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NEWSLETTER

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A selection of two photographs from the "Croajingalong 1889 Album" donated to Historical Society by Len and Audrey Richardson of Aspendale. The bound album contains 32 photographs and the front cover has the following inscription: "Album of Snowy & Broadrib Rivers, Croajingalong. 1889."





'Snowy River Mail' – September 24, 1915

ORBOST BUTTER FACTORY

Mr. John Russell Esq. layed foundation stone on Wednesday 22nd September 1915.
A bottle was placed in a cavity under the stone containing the last copy of the Snowy River Mail and a document containing the following:

Orbost Butter and Produce Company, Limited.

Company registered June, 1892.

First directors – James Nixon (chairman), James Cameron, Carl H. Grove,
Harry Richardson, David Rhys Morris, Lachlan Ross.

Factory opened 11th January, 1893.

Manager, John Scouller.

Foundation stone of new factory laid by Mr. John Russell, 22nd September, 1915.

Present directors – John Russell (chairman), Archibald E. Rodwell,
John Gilbert, Arthur H. Pardew, William Cumming,
James E. Battley.

Manager, John Scouller.

Secretary, Jacob Perry.