The Australian Women's Register

Entry type: Person **Entry ID:** AWE6244

Dwyer, Vera Gladys

(1889 - 1967)

Born	18890223, Hobart Tasmania Australia
Died	19670910
Occupation	Writer

Summary

Vera Dwyer was the daughter of journalist George Lovell Dwyer and his wife Margaret Jafe (Shield). She was born in Hobart, Tasmania, on 23 February, 1889.

From a young age she contributed regularly to the *Australian Town and Country Journal*. Her first book, *With Beating Wings*, was written when she was in her teens and was sponsored by author Ethel Turner.

In the 1930s Vera contributed articles to *The Sydney Morning Herald* and was a member of the Fellowship of Australian writers. Vera's published works included children's books, as well as adult fiction.

Vera married Captain Warwick Coldham Fussell at St Leonards, New South Wales, in 1915. They divorced in 1925.

Archival resources

National Library of Australia, Manuscript Collection Literary manuscripts of Vera Dwyer [19--] [manuscript]

Fryer Library, The University of Queensland Biographical information

State Library of New South Wales

Dwyer family papers, ca.1912-ca.1973

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