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NAME OF COLLECTION	Leslie Lloyd Robson
ACCESSION NO	1995.0074
CATEGORY ACTIVITY	University, individuals Academics - History
DATE RANGE	1962-1988
SIZE OF COLLECTION	66 archives boxes, 2 over-sized boxes Computer disk Photograph
HISTORICAL NOTE	Born in Tasmania in 1931, educated at the University of Tasmania, University of London and the Australian National University (where he was awarded the Ph.D.), he joined the History Department of the University of Melbourne in 1964 and retired as a Reader in 1988. He died in August 1990. His publications include 'The Convict Settlement of Australia' (1965), 'The First AIF' (1970) and 'The History of Tasmania' (2 vols, 1983 and 1991).
DATE OF TRANSFER	26 th September, 1996
ACCESS CONDITIONS	Access: Open
LISTED BY DATE	S. Fairbanks 17 th December, 1996

RECORDS RECEIVED INTO CUSTODY

NAME: LLOYD ROBSON
MAIN ACTIVITY: HISTORIAN
DATE RECEIVED: 26 SEPTEMBER 1996
QUANTITY: [65 x 12cm + a couple of larger boxes = 1.8m?]

PRELIMINARY LIST OF RECORDS

- BOX 1** Press & Politics: Tasmania 1856-71 and related typescripts. Proofs of *The Tasmanian Story*.
- BOX 2** Files re Tasmania - includes photographs.
- BOX 3** Subject Files:- Australia Centre; Lecturer Selection Committee; *Australian Historical Studies*; History Institute.
- BOX 4** 'Convict Enquires' - files arising from Robson's *Convict Settlers of Australia*. 'Lady Juliana' file.
- BOX 5** Notes, correspondence, etc. re - *Topics in Australian History*; *Australia in the 1920s*; *School's History of Tasmania*; R.S. Casey's *Australian Father & Son*.
- BOX 6** Essays and postgraduate examination files.
- BOX 7** A.W.M. Research Grant Assessments by L.L.R.; misc. Tasmania files.
- BOX 8** Victorian H.S.C. file
- BOX 9** Subject Files:- ANZAAS; A.R.G.C.; Study Leave 1987.

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- BOX 10**
- The Victorian Protection Movement W.C. Charles - 1929
 - Social Values in New Primary Schools 1880-1914
 - The Victorian Historical Magazine 1931
 - Archives Establishments, Staff & Training - includes Dr W. Kaye Lamb visit 1972-76
 - *The Australian Outlook*, 1953
 - Australian Association for Cultural Freedom Seminar - 1963
 - 'The Chinese in Australia' by A. Huck, 1965
 - Newsclippings and reviews re *The Convict Settlers of Australia*
- BOX 11** Bibliography cards
- BOX 12**
- Australian History course material, University of Melbourne
 - Blainey controversy file
- BOX 13**
- A.R.C. file, 1988
 - file re chapter in Australian War Memorial: Two Centuries of War & Peace
 - Australian Dictionary of Biography entry on Rev. T.J. O'Donnell
 - notes re 1st A.I.F.
- BOX 14** Files re Publishers
- M.U.P. - 1963-82
 - 1969-71
 - 1972-77
 - Q.U.P. - 1966-77
 - 1981-83
- BOX 15** Tasmanian history research notes - various sources.
- BOX 16** Tasmanian pre-history files - includes photographs.
- BOX 17** Australian History course material, University of Melbourne.
- BOX 18** Files re University of Melbourne students & postgraduate seminars.
- BOX 19** Cuttings re *1st A.I.F. & Citizen to Soldier*; E.Z. Lecture 1973
- BOX 20** Britain & the A.I.F. 1914-19 (5 folders 1977-79)
- BOX 21** University of Melbourne Australian History course material.
- BOX 22** *History of Tasmania* - chapter drafts, 1st sections 1-8
- BOX 23** Misc. subject and correspondence files.

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- BOX 24** *History of Tasmania Vol. 2* typescript.
- BOX 25** *History of Tasmania* illustration photographs & Port Arthur photos.
- BOX 26** University of Melbourne Australian History course material.
- BOX 27** Tasmania history research notes, various sources.
- BOX 28** *History of Tasmania* chapter drafts - 2nd sections 1-2
- BOX 29** Personal references provided by L.L.R.
- BOX 30** Files re Stratham's *Capital Cities*.
- BOX 31** Misc. loose newspapers - includes: Devonport Centenary issues: *Journalists' Clarion* (strike paper) Vol.1 No.1 - Vol.1 No.7
- BOX 32** Australian History course material, U. of M.
- BOX 33** *1st A.I.F.* notes.
- BOX 34** Subject Files:
- ANU Fellowships, 1963
- Appointments to U. of M. History Dept. - Lecturer to Reader, March 1963 - April 1977
- British History lectures
- Pencil sketches of L.L.R. & 'A Critical Account of my Education'
- London general, 1972-73
- Miss Destiny Deacon (student) assault charge, 1976-77.
- George Rude, Research grant, U. of M. 1971-72
- BOX 35** Subject Files:
- Distribution of population, 1954-61
- Review of Manning Clark's *History of Australia Vol. 1*
- *Manchester Guardian Weekly*, 1962
- *Hemisphere*, June 1962
- *Walkabout* - 'The Somme & After', 1966
- Social classes in Australia - typed text, etc. circa 1962-64
- The historical basis of *For the Term of his Natural Life*
- History of Tasmania - notes
- *The Convict Settlers of Australia* (4 files) 1963-64
- print of Sir George Arthur
- *Atlas of Australian Resources*
- BOX 36** History of Tasmania research notes from various sources

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- BOX 37** Student supervision (8 folders) 1968-82
- BOX 38** Research notes made from theses:
1. A-F
2. G-L
3. M-Q
4. R-Z
5. BA (Hons.) theses
- BOX 39** *1st A.I.F.* notes general (1964-68)
- BOX 40** The pre-history files
- BOX 41**
- MSS 'The Tasmanians'
 - notes
 - index (typed)
 - shooting script (typed)
 - 'Australia and the Great War'
 - 'The Depression of the 1930s'
 - '11 November' or 'The Triumph of the Philistines'
 - Introduction to *Historical Records of Australia*
- BOX 42**
- Publishers' correspondence & mss
 - A.D.B. 1963-83
 - C.C.H. Pty. Ltd. 1980-87
 - Macmillan 1967-81
- BOX 43** - Drafts of and correspondence, etc. with publishers & editors re *History of Tasmania* Vols.1 & 11
- BOX 44** Australia History course material, U. of M.
- BOX 45**
- Australia History course material, U. of M.
 - postgraduate student files
- BOX 46** *History of Tasmania* notes & correspondence & photocopies
- BOX 47** Correspondence:
- some from U.K.
- some re A.I.F. in U.K.
- BOX 48** As above

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BOX 49

Subject Files (labelled):

- General
- Documents of interest
- Extracted articles
- R.A.C.V. (club)
- Home Improvement
- A-D (early responses & letters)
- Bert E. Weston songs, etc.
- Royal Australia Historical Society Lecture & S.M.H. article & correspondence
- draft of 'The Voice of the Bush'
- Robert Andrew Bradley correspondence
- housing
- Commercial union (motor)
- letters of interest
- 3 folders of A.F.I. related correspondence

BOX 50

- students' essays from Robsons 1976 History 4X 'History of Tasmania' class
- photocopies of historical Tasmanian documents
- *The Advocate* (Tas.) Newspaper clippings - 1956-57

BOX 51

- Statistics re A.I.F. enlistments & embarkations
- General correspondence
- 1963-65
- 1975-82 (includes newsclippings, articles)

BOX 52

- General Correspondence
- 1966-71 (newclippings)
- 1977-74

BOX 53

- General Correspondence
- 1966-69 (1 folder)
- 1974-75 (2 folders)

BOX 54

- General Correspondence
- 1976-77 (2 folders - includes ms of Robson's contribution to *Australia*)
- 1979-80 (2 folders)

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- General Correspondence
- 1980-81 (2 folders)
- 1981-82 (2 folders)

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- BOX 56** General Correspondence
- 1982 (2 folders)
- 1982-83 (1 folder)
- BOX 57** General Correspondence
- 1983-84 (1 folder)
- 1984 (1 folder)
- 1984-85 (1 folder)
- 1985 (1 folder)
- BOX 58** General Correspondence
- 1985 (1 folder)
- 1986 (2 folders)
- BOX 59** General Correspondence
- 1986-88 (1 folder)
- 1986-87 (2 folders)
- 1987 (1 folder)
- BOX 60** General Correspondence
- 1987-88 (1 folder)
- 1988-89 (2 folders)
- 1988-89 (1 folder)
- BOX 61** General Correspondence
- 1988-90 (2 folders)
- 1965-68 (2 folders)
- 1975 (1 folder)
- BOX 62** Research index cards re W.W.I enlistments
- BOX 63** Research index cards re W.W.I. enlistments
- BOX 64** Research index cards re W.W.I. enlistments
- BOX 65** Manuscripts:
- 'The Australian Colonies Federation'
- 'Tales of Progress: Radio Essays in Australian History'
- Untitled ms. missing pages 1-4
- 'Ned Kelly' or 'The Bandit as Hero'
- Untitled ms. by John Embling
- Research statistics re W.W.I.
Copy of *The Times Literary Supplement*, 9 April 1976
Copy of Evan Jones' poem, 'In Memory of Lloyd Robson', *The Age*, 14
September 1996

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O.S. BOX 66 Photocopies of historical public records re Tasmania

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O.S. Plastic Sleeve Photocopies of historical public records re Tasmania

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