



**Finding aid**

**FLAKELAR\_D01**

**Sound recordings collected by  
Danielle Flakelar, 1990 - 1991**

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## SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

**Date:** 1990 - 1991

**Extent:** 4 sound cassettes (ca. 60 min. each) : analogue, mono.

### Production history

These recordings were collected between 14 October 1990 and and 20 June 1991 by Danielle Flakelar near Narrabri and Dubbo, NSW. The field trips were funded by a grant from the Australian Institute of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Studies (AIATSIS) and the purpose was to document the interviewees' history, experiences, achievements and poetry. The speakers who participated in this research are Terry Doolan, Bill Reid, Jean Hamilton and poetry readings by Frank Doolan. The collection was deposited with AIATSIS on 30 April 1993.

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## ARCHIVIST'S NOTE

This finding aid was compiled from information provided by Danielle Flakelar and audition sheets prepared by AIATSIS staff.

Timing points may be slightly out depending on the technologies and procedures in place at the time

the recordings were auditioned.

## ITEM LIST

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## ITEM DESCRIPTIONS

**026186 + 026187/2**

Performer/speaker(s):	Terry Doolan, Bill Reid, Jean Hamilton
Subject keywords:	History - Biographies - Indigenous – Autobiographies, History - Oral history
Language/people:	English, Wailwan / Weilwan
Places:	Narrabri (N NSW SH55-12), Pilliga (N NSW SH55-12)
Recording quality:	Poor

Archive item number	Timing point	Description	Date	Place
FLAKELAR_D 01-026186	00:10	Terry Doolan talks about topics such as, his early years at Pilliga Mission beginning about 1939, timber mill and entertainment, his early life, food and local bird life.	14 October 1990	Narrabri, NSW
	12:10	Terry Doolan, Bill Reid and Jean Hamilton speak of Pilliga earlier times.		
	32:00	End of FLAKELAR_D01-026186.		
FLAKELAR_D 01-026187	00:10	Continuation of general discussion with Terry Doolan, Bill Reid and Jean Hamilton.		
	32:20	End of field recording 2 and end of FLAKELAR_D01-026187.		

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026188/3

Performer/speaker(s):	Terry Doolan
Subject keywords:	History - Biographies - Indigenous – Autobiographies, History - Oral history, Religions – Christianity, Health services – Hospitals, Sport
Language/people:	English, Wailwan / Weilwan
Places:	Narrabri (N NSW SH55-12), Murdi Paaki / Bourke (N NSW SH55-10)
Recording quality:	Poor

Archive item number	Timing point	Description	Date	Place
FLAKELAR_D01-026188	00:10	Terry Doolan talks about his greatest achievements such as, inviting Jesus Christ into his life, being elected to the Bourke Hospital Board of Directors and breaking into radio. He was a vice-president at all-white tennis club in Bourke, plays tennis and played rugby league, cricket and soccer.	16 April, 1991	Dubbo, NSW
	12:00	End of field recording 3 and end of FLAKELAR_D01-026188.		

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026189 + 026190/4

Performer/speaker(s):	Terry Doolan
Personal subject(s):	Josephine Leonard, Joseph, Barbara and Hazel Doolan
Subject keywords:	History - Biographies - Indigenous – Autobiographies, History - Oral history, History - Genealogy and family history, Occupations, Hunting, Food – Bush tucker
Language/people:	English
Places:	Dubbo (N NSW SI55-04)
Recording quality:	Fair

Archive item number	Timing point	Description	Date	Place
FLAKELAR_D 01-026189	00:10	Terry Doolan speaks about his family history, his parents work , his mother's illness, his deceased step-sister and another sister took a lot of responsibility. He talks about his jobs, education, entertainment at Pilliga Mission and heritage in English.	27 May 1991	Dubbo, NSW
	31:49	End of FLAKELAR_D01-026189.		
FLAKELAR_D 01-026190	00:10	Terry Doolan speaks about hunting and eating bush tucker and sharing it at the mission, and an incident while hunting a goanna.		
	10:27	End of field recording 4 and end of FLAKELAR_D01-026190.		

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026191 + 026192/5

Performer/speaker(s):	Frank Doolan
Personal subject(s):	Fred Reid
Subject keywords:	History - Biographies - Indigenous – Autobiographies, History - Oral history, Literature and stories - Poetry
Language/people:	English, Wailwan / Weilwan people?
Places:	Dubbo, NSW / 20 June 1991
Recording quality:	Fair

Archive item number	Timing point	Description	Date	Place
FLAKELAR_D01-026191	00:12	Frank Doolan talks about where he grew up in Bourke, rascism, writing and his father. He recites two poems, one about his father, the other about his uncle.	20 June, 1991	Dubbo, NSW
	15:28	End of FLAKELAR_D01-026191.		
FLAKELAR_D01-026192	00:11	Frank Doolan recites a poem about the Aboriginal contribution to rugby league, <i>The complete Koori footballer</i> .		
	02:04	End of field recording 5 and end of FLAKELAR_D01-026192.		

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