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## Feminist Club of New South Wales

(1914 - )

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<b>Born</b>	1 January, 1914, Sydney
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<b>Occupation</b>	Lobby group, Women's Rights Organisation
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### Summary

The Feminist Club of New South Wales was formed in 1914 to work for 'equality of status, opportunity and payment between men and women in all spheres.' They group concerned itself with a broad range of issues, including child welfare, adoption, divorce laws, women's influence in politics and 'Aborigines.'

### Details

In 1929, several members of the Feminist Club left the organisation to form the more radical United Associations of Women with Jessie Street.

### Published resources

#### Book

Getting Equal: the History of Australian Feminism, Lake, Marilyn, 1999

The Feminist Club of N.S.W.: Silver jubilee souvenir, 1914-1939, [1939]

#### Journal Article

The Feminist Club Of NSW: 1914-1970: A History of Feminist Politics in Decline, Griffith, Gail, 1988

Cara David: A leading woman in Australian education, Kyle, Noeline J., 1993

Lovable Natives' and 'Tribal Sisters' : Feminism, Maternalism, and the Campaign for Aboriginal Citizenship in New South Wales in the Late 1930s, Haskins, Victoria, 1998

#### Resource

Papers of Millicent Preston-Stanley (1883-1955),  
<http://www.nla.gov.au/ms/findaids/9062.html>

Trove, National Library of Australia, 2009

## Archival resources

### **Mitchell and Dixson Libraries Manuscripts Collection**

Feminist Club of New South Wales records, 1928-1973

### **National Library of Australia, Manuscript Collection**

Papers of Ruby Rich, 1943-1948 [manuscript]

Papers of M. Preston-Stanley, 1925-1950 [manuscript]

### **National Library of Australia, Oral History and Folklore Collection**

Jack and Jean Horner interviewed by Peter Read in the Peter Read collection of interviews conducted for his book entitled, Charles Perkins : a biography [sound recording]

Ruby Rich interviewed by Hazel de Berg in the Hazel de Berg collection [sound recording]

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