



THE UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE ARCHIVES

NAME OF COLLECTION	HAWKINS, Herbert Darrell
ACCESSION NO	1976.0075
CATEGORY	Other, individuals
ACTIVITY	Surveyor
DATE RANGE	1904-1917
SIZE OF COLLECTION	0.68 m
HISTORICAL NOTE	Herbert Hawkins was engaged in surveying in Western Australia at the turn of the century. Later, he worked in the New Hebrides from 1913 to 1917. He was an acute observer of social life and the environment in these areas. Source. <u>University of Melbourne Archives Guide to Collections.</u>
DATE OF TRANSFER	1976
ACCESS CONDITIONS	Open
DESCRIPTION	Diaries, correspondence, sketches and photographs.
NOTE ON COLLECTIONS	The letters are addressed to his mother Mrs F J Hawkins at 74 Hawksburn Road, South Yarra and, after March 1916, to Lambert Road, Toorak. The letters from Western Australian are signed very formally H Darrell Hawkins while those from the New Hebrides are signed Bert. Much of the collection was transferred to the Archives in a tin trunk that contained sketches and manuscript drafts of works of fiction. Although the accession of this collection was made in the name of Herbert D. Hawkins, a considerable proportion of the items it contains are the writings of John S. Hawkins and drawings and watercolours signed by N.H. Hawkins, possibly Norman H. Hawkins, Herbert D. Hawkins' father.
NOTE ON LISTING	This list has been completed by Kim Burrell as part of a project to enhance access to the collection by making the finding aid available online via the University of Melbourne Archives database.
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Box No	Series No	Description	Date
1	1/1	Western Australian Letters	21 March 1904 - 5 July 1904
	1/2	New Hebrides Letters	29 December 1913 - 23 June 1917
	1/3	Miscellaneous writing	1911 - 1930
	1/4	'E J Hawkins, A.M.I.C.E Testimonials'	1828-1882
		Australian Scribbling Diary	1873-1874
		John S Hawkins notebooks 1 – 4 containing miscellaneous writing	c 1930s
		Notebook – John S Hawkins containing 'The Captain'	nd
		Notebook – John S Hawkins containing writing and notes	1 April 1929
		Notebooks x 2 containing writing, manuscript & sketches	1933
		Notebook – John S Hawkins	1939
		Carved woodblock	
		Notebook – 'Private notes and MS' – John S Hawkins	16 April 1928
		Australian Rough Diary	1927
2		Handwritten manuscripts	
		Play writing - various	nd
		Handwritten manuscript - Babylon	nd
		'Miscellaneous Prose Scraps'	nd
		2 folders - assorted writing including 'Too Late: A Drama in 3 Acts' and 'The Atheist'	nd
3		Handwritten manuscripts	
		'The Lamp of Rameses 3' – handwritten manuscript	
		Handwritten manuscript – chapters	
		Folder – 'Verse – Suspence & various'	
		'E J Hawkins – Private Writings'	
		'Short Yarns unfinished'	
		'Dala'	
		'The Story of Adalph Kronk'	
		Folder labelled 'John S Hawkins Income Tax accts, etc'	1922
		Notebook containing various written articles including 'The Wines of Australia'	
		Folder of miscellaneous writings and unidentified writings	
4		Handwritten manuscripts	
		'The Atheist' manuscript	
		Folder labelled 'Verse - Scribblings'	
		manuscript – 'Anxious'	

Collection: Accession:

Box No	Series No	Description	Date
		Manuscripts – chapters for unidentified works	
		Manuscripts including ‘The Swallow’s Guest’, ‘The Adventure’, ‘The Diary of a Magpie’, ‘The Boy and the Dog’, ‘The Spanish Saddler’	
		Letter on E J Hawkins letterhead	
5		Arts works on paper; some signed by Norman Hawkins including pen and ink drawings and watercolours.	c.1884 – c. 1904

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