
FEDERATED MOULDERS' (METALS) UNION OF
AUSTRALIA, South Australian Branch

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Series List

A Friendly Society of Ironmoulders of South Australia existed from 1882 to 1893. The Federated Ironmoulders Union of Australasia was formed in 1899, changing its name to Federated Iron, Brass and Steel Moulders Union of Australasia at a conference in 1904 when a South Australian District was established. 1913 saw a name change to Federated Moulders' (Metals) Union of Australasia, subsequently Australia. ① The then South Australian Branch resolved on a name change to Metal Moulders' Union of South Australia in December 1980. ② In 1982 this union amalgamated with the Adelaide Branch of the Federated Ironworkers' Association as the Moulders and Foundry Workers Sub Branch. ③ The Federated Ironworkers' Association was party to the formation of the Federation of Industrial Manufacturing and Engineering Employees in 1991. The Federation amalgamated with the Australian Workers' Union in 1993. ④

References:

1. South Australian Foundry Worker March 1979
2. South Australian Worker September 1981
3. South Australian Worker December 1982
4. Information communicated by Chris Brown, Joint Secretary, A.W.U. - F.I.M.E. Amalgamated Union December 1993.

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Federal Conference minutes 1930, 1936-79. 15cm. Typescript carbon and processed typescript.	<u>1</u>
Amalgamation Committee minutes. 1980-86 1cm Processed typescript. [Relates to proposed amalgamation between Amalgamated Metal Workers' and Shipwrights' Union and Federated Moulders' (Metals) Union of Australia.]	<u>2</u>
Executive meeting minutes 1918-20, 1922-24, 1932-82. 40cm Manuscript and typescript.	<u>3</u>
Executive meeting attendance book 1977-79 1 volume Manuscript.	<u>4</u>
Governing Branch minutes 1915-75, 1977-82. 40cm Manuscript and typescript.	<u>5</u>
Governing Branch rough minutes 1934-36, 1940-45, 1953-58, 1961-67, 1974-76. 7 volumes Manuscript.	<u>6</u>
Local Dilution Committee minutes	<u>7</u>

1941-44 5cm Typescript carbon.	
Board of Reference minutes	<u>8</u>
1938-42 1cm Typescript carbon. [Comprises Board of Reference, Moulders' Section, minutes with related correspondence, summons and transcript.]	
Ironworking Trade Committee minutes	<u>9</u>
1934-39 1cm Typescript carbon. [Relates to technical education of apprentices. See series 10 for correspondence concerning apprenticeship in same period.]	
Correspondence	<u>10</u>
1930-76 15cm Manuscript, typescript and typescript carbon. [Chiefly comprises correspondence with Federal Council.]	
Federal Trustees' quarterly statements	<u>11</u>
1932-64 1cm Typescript carbon.	
Arbitration Court transcripts	<u>12</u>
1941-64 10cm Typescript carbon.	
Applications for registration	<u>13</u>
1935, 1974 1cm Typescript and typescript carbon. [Comprises applications for registration under the Industrial Code of 1920 and Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act of 1972.]	
Gawler Branch register.	<u>14</u>
1907-32 1 volume Printed, with manuscript additions. [Entries to 1926 give date of birth, date of admission and Christian name of wife. See also Series 33.]	
Governing Branch registers.	<u>15</u>
1911-30, 1937-77 7 volumes. Printed, with manuscript and typescript additions. [Records dates of birth and admission in most cases. Volume 1, 1911-1930, also gives residence of member, volume 2, 1930, records workplace and period in work and volume 3, 1937-1954 gives name of person to benefit in case of death.]	
Membership lists.	<u>16</u>
c.1940-43, 1955-84 5cm Typescript carbon. [See also Series 32]	
Funeral levies book	<u>17</u>
1911-67 1 volume Manuscript	
Worksite receipt books	<u>18</u>
1958-65, 1975-82 2 volumes. Manuscript carbon.	

[Volume 1 records subscriptions received at Fletcher & Sons' foundry and volume 2 subscriptions from Glanville members.]	
Cash receipt books	<u>19</u>
1936, 1945-71 3 volumes. Manuscript	
[Chiefly comprises record of contributions from members.]	
Silicosis fund contributions book	<u>20</u>
1963-71 1 volume Manuscript.	
General cash books	<u>21</u>
1932-82 4 volumes Manuscript	
General ledgers	<u>22</u>
1935-71 2 volumes Manuscript	
[Indexing by name of account.]	
Journal	<u>23</u>
1967-76 1 volume Manuscript	
Port Pirie Branch Minutes	<u>24</u>
1932-35 1 volume Manuscript	
Port Pirie Branch cash books	<u>25</u>
1932-35 3 volumes Manuscript	
Port Pirie Branch imprest petty cash book	<u>26</u>
1936-71 1 volume Manuscript	
Publications	<u>27</u>
1944-77 4 items Printed	
[Comprises Department of Labour bulletin 'The Australian Foundry' 1944, 'History of the Federated Moulders' (Metals) Union of Australia 1858-1958' and Rules 1971 and 1977.]	
Governing Branch attendance book	<u>28</u>
1977-82 1 volume Manuscript	
South Australian Foundry Workers' Joint Management Committee minutes.	<u>29</u>
1939-45 5cm Typescript	
Silicosis Committee papers	<u>30</u>
1948-63 1cm Typescript and printed.	

Secretary's papers for death benefits 1954-83 5cm Manuscript and typescript. [Comprises lists, correspondence and certificates.]	<u>31</u>
Membership cards 1907-83 20cm Printed, with manuscript additions.	<u>32</u>
Gawler Branch contributions book 1911-28 1 volume Manuscript.	<u>33</u>