

## Library Accessions February 2019

The following items were accessioned during the month of February.

### Books

- \* Anderson, M; *ANDERSON FAMILIES* [Q929.2 AND]  
  
Gibson, E; *WALKS AROUND HISTORIC BELLERIVE* [994.4 GIB]  
  
Historic Society of Municipality of Sorell; *PITT WATER CHRONICLES, VOL. 2 May 2017* [P994.4 PIT]
- \* TFHS Inc. Hobart; *UNDERTAKERS OF HOBART VOL. V: Index to HOOPER & BURGESS Funeral Records PART 3, May 1971 - Sep 1984* [Q 929.31099461 UND]

### Computer Disks

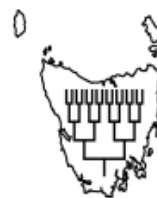
Gould Genealogy & History; *TASMANIAN GOVERNMENT GAZETTES 1827–1945*

\* Denotes complimentary or donated item

**NEW PUBLICATIONS FOR SALE IN THE BOOKSHOP  
(and on-shelf for research)**

**UNDERTAKERS OF HOBART VOL. V: Index to Hooper & Burgess Funeral Records Part 3—May 1971 - September 1984**

Members \$22.50                      **\$25.00**



## Tasmanian Family History Society Inc. - Hobart Branch

[www.hobart.tasfhs.org](http://www.hobart.tasfhs.org)

## NEWS – MARCH 2019

**Tues 19 March                      7.30pm General Meeting**

**VENUE:** Sunday School Hall, St John's Park

**GUEST SPEAKER:** Judy Travers

**TOPIC:** The Craig brothers from Bruny Island at war

*A story that shows some of the complexities and impact of World War I on Tasmanian families.*

### More for Your Diary

**Thu 21 March – 10.00am Branch Committee Meeting**  
**VENUE:** Branch Library, Bellerive

**Thu 21 March – 1.30pm DNA Group Meeting**  
**VENUE:** Branch Library, Bellerive

**Thu 28 March – 2.00pm Library Committee Meeting**  
**VENUE:** Branch Library, Bellerive

**Tue 16 April – 7:30pm – Annual General Meeting**  
Election of Officers and Committee  
Nominations open 1<sup>st</sup> March, close 31<sup>st</sup> March  
Nomination forms may be obtained from the Secretary  
**Topic:** Family Bible Show and Tell  
**Venue:** The Sunday School Hall, St Johns Park, New Town

## WANTED – CONTRIBUTIONS FOR THE 40TH ANNIVERSARY EDITION OF TASMANIAN ANCESTRY

This coming year the Tasmanian Family History Society will be celebrating a birthday – yes our 40<sup>th</sup> year.

The first edition of *Tasmanian Ancestry* in June 2019, will be dedicated to Hobart and Huon Branches, and we are asking for contributions from members of these branches.

No need to be an article dedicated to the regions or people of Hobart or southern Tasmania, in fact we don't mind if the stories involve anything to do with family history within Australia or beyond.

If you have an article already or one that is waiting in the wings, the editor, Rosie Davidson would like to hear from you. Rosie is waiting to be contacted at [editors@tasfhs.org](mailto:editors@tasfhs.org).

Please submit your contributions by April 01, 2019.

## COLLECTORS ROADSHOW

It's time to raid the attics for those antiques and mystery objects you've always wanted to know more about. Hobart antique luminaries Gordon Brown, Warwick Oakman and their posse of experts will be on hand to examine your items and dazzle with their expertise. With music and nibbles available, this promises to be an entertaining day for all at the Farm.

11am – 3pm, 7<sup>th</sup> April at the Rosny Farm – Free entry

## FUNDRAISER - SAUSAGE SIZZLE

Please make a note that the branch will be manning the BBQ at Bunnings, Glenorchy, on Friday 12th April.

If you happen to be in the vicinity please come and say hello. But there is a snag – in exchange for your \$2.50 we will gladly provide you with a sausage, bread, onions and sauce. And we are friendly. You can't beat that for value!

Money raised will assist us with maintenance of equipment and the purchase of new resources for the library.

## Autumn Seminar: 5<sup>th</sup> May 2019 at Hobart Town Hall Topic: The Anson and the Probation System



From 1844 until the end of transportation in 1853, female convicts were required to serve six months' probation upon arrival in Van Diemen's Land. This probation period was designed to teach convicts desirable skills, including reading, writing, ciphering (numeracy), needlework and domestic service. It was also designed to separate newly arrived convicts from the more hardened criminals in the female factories. When the probation period was completed, a convict became a probation pass-holder.

The HMS Anson arrived in Hobart as a male convict transport in 1844 and was subsequently refitted as a probation station for female convicts. It was then towed to New Town Bay and shortly after to Prince of Wales Bay, Risdon, near Hobart, where it was moored. Between 1844 and 1850, this hulk housed female convicts serving their six month probation period. Dr and Mrs Bowden were appointed to manage the Anson Probation Station. Women from the Woodbridge and the Angelina were among the first to be housed on the Anson. The Anson held from 250 to 520 women at any one time. The Anson was dismantled in 1850 and the women were transferred to the Cascade Female Factory.

Program and registration are available now.

Regards Dianne Snowden (President - FCRC Inc.)

## CORNELIAN BAY CEMETERY BURIAL DATA

A note to let you know that data on 34,712 burials/cremations at the Cornelian Bay cemetery from 1872-1939 are now in the Tasmanian Names Index, linked to the digitised burial orders and burial registers.

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