

Activity Sheet 2

Resource Material

Following photos
NRM - Archvies

Bob, also known as Terowie Bob, first lived with Seth Ferry at Terowie, whilst Ferry was a Special Porter.

Bob is commemorated in Terowie via a series of information boards, the 'Bob the Railway Dog Trail', at various points of interest in the town.

Scenes at Terowie circa 1900 - pages 1, 2, 3,



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c1895



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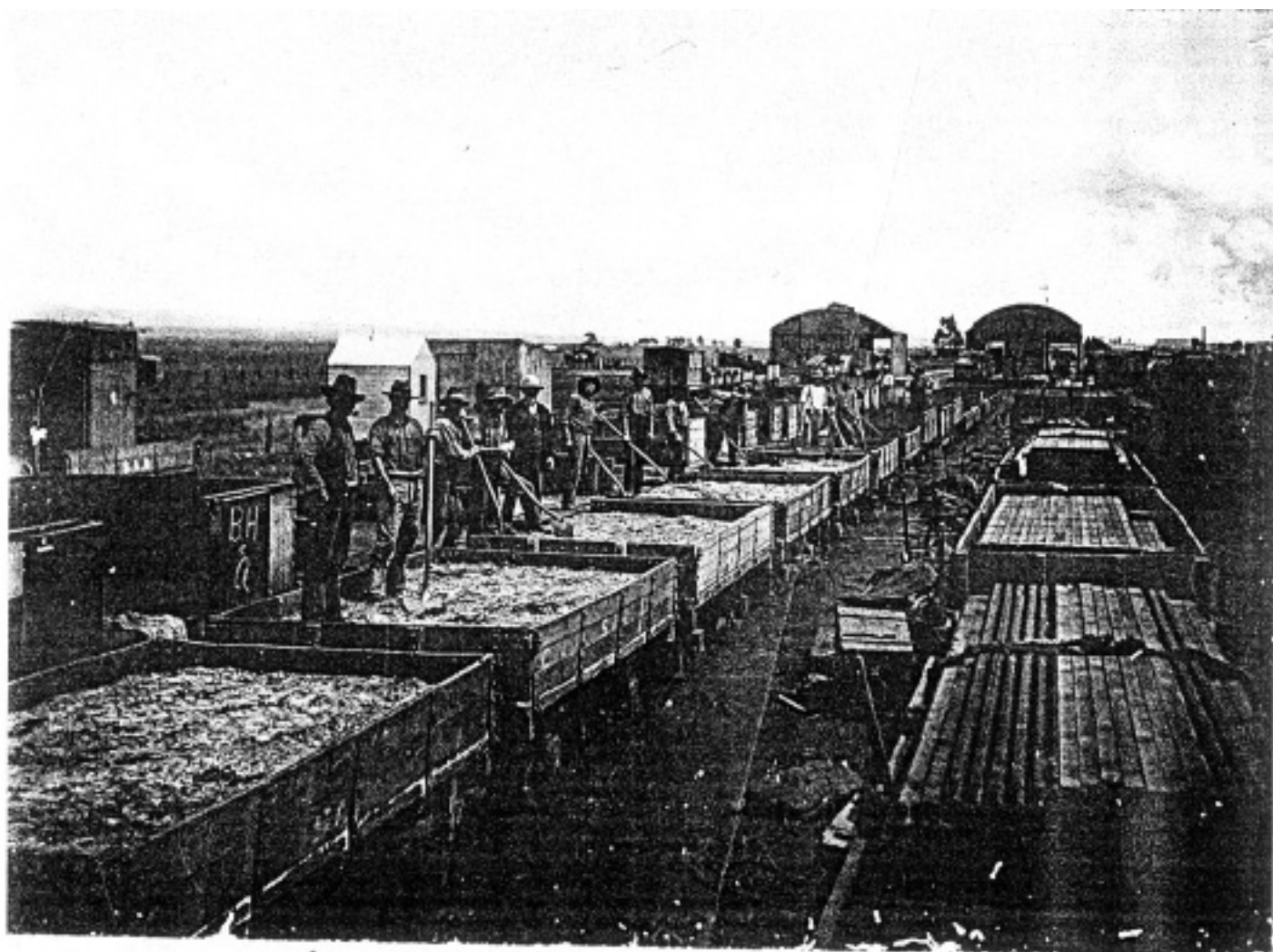
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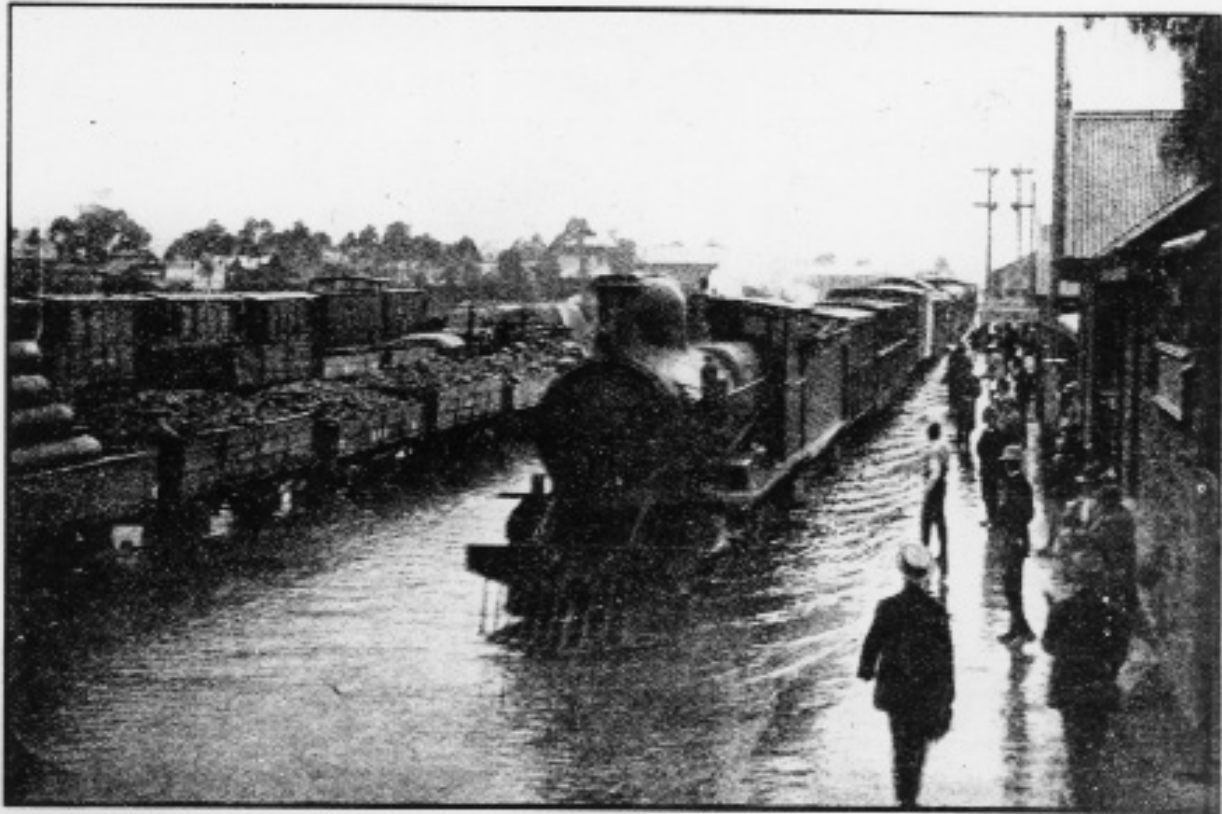
Torowie Transfer Platform and Sheets

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Scenes circa 1900 Peterborough (Petersburg(h) -
Bob's hometown - pages 4,5,6,7



ARRIVAL OF THE AFTERNOON TRAIN FROM ADELAIDE.
Nov. 1914

Dickson, photos.

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1914



1. The main street was inundated, and in some parts the water was 4 ft. and flowed through several shops. 2. The flooded, 40 ft. deep, cutting through the center of the town and of the river. 3. The monthly market was in progress, the water flooding Market Elder, Smith, & Co.'s yards to a depth of 3 ft. to 5 ft. 4. The local butter factory was surrounded by an expanse of water, but a road was left open. 5. Flooded, 4 ft. deep.

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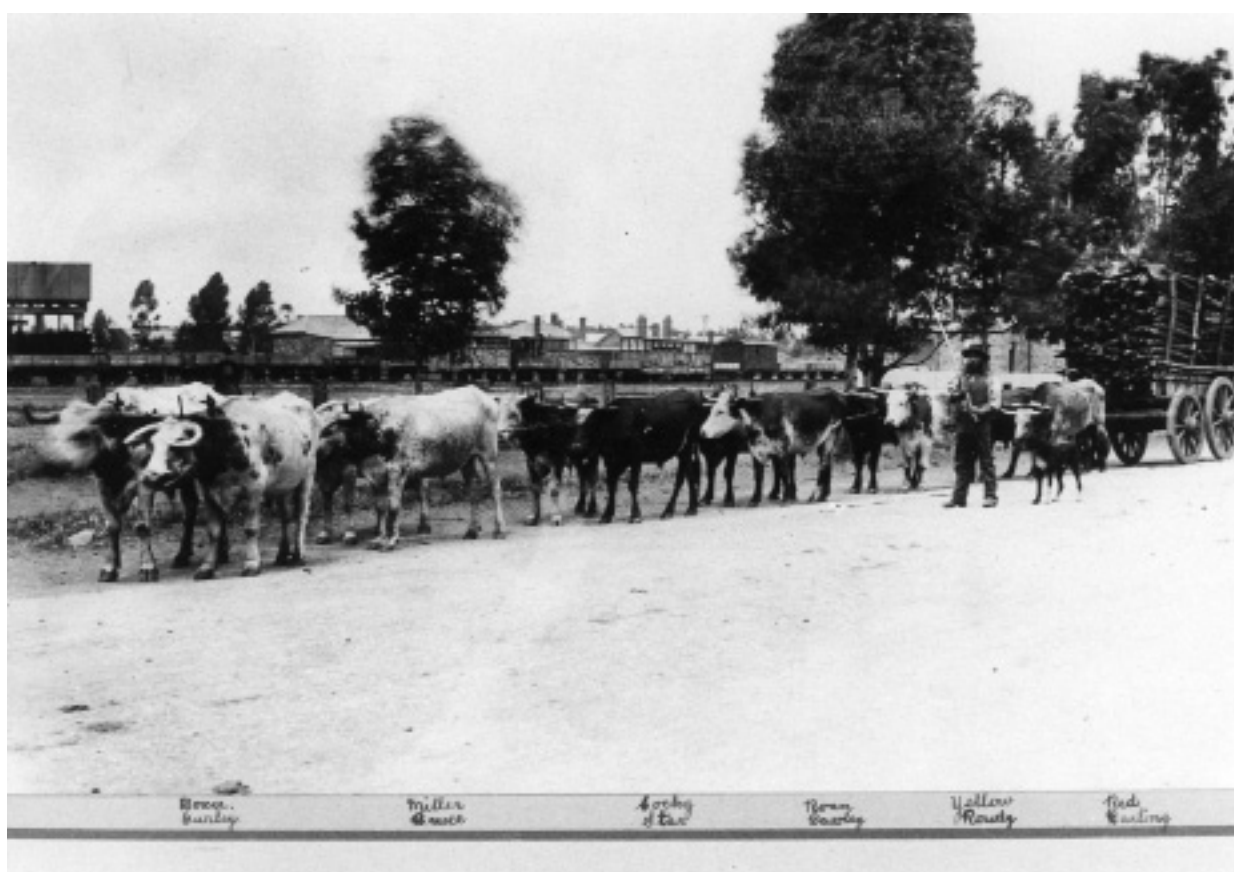
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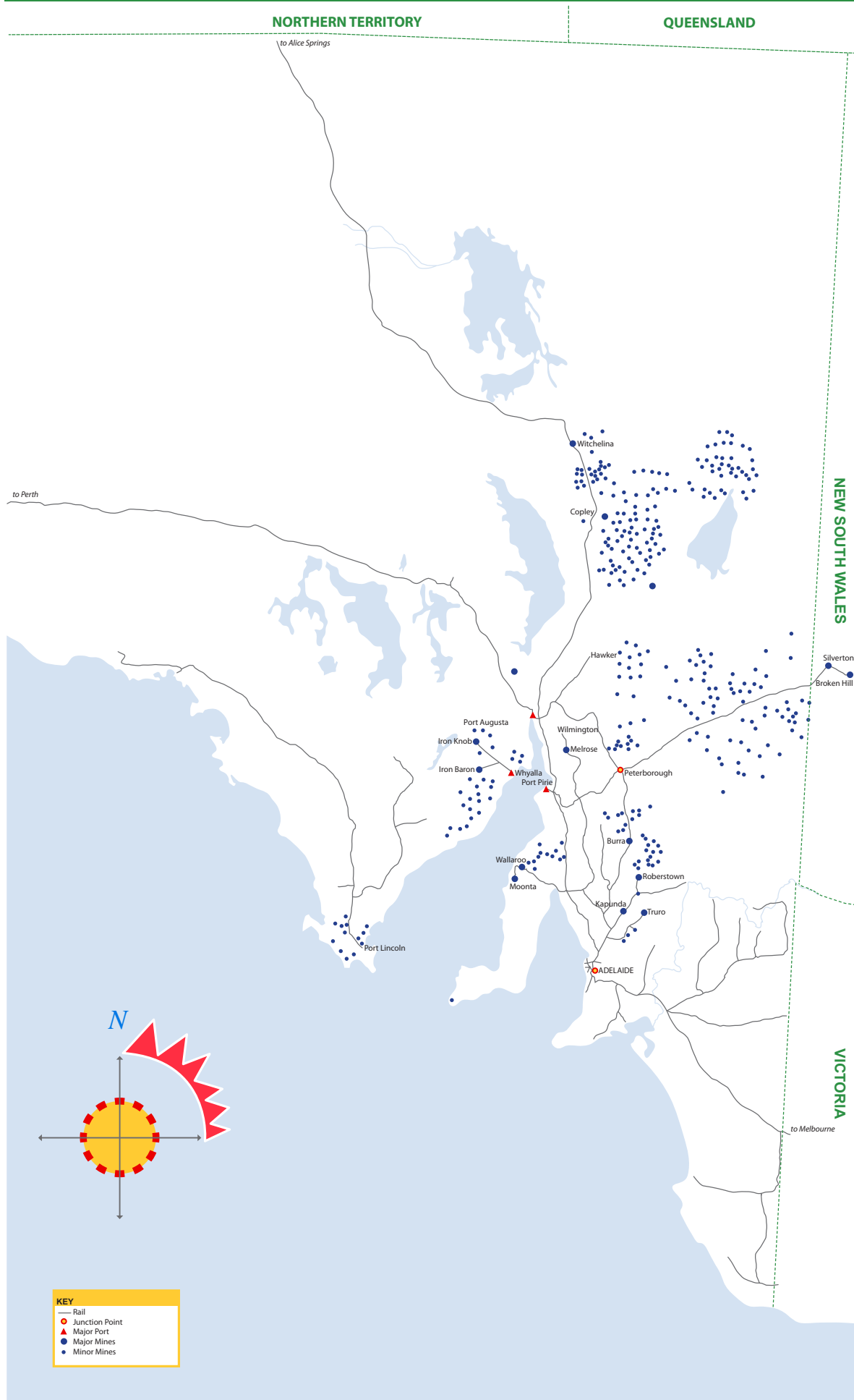
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Mr Cummings' bullock team, Main street, Peterborough 1900

Mineral mines in South Australia circa 1900s



At the Museum:

To supplement this pack you may like to visit the interactive map in the theatrette.



NRM collection

The interactive map shows the growth and consolidation of railways in South Australia. Features a large map of South Australia, with the network of railway lines lit up by LED lights.

Students will be able to step through timelines of railways in South Australia, watching as railway lines slowly radiated out from Adelaide, and early short disconnected railway lines, built from regional towns to nearby ports, were joined to form an impressive railway network.

See which railways existed around Bob's lifetime of 1878 – 1895.

Moving into modern times, watch as lines were closed, the national railway network became privatised and standardised, as the railways faced pressure from road transport and economic changes.