

UQFL91 Sir J K Murray Collection

Size 14 boxes, 1 parcel

Contents Correspondence, pocket appointment diaries, scientific and technical papers,

notes, transcripts of lectures, photographs and other material principally

relating to Murray's activities in Papua New Guinea

Biography Sir Jack Keith Murray was born in 1889 in Brighton, Victoria. He was

appointed principal of the Queensland State Agricultural College (Gatton) in 1923 and became a professor of Agriculture at the University of Queensland

in 1929. He served as a colonel in the army in World War II and was commanding officer of the 25th (Darling Downs) Battalion in 1940. In

September 1945 he was appointed Administrator of the Australian territories of Papua and New Guinea, after the military administration left. He retired from that position in 1952. He was appointed to the University of Queensland

Senate in 1953 and died in 1980.

Notes Open access

The collection was rehoused in 2014 and box numbers were reallocated.

Refer to the chart at the end of this listing to convert old box numbers to new

numbers.

Box 1

1 visitor's book, 1 May 1951 to 11 April 1957

Pocket diaries for 1964, 1968, 1969, 1971, 1972 (2), 1973 (2)

Burton, Rev. J.W., *The pioneer: the story of Dr. George Brown*, Literature and Home Organization Dept., Methodist Overseas Missions, (n.d.)

Folder of correspondence

- From Rev. S.J. Rankin to Col. Murray. 16 Sept. 1975, re Murray's visit to New Guinea for Independence Celebrations.
- N.W. Briton, Director of Queensland Agricultural College, 23 June 1976. re naming of college library building as the 'J.K. Murray Library'.
- A. Inglis, 9 Oct. 1974 and 4 Sept. re Inglis' trip to Australia
- Zelman Cowen, Vice Chancellor of Q. University, 30 April 1970
- F.D.O. Fielding, Queensland University Librarian 17 Sept. 1968 re: Placement of paper for second Waigani Seminar in Fryer Library
- J. Woods, Chief Government Geologist, Queensland 25 Sept. 1972



- V.H. Parkinson, Aust. School of Pacific Administration, two letters dated 19 April 1971.
 Enclosed information about L.H.Q. School of Civil Affairs.
- Correspondence: Re J.S. Aoae's admission to legal profession: From W.B. Campbell President of the Bar Assoc. of Queensland, 27 June 1967
 G.H.G Smith, Secretary of Barrister's Board, Brisbane. 3 July 1967
- Handwritten draft of acceptance letter to Campbell 30 June 1967
- Press Release: Territory of Papua and New Guinea Administration, Port Moresby, 21 June 1967. Press Statement No. 45. "Papuan Gains Bachelor of Laws".

Correspondence: William (Bill) Granger:

- From M.A. Besley, Dept. External Territories, Canberra. 1 Dec. 1972. Re: Granger's application for a research fellowship.
- Draft letter from Murray to Belsey. 5 Dec. 1972
- Carbon copy of written reference for Granger
- From: Granger. 24 August 1973
- Granger. 1 December 1972
- Granger. 17 January 1974. Re his research topic: "The native policy of J.K Murray, with particular reference to native labour policy and native economic enterprises"./li>
- Correspondence thanking Murray for sending copy of paper re L.H.Q. School of Civil Affairs
- From Ted Ford. no date.
- Colin A. Hughes, Prof. of Political Science, University of Queensland, 2 July 1971
- T.G.H. Strehlow, Prof. of Australian Linguistics, Uni. Of Adelaide. 11 June 1971 (interesting material re Hasluck's policies in N.G. and N. Territory)
- C.D. Rowley, Prof. of Political Studies, Uni. of Papua & N.G. 22 1971
- R.B. Royce, Dept. of History, University of Queensland, 25 June 1971 (Murray's rough draft of reply written on bottom of letter)
- Ken Inglis. 16 June, 1971
- Major-General A.L. MacDonald. 18 June 1971 (also photocopy of this letter)
- Ian Hogbin 22 June 1971
- R. Douglas Wright 21 June 1971
- June Keyne (private secretary to C.E. Barnes, Minister for External Territories) 18 June 1971
- P. Skerman 17 June 1971
- P. Ryan 15 June 1971
- E.J. Britten, Prof. of Agriculture, Uni of Q. 11 June 1971
- Notes for speech (?) re "Tomorrow's citizens; what is their future?"
- Notes for speech (?)



- Handwritten manuscript: "The Allied Landforces (L.H.Q.) School of Civil Affairs, 1945-46: training junior officers for colonial administration" by J.K. Murrays, B.sc. Agr., B.A., Dip.Mil.Sc. Hon., D.Sc.m FAIAS.
- Rough notes for LHQSCA paper
- Three typewritten copies of LHQSCA paper
- Typewritten manuscript: "The future of New Guinea" by J.K. Murray

One folder

- Papua and N.G. Scientific Society Annual Reports for 1972 and 1975
- Thanks Badge awarded to Murray by Aust. Boy Scouts Associations, Q. Branch, 25 May 1970
- Special Bulletin lift out: "Australian Constitution"
- Typewritten manuscript: "C.E.W. Bean, Australian historian". Macrossan Lecture, 24 June, 1969 (final page missing to a note says with Miss Walker of National Library)
- Photographs: (4) Queen Mother shaking hands with Murray at a University Function (in Duhig Buildings?)
- Copy of "A Constitutional Suggestion: paper prepared by Hon. Mr. Justice J.R. Kerr For the Council on N.G. Affairs Seminar at the University Hall, Univ. of Papua and N.G, Waigani near Port Moresby on 30th and 31st May, 1970"
- Copy of "Rich Universities in a poor world". Univ of Adelaide Centenary Seminar, 17 August 1974 by K.S. Inglis.
- Copy of Chancellor's address at opening of Mayne Hall, University of Queensland, 31 March 1973.
- The Commonwealth of Australia. Papua and New Guinea. No. 9 of 1949. An Act to approve the placing of the Territory of New Guinea under the International Trusteeship System etc.
- Copy of address by Kim Beazlley (Federal Member for Fremantle) at Third E.W. Heindorff Memorial Lecture on 'The future of Papua New Guinea." 23 March 1972.
- Photograph (1) Visit of English schoolboys (their name written on back)
- Papua New Guinea Press Release. No. 2438. Release A. 5 September 1972.
 "Development in Papua New Guinea Civil Aviation"
- Invitations

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- Programme for visit to P.N.G. by the Haslucks 19-21 April 1972
- L.H.Q. School of Civil Affairs Farewell dinner menu, 31 May 1945
- Carbon copy of 'Review of Native Position". (page missing)

Box 2

One folder

Personal and private letters to and from Dr. Ian Hogbin, 1945-48



- Also includes: typewritten copy of manuscript by Ian Hogbin: "Anthropological research in Papua Guinea" 31 August 1947;
- Letter from Miss Barbara Hockey, to Murray, dated 10 Nov 1945 and Murray's reply 14 Nov 1945
- Letter from Murray to E.J. Ward re Hogbin 6 Feb 1947

One folder

- · Labour conditions and legislation.
- Various typescripts and notes:
- Partial abolition of penal sanctions [Africa] (2 carbon copies)
- West African labour conditions
- · West Indies labour conditions
- Malaya-Straits settlements
- Fiji
- East Samoa, N.Z. Mandated Territory
- Netherlands Indies
- French African colonies
- British Empire (orig. plus 5 carbon copies
- [Malayan Territories] (orig. plus 5 Carbon copies)
- Labour legislation in British Honduras (orig. Plus 5 carbon copies)
- Labour conditions in Fiji (orig. plus 5 carbon Copies)
- Penal sanctions (orig. plus 5 carbon copies)
- [Penal sanctions] (orig. plus 5 carbon copies)

One folder

 A report on the organisation, coordination, and administration of agricultural education and training, with particular reference to the agricultural schools for boys and girls in the Department of Agriculture, Ceylon by J.K. Murray, Adviser under Colombo Plan Arrangements, Dept. of Agriculture, Peradenya, 22 Sept 1956 (2 copies to bound in cardboard)

One folder

- Territory of Papua-New Guinea, Office of the Administration. Directives to the Heads of Departments, 1946-47
- Secretary for Lands 24 Oct 1946
- Director of Native Labour 26 March 1947
- E.B. Bignold, Crown Law Officer, 16 Aug 1946



- Treasurer/Government Secretary/Director of District Services and Native Affairs 8 March 1947
- The Treasurer (n.d.)
- Director of Education 28 Feb 1947
- The Registrar-General 17 Dec 1946
- Officer in Charge of Police 22 Oct 1946
- Officer in Charge of Police and Director of Public Works 17 Jan 1947
- Director of Agriculture, Stock and Fisheries 28 Dec 1946
- Director of District Services and Native Affairs 7 May 1947, 14 March 1947
- Director of District Services 14 August 1946

Two folders: Material used in administrative circle (?) from various sources; LHQ School of Civil Affairs lectures; LHQ Directorate and Research and D.E.J. papers

Folder A

- "The New Guinea economy" (carbon copy of typescript)
- "Repatriation of the Japanese" (carbon copy of typescript)
- "History of the War: major factors affecting New Guinea" (carbon copy of typescript)
- Macrossan lecture (carbon copy of typescript)
- Australian School of Pacific Administration. :"International trusteeship: development of the trusteeship system from Jan 1944 to May 1946 with particular reference to Australia"
- Statement made to Parliament by Hon. E.J. Ward, Minister for External Territories, Tuesday, 21 Sept. 1948. Administration of the Territory of New Guinea.
- Discussion of annual report 1947/7 by the Trusteeship Council of the United Nations
- "Broad aspects of colonial administration" by Lt.Col. Stanner, Directorate of Research, LHQ, The Australian School of Pacific Administration. "Colonial administration IV. Native Labour. Parts I, II, III"
- "A paper on education" by Lt. Col. E. Taylor
- "A review of native plantation and some aspects of their importance of Papua" by Capt. W.R. Humphries.
- "Conspectus of the laws of Papua and New Guinea" prepared by the Legal Section of the Australian School of Pacific Administration, 26 Aug 1947.
- Figures: 3 South Seas Island: Quantities of mineral produced
- Figures: 4 South Seas Island: Value of minerals produced
- Figures: 5 South Seas Island: Export of plant and animal products
- Figures: 6 South Seas Island: Trade in 1938

- Figures: 8 South Seas Island: Distribution of disease
- Two photographs of article in Daily Telegraph Saturday Dec 20 [1884?] "The German Protectorate"



Letter from L. Horn(?) to Murray 2 Jan 1946

Folder B: typescript arranged by chapters

One folder:

 Draft of: "In retrospect, 1945-52, Papua-New Guinea and Territory of Paua New Guinea", paper to be given at seminar on the History of Melanesia at Univ. of Papua and N.G. by Murray.

One folder:

 Correspondence and other material to and from Dept. of External Territories includes time when Paul Hasluck was minister)

One folder: various papers

- "Australian policy in Papua and New Guinea" by the Hon. Paul Hasluck, M.P. Minister of State for Territories. The George Judah Cohen Memorial Lecture at Univ. of Sydney, Thurs. 4 Oct 1956.
- "The future of Australian Aborigine" By Dr. B.B. Barrack.
- "Pidgin history". Extract from article by Murray Groves in the book Pacific Viewpoint V. 3 1962.
- "The use of vernacular languages and a study by UNESCO" W.C. Groves 30 April 1952.
- "The agricultural potentialities on Northern Australia" by P.J. Skerman. Australian Institute of Political Science, Canberra, Jan-Feb 1954.

One folder: papers by Murray

- "Milk and milk products" by J.K. Murray.
- "A talk on the Territory of Papua and New Guinea" Sunday 8 June 1952 ABC Guest of Honour) (three carbon copies)
- "The Allied Land Forces (LHQ) School of Civil Affairs, 1945-46 (Training junior officers for Colonial Administration) by J.K. Murray
- · Handwritten draft of Allied Landforces School of Civil Affair paper.

One folder: miscellaneous correspondence 1945 to 1972.

One folder: miscellaneous material:

- Press releases 6 July 1970 to 1 August 1973.
- List of Colombo Pan experts in Ceylon.
- Carbon copy of one of Murray's files re Farm Development Project in Northern Territory



One folder:

- Ceylon lecture.
- Notes Written on pages torn from exercise book
- Table of major imports 1952/53
- · Map of Ceylon

Box 3

One folder: Private and personal letters to and from Mr. J. Kerr, Principal, Aust. School of Pacific Administration, 1946-47. (Note: Many marked Confidential, private, secret)

- Also includes: First progress report of Acting Secretary-General to the Working Committee of the South Pacific Commission for period 20 May to 7 July, 1948
- Summer record of first meeting of Working Committee of South Pacific Commission 7 July 1948, Canberra.
- 5 copies of "the Australian School of Pacific Administration and its Future" address to be read on behalf of Mr. J. R. Kerr at the District Officer's Conference, Port Moresby, February 1948.
- Various letters to or from people other than Kerr, eg. Ward and Chifley.
- South Seas Regional Commission. Draft Constitution.

One folder:

- Drafts for an Act to provide for the administration of the Territory of Papua and the territory of New Guinea in Administrative union ...
- Current Affairs Bulletin, 25 April, 1949 V.4 No.3
- New Guinea Mission, Occasional paper No. 131 Dec. 1953.

One folder:

- Typescript notes [for a book or comments on publication?]
- quotes from Sir Thomas McIlwraith, extract from speech Hon.M. Macrossan advocating annexation of all eastern New Guinea.

One folder:

- P.S.A. Bulletin June 1952
- Papua & New Guinea Villager, Vol. 3 (5) June 1952
- Papuan Times (duplicated newsletter) Vol.4 (40), 4 (44), 4 (45), 1952
- Copy of letter JKM to Minister for Territories, 6 May 1952.
- Correspondence from: (mainly letters on retirement from PNG)
- Taylor, Ian C. 28 April 1952



- Champion, Ivan 12 May, 1952
- New Guinea Anglican Mission 4 March 1952
- New Guinea Anglican Mission 20 May 1952, 9 May 1952, 22 May 1952
- London Missionary Society 10 May 1952
- Kleckman, Frell 12 May 1952
- Lambert, 2 May 1952 (telegram)
- Refshauge, Joan 12 May 1952
- Coombs, H.C. 23 May 1952
- Hasluck, Paul, Minister for Territories, 8 May 1952
- Ahearn, John H. 20 May 1952. (Letterhead: Australasian Petroleum Co.)
- Gunther, John. 14 May 1952
- Newspaper clipping to Australian job in New Guinea, Courier Mail 22.5.52

One folder:

Some aspects of internationalism. (typescripts) 15 leaves

One folder:

- LHQ School of Civil Affair. Introduction to Pidgin English. Duplicate. typescript (noted restricted)
- Notes on a conference between Secretary. Dept. of external territories And the administrator, Messrs. H. Rowe, L.A. Brumby, Miss Mitchell.
- Territory of Papua and New Guinea press release. Address by the Minister for External Territories to the management seminar, Port Moresby 4 December 1970
- Territory of Papua and New Guinea press release. Papua and New Guinea's overseas trade 15 February 1971.
- Diagram seating arrangements, luncheon Government House, Saturday, 20 October 1951.
- Speeches on notes to typescript 61.ms. 2 1. incomplete on Agricultural College. University of Qld. & Townsville University College.
- Extract from visitors Book

- List of Chairmen of Town Advisory Councils
- Port Moresby Freezing Co. Ltd. Price list 1951.
- Report on administration of Tanganyika Territory / Capt. DM. Fielding (13 1. typescript)
- Annual report 1946 to extracts from "Colonial development and welfare" despatch Date 12 Nov. 1945 from the Secretary of State for the Colonies to Colonial Govt. Cmd. 6713 (2 1. typescript)
- Annual report 1946 to extracts from "Labour conditions in East Africa": report By Major G.
 St. J. Orde Browne. 1946. Colonial no. 193



- Annual report 1946 to Inter-territorial organisation in East Africa. Colonial no.Paper by Colonial Office, 1945. typescript.
- Extract from despatch from the Rt. Hon. Alfred Deakin through the Governor-General of State 13 June 1906
- Extract from Colonial development and welfare despatch dated 12 Nov 1945 from The Secretary of State for the Colonies to Colonial Govt. Cmd. 6713 (2 1.Typescript)
- 1 page typescript to on Pidgin English
- Report on native land tenure in the Nyasaland Protectorate (extract. 3 1. typescript)
- Extracts from Pretoria despatch no 67/47 of August 5, 1947 on future status of South-West Africa.
- Correspondence: copies of J.K. Murray's correspondence Undated but after October 1951 to Minister for Territories.
- 11 June 1946. Minister through the Secretary, Dept. of External Territories
- 1 April 1947 Registrar University of Qld. 1947 re invitations to Macrossan lecture which J.K. was delivering.
- 6 July 1948 Land application to Clarke and Whiting
- 17 Dec 1949 Confidential report on comments by Mr. Lowney
- 29 Feb 1952 to D.M. Cleland, Asst. Administration

Correspondence: inwards.

- J. Brack, Acting Secretary, attaching despatch from High Commissioner of Commonwealth of Aust., Cape Town. 17 July 1947.
- Neal Macrossan. 27 March 1947
- Director General, Commonwealth Dept. of Works & Housing. 16 Sept. 1946
- Australian Red Cross Society, Papua & N.G. Div 15 Oct. 1951
- McIlrath's Pty. Ltd. Invoices for goods & shipping
- Superintendent of Stores. PNG. 20 Feb. 1950.
- [Alfred, 20 March, 1947]
- Toowoomba Congregational Church 13 Sept. 1952
- United Services Institute, Toowoomba, 26 Sept. 1952
- Australian Association for the U.N. 22 Sept. 1952
- Methodist Overseas Missions. 17 Sept. 1952.
- Methodist Missionary Society of N.Z. 4 Sept. 1952
- Burns Philp Ltd. 8 Sept. 1952
- Lee, John. 1st Sept. 1952
- Church of England Grammar School. 9 Sept. 1952



One folder:

- Extract from 'Legal Aspects of Amalgamation' (article by Sir J.H.P. Murray & Justice R.T. Gore) 1 l. typescript.
- 2 Burns Philp invoices
- Notification and reports from other Administration
- · Remembrance Day: Programme 1946.
- 3 l. typescript in pidgin English
- Extract from Visitors book, 4 June 1946
- Correspondence: outwards. December 1945 to July 1946
- Correspondence: inwards:
- Morrie, B. Maj. General. 9 May 1946
- Hogbin, Ian. 20 Dec. 1945
- Hoare, H.M. 15 Dec. 1945.
- Sthell (?) Arthur
- First Army Townsville. Telegram 13 Jan. 1946
- Qld. Public Service Superannuation Board. 18 Jan 1946
- New Guinea Anglican Mission, Samarai. 28 Jan. 1946
- Methodist Overseas Mission. 25 Jan, 1946.
- Templewatte, H. (?)
- Coombs, H.C. 16 Feb. 1944
- Registrar, Univ. of Melbourne. 20 March 1946
- Lowney, P.S. 26 April 1946.
- Biographical Encyclopaedia of the world. 19 March 1946.
- Herbert to Hughes, W. 24 May 1946.
- Combined Union Committee, Secretary Railway Workshops.
- 14 July 1952
- Mills, C.W. 12 Nov. 1945.
- New Guinea Anglican Mission 18 Aug. 1952
- Northcott, John. 18 Nov. [no year]

Box 4

Periodicals

- Territory of the Cocos (Keeling Is. Report 1974)
- Australian External Territories 11 (1) 1971
- Australian External Territories 12 (1) 12(2) 1972



- Territory of Papua and New Guinea Government Gazette. 3 issues 1950.
- Nation, number 9 Jan 17 1959
- Australia's neighbours Nov to Dec 1966
- Australia's neighbours Feb to March 1972
- Reserve Bank of Australia, Port Moresby. Quarterly Statistical Bulletin. September 1972
- Papua New Guinea Villager Vol 1 (11) December 1950
- Papua New Guinea Villager Vol 4 (11) November 1953
- Papua New Guinea Villager Vol 6 (1) January 1955
- The Kibi Vol 3 (1) June 1954 (duplicated, Sogeri Eudcation Centre, Papua)
- New Guinea Mission Occasional paper No. 130 December 1952.
- The Admiral Terrace Daily Press number 3 (66) Thursday April 18, 1946 (duplicated)
- The Admiral Terrace Daily Press number 3 (66) Wednesday May 8, 1946
- Guinea Gold Vol. 4 (224) Monday 24 June 1946
- Australian Petroleum Co. APC weekly Vol 1 (6) 8 April 1950 (duplicated)
- Pacific Islands Monthly Vol. 16 (3) October 16, 1945
- Journal of the Papua & New Guinea Society Vol 2 (2) 1969
- Journal of the Papua & New Guinea Society Vol 3 (1) 1969
- Tropical Grasslands Vol 9 (3) 1975; Vol 10 (1) 1976

Books and pamphlets

- R.V. Grant. Desu Keriso Dawaxna Teterina: a life of Jesus Christ written in the Douban language (East Cape Methodist Mission) 1949
- Hymns for use in schools of London Missionary Society in Papua issued by the Council for Christian Education in Schools. 1945
- Alia Allen Innes. Songs from the South Seas. (Sydney 1950)
- J. W. Gregory. Race as a political factor. London 1931
- Native Welfare Council, Perth. Our Southern half-caste natives.
- Sister M. Euphrasia and Sr. M. Kostka. Programme of work for native teachers to Arithmetic
- Joan Carter & Gordon Carter. Coral Shores.
- Holahi to haho! Buk bilong Singsing to Song book for natives of New Guinea (1946)
- Urquhart, D.H. & Dwyer, R.E.P. prospects of extending the growing of cacao in PNG (1951)
- Huxley, Julian et al. Humanism (1944)
- New Guinea to the people speaking: texts of Daily Progress reports covering the work
- Of 1968 visiting mission from the U.N.
- Steps towards self-government in PNG to speech by Prime Minister John Gorton July 1970.



- Hasluck, Paul. "Speech in moving the second reading of the Papua & New Guinea bill 1963."
- Hasluck, Paul. Assimilation in action (speech) 1963
- Aust. Ministry of Post-war reconstruction. Trusteeship.Dick, Gordon and McKillop, Bob. A brief history of agricultural extension and Education in Papua New Guinea. 1976
- Carpentry notes. Mimeographed. Bartahag Technical School Lutheran Mission, Madang 1951
- South Pacific Commission. The South Pacific Commission: What it is / what it Does. 1968
- C.E. Barnes. Selected ministerial statements on Papua and New Guinea 1969-1970
- Facts about Papua and New Guinea. 1965-1970
- New guinea Challenge (leaflet)
- Report of the U.N. visiting mission to the Trust territory of New Guinea 1971
- J.K Murray. The provisional administration of the Territory of Papua-New Guinea; Its policy and its problems. 1949.
- Commonwealth of Australia. Gazetteer to map of Territory of Papua & New Guinea
- Invitations, programmes & menus, etc.

Reprints

- F.D. McCarthy. Anthropology in Australian Museums. Oceania 1946
- Hogbin, Ian. Local government for New Guinea. Oceania 1946
- Nauru: a pattern for the South Pacific [reprinted from] Australian Mandated Territories.
- Territory of PNG Legislative Council debates 27-30 July 1953
- J.K. Murray. Presidential address Royal Society of Qld. Reprinted in Proceedings Vol. 49

 (1) 1938
- J.K. Murray. In retrospect. Papua-new Guinea 1945-1949 & Territory of P& NG 1949-1952.
- N.H Fisher. The Gazette Peninsular, New Britain, earthquake of 1941. Reprinted from Seismological Society of America. 1944
- Robert Bowan. Acclimatization in New Guinea. Geographical Review Vol 39, 1949
- Territory of Papua-New Guinea. Memorandum on the Policy of the Administration. 1947
- Visit of visiting mission of the U.N. Trusteeship Council to the Territory of New Guinea
 1950
- Territory of Papua and New Guinea. Handbook. Parliamentary delegation, October, 1960.
- Speech by his excellency the Administrator of the Governor of Commonwealth of Australia (General John Northcott) on the occasion of the inauguration of the Legislative Council ... 1951. signed: John Northscott.
- Council of New Guinea Affairs. Africa's experience in nation building: is it relevant To Papua
 New Guinea/lecture given at U. of PNG by Ali A. Mazrui 1970.
- School of Agriculture, Peradeniva, Report of Principal 1957



 Address presented to his honour the administrator of P& N.G ... on occasion of their Farewell visit to Sogeri Education centre. Address is illustrated.

One folder of correspondence: mainly personal correspondence.

Box 5

Notebook 1944

Notebook containing native words

Notebook (Australian Military Forces) 1945

Notebook (Australian Military Forces) 1946

Notebook (Australian Military Forces) 1948

Administrator's appointment book 1946

Notebook 1967 containing biographical notes (carbon copy)

Copy of notes sent to Mr. Jinks.

Notebook 1944

Notebook [n.d.] labelled 'Lae' on front cover

Notes re: trip to Lae (?)

Notebook (Col. J.K. Murray, C/-ANGAU, N.G.F. Directorate of Research)

Diary 1956 and 1957 (Ceylon. Govt. General Diary)

Diary 1974

Notebook (n.d.)

Diary 1975

Index cards: index cards kept while Administrator? Containing extracts from books and reports, references, etc. Topics such as Agriculture, Animal husbandry, land policies.

Box 6

Index cards: headings include: Administration in PNG prior to 1942, ANGAU, Strategy, Native Labour, Judicial system, economic development, international bodies, missions, research, education, and social development

Box 7

Index card, Factors in native policy, administration History, geography, ethnology,etc.



Box 8

Publications

- Commonwealth of Australia. Dept. of National Development.
- Bureau of Mineral Resources, Geology and Geophysics.
- Bulletin no. 38. The 1951 eruption of Mount Lamington, Papua by G.A. Taylor 1958
- J.K. Murray The provisional Administration of the Territory of Papua-New Guniea, Its policy and its problems. Being the John Murtagh Macrossan Lecture 1947
- J.K. Murray, Report on the Schools of the Ceylon dept. of Agriculture by J.K. Murray of Colombo Plan personnel (Australia)
- [Commemorative volume] Inauguration of the Legislative Council for the Territory of Papua and New Guinea ...1951

Typescripts: (One folder)

- Miscellaneous notes and extracts from books to West African Labour conditions:
- Labour conditions in British West Africa; Race and Mentality; The potentialities which a
 person is born; A scheme of training native Fijians as medical practitioners; Stanford's five
 month's course; Medical-educational facilities to train natives in medicine, dentistry and
 nursing; Arrangements for the participation of natives in Administration; etc.

One folder: relating to South Pacific Commission Technical meeting on tropical pastures and beef production 1969 ... Agenda, correspondence, copy of paper 'Tropical pastures in the high rainfall zone of North Queensland' by S. Marriott; and notes by J.K Murray.

One folder containing duplicated speeches and press releases:

- National broadcasting in Australia and the Territory / address by R.C. Glenister, 1952
- External Territories of Commonwealth / statement by E.J. Ward. [n.d]
- Territory of Papua and New Guinea Press release. 2nd June 1971
- A.C.C.A. Seminar, Brisbane 1 June 1971
- Territory of Papua and New Guinea Press release. 8th June 1971 WHO Malaria report.
- Territory of Papua and New Guinea Press release. 18th December 1972.
- Statement on citizenship
- Correspondence to incoming and outgoing 1945 One folder
- Correspondence to incoming and outgoing 1952. Letters sent to J.K. Murray upon
- His retirement and copies JKM's replies.



Box 9

- 2 pages of notes on South Pacific Commission One pages of questions and answers re: PIB, NGIB, PIR. 5 leaves of ms. notes & chronology to Penal sanctions abolished Typescript with ms. emendations to Agriculture in Papua and New Guinea.
- (2 copies to one incomplete)
- 2 pages duplicated notes on Australian New Guinea Administrative Unit (ANGAU)
- 2 I. typescript to Mount Lamington eruption broadcasts.
- Typescript copy of report on negotiations concerning reversion of the Agricultural High School and College buildings to College use.
- Duplicated report. Special reports upon Overseas visit 1945-6. no.4
- Animal physiology with especial reference to climatology by Douglas H.K. Lee. 6 I.
- Copy of speech by Mr. Paul Lapun speaking at the Moral Re-armament International Conference. Adelaide 1970
- One folder containing invitations, list of engagements, permits to enter PNG, air
- Tickets, testimonial from the children of St. Joseph's School, Port Moresby on his retirement.

One folder of Correspondence re: L.H.Queensland School of Civil Affairs.

One folder Correspondence from:

- Lt. Col. D.O. Atherton, 10 October 1945
- C. Anson, Oxford, 7 April 1946
- Freda Bage, 23 April 1947
- Justice John Barry, 14 April 1948
- Justice John Barry, 1 May 1948 [confidential]
- John Kerr, [n.d.]
- John Kerr, 3 September 1947 [personal]
- Territory of P & NG, Govt, Secretary, 7 June 1951
- F.T. Whitelaw, Army Headquarters, 14 June 1968
- Leslie Wilson, Govt. House, Brisbane, 10 August 1945
- Leslie Wilson, Govt. House, Brisbane, 26 September 1945

One folder: labelled to Private and Personal letters to and from:

- Mr. A. A. Conlon
- Prof. Wright
- Hon. Cam Wedgwood



- Miss I. Leeson
- · Prof. Mills
- Judge Barry
- Dr. Fry
- Pyman
- Burton
- Jones
- Ford
- Dunk
- White
- Coombs

One folder containing:

- Aide Memoir from the Rt. Hon. The Minister for Territories, 21 June 1951. Strictly confidential. 1 l. incomplete.
- Copy of letter from J.K. Murray, Port Moresby to Hon. E.J. Ward, Minister for External Territories. 10 September 1947. Top Secret
- Copy of letter and recommendations of New Guinea Sub-committee, room 32, Trades Hall Sydney [n.d]
- Correspondence and copies of JKM's outgoing correspondence with Australian Military Forces re: transferral to military districts,
- Notification of address, transfer to reserve officers, final
- Statement of account for discharged member.

One folder of correspondence from:

- J. Gunther, 1 June 1952
- Leason, March -
- R. B. Madgwick, 16 May 1946
- L. Mair. 23 November 1945
- Munro, D.J., 25 March 1974 (re: memorial to Prof. Schindler)
- L. Murray, 19 July 1946
- F. B. Phillips, 3 May 1948
- J. A. Prescott, 23 November 1945
- J. Smeeton, Kwato Mission, 23 March 1950
- Lt. Gen. V.A.H. Sturdee, commander in chief, AMF. 24 Dec. 1945



One folder of reports, reports on trips, etc.

- Col. J.K. Murray. 22 March 1944 to Director of research. Further notes on
- Northern Territory farm projects. 3 l. typescript.
- Col. J.K Murray. Report on Visit to Queensland 21 Dec. 1943 to 31 Dec 1943 Confidential.
 5 I. typescript.
- Col. J.K Murray. Report on visit to South Australia. Jan-Feb 1944. Confidential. 13 I. typescript.
- Col. J.K. Murray. Report on visit to Western Australia. 15 Dec. 1943 -20 Dec. 1943.
 Confidential. 4 I. typescript.
- Col. J.K. Murray. Notes on visit to Tasmania. Confidential. Jan 1944.
- Col. J.K. Murray. Possibilities of Agricultural Education for Army Personal,
- · Pre or Post discharge Western Australia.
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One folder of speeches:

- Address by J.K.M. to Institute of Public Administration.
- · "Administration in Papua and New Guinea"
- Speech at opening of third post-war Conference of D.C.'s.
- Miscellaneous material; One folder.
- 5 I. typescript. The retiring Administrator, Col. J.K. Murray this week described as "absurd and a gross impertinence" the recent statement by the Territories Minister, Paul Hasluck, that the dignity of his retirement has been marred by mission protests.
- Book review of "New Guinea and Australia". 9 I. typescript
- Confidential report on incident involving Mr. Lowney as Official Secretary
- To Administrator. 1 I. typescript.
- Copy of letter JKM to Mr. W.H.O'Donnell, Allied Work Council, 14 March 1944.
- Copy of letter JKM to Mr. G.Mckenzie, Director of Education, 14 March, 1944
- Letter to JKM from Australian Military Forces, Perth, 4 Jan 1944.
- Queensland Agricultural High School and College. Annual Report.
- Copy of Papua and New Guinea Act. 1949
- Copy of Papua-New Guinea Provisional Administration Act 1945
- Department of Post War Reconstruction Regional Planning Division. The Production of Cacao, Coffee and tea in the Territory of PNG / T.H. Halsey. Canberra, 1948.



One folder of notes on the indenture system.

- Pre-War economic structure (graph and maps)
- Second Waigani Seminar. The history of Melanesia. In retrospect 1945 to 1952. Papua-New Guinea and Territory of Papua and New Guinea by Col. J.K. Murray.

Box 10

Two folders of typescript draft copies with ms. emendations of Macrossan lecture

- 1947 "Papua New Guinea in its historical perspective".
- One volume of lecture notes for LHQ School of Civil Affairs.
- Red Cross Society membership cards.
- One folder containing:
- Photocopy of Chapter from Taylor. Germany's first bid for Colonies. Chapter 5: The Anglo-German conflict over New Guinea, December 1884 March 1885.
- Map of South Sea Islands.
- Typescript. Administrator's Conference with some councillors of the Central Division, Government House 1947
- Letter from Director of Native labour to Government Secretary, 19 May 1947 re: Native Labour statistics.
- Basic considerations relating to the formulation of government policy [marked secret]
- Tables of major exports, indentured labour, origin of imports to New Guinea,
- · Copra prices, coconut.
- Typed notes on 1884 New Guinea and Pacific Jurisdiction Contribution Act Of 1884.
- Typed notes on Native labour to Papua.
- Memorandum 15 May 1947 to Secretary Dept. of External Territories re:
- Payment to natives on account of war damage compensation, proposed War gratuity, prewar contract payments and war-time services to [Note On top of memo. to Not sent to file]
- One folder: Correspondence to and from Miss Ida Leeson, Australian School of
- Pacific Administration. 1946 to 1947
- Notes on malaria in the south west Pacific / by E. Ford. 10 p. typescript.
- Clover and malaria / by F. O'Herelle. From American Journal of Hygiene. Vol 16, 1932. 6 I. typescript.
- Australian Military Forces. Australian New Guinea Administrative Unit. Final Report of activities. 1 July 1945 to 23 June 1946
- Reports: Temperature and relative humidity in Malaysia and Northern Australia Prepared by G (Research) LHQueensland Secret. No Date.
- Temperature data for selected station in New Guinea and the Bismarck Archipelago
- Relative humidity data for selected stations in New Guinea and the Bismarck Archipelago



- Temperature & humidity date for selected centres in Northern Australia
- Monthly average temperatures and average diurnal ranges for British New Guinea and the Bismarck Archipelago
- The Climate of New Guinea and the British (Bismarck) Archipelago
- Territory of Papua and New Guinea. Administrator's notes, 29 February 1952. Customs Inquiry Committee. 10 I. typescript.
- Copy of telegram to P.C. Spender, Sydney, 19.2.1951 from Murray re:
- Mt. Lamington volcanic activity.
- Copies of other telegram messages re Mt. Lamington eruption. From
- Phillipo, Deputy Administrator to Administrator; A.W. Fadden,
- Acting P.M. to Murray; Murray to Spender 26/1/51.

Folder of correspondence re: Appointment as Administrator

- Itinerary for visit of P. Hasluck, Minister for Territories, July to August 1951.
- Address by Murray at the opening of the District Commissioner's Conference 1952

Box 11

Photographs mainly from Murray's period as administrator in Papua New Guinea and from a trip to New Zealand. There are also photographs of Gatton College in the 1920's.

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1 black and white photo of Col Jack Keith Murray, n.d.



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