Owner: Mr M Amos, ‘Gala’, Cranbrook, Tasmania, 7275 (now Mrs G Amos, ‘Glen Gala’ Cranbrook Tasmania 7275).

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Description: Two reels of microfilm. The film had to be made before careful sorting of the papers was possible and some letters have therefore been filmed out of their best order.

A10/1 (reels 1 & 2)

Film 1
1. Diary of Adam Amos (1774-1845), May 1822 – Dec 1825. A record of chief happenings in the district of Great Swan Port of which he was Chief District Constable, including notes of musters and convict passes, with names.
2. Adam Amos (1774-1845), letters outward, 1807-1844, mostly to his sons.
3. Adam Amos (1774-1845), letters inward, 1833-1841, including receipts.
4. James Amos (1804-1864), letters inward, 1837-1850.
5. James Amos (1804-1864), will.
6. Letters from George Meredith to his wife Mary, nee Evans, 2 Mar 1823 & 25 Apr 1825.
7. Letter from George Meredith jun. to Mary Meredith (nee Evans), 6 Aug 1833.
8. Letter from Maria, Mrs John Meredith (nee Hammond), to her daughter Jessie Meredith, 3 May 1885.
11. Bill of lading for the shipment from Leith of 4 harrows and 2 ploughs, 23 Jul 1814.
12. Copy of map in Survey Office signed by J H Wedge, 7 Oct 1826, of grant of George Meredith for 2,000 acres at Great Swanport, and a description in handwriting of George Frankland, of additional grant of 1,000 acres.
13. Letter to Mrs Mary Lyne from Jessie Amos (?), 10 May, 2 Oct.
14. Letter from Elizabeth Lyne to Mary Amos, n.d.
15. Letter to Mary Amos from ?, 5 May 1839.
16. Letters from Mrs Louisa Bell (nee Meredith) to Margaret Amos (1809-1896), 26 Aug 1885 & 2 Apr 1886.
18. Adam Amos to ? Mrs Amos, 1873.
19. Diary of John Amos, 1 Jan 1840-May 1843.
20. Manuscript copy in 1880-1900 style writing, of “Grandfather Amos’ Diary”, 1 Jan 1854-21 Jan 1858.

Film 2

1. Receipt book of half and quarter yearly rent paid by James Amos (father of Adam and John (1776-1848), as tenant of Heriot Mill, Galawater, including later editions (1779), of cash expenses of mill, 1774-1845.
3. Diary of Adam Amos (1807-1874), June 1839 –
4. Letterbook (or minute book) of Trustees of estate of John Lord, 1829-1833, including correspondence of Derwent Steam Navigation Company.

A10/2 (a & b)

1931, “History of the Amos and Lyne families”, by C(larendon) Amos, also duplicated notes for members of the family (later published privately as ‘Family history of Adam Amos of ‘Glen Gala’ and William Lyne of Apsley’).

A10/3

ND. (20th century), manuscript list of memorials in the Amos burial ground, Cranbrook, Tasmania.