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Abé, Caroline Matilda		1950	Pioneer of Corrigin. Very brief details.
Abel, Bertha	25 April 1860	4 October 1918	Brief biographical details of Upper Blackwood resident.
Abernethy, H Sarah			1 st Treasurer C.W.A. in North Dandalup, founded 1934.
			Pioneer woman of the community.
Ackland, Edith May			Wongan-Ballidu. One of four earliest settlers of virgin land in
			1905, and 30 miles from the railway head, Goomalling, 1909.
Ackland, Grace Ruby			Wongan-Ballidu. One of early settlers in 1911.
Adams, Elizabeth		12 October 1891	Wife of William Adams. Arrived on "Rockingham" 1830. 1st
			midwife in W.A. Died aged 93years.
Adams, Elizabeth Shaud			Plantagenet Shire. Went as wife of settler to Forrest Hill
			district via Mount Barker – 25 miles west.
Adams, Mary (nee Martin)			Arrived on "Rockingham". Husband William Adams.
Adams, Julia Ellen	1842	1928	PioneeredNungarin. 1911-1926. Born 1842. Died 1928.
Adams, Margaret Jane			Narembeen Shire. Went to South Kumminin in 1911 as one
			of the first settlers in that district.
Adams, Margaret Young	1883		Born 1883. Arrived Manjimup 1923
Adams, Sophia Maria Douglas			Serviced the first Post Office Harvey District, 1883-1893.
Walker			
Adamson, Mary (nee Lukin)			1 st woman to reside on Drumdyer Farm, Beverley, 1897. 1 st
			President Central Division CWA, 2 nd President Beverley
			Branch.
Adlam, Catherine (nee			Wife of Joseph Adams. Pioneer of Trayning. Settled there
Brownrigg)			1910.

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Agar, Sarah Anne			Arrived in Kalgoorlie 1902. Went to Merkanooka via Morawa 1911. One of the 1 st women in district.
Ainsworth, Christine			Wife of Alfred. Pioneer of Koorda 1908. On virgin block helped to clear land and also taught children from neighbouring farms for several years until a school was built in the district.
Aitcheson, Amy (nee Marchmant)			Pioneer of Cunderdin district.
Albert, Sarah (nee Cook)	1858	1951	Wife of Henry William. Born in Fremantle 1858. Died 1951, aged 93.
Alcorn, Madge (nee Poole)			Westonia. Settled on virgin block 5 miles south of Warachuppin in 1929.
Allanson, Annie	13 November 1878 in South Australia	12 July 1958	Came to WA 1904, Dowerin 1910.
Allbeury, Grace Catherine (nee Armstrong)			Wife of Chaucer Goding Allbeury. Pioneer of Merredin district. Before marriage helped her parents with 1 st boarding house in Merredin.
Allen, Bridget (nee Wynne)		1920	Arrived on "Palestine" 1867. 86 years old at time of death. Lived in Fremantle all her married life.
Allen, Emily Jane			Pioneer of Bruce Rock district.
Allen, Kathleen		April 1966	Settled at East Pingelly 1912. Pioneered virgin land. Died aged 82 years.
Allen, Marjorie Justina Seagrim	15 April 1894	15 March 1966	Wife of Frederick Henry Harman Allen. Born at Woodside, South Australia. Died at Dandenong, Victoria. Came to WA 1910, to Kendenup 1921. Had 7 sons and 2 daughters.
Allen, Nancy Lorne (Miss)			Perth. 1 st woman to pass the examination of the Architects Board of W.A. in 1932 and 1 st woman to become an Associate of the Royal Institute of Architects of W.A.
Allen, Rosa Blanche	1883	1966	Born Fremantle 1883. Went to live in North West at an early

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			age. Returned to Fremantle 1902. Married a Beverley farmer then went on dairy farm at Walpole. Died Albany 1966.
Alman, Rosetta Sahra			Foundation member of Kalgoorlie Croquet Club and Secretary for 9 years. Service with Red Cross for 52 years. Currently (1977) Mayoress of Kalgoorlie and President of Croquet Club.
Altham, Sarah			Went to Pingrup in 1911.
Anderson, Amy Cecilia			Pioneer of Port Hedland 1895 – 1905. Pioneer of Bromehill 1905 - 1937.
Anderson, Constance Louisa (nee Williams)	1900		Wife of Colin Warden Anderson. Born Beverley 1900. Married 1920. Foundation President CWA Dalwallinu (Buntine) 1929. Foundation President CWA Gooseberry Hill 1950.
Anderson, Eliza Margaret			Arrived in Thomson's Brook via Donnybrook in 1901 to farm.
Anderson, Elizabeth Ann (nee Curtis)	1866		Wife of James Henry Anderson. Born Victoria 1866. Arrived Coolgardie 1894, settled in Kalgoorlie 1898. Had 6 children.
Anderson, Harriet (nee Martin)	1842	1923	Born, married and buried at Upper Swan. Born 1842, died 1923, aged 81.
Anderson, Isabella (nee Cooke)	March 1876	1958	Born Toodyay March 1876. Died Cunderdin August 1958, aged 82. Pioneer of Cunderdin.
Anderson, Sister Jane E			Pioneer Bush nurse for Walpole district. Came from Ireland to Group 116 in answer to ad for nurses and deaconesses. Period 1929 – 35.
Anderson, Margaret Hannah Hamish			Went to Dowerin as a bride in 1904. Reared family of 5 children.
Anderson, Marie			Cunderdin district pioneer.
Anderson, Mary Ethel (nee Jago)			Dalwallinu. Arrived with her husband, Henry Westrop Anderson, in 1911 to take up virgin land in the East Pithara
0-/			district.

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Andrewartha, Elizabeth Mary			Pioneer of Mt Barker where she and her husband went 1902
			and took up virgin land. 1 st went to Kalgoorlie from South
			Australia in early 1890s. Mr Andrewartha opened
			shoemaker's business in Mt Barker and gradually developed
			a mixed farm.
Andrews, Mrs			Mt Marshall Shire. Pioneer of Beacon 1928.
Andrews, Caroline Helen		1923	Arrived in Albany 16 August 1865.
Andrews, Mary Anne			With husband and family left Gloucestershire England 1911.
			10 th June boarded the "Goeben" at Antwerp for Australia
			and arrived Fremantle 17 July 1911. March 1912 went on
			land at Lake Brown, Nungarin district.
Annert, Sophia (nee Smith)			Arrived Goldfields c.1890. Travelled to Northam by train,
			then camel to Kanowna. Her 2 nd husband died in Kanowna
			when she was 46 and she moved to Kalgoorlie.
Annice, Annie			Wife of James Annice, Kojonup. Brief biographical details.
Appleyard, Mary (nee Warner)			Wife of Thomas. Came to Kununoppin 1911.
Arber, Prudence			Went to Mt Barker at early age.
Archer, Fanny Grace (nee			Married 24 April 1891. Arrived in Wandagee May 1891.
Snook)			Pioneer of district.
Archer, Lily Mabel (nee			Arrived from England 1910 and settled on virgin land at
Tanner)			Manjimup.
Argus, Mary Honore			Albany. Born in Scotland, came to W.A. 1927. Married 1931.
			Went to Goldfields with husband 1934. Foundation Secretary
			of CWA, Mt Many Peaks and 1 st mover to get school bus to
			that district.
Argyle, Amy Augusta			Goldfields journalist 1907. Known as "Carrie" of the "Miner".
-			Started weekly feature ladies letter.
Armstrong, Agnes (nee	1861		(Mrs Lindsay Armstrong). Married 1880. Lived in
McHard)			Greenbushes district, property named "Southampton".

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Armstrong, Elizabeth (nee Henry)			Wife of John Armstrong. Conducted 1 st boarding house in Merredin for railway men 1904.
Armstrong, Margaret	1842	1923	Biographical details of Matron of Fremantle Asylum from 1883.
Armstrong, Violet Jewel			One of the 1 st farmers' wives to go to Lake Hinds, August 1913, Wongan hills district. Now [1976] living at Albany aged 87.
Arnold, Nurse			Brought many babies into the world in Katanning district from 1900s onwards.
Arnold, Agnes Mary			Mukinbudin. Pioneered virgin block Wialki district 1930.
Arnold, Janet			Came to Bruce Rock district 1926 from Pinneroo, South
			Australia with her husband, 3 sons and 3 daughters. Took
			active interest in CWA – President when Rest Centre opened.
			Among the pioneers who established the Churches of Christ
			in Eastern Wheatbelt.
Arthur, Jean (nee Gray)			1 st woman to settle in Wubin area. Biographical details.
Ashbolt, Lydia			Wife of H. Ashbolt. Came to York in early 1850s.
Ashcroft, Ethel May			Arrived Nyabing district 1928. Became member Nyabing CWA 1933.
Ashe, Bessie		1962	1 st marriage Lorden (pioneer of Katanning) 1914. 2 nd
			marriage Ashe (Pioneer of Kojonup) 1926.
Ashman, Eliza (nee Coates)		1894	Born at Coates Siding 1861. Married Mr H.J. Ashman.
			Pioneered land at Baker's Hill.
Ashton, Edith Adelaide	1872	1962	Came from South Australia early in 1900s. Lived for a few
			years at Fremantle and later at West Perth. Lived in W.A. for
			52 years.
Ashton, Gladys			Augusta – Margaret River. 1 st President Witchcliffe CWA, Feb 1933.
Ashurst, Martha (nee	11 December 1890		Westonia/Walgoolin. Wife of Harold Ashurst. Married 20

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Haggarty)			April 1912 at Newcastle-on-Tyne. Born at Govan, Scotland.
			Arrived W.A. 8 August 1924. Took up virgin land at
			"Jilbadgie" Location 103, South Walgoolin 1924.
Ashworth, Ada Jane		November 1955	Brief biographical details of Narrogin and Cuballing resident.
Asplin, Elizabeth		1942	Biographical details.
Astbury, Mary Coutts			Took up virgin land on Rabbit Proof Fence 104 Gate, 1910.
			Came from Collie with 2 children.
Aston, Winifred Agnes (nee			Wife of Nicholas B.C. Aston. Born North Shore, Sydney. Later
Marshall)			reared in Coolgardie. Interested in First Aid, Home Nursing
			and Red Cross.
Atkins, Elizabeth (nee			Came from Ireland 1906. Married George Atkins 1906. Lived
Alexander)			at Harvey until Mr Atkins went to Lake King 1928 with eldest
			5 boys of family of 13. Five months later Mrs Atkins followed
			with rest of family.
Atwell, Sarah Phoebe (nee	1842	1928	Brief biographical details of Fremantle resident.
Pusey)			
Augustin, Babette (nee		November, 1966	Biographical information on Buntine resident, Dalwallinu
Waldheir)			district.
Auld, Lily May		May 1937	Arrived in Muntadgin district 1919. Died in Merredin May
			1937.
Austin, Dorothy Gwendoline	1904		Arrived Katanning 1913 – 1960. Eldest of family of 11. Taught
(nee Lavis)			at country schools Glen Lynn, Coomelberrup, Wilgoyne,
			Glencoe, Westwood and Corackine. Helped develop farm
			east of Katanning. Family of 3 girls and 1 boy.
Austin, Harriet Amabel			Arrived Katanning prior to World War 1. After war started
			farming virgin land east of Katanning. One of earliest setters
			in Katanning district.
Austin, Pearl (nee Hart)	1894		Wife of Reginald Charles. Born 1894 Euclinda, South
,			Australia. Foundation member CWA Gnowangerup 1931.

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			Came to Gnowangerup as Sister Hart 1923. Hospital Matron until her marriage 1925.
Austin, Pearl (nee Hay)			Wife of Charles Austin. Information on CWA activities Brookton area.
Avery, Mellie			Dowerin Shire. Pioneer of Manmanning 1925 – 1962.
Aylmore, Emma Alwina (nee Dost)	1873	1941	Born South Australia. 1 son and 2 Daughters. Toolbrunup 1903.
Aylmore, Harriet Elizabeth (nee Moores)	1896		Wife of Albert Edward. Came to Gnowangerup 1915.
Aylott, Edith Bertha			Lived of farm at Walcutting in the Bruce Rock district 1920- 1955.
Ayres, Catherine			Came to Koorda district in early years, and struggled through hard depression days.
Back, Jane Elizabeth (nee Lund)	June 1848	1928	Brief biographical details.
Back, Paula Susanna (nee Curtis)			Arrived in 1829 with her brother. Married Captain Edward Back who was pilot for Fremantle and stationed at Rottnest. Licence issued by Governor Fitzgerald in 1855.
Bacon, Jessie Stewart (nee Milne)	29 February 1876		Born at Saddleworth, South Australia. Pioneered Ockley (Wandering) district 1903.
Badger, Violet Ada Maria			Married and settled in Pingrup 1933. Pioneered virgin block with her husband – brought up 3 step-children and her own son.
Badock, Mrs			1 st women golfers in W.A. were Mrs Badock and Miss Gipsy Low, afterwards Mrs Neville. Played first at Belmont. Miss Low was first secretary and Mrs Badock first captain of the Perth Ladies Golf Club.
Bailey, Anne	1866		Came to W.A. 1911. Gnowangerup 1912. Married 1886.
Bailey, Annie Isabella (nee			Went to North Merredin 1911.

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Dixon)			
Bailey, Emily Elizabeth	1866		Brief biographical details.
Bailey, Sarah Anne (nee Luscombe)	1900		Brief biographical details of York resident.
Bailye, Amelia Elizabeth (nee Watts)	27 November 1871		Brief biographical details of Kojonup resident.
Bain, Alma Jessie	1898	1966	Wife of Evan Bain. Pioneer of Woodlands Station, taken up 1924. Station 140 miles from Meekatharra.
Bairstow, Martha (nee Pearce)			Pioneer of Nippering – Dumbleyung district 1903.
Baker, Mrs			1 st woman in Kalamunda.
Baker, Emily Rebecca (Goldie)			Dundas Shire. Pioneered at Norseman 1896. Started first CWA branch at Truslove.
Baker, Esther (nee Polson)	1861		Born 1861 in Wales. Came to South Australia 1879. Married 1882 Port Pirie. Moved to Fremantle, Clackline, then settled in Albany 1888. Had 10 children.
Baker, Florence Jessica (nee Fountain)			Came to South Australia in Windjammer in 1890s, then to WA 1896 or 1898. Went to Comet Vale with husband Dan Baker. Pioneered farm in Midland – "Correga" meaning Red Chief – he had been named by aborigines. Mrs Baker died aged 81.
Balding, Maida Florence	1874	30 November 1945	Nursed at Coolgardie during typhoid outbreak. Matron Fremantle Hospital 1914-1939. Born London, died Perth.
Baldwin, Mary (nee Carroll)			Left England with soldier father who passed away during voyage. Arrived on "Belgravia" 1865. Married Joseph Pickering, St John's Church, Fremantle. Reared a large family and after husband's death married Denis Baldwin.
Ball, Annie (nee Griffin)	1871	1929	Trayning Shire. Pioneer of district 1911, Yelbeni. Married 1892.
Ball, Charlotte Susan Ann			Lived at "Mianellup" Gnowangerup district 1904 and

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Augusta			Katanning 1905-1931.
Ball, Esther Dorothy (nee	1895	1948	Married 1915 to Nathaniel. Came to Gnowangerup 1907
Porteus)			with parents. Pioneered "Lynhurst" in 1920. Taught her
			family by correspondence for 17 years – record in Education
			Department.
Ball, Mary Drysdale (nee Wray)	1891		Born Broomehill 1891. Pioneer of Gnowangerup 1917. Wife
			of Joseph Lemon. 1 son and 1 daughter.
Ball, Rubena May (nee	1896	1962	Wife of Ben. Born South Australia 1896, came to WA with
Riseborough)			parents. Lived at Leine[?] Lake (Wagin) and started farming
			virgin land. When she married went to an adjoining property
			which husband had taken up 1913. Died 1962 aged 65.
Bamess, Mrs			Came to W.A. and settled at Pingrup 1915 as one of first
			settlers there. Member of Lake Grace CWA Branch since
			1952.
Bancroft, Jane (nee Couper)	1882	24 July 1968	Born Victoria. Arrived Dowerin 1898 with parents. Married
			Arthur Bancroft 1904.
Bandy, Elizabeth (nee			With husband Joseph pioneered farm at Hutt, formerly
Williams)			known as Yuba No. 2. District opened 1910. Pioneer of
			Northampton from 1890, moved to Hutt to obtain bigger
			acreage for sons.
Banks, Annie (nee Ledger)	1862		Born Leeds, England 1862. Wife of Frederick William Banks.
			Left England March 1882 on the "Fitzroy", arrived Fremantle
			June 1882. Settled in Hay Street West, later moved to Stirling
			Street.
Banks, Mrs H. J.			Vice-President of Women's Auxiliary Churches of Christ, WA.
Barclay, Lydia Louisa (nee	1875		Wife of Edgar James Barclay, married in Coolgardie April
Stabb)			1898. Born 1875 in Victoria. 1901 moved to Kalgoorlie.
Barnacle, Sophia Lucy Caroline			Went to Mt Barker from England as the wife of the first
			married Rector of All Saints Church of England about 1910.

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Barnard, Anne (nee Carmody)		15 October 1938	Brief biographical details.
Barnden, Frances			1 st marriage to Francis Friend who drowned 1831 in Swan
			River. Family had come to W.A. She then married Richard
			Barnden and they lived at Barnden Hill near Rivervale.
Barnes, Mrs			Pioneer of Lake Grace 1915 and of Nyabing – Pingrup.
Barnes, Agnes Louise			Went to Kellerberrin 1911–1949.
Barnes, Agnes Kirkwood Burns			With husband and 5 daughters went to Doodlakine 1910 and
			took prominent part in all activities. Was 1 st President in area
			for CWA.
Barnes, Gladys Mary	1897		Arrived at Boulder 1899 – came from South Australia.
Barnes, Kathleen (nee Doyle)			Wife of John Maurice Barnes. Went to Yelbeni district, 1911
			(Trayning Shire).
Barnes, Millicent May			Pioneer of North Kukerin district 1912.
Barnes, Mrs O. J.			Morawa Shire. Very brief details.
Barnesley, Monica Jane	1 July 1882	29 July 1964	Plantagenet Shire. Biographical details.
Barnett, Catherine Eileen (nee			Wife of Leslie Thomas Clarence Barnett. Married 1933. Born
O'Leary)			Perth, family's farm "St Kevin's", Walgoolin. Pioneered virgin
			land at South Walgoolin 1933, "Seven Oaks". Member CWA
			for 38 years.
Barr, Rosetta Almeda (nee Gilbert)			Born South Australia. Arrived Bruce Rock about 1900.
Barrett, Amelia Ann	16 June 1869	5 May 1942	Born Gingin. Married Richard Broad of Round Hill, 3
		J, 25	November 1887.
Barrett-Lennard, Elizabeth		1870	Wife of Edward Pomery Barrett-Lennard of St Leonards,
(nee Graham)			Swan. Brief biographical details.
Bassett, Sophia Maud (nee	1879		Born 1879 at York. Married William Bassett 20 March 1906.
Dinsdale)			Before marriage had a shop of at Northam. After marriage at
,			York went back to Northam until 1914. Then came to Perth

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			suburbs. Had 3 children.
Bastian, Myra (nee Blight)			Wife of Archibald. First had land purchased from Midland
			Railway Co 1909 at Three Springs. 9 children.
Baston, Margaret Ellen (nee			Wife of George Baston. Pioneer of Carnarvon 1884. Mother
Strickland)			of 4 children. First Mayoress of Carnarvon and pioneered
			nursing services in that town.
Bastow, Mary Isobel		1947	Collie pioneer 1900s. Date of birth unknown, died 1947. First
			home was a tent on a mining lease. Reared 8 children.
Bateman, Alice Bessie Pulo	1873	1961	Born Perth. Married W.A. Bateman 1896. Lived in Perth,
(nee Glyde)			moved to Melville district. Bull Creek 1905.
Bateman, Mary (nee	1853	1935	Fremantle district. Died aged 92 years.
Armstrong)			
Bates, Caroline (Kate) (nee	1862	1951	Merredin district. Brief biographical details.
Johnston)			
Batt, Jane	1844		Married Arthur Batt 1869. Took up farming at Marradong, 1 st
			pioneer lady to settle in that district. Chief instigator in
			getting church of St Albans built and is buried in Marradong
			Church Cemetery constructed in 1894. Born at North
			Dandalup.
Batty, Ada			Wife of Alfred. Married at York 31 August 1904. Spent first
			half of her life on farming properties before moving to
			township to live. Had 6 children. (York Shire)
Battye, Margaret	1909	16 November 1949	Brief biographical details of barrister.
Bauer, Mary Jane (nee Groch)	1858	1942	Wife of Louis. Born Holland 1858, married about 1875 in
			N.S.W. Settled in Northam 1892. Attended sick and
			maternity cares and a devoted worker for charity. Awarded
			certificate from Red Cross for devoted service to cause 1914-
			18 wars. Died Northam 1942 aged 84 years.
Baxter Minnie (nee Milson)			Married Charles Baxter, later a Member of Parliament. Came

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			to "Whitehaven" farm 1903, 20 miles from Cunderdin.
Baxter, Winifred (nee Rennie)			Early pioneer of Bruce Rock district 1910.
Bayley, Margaret			Came to Denmark with sons 1912.
Beadle, Jean (nee Miller)	1867		Fremantle district. Brief biographical details.
Bean, Henrietta Stella (nee	8 May 1889		Goldfields District. Brief biographical details.
Powers)			
Bear, Charlotte Barbara	20 January 1942		Pioneer of Dowerin/Minnivale where they took up virgin
			land. Arrived in W.A. 6 April 1908. Died aged 75 years. Wife
			of 1 st J.P. in Minnivale and was active worker in Church and
			district welfare activities.
Bear, Elsie May			Dowerin Shire. Pioneer of Manmanning. Took up virgin land
			1924.
Bear, Louisa Susannah			First Secretary of Narembeen Branch CWA 1945.
Beard, Emma Rachel			Brookton (Aldersyde). Wife of Robert Edmond. Born England,
			migrated with parents to Victoria, came to W.A. 1906.
			Settled on a farm where she lived almost until her death.
Beard, Esther (nee Biddles)	1858	1938	Northam Shire. Very brief biographical details.
Beard, Liltla May (nee Martin)			Married at early age. Came to Quelagetting, north of
			Cunderdin 1908 to a small clearing. Had 15 children. She and
			her husband buried in Cunderdin Cemetery.
Beard, Lucy Bertha (nee	1881	1942	Born Margate via Northam. At early age married C.R. Beard.
Martin)			Farmed at "Home Farm" Jennapullin. Was a cripple in a chair
			for 25 years. Had 4 sons and 3 daughters
Beard, Mary (nee O'Hehir)		1921	Arrived W.A. 1853 on "Sabrina". Married George James
			Biddle 1855, had 4 sons and 3 daughters. Lived around
			Toodyay and Northam. Remarried to Corneluis Beard at age
			60. Died Northam Hospital aged 83.
Beard, Ruth (nee Blake)	1854	1936	Arrived W.A. 1860 with parents. Married Charles Carter who
			was burned to death leaving her with 3 small children. Later

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			married Ernest Beard and had 7 more children. Lived nearly all her life in Northam. Died aged 82.
Beard, Sarah (nee Strange)		1884	Northam. Very brief biographical details.
Beaton, Ethel Mary	1875	1 March 1948	Arrived Erikin, Bruce Rock district August 1908. Lived at "The Granites" until death.
Beatty, Mary Agnes (nee Grover)	2 August 1887		Wife of Walter. Born at Rose Cottage, Dinninup. Married at Bridgetown 4 May 1910. Pioneered Baynday property. Pioneer Upper Blackwood.
Beavis, Ellen Elizabeth	27 February 1880		Born Northampton only daughter of George and Mary Worthington. Married William Beavis, Geraldton, 24 August 1898. Had 3 sons and 2 daughters. Northampton district.
Beazley, Maria (nee Giblett)	1841		Born York, moved to Northam when very young. Married John Beazley, had 8 children. Grandmother of Kim Beazley.
Beazley, Susan	1868		Northam Shire. Postmistress. Very brief biographical details.
Becker, Florence Douglas (nee McLeod)	1868	1962	Wickepin pioneer. Brief biographical details.
Beckett, Dora Lucy Caroline (Alliot) (nee Cash)	1895		Married 1914. Came to W.A. "Orvieto" 1923. One of original settlers Peel Estate, virgin land, now known as Wellard.
Beckwith, Emily Ann	1874	1958	Eucla/Cue district. Brief biographical details.
Bee, Mary Ellen Victoria			Bruce Rock. Settled on virgin block with husband and 3 small children under 5 years. Babakin 1911-1949.
Beecher, Antonia (nee Vetters)	1878		Brief biographical details of schoolteacher.
Beeck, Ethel Beatrice (nee Wise)	1880	1933	Born South Australia. Wife of John. Pioneer of "Glenorchy" Gnowangerup 1918.
Beeck, Mrs G.E. (nee Keast)			Katanning Shire. Prime mover for establishment Silver Chain Bush Nursing Association. With husband pioneered farm at Marracoonda, Katanning.
Beeck, Hermina Marea (nee Borman)	1837		Katanning Shire. Brief biographical details.

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Beeck, Leonie Pamela Dale			Katanning. Established first First Aid Post in W.A., 1966.
Beeck, Martha Caroline	1875	1949	Katanning Shire. Married and arrived Marracoonda the same
			day.
Beeck, Mathilda Fredericka		18 October 1950	Katanning Shire. Brief biographical details.
Beeck, Theresa Margaret			Plantagenet district. Brief biographical details.
Beel, Alice			Husband Alfred Beel. Came to Cunderdin 1896.
Beer,	1889		Wife of Albert. Lived in tent, pioneered virgin land, marries
			at Torbay. Group 17 "Bramley". Dardanup district.
Beere, Margaret Laura			Born Bremer Bay approximately 1860. Went to Eucla as wife
			of Postmaster 1910.
Begley, Constance Mary (nee			Wife of William Joseph Begley. Born Perth, W.A. Took up
Davidson)			virgin land at Walgoolin 1923. Active interest in community
			affairs, early member CWA.
Belford, Helen M (nee Wallis)	1897		Wife of Walter. Married 1915. Had 7 children including
			twins. Retired to Perth.
Bell, Ellen			Went Kimberley Shire. Proprietors of "Ellendale". Very brief
			details.
Bell, Florence Adelia	1881		Pioneer of Kukerin district where she came 1909. 1966 living
			at Southern Cross.
Bell, Jane E. (nee Green)	1823	1909	Wife of James Bell. Arrived in W.A. 1836 aged 13. Married St
			John's Church, Fremantle, 1847. Lived Mandurah 11 years
			then farm at Rockingham.
Bell, Jean Murray (nee	1899		Wife of Albert. Pioneer of Salmon Gums 1927 and during
Robinson)			Depression.
Bell, Johanna	1834	1925	Pioneer of Katanning.
Bell, Lydia Charlotte (nee			Wife of George Bell whom she married aged 17, St John's
Duffield)			Anglican Church, Fremantle 1846. Daughter of W.T. Duffield
			who came to W.A. in Parmelia 1829.
Bell, Mrs M			Pioneer of Norseman 1892.

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Bell, Mary (nee Woodward)		1965	Born Queensland. Wife of Arthur J. Bell, J.P. Pioneer of Borden 1913. Nightwell Farm.
Bell, Sarah Margaret			1 st midwife at Gnowangerup, 1908.
Bell, Wilhelmina Marie (nee Severin)	26 August 1869	13 September 1943	Wife of Robert. Born Hoyleton, South Australia. Arrived in W.A. 1892. Married 28 September 1897 and lived in Woodanilling district.
Bellanger, Madame Pierre			Nee Winifred Louise Phillipa Jeffreys. Lived at Nornalup Feb. 1910-June 1956. Pioneer of Nornalup and Walpole.
Bellingham, Mrs	1887	1966	Pioneer of Ongerup 1924.
Bennet, Edith Alice			Mother of 1 st white child at Hannans 1895-6. Later Kalgoorlie.
Bennett, Bridget (nee O'Connor)	1876	1971	Pioneered Jilbadji Station, Southern Cross. Brief biographical details.
Bennett, Dorothy			Westonia Shire. Acquired virgin land March 1921, settled there 1923. Had 7 sons and 5 daughters.
Bennett, Elizabeth (nee Hurle)	1859	1952	Born South Australia. Married Walter Leeth Bennett 1878. Settled on virgin land, Dumbleyung 1905 – this land later gazetted as township of Dumbleyung.
Bennier, Amy			Brookton. Arrived from South Australia 2 July 1913, and went to new block in South Dale area.
Bennier, Emily Henrietta (formerly Mrs George Messenger)	9 February 1894	25 October 1965	Brookton. Brief biographical details.
Bennit, Elizabeth Sage			Early settler in Kalgoorlie approximately 1893.
Bentley, Emily	1871	1952	Wife of J.L. Bentley. Came to Capel 1907. Had 3 sons and 3 daughters. 1 son enlisted in World War I and was killed.
Bentley, Winifred Constance (nee Clifton)	11 April 1893	20 May 1947	Born Capel and lived there all her life. Took keen interest in welfare of district.
Bergin, Marion Margaret	29 July 1876	10 September 1957	Wickepin district. Brief biographical details.

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Bergin, Sara Ann (nee Thorpe)	1861		Roebourne district Brief biographical details.
Beringer, Elizabeth (nee	1856	1952	Wife of Edmund August. Born Falkland Island. Came to
Stokes)			Australia with parents 1860. Took up land at Greenough
			(now Wonga Park). In 1879 married and took up land at
			Geraldton.
Berry, Eleanor	1883	1967	Wife of Robert John. Arrived Bruce Rock district 1916. One of
			1 st woman on Hospital Board. Active in golf and P&C
			Association. Mother of 2 children: Fred. Charles and Eleanor.
Bessen, Auguste Fredericke	1859	1946	A practising midwife of Tambellup from 1904 to
			approximately 1918.
Best, Annie (nee Jessup)	23 April 1868	19 July 1941	Born Northam. Married there 22 March 887. Died and buried
			Walk Walkin, Koorda. Went to Koorda, 16 December 1908
			and only woman in district for 12 months. Lived in Toodyay
			for 1 st 8 years of marriage. Had 8 children.
Best, Ellen Ann	9 April 1842	1918	Born Guildford. Married 30 March 1860. Died Perth. Had 7
			girls and 3 sons. Lived at Dangin, them went to Wongamine
			and later Perth.
Beswick, Edith (nee Mann)	1884	6 August 1953	Yilgarn district. Brief biographical note.
Beurteaux, Isobel			One of first women to pioneer wheat belt Nungarin 1908.
			Died aged 76 years.
Bickley, Marianna (nee			Daughter of Caroline Thomson. Came to Rockingham 1829
Thomson)			and afterwards to Rottenest Island with her parents. Married
			Wallace Bickley about 1834 at Canning.
Biddiscombe, Miriam Juliet	1881		Wife of Ernest Willie Biddiscombe. Born 1881 Southampton,
Ellen (nee Drake)			England, arrived in Australia 1923. Pioneered Welbungin
			district 1923.
Billett, Dona Maria	19 June 1861	23 September 1955	Born on the Swan.
Bilney, Mrs Grace			Foundation President Tambellup CWA formed 12 July 1930.
Bilston, Florence Mary (nee	1871	1954	Pioneered Upper Blackwood and Kojonup districts 1897.

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Watts)			Later went into partnership with his brother, first at Kojonup,
			then to a larger selection at Dinninup. Great worker for all
			community projects.
Bilston, Hester Ann (nee	22 October 1872	13 October 1949	Born Raywood, Victoria. Died Wagin. Came to W.A. 1895,
Pascoe)			married 1897. Selected virgin land 8 miles south of Kojonup,
			later moved to later selection at Dinninup with family of 5
			children. Late 2 more children born. Retired to Wagin 1930.
Binnie, Christina (nee			Cunderdin Shire.
Chisholm)			
Birch, Edith Ethel			Kellerberrin district. First woman to go to Baandee to live.
Birch, Ellen (nee Shaw)		4 April 1967	Fremantle district. Wife of George Walker. Biographical
			details.
Birch, Eliza Ann	1857	1931	Wife of Richard. Born Ireland. Arrived Bunbury aboard
			"Burlington" 28 April 1863. Married Guildford 1866. Had 10
			children. Mr Birch 1 st chemist in Fremantle, shop being in
			High Street, Imperial Chambers.
Birch, Hannah		18 July 1878	Bunbury and Murray districts. Wife of Dr Lewis Birch.
			Biographical information.
Birch, Sophia (nee Leeder)	20 April 1836		Wife of Arthur. Born Perth. One of 13 children. After short
			stay at husband's home "Culjain" took up property on
			estuary of Murray River "Birchmont". Reared large family
			including 4 daughters.
Birchley, Winifred Harriett			Went to Ravensthorpe where she lived for many years.
			When husband died brought family of 5 children to Mosman
			Park. Died aged 84 years.
Bird, Lilly Elizabeth (nee	1869	1958	Born Fremantle, died Carnarvon aged 88. Pioneer of
Freeman)			Carnarvon 1870-1958. Married Constable Bird, stationed at
			Gascoyne Junction for many years.
Bird, Selina			First white woman to live in Carnarvon. Went there 1881-

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			1916.
Birt, Augusta Amelia Clare	9 May 1886	13 October 1964	Arrived W.A. 1903.
Birt, Ellen	1 December 1838	18 December 1922	Arrived Tambellup 4 March 1907.
Birtles, Gertaude Constance (nee Deane)	1895		Yilgarn district. Biographical notes.
Bisdee, Louise (nee Whittington)	1837	1910	Brief biographical notes on Swan-Guildford resident.
Bishop, Nellie (Mrs A.F.)			Lake Grace-Kukerin district. Brief biographical notes.
Black, Jane (nee Squire)	1887		Born 1887, South Australia. Wife of William, Gnowangerup 1911.
Black, Louisa Ann			With husband, son and daughter arrived in Pingelly 1903. Staunch members of Methodist Church. They later also went farming at Marwonga.
Black, Louisa Ann (nee Webb)			Wife of John. Gnowangerup 1909.
Black, Martha (nee Hunt)			Wife of James. Gnowangerup 1909. Second schoolteacher.
Blair, Edith May (nee Williams)	1879	1951	Yilgarn district. Brief biographical details.
Blake, Kate Martha (nee Cunningham)	1863	1953	Born Toodyay. Whilst very young married William Blake, had 15 children (3 died in infancy). Resided at Bentley Hall about 80 years ago, then at Deep Well. Grass Valley until 1908, when they moved to Northam.
Blakers, Catherine Elizabeth (nee McGrath)		1938	Born Bathurst, N.S.W. Arrived Fremantle, January 1891 with 2 children. Lived Perth and died 1938 leaving 11 surviving children.
Blakiston, Emma			Wife of George John Blakiston. Came from Isle of Wight – husband taught at Perth Boy's School, then took wife and family to York and was Master at York School. Buried in Old York Cemetery.
Blakiston Sarah Amelia Susannah (nee Carter)			Tammin Shire. Very brief biographical notes.

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Blamire, Jessie Rosetta			Pioneer of Kalamunda.
Bland, Agnes Flora			Bruce Rock. Pioneer of Shackleton – Erikin district, arrived 28 March 1909.
Blechynden, Agnes (nee Moore)	3 October 1882		Upper Blackwood. Born 3 October 1882. Married at Donnybrook 1909. Went to Boyup Brook district early that year. Died 1959.
Blechynden, Beatrice Annie	29 May 1882	2 October 1945	Bruce Rock/Beverley district. Lived in Kurren Kutten, later Babakin, also Beverley and Bruce Rck. One of first women in district.
Blechynden, Bertha May (nee Johnson)	27 May 1881	29 March 1921	Upper Blackwood. Wife of James. Brief biographical details.
Blechynden, Elizabeth (nee Green)	1839	1891	Wife of John. Married St George's Anglican Cathedral, Perth, 23 February 1860. As bride travelled by bullock to home on Blackwood River, Bridgetown. Husband 1 st white person to take lease there of 10 acres – lease signed 1859. Had 9 sons and 4 daughters. Acted as nurse and midwife to neighbours.
Blechynden, Mrs Jane	1856		Born Springfield near Bunbury 1856. Went to Warren district 1870. In early dates acted as midwife among pioneer women of district.
Blechynden, Kathleen Priscilla			Born Port Nolunga, South Australia. Came to W.A. in early teens with parents, settled on farm in Dangin. Married and took up 3,474 acres virgin land Beverley. After husband's death carried on farm. Very active CWA member.
Blechynden, Mary Ellen (nee Bovell)	1872	April 1942	Born Albany. Settled in Bridgetown on her marriage about 1892. Foundation member local P&C, Church of England Ladies Guild.
Blechynden, Zela Matilda Gertrude	27 December 1862	17 April 1921	Upper Blackwood district. Wife of George Harrison. Brief biographical notes.
Bock, Emma Ernestine (nee	11 August 1866	17 September 1952	Born at Caltowie, South Australia. Came to Coolgardie early

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Hartwig)			1897.
Boddington, Ellen (nee Noonan)	1862	1943	Wife of Harry Boddington after whom Boddington named. Lived at Boddington where husband shepherded sheep for many years. Later settled on another property 16 miles west of Wagin called Quailenup.
Baddington, Hannah Louise (nee Judge)	28 June 1867	1 October 1937	Mullewa/Murchison district. Very brief biographical notes.
Bonsor, Bridget (nee McMahon)			Cunderdin district.
Bonsor, Mararet (nee Burke)	1832	1896	Lived and pioneered in Toodyay and Northam district. Walked from Toodyay to Perth for their wedding. Made their own bricks for their home.
Booth, Ethel Maud			Wagin Shire.
Booth, Mrs W.J.			Went to Kokardine via Wangan Hill 1911.
Borgood, Albertina Charlotte	1876	1941	Arrived Dowerin district with husband 1905. They cleared virgin block, brought 4 children with them. Later 7 more children were born.
Bostock, Emma M			Wife of George. Went to Esperance 1890 – 1898 with husband. Managed for Dempster Bros. Conducted first Sunday School in woolshed from her arrival as bride.
Bostock, Florence Marian	25 August 1873	15 February 1953	Married at Katrine 10 April 1901. Pioneer of Southern Brook, via Northam.
Bostock, Stella May			Pioneer virgin land Napier district via Albany.
Botre, Withelmia			Settled in Coorow district 1910.
Bottle, Mary Elizabeth			Married Walter Bottle, Victoria 1899, where she had settled with her parents. Came to W.A. 1904, settled on virgin land at Goomalling. 5 th white woman to settle there. Mr Bottle established Saddlery business. Helped in all district activities.
Bourke, Margery Gerlrude			1 st woman member of Plantaganet Shire Council, April 1961.

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Bourne, Euphemia		1929	With her husband went as original selectors to a farm at Narembeen, November 1910.
Bow, Annie			Esperance Shire. Came from England July 1914 to settle with husband on land at Gibson already taken up by him and selected by F.W. Bow.
Bow, Emma			Came to Esperance 1913 with husband. One of earliest farmers on Esperance Downs Sand Plain.
Bowden, Emily			Arrived Fremantle 1896, Kalgoorlie 1898 before water scheme, not an east life. Pioneered in Pingelly 1904.
Bowden, Mabel			Went to Katanning 1904 as a pioneer.
Bower, Eloie L			Treasurer Swanbourne Women's Service Guild July 1929 to 3 March 1966. Only missed 2 meetings through her ill health during that period.
Bower, Miss Phoebe			Busselton Shire.
Bowles, Alice Minnie (nee Melbourne)	1875	1964	Husband Harry Wood Percival Bowles. Settled on virgin block 1,000 acres east of Yarloop 15 November 1899 – husband had taken up land previous to 1890. Farm called "Passiflora" after the passion vine introduced by husband pre-1890.
Bowra, Mrs A.M.P.			Bunbury. 1 st teacher at Clifton Primary School 1905-1907.
Bowra, Mrs John William Atlee (nee Rewell)			Born Eliza Ann Rewell. Arrived in W.A. on Caroline 1829. Mr Bowra Officer in Queen Victoria 96 th Regiment. Set up business as watchmaker and jeweller where Boans now stands. 9 children in family.
Bowron, Margaret Anne			Arrived at Aldersyde 1903. Pioneered virgin land.
Boyle, Margaret Elizabeth	21 April 1882	15 November 1960	Came to W.A. from Victoria 1902, went farming at Vasse and was still milking cows 1959.
Boyle, Martha Harriet			Wife of William Boyle. About 1912 took up virgin bushland and established a dairy farm at Vasse, then known as Newton district. They had 4 daughter and twin sons.

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Boyle, Mary Ann (nee Barnett)			York Shire. Very brief biographical notes.
Boylson, Miss Irene			Nursing sister. Kellerberrin/Merredin district. Very brief
			biographical notes.
Brabazon, Emily Margaret (nee	6 March 1876	6 August 1964	Kalgoorlie Goldfields. Very brief biographical information.
Cooper)	1846	26 th October 1942	Katanning Shire. Brief biographical information.
Bradbury, Mary Jane	1840	26 October 1942	
Bradford, Elsie Margaret	4070	12 1055	Farming, Narrogin October 1906.
Bradki, Katherine (nee	1878	12 July 1955	Born Geraldton. Came to Meckering 1907 and worked in a
McGilvray)			store. Married Richard Bradki at Geraldton and returned to
			settle on a farming property at Quellagetting about 16 miles
			north of Meckering 1909.
Bradley, Catherine	1865	1945	Born Mundalla, South Australia. Arrived Dowerin, April 1909.
Bradshaw, Mrs Sarah B (nee		1944	Migrated from Victoria to Thompson's Brook 1896. 1st
Holland)			teacher there 1898 and stayed 21 years. Walking 3 1/2 miles
			or riding to school each day. Strict disciplinarian. Secretary
			Church Committee. Died 1944 at 93. Her sister, Miss Holland,
			also a teacher, lived to 100.
Brady, Mary (nee Dee)			Came to Australia 1857 on "City of Bristol" with her parents.
			Came to Dongarin where she met and married Frederick
			Brady 1876.
Braid, Janet Ellen (nee Bryden)		April 1941	Wife of Colin Braid. 1 st woman to settle on land at
		·	Booralaming via Dowerin July 1910. Aged 57 when died.
Brand, Harriet (nee Paton)	1856	1938	Daughter of Sergeant and Mrs Patton who landed from
,			England 1850's. Met and married George Brand in Geraldton,
			took up farming at "Balmoral" Greenough. Well-known
			midwife of Murchson and Nullagine district. Later moved to
			Moora.
Brand, Marion (nee Kane)			Wife of Andrew. Came out from Dublin with the De Boulay's
			1862, took position as Governess at the Residency,

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			Geraldton, soon after arrival. Married 9 December 1863.
			Settled on Lynton Station, Port Gregory.
Brayshaw, Ethel			Arrived from England 1924 and still living (1966). With her
			late husband took up virgin land in Mt Walker district, 20
			miles east of Narembeen.
Braysher, Frances Eliza	August 1872	June 1963	Arrived Kellerberrin 1901 with husband. Was a great help in
			the community attending the sick. Had family of 4 boys.
			Pioneer of Kellerberrin district.
Breakell, Mrs Agnes			Pioneer of Bencubbin district.
Breakell, Lynda Edith			Married at parent's farm 13 miles north of Bencubbin 7 June
			1922 by Rev. R. Smith of Goomalling - the district had 1 car
			which was loaned to them for the occasion. Built a bungalow
			on 2,000 acre property
Breakell, Mrs Mary			Pioneer of Bencubbin district.
Brecker, Fanny	1877	1946	Born 1877 – 1946. 1 st president National Council of Jewish
			Women (W.A. Section). Loved by those who know her and
			helped those in need, including obscure cases no one knew
			about. 1 st woman to present Red Cross with an ambulance
			during World War I.
Breen, Kyle (nee Hymus)	1893	1936	Born Victoria. Wife of D.L. Breen. 1 st lived in Murchison,
			married 1914, went to Harvey and pioneered a dairy farm.
			Great worker for all community efforts. Founder CWA
			Branch Harvey, P&C, Church of England, golf, etc.
Brewer, Mary Oughterson		1942	Postmistress Kanowna 1895. Married Kalgoorlie 1897. Died
(nee Coulter)			Kalgoorlie 1942.
Bridge, Aola			Went to Yerapin-Bruce Rock area August 1910 to virgin land.
Brierley, Mrs G.A.	28 March 1894		A trained nurse and first Matron Upper Blackwood Soldiers'
			Memorial Hospital, Boyup Brook, which was opened 10
			November 1923 by Hon. R.S. Sampson.

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Brierley, Janet			Landed Albany, from Lancashire, England, October 1911.
			Went to virgin land at Mt Barker on Frankland River. Lived
			there until 1935.
Briggs, Harriet			Born Fremantle. Early life spent at Rockingham and
			Fremantle. Pioneered at Byford 1909.
Brindle, Jean			Foundation worker and President of Parkeville Branch CWA
			1951. Deceased.
Brindle, Margaret		May 1943	Mt Marshall Shire. Pioneered virgin land at Gabbin
			1915. Lived there until her death in May 1943.
Brinkworth, Elizabeth Mary			With husband, came to W.A. to property at Lion Hill (now Mt
,			Helena). Helped her husband in all community work. Kept
			orchard going whilst husband was at war
Bristow, Iris Doreen			1 st Welfare Officer of Civil Defence, Narembeen. 1 st woman
			from district to attend Mt Macedon Civil Defence Course in
			Victoria. Through her enthusiastic and efforts Narembeen
			Historical Society was formed; 1 st meeting October 1964.
Britnall, Elizabeth			City of Perth. Came to Perth from Oxfordshire England,
			approximately 1839, on S.S. Simon Taylor.
Brittain, Ann (nee Stott)	1825	1915	Wife of James Brittain. Buried Pioneer Park, Bunbury.
			Married Bedfordshire England and came to Australind with
			husband, 3 sons and 5 daughters on ship "Parkield".
Brittain, Fanny (nee Jones)	1852	1906	Born Guildford. Wife of Benjamin Brittain, daughter of
			Frances Bardon and Charles Jones of Guildford.
Broad, Mrs			Cunderdin Shire.
Broad, Elizabeth (nee Long)		1934	Born East Gascoyne. Went from Wydgee Station Mingenew
			to Mt Magnet by wagon and dray 1888 with her husband
			and 4 children. Died 1934, Geraldton.
Broad, Lucy Caroline			Wife of Humphery. Lived on a farm and did Home Bush
			nursing in severe cases, nearest doctor 40 miles away. 25

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			November 1925 to Koorda.
Broadbent, Mrs			Mt Marshall Shire. Pioneer of Beacon 1926.
Broadhurst, Cora Minna (nee	1859		Born Fremantle 1859. Wife of first white pearler in Sharks
Newman)			Bay 1889 and was only white woman for months at a time.
			Her family were born there.
Broadhurst, Eliza (nee Howes)		1899	Migrated from Ireland to Victoria. Married C.E. Broadhurst at
			Woodford near Warnambool, 1860. Later sailed on
			"Warrior" and landed at Nicol Bay (now Cossack) 1865. 1st
			daughter born July 1865. Mrs Broadhurst later returned to
			Bournemouth, England.
Broadhurst, Eva		1909	Wife of H.T. Broadhurst with whom she went to Roebourne,
			to Mt Pyramid Station approximately 1893. Lived there until
			she died in 1909 aged 37 years.
Broadhurst, Harriet Ann	1881		Pioneer of Burakin. Born England 1881. Took up virgin land
			1927. Where she lived until 1964.
Broadway, Agnes Susan	1882	1966	Wife of Wilfred George Broadway. Came from England 1911.
			Settled on block at Queen's Park, worked hard for
			community and Church.
Brockman, Anne Frances	1809	5 March1876 at	Arrived on 'Minstrel' Jan 1830. Mother of 9 children. Lived at
Isabella		Clifton, England	Herne Hill. Born Ann Frances Isabella Hamersley.
Brockman, Carlotta Louisa (Mrs)		23 September 1960	Settled in Maya-Perenjori district 1929-1945.
Brockway, Harriet Emily	1864	1949	Wife of W. St Clair Brockway. After disastrous Bank failure in
			Victoria 1890s Mrs Brockway and husband who lost
			everything came to WA to make fresh start. In 1897 came
			with 7 children to join husband. Claremont and Goldfields.
Brockway, Kathleen Marian			Wife of Walker St Clair Brockway. Yilgain district. Very brief
(nee Jefferies), BEM			biographical notes.
Bromham, Miss Ada			State Secretary State Women's Christian Temperance Union

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			in 1930, helped considerably for betterment of aboriginals in W.A. 1 st President Fremantle W.S. Guild.
Brooks, Annie (nee Stanton)	1863	1946	Upper Blackwood district. Very brief biographical note.
Broom, Harriet Jane (nee	1881		Born England 1881. Came to Southern Cross 1900 and
Pascoe)			married 1902, went mining to Marvel Loch 1903.
			Experienced all hardships and primitive living of Goldfields.
			Has been widowed 20 years (1966) and lives active life at
			Southern Cross.
Broomhall, Mrs Ethel Eliza			Went to Dalwallinu 1910 on to virgin block.
Brophy, Elizabeth			Mother of 3 sons, arrived in Cue 1895, after 14 days travel by
			8-horse wagon, seated on top of 8 tons of goods. Nurse and
			midwife, also nursed 2 men in their tents with typhoid fever.
Brown, Ada Louise			Narrogin Shire. Very brief biographical notes.
Brown, Alice Rose			Pioneer of Arthur River, arrived 1910.
Brown, Beatrice (nee Derrick)			Born Victoria 1895. Wife of Arthur William James. Pioneered
			Dalwallinu district 1910. 7 th woman to arrive in area. Had 4
			children.
Brown, Catherine Mary (nee			Wife of Charles Mydleton. Came to Kodj-Kodjin from
Kinsella)			Rochester, Victoria, August 1909, with parents. Married
			1917, went to husband's farm at Nungarin, had family of 6
			boys and 1 girl. 1968 lived with 2 sons at Nungarin.
Brown, Charlotte Letitia (nee			Came to Arthur River with her parents 1860, aged 7 years.
Harris)			Spent her life in the district.
Brown, Clara (nee Clare)			Went farming at Moonies Hill, Tambellup 1904.
Brown, Elizabeth (nee White)	1862		Born Guildford 1862. Married Michael Brown settled at
			Wandering on farm. Later went to Narrogin at which
			husband ran 1 st inn there. Mother of 12 children. Husband
			became Mayor of Narrogin.
Brown, Elsie Maud (nee			Bodallin/Yilgarn district. Biographical information.

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Brown, Elvelein Elizabeth (nee Pearce)	1890	1936	Wife of John. Born 1890 at Gundaring Lake. Pioneered farm 5 miles east of Wagin. Married 1910. Then pioneered farm at Hillview, Arthur River. Both she and husband killed in level crossing accident at Cottesloe 1936.
Brown, Gladys Kathleen (nee Butcher)	1899		Wife of Charles Joseph. Pioneer of Needilup 1919.
Brown, Margaret			Lived at Day Dawn and Boulder 1896-1907. Husband killed in mining accident. Brought 6 children to West Leederville.
Brown, Margaret Elizabeth			Arrived Arthur River about 1880. West Arthur district. Family still on original property.
Brown, Marian (nee Morris)			Wife of Stephen. Came to W.A. on ship "Geelong" arriving Albany 23 October 1868 with her husband and Bishop Hale. Her husband was Chaplain at Northam until his death 3 May 1885.
Brown, Mary (nee Hully)			Pioneered Creswick Farm, Cunderdin.
Brown, Sarah Elizabeth	1873	1962	Born York. Spent her life in Pingelly district.
Browne, Edna Annie Jemima	1860	1935	Pioneer of Dumbleyung district.
Brownell, Elizabeth (nee Freeman)	1805	1879	Wife of Dr T.C. Brownell. Arrived at Swan River on "Tranby" 4 February 1830 from Hull, England.
Browning, Doris Marion (nee Wilson)			Wife of Lawrence D.W. Browning. Pioneered virgin land at Dalwallinu 1915, then Pithara 1921. Remained on land until 1954 when son took over. Was a wonderful community worker – CWA
Browning, Phyllis			Wife of Charles. Arrived Kondinin January 1913. Family of 6 children, 2 sons still farming in district – Yowadda Farm.
Bruce, Margaret (nee Quinn)	1835	1920	Born Tasmania. Came to W.A. Married 1851 or 2. After 1 st husband died serving in China, she returned and lived in Perth where she later married John Bruce.

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Bryant, Miss Eliza Ellen	1875	1959	Born Geraldton. Went to Goldfields during early days. Died at Southern Cross.
Bryant, Mary Ann (nee Nottle)	1871		Went to early Goldfields - Boulder before 1900 to 1925.
Buckeridge, Ellen (Nell)			Wife of Horace. Albany district. Very brief biographical notes.
Buckingham, Miss Betsy	Sept 1888	May 1966	Armadale – Kelmscott district. Brief biographical details.
Buckingham Catherine Ann (Kate) (nee Norton)	1868	1953	Goldfields, Lake Austin district. Very brief biographical details.
Buckingham, Elizabeth (nee York)	1850	1940	Wife of Alexander. Very brief biographical notes.
Buckingham, Mrs Hannah			Lived 26 miles west of Brookton 1910-1948. Took up virgin land.
Buckingham, Hannah Mary Amy (nee Salter)	1852	1919	Married 1871. Born near Salter's Point and spent first years there and Perth. Lived Roleystone few years, then Kelmscott. Family - 10 children.
Buckingham, Mary		May 1875	Arrived W.A. 1850. First went to Gingin, commenced rearing cattle. Later, in 1860 moved to Roleystone with 9 children. Buried Church of England cemetery, Kelmscott.
Buckman, Augusta M			Came to W.A. 1901, worked at a small hotel near Mt Morgans – later married and lived there for 9 years. Is now 87 (1965/6) and resident for Kalgoorlie for 57 years.
Budd, Jane			Went to farm with her husband at Tammin 1909.
Budge, Mrs J.			Yilgarn district. Brief biographical notes.
Budiselic, D.	1881	1953	Cunderdin district. Brief biographical notes.
Bulger, Clara (nee Rowe)	26 May 1873	1 July 1912	Pioneer of Coolgardie 1896.
Bull, Mary Ann		1926	Wife of George Bull. Very brief biographical notes on Kulin resident.
Bull, Melvina		1941	Wife of Charles Bull, who took up land, Kulin, in name of Bull and Woodman 1911. Journey made by wagon. Had 9 children. Was great worker for agricultural shows and all

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			other community work.
Bullen, Annie	1871	1956	One of 1 st women to arrive in Coolgardie 1890s, travelled by
			horse-drawn coach from Southern Cross. Pioneered on
			Goldfields until 1909, when she and husband and 5 children
			took up heavily timbered virgin land at Denmark.
Bullock, Elsie Muriel			Wife of John. Pioneer of Kulin and Kondinin. Went to Kulin
			1911. Had 3 children.
Buncle, Anne (nee Tilling)	1884	1950	Wife of John. Went to Ongerup 1911, Toompup,
			Gnowangerup in 1913.
Bunker, Annie Ansit Williams	20 August 1882	3 January 1956	Wife of George Edward Bunter, Plantagenet Shire. Brief
			biographical notes.
Bunker, Harriet Elizabeth	27 June 1894		Wife of James Fergus Bunker, Plantagenet Shire. Brief
			biographical notes.
Bunney, May (nee Jones)			Wife of Archibald. Came to Kununoppin 1920.
Bunny, Mary Jane Beatrice	November 1869	August 1959	Born Bendigo. Went to Southern Cross 1895 and to
(nee Lisle)			Kalgoorlie 1898. Took up virgin land at Williams 1904 (loc.
			1903/4 - 800 acres). Had 4 children. Left farm in 1950 to live
			with a married daughter.
Bunter, Jane			Pioneered Greenough Flats 1871. Her husband was a
			member of the Royal Marines and they arrived in the very
			early days of the colony.
Burbidge, Mrs Mary Eleanor	15 November 1876	15 September 1966	Founded "Kobeelya" Church of England Girls school at
			Katanning 1922.
Burdon, Hilda Amelia	1887		Born in Perth 1887. Great-granddaughter of Ann Farmer.
Burfield, Ethel Elizabeth Jessie			Went to Harfield Farm, Cunderdin, 1910.
(nee Wills)			
Burges, Mona Mary Sophia		1942	Her Mother Sophia Phillips (nee Roe). Mr Roe 1 st Survyor
(nee Phillips)			General. Mrs Burges had 6 sons and 1 daughter. Died 1942,
			aged 84. Worked hard for community and raised funds to

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			build Tipperary Church. York Shire.
Burgess, Isobel			Wife of Gerald L. Burgess. Pioneered on Quelgening 8 miles
			south westof Meckering, was responsible for inauguration of
			Meckering show luncheons. President Meckering CWA.
			Member CWA Hostels Committee, Northam. Helped in all
			community matters.
Burgess, Matilda Mary	18 May 1891		Born Bridgetown. Educated in England. Married 26
Prudence (nee Walter)			November 1912 and settled at "Collingully". Mother of 8
			children. Retired to Safety Bay 5 January 1961. President
			Anglican Ladies Guild 32 years. Cunderdin district.
Burgin, Augusta Spencer			Arrived from England October 1913 to join her husband A.C.
			Burgin. Had 3 sons and 1 daughter. Narembeen Shire.
Burnett, Sarah Ann (nee			Very early settled at Myniloo, Dandaragan (in Brockman's
Young)			time)
Burns, Elsie Joy			1 st Secretary Cunderdin CWA.
Burns, Hannah Isabella (nee	1874		Born Creswick, Victoria. Pioneer of Chittering and
Bell)			Mourambine, Pingelly, 1896. 1898 moved from Mourambine
			to Rockingham by horse and sulky.
Burns, Henrietta			Wickepin district.
Burnside, Catherine (nee	1837	1900	Married Thomas Sarsfield Burnside at St George's Cathedral,
Dalton)			Perth, 5 April 1858. Bore 7 children without a doctor at
			Rottnest. Husband had a Civil Service position at Rottnest. He
			died 1883 and both are buried Old East Perth Cemetery.
Burnside, Mary (nee	1874	1964	Born N.S.W. Came to W.A. and married William Richard
Breckenridge)			Burnside at Mt Lawley 1901. Goldfields, Widgiemooltha.
Burridge, Mary (nee Searl)	1859	1945	Born Jerramungup. Married Richard Robert Burridge 1877.
			1911 pioneer of Plantagenet district, Mt Barker and
			Broomehill. Mother of 14 children.
Burrow, Mrs Mary Alice	16 January 1881	21 April 1962	Born Preston, Lancashire, England. Came out from England

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			1912 to settle on a new farm in Quairading district. Died in
			Quairading.
Burrows, Mrs			Wife of first proprietor of Cunderdin Railway Refreshment
			Rooms.
Burrows Hannah Georgina		1941	Came from England to Queensland 1892, then to W.A. 1895,
May			arriving at Geraldton. Lived in Yalgoo-Peak Hill until 1910,
			people and freight went to Peak Hill by coach and wagon.
Burston, Eva Angus			Came from Melbourne, arriving Albany 6 September 1911.
			Brought their jinker with them and drove first to Katanning,
			then Nyabing and Karringup. Pioneer of Pingrup where she
			and husband settled on virgin land 1 January 1912. Son still
			living on farm. Retired 1951.
Burt, Louisa (nee Hare)			Mrs Septimus Burt. Came to Perth about 1869. Lived in Perth
			after marriage.
Burt, Marion Ethel (Mrs Alfred	3 November 1866	1948	Born Guildford. Married 19 April 1882. Wonderful worker for
Burt) (nee Gull)			community carried on work begun by Mrs Salter to meet and
			befriend girls from overseas and the country. Working
			Associate G.F.S. 1901. G.F.S. Secretary 1901-1920. G.F.S.
			President 1927-1946.
Burton, Ellen Elizabeth			Wife of Canon Burton. Pioneered work of Church of England
			at Esperance and the Swan from beginning of 1900.
Burton, Laura			Mt Marshall Shire. Gabbin district approximately 1910.
Burwash, May (nee Quau)			1 st White child born in Bonnievale.
Bushby, Honor Sophia (nee			Cuballing Shire. Very brief biographical notes.
Howard)			
Bussell, Ellen			Augusta-Margaret River and Busselton.
Butcher, Hannah Sophie (nee	1 March 1864	13 July 1934	Serpentine Jarrahdale. Very brief biographical notes.
Marsh)			
Butcher, Jessepha Marjorie			Arrived Shackleton district approximately 1911 with her

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Jean (nee Foale)			parents. Later trained as schoolteacher and opened many
			schools in adjoining areas. Later married E.A.W. Butcher of
			Bruce Rock, left district 1935. Died Perth 1962.
Butcher, Marion (nee Horton)	1829	29 May 1905	Armadale-Kelmscott Shire. Very brief biographical notes.
Butler, Mrs			Cunderdin Shire.
Butler, Alice			Wife of Claude. Inaugural President Union of Methodist
			Women's Guild 1937-1954 affiliated 160 in W.A. Founder of
			Guild Cottage Methodist Homes for Children. Life Vice-
			President.
Butler, Alice Mary			Goldfields pioneer. Brief biographical notes.
Butler, Eleanor (Mrs W.J.)			Bruce Rock. Very brief biographical notes.
Butler, Mrs Judith			Victoria Plains. 1 st schoolmistress for Aboriginal girls School
			in New Norcia 1865.
Butler, Mrs Lindsay			She and husband pioneers of Bruce Rock - pioneered virgin
			block 1915. Has compiled collection of interesting streets of
			every kind relating to early history of the districts – gem
			stones, embroideries, and apparel.
Buttfield, Helen Jane	1859	1939	Born South Australia. Married 1887 at Sliding Rock, South
			Australia at age 18. Came to Wagin 1900 where they
			pioneered. Had 10 children without aid of nurse or doctor.
			Later to Perth.
Bycroft, Eva			Wife of water supply worker came to Cunderdin at turn of
			century to work on Pumping Station.
Byfield, Annie Elizabeth (nee	1864	1939	Wife of Frederick William. Buried at Northam. Married in
Smith)			1882. Lived first at Mahogany Creak Inn, at Helena, Midland
			Junction. Later pioneered at Temple Town, East Northam.
			Came to Northam with parents Alfred and Emma Smith
			1869.
Byfield, Elizabeth (nee	1854	27 July 1935	Very brief biographical notes of Northam pioneer.

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Byfield, Jane (nee Coates)	1821	31 August 1872	Brief biographical notes of Mundaring district pioneer.
Bygrave, Sarah			One of York's 1 st midwives, still alive aged 93 years (1965/6)
Byrd, Ellen Mary (nee Baylis)			Arrived Fremantle 1911. Married Frederick Byrd 1911 and
			took up virgin land in Harvey.
Byrne, Mary (nee Gorman)			Arrived from Ireland August 1888. Pioneered at Southern
			Cross 1892-1896.
Bywater, Maggie			Dowerin Shire. Lived in Booralaming 1906-1950.