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TREASURE TROVE OF DONATED MATERIAL

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The Photo displays some of the many items donated by John Faucett of South Australia. This is the second donation from this friend of the Museum, a few years ago my son Matthew and I went to see John as he had a few items that he thought might be of interest to the Museum.

Among the items were a number of Penrose Annuals which made a significant addition to the few we already had in our library. In his latest donation there are another 15 Annuals, plus a complete set of the front-page material of 'The Advertiser' from Proof, Negative, Plate and Flong.

Also a fine example of Glass 4-Colour Plates and a printed sample. Included in the package are varied print magazines, catalogues and trade magazines. It is a treasure trove of print history. I would like to thank John Faucett for keeping us in mind for this material and for my son who arranged the transport from South Australia. Members please take the time to browse through the latest items in the donation.