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*Field Hockey, ACT 2nd Division—Canberra Central Versus the Australian National University at Lyneham Playing Fields* 1997
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*Competitors at Starting Blocks, Swimming, Women's Physical Disability Class?, Sydney 2000 Paralympic Games* 23 October 2000  
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*Soling Class Yachting, Match Racing, Sydney 2000 Olympic Games* 24 September 2000  
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**Loui Seselja** (b. 1948)
*Beach Volleyball, Women's Final, Australia Versus Brazil, Sydney 2000 Olympic Games* 25 September 2000
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Rugby World Cup Final, Sydney, November, 2003
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**Benjamin Rushton** (b. 1974)
*Three Friends in the Crowd at the Rocks Watching the Last Minutes of the Live Telecast of the Rugby World Cup Final in 2003, Australia Lost the Final in the Last Minute [3]* 2003
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Rugby World Cup Final, Sydney, November, 2003
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Victorian Roller Derby League All-Stars Skaters Kitty DeCapitate and Calamity Maim Blocking Texas Rollergirls Hotrod Honeys Jammer Vicious Van GoGo, Melbourne Showgrounds, Melbourne 2011
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Greg Power (b. 1974)
Rhys Williams Throwing in, Socceroos Australia v Malaysia Soccer Match, Canberra Stadium, Canberra 7 October 2011
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*The Flying Pieman, a Celebrated Sydney Pedestrian*
Sydney: J.R. Clarke, 1807
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Edward Roper (1832–1909)
*A Kangaroo Hunt under Mount Zero, the Grampians, Victoria, Australia* 1880
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*The First Melbourne Cup Trophy* 1865
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Artist unknown
*Sculling Race on River, Dent Royal Hotel* c. 1870
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Eugene Montagu ‘Monty’ Scott (illustrator, 1835–1909)
Gibbs, Shallard & Co. (printers and lithographers)
Sculling Match on the Thames, June 27, 1876, Joseph Henry Sadler, Champion of the World, vs Edward Trickett, of New South Wales
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Portrait of Jerry Jerome 1912
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Portrait of ‘Professor’ Billy Miller between 1878 and 1889
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Photographer unknown
New South Wales Competitors in the Intercolonial Rifle Match 1867
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Richard Ledgar Collection of Photographs, 1850–1910
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Samuel Calvert (1828–1913)
Portraits of the Aboriginal Cricketers, Victoria
Melbourne: Ebenezer and David Syme, 1866
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National Library of Australia
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England vs Australia Scorecard August 1882
print on paper
National Library of Australia
nla.cat-vn64515

Photographer unknown
The Australian Cricket Team 1884
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National Library of Australia
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I.F. Weedon (1864–1924)
*English and Australian Cricketers: Great Match, England vs Australia, Played at Lord’s Cricket Ground, London 19–21 July 1886*
London: John Harrop, 1887
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William Henry Corkhill (1846–1936)
*Tilba Tilba Ladies’ Cricket Team* c. 1905
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Photographer unknown
*Women and Children Playing Tennis at the Boake Family Home, North Willoughby, New South Wales* c.1880
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Charles Kerry (1857–1928)
*Ski Jumping at Kiandra*
Sydney: Australian Consolidated Press, c. 1900
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National Library of Australia
nla.cat-vn5080727

Photographer unknown
*Annette Kellermann Demonstrating Her Physical Exercises: Photos Nos 1–6* c. 1918
photographs
National Library of Australia
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Troedel & Cooper
*Enlist in the Sportsmen’s 1000*
poster
Melbourne: Parliamentary Recruiting Committee, 1916
National Library of Australia
nla.cat-vn4218752

John Heaviside Clark (c. 1771–1863)
*Field Sports, Etc., Etc., of the Native Inhabitants of New South Wales*
London: Edward Orme, 1813
National Library of Australia
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Samuel Calvert (1828–1913)
First Velocipede Race on the Melbourne Cricket Ground c. 1869
print from wood engraving
National Library of Australia
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Artist unknown
Australian Rules Football Match with Essendon Players c. 1880
chromolithograph
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nla.cat-vn8810105

The Wallabies 1908–9 Tour: Biographies and Autographs
Newport: A.W. Dawson Ltd, 1908–09
Rugby Union: Programs and Invitations Ephemera Material
National Library of Australia
nla.cat-vn3804365

Annette Kellermann (1886–1975)
How to Swim
New York: George H. Doran Company, 1918
National Library of Australia
nla.cat-vn4926701

Reginald Leslie 'Snowy' Baker (1884–1953)
General Physical Culture: with Articles on Special Subjects by Leading Australian Athletes
Melbourne: George Robertson and Company, c. 1910
National Library of Australia
nla.cat-vn1142499

Gordon Inglis
Sport and Pastime in Australia
London: Methuen, 1912
National Library of Australia
nla.cat-vn728980

H. Biers and W. Fairfax (editors)
Australian Cricketer's Guide for 1856–7
Melbourne: W. Fairfax & Co.; 1857
Ferguson Collection
National Library of Australia
nla.cat-vn2921847

J.J. Miller's Sporting Pamphlet and Official Trotting Record 1890–91
Melbourne: J. J. Miller, 1891
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nla.cat-vn2868274

New South Wales Rugby Football League. By-laws and Rules together with Laws of the Game
Sydney: F. Cunningham & Co., 1908
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*The Australian Surf Life Saving Handbook*
Sydney: The Association, 1935
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Daniel and Charles Houle (silversmiths, active 1843–84)
*Challenge Cup Heavy Weights. Presented by the Marquis [sic] of Queensberry to the Amateur Athletic Club* 1867
silver
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nla.cat-vn384095

Will Lawless ('Solar Plexus') (1867–1938)
*Boxing: Australian and Marquis of Queensberry Rules: A Complete Instructional Course in the Art of Boxing*
Sydney and Newcastle: Mick Simmons Ltd, 1927
National Library of Australia
nla.cat-vn6816200

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Photographer unknown
*Crowds on the Hill, England vs New South Wales Football Match, Sydney Cricket Ground* 1936
digital print (printed 2023)
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Robin Smith (1927–2022)
*Spectators at Australians vs the World Cricket Match Held at the Sydney Cricket Ground* 1978
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Bruce Howard (b. 1936)
*Sue Kenneally of the Victorian Hockey team, after Her Match in the Australian Women’s Hockey Championships, Royal Park, Melbourne* 1965
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J.A. Mulligan (1927–1996)
*Lorraine McDonald, a Student from St Lucy’s School for Blind and Visually Handicapped Children, Competing in the Broad Jump Event at the 14th Annual Combined Blind Schools Sports, Sydney* 14 August 1965
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*Portrait of Nathan and Joshua Stewart* 1993
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silver and gold-plated brass
Courtesy Geelong Football Club

Painted Football Presented to Stuart Spencer, Melbourne FC, VFL Premiers 1956
paint on leather
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Shirley Harris Riding Her Bowl 1998
photograph
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Group of Men Playing Bocce c. 1963
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Competition at the National Capital DanceSport Championships 2002
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silverplate
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*Up There Cazaly*
South Melbourne: Remix Music, c. 1979
sheet music
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*Carlton: 68 Premiers* 1968
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*Parramatta vs St George, Sydney Cricket Ground* 1977
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**Jack Earl** (1908–1994)
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**State of Origin Shield** 1980
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**Cathy Freeman Ignites the Olympic Flame during the Opening Ceremony for the Summer Olympics**
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*Torch of the XVI Olympiad, Melbourne* 1956 aluminium and silver
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*Sydney Olympic Torch* 2000
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**Charles Meere** (1890–1961)
*Empire Games: Sydney Calls You ...* 1938
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**Photographer unknown**
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*West End Bitter Beer Advertisement Featuring Boxing Identities, South Australia* c. 1910
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**Allan Johnston and Alan Morris**
*C’mon Aussie, C’mon*
sheet music
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*Selection of Gold Medals Won by Emma McKeon at the 2016 and 2020 Summer Olympic Games and at the 2014, 2018 and 2022 Commonwealth Games* on loan from Emma McKeon AM

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*Portrait of Dawn Fraser, Melbourne* 1963
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*The Legendary Les Darcy: Champion of Champions* c. 1970
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**Bill Brindle** (d. 1984)
*Rod Laver Playing in the New South Wales Tennis Championships* c. 1962
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*Lionel Rose, World Champion Bantamweight Boxer, before Departing for the United States to Defend His Title, Sydney Airport* 1968
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*Robert de Castella Winning the Gold Medal at the Commonwealth Games Marathon, Brisbane* 1982
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*John Eales, Rugby World Cup, Australia vs New Zealand* 1991
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*Michael Long, David Wirrpanda and Nicky Winmar (left to right) at the 2014 Dreamtime at the ‘G Match* 2014
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*The Wonder Boy Charlton*
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**Steve Holland** (b. 1963)
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