

Paintings from the Collection

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Foreword

A painting is like a poem, as the old saying goes.

The State Library holds one of the nation's richest collections of Australian art. Together, these works have a great deal to tell us about who we are and where we are from. They have significant documentary value but their interest to us goes well beyond this. Many of them have not been seen in public before. Like poetry, they will mean different things to different people.

With its permanent exhibition, Paintings from the Collection, the Library presents more than three hundred of the one thousand two hundred paintings in its collection. Two main genres predominate. Landscape studies, directly influenced by European models, which reflect the developing tastes and training of painters and their patrons as they gradually adjust to a new world. And portraits, initially of colonial officials, moving on to members of prominent families, aspirational emancipated convicts and finally literary and society figures.

This is the second in a series, 10 Works in Focus, which highlights selected pictures, drawing on external subject specialists and Library expertise to provide a greater understanding of the works on display and the stories they tell.

This exhibition has been made possible through the extraordinary collaboration of staff across the Library, from Research and Discovery to Exhibitions and Design, Collection Care, Digitisation and Imaging, Digital Channels, Learning Services and the Mitchell and Dixson Librarians. The support of the Library Foundation and the generosity of individual donors has also been integral to bringing our remarkable collection and the poetry of our history to a wider audience.

Dr John Vallance FAHA State Librarian

About the exhibition

The artworks in *Paintings from the Collection* have been grouped together to highlight their thematic, geographic and temporal relationships. Beginning in Room 1, we see works showing the development of Sydney, from 1790s Sydney Cove to a view of the newly constructed Barangaroo Reserve, opened in 2015.

The eastern wall focuses on images of Sydney Harbour and the keen observer will spot two works looking across Darling Harbour made more than 130 years apart. People populate many of these views — bathers at a harbourside swimming enclosure, picnickers at Mrs Macquarie's Chair, workers at the Atlas locomotive works, and local identity Billy Blue, who gave his name to Blues Point.

This room also features a recent acquisitions wall where you can see the latest paintings added to the Library's collection.

Room 2 takes us from Sydney to regional New South Wales, Australia and beyond. The southern wall is arranged by region, beginning with the NSW South Coast and moving through the Hunter Region, Port Macquarie, Central West, Mid North and North Coast. Mostly featuring landscapes and streetscapes, these are interspersed with portraits of people who have regional affiliations.

The remaining walls are arranged in clusters, including a group illustrating the history of the Library, early governors and officials, a series of paintings from the goldfields; and works related to other states, the Pacific and New Zealand.

Room 3 works are predominantly portraits, with the western wall featuring personalities from art, literature and politics. Family groups, related works and a handful of animal portraits make up the remaining walls.

Visitors can access captions for all works on display via the digital screens in each room. A list of works is also included in this volume, and in large-print format for use within the galleries.

Each of these paintings offers a glimpse into the artist's world — how they saw it, or how they were commissioned to portray it. They are a window into the past, but they also prompt us to ask what, and who, is not visible. These paintings are not impartial records. They often depict an idealised view, favour particular subjects and marginalise others.

This is true both of individual works and collections as a whole. In many cases, what has and hasn't been preserved reveals as much about the past as the works themselves. Together these paintings provide a sense of the way many Australians saw themselves, but they do not reflect the experiences of all Australians. They are a powerful reminder of how collections both reflect and inform our understanding of history and ourselves.

Kangaroo. Kangaroo. Thou spirit of Australia*

Despite giving the appearance of on-the-spot reportage, John Lewin's 1819 painting of red kangaroos was in fact a construction of his studio, composed more than 400 kilometres south of this supposed location. Red kangaroos had only recently been sighted by Europeans, on John Oxley's 1818 expedition into the north-western interior of NSW and the Liverpool Plains. While traversing Kamilaroi land, near the Warrumbungles, Oxley wrote in his journal on 6 August 1818 that:

'We killed this day one of the largest kangaroos we had seen in any part of New South Wales, being from one hundred and fifty to one hundred and eighty pounds weight. These animals live in flocks like sheep; and I do not exaggerate, when I say that some hundreds were seen in th[is] vicinity'

Lewin's painting was composed in his Sydney studio from specimens — or more likely their skins — shot on this expedition and brought back to the town. The background view of the Warrumbungles was simply copied from another drawing, made by an artist on the expedition.

Exotic natural history was a lens through which many Europeans appraised the colony. Its curiousness was a virtue. So when Governor Macquarie wanted to impress his London masters with the success of Oxley's expedition, he commissioned Lewin — a professional natural history illustrator who had emigrated to Australia in 1800 — to paint at least eight large watercolours of the



most dramatic animals and birds it encountered.

This oil painting is a copy of one of these watercolours, which Macquarie titled Macropa Species. Red Kangaroo of the Interior, seen generally in flocks, runs with the head remarkably low, inhabits the Morasses of the Interior. It was owned by Commissioner John Thomas Bigge, who arrived in Sydney in September 1819 (after Lewin had died) to report on the colony. Bigge bought at least eight paintings in Sydney, which he took back to England. Most were views of Sydney and Parramatta — this is the only image of an Australian animal. From its earliest days, the kangaroo remained one of the colony's most potent symbols.

Richard Neville

Mitchell Librarian and Director Education & Scholarship

Red kangaroos of the interior, 1819

by John Lewin oil on canvas acquired 1979 ML 852 | refer to wall no. 267, p 37

^{*} Barron Field, First fruits of Australian poetry, Sydney, 1819, page 7



Beyond this colonial lens

At first blush, *Natives at a corrobory* by celebrated colonial landscape artist John Glover seems to offer a rare snapshot of the living culture of my Palawa ancestors. While it is tempting to simply take the painting at face value, it is in reality part of a complex deception; an ode to the colonial fantasy of the Antipodean Arcadia. Glover acknowledges that the painting is a romanticised recreation — which is particularly galling when you consider that by this time the Tasmanian War (1820s-1832) had irrevocably ravaged Palawa lands and people.

Intended as a frontispiece for a planned book by George Augustus Robinson (who was tasked with 'effecting conciliation' with Palawa people by Governor Arthur), this work by Glover was created to '... give an idea of the manner they enjoyed themselves before being disturbed by the White People'. Like many works from this era this painting sought to recreate what was taken from us, without our input, and by those who profited most from the theft.

There is a cognitive dissonance at play here — one common among colonial figures who could recognise that the Aboriginal inhabitants of the land were being wiped out, but often failed to reflect on their own complicity in our destruction. This image of my ancestors as carefree, innocent and harmonious is intoxicating, but we must remember that this was painted after our songs and ceremonies had been brutally silenced.



While many of us are accustomed to looking beyond this colonial lens to glimpse a culture that was stolen from us, to do so requires us to suspend our knowledge of Australia's past. I cannot see representations like these without sensing the agenda behind them; without knowing in my bones that this is a depiction tied inexorably to the agendas and legacies of settler-colonists.

The colonial hunger for our stories, our culture and our bodies was often maintained with a clinical and deliberate distance from the complex reality of our lives, sovereignty and dignity. To look upon such works is to be reminded that we were being curated even as we were dying. This is perhaps summed up best by legendary Palawa woman Trugernanner (Truganinni), who died in 1876 but whose stolen remains were not returned until 1976: 'I know that when I die the museum wants my body'.

Damien Webb (Palawa descendant) Manager, Indigenous Engagement Branch, State Library of NSW

Natives at a corrobory, c 1835

by John Glover oil on canvas acquired 1939 ML 154 | refer to wall no. 157, p 34



Hobart Town from Kangaroo Bluff

This 1856 panoramic view of Hobart Town from Kangaroo Bluff, on the opposite bank of the River Derwent, is one of several near-identical renderings of the scene painted by Henry Gritten (1818-73) in both oils and watercolour. It is a highly detailed prospect of the burgeoning township — from boat building activities at Battery Point in the south through Sullivan's Cove and the heart of the settlement to beyond the penitentiary in the north — the whole dominated by the snow-capped Kunanyi/Mount Wellington.

As a comprehensive visual description of his episcopal seat, the work must have appealed to Robert William Willson, first Catholic Bishop of Hobart Town, for the evidence points to his having purchased one of the copies, possibly to send to a friend or family member in England. He made an annotated sketch as a key to accompany it, drawing attention to significant sites in the painting.

It included personal information — the location of his house and the point near Parliament House where he first stepped ashore in Van Diemen's Land; key landmarks — the penitentiary, military barracks and, of course, Mount Wellington 'more than 4000 feet high'; and aspects of civic progress — 'Town extending this way' and 'Domain or Park, 6 acres, on the Bank of the River'.

Gritten was a painter and professional photographer who exhibited prolifically in London, at the Royal Academy, the British Institute,



the Society of British Artists (Suffolk Street) and a number of other exhibitions between 1835 and 1849.

He moved to New York in 1850 and then, after periods in Melbourne and Sydney, to Hobart Town, c 1855. Subsequently, he worked as painter and photographer in Campbell Town and Launceston, Tasmania, and in Melbourne, where he was a founding member of the Victorian Academy of Arts. He died in reduced circumstances in Launceston.

Brian Andrews

Heritage Officer Catholic Archdiocese of Hobart

Hobart Town, 1857 by Henry Gritten oil on canvas presented by Sir William Dixson, 1943 DG 345 | refer to wall no. 156, p 34



Proof of life

This tiny oil sketch holds a surprising place in Australian art history. It was one of only a handful of paintings by wealthy expatriate artist John Peter Russell (1858–1930) to be found in any public collection outside France before the 1960s. Restitution of Russell's artistic reputation since then has earned him the title of 'Australia's lost impressionist'.

The profile portrait shows Jean Sandro Russell, born on Belle-Île (an island off the coast of Brittany in Northern France) on 10 November 1889, the fourth child of Russell and his Italian wife Anna Maria 'Marianna' Mattiocco. First forming their unconventional relationship in Paris in the mid-1880s, the couple didn't marry until just before Sandro's birth. Over 13 years they experienced the joyous arrival of 12 children and a swift succession of infant deaths — only one daughter and five sons lived to adulthood. This 'proof of life' image vibrates with energy and light, marking the triumphant occasion of Sandro's fifth birthday and bearing the artist's relationship to his subject proudly etched into its surface.

Russell's financial independence put him in the fortunate position of not needing to paint to satisfy a public audience. Focusing on turbulent seascapes and intimate studies of family life, his encounters with leading European art world figures such as Vincent van Gogh, Claude Monet and Henri Matisse, encouraged Russell to embrace the more experimental aspects of impressionism.

Jean Sandro Russell, 1894 by John Peter Russell oil on canvas presented by AJ Perier ML 146 | refer to wall no. 236, p 36

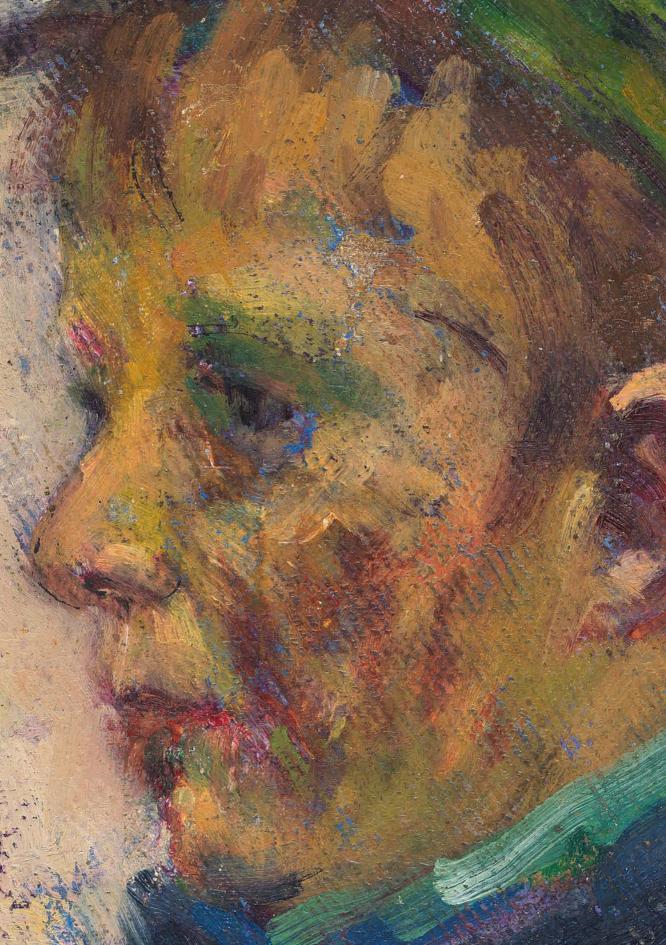


By the mid-1890s he was achieving his best work, using the impressionist's six-colour palette and technique of applying divided colour to transfer his emotions onto canvas, striving to paint what he saw rather than what he knew. The intriguing pigmentation in Sandro's portrait provides important evidence of Russell's exploration of experimental colour, which he discussed in letters to Tom Roberts. These letters, also held in the Library's collection, are significant documents in 19th century Australian art history.

After Marianna's death from cancer in 1908, the Russell family fractured. Sandro moved to the UK to pursue an acting career. Serving in the army during World War I, he later found it difficult to get work. In 1947 Sandro died at Sanderstead, aged 58, leaving a wife and two daughters.

Margot Riley

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Averted gaze

Look at that hat! Like a big black cloud hovering over Mrs Holman, framing a patrician profile, with that perfect aquiline nose shown to best effect, and a glint of light catching the auburn in that voluptuous head of hair. I imagine it made of something sumptuous, velvet perhaps, given that the brim looks floppy rather than stiff, like an extravagantly oversized artist's beret. (A formidable hatpin must have been involved.)

In a coat accessorised with rich dark fur, the subject looks prosperous, privileged and cossetted, as Ada Holman was, being the wife of the NSW Premier at the time.

But there is something elusive about a portrait painted in profile — that averted gaze denies the viewer complete access to the subject. Ada Holman was a writer who had to suppress some of her interests as a journalist because of her social position. She is the author of travel diaries, children's stories, and a deliciously indiscreet and vivid memoir in the Library's collection which demonstrates her gifts as an anecdotalist.

Thirty years after this portrait, in 1947, came the publication of *Memoirs of a Premier's Wife*, which opens teasingly with the line 'No woman should write her memoirs until she is dead'. In a tone both humorous and self-mocking, she paints a series of acutely observed portraits of the great and the good, not always flatteringly. Melba is 'a woman of limitations', 'not at her

best in her own land'. Staying with HG Wells in England, she complains that his house has no gas, electricity, central heating or hot water.

A supporter of women's suffrage, she sees Emmeline Pankhurst on the day she is released from prison and, from George Bernard Shaw, hears the finest speech of her life. She reports that British aristocratic women talk openly about the value of their staggering jewellery, and comments on the food served in the finest establishments. Socially adept, popular and cosmopolitan, she prides herself on her own soufflés and pigeon pies.

This restricted view of her hints at aspects of her personality that remain hidden. It shows a handsome woman who is holding something back by only showing one side of herself. Is this side the dutiful wife submitting to a portrait ambivalently, offering politely concealed resistance to full-frontal exposure and protecting what she cherishes most about her independent spirit? Or is she looking towards where her interest really lies, off canvas? The enigma only enhances her allure.

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Mrs WA Holman, 1917 by John Samuel Watkins presented by U Kidgell, 1950 oil on canvas ML 286 | refer to wall no. 232, p 36



Beautiful Sydney all glowing & oriental

When the precocious 23-year-old artist Arthur Streeton arrived in Sydney in 1890 he was overwhelmed by the sharp light and physical beauty of the harbour, writing to a friend:

'... beautiful Sydney all glowing & oriental — Little steamers whistle & flute in different keys & all over the bright harmony the warm palpitating sky of the Sunny South'

In Sydney, Streeton lived much of the time at the Curlew artist camp in Sirius Cove, and the harbour itself was a primary inspiration for his work. His bold technique and bright canvases were astounding innovations. His rapid impressions of the moods of Sydney, interest in contemporary life, and unconventional and informal compositions were startlingly different to the works of his contemporaries. His was a modern Sydney, which had seemingly abandoned convention and academic training.

This view is mostly likely from around Curraghbeena Park in Mosman. It looks across Cremorne Point to Garden Island on the left, the Royal Botanic Gardens in the centre, and Circular Quay to the right. Its narrow format was in part determined by Streeton's use of a draper's board as a support. These boards, onto which bolts of fabric had been wound, had been given to him by a Sydney draper who was a patron of the Curlew camp. Streeton enjoyed the challenge of fitting his images to their unusual dimensions.

The painting was commissioned in 1894 by Emily Cecilia Bowden-Smith, as a gift for her husband. Admiral Nathaniel Bowden-Smith, Commander of the Australian Fleet between 1892 and 1894, as a memento of their time in Sydney. Mrs Bowden-Smith unveiled it at a function she gave at Admiralty House on 7 December 1894. The *Telegraph* noted the next day that: 'Mr Streeton's excellent picture of Sydney, painted expressly for our hosts as a souvenir of their (as they are good enough to say) two happy years in Australia', was on display in the drawing room. The paper described it as 'a living, speaking picture, full of that fire which is so peculiarly Australian...'

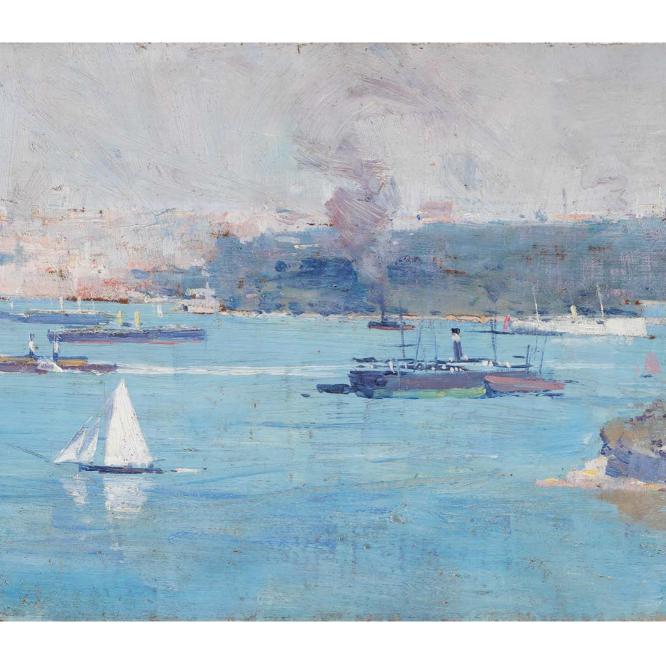
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Panoramic view of Sydney Harbour and the city skyline, 1894

by Arthur Streeton
oil on wood panel
acquired 2019
ML 1513 | refer to unnumbered recent acquisitions wall, p 31





Panoramic view of Sydney Harbour and the city skyline, 1894 by Arthur Streeton oil on wood panel acquired 2019 ML 1513 | refer to unnumbered recent acquisitions wall, p 31



Al fresco

Herbert Badham's painting *Al fresco* is quite personal. Like so many of the artist's works it draws on members of his own family to capture a small, intimate, everyday domestic scene.

Badham (1899-1961) studied at the Sydney Art School under Julian Ashton, George Washington Lambert and Henry Gibbons. He later taught at East Sydney Technical School and authored an important historical survey of Australian art, A study of Australian art, published in 1949.

One of many Australian artists who rejected the focus on the bush and landscape, Badham instead embraced urban and domestic life, concentrating on commonplace subjects which he recorded with careful detail.

In this small group portrait painted in 1927, the year after he completed his studies at Sydney Art School, Badham has captured the relaxed mood of this family gathering at the end of an informal meal on the balcony of the Vaucluse unit, 'Ard-Na-Lee', in The Crescent, where he lived with his wife, Enid Wilson.

Enid, at the far end of the table, chats with her sister Esme (Jo) Crockett. Enid's brother Reg is seated next to their mother, Julia Wilson.

Badham has conveyed the ordinariness of the scene and its relaxed informality yet also encapsulated the fashion, taste and style of the day incorporating modern design, vivid colours, geometric angles, and an



interesting viewpoint. Although only the brick walls of their balcony unit are seen, adorned with a single picture, the sense of time and place is both implicit and explicit.

Al fresco was exhibited at the Society of Artists annual exhibition in Sydney in 1927, and at the Wollongong City Gallery and Sydney's SH Ervin Gallery in 1987.

Al fresco was acquired from a private collection in London in its original, painted timber frame with widestepped profile. The reverse of the frame is inscribed in pencil 'G W Lambert' and suggests the closeness of the relationship between the two artists — teacher and student.

Louise Anemaat

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Al fresco, 1927 by Herbert Badham oil on plywood acquired 2010 ML 1444 | refer to wall no. 237 on p 36



The young art student

My mother looks so young in this portrait by Edmund Arthur Harvey! And serious. A dedicated art student, in her early twenties, she was young. It was 'exciting' and 'flattering' to be sitting for the portrait, she said. She was probably also a bit in awe of the artist painting her.

'Harvey', as she and most people usually called him, was just two years older than her but much more established as an artist. Born in England, he came to Australia as a young child with his parents in 1909. He had been studying art since he was 15; first in Sydney, then in Paris, Florence, Rome and London. Now he was gaining recognition back in Sydney.

When my mother sat for Harvey she was attending night classes at the Royal Art Society of New South Wales while trying by day to earn a living as a commercial artist. She had no money for clothes. She made and embroidered the white voile blouse she is wearing. The beautiful Venetian glass beads, clustered like grapes, were given to her by a friend. Mum used to say that people fell in love with the beads. Harvey provided the shawl in the background.

The portrait was painted in a studio that he borrowed from the artist Miriam Moxham. It was in a condemned building in Margaret Street opposite Wynyard Park. A lively artistic scene was centered around Circular Quay in those days and a number of artists had studios

in the building because the rent was so cheap. But on the weekends, as Harvey worked on the portrait, he and my mother often had the place to themselves (except for when police raided the building, looking for someone — not an artist — wanted for questioning and were outraged at the nude sketches tacked to the walls of a sketch club).

It took many sittings to complete the portrait. My mother described Harvey's method of painting as 'slow and meticulous'. After each sitting Harvey covered the canvas with newspaper to pick off any surplus paint before the next session.

Meg Stewart, writer, daughter of artist Margaret Coen (1909-93) and poet Douglas Stewart (1913-85) whose portrait painted by Coen also hangs in the Galleries.

Portrait of Margaret Coen, 1932 by Edmund Arthur Harvey oil on canvas

oil on canvas acquired 2012 ML 1305 | refer to wall no. 239, p 36



Beautifully situated

Artist Alan Grieve (1910–70) grew up in Manly; one of Sydney's popular beachside destinations. His talent was recognised early, with his compositions of harbour scenes published in the children's pages of Sydney newspapers. He went on to study at the Julian Ashton Art School and East Sydney Technical College and regularly exhibited his works from the 1940s through to the 60s.

Grieve remained close to his roots in the area, living at Clontarf, overlooking Middle Harbour, and produced many coastal scenes of the Northern Beaches. His 1956 work *Fairy Bower, Manly* depicts the small community clustered at the mid-point between Manly's South Steyne and Shelly Beach, on Cabbage Tree Bay.

Grieve has painted a time-honoured Sydney beach scene — swimmers jumping the waves, sunning themselves on the sand under jaunty beach umbrellas, and a couple strolling along the promenade dressed in their bathers. It is a carefree, relaxed setting.

Instead of focusing on the view out to Cabbage Tree Bay and the Pacific Ocean, the view is inward, detailing a cluster of buildings and beach-goers. The red-painted tearooms and the apartment blocks face the water, windows thrown open to capture the sea breezes, washing hanging on a rooftop clothesline and draped out of windows. Traditional Sydney bungalows stretch up the hill, with towels draped on verandas, drying



in the sun. Distinct Norfolk Pines tower above the apartments and line the distant shoreline at Manly.

Named by landowner Charles Hemington in 1858, the Fairy Bower was intended to be a picnic and refreshment area for visitors to Manly. The Sydney Morning Herald recommended it in 1859 as 'beautifully situated, near the ocean beach, and surrounded by rock, wood and overhanging foliage'. This locale remains a popular destination for locals and visitors alike. A busy cafe serves patrons where the tearooms used to be, walkers promenade along the path, and ocean swimmers and divers enjoy taking to the water in all weathers.

Elise Edmonds

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Fairy Bower, Manly, 1956 by Alan Grieve oil on canvas acquired 1984 DG 463 | refer to wall no. 49, p 30-31



Nothing out of the ordinary

The painting *Collection day* is a loose depiction of Organs Road in Bulli, NSW, on a Wednesday morning sometime after the weekly council rubbish collection. It is not an accurate rendering of the location, but people familiar with the area might detect an honesty in regard to the subject.

Bulli is a suburb of Wollongong, a little over an hour south of Sydney, on the coast. It is an area characterised by its geographic location. A narrow stretch of land hemmed in on one side by the Pacific Ocean and on the other, the sharply rising Illawarra Escarpment that dominates this part of the coast.

To the west of the railway line the streets snake their way up steep hills looking for stable, flatter sections and avoiding the many creeks that flow from the cliffs to the sea. The streets only go as far as the lower slopes, before the land becomes too steep.

This painting shows a vista from halfway up Organs Road, above where the street doglegs wildly. You can see down to the ocean shining in the morning light. The household bins, commonly called wheelie bins, line the streets in a random fashion, empty, with their lids mostly open after being tipped and flung back to earth by the roaming truck. Their red lids in bold contrast to the greens of the grass and trees. It is a common scene in Australian towns, nothing out of the ordinary.



The painting was made in oil paint on a marine ply support, over a number of days. In between painting sessions the dry paint was scraped flat with a razor blade, building up the density of layers and detail with each subsequent reworking. Each layer was created using a combination of straight and more fluid paint, utilising both the transparent and opaque qualities of both mediums in equal measure.

John Bokor Artist

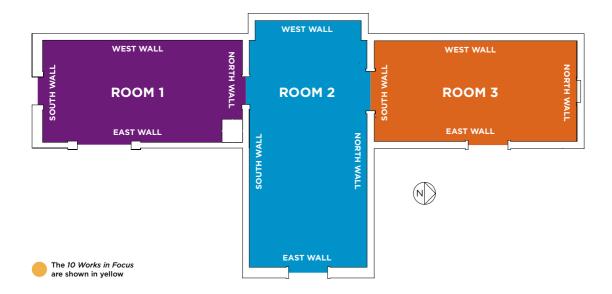
Collection Day, 2011 by John Bokor oil on board

oil on board acquired 2013 ML 1304 | refer to wall no. 173, p 35

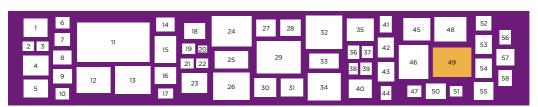


List of works

All works are oil on canvas unless otherwise specified



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by George Edwards Peacock oil on board acquired 1937 ML 658

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DG 265

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.. taken from lower Domain

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Smith presented 1970

ML 805

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by Joseph Fowles presented by Sir William Dixson, 1938 DG 250

Pitt Street, Sydney, c 1864-80

by unknown artist acquired 1960 DG 347

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Dixson, 1935-36 DG 210

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Anthony Hordern's fire, c 1901

ML 1078

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The Atlas Works Sydney making the first locomotive engine, 1881

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45 The Sussex and the Vicar, 1965

by Colin Sykes acquired 1991 ML 1035

46 Clyde Street, c 1901

by Sydney Long transferred from the Art Gallery of NSW, 1920 MI 318

In Cumberland Street, c 1902 by Alice Muskett

acquired 1920 ML 1040

48 Barangaroo Headland Park from the Stamford on Kent,

by Jane Bennett acquired 2015 ML 1457

Fairy Bower, Manly, 1956

by Alan Grieve oil on masonite acquired 1984 DG 463

50 Bank of New South Wales Sydney [George Street Sydney], c 1855 by unknown artist acquired 1997 ML 1168

Garden Island, 1924

by Douglas Dundas presented by Mrs H Gallop, 1973 ML 737

52 United States Military Police encamped at

Sydney University, 1944 by Isabel MacKenzie oil on canvas on board presented by Isabel MacKenzie, 1971 ML 686

53 Argyle Street and Cut, c 1902

by Sydney Long transferred from the Art Gallery of NSW, 1920 MI 854

54 Ferry Lane, c 1902 by Sydney Long

transferred from the Art Gallery of NSW, 1920 ML 855

55 Palm Beach, 1945

by Adrian Feint oil on canvas on board acquired 2011 ML 1260

Macquarie Street, Sydney c 1916-35

by Frances Payne oil on board acquired 2016 ML 1504

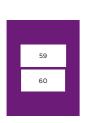
Oxford Street interior, 1942 by Herbert Badham oil on board

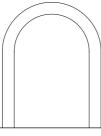
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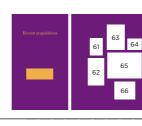
War Memorial, c 1934

by Herbert Reginald Gallop presented by Mrs H Gallop, 1973 ML 735

ROOM 1 - NORTH WALL







Recent acquisitions

Panoramic view of Sydney Harbour and the city skyline, 1894

by Arthur Streeton acquired 2019 ML 1513

Sydney Cove, c 1800 by unknown artist acquired 1923 ML 443

60 Sydney - Capital New South Wales, c 1800 by unknown artist presented by Sir William Dixson, 1929 DG 56

Wynyard Park during Wynyard Station excavations, 1927 by AE Macdonald acquired 1951

ML 938

Barrack Street, Sydney, 1942 by Roland Wakelin acquired 2016 ML 1486

Demolition 76 Pitt Street, 1927

by Norman Carter presented by Norman Carter, 1962 ML 209

Wynyard Park & the **Old Scots Church** during Wynyard Station excavations, 1927 by AE Macdonald

acquired 1951 ML 936

Picnic at The Rocks, 1952 by Roland Wakelin acquired 1997 ML 1169

View of Sydney Harbour Bridge under construction, c 1930 by MK Smyth

presented by Mrs MK Burnell, ML 302

ROOM 1 - EAST WALL

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67 Sydney Harbour near Watson's Bay, 1851 by George Edwards Peacock

presented by Sir William
Dixson, 1932
DG 205

68 Billy Blue, 1834 by John B East oil on board possibly presented 1933 ML 560

69 Vaucluse from the hill, 1841 by Conrad Martens presented by Sir William Dixson, 1929 DG 159

70 Government House, Sydney c 1860

by unknown artist oil on board presented by Dr AH Marks, 1932 MI 998

71 View from Craigend looking over Government House and Domain, 1845 by George Edwards Peacock acquired 1966

72 View north from Craigend looking over Woolloomooloo and Port Jackson, 1845 by George Edwards Peacock

DL 14

oil on board bequeathed by Sir William Dixson, 1952 DL 15

73 Darling Point, 1886 by Gother Victor Fyers Mann presented by Sir William Dixson, c 1950

DG 246

74 Parsley Bay, c 1845
by George Edwards Peacock

oil on board presented by Sir William Dixson, 1929 DG 34

75 Vaucluse, 1851 by George Edwards Peacock bequeathed by David Scott Mitchell, 1907

ML 236

76 Mosman Bay, 1916 by John Campbell acquired 1984 DG 464

77 View of part of Woolloomooloo and Mr Barker's house and mills with Bradleys Point, 1844 by George Edwards Peacock oil on board acquired 1965 DG 372 78 Morning at the Heads of Port Jackson, or the Pilot's Look-out, 1850 by George Edwards Peacock

oil on board presented by Sir William Dixson, 1932 DG 204

79 Fig Tree Bridge, Lane Cove, before 1954

by Herbert Reginald Gallop oil on canvas on plywood bequeathed by Dr RJ Pope, 1954 ML 733

80 Fort Denison, 1923 by George F Harris acquired 1972 DG 407

81 View in Sydney Harbour, c 1880

by Margaret I Coulter presented by W Chambers, 1957 ML 391

82 Sydney Harbour looking west, 1848

by Jacob Janssen acquired 1932 MI 45

83 Boating scene in Sydney Harbour, before 1926 by Alfred James Daplyn presented by Miss M Dowe, 1961

84 Port Jackson from Dawes Point, c 1842

ML 495

by unknown artist, after John Skinner Prout unknown provenance ML 625

85 Sydney Harbour looking towards the Heads, 1848 by Jacob Janssen acquired 1932 ML 46

86 The Heads of Port Jackson NSW from off the North Head — a squall, 1846

Head — a squall, 1846 by George Edwards Peacock oil on board presented by Sir William Dixson, 1929 DG 333

87 Port Jackson NSW. The Floating Light — (Morning), 1846
by George Edwards Peacocl

by George Edwards Peacock oil on board presented by Sir William Dixson, 1929 DG 334 88 Government House and Fort Macquarie Sydney NSW from the Botanical Gardens, 1846

by George Edwards Peacock oil on board presented by Sir William Dixson, 1929 DG 336

89 Looking west from the roof, 204 Clarence Street, 1986 by Jeff Rigby acrylic on canvas acquired 1990

ML 1015

90 Sydney Harbour, 1888 by Charles Edward Conder unknown provenance DG 428

91 Government House, c 1850 by George Edwards Peacock oil on board presented by Sir William Dixson, 1932 DG 206

92 Dawes Point showing Sydney Harbour Bridge in the course of construction, c 1927

by Herbert Reginald Gallop oil on canvas on plywood presented by L Parker in memory of Mrs Nan Keesing, 1949 ML 437

93 Sydney NSW from Garden Island. Government House to the left, 1846

by George Edwards Peacock bequeathed by Sir William Dixson, 1952 DL 7

94 Pyrmont, Barker's Mills, Sydney 1859 by Christie

presented by Mrs E Ewington, 1934 ML 1426

95 Custom House and part of Circular Wharf, Sydney NSW, 1845

by George Edwards Peacock oil on board presented by Sir William Dixson, 1929 DG 38

96 Customs House and Circular Quay, Sydney NSW, 1845 by George Edwards Peacock oil on board presented by Sir William Dixson, 1929

DG 35

7 View of the Heads of Port Jackson NSW looking north from a hill above Vaucluse Bay, 1846

by George Edwards Peacock oil on board bequeathed by Sir William Dixson, 1952 DL 12

98 Residence of the Hon ED Thomson, Sydney, NSW, 1845

by George Edwards Peacock oil on commercial artists board acquired 1963 DG 355

99 Supreme Court House, Sydney, NSW, 1845 by George Edwards Peacock oil on board acquired 1931 ML 659

100 Port Jackson NSW. View in Double Bay South Side Middle Head in the distance (near sunset), undated by George Edwards Peacock oil on board presented by Sir William Dixson, 1929 DG 37

101 The Harbour, Neutral Bay, Sydney, c 1930-40s by James Ranalph Jackson bequeathed by Helen Selle, 2012 ML 1295

102 Milsons Point, c 1960s by James Ranalph Jackson oil on board from the estate of Sir Erik Langker, c 1980s

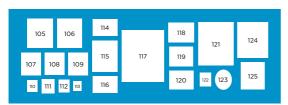
Langker, c 1980s ML 967 103 Sydney from Sandy [Rose] Bay, 1840

by Conrad Martens bequeathed by Sir William Dixson, 1952 DL 23

104 The Swimming Enclosure, 1941

by Herbert Badham oil on board bequeathed by Dr RJ Pope, 1954 ML 573

ROOM 2 - WEST WALL



105 Portrait of Mrs William Paterson, after 1799 by unknown artist presented by Sir William Dixson, 1929 DG 172

106 Colonel William Paterson, c 1799

after William Owen presented by Sir William Dixson, 1929 DG 175

107 Portrait of Governor Philip Gidley King, c 1800

by unknown artist oil on canvas on board donated through the Australian Government's Cultural Gifts Program by Philip King and David King, 2010 ML 1257

108 Portrait of Anna Josepha King, c 1800

oil on canvas on board donated through the Australian Government's Cultural Gifts Program by Philip King and David King, 2010 ML 1258

109 Phillip Parker King, c 1816 by unknown artist acquired 1933

ML 11

110 Governor King, undated by unknown artist presented by P Parker King, Esq., 1965 ML 546

111 George William Evans, (possibly) 1847

by Thomas James Lempriere oil on canvas on board acquired 1911 ML 33

112 Captain Arthur Phillip, c 1787 by Francis Wheatley acquired 1908

ML 124

113 Phillip Parker King, c 1817 by unknown artist oil on canvas on board donated through the Australian Government's Cultural Gifts Program by Philip King and David King, 2014 ML 1318

114 The mock trial, 1812 by Francis Greenway acquired 1990

ML 1002

115 Thomas Townshend, 1st Viscount Sydney, c 1785 attributed to Gilbert Stuart presented by Sir William Dixson, 1929 DG 214

116 Scene inside Newgate

Prison, 1812 by Francis Greenway acquired 1990 ML 1003

117 Sir Joseph Banks, c 1808-09 by Thomas Phillips

presented by Sir William Dixson, 1929 DG 25

118 The 'Vineyard', Parramatta, 1840

by Conrad Martens presented by EH Macarthur, 1945 MI 48

119 Sydney from Bell Mount, 1813

by Stephen Taylor presented by Sir William Dixson, 1948 DG 100

120 Governor Bourke's statue, overlooking the Harbour, 1842

by Conrad Martens transferred from the Art Gallery of NSW, 1926 ML 99

121 John Macarthur, c 1850 by unknown artist presented by Sir William Dixson, 1935

DG 222

122 Governor Richard Bourke, c 1835 by unknown artist

by unknown artist oil on canvas on panel bequeathed by David Scott Mitchell, 1907 MI 125

123 Midshipman Edward Riou, 1776

by Daniel Gardner acquired 2011 ML 1263

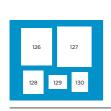
124 Elizabeth Macarthur, undated

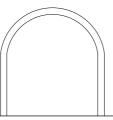
by unknown artist presented by Sir William Dixson, 1935 DG 221

125 Untitled, possibly Lachlan Macquarie, c 1805-24

by unknown artist presented by Lt Col Charles Greenhill, 1914 ML 37

ROOM 2 - NORTH WALL







126 Commander Robert Johnston RN, 1856

by Richard Noble presented by Mrs Robert Johnston, 1926 ML 462

127 Governor Charles Augustus FitzRoy, c 1855 by Henry Robinson Smith

by Henry Robinson Smith unknown provenance ML 159

128 Captain Patrick Logan, c 1825

by unknown artist acquired 1934 ML 13

ML 574

129 Military review, probably in New South Wales, after 1860 by unknown artist oil on board acquired 1938

130 Major James Nunn, Australian Mounted Infantry, c 1840

attributed to Joseph Fowles acquired 2014 ML 1321

131 Bush fire [a view at night], undated

by Naylor Gill oil on board bequeathed by Sir William Dixson, 1952 DI. 3

132 The shepherd, undated

by Samuel Thomas Gill oil on board bequeathed by Sir William Dixson, 1952 DI 43

133 Gold diggings, Ararat, c 1858 by Edward Roper

presented by Sir William Dixson, 1929 DG 15

134 Stoneleigh, Beaufort near Ararat, Victoria, 1866

by Eugene von Guérard acquired 1953 DG 231

135 The Gold Commissioner's station at Timbarra, New South Wales, c 1870 by Louisa Green-Emmott

acquired 2011

ML 1262

136 A gleam of light, c 1910
by Frederick McCubbin

bequeathed by Helen Selle, 2012 ML 1293

37 Goldminer, 1861

by James Anderson acquired 2004 ML 1349

138 Mr E Hargraves the gold discoverer of Australia Feb 12th 1851 returning the salute of the gold miners [5th] of the ensuing May 1851, undated

by Thomas Balcombe bequeathed by Clare Annie Marsden, 1964 ML 532

139 Mining camp, possibly Victorian, c 1855-60

attributed to David Tulloch oil on board presented by Sir William Dixson, 1929 DG 17

140 William Romaine Govett, 1843

by C Day oil on board presented by Sir William Dixson, 1934 DG 223

141 William Charles Wentworth, 1872

by James Anderson presented by Fitzwilliam Wentworth, 1910 ML 411

142 Solomon Wiseman. c 1820-38

by unknown artist oil on board presented by Mrs DJD Litchfield, 1994 ML 1086

143 Arrival of Burke & Wills at Flinders River 1861, 1862 by Edward Jukes Greig presented by James Best,

1923 ML 807

144 Sir Thomas Livingstone Mitchell, c 1830s

by unknown artist bequeathed by Livingston F Mann, 1933 MI 24

145 Andrew Hamilton Hume, 1843-49

by Joseph Backler oil on canvas on masonite presented 1963 ML 504

146 The Macdonald River,

Wiseman's Road, 1840 by Conrad Martens presented by Sir William Dixson, 1933 DG 346

147 In the valley of the Grose, 1880

by William Charles Piguenit bequeathed by David Scott Mitchell, 1907 ML 571

148 Chief Derah Mat [Derrimut]

of Port Philip, 1836 by Benjamin Duterrau presented by Sir William Dixson, 1938 DG 371

149 Captain William Hilton Hovell, 1866

by unknown artist presented by Mrs CF Roberts, 1921 ML 34

150 A mountain inn, 1862 by Joseph Fowles

presented by Sir William Dixson, 1929 DG 18

151 View of Proposed Town of Adelaide, c 1836 by William Light oil on board

presented by Sir William Dixson, 1929 DG 157

152 Launceston, 1860 by Frederick Strange

presented by David Scott Mitchell, 1903 ML 110

153 Hobart Town, taken from the garden where I lived, 1832 by John Glover

presented by Sir William Dixson, 1938 DG 6

154 George Augustus Robinson,

attributed to Bernardino Giani acquired 1939 ML 27

155 Port Arthur, Tasmania, 1833

by unknown artist oil on board acquired 1941 ML 185

156 Hobart Town, 1857

by Henry Gritten presented by Sir William Dixson, 1943 DG 345

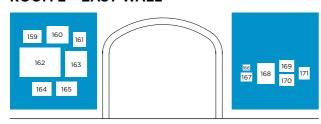
157 Natives at a corrobory, c 1835

by John Glover acquired 1939 ML 154

158 Patterdale landscape, Tasmania, 1833-34

by John Glover acquired 1958 DG 230

ROOM 2 - EAST WALL



159 Castle Rock, Cape Schanck, Victoria, 1865

by Nicholas Chevalier bequeathed by David Scott Mitchell, 1907 ML 693

160 View of Mr Slaney's House, Norfolk Island, Lat. 291-South Long. 168 East, c 1800 by unknown artist acquired 2010 MI 1254

161 The memory of what has been and never more will be. Harieta, an Arawa chieftainess, 1916 by Charles Frederick Goldie acquired 1960

DG 301

162 Landing in Bounty Bay, c 1825

by Frederick William Beechey acquired 1934 ML 114

163 Mr Hapuku, 1877 by Gottfried Lindauer acquired c 1960

DG 302 164 The Lady Nelson, undated

by unknown artist presented by Captain GN Hector, 1922 MI 86

165 Portrait of Il Netunno. later Marquis Cornwallis, under sail, 1793 by Frans Balthazar Solvyns oil on panel

acquired 2004 ML 1353

166 A group of Australian Aborigines, possibly in Sydney, c 1849

by unknown artist oil on board acquired 2010 ML 1253

167 Aboriginal hunting kangaroos, 1840s

by unknown artist oil on cardboard acquired 2006 MI 1394

168 Aboriginal hunting, undated attributed to Thomas Balcombe acquired 1920

169 Aborigine fishing, c 1853

ML 568

by Thomas Balcombe oil on board acquired 2015 ML 1453

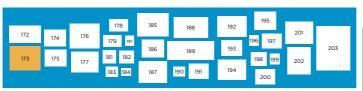
170 Aborigine fishing by torchlight, c 1853

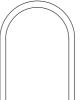
by Thomas Balcombe oil on board acquired 2015 ML 1454

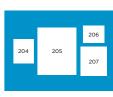
171 Aborigines hunting, 1858

by Thomas Balcombe acquired 2008 ML 1410

ROOM 2 - SOUTH WALL







172 View of a coastline, possibly the Illawarra, c 1845 by unknown artist

bequeathed by Sir William Dixson, 1952 DL 6

173 Collection day, 2011 by John Bokor oil on board acquired 2013 MI 1304

174 Gibraltar Rocks Arthursleigh, 1839 by Conrad Martens bequeathed by David Scott Mitchell, 1907 ML 107

175 View of Arthursleigh, 1839 by Conrad Martens bequeathed by David Scott Mitchell, 1907 ML 105

176 Sunset in New South Wales,

by Eugene von Guérard acquired from Mr Bell, 1953 ML 258

177 Cabbage trees near the Shoalhaven River. New South Wales, 1860 by Eugene von Guérard acquired 2007 MI 1398

178 Unidentified landscape from a drawing by Robert Hoddle, c 1837-81

by Thomas Clark presented by Sir William Dixson, 1943 DG 256

179 View of Murrengenberg Mountain and Bundawang Mountain, from a drawing by Robert Hoddle, c 1852-83 by Thomas Clark presented by Sir William Dixson, 1943 DG 255

180 Jimmy Read of Bowral,

undated by unknown artist oil on board presented by Mr AD Merewether Busby, 1947 ML 439

Stanwell Park, c 1935 attributed to Douglas Dundas acquired 2011

ML 1259

182 Stanwell Park, before 1958 by Herbert Reginald Gallop presented by Mrs H Gallop, 1973

ML 736

183 Stockyard, near Jamberoo, 1886

> by Charles Edward Conder oil on board presented by Sir William Dixson, 1951 DG 263

184 The South Australian Alps as first seen by Messrs. Hovell and Hume on the 8th November 1824, undated by George Edwards Peacock presented by Mrs CF Roberts, 1921 ML 144

185 Port Macquarie, NSW, c 1840 by Joseph Backler presented by Sir William Dixson, 1929 DG 107

186 Northern entrance to **Burrangalong Cavern** (Abercrombie Caves), near Bathurst, New South Wales, 1843-49

by Conrad Martens bequeathed by David Scott Mitchell 1907 ML 98

187 Interior of Burrangalong Cavern (Abercrombie Caves), near Bathurst, New South Wales, 1843-49 by Conrad Martens presented by Sir William Dixson, 1929 DG 163

188 Corroboree at Newcastle, c 1818

by Joseph Lycett oil on wood panel presented by Sir William Dixson, 1938 DG 228

Neighbourhood Watch, 2009

by Robyn Sweaney acrylic on linen acquired 2009 ML 1431

190 Ford on the Lower Hunter, c 1840s

by Joseph Docker presented by Mrs K Brown, 1968 ML 643

St Thomas's Church Port Macquarie, 1832-42 by Joseph Backler presented by Miss Amy

Warlters, 1917 ML 273 192 Port Macquarie, c 1840

by Joseph Backler unknown provenance ML 354

193 Mount King George from the Bathurst Road, 1848 by Conrad Martens bequeathed by David Scott Mitchell, 1907 ML 106

194 Port Macquarie, c 1840 by Joseph Backler presented by Thomas Dick Esq., 1915 MI 324

195 The road to Bathurst, 1946 by Douglas Dundas acquired 2015 MI 1455

196 One of the NSW Aborigines befriended by Governor Macquarie, c 1810-21

by unknown artist oil on wood panel acquired c 1914 ML 696

Henry Cox's place, Broombee, Mudgee New South Wales, 1841 by Conrad Martens presented by Sir William Dixson, 1929 DG 87

Girl on a bike, Cudal, near Orange, New South Wales, 1945

by Herbert Badham oil on pulpboard acquired 2010 MI 1445

199 Maria Little, c 1895 by Tom Roberts presented by Sir William Dixson, 1943

DG 319

200 View at Burrundulla, farm of George Cox, Mudgee, New South Wales, 1841 by Conrad Martens presented by Sir William Dixson, 1929 DG 83

201 View of Tenterfield, 1861 by Joseph Backler acquired 1996 ML 1124

202 Edward DS Ogilvie, 1894-95 by Tom Roberts presented by Mrs Giselda Carson, 1972 ML 687

203 The squatter, Dr R B Kelley, 1939

by Norman Carter presented by Norman Carter, 1962 ML 228

204 David Scott Mitchell, c 1925 by Norman Carter acquired 1926 ML 104

205 Dr James Mitchell, 1854 by Marshall Claxton presented by the EC Merewether Estate Trustees, 1965 ML 7

206 In the reading room, c 1931-42 by Roland Wakelin oil on board acquired 1989

ML 1001

207 Sydney Public Library, c 1931 by Normand Henry Baker acquired 1963 DG 354

ROOM 3 - WEST WALL



208 Self-portrait, 1952 by John Allcot acquired 1987

ML 974

209 Child in carrying cloak, c 1850

by unknown artist acquired 2004 ML 1351

210 Lieutenant JJ Peters, late 28th Regiment, 1840 by Maurice Felton presented by PJ Meyer, Esq., 1922 ML 196

211 Dame Mary Gilmore, 1891 by Ethel Anna Stephens oil on canvas on board acquired 1986 MI 952

212 AB Paterson, 'Banjo', 1927 by Agnes Noyes Goodsir presented by Eadith Campbell Walker, 1928 ML 269

213 Conrad Martens, c 1840 by Maurice Felton oil on board presented by Miss Coombes, 1921-22 ML 28

214 Fancy self-portrait, 1840 by Maurice Felton oil on wood panel Transferred from the Art Gallery of NSW, 1922 ML 457

215 Bernhardt Otto Holtermann, 1872-85

attributed to J Kemp presented by BO Holtermann, 1952 ML 265

216 Caroline Chisholm, 1852 by Angelo Collen Hayter acquired 1983 DG 459

217 Sarah Osborne, c 1860 by unknown artist presented 2001 ML 1232

218 Henry Smithers Hayes of the Brisbane [Steam] Mill, Parramatta Road, 1845 by Joseph T Dennis acquired 1983 DG 458

219 Self-portrait, c 1895 by Catherine Elizabeth Streeter acquired 1977 DG 431

220 Patrick White, 1965 by Desmond Digby oil on board presented by Patrick White, 1978 ML 813

221 Self-portrait, 1890s by Arthur Collingridge acquired 1969 DG 397 222 Conrad Martens, 1853 by Pierre Nuyts presented by Sir William

Dixson, 1943 DG 266

223 Dr JJ Streeter, c 1895 by Catherine Elizabeth Streeter acquired 1977 DG 432

224 Hal Porter, c 1934 by William Dargie acquired 1966 DG 386

225 Rosa Campbell Praed, 1884 attributed to Emily Praed acquired 1991 ML 1039

226 James Dunlop, c 1826 attributed to Augustus Earle presented by Jessie Elizabeth and Robert Innes Kay, 1966 ML 554

227 Cornelius Delohery Self-portrait, 1855 by Cornelius Delohery presented by HJ Delohery, 1953 ML 216

228 Benjamin Boyd, c 1830–40 by unknown artist presented by Georgina Brade, 2016 ML 1461

229 Pixie O'Harris, 1938 by Mary Edwards acquired 1988 ML 982

230 Gayfield Shaw, 1918 by William Beckwith McInnes acquired 1986 ML 953

231 Mrs Tryphena A Dibbs, 1897 by Tom Roberts presented by NSW Dept of Health in conjunction with Graythwaite Nursing Home, 1986 ML 954

232 Mrs WA Holman, 1917 by John Samuel Watkins presented by U Kidgell, 1950 MI 286

233 Beryl Whiteley, c 1940s by unknown artist oil on canvas on board presented by the State Library of NSW Foundation in association with Mocopan and Seppelt's Wines, 1997 ML 1170

234 Domesticity, 1959 by Herbert Badham oil on canvas board acquired 2014 ML 1310

235 Frances Cory (Mrs Edward Gostwyck), c 1820s by unknown artist acquired 1970 DG 404 236 Jean Sandro Russell, 1894 by John Peter Russell presented by AJ Perier, 1954 ML 146

237 Al fresco, 1927 by Herbert Badham oil on plywood acquired 2010 ML 1444

238 Gladys (Mrs John) Moore, 1931 by Norman Carter

presented by Norman Carter, 1962 ML 322

Margaret Coen, 1932
by Edmund Arthur Harvey
acquired 2012
ML 1305

240 Ure Smith's flat, 1939 by Norman Carter acquired 2015 ML 1474

241 Self-portrait, 1930 by Norman Carter presented by Norman Carter, 1962 ML 168

242 Florence Rodway, 1910 by Norman Carter presented by Norman Carter, 1962 ML 339

243 Self-portrait, 1940 by Jack Noel Kilgour presented by JN Kilgour, 1981 ML 864

244 Mr Hans Heysen, 1938 by Norman Carter presented by Norman Carter, 1962 ML 242

245 Portrait of Nancy May Kilgour, 1932 by Jack Noel Kilgour presented by JN Kilgour, 1981 MI 865

246 Dorothy in a lime jacket, 1940 by Douglas Dundas acquired 1997

ML 1153

247 A Man with a Rabbit, c 1910 by George Washington Lambert acquired 1931 MI 357

248 Portrait of Jack Kilgour sketching a model, c 1940s by Nancy May Kilgour acquired 1986 ML 958

249 The convex mirror, c 1916 by George Washington Lambert oil and pencil on wood bequeathed by Helen Selle, 2012 ML 1292 250 Faith Bandler, c 1957 by Elsa Russell oil on masonite donated through the Australian Government's Cultural Gifts Program by Faith Bandler, 1998

251 Portrait of a woman, undated by George Washington

ML 1175

Lambert acquired 1931 ML 246

252 Millicent Preston-Stanley, 1950

by Mary Edwards acquired 1968 DG 396

253 Rod Quinn, 1941 by Hayward Veal presented by the Fellowship of Australia Writers, 1971 ML 801

254 Margaret Fink, 1987 by Judy Cassab acquired 2016 ML 1477

255 Stuart Campbell Esq., c 1933 by Nina Orloff donated through the Australian Government's Cultural Gifts Program by the Godson of Stuart Campbell, 2002 ML 1240

256 Percy Reginald Stephensen, 1943

by Robert Grothey acquired 1966 ML 567

257 Randolph Hughes Esq., c 1916 by Edward H Wolfe acquired 1966 DG 400

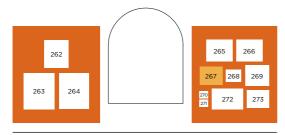
258 Elizabeth Riddell with black cat, 1946 by Dahl Collings oil on board presented by Geoffrey Collings, 1997 ML 1138

259 Self-portrait, c 1940s by Herbert Reginald Gallop presented by Professor RA Gallop, 1974 ML 741

260 Douglas Stewart, 1941 by Margaret Coen acquired 1995 ML 1091

261 Winter self-portrait, 2000 by Tom Carment acquired 2001 ML 1227

ROOM 3 - NORTH WALL



262 Brush scene, Brisbane Water, 1848

by Conrad Martens presented by Sir William Dixson, 1929 DG 165

263 Victoria 1st, 1841 by Maurice Felton acquired 1989 ML 992

264 Mrs F O'Brien, 1841 by Maurice Felton acquired 1975 DG 427

265 Kangaroo dog owned by Mr Dunn of Castlereagh Street Sydney, 1853

by Thomas Balcombe presented by Mrs AL Bourke, 1943 ML 335

266 Kangaroo dog owned by Mr Dunn of Castlereagh Street, Sydney, 1853

by Thomas Balcombe presented by Mrs AL Bourke, 1943 ML 336

Male and female red kangaroos in a Liverpool Plains landscape, c 1819

attributed to JW Lewin acquired 1979 ML 852

268 Race horse and jockey, undated

by Joseph Fowles presented by RJ Fawcett, 1960 ML 427

269 Captain Frederick John Butts and a fellow officer of the 77th (East Middlesex) Regiment of Foot, Hyde

Park, Sydney, 1858 by Joseph Fowles presented by Sir William Dixson, 1938 DG 251

270 Plover (age 5), 1848 by Thomas Balcombe

oil on board acquired 2008 ML 1407

271 Old Jorrocks (age 16), 1848 by Thomas Balcombe

oil on board acquired 2008 ML 1408

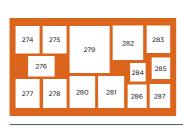
272 Robertson Royal Menagerie9 Strand, c 1820by unknown artist

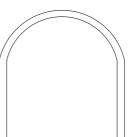
acquired 2012 ML 1354

273 View of Bungarribee NSW, 1858

by Joseph Fowles acquired 1999 ML 1193

ROOM 3 - EAST WALL







274 Alexander Macleay, before 1848

possibly by William Owen or Frederick Richard Say presented by Evelyn, Lady Macleay, 1943 ML 19

275 Elizabeth Macleay,

before 1847 by unknown artist presented by Evelyn, Lady Macleay, 1943 ML 20

276 View above Rose Bay, 1841 by Conrad Martens presented by Sir William

Dixson, 1921 DG 59 277 Portrait of Emily

Macpherson, c 1870s by unknown artist

by unknown artist oil on paper on canvas acquired 2010 ML 1441

278 Portrait of Isabel Macpherson c 1870s by unknown artist

by unknown artist oil on paper on canvas acquired 2010 ML 1442

279 Thomas Chapman & Master Robert Cooper Tertius, 1840

by Maurice Felton presented by Miss R Kirkwood, 1970 ML 663

280 Margaret Moore Smail, 1858

by Joseph Backler presented by Mrs D Rosemond and Mrs I Rosemond, 1969 ML 647

281 Alexander Smail, 1860

by Joseph Backler presented by Mrs D Rosemond and Mrs I Rosemond, 1969 ML 646

282 Anna Elizabeth Walker, 1840

by Maurice Felton bequeathed by Miss AO Walker, 1936 ML 341

283 Harriott Blaxland, c 1840 attributed to Maurice Felto

attributed to Maurice Felton bequeathed by Alice O Walker, 1936 ML 329

284 John Marquett Blaxland, c 1839

attributed to Maurice Felton bequeathed by Miss AO Walker, 1936 ML 423

285 Jane Elizabeth Blaxland, c 1835

by unknown artist oil on wood bequeathed by Miss AO Walker, 1936 ML 446

286 Quong Tart, c 1880s

by unknown artist oil on board acquired 2004 ML 1346

287 Ancestral portrait of Quong Tart's mother, c 1888

by unknown artist oil on canvas on board acquired 2004 ML 1347

288 Christina Sinclair, 1846

by Joseph Backler presented by Mrs I Morris, 1952 ML 173

289 Emma, Harriet, and Fanny Samuell, c 1857 by Fortescue Hitchins

acquired 1999 ML 1199

290 Alexander Sinclair, 1846

by Joseph Backler presented by Mrs I Morris, 1952 ML 165

291 Thomas Watson, 1859

by Joseph Backler presented by Mrs PF Talboys, 1987 ML 970

292 James Sinclair, 1846 by Joseph Backler

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294 Harriet King, nee Lethbridge, 1854

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295 Sarah Cobcroft, 1856

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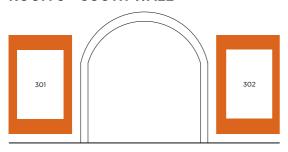
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