

The Australian Women's Register

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Murphy, Agnes G.

(1865 - 1936)

Born	1 January, 1865, Ireland
Died	31 December, 1936, Melbourne Victoria Australia
Occupation	Journalist, Print journalist, Writer

Summary

Agnes G. Murphy was a journalist and one of the founders of the Austral Salon of Music, Literature and the Arts in Melbourne, Victoria, an organisation founded in 1890 by a small group of women journalists as a club for women writers. It developed into a club for artistic and intellectual women interested in any of the fine arts and provided an important entrée for many aspiring women musicians. Murphy was also social editor of *Melbourne Punch* for some time during the 1890s.

Events

1970 - 1900

Published resources

Site Exhibition

The Women's Pages: Australian Women and Journalism since 1850, Australian Women's Archives Project, 2008, <http://www.womenaustralia.info/exhib/cal/cal-home.html>

Resource

AustLit: The Australian Literature Resource, 2002, <http://www.austlit.edu.au/>

Trove, National Library of Australia, 2009

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