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<u>BOX 1</u>			
Bate, Weston A.	<u>A History of Brighton</u>	(O.P. 1973)	1959-81
Beazley, John	<u>The Berlin Painter</u>		1964-71
Beever, M. & Smith, F.B.	<u>Historical Studies: Selected Articles (Second Series)</u>		1966-74
Beever, E.A.	<u>[History of] The Launceston Bank for Savings 1835-1970</u>	(O.P. Nov. 77)	1970-86
Blair, Leo	<u>The Commonwealth Public Service</u>		1957-65
Breen, B.A.	<u>Behind my Eyes</u>	(O.P. June 78)	1967-92
Coghlan, Prof.B.	<u>Hofmannsthal's Festival Dramas</u>	(O.P. Nov. 79)	1958-67
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Copland, Prof. D.B.	Various Titles		1932-51
Corden, W.M.	<u>Australian Economic Policy Discussion</u>	(O.P. Feb. 78)	1967-70
C.S.I.R.O.	<u>The Insects of Australia</u>	"File 1 - 1965-68"	1964-84
		"File 2 - 1969-70"	1969-70
Lansbury, C.	<u>Arcady in Australia</u>	(O.P. Oct. 79)	1969-93
<u>BOX 3</u>			
Latham, J.	<u>Education and War</u>		1943-44
Lawrence, P.	<u>Road Belong Cargo</u>	(O.P. Dec. 78)	1964-90
Lee, N.E.	<u>Travel and Transport Through the Ages</u>	(O.P. May 73)	1947-77
McMinn, W.G.	<u>Allan Cunningham, Explorer and Botanist</u>	(O.P. Sep. 79)	1966-84
Oakes, R. [ed.H.G.Fowler]	<u>Enduring as the Camphor Tree</u>	(O.P. July 78)	1965-69
<u>BOX 4</u>			
O'Collins, Rev. G.G.	<u>[Life of] Patrick McMahon Glynn</u>	(O.P. Nov. 79)	1963-75
O'Hair, L. and Ropert, M.	<u>French Exercises for School</u>		1.1952-65 2.(reprint)

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Oliver, Douglas	<u>Bougainville: A Personal History</u>		1968-90
Rennison, G. Audrey	<u>Man on his Own: Social Work and Industrial Society</u>		1957-70

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Rennison, G. Audrey	<u>We Live Among Strangers</u>	(O.P. April 79)	1968-70
Robson, L.L.	<u>The First A.I.F.</u>	(O.P. Nov. 77)	1966-73
Rivett, Rohan	<u>Australian Citizen: Herbert Brookes</u>	(O.P. Sept. 78)	1964-77
Van Abbe, D.	<u>Drama in Renaissance Germany and Switzerland</u>	(O.P. Nov. 79)	1959-78
Werder, F.	<u>Fantasias</u> (Music Publication) (Also contains Dorian Le Gallienne's <u>Duo</u> )	(O.P. June 78)	1963-75
Wheelwright, E.L.	<u>Industrialization in Malaysia</u>		1963-72
Williams, D.B.	<u>Agriculture Extension</u>	(O.P. Feb. 79)	1966-82