HONOURS THESES IN HISTORICAL ARCHAEOLOGY AT UQ

The following BA (Honours) theses have recently been submitted to the School of Social Science, University of Queensland, on topics in historical archaeology:

Big Rock or Little Britain: A Study of Britishness in Late 19th and Early 20th Century Queensland
Linda Terry

The Rise and Demise of Patent Medicine: Abortifacients and their Influence on the Agency of Victorian Women
Noel Sprenger

Mixed Blessings: Exploring the Negative and Positive Implications of Amateur Metal Detector Use in Archaeology
Jason Parr

Expressions of Gentility in a Penal Colony: The Lempriere Family at Port Arthur
Eleanor Marshall

Down on the Farm: Identifying and Measuring Self-Sufficiency from the Historical Archaeological Record
Margaretha Vlahos

Character and Heritage: The Contribution of Character to the Cultural Significance of Heritage Places
Jacqueline Crabtree

Jon Prangnell

BANKFOOT HOUSE, GLASSHOUSE MOUNTAIN

Caloundra City Council purchased Bankfoot House in 2004 with the purpose of preserving an important part of the area’s history. The central section of Bankfoot House, dating from 1878, is the oldest surviving building in the Glasshouse Mountains district of the Sunshine Coast hinterland. Within Bankfoot House there exists an unusual degree of preservation of documents, photographs and household effects, because the building contents have remained in the same family from 1868 to 2002. Each generation has made an effort to record and preserve the family and community history. The result is a unique, encapsulated record.

Bankfoot House, 1926