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Summary

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Series List and Descriptions

Biographical Notes and Correspondence

Item 1. Mary Gilmore: biographical notes.

  5ff.

Item 2. Donald Cameron and Marianne Beattie.

Item 4. Mary Gilmore: biographical notes.

Item 5. Sketch of a letter to Mr. Hughes plus signed carbon copy.

Item 6. Birthday Party in honour of Dame Mary Gilmore, OBE, at the Pickwick Club, Sydney [Program]. 22 August 1942


3ff. plus 9ff.

35 items.

Bannan, Elizabeth M.
Bennet, H.J.
Broadfoot, E.C.
Bunstek-Robinson, Hope M. (2 letters)
Cayley, Neville
Cousins, W.G.
Croll, R.H. (2 letters)
Downing, Brownie
Drummond, D. H.
Dunlea, T. V.
Heathcote, Wyndham
Hume, C. L.
Johnston, Robert
Jones, B. W.
King, Mary Truby
Lane, E. H.
Lawson, Neil
MacCallum, A.
Macinante, Olivia
Moore, Jay
Moore, William
Morrison, Douglas
O'Leary, L.
Peters, Charles H.
Sawyer, E.M. Elizabeth
Smith, Fargan
Stone, Abbie
Summers, George
Watkins, C. W.
Webb, Yvonne
Whelan, Phil & Edith (2 letters)
Signature illegible.

Item 8. Material Relating to Mary Gilmore's 91st Birthday

**Letters**

Item 9. Autograph or typescript letters by Mary Gilmore (10 letters). To:

Mr Reeve. 5.10.1928

Eileen Buckley 16.6.1943
Eileen? 18.6.1942
President, Henry Lawson Literary Society 17.6.1943
Editor, Sunday Sun 28.8.1942
Mr Cox 3.9.1942
Mr Vincent 18.6.1943
Anon. 8.5.1943

Last page only and name of recipient.
Miss Buckley 22.9.1943
Manager, Perpetual Trustee Co. 1.6.1944

Item 10. Letters to Mary Gilmore or concerning her.
Eileen Buckley & John Curtin - 1 letter and 2 telegrams re M. Gilmore's autobiography.
D., Jean. Letter to M. Gilmore.
Hayball, Doris. Letter to M. Gilmore.
Moore, Ivy. Letter to M. Gilmore.
Randwick Girl's High School. Letter to Mr Vincent.

Miscellaneous

Item 11. Broadcast for Australian Labour Party. Radio Station 2KY Women's Session. 8.5.1941

Item 12. Coronation ode with manuscript annotations.

5ff.

Typescript.

Names and addresses on verso.

Item 13. Mr Curtin. Speech by Curtin in honour of M. Gilmore and her reply.

**Newspaper Cuttings**

Item 15. 8 cuttings about M. Gilmore. (1942-1962)
Item 16. 10 cuttings about death of M. Gilmore. (1962)
Item 17. 1 folder, assorted cuttings. (1930-1963)

**Photographs**

Item 18. Black and white photographs of Mary Gilmore.
   5 items.

**Poetry**

   “Hunger” (12.12.58)
   “No foe shall gather our harvest.” (2 copies) Christmas 1942, 1 Jan 1943
   “We stand four square.” (2 copies) 26 Dec 1942
   1 typed page.
   Typescript

   1 item.
   2 facsimile copies of autographed poem.

Item 22. “I buried a child” and “They were my boys”. 
One typed page with manuscripts annotations, 1 page manuscript.

Item 23. To Hugh McCrae. (1944)

1 item.

1 typed page with ms note.

Item 24. Verses by my little son Billy. (1943)

Item 25. “Fourteen men.” (No date)

64 leaves of poetry.

Typescript with autograph. Press cuttings.

Item 26. “Nostalgia for beauty.”

1p.

Holog. ms.