

The Australian Women's Register

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Molloy, Georgiana

(1803 - 1970)

Born 12 May, 1803, Near Carlisle England

Died 1 January, 1970, Vasse Western Australia

Occupation Botanist

Summary

Georgiana Molloy emigrated to Western Australia from England in 1830 and settled in Augusta. She collected and despatched seeds of local native plants to J. Mangles FRS who passed them to collectors in the UK. She was known for her detailed botanical descriptions.

Published resources

Book

Portrait with Background: A Life of Georgiana Molloy, Hasluck, Alexandra, 1960

Pioneer Women, Pioneer Land: Yesterday's Tall Poppies Angus & Robertson, Vries-Evans, Susanna De, 1987

Resource Section

Molloy, Georgiana (1805-1843), Hasluck, Alexandra, 2006, <http://www.adb.online.anu.edu.au/biogs/A020210b.htm>

Journal Article

The Letters of Georgina Molloy, Pickering, W. G., 1929

Resource

Where are the Women in Australian science?, Australian Science and Technology Heritage Centre, 2003, <http://www.austehc.unimelb.edu.au/wisa/wisa.html>

Trove, National Library of Australia, 2009

Edited Book

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

Archival resources

State Library of Western Australia

[Molloy family papers](#)

[John and Georgiana Molloy diaries.](#)

[Letters, 1829-1838 \[manuscript\]](#)

[Shirley Daffen papers.](#)

[Letter books, 1835-1845 \[manuscript\]](#)

[Vera Whittington papers](#)

[Collection of papers on Western Australian history, 1829-1966 \[manuscript\]](#)

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