

THE WESTERN AUSTRALIAN BANK

The Western Australian Bank was founded in 1841, opening its first branch on St Georges Terrace on 23 June 1841. The bank amalgamated with the Bank of New South Wales in 1927, becoming known as the Bank of New South Wales, Western Australian Branch.

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	BALANCE SHEETS
591A/10 MICROFILM	1891-1926 Balance sheets (printed) 3 May 1923, 8 November 1923, 8 May 1924, 4 November 1926. Reports of meetings
591A/11 MICROFILM	25 September 1899-27 September 1909 General balance sheets
	BANKNOTES
586A/1	January 1844 Banknote for one pound issued at Perth 11 July 1851. Also includes bill of exchange.
866A/1	1 October 1877, 1 January 1878 Two one pound notes. Copies
6415A/1	One pound note, number 172, July 1865. Original & photocopy
6415A/2	Facsimile of blank one-pound note. Original & photocopy
	CHEQUES
591A/13 MICROFILM	1843, 1844, 1852 Group of four cheques. Two £1 bank notes. Un-issued cheque from Busselton branch. Six printer's specimens for WA bank notes, cheque dated 5-10-1908, for sum of £5-8-9 together with correspondence
6415A/3	22 March 1848 Pay Mr J Drummond one pound 10/6. Original & photocopy
	CORRESPONDENCE

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591A/4 MICROFILM	25 March 1843-27 November 1856, and 26 March 1896 Inward Correspondence
591A/5 MICROFILM	29 March 184-31 October 1848, 10 June 1842-30 December 1843 Outward Correspondence. 5 loose letters, one bound volume of 701 letters
	DECLARATIONS
591A/7 MICROFILM	27 March 1945-7 March 1856 Powers of Attorney, declarations, memos
	DEEDS
591A /12 MICROFILM	23 June 1876 Deeds of Settlement. Deed of Settlement as amended to 30 June 1926, with the 1896 Banking Act, and amendments to same, 1922 and 1925 (printed). Attachment: 'Summary of WA Bank capital account since the amalgamation with the Bank of NSW, 29 March 1927' compiled by DM Arnold, 22 April 1947
7100A/1	23 June 1876 Deed of Settlement. Indenture made between Luke Samuel Leake, William Knight, George Shenton, James Dyer, John Septimus Roe, Alexander Francisco
	FINANCIAL RECORDS
1780A/1	5 October 1905 Cheque made payable to J.M Sanderson for 5 pounds 8 shillings and 9 pence
1536A/1	28 September 1882 Cheque made payable to Registrar, Supreme Court, for 197 pounds 18 shillings and 8 pence
1667A/1	1846 Cheque 1861. Order-to-pay 1844. Promissory note
	LEDGERS
5886A/1	To 1843 General and Individual Ledger. Original
	LETTERBOOKS
591A/6 MICROFILM	30 May 1845-13 December 1855 Foreign agency letterbook. Letters forwarded from head office in bound volume
591A/19 MICROFILM	6 August 184-3 March 1851 Letterbook containing copies of letters to and accounts with London
	MEETINGS
784A/1	18 February 1927 Notice of special meeting for the amalgamation of the W.A. Bank and the Bank of N.S.W.
	MINUTES
591A/9 MICROFILM	26 April 1871-16 August 1889 Minutes of Board Meetings with nominal index
591A/15 MICROFILM	23 June 1841-17 November 1847 First Minute book of the Board, WA Bank
591A/16	5 January 1842-6 May 1903

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591A/17	4 November 1903–7 November 1923
591A/18 MICROFILM	4 May 1924-8 March 1927 Minutes of Shareholders' Meetings (3 volumes). Inserted are printed reports of half-yearly meetings and balance sheets
	NOTES
591A/20	21 August 1930 Typed notes of a short history of the Western Australian Bank
	PROSPECTUS
591A/1 MICROFILM	1841 Prospectus for the formation of a Banking Company in Perth to be called the WA Joint Stock Bank, capital £20,000-2,000 shares at £10 each
	REPORTS
591A/8 MICROFILM	30 June 1846, 22 December 1849, 22 June 1850, 22 December 1852 Half yearly reports
	SHAREHOLDERS
591A/3 MICROFILM	1841-1851 List of Shareholders, Proprietors and Directors
	STATEMENTS
591A/2 MICROFILM	1841-1887 Statements 1841. Chest Surveys 1845-1846, Quarterly return of members 31 December 1851- 31 March 1879 List of securities 1887 held in bank
	STATISTICS
783A/1	1921 1 page of bank statistics

Holdings: 0.05m

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