



Records Description List

Reference Number: 1977.0021

Collection/Series Title: STONE, WILLIAM

Creator	Stone, William
Creator's Activity/Occupation	Engineers
Creator's Historical Note	

William Stone joined the Victorian Railways as an "electric foreman" in 1883, rising to become Chief Electrical Engineer in 1913. In 1917 he served on the State Brown Coal Advisory Committee. Stone was also a member of the Engineering Faculty, researching in a number of fields, including lubrication, radiology and wireless transmission. He was also renowned for his experiments with X-rays, assisting H.J. Grayson in the design of machines to produce diffraction gratings and micro-rulings, and assisting A.G.M. Michell to produce his crankless engine. William Stone died in 1949.

Date Range of Collection/Series	1893-1939
Size/Extent	1.5 metres (12 archives boxes)
Access Conditions	Access: Open

## **Scope and Content of Collection/Series**

Research notes; published papers; correspondence 1921-1934; notes and technical papers 1893-1939; drawings. Copy of K.F. Russell's paper "William Stone (1858-1949), a Pioneer in Australian Radiology".

Collection Category	University, individuals
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1977.0021 Unit 1	1977.0021.0000 .0001			Crankless Engine
1977.0021 Unit 2	1977.0021.0000 .0002		1908-1919	Brown Coal 1918; Electric Generation & supply 1917-1919; Victorian Rail Electrification 1908/1912
1977.0021 Unit 3	1977.0021.0000 .0003			Misc. Scientific notes & papers; Lubrication
1977.0021 Unit 4	1977.0021.0000 .0004		1933-1937	Misc. Scientific notes & papers; Reprints of articles by Stone; A proposed method for solving some problems in lubrication; Grayson's micro-rulings 1933; Suggested improvements in the design and construction of machines fro ruling diffraction gratings 1937; The Grayson micro-ruling machine 1937; Further suggested improvements in the design and construction of machines for ruling diffraction gratings 1937
1977.0021 Unit 5	1977.0021.0000 .0005			Published papers by others
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1977.0021 Unit 8	1977.0021.0000 .0008			Misc. Scientific notes and papers
1977.0021 Unit 9	1977.0021.0000 .0009			M.S & notes (Technical); Tests (? (unclear) & surfaces); Letter to Bragg
1977.0021 Unit 10	1977.0021.0000 .0010			Reports
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