

THE UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE ARCHIVES

NAME OF COLLECTION:	Cuming Smith and Company Limited
ACCESSION NO:	78/97, 88/95, 92/88, 92/157
CATEGORY:	Business, organizations
ACTIVITY:	Manufacturers, chemicals, fertilisers
DATE RANGE:	1829 – 1977
SIZE OF COLLECTION:	16.38 metres
DATE OF TRANSFER:	November 1978; 1988; 1992; 2011
ACCESS CONDITIONS:	Open
HISTORICAL NOTE:	James Cuming arrived in Melbourne in 1862. In 1872 he helped establish Cuming, Smith & Co. to manufacture acids and, later, superphosphate. The company joined with others in 1929 to form Commonwealth Fertilizers, acquired by the Imperial Chemical Industries of Australia & New Zealand Limited (ICIANZ) in 1961. Cuming Smith also had an interest in interstate fertiliser manufacturers, and in sawmilling and wood distillation near Melbourne.
DESCRIPTION:	Minutes 1897-1947; director's attendance books; share issues; public relations; business correspondence and memoranda 1875-1960; legal documents 1871-1956; reports and submissions 1903-1965; catalogues 1882-1974; accounts and stock records; ledgers; balance sheets; medals 1877-1925; amalgamation and kindred matters; maps and plans 1860-1959; personnel; technical reports; publications; newspaper clippings. Cuming family papers: private diaries; correspondence; documents; note-books 1829-1944. Victorian Fertilizer Association minutes 1907-1929.

**NOTE ON
COLLECTIONS:**

This collection is an amalgamation of four accessions; 78/97, 88/95, 92/88, 92/157. It contains both organisational records of Cuming Smith and Co. received in 1978, as well as many personal and family records of MA Cuming and his immediate family received in 1988.

Company and name acronyms:

MAC = (Mr.) MA Cuming

CS & Co P/L = Cuming Smith and Co Pty Ltd

CSMLFF Ltd = Cuming Smith Mount Lyell Farmers' Fertilisers Ltd

CF & C Ltd = Commonwealth Fertilisers and Chemicals Ltd

BPC = British Phosphate Commissioners

AC & F Ltd = Adelaide Chemical and Fertiliser Co Ltd

AFL = Australian Fertilisers Ltd

SAEC = Sulphuric Acid Executive Committee

ACF & SF = ACF and Shirley's Fertilisers Ltd

SCIV = Society of Chemical Industry of Victoria

**NOTE ON
LISTING:**

This listing derives its arrangement and item descriptions from the original typed inventory drawn up by Mr. J.M. Richmond in October 1967. In 1988, Series 17 -20 were added by Mathew Churchward. In February, 2004 reorganisation was begun by John Reynolds. In 2008 an audit was carried out by Katie Wood in order to match box numbers on the list with those on the shelves. A considerable number of items recorded in the original inventory were not found in 2004. It seems likely that many of the missing items were removed interstate, to affiliated companies in WA, South Australia and Queensland. Others may possibly have gone to ICIANZ and its successors or affiliates that merged into or acquired the fertilizer businesses.

The original list is kept in hard copy at the UMA. This public list has removed descriptions of those items not found in the 2008 audit.

Because of this, some item numbers do not run consecutively.

The collection has been re-boxed into acid free archive boxes.

Boxes 76 and 77 contain unlisted items, mostly related to the Cumings family personal records.

Acronyms:

MS = manuscript, ts= typescript, n.d. = not dated.

LISTED BY:

John Reynolds, UMA Volunteer (Who was involved in management and development of the fertilizer industry at Sulphide Corporation, Cockle Creek and Greenleaf Fertilisers, Kooragang Island, NSW between 1950 to 1966 and became acquainted with several of the people mentioned in this collection).

Audited by Katie Wood, October 2008.

DATE:

May 2009

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18	Business Papers of MA Cuming
19	Papers relating to the private investments, finances and household matters of Mr and Mrs MA Cuming
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GROUP 1 - Management			
	1/1	Minute Books	
1	1/1/1	Cuming Smith & Co. P/L (CS & Co P/L), Minute Book, No. 1 – includes minutes of initial statutory meeting of shareholders 10 Aug 1897, and ordinary general meetings of the Members of the company. Pp 11-12 contain a list of shareholders (chiefly Grimwade's, Campbell's and Cumings), and their respective holdings of the first 50,000 £1 shares issued. Pg 54 shows the distribution of the second share issue (to 73,000) as 31 Jan 1900.	18 Jun 1897 – 26 Oct 1911
1	1/1/2	Minute Book, No. 2 – also contains details of the issue and distribution of shares.	26 Oct 1911 – 9 Jun 1920
1	1/1/4	Minute Book, No. 4 – From early 1929, there was consideration of a 'proposed amalgamation of the various firms interested in the fertilizer and heavy chemical industries of Australia'. Viz., CS & Co P/L, Mt Lyell Chemical Works, Nobel (A'asia) Ltd., Wischer & Co P/L, Electrolytic Zinc Co. and others. Attached to pg. 20 are letters concerning the merger. At a meeting of 24 Dec 1930, the directors agreed to a reduction of fee due to the prevailing financial depression.	20 Sep 1928 – 22 Jan 1947
1	1/1/6	Mississippi Saw Milling Co. P/L. Minute Book. This company's mills at Warburton, Vic., were taken over by CS & Co. in 1917. Minutes of all meetings are very brief, except for those of an extraordinary general meeting called to voluntarily wind up the company, 19 Dec 1923. All property and assets were to be transferred to CS & Co P/L.	25 Feb 1920 – 9 Jan 1924
	1/3	Share Issues, Dividend Policy &c.	
3	1/3/1	B. Perry, Report on the Existing Conditions in relation to Sales of Fertilizer in Victoria; (cf GROUP 8, section 4, below). An interesting account of the structure and marketing methods of CF & C Ltd., Cresco, and (especially) the Phosphate Co-operative Co.	n.d., (1933 or 1934)
3	1/3/2	Report entitled <i>Primary Producers' Shares; Reduction of Capital; Return of Capital</i> . Concerns the inroads of the Phos. Co-op. Co. ('Pivot') and suggests a scheme for allowing primary producers to become shareholders in CF & C Ltd. (4 pp, ts – 2 copies, and one copy of an edited version (5 pp, ts)	20 Dec 1934
3	1/3/4	Bonus issue 1906. Distribution of £50,000 of the reserve fund among members by means of issue of fully paid up shares,	May – Jun 1906

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3	1/3/6	Bonus issue of paid up shares 1927, including the agreement between CS & Co P/L and William Fehon Cuming on behalf of the shareholders, 28 Sep 1927, and giving details of the allotments. (23pp., ts.)	1927
3	1/3/7	Applications and instructions for issue of shares 1899/1900. (24pp.)	1899-1927
3	1/3/8	Share Register, 1897-1927, with note by Mr. Pellow that the share register for 1927-1956 could not be found in Feb 1964.	1897-1927
3	1/3/9	Scrip issued and cancelled/Transfer of Shares, 1897 – July 1921	1897-1921
3	1/3/10	Scrip issued and cancelled/Transfer of Shares, July 1921 – Dec 1955	1921-1955
3	1/3/11	CS & Co Ltd., bonus issue 1955. (Grey manila folder containing:) (1) Extracts of the minutes of board meeting held on 13 Oct 1955 discussing matters relating to the bonus issue of 500,000 to existing shareholders (2 pp., ts.) (2) Agreement between CS & Co Ltd and F.T. Fenton setting out the allocation of 500,000 bonus shares amongst shareholders, 16 Dec 1955 (2 copies) (3) Letter to M.A. Cuming as a shareholder advising him of his entitlement to 7,500 bonus shares, 16 Dec 1955 (4) Return showing the allotment of all bonus shares offered on 16 Dec 1955. (4pp., ts & 2 pp., ts.)	1955
3	1/3/12	(1) Letter, M.A. Cuming to Russell Henry regarding content of a proposed announcement to CS & Co shareholders on dividend policy, 20 June 1962. (1 pg., ts.) (2) Memorandum for shareholders regarding a 6% interim dividend to be paid on 17 Sept 1962 and the future dividend policy of CS & Co. 22 June 1962. (1 pg., ts.) (3) CS & Co Ltd to The Melbourne Stock Exchange, re: interim dividend and future dividend policy, 22 June 1962. (1 pg., ts.)	1962
3	1/3/13	Memoranda for M.A. Cuming Esq., prepared by Russell Henry of Flack & Flack. Contains discussion on a proposal to reduce the issued capital of CS & Co. by writing 5/- off the face value of shares and distributing a portion of CS & Co's ICIANZ shares to shareholders as a tax-free dividend; 18 June 1962. (7pp., bd ts.)	18 Jun 1962
3	1/3/14	Notes for discussion with Mr. Henry Russell. A review of CS & Co's current position and comments on decisions taken by the Board since Russell Henry's report of 18 June 1962 (with a copy of the CS & Co	14 Aug 1963

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3	1/3/15	balance sheet at 31 Dec. 1963 attached); (3 pp., ts.) Report of an informal meeting of the Committee of Directors held at 65 William Street, Melbourne, on 6 Feb 1964, including an estimate of capital requirements in the Australian fertilizer industry over the 3 years from Jan 1964. (4 pp., ts.)	1964
3	1/3/16	(A) Notice to shareholders, announcing the issue of 400,000 new £1 CS & Co shares at a premium of £1/15/- to provide funds to contribute to CSBP & Farmers' new capital works in W.A. with an attached facts sheet on the history of CSBP & Farmers Ltd and results of its activities over the previous 5 years, 11 Jun 1965 (B) Notice to shareholders repeating the contents of the 11 Jun notice and adding instructions to shareholders wishing to either accept the share offer or sell the rights for their entitlement, 14 Jul 1965	11 Jun 1965 – 14 Jul 1965
3	1/3/17	Notes by M.A. Cuming on the value of CS & Co shares with particular reference to the present low "market" price and the possibility of a "Raider" being tempted to make a takeover bid. Includes comments on the current control of CS & Co and a list of all shareholders with 5,000 or more shares, 17 May 1971. (6 pp., ts.) (3 copies, each with a covering memorandum sent to CS directors, 18 May 1971)(another copy with a letter to E.P.M. Harty, 10 May 1971).	May 1971
3	1/3/18	CS & Co Ltd, July 1972 bonus issue; 1972 (1) "Midnight thoughts" – notes by M.A. Cuming made on 3 sheets of pink note paper (undated, c. June 1972) (2) Notes by M.A. Cuming on the value of CS & Co shares and the possibility of increasing the issued capital in order to reduce dividend rates and allow a distribution of some ICI shares to CS & Co. shareholders. 2 Jun 1972. (4 pp., ts.) (4 copies – one with attached article from the <i>Financial Review</i> 16 May 1972 on brokers Brian Randall & Co., one of the raiders threatening CS & Co.) (3) Letter from solicitors Hedderwick, Fookes & Alston discussing M.A. Cuming's notes of 2 June and advising that CS & Co make a substantial bonus issue to increase its market capitalization, 9 Jun 1972. (3 pp., ts.) (another copy photocopied). (4) Letter from Andrew (Grimwade?) thanking M.A. Cuming for a copy of Hedderwick, Fookes & Alston's 2 June letter, 19 June 1972. (1 pg., ts.) (5) Letter from Hooke, Graham & Digby, chartered	1972

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accountants, setting out the steps necessary in order to revalue CS & Co assets and then declared a bonus share issue of one for one, 23 June 1972. (3 pp., pts.)

(6) Letter sent to CS & Co directors with a copy of Hooke, Graham & Digby's 23 June letter.

(7) Rough notes by M.A. Cuming regarding the splitting of shares & bonus issue (undated).

(8) Three letters exchanged between Bill Batty & M.A. Cuming raising the possibility of forming a separate company, CS Holdings, in order to allow a tax-free distribution of ICI shares to CS & Co shareholders, 21, 26, 28 June 1972. (5 pp., ts.)

(9) Letter to the Sydney Stock Exchange, announcing the CS & Co. directors' decision to revalue the company's assets and to call an extraordinary general meeting on 26 July 1972, 26 June 1972. (2 pp., ts.)

(10 A) Notice to shareholders of an Extraordinary General Meeting of CS & Co Ltd, to be held on 26 July 1972 in order to consider dividing existing \$2 shares and increasing authorized capital from \$4 m. to \$10 m., 5 July 1972.

(10 B) Circular to shareholders explaining the directors' decision to make a one for one bonus issue of CS & Co. shares on 26 July 1972, 5 July 1972.

(10 C) Circular to shareholders issued with share certificates for the 26 July bonus issue, 11 August 1972.

(11) Drafts for 1/3/18 (10A) & (10B) above.

3	1/3/19	Draft memorandum for shareholders announcing an interim dividend to be paid 27 Sept. 1972 and reaffirming the future dividend policy of the company, 4 July 1972. (1 pg., ts.)	1972
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3	1/3/20	Draft memo to CS & Co directors discussing a possible revaluation of assets and a further bonus issue of one for two CS & Co. shares, undated (probably Aug. or early Sept. 1973). (2 pp., ts.)	1973
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3	1/3/21	Lists of current shareholders (see also 17/3/1 & 17/3/4, 16/1/21 & 16/1/23.)	1951-1952
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(1) CS & Co P/L – list of shareholders & shares held, May 1945. (1 pg., ts.)

(2) ditto, 27 Feb 1951 (2 pp., ms)

(3) CS & Co Ltd – list of shareholders, shares held & corresponding 5% dividend payments, 27 Nov. 1952 (2 pp., ts.)

(4) CS & Co Ltd. – list of shareholders, shares held & share transfers, n.d. (apparently supersedes list of 27 Nov. 1952) 2 pp., ts.

3	1/3/22	CS Shares – Felton Estate File of memos from M.A.	9 May 1975 – 30
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		Cuming to other CS & Co directors discussing the consequences of a Victorian Supreme Court case which gave the Trustees Executors & Agency Co. Ltd the power to diversify the investments of the Felton Estate from twelve securities & original shareholdings into other shares, stocks & real estate, 9 May 1975 – 30 May 1975	May 1975
2	1/4 1/4/1	Public Relations Folder entitled <i>Particulars of Victorian State School Propaganda</i> . Contains sundry material, including the Rules of the State Schools' Horticultural Society and its Annual Report, 1931. (16 pp. roneoed in soft bound folder)	1931
2	1/5 1/5/1	Marketing, including material relating to agreements (cf GROUP 6) (1) Victorian Fertilizer Association, Minute Book, No. 1 The minute books also contain sundry copies of correspondence. 10 May 1907 – 25 Jun 1912 (423 pp., ts + ms index) (2) VFA Minute Book, No. 2, 15 July 1912 – 29 June 1917 and 3 July 1917 – 9 July 1920 (371 pp. ts., + ms index & 219 pp., ts, + ms index.) (3) VFA Minute Book, No. 3, 16 July 1920 – 30 June 1922 & 14 July 1922 – 29 June 1923. (136 pp., ts., + ms index & 74 pp., ts., + ms index) (4) VFA Minute Book, No.4, 1 Dec 1922 – 28 Jun 1929. (Unpaginated c.400pp) ts., un-indexed) (5) VFA Minute Book, No. 5, 10 July 1914 – 3 May 1918 (another copy) (301 pp., ts, + ms index (6) VFA Minute Book, No. 6, 17 May 1918 – 24 Nov 1922 (another copy) (unpaginated, ts., unindexed) (7) VFA, Draft agreement of VFA, Oct 1907, with written amendments (see also 1/5/1 – 1 the first document in that vol.) (15 pp., ts.) (8) Draft of Victorian Superphosphate, Manufacturers agreement, 1908, with written amendments. (11 pp., ts.) (9) Extract from Wischer & Co's Agreement, 1908 (5 pp., ts) (10) Letter to Chairman of the VFA, James Cuming, from Wischer, Haynes and Evans, proposing quarterly rotation of chairmanship, secretaryship and meeting venue, 28 Jun 1912 (2 pp., ts.) (11) James Cuming's reply to the above, 29 Jun 1912. (1 pg., ts.) (12) Agreement, CS & Co. P/L ML Chemical Works,	10 May 1907 – 28 Jun 1929

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		<p>Wischer & Co. P/L, Australian Explosives & Chemical Co. Ltd, consisting of the basis for a new trade agreement, 11 Mar 1918. (1 pg., ts.)</p> <p>(13) Sales Adjustments of the member companies, season 1921/22. (5 pp., ts.)</p> <p>(14) Letter, CS & Co P/L auditor to VFA secretary certifying compliance with the agreement, 26 Jul 1928 (1 pg., ts.)</p> <p>(15) Letter, VFA, secretary to CS and Co P/L secretary, regarding adjustment of sales, 17 Aug 1928 (1 pg., ts.)</p> <p>(16) Letter with attachments, VFA, secretary to CS & Co P/L secretary, regarding adjustment of sales, 27 Aug 1928 (7 pp., ts.)</p> <p>(17) Victorian Superphosphate Manufacturers' Association, Duties of Auditors, n.d. (2 pp., ts.)</p> <p>(18) Draft of Agreement of conditions governing the distribution of manures in Victoria during...n.d. (4 pp., ts. With written amendments)</p> <p>(19) Proposed draft of agreement of conditions governing the distribution of manures in Victoria during n.d, but c. 1907 (5 pp., ts., with pencilled amendments)</p>	
2	1/5/2	Folder inscribed "Private Letters from Office, 1929" Includes quite a deal of correspondence and other papers from T.W. Haynes (Gen. Mgr., Mt Lyell) – W.F. Cuming, concerning agreements (such as the Victorian Acid Manufacturers' Agreement), 1921-26. (ts, ms, and mimeograph, alphabetically arranged, in bound folder.	1929
2	1/5/3	CF & Co Ltd, Cresco, and Phos. Co-op. Co. Minutes of meetings and conversations between representatives; 1933-39 (27 pp., ts.)	1933-1939
2	1/5/4	CF & Co Ltd. Notes on the Company's relations with its agents <i>vis a vis</i> customer credit, Nov 1939 (3 pp., ts.)	Nov 1939
	1/6	Miscellaneous	
2	1/6/3	CF & C Ltd., Reports on the use of manufacturing cost figures, and works organization, Dec 1939 – Jan 1940 (10 pp ts.)	1939-1940
2	1/6/4	M.A. Cuming, Notes on the Technical Organization of CF & C Ltd, 30 Sep 1943. (6 pp., ts.)	1943
2	1/6/5	A. Stewart, Comments on above items, 5 Oct 1943. (3 pp., ts.)	1943
2	1/6/6	CF & C Ltd, Directors' Correspondence and Fees, Nov 1954 – May 1958	1954-1958
2	1/6/7	Notes by J.C. Stewart on a conference with Mr.	1964

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		Macindoe – covers discussions on the Queensland Ammonia Co., the agreement to be signed between CS & Co. and B.P., and the possibility of swapping CS & Co's interest in Aust. Fertilizers Ltd. For ICIANZ shares, 31 July 1964 (2 pp., ts.)	
2	1/6/8	Major Dividends Received in September – list of the total dividends received by CS & Co. from CSBP and ICI in 1971, 72, 73 & 74., n.d., (1 pg., ms.)	1971-1974
2	1/6/9	CS & Co. P/L, Valuation of shares held by co. as at 30 Sept 1936, produced by T.E. Hooke, company auditor, 6 Oct 1936. (2pp., ts.)	1936
2	1/6/10	CS & Co. P/L. Extract from M.A. Cuming's diary for 19 th April 1940, discussing the value of assets held by CS & Co. (2 pp., ts., 2 copies)	1940
2	1/6/11	Blake & Riggall, letter advising CS & Co of the company's obligations under taxation laws in relating to the funding and rate of dividends, 16 Apr 1942 (3 pp., ts.)	16 Apr 1942
2	1/6/12	Notes detailing number of directors on board of CS & C; qualifications & conditions relating to the appointment of directors, and CS & Co's entitlements to appoint directors to the boards of associated companies C.F. & Co. Ltd., C.S. & MLFF Ltd. And Aust. Fertilizers Ltd., 2 May 1945 (4 pp., ts.)	2 May 1945
	1/7	1956 Public Float & Stock Exchange Listing	
2	1/7/1	Memorandum & reports by Flack & Flack: (1) Notes by M.A. Cuming talk with Russell Henry of Flack & Flack on matters relating to the prospectus and articles of association to be issued by CS & Co., 20-21 Oct. 1955 (3 pp., ts.) (2) Notes on CS & Co. capital issue & the incidence of tax-free reserves held by CF & Co. Ltd (with a covering memo from Dr. J.C. Stewart), 27 Oct 1955 (2 pp., ts.) (3) Another copy of above (with a covering letter to CF & C. directors, dated 28 Oct. 1955 (4) Memorandum for M.A. Cuming containing proposed amendments to the CF & C Ltd accounts of 30 th June 1955, prepared by Flack & Flack (with covering letter), 7 Nov 1955 (4 pp., ts.) (5) Notes by M.A. Cuming on the memorandum from Flack & Flack of 7 Nov. and proposed course of events leading up to the issue of additional shares & floating of CS & Co., 9 Nov. 1955 (2 pp., ts.) (6) Memo. To Mr. Fenton, CS & Co. secretary, 18 Nov. 1955 (1 pg., ts.) (7) Preliminary report relating to the proposed public	195501956

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		issue of 100,000 CS & Co shares, prepared by Flack & Flack (with a covering letter from J.B. Were & Son.), 1 Dec. 1955 (45 pp., ts.)	
		(8) Notes prepared following a meeting held on 13 Jan. 1956 to read the draft CS & Co. prospectus, prepared by Flack & Flack (with covering letter), 16 Jan. 1956 (6pp., ts.)	
		(9) Copies of letters issued to CS & Co. Directors with the above notes by Flack & Flack (4 pp.)	
2	1/7/2	Underwriter's agreement between Z.J.B. Were & Son and CS & Co. Ltd with regard to the public issue of 100,000 ordinary £1 CS & Co. shares, 24 Jan. 1956 (6 pp., ts.)	1956
2	1/7/3	Stock Exchange listing. (1) Official listing requirements of the Stock Exchange of Melbourne (4 pp., ptd.) (2) CS & Co. Ltd's application for admission to the official list of The Stock Exchange of Melbourne, 24 Feb. 1956. (3) Notification of CS & Co's admission to the Stock Exchange, 29 Feb. 1956.	1956
2	1/7/4	(1) Draft prospectus for the issue of 100,000 £1 ordinary shares by CS & Co. Ltd, 12 Jun. 1956 (with annotations), (31 pp., ts.) (2) Prospectus of issue by CS & Co. Ltd of issue at par (£1) of 100,000 ordinary shares, 27 Jan. 1956 (18 pp. ptd and bd. – 2 copies) (another copy 15 Jan 1936)	1956
2	1/7/5	Correspondence relating to the allocation of 1,400 shares from CS & Co. public issue to certain employees of Australian Fertilizers Ltd; 25 Jan 1956 – 10 Feb 1956 (10 letters & memos)	1956
2	1/7/6	Correspondence relating to the allocation of 1,900 shares from the CS & Co. public issue to certain employees of CS & ML Fertilizers Ltd 25 Jan 1956 – 6 Feb 1956 (4 letters + 1 newspaper clipping)	1956
2	1/7/7	Miscellaneous correspondence relating to 1956 public issue of CS & Co. shares: (1) Memo. from F.T. Fenton setting out a proposed programme of dates in relation to the applications for shares and the Stock Exchange listing, 6 Feb. 1956 (1 pg., ts.) (2) Memo. from D.M. Cuming advising M.A. Cuming that details of share allocations to employees had been finalized, 13 Feb 1956 (1 pg., ts.) (3) Letter to F.T. Fenton notifying him that CS & Co. directors had voted him £250 in recognition of his work in connection with the public float, 1 Mar. 1956, (1 pg., ts.)	1956

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2	1/7/8	(4) F.T. Fenton's response to the above; mentions his intention to buy some CS & Co. shares on the exchange with the money given to him, 1 Mar. 1956 (1 pg., ms.) Newspaper clippings referring to the public float & Stock Exchange listing of CS & Co., 27 Jan 1956 – 24 Mar. 1956, (mounted on plain quarto sheets.)	27 Jan 1956 – 24 Mar 1956
GROUP 2 – Accounts			
2/1 James Cuming			
4	2/1/1	Accounts Book, the forge – shows date, customer's name, nature of work, and charge; at back, sundry lists, eg., note of payments on rent on shop, lists of bills made out at various dates, Mar. 1863 – Sep 1865 (small ms. book)	Mar 1863 – Sep 1865
4	2/1/2	Account of sales of sulphur ex Dallam Tower, sold by Mixner and Campbell (one of Charles Campbell's firms), on account of James Cuming, 22 Mar. 1867 (1 pg., ms.)	22 Mar 1867
4	2/1/3	Expenditure book – various accounts; wages, house built in Barkly St., Carlton, other forge accounts, etc., 1872	1872
4	2/1/4	Private accounts of James Cuming with CS & Co. Included, too, are occasional details of Charles Campbell's private ledger account with the Company, 30 May 1874 – 31 Jan 1889 (46 loose ms. Pp.)	May 1874-31 Jan 1889
4	2/1/5	Private ledger accounts of JC and JC Jnr., To 31 Jul 1886 (2 pp., ms.)	31 Jul 1886
4	2/1/6	Receipt from the Australian Tannic Co. Ltd. For payment of 2s 6d call on 333 shares, 21 Nov. 1887.	21 Nov 1887
2/2 James Cuming, Jnr.			
4	2/2/1	Receipt from the Australian Tannic Co. Ltd. – For payment of 2s 6d call on 333 shares; the figure 333 suggest that JC, JC Jnr., and Chas. Campbell may have decided that CS & Co. should have 1,000 share interest in the AT Co. Ltd., 21 Nov. 1887.	21 Nov 1887
4	2/2/2	Cash Book of James Cuming Jnr. And W.A. Fehon. Pacific trip, Jan – June 1883. (embossed title "Day Book" 180 pp.)	1883
2/3 Cuming Smith & Co.			
4	2/3/1	Balance Sheets and Profit and Loss Accounts ; Note 1: Some of the balance sheets on the 1870s are entered on the letterhead of Chas. Campbell & Co., late Mixner & Campbell, and some of the 1880s are entered on the back of paper headed Campbell & Yule, Lime, Cement and Plaster Stores (office and stores at 65 William St.	30 Nov 1872 – 31 May 1873; 29 Nov 1873 – 31 Jan 1889

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		and at Lime Wharf); Several sheets include analysis of charges and interest accounts, particulars of accounts, statements of capital accounts, stock lists, and lists of creditors. (141 pp., ms.)	
4	2/3/2	Balance Sheets; With 1929 at the front and 1910 at the back; these include the various branches and subsidiaries (including W.A.) (ts. Sheets, folded and bd.)	31 Jul 1910 – 30 Jun 1929
5	2/3/3	Balance Sheet (7 sheets)	1926
5	2/3/4	Ledgers, showing Profit and Loss Accounts and Balance Sheets (1) Ledger Book, No.1 – refers to Yarraville, Port Melbourne, the wood distillation and saw-milling works at Yarra Junction and the Western Australian works; as well, pp 105-7 contain Profit and Loss Account and Balance Sheet for W.A. to 30 Jun 1916; pp. 125-30 contain summaries of Profit and Loss Accounts 1902-18. (2) Ledger Book, No. 2 – dealing with all sites, and listing Western Australia and Mississippi Saw Mills accounts separately (and from 1926, Enterprise Saw Mills); attachment to p.183 is a ts. ‘Summary of Profit and Loss Accounts and Balance Sheets, 1937-41’; pg. 194: Summary, Profit and Loss Accounts, Mississippi Saw Mills, 1920-3; pp. 195-200, Summary, Profit and Loss Accounts, 1919-40; pg. 201-2, Journals, updated; p. 203, Journal, W.A., 1920, and Mississippi Saw Mills; pp. 204 - , Miscellany of Journals, Melbourne and W.A., 1920-31. 31 July 1916 – 30 Sept. 1946.	1897 - 1918
5	2/3/5/1	Private Ledger; roughly indexed at the front; comprises: Profit and Loss Accounts, 1876-89 Profit and Loss Accounts, 1889-99 Capital Accounts, 1877-97 Freehold, Buildings, and Plant Accounts, Chemical Works, Footscray, 1877-94 Guarantee Account, 1878, 1884 Office Furniture Account, 1878-9 James Cuming, Private Account 1878-87 James Cuming, Private Account, 1889-99 Charles Campbell, Private Account, 1878-92 James Cuming Jnr., Private Account, 1885-98; including attached to pg. 31, a letter from JC Jnr to Campbell, requesting the transfer of £1,750 from the private account of the former to that of the latter in payment for a one-twentieth share in CS & Co., Aug 1889.	1876-1899

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5	2/3/5/2	Private Ledger	1929-1946
5	2/3/6	Rest Book; showing Profit and Loss Accounts, and Assets and Liabilities, 31 Jul 1884 – 28 Feb 1898 (by which time the Company, as such, was in liquidation).	31 Jul 1884 – 28 Feb 1898
5	2/3/7	Cash Book – Details of goods ordered and cost when received (mainly chemicals or raw materials, and some plant, showing quantities, origins, costs, etc.) 1898 - 1906	1898 – 1906
6	2/3/8	Production, despatches, sales:	
6	2/3/8/1	(1) Register of Goods Inward and Outward, Victoria Bone Mill Co. and Cuming Smith & Co., superphosphates; Products include bonedust, bonedust super., superphosphate of lime, Am. Super, animal guano, potash manure, dissolved bones, tallow, and bone meal, 1877 - 1880	1877-80
6	2/3/8/2	(2) Summary, Acid Sales, 1 Aug 1882 – 31 Jul 1884 (1 pg., ms.)	1 Aug 1882-31 Jul 1884
6	2/3/8/3	(3) Acid Sales, 1 Feb. 1884 – 31 July 1884; and Acid Stocks, 31 Jan – 31 Jul 1884 (2 pp., ms.)	1 Feb 1884-31 Jul 1884
6	2/3/8/4	(4) Table of tonnages of output, 1905/6 – 1926/7 (1 pg., ts.)	1905-1927
6	2/3/8/5	(5) Table of total output, by commodity, for year ended 31 Jul 1906 (1 pg., ts.)	31 Jul 1905 – 31 Jul 1906
6	2/3/8/6	(6) Ditto, for year ended 31 July 1907 (1 pg., ts.)	31 Jul 1907
6	2/3/8/7	7) Total dispatches of fertilizer, 1905/6 – 1925/6	1905-1926
6	2/3/8/8	(8) W.R. Webb, Devonport – CS & Co. Ltd., requesting information, 12 May 1967; and T.C. Pellow – Webb, 19 May 1967, giving details of tonnages of fertilizer sent to CS & Co. to Tasmania, 1911-14 (1 pg., ts + 1 pg., ts. (see 16/5/8) (39 pp., ts.)	1911-1967
6	2/3/8/9	(9) Review of Manure Season 1912 -1913 – Railway tonnages of CS & Co, Mt Lyell, and Wischers;	1912-1913
6	2/3/8/10	(10) Ditto, 1913-1914 – Four pp. of commentary, the remainder of tables, including list of all localities and agents, quantity of trade & of railway tonnages consigned by CS and Co. Mt Lyell, and Wischers, to each railway station in previous three seasons. Fellow members of the VFA, Mt Lyell and Wischers are here described as ‘Our opponents’, pg.6 (36 pp., ts.)	1913-1914
6	2/3/8/11	(11) Set of seven cards showing monthly manufacturing figures, Yarraville and No. 4 Works, 1916-22	1916-1922
6	2/3/8/12	(12) Despatches of the three Victorian Companies, with uses to which products are put (ie. Pasture, Wheat, Other crops); 1923/4 – 1956 (prepared 23 May 1957).	1923-23 May 1957

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6	2/3/8/13	13) Seasoning Works Monthly Tallies, 1927-28.	1927-1928
6	2/3/8/14	(14) Total sales of all manures including export, 1898 – 1916/17 (1 pg., ts.)	1898-1917
6	2/3/8/15	(15) Summaries of potash sales, 1907- 1911 (7 pp, ms., 2 pp, ts.)	1907-1911
	2/3/9	Bill of payment from CS & Co., Melbourne, to the North of Scotland Bank Ltd., of £500; 27 Feb 1888	23 Feb 1888
6	2/3/10	Recommended bonuses; 31 Jul 1903 (1 pg., ms.)	31 Jul 1903
6	2/3/13	Income Tax Return, 1903 (5 pp., ms.)	1903
6	2/3/14	Balance Sheet, Profit and Loss, Analysis of Interest Account, Private Ledger Accounts of the partners (James Cuming Jnr, James Cuming snr., Charles Campbell) of CS & Co. in liquidation, 28 Feb 1898. (6 pp., ms.)	28 Feb 1898
6	2/3/15	Share certificates, Port Davey Development Company Ltd (Adelaide), 11 July 1912, Nos. 167- 186, twenty £10 shares	11 Jul 1912
6	2/3/16	AF P/L acknowledge receipt from CS & Co. P/L of Deposit No. 9.; 6 Sept. 1928 (1 pg., ts.)	6 Sep 1928
6	2/3/17	AF P/L advises a dividend, to be paid by distribution of shares, 10 Sep. 1928, (1 pg., ts.)	10 Sep 1928
6	2/3/18	CS & Co. P/L (W.A.), correspondence with W.F. Cuming 1921-26, includes price lists, costs, stock inventories, etc. (Owl Simplex bd. File)	1921-1926
6	2/3/19	CS & Co. P/L, Balance Sheets, Fertilizer manufacturing and despatch accounts, Profit and Loss accounts, etc., year ending June 1928.	1927-1928
	2/4	Commonwealth Fertilizers and Chemicals Ltd	
6	2/4/1	Balance Sheets; (ptd and published, with ts. Drafts, bd.)	30 Jun 1930 – 30 Jun 1959
6	2/4/2	Production, despatches, sales	
6	2/4/2/1	(1) Statement of total dispatches from CF & C Ltd and the Geelong Companies (viz. Cresco and Pivot) 1928-1956	1928-1956
6	2/4/2/2	2) Statements of tonnages of fertilizers delivered and used in various States, 1947 - 1953 (8 sheets)	1947-1953
6	2/4/2/3	(3) 'Comparative Estimate of Total Output of Artificial Fertilizers....' 1936/7 and 1937/8. 15 Feb 1939 (1 sheet) [2 copies and worksheet 1936/7	1936-1938
6	2/4/2/4	(4) Ditto, 1938/9 and 1939/40; 8 Jun 1943 (1 sheet)	1938-1943
6	2/4/2/5	(5) Ditto, 1940/1 and 1941/2; 28 May 1943 (1 sheet, 2 copies)	1940-1942
	2/5	Adelaide Chemical Works Co.	
2	2/5/1 to 5	Balance Sheets and Profit and Loss Accounts, 30 Jun 1886, 31 Dec 1891, 30 Jun 1894, 30 Jun 1896 and 31 Dec 1896. (5,2,2,1,and 2 pp. ms.)	30 Jun 1886-31 Dec 1896

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**GROUP 3 Amalgamations and Kindred Matters
(see also Groups 1 and 6)**

	3/3	Commonwealth Fertilisers and Chemicals Ltd	
7	3/3/1	Folder entitled '1929 Amalgamation'. Contains correspondence, minutes of meetings, proposals, agreements etc., relating to the amalgamation; including negotiations for the formation of ICI (Australia). ts, 2cm screw-bound folder	1929
7	3/3/2	Folder entitled 'Merger Negotiations 1928 / 1929'; including negotiations for the formation of ICI (Australia). Bound folder	1928-1929
7	3/3/3	Folder entitled 'Opening Assets at 1st July 1929' contains :	
7	3/3/3/1	(1) CF & C Ltd., business purchase account. 1 pp ts (2 copies)	1929
7	3/3/3/2	(2) Do. Vendor Companies profits and Losses on amalgamation. p ts (2 copies).	
7	3/3/3/3	ML Chemical Works Yarraville stocks on hand 30 Jun 1929 8pp	30 Jun 1929
7	3/3/3/4	(3) Adjustment of CS and ML stocks common to both works 1929 16pp ts	1929
7	3/3/3/5	CF & C Ltd. Schedules of fixed assets 1 July 1929. 21 pp ts	1 July 1929
7	3/3/3/6	Detailed lists of Nobels and Wischers customers a/cs, chiefly overdue ledger balances. 1929 - 30 18 pp ts	1929-1930
7	3/3/3/7	CS Works, fixed assets; ML Works, fixed assets, Wischer Works, fixed assets. At 30 Jun 1929. 19 pp ts	30 Jun 1929
7	3/3/3/8	CF & C Ltd opening stocks at 1929 1p ts	1929
7	3/3/4	Folder entitled 'Flack and Flack Merger Reports'; Bound folder also including (loose) 8pp ts relating to adjustments and Nobel's assets and a copy of the agreement of 9 Aug 1932	11 Sep 1929
7	3/3/5	Folder entitled 'Cash and Adjustments in Opening Ledgers' ; Contains Flack and Flack's reports of 30 Sep, 2 Oct, and 14 Nov 1929, concerning cash and adjustments, allotment of shares, etc, by CF & C Ltd to the four companies out of which it grew, plus ledger sheets relating to these adjustments. 25 pp ts	1929
7	3/3/6	File in ring-bound boards, called 1929 Super Merger and related to arrangements on a variety of issues concerned in the merger. 1 cm	1929
7	3/3/7	File entitled 'CF & C Ltd - change Over 1929' comprising 2 copies of Flack and Flack's report of 11 sep 1929, auditors report on CS and ML, 'Wischer's	1929

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7	3/3/8	Figures', 'Nobel's Figures', and 'Super Merger Minutes of Preliminary Meetings'. Also (loose) 7pp of related correspondence. 1.5 cm Owl Simplex file. Miscellaneous Material relating to the change over: profits, assets, profit and loss a/c, balance sheet, stock, raw materials, sales, cost estimates, outstanding a/c for CS & C, compensation, salaries. 28 pp ts	n.d.
7	3/3/9	Nobel (A'asia) PL to WF Cuming, copies of capital Requisition and Budget Expenditure Forms. 1pp ts & 2 printed enclosures.	16 Sep 1929
8	3/4 3/4/1	Industrial Chemicals P/L Letter File; 77 numbered and indexed letters and other papers relating to negotiations for an agreement between CF&C Ltd and ICIANZ. This agreement on alkali chemicals manufacture was designed to eliminate competition between the two companies, and resulted in the formation of ICP/L. an ICIANZ subsidiary. 8 Feb 1935-8 Sep 1936 – green foolscap letter file.	8 Feb 1935-8 Sep 1936
8	3/5 3/5/1	Cuming Smith & Co and Mount Lyell (Proposed 1918). Proposed merger of chemical companies in 1918, two letters, Haynes of MLR&R Co Ltd to James Cuming of CS & Co P/L (Nov 1918) and a draft of a report of a meeting of representatives and a committee in the same month	Nov 1918
8	4 4/1 4/1/1	GROUP 4 Personnel General CS & Co P/L Rules of Britannia Creek Employees Mutual Benefit Society; includes names of managing committee of the time. Yarraville n.d. 12pp	n.d.
8	4/1/2	CF & Co Ltd , Rules of the CF&C Ltd Employees' Mutual Benefit Society. 16pp	Jan 1932
8	4/1/3	Do., Introduction to the Job. Describes the location of the various works, the company's products, transport facilities; it lists the various union representatives, gives details of pay and amenities and has plans of the layout of CS and ML works at Yarraville. (during World War II). 9pp roneoed, + plans	n.d.
8	4/1/4	Article (mounted) from <u>Argus</u> concerning the erection of industrial huts at Yarraville works	14 May 1918
8	4/1/5	Extracts (typescript) from <u>The Labor Call</u> concerning the above.	23 May 1918

4/2 Agreements with Officers

Box No	Series No	Description	Dates
8	4/2/1	Memorandum of Agreement with George Dixon, commercial traveller. 1 p MS	9 Mar 1899
8	4/2/2	Do., with B Hunt, accountant	29 Mar 1900
8	4/2/3	Do., with Claude Smith and George Thomson, Prospectors. 2pp ts	[c. 1905, 1906]
8	4/2/4	Letter from J Filshie, offering his services as an engineer to CS & Co P/L; together with his letter of acceptance from the company. 3pp Ms and ts	May 1906
8	4/2/5	Memorandum of agreement, CS & Co P/L with B Perry. 2pp ts	7 Sep 1909
8	4/2/6	Correspondence, SC & Co; with ES&A Bank Ltd, advising the appointment of David M Cuming as Secretary in place of WJA Jones, retired. 2pp ts	Jan 1946
5		GROUP 5 Miscellaneous business correspondence and memoranda. (Includes some agreements material)	
8	5/1	FG Smith, Chief Mgr., National Bank of A'asia, Melbourne – CS & Co, Melbourne; Gives the Company the right to authorize others to use a private road through the former Macmeikan (?) & Co Bone Mills, Footscray, rented by the company. 1pp MS	13 Dec 1875
8	5/3	Letter file labelled 'Altona Estate'; Letters and financial statements concerning the company's property at Altona.	1930 - 1935
8	5/4	M Mumford, Sales Division, CF&C Ltd, - JJ Pascoe; inter-office memo	26 Nov 1945
8	5/9/4/1	(i) CS Correspondence and Subject Files Index. 'listing letters, file location and a précis of each. Alphabetical file 5 cm	1951 – 1953
8	5/9/4/2	(ii) As 5/9/4 (i) 6 cm	1954 - 1955
8	5/10	James Cuming's observations on the reactions of the Accident Underwriters Association and the council of the Victorian Manufacturers' cooperative insurance company. 4pp ts	
	5/11	Mr Gates' file on agreements, consisting of :	1947-1956
8	5/11/10	William Street building.	n.d.
	5/12	Bennett Perry/TW Haynes correspondence. 5cm-owl simplex binder	Aug-Sept 1928
8	5/13	Property owned by CS & Co P/L. 1p ts with a page of notes.	26 Apr 1939
8	5/14	Memo and two letters of Charles Campbell regarding his investments	20 Jan 1898
8	5/15	Specifications, agreements and correspondence regarding SC & Co P/L contract with Dept of Defence. 9pp	1920

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8	5/16	Principles to be observed in keeping accounts and in dealing with money at Yarra Junction. MS copy and two ts copies, (Mr Hooke, auditor). 6pp	31 Aug 1906
9	5/17	Correspondence, CS & Co Ltd – MLMR Co re acquisition of shares in 65 William Street P/L (voluntary liquidation completed 28 Jun 1968). 10 pp ts	Mar – Jul 1963
9	5/18	Guarantees, 65 William Street P/L, (Last guarantee cancelled in 1965) 12 pp	1962 - 1964
9	5/19	Letter, Melbourne Harbour trust Commissioners to CS & Co P/L re duties on import of bone manure. 1 p ts	29 Jun 1899
	5/20	Miscellany of material	1940 - 1943
9	5/20/1	Memo Mr Perry – sulphuric acid - Defence Department. 2pp ts	31 Oct 1940
9	5/20/2	Memo : Mr Perry – Oleum sales 1941 1p ts	17 Dec 1940
9	5/20/3	Memo: Mr Perry – Contact Acid Plant – Manufacturing Programme 1941. 2pp ts	7 Jan 1941
9	5/20/4	Membership Joint Committee on Rural Industries 2pp ts	
9	5/20/5	CF & C Ltd, Capital holdings and average profits distributed since inception of the Company, information for submission to Joint Committee Inquiry into Rural Industries. 1p ts Two copies	30 Jun 1941
9	5/20/6	Information regarding wheat 1p ts	
9	5/20/7	CF & C Ltd, Agricultural Service Branch. 1p ts Two copies	
9	5/20/8	WA Dept of Agriculture – ts copies of ‘Pasture Development and Improvement’ and ‘Installing of Sub. Clover’. 4 pp ts and Covering letter to CSMLFF.	31 Oct 1941
9	5/20/9	Bennett Perry’s evidence to enquiry of Joint Committee on Rural Industries, 6 Feb 1942 (see 7/1/1) 4 pp	9 Feb 1942
9	5/20/10	Notes re meeting of Australian Fertilizer Manufacturers, Monday 20 Apr 1942. 2 pp ts	23 Apr 1942
9	5/20/11	Press release advising approval of increase in price of superphosphate and introduction of a subsidy. 2pp ts	24 Jul 1941
9	5/20/12	JJ Pascoe’s memo for Mr Perry concerning superphosphate in Victoria. 3pp ts	27 Jun 1942
9	5/20/13	Report on a meeting held at CS Works, Yarraville, 29 Apr 1942 for the consideration of superphosphate guaranteed analyses for 1942-43 and addition of limestone to help prevent bag deterioration. 2pp ts Two copies	29 Apr 1942
9	5/10/14	CSMLFF Ltd: War organization of Fertilizer Industry. 3pp ts	5 May 1942

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9	5/20/15	FR Lang's memo for Mr Perry, concerning Oleum for munitions. 3pp ts	10 Apr 1942
9	5/20/16	Limestone – Superphosphate Reversion Experiments. 2pp ts	29 May 1942
9	5/20/17	Memos for Mr Perry concerning the concentrator at Bassendean and allocation of super make in WA factories. 2pp ts	21 Jan 1943
9	5/20/18	Circular from Australian Industries Protection League, to which is attached a clipping from the <u>Age</u> . 2 pp mimeo and cutting	21 Jan 1943
9	5/20/19	Estimates of income tax payable by CF & C and CSMLFF and according to the 'latest proposals'. 1p ts. n.d	30 Jun 1940
9	5/21	Miscellaneous notes, diary extracts, etc dealing with various matters during the early stages of the Second World War 111 pp mainly ts	c1940s
9	5/22	Notes on the new responsibilities of Companies and their Directors under the amended Companies Act (Victoria) of 1971 (probably by MA Cuming) 2pp ts	8 Feb 1972
9	5/23	Correspondence relating to MA Cuming's appointment to and retirement from the commonwealth Government's Chemical Industry Advisory Committee.	20 Dec 1952 – 16 Mar 1970
6	6/1	GROUP 6 Legal Cuming Smith & Co	
9	6/1/2/1	JC and Charles Campbell, Power of Attorney to JC Jr	14 Mar 1898
9	6/1/2/2	JC, Power of Attorney to JC Jnr.; ts	30 Mar 1908
	6/1/3	Certificates and legal documents	
9	6/1/3/1	Certificate of Charles Campbell's title to Lot 11, Section 2, Parish of North Melbourne, (cnr of Collins and William Sts) ts copy	6 Nov 1876
9	6/1/3/2	Certificate of John Geo. Fennell's title to land at the corner of Collins and William Sts.. One of its encumbrances was a lease for three years (from 1 Nov 1873) taken by Chas. Campbell from JB Bennett for Pds 225 per annum, ts copy	30 Mar 1908
9	6/1/3/3	Blake and Riggall – Mgr, CF&C Ltd.; re right-of-way beside 65 William St building. 3pp ts	12 Dec 1941
9	6/1/3/4	Do. – Do.; 1p ts	25 Aug 1942
9	6/1/3/5	Copies of title certificates for 65 William St property; Titles vol. 855, Fol. 170983; Vol. 905, Fol. 180912; Vol.2141, Fol. 428022; Vol. 2688, Fol. 537534. 4pp ts + 2 heliograph copies.	
9	6/1/4	Extract from Minute Book, Relates to the lease from the Harbour Trust of a wharf site	15 Aug 1898

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9	6/1/5	CS & Co and Victorian Railways Commissioners, agreement concerning a siding	16 Jan 1908
9	6/1/6	Contracts of Sale by Mississippi Sawmilling Co Pty Ltd. 1 pp ts	Sep 1923
	6/1/8	Sale agreements	
9	6/1/8/1	Beer Sondheimer & Co – MLM & R Co Ltd and CS & Co P/L for supply of South Sea phosphate from Angaur Island. pp ts	30 Jun 1911
9	6/1/8/2	Alexander Cross & Sons Ltd – MLM & R Co and CS & Co P/L. 3 pp ts	6 Dec 1912
9	6/1/8/3	Elders Metal and Mercantile P/L – MLM & R Co and CS & Co P/L, for supply of Anguar Phosphate of Lime to Fremantle. 5 pp ts	24 Dec 1912 27 Feb 1914
9	6/1/9	Agreement, JW Tolmie, Rabbit Inspection of Bacchus Marsh, and CS & Co P/L; together with Tolmie's receipt	11 Jun 1913
9	6/1/10	Ditto, CS & Co P/L, and Mount Gunson Copper Company, regarding the manufacture at Port Augusta of sulphuric acid by the Schroeder Contact Process, the patent rights of which were held by CS & Co P/L 2 pp ts	19 Jun 1913
9	6/1/11	Ditto, Metropolitan Gas Company and CS & Co P/L. Three year contract for the supply of sulphuric acid. 3 pp ts	1 Apr 1915
9	6/1/12	Ditto, Metropolitan Gas Company and CS & Co P/L. Two years extension of the 1915 contract. 3 pp ts	1 Nov 1918
9	6/1/13	Oonah Mines Leases, Tasmania, transferred to CS & Co P/L; four leases with accompanying letter. 13 pp	29 Nov 1921
9	6/1/14	Agreement, CS & Co P/L and the Melbourne Harbour Trust Commissioners, regarding the reclamation of land, with solicitor's letters and receipt. 3pp ts	5 Apr 1923
9	6/1/15	Two leases to CS & Co P/L of Henty House. 6pp with plans	11 Nov 1924
9	6/1/16	Applications for and notice of acceptance of registration of CS & Co P/L Trade Marks. 12 pp ts	Aug and Oct 1926
9	6/1/17	Agreement, Federated Artificial Fertilisers and Chemical Workers Union of Australia and CS & Co P/L and others. 16 pp	8 Sept 1927
9	6/1/18	Agreement, CS & Co P/L, and the Oceanic Trading Co P/L entitling the latter to a six month's option for the purchase of Oonah, Tasmania, mining rights. 4pp ts	15 May 1927
9	6/1/19	Agreement, Chemical Products P/L, Rudolph Victor Waddington, and CS & Co P/L, relating to the goodwill and certain plant, stock and assets. 3 pp MS	27 Jun 1927
9	6/1/20	Indenture between, CS & Co P/L, MLM&R Ltd, Nobel (A'asia) P/L and CF & Co Ltd, assigning trade mark registrations, with covering note. 5pp ts	18 Oct 1929
9	6/1/21	Agreement, James Francis Ezard, and CS & Co P/L,	7 Dec 1929

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		for the supply of hardwood, with exchange of letters extending the contract. 4 pp ts MS	27-28 Nov 1930
9	6/1/22	Indenture between CS & Co P/L, MLM&R Co Ltd, Electrolytic Zinc Company of Australia Limited, ICIANZ Ltd, and AF Ltd, governing the disposition of shares of individual Primary Producer holdings in AF Ltd.	29 Sep 1930 13 mar 1935
9	6/1/23	3 pp ts with attached letter. Agreement between CS & Co P/L, MLM&R Co Ltd, Wischer & Co P/L, Nobel (A'asia) P/L and CF & C Ltd governing Primary producer shares.	12 Dec 1930
	6/1B	Cuming Smith and Co at Warburton	
12	6/1B/1	Registration, Britannia Saw Mills 1 p	12 Feb 1907
12	6/1B/2	Tramway and Grazing Licences, Royalty permits and receipts from 1907, in envelope. 32 pp	1907 - 1919
12	6/1B/3	Indenture, between Victorian Railway Commissioners and CS & Co P/L, concerning a lease at the La La siding.	20 Aug 1919
		3 pp ts	
12	6/1B/4	Indenture do. concerning the Lilydale to Warburton line siding. 3pp with plan.	23 Mar 1920
12	6/1B/5	Letter, Grants Process Timber Seasoning P/L and CS & Co P/L, confirming verbal offer re royalties. 1 p ts	5 Sep 1923
		5	
12	6/1B/6	Agreement VRC and CS & Co P/L, concerning private tramway and timber storage platform at La La Warburton. 4 pp	14 Sep 1925
12	6/1B/7	Agreement, Edmond Andrew Robinson and Enterprise Sawmilling Co P/L. 3 pp ts	22 Mar 1924
12	6/1B/8	Agreement, CS & Co P/L and the Gribbles, regarding rental of premises.	15 May 1925
		2 pp ts	
12	6/1B/9	Agreement, Edmond Andrew Robinson and CS & Co P/L, lease of land and tramline. 3 pp ts	3 Sep 1925
12	6/1B/10	Agreement CS & Co P/L and Leonard and James Platt re use of CS tramline.	27 Feb 1927
		1 p ts	
12	6/1B/11	Contract of Sale, Yelland Bros. P/L with CS & Co P/L, steel rails. 1 p ts	1 Jul 1929
12	6/1B/12	Agreement VRC and CS & Co P/L re La La Siding extension, Warburton. 1 p	n.d.
12	6/1B/13	Certificate of Registration of a Trade Mark. (CS & Co P/L's "SIPPI") registered 9 December 1930 1 p	4 Jan 1932
12	6/1B/14	Memorandum of Agreement, CS & Co P/L and the Committee of Management of the River Frontages, Warburton, re a bridge. 1 p ts	23 Jan 1933

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12	1/6B/15	Indenture, CS & CO P/L with Ralph Septimus Dyer, regarding the removal of timber from Warburton Lands, with related correspondence, 1946 – 1947. 7 pp	18 Mar 1946
12	6/1B/16	Correspondence, transfer and contract of sale, relating to land at Britannia Creek. 11 pp	1959 - 1960
	6/2	CF & C Ltd	
12	6/2/3	Disposal of pyrites cinders: 1953 – 1956 Correspondence relating to export of cinders, and to dumping (CGA, Monsanto, SEC, and Victorian Railways) 66 pp mainly ts, Green Samizone flat file	1953 - 1956
12	6/2/4	Documents (with loose notes and plans) relating to the reduction of Capital. 66 pp chiefly ts	Feb 1933
12	6/2/5	File entitled 'CF & C – Reduction of Capital, farmer Shareholders etc, 1931-32-33', consisting of material relating to primary producers involvement in the company 1930 – 1931 and proposals and prepared documents for a reduction of capital 1931 – 1933. Also 7pp of correspondence 1934 – 35 concerning a proposal from Wischer and Co P/L for a return of capital to shareholders. 2 cm Owl simplex file	1930-1935
12	6/2/6	Agreement of sale of CFC to ICIANZ	Jun 1961
	6/3	CSMLFF	
13	6/3/4	Agreements Book (two copies, one with thumb index) comprising off prints of the following:	
13	6/3/4/1	Memo and Articles of Association, CSFF Ltd. 50 pp. (Several loose copies located elsewhere, also including one in 6/3/13).	1 Apr 1927
13	6/3/4/2	Agreement, CS & Co P/L and WJA Jones on behalf of CSFF Ltd, (Whereby latter purchased assets of former).7 pp (other copies in 6/3/13, 6/3/16)	22 Mar 1927
13	6/3/4/3	Agreement, CS & Co P/L, and the Westralian Farmers Ltd and WJA Jones of behalf of CSFF Ltd. 4 pp (Duplicate of original in 6/3/16)	22 Mar 1927
13	6/3/4/4	Memo and Articles of Association of MLFF Ltd 50 pp	31 Mar 1927
13	6/3/4/5	Agreement, MLM&R Co Ltd and DG Lumsden on behalf of MLFF Ltd. 7 pp	22 Mar 1927
13	6/3/4/6	Agreement, MLM&R Co Ltd and The Westralian Farmers Ltd, and DG Lumsden on behalf of MLFF Ltd. 4 pp	22 Mar 1927
13	6/3/4/7	Memo and Articles of Association, Westralian Farmers Superphosphates Ltd. 36 pp (another in 6/3/13) Further six copies, with subsequent amendments, in FCB	11 Apr 1927

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13	6/3/9	Agreement MLFF Ltd, and its liquidator, and CSMLFF Ltd ('Sale Agreement') 6 pp (Envelope 'K') Another copy in 5/13 (Mr Gates' copy with annotations) and at 6/3/16	11 Apr 1929
13	6/3/10	Agreement CSMLFF Ltd, the Westralian Farmers Ltd, and Westralian Farmers Superphosphates Ltd., ('Three Party Agreement') 4 pp (Env "K") Other copies in 5/13 (Mr Gates' copy with annotations), 6/3/13 and 6/3/16 - 16	24 Apr. 1929
13	6/3/11	Agreement, CSMLFF Ltd, CS & Co P/L and MLM&R Co Ltd. ('Management Agreement'); 4 pp (Env. 'K'), other copies in 5/13 (Mr Gates' copy with annotations), 6/3/13 and 6/3/16 - 17	6 Jun 1929
	6/3/13	Agreements and Memos	
13	6/3/13/1	Agreement, MLFF Ltd, CSFF Ltd, Westralian farmers Superphosphates Ltd and The Westralian farmers Ltd. 2pp ts (Another copy; 6/3/16)	22 Dec 1927
13	6/3/13/2	Letter, WF Cuming to CW Harper, Perth: recording an understanding concerning the effect of clause 17 (b) of the sale Agreement. 1 pp ts (5 Copies).	1 Apr 1927
13	6/3/13/3	Memorandum of terms of agreement to be made between MLFF Ltd and The Westralian Farmers Ltd. 1 pp ts n.d. (Original and 5 copies)	n.d.
13	6/3/13/4	Memo and Articles of Association, Westralian Farmers Superphosphates Ltd. 36 pp (another copy: 6/3/4 -7)	11 Apr 1927
13	6/3/13/5	Ditto. CSFF Ltd. 50 pp (two copies) (other copies in 6/3/4)	1 Apr 1927
13	6/3/13/6	Memorandum and Terms of Agreement, CSFF Ltd. and The Westralian Farmers Ltd. 1 pp ts nd	
13	6/3/13/7	Agreement, CS & Co P/L and WJA Jones on behalf of CSFF Ltd. 7 pp. (another copy: 6/3/4)	22 Mar 1927
13	6/3/13/8	Stages in the Evolution of CSMLFF Ltd 10 pp (other copies in 5/13)	n.d.
13	6/3/13/9	Agreement, CSFF Ltd and its Liquidator and CSMLFF Ltd. Six printed copies	11 Apr 1929
13	6/3/13/10	Agreement, CSMLFF Ltd, Westralian Farmers Ltd and Westralian Farmers Superphosphates Ltd. 5 printed copies	24 Apr 1929
13	6/3/13/11	Agreement, CSMLFF Ltd, CS & Co P/L and MLM&R Co Ltd. Six printed copies	6 Jun 1929
13	6/3/13/12	Agreement, MLFF Ltd and its Liquidator and CSMLFF Ltd. One printed copy	11 Apr 1929
13	6/3/17	August 1964 Agreement:	
13	6/3/17/1	Letter, British Petroleum Co of Aust. Ltd. To CS & Co Ltd, setting out an agreement under which BP or CS & Co would give the other party adequate notice of any	5 Aug 1964

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		intention to increase or dispose of part of their holding in CS&MLFF Ltd and the right of first refusal. 2 pp pts (2 copies)	
13	6/3/17/2	Letter, CS & Co Ltd to BP of Aust Ltd, reply to 5 Aug letter repeating the details of the agreement in full 3pp pts (2 additional copies)	7 Aug 1964
13	6/3/17/3	Letter BP of Aust. Ltd to CS & Co Ltd, acknowledgement of CS & Co's 7 Aug letter and confirmation of the agreement. 1 pp pts	12 Aug 1964
13	6/3/18	CS & Co Ltd to BP of Aust Ltd, confidential letter replying to enquiries by BP concerning their intention to set up a holding company (jointly owned by BP and WR Grace & Co Ltd) to take over one-third of BP's interest in CSBP & Farmers Ltd. 3 pp pts	19 Sep 1966
13	6/3/19	Draft Agreement, CSBP & Farmers Ltd and Cresco Fertilisers Ltd (of SA) regarding CSBP & Farmer's intention to buy all \$1 ordinary shares in Cresco Fertiliser Ltd (WA) Holdings Ltd from Cresco Fertilisers Ltd a cost of \$3 per share. 2 pp ts.	14 May 1970
	6/4	Industrial Chemicals P/L	
13	6/4/1	Agreement, CF & C Ltd, ICIANZ and IC P/L, whereby IC P/L (an ICI subsidiary) was to buy certain sections of CF & C Ltd's chemicals business for cash + allocation of IC P/L shares. 32 pp ts + coloured cloth map of Yarraville factories	30 Sep 1936
13	6/4/2	Agreement, CF & C Ltd, ICIANZ, and IC P/L (in liquidation) whereby ICIANZ takes over IC P/L, and also its obligations according to the principle agreement of 1936. 2 pp ts (3 copies)	10 Sep 1942
13	6/4/4	Sundry memos and correspondence between CF & C Ltd and ICIANZ, concerning the 1936 agreement. Note: attached to correspondence of Jan- Mar 1956 is a memo detailing all such communications between the companies,	1936 - 1956
	6/5	Miscellaneous	
13	6/5/1	Crown lease to Johnson's Tyne Factory P/L Allot. 81, South Melbourne. MS copy	2 Aug 1943
13	6/5/2	Agreements File : TW H (Haynes), in three sections, each indexed; Victoria and NSW, pp 1-55 (c.1904-1938) Western Australia, pp 1-76 (c.1910-1938) Officers' Agreements (WA) pp 1-17 (c. 1924-1927) (Note: material given to CSBP in 1977)	1904-1938
13	6/5/3	Indenture, EF Hofstree and CS & Co P/L, with covering letter from solicitors. Settlement of damages claimed for accident	2 Nov 1900

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84	6/5/4	CS and Co. Agreements, 1871-1875. Bound originals	1987-1875
14	6/5/5	Deed Lists	
		1. Contents of deed box at the Royal Bank of Aust Ltd. 9 pp (2 copies)	1912
		2. Receipt for deeds from Blake and Riggall. 1 p MS	8 Aug 1918
14	6/5/6	Agreement, CSMLFF Ltd and Alton McAllan Batty, concerning repayment of an advance of Pds 15,000 made to Mr Batty by the company to assist him in buying a house in Perth and a Pds10,000 AMP endowment policy taken out for Mr Batty by the company. 3 p photostat	18 Apr 1963
GROUP 7			
Submissions to Enquiries and relevant reports			
14	7/1/1	CF & C Ltd, Submission to an Enquiry by the Commonwealth Parliamentary Joint Committee on Rural Industries. Comprising introduction, memo to Exhibit A, and the following Exhibits 11 pp ts:	1 May 1942
14		A Table showing tonnage of deliveries and distribution of all brands of super. and mixed fertilizers manufactured and sold in Victoria	n.d.
14		B Price of super	1929/30 – 1940/41
14		C Cost of super in relation to production of wheat,	1929/30 – 1940/41
14		D Quantity of super used, acreage, production, and value of wheat crop in Victoria	1929/30- 1940/41
14		E Particulars of pastoral production in Victoria, (there are also the draft and 4 copies of this exhibit). Memo of HR Alexander, Agricultural Advisory Officer, Agricultural Service branch, Cf & C Ltd, Note on nitrogenous fertilizers. 11 pp ts	1929/30 – 1940/41
14	7/1/2	Third progress report from the joint committee on Rural Industries. 15 pp Xerox copy	1 May 1942
Industry Committees and Reports			
14	7/2/1	Superphosphate Industry Committee, Report by Executive Member (WJ Rose) to committee; Concentration of manufacture, Victoria. 25 pp roneoed	13 Aug 1943
14	7/2/2	CF & C Ltd, comments on above report 9 pp ts	23 Aug 1923
14	7/2/3	WJ Rose, Report to the Superphosphate Industry Committee: Concentration of Manufacture, South Australia. 37 pp Roneoed, + I p clarifying statement by WJ Rose.	14 May 1943
14	7/2/4	Western Australia.	25 Mar 1943

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14	7/2/5	56 pp roneoed + %pp addenda + CP Flockart's report on sulphuric acid manufacture in WA. 8 pp roneoed New South Wales and Queensland. 21 pp roneoed	31 Mar 1943 23 Jul 1943
14	7/2/6	Tasmania. 9 pp roneoed	16 Jul 1943
14	7/2/7	File containing folders and loose material relating to war-time enquiries into the rationalization of super. manufacturing industry, especially in WA	n.d.
14	7/2/8	Manila file marked 'Rationalisation of the superphosphate industry in Western Australia'; some material bound, some loose. This includes correspondence, reports, memos of meetings, and results of experiments at Yarraville. manila file ,contents ts	1942 - 1943
14	7/5	Envelope marked Pyrites and Sulphuric Acid Bounties: 1960 Deliberations'; Contains copies of correspondence, Acts and Tariff Board reports on Sulphuric Bounty Act 1954-1959 (1960), on Copper (1957) etc. 2 cm	1954-1959
	7/6	Tariff Board, Superphosphates and other Fertilisers Transcript of meetings	
15	7/6/1	April – May 1929	1929
14	7/6/2	April – May 1929	1929
15	7/6/3	April – July 1929	1929
15	7/6/4	June - July 1929	1929
	7/7	Material Relating to the Tariff Board inquiry into fertilizers, 1929 (see also 7/8B)	
16	7/7/1	Miscellaneous letters, reports, clippings, notes, estimates from 1927 onwards	1927 -
16	7/7/2	Price lists Cresco circular, price list and invoice Phosphate Co-operative Company of Australia Ltd circular and rebate notice	1923 - 1929 1928 - 1929 1929
16	7/7/3	Miscellaneous correspondence occasioned by the inquiry, March – July 1929: CS & Co Ltd with MLM & R, Dalgety and company Ltd, SCMLFF Ltd, AC & F Co Ltd, EZC of Australia Ltd, British Phosphate Commissioners, Nobel (A'asia) Ltd, American Trading Co of Aust and AF P/L.	Mar – Jul 1929
16	7/7/4	Notes prepared by CS & Co P/L for the tariff Board Inquiry	Apr 1929
16	7/7/5	Tariff Inquiry – figures submitted by D & M Com. 13 pp ts (another copy 7/8/ 5B)	24 Apr 1929
16	7/7/6	Notes prepared by CSMLFF Ltd for Tariff Board Inquiry into prices of superphosphate May 1929. Perth. 5 pp ts (another copy -7/8/B7)	11 May 1929

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16	7/7/7	CSMLFF Ltd: 17 confidential statements Perth. 24 pp ts (another copy – 7/8/ B6)	11 May 1929
16	7/7/8	AF P/L ; General public Statement and confidential statement to the tariff Board Inquiry. Handed in by T H Williams. 10 pp roneoed + 6 pp ts (Note see also ts first draft of the statement in 7/7/1)	n.d.
16	7/8/1	File marked ‘Tariff Enquiry into Superphosphate consists of correspondence and submissions relating to:	April 1929 and May 1932
16	7/8/1	The investigation of the superphosphate industry by the Development Branch of the Prime Minister’s Department, (details below)	May 1932
16	7/8/1	(B) The Tariff Board Inquiry into Fertilisers (details below)	Apr 1929
16	7/8/1	(C) The Fair Profits Commission, 1920. Correspondence between the Commission and CS & Co P/L	Aug – Nov 1920
16	7/8/1	A/1 - Report on the Superphosphate Industry by the Development Branch of Prime Minister’s Department. 27 pp Roneoed copy of the above 37 pp.	27 Sep 1932
16	7/8/1	A/2 – Letter, Prime Minister’s Dept, Dev. Branch to CF & C Ltd, advising of the investigation and inviting answers to a questionnaire (Enc). 4 pp ts	4 May 1932
16	7/8/1	A/3 – CF & C Ltd reply to Questionnaire submitted by Dev Br of PM’s Dept. 41 pp ts (another copy :7/8/5)	May 1932
16	7/8/1	A/4 – Further correspondence in connection with superphosphate. Price enquiry Correspondence Memo for Mr Cuming Remarks on the discrepancy in the cost of Australian superphosphate as compared with that of other countries. 26 pp ts	7 Nov 1930 May 1932 Jun – Aug 1932 1 Sep 1932
16	7/8/1	A/5 – Superphosphate statements furnished by SCMLFF Ltd Reply to May questionnaire and Jul/Aug correspondence. 30 pp	May 1932
16	7/8/1	A/6 – Australian Fertilizers letter and reply to questionnaire tp PM’s Dept, Dev Branch. 16 pp ts (+ printed enclosure)	8 Jun 1932
16	7/8/1	B/1 – Tariff Board’s Report and Recommendations on Fertilisers. Canberra. 51 pp (another copy 7/8/2)	5 Dec 1929
16	7/8/1	B/2 – Board of Trade. Safeguarding Industries. Report of the Superphosphate Committee. 27 pp	1925
16	7/8/1	B/3 – Comments on the Tariff Board Report. Points in connection with the merger of fertilizer companies. 3 pp ts 2 copies. n.d.	n.d.

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16	7/8/1	B/4 – Notes on Tariff Board’s report on fertilizers. 8 pp ts n.d.	n.d.
16	7/8/1	B/5 – Precis of the report and recommendations. 17 pp ts n.d.	n.d.
16	7/8/1	B/6 – CSMLFF Ltd 17 (numbered) confidential statements concerning production costs, experiments profits etc	n.d.
16	7/8/1	B/7 – CSMLFF Ltd notes prepared for tariff board Enquiry into price of superphosphate May 1929. Perth. 5 pp ts(Another copy see 7/7(6))	11 May 1929
16	7/8/1	B/8 – Tariff Enquiry. Figures submitted by D 7 M Com. 13 pp ts (another copy 7/7(5))	24 Apr 1929
16	7/8/1	B/9 – AS above – from CSMLFF Ltd 17 pp roneoed	n.d.
16	7/8/1	B/10 – Letter from the Commonwealth Tariff Board advising the enquiry into superphosphates and other fertilisers and inviting submissions from CS Pty Ltd 3 pp ts	19 Apr 1929
16	7/8/1	B/11 – Confidential figures supplied by CS & Co Pty Ltd for tariff Board Enquiry into prices of superphosphate. 12 pp ts with printed price lists	1912-13 and 1928-29.
16	7/8/1	B/12 – Copy of letter sent by Challenge Phosphate Co to its shareholders includes price list. 3 pp roneoed	17 Dec 1927
16	7/8/1	B/13 – Balance sheets, profit and loss A/cs, sales, price lists, manufacturing notes, CS & Co P/L (WA), and CSFF Ltd (indexed) 53 pp ts with printed price lists - 29	c1923/24 – 1928/24 –1928
16	7/8/1	B14 WF Cuming’s ‘Notes on evidence submitted in Adelaide, contesting the contention that Cresco’s entry into the trade caused a price reduction between the 1922/23 season and the 1923/24 season. 8 pp ts with printed price lists. (other copies of 7/9/1 (B) 14-16 : 7/8/3	10 Jul 1929
16	7/8/1	B/17 – Collection of Material comprising:	
16	7/8/1	a 1. A comparison of prices at Melbourne. 1pp ts 4 copies	1913 – 1925
16	7/8/1	b 2. Percentages of costs of 22% superphosphate, 1 pp ts	1924/25 and 1925/26
16	7/8/1	c 3. Capital used in fertilizer manufacture. 1925 – 26. 1 pp ts	1925-1926
16	7/8/1	d 4. Average stocks at Yarraville. 1 pp ts	1925 – 26
16	7/8/1	e 5. Book debts manure department on bills and open a/c. 1 pp ts	1925/6 and 1926/27
16	7/8/1	f . Bills payable 1 pp ts	1929, 1925/26 and 1926/27.
16	7/8/1	g 7. value of stocks at the end of each month. 1 pp ts	1925/26 and 1926/27
16	7/8/1	h 8. Sundry creditors 1 pp ts	1925/26 and

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			1926/27.
16	7/8/1	i 9. Bills payable, Melbourne and WA.,. 1 pp ts	1925 and 1926
16	7/8/1	j 10. Prices of Florida super 1 pp ts 3 copies	1901 to March 1927
16	7/8/1	k 11. Notes of super discussion in Hansard 2 pp ts	
16	7/8/1	l 12. Letter, Austral Guano Co Ltd (NZ) to HB Black and Co (Melbourne) regarding the NZ price war, enclosing Kempthorne Prosser's price list. 1 pp ts	25 Mar 1927
16	7/8/1	m 13. Price lists, CS & Co P/L,	1917/17 – 1919/20
16	7/8/1	C/1 Correspondence etc between Fair Profits Commission and CS & Co P/L, Aug – Nov 1920. Includes balance sheets, profit and loss A/cs, cost comparisons, price lists, trading A/cs and ' Notes on interview with Prices Commissioner'	1925/26 – 1919/20
16	7/8/2	Tariff Board's Report and Recommendations on Fertilisers Canberra. 51 pp (another copy 7/8/1 A 1	5 Dec 1929
16	7/8/3	CP Flockhart: Superphosphate tariff Enquiry. Melbourne. 14 pp ts	10 July 1929
16	7/8/4	1 Tariff Board Enquiry Re superphosphate, further statement submitted by superphosphate manufacturers of NSW ie Sulphide Corporation Ltd, and Australian Fertilizers Pty Ltd in reply to evidence given by Mr HA Nock in Sydney 17 Jun 1929. Melbourne. 8 pp ts + two mounted clippings + printed sheet concerning costs of wheat production.	10 July 1929
16		2 Ditto, duplicating the ts portion of the above. 8 pp ts	10 July 1929
16	7/8/5	Tariff Board annual report for the year ended 30 Jun 1931. 24 pp	30 Jun 1931
16	7/8/6	CF & C Ltd. Reply to questionnaire submitted by Dev Br of PM's Dept. 41 pp ts, another copy 7/8/1 A3	May 1932
16	7/8/7	CF & C Ltd, reply to questionnaire forwarded by Minister of Commerce 16 Nov 1932. 25 pp ts	18 Nov 1932
16	7/9	Tariff Board Nitrogenous and Other Fertilizers 1929. Transcript of evidence, 3 cm roneoed (loc Feb)	Apr – Jul 1929
17	7/10/1	Tariff Board Sulphate of Ammonia and Fertilisers which are regarded as substitutes for sulphate of ammonia, Official Transcript of evidence. 2cm roneoed	Jun Jul 1933
17	7/10/2	CF & C Ltd. Statements made to the Tariff Board	1 and 11 May

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		concerning phosphates of soda and cream of tartar substitutes, 1933. 23 pp ts	1933
17	7/11/1	Tariff Board's report on Bounty on Sulphur 19 pp	26 Jun 1939
17	7/11/2	Typescript extracts. 2 pp ts 2 copies n.d	
17	7/11/3	Tariff Board Sulphur – Questions of the necessity of continuing to assist the production of sulphur from Australian materials etc. Official transcript of the evidence given at Melbourne. Pp 58-109	6 Oct 1938
17	7/11/4	CF & C Ltd. Commonwealth Tariff Board letter to CF & C Ltd advising of an enquiry and inviting submissions. 4 pp ts	22 Aug 1938
17	7/11/5	Confidential statement and schedules from CF & C Ltd. 39 pp. ts	n.d.
17	7/11/6	Further correspondence and submissions. 23 pp. ts	Oct Dec 1938
17	7/11/7	CF & C Ltd public statement to Tariff Board. 2 pp ts	
17	7/11/8	Tariff Board Sulphur. Official transcript of the evidence given at Perth. P 110-136 roneoed	20 Oct 1938
17	7/11/9	CF & C Ltd. Confidential statements to Tariff Board Inquiry. 17 pp ts	Oct 1938
17	7/11/10	Correspondence CSMLFF Ltd and CF & C Ltd regarding the tariff Board Inquiry, and CSMLFF Ltd submissions. 85 pp ts	Aug – Dec 1938
17	7/11/11	Tariff Board – Sulphur Official transcript of the evidence given at Sydney . 57 pp roneoed	15 Sep 1938
17	7/11/12	Correspondence Bennett Perry (General manager, CF & C Ltd) with TH Williams (General manager, Australian Fertilisers Ltd). Four letters 5 pp ts	Sept 1938
17	7/11/13	Tariff Board Enquiry – Sulphur Bounty. Statement of evidence by Australian fertilizers Limited, Sydney. 15 pp ts	15 Sep 1938
17	7/11/14	Correspondence, Bennett Perry (General Manager, CF & C Ltd) and TH Williams (General Manager, Australian Fertilisers Ltd). With draft of AF Ltd's public submission. 22 pp ts	Aug – Sep 1938
17	7/11/15	Tariff Board – Sulphur. Official transcript of evidence given at Sydney. Pp 137 – 182, roneoed (2 copies, one loose)	27 Oct 1938
	7/12	Tariff Board inquiry (into sulphur bounty) 1944 containing :	
17	7/12/1	Tariff Board's report on Bounty on Sulphur. 19 pp Government printer.	19 Sep 1944
17	7/12/2	Tariff Board Sulphur. Official transcript of evidence given at Melbourne. 39 pp roneoed (+2 pp errata)	12 Jul 1944
17	7/12/3	Public Statement of CF & C Ltd to the tariff Board Inquiry – Sulphur Bounty. 7 pp ts (4 copies)	12 Jul 1944
17	7/12/4	Confidential Statement (A) by CF & C Ltd to the	12 July 1944

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17	7/12/5	Tariff Board- Sulphur Inquiry. Estimate of total superphosphate production as from Australian sulphides and brimstone year 1944/45. 1 pp ts 4 copies Confidential addendum (B) to evidence given by CF & C Ltd. 1 pp ts 4 copies	n.d.
17	7/12/6	Confidential statement 1 pp ts	n.d.
17	7/12/7	Confidential statements – Mr MAC’s reference only. 6 pp ts	n.d.
17	7/12/8	Correspondence Tariff Board – CF & C Ltd. 19 pp ts roneoed, printed enclosures	Jun – Aug 1944
17	7/12/9	Tariff board – Sulphur. Official transcript of evidence given at Perth (by James Cuming, WA Manager of CSMLFF Ltd) pp. 71 - 81	4 Aug 1944
17	7/12/10	Public and confidential statements of CSMLFF Ltd to the tariff Board Sulphur Inquiry. 6 pp ts	Aug 1944
17	7/12/11	Correspondence. CSMLFF Ltd – Tariff Board Sulphur Inquiry, 54 pp ts	Jun-Aug 1944
17	7/12/12	Tariff Board Sulphur. Official transcript of the evidence given at Sydney. Pp 39 – 70, roneoed	29 Jul 1944
17	7/12/13	Correspondence: AF Ltd – CF & C Ltd.	Jul-Aug 1944
17	7/12/14	Tariff Board Sulphur, Official Transcript of evidence given at Adelaide. Pp 82 –105 roneoed.	14 Aug 1944
17	7/13	Report of the Inter-departmental Sulphuric Acid Committee: the demand and supply in Australia of sulphuric acid and the material required in its manufacture, especially sulphur – 1948-58. 56 pp.	May 1950
17	7/14	Report by HS Seward: superphosphate manufacture and distribution (Western Australia). 27 pp with covering letter and notes from James Cuming, Manager CSMLFF Ltd. 27 pp.	Nov 1950
17	7/15	Report of the Superphosphate Inquiry Committee Western Australia, 1953. 44 pp ts + 3 printed copies.	10 Mar 1953
	7/16	Tariff Board Inquiry (sulphuric acid and sulphur) 1952, containing :	
19	7/16/1	Tariff Board’s Report on sulphur and sulphuric acid. 21 pp. Government printer (3 copies)	20 Mar 1953
19	7/16/2	Mounted news cuttings from the Leader, “WA farmers oppose tariff on sulphur” and Age “Inquiry into sulphur duty” 2pp	3 Sep 1952 16 Jul 1952
19	7/16/3	Submissions of the ‘Australian Sulphuric Acid Manufacturers’ (ASAM) Committee to the tariff Board, consisting of correspondence between the ASAM and Ministers.	Aug 1952 Apr 1951 – Jun 1952
19	7/16/4	Tariff Board Inquiry re Sulphuric Acid, official transcript of proceedings at Melbourne. 102 pp roneoed	1 Sep 1952

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19	7/16/5	Correspondence CF & C Ltd – Tariff Board. 12pp ts	Sep 1952 – Jan 1953
19	7/16/6	Public and Confidential statements of CF & C Ltd to the Tariff Board. 21 pp ts	1 Sep 1952
19	7/16/7	Confidential financial statements of CF & C Ltd to the tariff Board. 9 pp ts and printed with index.	1 Sep 1952
19	7/16/8	Correspondence: CF & C Ltd – Tariff Board. 7 pp ts and roneoed.	Jun – Aug 1952
19	7/16/9	Correspondence: CSMLFF Ltd -Tariff Board. 4 pp ts	Aug 1952 – Jan 1953
19	7/16/10	Submission of Sulphuric Acid Executive Committee to the tariff Board. 10 pp roneoed	n.d.
19	7/16/11	Correspondence: BPC – CF & C Ltd, Relating to ASAM's submission. 7 pp ts and roneoed.	Jul – Aug 1952
19	7/16/12	Sulphuric Acid costs. Brimstone versus Pyrites in various States. 2 pp ts 2 copies	n.d.
19	7/16/13	MAC's comments on WA points. 1 pp ts	n.d.
19	7/16/14	Speculations on the Tariff Board's Report 1 pp ts	12 May 1953
19	7/16/15	Correspondence : CSMLFF Ltd – Perth with Melb. 65 pp ts	Jul 1952 Jan 1953
19	7/16/16	Correspondence; CF & C Ltd SAEC. 8 pp ts	Sep – Nov 1952
19	7/16/17	Tariff Board Inquiry re sulphur and sulphuric Acid official transcript of proceedings at Sydney. pp 103 - 189	15 Sep 1952
19	7/16/18	Correspondence; AF Ltd- CF & C Ltd, 52 pp ts	Jul – Sep 1952
	7/17	Tariff Board Inquiry on Sulphur (1954) and on the Sulphuric Acid Bounty Act 1954 (1957), containing:	
19	7/17/1	Tariff Board Report on Sulphuric Acid and Sulphur. 21 pp Government printer	20 Mar 1953
19	7/17/2	Tariff Board's Report on Tractors. 23 pp Government printer	19 Dec 1952
19	7/17/3	News cuttings from Farmer and Settler (NSW) 'Bounty for Acid Production' and from the Age 'Production for Copper Stays'	25 Oct 1957 16 May 1956
19	7/17/4	Tariff Board's Report on Copper. 46 pp Government printer	15 Oct 1954
19	7/17/5	Submission by the Sulphuric Acid Executive Committee to the Tariff Board on the Sulphur Bounty Hearing. 18 pp roneoed.	n.d.
19	7/17/6	Tariff Board's report on Sulphur and Sulphuric Acid. 20 pp printed 2 copies	4 Aug 1954
19	7/17/7	Tariff Board Inquiry re Sulphur Bounty. Official transcript of proceedings at Melbourne. 60 pp roneoed	27 Apr 1954
19	7/17/8	As above – Sydney. pp 61 – 92 roneoed	11 May 1954
19	7/17/9	Extract from AQ Sinclair's diary re interview with	8 May 1954

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19	7/17/10	Assistant to Secretary of the Tariff Board. 1 pp ts Mounted news cuttings from the Age 'Warning by Tariff Board'. 1 pp	30 Sep 1954
19	7/17/11	Correspondence; CF & C Ltd – Tariff Board. 4 pp ts	May 1954
19	7/17/12	As above. 3 pp ts roneoed and printed enclosure	Apr 1954
19	7/17/13	Supplementary statement made by AQ Sinclair at Sydney and Sinclair's notes on the inquiry on 27 Apr. 5 pp ts 2 copies	May [1954]
19	7/17/14	Cf & c Ltd public and confidential statements to the tariff Board. 22 pp ts with printed enclosure, and index to confidential statements	27 Apr 1954
19	7/17/15	Another copy of Sinclair's confidential statement. 3 pp ts.	n.d.
19	7/17/16	Another copy of CF & C Ltd's public statement. 6 pp ts.	n.d.
19	7/17/17	Correspondence; CSMLFF _ Tariff board. 4 pp ts	May – Jun 1954
19	7/17/18	CSMLFF Ltd public and confidential statements to the tariff Board. 20 pp ts	n.d.
19	7/17/19	Correspondence: CSMLFF Ltd – Tariff Board. 2pp ts	Apr 1954
19	7/17/20	Correspondence; CF & C Ltd – AC & F Ltd. 6 pp ts	Apr – May 1954
19	7/17/21	Evidence presented by ACF and Shirley's Fertilisers Ltd to the Tariff Board. 6 pp ts 2 copies	n.d.
19	7/17/22	Correspondence: ACF & SF Ltd – CF & C Ltd. 19 pp ts	Apr – may 1954
19	7/17/23	ASAM Committee circular letter re sulphuric acid bounty and Tariff Board inquiry. 1 pp roneoed	30 Oct 1957
19	7/17/24	Correspondence: Cresco Fertilisers (WA) Ltd – CF & C Ltd. 8 pp ts.	Apr – May 1954
19	7/17/25	Correspondence; CSMLFF Ltd, Melb. – Perth offices. (includes copies of CSMLFF Ltd public statements) 34 pp ts	Apr – Jun 1954
19	7/17/26	Correspondence: Sulphuric Acid Executive Committee (Branch of the Department of Defence Production). 5 pp ts	Apr – May 1954
19	7/17/27	Correspondence; AF Ltd – CF & C Ltd. (Includes copies of AF Ltd public and confidential statements). 53 pp ts	Apr – May 1954
19	7/17/28	CF & C Ltd Public and confidential statements to the tariff Board. Spare copies of rough drafts.- in manila folder	27 Apr 1954
19	7/17/29	CF & C Ltd public and confidential; statements to the Tariff Board. 22 pp roneoed, and including printed enclosures	29 Nov 1957
19	7/17/30	Hansard, Senate (includes second reading of Sulphuric Acid Bounty Bill) Proof copy	9-11 Nov 1954

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	7/18	Tariff Board's report on Sulphuric Acid Bounty Act 1954	
19	7/18	The report. 17 pp Government printer 3 copies	18 Sep 1958
19	7/19	Tariff Board's report on Sulphuric Acid and Pyrites Bounty Acts. 13 pp Government Printer	30 Jun 1965
19	7/20	Copy of Sulphuric Acid Bounty Bill (No 2) 1965 and the Minister's second reading speech. 7 pp Xerox copies.	Nov 1965
	8	GROUP 8 Technical Reports and related correspondence	
	8/1	Manufacturing Processes	
20	8/1/1 (A)	Correspondence, technical reports and minutes of negotiations re proposed supply of zinc concentrates by Electrolytic Zinc Company to members of the Victorian Fertiliser Association, also relating to the agreement made between Electrolytic Zinc and Wallaroo Mt Lyell and AC & F Co Ltd. 3 cm Owl simplex bound file.	n.d.
20	8/1/1 (B)	Correspondence, CS & Co P/L – Mr Hartwell Condor of Strachan, Tasmania, , concerning prospecting work on certain CS mining leases; also some correspondence, Condor – Russell Grimwade, re an unsuccessful process for producing elemental sulphur from pyrite. 3 cm Owl simplex bound file	1922 – 29
20	8/1/1 (C)	Laughlin Drake and Hesketh P/L; correspondence, technical reports, memorandum and articles of association, 1925 – 1927 (in Liquidation); CS put some capital into the venture. 3 cm bound file and continuing white folder	n.d.
20	8/1/1 (D)	Report for ICI – 'Nitrogen. Australia and New Zealand by WV Blewitt, RA Punter and PA Smith. 86 pp roneoed.	6 Jul 1928
21	8/1/1 (E)	CP Flockhart: reports on visits of inspection to plants in England, on the Continent and in the USA. One general report, indexed by subject and many detailed reports on individual plants and processes (thumb index by subjects).	1931 - 1932
21	8/1/1 (F)	H Hey on Flash Roasting of Pyrites. Report on a visit to North America, two copies, one also containing correspondence, supplementary technical data and engineering supply brochures	31 Oct 1932
21	8/1/1 (G)	Correspondence with Nicholls Engineering and Research Corporation (New York) + Heads of Agreements Mt LMR Co and CF & C Ltd on pyrites	1932 – 1942

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		concentrate. 4 cm grey folio binder	Nov 1932, Aug 1933, Feb 1934 9 Feb 1931
22	8/1/1 (H)	“Process and Apparatus for making iron oxide and sulphur dioxide from iron sulphide ores. Commonwealth Patent specification by Horace Freeman. 14 pp ts. Also search of C’wealth Patent Records and opinion. 7p	30 May 1932
22	8/1/1 (J)	Report on Flash Roasting of Pyrites in Australia by MS Salomon, of African Explosives and Chemical Industries LTD Modderfontein, South Africa. 27 pp roneoed and 6 pp of Drawings	Jul 1947
22	8/1/1 (K)	Superphosphate manufacturing Plant – Underground Tunnel Type vs. Crane Type 12 pp ts and appendix on comparative capital costs 9 pp ts. Both in folder marked Messrs Immelman and King No dates. Also second copy in separate folder with much additional detail in same subjects	n.d.
22	8/1/7	Treatise in unknown hand on construction and operation of Glover Towers (Apparatus used in manufacture of sulphuric acid by the lead chamber nitration process) MS	After 1896
22	8/1/9	Report on the yield of bonedust etc from bones by Fred W Steel, Cuming Smith’s first Chemist. 1 pp MS. Note: this was found with 11/5/2. Also copy dated 18 Feb 1905.	29 Oct 1903
22	8/1/10	“Triple Super in USA” reports on plants, prospects manufacturing processes and costs, undated but MAC thinks probably by CP Flockhart, technical superintendent of CS & Co Melbourne. 18 pp ts (See also 8/1/1/(E))	[1926 – 1927]
22	8/1/11	Notes on caustic soda and chlorine products – Australia, ICI Technical Commission Report April 1928, Melbourne, (Circulated by Nobel (Australasia) Limited) pp 4 – 18 roneoed.	16 Apr 1928
22	8/1/12	Folder of reports, memos, correspondence relating to caustic soda and chlorine plant including information on “Weedex” and sulphuric acid costs. 102 pp ts and MS In manila folder tied	1928 - 1929
22	8/1/13	Phosphoric Acid plant: drawings, estimates and descriptions furnished to Mount Lyell by the French firm of Benker and Millberg. 12 pp ts + two plans in folder	1929
22	8/1/14	Phosphoric Acid Plant: Correspondence etc between Mount Lyell and Carl Cordes of Germany. 23 pp ts roneoed.	1929
22	8/1/15	Grey file marked ‘Technical Reports’, Messrs B	n.d.

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		Perry's, MA Cuming's and J Cuming's visits abroad, etc. Includes Correspondence concerning the provision of electric power at Yarraville and reports on Australian super works. Ts 4 cm	
22	8/1/16	Report on DM Cuming's Overseas Visit 55 pp roneoed	Apr – Oct 1952
22	8/1/17	Report to the Board of ACF and Shirley's Fertilisers LTDOF Mr Shearer's overseas visit in 1954. 13 pp ts	28 Dec 1954
22	8/1/18	Reports and notes provided for AF Ltd by TH Williams, General Manager on his 1955 overseas visit. 58 pp ts inc. index	1955 - 56
22	8/2	Buildings and Power Supply	
22	8/2/6	Fyvie and Stewart, Melbourne, Report on Electrical Power Metering System of CF & C Ltd's ML Yarraville Works 6 pp + one blueprint	20 Aug 1929
22	8/2/7	Fyvie and Stewart, Melbourne, Report on Electric Installation at Mount Lyell Works, Yarraville. 12 pp ts + 3 plans	30 Sep 1929
	8/3	Agricultural	
23	8/3/10	HC Forster, "Fertility of Victorian soils in relation to certain rotational systems". Paper delivered in Canberra by Senior Research Officer, Vic Dept of Agriculture and sent to Mr Perry of CF & C Ltd 7 pp ts + 1p graphs.	n.d.
23	8/3/11	OH Gepp, "Nitrogenous Top-Dressing, Experimental Work near Melbourne". Introductory note by WV Blewett of ICIANZ. 12 pp ts + 1p ts	4 Nov 1929
23	8/3/12	OH Gepp, Experimental Work with Nitrogen, 1931. No date 12 pp ts, soft bound	1931
23	8/3/13	Victorian United Cow Test Association, reports on Dairy farm Competitions in ten zones of Victoria. (cf Group 15/2) 10 reports each 3 pp roneoed	1930
23	8/3/14	HA Mullett, "Pasture Improvements", Dept of Agriculture, Melbourne. 11 pp roneoed (2 copies)	8 Jan 1932
23	8/3/15	Victorian Pasture Improvement League, Provisional Constitution, 3 pp roneoed (2 copies)	1932
23	8/3/16	Ditto - List of organizations and firms invited to be represented at conference 2 pp roneoed (2 copies)	18 Jan 1932
23	8/3/17	Bibliography of early published references to top-dressing of pastures	29 Nov 1932

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23	8/1/18	2 pp ts DC Wark, "An Investigation on the Influence of Sulphate of Ammonia on Stubble-sown Crops in Australia"	1933
23	8/3/19	29 pp ts (copy) + 2 pp graphs Dept of Agriculture, Victoria. Pasture experiments conducted by Dept . . for the Victorian Pasture Improvement League on the property of Mr FE Kurrie, Korumburra. Not dated. 9 pp roneoed	[1933 / 34]
23	8/3/20	As above, on the property of Mr J Davis, Caldermeade. 9 pp roneoed	Early 1934
23	8/3/21	AW Sreewart's Reports on visits to farms in Victoria, NSW and WA. Many reports 2 cm ts	1939 / 40
	8/4	Marketing	
23	8/4/1	Folder – Notes of field Staff conference held in the Board Room of CF & C Ltd. Notes appear to have been taken by TH Williams of AF Ltd, Sydney. 25 pp ts + enclosures A - J	22-23 Sep 1932
23	8/4/3	Trip to Sydney and Brisbane by Messrs DM Cuming and LR Allison on marketing matters. 14 pp ts and Map of Queensland by Bureau of Investigation of Land and Water Resources showing where further development may take place.	26 Jul – 1 Aug 1953
23	8/4/4	Report on a visit to the Western District by Messrs. M Mumford, DM Cuming and J King. 14 pp ts + 1 p comments by MA Cuming	31 Aug – 5 Sep 1953
	8/5	General	
23	8/5/5	Report on proposed wood distillation plant at Cohuna. (WB Hirt) 10 pp ts with letter. See also accompanying blueprint(14/13/9) and album of photographs (13/4/3)	15 Aug 1925
23	8/5/6	Particulars of the estimated cost of production of wood distillation products at proposed Cohuna plant. 14 pp ts with letter	7 Sep 1925
23	8/5/7	EW Trend's Report, trip abroad 1913 – 14 Printed report of trend's visit to European and American chemical works, comprising descriptions and plans, with a thumb index to the main sections, 64 pp 2 copies	6 Apr 1914
23	8/5/8	n.d. Ferguson 1919- 20. Sulphuric acid manufacture in Great Britain and elsewhere during the war in 9 parts: "A report on the design of Sulphuric Acid plants; also notes on the methods used for superphosphate production in Great Britain and America", forwarded	8 Dec 1919

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		to Mount Lyell Chemical Works, Melbourne 179 pp. not dated	
	9	GROUP 9 Stock, Inventories and Valuations	
	9/1	Cuming Smith and Co P/L	
23	9/1/1 (A)	<u>Stock Book</u> Stock at FG & Co's works Port Melbourne (taken over under the amalgamation of 1897) Stock at CS & Co's Chemical Works, Yarraville, including the Bone Mill Stock at Yarra Junction, 31 Jul 1908 (p 270) Stock at Yarra Junction, 31 Jul 1909 (pp 286-8) End papers contain summary sheets of fertiliser stocks at Port Melbourne and Yarraville, 1900-1903	30 Jan 1897 – 31 Jul 1909
23	9/1/1 (B)	Land, buildings, stock and plant inventories Stock list Messrs. Felton Grimwade & Co. 7 pp ts Stock sheets – CS & Co P/L 10 pp ts (Note the above stock lists may be found in MS form in 9/1/1 (A) – Stock book) Memo of Charles Campbell, re stocks of FG & Co and CS & Co. 1 pp ts Memo of Charles Campbell, addressed to FS Grimwade, regarding the contributions of each firm to the new company. 1 pp ts Platinum taken over by CS & Co P/L from CS & Co. 1 pp ts Land, buildings and plant account – CS & Co P/L, Yarraville. (A valuable chronological summary of acquisitions at the formation of CS & Co P/L). 2 pp ts	30 Jan 1897–1909
24	9/1/2	Inventory and valuation of plant, Yarraville Works. Prepared by Fyvie and Stewart, Engineers, Melbourne: in 13 sections bound together, summary showing total valuation of Pds335,789. 123 pp ts	31 Dec 1920
24	9/1/3	Port Melbourne Works, Fyvie and Stewart; six sections, bound, summary showing total valuation Pds53,990 29 pp ts	31 Dec 1920
24	9/1/4	Britannia Creek saw Mills, Fyvie and Stewart , summary showing total valuation of Pds20,919. (see also 9/1/13) 23 pp ts	1 Mar 1921
24	9/1/5	Warburton Mills and Seasoning Works of Mississippi Saw Milling Co P/L, summary showing total valuation	1 Mar 1921

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24	9/1/6	Pds22,951. (see also 9/1/13) 22 pp ts Yarra Junction Distillation Works. Fyvie and Stewart. Summary showing total valuation of Pds 46,556. (see also 9/1/14). 60 pp ts. Cover damaged	n.d.
24	9/1/7	D 'Valuations' volume, containing Fyvie and Stewart's inventories and valuations of: Enterprise Saw Mill. 7 pp ts Britannia Creek Saw Mills. 25pp ts Mississippi saw Milling Co P/L 21 pp ts Yarraville Works. 124 pp ts Yarra Junction Distillation Works 60 pp ts West Guilford (Bassendean) WA No date. 17 pp ts	31 Dec 1920 - 30 Jun 1926
24	9/1/9	West Guilford (Bassendean) WA. Fyvie and Stewart. Showing valuation of Pds153,000. 16 pp ts not dated	n.d.
24	9/1/14	Correspondence concerning sale of land at Yarra Junction	Aug- Nov 1959
24	9/1/15	Schedule for Insurance Yarraville and Port Melbourne, with plans. 3 pp	9 Jul 1897
24	9/1/16	Statement of Fire Insurance, Yarraville, with plan. 2 pp. (marked 14/1/20, two copies)	Sep 1907
24	9/1/17	Statement in connection with insurance, Yarra Junction but with and in same hand as 9/1/16 + envelope.	9 Jan 1916
	9/3	Commonwealth Fertilisers and Chemicals Ltd	
24	9/3/1	Valuation and Inventory, Yarraville Works, Alex Stewart & Co, four main sections, showing total valuation of Pds1,857,894. One bound copy. 332 pp ts (3 bound copies mentioned in inventory?)	Mar 1953 (inventory says Feb)
24	9/3/2	CF & C Ltd, inventories and valuations with envelope marked "Revaluation Fixed Assets", and comprising two folders. Folder No 2, early figures for discussion. (Folder No 1 superseding the above), a 'Schedule of depreciation allowed for Federal Income tax purposes 1930 – 1953, and inventories and valuations of the plant at the Cuming Smith works and at the Mount Lyell works.	May – Nov 1953
24	9/3/3	Supplement to Valuation Report of March 1953 (see 9/3/1), certificate of Assessment of Replacement Costs for Buildings, Plant and Equipment operated by CF & C Ltd. 9 pp ts	6 Nov 1953
	10	GROUP 10 Miscellaneous material relating to other companies	
24	10/1	Wooltana Industries Ltd, correspondence concerning	1953 -54

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		enquiries made about Wooltana Industries, an Adelaide-based company that began selling "thermal phosphate" fertilizers in the Mildura area during 1953/4 in competition with Victorian manufacturers; also a booklet entitled "Through the Ground Barrier with Wooltana Thermal Fertilisers" Blue manila folder.	
	10/2	Mount Lyell Chemical Works	
24	10/2/1	History of the Works. 3 pp ts (2 copies, and another with alterations, one given to CSBP)	1905 - 1929
25	10/2/2	TW Haynes, General Manager, Yearly Report, Mt Lyell Chemical Works. Attached is a covering note for a copy of this report sent by Haynes to Hon. Geo Swinburne (21 Dec 1920). 22pp ts + 1 p ts	30 Sep 1920
	10/3	Australian Fertilisers Ltd	
25	10/3/1	1. Gen Mgr AF Ltd, Sydney – CS & Co P/L. Notes on history of sulphuric acid manufacture, in response to an enquiry by Mr Pascoe about the first manufacture of sulphuric acid in NSW. 47 pp MS + 6 pp	21 Dec 1945
25		2 History of super. manufacture in NSW, 2 sheets, was attached to 10/3/1/1	21 Dec 1945
25	10/3/2	TW Tobe, Mg Dir AF Ltd, - AQ Sinclair, in reply to a request for the early history of super. manufacture in NSW. 1 p ts, attached are the following:	3 Jan 1963
25		Chronology of the entry of each super. manufacturing firm in Australia 1880 – 1946. Compiled by Tobe 1939. 2pp ts (photocopy)	1939
25		Copy of note on super. manufacture in NSW, compiled by Tobe	1939
25		TH Williams recollections of events leading up to the formation of AF Ltd. dictated to Tobe, 3 pp ts	12 Jan 1962
25	10/3/3	Packet, tied and labelled 'Miscellaneous AFL and ACF Material':	n.d.
25		1. AF Ltd – CF & C Ltd correspondence and newspaper cuttings concerning taxation of co-operatives. 13 pp	Mar-Aug 1952
25		2. Some notes as affecting early history of superphosphate manufacture in NSW by Australian fertilizers Ltd and its predecessors. 3 pp ts	12 Jun 1943
25		3. Press release concerning the Prices Commissioner's approval of a price increase for superphosphate and Sir Earle Page's announcement of a subsidy. 2 pp ts	24 Jul 1941
25		4. AF Ltd. summary of observations and recommendations on pyrites roasting. 5 pp ts	n.d.

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25		5. Correspondence (ACF and S.f. Ltd – CF & C Ltd) and report (2 copies) re a superphosphate plant. 20 pp	1949
25		6. Report on North African phosphate, published in "l'Engrais", translated and circulated among superphosphate manufacturers by the British Phosphate Commission. 13 pp ts with covering note.	Mar/Apr 1927
25		7. Nauru Island Agreement Act 1919 4pp	1919
25		8. Christmas Island (Indian Ocean) discovery, annexation, climate and geography. 3 pp ts	1 Jun 1927
25		9. Extracts from the report of the proceedings at the first general meeting of the International Superphosphate Manufacturers Association. (inc Articles of Association). 12 pp ts	18 Nov 1953
25		10. Copy of the Bill concerning Co-operative Societies as first read in the Victorian Legislative Assembly together with mounted newspaper cutting concerning the proclamation of the Co-operative Societies' Bill from the Sun 19 Jul 1954	19 Jul 1954
25	10/3/4	AFL Holdings Ltd Annual report 1986, incorporating Incitec Ltd, Austral Pacific Fertilisers Ltd, ACF and Shirley's Ltd and Australian Fertilisers Ltd	1986
	10/4	The Phosphate Co-operative of Australia	
25	10/4/1	Correspondence "Argus" April – May 1919 concerning merits/demerits of certain local supplies of phosphate rocks over island sources. TD Chataway, Argus Thomas W Haynes (Collins House) Argus VAB Willis, (113 Pitt St Sydney) Argus Augustus Wolskel (360 William St), Argus Geo H Collin (Chairman of Directors, Holborn Island Phosphate Company Limited) Geo. Chemist (Ascot Vale), Argus James Cuming, Argus Augustus Wolskel, Argus 7 pp MS and clips	2 April 1919 - 8 May 1919
25	10/4/2	'The case for the Super Manufacturers'; draft (by James Cuming and Paul Wischer?) of a reply to criticism by the Victorian Producers Co-operative Coy 13 pp ts plus two letters Attached.	n.d.
25	10/4/3	The Phosphate Co-operative Co of Australia, Notice of First Ordinary General meeting of Shareholders	14 Sep 1920
25	10/4/4	Ditto. Folder entitled 'Prospectus Memorandum and Articles of Association'; Contains Prospectus of and Memo and Articles of Association n.d. but amended at least until 1931	28 Apr 1919

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25	10/4/5	Augustus Wolskel, General manager Phosphate Co-operative Co., - paper read at the Imperial Conference on Agricultural Co-operation, Glasgow. 12 pp ts in quarto folder.	Jul 1938
25	10/4/6	Photocopy, press cuttings of Phosphate Co-operative Company of Australia Ltd, 1964 Report and notices of share issue.	Sep 1964 Jan 1965
	10/5	Nitrogen Fertilisers Pty Ltd	
25	10/5/1	Nitrogen Fertilisers P/L, Stubble Sown Oat Manurial Trials. 10 pp ts	1937
	10/6	Wischer & Co P/L	
25	10/6/1	Wischer and Co P/L, Notice of annual General meeting; includes balance sheet. 9 pp ts.	30 Jun 1965
25	10/6/2	Wischer and Co P/L, general information about the company. n.d. 4 pp carbon copy	n.d.
25	10/6/3	Australian Fertilisers Limited, prospectus for the issue of 125,000 Primary Producers' Shares. 12 pp two copies	1930
	10/7	William Street Associates Pty Ltd	
25	10/7/1	Notice of Annual Meeting of William Street Associates to be held . . . (1 pp pts) Directors' Report, Balance Sheet and profit and loss statement for the year ending . . . 6 pp pts	30 Jun 1977 - 28 Sep 1977
25	10/7/2	Notes on staff of William Street Associates, breakdown of annual operating expenses and contributions from the companies making use of William Street Associates services. n.d. 2 pp MS and 1 pp ts	[Apr 1965]
25	10/7/3	LM Reid, Secretary, letter to MA Cuming, suggesting the possibility of having William Street Associates struck off the register in order to avoid the more complex course of voluntary liquidation 1 pp ts Notice for a meeting of Directors to initiate proceedings for having William Street Associates P/L voluntarily wound-up. 1 pp ts	26 Mar 1980
	10/8	CSBP & Farmer Farmers Ltd (Formerly CS&MLFF Ltd)	
		Notes on the future of CSPB :	
25	10/8/1	1 Notes by MA Cuming on the history of CSBP & Farmers management and transfer of effective control of the company's board from Melbourne to Western Australia after BP replaced the Mt Lyell Co as a partner. 2 pp ts (4 copies)	30 Jan 1970

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25		2 Notes by MA Cuming on discussions at the CSBP Farmers board meeting over the future of CSBP and possible successors to MA Cuming as Chairman. 2 pp ts (5 Copies)	Jan 1970
25		3 Notes on CS & Co's assets and approximate valuation of its CSBP shareholding. 1 pp ts (5copies)	28 Jan 1970
25		4 MA Cuming to Bill Batty (Managing Director of CSBP & Farmers), letter suggesting EPM (Ted) Harty as a possible successor to MA Cuming as Chairman of CSBP, and advising Bill Batty to meet him in WA. 2 pp ts copy. (original letter sent with copies of above notes)	n.d.
25		5. Jottings and drafts used by MA Cuming to prepare the above notes 10/8/1/1 to 3	n.d.
25	10/8/2	Cullimore to MA Cuming, letter stating a resolution of the CS & Co board to take the December 1973 issue of CSBP shares into the CS & Co books at par, 1 pp ts attached: 1. CSBP & Farmers Ltd, press release announcing the intention to make a bonus issue of two shares for every five ordinary CSBP shares. 2 pp pts. 2. Letter to the Stock Exchange of Melbourne Ltd, announcing that CS & Co would receive 1,459,418, \$2 fully paid shares from the CSBP & Farmers bonus issue. 1 pp pts 3. Letter from chartered accountants Hooke Graham and Rigby to CS & Co, referring to the valuation of CSBP & Farmers bonus issues in the CS & Co books.. 1 pp pts	28 Nov 1973 - 6 Dec 1973
	10/9	Adelaide and Wallaroo Fertilisers Ltd	
26	10/9/1	The Adelaide Chemical and Fertiliser Co Ltd, directors report and balance sheet including an extract from the indenture signed by the original partners when the company was founded in 1882	30 Jun 1963
25	10/9/2	Historical notes on the Adelaide Chemical Works Company made by MA Cuming. 3 pp MS	n.d.
25	10/9/3	Letters exchanged between MA Cuming and CW Colin of Adelaide Wallaroo Fertilisers regarding origins of the Adelaide Chemical Works Co and RB Cumings' involvement in its early operations. Also attached are: A. Extract from Department of Mines, Geological Survey of SA, Bulletin No 7, on Phosphate Deposits of South Australia B. Note of an interview with Mrs HL	19 & 21 Mar 1968 1919 26 Jun 1957

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		Johnstone on the early days of the Adelaide Chemical & Fertiliser Co Ltd	
	10/10	Imperial Chemical Industries of Australia and New Zealand	
25	10/10/1	Extracts of minutes of the 30 th meeting of London Directors of ICIANZ, discussing further capital requirements and possible methods of funding. 4 pp	19 May 1949
25	10/10/2	Organizational chart illustrating the tree of executive control within ICI New Zealand Ltd.	Jan 1972
	Group 11	Private Correspondence	
		The Letters are arranged into sub-groups according to the recipient; details of individual letters are given only in selected cases, the basis of selection being explained in the introductory note. Sub-sub-groups are arranged according to the correspondent.	
	11/1	MA Cuming, Veterinary Surgeon	
76	11/1/1	John Barlow Edinburgh. Thanks MAC for information concerning prolonged gestation in cows. Warns him to be sure that a move to New Brunswick will be advantageous. Knows of no vacant veterinary jobs in Scotland of England. 4pp	n.d.
	11/1A	Alexander Cuming of Myres near Banff	
35	11/1A/1	James Cuming, his son writing from London upon his return from the Orient. Mainly family news and appeals for news. 4 pp	21 Jun 1929
	11/2	James Cuming, co-founder of CS & Co	
35	11/2/1	MA Cuming, St John NB (JC's father) Fifteen letters, - <u>four only found and filed.</u>	1855- 1859
76		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. MAC gives details of JC's accounts in St John, which he has been handling while JC is in Scotland; MAC is now in charge of the <i>Leader and Courier</i> 2. Another Vet. Has come to Portland, Me so that MAC is unlikely to find employment there; his prospects are now the emigration Office or the Station at the Nine Mile House. 2 pp. 3. Tells of his fever, and his loss of the appointment as Emigration Commissioner. Advises James to try Portland rather than St John. 3 pp 1 cross written 4. Advice on the occasion of JC's commencing work in Portland Me: advises a partnership, an uncle will lend a few dollars. 4 pp 	
	11/2	MA Cuming letters	
		(No heading or detail in the inventory)	
76	11/2/1	Letters, eight to his son James reporting on his visit to	1858 - 1859

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		Portland Maine and conveying news form St John and the family, one to his brother. Summary notes attached to some letters. 32 pp total	
35	11/2/2	A A Smith, Aberdeen, JC's brother-in-law. Four letters, three found. 1. Sorry trade is backward for JC in NB, but thinks him still well off at 30s + board per week; AAS has bought a farm and thinks JC's father should do the same since land is so cheap in NB. 7 pp 2. Would like to have JC work in his shoeing business but only after JC has had more experience in Scotland. Sorry to hear that JC's father is not succeeding. 7 pp	17 Oct 1855 - 30 Mar 1856
35	11/2/3	Alexander (Sandie) Cuming, Salisbury Md. (JC's brother). Ten letters 41 pp, only seven letters found.	1858 - 1860
35	11/2/5	William Thom, Salisbury (JC's cousin), Two letters 1858 and 1895 11 pp. One found	21 Mar 1858
35	11/2/6	Henry (Harry) Cuming, St John (JC's brother) three letters 10 pp	1859 -1861
35	11/2/7	SL Goodall ; Condolences on death of MAC; asks about MAC's papers on the principles of breeding, and certain seeds. (there is a covering note from JC's cousin WC Watson) 3 pp	1859
35	11/2/8	John Cuming, Charlottetown (JC's brother). Two letters 3 pp. There appears to also be an incomplete letter (2 pp) 20 Jan 1861	1860, 1895
35	11/2/9	Mari A Cuming, New York (JC's brother). 73 letters, 486 pp ? – a much lesser number found, including : (Note; although MAC had written earlier, this was really the first in a voluminous series of correspondence and poetry which comprises much of the correspondence in this collection) 20 pp	1861 - 1911
36	11/2/11	P Duncan Aberdeen, two letters, 4 pp including the following : JC may have been thinking of superphosphate manufacture, no doubt influenced by his father's early experiments). 2 pp	1862, 1864
36	11/2/12	GH Henry, Salisbury (JC's uncle) Two letters. 4 pp	22 Jun 1867
36	11/2/13	C Booth, Scotland (JC's aunt). One letter, 6 pp	1868
36	11/2/14	James Cuming Jnr. (JC's son and business partner) Thirty-three loose letters and one carbon letter book. 1877-1905; letter book covers period Oct-Apr 1904; 191 pp (<100 pp in letter book), including: 1. Doings in Scotland during an overseas trip; Carlisle gasworks; opines that Queensland would be a good field of operations – plenty of	1883 - 25 Aug 1904

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payable pyrites and phosphates, and the sugar industry will require much manure, has taken out life membership of the Society of Chemical Industry. 14 pp.

2. Descriptions of American chemical processes; discusses the wood distillation process, and recommends it for Australia.
Fragments, pp. 2-3, 11-20
3. Discusses brands of phosphoric acid; Show over; no prizes for super, but champion wheat, barley, rye, oats and potatoes were all grown with CS & Co super; asks JC, who is overseas to observe certain phases of super manufacture in America, eg his opinion of electric power.
4 pp
4. Death of Auntie Jean (Mrs George Smith) in Dunedin; James Bell & Co (wheat merchants ?) have taken up an agency for English super – ‘these sort of people are the worst competitors for they will sell at no profit at all to get the farmers’ custom. 4 pp
5. Comments on the Victorian scene, and the impending rivalry of Mount Lyell and others, ‘with common sense among the producers I think there will be room for all of us’ (this common sense was shortly to produce the VFA). 3 pp.
6. Comments of Mount Lyell activities, and gives his opinion of various CS & Co employees, (his opinion apparently differing from that of JC on this and many business matters)
Fragment pp 3-6
7. Winning away farmers, Campbell very ill; promising investigation of pyrites in Tasmania.
2 pp

36	11/2/15	J Cuming (JC’s daughter). 1 pp.	1877
36	11/2/16	Mrs James Cuming (JC’s wife). 3 pp.	1879
36	11/2/18	Annie Cuming (JC’s daughter). 4 pp.	18 Sep 1879
36	11/2/21	James Henry, Salisbury (JC’s cousin); 2 letters. 12 pp.	1860, 1883
36	11/2/23	Mari Cuming (JC’s son). 4 letters, 1885 – 1900, 10 pp., 4 pp	23 May 1900
36	11/2/28	JC Duncan, Melbourne. 1 pp.	1886
36	11/2/29	WM Fehon, Homebush, Sydney. Four letters, 10 pp.	1891 - 1910
36	11/2/30	Harry Wilson Cuming, Adelaide (JC’s grandson). 1 pp.	1893
36	11/2/35	R Burns Cuming, Adelaide (JC’s son, Adelaide Chemical Works). Three letters, 1900 – 1909 15 pp. Including :	2 May 1900

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		1. Details of the super business in Adelaide. 2 pp. incomplete	
76	11/2/48	Charlie Cuming, Charlottetown (JC's brother) Three letters, 11 pp.	1906 - 1910
36	11/2/49	CJ West, Westfield, Scotland. 10 pp. Reflects James' concern at the competition from Mt Lyell.	1907
36	11/2/57	Eliza W Davidson, Aberdeen, three letters, 7 pp.	1908 - 1910
36	11/2/60	Grace Webb, New Jersey (JC's sister) Three letters, 28 pp.	1909 - 1911
36	11/2/61	WH Fielding, Yarraville, 1 pp.	1909
36	11/2/68	WC Kemeys, South Melbourne. 7 pp.	1910
36	11/2/79	Un-marked letters found in Group 11 James Cuming to son William 1894 – 1919, all MS. From :-	
		1. "Huntly", Yarraville. 2 pp.	29 Oct 1894
		2. Iroquois Hotel, Buffalo, NY. 2 pp.	17 Jun 1904
		3. SS "Miomera", 200 m off Fiji. 3 pp.	24 Apr 1904
		4. Park Hotel, Mannheim, Germany. 2 pp.	23 Jul 1904
		5. No address (possibly Germany), containing exhortations on education.	9 Sep 1904
		6. CS & Co Perth. 2 pp.	5 Apr 1910
		7. 65 William St. 3 pp faint cc	13 Nov 1912
		8. ditto	12 Dec 1912
		9. ditto 2 pp	18 Dec 1912
		10. ditto	15 Jan 1913
		11. Royal Bank of Australia, London. 2 pp. cc	30 Oct 1919
		12. Palace Hotel, Perth. 4 pp.	25 Sep 1919
	11/3	Elizabeth Cuming (nee Smith, JC's wife)	
36	11/3/1	Ann Smith, Aberdeen, (her mother) Four letters, 9 pp. (?)	1855 - 1858
36	11/3/2	WC Watson, N.B. (JC's cousin), 2 pp.	1858
36	11/3/3	(a) Betsy Cuming, N.B. (her sister-in-law). 4 pp (b) MA Cuming (her father-in-law. 4 pp (c) Bessie Cuming N.B. (her sister-in-law) 4 pp (d) Elizabeth (her daughter) 1 pp.	1859 - 1877
36	11/3/4	James Cuming Jnr. (her son), Three letters, (inc one from Towong) 11 pp including the following : 1. Mr Fehon has found him a job with Messrs Macdermott Bros and Scarr, stock and station agents; JC is off to Gippsland (Mrs JC evidently being on holiday with five children), 4 pp	17 Jan 1881
36	11/3/14	Letter to the new Mrs Jas Cuming from her father-in-law to be, MAC, then with the Railways in New Brunswick (N.B.)	9 Jan 1859
	11/4	Mari A Cuming, New York	
36	11/4/3	James Cuming, Yarraville, (his brother) - conveys news of James Jnr's preparatory work in WA; Mari's coming trip to Broken Hill to set up an	23 Oct 1909

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		acid-making plant; aside concerning "our enemy" Mt Lyell, describes his grand children; progress of the Cuming Institute; Edward Campbell and his son; James' Health deteriorating – concentration, eyesight and lameness worsening; "I am filling in spare time putting things in order while there is yet no question of mental (in)capacity. 8 pp	
	11/5	James Cuming Jnr	
38	11/5/1	Found - WF Cuming, Yarraville (his son). Folder of letters from overseas. (inventory says 9 Jan 1912 – 30 Dec 1912).	4 Nov 1912 – 9 Jan 1913
36	11/5/2	WM Fuller, Newport (Monmouth), whom James had met on 24 Aug 1904, while on world trip, giving details about the benzine extraction plant. 3 pp MS Note: see 12/6/1/(3), entry 24 Aug 1904	25 Aug 1904
36	11/5/3	From Harry, addressed to "My dear old dad", from Aberdeen - Harry has been on active service in Europe, and has had bad health. 3 pp ts copy	17 Mar 1919
	11/6	WF Cuming	
36	11/6/2	Bound volume of correspondence, business and private, mainly to WF Cuming, arranged alphabetically by sender (or recipient in the case of those sent by WFC). 1 cm quarto Owl Simplex file	n.d.
36	11/6/3	MA Cuming's American trip 1924. Folder of 14 letters (6 in MS), 3 telex, 1 Bentley's code extract, 16 photos	1924
36	11/6/4	MA Cuming (his brother) And. James Cuming (his cousin): Folder of letters from USA and UK with photographs, letters of introduction and acknowledgements by WF Cuming. 6 Letters marked 11/6/3A, 2 marked 11/6A/1	May 1924 – Nov 1925
	11/7	MA Cuming, Melbourne	
37	11/7/1	SL Kessell, Forest Department, WA. Enquiring about CS & Co's Britannia Creek wood distillation venture, with a view to establishing a similar plant in WA; WB Hirt's notes, MA Cuming's reply to Kessell and Kessell's acknowledgement. 11 pp	13 Aug 1940
37	11/7/2	George W Williams, Yarraville. Outlining the history of Cuming Smith from its inception; especially interesting for its account of raw material and early customers. Williams was one of the firm's earliest employees ; retiring as foreman of the Yarraville superphosphate section in the 20's. 7 pp	6 Jan 1930
37	11/7/3	Tom Marle; A note, to which is attached an extract from Aristotle's 'Politics'.3 pp	13 Aug 1944
37	11/7/4	Postcards received from James Cuming Jnr, Mrs WM	1904 - 1906

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37	11/7/5	Fehon (MAC's grandmother) and others E Sorensen, Secretary, ICIANZ Ltd, Letter confirming MA Cuming's appointment as a director of ICI and requesting a 'Declaration of Interest' disclosing all companies in which MAC was involved. 3 pp ts	Jul 1949
37	11/7/6	Geoffrey Grimwade, Note accepting his appointment to the board of CS & Co. 1 pp MS	19 Oct 1956
37	11/7/7	W. Duncan to MAC	14 Feb 1943 – 6 Jan 1945
37	11/7/8	Peter MacGeorge; A & J MacGeorge	9 Nov 1943 – 19 Dec 1943
	11/8	SL Kessell, WA	
37	11/8/1	MA Cuming, Melbourne. Replying to 11/7/1 above, and giving information based on two memos of WB Hirt, containing details of the Britannia Creek venture, including the seven main reasons why – in Hirt's opinion – the works closed in 1924. 3 pp	28 Aug 1940
	11/9	Charles Campbell, CS & Co	
37	11/12/1	James Cuming Jnr. Economic difficulties: "There is no surety in a country like this with a Labor Government", Australian unionism 'is only another name for slavery' whereas USA is a free country. 3 pp	6 Apr 1916
	11/13	Mrs Banks	
37	11/13/1	James Cuming Jnr. 2 pp	1919
	11/14	Rupert Nice, Galuguba	
37	11/14/1	James Cuming Jnr. 1 pp	1919
	11/15	Professor Dick, Edinburgh	
37	11/15/1	MA Cuming, Vet Surg. "Myres" Detailing a mysterious local cattle disease and seeking advice. (see James Cuming's Autobiography. P 17 for details) 12 pp	25 May 1845
	11/16	Mr and Mrs WM Fehon, Homebush NSW, (JC Jnr's parents-in-law)	
37	11/16/1	Postcards, mostly unsigned, but probably from son-in- law James Cuming during his overseas trip.	1904 - 1906
	11/17	Other correspondence	
76	11/17/1	Family letters, various, found later. All letters with summaries attached	1890s – 1910s
76	11/17/2	Manilla folder of correspondence, labelled "Very old letters plus receipts and envelopes" "Wilsie Syme sent the old letters to me at the time they pulled down our old home "Huntly. Found a box full of old letters etc of Grandpa Jas Cuming Snr, stored in the roof. Many were destroyed. MAC Cuming"	1820s
	12	GROUP 12 Other private Papers	
	12/1	Mari Anus Cuming, Veterinary Surgeon	
25	12/1/2	Memo. Vital statistics of MAC's family: gives details	10 Apr 1855

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		of the temperaments (nervous, lymphatic, bilious, sanguine), ages, heights and weights of MAC, Mrs C, and James, Henry, Alexander, John, Elizabeth, MA Jnr., Grace, George, Charles and William. At St John, New Brunswick. 1 pp MS	
26	12/1/3	Business card, MAC, MRCVS, Vet Surg St John New Brunswick. Printed	n.d.
26	12/1/4	James Patterson, Longman, verses ; 'In Memory of MA Cuming VS' printed 1 pp 2 copies.	n.d.
25	12/1/5	Address probably written as a contribution to the Mutual Improvement Society that MAC formed in the district of Myrus, " <i>That the Brain is the Organ of the Mind</i> " (see James Cuming's autobiography.)	[1850s]
	12/2	James Cuming	
25	12/2/1	Marriage Certificate, JC and Elizabeth Smith, South Parish Aberdeen. 1 pp MS	12 Oct 1858
25	12/2/2	Certificate of baptism, Mrs JC (nee Smith), St Andrews, Aberdeen; Signed by Bishop of Aberdeen. Card	6 Mar 1859
25	12/2/3	Advertisement (draft) for JC's forge in Portland Maine. 2 pp MS	n.d.
25	12/2/4	Receipt, CM Quincy – Mr Cuming \$4.17 for rent (probably quarterly)	29 Apr 1860
25	12/2/5	Charles Sagar (?), Portland, Maine, Reference for JC as farrier; 1pp MS	2 Jan 1862
25	12/2/5a	Letters of reference from SL Goodall, Sec of the Board of Agriculture, and R Jardine, St John; and Richard Thompson. 1 p + 1 p + 1p.	25 and 27 May 1859
25	12/2/6	St Andrews Society, Portland, Me, - JC; Certificate of Esteem on his departure from USA. 1 pp MS	10 Jan 1862
25	12/2/7	Sexton, St Kilda General Cemetery – J Romanis, undertaker; Receipt for cemetery fees for Elizabeth Cuming.	11 Feb 1865
25	12/2/8	J Romanis – JC; Receipt for above.	14 Feb 1965
25	12/2/9	Sexton, St Kilda General Cemetery – JC; receipt for permission to erect enclosure or headstone to the late Henry A Smith (JC's father-in-law).	n.d.
25	12/2/10	Business card, JC, horse shoer and farrier, corner of Victoria and Swanston Sts. Melbourne. Pencilled on the back is the date. Printed	29 Oct 1867
25	12/2/18	Mr and Mrs W. Mitchell decline the Cuming's dinner invitation	7 May 1892
25	12/2/20	Alan McNeilage, Ascot Vale, to James Cuming Esq JP, 'on reading that he had attained his seventy-fourth year'. 1 p ts (2 copies) n.d.	[1909]
25	12/2/21	Invitation to JC to attend the wedding of Annie Morris	19 Feb 1908

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25	12/2/22	and Towers Linklater 1pp Printed (wedding date) Invitation to JC to attend the laying of the foundation stones at the Old Colonialists' Homes, North Fitzroy, including that of a cottage built by JC. 3 pp printed.	12 Aug 1908
25	12/2/23	JC, Honorary membership card Auckland Club.	Mar 1909
25	12/2/26	Envelope addressed to JC containing pressed flowers. n.d.	Insect damage on envelope
25	12/2/27	James Cumming invitation to his daughter's wedding Grace Mary with Mr Alexander Stuart	04 Jan 1905
	12/3	James Cuming Jnr	
25	12/3/2	Addresses etc by James Cuming Junior	
25		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Address as President of the Victorian Chamber of Manufacturers. Carbon copy of ts, quarto, 8 pp. Also text as published in Argus 2. President's notes to Boot-makers Section of Chamber of Manufacturers. 1 p quarto ts 3. Presidential address to the VCM, Melbourne 27 pp, two copies. also Argus report of same 4. Address of welcome to visiting French (manufacturers ?) on behalf of VCM. Carbon copy of ts quarto 2 pages 5. Presidential Address to the VCM Melbourne 29 pp Fine leather bound copy 6. Presidential address to the Society of Chemical Industry of Victoria. Typed version and also 25 pp MS. Critical of Mr Justice Higgins. Ref also 15/2/10. Also 3 pp notes on 'Wages Board' 	10 Sep 1917 - 26 May 1919
26	12/3/3	Miscellaneous undated notes by James Cuming Junior. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 'Human Effort' 4 pp Quarto in pencil 2. Two pages of notes quarto. First page A.M. (initials of newspaper from which reports drawn ?) 3. 'Wartime profits – Professional Man's latter to Argus'. MS 1 pp quarto. 4. Verse 'This life is like a game of cards'. MS on correspondence paper 5. Notes on address by Harold Cox: 'Industrial Reconstruction and Moral Bases'. MS 2 pp quarto on Gresham Hotel (Brisbane) note papers. (n.d. but written after 'defeat of Germany'.) 6. Thoughts on natural resources, the production of wealth, the concern of industry for the common good, and the partnership of Capital and Labor. MS n.d. 1 p quarto. 7. 'Labor's New World' (an address?). MS 8 pp quarto n.d. 	1917-1920

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8. Lacks title. Reference to the verdict of 5th May, n.d. ts 5 pp quarto
9. 'Industrial Organisation – the Need for Improvement'. Paper presented to the Victorian Chamber of Manufacturers. n.d. but 1917 or later.
10. 'The New Outlook' by Prof. Meredith Atkinson (extracts from The Herald) 3 pp ts quarto n.d.
11. 'The Education Dept. War Relief Fund' (but deals with the critical situation in Europe late 1917 and calls for saving and lending for the war effort). MS 4 pp (incomplete) quarto. n.d. but later than 1 Oct 1917 0- after Russian collapse and before 20 Dec 1917 second conscription referendum.
12. Speech in favour of affirmative vote at second conscription referendum 20 Dec 1917. MS 2 pp incomplete – these are the concluding pages. quarto.
13. Draft of an address on the problems of starting new industries in Australia. n.d.. This is not (15/2/10) although the subject is similar.
14. Draft of an address to the Old Melbournians: a tribute to the Grammar boys who enlisted. 3 pp, several drafts, notes etc. n.d. but after the Russian revolution of 1917 and shortly after "the attack on Zeebrugge and Ostend" and the Perth Labor Meeting which issued "Labor's Peace Terms". Note: letter included dated * provides figures of enlistments for James Cuming's toast to "Our Sailors and Soldiers".
15. Notes for address on "Thrift" (ie as contribution to the war effort) at the Athenaeum Hall during the Thrift Week Campaign. (information from Herald Clipping found with these notes, now mounted and attached) MS 6pp
16. Draft of Address (?) on Germany's pre-war build-up of industrial war with Britain. The tariff Australia's answer to the threat. n.d. but written during the war.
17. Notes or draft of an address on thrift. 8 pp. (not consecutive, incomplete). n.d. but when President of the Chamber of Manufacturers.
18. Writing tablet
19. Writing tablet
20. Miscellaneous

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26	12/3/4	Share certificates, Berry Ferguson & Co Ltd. (Adelaide), Nos 1-10, Shares 1-1200 fully paid up to one pound; Nos 141-170, paid up to 2s 6d	12 Jun 1908
	12/5	Miscellaneous Loose Papers	
78	12/5/5	Drawing of MAC by R. Rodgers	n.d.
78	12/5/6	The Birthday book of proverbs, belonged to MA Cuming's mother, Alice Fehon	n.d.
78	12/5/7	Invitation from the Highland Society of NSW for the Commonwealth celebration to Fehon	1901
79	12/5/8	Historical government invitations to WM Fehon and James Cuming. The NSW government invitation to the swearing in of the Earl of Hopetoun, the First Governor General of Australia. The NSW government at the Naval and Military banquet celebrating the same x 2.	190
79	12/5/9	Certificate appointing James Cuming as a fireman attached to the engine company no. 2. mounted	1856
79	12/5/10	Bachelor of Science degree, University of Melbourne, Mariannus Adrian Cuming	1924
79	12/5/11	The Australian Institute of Management certificate of membership, MA Cuming	1942
79	12/5/12	1. Negative of certificate appointing JC fireman	n.d.
79		2. Certificate of matriculation, MA Cuming,	March 1921
79		3. Letter informing MA Cuming of his appointment as a Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George from the secretary to the Governor-General	6 Dec 1961
79		4. Certificate admitting MA Cuming as a fellow of the Australian Chemical Institute	4 Dec 1944
79	12/5/13	Framed certificate certifying that MA Cuming was elected as a life member of the Industrial Cricket Association	1957
78	12/5/14	1 hat, labelled M Cuming and "R.M.G.C."	n.d.
78	12/5/15	Bound, A3-sized booklet, "Clan Cuming, 33 generations 1068-1988 – contains the family tree	1988
78	12/5/16	Ashtray, Cuming Smith Sickle Brand fertilisers	n.d.
	12/6	Diaries and Notebooks	
26	12/6/1	James Cuming Jnr. ;	1883-1919
26		1. Diary for 1883.	
26		2. Diary for 1898;	
26		3. Diary for 1904;	
26		4. Diary for 1905;	
27		5. Notebook No 1 ; Enclosures catalogued separately as 12/5/7 and 8, 15/2/99, 15/4/33, 16/4/16.	
27		6. Notebook No 2 entitled 'Here it is'..	
		7. Notebook No 3.	

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27		8. Notebook No 4. the second of three; 100 pp	
27		9. Notebook No 5.	
		10. Note book 'Where is it' An alphabetical index of information.	
27		11. Notebook 'Where is it', as 10	
	12/6/2	WF Cuming	
27		1. Diary 1912. 1 day per foolscap page. Entries start 7 Jul	1912
		2. Diary 1915 (may not be WFC's) 2 days per 7" x 4" page. Also some loose pages of 1916 diary.	1915
		3. Diary 1927. 2 days per 7" x 4" page	1927
		4. Notebook, c. 1912 – late 1920s; consists largely of technical notes, Australian and overseas plants. 1 cm, Walker's Loose- leaf Transfer Case.	1912 – 1920s
		5. Diary – Notes	2 Jan 1920
28	12/6/3	MA Cuming, Balwyn, " <u>Memorial Album</u> " 26 pp. of coats-of-arms, including that of the Cuming family. See 12/6/4/(9)	n.d.
28	12/6/4	Bennett Perry: diaries, notebooks and letter books.	1919 - 7 Jul 1943
		1. Diary for 1919,	
		2. Diary for 1920	
29		3. Notebook – technical descriptions and sketches of plants visited by Perry.	
		4. Letter book, largely of a technical nature.	
		5. Copies of Technical Reports and plans from abroad. 16 pp + 26 plans, most in duplicate.	
		6. Diary for 1924 covering three periods of the year	
		7. Diary, quarto.	
		8. Diary, similar to 12/6/4/7 above.	
		9. Diary with index (alphabetical by subject). Ts quarto	
		10. General Manager's visit abroad, itinerary and general report. Manila folder.	
		11. Diary with entries. 5.5" x 8" business year book 1937.	
		12. Diary (to 7 Jul 1943 apparently Mr Perry's last working day.	
		13. Notes apparently made in France. Quarto graph book	
	13	GROUP 13 Photographs	
	13/1	Cuming family	
80	13/1/1	Mr and Mrs Cuming: James Cuming Snr and Mrs Cuming, this is a photo, a copy of which is reproduced in JC's Autobiography (see 15/3/5)	n.d.

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70	13/1/2	Apparently 'Huntly', Willis St, Yarraville; The home for some years of JC Jr and his family; 4" x 3"	n.r.
80	13/1/3	Group, on occasion of 'First picnic to Warburton, Bonnie Doon, Launching Place'; annotated; includes JC Jr and G., WH, and Mari Cuming	n.d. (probably 1907)
80	13/1/4	Group at Bacchus Marsh picnic; annotated; includes JC Snr and Jr, and MAC from New York	1908
80	13/1/5	JC Snr, and (brother) MAC, NY, 2 mounted photographs	1908
80	13/1/6	MAC, NY	1908
73	13/1/6(a)	MAC, New York	n.d.
80	13/1/10	Two recent (c 1952) photographs of Bon Accord House, occupied by JC 1865-1874 and accompanying 16/1/1	1952
76	13/1/11	WF Cuming, 6" x 8"	n.d.
80	13/1/12	JC Jnr 5 1/2" x 7 1/2"	About 1917
80	13/1/13	James Cuming Snr and his son before 'Myrus', Hyde St, Footscray. reproduced in H. Michell (ed.) Footscray's First Fifty Years, Advertiser Office, Footscray, 1909, see 15/4/2	n.d.
73	13/1/14	James Cuming Jnr	Early 1900s
73	13/1/15	JJS Cuming, probably aged 20, 3 rd son of James Cuming Jnr	About 1911
73	13/1/16	Portrait, unknown man	n.d.
73	13/1/17	Dinner party, CFC office, includes MAC	1958
73	13/1/18	Dick (Mrs Claude Parry) and Dovie (Mrs Jack Cuming) with their babies	n.d.
73	13/1/19	Bessie Cuming, daughter of WH Cuming, youngest son of Jas Cuming Snr	n.d.
73	13/1/20	William F, brother of Mrs J. Cuming Jnr	n.d.
73	13/1/21	Alice Cuming, later Mrs Claude Parry (Dick)	n.d.
73	13/1/22	Portrait, unidentified man	n.d.
73	13/1/23	Mrs Jas Cuming Jnr. James Cuming and youngest daughter Grace. Jas Cuming Jnr and daughter Alice aged 2 years	About 1886
73	13/1/24	Aunt Louisa Fahoun in garden at "Huntly", Mont Albert Rd, Balwyn several photographs in envelope	About 1912
73	13/1/25	James Cuming Stewart, "photograph kept by MAC after Stewart's death	n.d.
73	13/1/26	Jas Cuming Jnr	1918-9
73	13/1/27	MR and Mrs MAC and Miss Adamson	About late 1960s
73	13/1/28	Mrs Claude W. Parry and daughter Joy	About 1922
73	13/1/29	Jas Cuming Jnr and family, several photographs in an envelope, annotated	n.d.
73	13/1/30	HW Cuming taken at gym after a game of squash	1920
73	13/1/31	James Cuming snr and family	n.d.
73	13/1/32	Camberwell Grammar School, school photograph, 2 photocopies	1912

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73	13/1/33	“Will’, MAC 10 months	May 1893
73	13/1/33	MAC	1905-6
73	13/1/34	Wilma Cuming, inscribed “To Nance, With lots of love from Willie” Nance is her future sister-in-law.	1923
73	13/1/35	Picnic group, 24 people, including WM Fahon, Will Fahon, Alice Cuming (nee Fahon) and Jas Cuming Jnr	n.d.
73	13/1/36	Harry, son of James Jnr at wheel of Fiat at house in Mont Albert Rd, mounted	About 1920
73	13/1/37	Harry Cuming at the wheel of the family Fiat car purchased second-hand at close of First World War. Jack Cuming standing at back holding Joy Parry, 2 mounted photographs	About 1920
73	13/1/38	MA Cuming in BHP days, mounted	1980
73	13/1/39	James Cuming Jnr with youngest son Mariannus Adrian, born 26.11.01	1902
73	13/1/40	Jack Cuming and Hugh Harling (former friend from WA)	n.d.
73	13/1/41	MA Cuming, mounted	1924
78	13/1/42	WF Cuming, mounted	About 1932-33
78	13/1/43	General Grimwade (from MAC dressing table)	n.d.
78	13/1/44	10 photographs, family Christmas	1988
78	13/1/45	Plastic medallion, royal Melbourne golf club, Bruce Green, professional, “Cuming MA 59”	n.d.
78	13/1/46	Melbourne Church of England Grammar School, 2 mounted photographs, Boarders and Prefects, including MA Cuming	1919
78	13/1/47	Melbourne Church of England Grammar School, 1 mounted photograph, boarders, including MA Cuming	1920
78	13/1/48	Wedding of Alice Cuming and Claude Parry at Mont Albert Rd, Balwyn, annotated	n.d.
78	13/1/49	MA Cuming, mounted photograph	About 1960
78	13/1/50	James Cuming Jnr, Picnic at Britannia Falls, Yarra Junction, framed	n.d.
PA/1 86	13/1/51	Album, covered in leather with metal latch, of family photographs, most annotated	1800s (?)
PA/1 87	13/1/52	album, covered in yellow velvet with metal latch, family portraits, some annotated	1800s – early 1900s (?)
PA/1 88	13/1/53	Album, covered in leather with metal latch, family portraits, only a few annotated	Early 1900s (?)
	13/2	Business associates	
73	13/2/3	ICIANZ Directors, Melbourne	5 Oct 1970
73	13/2/4	MAC and Fahon	About 1905
73	13/2/5	WM Fahon, guest of honour at the Warragal Club, Sydney	n.d.
73	13/2/6	Visit to Emerald and Blackrock coal fields, including MAC, Sir Ian McLennan, and two others, 4 photographs	1970

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73	13/2/7	Norman Jones, MAC and unidentified man	n.d.
	13/3	Cuming Smith & Co., Yarraville (see also 15/1/2)	
76	13/3/1	CS & Co's Chemical Manure and Acid Works; Early photo, featuring 16 men and a horse; 9" x 6". 3 copies	n.d.
76	13/3/2	CS and Co works, built about 1875	1880
76	13/3/3	and Co Works, building demolished c1936	About 1885
76	13/3/5	Group, 10 workmen, staff on 3 rd building, 3 identified	About 1895
73	13/3/6	Group, 14 men; Staff in 3rd building' (built c, 1895);	c. 1900.
76	13/3/7	2 nd laboratory	1900
76	13/3/8	CS & Co staff waiting at Yarraville station for the picnic train to Warburton and Britannia Creek; Taken by R. B. Campbell; 5" x 3"	23 Nov 1907
76	13/3/9	CS & Co horsedrawn floats in Footscray Jubilee Procession } Four photos.	c. 1909
70	13/3/10	Panoramic views of the Yarraville works; Six photos.	1909 (apparently)
70	13/3/12	Group, CS & Co works staff; Features some 140 men; 3 copies	c. 1919/20.
84	13/3/13	Group, on the occasion of a visit by the Governor of Victoria to the Yarraville works; Includes W. F. Cuming, Gen. H. W. Grimwade, and Kuntzen (chemist); 2 copies	n.d. (early 1920s)
PA/1 89	13/3/15	Albums, Yarraville works, Large trials, with later MS annotations; Five photos, each 15" x 9" in album. (One 9" x 6") Two copies of album.	n.d. (c1929)
73	13/3/16	Yarraville works. Some dozen horse - drawn lorries leaving the works. (Is reproduced in Footscray's First Fifty Years (1909);	c1909
70	13/3/17	Electric Power Plant: Yarraville works. Photoprint and negative. Several photographs, with text. Source: Australasian 10 Oct. 1903 p. 837	10 Oct 1903
70	13/3/18	C, S display at Royal Melbourne Show. Photoprint and negative. Photograph and text. Source: Australasian 15 Sept, 1906 p. 636.	15 Sept 1906
84	13/3/20	1. Aerial view of Yarraville works. Copy of last in album 13/3/15. 2. Aerial view -of Yarraville works 9" x 7": same as first view in copy one of album 13/3/15 (see 13/3/20) 3. Three aerial views, Yarraville works 1 x 5" x 4" (same as 13/3/20 - 2) 2 x 6" x 4"	May 1921
71	13/3/21	Album, Yarraville works: CS and ML plants 34 photos, 8" x 6" with some manuscript annotations by M, A. Cuming,	n.d.
80	13/3/22	Aerial view of Yarraville works 6" x 8" taken by	(c1940)

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		Airspy about 1940 - 42 with manuscript annotations by M.A. Cuming.	
70	13/3/23	Cheater Wine, Zeehan, Tas., Nov. 1920. 17 photos, each 4" x 3" in album.	n.d.
80	13/3/24	CS and Co Chemical and Manure works	(c1896)
80	13/3/25	JP Lind photo, Cuming Smith and Co Chemical and manure works,	n.d.
80	13/3/26	Visit of Lord Stonehaven, Governor of Victoria to CS and Co Works	n.d.
73	13/3/27	YMCA Hut, CS Works, Yarraville	n.d.
73	13/2/28	Visit of Lord and Lady Stradboke to CS and Co Yarraville	n.d.
	13/4	CS & Co Yarra Junction and Warburton	
69 and 70	13/4/1	Album, 'In honour of the British Association for the Advancement of Science,' Australian Meeting, 1914. Visit to the Wood Distillation and Saw Milling Industries of Cuming Smith & Co. , Yarra Junction, Warburton, Australia, 15th August, 1914; 10 photos, each 8" x 6", in album. Two copies, one with annotations.	1914
74	13/4/2	Album, 'OS & Co. Wood Distillation Works Yarra Junction 1917'; Photos of forests and works; explanatory note and description of photos inside back cover; together with a copy of V.'B. Hirt's 1913 address to the Society of Chemical Industry in Victoria, for which these photographs were prepared .	1917
71	13/4/3	Photographs. Includes 'Particulars of negatives representing Forest in Erica district, 1 p. TS, and further descriptions of photos, 6 pp. T2; 1925 (see also Hirt's report 6/5/5).	1925
74	13/4/4	Album, OS & Co's Wood Distillation Works at Warburton, 1917, 48 photos, each 8" x 5 3/4" in green album.	1917
76	13/4/5	Panoramic view of timber storage; Grant's seasoning works.	n.d.
69 and 71	13/4/6	Album, Memento of visit of Sydney and Melbourne Grammar Schools Cricket Teams to Britannia Creek, on 20/12/18. With the Compliments of the President of the Old Melburnians.	1918
		12 photos, each 8i" x 64", in album, some annotated in one of the 2 copies.	
70 and 71	13/4/7	Album, Seasoning Works of CS & Co Warburton. 9 photos, each 7" x 6".	Sept 1930
74	13/4/7a	Album, Seasoning Works of CS & Co Warburton. 9 photos. each 7" x 6".	1920s
70	13/4/9	Two photos, each 4" x 3" at Warburton	n.d. (but belong

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		1. Timber sheds	with 13/8/9)
70	13/4/10	2. View from a background of a cleared slope "These photographs from the Cuming Smith collection illustrate the preparation and storage of timber for the company's wood distillation works at Britannia Creek, near Warburton. The works, which operated from 1907 to 1924, produced acetic acid from eucalyptus timber." Several photographs in plastic sleeve.	n.d.
73	13/4/11	Riding party out from Yarra Junction, Vic	n.d.
	13/5	Commonwealth Fertilisers and Chemicals Ltd.	
72	13/5/2	Album, chiefly machinery and plant; Contains TS annotations; Green Album, 56 photos, each 9" x 7".	Feb 1947
72	13/5/3	Album, Despatch, plant control rooms, electrical installations, laboratories, fitting and machine shops, carpenters' and joinery shops, store, garage, casualty rooms, changing rooms, canteen annexe, staff offices, and library; With TS annotations; 38 photos, each 9" x 7".	Feb 1947
72	13/5/4	Album. Photos culled from the above two albums (13/5/2 and 3); With TS annotations;	1947
80	13/5/5	46 photos, each 8" x 6" (4 copies of album). Staff gathered in different parts of the Cuming Smith works; M.A. Cuming appears in the background of each photo. Three photos. Two copies of each of two of these	n.d.
70	13/5/6	Acid Chamber building at Yarraville, (Bennet Perry's writing), 2 photographs, rolled	March 1973
80	13/5/8	2 photographs, rolled	n.d.
73	13/5/9	Members of office staff, annotated	April 1932
	13/7	Other companies	
70	13/7/1	Zinc Corporation, New acid plant in course of erection, Broken Kill; Four small sepias,	n.d.
74	13/7/4	AF Ltd., Views of Port Kembla Works, (in envelope) Aerial view, Aug 1921. Phosphate Shed, Feb 1929. 10 Annotated photos, 2 Dec 1953.	Aug 1921 – Feb 1929
70	13/7/6	Farmers fertilizers Co., View of Fertilizer Works, Te Papapa, Auckland, New Zealand.	April 1921
76	13/7/8	Albany Superphosphate Factory. (All except 6 of the smaller photos (6" x 4") are duplicates of those in the album 13/7/8.)	n.d.
76	13/7/9	William Steele, General Manager Wallaroo - Mr Lyell,	n.d.

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76	13/7/10	South Australia 4*'' x 6'' Aerial view of Port Kembla Industries, looking southwest. Mounted photograph 10'' -x 7'' with descriptive caption. Notes from R.G. Casey and copy of M.A. Cuming's acknowledgement attached.	August 1921
73	13/7/11	Board of ACF and Shirley's. Including MA Cuming	20 Nov 1964
73	13/7/12	Albany superphosphate works, including James Cuming, colour photograph	April 1952
73	13/7/13	BHP Board inspecting research lab	1969
78	13/7/14	BHP board, mounted photograph, including MA Cuing	23 June 1967
	13/8	Miscellaneous and Unidentified	
80	13/8/2	Group of 11 men; probably a meeting of the Fertilizer Association. Five identified; (see also 3/8/14)	n.d.
80	13/8/4	Group of workmen; Duplicated copies of list of names	n.d.
70	13/8/5	Harvesting of Alfalfa, U.S. See reproduction in pamphlet 15/12/20	n.d.
70	13/8/6	Alfalfa production panoramic view of U.S. plant. see reproduction in pamphlet 15/2/19 at p, 6	n.d.
70	13/8/7	Picnic group	n.d.
80	13/8/8	Photographic record of painted (railway) trucks (for) Messrs. CG & Co. Pty. Ltd. with compliments, Victorian Railways Advertising. Five photos, each 5'' x 3'', in folder,	n.d.
80	13/8/9	"1st CS & Co Works Picnic held at Yarra Junction Wood Distillation Works 1909". 4'' x 3'' unmounted	1909
80	13/8/10	Honour Board World War I: Employees of Cuming Smith and Co. Pty, Ltd., (Names clearly visible) 6'' x 8'' (2 copies)	n.d.
76	13/8/11	Photocopy of woodcut James Macneikan & Co.,' manure works at Yarraville, from Sands and McDougall's Melbourne Directory 1872. (see also 16/1/12: Mr W Parr's note on the same).	1872
70	13/8/12	Group of eight, including James Cuming Jnr, standing on right.	n.d.
76	13/8/14	Group of 7 men. Three identified. (see also 3/8/2) 3'' x 5'' (mounted, 6'' x 9'')	n.d.
80	13/8/15	Group of 21 men, including W.F. Cuming; CS picnic; 6'' x 4'' (from an album?)	n.d.

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80	13/8/16	Kemphorne Prosser and Company's New Zealand Drug Company Limited; "The Latest Photo of Works" (sent by G. B. Smith, J. C. Jnr's brother-in-law); 6" x 8"	1898
80	13/8/17	Cuming Smith & Co. Pty. Ltd., City office; 6" x 8",	n.d.
73	13/8/18	James Cuming memorial. Napier Street, Footscray, unveiled 1917; 6" x 8".	n.d.
80	13/8/19	Cuming Smith and Co. works and office gathering; about middle 20s; 6" x 8".	1920s
70	13/8/21	Two photographs of Tudor - Gothic mansion, M.A. Cuming thinks belonging to the Campbell family on the Mornington Peninsula. One 6" x 44". another 10" x 6".	n.d.
70	13/8/22	Two albums of photographs, inscribed "To Mr and Mrs W.F. Cuming from Frank F. Leslie, recording a trip to Mr Lyell etc. in Tasmania, June 1922. 45 photographs, each 5" x 3".	1922
80	13/8/23	Three panoramic shots of Perth Showgrounds.	n.d.
76	13/8/24	Bennett Perry and friends on board S. S. Niagara at Victoria, British Columbia, on 12 July 1919. Found in 12/6/4 (1).	12 July 1919
73	13/8/25	Cuming Smith's picnic, children's march	1920
73	13/8/26	Cuming Smith's picnic, committee race	1921
73	13/8/27	Works picnic at Frankston, several photographs in an envelope	n.d.
73	13/8/28	CS and Co works picnic, group of men, including James and Mari Cuming	n.d.
73	13/8/29	James Cuming, cows entered at the Royal Melbourne Show	
73	13/8/30	Unidentified street scene, includes the Limerick arms hotel (address 364 Clarendon St, South Melbourne), 2 copies	n.d.
73	13/8/31	Miss Adamson, secretary	1954
73	13/8/32	Chamber of Manufacturers, opening of new building, dinner given by the president, James Cuming x 2	29 Mar 1919
73	13/8/33	Unidentified Man	31 May 1907
73	13/8/34	Portrait, unidentified woman, "don't know who she is, MAC"	n.d.
73	13/8/35	Four unidentified women in house	n.d.
73	13/8/36	Five men outside Marshall and White (horse shodding?) mounted	1911
78	13/8/37	Unidentified man, mounted portrait	n.d.
	13/9	Additional photographs	
73	13/9/8	"The Rev. John Skinner, Author of the popular Scottish song, "Tullochgorum." Mounted etching	n.d.
73	13/9/9	Mr Shelly Barker, Perth (Friend of MAC from period when they lived in Perth	1930-1936

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73	13/9/10	Two photographs and negatives of the Cuming family bible in the possession of W Cuming	n.d.
73	13/9/11	Scotch Grammar Boys on big ground	About 1919
73	13/9/12	MAC and Tom Williams, Melbourne	N.d.
73	13/9/13	McVeighs Hotel, Upper Yarra	n.d.
73	13/9/14	Veterinary surgery operating theatre presented to Melbourne University in memory of his father by Jas Cuming	n.d.
78	13/9/15	1. group of photographs showing CS and Co. Works picnic, 3 photographs, annotated	Mid 1920s
78	13/9/15	2. 4 photographs of Edinburgh School of Medicine medal awarded to MA Cuming the best pupil, senior chemistry class, plus one of MAC in new American underwear, annotated	April 1848
78	13/9/15	3. 11 photographs of Yarra Junction, annotated	n.d.
78	13/9/15	4. 4 photographs of Wilma Guthrie and sister, annotated	1925
78	13/9/15	5. 1 photograph of Christ Church Claremont, annotated	1938
78	13/9/15	6. 2 photographs of unidentified men, not annotated	n.d.
78	13/9/15	7. MA Cuming, mounted, taken from prefect photo, Hull Church of England Grammar School	1919 or 1920
78	13/9/16	The Right Reverend John Skinner, Bishop of Aberdeen, mounted black and white drawing	n.d.
PA/1 90	13/9/17	Album, annotated B&W photographs of Cuming Smith and Co.'s works, 36 x 55 cm	n.d.
14		Group 14 Maps and Plans (Including diagrams, flowsheets). Note: some of the maps and plans were stacked in a file separated by ply-wood board numbered alphabetically; an index book shows that this file many more maps and plans than now remain, a good number being noted as destroyed in Jan 1960. In the list below the maps and plans from this file are preceded by their company file numbers.	
	14/1	CS & Co P/L and CF & C Ltd, Yarraville, Port Melbourne, Melbourne	
30	14/1/1	Survey of Yarraville Property	3 Oct 1898
30	14/1/2	Plan, alterations to William St premises	14 Jul 1900
30	14/1/3	Plan, Port Melbourne Works, two copies	3 Jul 1902
30	14/1/4	Cuming Smith & Co, new city premises, built in 1925 n.d.	n.d.
30	14/1/5	Plans of Cuming Memorial addition to Chemistry School, University of Melbourne	1921
30	14/1/12	Map marked F/1/1, CF & C Ltd's properties at Yarraville. dye-line, hand coloured, 1" = 100'	n.d.
30	14/1/14	CF & C Ltd. Folder of seven flow diagrams showing	1947 –1953

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		operations of pyrites roasting, chamber and contact sulphuric acid manufacture, superphosphate production, storage and bagging. printed	
30	14/1/18	Two plans of Homestead Block, Altona, one 1" = 60', another 1" = 100', together with three letters relating to purchase of property.	1920
30	14/1/21	Map, Township of Sandridge, showing the Port Melbourne Works (then Felton Grimwade). Lithograph with letter from Crown Lands Office	4 Nov 1860 – 5 Apr 1887
30	14/2	CS & Co P/L, Warburton and Yarra Junction	
30	14/2/1	Plan marked B./1/1 Britannia Creek factory site. MS coloured,	12 Jul 1906
30	14/2/2	1. Mississippi Saw Milling Co, survey lines, Parish of Ellinging, also another (draft ?) 2. Ditto, plan of tracks, 2 copies 3. Plan of subdivision, part of Crown lots 21 and 22A, Warburton Tracks Mississippi Creek	27 Nov 1919
30	14/2/4	From envelope marked 'Sundry forest maps, Britannia Creek township. 1. Tourist Map of route through Baw Baw Mountains and past the Yarra Falls (3 copies) 3 Township of Tarrango, Britannia Creek. (3 Copies) 3. Enterprise Mill, showing operations in bush 4. Warburton and District, blueprint 5. Big Flume Starvation Creek, Forest Commission map 6. Water Supply Reserve, Watts River watershed 7. Tourist Map, Warburton, Mt Baw Baw, Walhalla. Linen (?) 8. Map showing cutting rights, Enterprise Mill	17 Nov 1903 - 26 Nov 1926
30	14/2/5	Crown Lands, Parish of Warburton. Photolithograph	7 Jun 1910
30	14/2/6	1. Copy of field notes of survey of part of Crown Allot. 278 Parish of Warburton, 2. Plan of survey of part of Crown Allot 278 Parish of Warburton, County Evelyn. 1' = 2 ch, hand coloured. 3. Lands Dept map, Warburton. Lithograph marked in pen and pencil. 4. Licence <u>dated</u> pertaining to land at Warburton	1 Jan 1904 - 29 Sep 1908
30	14/2/7	Plan of survey of Crown Allotments 22 and 22B and part of Crown Allotment 21, parish of Warburton. 1" = 10 ch	6 may 1924
30	14/2/8	Sketch map of location of Enterprise Saw Milling Co. on wax paper.	n.d.

14/6 CSMLFF Ltd Bunbury

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30	14/6/13	General plan of land purchased at Bunbury, with covering notes showing prices paid. ('not to scale')	1929
	14/14	Lists of Maps removed from strong room in General Manager's Department	
30	14/14/1	Lists seven items. 1 pp ts duplicate	n.d.
30	14/14/2	An extensive list with destination and some of the maps. 1 pp ts	n.d.
	15	GROUP 15 Publications and printed matter (including newspaper clippings).	
	15/1	Relating to the companies	
30	15/1/1	AN Pearson – <i>Some Useful Hints on Experimental Plots</i> -Extract from a report on Field Experiments in Victoria, 1887- 1900. Pearson was Victorian agricultural chemist. 12 pp 2copies.	[1900]
30	15/1/2	CS & Co P/L, calendar and price list, 1 pp	1900
30	15/1/3	Ditto. Sample Invoice Certificate issued by the company under the Artificial manures Acts , 1897 and 1904. 1 pp, 3 copies	
30	15/1/4	Ditto, catalogue of manures. Includes price list and description of Yarraville works, 22 pp.	1905 - 1906
30	15/1/5	Ditto. . Illustrated, includes rabbit poisons, acids, etc, a summary of the Artificial manures Act 1904 and a schedule of rail freights for manures; one photo of the Yarraville works, featuring over 150 men, is captioned 'Some of our employees at Yarraville works'. 24 pp 13 copies	1906 - 1907
30	15/1/6	Ditto. Catalogue of high grade chemical manures. n.d.. (not later than 1906). 4 pp. 1 copy found. (Inventory says 4)	n.d.
30	15/1/7	A Chemical Industry in a Victorian Forest. Illustrated description of wood distillation works at Warburton, Vic. n.d.. 15 pp 3 copies.	n.d.
30	15/1/8	Description of company manures, and how to use them. Manual for the use of agents. 12 pp.	Oct 1913
30	15/1/9	Price list for manures, WA, for season. 1 pp	1919 - 1920
30	15/1/10	List of analyses of company manures for season. 3 pp	1919 - 1920
30	15/1/11	'Our Forest Industries': Illustrated account of Yarra Junction and Warburton activities; an up to date version of 15/1/7. un-paginated n.d.. Also 3 facsimile copies produced by the Light Railway Research Society of Australia	[1924]
			[1980]
30	15/1/12	JW Styles and Son, Auctioneers; Brochure for sale of 'Mountain Homes at Britannia Creek'. Illustrations and descriptions of three buildings and other assets of	9 Dec 1925

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		the company, to be sold following the winding-up of its Britannia Creek venture. 4 pp.	
30	15/1/13-14	Clippings from Argus and Herald, Melbourne. Accounts of the formation of CF & C Ltd.	3 Jul 1929
30	15/1/15-17	Clippings from Sun, Age and Argus, Melbourne, As above.	4 Jul 1929
30	15/1/18	CF & C Ltd. <i>The Fertiliser Industry in Review</i> . Produced to publicize the new company; contains histories of the four member companies, the VFA etc, illustrated. One copy contains ts memo of MM (Maurice Mumford ?) on rationalization in the superphosphate industry. 28 pp. 3 copies found. (Inventory says 9) One copy to Footscray Historical Society. n.d.	[1929]
30	15/1/19	As above, issued as a supplement to the 'Countryman'. 3 pp	25 Oct 1929
31	15/1/20	CSMLFF Ltd, 'Facts about Superphosphate'. Contains brief history of Company and of Westralian Superphosphates Ltd, illustrated. Perth 15 pp. 2 copies.	1929
31	1/15/21	Clipping from West Australian, showing shield presented by CSMLFF Ltd for district dairy competition	18 Oct 1932
31	15/1/22	CF & C Ltd, Brochure for 'Commonwealth Cleanser', Melbourne 7 pp. n.d.	[1932]
31	15/1/24	CF & C Ltd, notice of price reduction for Copper carbonate and 'Smutol' 1 pp. n.d.	n.d.
31	15/1/25	Ditto. Brochure for copper carbonate and 'Smutol' single sheet folder.	n.d.
31	15/1/26	Ditto. 'A Tonic for your Stock'. Catalogue of iodised stock-licks, 4 pp 2 copies, n.d..	n.d.
31	15/1/27	Ditto. 'Rabbit Destruction by Fumigation'. 5 pp n.d.	n.d.
31	15/1/28	Ditto. 'The Use of Di-calcic Phosphate for Stock' from CF & C Bulletin No 15. 14 pp n.d.	[1935]
31	15/1/29	Ditto. 'Sickle Brand Agricultural Chemicals' 12 pp n.d.	n.d.
31	15/1/30	'Most Effective Counter to the Blowfly Menace in Sheep'. Folded brochure. n.d.	n.d.
31	15/1/31	Ditto. 'Sheep-dip Powder'. Advertising dodger. 1 pp n.d.	n.d.
31	15/1/33	CF & C Ltd. Refrigerant – Liquid Sulphur Dioxide. Folded brochure. n.d.	[1942+]
31	15/1/34	'Sickle news' (Quarterly House Journal of CF & C Ltd) Black spring folders, Nos. 1-28* Extra copies of Nos. 22, 23, 25, 26 in separate bundle.	Dec 1954 – Sep 1961
31	15/1/35	Clipping from 'ICIANZ Circle'. On occasion of 50 th anniversary of Mt Lyell's Yarraville factory, part of which had been purchased by ICIANZ in 1936.	13 Dec 1955

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31	15/1/36	CS & Co Ltd. Prospectus of issue of 100,000 ordinary shares. Includes report of Chairman of Directors (pp.10-11), and history of the Company (pp. 11-12) derived from 15/1/18 above; the decision to become public company was prompted by heavy taxation of profits retained in the business by private companies. 18 pp	27 Jan 1956
31	15/1/38	Copy of 'Sickle News'. Brief history of CS & Co, and of the 65 William St building which was undergoing additions in 1957, and a note accompanying a photograph of a keystone from the bluestone building, originally the Macmeikan and Company manure works until absorbed by Cuming Smith; also a photo of the competed building. Jun and Dec 1957	Jun 1957
31	15/1/39	CF & C Ltd, 'Better Crops and Pastures', fertilizer guide and other information. Folded broadsheet, 2 copies n.d..	[1957]
31	15/1/40	CS & Co Ltd, company information issued by JB Were & Son (underwriters) 11 pp. Apr 1958	April 1958
31	15/1/42	JB Were & Son Statistical Service; Cuming Smith and co Ltd. Details of Company, including balance sheet at 31 Dec 1962. 6 pp.	Mar 1963
31	15/1/43	Clipping from ICIANZ Circle. On the occasion of the demolition of a canteen built by CS & Co at Yarraville in 1917	23 Oct 1964
31	15/1/44	Programme. In Honour of the British Association for the Advancement of Science: Australian Meeting; Visit to the Wood Distillation and Saw Milling Industries of Cuming Smith & Co. Yarra Junction, Warburton Victoria Australia. Menu and views of the works. 8 pp.	1914
31	15/1/45	Articles from Argus in the series on 'How the Tariff Works' – concerning sulphuric acid making, with replies from Felton, Grimwade and Co. Also a digest of the controversy from the 'Independent' (Footscray). (A check of Argus files revealed no further correspondence)	1895
31	15/1/46	CS & Co Prospectus. 1 pp	11 Jun 1965
31	15/1/47	CSBP & Farmers Ltd "Some facts about the above company". n.d. but found attached to 15/1/46, 1 pp.	
31	15/1/48	Clipping from Herald on CF & C Ltd profit for the year.	10 Sep [1931]
31	15/1/49	'How we produce Sulphuric Acid' Folding wall chart produced by CF & C Ltd. n.d.	n.d.
31	15/1/50	Albany Superphosphate works. (issued on opening of works ?) 8 pp. (This works opened officially 25 Nov 1954 - ref Sickle News Dec 1954, no 1)	Nov 1954
31	15/1/51	The Stock Exchange Research Service - company	1973 - 1978

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		reviews; Cuming Smith and Co Ltd. Information sheets issued by the Sydney Stock Exchange providing a short history of the company, a review of its operations for the previous financial year and details of its past capital growth and operating profits: 1. April 1973, 4 pp 2 April 1974 5 pp 3 June 1975 5 pp 3 copies 4 June 1978 5 pp In a grey Roneo Vickers Ltd pocket folder	
31	15/1/52	The Superphosphate Industry, an extract on the history of Cuming Smith & Co and their Yarraville Works from, 'Footscray's First Fifty Years' (see 15/4/2). 7 pp photo copied	1909
31	15/1/53	"A Scottish blacksmith began it all in 1872 – The Yarraville Story". Clipping of an article in ICIANZ Circle on the history of ICI's Yarraville superphosphate and chemical works formerly owned by Cuming Smith and Co. Also 3 photo copies on A3 paper.	31 Oct 1969
31	15/1/53	"Yarraville : Mills Mud and Memories" a clipping from the Age discussing some of the early history of Yarraville's chemical and fertilizer works researched by Dr Ian Roe, Associate Professor of Chemistry at Monash University. 2 copies + 2 photographs on A3 sheets.	31 Oct 1981
31	15/1/55	"Old Fertiliser Works for Homes, Park", a clipping from the West Australian reporting on the future of a riverside Mosman Park site in Perth, used by Cuming Smith & Co and later CSMLFF Ltd to manufacture superphosphate between 1920 and 1969.	23 Nov 1987
31	15/1/56	"ICIANZ gets chemical Co Pds 7.3 million deal". Clipping from the Sun reporting sale of CF & C Ltd to ICIANZ in exchange for cash and ICI shares worth a total of 7.3 million pds	2 Jun 1961
31	15/1/57	AP Winzenried, "Britannia Creek", 'Light Railways' No 68, journal published by the Light Railway Research Society of Australia, featuring an article on CS & Co's Britannia Creek wood distillation works and sawmills. 24 pp , illustrated.	Apr 1980
31	15/1/58	JE and AP Wizenried, "Train to Warburton", APW Publications, Melbourne – booklet on the timber tramways of the Warburton area, including a brief history on tramlines operated by Cs & Co's Mississippi Sawmills (p 15) and Britannia Creek wood distillation works (p 21).	1981
31	15/1/59	File of newspaper clippings relating to business associates of MA Cuming, Included a press article on	1959 - 1985

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31	15/1/60	development of bulk wheat handling in WA from the 1930s "Scot Built an Industry on Old Bones" – historical article on CF & C Ltd published in ICIANZ Circle (p 2) at the time when ICI acquired CF & C Ltd.	20 Dec 1961
31	15/2	Relating to the Industry	
31	15/2/1	P Wagner, 'Thomas Phosphate Powder : its importance and Use as a Manure'; Trans. J Hastings Reed London. 46 pp, one sheet graphs.	1887
31	15/2/2	F B Guthrie, 'Value of Phosphate of Lime in Bone-dust', reprinted by CS & Co P/L from the Agricultural Gazette of New South Wales, 7 pp.	Apr 1897
31	15/2/3	A N Pearson, 'The Scientific Directing of a Country's Agriculture'; paper to the Australasian association for the Advancement of Science, published by the Victorian Department of Agriculture. 32 pp 2 copies.	Jan 1900
31	15/2/4	A N Pearson, Report on Field Experiments in Victoria, 1887-1900 : Manuring'; Melbourne, 124 pp. plates.	1901
31	15/2/5	F E Allan, 'Vermin Destruction'; Victorian Lands Department, 8 pp.	May 1901
31	15/2/7	Wischer & Co, Catalogue of Manures and Chemicals, illustrated, 16 pp.	1906 - 1907
31	15/2/8	H Petersen, 'The rational development of the chamber process in the manufacture of sulphuric acid', English translation of lecture to the Society of German Chemists, Danzig. 8 pp.	24 May 1907
31	15/2/9	Benker and Millberg, 'Benker's Cold Water Spray System for the Lead-Chamber Process' Paris (?) n.d. 15 pp	n.d.
31	15/2/11	Minister for Mines, WA, Geological survey, Bulletin No 74, Miscellaneous reports Series V, no's 61-70; Includes HP Woodward, ' The Phosphatic deposits of WA' pp 9-28. 110 pp plates, figures, index. Perth.	1917
31	15/2/12	James Cuming Jnr., 'Quality of Superphosphate' a defence of the industry in WA against statements made in the WA Parliament, Perth, 8 pp.	29 Aug 1919
32	15/2/14	Swan Chemical Fertiliser works, Price list 1 pp.	1919 - 1920
32	15/2/15	Twelve small leaflets and dodgers published by English chemicals and fertilizer companies, in envelope marked "Mr Filshie's papers, after trip abroad".	1920
32	15/2/16	Australian Chemical Institute, Annual Reports, 4 th and 8 th 5 volumes	1920-21, 1924-25
32	15/2/17	SCIV Proceedings XXII, Nos 8, 9 XXIII Nos 5 – 8,	Oct – Nov 1922 - Sep – Nov 1924

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32	15/2/18	XXIV Nos 6, 7, Clipping from the Countryman : Concerns the near complete Phosphate Co-op Co's works at Geelong, including an explanation of the delay since the preliminary meeting to form the company in 1919. 1 column + photo, mounted.	9 Oct 1925
32	15/2/19	HE Kiefer, 'Artificial Drying of Alfalfa and Other Crops': paper to American Society of Agricultural Engineers, 7 pp	Oct 1927
32	15/2/20	Mason Alfalfa Process Co (Philadelphia), 'Agriculture on large Tracts.' 8 pp n.d.	n.d.
32	15/2/24	Clipping from Herald, on ICIANZ's contemplated new fertilizer factory and other points from evidence given by BE Todhunter, ICI's Australian representative to a Tariff Board Enquiry on fertilisers, 15", mounted.	11 Jul 1929
32	15/2/27	H Bowker (President, The American Agricultural Chemical Co New York) 'A Survey of the farm Problem, with particular reference to Wheat production Costs'. NY 16 pp	Jul 1930
32	15/2/28	Ibid., 'A Further Survey of the Farm Problem'. NY 22 pp	Oct 1930
32	15/2/29	'Making Hay while the Sun Shines is Old-Fashioned', reprinted from Feedstuffs. 10 pp	12 Jul 1930
32	15/2/30	WE Stowe (comp.), 'Suib-Clover Lands of Western Australia'. Perth, 96 pp illustrated.	1930
32	15/2/31	The School Paper, 'Made in Australia' supplement, No 81: Reprint of No 22, Apr 1926, 4 pp.	Aug 1931
32	15/2/32	Victorian United Cow Test Association, dairy Farm Competition. 4 pp	1930
32	15/2/33	Ditto, 4 pp	1931
32	15/2/34	Victorian United Cow Test Association, report on Council Meeting, 6 pp	13 Aug 1931
32	15/2/35	Victorian United Cow Test Association Proceedings of Annual General Conference. 4pp	23 Sep 1931
32	15/2/36	Victorian United Cow Test Association	n.d.
32		Presidents report to annual general Conference. 4 pp	23 Sep 1931
32	15/2/37	Victorian United Cow Test Association Constitution as adopted . 18 pp	23 Sep 1931
32	15/2/38	Ditto as revised. 20 pp	21 Sep 1931
32	15/2/39	Ditto Circular publicizing the Association. 3 pp	9 Oct 1931
32	15/2/41	AY Montgomery, 'Plea for Investigation of our Grassland Problems'. Clipped from Live Stock Bulletin. 1 pp	1 Jan 1931
32	15/2/42	CG Baron-Hay, 'Better Dairying Competition', report on 1931/32 competition reprinted from Journal of Agriculture in Western Australia, X, pp 314-38, 5 pp	[1932]
32	15/2/43	Australian Dairy Council (WA Committee), Better dairying Competition, 1932/33. Brochure giving	[1933]

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32	15/2/49	details of competition. 4 pp Goldsborough Mort & Co Ltd, Western Australian Farm Lands; Particulars of prices of properties for sale; Perth, n.d. 104 pp + map	[1935] or later
32	15/2/55	Nitrogen Fertilisers P/L. 'I and I Super and Ammonia', Brochure giving field results and other information, n.d. Folded sheet.	[1937]
32	15/2/56	The Phosphate Co-operative Company of Australia Ltd, 'A Co-operative Company in the Fertiliser Industry' Melbourne n.d. 12 pp illustrated, glossy	1939 or 1940
32	15/2/57	An Officer of CSMLFF Ltd (VB Mursell?), 'An Address on the Subject of Pastures', Perth 7 pp	1941
32	15/2/59	Co-operative Bulk Handling Ltd. 'A Co-operative Enterprise: A Progressive History of Co-operative Bulk Handling Limited to 31 st December 1942' MS note on cover states that technical work was done by RC Sticht, lent to CBH by CSMLFF Ltd. n.d. 20 pp illustrated (2 copies)	[1943]
32	15/2/60	LJH Teakle and HE Hill, 'The Rotting of Superphosphate Bags', reprint from J of the Dept of Ag of WA, XX (2 nd Series) pp 138-41 (6 copies)	Jun 1943
32	15/2/61	Clipping from West Australian. On WA's allocation of super for the coming season; attached is a WA Government Railways poster advising farmers to book their super, requirements early for the 1945/46 season. 2 columns.	5 Oct 1945
32	15/2/63	Reprint from Queensland Country Life; On the opening of ACF and Shirley's new factory at Pinkenba, Qld. Double sided broadsheet.	31 Oct 1946
32	15/2/64	WA Report of the Royal Commission on the Development of Outports of the State. Among those that gave evidence was VB Mursell, Asst Mgr. CSMLFF Ltd. Perth. 25 pp (2 copies)	1946
32	15/2/65	Albany Advertiser, report of Albany Municipal Council Meeting at which the question of superphosphate works was discussed in relation to possible harbour developments at Albany.	11 Sep 1947
32	15/2/66	LC Snook, 'Phosphorus Deficiency in Dairy Cows' reprint from J of the Dept of Ag of WA XXVI, (2 nd Series) 11 pp (3copies)	Sep 1949
32	15/2/67	Footscray Advertiser; On WH Wischer & Co's application to erect new premises at Yarraville. (mounted)	10 Nov 1950
32	15/2/68	J of the Dept of Ag of WA, XXVIII, (2 nd Series), No 4; Contains articles on bulk handling of super and phosphorus supplements for dairy cows.	Dec 1951
32	15/2/69	ML Fitzgerald, 'The Utilisation of the Sulphur Content of the Kalgoorlie Gold Ores', mimeograph, n.d. (but	[1952]

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		MS note refers to Perth letter of 18 Feb 1952) 14 pp + 6 pp of appendices + one blueprint graph illustrating WA consumption of super. (2 copies)	
32	15/2/70	EF Smart, 'Transformation of Wastelands, Western Australia' Perth, 24 pp illustrated (2 copies) with envelopes	1952
33	15/2/73	Six Clippings from Melbourne Age: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. SM Wadham, 'The Revolution in Australia's Agriculture' (3 copies) 2. MA Cuming 'Land Transformed by Use of Superphosphate' 3. SM Wadham, 'Victoria's Agricultural Development' 4. Letter from RG Casey concerning Malden Island (mounted) 	18 Sep 1953 - 5 Jul 1957
33	15/2/77	JR Pointer, 'The Enterprises of FS Grimwade and His Sons', Address to Business Archives Council of Australia, (Victorian Branch). 16 pp (2 copies)	22 Aug 1966
33	15/2/78	Australian Fertilisers Ltd, Wheat production cost schedule for the use of farmers. Includes advertisements for super. n.d. Folded sheet.	n.d.
33	15/2/79	Australian Fertilisers Ltd, five pamphlets of the series 'It pays to fertilise'. Sydney, n.d. each of 4 pp.	n.d.
33	15/2/80	Nitrogen Fertilisers P/L, Super and Ammonia recommendations, catalogue n.d. 4 pp 1 copy.	n.d.
33	15/2/81	ACF & Shirley's Fertilisers Ltd, Catalogue of Pesticides. Brisbane n.d. Folded sheet	n.d.
33	15/2/82	ACF & Shirley's. Fertiliser Facts for Farmers. n.d. 3 pp.	[1931]
33	15/2/84	Chilean Nitrate of Soda Agricultural Service, Brochure for Chilean Granulated nitrate of soda. Sydney n.d. Folded sheet 4 copies	n.d.
33	15/2/88	D McAlpine, 'Immunity and Inheritance in Plants' reprinted from the Bulletin of the (C'wealth) Advisory Council (of Science and Industry). Govt Printer. n.d. 9 pp.	n.d.
33	15/2/89	Geo. L Sutton, 'The Alleged Deterioration of Superphosphate' Clipping from The Western Mail. Mounted	21 Mar 1919
33	15/2/90	F Chapman, 'Phosphate Rocks, Their Origin and Distribution' (Assoc. Linn. Soc., London) Xerox of article in Argus, p 13	4 Jan 1919
33	15/2/91	James Cuming, Address on the location of noxious trades in Melbourne. ts 7 pp quarto.	4 Feb 1918
33	15/2/92	Argus editorial commenting on that part of James Cuming's address to the Victorian Chamber of Manufactures (26 May 1918) which dealt with	28 May 1918

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		protection. (The address itself at 12/3/2/5)	
33	15/2/93	Booklet advertising Buntex Copper carbonate for Australian Fertilizers Ltd 8 pp n.d.	n.d.
33	15/2/94	Folding dodger: Mixed Fertiliser Recommendations issued by Nitrogen Fertilisers Pty Ltd. 2 copies n.d.	n.d.
33	15/2/95	Super and Ammonia Mixtures (Fertiliser guide chart). Folding chart n.d.	n.d.
33	15/2/96	“Balmain Chemical Works” ts copy of item from Illustrated Sydney News	23 Nov 1872
33	15/2/97	Accounts of James Cuming Jnr’s address to the SCIV and reactions to that address. Clippings from Melbourne Argus (2 clippings), Herald (leader), Age	29 Mar 1905 - 31 Mar 1905
33	15/2/98	All in envelope From the Australasian as clippings: - AN Pearson, Victorian Government Agricultural Chemist on ‘Manures and Manuring’ three articles, Nos 1, 2 & 3; - ‘A Combination Cultivator’ (no author listed) n.d. - William J Harris ‘The best farm in the World’ n.d. (Some clippings mounted)	15, 22 and 29 Jul 1893
33	15/2/99	Professor JA Prescott, ‘Soil Deficiencies’. Sixth TS Hall Memorial Lecture Reprinted from The Science Review 1938, pp 8 – 21. Note: Bennett Perry’s copy with notes on front cover.	24 Sep 1937
33	15/2/100	New Zealand items collected by TW Haynes and lent to WF Cuming; 1. The Wheatgrower, Vol No1 pp 1-36 2. Chester H Rowell, (at ?) the Kyoto Conference of the Institute of Pacific Relations – ‘International Conciliation’, No 260, pp 233-280 3. FT Leighton, ‘Importation of Fertilisers in 1929-1930’. ts extract from NZ J of Ag, with letter from forwarders AS Patterson & Co Ltd 4. ‘Horse Labour Costs’ Bulletin No12 Canterbury Ch of Commerce, Ag. Bulletin 2pp 5. Bethlehem Pulverisers, catalogue J-1 of the Bethlehem Steel Company, Pennsylvania. 32 pp	1928 – 1930
33	15/2/101	Albert Fuller Ellis (1869 – 1951), ‘My Sixty-four Year’s Contribution to the Phosphate Industry’, and a	1951

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		transcript of the Sir Albert Ellis broadcast talk in the series 'The way I Have Come'. The Institute Printing and publishing Society Ltd, Auckland, 19 pp.	
68	15/2/102	The Commonwealth Agriculturist. Volumes 1-32 leather-bound, volumes 33-36 separate, tied with string	Nov 1930 – Jun 1966
78	15/2/103	'Notes from Li Hung Chang's Memoirs', compiled by WN Hedges	n.d.
82	15/2/104	Folder of papers and publications relating to Australian meteorological information	n.d.
75	15/2/105	'The Broken Hill Proprietary Co. Ltd. Australia. 75 Years of B.H.P. Development in Industry', Hawthorn, Vic.: Herald Gravure Printers	1960
75	15/2/106	'Elements of mineralogy,' Frank Rutley, revised by H.H. Read. London: Thos. Murby and Co	1919
75	15/2/107	'The Background of economics,' Merlin H. Hunter and Gordon S. Watkins. New York: McGraw-Hill Book Company, 1923	1923
75	15/2/108	'A review of the Broken Hill Lead-Silver-Zinc Industry,' O.H. Woodward. Sydney: West Publishing Corporation, 1965	1965
75	15/2/109	'Sulphuric acid and its manufacture,' H.A. Auden. London: Longmans, Green and Co., 1930	1930
75	15/2/110	'The making, shaping and treating of steel,' J.M. Camp and C.B. Francis, fifth edition. Pittsburgh, PA.: Carnegie-Illinois Steel Corporation, 1940	1940
	15/3	GROUP 15/3	
		Relating to the Family	
33	15/3/1	Newspaper cuttings album: contains the series 'Round the World. . By a 'Footscrayan' JC Jnr on his 1883 trip. Sent these to the 'Footscray Independent'; they were published weekly. 52 articles averaging 1.5 columns each. (Two further articles and some damaged ones added August 1972)	1983 - 1884
33	15/3/4	Clipping from Footscray Weekly News; Account of Welcome Home dinner for JC	18 Nov 1905
33	15/3/5	MA Cuming (ed).James Cuming: An Autobiography; Melbourne, 98 pp Two copies. (Both copies apparently missing Nov 1988, another copy from 3 rd accession was added) (a pencilled footnote on the inventory says 'See also 15/3/5 which is a 1987 reprint of this with an introduction by J Lock')	n.d.
33	15/3/6	Herbert Brookes, to the memory of James Cuming Jnr; Address to the Victorian Chamber of Manufactures, of which JC Jnr was President at the time of his death. Melbourne, 7 pp 3 copies.	1920
33	15/3/7	JW Styles & Son, Brochure for the sale of "Huntly", Mont Albert Rd Canterbury, Vic. Residence of JC Jnr.; contains illustrations and descriptions. 4 pp	15 Dec 1920

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33	15/3/8	'Fifty Years of Football, 1883 – 1933; Incidents in the fifty years of history of the Footscray Football Club'. Published by the Advertiser; contains photo and biographical sketch of JC, who was President for 50 years. 19 pp	1933
33	15/3/9	Mounted Obituaries of Mari Anthony Cuming, clipped from the Sun, Age and Argus, Melbourne.	22 Feb 1949
71	15/3/11	Mounted obituaries and funeral notice James Cuming Jnr. n.d.	1920
33	15/3/12	Mounted clipping re demolition of "Myrus", the Cuming family home at Yarraville; from Western Suburbs Advertiser.	26 Jul 1972
33	15/3/13	Clipping – obituary of George James Cuming, 1886 – 1969, nephew of James Cuming senior, from proceedings of the Royal Australian Chemical Institute Vol 37, No 9, p 268. Also attached, note of parentage and marriages.	Sept 1969
33	15/3/14	"A Traveller's Notes". Ten articles contributed to the Footscray Independent, recording James Cuming Snr's third world trip of that year. Mounted Xerox copies with introductory note. 11 pp	4 Jul - 5 Dec 1896
33	15/3/15	Accounts of James Cuming Snr's last world trip, contributed to the Footscray Independent. Two reports by James Cuming, six by his companion, William Mitchell. Mounted Xerox copies with introductory note. 11 pp	1908
33	15/3/16	Invitation card: the Footscray Football Club's "Welcome Home" Smoke Concert rendered to the President, Mr J Cuming, and a Xerox of the 'Independent' account of same function.	14 Nov 1908
33	15/3/17	Clipping from Western Suburbs Advertiser re sale of Huntly, Willis Street, Yarraville, wrongly identified as James Cuming senior's residence. Huntly was the home of James Cuming Jnr. See also 16/3/29	6 Nov 1974
33	15/3/18	Material relating to MA Cuming, VS (1813 – 1859)	
33	15/3/18	1. CAV Barker, MA Cuming, VS (Edition.) NRCVS. A biography and the Inducement to settle in New Brunswick in 1852. Off-print from 'The Canadian Veterinary Journal, Vol 17, No 5, pp 123 – 135.	May 1976
33	15/3/18	2. Premiums awarded by The Society in 1850. I pp Xerox copy n.d. but probably from transactions of the Highland and Agricultural Society of Scotland Jul 1849 – Mar 1851, new series London 1851, p 556.	1851
33	15/3/18	3. 'On the Diseases of Calves and young Cattle' by MA Cuming, VS, Ellon, Aberdeenshire, Xerox from ibid. pp 439 – 473. two copies. n.d.	
33	15/3/18	4. 'On Puerperal and Red Water in Cows', by Mr M Cuming VS, Ellon, Aberdeenshire. Xerox from ibid.,	Jul 1851 – Mar 1853

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		new series London 1853, pp 9-36, two copies.	
33	15/3/18	5. Mr Cuming's Letter, written at St John, to which are appended copies of testimonials of 1847, 1848 and 1852. This letter was a response to a request from Robert Jardine, president of the St John agricultural Society, for some observations of the veterinary profession. Xerox from the Journal of the New Brunswick society for the Encouragement of Agriculture, Home Manufactures and Commerce, throughout the Province, Vol I, part IV, Fredericton, pp 448 - 556	24 Nov 1852
33	15/3/18	6. Circular from the Secretary of the New Brunswick Society. Abstract of proceedings at the April 1853 Quarterly Meeting, and latter from a member of the Northumberland Agricultural Society relative to the appointment of MA Cuming to select and bring stud horses to Britain Xerox from ibid., pp 457 - 476	May 1853
33	15/3/18	7. 'On Horse-Shoeing – as it is and as it ought to be' By MA Cuming VS. Xerox from ibid. Vol II, part I, pp 45 – 79. n.d.	n.d.
33	15/3/18	8. Advertisements placed by, press references to, and obituaries of MA Cuming at St John, NB. 9 pp Xerox. n.d.	n.d.
33	15/3/18	9. Xerox extract of list of veterinary surgeons who graduated from Edinburgh 18 23 – 18 66, from the 'Occasional Papers on Veterinary Subjects' by William Dick (Edinburgh)	1869
33	15/3/18	10. Do. From Register of the Members of the Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons form Jan 1791 to Oct 1866, inc. London	1869
33	15/3/18	12. Letter sent by MA Cuming to Stewart Cuming with copies of several of the above items, refers to MA Cuming receiving much of this material from the Managing Director of Scottish Agricultural Industries and Prof CAV Barker, of Canada. 2 pp ts	28 Nov 1978
76	15/3/18	13. The Cuming operating Theatre, an article on the history of the theatre published at the time it was demolished, in 'The Bulletin of the Veterinary Students Society of Victoria, No 7, p 15 1970, Faculty of Veterinary Science, University of Melbourne	1970
33	15/3/19	Obituary, James Cuming Snr. From the Argus.	19 Oct 1919
33	15/3/21	John Lack (ed) after MA Cuming, 'James Cuming, an Autobiography'. Reprint published by the City of Footscray Historical Society with an introduction by John lack of the University of Melbourne, 153 pp draft, photocopy. (Note; informative on origins of CS & Co). See also	1987

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		original publication 15/3/5. Also Paperback bound copy	
34	15/3/22	CAV Barker, MA Cuming VS, (Edition) MRCVS, - 'A Biography and the Inducement to Settle in New Brunswick in 1852' -typed draft of an article published in the Canadian Veterinary Journal (see also 15/3/18-1), 29 pp plus 5 out of 9 figs. n.d. but attached MS note by CAVB is dated 10 Apr 1975.	[1975]
34	15/3/23	Extracts from The Australian Dictionary of Biography, Vol 8 of the entries for James Cuming Snr and WM Fehon (father of James Cuming Jnr's wife Alice). 4 copies of each, also 3 drafts of the entry for James Cuming prepared by John Lack. n.d.	n.d.
34	15/3/24	Extract for 'Footscray's First Fifty Years' (see 15/4/2) on the life of James Cuming Snr. 5pp photocopied	1909
34	15/3/25	Flashback – Foundation Stone of the James Cuming Institute laid, extract from the Yarraville Club News, 5 pp 2 copies	Apr 1981
34	15/3/26	City of Footscray Historical Society News Letter, No 56, containing an article on James Cuming Jnr by Stan D'Altera, and another article on the Victoria Bone Mills, Yarraville, reprinted from the Local Industries of Williamstown, Footscray and Yarraville (see 15/4/1); with a covering note from John Lack to M Cuming	May 1984
34	15/3/27	Edward H Elwell, 'Portland and Vicinity, Illustrated', published by JA & RA Reid, Providence USA, rev ed 1881.	1881
34	15/3/28	The Camberwell Grammarian – Jubilee issue 1886 – 1936;	1936
34	15/3/29	The Auction of 'Huntly Manor' at Willis Street Yarraville:	
34	15/3/29	1. Brochure produced by the real estate agents ALF Greenwood (4 copies)	20 Aug 1981
34	15/3/29	2. Clipping from the Age with historical notes on the house which was built for James Cuming during the 1890s	12 Aug 1981
34	15/3/30	Clipping from the Age, relating to the auction of a house at 93 Stephen St, Yarraville which was built for Robert Burns Cuming 1884	30 Jul 1986
34	15/3/31	Photocopy of an article in the ICIANZ Circle, relating some of the history of 'Dee Cottage' on the former Cuming Smith & Co site at Yarraville, which was successively occupied by both James Cuming Snr and Jnr. n.d. A3 sheet, 3 copies.	[1970]
34	15/3/32	Newspaper cuttings file; clippings relating to MA Cuming's family and relatives, mainly births marriages and deaths.	[1911 – 1985]
73	15/3/33	Obituary of James Cuming Jnr	1911

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76	15/3/34	Newspaper clippings and auctioneers brochure of auction of Huntly, Yarraville	1981
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		Other Printed matter	
34	15/4/1	'Local Industries in Williamstown, Footscray and Yarraville', as published in the Williamstown and Footscray Chronicle, Williamstown. The papers also contain related ts correspondence.	1882
34	15/4/2	'Footscray's first 50 years' n.d. Published by J Jamieson, 'The Advertiser'. Front cover missing. (also second copy from 3rd accession)	[1909]
34	15/4/7	GE Clarke, 'Early History of Bunbury Bunbury. 72 pp two copies	1946
34	15/4/8	'Forging Ahead – Cities of Footscray and Braybrook' 3 copies, two to the Footscray Historical Society.	1947
34	15/4/13	Victorian Railway Commissioners, 'Our Busiest Year' Glossy pamphlet reporting on year's operations. Melbourne, 15 pp 2 copies	1949
34	15/4/14	Ditto. Operation Phoenix. Melbourne. 8 pp	1950
34	15/4/15	Ditto. Nevertheless ... Phoenix Rises Melbourne. 12 pp	1951
34	15/4/16	Victorian Government Statist, 'Victoria; Pocket Year Book 1956. Melbourne. 112 pp	1956
34	15/4/17	H Boas, Report on the Town Planning of the City of Fremantle, Western Australia. Perth. 102 pp + maps, plans, and photos.	1950
34	15/4/18	CA Vargovic, 'A Survey of Structural Changes in the Western Australian Economy: a Statistical Interpretation'. University of WA Press. 109 pp + bibliography.	1956
34	15/4/19(1)	'Footscray's First 100 Years, 1859 – 1959' Published by the Advertiser and the Footscray Council. (2 copies) One copy to Footscray Historical Society.	1959
34	15/4/19(2)	Proofs of CS entry in brown envelope 'Matter compiled by Mr AQ Sinclair in Connection (with) The Footscray Centenary Celebrations 1959'.	1959
34	15/4/22	Yarraville Citizens' Club. James Cuming Institute. Constitution(s) Rules and Trust deed of Club Premises. Yarraville. 16 pp. Date of publication?	1 Jun 1925
34	15/4/23	'A Story of Britannia Creek' Booklet issued by the Girl Guides Association of Victoria. Malvern. 28 pp	1970
34	15/4/24	H Lipson Hancock, General Manager, Wallaroo and Moonta Mining and Smelting Company Limited. 'Welfare Work in the Mining Industry' Melbourne, 32 pp Illustrated. Folding plan	1918

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35	15/4/25	Constitution Objects and Rules. The Associated Chambers of Manufactures of Australia. Melbourne 7 pp	1911
35	15/4/26	Financial Statement: Associated Chambers of Manufactures of Australia for period ending 25 May 1917. 1 pp roneoed	1917
35	15/4/28	A Look at Mineral Exploration in Australia. An address delivered by Haddon H King, Director of Exploration, Conzinc Rio Tinto of Australia Ltd to the Annual Dinner of the Council. Business Archives of Australia, (Victorian Branch). 13 pp Roneoed	27 Jun 1967
35	15/4/30	Presidential Address (Victorian Chamber of Manufactures). Delivered by Herbert Brookes. Melbourne. 25 pp	15 Jun 1914
35	15/4/31	Ditto. Melbourne 47 pp	12 Jun 1916
35	15/4/32	Ditto. Retiring Address of Mr Herbert Brookes. Melbourne n.d. 11 pp 2copies	
35	15/4/33	Dodger issued for the Noxious Trades (Mowling) ratepayer plebiscite of 1981. James Cuming's speech at the City Celebrations banquet, 23 rd April 1891, reprinted from the Advertiser, Supplement. (Original to City of Footscray Historical Society; Xerox copy substituted with Mr MA Cuming's approval)	25 Apr 1891
35	15/4/34	Report on Fremantle Harbour and Cross River Communication, by the Engineer- in-Chief. Govt Printer. 15 pp with 2 maps	Sep 1927
35	15/4/35	Report of the Royal Commission appointed to enquire into the disabilities affecting the agricultural industry in Western Australia. Govt Printer. 49 pp	31 Jul 1931
35	15/4/36	Ian Shannon, 'The Economic Functions of Gold' Melbourne 150 pp In a spirex bound cover	May 1962
78	15/4/37	'The mechanical production of gold', JA Ewing, Cambridge: University Press, 1908	1908
82	15/4/38	Folder of loose papers including information on the steel industry, a Trinity College Centenary banquet, Footscray Historical Society annual dinner, and other papers	n.d.
	15/5	Relating to Labour and Industrial Questions and post-war (World War I) problems: (collected by James Cuming Jnr)	
35	15/5/1	Clipping of article 'Redistribution (of wealth) and its Limitations" n.d. no location given, inc in 15/5/2	n.d.
35	15/5/2	Envelope of 4 press clippings on subject of war debt and taxation	1919
35	15/5/3	Envelope of clippings re labour and capital	1918-1919
35	15/5/4	Envelope of 11 clippings, newspapers and booklets	1915-1918

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35	15/5/5	relating to the Great war, identified by number. 'The Whitley Report' (on industrial matters ?), together with a letter (written in Whitehall UK) explaining the government's view of its proposals. Melbourne. 16 pp	1918
35	15/5/6	'Labour and the New Social Order', a report on reconstruction. The Labour Party, London, 18 pp	1918
35	15/5/7	Ministry of Reconstruction : Committee on Relations between Employers and Employed. – Second Report on Joint Standing Industrial Councils. London 7 pp	1918
35	15/5/8	Six pamphlets published by 'The Progressive Economic Association', Melbourne n.d. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. No1 'Dear Comrades' 2. No16 'How to pay our Debts' by Benj Hoare 3. No17 'Production and Who owns It', by Benj Hoare 4. No18 'Searching for the truth, and Finding It', by Benj Hoare 5. No26 'The Bolsheviks and the Decalogue' 6. No33 'The Iniquitous Profiteer' 	n.d.
35	15/5/9	Wm E Trantmann, 'One Great Union' (The Workers' International Industrial Union, Melbourne). n.d. 31 pp	n.d.
35	15/5/10	Mr Justice Higgins – 'A New Province for Law and Order', reprinted from The Harvard Review. Govt Printer, Melbourne 24 pp	Nov 1915
35	15/5/11	Extract from the Final report of the Committee on Commercial and Industrial Policy after the War. Govt Printer, Melbourne n.d.	n.d.
35	15/5/12	Clippings from the Argus relating the Higgins' judgments <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Leader Argus 2. Leader Argus 3. Letters to Editor, Argus 	Jul 1917
	15/6	Relating to Industrial and Social Questions. - Collected by MA Cuming	
35	15/6/1	Annual report of the Victorian Chamber of Manufactures. Melbourne. 36 pp year ending	31 Mar 1943
35	15/6/2	The Victorian Chamber of Manufactures President's Address. Melbourne 8 pp	1943
35	15/6/3	Four of a series of lectures arranged by the (Melb) University Extension Board, delivered at the university during second term 1943 under the title 'Realities of	1943 -1944

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		Reconstruction': No5 'the Problem of maintaining Full Employment' by Professor LF Giblin, 20 pp No9 'The Advance of Social Security' by Colin Clark, 24 pp No7 'Reconstruction and the Primary Industries' by Professor SM Wadham, 20 pp No 10 'Education and Reconstruction' by JDG Medley, 26 pp All published Melbourne	
35	15/6/4	Factory Planning Part I 'Some aspects Effecting Working Conditions'. Bulletin. No 8, Industrial Welfare Division, Dept of Labour and National Service. 40 pp	1945
35	15/6/5	The M & C Apprentices Magazine, Vol 29, No 115, Autumn number.	1945
35	15/6/6	Sir John Russell, 'British Agricultural Research': London. 32 pp illustrated. (An account of the first 100 Years of the Experimental Station, inspired by the centenary in June 1943)	9146
35	15/6/7	The Walter and Eliza Hall Institute of Research in Pathology and Medicine. Directors Summary of the Work of the Institute for 1945-1946. Melbourne. 16 pp	1946
35	15/6/8	Factory Planning Part II. 'The Natural Lighting of Industrial Buildings' Bulletin No 11, Industrial Welfare Division, Department of Labour and National Service. 88 pp	1948
35	15/6/9	Australian Metal Industries Association, 2 nd Annual Meeting of members, Hobart. Melbourne n.d. 58 pp	5 Mar 1946
35	15/6/10	The Victorian Chamber of Manufactures, Engineering and Allied Trades Division. Report of Executive Committee. (CN McKay, Chairman). Melbourne. n.d. 6 pp	Mar 1946
35	15/6/12	VCM Annual report for year ended Melbourne 47 pp	31 Mar 1946
35	15/6/13	VCM Annual report for year ending Melbourne 40 pp	31 mar 1948
35	15/6/14	'Socialisation in Ten Years' – the Story behind the plan which lies behind the proposed Nationalization of Banking, by MH Ellis. Sydney n.d. but after 22 Oct 1947. 17 pp	[1947]
35	15/6/15	'Democracy Might Not Survive' by Dr LR Coleman. (ts of an address delivered by a US Citizen in Australia toward the close of World War II) 5 pp 3 copies n.d.	n.d.
35	15/6/16	'Our last Chance', a publication of the Australian	n.d.

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		American Association. 16 pp n.d. No publication details	
35	15/6/17	Official Statistics, Commonwealth of Australia, Manufacturing Industries, 1944-45. No5 Chemical Fertilisers 7 pp roneoed	19 Sep 1946
35	15/6/18	Ditto 1947-48 11 pp	9 Nov 1947 (?)
35	15/6/19	Ditto 1948-49 9 pp	5 Jul 1950
35	15/6/20	Mineral Resources of Australia. summary report No 29 Phosphates Compiled may 1946 by TD Dimmick (Mineral resources Survey, Dept of Supply and Shipping) 30 pp roneoed	12 Aug 1946
35	15/6/21	Ditto. No 31 Sulphur Compiled June 1946 by TD Dimmick 31 pp roneoed	12 Aug 1946
35	15/6/22	Graphs of Primary Products and Interest Rates, Victoria 1929-30 to 1953-54 Melbourne. n.d. 24 pp	[1955]
78	15/6/23	"The Housing Crisis in Australia" Victorian Fabians pamphlet no 4	1958
	16	GROUP 16 Miscellaneous	
	16/1	Historical Accounts and References	
37	16/1/4	Anon. Notes of transactions concerning a lease, (land occupied by Johnson's Tyne Foundry) 2 pp	1863 - 1943
37	16/1/6	Edward Campbell Snr, 'History of CS & Co P/L, and notes referring to Colonial Sugar refining Co Ltd. 5 pp ts	20 Apr 1931
37	16/1/7	CS & Co P/L, "Record of Achievement". 24 pp ts and carbon copy of pp 1 - 23	28 Sep 1945
37	16/1/8	WJA Jones, Acting Sec. CS & Co P/L, Includes list of Directors n.d. MS 3 - 33	n.d.
37	16/1/9	WJA Jones, n.d. 38 pp MS	1898 - 1944
37	16/1/10	E Meuleman, History of chemical industry in Yarraville since 1872. Attached are letters to and from MA Cuming. 20 pp ts	17 Apr and 20 Oct 1947
37	16/1/11	WJA Jones – WG Parr, notes on the latter years of JC, on WM Fehon, and other members of CS & Co. n.d. 29 pp MS	n.d.
37	16/1/12	Mr Nicholas and Mr TC Pellow, note of family tree. 1 pp MS	
37	16/1/13	CF & C Ltd, 1929 – 1945. pp 1 – 5 ts (original and carbon).	1929-1945
37	16/1/15	Anon. CS & Co's Chemical Works, Yarraville. pp 1 – 3 ts	n.d.
37	16/1/16	Anon. Victoria Bone Mills, Yarraville. pp 1 – 3 ts	n.d.

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37	16/1/17	Anon. Wischer & Co P/L, 1895 – 1929 pp 1 – 2 ts	1895-1929
37	16/1/18	Mr Nicholas, Notes (draft) from Samnds and MacDougall's Directories, 1860 – 1906 (inclusive), referring to the occupants in each year of the site known since 1889 as 65 William Street. Notes include comments and other pieces of information inserted by Mr Nicholas. 8 pp MS. Compiled 1967 ?	[1967]
37	16/1/19	Anon. Note on Mt Lyell. n.d. Note on back of a circular	n.d.
37	16/1/20	Anon. Cuming, Smith & Co partnership; breakdown of shareholdings and changes 1 –2 1877 until 1-2-1898	n.d.
37	16/1/23	Notes on shares, shareholdings, capital of CS & Co Pty Ltd. 12 pp in hand of AJ (Jones).	n.d.
37	16/1/24	Clipping, the West Australian, 17 Dec 1966. History of slab hut in grounds of Bunbury fertiliser plant	17 Dec 1966
37	16/1/26	Note on Wood Distillation Works, Britannia Creek, nr Yarra Junction, 1 pp ts	2 Aug 1944
39	16/1/28	Xerox of item: 'At the Centennial Exhibition', Independent, (Footscray) 13 October 1888. Gives history of manufacture of Sulphuric acid in Melbourne and of Cuming Smith & Co	13 Oct 1888
37	16/1/29	Clipping (mounted): Obituary Notice of Charles Campbell. Age, (and notes on Argus obituary)	14 Sep 1905
37	16/1/30	Extracts from minute books of Cuming Smith & Co Ltd, 17 Jun 1897 – 12 Sep 1928; compiled by MA Cuming. ts (original copy with a memo from MA Cuming to CS & Co directors attached, also 4 other photocopies of the extracts)	Nov 1976
37	16/1/31	Notes on the history of CS & Co 1872 – 1936. 6 pp MS (probably compiled by MA Cuming)	1872-1836
37	16/1/31A	Notes on the history of CS & Co 1872 – 1936. Duplicate of parts of 16/1/31 on four small cards	1872-1936
37	16/1/32	MA Cuming, Biographical File, containing : <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. BHP Journal, Winter 1970, profile on MA Cuming pp 22, 23; description of MAC's career up to the time of his retirement from the BHP board of directors. 2. Chairman's address transcript for BHP Co Ltd General Meeting on 8 Sep 1971 – reference to MAC's retirement on p 8. 3. BHP Co Ltd Half-yearly Report. Feb 1972 ; reference to MAC's retirement p 15. 4. Short description of MAC's career extracted from 16/1/32 (1) by MAC for CSBP and Farmers Ltd journal 'Our land'. With covering letter to A McA Batty, CSBP and Farmers' Managing Director. 5. CSBP 'Our Land', Jan 1972, "Mr MA 	Dec 1971 - 29 Mar 1979

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		Cuming Retires". Description of MAC's career up to the time of his retirement as CSBP's Chairman.	
		6. Draft of above article, with accompanying letter from CSBP and Farmers 3 pp ts	
		7. Notes on his career, prepared for Mr Thomas by MA Cuming, 12 pp ts (also 8 pp draft of same showing connections)	
	16/2	Extracts	
37	16/2/1	Extract from 'Local Industries in Williamstown, Footscray and Yarraville' 7 pp ts (4 copies)	1882
37	16/2/2	From Journal issued by CS & Co P/L 8 pp ts	1 Sep 1905
37	16/2/3	From CS & Co P/L Catalogue . . for 1906/07 season. 3 pp ts	1906-1907
37	16/2/6	Extract from the Fertiliser Industry in review. 2 pp ts	1929
37	16/2/7	Extract from Atlanta, US newspaper, relating to WF Cuming's visit. n.d. 3 pp ts	n.d.
	16/4	Other Miscellaneous Material	
37	16/4/1	Humorous pieces, such as 'the Chemical Composition of an ordinary live Boss; and a 10-verse ballad by WJ Symington entitled 'The raid on the Proprietary Mine, by the Rabble from the Trades hall, Broken hill on 9 th January 1909' 6 pp ts	1909
37	16/4/2	Account of CS & Co social evening to mark the opening of new offices at 65 William St; includes statement of receipts and expenditure. 5 pp ts	16 Jan 1926
37	16/4/3	Victoria, dept of Agriculture, News Bulletin No 81; refers to increased Government grant to the University Veterinary Research Institute and Milk Laboratory. 1 pp roneoed	18 Dec 1945
37	16/4/4	International Bureau of Economic and Commercial Research, Australian Bulletin, 'Some Causes of the Present Depression'. 8 pp roneoed	Jul 1930
37	16/4/6	Verse; 'Scottish Greeting'. ts 1 pp	n.d.
37	16/4/7	Cutting from Sydney Stock and Station Journal. 'A Glass-Rope Sponge'. (the Mr WMF mentioned is undoubtedly William Meek Fehon)	19 Jul 1907
37	16/4/8	Lists of 'Historical references'. 3 pp	n.d.
37	16/4/9	'List of Samples of various fertilisers in a box in the big garage', 1 pp ts	Oct 1945
37	16/4/10	Menu and toast list: Dinner given by the President, Mr J Cuming to celebrate the Opening of the Chamber of Manufactures' new premises. 4 pp	27 Mar 1919
37	16/4/11	Agenda for meeting of directors to be held: 1 pp ts	8 Dec 1948
37	16/4/12	Menu for Banquet – Official Proclamation of Footscray as a City (2 copies)	23 Apr 1891
37	16/4/13	Menu for Employees' Picnic: Messrs Cuming, Smith and Co Limited, Bacchus Marsh. With Xerox copy of	Nov 1908

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37	16/4/14	'Independent' account of same function Card: toast list. President James Cuming's complimentary dinner to the Footscray Football Club VFA Premiers 1898 – 1899,	18 Oct 1899
37	16/4/15	Menu and toast list: Dejeuner to celebrate the visit of the Governor to Footscray.	8 Aug 1890
37	16/4/16	Income Tax Act 1895 (No 1374). General instructions. (note, this was contained in 12/6/1(5))	n.d.
37	16/4/17	Australian Club Menu, including watercolour of the Mount Lyell Works, signed by the MLMR Co board. Found with 12/6/4(1)	13 Mar 1935
	16/5	Correspondence: Researchers' requests to Cuming Smith for Information	
38	16/5/1	For information on the light railway line previously owned by the company in the Yarra Junction area. Request and reply.	Oct 1960
38	16/5/3	For 'information regarding this company's timber interests in the Warburton district'. Reply and acknowledgement.	Sept 1962
38	16/5/4	For information on "Sickleholm" Queen Street Altona. Request and reply.	Jul 1963
38	16/5/5	For information on the wood distillation works near Britannia Creek. Request and reply.	Feb 1966
38	16/5/6	For information on the wood distillation works at Yarra Junction. Request and reply with enclosures.	Sep 1966
38	16/5/7	For information concerning the 'decision to change (Cuming Smith) from a manufacturer to an investor. Request, reply and acknowledgement.	Oct- Nov 1966
38	16/5/8	For information on the supply of phosphates to Tasmania. Request and reply.	May 1967
38	16/5/9	For information on old employees at Britannia Creek. Request and reply.	Oct 1967
38	16/5/10	Note concerning Mr VAC Barker, (Ontario Veterinary College) to the office and correspondence with Mr MA Cuming	n.d.
38	16/5/11	Note concerning the national Trust's Mr Robert Richards' appointment to see MA Cuming re CS at Britannia Creek. Attached to a map of the Upper Yarra Hill Country.	n.d.
38	16/5/12	Mr W Bell, deputy manager, Alfred Hospital, for information on Dr James Cuming Stewart (grandson of James Cuming senior) for a volume on the 'Lives of the Fellows of the RCS of England; request (from Sir Cecil Wakeley, President of the RCS of England), reply and biographical notes prepared by MA Cuming,	Feb - Apr 1975
38	16/5/13	Mr R Bradbury, Berwick; for information HA Munro who possibly worked on James Cuming's Gippsland properties c 1900. Request and reply.	Jan 1977

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38	16/5/14	Mr WT Ryan, Assist. Historian, Ballarat School of Mines, for biographical information on WB Hirt, who worked as a chemist for Cuming Smith & Co at Yarra Junction and Yarraville from 1908 to 1946. Request and reply.	Apr - May 1979
38	16/5/15	Mr G Mitchell, University of Wollongong; for interview with MA Cuming to discuss his recollections relating to the industries of BHP and Australian Fertilisers. Requests and replies (incl. a letter referring to an early photo of the Port Kembla fertiliser works c. 1921)	Jan – Mar 1977
38	16/5/16	John Lack, University of Melbourne; personal notes referring to John Lack’s research work for his doctorate thesis on the history of Footscray, and a biographical article on James Cuming Snr and Jnr, written for the Australian Dictionary of Biography.	1977 - 1979
38	16/5/17	Arthur Winzenried, request for MA Cuming to read and comment on the draft for an article on the Britannia Creek wood distillation works, with reply from MAC incl. extensive comments on various sections of the text and a plan of the works to be published with the article.	Mar 1983
38	16/5/18	Dr Ian Roe, Monash University; correspondence with MA Cuming seeking information on Cuming Smith & Co’s Yarraville and Yarra Junction operations for Dr Roe’s research into the history of the chemical industry in Australia. 7 letters and 4 replies.	8 Sep 1982 – 24 Sep 1985
17		Group 17. Papers relating to the 1977–79 takeover offers	
17/1		Visidex binder entitled: ”Cuming Smith & Co – Takeover offers correspondence”	
38	17/1/1	Industrial Equity Limited. Letters and statements relating to Industrial Equity Limited’s Nov 1977 takeover offer for all CS & Co’s shares through the subsidiary CS Holdings Ltd, including:	16 Sep 1977 – 17 Jan 1978
	17/1/1/1	1. Copies of a part A statement issued by CS Holdings Ltd to CS & Co shareholders in compliance with section 180 of the Companies Act (1961)	
	17/1/1/2	2. Copies of a part B statement issued by CS & Co directors to shareholders in response to CS Holding’s takeover offer	
	17/1/1/3	3. List of all SC & Co shares in which CS Holdings had a controlling interest on 14 Nov 1977	
	17/1/1/4	4. Photocopies of newspaper clippings sent to CS & Co by Ron Brieley relating to EIL’s \$13 M Nov 1977 takeover offer for the NZ pharmaceutical and	

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		fertiliser company, Kempthorne Prosser Ltd 1 cm	
	17/2	Visidex Binder entitled, “Cuming Smith & Co Ltd – takeover offer”	
38	17/2/1	Board Matters and Memos to Directors. Letters and memos sent between directors of CS & Co relating to board meetings, takeover offers & discussions on the sale of the company’s CSBP & Farmers shares. 2 cm, mainly ts	18 Mar 1977 – 28 Sep 1979
38	17/2/2	Statements to Stock Exchange and Shareholders. Includes profit and dividend announcements to Stock Exchange for the six months ending 30/6/1978 and for the year ending 31/12/1977 and circulars to shareholders with advice on various takeover offers	26 May 1977 – 16 Sept 1979
39	17/2/3	Coopers and Lybrand – CSBP Valuations. Letters and notes relating to the valuation of CS & Co’s one-third interest in CSBP & Farmers Ltd, including a <u>report</u> on CSBP & Farmers Ltd by chartered accountants Coopers and Lybrand. 0.5 cm ts & photo copies	Nov 1877 – 23 Dec 1977
39	17/2/4	Coopers and Lybrand – Income tax. Letters, memos and notes providing advice on the tax liability of shareholders if CS & Co were to distribute its ICI shares to shareholders and make a corresponding reduction in capital; including a <u>letter</u> from Coopers and Lybrand to the Commissioner of taxation seeking advice on the matter and the Commissioner’s <u>reply</u>	3 Nov 1977 – 27 Jan 1978
39	17/2/5	Hedderwick, Fookes and Alston. Correspondence between CS & Co and their solicitors, Hedderwick, Fookes sand Alston regarding advice on various legal matters such as the proposed reduction of capital and the 1878 Supreme Court case against Westralian Farmers Co-op Ltd; 3 cm, ts and photocopies, including :- <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Notes on the legality of Westralian Farmers Co-op. activities and the Trade Practices Act (undated and unsigned) 2. Letter from the Farmers Union to the WA Minister for Agriculture requesting an inquiry into the affairs of Westralian farmers Superphosphates Ltd and its decision to sell its one-third interest in CSBP & Farmers to the Westralian Farmers Co-op Ltd 3. Statement listing points of claim of applicant CS & Co in court action against Westralian Farmers Co-op. Ltd and subsidiaries 4. Affidavit of documents presented by applicant CS & Co in court case against Westralian 	17 Mar 1977 – 13 Apr 1978

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41	17/3 17/3/1	<p>Cuming Smith and Co – Internal Business papers. Minutes of Directors' Board Meetings. Generally includes agenda and minutes for each board meeting, plus financial statements, lists of cheques drawn, shares transferred and donations made to public institutions. photocopies with some annotations by MA Cuming. In Visidex File with date tabs Included are copies of the following items brought before the board at meetings held on :-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 23 Oct 1979 – CS & Co Part B issued in accordance with section 180 G of the Companies Act in response to the takeover offer from Westfarmers Fertilisers Pty Ltd (A subsidiary of Westfarmer Co-op. Ltd). 2. 26 Sep 1979 – minutes of the 82nd annual general meeting of shareholders (see also 17/3/2) 3. 23 May 1979 – Directors report for the 12 months ending 31 Dec 1978 (see also 17/3/2) 4. 26 July 1978 – Schedule of investments held by CS & Co on 22 June 1978 5. 29 Apr 1978 – proofs of directors' report for the 12 months ending 31 Dec. 1977 (see also 17/3/2) 6. 25 Jan 1978 – draft of directors' report for the 12 months ending 31 Dec 1977 (see also 17/3/2) - schedule of investments held by CS & Co 31 Dec 1977 7. 1 Dec 1977 – CS & Co Part B statement issued in accordance with section 180 G of the Companies Act in response to the takeover offer from CS Holdings Pty Ltd (a subsidiary of Industrial Equity Ltd) 8. 19 Sep 1977 – list of 20 largest shareholders in CS & Co at 10 Sep 1977 9. 27 Jul 1977 – list of largest shareholders in CS & Co at 5 Jul 1977, - Minutes of extraordinary general meeting of shareholders held on 27 Jun 1977 (see also 17/3/2) 10. 25 May 1977 – Minutes of the Annual General Meeting of Shareholders held on 23 Mar 1977. (see also 17/3/2) - Notes by MA Cuming on a bonus issue of shares made by CSBP & Farmers Ltd 27 Mar 1977 11. 23 Mar 1977 – list of 20 largest shareholders in CS & Co at 5 Feb 1976, 31 Dec 1976 and 25 	26 Jan 1977 – 21 Feb 1980
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		Feb 1976.	
		12. 26 Jan 1977 – draft of the directors ‘ report for the 12 months ending 31 Dec 1976 (see also 17/3/2)	
42	17/3/2	Annual General Meetings of Shareholders. Includes copies of the annual Directors’ Report & Financial Statement to shareholders; also includes the Chairman’s address to shareholders at the annual general meetings; also includes a copy of a <u>report</u> on Cuming Smith & Co Ltd by the Stock Exchange Research Service (of Sydney) and meetings held 22 mar 1972 and 23 may 1979. 1 cm ts, in Visidex binder labelled “Cuming Smith & Co – Annual General Meetings”	6 Jun 1978
42	17/3/3	Profit and Dividend Lists (in same binder as 17/3/2) 1. List of profit, dividend rate, and total dividend payout by Cuming Smith & Co Ltd for each 12 months 1906 to 1976; 3 pp ts 2. List of number of shares held in CSBP & Farmers ltd and total dividends received from same by CS & Co for each 12 months 1962 – 1977. 1 pp ts 3 copies 3. List of number of shares held in ICI, market value of ICI shares and total dividends received from same by CS & Co for each 12 months 1962 – 1976. 2 pp ts (2 copies of p 1)	1906 - 1976
42	17/3/4	Cuming Smith & Co Shareholder Lists 1. List of CS & Co shareholders with 10,000 or more shares at 1 Dec 1977. 9 pp ts photocopied 2. List of 20 largest CS & Co shareholders and distribution of all shareholdings in CS & Co at 25 Feb 1977. 4 pp ts annotated 3. List of 20 largest shareholders at 5 Feb 1976 and 31 Dec 1976 1pp ts 4. List of 20 largest shareholders in CS & Co (run No 69 undated) 3 pp computer printout 5. List of 30 largest shareholders in CS & Co (run No 110 undated) 3 pp computer printout	1977
42	17/3/5	Cuming Smith & Co Balance Sheets 1. Balance sheet and profit and loss statement for 12 months ending 31 Dec 1979 8 pp ts photocopied 2. Balance Sheet, notes to accounts, market value of investments and profit and loss statement for 6 months to 30 Jun 1979. 5 pp ts photocopied 3. Balance Sheet, notes to accounts and profit	1978-1979

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		and loss statement for 6 months ending 30 Jun 1978. 6 pp ts photocopied 2 copies (one with MS note).	
42	17/3/6	<p>Cuming Smith & Co Investment Schedules :- (first 8 all 1 pp ts photocopied tsp)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Schedule of CS & Co's invested funds at 31 Mar 1980. with accountants' accreditations. 2. . do . at 19 Feb 1980, 1 pp ts 3. . do. Current at 7 Jan 1980 4. . do . at 14 Dec 1979 5. . do . at 11 Dec 1979 6. 29 Nov 1979 7. 13 Nov 1979 8. 2 Nov 1979 9. List of short term investments and promissory notes held by CS & Co 19 Sep 1979, with covering letter from Arthur Young & Co Chartered Accountants. 3 pp tsp 10. Schedule of CS & Co's current investments at 3 Nov 1978, 1 pp tsp 11. . list . 30 Jun 1978, 1 pp tsp 12. . schedule . 2 Jun 1978, 2 pp tsp 13. Investment Portfolio Review Report produced for CS & Co by McIntosh Griffin, Hamson & Co, Sept 1978, 17 pp + 4 appendices. Ts and 5 pp computer printout, bound in plastic spirex binder 14. Copy of <u>telex</u> from McIntosh, Griffin, Hanson & Co advising CS & Co to sell their large shareholding in public companies; with covering notes from CW Bayly, Chairman, and RJ Francis, Secretary 3 pp tsp 15. Copy of <u>telex</u> from McIntosh Griffen, Hamson & Co detailing conditions of proposal to sell all CS & Co's 5,000,000 ICI shares, and copies of <u>telex</u> from same notifying CS & Co of completion of the sale of its ICI shares, with covering note from RJ Francis. 5 pp tsp 16. Memo from RJ Francis to directors regarding the application of sale proceeds from the ICI shares. 1 pp ts 	1978-179
42	17/3/7	<p>Cuming Smith & Co Takeover Offer Statements.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Statement issued by CS Holdings (a subsidiary of Industrial Equity Ltd) in compliance with section 180C & part A of the 10th schedule of the Companies Act 1961 (of Victoria), detailing its takeover offer for all the issued capital in Cuming Smith & Co Ltd. 7 pp ts printed and bound, also copy 10 pp tsp 	14 Dec 1977 - Dec 1978

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		2. Draft statement by an un-named subsidiary of Westfarmers Co-op. Ltd in compliance with section 180C and part A of the 10 th schedule of the Companies Act 1961 (of Victoria), detailing a proposed takeover offer for Cuming Smith & Co Ltd. (undated, received by MA Cuming 4 Feb 1978). 18 pp ts	
		3 Draft statement by WFS Holdings Pty Ltd (A subsidiary of Westfarmers Co-op. Ltd) in compliance with Section 180 C and part A of the tenth schedule of the Companies Act 1961 – 1975 (of Western Australia), detailing its offer to acquire all ordinary and preference shares in Westralian Farmers Superphosphates Ltd 37 pp tsp, inc. 4 appendices, 2 copies, one annotated	
42	17/3/7	4 Statement by Westfarmers Fertilisers Pty Ltd (a subsidiary of Westralian Farmers Co-op. Ltd) in compliance with Section 180 C and Part A of the tenth schedule of the Companies Act (of Victoria) detailing its offer to acquire all issued shares in Cuming Smith & Co Ltd. 25 pp tsp inc. 2 appendices	16 Oct 1978
42	17/3/7	5. Copy of Resolution and statement pursuant to section 180 C (?G) (3) (b) of the Companies Act 1961 issued by Cuming Smith & Co directors plus relevant extracts from the minutes of the meeting of CS & Co directors held on 23 Oct 1979. 4 pp tsp.	23 Oct 1979
42	17/3/7	6. Statement by Cuming Smith & Co Ltd issued in compliance with section 180 G and Part B of the tenth schedule of the Companies Act 1961 (of Victoria) in response to Westfarmers Fertilisers Ltd's Part A statement (see 17/3/7 above), 10 pp tsp, 2 copies, one with annotation by MA Cuming	23 Oct 1979
	17/4	Legal Documents Includes legal documents issued in relation to the 1978 Supreme Court Hearing in which Cuming Smith & Co Ltd alleged the Westralian farmers Co-op. Ltd (Westfarmers) and its subsidiaries breached the Companies Act 1961 (of Victoria) in the way in which it acquired shares in CS & Co between 19 Dec 1977 and 8 Jan 1978; and legal documents related to the Trade Practices Commission hearings on Westfarmers application to approve its acquisition of a controlling interest in CSBP & Farmers Ltd	
42	17/4/1	Draft Supreme Court documents : 1 Draft list of orders and directions for the CS & Co vs. Westfarmers case. 2 pp tsp	19 Jan 1978
42	17/4/1	2 Draft of a sworn statement to court by Peter Charles Joseph, financial consultant. 2 pp tsp	23 Jan 1978
42	17/4/1	3 Draft of a sworn statement to court by an	23 Jan 1978

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		unnamed partner of JB Were & Sons, stock brokers, 3pp tsp	
42	17/4/2	Points of Claim of Applicant; statement issued in relation to CS & Co vs. Westfarmers Supreme Court Case 14 pp tsp	14 Feb 1978
42	17/4/3	Affidavit of Documents 1. List of documents presented to the Supreme Court in relation to the CS & Co vs. Westfarmers case, signed by RJ Francis, Secretary for CS & Co, 7 pp tsp with covering notes by WJ Forrest of Hedderwick Fookes & Alston	13 Apr 1978
42	17/4/3	2. Documents presented to Mallesons for the respondents, Westfarmers Co-op Ltd; includes memos and Letters sent by JB Were & Sons (CS & Co's brokers), extracts from CS & Co board minutes 19 Sep 1977 – 9 Mar 1978, documents listing CS & Co's share transfers between 4 Jan and 6 Jan 1978, and other miscellaneous documents (see pp 9 – 11 for complete listing), 51 documents, 77 pp tsp, also extracts from MA Cuming's notes 26 May 1977 – 21 Feb 1978. 7 pp tsp and 56 pp MSp	1977-1978
42	17/4/3	3 Privileged documents presented to the court but not made available to Meelesons or their client Westfarmers Co-op. Ltd; includes mainly confidential memos from JB Were & Sons to CS & Co (see p 11 for complete listing – note item 64, addition (?) extracts from MA Cuming's diary notes is missing) 12 documents, 15 pp tsp. n.d.	n.d.
42	17/4/4	Draft of affidavit to be signed by MA Cuming setting out a list of dates and corresponding events relating to the CS & Co vs. Westfarmers case. 3 pp MS draft + 2 pp ts, copies with annotations n.d.	n.d.
42	17/4/5	Trade Practices Commission Determination. Report of the Trade Practices Commission approving the application of Westralian farmers Co-op Ltd to acquire all shares in CSBP & Farmers Ltd. 8 pp tsp (with covering letter)	22 Oct 1978
42	17/4/6	Statement by British Petroleum Co. of Australia Ltd. Document presented in response to a request by the Trade Practices Commission for BP to state its contentions in relation to the offer by Westfarmers to acquire all CSPB & Farmers shares. 9 pp tsp	18 Jan 1979
43	17/4/7	Trade Practices Commission Review. Report of the findings of a review of the Trade Practices Commission hearing of 20 Oct 1978 on the Westfarmers takeover of CSBP & Farmers Ltd. 154 pp tsp (including 3 appendices and 1 pp of	8 May 1979

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	17/5	amendments). 2 copies Miscellaneous records Relating to the Takeover Period	
43	'17/5/1	Newspaper Clippings. File of newspaper clippings , mainly from Melb. And Perth newspapers, covering the takeover bids for CS & Co by IEL (through CS Holdings Ltd), Howard Smith Ltd and Westralian Farmers Co-op. Ltd, and the takeover bid for CSBP & Farmers Ltd by Westralian Farmers Co-op. Ltd. 1. 24 Sep 1977 – 12 Jan 1978 2. 21 Jan 1978 – 12 Jun 1980 3. 8 Jun 1978 – 3 Mar 1980	24 Sep 1977 – 3 Mar 1980
43	17/5/2	File of spare copies of CS & Co correspondence contained in sections 17/1, 17/2 and 17/3. 1. 25 Sep 1977 – 1 Dec 1977 2. 5 Dec 1977 – 28 Feb 1978	25 Sep 1977 - 28 Feb 1978
		Group 18 Business papers of MA Cuming, CS & Co Chairman 1945 - 1979	
	18/1	Appointment Books of MA Cuming	
44	18/1/1	Appointments diary. Spirex note book	1 Jan 1967 – 31 Dec 1969
44	18/1/2	Ditto (with lists of MA Cuming's 1973 board meeting dates inside cover)	
44	18/1/3	Ditto (with lists of MA Cuming's 1974, 75, 76 board meeting dates attached inside cover)	1 Jan 1974 – 31 Dec 1977
44	18/1/4	MA Cuming's pocket appointment diaries. One or two years missing.	1964 - 1983
	18/2	Diary note of MA Cuming 18/2/1 – 22 second accession. The amount of detail that MAC included in these notes varies considerably, in general however, the notes become more extensive in latter years. Typical entries describe not only MAC's activities during the day, but also the main points discussed in important phone calls and meetings, MAC's subsequent actions, and occasionally, jottings on ideas for solving particular problems. Some reference to personal and family activities are also included but these are generally quite brief. (For diary notes made during MAC's overseas trips see sub-group 18/3)	
44	18/2/1	Diary note book. (Entries for select days only) c. 50 pp ts, bound in Simplex File patent flat file. Also unbound (material) at back of file- letter from Bill and Vi. ? Durham, 16 Sep 1934; Notes on super conditions and Chemical Institute talk, July 1935 and diary notes (mainly regarding telephone conversations	28 Jun 1933 – 14 Jul 1936

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		and meetings), covering parts of the period 7 Feb 1936 – 14 July 1936. ca. 20 pp ts.	
44	18/2/2	Diary Note Book. Ca. 200 pp ts. Grey cardboard binder with cloth spine.	23 Jun 1938 – 29 Jun 1940
44	18/2/3	Ditto. ca. 200 pp ts	1 Jul 1940 – 30 Jun 1941
44	18/2/4	Ditto. ca. 400 pp ts.	1 Jul 1941 – 23 Aug 1943
45	18/2/5	Index to Diary Notes same binding as notes.	23 Jun 1938 – 18 Aug 1943
45	18/2/6	Diary Note Book Ca. 110 pp double-sided ts. Also contains report on visits to some farms in NE Victoria by HR Alexander for week ending 11 Nov 1944 4 pp ts Sands and MacDougall 'Deluxe' black 2-ring quarto binder.	18 Aug 1943 – 29 Dec 1944
45	18/2/7	Ditto. ca. 60 pp double-sided ts. Also contains reports in visits to some farms and research stations in South Australia and Western Victoria, by HR Alexander for the weeks ending 8 & 15 Sep 1945, and by JJ Pascoe for fortnight ending 15 Sep 1945, 9 pp ts, brown 2-ring quarto binder	
45	18/2/8	Ditto. ca. 45 pp double-sided ts. Also includes reports on a visit to Gippsland farms and agents by JJ Padscoe, 7 Sep 1946 and report on farm visits in NSW by HR Alexander for the week ending 16 Nov 1946. Brown 2-ring quarto binder.	7 Jan 1946 – 30 Dec 1947
45	18/2/9	Ditto. ca. 100 pp double-sided ts. Also includes notes on discussions regarding Superphosphate Industry Committee conference, 7 Sep 1948 & Works Memo No 3004 regarding visit of Mr S Irvin Cookes and Mr Cookes Jnr of the NZ Farmers Fertiliser Co.	2 Jan 1948 – 29 Jun 1950
45	18/1/10	Diary Index. Ca. 100 pp double-sided ts 'Owl Simplex' flat binder with cloth spine	Aug 1943 – Dec 1949
46	18/2/11	Diary Note Book. Ca. 100 pp double- sided ts. Also includes letter from MAC to Sir Alex Stewart regarding the sale of rights held by CF & C (?) and BHP for an ICIANZ share issue 30 Jun 1952 2 pp ts.	30 Jun 1950 – 30 Jun 1952
46	18/2/12	Ditto. ca. 85 pp double-sided ts. Also includes notes on estimated overdrafts required by CF & C to 30 Jun 1956. & 1952 / 53 cash forecast prepared for Mr Wiltshire, Jul 1952 3 pp ts, and Notes on Meeting of Sulphuric Acid Manufacturers with Cabinet Subcommittee, Canberra 13 Aug 1953, 4pp ts	1 Jul 1952 – 31 Dec 1953
46	18/2/13	Diary Notes. ca. 80 pp double-sided ts. Plain cardboard binder with cloth spine.	Jan 1950 – Dec 1953
46	18/2/14	Diary Note Book Ca. 80 pp double-sided ts. Also contains notes on	2 Jan 1954 – 29 Dec 1955

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		'Pasture Development on Lateritic Soils', NS Tiver, Aug 1954 and notes on 'CS & Co capital issue and necessary operation with regard to CF & C Ltd', MAC 9 Nov 1965	
46	18/2/15	Ditto. ca 65 pp double-sided (d-s) ts. Also includes memo on 'Rice in the Northern Territory' PW Murray Jenkins -12 Oct 1956 2 pp ts	2 Jan 1956 – 31 Dec 1957
46	18/2/16	Ditto. ca. 40 pp d-s ts + 14 pp MS Also includes two B & W photos of model for design of King St Bridge	25 Dec 1957 – 31 Dec 1958
46	18/2/17	Diary Index. Ca. 100 pp d-s ts Plain cardboard binder with cloth spine	Jan 1954 – Dec 1958
46	18/2/18	Diary Note Book. ca. 65 pp d-s ts. Also includes report & balance sheet of Victorian Producers Co-op Co Ltd for year ending 30 Jun 1958	1 Jan 1959 – 31 Dec 1959
47	18/2/19	Ditto. ca 50 pp d-s ts	1 Jan 1960 - 30 Dec 1960
47	18/2/20	Ditto ca. 90 pp d-s ts + 5 pp MS (notes only about 5 or 6 entries occur (?) between 10 Jan and 30 Nov 1964 whilst outside this period entries are generally daily as in other diaries)	3 Jan 1961 – 5 Jan 1965
47	18/2/21	Ditto. ca. 30 pp d-s ts	4 Jan 1965 – 30 Sep 1965
47	18/2/22	Diary Index. Ca. 75 pp d-s ts	Jan 1959 – Jan 1963
47	18/2/23	Diary note Book. With loose notes attached to some pages	13 Oct. 1965 – 10 Aug 1967
47	18/2/24	Ditto. with some loose notes.	4 Sep 1967 – 18 May 1970
47	18/2/25	Ditto. with some loose notes	26 May 1970 – 26 Sep 1977
47	18/2/26	Ditto. with some loose notes	26 Sep 1977 – 3 Feb 1978
47	18/2/27	Diary Note Book. Incomplete, with some loose notes (see 18/2/28 for later notes)	4 Feb 1978 – 5 Jan 1979
47	18/2/28	Desk Note Book. Covers last few years of CS & Co's operations from first moves to sell the CSBP & Farmers shareholding and subsequent takeover bids for CS & Co and MA Cuming's retirement as a director in Feb 1980	26 Sep 1977 – 5 Feb 1980
47	18/2/29	Miscellaneous notes. loose ts and MS notes by MA Cuming and extracts from his diary books. (taken from leather binder embossed MA Cuming)	26 May 1977 – 23 Aug 1978
	18/3	Notes on MA Cuming's overseas trips	
48	18/3/1	New Zealand Trip. An extensive business trip through New Zealand accompanied by his wife Wilma. Itinerary included	19 Feb – 3 May 1947

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visits to fertiliser works at Burnside (Kempthorne Prosser & Co), Ravensbourne (Dominion Fertiliser Co Ltd), Auckland (Challenge Phosphate Co) and the New Zealand Soluble Slags Co's works at Huntly, as well as visits to the Massey Agricultural College, Palmerston North, the Lincoln Agricultural College, Christchurch, several government research stations and a number of farms in the Taranaki district of the North island and the Ashburton, Geraldine, Balclutha, Wanaka and Invercargill districts of the South Island. The file includes detailed information on these visits, including the general itinerary, outline of MAC's activities in NZ 19 Feb- 3 May, notes on the NZ industry and notes on experimental and research stations

48	18/3/2	Overseas Trip	16 Jun 1949 – 7 Jan 1950
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This second trip took MAC by sea to Europe and the United Kingdom. From arrival 17 July 1949, 5 months were occupied making contact with various people in ICI chemical and acid works, ICI research farms and a number of fertiliser works in England and Scotland. He also made enquiries about contact acid plants for Aust. Fertilisers Ltd, investigated the possible purchase of a small superphosphate plant (made by Messrs Simon Carves) for ACF & Shirley's in Australia and studies agricultural practice in England and Scotland. During October and early November he visited several fertiliser and acid works in Holland and Italy, studies the application of the new Kacharoff tower process for sulphuric acid manufacture and attended a conference in Milan, Italy of the International Superphosphate Manufacturers Assn., 25 –29 October.

The file includes

1. A report on the trip by MAC,
2. Diary notes and
3. copy of a letter sent by MAC, 20 Oct 1949

48	18/3/3	Overseas Trip	9 Mar – 3 Sep 1957
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MAC, accompanied by his wife spent six weeks in the USA and Mexico inspecting newly developed sulphur deposits and the use of liquid nitrogen and ammonia fertilisers before flying to the UK and Europe for discussions with fertiliser and comical industry representatives. On the sea journey to USA, MAC visited in Honolulu the Pacific Chemical and Fertiliser Co and the Oahu Sugar Co mill and plantations. Major visits in USA were the Grace Bros. Ammonia and urea

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plant Memphis Tennessee, the International Minerals and Chemical Corp's Noralyn Phosphate mine and the national Plant Food Institute in Washington, and several acid and fertiliser works in Florida, East St Louis Indiana, New Orleans and California. He also visited Pan American Sulphur Co and Texas Gulf Sulphur's in-situ mines in Mexico and Texas: and in Europe, phosphate mines in Holland (?) and the Dansk Svoosyrozog Superphosphate Fabrik works in Denmark.

The File includes :

1. The Itinerary
2. Shipping dates, Britain and Australia.
3. Hotel Bills
4. Diary notes
5. Extended diary notes
6. Letter register
7. Newspaper clippings

48	18/3/4	Overseas trip	12 Apr – 10 Jul 1963
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A great proportion of the time on this trip was spent in discussion of matters affecting the industry such as sulphur supply, use of liquid fertilisers, effect of investments by oil companies and farmer's co-ops and the US fertiliser industry. The visits included Scottish Ag Industries Edinburgh and Aberdeen works, the Western Phosphates in Salt Lake City Utah and a number of other industries and Ag. Research centres in bit Europe and America.

The file includes ;

1. The Itinerary
2. Diary notes
3. Notes on discussions
4. Letters received
5. duplicates of diary notes etc

48	18/3/5	Overseas Trip.	8 Sep – 9 Nov 1969
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MA Cuming made his last overseas business trip in 1969 with the object of keeping in touch with former industry contacts and obtaining first-hand information and current trends within he then oversupplied overseas fertiliser. As on his previous trip, most of MAC's time in both the USA and the UK was spent in discussions with his former contacts in the fertiliser and oil industries. He did however also undertake an intensive tour of farms and fertiliser distribution depots in Indiana, Ohio, West Virginia and Washington State. The only major plant inspections which he made were to Jefferson Lake Petrochemicals

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		sour gas sulphur recovery plant, near Calgary, Canada and the Sherrit Gordon works near Edmondton, Canada (where sulphate of ammonia was being recovered from the refining of nickel in a process that WMC was planning to use in WA). The file contains, 1. Notes on objectives, 2. Itinerary 3. diary notes 4. collection drafts, letters sand data sheets	
48	18/3/6	Visit to Whyalla, SA 1. Draft Itinerary for Visit by Mr and Mrs MA Cuming, issued by BHP office Melbourne. 19 Jun 1 pp tsp. 2. Detailed itinerary for a Vice-Regal visit to Whyalla issued by BHP office, Whyalla 17 Aug 2 pp tsp. (with hand written notes made by MAC) 3. List of BHP Officers at Whyalla, Adelaide, Rapid Bay and Ardrossan. 2 pp ts. 7 Aug 1959 4. Correspondence relating to Whyalla visit, 2 letters, 2 and 28 Aug 1967 5. Newspaper clipping showing photograph of SA Governor Bastyn and Lady Bastyn at Whyalla, Aug 1967 (source unclear)	18 – 22 Aug 1967
	18/5	Miscellaneous Business Papers of MA Cuming	
48	18/5/1	Address book. (see also 19/8/4 ?) (Labelled 401 Collins Street inside front cover with previous address 65 William Street having been crossed out) 8"x 5" (16 x 10 cm) black leather bound	[1967]
48	18/5/2	Address book, undated, (original entries typed with substantial pencil revisions)	n.d.
	19/1	GROUP 19 - Papers Relating to the Private Investments, Finances and Household Matters of Mr & Mrs MA Cuming An Index to MR & Mrs Cumings Private Investments 1947 – 1987 Was contained in six binders containing circulars, letters (re share issues, take-over offers and other public announcements) received by Mr & Mrs Cuming from companies in which they held investments, also some contract notes confirming share transactions made by Brokers JB Were & Son on their behalf, some	

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48	19/1/1	with notes jotted on them by MAC concerning investment decisions, and instructions to brokers: - An alphabetical index of companies in which investments were made.	1973 - 1987
49	19/1/2	A - B. Advertiser Newspapers Ltd, to, Buckley and Nunn Ltd.	1973 - 1987
49	19/1/3	C - E. Capel Court Corporation Ltd, to EZ Industries Ltd	1969 - 1987
49	19/1/4	F - J. Fidelity International Strategy Trust, to, ICI Australia Ltd	1972 - 1987
50	19/1/5	K - N Kemptron Ltd, to, NKS Holdings Ltd	1973 - 1987
50	19/1/6	O - R Oliver J Neilsen (Australia) Ltd. to, Rio Tinto Zinc Corporation Ltd	1971 - 1987
	19/2	Papers Relating to the Investments of MA Cuming's Family in CS & Co Ltd., from folders containing :-	
50	19/2/1	1. Contract Notes and advice slips from JB Were & Son relating to sales and purchases of CS & Co shares made on behalf of MAC, his wife, and his children, David, John Robin and Elizabeth (with responding notes to JB Were. 2. Dividend notification slips received from CS & Co by MAC. 6 of, 3. Circulars and letters to CS & Co shareholders relating to bonus issues and takeover offers 4. Other miscellaneous papers 5. Letter from MAC to Price Waterhouse & Co requesting details of CS & Co scrip owned by his son that had been mislaid. (with reply from Price Waterhouse 12 Jan 1979) 6. Envelopes previously used to hold CS & Co scrip of MAC, Wilma Cuming and RF Cuming. (On these are jotted on various CS & Co share transactions over the period :	1956 - 1980
	19/3	Lists and Correspondence Relating to Mr & Mrs MA Cuming's Private Investments	
50	19/3/1	Investment Lists, 1. 18 lists, detailing Shares, Government Securities and Debentures held by MA Cuming at particular dates during the period, each list contains corrections indicating subsequent sales, purchases and redemptions. 9 pp MS 9	1977 - 1988

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		pp ts	
		2. 17 lists, as above, held by Mrs MA Cuming (Estate of WMI Cuming after 1984) - Each list contains corrections made by MAC indicating subsequent sales, purchases and redemptions. 9 pp MS & 8 pp ts	
		3. Miscellaneous lists detailing shares held by the children of Mr & Mrs MAC at particular dates during the period. (Some lists contain corrections as above by MAC)	
50	19/3/2	Investment Portfolio Reports	Apr 1984 – Jun 1987
		1. Quarterly Reports prepared by JB Were & Son providing a valuation and performance analysis of all shares and stock held by MAC including most quarters of period and one report dated 5 Feb 1980. Typically 3-4 pp computer printout.	
		2. Quarterly Reports prepared by JB Were & Son providing a valuation and performance analysis of all shares and stock held by the estate of WMI Cuming inc most quarters of the period. Typically 3-4 pp A3 computer printout.	
51	19/3/3	Carbon Letter Books of MA Cuming. Contains letters mainly written to MAC's share brokers, J Were & Son or various institutions and firms in which Mr or Mrs Cuming held shares or stock:	4 Jul 1979 – 30 Apr 1987
		1. Covering period with index in front cover of Norman Bros. Duplicate manifold letter book No 31 100 pp	
		2. Similar, covering period (also containing 2 letters from Were's dated 27 Apr and 4 May 1987). Olympic Carbon Book 100 pp	
51	19/3/4	Certificates and notices relating to Government Stock, includes Notices to transferee for Commonwealth Inscribed Stock, Interim receipt for inscription, stock certificate, photo copies of stock certificates, certificate for MMBW stock, certificate for SEC Stock	1977 - 1984
	19/4	Private Account Books of Mr & Mrs MA Cuming	
51	19/4/1	Mr MA Cuming:	
		1. Cash book, monthly accounts with income and expenditure summaries for each half year. (inside front cover undated list of stocks and certificates held)	Jan 1926 - Feb 1988
		2. As 1 above, with Perth accounts only (Feb 1937 – Sep 1937) separate.	
		3. Monthly accounts of cheques drawn and received with some annual summaries of income and expenditure.	

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		4. Ditto	
		5. Ditto	
		6. Ditto	
		7. Monthly accounts of cheques drawn, and also monthly accounts of cheques paid in to bank A/c	
		8. Record of cheques paid in.	
		9. Monthly a/c of Cheques paid out, also A/c of cheques paid in	
		10. Monthly A/cs of cheques paid out, also cheques paid in	
52	19/4/2	WMI Cuming (MAC's wife)	1959 /60 to
52		Annual accounts of income and expenditure for financial years :	1981/82
	19/5	Taxation Papers	
	19/5/1	Tax Returns	
83	19/5/1 (1)	1. Duplicates of completed tax return forms submitted for Mr MA Cuming relating to the financial years . . also Notices of Assessment for MA Cuming's income tax for the financial years . . . also memos from tax consultants for Mr MA Cuming	1917/18 to 1949/50
83	19/5/1 (2)	2 Duplicates of completed tax return forms for MA Cuming also triplicate group certificates, miscellaneous memos from MAC's tax consultants and Notices of Tax Assessment, up to	1950/51 - 1964/65
83	19/5/1 (3)	3. Duplicates of completed Tax return Forms for MA Cuming also triplicate group certificates, & miscellaneous memos from MAC's tax consultants	1965/66 - 1986/87
83	19/5/1 (4)	4. Duplicates of tax return forms for Wilma MI Cuming, for the financial years. (1954/55 return missing, returns are for Estate of WMI Cuming after Mar 1984) (see also 19/5/5(1)), also notices of tax assessment for WMI Cuming	1938/39 – 1986/87
	19/5/2	Summary statements of Income and Expenditure prepared for tax consultant Mr John Graham	
52	19/5/2	1. MA Cuming, income and expenditure statements for the financial years 1967/68, 1969/70, 1973/74, 1975/76, 1986/87; mainly MS & some ts sheets with annotations.	1967-1987
52	19/5/2	2. WMI Cuming, ditto, for the financial years 1967/68 to 1976/77 & 1979/80 to 1982/83; ts copies for years up to 1971/72 and subsequently all MS, lists.	1967-1983
	19/5/3	Receipts etc submitted to Mr John Graham for use in compiling tax returns	
52	19/5/3	1. Rate notices and land tax notices for properties	1940/1941,

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		owned by Mr & Mrs MA Cuming for the financial years, also receipts for tax deductible expenses on house repairs for the year 1936/37.	1941/1942, 1978/1979 to 1984/1985
52	19/5/3	2. Bank statements for MA Cuming's cheque account for the financial year	1986/1987
52	19/5/3	3. receipts for tax deductible gifts and donations made by Mr & Mrs MA Cuming for financial years:	1940/1942 - 1986/1987
52	19/5/3	4. Receipts for tax deductible fees for clubs and societies, MA Cuming	1978/1979 - 1979/1980
52	19/5/3	5. receipts relating to medical expenses for Mr & Mrs MA Cuming for financial years	1940/1941 - 1985/1986
53	19/5/3	6. Dividend advice slips for income received by Mr & Mrs MA Cuming, financial years	1977/1978 - 1986/1987
53	19/5/3	7. receipts for fees paid to accountants Hooke Graham and Digby for services in relation to the compiling of Mr & Mrs MA Cuming's tax returns for years	1977/1978, 1978/1979
	19/5/4	Gift duty papers:	
53	19/5/4	1. Correspondence with solicitors Blake Riggall relating to duty on gifts made by Mr & Mrs MA Cuming to relations and friends (NB Most of the gifts were cash given to Mr & Mrs MA Cuming's children and grandchildren – in the latter case for the payment of school fees)	8 Dec 1964 to 20 Mar 1987
53	19/5/4	2. Complete running list of gifts made by MA Cuming. 3 pp A3 ts. (2 copies, also copy of an earlier list up to Oct 1967, on 6 foolscap sheets ts)	16 Sep 1964 to 31 Oct 1972
53	19/5/4	3. Complete running list for gifts made by WMI Cuming, 1 pp A3 ts (2 copies and also 2 copies of an earlier list, up to 7 Mar 1968 on 2 foolscap sheets ts)	22 Aug 1963 to 1 Nov 1972
53	19/5/4	4. Correspondence with solicitors Blake and Riggall relating to duty on gifts of cash, CS & Co and BHP shares given by Mr & Mrs MA Cuming to their children. (also undated notes on the effect of gift duties payable from a death estate on assets held in NSW)	9 Oct 1972 to 17 Jul 1973
	19/5/5	Estate of WMI Cuming (Mrs MA Cuming) – died on 18 Mar 1984	
53	19/5/5	1. Quarterly income and expenditure statements for the estate of WMI Cuming (continues from 19/5/1)	3 Aug 1984 to 31 Dec 1987
53	19/5/5	2. Correspondence with solicitors Blake and Riggall relating to the affairs of WMI Cuming's estate and gifts and probate duty on legacies and bequests from the estate.	2 Apr 1984 to 10 Sep 1987
53	19/6/1	1. Letters, Accounts, rate notices and land tax assessment slips relating to residence at 6 Outram St West Perth. (this property was bought by MA Cuming in Oct 1931, about 12 months after he arrived in Perth)	26 Nov 1931 – 5 Mar 1938

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		to take up a position at the Bassendean Works. In Nov 1931, MW Ennis was contracted to affect minor repairs, repainting and cement rendering to the brick-work. Later, in 1932 further alterations and painting was undertaken by Wood & Son. MAC sold the house to his cousin Jim Cuming for Pds 3,000 in Feb 1938 after his return to Melbourne.)	
53	19/6/1	2. Letters, receipts, rate notices and land tax slips relating to Hamilton Rd Estate Malvern (This property consisting of vacant lots nos. 12, 37 and 38 Hamilton Rd Malvern was purchased by MA Cuming from Mr Hinds for 4416 pounds in Sept 1928. All the lots with minor improvements, were sold to Mrs Alice Elizabeth Parry for pounds 4415/19 on 6 th June 1930. Before final instalments were paid, Mrs Parry sold half the land at a loss, and as a result MAC agreed to reduce the original price by 368 pounds.)	22 Sep 1928 to 9 Jun 1933
53	19/6/2	Letters, accounts and receipts relating to residence at 163 Kooyong Rd Toorak. (This property was bought by MA Cuming from Dr AN McArthur in 1937 for pounds 4500, Shortly afterwards, in Jan 1938, MAC appointed architect Marcus W Martin to draw up specifications and supervise contractors for extensive alterations to the house. At the same time he commissioned Edna Walling, a well known Australian garden designer to re-plan the layout and plantings of the garden and to supervise the landscape contractor, to undertake the work required. Most of the material in this file dates from the period July 1938 to May 1939 when these house and garden alterations were being carried out.	20 Jun 1958 to 13 Nov 1958
54	19/6/3	1. Letters, memos and accounts relating to residence at 29 Stonnington Place Toorak	8 Mar 1973 - 7 Apr 1986
54		2. Certificate of sale and correspondence with solicitors, Blake Riggall regarding purchase of residence at 29 Stonnington Place and two loans by MAC to his wife for her share of the cost of purchase and alterations. (this house was bought jointly by Mr & Mrs MA Cuming for Pds 17,500 from Mr & Mrs WGM Morris on 1 Dec 1959 and lived in by the Cumings until their deaths)	1 Dec 1959 - 13 Oct 1961
54	19/6/3	3. Letters and receipts relating to the Barwon Heads property. (this property was purchased jointly by Mr & Mrs MA Cuming for Pds 3000 in Dec 1964, with the intention of using it to build a holiday house upon. Although some initial enquiries were made this plan was later abandoned, and the land sold to a Mr D Hawker for Pds 2700 in Aug 1965)	4 Jan 1965 to 5 Oct 1965

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	19/7	Insurance, Motor Registration and Medical Benefits Files	
54	19/7/1	Motor vehicles – insurance, repairs and registration, containing insurance policy papers, registration certificates and repair accounts relating to the following motor vehicles owned by Mr & Mrs MA Cuming: (i) Morris Mini sedan reg KSE 560 (ii) Suzuki Van reg BOA 959 (iii) 1971 BMW sedan Reg KYE 020 (iv) 1980 Holden Commodore sedan reg ARS 242	30 Sep 1981–27 Jan 1987
	19/7/2	Household Insurance, containing :	
54	19/7/2	1. Valuations for insurance of antiques, paintings, jewellery etc held by Mr & Mrs MA Cuming at 29 Stonnington Pl Toorak. 9 consecutive listings	3 Jun 1969 - 3 Jun 1987
54	19/7/2	2. Papers relating to Domestic employees indemnity policies Nos 1766272 & 222163 (later No. 103EI 024118) with The Chamber Of Manufactures Insurance Ltd	29 Apr 1959 - 29 Apr 1981
54	19/7/2	3. Papers relating to Household Owners Policy Nos. 2/42681 & 2/44615 with CMI Ltd	10 May 1960 - 4 Feb 1972
54	19/7/2	4. Papers relating to Household Owners Policies Nos. 2/H35159 building (later 103HH251592) and 2/H 35160 contents (later 103HH3510604) with CMI Ltd.	4 Feb 1973 - 4 Feb 1984
54	19/7/2	5. Papers relating to All Risks Policy No A/R 5014 (later 103 PP 007120) with CMI Ltd.	18 Sep 1972 - 22 Feb 1984
54	19/7/2	6. Combined statements relating to all MAC's household and motor vehicle insurance policies and correspondence with solicitors Blake Riggall (who were acting as MAC's insurance agents)	29 Feb 1984 - 2 Feb 1988
	19/7/3	Life Insurance, containing :	
54	19/7/3	1. Correspondence relating to Australian Mutual Provident Society Life Insurance Policies for the lives of MA & WMI Cuming	30 Dec 1937 - 11 Jul 1985
54	19/7/3	2. Annual bonus notices for the following AMP life insurance policies: V 234411 MA Cuming 293488 “ 1218852 MA Cuming 1318788 “ 623630 WMI Cuming 1219312 “ (later MA Cuming)	Mar 1963 - Nov 1987
54	19/7/3	3. Correspondence relating to AMP Life Insurance Policies for MA and WMI Cuming and their children.	3 Jan 1938 - 30 Nov 1959
54	19/7/3	4. AMP Society Policy Certificates All photocopies except * that is original: (i) 1218852 MA Cuming Pds 3000	2 Nov 1922 - 11 Jan 1940

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		(ii) 1219312 “ 2000	
		(iii) 793480 RF Cuming 3000	
		(iv) 1318788 MA Cuming 5000	
		(v) VO 234411 “ 5000	
		(vi) 793480* RF Cuming 3000	
		(vii) 791690 DJ Cuming 3000	
		(viii) 791287 JA Cuming 3000	
		(ix) 791288 EM Cuming 3000	
	19/7/4	“HBA and Medical records” MA and WMI Cuming	n.d.
54	19/7/4	1 Medical Records of WMI Cuming including: A. Optical prescription B. Pharmaceutical prescriptions C. Letter containing advice on hearing aids Dr Noel Cuthbert	26 Oct 1961 - Dec 1980
54	19/7/4	2. Notes relating to neck and shoulder problems suffered by Elizabeth Holmes (MAC’s daughter)	
54	19/7/4	3. Medical records of MA Cuming, including: A Four optical prescriptions	18 Jan 1978 – 12 Aug 1986
54	19/7/4	B Hearing test result cards	
54	19/7/4	C 6 audiogram slides from eye examinations	
54	19/7/4	D Notes on instances of kidney stones reported by MAC	1936, 1948
54	19/7/4	E Notes written for Dr Gunter by MAC asking questions about his prostate problems and a possible operation. n.d.	
54	19/7/4	F Sister’s report and notes on MAC prepared for Stanthorpe Home Nursing Service	Nov 1987
54	19/7/4	G Pharmaceutical Prescriptions	15 Nov 1967 – 2 Nov 1983
	19/7/4	H. Other Miscellaneous medical notes relating to MAC	
54	19/7/4	4. Correspondence with HBA relating to Medical Benefits for MAC & WMIC	Sept 1981 – Oct 1986
54	19/7/4	5 Discarded HBA contributions books for MAC and WMI Cuming	
54	19/7/4	6 Medical receipts returned by HBA after payments of claims	Feb 1983 – Nov 1984
	19/8/1	Mr MA Cuming, Correspondence	
55		1. Letters/documents relating to: - gift of \$15,000 to each child - Sale of two Australian Paintings though Sotheby’s - Donation of silver salver to Aust. National Gallery	30 Apr 1985 – 29 Aug 1985
55		2. Sotheby’s catalogue “Fine Colonial Australian Paintings”. Presumably containing MAC’s offerings	1985
55	19/8/2	Exercise Book. “General Notes, Willie and Mac	1974 - 1985

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55	19/8/3	Cuming". Mainly on domestic matters, house, garden, personal possessions, notes on some telephone calls, lists of birthdays of MAC's children and grandchildren, and overseas trips made by MAC and WMIC – telephone numbers in back of book All MS WMIC Private address book; also contains diary notes & expenditure accounts for WMIC's overseas trip. 15 x 9 cm	18 Jun 1968 – 20 Aug 1968
55	19/8/4	MA Cuming private address book (see also 18/5/1 & 18/5/2) labelled 29 Stonnington Pl Toorak Vic Australia inside front cover. Walkers 'Stanhope' No 56, 16 x 10 cm black leather covered index book. No date range but 1980, 1985 seen.	[1983]
55	19/8/5	Notebook almost empty but containing inside front cover a list of the contents of MAC's safe deposit and a list of WMIC's liquid assets 12.25 x 8 cm black leather covered book.	13 Oct 1928 - 11 May 1944
55	19/8/6	Black hard covered book 7 x 9 cm (was 3-ring binder), containing :	
55	19/8/6	1. List of birthdates for MAC, WMIC, and their children	
55	19/8/6	2. Notes on the conditions of sale for two farm blocks (of 890 and 500 acres) at North Dandalup, WA, sold by MAC.	Oct 1938
55	19/8/6	3. List of life assurance policies held by MAC	[1940]
55	19/8/6	4. List of MAC's assets	1 Jul 1942
55	19/8/6	5. Ditto	1 Jul 1944
55	19/8/6	6. List of MAC & family's assets at	Jun 1949
55	19/8/7	WMIC, cancelled passbooks for the State Savings bank of Victoria	
55	19/8/7	1. Savings A/c No 106-30166, Armadale branch	Apr 1979
55	19/8/7	1. Fixed deposit stock A/c No 106-30166 Armadale Branch	Mar 1978
55	19/8/8	Mr & Mrs Cuming, private papers. Invoices and receipts of British Antique Dealers Assn. Also receipted invoice H Charnack, Edinburgh for antique cutlery and price list for Linton cutlery	Dec 1949
55	19/8/9	Private papers. Relating to private entertainments including accounts, invoices and receipts, guest lists, food lists and recipes. Also newsletter of the Royal Freshwater bay yacht Club, WA	[1951]
55	19/8/10	Private papers. Notebook pages 8 x 16 cm of domestic notes, also 'home eye test for children' and paper on bathroom scales accuracy test. n.d.	n.d.
55	19/8/11	Private papers. Pedigree for Scottish terrier "Byand Jock" (called Sandy) acquired when the Cumings were first married. n.d.	n.d.

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	19/9	Travel Papers and Documents of Mr & Mrs MA Cuming	
55	19/9/1	Passports:	
55		1. MA Cuming No A21192 C of A	30 Apr 1924
55		2. MA Cuming No C11815 C of A	23 May 1949
55		3. WMI Cuming No C 11816 C of A	23 May 1949
55		4. MA Cuming No E411986 C of A (British)	1 Mar 1963
55		5. WMI Cuming No G417220 C of A	11 Jun 1968
55		6. MA Cuming No G560640 C of A	1 Aug 1969
55	19/9/2	International Certificates of Vaccination for MA & WMI Cuming. In ES&A Bank folder	1963, 1969
55	19/9/3	International Driving Permits	
55		1. MA Cuming No 79098 C of A	6 Mar 1963
55		2, WMI Cuming 79099 “	6 Mar 1963
55		3. Ma Cuming C 97779 “	6 Aug 1969
55	19/9/4	Certificate of Credential for Mrs Wilma Cuming signed by Henry Bolte, Premier of Victoria with covering letter from the Premier's Secretary (WMIC took this certificate with her when she made a trip to Europe and the UK with her daughter in 1968)	6 Jun 1968 12 Jun 1968
55	19/9/5	MA Cuming overseas trip, includes:	1924 -1926
55		1. RMS Niagara, passenger list and information booklet for Sydney / Vancouver voyage.	8 -30 May 1924
55		2. Brief diary notes indicating some of MA Cuming's activities overseas, 3 pp MS	6 May 1924 – 28 Oct 1925
55		3. Newspaper cuttings relating to Davis Cup tennis match watched by MA Cuming, his cousin Jim Cuming and Geoff Grimwade in New York	Aug 1924
	19/10	Legal Documents Wills Etc.	
56	19/10/1	Enduring Power of Attorney authorizing David and John Cuming to act as attorneys for Mariannus Adrian Cuming of Toorak 2 pp (with covering letter from solicitors Blake and Riggall)	Mar 1984
56	19/10/2	1. Photocopy of will of Mariannus Adrian Cuming of Toorak. 4 pp	1984 - 1985
56		With covering letter from Blake and Riggall	
56		2. Fresh draft of the will of MA Cuming for his perusal. (undated)	23 May 1984, 1 Jun 1984
56		and two related letters from Blake and Riggall	
56		3. Letter to Blake and Riggall from MA and WMI Cuming with additional instructions re wills on the situation of simultaneous deaths 1 p MS; and note headed 'To My Executors', instructing, on legacies to be paid and signed by MAC, witnessed by WMIC. 3 pp MS	1981
56		4. Letter (n.d.) from MAC with more instructions on bequests with attached instructions to executors	25 May 1985
56		5. Note from JD McKinnon of Blake and Riggall	[1985]

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		regarding executors duties after death occurs, 2 pp MS pencil n.d..	
56		6. Letter notifying the Trustees and Executors Agency Company that they were no longer listed as a co-trustee in the wills of MA and WMI Cuming. (with reply)	28 Jul 1977 - 1 Aug 1977
56		7. Letter to Hooke Graham and Digby requesting that they act as accountants for the estates of MA and WMI Cuming. (with reply)	28 Jul 1977 - 3 Aug 1977
56	19/10/3	Birth Certificates	
56		1. Mariannus Adrian Cuming at Wills St Footscray	26 Nov 1901
56		2. Wilma Margaret Isles Guthrie at Donnack Ter. South Brisbane	24 Mar 1904
56	19/10/4	Marriage Certificate. Mariannus and Wilma at Church of England, South Yarra	20 Apr 1926
56	19/10/5	Extracts of Birth Entry	
56		1. John Adrian Cuming at Yarraville	7 Jul 1930
56		2. Robin Fehon Cuming, Perth	15 May 1934
56	19/10/6	Christening Cards	
56		1. David James Cuming at Melbourne C of E Grammar School chapel	2 Oct 1927
56		2. Elizabeth Mary Cuming at same	10 Nov 1929
56		3. John Adrian Cuming at All Saints St Kilda	30 sep 1930
56		4. Robin Fehon Cuming at St Mary's Church Perth	15 may 1934
56	19/10/7	Certificates of Statutory Declaration relating to the vaccination of David and of Elizabeth Mary Cuming, signed by WMI Cuming, dated respectively:	22 Jun 1924, 6 Mar 1924
56	19/10/8	1. Power of Attorney appointing MA Cuming and WMI Cuming to act as attorneys for Robin Fehon Cuming. 4 pp	30 Jan 1963
56		2. Ditto, appointing MA and WMI Cuming and David James Cuming as attorneys for Robin Fehon Cuming of Toorak. 4 pp	25 Mar 1974
56	19/10/9	Declaration of Trust; relating to the transfer of 2,000 shares in Cuming Smith & Co Pty Ltd from the name of MA Cuming to that of his son David Cuming. 2 pp ts. (with accompanying letters to CS & Co Pty Ltd and solicitors Blake & Riggall)	9 Jul 1948
56	19/10/10	Deed of Disclaimer, declaring MA Cuming to have no beneficial interest in the life insurance policies for children of which he was acting as trustee. 4 pp ts. (NB The document was produced to avoid the possibility of any of his children having to pay gift duty on their policy should MAC die before they reached the age of 21) Also associated legal correspondence	3 Oct 1939 – 2 May 1940

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	20/1	Cuming and Family (from 3 rd Accession) Personal Correspondence received by MA Cuming (With some replies)	
57	20/1/1	Letters received by MA Cuming during a study trip in America and the UK. 47 letters arranged chronologically	2 Feb 1924 – 3 Feb 1925
57	20/1/2	“General correspondence” Contains letters, subscription notices and invitations from business associates, with some replies from MAC. (was contained in Visidex Binder in alphabetically). Principle correspondence being :	Dec 1963 – Dec 1987
57	20/1/2	(1) Baker Research Institute, 5 letters	21 Feb 1972 – 20 Oct 1982
57	20/1/2	(2) Broken Hill Proprietary company Ltd, 1 letter (with a list of all past BHP Directors)	11 Sep 1981
57	20/1/2	(3) Mr A McA Batty, 10 letters	27 Jun 1973 – 16 Sep 1975
57	20/1/2	(4) CSBP & farmers Ltd, 14 letters (various associates)	8 Jul 1972 – 15 Feb 1981
57	20/1/2	(5) Mr AS Grimwade (Director of CS & Co Ltd) 2 letters	22 May 1974 – 5 Aug 1974
57	20/1/2	(6) Mr S McGregor, 8 letters	5 Dec 1963 – 30 Jun 1970
57	20/1/2	(7) St George’s Church, Malvern. 10 letters (relating to donations made by MAC)	
57	20/1/2	(8) University of Melbourne Archives (F Strachan) 11 letters	26 Sep 1968 – 11 Oct 1979
57	20/1/2	(9) Balance of file containing around 100 letters to and from a wide variety of Businesses, institutions and community organizations, in two files marked (1) and (2).	
57	20/1/3	Mr MA Cuming’s Private Correspondence; contains personal letters from relatives and close friends received by MAC with some replies, Arranged alphabetically originally in a Visidex Binder. Principle correspondence includes following, (some other correspondents are mentioned).	Dec 1963 – Feb 1987
57	20/1/3	(1) John (Ian) Angus (Managing Director of Scottish Agricultural Industries Ltd) 10 letters and other correspondence	13 Feb 1970 – 20 Apr 1973
57	20/1/3	(2) John Crozier, CBE, East Lothian Scotland, 13 letters	18 Nov 1970 – 15 July 1973
57	20/1/3	(3) Michael Crunden, 3 letters	6 Jul 1970 – 15 Jul 1970
57	20/1/3	(4) Betty Cuming, York WA (niece of MAC) 2 letters	14 Jul, 13 Sep 1985
57	20/1/3	(5) Mr JG (Jack) Cuming, USA, later WA (MAC’s second cousin) 8 Letters (also letters of KJ and SA	12 Apr 1970 – 11 May 1973

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57	20/1/3	Cuming) (6) WH Cuming, WA, 3 letters (also letter of Kate Findlay)	28 Jul 1967 – 26 Sep 1967
57	20/1/3	(7) Mr AS Grimwade, 3 letters	25 Sep 1974 – 19 Sep 1978
57	20/1/3	(8) Mr JFT Grimwade, 1 letter. (also letters of Mrs P Hervey, CT Hill & others)	23 Dec 1963
57	20/1/3	(9) Mrs Elizabeth Holmes, WA (MAC's daughter). 3 letters	12 Feb 1981 – 22 Feb 1987
57	20/1/3	(10) Mr & Mrs B Hyatt, 3 letters	10 Oct 1983 – 22 Dec 1983
57	20/1/3	(11) Mr KD (Jake) Jacob, Washington DC USA 19 letters & 1 Christmas Card. (also list of Directors of BHP and letters of FC King, KA Martin et al)	20 Apr 1965 – 21 Feb 1978
57	20/1/3	(12) Mrs F (Marjorie) Myer, UAS (niece of Helen Webb) 18 letters (also letters of McCormick, Mc Niell, McLennon)	22 Dec 1965 – 9 Dec 1975
57	20/1/3	(13) Brian and Marion Sargood, booklet entitled "Letters from 'Miranda' – Sailing Around the World". (also letters of J Schroeder, Theo Tobe, Syme et al)	May 1978 – Nov 1978
57	20/1/3	(14) Joan Satchwell. 3 letters. (also letters of Warner, Townsend et al)	15 Sep 1977 – 2 Aug 1977
57	20/1/3	(15) Miss Helen Webb, New Jersey, USA (cousin of MAC) 22 letters. (most of her letters have been transcribed by MAC's secretary)	n.d.
58	20/1/4	Personal letters from relatives and close friends received by MAC, with some replies. The principle correspondents include :	Apr 1973 – Jan 1988
58	20/1/4	1. John (Ian) Angus, Edinburgh, UK 4 letters & one colour photograph	1 Dec 1983 – 1 Dec 1987
58	20/1/4	2. Peter Creswell, NSW. 4 letters	30 Apr 1977 – 7 Dec 1983
58	20/1/4	3. John Cuming (MAC's son), 2 cards	1 Aug 1985 & ?
58	20/1/4	4. Kathryn Cuming (nee Lammie – wife of MAC's nephew Stephen) 3 letters	1985 - 1988
58	20/1/4	5. Stuart and Lavinia Cuming, 3 letters	28 Jun 1979 – 23 Jan 1983
58	20/1/4	6. Leila Gibsone (?), Christchurch NZ, 4 letters	9 Dec 1983 – 6 Dec 1987
58	20/1/4	7. Elizabeth (Liz) Holmes, WA (MAC's daughter) 18 letters and 2 cards, also 2 cards drawn by her grandson Sam.	1987 - 1988
58	20/1/4	8. Jennie Holmes (MAC's grand daughter) 3 letters and 3 cards	1985
58	20/1/4	9. Marcus Holmes (MAC's grand son) 1 letter and 3 cards.	6 Dec 1983 – 9 Jan 1988
58	20/1/4	10. Letters of all other correspondents in this file, each	[1960 – 1985]

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		with an identifying flag	
	20/1/5	Correspondence from WMI Cuming received by MAC whilst his wife and daughter-in-law were abroad in Europe and the UK (see also 20/5/6)	
58	20/1/5	1. 2 letters and 11 aerogramme	20 Jun 1968 – 3 Aug 1968
58	20/1/5	2. 5 telegrams	29 Jul 1968 – 16 Aug 1968
58	20/1/5	3. 4 post cards	24 Jun 1968 – 25 Jul 1968
58	20/1/5	5. Telegrams, Correspondence from WMI Cuming received by MAC whilst his wife and daughter-in-law were abroad in Europe and the UK	
	20/1/7	Retirement letter file	
58	20/1/7	1. Souvenir card for a luncheon held in Wollongong for MAC on the occasion of his retirement as Chairman of Directors of Australian Fertilisers Ltd. (signed by all guests)	26 Jan 1965
58	20/1/7	2. Letter relating to a dinner held for MAC by the British Phosphate Commissioners, 30 Jun 1969	26 May 1969 – 1 Jul 1969
58	20/1/7	3. Letter relating to a dinner held for MAC on the occasion of his retirement from the Australian Sulphur Purchasing Association and the Australian Fertiliser Manufacturer's Committee	25 Nov 1969 – 18 Dec 1969
58	20/1/7	4. BHP management Newsletter No 167, containing a note from Mr MA Cuming thanking all BHP staff on the occasion of his retirement. (also two typed drafts of the note with corrections)	29 Oct 1971
58	20/1/7	5. Sir Ian McLennon (Chairman of BHP) letter containing an extract from the minutes of the BHP board meetings, noting the retirement of MA Cuming. (with a reply from MAC 13 Dec 1971)	29 Nov 1971
58	20/1/7	6. Sir Ian McLennon (Chairman of BHP) letter inviting Mr & Mrs MA Cuming to a retirement dinner for MAC on 25 Nov 1971. (with reply from MAC 30 Sep 1971)	29 Sep 1971
58	20/1/7	7. Letters received by MAC from staff and colleagues, acknowledging his retirement from the BHP Board of Directors	
58	20/1/7	8. Copy of letter of resignation sent by MAC to ICI Chairman, Sir Archibald Glenn	6 Dec 1971
58	20/1/7	9. hand-written copies of two letters sent by MAC to ICI associates thanking them for a retirement dinner on his behalf.	14 Dec 1971
58	20/1/7	10. Mr A McA Batty (CSBP & Farmers Managing Director), letter and provisional guest list for a retirement dinner for MAC to be held at the Weld Club, Perth on 23 rd Nov 1971, with a reply from MAC	1 Nov 1971

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		3 Nov 1971.	
58	20/1/7	11. KA Martin (CSBP & Farmers secretary), letter containing an extract from the CSBP & Farmers board meeting minutes, noting the retirement of MAC.	6 Dec 1971
58	20/1/7	12. Letters received by MAC from staff and colleagues after his retirement as chairman of CSBP & Farmers Ltd	24 Nov 1971 – 15 Dec 1971
58	20/1/7	13. Letters relating to a legal agreement between MA Cuming and CSBP & Farmer Ltd concerning a lump sum of \$30,000 to be paid to MAC upon his retirement. Also two draft copies of the agreement.	27 Oct 1971 – 1 Nov 1971
58	20/1/7	14. CSBP & Farmers press release recording the retirement of MA Cuming as chairman, with newspaper clippings (Nov & Dec 1971) referring to MAC's retirement from BHP, ICI, and CSBP & Farmers Ltd	19 Nov 1971
58	20/1/7	15. Letters from AMP Society executives acknowledging the retirement of MAC from the AMP board of directors. Also photocopies of newspaper clippings referring to same, The Sun & The Age, 26 Jul 1974 and the Aust Financial Review 29 Jul 1974.	1 Jul 1974 & 18 Jul 1974
58	20/1/8	Letters and cards received by MA Cuming after the death of his wife Wilma. Two bundles, chronologically arranged.	11 Mar 1984 – 19 Mar 1984 and 19 Mar 1984 – 20 May 1984
58	20/1/9	Letters of thanks received by MA Cuming from relatives who received money from the estate of Wilma MI Cuming	31 Jul 1984 – 27 Aug 1984
	20/1/10	Birthday cards, two bundles	
58	20/1/10	1. Cards and telegrams received by MAC for his 80 th birthday	26 Nov 1981
58	20/1/10	2. Miscellaneous and undated birthday cards received by MAC	
	20/1/11	Christmas cards, four bundles	
59	20/1/11	(1) Christmas cards received by Mr & Mrs MA Cuming	Dec 1983
59	20/1/11	(2) Short hand written list of Christmas cards received by MAC	Dec 1984
59	20/1/11	(3) ditto	Dec 1985
59	20/1/11	(4) ditto	Dec 1987
59		(5) Miscellaneous undated Christmas cards received by MAC	
59	20/1/12	Lists of correspondence	
59	20/1/12	(1) Names and addresses of Mr & Mrs M A Cuming's correspondents, compiled from Christmas cards received. 3 pp ts with MA corrections by MAC	Dec 1974
59	20/1/12	(2) Ditto MS 14 pp	[1983]

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59	20/1/13	Telegram from daughter Elizabeth, thanking MAC for a visit he made to her in Perth	16 May 1951
	20/2	Personal Correspondence received by Wilma MI Cuming (nee Guthrie), MAC's wife	
59	20/2/1	Correspondence received from MAC Cuming whilst he was on a study trip overseas, (Note, MAC married Wilma Guthrie shortly after his return to Australia in 1926). Three letters, (16, 10 and 18 pp MS) and view folder containing 5 views of Chertsey, UK.	8 Jun 1924 – 6 Nov 1925
59	20/2/2	Correspondence received from MA Cuming whilst WMIC was travelling in Europe with her daughter-in-law. 2 aerogramme.	30 Jul 1968, 2 Aug 1968
59	20/2/3	Letter, Arthur M ?, Portland Vic. 4 pp MS	12 Apr 1970
59	20/2/4	Letter Mary Thiessen, Germany, 2 pp MS and photograph	15 Sep 1974
59	20/2/5	Two aerogramme, Annette ? Ficiuo, Switzerland	16 Dec 1983, 16 Mar 1984
	20/3	Personal correspondence received by Mrs James Cuming (MAC's mother)	
59	20/3/1	Letters received from MA Cuming during his overseas study trips, 29 letters MS	11 May 1924 – 5 Nov 1925
	20/4	Personal correspondence received by Alice E Guthrie (WMIC's mother)	
59	20/4/1	Letter from her daughter Wilma Guthrie during a stay with her grandparents in Kirkaldy, Scotland during the first world war.	10 Sep 1916
59	20/4/2	Letter from her daughter Wilma, who was travelling abroad with her husband MA Cuming 8 pp MS	19 Aug 1949
	20/5	Personal correspondence received by MAC's children	
59	20/5/1	Letters received from David and John Cuming from their parents on an overseas business trip. 4 letters and 17 aerogramme MS	17 Jun 1949 – 16 Dec 1949
59	20/5/2	Letters received by David and John Cuming from their brother Robin at Perry Boarding House, Geelong C of E Grammar School, 8 letters MS mostly n.d.	1949
59	20/5/3	Letter received by Robin (Bob) Cuming from his father MA Cuming containing family news & encouragement to work hard at school in order to reap the benefits later in life.; 2 pp MS	28 Feb 1948
59	20/5/4	Letters received by Robin Cuming at Geelong Grammar school from his parents on an overseas business trip. 1 letter, 1 postcard, 5 aerogramme.	28 Sep 1949 – 7 Dec 1949
59	20/5/5	Transcript of a telegram sent to Elizabeth Holmes (nee Cuming) by her father MA Cuming.	14 Oct 1959
59	20/5/6	Letter addressed to family, from Mr & Mrs MA Cuming, describing a visit to Italy at the beginning of a European business trip. 3 pp MS	c16 Apr 1963

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59	20/5/7	Two postcards addressed to Misses JW & S Cuming, from their mother Merle Cuming who was on an overseas trip with her mother-in-law WMI Cuming. (see also 20/1/6)	23 Jan 1968, 7 Jul 1968
	20/6	Correspondence of MA Cuming's Relating to Clubs, Societies and Trusts	
	20/6/1	Social Clubs File containing correspondence, membership lists and rule books relating to the following clubs:	
59	20/6/1	(1) The Australian Club Melbourne	1969 - 1 Mar 1987
59	20/6/1	(2) The Melbourne Club	1947 - 23 Sep 1987
59	20/6/1	(3) The Newcastle Club NSW	1 Sep 1969 - 11 Aug 1972
59	20/6/1	(4) The Weld Club Perth WA	16 Apr 1931 - 31 Dec 1986
	20/6/2	Sporting and Miscellaneous Clubs file	
59	20/6/2	1. The Sciences Club	2 Nov 1981 - 28 Jul 1983
59	20/6/2	2. The Yarraville Cricket Club	Oct 1979 - Nov 1987
59	20/6/2	3. Melbourne Cricket Club	1 Jan 1962 - 19 Jul 1985
59	20/6/2	4. Royal Automobile Club of Victoria	16 Oct 1962 - 19 Oct 1962
59	20/6/2	5. Victoria Racing Club	Aug 1926 - Aug 1984
	20/6/3	Golf and Fishing file	
60	20/6/3	1. Senior Golfers' Society of Victoria	1961 - Oct 1985
60	20/6/3	2. Barwon Heads Golf Club	23 Jul 1951 - 2 Oct 1985
60	20/6/3	3. Metropolitan Golf Club	13 Oct 1961 - 19 Nov 1973
60	20/6/3	4. Royal Melbourne Golf Club	18 Oct 1939 - 14 Jan 1987
60	20/6/3	5. Miscellaneous correspondence relating to MAC's fishing activities. inc booklet "The Howqua Hills Story" by Chris Stoney. n.d.	Nov 1974 - 10 Dec 1986
60	20/6/3	6. Bibbenluke Fishing lodge, Bombala NSW, correspondence and photographs	1971 - Aug 1980
	20/6/3	Societies and Institutes file. Contains correspondence and membership lists relating to the following :	
60	20/6/3	1. Royal Society of Victoria	26 Aug 1976 - Mar 1985
60	20/6/3	2. The Most Distinguished Order of St Michael and St George	18 Oct 1971 - 13 Feb 1987

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84	20/6/4/2(a)	2(a). Original certificate awarded to MAC on his appointment to the Most Distinguished Order of St Michael and St George	Jan 1962
60	20/6/4/2	3. Grassland Society of Victoria	Mar 1979 – 27 Feb 1987
60	20/6/4/2	4. Australian Institute of Agricultural Science	13 Jul 1954 – 17 Jan 1983
60	20/6/4/2	5. Royal Australian Chemical Institute	Jun 1985
60	20/6/4/2	6. Society of Chemical Industry of Victoria	Apr 1979 – Jun 1979
60	20/6/4/2	7. Australian Institute of Management	12 May 1981
60	20/6/4/2	8. The Institute of Directors in Australia	23 Feb 1977 – 25 Feb 1977
60	20/6/4/2	9. Fertiliser Society, London. Inc photograph of Prof Finch	Dec 1971 - 19 Feb 1974
60	20/6/4/2	10. Clunies Ross Foundation	4 Apr 1961 – 22 Jul 1981
60	20/6/4/2	11. Royal College of Science Association	
61	20/6/5	Australian Academy of Technological Sciences, correspondence, annual reports and newsletters	24 May 1973 – 10 Mar 1987
61	20/6/6	Frankston Golf Club. Correspondence, reports and plans relating to the Frankston Golf Club and its 9-hole golf course. As MAC served for a number of years on the board of directors of this club, much of this file relates to administrative matters, such as the negotiations concerning the proposed sale of 7 acres of the golf club's land to Ravinda Constructions Pty Ltd in 1977- 1981 and the landscaping of the course in 1983-1984. It comprises :	1977-1984
61	20/6/6	1. Administrative and general correspondence	27 Nov 1969 – 6 Oct 1987
61	20/6/6	2. "Preliminary Report of Proposed Subdivisional Development" prepared by JS Watson & Associates	6 Jul 1967
61	20/6/6	3. Aerial photograph of the golf course.	Mar 1962
61	20/6/6	4. Plan of golf course boundaries	Jul 1968
61	20/6/6	5. Plan of golf course boundaries.	8 Jun 1979
61	20/6/6	6. Plan of golf course layout with 50 m grid, prepared by Watsons Pty Ltd (2 copies) and letter from surveyor, Watsons P/L.	Jul 1981
61	20/6/6	7. Same plan, with pencil additions	[1983]
61	20/6/6	8. Same plan revised to incorporate new data on service drains and water mains (2 copies) and further letter from Watsons P/L	Aug 1984
61	20/6/6	9. Report entitled "A Strategy for Landscape Management – some preliminary Considerations and Proposals, prepared by G Frazer.	Nov 1983
61	20/6/7	The HV McKay Charitable Trust File. MAC was appointed to the governing committee of this trust in	

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		Dec 1950 and acted as Chairman from Dec 1958 until his death. The Trust was established shortly before the death of HV McKay in 1926 and was intended to provide charitable donations which would assist in the improvement of life in rural Australia and the community at Sunshine. From 1928 onwards much of the Trust's income was distributed in the form of scholarships and research grants. The file comprises:	
61	20/6/7	1. Correspondence relating and applications for grants by the trust.	22 Feb 1967 – 20 Jun 1985
61	20/6/7	2. Minutes and agenda for committee meetings	1969 – 30 Jun 1982
62	20/6/7	3. Copies of legal documents and correspondence relating to the founding of the trust and the appointment of committee members	15 May 1926 - 1973
62	20/6/7	4. Pamphlets and articles relating to the biography of HV McKay and the history of the trust	n.d.
'107'	21/1 – 21/14	Exhibition Medals Separately listed within box	1877-1925

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