THE UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE	THE UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE ARCHIVES		
NAME OF COLLECTION	National Mutual Life Association of Australasia Sample Death Claims Head Office Victoria		
ACCESSION NO	2012.0154		
CATEGORY ACTIVITY	Business, organisations Insurance, superannuation, funds management and income protection		
DATE RANGE	1872-1898		
SIZE OF COLLECTION	4 boxes		
HISTORICAL NOTE	The company began in 1869 in Melbourne, Australia. During this time it was known as the National Mutual Life Association of Australasia. National Mutual expanded across Australia throughout the early 1900's and amalgamated with many smaller mutual societies. By 1983 National Mutual merged with a large well known insurance company called T & G Mutual Life Society. After this significant merger the company expanded throughout the Asia Pacific region acquiring companies within Singapore, Thailand and the Philippines. In 1999 the company changed its name to AXA Asia Pacific Holdings. It specialises in life insurance, superannuation, funds management and income protection. The multiple businesses that were operating collectively with National Mutual at the time also altered their company names to incorporate the AXA brand.		
DATE OF TRANSFER	November 2007		
ACCESS CONDITIONS			
DESCRIPTION	Correspondence, volumes, ledgers,		

NOTE ON COLLECTIONS	Original control number: NMLS 138. This series consists of maturity claim numbered M1-M43 in respect of Table IV policies and claims numbered E1-E100 in respect of Table 'B'. There are a number of Mutual Assurance Society of Victoria policies in these groups. It has been assumed that the prefix 'M' before the claim number is merely to denote 'Maturity' number. 'M' before the policy number denotes a Mutual Assurance Society of Victoria policy. Claims packet may contain any or all of the following documents: proposals, friends reports, health evidence, proof of age, roof of ownership, proof of death, assignments, policy, statutory declarations or other correspondence pertaining to issue of policies and settlement of the claims. Although these claims are written up as Head Office it should be remembered that Head Office dealt with all Victorian matters until Victoria Branch was established in 1938. Related series: NMLS 115-137 and NMLS 139-140.	
NOTE ON LISTING	When requesting records from this finding aid quote the 'UMA box no.' and 'item no'	
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	138	Sample Death/Maturity Claims: Head Office Branch	1872-1898
Box	Item		Date
no.	no.		
1	138/1	NMLS 138 Head Office Maturity Claims no's M23 – M43 Table IV.	1872 – 1890
2	138/2	NMLS 138 Head Office Maturity Claims no's M1 –M22 Table IV	1874 – 1888
3	138/3	NMLS 138 Head Office Maturity Claims no's E1 – E50 Table B (111a for MAS [of?] V).	1875 – 1895
4	138/4	NMLS 138, Head Office Maturity Claims no's E51 –E100 Table B (111a ? MAS of V)	1886 – 1898
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