The Australian Women's Register

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Dohnt, Lynley Eva

(1898 - 1991)

Born	1 January, 1898, Gumeracha South Australia Australia
Died	31 December, 1991, South Australia Australia
Occupation	Nurse, Servicewoman

Summary

Lynley Dohnt was born at Gumeracha, South Australia. In January 1941, she was called up for service with the Air Force. With the rank of matron, Miss Dohnt served in Australia and overseas, and was discharged from the Air Force Nursing Service in 1946. After a short time as assistant to the almoner at the Royal Adelaide Hospital, she became the House Sister, an appointment which she retained until her retirement in 1958.

Published resources

Book

Story of the RAAF nursing service: 1940-1990, Halstead, Gay., 1994

Resource Section

DOHNT, LYNLEY EVA, Department of Veterans' Affairs, 2002, http://www.ww2roll.gov.au/script/veteran.asp?ServiceID=R&VeteranID=1068992

Resource

Trove, National Library of Australia, 2009

Archival resources

State Library of South Australia

Interview with Lynley Dohnt [sound recording] Interviewer: Joan Durdin

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