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NAME OF COLLECTION	FORSTER, Professor Howard Carlyle
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CATEGORY	University, individuals
ACTIVITY	Academics - Agriculture
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SIZE OF COLLECTION	3.5 metres [27 boxes]
HISTORICAL NOTE	<p>A graduate of the University of Melbourne and Iowa State University, Carlyle was subsequently employed as an agricultural research officer for several government departments until 1949 when he was appointed executive officer at the CSIRO. In 1956 Carlyle became Professor of Agriculture at Melbourne University until his retirement in 1969. He was also involved in a number of organisations and committees, notably the Australian Institute of Agricultural Science, the Australian Freedom from Hunger Campaign, the Royal Agricultural Society, the Marcus Oldham Management College and various scholarship trusts. In 1959 he chaired a committee enquiring into the prospects of agriculture in the Northern Territory.</p>
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DESCRIPTION	<p>Correspondence; reports; memoranda; lecture notes; subject files; publications; Marcus Oldham Farm Management College reports and salaries; Royal Agricultural Society minutes and reports; Australian Institute of Agricultural Science minutes, reports, correspondence, addresses; Nuffield Foundation correspondence and minutes; Australian Freedom from Hunger Campaign minutes, projects, correspondence.</p>
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NAME: Professor Howard Carlyle FORSTER

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LIST OF RECORDS

The collection is divided into three sections of which

- GROUP 1. UNIVERSITY PAPERS is the smallest, mostly of lecture notes. 3 Boxes
- Group 2. Miscellaneous Subjects activities in which Professor Forster was prominently involved, mainly after his retirement.
- (a) Australian Institute of Agricultural Science
Boxes numbered 2/2, 2/3, 2/5, 2/8 4 Boxes
 - (b) Nuffield Foundation
Boxes numbered 2/4, 2/13, 2/14 3 Boxes
 - (c) Committee to Inquire into the Prospects of Agriculture in the Northern Territory
(The Forster Committee)
Boxes numbered 2/6, 2/7, 2/9, 2/11, 2/15-2/18 9 Boxes
 - (d) Others:
Boxes numbered 2/1, 2/12 2 Boxes
- Group 3. Freedom from Hunger Campaign
Boxes numbered 3/1-3/5 5 Boxes

26 BoxesGROUP I. UNIVERSITY

- Unit 1 1/1 Lecture Notes: Agricultural Economics (Agric. III) 1950's.
- Lecture Notes Agricultural Extension Lectures. Lectures given by Miss Joan Tully, seconded from CSIRO. Undated.
- Question Papers (Annual Examinations). 1960-1968.
- Student Seminars with comments by Forster including "Elementary Statistics for Timber Research Workers" by M.M. Barnard. CSIRO Division of Forest Products. Undated.
- Agriculture III Districts (i.e. papers given on various districts)
- Also lectures by Forster on The Mallee, Wimmera.
- Lecture Notes : Applied Statistics, Agriculture III. Undated but some written on back of application for grant from Wool Research Trust Fund 1965/66.
- Lecture Notes: Agriculture II. Wheat, Oats & Rye, Barley, in CSIRO folders. Undated
- Introduction to Biometry First and Second Term 1963.
- Lecture Notes. Agriculture III. Hydrology, Irrigation. Including H.C. Forster: "Problems of Regional Use and Management of Water" 1963 (Aust. Ac. of Sci)
- Agriculture III. Agricultural Research Organization and History and Agriculture Organization in Australia. Australian Regional Problems. Undated but some pages written on back of Wheat Industry Research Committee of Victoria, Submission of Agriculture School. 1962. Including CSIRO Minutes of 17th session of Advisory Council May 1958, for HCF's information. Address and article on Research in Agriculture by HCF, 1950's.
- Unit 2 1/2 Lecture Notes and other relevant papers Agriculture III History of Land tenure, Development, Administration. 1967
- Miscellaneous Notes Agriculture III. Fodder and Drought Agriculture III.
- Lecture Notes: Statistics Agriculture II & Questionnaire Agriculture II. Wheat Breeding, Maize, Oats, Barley, Agriculture II. Fodder Crops. Rice, Fibre Crops Agriculture II.

 8. Miscellaneous Reports C.S.I.R.O.

Commonwealth Department of Meteorology 1958/59

Publications: "Increasing the Production and Human use of Proteins" (Massachusetts Institute of Technology)

"Nation" September 1965

N.T. Scientific Liaison Conference. 1961.

Hansard. 27 & 28th Sept. 3rd Oct. 1961

Field Survey of Air Drying & Storage of Peanuts 1960

N.T. Annual Report. 1957/58.

Unit 11 2/8 Royal Agricultural Society (RAS)
 Commercial Farmers Interest Committee 1965-1973
 Agricultural and Horticultural Sections Committee 1973-1976
 Farm Management and Improvement Competition 1974-1976
 Beef and Fat Cattle Committee, Minutes, Reports 1964-1974
 Australian Meat Board, Cattle & Beef Carcass Competition. 1963-1975
 Young Farmers -
 Exchange Report, Publications,
 Minutes, Reports 1975-1978
 Showground Improvements
 Plans and recommendations (Leith & Bartlett). Undated.
 Proposed Extensions & Redevelopment of Showgrounds. 1973

Unit 12 2/9 Forster Committee on N.T. Agriculture 1958 -

<u>Box No.</u>	<u>Subject</u>
280	Desirable Pattern of Land Use in N.T.
281	Farm Mechanisation Problems
282	Slaughter Cattle
283	Marketing and Correspondence re Army Tenders (1960)
284	Correspondence of Everard Baillieu (1960)
285	Preliminary Report. Undated
287	Loans Guarantee Scheme
288	Review of Economic outlook for Aust. Rice
289	The U.K. Market for Aust. Chilled Beef
290	A Review of the U.S. Market for manufacturing type beef
291-293	Correspondence and Discussions
294	Economics of Road Transport of Beef Cattle
295	Peanut Inquiry
296	Outline of the Water Resources of Central Australia
297	Notes on Visit to N.T. by C.R. Kelly
298	Facilities and operating costs - Port of Darwin
300	Report of an investigation of the Tipperary project
302	Peanut Processing, marketing and milling
303	Correspondence and Discussion of Tipperary Land System
304	Scrub Clearing
305	Victorian Employers Association

Unit 13	2/10	306	Rice (two files)
		307	Agricultural Leases
		308	Report on the 1958/59 Territory Rice Ltd.
		309	Proposed Scheme for development of water resources
		310	Report by E.J. Wood
		312	Climatology of the Katherine area N.T.
		313-318	Notes on discussions with Sir William Payne (Qld)
		319	Meteorology - Rainfall Reports
		320	Spray Irrigation (booklet)
		321	Letter from Attorney-General's Department
		322	N.T. Administration - Agricultural appointments, N.T. Lands Court etc.
		323	Cotton
		324	Potential Assistance of Agriculture to the expansion of the pastoral Industry in the Katherine-Darwin area.
		325-326	Reprints: Getting Research to Woolgrowers Extension Economics in Australian Extension Services
		338/339	History of Angora Goats in Australia (abridged) article "Integration of Land settlement policies into the economic and social development of countries" (by D.R. Gadgie).
		342	Oilseed Control Board (7th Annual Report) 1958/59
		343	'The Tribulations of Territory Agriculture' (ABC Radio)
		344	'Preliminary data from Katherine Research Station 1959/60 Cropping Season'
		345-360	Visit to N.T. April-May 1960
		361	Report of the Committee of Inquiry into Public Service Recruitment
		362/63	Melbourne Meeting June 1960
		364	Annual Fodder Crops at Katherine - Report CSIRO 1960
		365	Pasture Establishment at Katherine Report CSIRO 1960
		366	Performance of Buffalo Grass and Townsville Lucerne CSIRO 1960
		367	Soil and Crop Nitrogen at Katherine N.T. CSIRO 1960
		368	Correspondence : Ornel Pump Co.
Unit 14	2/11	369	Pastures/Beef : Paper for Pan-Indian Ocean Science Congress (two files)
		370	Discussion with W. McDonald & E.B. Richardson (Commonwealth Banking Corp.)
		371	Methods of Utilising the Murrumbidgee country.
		372	Guar Gum, use in Australia
		373	Land Tenure Background from N.S.W. Department of Lands
		374	Employment of Aborigines on Pastoral & Agricultural Holdings
		375	Discussion with Mr. Rex Patterson

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- 376 Discussion with Mr. Brian Studey
377 Report: Commonwealth Advisory Panel on Air
Transport of cattle or beef
- 378 Discussion with Mr. Ralph Slatyer
379 Freight concessions and other forms of
assistance N.T.
- 380 Description of C.S.I.R.O. N.T. vegetation
map
- 381 Diary Canberra 28th June - 1st July
382 Agreement re Ord river development
383 Ordinances: Agricultural Development Leases
385 Townsville Lucerne Territory Rice agreement
with C. of A.
- 386 N.T. Ordinances and Regulations
387 Grazing and Feeding Trials with beef cattle
at Katherine (CSIRO)
- 388 N.T. Territory statistical summary 1960
(C'wealth)
- 389 24th Annual report of the Australian Meat
Board 1959
- 390 Development of Northern Australia (North
Aust. Develop C'tee) 1947
- 391 Report on the Food and Agriculture
Organisation of the U.N. 1955-1957
- 392 Lands & Agricultural Resources of the
Northern Missions & Settlements.
N.T. (CSIRO) 1960
- 393 The Agricultural potential of the N.T. with
particular reference to possible
super phosphate use (extracts)
- 394 Diary Canberra 16th-19th August 1960
395 Rice production in Papua and New Guinea
(Report by W. Poggendorff) -
Department of Territories 1953
- 396 "Northern Territory Development &
Administration" report by
Sir George Buchanan (extracts)
1925
- 397 "Beef Cattle Industry of Australia"
CSIRO 1956
- 398 Annual report of the Auditor General and
statement of receipts and
expenditure, year ending 30/6/1960
- 399 Diary Melbourne 28/8/1960-2/9/1960
400 W.A. Lands Department Re: Settlement
404 Rice Growers Co-op. Mills Ltd. Annual
Report & A/c. 1959.
- 405 Report: Peanut Marketing Board 1958.
Pools 1 & 2: The Q'Land Peanut
Growers Co-op. Association Ltd.
- 406 Discussion with Rice Growers Co-op Mills
Ltd. Leeton 1960
- 407 W.S.L.S. Division: Bulletin L.A.75
Loan and Allowances
Re-establishment & Employment
Act 1945
Notes - Statistics & Financial
Information

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- 408 W.S.L.S. Division: Bulletin L.A.78
War Service Land Settlement;
Notes - Statistics and Financial
Information
- 409 W.S.L.S. Division: Bulletin R.T.75
Re-establishment and Employment
Act 1945
Notes - Statistical and Financial
Information
- 410 Diary Melbourne 19th - 23rd September 1960
- 411 Speech. Paul Hasluck to Australian
Agricultural Council 53rd Meeting
Darwin 16-18 July 1960
- 412 Quarterly Review of Agricultural Economics
(Bureau of Agri. Econ. Canberra)
1960
- 414 N.T. Notes for the Budget Debate August-
September 1960
- 415 Agricultural Development in N.T: Policy
(Cabinet paper)
- 416 Diary Melbourne. 5-7th October 1960
- 417 Irrigation Possibilities in Central
Australia (Paper by T.I.? Basinsky)
- 418 Administration problems of the N.T.
E.P. Milliken Royal Institute of Public
Administration Vo. XIX. No.3. 1960.

Unit 15

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- Rotary Club. International House 1971-1977
International Service
Projects, Student Exchange
Meetings, Minutes 1974-1976
- Rotary International House Service Committee Greycourt 1972
General 1959-1968
Student Exchange 1974
Miscellaneous Printed Matter
Meetings, Notes, Minutes 1959-1977
- Northcote Trust 1975-1978
Minutes, Correspondence, Reports
- Northcote Trust 1977-1978
Replies to circulars re education including
Submissions re teachers to Grassmere Centre
- Northcote Trust 1974-1975
Copy Lady Northcote's Will
Act establishing Trustees
- Northcote Trust 1975-1976
Farm principals reports
Trustees' meetings
- Northcote Scholars 1975-1978
Correspondence, Grants, Selection
including R.A. College Cirencester Syllabus

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- 48 Production. Marketing of fruit and vegetables policy.
 - 98 Annual Report - Agricultural Branch 1958-1959
 - 3 Report. Katherine Research Station 1946-1956
 - 4 Underground Waters Alice Springs and Barkly Tablelands 1953
 - 5 Engineering Problems - Rice in Darwin and Katherine areas 1953
 - 6 Visit to Potential Rice Areas near Darwin 1953
 - 7 Problems of development of N.T. (visit overseas) 1956
 - 8 Land and Land Industries 1937
 - 9 Administration of N.T. 1946
 - 10 Report Administration of N.T. 1946-1947
 - 11/12: Report on Administration 1948-1949 } Not
: Areas and Types of Production, Climate } Available
 - 13-16 Reports on N.T. 1949-1957
 - 17 The Progress of the Australian Territories 1950-1956
 - 18 Pamphlet - Rice Growing (Dept. of Territories) 1959
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 - 20 Pamphlet - Land for settlement. Undated
 - 21 Symposium - Adelaide CSIRO 1958
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 - 23 Land Research. Comment on Activities. Undated
 - 24 Progress Report, Katherine Research Station CSIRO 1959
 - 25 Land Preparation and Crop Yield CSIRO 1959
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 - 27 Native Pasture in Tipperary Clay loam CSIRO 1959
- Unit 19 2/16 File 29 Primary Producers Board 1960
- 30-40 Tropical Crop experiments in N.T.
Effectiveness of Townsville Lucerne in Katherine CSIRO.
Elimination of dry season live weightlosses -
Beef cattle in Katherine area
through use of sown pasture CSIRO
Some Investigation re livestock in N.T.
(Bangkok) 1957
Water Relations in Crop plants in N.T. CSIRO 1955
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Under- developed regions (Not available)
Annual reports (three files) Land research 1954-57
 - 41 Some problems of semi and tropical grasslands in Australia.
 - 42 Average moisture range of some N.T. soils.
 - 43 The soils of monsoonal Australia.
 - 44 Weight responses to tick control and phosphate supplementation in Beef cattle at Katherine. N.T.
 - 45 Annual report Agriculture Branch of N.T. Administration 1957-1958
 - 47 Vegetable production in the N.T. Undated.
 - 49-85 Discussions in Canberra 1959
 - 86 Tariff Board's report (Peanuts) 1958
 - 87 Environmental problems in tropical Australia. 1956

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- 88 The export of N.T. live cattle by ship to the East. 1953
- 89 Export Trade in live cattle from N.T.-
Inquiries in Manila 1953
- 90 Potential of trade to Eastern Countries -
Philippines and Hong Kong 1958
- 91 Report on visit to Hong Kong 1959
- 92 The economics of crop fattening on beef cattle in
Southern and Central Queensland
1958
- 93 13th Annual Report. Animal Industry Branch
N.T. Administration 1958-1959
- 94 The economic importance of cattle tick in
Australia 1959
- Unit 20 2/17 95 N.T. Administration 36th/37th report public
A/cs 1958
- 96 The Economics of Road Transport of Beef Cattle
W.A. Pastoral Lands 1958
- 97 Policy re Control of noxious animals in N.T.
Control of Red Kangaroo
(Discussion) 1959
- 99 Report on progressive land settlement in
Queensland 1959
- 100 Forestry in the N.T. (C'Wlth Forest and
Timber Bureau) 1955
- 101 Annual report - Field officer (Pastures) 1958-1959
- 102-148 Darwin visit August/September 1959
- 149-180 Discussions in Canberra, Brisbane and Melbourne
September/October 1959
- 181-189 NOT AVAILABLE
- 190 Peanut Marketing Board. Undated.
- 191 Tariff Board Inquiry. Undated.
- 192 Peanut Cultivitation. Undated
- 193 Economic Prospect for the expansion of peanut
production in Papua-N.G. 1953
- Unit 21 2/18 194-230 Discussions. November 1959
- Note: No. 197/198 see Vet. Journal
 199 see reports on Cattle Investigation
 Southern States of Australia. Topping
 of beef cattle under Australian
 conditions.
- 231 Annual report
- 232 Discussion of Mr. Trevor Plumb (Department
 of National Development)
- 233 FAO meeting on livestock production under tropical
 conditions. (Brisbane) 1955
- 234 Policy for the production and marketing of fruit
 and vegetables.
- 235 Guaranteed loans for N.T. development. Undated.
- 236 Cattle Trade from Australia to Hong Kong. 1959
- 237 Conversion of peanuts to oil and meal
- 238 Replies to questions asked by Territorial
 Agricultural Inquiry Committee
- 239 Rain making in Darwin
- 242 Growing peanuts in N.T.

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- F.F.H. Ad hoc Committee on Educational Role. 1971
Pamphlets and other printed matter. 1973
- F.F.H. Project Reports. 1972
Pamphlets "Talking Points on Projects"
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- F.F.H. Project Sub-Committee 1962
General Meeting 1965
Correspondence
- F.F.H. Victorian State Committee, Minutes 1976-1977
- F.F.H. Travel Expenses. May 1977
- F.F.H. Incorporation as a Company including Constitution
Personal report from India addressed to Mr. and
Mrs. K. Signed Irene. 19/2/1979.
- Unit 25 3/4 F.F.H. Publications. 1976
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- Unit 26 3/5 F.F.H. Project Applications, Minutes 1972
F.F.H. Project Applications, Reports 1970-1973
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F.F.H. International Workshop on Co-op. Dairy Programs 1977
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