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Campbelltown District Family History Society

ABN 88 944 738 687

Meetings held on the First
Saturday of each month
(except January)

Place: In the Meeting Room,
Campbelltown
Library.

Time: 1.30 pm

ALL WELCOME

Annual Membership

Subscriptions:

Single.....\$20

Couple.....\$30

Name Badges..\$5.50 ea

Campbelltown District FHS Inc Meetings and Events

June, 2012

Saturday 2nd

Speaker - Angella Phippen - Stinking
Occupations of the Past.

July, 2012

Saturday 7th

Speaker - Ralph Hawkins - Dating Old
Photos.

August, 2012

Saturday 4th

AGM.

Discussion on Trove.

Denise's Social Column

Our trip out to the State Archives was a good day, everyone had some success in finding things, Pam & I found quite a few which was great.

I will be looking into booking a few outings in the next couple of months, the details will be in next months report.

Regards Denise
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Ireland Genealogy Projects Archives

The IGP Archives was created to help fill the need for free genealogical data about families originating in Ireland.

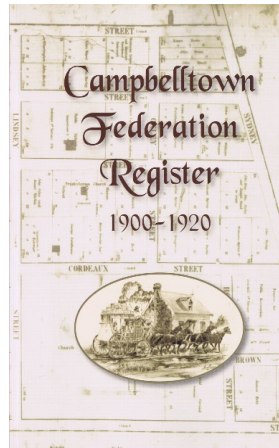
<http://www.igp-web.com/IGPArchives/>

Included are photos of headstones and a search facility by County.

Campbelltown Federation Register 1900 – 1920

\$30.00

Go to the website and click on "Shop".



Websites of Interest

* History Book Corner

<https://www.historybookcorner.com/>
Get instant access to thousands of family genealogy and U.S. history books from your PC and mobile devices.

* Online Historical Newspapers Website <http://sites.google.com/site/onlinenewspapersite/>

The purpose of the site is to have links to all online newspapers in one place, listed by county and city. It is meant to be used as an aid to genealogists, historians, and other researchers.

* The Ryerson Index to Contemporary Death Notices and Obituaries in Australian Newspapers

<http://www.ryersonindex.org/>
Indexes to death and obituary notices appearing in the two local daily newspapers in Sydney, AUS (Sydney Morning Herald and the Daily Telegraph). Updated monthly in respect of current entries, with back-indexing also in progress.

* BBC - History: Family History <http://www.bbc.co.uk/history/familyhistory/> BBC in the UK section on Family History. Links to How tos, research, photos and more.

* Romany/Gypsy Connections <http://romanyconnections.wetpaint.com/> A Romany site for those that find they have Romany in ancestors in England.

* Marriage Records <http://www.marriagerecords.org.uk/> A guide for researching marriage records, marriage certificates & the history of marriage in the UK.

* ShipIndex.org - Index to Ships in Books <http://www.shipindex.org/> ShipIndex.org tells you which books, magazines, and online resources mention the vessels you're researching.

New and Updated Ancestry.com Databases

Following is a list of databases included or updated onto Ancestry.com over the last month, available at the Campbelltown Library.

* Tasmania, Australia, Land Applications and Warrants, 1868-1887; Convict, Criminal, Land & Wills. [3,776 records].

* Tasmania, Australia, Immigrant Applications and Bounty Tickets, 1854-1887; Immigration & Travel. [3,579 records].

* Tasmania, Australia, Immigrant Lists, 1841-1884; Immigration & Travel. [34,055 records].

* UK, Poll Books and Electoral Registers, 1538-1893; Census & Electoral Rolls. [4,677,818 records].

* Middlesex, England, Convict Transportation Contracts, 1682-1787; Tax, Criminal, Land & Wills. [4,299 records].

* West Yorkshire, Non-Conformist Records, 1646-1985; Birth, Marriage & Death, including Parish. [602,876 records].

* England & Wales, National Probate Calendar (Index of Wills and Administrations), 1858-1966; Tax, Criminal, Land & Wills. [12,763,159 records].

* England & Wales, Death Index: 1916-2006. Birth, Marriage & Death, including Parish. [49,034,104 records].

* England & Wales, Marriage Index: 1916-2005; Birth, Marriage & Death, including Parish. [63,961,305 records].

* Web: Ireland, Burial Index, 1600-1927; Birth, Marriage & Death. [293,306 records].

* Tasmania, Australia, Passenger Arrivals, 1829-1957; Immigration & Travel. [403,852 records].

* 1911 England Census; Census & Electoral Rolls. [33,847,691 records].

* 1911 Wales Census; Census & Electoral Rolls. [2,460,733 records].

* Liverpool, Lancashire, England, Baptisms, Marriages and Burials, 1659-1812; Birth, Marriage & Death, including Parish. [199,696 records].

NSW State Archives Archives in Brief

Continuing the AIB series:

Go to -

<http://www.records.nsw.gov.au/state-archives/guides-and-finding-aids/archives-in-brief>

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Coastal Fortifications

This AIB provides a brief overview of the major sources held by State Records that relate to Coastal Fortifications.

Following are the topics for this AIB.

- * Background to the major fortifications
- * Port Jackson, Sydney
- * Bare Island Fort, Botany Bay
- * Fort Scratchley, Newcastle
- * Victoria Barracks, Sydney
- * Colonial Secretary's Correspondence
- * Government Architect
- * Maps and Plans
- * Federation

<http://www.records.nsw.gov.au/state-archives/guides-and-finding-aids/archives-in-brief/archives-in-brief-115>

Campbelltown and Airs Historical Society

Saturday, 23rd June 2012:

1.30 pm. At Glenalvon, 8 Lithgow St, Campbelltown.

Speaker: Andrew Allen – Local Studies Resources at Campbelltown Library.

Afternoon Tea will be provided.

Saturday, 7th July 2012:

Cavalcade of History and Fashion. 1.30 pm. Hyde Parade, Park Central.

The theme is "Between the Wars". Tickets are \$10.00 each. Tickets must be booked and paid for in advance.

Bookings: phone 46251822

Map of Adelaide 1849 now online

A high quality Map of Adelaide from 1849 is now online:

Plan Of Country Sections &c In The Immediate Vicinity Of The City Of Adelaide In The Province Of South Australia 1849.

<http://adelaide1849.com>

Courses for 2012

Sunday 1st July 2012,

An Irish Ancestry Course,
10.30 am -3.30pm.

Morning and Afternoon tea will be available, please bring your own lunch.
Cost \$5.00

Now Fully Booked Out

Sunday 12th August 2012.

New Zealand Research / Ancestry.com. 2 separate segments.

Morning and Afternoon tea will be available, please bring your own lunch.
2 separate courses here.
\$5.00 fee to cover costs

Sunday 16th September 2012.

Aboriginal Research / Asians in Australia Research. 2 separate segments.

Morning and Afternoon tea will be available, please bring your own lunch.
2 separate courses here.
\$5.00 fee to cover costs

Sunday 14th October 2012.

Find-My-Past course

Morning and Afternoon tea will be available, please bring your own lunch.
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Please contact Denise Baxter for bookings and more information on these events.

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