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Organisations in these records

Includes

- [Oenpelli Mission Station \(1932 - 1938\)](#)
- [Methodist Overseas Mission, Yirrkala Mission. \(1933 - 1952\)](#)
- [Kahlin Compound. Aboriginal Compound & Half-caste Home \(1933 - 1938\)](#)
- [Port Keats Mission Station \(1934 - 1941\)](#)
- [Church Missionary Society Groote Eylandt \(1943 - 1953\)](#)
- [Roman Catholic Mission Garden Point - Part-Aboriginal \(1944 - 1951\)](#)
- [Church Missionary Society - Oenpelli Mission \(1949 - 1953\)](#)
- [Phillip Creek Native Settlement Daily Journal \(1951 - 1953\)](#)
- [Roman Catholic Mission - Santa Teresa \(1952 - 1955\)](#)
- [State Children's Council Receiving Home for State Children \(1954 - 1957\)](#)
- [Registration of births after lapse of nine months \[Croker Island, Garden Point, Retta Dixon Home and other areas\] \(1954 - 1955\)](#)
- [State Children's Council Annual Reports, Northern Territory Administration \(1955 - 1959\)](#)
- [Welfare Branch - St Mary's Hostel - Policy and development \(1956 - 1958\)](#)
- [Palmerston House - Receiving Home for Adolescent Girls, Darwin \(1960 - 1976\)](#)
- [WB Receiving Home - Alice Springs - Bradshaw House \(1964 - 1971\)](#)

Related Organisations

- [Kahlin Compound \(1913 - 1939\)](#)
- [State Children's Council, Northern Territory, Australian Government \(1930 - 1959\)](#)

The National Archives of Australia series F1 contains items relating to the State Children's Council: NAA: F1, 1950/402A State Children's Council Appointments and Terminations.
- [Her Majesty's Gaol and Labour Prison, Alice Springs \(1938 - 1996\)](#)

The National Archives of Australia Series F1 Correspondence Files, contains a number of items relating to Her Majesty's Gaol and Labour Prison, Alice Springs: F1, 1972/2581 HM Gaol and labour prison - Alice Springs, 1967-1972; F1, 62/3829 Hm Gaol and Labour Prison Alice Springs 1962-1965; F1, 1959/359 Transfer of Prisoners Darwin to Alice Springs, 1959-60; F1, 1958/1051. Alice Springs Gaol HM Prison Alice Springs, 1958-1959; F1, 1966/623, 1962-1967. Reports by Comptroller of prisons on visits to the Alice Springs Gaol; F1, 1962/3981 "Transfer of Prisoners Darwin and Alice Springs, 1962-64; F1, 1966/84, HM prisons - Alice Springs - Reports by visiting justices of peace 1956-69; F1, 1970/815 WB Receiving Home - Alice Springs - Bradshaw House 1964-1971.
- [Fannie Bay Receiving Home \(1956 - 1957\)](#)
- [Receiving Home, Darwin \(1957 - 1961\)](#)
- [Receiving Home, Alice Springs \(1959 - 1966\)](#)
- [Dundas House \(1961 - 1979?\)](#)
- [Adolescent Receiving Home \(1961 - 1963\)](#)
- [Essington House \(1963 - 1974\)](#)

The National Archives of Australia series F1 contains files relating to Essington House: NAA: F1, 1973-8335 Department of Aboriginal Affairs - Aspects of the restructuring of the criminal justice section in Northern Territory, 1973-1975; NAA: F1, 1971/1236 Administration of Justice - NT, 1971-1973..
- [Palmerston House \(1963 - 1975\)](#)
- [Bradshaw House \(1966 - 1976\)](#)
- [Tambling House \(1970? - 1975\)](#)
- [Tambling House Family Home \(1976 - 1978\)](#)

Other Resources



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