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Welcome to the January issue of the qsa-bulletin, a monthly e-flyer advising of Queensland State Archives events and news for researchers.

Seminars

An [ArchivesSearch seminar](#) will be held on Wednesday 21 January. This seminar will give researchers an introduction to the Queensland State Archives online database. For more information click [here](#).

Please note that the introductory [Research Seminar](#) is now to be held on 11 February.

Cabinet Minutes

The Minutes of Queensland Government Cabinet meetings for 1978 were released from their 30-year year embargo on 1 January 2009. A summary of important decisions, highlights and information on 1978 events and a selection of the Minutes are available on the Queensland State Archives website by clicking [here](#). Information relating to Cabinet Minutes from [1972 to 1977](#) is also available online.

Q150

Queensland State Archives will be celebrating Queensland's 150th Anniversary with seminars and travelling exhibitions in 2009. Information relating to the celebrations is available on our [website](#). Our exhibition and events program will be available soon.

New Index Online

The [Index to Passage Certificates 1887-1906](#) is now available on the Queensland State Archives website. This index covers [Series ID 7002](#), a Register of Passage Certificates kept by the Sub-Immigration Agent at Warwick and records applications by sponsors of immigrants.

Series of Interest

[Series ID 13436](#): Police Lists under the *Aliens Acts 1867- 1952* concerning 'Aliens Who Applied to Hold Land 1952-1965'.

This series consists of five bundles and is arranged chronologically by the date of the list. Most names listed appear to be immigrants who arrived in the 1940s and 1950s, although there are some earlier immigrants listed. Information given includes the date and place of birth, full name, marital status, date of arrival in Australia and current address.

Immigrants listed are 'aliens' (ie non-British citizens) and nationalities include Greek, Italian, Polish, German and Egyptian. This series is not indexed.

Images on ArchivesSearch

[Item ID 291343](#) is a photographic album containing images relating to South-West Queensland bores. As well as pictures of [bores](#), the album contains images relating to [life in the area](#) and images of the [surrounding countryside](#), [rural properties](#) and [geographic features](#).

This bulletin is available on the Queensland State Archives website at http://www.archives.qld.gov.au/publications/bulletin_archive.asp. Back issues are also available.