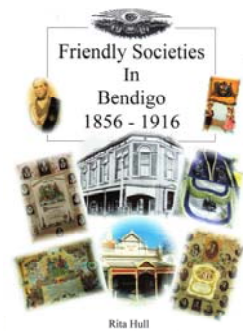


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FRIENDLY SOCIETIES IN BENDIGO 1856-1916

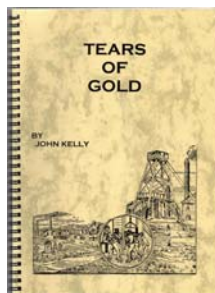
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Friendly Societies were of great significance pre WWI, not only for the welfare benefits they distributed, but also for the many social activities they organised that drew people from around the world into a cohesive nation.

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TEARS OF GOLD

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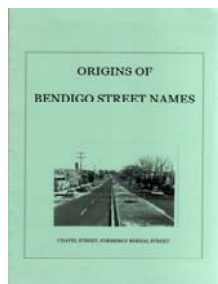
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Biographies and cause of death of many children, women and men who died as a result of mining activities, either by drowning in mine dams, falling down shafts, collapsing earth etc.

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ORIGINS OF BENDIGO STREET NAMES

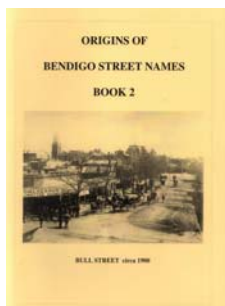
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Many streets of Bendigo were named in honor of early prominent citizens, some at the whim of surveyors, and sometimes they show a mining connection. Some maps and photographs.

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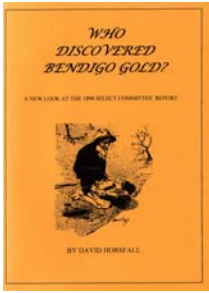
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The origins of more street names in Bendigo, and why they were so named. Includes a copy of a large map (A3) of Bendigo dated 1871,

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WHO DISCOVERED BENDIGO GOLD ?

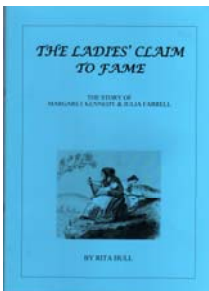
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This book takes a new look at the 1890 Select Committee Report into the claims of Henry Frencham for the reward as the “Discover’ of the Bendigo Goldfield. This committee did not follow the rules for granting rewards which the previous Committees had set down, instead fell into the trap like so many present day people, of thinking the word ‘discover’ has the same meaning as the word ‘find’.

Has David Horsfall worked out the answer to an age old query?

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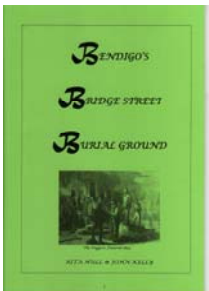
THE LADIES CLAIM TO FAME

Author Rita Hull

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The story of Margaret Kennedy and Julia Farrell, the two women locally honoured as being the first persons to gather gold along Bendigo Creek, who disputed Henry Frencham’s claim for a Government reward. Their story only came to light during the Victorian Government Select Committee Report.

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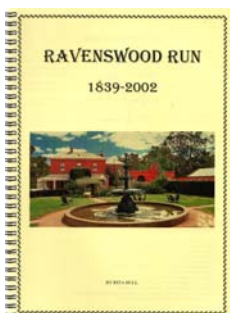
BENDIGO’S BRIDGE STREET BURIAL GROUND

Authors, Rita Hull and John Kelly

53 pages A4

This burial ground in Bridge Street was only used for about four years after the discovery of gold, but it is estimated to contain approximately 600 bodies, all still lying under the car park. There was never any official record kept of interments but this book records the history of the site, well referenced from newspapers and government sources. It does not contain a list of people buried there.

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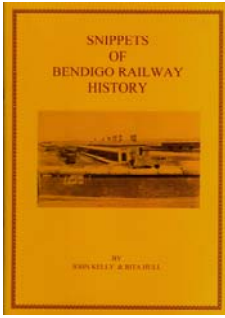
RAVENSWOOD RUN 1839-2002

Author Rita Hull

64 pages A4

Ravenswood was one of the earliest squatter Runs established, covering a huge area of Northern Victoria, but has now been greatly diminished in size. Its’ importance is the fact that it originally encompassed Bendigo Creek where gold was discovered and a city grew. The original homestead is intact but has suffered many vicissitudes over the years. Biographies of the many people involved are included.

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SNIPPETS OF BENDIGO RAILWAY HISTORY

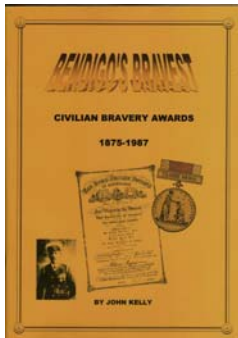
Authors John Kelly and Rita Hull

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This is the story of building the historic line from Ravenswood to Bendigo, referenced by the many contracts let and sub-let for the bridges, Big Hill tunnel and buildings. The admirable craftsmanship of the stone masons and the beautiful brickwork of the station buildings is still very evident. With photographs, maps and a list of early employees.

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BENDIGO'S BRAVEST

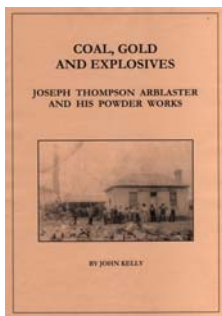
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Civilian Bravery awards 1875-1987 were issued by the Royal Humane Society, Victoria, to brave Bendigo citizens who have risked their own lives to save others. Numbered over 105, the medals came in gold, silver, or bronze, each with the recipients' name engraved around the edge. The rescues involved the mines, drowning and fire, with the youngest awardee being 8 years old.

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COAL, GOLD AND EXPLOSIVES

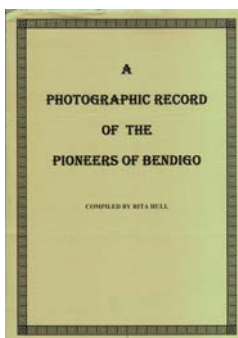
Author John Kelly

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Joseph Thompson Arblaster gave up mining to build a factory at Eaglehawk to manufacture Safety Blasting Powder for use in the mines. Unfortunately the works blew up several times killing ten people in all. The main focus of the story is the eight working lads who lost their lives in a single accident and the affect on the community.

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A PHOTOGRAPHIC RECORD OF THE PIONEERS OF BENDIGO

Author Rita Hull

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There are many large montages of photographic portraits scattered around Bendigo. This book illustrates and indexes many of them, and explains where others may be found. The aim of all family historians is to find a photo of their ancestor.

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