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NAME OF COLLECTION	WUNDERLICH LTD.
ACCESSION NO	1996.0057
CATEGORY	Business, organisations
ACTIVITY	Manufacturers, building materials
DATE RANGE	1910-1974
SIZE OF COLLECTION	29 cm, 6 x Oversize Vols.
HISTORICAL NOTE	<p>Ernest Wunderlich arrived in Australia from England in 1885, and opened his Sydney factory, with brothers Alfred and Otto, in 1890. They opened a factory and showroom at 123 Queen St, Melbourne in 1904. Wunderlich was most famous for manufacturing pressed zinc ceiling panels and decorative work. Later they expanded into 'modern' materials such as Durabestos, promoted by the company at the time as "inexpensive, clean and durable". The firm was taken over by Colonial Sugar Refining Co. Ltd in 1970.</p>
DATE OF TRANSFER	01/08/1996
ACCESS CONDITIONS	Access: Open
DESCRIPTION	Wunderlich Limited, ledgers and journals: Two ledgers: 1910-1922, 1922-c1940; Four Journals: 1952-1956, 1961-1967, 1967-1973 and 1973-1974.
NOTE ON COLLECTIONS	First transfer of items during records cleanup following company takeover by CRA Limited.
NOTE ON LISTING	
LISTED BY	Leigh Swancott
DATE	02/12/1996

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Wunderlich Limited

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Provenance Note: Wunderlich Limited...

Administrative history or biography of records' creator tbd.
Building materials manufacturer ... Indep. per Business W'sW 1970-71,
CSR owned per 1977-78

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Note on Listing:

Date of Transfer: 1 August 1996

Access:

Records under thirty years old not accessible to those other
than CRA officers. Records over thirty years old accessible after
application in writing to CRA. Manuscripts based on the collection to
be submitted to CRA for consent before examination or publication.

Size: 28 cm - six oversize volumes

Date Range: 1910 to 1974

Related Collections:

Listed By: Leigh Swancott 2/12/96 Final pending further accessions.

**The University of Melbourne Archives
Wunderlich Limited (CRA Collection)**

Items Received into Custody

Description and Outline of Series:

Six oversize volumes: two Ledgers and four Journals, Ledger volumes have alphabetical index at front.

Archival Description

Accounting

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| Unit 5 | Ledger, 1910 to 1922, indexed |
| Unit 6 | Ledger, 1922 to c 1940, indexed |
| Unit 1 | Journal, February 1952 to September 1956 |
| Unit 2 | Journal, October 1961 to February 1967 |
| Unit 3 | Journal, February 1967 to May 1973 |
| Unit 4 | Journal, June 1973 to November 1974 |