

Gordon Grimwade Archive

These papers concern research undertaken by Gordon Grimwade, a former postgraduate student of James Cook University's Material Culture Unit, into the Muluridji people of far northern Queensland, who roamed the area in the vicinity of what is now Mareeba. They maintained their existence through hunting and gathering within their traditional boundaries, which reached from: the headwaters of the Mitchell River; north to Mount Carbine; east to Rumula; south to Mareeba; west to Woodville, chiefly in the drier country west of the main rain forest margin between Biboohra and Mount Molloy. In the local Aboriginal language, Mareeba means "meeting place of the waters" and refers to the point where the Barron River is joined by Granite Creek. The research materials in this collection concern the 1980s proposed publication on the topic of the Muluridjis' material culture.

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GGP/1/Correspondence/	1981-1986 letters; with draft hand-written notes on Muluridji research
GGP/2/Research/1/	Draft version of "Muluridji: A Material Culture Reconstruction", dated 31 August 1981
GGP/3/Research/2/	Draft version of "Muluridji: A Material Culture Reconstruction", dated 31 August 1981, with author's note on copying approval, 23 November 1981
GGP/4/Research/3/	Draft version of "Muluridji: A Material Culture Reconstruction", dated 31 August 1981, with author's note on copying approval, August 1984
GGP/5/Research/4/	Draft version of "Muluridji Material Culture"
GGP/6/ Research/5/	Draft version of "Muluridji Material Culture"
GGP/7/ Research/6/	Draft version of "Muluridji Material Culture", for Prof. B.G. Reynolds
GGP/8/ Research/7/	Notes and ideas regarding early draft of "Muluridji Material Culture"
GGP/9/ Research/8/	Relics Report Forms, 1973-1974

- GGP/10/ Research/9/ Folder containing maps, notes, correspondence
- GGP/11/ Research/10/ Research papers:
- i. Barrie Reynolds (ed.), "Australian Material Culture," vol. 1. Northeast
 - ii. Barrie Reynolds, "Beothuk"
 - iii. Anthony J. Barham, "Physical Environment of Torres Strait"
- GGP/12/ Research/11/ Audiocassette tapes:
- i. L. Levers, May 1981, Tape 1, with notes concerning Lucy Levers, c.82 years old, interview 13/7/84
 - ii. Willie Shepherd re Mona Mona, 27/11/80
- GGP/13/ Research/12/ Photographs:
- i. A-WT 4 from Mareeba with explanatory letter
 - ii. Contact sheet with photos of Australian bushland
 - iii. Set of negatives for the above
- GGP/14/ Research/13/ Index cards: notes on authors and publications, Aboriginal terminology, tapes