



## GUIDE TO THE AUSTRALIAN FEDERATION LEAGUE COLLECTION

### DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY

<b>Title:</b>	Australian Federation League collection
<b>Collection dates:</b>	[1861-1898]
<b>Creator:</b>	Not known
<b>Languages represented:</b>	English
<b>Repository:</b>	Rare Books and Special Collections, University of Sydney Library <a href="https://library.sydney.edu.au/collections/rare-books/">https://library.sydney.edu.au/collections/rare-books/</a>
<b>Extent:</b>	1 box
<b>Genre and Forms:</b>	Printed material, manuscript notes, correspondence, membership lists, financial records.
<b>Abstract:</b>	Administrative material related to the Australian Federation League.

### ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

#### Provenance

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**Biographical note**

The Australian Federation League was the peak group in New South Wales that supported the Federation of Australia in the 1890s. It was founded in 1893 by men such as Sir Edmond Barton (politician, judge and first Prime Minister of Australia) and Richard Edward O'Connor (barrister and judge). The League's slogan was "One people - one destiny - one flag".

**Local Catalogue Headings**

Barton, Edmund, 1849-1920

Deakin, Alfred, 1856-1919

Federal government -- Australia -- History

**DESCRIPTION OF SERIES**

1. Cheque book stubs      10 August 1894 – 21 December 1896  
   16 July 1894 – 4 March 1895  
   3 February 1894 – 3 October 1894
2. Correspondence dated 1894-1898 from Alfred Deacon (1856-1919) to Richard Frederick Toutcher (1861-1941).
3. Receipts
4. Correspondence (assorted)
5. Balance sheets
6. Ticket lists
7. Australian Natives Association – manuscripts and printed material
8. Correspondence, miscellanea.