

**D12 Australian Coal and Shale Employees' Federation (Miners' Federation)  
Southern District, NSW.**

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History	<p>The first district association of coal miners on the south coast of NSW was formed in December 1878. This association lapsed and was not revived until 1885 when the Miners' Mutual Protective Association [1885 - 90] was formed. In 1915, an association of colliery workers in NSW, Victoria and Tasmania was brought about by the establishment of the Australasian Coal and Shale employees' Federation. For convenience, this body is usually referred to as the Miners' Federation. On the south coast, the antecedents of the Federation include the Amalgamated Miners' Association of Australasia [1890 - 96], Illawarra District Council of the Australasian Labour Federation [1896 - 1901], Illawarra Colliery Employees' Federation [1901 - 2] and the Workers' Industrial Union of Australia (Mining Department).</p>
Record Summary	<p>Lodge minute books, financial and other records from some of the following lodges: Coledale, Excelsior, Mt Keira, Mt Pleasant, Scarborough, Nattai, South Kembla, Kembla Central, Balmain, Medway, Wongawilli, Loch Catherine, South Clifton, Old Bulli and Bulli Shaft.</p>
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