

STATE LIBRARY OF NEW SOUTH WALES

Sporting newspapers published in Sydney / New South Wales

The following newspapers were either totally devoted to sports or at least mentioned the coverage of sports in their titles.

General newspapers can also contain useful coverage of sports, and should be considered for sports history research. They can be found in the Library's computer Catalogue under subject headings such as 'Sydney (N.S.W.) – Periodicals' and 'Sydney (N.S.W.) – Newspapers'.

The Arrow, March 1896 – 10 March 1933 (SRL RAV/FM4/823)

Australasian Sporting Magazine, October 1850 – January 1851 (ML 798.05/1)

Australian Sportsman, 9 September 1848 – 30 December 1848 (SRL RAV/FM4/822)

Bell's Life in Australia and Retrospect of All Events of Importance, 1 January 1848 – 5 February 1848 (ML Q079/59)

Bell's Life in Sydney and Sporting Chronicle, November 1860 – 31 December 1870 : impf. (SRL RAV/FM4/378)

Bell's Life in Sydney and Sporting Reviewer, 4 January 1845 – October 1860 : impf. (SRL RAV/FM4/378)

The Bird o' Freedom, 7 February 1891 – 29 February 1896 (SRL RAV/FM4/823)

Boxing and Sporting Judge, 10 August 1917 – 2 November 1917 (SRL RAV/FM4/857, microfilm)

The Dead Bird, 16 May 1889 – 31 January 1891 (SRL RAV/FM4/823)

The Era, 11 October 1856; 31 January 1857; 18 July 1857; 26 September 1857; 4 December 1858 (microfilm SRL RAV/FM4/857)

Fairplay, 9 January 1908 – 27 October 1916 (ML MDQ198.405/1) and 4 November 1916 – 1 April 1926 (ML X790.099405/1)

The Field, 13 October 1891 – 12 April 1892 (microfilm SRL RAV/FM4/857)

Illustrated Sporting Life, 28 July 1866 – 25 August 1866 (microfilm SRL RAV/FM4/857)

The Licensed Victuallers' Advocate, and Sporting Gazette of New South Wales, 15 October 1881 only (SRL RAV/FM4/1474)

Life : an Original Weekly Journal of Politics, Sporting, Literature, Law & the Drama, 4 September 1878 – 13 December 1878 (microfilm SRL RAV/FM4/857)

The New Referee and Newsletter, 4 December 1964 – 26 February 1965 (SRL Offsite: TN55)

New South Wales Sporting Magazine, October 1848 – December 1848 (ML 798.05/1)

New South Wales Sporting and Literary Magazine, and Racing Calendar, January 1849 only (ML 798.05/1)

The Newsletter Race Special : Conducted by 'The Tout', 6 December 1918 – December 1934; 6 November 1947 (SRL RAV/FM4/1579)

The Referee and Newsletter, 24 January 1964 – 27 November 1964 (SRL Offsite: TN55)

The Referee, Oct. 20, 1886-Aug. 31, 1939 (SRL RAV/FM4/241 RR)

The Referee Turf Record and Racing Calendar, August 1921 – November 1922 (ML 798.305/R)

Sporting Girl's Weekly, 8 October 1932 only (ML 796.0194099/1)

Sporting Times, 1 July 1848 – 12 August 1848 (microfilm SRL RAV/FM4/857)

Sporting Times, 22 March 1929 – 10 May 1929 (microfilm SRL RAV/FM4/857)

Sporting Weekly, 3 January 1958 – 22 October 1971 (ML Q796.05/4)

The Sportsman, 11 July 1960 to date (SRL RAV/FM4/260 RR)

The Sportsman and Licensed Victuallers' Gazette, 7 August 1875 (SRL RAV/FM4/988)

Sydney Pickwick, Sporting Chronicle and Police Gazette, 2 March 1850 (microfilm SRL RAV/FM4/857)

The Sydney Sporting Life, 1 September 1866 – 8 June 8 1867 (microfilm SRL RAV/FM4/857)

Sydney Sportsman, 1900 – 4 July 1960 (SRL RAV/FM4/260 RR)

The Tomahawk : a Live Journal Devoted to Politics, Sport & the Drama, 24 October 1896; 21 November 1896 (ML Q059/T); 31 October 1896 (DL 89/98)

Top-Notch : the Live Up-to-Date Sporting Newspaper, 23 May 1924 – 19 December 1924 (SRL RAV/FM4/1075)

Weekly News, Sporting and Dramatic Budget, 13 April 1895 – 27 April 1895 (microfilm SRL RAV/FM4/857)

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Sporting newspapers published in other Australian states

The following newspapers were published in states other than New South Wales. They were either totally devoted to sports or at least mentioned the coverage of sports in their titles.

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Queensland

Point : With Which is Incorporated the Queensland Sportsman, May 1902 – September 1902 (ML Q797.06/P)

Queensland Figaro : Titbits of Everyday About Everybody and Everything With a Peep at Society, Science, Sport and the Drama, January 1883 – June 1885 (ML QA827/Q)

Queensland Turf Guide and Sporting Calendar, 1874-75 – 1877-78 (ML 798.3/Q)

South Australia

Adelaide Sports, Drama and Theatrical Journal, 13 January 1906 only (ML Q790.5/A)

Tasmania

Nil.

Victoria

Alcock's Sporting Review, December 1912 only (ML Q797.05/A)

Bell's Life in Victoria and Sporting Chronicle, 10 January 1857 – 24 December 1859 (SRL Offsite: BN289)

The Federal Australian : a Weekly Summary of the Pastoral, Agricultural, Political, Social, Scientific and Sporting Affairs of the Whole of Australia, 31 March 1881 – one issue only (ML F079.94/3)

Illustrated Sporting and Dramatic News, 3 October 1907 – 13 March 1912 (SRL Offsite: TN124)

The Leader : a Weekly Journal of News, Politics, Agriculture, Literature, Science and Sport, 3 January 1880 - May 1891; January 1901 – 25 December 1920 (SRL RAV/FM4/817)

Victorian Sporting Record, 1903 only (ML 797/V)

Western Australia

The Spectator : a Critical Review of Matters Political, Mining, Sporting, Theatrical, and General, Oct. 21, 1900)-May 23, 1903 (SRL Offsite: BN664)

The Umpire : a Weekly Journal of the Turf, Cricket, Rowing, Cycling, Athletic Sports and General News, 5 January 1901 (Federation issue) only (SRL Offsite: BN620)

The W.A. Clarion : Stage! Sport! Society!, 23 May 1896 only (SRL Offsite: TN833)

Australian Capital Territory

Nil.

Northern Territory

Nil.