

Making the Most of Online Queensland Resources

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Introduction

- Queensland methodology similar to other states
- Published Sources
- State Archives, State Library
- Local Historical Societies and Local Authorities
- Genealogy/Family History Societies
- Internet



Where to Start?

- Queensland BDMs
- Queensland State Archives
- State Library of Queensland
- Text Queensland
- Queensland Family History Society
- Genealogical Society of Queensland
- Brisbane City Council (and other local authorities)
- Royal Historical Society of Queensland
- Other useful sites



Births, deaths, marriages and divorces

- > Birth, death and marriage certificates
- Birth registration and adoption records
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- > Family history research
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Family history research



Search historical births

Search historical births for FREE or pay \$20 for a historical image or \$28 for a historical certificate.



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Search historical deaths for FREE or pay \$20 for a historical image or \$28 for a historical certificate.



New commemorative birth and death certificates now available. Search historical deaths now.



Family history journal



<u>Family History Journal</u> is a quarterly newsletter for anyone interested in Queensland's history.



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www.qld.gov.au/law/births-deaths-marriagesand-divorces/family-history-research

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Publications

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Indexes

Indexes provide a quick and easy way to locate Queensland State Archives records relating to people.

Entries in the indexes provide people's names in alphabetical order, and include the Queensland State Archives references. The introductory section of each index provides background details and information on how to use the index.

Copies of individual entries can be ordered, with details of costs provided on individual index pages. These prices apply to website and postal orders only. All prices are in Australian dollars, and include GST, postage and handling.

Please note, Adobe Reader is required to open and print these Portable Document Format (PDF) index files and is free to download from the <u>Adobe website</u>.

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Index categories

Indexes have been grouped under the following categories:

- · Convict / prisoner
- Courts
- Hospital / sanitoria
- Immigration
- Indigenous
- Lands
- Professions
- Orphanage and reformatories
- Other

Current indexing projects

Queensland State Archives volunteers are currently compiling the following indexes. Each completed index may cover more than one series of records and include the Queensland State Archives references:

- Brisbane Hospital Registers of Deaths 1933-1945
- Immigration 1875-1917 (various records)
- Inquests 1893 -1926
- Inquests (Preliminary Enquiries) 1931-1945
- Justice of the Peace Oaths 1911-1920
- Land Orders 1862-1878
- Lands records (various) 1848-1900
- Naturalisations Part 2 1858-1941
- Runs Rents (Treasury/Lands) 1860-1911

www.archives.qld.gov.au/Researchers/Indexes/Pages/Default.aspx



Background

The files were created as a result of the Trustee Act of 1889, but they include trusts still being administered from an earlier period. The files came from the ecclesiastical jurisdiction of the Southern district of the Supreme Court of Queensland, with the trusts all appearing to have been set up under the provisions of a will.

Papers include information about land ownership, rental properties, relatives, disbursement of funds, details of children, school fees and employees and wages lists. The date and place of death are given in the records if stated.

Some of the files extend to hundreds of pages and at least one covers a period of more than 25 years.

Please note: The first 77 trustee file numbers were originally registered as equity file numbers (No.476 to 694 with gaps) and cover the period 1889-1891. The index to equity files (<u>QSA Item ID92705</u>) does not, however, record the re-registering of the files under the Trustee file numbers.

Explanatory notes

- · check all possible spelling variants
- · some given names are abbreviated as they appear in the original record
- · Mc and Mac names are interfiled
- · or a blank cell indicates that there is no information in the original
- · names are not indexed with an apostrophe, e.g. O DWYER

Search the index

Trustees 1889-1929 (PDF, 15KB)

Please note, Adobe Reader is required to open and print these Portable Document Format (PDF) index files and is free to download from the <u>Adobe website</u>.

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Open Data indexes

- Trustees 1889-1929 (CSV, 7KB)
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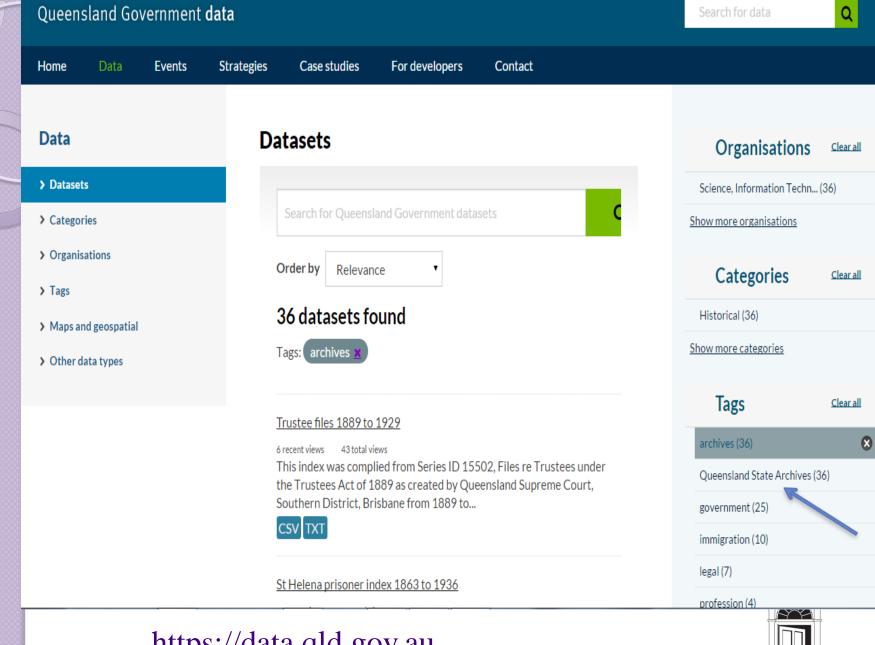
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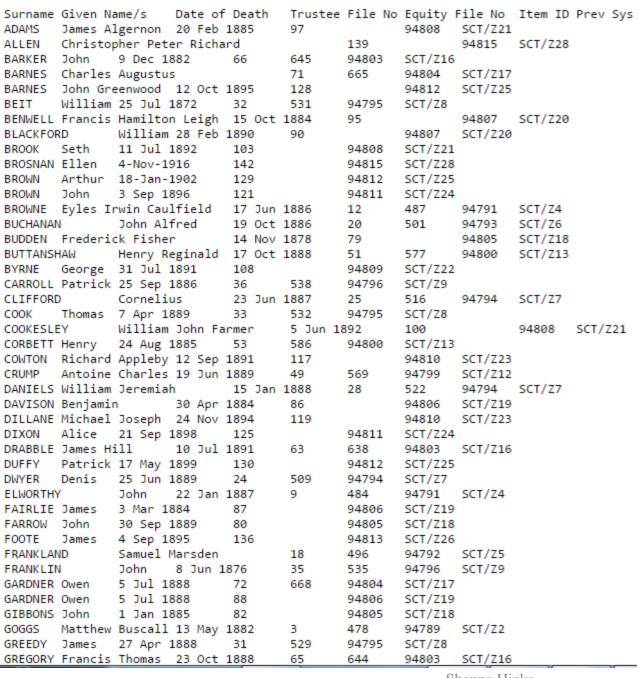
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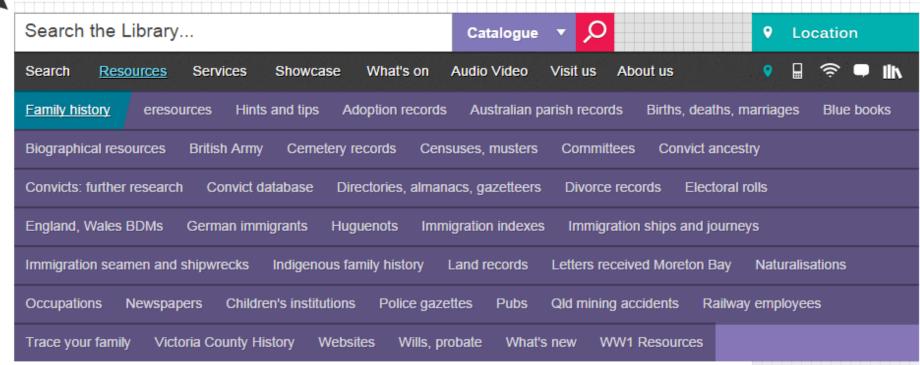
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Family History



The State Library collects a number of family and local history resources. Please check our <u>One Search</u> online catalogue for location and availability details.



www.slq.qld.gov.au/resources/family-history

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Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander family

Comprehensive information on tracing Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander

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Adoption records

How to access and locate adoption records. Includes Indigenous adoptions and overseas adoptions.

Download the PDF version of Adoption records [PDF 47.7 kb]

Australian parish records

The significance and availability of parish records - sometimes the sole source of birth, death and marriage records in early Australian history.

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Births, deaths and marriages

Hints for effective research plus Births, Death and Marriage records available. Some New Zealand indexes are also available at SLQ.

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Blue Books

Was your ancestor a government employee? You may be able to locate names, positions and salaries of your ancestors.

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Historical information about a person's life and family. Includes information on death notices and Pioneer indexes.

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British Army in Colonial Australia

Find information about ancestors who served in the military in early Australia.

Cemetery records

Availability of records and how they may assist in tracing your history.

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Census and muster records

Availability of records both in Australia and overseas. Unfortunately, census returns

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German immigration

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German land boundaries have changed dramatically over the centuries. The Germany we know today covers a vastly different area to that of the German Empire in 1871, parts of which came under the jurisdiction of Austrian, Danish, French, Polish, or Russian authorities at various periods.

For Australian family historians tracing early birth, death and marriage information in the former German States this presents particular challenges, not least of which are:

- requesting genealogical information in a foreign language
- tracking place name changes

The State Library of Queensland holds a number of publications that can assist with these issues and German genealogy in general, including:

- Ancestors in German archives: a guide to family history sources (FAMHIS 929.343 2004). A comprehensive guide to the location and holdings of national, state, local and non-government archives in
- Atlas of the German Empire, 1892 (ATLAS 912.43 1989). Shows political and administrative divisions of the period
- German genealogical research / George K. Schweitzer. (G 929.1072 1992) Written from an American perspective but contains useful lists of German archival repositories, maps, and sample letters in German to use when requesting genealogical information.
- Namensänderungen ehemals preußischer Gemeinde von 1850 bis 1942 / Fritz Verdenhalven (FAMHIS 914.3 1971). This is a German language key to name changes in former Prussian communities 1850-1942
- In-house German place names index for places in countries that are no longer part of Germany that includes original and modern names. Ask at Desk in Micrographics area on level 3.

Check the One Search online catalogue for additional titles. http://onesearch.slq.qld.gov.au/

What online resources are available for German genealogical research?

Links to German family history resources on the Internet may be found at www.cyndislist.com. Check the alphabetical index under 'G' for Germany.

FamilySearch (LDS) at https://www.familysearch.org/ provides extensive assistance. They have created a wiki for their various guides and useful information on many subjects. To access what's available click on 'Learn' then type in "Germany" or go to https://wiki.familysearch.org/en/Germany.

Ancestry

Use ancestry.com (Library edition), onsite only, at the State Library to search for other German records that can

www.slq.qld.gov.au/__data/assets/pdf_file/0008/74609/S Q-Info-Guide-3_32-German-immigration-2014-03.pdf



eresources and indexes

eresources free anywhere via the State Library of Queensland website

<u>Useful websites for family historians</u> is a collection of quality websites selected by information professionals for family and local historians. It includes sites from across Australia and overseas. Links to the most important parts of a website are included.

Some State Library indexes are free online:

- Convict transportation registers database (1787-1867)
- . Index to appointments and removals of Queensland railway employees (1890-1901)
- Index to appointments and removals of employees of the Southern and Western Railway, Traffic Branch, Queensland (1866-1876)
- Index of miners involved in Queensland mining accidents (1882-1900)
- Index to persons called before Queensland Government Committees, Part 1 (1860-1901)
- Index to persons called before Queensland Government Committees, Part 2 (1902-1920)
- Letters received re Moreton Bay 1822-1860

Material indexed is located on microfilm on Level 3 in the Micrographics Reading Room.

eresources accessible with a library card anywhere

- 19th Century British Newspapers
- Times Digital Archives (London Times newspaper 1785-1985)

These <u>eresources</u> can be accessed for free, both at the Library and at home, if you are a <u>library member</u> or have a <u>Queensland public</u> library (QPL) account.

www.slq.qld.gov.au/resources/family-history/eresources

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Coming up on October 4th is our next seminar Inmates: Asylums, Prisons and Hospitals, where Shauna Hicks and Pauleen Cass will discuss records about the elderly, infirm and prisoners, and those who looked after them. This will widen the range of resources for us to seek our families within, as well as explain the society in which our ancestors lived. Shauna will be familiar to many of us as a regular speaker at our events. Pauleen is Queensland-born, now a Darwin resident, a well known genealogy blogger, author and presenter. See below for more information or go here.

Don't forget, if you haven't yet renewed your QFHS membership, with its many benefits such as receiving Snippets, access to our resources, and discounts on seminars. It's now very easy to do so with direct credit from your bank account. Details here, remember to include your membership number!

The Award for Services to Family History is presented annually to QFHS members who have made a significant contribution to family history. The award ceremony takes place at the November Members' Meeting. If you would like to nominate a fellow member



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Red Hill from 1892. Parishes north to Maryborough, west to Laidley and south to

the Gold Coast have been filmed and indexed. However, not all parish records in the Brisbane Archdiocese have been

Microfiche copies of the indexes are available for sale from our online shop. Or.

consult the List of Microfiche Parish Records and complete the Order Form for

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Brisbane City Council

- Historic cemeteries online
 - Bald Hills, Balmoral (Bulimba), Brookfield, Cedar Creek, Lutwyche, Moggill, Nundah (German Station) South Brisbane (Dutton Park), Toowong
- Gained full control in July 1930 before managed by cemetery trusts
- For people interred prior to 19 Sep 2012





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Grave location search

Brisbane City Council maintains records of people buried or cremated at (interments) our cemeteries and crematoriums.

Use our grave location search to find people interred prior to 19 September 2012. For information on burials or cremations after this date, phone Brisbane City Cemeteries and Crematoria on 07 3407 8128.

Unfortunately, not all records are complete because Council only gained full control of Brisbane's public cemeteries in July 1930.

Before that time, a number of trusts established under Queensland law managed these cemeteries.

Cemetery maps

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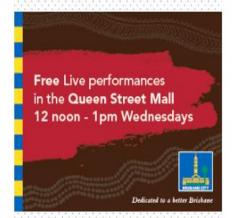
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- Try a Google search
 - www.google.com.au
- Moreton Bay Regional Council

Townsville City Council



Moreton Bay Region Cemeteries Database

Moreton Bay Regional Council maintains records of people interred in a number of cemeteries, including several historical cemeteries that are no longer used for burials.

Please be aware that historical burial records are often incomplete, as early records are less comprehensive and in most instances do not provide the same level of detail. Moreton Bay Regional council expressly disclaims all and any liability and responsibility for reliance upon this information. Attention is drawn to the <u>Cemeteries Database Disclaimer</u>.

Every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy of these records, but if you find a discrepancy please contact Council using the online Cemetery Records Information Amendment Request.

Search Interment Records

Hints:

- Dates should be entered in dd/mm/yyyy format.
- Entering a single date will search for exact matches.
- You can often find more results by searching fewer fields, entering only part of a name or using generous date ranges.

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| Agency ID | 1905 | | | | | |
| Title | Townsville Cemetery Trust | | | | | |
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| Start Date | 31/8/1872 | | | | | |
| End Date | 1/7/2010 | | | | | |
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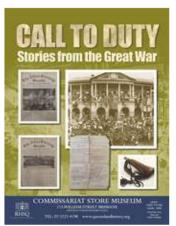
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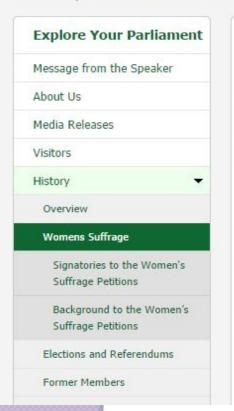
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The Bribie Island Bridge crosses the Pumicestone Passage between Bellara and Toorbul Point

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Toorbul, a seaside township facing Pumicestone Channel and Bribie Island, is 50 km north of central Brisbane. It is thought that the name resembles that of an Aboriginal clan in the area.

The township lies between the mouths of Elimbah and Ningi Creeks. Toorbul Point, a raised headland south of Ningi Creek, is now known as Sandstone Point, where the Bribie Island bridge is built.

Toorbul and Pumicestone Channel had excellent oyster beds which supported a substantial pre-colonial Aboriginal population. There is a bora ring off Bestmann Road, Sandstone Point.





Toorbul was surveyed in 1868, and farms were taken up soon afterwards. It continued as a rural community until the 1940s.

Toorbul Point and Bribie Island were military/defence areas during World War II, with Toorbul being used for amphibious and commando training. Both Australian and American personnel were involved, and Toorbul Point eventually became known as 7th Amphibious Training Centre under US Naval command. With the departure of military personnel, Toorbul became known as the causeway crossing point to Bribie Island, since bypassed by the bridge at Sandstone Point. The urbanisation of Bribie Island has not been strongly reflected in Toorbul.

Toorbul has numerous retiree residents, some with links to the Bribie Island RSL. There are a caravan park, a hotel, a hall and a local store. A foreshore reserve along Pumicestone Channel has several boat ramps. Census populations have been:

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