

The Australian Women's Register

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Harwood, Marian Fleming

(1846 - 1934)

Born	9 March, 1846, Greenock Renfrewshire Scotland
Died	28 July, 1934, Bellevue Hill Sydney New South Wales Australia
Occupation	Academic, Peace activist, Philanthropist, Teacher

Summary

Marian Harwood was a committed member of the New South Wales branch of the Peace Society, becoming vice-president in 1913. She founded the journal *Pax* in 1912, and established a library of peace literature. Harwood funded the Sydney office of the Peace Society and offered prizes to children in state secondary schools for essays on peace. She also gave money to several Sydney hospitals and children's homes. Marian Harwood had a strong interest in feminist organisations. She wrote several monographs on subjects that ranged from the life of Rose Scott, to the success or otherwise of international peace conferences, and to the study and performance of Shakespeare's plays.

Published resources

Resource Section

Harwood, Marian Fleming (1846-1934), Jordens, Ann-Mari, 2006, <http://www.adb.online.anu.edu.au/biogs/AS10211b.htm>

Edited Book

200 Australian Women: A Redress Anthology, Radi, Heather, 1988

Journal Article

The Growth and Decline of a Liberal Anti-War Movement in Australia, 1905-1918, Jordens, Ann-Mari, 1987

Monograph

Peace Conferences at Home and Abroad: with some general news about the peace movement, Harwood, Marian Fleming (Mrs Septimus), 1924

The Hope of Europe: and some thoughts which it awakened, Harwood, Marian Fleming (Mrs Septimus), 1922

Shakespeare Cult in Germany from the Sixteenth Century to the Present Time, Harwood, Marian Fleming (Mrs Septimus), 1907

Conference Paper

Reminiscences of the late Miss Rose Scott as founder, president, and life-long friend of the Peace Society, New South Wales Branch, Harwood, Marian Fleming (Mrs Septimus), 1925

Resource

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