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Entry type: Person IMP0280

Armstrong, Elaine

Nationality Australian

Summary

Elaine Armstrong was appointed as an Officer of the Order of the British Empire for gallantry in the West Gate Bridge Disaster, Melbourne, 31 December 1971. A section of the bridge collapsed on 15 October 1970 when it was under construction, killing 31 people.

Published resources

Site Exhibition

Faith, Hope and Charity Australian Women and Imperial Honours: 1901-1989, Australian Women's Archives Project, 2003.

http://www.womenaustralia.info/exhib/honours/honours.html

Resource

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