The Casual Bulletin now appears on the Archive website as an electronic journal. Printed copies are mailed out on request. It is published once or twice a year.

**Acquisitions**

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**Festschrift for Professor Alan David Crown**

The *Festschrift* is available from the Mandelbaum Trust for $A22.95 (plus $5 postage within Australia and $12.00 overseas). This is a worthwhile publication covering biblical topics, the Samaritans, the Dead Sea Scrolls, Jewish studies and Australian Jewish history, with contributions from scholars all round the world.

**Washington Holocaust Museum**

The Twelfth Hour tapes: It just remains to finalise the sending of copies of the tapes.

**Archive Publications**

The sheet music of *Mi Adir*, *Sheva B'rochot* and *Phantasia Judaic* (by Boaz Bischofswerder), which was initially composed on the Dunera may be purchased from the Archivist for AU$22 (includes GST) each plus postage (AU$5 local, AU$10 overseas).

Copies of *Monograph No 12: Early Australian Zionism: An Annotated Index of Records in the Central Zionist Archives*, Jerusalem. Part 2. 50pp are available from the Archivist for AU$10.00 (includes GST) + $1.00 postage (AU$3.00 overseas). In addition, copies of the catalogue will continue to be updated on the internet, as well as some copies printed on request. The online catalogue on the web is kept up to date.

Available from Mandelbaum Publishing There are several publications of the Mandelbaum Studies in Judaica series. These include:

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Paul Stenhouse. *Kitab al Tarikh of Abu'l Fath: The Chronicle of Abu'l Fath*. Mandelbaum Studies in Judaica No. 1. 1985. 400 pp (approx). Stenhouse has translated the whole of this most important of the Samaritan chronicles into English for the first time. Although out of print, microfiche copies are available of the doctoral

Bruce Hall. *Samaritan Religion from John Hyrcanus to Baba Rabbah*. Mandelbaum Studies in Judaica no 3. 1987. 300pp (approx). This work studies the evidence for Samaritan religious practices and beliefs from the time that the Samaritan Temple on Mt Gerizim was destroyed to the period of the great Samaritan reformer and leader Baba Rabbah. AU$37.50. Postage AU$5.00.


Copies of Glenn Gordon's, *Guardians of Zion: the Shomrim in Australia 1939-1944* Mandelbaum Studies in Judaica No 6. 224pp. and Eliyahu Honig's *Zionism in Australia 1920-1939: the Formative Years* Mandelbaum Studies in Judaica No 7. 1997. 116pp. Gordon's work is the definitive account of the Shomrin youth movement which set the tone for Australian Jewry's involvement in supporting the creation of the Jewish State of Israel. The second work by Eliyahu Honig draws on archival resources in Jerusalem and traces the history of Australian Zionism through the period when the Zionist Federation of Australian and New Zealand was established to its role at the beginning of World War II.

The last two items are priced at AU$40 each. Postage AU $5.00 or AU $12.00 (overseas).


Archive Publications in Progress
The fifth edition of Periodical Publications from the Australian Jewish Community which was first published in 1986 and incorporated in the 1987 edition of the Bibliography of Australian Judaica has been posted on the Archive webpage.

The Archive continues to attract a wide variety of users who include museum curators, students of higher degrees from overseas universities, as well as local users who include authors, film makers, journalists, writers and researchers preparing exhibitions.

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