



## THE UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE ARCHIVES

<b>NAME OF COLLECTION</b>	Food Preservers' Union Of Australia, N.S.W. Branch
<b>ACCESSION NO</b>	1989.0121
<b>CATEGORY</b>	Labour, organisations
<b>ACTIVITY</b>	Trade Unions
<b>DATE RANGE</b>	1917-1982
<b>SIZE OF COLLECTION</b>	9 boxes
<b>HISTORICAL NOTE</b>	<p>Although a union of jam, sauce and pickle works employees had been formed c. 1898, the union did not become a significant influence in the industry until its re-organisation under Percy Clarey, a leading Victorian unionist, after 1922. A union of fluctuating membership, reflecting the importance of seasonal labour in the canning industry, the Food Preservers' Union is one of relatively few unions to maintain a strong organisation in Australia's irrigation areas. In 1991-1992, the Union amalgamated with the Confectionary Workers' Union to become the Food Preservers Division of the new Confectionary Workers &amp; Food Preservers Union of Australia.</p>
<b>DATE OF TRANSFER</b>	Nov 1982
<b>ACCESS CONDITIONS</b>	Access: Restricted
<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	General minutes, 1917-1972; management committee minutes 1924-63; rule committee minutes 1945-46; picnic committee minutes 1945-48.
<b>LISTED BY</b>	
<b>DATE</b>	29 Nov 1982 and 20 Sep 2011

Food Preservers' Union of Australia  
New South Wales Branch

1. Minutes - Executive, Special & Annual Meetings

Box 1 1.1. 2 July 1917 - 1 Sept. 1921  
Includes Minutes of Federal Council Meeting, 23-26 July 1917.

Box 1 1.2. 18 October 1922 - 26 November 1923.

2. Minutes - General & Special Meetings

Box 1 2.1. 23 February 1924 - 20 October 1930.

Box 2 2.2. 24 November 1930 - 21 February 1938.

Box 2 2.3. 21 March 1938 - 20 August 1944.

Box 3 2.4. 18 October 1944 - 17 May 1972.

3. Minutes - Management Committee

Box 4 3.1. 24 February 1924 - 2 May 1927.

Box 4 3.2. 1 June 1927 - 5 January 1931.

Box 4 3.3. 2 February 1931 - 1 July 1935.

Box 4 3.4. 5 August 1935 - 3 April 1939.

Box 5 3.5. 1 May 1939 - 2 August 1943.

Box 5 3.6. 6 September 1943 - 4 August 1948.

Box 6 3.7. 6 October 1948 - 10 December 1952.

Box 6 3.8. 14 January 1953 - 6 March 1957.

Box 6 3.9. 3 April 1957 - 1 May 1963.

4. Minutes - Miscellaneous

4.1.# Rules Committee 11 April 1945 - 23 July 1946.

Box 3 { 4.2.# Editorial Board 24 April 1945 - 2 July 1946.

4.3.# Picnic Committee 12 September 1945 - 13 October 1948

#These contained in one volume

5. Minutes - Rough Minutes

Box 7	5.1.	1924 - 1926
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<b>8</b>		Accounts 1966 – 28 Aug 1979; Cheque Account Book; Receipt Book Register, 1966 - 1982; Notices of meetings 8 Jan 1963 - Aug 1977;	1963 - 1982
<b>9</b>		Publications: The Food Preserver	1943 - 1961