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Cranswick, Isobel (Hilary)

(1915 - 2007)

Born	19150117, Victoria Australia
Died	20070919, South Australia Australia
Occupation	Nurse, Servicewoman

Summary

Hilary Cranswick, née Hogarth, was born in Victoria. When her father enlisted in the war Hilary came with her mother and sister to live with relatives in Adelaide. Her father was killed during the war. She went to Britain in 1939 and held many wartime nursing positions including accompanying children of one of her employers to Canada when the blitz necessitated their evacuation. On returning to Australia in 1942 Hilary joined the Australian Army Nursing Service and had postings in Papua New Guinea and in New South Wales. She retired from nursing after her marriage.

Published resources

Resource Section

HOGARTH, ISOBEL HILARY, Department of Veterans' Affairs, 2002,
<http://www.vv2roll.gov.au/script/veteran.asp?ServiceID=A&VeteranID=691113>

Resource

Trove, National Library of Australia, 2009

Archival resources

State Library of South Australia

[Interview with Hilary Cranswick \[sound recording\]](#) Interviewer: Joan Durdin

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