

THE UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE ARCHIVES

MELBOURNE	
NAME OF COLLECTION	STEEL FAMILY
ACCESSION NO	1984.0093, 1981.0134, 1991.0094
CATEGORY	Other, individuals
ACTIVITY	Merchants, general Farmers
DATE RANGE	1810-1908
SIZE OF COLLECTION	1 Archive Box + oversized items
HISTORICAL NOTE	
DATE OF TRANSFER	26/10/1984
ACCESS CONDITIONS	Access: Open
DESCRIPTION	Correspondence - the majority are from Michael Steel (in Van Diemen's Land and later Hobart Town) to Joseph Steel (Oxon.), 1826- 1854; correspondence from William Steel (Hobart Town) to Joseph Steel (Kingham), 1831-1834; diary extracts by John Steel 1858-1862; bank book; note book; invoices; newspaper cuttings. Diary extracts of John Steel concerning search for land, Tasmania, Victoria and Townsville; correspondence from Michael Steel (Hobart) to his brother Joseph (England); correspondence from other family members. Letter William Anchor to Joseph Steel, 17 March 1852; Mortgage, William Shephard to William Steel Snr., 1810; Photocopy of manuscript transcript of letter Michael Steel to Joseph, from Van Diemen's Land, 12 April 1830. Photocopy of extract from John Steel's Diary from the Dows' photocopy of original in England (photocopy of a transcript of the extract is already held at Archives). It relates to his trip to Hobart Town from England, 1858

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ACCESSION/ENTRY FORM

Accession: 84 G 57

NAME:

STEEL FAMILY

ADDRESS:

Deceased

MAIN ACTIVITY:

? Farmers; Merchants

PLACE OF ACTIVITY:

Tasmania & England

HISTORICAL NOTE:

Collection yet to be processed

INCLUSIVE DATES:

? 1820's +

QUANTITY: 24 cms

.ACCESS: Refer to Gwen & Hume Dow

DESCRIPTION: Correspondence - mostly letters from Hobrt Town to England;

Bank book; note book; invoices; newspaper cuttings etc.

Many OF THE LETTERS ARE FROM John Steel, migrant.

SECONDARY ENTRIES: Migration; Hobart Town; Tasmania

FORM IF NOT ORIGINAL: As well as originals there DATE TRANSFERRED: 26 October 1984 are photocopies of lot 1, see note below.

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24 May 1826, from VanDieman's Land
                                              - typed copy
21 Feb. 1827, "
                                              - original
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24 Feb. 1830,
                                              - photocopy
12 April 1830, "
                                              - original
13 August 1830,"
                                              - original
31 Dec. 1830, "
                   Hobart Town
                                              --original (wrongly filed as 1835)
9 Feb. 1831,
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                                              - original
31 March 1831, "
                                              - original
29 June 1831, "
                                               - original
24 Oct. 1831, "
                                               - original
                                              - original 30 July 1832 

- original 7 Feb 1834 

- original 7 Feb 1834 

- original 20 Feb 1835 

- original 20 Feb 1835
17 Feb. 1832, "
30 Jan. 1834, "
18 Sept. 1834, *
20 Oct. 1834, "
6 April 1835, *
30 Aug. 1835, "
                                               - original
Michael Steel to Joseph Steel of Enstone, Oxon.
26 April 1845 from London
                                               original
William Highett (agent) of Melbourne Port Phillip to Michael Steel
5 May 1845
                                              - original
Michael Steel to Joseph Steel of Enstone, Oxon.
14 Sept 1845
                from Hobart Town
                                              - photocopy
25 Dec. 1845
                                              - original
16 Jan. 1846
                                              - handwritten copy (Edna's?)
                   " nr O'Brien's Bridge, Sans Souci -
30 March 1846
8 April 1847
                   " Sans Souci, New Town
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                           " , O.Briens Bridge
22 Dec. 1848
                                                         original
21 Jan. 1850
                                                         original
14 March 1851
                                                     - photocopy
16 July 1851
                                                     - original
23 Jan. 1852
                                                      - handwritten copy (Edna's?)
26 April 1852
28 Feb. 1853
                                                      - original
Michael Steel to Joseph Steel of Enstone, Oxon.
3 June 1854
                   from London
                                                      - original
8 June 1854
                                                      - original
                           William Steel to Joseph Steel of Kingham
8 May 1831
                from Hobart Town
                                       - original
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 20 Nov. 1832
                                       - original
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 16 July 1833
                                       - original
 15 Jan. 1834
                                       - original
                           3 October 1835 to Joseph Steel from Jane Steel of Hobart Town - original
 10 Nov. 1835 agreement between Joseph Steel and Capt Beechcroft for passage - original
 July 1863, 17 St Helen Pl., London from Richardson Bros to John Steel re booking on Perc
                                                                                - original
 17 Oct. 1859 Robt Allbort Stone Buildings to War Robb Collins SV re possession of farms
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Michael Steel to Joseph Steel of Kingham near Chipping Norton, Oxon.

Steel, John

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Diary Extract

From a diary kept on a trip to the Antipodes in 1858-1862 (Note for 1863 and his wife)