



Lesbian & Gay Archives of New Zealand

Te Pūranga Takatāpui o Aotearoa

Index Cards Transcribathon 10 - 24 Jul 2021 laganz.org.nz

Final Day Opening, Sat 24 Jul, 10am NZT

Kia ora koutou! We'll get started shortly ...

This morning's Zoom session

**Presenter:
Gavin Hamilton**

- **Welcome**
- **Thank you volunteers**
- **How we met our target: 5000 cards corrected!**
- **Show and tell: card correcters' nominated favourite cards**
- **What's next for the index card data?**
- **Open question & feedback time**
- **OPTIONAL Demo: How to do QA on cards in From the Page**

This morning's Zoom session

Suggested protocols for the meeting Chat and queries

- **We're not recording ... but we will save the meeting Chat**
- **Use prefixes in the Chat**
 - **Q: prefix** to flag **queries for Gavin** (the presenter) or LAGANZ colleagues
 - **I: prefix** to **introduce yourself** - we'd love to know where you're from, how you heard about the Transcribathon, what you've enjoyed, and what you think we should try in the future
- **Interrupt any time - we welcome discussion and feedback**

The LAGANZ team

... and Transcribathon
supporters

- **LAGANZ Trustees**
 - Kevin Haunui (Chair)
 - Gavin Hamilton
 - Dr Elizabeth Kerekere, MP
 - Roger Swanson (Secretary)
 - Donal Raethel
 - Will Hansen
 - Roger Smith
- **LAGANZ Curator**
 - Linda Evans
- **Volunteers helped with our pilot**
- **Transcribathon funder **Rainbow Wellbeing Legacy Fund****
- **Community groups & other supporters**

About LAGANZ

**Charitable trust
established 1992**

- **Collections owned by the community**
 - Housed by agreement within Alexander Turnbull Library, part of National Library
- **Objects of the Trust include**
 - “Active collection, preservation and making available for creative use of the historical and cultural records of LGBTTFIQ”
 - “‘LGBTTFIQ’ means any person who identifies as **lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, takatāpui, fa'afafine, intersex or queer** and is intended to include any same-sex attracted, transgender or intersex members of any indigenous community of the Pacific.”

How we met our target

4838 index cards in 2 weeks ... but we did it in **8 days!**



How we met our target

- 78 contributors in From the Page
- 877 hours of effort!
- Some heroic contributions, thank you!

Target: 4838 index cards in 2 weeks ... but we did it in **8 days!**

FTP Username	Total Hrs
Auchmill	105
Juju2021	59
SimonT	47
spaceloryy	41
Merceran	34
RainbowRobinNZ	30
SiobhanLeachman	28
simse1201	26
ranne	21
Ben W. Brumfield	21
Toni	20
DocDot	19
kaypatrick99	18

Volunteers' favourite cards

**Collection items that
caught your attention**

- **AIDS: you can't catch it holding hands / De SAI
PHALLE, Niki**
[LAGANZ-OCTAVOS-263-DESAI](#)
- **NEW ZEALAND. Laws, statutes etc. Homosexual
law reform act 1986.**
[LAGANZ-PAM-702.75-NZLAW](#)
- **ALL muscle: a Fox Studios presentation.**
[LAGANZ-PAM-G684-ALL](#)



AIDS: you can't catch it holding hands / De SAI PHALLE, Niki

[LAGANZ-OCTAVOS-263-DESAI](#)

263 SHELF LIST

De SAI

DE SAINT PHALLE, Niki

AIDS: you can't catch it holding hands.
San Francisco: Lapis Press, 1987.

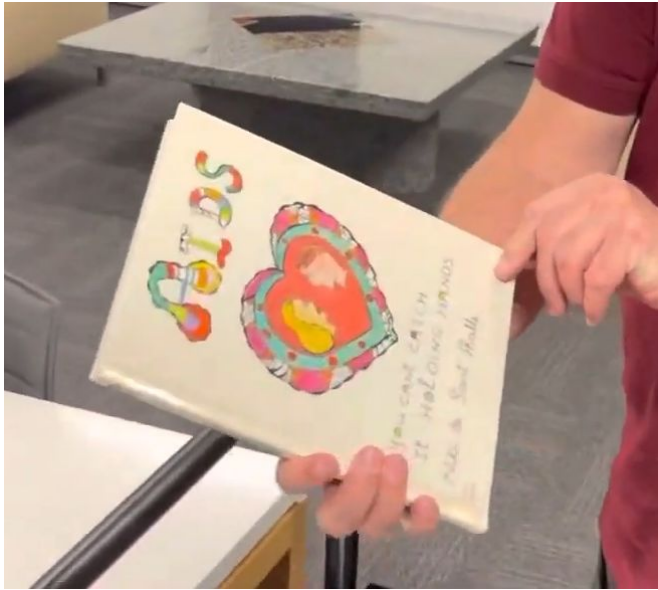
52p. illus col.

Childish book in form of an illustrated letter about AIDS prevention. May have been developed in Switzerland. Odd: looks like LSD was involved.

ISBN 093249952X

1. AIDS - ^{public}prevention education. I. Title.

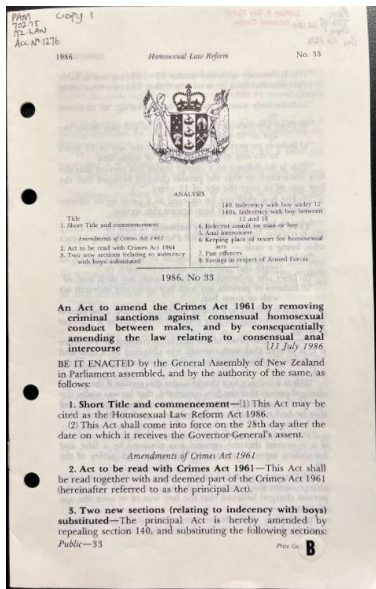
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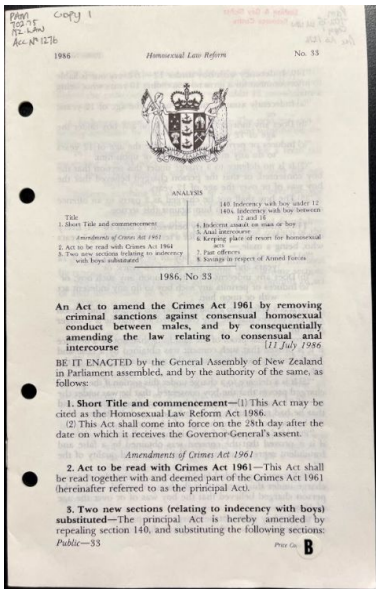
NEW ZEALAND. Laws, statutes etc.
Homosexual law reform act 1986.
Wellington: Govt. Print., 1986
5p. (1986 no.33)

1. Sexual law reform - New Zealand. I. Title.

Acc. No. 1276, 1277, 1278. (3 copies)

**NEW ZEALAND. Laws, statutes
etc. Homosexual law reform act
1986.**

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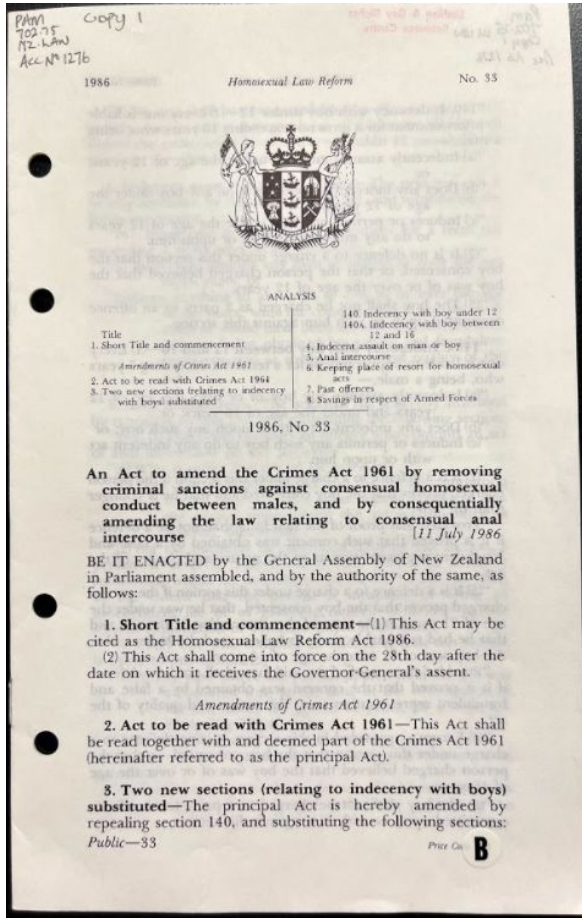
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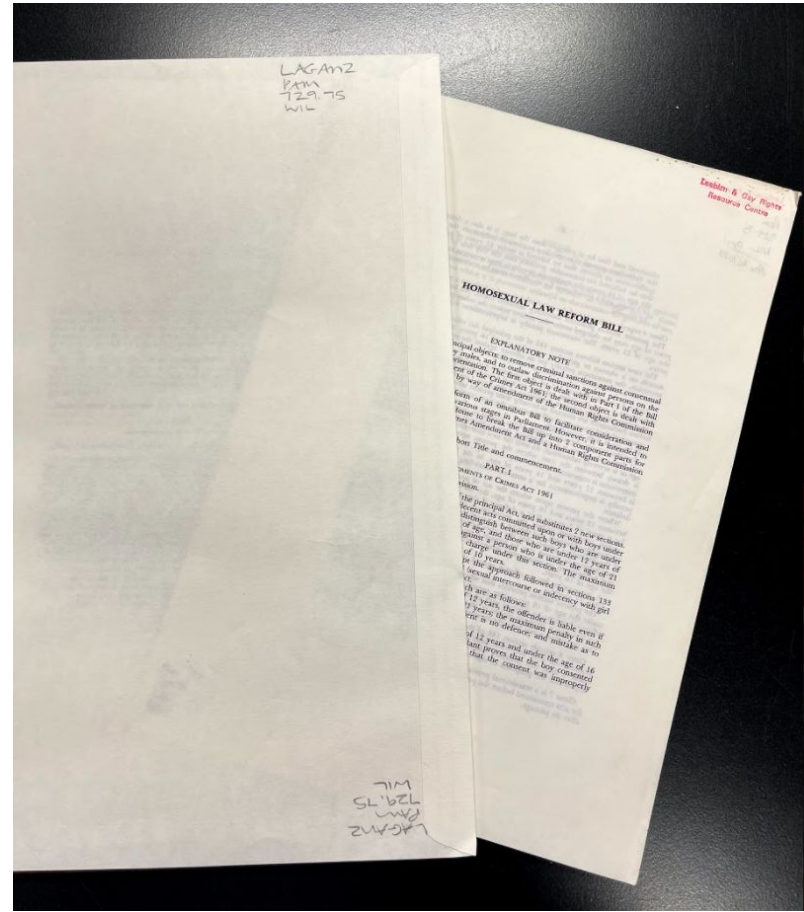


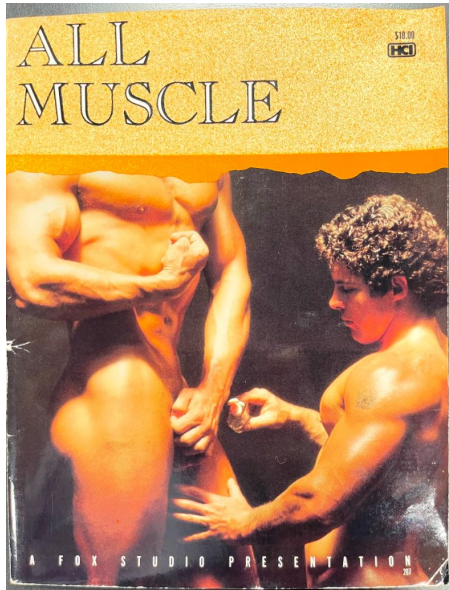
NEW ZEALAND. Laws, statutes etc. Homosexual law reform act 1986.

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NZLAW

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WIL





**ALL muscle: a Fox Studios
presentation.**

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ALL muscle: a Fox Studios presentation.
Venice, CA: Fox Studios, 1985.
[48p.] illus.
Photographs of naked body builders.
Declared indecent in the hands of
persons under 18.

1. Body builders - Photographs. I. Fox
Studios.
Acc. No. 1991

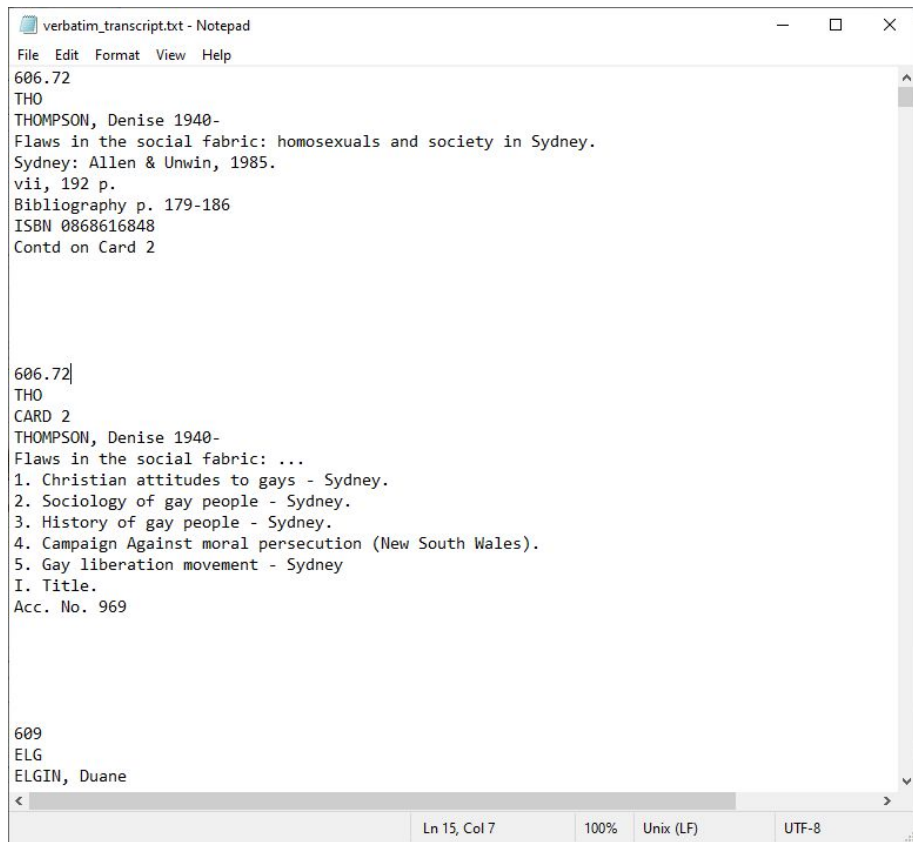
Index cards, data

What next for the index cards and the data?

- Export from From the Page
- Import into spreadsheets for coding
- Map data to metadata master fields
- Short term: finding aids as files
- Medium term: import data into online catalogue
- Long term:
 - data matched to digitised items
 - index card images & data in digital preservation platform

Index cards, data

Export from From the Page



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verbatim_transcript.txt - Notepad
File Edit Format View Help
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THO
THOMPSON, Denise 1940-
Flaws in the social fabric: homosexuals and society in Sydney.
Sydney: Allen & Unwin, 1985.
vii, 192 p.
Bibliography p. 179-186
ISBN 0868616848
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THOMPSON, Denise 1940-
Flaws in the social fabric: ...
1. Christian attitudes to gays - Sydney.
2. Sociology of gay people - Sydney.
3. History of gay people - Sydney.
4. Campaign Against moral persecution (New South Wales).
5. Gay liberation movement - Sydney
I. Title.
Acc. No. 969

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Index cards, data

Import into spreadsheets for coding

The screenshot shows a Microsoft Excel spreadsheet with the following data:

ID	Detail	Card	Fix	Code 1	Code 2
71	70				
72	71 LAGANZ Poster 0007	0007		I	
73	72 AIDS: how to keep yourself safe ...	0007		T	
74	73 [Wellington: NZ Dept of Health, 1986]	0007		L	
75	74 B&W poster 43.5 x 60cm.	0007		P	
76	75 Poster version of the Departments first apogetic newspaper c	0007			
77	76 One copy encapsulated.	0007			
78	77 1. AIDS - Public education - New Zealand.	0007		S	T
79	78 I. New Zealand. Dept of Health.	0007		S	A
80	79				
81	80				
82	81				
83	82				
84	83 LAGANZ Poster 0008	0008		I	
85	84 WE remember: the AIDS memorial - a celebration of life.	0008		T	
86	85 Toronto: The AIDS Memorial, 1988.	0008		L	
87	86 Col. Poster. 43 x 59cm.	0008		P	
88	87 One copy encapsulated.	0008			
89	88 1. People with AIDS - Memorials - Canada.	0008		S	T
90	89 I. The AIDS Memorial (Toronto).	0008		S	A
91	90				
92	91				
93	92				
94	93				
95	94 LAGANZ Poster 0009	0009		I	
96	95 AIDS Candlelight memorials, memorial day May 25, 1987; still fig	0009		T	
97	96 Organised internationally by Mobilisation Against AIDS.	0009		D1	

Our digital archive plans

The Transcribathon is a key first step in our journey

- **Metadata describing all collection items**
- **Collecting digital formats**
- **Online catalogue for research access**
- **Digital archive platform for managing, preserving, providing access**
- **Digitisation of collection items**
- **Linked data: connecting with other institutions' collections**

Demo: How to QA cards

We'll switch over to From the Page for a live demo soon ...

LAGANZ Transcribathon Index Card QA Notes

Version 1.0 | 18 Jul 2021, 7:30pm | G Hamilton

These are the QA fixes in priority order. Many of these QA fixes help with pattern matching and extraction or conversion of data at later stages. Consistency through all **Make sure you are in Correct mode** ie on the Correct tab as you scroll through cards - its important to see and pay attention to the line numbering in the text editor. Check with Gavin at board@laganz.org.nz to be allocated a group of cards for QA. **Thank you!**

#	Description of Fix or Check Required	Looks Like	Should Become
1	Card text is correct Look for typos and spelling mistakes		
2	No empty lines No red dots	14 Acc. No. 412 15 16 *	14 Acc. No. 412
3	Long titles and descriptions on one numbered line ie. not 'breaking' across two lines	6 Translated by Elizabeth Jennings with a selection of Michelangelo's drawings 7 and an introduction by Michael Ayrton *	6 Translated by Elizabeth Jennings with a selection of Michelangelo's drawings and an introduction by Michael Ayrton.
4	Pages (leaves) as lower l not a 1. This is tricky!	WHO, 1988 6 91. 7 Attached is	WHO, 1988 6 9l. 7 Attached is The 1 is not as tall as the lower case l.
5	Publication imprint standardised on [place of publication] [publisher] [year]	5 London, Pan Books, 1983.	5 London: Pan Books, 1983. Other examples: Bondi Junction, NSW: The Assn., 1989. Tallahassee, FL: Naiad Press, 1983.
6	Publication imprint on its own line.	5 Steering committee on evaluation methods: report of the second meeting. 6 Geneva. 11-12 January 1990. Geneva: WHO, 1990.	5 Steering committee on evaluation methods: report of the second meeting. Geneva. 11-12 January 1990. 6 Geneva: WHO, 1990.