy, C.M.G., chief of the Canadian Army Chaplains for three years; and Winifred Maud.

ACTIVITIES. Mrs. Denham was presented at Court in 1914, though her daughters had been presented the year before by Mrs. Lewis Harcourt, wife of the then Colonial Secretary. Has held the positions of Vice-President and Treasurer of the Lady Bowen Hospital, Brisbane, as well as President of the Creche and Kindergarten. For some time a member of the National Council of Women. In 1911 she received a Coronation Medal.

HOBBIES. Reading, knitting and tapestry work.

ADDRESS. "Ingleside," Annerley Road, South Brisbane.

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MRS. W. B. DIXON (Sylvia).

Born and educated at Burnett, Queensland. Wife of William Beckworth Dixon, Esq., Pastoralist, and pioneer of Queensland.
Family, one daughter: Sylvia (Mrs. Dulhunty).

ACTIVITIES. Member of the National Council of Women; Member of the Mothercraft Association; Foundation member of the Mothers Union (1909); Foundation member of the Goomeri Branch of the Country Women's Association; Member of the Queensland Branch of the League of Nations Union; Victoria League; Enoggera Boys' Home; Bush Book Club; Royal Society of St. George; Toc H.; Shakespeare Society; Dickens Society; Women's Electoral League; Red Cross Society; Life member of the Bush Children's Health Scheme. Mrs. Dixon holds a certificate for war work.

HOBBIES. Reading, knitting and flowers.

CLUBS. Brisbane and Women's Clubs.

ADDRESS. Surfers Paradise, Southport, Queensland. Formerly of Neavie, Goomeri, Queensland.

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MISS DOWSON (Gwendoline Cowley), B.A.

Born at Perth, Western Australia; daughter of Major and Mrs. Harold Dowson, of Swanbourne, W.A. Until his retirement some years ago, Major Dowson was Chief Electrical Engineer for the West Australian Government Railways; grand-daughter of Dr. John Dowson who was Professor of Oriental Languages at Sandhurst, and Wellington, England. Educated at the Girls' High School, Claremont, W.A., and at the University of Western Australia where she took her degree in 1922, B.A. (Hons.) (English and French). Miss Dowson also holds certificates from L'Universite Libre de Bruxelles, Belgium.

ACTIVITIES: Principal of the Glennie Memorial School, Toowoomba. Prior to receiving this appointment Miss Dowson was First Assistant, and for a time, Acting Head Mistress at St. Hilda's Church of England School for Girls at Cottesloe, Western Australia. Also taught at Presbyterian Ladies' College, Cottesloe, at the Church of England School for Girls at Katanning, and at the Girls' High School, Claremont.

In 1926 was awarded an Orient Scholarship and left for Europe in that year. While abroad was granted a Hackett Studentship. Spent several years abroad studying modern European Literatures, Art, Philosophy, Phonetics, Folklore and Political and Religious History. Visited India in 1938.

A Member of the Comforts Fund Committee, the Philharmonic Society; Repertory Society of Toowoomba; the Victoria League; and the New Educational Fellowship (Queensland branch). For many years has been closely associated with the Alliance Francaise. On Committee of modern Languages, Teachers' Association of W.A. and lecturer in special methods of teaching foreign languages at the University of Western Australia. Has broadcasted and spoken in public in both French and English.

INTERESTS: Gardening, photography, sport, and repertory work.

ADDRESS: Glennie Memorial School, Toowoomba, Queensland.

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DUCIE, COUNTESS OF (Maria Emma).

Born at Maryborough, Queensland, and educated at the Maryborough Girls' Grammar School. Eldest daughter of the late Frederick and Maria Rachel Bryant, of Maryborough, Queensland. Wife of the fifth Earl of Ducie, Peer of the Realm. First Australian couple to succeed to a Peerage.

ACTIVITIES. Helping with the Lady Frances Ryder's Scheme for Dominion Students in England. For many years was District Commissioner for Girl Guides at Wotton-under-Edge, Gloucestershire, England. Actively interested in Red Cross work, and the Gloucestershire Nursing Association.

CLUBS. Ladies Carlton Club, London.

ADDRESS. Tortworth Court, Falfield, Gloucestershire, England (noted for its Spanish Chestnut tree planted in the reign of King Stephen, and still bearing fruit. The tree was full grown in the time of King Stephen. The gardens are noted for many famous specimens of trees from all parts of the world.

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MRS. R. B. DUNLOP (Jeanie Moncrieff).

Born and educated at Glasgow, Scotland.

ACTIVITIES Formed Northern Branch of the Bush Book Club. Founder and Life Member of the Townsville Women's Club. Secretary of the Townsville Golf Club for a number of years, and Vice-President of Townsville Y.W.C.A. Committee as well as Secretary of the Y.W.C.A. Hostel. Also President of the Sock and Comfort Fund (Townsville Branch) during part of the Great War.

HOBBY. Charitable work.

CLUB. Moreton.

ADDRESS. Riverview Terrace, Hamilton, Brisbane.

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MRS. F. Z. EAGER (Audrey).

Born in Melbourne and educated at the Parkville High School. Wife of Fred Z. Eager, Director of Eagers Ltd., Brisbane.

ACTIVITIES. Mrs. Eager is on the Executive of the Dana Club, which assists the District Nurses, and is an energetic worker for many organisations.

HOBBY. Riding.

CLUBS. Dana and the Squash Rackets Club, and Town and Country Riding Club.

ADDRESS. "Craigston," Wickham Terrace, Brisbane.

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MRS. ELLIOTT (Mona).

Born and educated at Toowoomba, Queensland. Widow of Robert A. Elliott. Family, two sons: Keith Lawton and Robert Neville.

ACTIVITIES. President of Queensland Arts and Crafts Society. Member of the Royal Queensland Art Society Council and Convener of Art Coterie of the Brisbane Women's Club. A regular exhibitor at the annual Exhibition of Royal Queensland Art Society.

HOBBIES. Painting and Pottery.

CLUB. Brisbane Women's Club.

ADDRESS. Wendell Street, Norman Park,

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MRS. L. B. ELWELL (Clara Ann).

Born in Macleay River district, New South Wales; daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James H. Lancaster, pioneers of New South Wales. Educated privately. Wife of Doctor Lawrence Bedford Elwell, M.B., Ch.M. (Sydney), M.R.C.P. (London and Edinburgh), M.C.

ACTIVITIES: For the last four years President of the Housewives Association. Vice-president of the Federated Housewives Association of Australia. Council member of Victoria League; member of Social Committee of the Institute of International Affairs; member of the Nutrition Council; executive of the League of Nations Union; a Foundation Member of the Queensland Country Women's Association of which she has been vice-president of the Southern Division for seven years; council member of the Women's Voluntary National Register; Chairwoman of the Creche and Kindergarten Association for three years, now member of Executive and life member. In 1929 Mrs. Elwell was in England and represented Queensland on the Executive of the Associated Country Women of the World of which she is a Foundation Friend—afterwards a co-opted member of the Executive.

While in England served as Executive Member of the Women's Guild of Empire. With Doctor Mary Booth formed a branch of the A.N.Z.A.C. Fellowship of Women and acted as Secretary for a time.

Was presented at Court in 1930, and in 1934 received the Jubilee Medal.

On the outbreak of the Great War, Mrs. Elwell formed the first Country Branch of the Red Cross, Stanthorpe, Queensland, and became the President, and with the assistance of Dr. Elwell raised £1,200 for the Belgians.

For the duration of the War she was a Voluntary Worker serving with the British Red Cross in Egypt. When in England had charge of a Red Cross Hospital in Clithero, later served with the British Army and Navy Leave Club in Paris until the Armistice was signed. Returned to Australia in May, 1919.

HOBBIES: Gardening and reading.

CLUB: Forum, London.

ADDRESS: 193 Wickham Terrace, Brisbane.

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MRS. A. N. FINLAY (Francis Ursula).

Born at Adelaide, South Australia; daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. Balfour-Ogilvy of Melbourne. Educated at "Woodlands," Glenelg, South Australia, and at St. Michaels, Melbourne. Wife of Arthur Noel (Huck) Finlay, Manager of Australian Broadcasting Commission, Queensland Division.

Family, one son and one daughter: Anthony Nigel and Ursula Robin.

ACTIVITIES. Mrs. Finlay is a member of the Committee for the Dana Club and before her marriage was well known for her dancing with Lois Green, now gaining fame in London, and with Robert Helpman, who is famous in London and Paris. Since coming to live in Queensland Mrs. Finlay has assisted her husband in entertaining celebrities from all over the world. Mrs. Finlay is also most interested in all branches of sport, particularly riding, swimming and tennis, and before coming to Brisbane created much interest among women for her competent driving and handling of the speed launch for her husband while he was coaching University and Sydney Grammar School crews in Sydney.

HOBBIES. Home interests and dress designing.

ADDRESS. Czar Street, Hamilton, Brisbane.

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MRS. L. FORTESCUE (Doris Helene).

Born in Brisbane, and educated privately. Wife of Leslie Fortescue, Esq., Stockbroker.

ACTIVITIES. On 4QG National Committee for Celebrity Concerts.

HOBBIES. Reading, music, motoring and gardening.

ADDRESS. "Ebrington," Adelaide Street East, Clayfield, Brisbane.

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MRS. O. FOWLER (Louie Kirby).

Born at Maryborough, Queensland; granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Charles Daveney, of Ipswich, a pioneer family who came to Australia in the fifties. Educated at Rockhampton, Queensland. Wife of Oswald Fowler, Esq., Auditor.

Family, two sons and one daughter, Kenneth, Ian and Joan (Mrs. Peter F. Johnson).

ACTIVITIES. Committee member of the Toowoomba branch of the Red Cross.

ADDRESS. Hamilton Street, Toowoomba, Queensland.

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MRS. I. FOWLES (Isabella).

Born in Glasgow, Scotland, and educated in Edinburgh. Widow of Arthur Edward Fowles.

Family, one son and one daughter: Dr. Duncan Fowles and Mrs. A. E. Taylor.

ACTIVITIES. Hon. Treas. of the National Council of Women, Hon. Treas. Women's Section of the Social Service League, Joint Treas. of the Junior Red Cross, Member of the Victoria League, Hon. Treas. of the Lady Mayoress' All Charities Bridge Club, Joint Hon. Treas. of the Ladies Committee for the Limbless Soldiers, Social Convener of the Travellers' Aid Society, Hon. Treas. of the Archibald House Hostel for Girls, Hon. Treas. of the Presbyterian Women's Missionary Union, and Hon. Treas. of St. Andrew's Spring Hill Mission. Recipient of Coronation Medal and Jubilee Medal.

HOBBIES. Knitting, Gardening and reading.

CLUBS. Brisbane Women's and Dickens Fellowship.

ADDRESS. 22 Abbott Street, New Farm, Brisbane.

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MISS FOXTON (Mildred Isabel).

Born at Indooroopilly, Brisbane; daughter of the late Colonel the Hon. J. F. G. Foxtton, C.M.G., of the State and Federal Parliaments, and the late Mrs. Emily Foxtton (nee Pantou), of Brisbane. Educated at the Brisbane Girls' Grammar School and privately.

ACTIVITIES. Member of the Oversea League; member of the Red Cross. Past Committee member of the Children's Hospital.

INTERESTS. Travelling and gardening.

CLUB. Town and Country Club.

ADDRESS. Aubigny Street, Toowoomba, Queensland.

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MRS. C. W. S. FRENCH (Pearl Constance), A.M.A.

Born at "Walton," Ashgrove, Brisbane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Paten. Educated at the Girls' Grammar School and the Brisbane High School for Girls. Wife of Charles William Scott French, M.C. and Bar, who is in the Department of Education, Queensland.

ACTIVITIES. Mrs. French, as a member of the Australian Army Massage Service, rendered service both in Australia and Egypt and during 1919 was in charge of the Massage Department at Rosemount Military Hospital, Brisbane.

HOBBY. Gardening.

ADDRESS. "Tula," Waterworks Road, Ashgrove, Brisbane.

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MRS. P. GOODMAN (Ruth).

Born at Eaglehawk, Bendigo, Victoria. Educated in Victoria. Wife of the Reverend Percy Goodman, Baptist Minister.

ACTIVITIES. President of the Queensland Baptist Women's Union; twice President of the Baptist Ministers' Wives Union; Past President of the Baptist Senior Girls Mission Reunion; President of the Women's World Day of Prayer and is on the Australian Baptist Women's Board. Mrs. Goodman takes an active part in the Annual Easter Girls' Camp, being a member of the Executive, and has been interested in both children's and women's work for many years. She holds the Teachers Certificate of the Victorian Educational Department.

Hon. Secretary to a War Chest Comforts' Fund in New South Wales during the Great War.

HOBBIES. Gardening, reading and music.

ADDRESS. 36 Sylvan Road, Toowong, Brisbane.

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MRS. G. E. GREEN (Ailsa Beatrice).

Born in South Australia; daughter of the late Charles G. R. Cane and Mrs. Ada E. Cane of South Australia. Wife of George Ernest Green, Esq., Managing Director of Messrs. E. G. Eager & Son, Ltd., of Brisbane.

Family, one son and two daughters: George, Diane and Clodagh.

ACTIVITIES. Interested in and supporter of numerous charities.

HOBBIES. Golf and gardening.

CLUB. Royal Queensland Golf Club.

ADDRESS. Markwell Street, Hamiiton, Brisbane.

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MISS GRIMES (Annie Laura).

Born and educated in Brisbane. A descendant of one of the pioneer families brought to Australia under Doctor Lang's Scheme in the ship "Chasely."

ACTIVITIES. Miss Grimes has been Secretary of the Queensland Baptist Women's Union for the past twenty years and is the Delegate to the National Council of Women. She also works for the Women's Christian Temperance Union. Interested in the Diamantina Hospital patients' outings and otherwise helping the sick and needy.

CLUB. Overseas Club.

ADDRESS. "Ashby," Dudley Street, Annerley, Brisbane.

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LADY GROOM (Jessie Jane).

Born at Cape Town, South Africa; daughter of Reverend Charles Bell. Educated at the Presbyterian Ladies' College, Melbourne. Widow of Sir Littleton Groom, Minister for State in the Commonwealth Government for many years and the first Speaker at Canberra.

Family, one daughter: Jessie Littleton (Mrs. Cecil Pearce).

ACTIVITIES. Founder and Life Member of the Victoria League, Toowoomba; founder of the Y.W.C.A. in Toowoomba and Canberra, and founder of the Ladies' Literary Society, Toowoomba. Member of the National Council of Women, Canberra; member of the Country Women's Association; Comforts Fund; Red Cross... Represented the Red Cross Council for Queensland during the Great War. Formed and is Life Member of the Croquet Club, Canberra. Recipient of the Coronation and Jubilee medals.

ADDRESS. Canberra Hotel, Toowoomba.

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MRS. R. HAMLYN-HARRIS (Bertha).

Born at Wermatong Station, Tumut, New South Wales; daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Harris of Tumut. Educated at the Presbyterian Ladies' College, Sydney, New South Wales. Wife of Doctor Ronald Hamlyn-Harris, D.Sc., Sc.D., Lecturer in Zoology at the Brisbane University; ex-Director of the Queensland Museum.

Family, three sons and three daughters: Guy, Hay, Hugh, Honour (Mrs. Cyril Burcher), Margery and Joy.

ACTIVITIES. Member of the Executive of the Dickens Fellowship, of which her husband is President.

Keenly interested and active for the benefit of young people.

HOBBIES. Reading, gardening and motoring.

CLUB. University Staff Wives' Club.

ADDRESS. "Pegwell," New Sandgate Road, Clayfield, Brisbane.

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MRS. HAMLYN-HARRIS (Maymie Ada).

Born at Southport, Queensland; daughter of the late E. J. Stevens, who was Managing Director of the Brisbane "Courier," and was a well known Member of the Legislative Council in the Queensland Parliament and an enthusiastic patron of public sporting associations, and Mrs. A. C. Stevens (nee Jackson), a member of a pioneering pastoralist family of Victoria. Widow of Cyril Hamlyn-Harris, who was Associate to Mr. Justice Shand, and before his death was practising Law at Townsville and Cairns. Family, three sons and two daughters; Charles, James, Geoffrey, Mary and Shirley.

ACTIVITIES: Mrs. Hamlyn-Harris is a well known writer, her first work being published when only 14 years of age. Since then she has written extensively for publications, poetry, sketches, essays, and short stories. In the cause of charity Mrs. Hamlyn-Harris has written and produced patriotic and historic pageants. In 1937 she produced a book of verse "White Magic," describing nature in Queensland, and at present she is engaged upon a descriptive book of Queensland, the scenery, primary industries and the achievement of the State's pioneers. She is convener of the Lyceum Club Literary Circle; and has placed her services, together with her caravan at the disposal of Women's National Emergency Association for First Aid Transport. Mrs. Hamlyn-Harris has been actively interested in the Girl Guides, Y.W.C.A., Diamantina Hospital Welfare, St. Mary's Church, Kangaroo Point, and the Presbyterian Women's Missionary Union, for which institutions she has designed Pageants and plays in aid of their funds.

HOBBIES: Painting, music, and pageant design.

CLUB: Lyceum.

ADDRESS: "Montrose," Mackay Street, Windsor, Brisbane.

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MISS HARKER (Constance Elizabeth), B.A. (Sydney).

Born in Melbourne, Victoria, where she attended a small private school for children, then removed with her parents to Sydney, and was educated at "Normanhurst." Matriculated and was one of the first four students to be enrolled at the Women's College, Sydney University. Miss Harker graduated with first class Honours in English, French and History, taught for some years, then went to Europe to study modern languages and was absent from Australia for three years.

ACTIVITIES. When she returned to Australia, Miss Harker came to Brisbane and for twenty-four years was co-Principal, with Miss M. K. Jarrett, of the Brisbane High School for Girls, now known as Somerville House, from which position she retired in 1931.

Miss Harker is a State Councillor of the Girl Guides' Association, Member of the Council of the Victoria League, and on the Committee of the Braille Writing Association. She was appointed Recording Secretary of the National Council of Women for a term, and for some years was a Vice-President of the Lyceum Club.

HOBBIES. Reading and needlework.

CLUB. Lyceum.

ADDRESS. Somerville House, South Brisbane.

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MRS. E. L. HARRIS (Grace K. M.).

Harris, Secretary of the Social Service Institute.

Family, one son and two daughters: Reginald, Gladys and Trixie.

Born at Lewis, Sussex, England, and educated in England. Wife of Edward Luis

ACTIVITIES. Hon. Secretary of the Arts and Crafts Society of Queensland. On the Committee of the Lady Mayoress' Charity Bridge Club. Member of the Royal Queensland Art Society, Member of the Red Cross Workshops for Disabled Soldiers. Member of the Montrose Crippled Children's Handicraft Classes. Member of the Queensland Combined Art Committee. Once a week for the past six years Mrs. Harris has taught dressmaking and needlework to working girls at the Social Service Institute.

HOBBIES. China painting, pottery, weaving and needlework.

CLUB. Brisbane Women's Club.

ADDRESS. 16 Teneriffe Drive, Teneriffe, Brisbane.

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MRS. G. S. HAYES (Narty Grace D'Arcy).

Born at Rockhampton, Queensland; daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lucius D'Arcy Richardson. On both parents' side connected with the early history and settlement of her native State. Her paternal grandfather was A. J. Richardson, the official surveyor and one of the survivors of the ill-fated Jardine expedition in North Queensland. On her mother's side she is a grand-daughter of Robert Ross, a member of a well known Scottish family prominent in pastoral circles, and who, in addition to his New South Wales interests, owned Taranganbah and Cawarral stations in the Rockhampton district.

Educated privately in Rockhampton and at a convent in Brisbane. Wife of Doctor G. S. Hayes, medical practitioner of Brisbane.

Family, two daughters, Narty Valda, and Nadeja, whose godmother, Lady Archibald Home, of Park Lane and Suffolk, forms another link with the earlier days of this State, Lady Home being a daughter of Knox D'Arcy of Rockhampton, who later won fame with his Mt. Morgan and Persian oil activities.

ACTIVITIES. Actively interested in charitable and welfare movements, most recent of which include committee member of the Creche and Kindergarten and the Mater Misericordiae Public Hospital Fete.

INTERESTS. Racing, surfing and motoring.

ADDRESS. Chatsworth Road, Greenslopes, Brisbane.

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MRS. M. S. HERRING (Queenie).

Born at Jolimont, Victoria, and educated at Miss Neild's School, Melbourne. Wife of Maurice Stanley Herring, Esq., Manager of the Queensland Trustees. Family, one son and one daughter: John Macgregor and Audrey Beatrice. ACTIVITIES. Member of the Finance and Executive of the Red Cross; used to teach handicrafts to the Returned Soldiers and for the last twelve years has been taking women to the Anzac Hostel each week for bridge. For eight years Mrs. Herring and her daughter have been members of the Lady Goodwin Nurse's Driving Corps, connected with the District Nurses, and are members. Mrs. Herring is also a Vice-President of the King George V. Memorial Committee and is a life-member of the Creche and Kindergarten. In connection with the Creche and Kindergarten she was one of the two women who were responsible for the largest collection ever made in a penny appeal, namely £650. Mrs. Herring is also a member of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Queensland Bush Children's Health Scheme, for which she does transport work; is the President of the Dana Club, which is a social club for young people that helps the District Nurses; has been for five years President of the Toc H Ball Committee, was one convener of the Rotary Ladies' Committee that collected £1100 to form the nucleus for the Crippled Children's Committee, and is a member of the Queensland Country Women's Association, the Victoria League, Queensland Women's Electoral League and the Church of England Help Society. Recipient of the Australian Red Cross Society special medal for 20 years unbroken service in the Queensland Division. HOBBIES. Gardening, knitting and motoring. CLUB. Moreton ADDRESS. "Jolimont," Mayfield Street, Ascot, N.E.2, Brisbane.

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MRS. L. J. HOBBS (Florence Mary).

Born at The Homestead, Brisbane Valley Line, educated at Lowood and Esk Schools, also private tuition. Wife of Leonard James, L. Th., Rector of St. Andrew's, Brisbane, from 1926.

Family, one son and one daughter: John James Stanley (teaching at Newington College, Sydney), Enid Mary Olive (Second year Arts at the Brisbane University).

ACTIVITIES. Vice-President of the Diocesan Girls' Friendly Society, Member of the Mothers' Union Council, President of the Sunshine Club, Presiding Associate of the St. Andrew's Branch of the Girls' Friendly Society. Vice-President of the Women's Guild. Member of the Weavers Club. President of St. Andrew's Mothers' Union.

HOBBIES. Gardening, music, parochial activities, and reading.

CLUB. Brisbane Women's.

ADDRESS. St. Andrew's Rectory, Vulture Street, South Brisbane.

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MRS. P. S. HOBDAY (Florence Emily).

Born at Ormiston, Queensland, educated in Brisbane. Wife of Percy Stanhope Hobday, Esq., Artist. Art Master, Brisbane Polytechnic and Brisbane Boys' Grammar School. Past President Royal Queensland Art Society, Queensland Authors and Artists' Association, and Queensland Wattle League. Executive Member Royal Queensland Art Society for 36 years. Jubilee and Coronation Medals.

ACTIVITIES. Member of the Council of the Queensland Authors and Artists' Association. Associated with the Royal Queensland Art Society and the Queensland Wattle League. Mrs. Hobday has many activities in cultural spheres. For the past three years she has broadcast from the National Station on Psychology. She also broadcasts her original poems. Her literary ability is inherited from families closely associated with music and art.

Her Paternal Grandmother, well-known in childhood as the Infant Lyra, the child harpist, was a companion of Queen Victoria during her youth. Mrs. Hobday cherishes books with illustrations of the friendship.

HOBBIES. Literary aspirations and gardening.

ADDRESS. "Fantasy," Barlow Street, Clayfield, Brisbane.

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MRS. HOGARTH (Ann Cunninghame) (deceased).

Born at Wellington Vale, Deepwater, New South Wales; daughter of the late Robert R. C. Robertson and the late Mrs. Alfreda Robertson (nee Cunninghame Graham); educated in Sydney and France. Widow of William Hogarth, grazier, of Balgownie, Queensland.

Old pioneer family of New South Wales who first took up land in the fifties, the descendants of whom still retain the properties.

Family, seven sons and four daughters: William, Robert, Joseph (deceased), Archibald (deceased), Alexander (deceased), Angus, Leslie, Jean (Mrs. D. C. McWilliam), Dorothy (Mrs. D. MacDonald) (deceased), Elizabeth (Mrs. J. T. Tod), and Helen (deceased).

ACTIVITIES. Past President of the Brodribb Home. The late Mrs. Hogarth wrote many articles and poems for newspapers. When left a widow in 1894 Mrs. Hogarth, with the aid of her sixteen-year-old son, managed the property for ten years. In 1914 when her four sons were serving in the Great War she again took command and ran the property.

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MRS. H. S. HOPE (Kathleen).

Born in Dublin, Ireland, and educated at Loretta Convent, Dublin. Wife of Harold Seymour Hope, Esq., Designer and Managing Director of Charles Hope, Ltd. Family, one son and one daughter; Raymond George and Irene May.

ACTIVITIES. President of the Women's Central Committee of the Queensland Adult Deaf and Dumb Mission. On the Committee of the Montrose Crippled Children's Home.

SPORT. Tennis and golf.

CLUB. Royal Queensland Golf Club.

ADDRESS. Abbotsford Road, Bowen Hills, Brisbane.

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Mrs. W. HOWARD-SMITH (Florence Jean).

Born at Adelaide, South Australia, daughter of Charles Henry Foulis, Esq., and Mrs. Florence Mary Foulis of Brisbane. Educated at the Brisbane Girls' Grammar School. Wife of William Howard-Smith, Esq.
Family, one son: Roger Ormond.

ACTIVITIES. Past Ladies' Committee member of the Australian Institute of International Affairs.

HOBBIES. Music, gardening, and china collecting.

ADDRESS. "Main-Royal," Stafford Street, Clayfield, Brisbane.

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MRS. R. D. HUISH (Hilda May).

Born and educated at Rockhampton, Queensland. Wife of Raymond Douglas Huish, Esq., C.B.E., Company Director and State President of the R.S.S.I.L.A.

Family, two daughters: Gloria May and Elaine Audrey.

ACTIVITIES. Vice-President of the King George V. Memorial Home for Aged Soldiers Committee. Vice-President of the Anzac Ball Committee. Member of the Executive of the Australian Comforts Fund, Queensland Division.

HOBBIES. Reading and gardening.

ADDRESS. "Karingal," Henry Street, Ascot, Brisbane.

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MISS JARRETT (Marjorie Kate), B.A., F.R.G.S. (Aust.).

Born and educated in Sydney, New South Wales.

ACTIVITIES. Assistant at the Church of England Grammar School in Sydney for some years, after which she became Joint-Principal of the Brisbane High School for Girls with Miss Harker for nine years. In July, 1918, the school was taken over by the Presbyterian and Methodist Churches and renamed Somerville House; Miss Jarrett and Miss Harker continued as Principals, the latter retiring in December, 1931.

Miss Jarrett is also a Vice-President of the National Council of Women, and Councillor of the Historical Association.

HOBBIES. Motoring and wood-carving.

CLUBS. Lyceum (Brisbane), and Women's Club, (Sydney).

ADDRESS. Somerville House, Vulture Street, South Brisbane.

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MRS. A. J. JONES (Martha Elizabeth).

Born and educated at Mt. Gambier, South Australia. Wife of Alderman the Hon. A. J. Jones, Lord Mayor of Brisbane.

ACTIVITIES. President of the Lady Mayoress' Charity Bridge Club... President of the State Council, Women's Voluntary National Register. Patroness of the Valley Ladies' Amateur Swimming Club. Patroness of the "Kingsholme" Ladies' Committee. Patroness of the Women's Commission, Queensland Council of the International Peace Campaign. Vice-President of the Australian Comforts Fund, Queensland Division. Hon. President of the Women's College Campaign Committee. Vice-President Women's Central Committee, Queensland Adult Deaf and Dumb Mission. Member of Executive Committee, Queensland Social Service League. Member of the Executive Committee, Australian Red Cross Society, Queensland Division. Member of the Executive Committee, Queensland Council for Social Education. Associate Member of National Council of Women of Queensland. Member of Queensland Social Service League (Women's Section); Queensland Bush Nursing Association; Children's Hospital Ladies' Sewing Committee; Mothercraft Association.

Mrs. Jones has the Coronation and Jubilee Medals.

HOBBIES. Reading, needlework and gardening.

ADDRESS. Roseby Street, Eagle Junction, Brisbane.

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MRS. KENT (Ada Henrietta).

Born at Enoggera, Queensland; daughter of the late Charles Henry Sigley, Engineer of Enoggera, and the late Mrs. Mary Alice Sigley (nee Bradshaw). Mr. Sigley came to Australia from England in the late fifties. An Engineer by profession, he was associated with the construction of the Enoggera reservoir, Queensland; Circular Quay, Sydney, in 1880; and the early railway constructions in Victoria. Educated at the Brisbane Girls' Grammar School. Widow of Walton Kent, third son of the late William Kent of Jondaryan Station, Queensland. Manager of Rosewood Station, and later had a grazing property on the Darling Downs.

Family, five daughters: Mary (Mrs. J. H. Boadle), May, Margaret (Mrs. G. H. Griffiths), Kathleen (Mrs. H. B. Best), and Elwyn (Mrs. R. R. Bligh).

ACTIVITIES. During the Great War was actively engaged in Red Cross work and is now working in the same interests for the present war... Society for Prevention of Cruelty.

HOBBY. Gardening.

ADDRESS. "Floristan," Toowoomba, Queensland.

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MRS. KENT (Emily Celia).

Born at Burke, New South Wales; daughter of the late William Sly and the late Mrs. Emily Celia Sly (nee St. John), of Ardoch, Queensland, formerly of England. Pioneer family who came to Australia in the late fifties. Widow of William Kent, grazier of Jondaryan and Dalgangal stations in the Burnett district, Queensland.

Family, five sons and two daughters: William, Arnold, Allen, Hugh, Roy, Marcia (deceased), and Nora (Mrs. J. Lane).

ACTIVITIES. Mrs. Kent is actively engaged in much charitable work.

HOBBY. Gardening.

ADDRESS. "Winalong," Jellicoe Street, Toowoomba, Queensland.

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MRS. FASSIFERN KENT (Helen Stuart).

Born at Maryborough, Queensland, and educated at Maryborough Grammar School, to which she was the first Old Girl to send her child. Widow of Fassifern Kent, who was a grazier of Queensland.

Family, one son and two daughters: Edward Fassifern, Beryl Fassifern, and Joan Fassifern.

ACTIVITIES. Member of the Queensland Country Women's Association, the Bush Book Club, the Women's Guild of the Church of England, and is interested in all charitable work.

CLUB. Brisbane Women's Club.

ADDRESS. "Elystan," Gayndah, Queensland.

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MRS. W. T. KILGOUR (Ethel Violet).

Born at Albury, New South Wales, and educated at All Hallows Convent, Brisbane. Wife of Wilfred Travers Kilgour, retired.

Family, one son and two daughters: William David, Elizabeth Marie and Cynthia May.

ACTIVITIES. Social Service and District Nursing. Mrs Kilgour was also one of the Foundation members of the Brisbane Ladies' Rowing Club.

HOBBIES. Tennis and gardening.

ADDRESS. "Glenmore," Verney Road, Graceville, Brisbane.

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MRS. G. V. KING (Mary Elinor).

Born in Brisbane, Queensland; daughter of the late the Hon. Frederic Hamilton Hart and Mrs. Hart of Brisbane. Educated privately in Brisbane. Wife of Guy Venn King, Esq., coal mining interests in Queensland; son of the late Colonel Henry Venn King, of Gowrie, Darling Downs, Queensland, son of the Hon. George King.

ACTIVITIES. A Vice-President of the Toowoomba branch of the Red Cross. Member of the Toowoomba Comforts Fund, and member of the Toowoomba branch of the Country Women's Association, and was also President of the Boodna Branch, Darling Downs, Queensland Country Women's Association for seven years.

Mrs. King was a V.A. during the Great War, and served as Under Matron at the Grange Hill V.A. Red Cross Convalescent Home.

HOBBY. Gardening.

CLUB. Town and Country Club, Toowoomba.

ADDRESS. "Maryland," Wilsonton, Toowoomba, Queensland.

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MRS. LEEDS (Marian Margaret Crawford).

Born at Narrabri, New South Wales; daughter of the late Thomas Huxley, pastoralist of Airlie Station, Wyandra, Queensland. Widow of Arthur Leeds, who for many years managed Cobb & Co. stations. Mrs. Leeds came to Queensland with her husband in the year 1884.

Family, two sons and one daughter: Arthur, Alan Whitney, educated at the Brisbane Boys' Grammar School, and Dorothy Kate, educated at the Brisbane Girls' Grammar School.

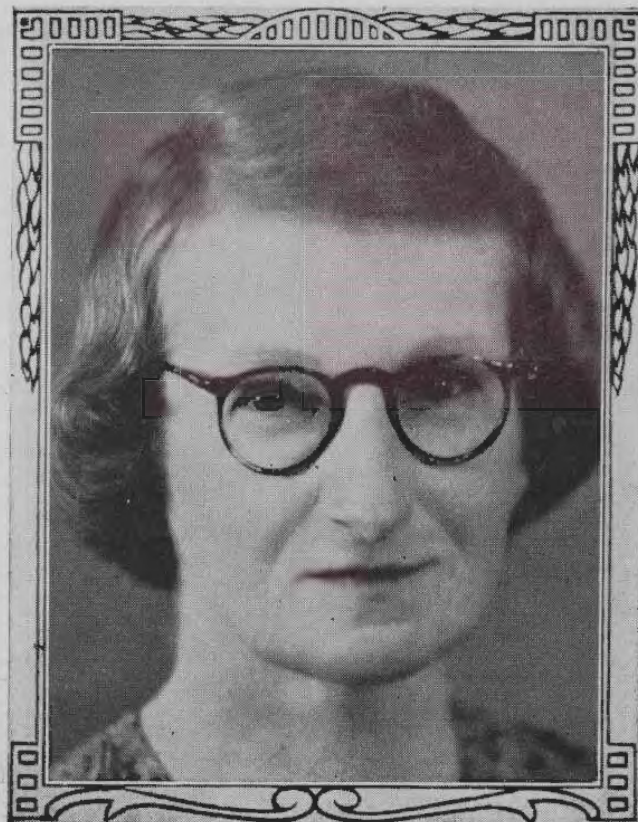
ACTIVITIES. Formed the Association of the Western Women War Workers during the Great War... Formed the first branch of the Country Women's Association in Cunnamulla, of which she was President. Was instrumental in raising funds to maintain two cots in the Children's Hospital in perpetuity. A foundation member of the Moreton Club... Established the first Women's Suffrage League in Queensland at Cunnamulla, which, however, lasted only a few months. Worked for many years in the interests of charity.

CLUB. Moreton Club.

ADDRESS. "Airlie," Claverton, Queensland.

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MISS LEICHNEY (Frances Annie).

Born at Clifton, Queensland; daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Leichney of Toowoomba and formerly of London. Mr. Leichney settled in Queensland in the year 1885.

ACTIVITIES. Secretary of the Downs and South Western District Racing Association. In addition to these duties Miss Leichney assists her father in various commercial activities in Toowoomba.

INTERESTS. Riding and Bridge.

CLUB. Town and Country Club, Toowoomba.

ADDRESS. Perth Street, Toowoomba, Queensland.

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MRS. G. F. LETHBRIDGE (Gladys Rushton).

Born at Warwick, Queensland, and educated at Brisbane. Seventh daughter of the late Mr. Edwin Francis Morgan, the discoverer of the famous Mount Morgan, and Mrs. Morgan of Brisbane. Wife of George Frederic Lethbridge, Pastoralist.

ACTIVITIES. Interested and active helper in much charitable work.

HOBBIES. Music, reading, gardening and needlework.

ADDRESS. "Bungaringa," Mitchell, Queensland.

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MRS. F. O. LITCHFIELD (Helena Alice Coleman).

Born in Longreach, Queensland, and educated at the Presentation Convent, Longreach, the Barcaldine High School, and All Hallows School, Brisbane. Wife of Frederick Oswald Litchfield, Esq., Grazier.

Family, twin sons, Frank and Charles.

HOBBIES. Music, horse-riding, horse-racing, golf and gardening.

ADDRESS. Toolong, Augathella, Queensland.

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MRS. A. J. LOCK (Myrtle Rose).

Born and educated at Northcote, Melbourne, Victoria. Wife of Arthur J. Lock, Esq.

Family, Two sons: John Murray, and Donald Henry.

ACTIVITIES. President of the Brisbane Charities Committee, of which Mesdames R. J. Norris, J. S. Dix, I. Drew, L. Whitehead, A. J. Bush, J. Craven, G. R. Ross, J. Braillard, G. Young, W. Brett, and Miss E. Hall are also members.

HOBBIES. The home and gardening.

CLUB. Brisbane Charities Bridge Club.

ADDRESS. "Fearnley," 2 Armagh Street, Clayfield, Brisbane.

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MRS. N. W. LOCKYER (Edna Hay).

Born in Southport, Queensland. Eldest daughter of Mrs. Geo. Hives and the late Geo. Hives, grazier, Sunday Creek, Wondai, Queensland. Educated at Maryborough Grammar School. Wife of Nicholas Wollaston Lockyer, Esq., Company Director, only son of the late Sir Nicholas and Lady Lockyer, Toorak, Melbourne, Victoria.

Family, one son: Nicholas George.

ACTIVITIES. Vice-President of the Dana Club, which assists the District Nurses' Association, and is on the Committee of the Western Suburbs Branch of the Women's College Building Fund. Mrs. Lockyer has also been a member of the Church of England Ball Committee for the past three years.

HOBBIES. Tennis and reading.

CLUBS. Moreton and Dana Clubs.

ADDRESS. Munro Street, Indooroopilly, Brisbane.

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MRS. B. M. McCONNEL (Beatrice Mary).

Daughter of Captain and Mrs. Robert Keen, of Liverpool, England. Born in Maryborough, Queensland, and educated at the Maryborough Grammar School. Widow of Arthur John McConnel, grazier.

Family, one son and one daughter: Robert John and Amy Beatrice.

ACTIVITIES. Mrs. McConnel is a member of the Victoria League.

HOBBIES. Collecting china, gardening and music.

ADDRESS. 5 Haig Street, Clayfield, Brisbane.

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MISS McCONNEL (Ursula Hope), M.A..

Born at Cressbrook, Toogoolawah, Queensland; daughter of the late J. H. McConnel and Mary Elizabeth McConnel (nee Kent). Educated at the Brisbane High School for Girls; New England Girls' School, Armidale, New South Wales; King's College, London; University of Queensland; University College, London; and Yale University, United States of America.

M.A. (Honours Philosophy and Social Anthropology). Fellow of the Rockefeller Foundation 1931-33. Fellow of the Australian Research Council 1934.

ACTIVITIES. Miss McConnel made research in individual psychology and Social Science a life-work, in the interests of which research was carried out at Cape York Peninsula, North Queensland, amongst the aborigines in 1927-1928 and 1930-31; and amongst the Indians of California, United States of America, in 1932-33. Results of these researches are published in "Oceania," a journal devoted to the study of the native races of Australia and the Pacific, and "Psyche," a journal of general and linguistic psychology, and in "Art in Australia." By means of contributions to newspapers and periodicals, addresses and broadcasts, Miss McConnel has sought to familiarise the public with the mental outlook and human problems of the aborigines, and has pleaded from time to time for a more enlightened handling of these problems by those concerned in promoting their welfare.

HOBBIES. Writing, photography and gardening.

CLUBS. University of Queensland Women Graduate's Association; Australian Association for Advancement of Science; American Anthropological Association; Australian Institute for International Affairs; Lyceum Club, Melbourne.

ADDRESS. Cressbrook, Toogoolawah, Queensland.

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MRS. J. H. McCONNEL (Mary Elizabeth).

Born in Brisbane in 1855 and educated privately in Sydney and Brisbane. Daughter of William Kent, pastoralist of Jondaryan, Darling Downs, Queensland. Wife of James Henry McConnel, pastoralist of Cressbrook, Queensland.

Family, four sons and six daughters, of whom the following are living: Edgar Cannon McConnel of Cressbrook (pastoralist), Kenneth Hamlyn McConnel of Sydney (architect), Dorothea (wife of Professor Elton Mayo, United States of America), Elspeth (wife of Gerald White), Katherine, Ursula, and Judith (wife of Aubrey Biggs).

ACTIVITIES. Took an interest and helped in the development of the district. Founded the Amateur Tree Planting, Gardening and Progress Association of Toogoolawah. Helped to finance the building of St. Andrew's Church of England in Toogoolawah, and built Victoria Chapel in Cressbrook. Edited and financed for eight years "The Mother," organ of the Mother's Union in Brisbane diocese.

HOBBY. Gardening.

CLUBS. The Moreton Club and of the Original Pioneer Club.

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MRS. D. C. McCONNEL (Mary) (Deceased).

Born in Edinburgh, Scotland, 1824, died 1908. Married the late David Cannon McConnel, Pastoralist and Pioneer Settler of Queensland.

Family, four sons and two daughters: James, David, Walter, Edward, Mary and Katherine.

ACTIVITIES. The late Mrs. McConnel was well known for her pioneering work in the Brisbane River country. In 1848 she married, and lived at Bulimba House. Later Cressbrook came into the family and the surrounding country was farmed. With the help of friends Mrs. McConnel started the Children's Hospital in the year 1877. She made fourteen voyages between England and Australia.

The late Mr. McConnel was the first white man to set foot in the Brisbane River District, and to bring cattle below the range.

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MRS. A. D. MCGILL (Eva M. G.).

Born at Summer Hill, New South Wales. Educated privately and at the Ipswich Girls' Grammar School. Wife of Alex Douglas McGill, Esq., K.C.
Family, one son and two daughters: John, Mary and Jean.

ACTIVITIES. Member of the Committee of the Children's Playground Association.

HOBBIES. Reading and gardening.

ADDRESS. "Rankeillour," Feez Street, Yeronga, Brisbane.

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MRS. McINTYRE (Margaret).

Born and educated on the Darling Downs, Queensland. Widow of William McIntyre, who was the President of the Queensland Chamber of Manufacturers 1930-31, and Manager of the Commercial Bank of Australia, Queen Street, Brisbane. Actively interested in the Travellers Aid Society and the New Settlers League.

Family, two step-sons: Cyril, who was killed in action during the Great War, and Percy, Branch Manager of the Commercial Bank of Sydney in New South Wales.

ACTIVITIES. Member of the National Council of Women; member of the Victoria League Travellers Aid Society Committee. On Committee of the Lady Musgrave Lodge (Home for Girls); C.W.A.; Comforts Fund; Presbyterian Women's Mission Union. A member of the Presbyterian Women's Guild.

Mrs. McIntyre was, before her marriage, nursing at a private hospital in Melbourne, Victoria, and was later appointed sister at the Presbyterian Ladies College in that city, and finally to the P.L.C. at Warwick, Queensland.

INTERESTS. Gardening, croquet, bridge and knitting.

CLUB. Women's Club, Brisbane.

ADDRESS. 33 Moray Street, New Farm, Brisbane.

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MISS McLEOD (Gertrude Evelyn).

Born at Brisbane, and educated at the Normal School and the Brisbane High School for Girls. Daughter of the late D. W. S. McLeod.

ACTIVITIES. President of the Ladies Golf Union, and is on the Committee of the Bush Book Club. Miss McLeod is also a member of the Victoria League, the Overseas League, and the Royal Empire Society, and is on the Standing Committee of the Women's College.

HOBBIES. Cine-photography, motoring and bridge.

CLUBS. Brisbane Women's and the Indooroopilly Golf Club.

ADDRESS. "Loch Earn," Gregory Terrace, Brisbane.

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MRS. H. McMASTER (Sarah Lilian).

Born and educated at Charters Towers. Daughter of the late Mr. Sydney John Moore, of Charters Towers, Queensland, and the late Mrs. Rose Moore (nee Park). Wife of Hugh McMaster, Esq., Grazier of Devoncourt Station, Queensland.

Family, one son and three daughters: Douglas Haig, Jessie (wife of Paymaster Lt. Commander F. G. Crowther), Edith, and Mavis (wife of Mr. E. J. McIntyre of Strathmore, Goondiwindi, Queensland).

ACTIVITIES. Member of the Country Women's Association. Mrs. McMaster is a keen hospital worker and also takes an active interest in work for the Presbyterian Church and Mothercraft.

HOBBY. Golf.

Club. Royal Queensland Golf Club.

ADDRESS. Devoncourt Station, via Cloncurry, Queensland.

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MRS. D. J. McWHIRTER (Marion Spence).

Born at Brisbane and educated at Brisbane Girls' Grammar School, Fintona and St. Margarets (Brisbane). Wife of Duncan John McWhirter, Esq., Company Director of Brisbane.

Family, one son and two daughters: James, Anne and Marian.

HOBBIES. Tennis and gardening.

CLUBS. Royal Queensland Golf Club and Dana Club.

ADDRESS. 32 Sutherland Avenue, Ascot, Brisbane.

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MISS McWHIRTER (Nancy A. M.).

Born in Brisbane, and educated at the New England Girls' School, Armidale, New South Wales. Daughter of the late James McWhirter, Company Director, of Brisbane.

ACTIVITIES. A Member of the Younger Set Committee of the Crippled Children's Hospital. On the Committee of the N.E.G.S.

SPORT. Tennis and golf.

CLUBS. Royal Queensland Golf Club. Brisbane Squash Club.

ADDRESS. Rossiter Parade, Hamilton, Brisbane.

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MRS. J. MACFARLANE (Jenny Watson Fergus).

Born in Kilsyth, Stirlingshire, Scotland, and educated at the Kilsyth Academy.
Wife of John Macfarlane, Esq, Engineer.
Family, one daughter: Jean Fergus.

ACTIVITIES. Founder and Organising President of the Scottish Ladies' Club of Brisbane; also Conductor of the Choral Group of the Scottish Ladies' Club and Conductor of the Kilties Choir. Mrs. Macfarlane has composed several songs, both words and music, one of which was published recently.

HOBBIES. Composing, music, poetry and singing.

CLUB. Scottish Ladies.

ADDRESS. "Glen Carrell," Ellerslie Crescent, Toowong, Brisbane.

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MISS MACKENZIE (Evelyn Marie).

Born in Toowoomba, Queensland; daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Piper Mackenzie. The late Mr. Mackenzie was Manager of the Queensland National Bank at Brisbane, and was a descendant of a New South Wales pioneer family. Educated in Toowoomba and Brisbane.

ACTIVITIES. Member of the Country Women's Association, and of the Arts Society of Toowoomba. Actively interested in various charities.

INTERESTS. Water colour painting, gardening, and travel. Miss Mackenzie has twice journeyed to England, Scotland and abroad—a year in the Malay States, nine months in China and Japan and three months in Bali, Java and Ceylon.

CLUBS. Town and Country, Toowoomba, and Overseas, London.

ADDRESS. Kenric Street, Toowoomba, Queensland.

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MISS MALONE (Mary Evangeline), A.T.N.A. (deceased).

Born at Toowoomba, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Michael Malone, a pioneer family of the Darling Downs, Queensland. Educated at the Toowoomba High School.

ACTIVITIES. Trained at the Brisbane General Hospital, remained there for a number of years. Started the Mater Misericordiae Private Hospital and taught the nuns for two or three years.

• Matronship of Rockhampton Hospital and Dunellin Private Hospital in Brisbane for 10 to 12 years.

Member of the Women's Branch of the Social Service League. Interested in work for churches of all denominations and also a member of the Incapacitated Soldiers' League.

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MRS. A. J. MANSFIELD (Beryl Susan).

Born in Toowoomba, Queensland, and educated at Ascham, Edgecliff, Sydney, New South Wales. Wife of Alan James Mansfield, Barrister.

Family, two sons and one daughter: John Pain, Charles James, and Rachel Margaret.

ACTIVITIES. Has worked for the R.S.S.I.L.A. Won the Ladies' Campdrafting Championship of Australia, 1931.

HOBBIES. Gardening and riding.

ADDRESS. Iona Terrace, Indooroopilly, Brisbane.

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MRS. A. E. MARKWELL (Anna Elizabeth).

Daughter of the late Edward Taylor, Esq., well-known Brisbane identity. Widow of Edmonstone Markwell.

Family, three daughters: Edna Milne, Eileen May Heaslop, and Lila Hudson.

ACTIVITIES. Member of the Weaver's Club and has been for many years an active member of the Church of England Help Society. Also a member of the Ladies Harbour Lights Guild and Mission to Seamen.

HOBBIES. Gardening and sewing.

ADDRESS. 123 Tower Street, Ascot, Brisbane.

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MRS. G. H. MARRIOTT (Anne Julia).

Born in Cooktown, Queensland, and educated at Bloomfield River. Wife of George Henry Marriott, M.L.A.

ACTIVITIES. Mrs. Marriott is a member of the St. John's Church of England Committee, Bulimba, and also the Committee of the Ladies' Guild of St. John's.

HOBBY. Croquet.

CLUB. East Brisbane Croquet Club.

ADDRESS. 72 Grosvenor Street, Morningside, Brisbane.

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MRS. A. E. MOORE (Mary Eva).

Born at Roma, Queensland, and educated at St. Catherine's, Waverley, Sydney, New South Wales. Wife of the Hon. Arthur Edward Moore, M.L.A., ex-Premier of Queensland, Pastoralist.

Family, three sons: Arthur Walter Bayley, Edward Elliot, and Owen Euston Lascelles.

ACTIVITIES. Councillor of Queensland Country Women's Association, Chairwoman of the Victoria League, Chairwoman of the Queensland (Ladies' Committee) Bush Children's Health Scheme, President of the Ladies Harbour Lights Guild, President of the Bush Nursing Association, Vice-President of the District Nurses' Association, on the Executive of the Women's National Emergency Register, Vice-President of the Mothers' Union, Vice-President of the Girls' Friendly Society, and on the Executive of the Queensland Red Cross.

During the War, Mrs. Moore was well-known for the work she did for the Red Cross. Recipient of the Jubilee and Coronation Medals.

HOBBIES. Knitting and sewing.

CLUB. Moreton.

ADDRESS. Bulimba House, Bulimba, Brisbane.

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LADY CONSTANCE ETHEL MORETON.

Born at Wetheron Station, Burnett district, Queensland, daughter of the fourth Earl of Ducie, of Tortworth Court, Gloucestershire, England, who was Minister for Education for Queensland in the Griffith Ministry, and Colonial Secretary in 1886. Sister of the fifth Earl of Ducie. Educated at the Maryborough Girls' Grammar School.

ADDRESS. "Woodchester," Woodstock Road, Toowong, Brisbane.

LADY MAY ISABEL MORETON.

Born at Wetheron Station, Burnett district, Queensland, daughter of the fourth Earl of Ducie, of Tortworth Court, Gloucestershire, England, who was Minister for Education for Queensland in the Griffith Ministry, and Colonial Secretary in 1886. Sister of the fifth Earl of Ducie. Educated at the Maryborough Girls' Grammar School.

HOBBY. Gardening.

ADDRESS. "Woodchester," Woodstock Road, Toowong, Brisbane.

LADY EVELYN BEATRICE REYNOLDS-MORETON.

Born at Wetheron Station, Burnett district, Queensland, daughter of the fourth Earl of Ducie, of Tortworth Court, Gloucestershire, England, who was Minister for Education in Queensland in the Griffith Ministry, and Colonial Secretary in 1886. Sister of the fifth Earl of Ducie. Educated by governesses.

HOBBY. Gardening.

ADDRESS. Bybury, Pinalba, Queensland.

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MRS. A. M. MORROW (Kathleen).

Born in South Brisbane and educated at Somerville House, Brisbane, and Pymble Presbyterian Ladies' College, Sydney. Wife of Alan Marston Morrow, Director of Morrow's Limited, Brisbane.

Family, one son and one daughter: Henry and Harriet.

SPORT. Mrs. Morrow is distinguished in the golf world and has twice been State Golf Champion of Queensland, in 1932 and 1934.

HOBBIES. Golf, tennis and gardening.

CLUB. Indooroopilly Golf Club.

ADDRESS. Swann Road, Taringa, Brisbane.

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MRS. S. C. S. MULLIN (Margaret Alice), J.P.

Born in Brisbane; daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Reid of Ayr and Edinburgh, Scotland. Educated at the Normal School and the Brisbane Girls' Grammar School. Wife of Scott Crawford Stewart Mullin, Accountant. Family, two daughters: Eileen Marguerite (Mrs. Rupert East), and Adele Shiress.

ACTIVITIES. Vice-President of the Victoria League. Life Member of the National Council of Women. Vice-President of the Clayfield-Hamilton branch of the Queensland Women's Electoral League. Member of the Queensland Horticultural Society Ladies Committee. Committee member of the Travellers' Aid Society. A member of the Brisbane Shakespeare Society and the Queensland Justices Association.

HOBBIES. Painting and gardening.

CLUBS. Women's Club and R.A.C.Q.

ADDRESS. "Dalhousie," Butler Street, Clayfield, Brisbane.

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MRS. J. H. MUNRO (Adela Jessie).

Born at Toowoomba, Queensland; daughter of the late Peter James Gentle and Mrs. Eliza Gentle (nee Stone). Educated at Toowoomba. Wife of J. H. Munro, Esq., grazier of Queensland.

Family, one son and four daughters: William (deceased), Isabel (Mrs. R. S. Boys), Jessie (Mrs. A. Raff), Jeanette (Mrs. R. Powell), and Grace (Mrs. W. V. Young).

ACTIVITIES. An active member of the Comforts Fund.

HOBBY. Gardening.

CLUB. Town and Country, Toowoomba.

ADDRESS. Ness Bank, Toowoomba, Queensland.

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MRS. ELLIS MURPHY (Mary).

Born in Brisbane, and educated at convents in Armidale, New South Wales, and Melbourne, Victoria. Wife of Doctor Ellis Murphy, M.R.C.P. (London), F.R.A.C.P., of Brisbane.

Family, two sons and two daughters: Miles, David, Barbara and Paula.

HOBBY. Gardening.

CLUB. Royal Queensland Golf Club.

ADDRESS. Sutherland Avenue, Ascot, Brisbane.

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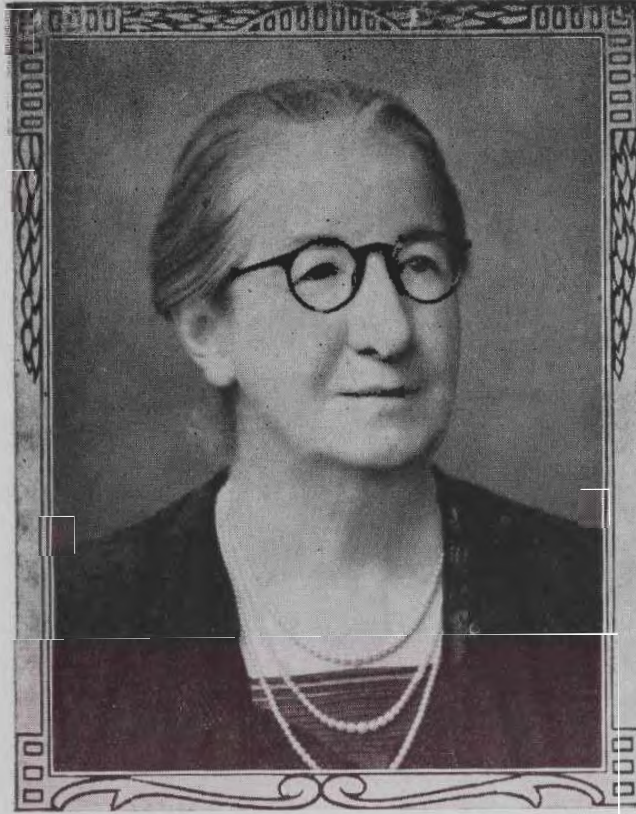


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MRS. T. NIMMO (Margaret).

Born and educated at Ipswich, Queensland. Wife of the Hon. Thos. Nimmo, M.L.A.

Family, one son and three daughters: Thomas W., L.D.Q.; Lillian Elizabeth, B.A., Barrister at Law (Mrs. S. A. Trout); Thyra, B.Sc. (Mrs. Davies-Graham).

ACTIVITIES. President of the Ladies' Committee, Sherwood Sub-Branch, R.S.S.I.L.A.; President of the Scouts and Guides Ladies' Committee; President of the Red Cross Corinda-Sherwood Branch; member of the Crippled Children's Committee; member of the Queensland Country Women's Association; Patroness of the Annerley Ladies' Bowling Club; Patroness of the Graceville Croquet Club; a member and active worker in the Presbyterian Church.

HOBBY. Charity work.

ADDRESS. Clewley Street, Corinda, Brisbane.

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MRS. B. NIXON-SMITH (Zara Blanche Barbara).

Born and educated in Victoria, widow of John Nixon-Smith.

Family, seven sons and one daughter: Robert Ellersleigh, George Fife (deceased), John Richard (deceased), Andrew, Warwick, Archibald and Walter (twin sons), and Eleanor Barbara Janet. John Richard made the supreme sacrifice in the Great War.

ACTIVITIES. Past Vice-President and now Life Member of the Ladies Harbour Light Guild; Executive of the Women's College for seven years; on the Committee for the Cancer Campaign; member of the Committee for the Bush Book Club.

Mrs. Nixon-Smith has been president of St. Andrew's Women's Guild for the past 13 years and was the founder of the Guild thirty years ago in Bishop Ashton's time.

HOBBIES. Needlework, music and gardening.

CLUBS. Past member of the Brisbane Women's Club and Country Women's Association, and District Nurses' Association.

ADDRESS. "Willington," 33 Hampstead Road, South Brisbane.

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MRS. R. E. NIXON-SMITH (Genevra Mary Mabel).

Born and educated at Rockhampton, and Brisbane, Queensland. Wife of Robert Ellersleigh Nixon-Smith, Esq., Managing Director of Messrs. Nixon-Smith Shipping and Wool Dumping Company. French Consul in Brisbane. Family, three sons: George Ellersleigh, Robert John, and Richard Hilary.

ACTIVITIES. Patroness of the R.S.S.I.L.A., Coorparoo Branch. Member of the Committee of Missions to Seamen. On Committee of the Adult Deaf and Dumb. Member of the Alliance Francais. Mrs. Nixon-Smith is actively interested in the work for St. Stephens Church of England, Coorparoo, Queensland Country Women's Association, Coorparoo Branch, and the Queensland Cameron Highlanders Welfare and Comforts Fund.

HOBBIES. Gardening, swimming, music and golf

CLUB. Brisbane Golf Club.

ADDRESS. "Elve," Henzell Terrace, Greenslopes, Brisbane.

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MRS. OLDMEADOW (Eda Adele).

Born in Brisbane and educated at New England Girls' School, Armidale, New South Wales. Wife of John Henry Rivers Oldmeadow, grazier of Tasmania, and Company Director.

Family, one daughter: Ann Rivers.

ACTIVITIES. Past member of the Missions to Seamen. Member of the Anzac Ball Committee. Also Past Member of the Toc H and Creche and Kindergarten Committees.

HOBBIES. Gardening, tennis and motoring.

CLUB: Lyceum Club (Tasmania).

ADDRESS. "Woollahra," Lexington Avenue, Hamilton, Brisbane.

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MRS. E. G. OXLEY (Nellie Murray).

Born and educated in Brisbane, Queensland. Wife of Edward Griffith Oxley, Esq., of Messrs. Henry J. Oxley & Son, Chartered Accountants (Aust.), Brisbane.
Family, one son and one daughter; Jim and Nell.

ACTIVITIES: Member of the Harbour Lights Guild and first President, now Chairwoman of the Lightkeepers' Guild, which is one of the activities of the Seamen's Mission that entertains the men from overseas and inter-State ships during their sojourn in Brisbane. The Guild consists of Chairwoman, Secretary, Treasurer, and four Matrons who have the assistance of the younger members of the Guild, who entertain the seamen, serve them with refreshments which they provide out of funds raised from dances, bridge parties and various other sources. This hospitality is much appreciated by the seamen from whom letters are received from all parts of the world. As a young girl, Mrs. Oxley often attended functions arranged by Miss M. Ogg for visiting seamen. These entertainments were afterwards continued by Mrs. Proctor, and eventually became the Mission to Seamen which is now controlled by the Flying Angel Mission in London. These early associations stimulated the love which Mrs. Oxley displayed to-day in her enthusiastic work for this same institution. During the six years her husband occupied the position of President of the Alliance Francaise of Brisbane, Mrs. Griffith Oxley acted as hostess at the many functions which took place and entertained the Commandants and Officers of visiting French boats. Before her marriage, Mrs. Griffith Oxley was well known for her work in connection with various charitable institutions.

HOBBIES: Music, painting, golf and gardening.

CLUBS: Brisbane Women's and the Shakespeare Society.

ADDRESS: "Hine-Moa," Wellington Street, Clayfield, Brisbane.

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MRS. PALMER (Mary Susan).

Born at Castlebrook, Victoria; daughter of the late Henry Vincent Geary and the late Mrs. Jane Geary (nee Govett). Widow of Thomas William Palmer, grazier, of Offham Station, Queensland.

Family, two sons and three daughters: Henry M., Thomas N., Leila L., Jean L., and Barbara (Mrs. W. T. Suche).

ACTIVITIES. Mrs. Palmer with her husband took up land which was a portion of Coongoola Station in the Cunnamulla district, on the Warrego River, in the pioneer days, when Cobb & Co. coaches and bullock teams were the only means of transport. The family also had grazing interests at Dalby, Queensland.

ADDRESS. Hotel Canberra, Toowoomba, Queensland.

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MRS. M. G. C. PASCO (Beryl Lockwood).

Born at Rockhampton, Queensland; eldest daughter of the late John Lockwood Graham and the late Mrs. Georgina Graham (nee Duckett White), pioneer grazier family of Toowoomba and formerly of Tabragalba, Beaudesert, and Calliope, Gladstone District. Educated at Toowoomba and Sydney, New South Wales. Wife of Montague Gordon Charles Pasco.

Family, one son and one daughter: Crawford Graham and Ruth Emmerton (Mrs. Alexander C. Townsend) of England.

ACTIVITIES. During the Great War was Instructress of Spinning in New Zealand for soldiers' apparel and comforts.

HOBBIES. Woodcarving, tapestry and gardening.

ADDRESS. "Greenacre," The Range, Toowoomba, Queensland.

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MISS PATEN (Eunice Muriel), A.R.R.C.

Daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Paten, of Walton, Ashgrove, Brisbane. Educated at the Misses Jardine's School, Brisbane Girls' Grammar School, and Brisbane Girls' High School (Somerville House).

PROFESSION. Nurse. Member of the Australian Trained Nurses' Association.

ACTIVITIES. One of the first four nurses to sail from Queensland with the troops during the Great War of 1914-18, leaving with the original 9th Battalion in the "Omrah." Served in Egypt, England and France.

Was owner and Matron of Holyrood Private Hospital, Brisbane, for sixteen years. Since 1924 has been Principal Matron of the 1st Military District, Queensland, and represented the Queensland A.I.F. Sisters at the Coronation of King George VI. and Queen Elizabeth, in 1937. Is Hon. Secretary of the Queensland Bush Nursing Association.

HOBBY. Gardening.

CLUBS. Lyceum and Brisbane Women's.

ADDRESS. Walton, Ashgrove, Brisbane.

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MISS M. L. PATEN (Mabel Lillian).

Born at Walton, Waterworks Road, Ashgrove, Brisbane. Daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Paten, pioneers of English birth. Educated at the Misses Jardine's Private School, and Brisbane Girls' Grammar School.

PROFESSION. Author.

WORKS. "Frances of the Farm" (Novel, now out of print); "The Adventure Elves" (Australian Fairy Elves); Numerous short stories.

ACTIVITIES. Member of the Fellowship of Australian Writers. Founder and Life Vice-President Queensland Branch of the Lyceum Club (London). Formerly Hon. Minute Secretary of the Queensland Women's Electoral League, and a Member of the Royal Automobile Club of Queensland's Transport Corps during the Great War 1914-18.

HOBBY. Gardening.

CLUB. Lyceum.

ADDRESS. Walton, Ashgrove, Brisbane (on the estate purchased by John Paten (Grandfather) before Separation).

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MISS PEARCE (Ida Elizabeth Horton), A.T.N.A., J.P.

Born at Crow's Nest, Queensland and educated in Queensland. Daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Pearce, grazier of Crow's Nest.

ACTIVITIES. In 1917 Sister Pearce entered the Army Service as a nurse at Rosemount, and in the same year sailed for India in the S.S. Wiltshire with the Australian Army Nursing Service and was stationed at Bombay and Quetta for twelve months. Returning to Australia in 1919 Miss Pearce carried on nursing in Melbourne and Sydney until her return to Queensland, where she entered St. Martin's Hospital and remained there until she was appointed Matron of St. Denis Private Hospital, Toowoomba.

HOBBY. Gardening.

CLUB. Anzac Returned Sisters' Club

ADDRESS. Edward Street, Brisbane.

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MRS. P. PEASE (Agnes).

Born at Dalby, Queensland, and educated at Monte St., Angela, Sydney, New South Wales. Wife of the Hon. Percy Pease, M.L.A., Deputy Leader of the Labour Party in Queensland.

Family, one son and four daughters: Jack, Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. Crowley, Mrs. Bowery, and Mrs. T. Crowley.

ACTIVITIES. President of the Women's Section of the Social Service League. On the Committee of the King George V. Memorial Home, and does considerable work for various Convents

HOBBY. Gardening.

CLUB. Queensland Women's Club.

ADDRESS. Sargeant Road, New Farm, Brisbane, Queensland.

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MRS. E. J. PEEL (Olive Sophie).

Born at Gympie, Queensland; daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Potter, pioneers of the Gympie district. Educated at the Maryborough Girls' Grammar School. Wife of Edward Jas. Peel, Esq., retired.

ACTIVITIES. Diocesan Secretary of the Women's Auxiliary of the Australian Board of Missions, and a member of the Weavers Club which is a sub-committee of the Women's Auxiliary. Patroness of the Girls' Sunshine Gymnastic Club at St. Andrew's Church of England, South Brisbane.

A Vice-President of the Kurilpa District Eisteddfod. Member of the National Council of Women.

Mrs. Peel is at present working in the interests of the Red Cross.

HOBBIES. Music, gardening and practical work for missions.

ADDRESS. "Carisbrook," 185 Vulture Street, South Brisbane.

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MRS. PEREL (Henrietta).

Born at Ipswich, and educated at Maryborough, Queensland. Widow of Irvine Perel, Journalist.

ACTIVITIES. President of the Ladies' Social Committee of the Ambulance, for which she runs monthly Bridge Parties, and Vice-President of the Limbless Soldiers' Ladies' Committee. Member of St. Mark's Guild and is also a keen worker for various charities.

HOBBY. Reading.

CLUB. Windsor Croquet Club.

ADDRESS. "Patria," 421 Sandgate Road, Albion, Brisbane.

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MRS. C. D. PERSSE (Violet Vivian).

Born at Gayndah, Queensland, and educated at the Girl's Grammar School, Brisbane. Wife of Charles Dudley Persse, Esq., grazier of Queensland. Family, two sons and two daughters: Dudley, William, Pamela (Mrs. P. P. Cooper) and Nancy.

ACTIVITIES. A Past President of the Ladies' Guild of Beaudesert. Mrs. Persse holds the Red Cross certificate for four years devoted service during the Great War.

HOBBY. Gardening.

CLUB. Moreton (Committee Member).

ADDRESS. "Tabragalba," Beaudesert, Queensland.

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MATRON PETERS (Jessie Eileen).

Born in Brisbane, and educated at Ipswich, Queensland.

ACTIVITIES. After training, during which Matron Peters obtained her General, Obstetric and Child Welfare certificates, she nursed in private hospitals in Brisbane, Tweed Heads, and Maryborough. In 1933 the Queensland Society for Crippled Children established a home in Taringa, which was later moved to Corinda, and Sister Peters was appointed Matron. In this home, which now has accommodation for 90 children, all kinds of handicraft, including pottery and leather-work are taught to the children, who keep regular school hours as well. The older children are taught trades, and they are encouraged to keep gardens, the girls being instructed also in Domestic Science. The Home appointments include a Medical Gymnasium and a curative pool which, it is hoped, will be ready for use in the summer.

HOBBIES. Reading and gardening.

ADDRESS. Montrose Home, Consort Street, Corinda, Brisbane.

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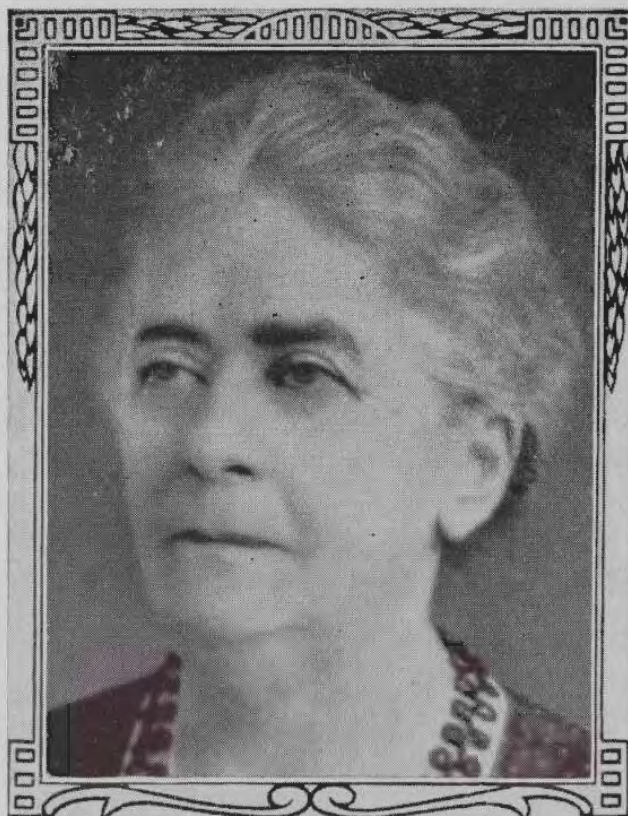


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LADY PHILP (Mina Fraser).

Born at Toowoomba, Queensland, and educated at Mrs. O'Connor's School at Oxley, Brisbane. Wife of Sir Robert Philp, K.C.M.G.

ACTIVITIES. Vice-President of the Australian Comforts Fund in the Great War and is at present a member. Did considerable work with the Red Cross during the Great War. Member of the Dickens Fellowship.

HOBBIES. Music, reading and gardening.

CLUB. Dickens Fellowship.

ADDRESS. "Lockaber," Albion, Brisbane

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MRS. BRUCE PIE (Jean Margaret).

Born and educated at Brisbane. Wife of Arthur Bruce Pie, Esq., Company Director.

Family, five sons and one daughter: Bruce, David, Denis, James, Geoffrey and Donagh Jane.

CLUB. Dana.

ADDRESS. "Ravenscray," Lawes Street, Hamilton, Brisbane, and "Kirkcaldy," Southport, Queensland.

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MRS. E. R. B. PIKE (Lucy Ethel)

Born in Ipswich, Queensland, and educated at Erica College, England, and in Paris and Germany. Wife of Captain Eustace Royston Baum Pike.

Family, two sons: Eric Royston John Baum and Royston Joseph Baum.

ACTIVITIES. District Commissioner of Girl Guides, on the board of the Y.W.C.A., and is interested in much public and charitable work. Mrs. Pike is an Officer of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem.

HOBBIES. Tennis, riding, gardening and dogs.

CLUB. Brisbane Women's Club.

ADDRESS. "The Moorings," Virginia Avenue, Hawthorne, Brisbane.

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MISS von PLOENNIES (Hildegund), Ph.C., M.P.S.

Born in Brisbane, and educated at All Hallows Convent, and graduate of the Pharmacy College, Brisbane. Daughter of the late F. W. von Ploennies, a former Imperial German Consul, and a grand-daughter of the late Hon. J. M. Macrossan. **ACTIVITIES.** Hon. Assistant Secretary of the Mothercraft Association. Hon. Treasurer for Association for the Welfare of Mental Deficients. Vice-Chairwoman of the Victoria League Young Contingent. Besides giving many miscellaneous talks from the National Stations in Queensland, Miss von Ploennies has done a considerable amount of broadcasting in the interests of the Mothercraft Association.

HOBBIES. Fishing and gardening.

CLUB. Lyceum.

ADDRESS. "Austwick," Batman Street, Clayfield, Brisbane.

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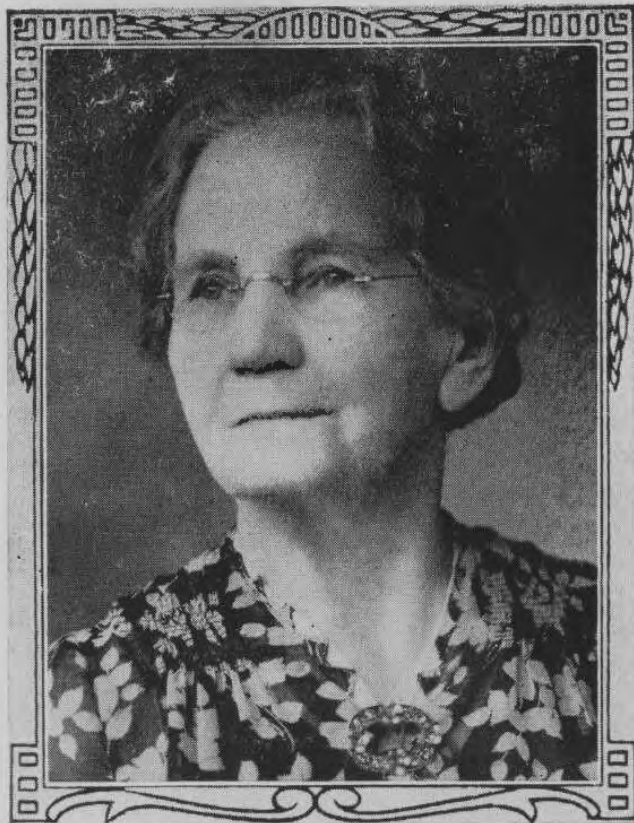


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MRS. PUMFREY.

Born at Abergarvenny, Wales, and educated in London. Widow of John Pumfrey. Family, four sons and two daughters.

ACTIVITIES. Chairwoman of the Valley Branch of the Creche and Kindergarten for which she has worked for fifteen years. Member of the Country Women's Association. Keenly interested, and active in Church Guild work.


HOBBIES. Reading, gardening and knitting.

ADDRESS. "Tuchekoi," Zillman Road, Hendra, Brisbane.

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MRS. V. W. RANSOME (Tessa Lillian).

Born at St. Kilda, Victoria, and educated at Geelong, Victoria. Wife of Vincent William Ransome, Esq., Auctioneer, of Warwick, Queensland. Family, one son and one daughter: Basil Vernon and Meta Lillian.

ACTIVITIES. Committee member of the Children's Playground Association. Member of the Women's Central Committee of the Queensland Adult Deaf and Dumb Mission. Mrs. Ransome is also active in the interests of the Red Cross.

HOBBIES. Reading and golf.

ADDRESS. "Chiverton," Gregory Terrace, Brisbane.

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MRS. B. C. RICHARDS (Mary Josephine).

Born in Ipswich, Queensland, and educated by Sisters of Mercy at Brisbane. Wife of Bertie Cecil Vere Richards, Esq., Engineer, of the firm of B. C. Richards & Co. Family, four sons and one daughter: Bernard, Leonard, Graham, Brian and Noreen.

ACTIVITIES. President of the Catholic Daughters of Australia; Member of the Committee of the Children's Mater Hospital; President of the Social Committee for the Winstanes College; President of the Catholic Women's Comfort Fund; and is on the Executive of the National Voluntary Register.

HOBBIES. Motoring, reading and music.

ADDRESS. 42 Adelaide Street, Clayfield, Brisbane.

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MRS. M. ROBERTSON (Mona Siddins), J.P.

Born in Roma, Queensland, and educated at Miss Jardine's School, Brisbane. Widow of Walter Thomas Robertson, M.B.W., who was Chairman of the Red Cross Society from 1916 until his death in 1938.

Family, two sons: Walter Thomas, Scientist, and Jack Siddins, Solicitor; the eldest son, Francis James Kearsey, having been killed in action in 1917.

ACTIVITIES. Mrs. Robertson has worked for the Red Cross Society since the outbreak of the War and has been a member of the Executive, and is now one of the Senior Vice-Presidents. She is also a Foundation member of the Ardoyne Consumptive Hospital Committee. Recipient of the Red Cross Medal for 25 years' service.

CLUB. Moreton.

ADDRESS. "Iona," Lambert Road, Indooroopilly, Brisbane.

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MRS. EDGAR ROBINSON (Christina Patterson), J.P.

Born in Scotland, and educated in Scotland and Brisbane. Wife of George Edgar Hanson Robinson, Esq., J.P., retired, ex-chief Inspector for Queensland of the Australian Mutual Fire Assurance Co., Brisbane.

ACTIVITIES: President of the King George V. Memorial Home Committee, President of the Christmas Tree Committee for Incapacitated and Wounded Sailors' and Soldiers' Association, of which she is also a Life-Member, Patroness of the Goodna ex-members of the R.S.S.I.L.A. Outing Appeal, Patroness of the Snowball League which is connected with the Incapacitated and Wounded Sailors' and Soldiers' Association, and is connected with the T.B. Sailors and Soldiers, District Nursing Association, Children's Welfare, Baby's Day, Enoggera Boy's Home, St. Martin's League, Anzac Club, Brick Day, Australia Day, Wattle Day, the Red Cross, Cancer Campaign, Y.W.C.A., Queensland Social Service, Children's Hospital, Queensland Ambulance Transport Brigade, Queensland Bursary Fund, the Royal Society of St. George, Missions to Seamen, Children's Welfare Association, Creche and Kindergarten, Children's Playground Association, Cyclone Relief Fund, the Mater Misericordiae Private Hospital, Queensland War Nurses' Fund, Commonwealth Loan, the Boy Scouts' Association, Social Institute, Australian Relief Fund for Stricken Europe Poppy Day, Memorial Day Committee and Anzac Day Committee, Boys' and Girls' Summer Camps, Bush Children's Seaside Homes, Q.W.R.C. (Voluntary Recruiter), Australian Comforts Fund, Church Army Recreation Hut, St. Christopher's Lodge, Brookfield Boys' Home, William Powell Home. Connected with charitable appeals too numerous to record.

In 1939, Mrs. Robinson topped the street collections in Brisbane for Anzac Day with £203/0/10, and the amounts collected by Mrs. Robinson in her charitable work are computed to exceed £100,000. Was presented with a gold brooch by the Incapacitated and Wounded Sailors' and Soldiers' Associations of which she was President.

Life Member's Certificate and Life Governor's Certificate for the Children's Hospital.

HOBBIES: Reading, tennis and croquet.

ADDRESS: "Sedgebrook," 27 Sedgebrook Street, Wickham Terrace, Brisbane.

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MISS ROSENSTENGEL (Eva Marie).

Born at Toowoomba; daughter of the late Mr. Richard Rosenstengel and the late Mrs. Margaret Rosenstengel (nee Moynihan).

ACTIVITIES. Governing Director of Messrs. Rosenstengels Pty., Ltd., the oldest firm in Toowoomba, having begun business 63 years ago. Patron of the Younger Set of St. Vincent's Hospital. President of the Association of the City Golf Club. Interested in charitable work.

INTERESTS. Collecting china and antiques.

HOBBY. Gardening.

CLUB. Town and Country Club.

ADDRESS. "Hochheim," Ruthven Street, Toowoomba, Queensland.

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MRS. G. SAMPSON (Amy Winifred).

Born in Brisbane, second daughter of the late Hon. W. F. Taylor, M.D., M.L.C. Educated at the Brisbane Grammar School. Wife of George Sampson, Esq., F.R.C.O., City Organist, and Conductor of the former State and Municipal Orchestra.

Family, two sons and one daughter: Squadron-Leader George Edward Sampson, R.A.F., Robert Waldon, and Neæra (Mrs. Charles Bassett).

ACTIVITIES. For many years Mrs. Sampson was the Honorary Pianist of the State and Municipal Orchestra, and was associated with several musical and other educational bodies, including the English and Modern Languages Association, the Brisbane Shakespeare Society, and the Queensland Musical Association. She is also a member of the League of Nations Union and the Victoria League, and is an Executive member of the Mothers' Union.

INTERESTS. Music and literature.

CLUB. Moreton Club.

ADDRESS. Moray Street, New Farm, Brisbane.

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MATRON SAVAGE (Mathilde), A.T.N.A.

Born in Toowoomba, Queensland; daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Hebble of Queensland. Educated at Merritts Creek, and Perseverance Provisional Schools, Toowoomba district. Widow of Dr. Edward J. Savage.

ACTIVITIES. Matron of The Palms Private Hospital. Trained at the Brisbane General Hospital and afterwards nursed at the Mareeba District Hospital, where she was later appointed Matron. In 1915 Matron Savage continued her nursing activities at Byron Bay, New South Wales, where she assisted her husband. During Dr. Savage's absence at the War Matron Savage took an active interest in Red Cross work. Since her husband's return and after his death she has conducted private hospitals.

HOBBIES. Riding, tennis, croquet, cooking and gardening.

ADDRESS. The Palms Private Hospital, Shafston Avenue, Kangaroo Point, Brisbane.

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MISS SCHAUER (Amy).

Born and educated at Ashfield, New South Wales; daughter of Godfrey William Schauer, Esq.

ACTIVITIES. Miss Schauer's name is known throughout the Commonwealth and the Schauer Cookery Book is probably known throughout the English speaking world. Her work for the cooks of the Australian Army Corps in the Great War is also well recognised. Miss Schauer opened the first Domestic Science Cookery Department in Brisbane and Rural School Cookery Departments at Nambour and was Teacher-in-charge of the Cookery Section in the Domestic Science Branch of the Brisbane Technical College from which institution she was commissioned to introduce Cookery Sections into the various Technical Colleges in all the large towns in Queensland. As well as compiling and editing her famous Cookery Books, Miss Schauer has, for the past 40 years, judged the Cookery Section at various Shows.

Miss Schauer, in conjunction with a few other Christian workers, is the original founder of the Aged Christian Women's Home, which was the first of these institutions to be inaugurated in Queensland. This home is governed by a Council of which Miss Schauer is President and Directress, having held this office for over 30 years. She is now in permanent residence there and in charge of the Home. For 13 years Miss Schauer has worked for the Paper Boys' Free Breakfast, as well as maintaining a keen interest in Foreign Missionary activities, and will long be remembered for her splendid work which has been centred always among the needy and aged people of Brisbane.

ADDRESS. A.C.W. Home, Curphy Street, Bowen Terrace, New Farm, Brisbane.

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MISS SCHOLEFIELD (Annie Marjorie).

Born at "Weetwood," Toowoomba, Queensland; daughter of the late Richard William Scholefield of Leeds, Yorkshire, and the late Mrs. Scholefield of "Lorne," Maitland, New South Wales. Mr. Scholefield was Manager of "Alice Downs" on the Barcoo in the early seventies.

ACTIVITIES. State Secretary and Secretary of the Southern Division of the Queensland Country Women's Association, 1922-26, Secretary of the Southern Division 1926-31, State Secretary 1931-38. Hon. Secretary of the Toowoomba Branch of the Australian Comforts Fund 1916-19. Hon. Secretary of the Toowoomba and District Stricken European Fund 1922. President of the Women's Voluntary Register for National Service. Member of the Australian Comforts Fund Committee, Toowoomba. A Voluntary Aid Detachment member at the "Simla" Red Cross Convalescent Home, Toowoomba. Commandant of the present 1st Voluntary Aid Detachment, Toowoomba. Past Hon. Secretary for the Toowoomba and District Appeal for the St. Martins Church of England War Memorial Hospital of Brisbane. Past Hon. Secretary of the Toowoomba Riding Club. Past Hon. Secretary of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. Deputy President of the Glennie Old Girls' Association 1921-38, and present President of the Toowoomba Branch of the Association. Miss Scholefield was the recipient of the Jubilee and Coronation medals.

HOBBIES. Gardening, golf and reading.

ADDRESS. "Weetwood," Toowoomba, Queensland.

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MRS. J. L. SELWOOD (Margaret Isabel).

Born and educated at Cairns, Queensland; daughter of the late Mr. S. McKeeman and Mrs. S. McKeeman, Gordonvale, North Queensland. Wife of Dr. James Leigh Selwood, M.B., B.S. (Melb.).

Family, Two daughters: Margaret and Ailsa.

ACTIVITIES. Committee member and organiser for the Nurses' Rest Home. Committee member of the Mothercraft Association. Bridge Convener of the Lady Mayoress' Charity Bridge. Committee member of the Adult Deaf and Dumb Mission. Member of the Standing Committee of the Women's College. Helper for the District Nurses. Member of the National Council of Women and the Country Women's Association. Life member of the Australian Trained Nurses' Association. Principal of the Women's Reserve Emergency Naval Service.

HOBBIES. Gardening and music.

CLUB. Brisbane Women's Club.

ADDRESS. Tarrangower, Lisburn Street, East Brisbane.

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MRS. M. SHANNON (Margaret) (deceased).

Born at Umbercollie Station (then known as Yambacollie) on the McIntyre River, New South Wales; daughter of Mr. Jonathan Young, a pioneer squatter who "blazed the trail" in the far south-west of Queensland, and of Mrs. Margaret Young (nee Fitzgerald). Married John Shannon, Grazier, of Salt Bush Park, McKay, North Queensland, and of Wyalla, Toowoomba. Pioneer family.

Family, eight sons and four daughters; Jonathan, Rowland, Elvyn, John, Cyril, Val, Alan, Eric (deceased), Mabel (Mrs. Norman McIntyre), Olive (Mrs. J. C. Richardson), Jane and Ruby (Mrs. T. Macleod, deceased).

ACTIVITIES: Mrs. Shannon came to Queensland as a young bride from New South Wales, first making her home near Rockhampton. After some years there Mr. and Mrs. Shannon went to Lilyvale on Crinum Creek, and finally at Salt Bush Park, St. Lawrence, Queensland, where the family home was permanently established. This property is now owned by her youngest surviving son, Mr. Alan Shannon.

Mrs. Shannon was one of the originators and first Committee members of the Bush Nursing Association. Her many various trying experiences in rendering first aid and nearly all her children being born in the bush at great distances from a doctor with only an untrained mid-wife in attendance taught her the great necessity for such an Association. She was a life member of, and keen worker of the "Mothers' Union," Queensland Ambulance and Benevolent Societies.

St. Margaret's Church of England, Nebo (the nearest township to Salt Bush Park) has been erected to her memory by her children, and the people of the district.

Mrs. Shannon, who died in 1916, was the first white child born in the Goondiwindi district (then New South Wales) in 1847.

The last few years of her life were spent at "Wyalla," Toowoomba, which is still owned by the family.

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MRS. SOWDEN (Sarah Ann), J.P.

Born at Aberdeen, Scotland, and educated in Brisbane. Wife of Sam Sowden, J.P., of the Queensland Railway Department.

Family, three sons: Ronald (killed in action in the Great War), Alan (deceased), and Lieutenant Kenneth Collins on Active Service.

ACTIVITIES. Carried out much Red Cross work during the War for which she was awarded a certificate, and was also the Matron in a Y.W.C.A. Hostel. Mrs. Sowden raised hundreds of pounds in various kinds of War work. Founder and President of the Graceville Bridge Circle which raises money for charities in the district. Founder and President of the Graceville Croquet Club and Foundation President of the Queensland Croquet Association.

HOBBIES. Home duties and croquet.

ADDRESS. "Dalkeith," Kathleen Street, Corinda, Brisbane.

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MRS. A. B. STARK (Amy B.).

Born at St. Paul's Churchyard, London, and educated at Saltaire Girls' Grammar School, Yorkshire. Wife of Alexander B. Stark, Esq., member of the firm of Allan & Stark Ltd., of Brisbane.

ACTIVITIES. President of the Women's Auxiliary to the Australian Board of Missions for 21 years and is now a member of the Australian Board of Missions representing the province of Queensland. Chairwoman and buyer for the Weavers' Club. On the Executive of the Red Cross, for which she has worked since the outbreak of the War 1914, and also Hon. Secretary and Buyer for the Ardoyne Red Cross Hospital, Corinda, 13 years, for advanced tubercular cases. Mrs. Stark was formerly Senior Vice-President of the Seamen's Mission, of which she is now a Life Member; she has received a medal as a life member of Missions to Seamen, and has worked for this cause for seventeen years. During the War Mrs. Stark was the Hon. Secretary for the Anzac Club Hostel, which provided meals and beds for the soldiers and was run in connection with the Church of England. She has also worked for the Lady Goodwin's Sewing Circle, buyer for St. Martin's League, and was the organiser for the Hickson Healing Mission and at the request of Lady Gould-Adams helped to put the Queensland State Girl Guides' Association on a strong footing. She was responsible for organising a "Musical Matinee" in the City Hall in aid of the Women's War Memorial and the Missions to Seamen. Mrs. Stark is now engaged in work with the Red Cross Emergency Service. Recipient of the Red Cross Medal for 20 years unbroken service.

HOBBIES. Music, sewing and reading.

ADDRESS. "Moreena" Flats, 6 Macgregor Terrace, Paddington Heights, Brisbane, W.2.

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MISS STEELE (Emily).

Born in Brisbane, daughter of William Steele, M.P.S., of Howden, Yorkshire, and educated at Mrs. O'Connor's School, and the Brisbane Girls' Grammar School.

ACTIVITIES. Miss Steele is a Vice-President of the Women's Christian Temperance Union of Queensland, and President of the East Brisbane Branch. She is also Superintendent of the Literature Department, Treasurer of the Women's Christian Temperance Union Refreshment Booth at the Brisbane Exhibition, and Recording Secretary of the National Council of Women, as well as being Secretary of the World's Fellowship Committee of the Young Women's Christian Association.

HOBBIES. Reading and Choral work.

ADDRESS. 1 Withington Street, East Brisbane.

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MISS TAYLOR (Edith Kate).

Born at Ipswich, Queensland; daughter of the late Edward Taylor, well-known Brisbane identity. Educated at Southport, Queensland.

ACTIVITIES. Member of the Weaver's Club. Active worker for the Church and many of the charitable organisations in Brisbane. Subscriber and helper for the Reformed Deaf and Dumb Associations. Past Vice-President of St. Andrew's Sunshine Club and a worker for many years in the Church of England Soldiers Help Society, as well as a member of the Ladies Harbour Lights Guild and Mission to Seamen.

HOBBIES. Gardening, knitting and the house.

ADDRESS. 29 Sefton Avenue, Clayfield, Brisbane.

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MISS TAYLOR (Martha), A.T.N.A., Q.T.N.A.

Born and educated at Warwick, Queensland. Daughter of the late John Taylor, of Maryvale Station, Queensland, and the late Mrs. Bessie Taylor (nee Page).

ACTIVITIES. Matron of the Finchley Private Hospital, Toowoomba. Trained in Brisbane and was for three and a half years Head Nurse at the Lady Bowen Hospital. Nine years Matron at the Mothers' Hospital, Toowoomba. In 1919 she opened Finchley Private Hospital. Matron Taylor has attended more than 4500 midwifery patients.

During the Great War Miss Taylor did much Red Cross work when her other duties at the Mother's Hospital permitted. Knitting being one of her accomplishments, she frequently knitted a sock a day.

ADDRESS. Finchley Private Hospital, Toowoomba, Queensland.

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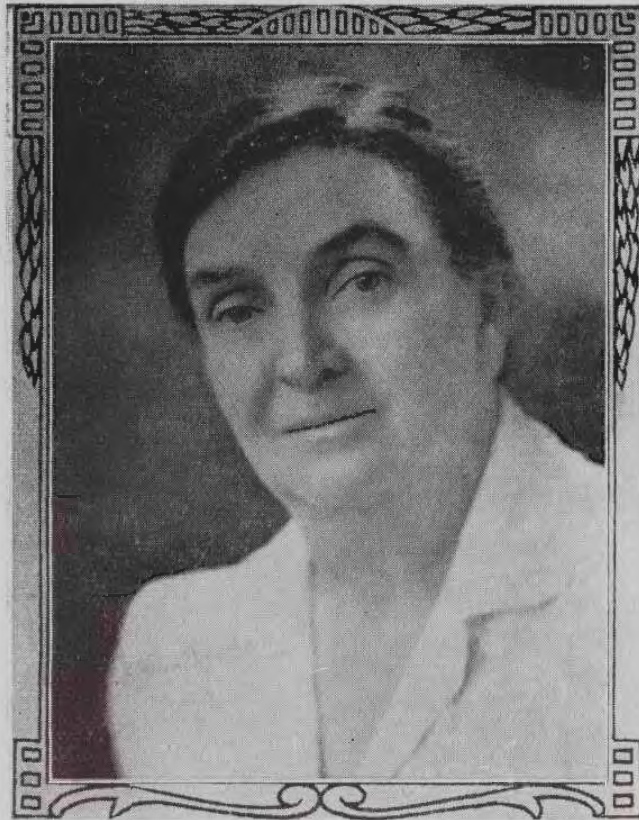


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MRS. C. L. G. TREWIN (Irene Winifred), L.L.B., J.P.

Youngest daughter of Jesse Paten, J.P., born at Walton, Ashgrove, Brisbane, and educated at the Brisbane Girls' Grammar School, the Brisbane Girls' High School, and the Melbourne University. Wife of Captain Charles Lester Gordon Trewin (Reserve of Officers), who is associated with the A.M.P. Society.

Family, two sons and three daughters: Charles Paten Trewin, John Scott Trewin, Elisabeth Paten Woodyard, Annette Lester Trewin, and Elinor Winifred Trewin.

ACTIVITIES. Mrs. Trewin was admitted to the Bar of the Supreme Court of Victoria and the High Court of Australia 1914. She is President of the West End branch of the Creche and Kindergarten; a member of the Council of the Bush Nurses' Association, and is on the Executive of the Lyceum Club.

HOBBY. Reading.

CLUB. Lyceum.

ADDRESS. "Dandenong," 90 Dornoch Terrace, Highgate Hill, Brisbane, S.I.

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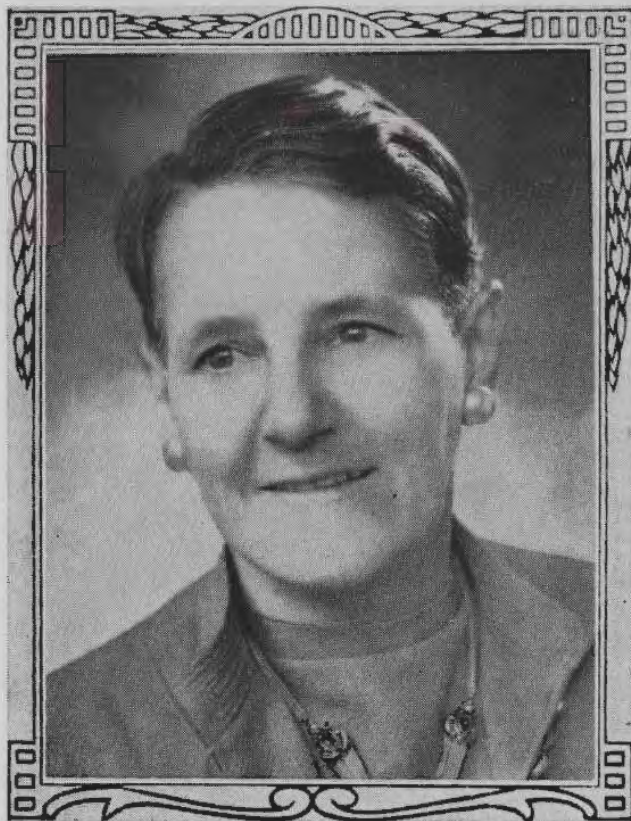


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MRS. J. C. TROTTER (Agnes Beatrice).

Born and educated at Sydney, New South Wales. Wife of James Cosser Trotter, Esq., Consulting Engineer.

Family, one son and two daughters: Jas. Elphinstone, Mary Agnes, B.Sc., and Florence Elizabeth (trained nurse).

ACTIVITIES. On the Executive Committee of the Brisbane Women's Club; on the Executive Committee of the Women's Section of the Social Service League; Treasurer of the Ladies' Committee of the Limbless Soldiers' Association; Treasurer of the Ladies' Ambulance Committee; Assistant Treasurer of the Ladies' Committee of the T.B. Soldiers' Association; Committee member of the Lady Mayoress' Charity Bridge Club; Queensland Country Women's Association Metropolitan Branch; helper at the Y.W.C.A. functions; is President of the Ladies' Committee of the Taringa Boy Scouts; on the Committee of the Junior Red Cross Association; on the Ladies' Committee for the Highland Ball since its inception, and was a Red Cross worker during the war. Treasurer of the League of Women Voters.

CLUB. Brisbane Women's Club.

ADDRESS. "Booreella," Stanley Terrace, Taringa, Brisbane.

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MRS. H. ST. J. TYRWHITT (Alice Noel).

Born at Narracourt, South Australia. Educated privately. Wife of Hugh St. John Tyrwhitt, Esq., Pastoralist.

Family, one son and one daughter: Richard Yorke and Mrs. G. S. LeStrange.

ACTIVITIES. Vice-President of the Girl Guides, Vice-President of the Bush Book Club. On the Committee of the Moreton Club, and on the Committee of the Paddington Creche.

HOBBIES. Reading and gardening.

CLUB. The Moreton Club.

ADDRESS. "Ketelby," Windermere Road, Ascot, Brisbane, and Yandarlo, Charleville District, Queensland.

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MATRON WALPOLE (Frances Grace).

Born at Hamilton, Victoria, and educated in Queensland.

ACTIVITIES. Matron Walpole has her General, Obstetric and Child Welfare certificates, and after her training, took the position of Matron of the South Warrego District Hospital. When the War broke out she enlisted for overseas service, and worked through the four years of the War at Lemnos, Egypt, England and France. Upon her return to Australia she became Matron of the Nanango Hospital, after which Matron Walpole took her Child Welfare certificate, doing temporary work in the Baby Clinics for eight months. In September, 1927, she was appointed Matron of the Wilson Ophthalmic School Hostel which comes under the Department of Health and Home Affairs, where she is to-day.

HOBBIES. Reading (Ancient and Modern history and poetry).

ADDRESS. Wilson Ophthalmic School Hostel, Tenth Avenue, Windsor, Brisbane.

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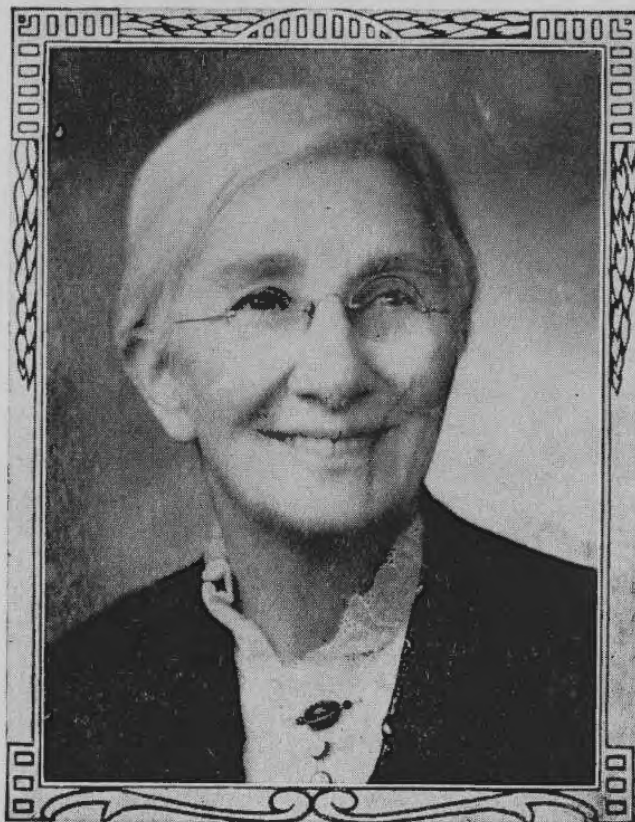


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MISS F. M. WALPOLE (Florence Maude).

Born in Hamilton, Victoria, and educated in Queensland.

ACTIVITIES. Miss Walpole has her General, Obstetric and Child Welfare certificates, and began her career as Staff Nurse in the Bundaberg Hospital. Later she was appointed Matron of the Walsh District Hospital, the Texas District Hospital, the Mount Perry District Hospital, and of a private hospital in Laidley. Her next appointment was as Sister of the Valley Baby Clinic, in which capacity she worked for thirteen years, and has now retired.

HOBBY. Gardening.

ADDRESS. Dover Street, Wilston, Brisbane.

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MRS. W. A. C. WENDORF (Ada Laurie).

Born at Warwick, Queensland, and educated in New South Wales. Wife of W. A. C. Wendorf, Esq., J.P., Treasurer of the Queensland Council of Churches and Treasurer of the Churches of Christ Conference.

Family, one son and three daughters: Burnett, B.A., Mabel (Mrs. W. Keeble, A.L.C.M.), Ruby (Mrs. R. Hinrichsen), A. Mus. A., Queenie, B.A. (a teacher at the High School, Nambour, Queensland).

ACTIVITIES. Foundation member and President of the Ladies' Committee of Sunsetholme for Aged People, which was established 16 years ago. Mrs. Wendorf has travelled through the United States of America and Canada and whilst there studied similar institutions. She is active in the interests of the Church of Christ and was President of the Women's State Conference for 14 years, in which capacity she attended a World Convention in United States of America. Travelling Queensland, Mrs. Wendorf collected £500 towards the building of two churches. A member of the Social Service Ladies' Committee of the Church of Christ. A Committee member of the Brisbane City Mission for the past 15 years. A member of the National Council of Women. Past-President of the Clayfield branch of the Zenana Medical Mission.

HOBBY. Sewing.

ADDRESS. "Heatherleigh," Waterworks Road, Ashgrove, Brisbane.

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Photo by Ranald Simmonds.

MRS. W. WHATMORE (Mary Chippendale).

Born in Sydney, and educated at Redlands, New South Wales. Wife of Warwick Whatmore, Esq., Managing Director of Messrs. J. Hargreaves and Sons Pty., Ltd., Brisbane.

Family, two sons: Audree and Anthony.

ACTIVITIES. Interested in Brisbane and Valley Creche and Kindergarten. Trained, and received diploma for Kindergarten work in Sydney.

HOBBIES. Music, reading, tennis and surfing.

ADDRESS. Kitchener Road, Ascot, Brisbane.

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MRS. D. WIENHOLT (Emily Joan), J.P.

Born at Ambleside, Westmoreland, England, and educated at Helidon, Queensland. Wife of Daniel Wienholt, Esq., grazier, of "Fassifern," Queensland. Family, one son and two daughters: William Frederick, Barbara Hutton and Ellen Brenda (Mrs. R. K. Wetherell).

ACTIVITIES. Member of the Council and the Special Representative of the New Settlers' League in Queensland. Executive Member of the National Council of Women, Hon. Secretary of the National Women's Emergency Legion, Executive Member of the Charity Organisation Society, Treasurer of the Willmore Discussion Club, Council Member of the Queensland Women's Electoral League, and Correspondence Secretary of the Women's Voluntary National Register. Committee member Sailors and Soldiers Church of England Help Society.

HOBBIES. Spinning and knitting.

CLUB. Brisbane Women's Club.

ADDRESS. "Laugharne," Park Avenue, East Brisbane.

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MISS WILSON (Sara), J.P.

Born in Glasgow, Scotland, and educated privately in Glasgow. Daughter of the late Reverend Edward Wilson, Congregational Minister for more than 50 years.

ACTIVITIES. Miss Wilson has been associated with the Y.W.C.A. for 25 years, seven of which she held the position of General Secretary, and in appreciation of her work, she was appointed a Life Vice-President of the Association.

During the War Miss Wilson was a Welfare Officer in the Repatriation Department, and other offices she has held include President of the Brisbane Tramways Branch of the Red Cross, State Treasurer of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, Secretary of the Brisbane Benevolent Society, member of the Council of the Justice's Association of Queensland, President of the Redcliffe branch of the Queensland Country Women's Association, member of the New Settler's League, Treasurer for a term of the National Council of Women, President of the Redcliffe branch of the Social Service League, and Treasurer of the Queensland Congregational Women's Association.

Miss Wilson is at present President of the Redcliffe Committee of the Queensland Bush Children's Health Scheme, and on the Committee of the Marsden Home for Boys.

HOBBY. Needlework.

ADDRESS. 79 Bonney Avenue, Clayfield, Brisbane.

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MRS. D'ARCY WINTEN (Ruby).

Born at Allora, Queensland, and educated in Brisbane. Wife of D'Arcy Winten, grazier, of "Augellala Downs," Morven, and "Rosalie Plains," Oakey, Queensland.

Family, one son and one daughter: Lex and D'Arcy.

ACTIVITIES. Well-known in Station life and racing circles. Only lady owner of the Ledger Ribbon in Queensland.

HOBBIES. Home, gardening, motoring and picnic racing.

ADDRESS. "Smithfield," Toowoomba, Queensland.

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MISS WIPPELL (Miriam E.).

Born at St. George, Queensland; daughter of Charles Rowdon Wippell, Esq., grazier of Queensland.

ACTIVITIES. On Committee of Royal Queensland Golf Club for past four years, and is at present Handicap Manager.

Miss Wippell served in Lady Goodwin's Driving Corps for District Nurses.

CLUBS. R.Q.G. and the Dana Clubs.

ADDRESS. "Eltham," Hillside Crescent, Hamilton, Brisbane.

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MRS. W. T. WOOLLEY (Euphemia Garrioch Douglas).

Born at Glasgow, Scotland, and educated at Surat, Queensland. Wife of William Thomas Woolley, Esq., of the Education Department and State Children's Department, Queensland.

Family, two sons: Victor William and Theodore Alexander.

DECORATION. Australian Red Cross Long Service Medal.

ACTIVITIES. Prior to her marriage, Mrs. Woolley was a school teacher in Queensland. In August, 1914, she commenced Red Cross work and in 1915 was appointed Assistant Secretary to the Red Cross Society, and continued in that capacity until 1929, when she received the Secretaryship which she still holds.

HOBBY. Fancywork.

ADDRESS. 63, Latrobe Street, East Brisbane.

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**MRS. M. YOUNG (Margaret Fitzgerald Chapman)
(deceased).**

Born at Buttrvant, Ireland, in 1815. Married, 1836, Jonathan Young, a pioneer squatter of New South Wales, and later of South-west Queensland.

Family, two sons and five daughters (all now deceased).

Left an orphan at an early age, Mrs. Young came to New South Wales while still in her 'teens with an Uncle (Rev. Richard Fitzgerald) and his wife. After her marriage, Mrs. Young accompanied her husband on horse-back from Maitland to "Pulliman" station, on the Namoi River, a ride of hundreds of miles over bush tracks menaced by natives and snakes. It was at Pulliman station that four of her children were born and where also, two of her sons died without receiving medical attention because of the families isolation from help. Some years later Mr. and Mrs. Young and their two daughters journeyed further north where, on the McIntyre River they stocked a holding which Mr. Young named Yambacollie (now known as Umbercollie). Their third daughter, Margaret (afterwards Mrs. John Shannon) was the first white child to be born in this district. In 1869 Mr. and Mrs. Young sold the station and returned to the Hunter River where they bought an estate near Maitland and retired. Mrs. Young died in 1902 at the age of 88 and retained all her faculties to the last, particularly her Irish wit.

The Altar in the old Holy Trinity Church, Goondiwindi, beautifully carved by a grand-daughter, Ruby Margaret Shannon, was erected to the memory of Jonathan and Margaret Young and their daughters. This Altar has now been placed in the side chapel of the fine new edifice lately dedicated.

Part of the inscription on the old Altar reads: "The above were Pioneer Settlers of the Goondiwindi District, Mrs. Young and her daughters being the first white women on the McIntyre in 1845. Mr. Young built the first Church of England House of Prayer in the district . . ."

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