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Caulfield Ladies' Benevolent Society

(1930 - 1986)

Born 1 January, 1930, Caulfield Victoria Australia

Died 31 December, 1986, Caulfield Victoria Australia

Occupation Welfare organisation

Summary

The Caulfield Ladies' Benevolent Society was established in August 1930 when the decision was made to form separate societies for St Kilda and Caulfield in an attempt to meet the increasing demand for welfare in the area as a result of the effects of the Great Depression. It operated under the administrative umbrella of the Victorian Association of Benevolent Societies and its predecessors. Mary Armstrong was the inaugural president. The Society held weekly meetings to deal with cases and a fortnightly business meeting.

Published resources

Resource

Trove, National Library of Australia, 2009

Archival resources

The University of Melbourne Archives

[Victorian Association Of Benevolent Societies](#)

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