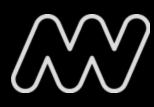
Stitches Through Time

A slideshow of images from Museums Victoria's collection relating to sewing, fashion, caring for garments and other popular handicrafts.





I WALTZ THROUGH WASHDAY - advertisement for Stampco washing machines.



Mother, Boy & Girl Looking in Milk Bar Front Windows, Moonee Ponds, 1949

Photographer: Cliff Atkinson



Women buying lingerie at Myers department store.

Photographer: Russell Beedles



Three girls riding their bikes to Ferntree Gully.

Photographer: Kathleen Margaret Gawler



Ricardo Knitwear: Male model wearing woollen jacket with leather fastenings and trousers

Photographer: Unknown



A group of finely dressed people next to large Morris truck, Melbourne, Victoria, 1937

Photographer: Chrystal



Nancy Jean Davies on her wedding day, wearing the family wedding veil.

Photographer: Unknown



Five women sitting on a rope suspended over the water at the St Kilda Baths.

Photographer: Unknown



A group of debutantes presented to the Governor, Lord Huntingfield at a ball. Photographer: Unknown



Clothing ration card issued to J Brookfield. Photographer: Unknown



Woman outside her Clothing Shop 'Jane Regny' on Sydney Road.

Photographer: Roy Leibig



Female Staff in a Beauty Pageant at the Caltex Ball. Photographer: Unknown



Two girls in long dresses & flower wreaths at a Kingsville Primary School concert.

Photographer: Unknown



Five women being critiqued on a catwalk at the Elly Lukas Salon.



Woman applying make-up at the Elly Lukas Salon.



Five female models standing on the stairs of Ciro's Nightclub.



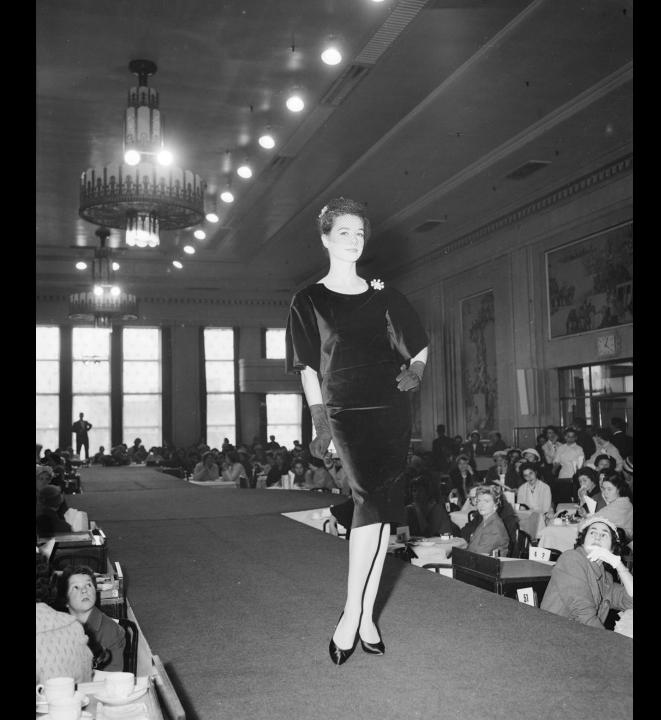
Woman using a sewing machine.



Male model dressed in a suit at the Royal Melbourne Showgrounds.



Two female models at the Australian Wool Board carnival at the Royal Melbourne Show.



French fashion parade at the Myer department store.



Bride, groom and flower girl standing under a church archway.



Group portrait seated at a sports stand.

Photographer: Unknown



Couple holding a balloon at the Heinz Ball held at the Caulfield Town Hall.



Woman wearing a bohemian print dress. 1950

Photographer: Unknown



Three men smoking under an archway in suits, ties and hats.

Photographer: Unknown



Six women in formal wear.



Two women modelling dresses and long capes.



Judges critiquing the garments on a fashion model.

By: Laurie Richards



Woman modelling a wedding dress and veil.

By: Laurie Richards



Woman standing on a motor boat wearing a bikini.



Group in formal wear at an A & G Gilbey Ltd event.



Model in a lounge room holding a cigarette.



Two women looking into a mirror at the 'House of Youth'.

By: Laurie Richards



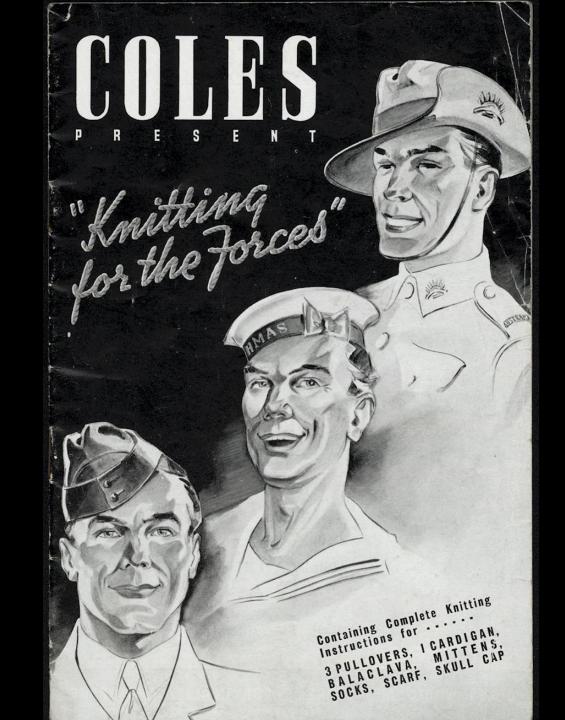
Staff member holding up packaged men's shirts at Coltons General Drapery store.



Pair looking at a woollen sweater.



Women looking at fashion illustrations.



'Knitting for the Forces' Booklet.

Creator: G.J. Coles & Co Ltd



Wedding portrait of Eva Crocker.

Photographer: Unknown



Young girl knitting in her hospital bed.



'New Clothes from Old' Booklet.

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