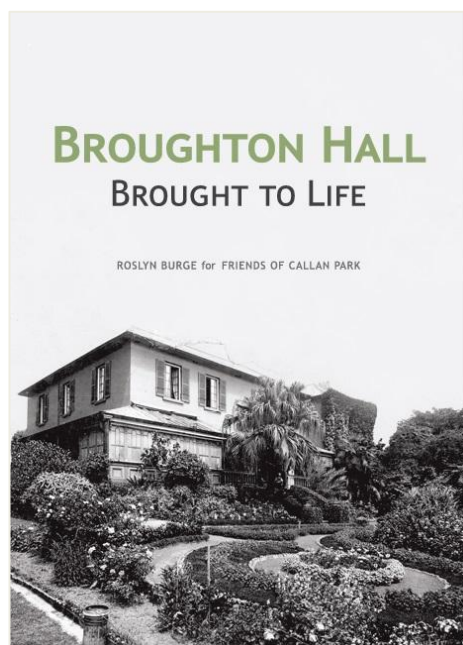


BROUGHTON HALL - BROUGHT TO LIFE

Captures a sense of the early history of Broughton Hall – its development as a private estate, wartime conversion by the extraordinary efforts of the women of the Red Cross and local Branches through to its development as a psychiatric clinic.

Philanthropic threads and therapeutic aspects of greenery and gardens are still evident in its contemporary use.

Wonderful photos generously lent by former staff members and still shots from amateur movie films of the 1920s & 1940s are included in the book – some of these images never seen before.



Broughton Hall

Brought to Life

Broughton Hall is the name given to the two-storied Georgian house, painted white and built in 1842 on a three acre corner of Wharf Road and Church Street, Lilyfield. By 1878 the Keep family, who owned Broughton Hall, purchased the rest of the property with another fine house known as *Kalouan*, and *Broughton Hall* became the name not only of the house, but all the land bound by Wharf Road, Glover and Church Streets and Iron Cove. Like Callan Park House, *Broughton Hall* gave its name to the psychiatric clinic established after WW1 and later the day hospital. Yet as a voluntary psychiatric clinic and a place of respite during wartime, *Broughton Hall* developed differently from Callan Park, and there is a strong philanthropic thread through its history.

This publication has been two decades in the making.¹ Since 1999 Friends of Callan Park have presented seven exhibitions, four of which focussed specifically on *Broughton Hall*.

Friends of Callan Park reach a milestone this year: *two decades of community activism, advocacy and achievement*. In that time thousands of people have toured the site, visited exhibitions, heard seminars, and learnt about this rich history in our midst yet still Broughton Hall, just 6 traffic lights from the centre of Sydney, remains a *hidden history*.²

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