Co-operator and All Grades Advocate newspapers

The Co-operator and All Grades Advocate newspapers issued by the Amalgamated Railway and Tramway Service Association cover trade union activities in the First World War, particularly the 1917 general strike and the anti-conscription campaigns.

The forthcoming centenary of The Great Strike, held from August 2 to 18 September 1917, along with the second referendum on conscription, has increased contemporary debate around these issues, and this publication is of interest to researchers of these two significant events, as well as the general upheaval of the war years.

These newspapers, spanning 1909-1907, were digitised in collaboration with the National Library of Australia, and these resources are accessible through Trove and ANU Open Research.

Digitisation of these titles also allows for the inclusion of these resources in an upcoming ANU Archives exhibition that coincides with the 100-year anniversary of the Great Strike by the Railway and Tramway Trade Unions.

Newly digitised items

HPT Machine Plans and Logbooks

The HPT (high-pressure, high-temperature gas-medium deformation apparatus) machine was invented by Professor Mervyn Paterson. There are 13 machines in existence around the
world. The plans and logbooks were digitised by a company in Minnesota due to high
interest, and copies of the images were supplied to ANU for access.

**ANU Press titles (1965-1991)**
An extensive project undertaken by ANU Press and the ANU Digitisation Team has seen over
500 scholarly works, originally published by The Australian National University between
1965–1991, made available to a global audience under its open-access policy. The collection
is now available through the [ANU Open Research](#) repository.

**Additional titles digitised by request**

**Environmental effects of clearcutting native forest: an evaluation of current research and
research priorities: a report to the Australia Environment Council**
Published by the ANU Department of Forestry this title was digitised at the request of
Hancock Library staff for preservation as the print copy was damaged.
This title covers environmental issues associated with the silvicultural practice of
clearcutting within native forest including: issues related to regeneration and stand
development, the ecological stability of forest ecosystems, conservation of natural
environments, catchment values, harvesting practice, other forest values, fire management,
and economic evaluation of land use and management proposals.

**Papua and New Guinea maps**
ANU Open Research and the College of Asia and the Pacific launched a new collection
of [900+ digitised maps of Papua and New Guinea](#) to complement the maps already existing
in the Asia-Pacific Map Collection. The Asia-Pacific Map Collection is made up of more than
30,000 topographic, cadastral, aeronautical, bathymetric, thematic and tourist maps. The
collection has special emphasis on Asia, Australia and the Pacific.

**Visit of the King of Thailand, announcement of the Asian Fellowship by Pro Chancellor and
His Majesty’s response**
This audio recording was digitised on request by a film company that is producing a
documentary on the life and travels of the late King of Thailand.

**ANU Archives Online Exhibitions**
ANU Archives is digitising past exhibitions that have been held in the Menzies Library and
making them accessible on their website. New online exhibitions are also being added
regularly. View the [ANU Archives online exhibitions](#).