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ABBREVIATIONS

Jolley's published works will be referred throughout this *Bibliography* by italicised uppercase initials as follows:

Five Acre Virgin and other stories	FAV
The Travelling Entertainer and other stories	TE
Palomino	P
The Newspaper of Claremont Street	NCS
Miss Peabody's Inheritance	MP
Mr Scobie's Riddle	SR
Woman in a Lampshade	WL
Milk and Honey	MH
Foxybaby	F
The Well	W
The Sugar Mother	SM
My Father's Moon	MFM
Cabin Fever	CF
Central Mischief	CM
The Georges' Wife	GW
Diary of a Weekend Farmer	DWF
The Orchard Thieves	OT
Lovesong	L
Fellow Passengers	FP
An Accommodating Spouse	AS
An Innocent Gentleman	IG
Learning to Dance	LD

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1978

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1981

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1983

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1985

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1989

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1991

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1992

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- ---. "Motherhood." [LD] New Woman Oct. 1992: 104+.

- ---. "A Love Affair with Words." Weekend Australian 27-28 Mar. 1993: 8.
 - Jolley provides advice to young writers.
- ---. "Literary Landscapes." *The Agony and the Ego: The Art and Strategy of Fiction Writing Explored.* Ed. Clare Boylan. London: Penguin, 1993. 163-75.
- ---. "Passions: Elizabeth Jolley on Love." *Age* [Melbourne] 2 Oct. 1993: Saturday Extra 3+.

---. "Turning Points." *Age* [Melbourne] 18 June 1994: Saturday Extra 1+. Rpt. in *My First Love and Turning Points*. Ed. Graham Reilly. Albert Park, Vic.: Julie Morgan Marketing, 1995. 95-99.

The *Age* newspaper's fortnightly series in which some of Australia's leading writers examine moments which, for them, have caused life to be looked at differently. Jolley's contribution, the first in the series, makes references to "Mr Berrington" and includes a passage from *GW*.

1995

---. [Untitled] *The Last Right?: Australians Take Sides on the Right to Die.* Ed. Simon Chapman and Stephen Leeder. Port Melbourne, Vic.: Mandarin-Reed, 1995. 76-79.

Chapman and Leeder wrote to a broad range of prominent Australians to canvass their views on "can we choose when to die?" Jolley offers a brief reflection on euthanasia.

---. "Literature." Australian Way: The Qantas Inflight Magazine Nov. 1995: 34.

Reflections on Australian writing and writers.

---. "Landscapes Have Their Voices..." *A Town Like No Other: The Living Tradition of New Norcia*. Ed. David Hutchison. Fremantle, WA: Fremantle Arts Centre P, 1995. 56-57.

1996

---. [Untitled] *This I Believe*. Ed. John Marsden. Milsons Point, NSW: Random: 1996. 187-90. Rpt. as "True Believers." *West Australian* 14 Sept. 1996: Big Weekend 3.

Jolley's reponse to John Marsden's question, which he put to one hundred well-known Australians: "What do Australians believe?" Jolley refers to Bertrand Russell, and discusses the "possible elevation of human life through the beauty of music and language."

---. "The Dangerous Prevalence of Imagination." Writing-Teaching[,] Teaching-Writing: The Proceedings. Proceedings of Association of University Writing Programs First Annual Conference, 11-13 Oct. 1996, University of Technology, Sydney. Sydney: U of Technology, Sydney, 1996. 57-61.

Paper constitutes Jolley's keynote address.

- ---. "More Than Just Mates." Weekend Australian 4-5 Jan. 1997: Review 1+.
- ---. "Perth, All Grown Up." New York Times 9 Feb. 1997: Travel 11-12.
- ---. "The Pill, the Condom and the Syringe." *CanonOzities: The Making of Literary Reputations in Australia*. Ed. [for the Association for the Study of Australian Literature] Delys Bird, Robert Dixon and Susan Lever. Spec. Issue, Southerly 57.3 (1997): 226-27.

---. ["Chocolate Has Its Own Melancholy."] *An Eloquent Sufficiency: 50 Writers Talk about Life and Literature over Lunch*. Ed. Susan Wyndham. Sydney: SMH [Sydney Morning Herald]-John Fairfax, 1998. 22-27.

1999

- ---. "The Writer and the Central Mischief." *Writers on Writing*. Ed. Neil James. Rushcutters Bay, NSW: Halstead P, 1999. 97-100.
 - Jolley's entry in a book of speeches by recipients of the NSW Premier's Literary Awards.
- ---. "The Silent and Intimate Companion." *Voice* [Curtin University of Technology, Perth] 24 June 1999: 8.

2001

- ---. "Dwelling in the Prose." Australian Author 33.1 (2001): 8-9.
- ---. "Life Support." Weekend Australian 18-19 Aug. 2001: Magazine 50.
- ---. "Peter Cowan: The Criterion and the Principle." *Storykeepers*. Ed. Marion Halligan. Potts Point, NSW: Duffy and Snellgrove, 2001. 243-54.

2002

---. "The Little Dance in Writing." [LD] Cite [Curtin University of Technology, Perth] Dec. [Summer] 2002: 28.

Occasional Pieces

1967

"At Last—Here's the Winner of My \$50 Contest..." Australian 26 June 1967: 14.

Competition inviting parents to write a letter to their son, which Jolley won with a letter for her son, "Theodore."

1970

Jolley, Elizabeth. "Demonstration is for Peace." Letter. West Australian 8 May 1970: 6.

---. Letter. *Artlook* 2.8 (1976): 36.

1985

---. "Women and Children First." Lecture. TAE Enrichment Program, University of Western Australia. June 1985.

Jolley speaks about the representation of women and children in fiction in the twentieth-century, connecting social change to the changing roles of women. She draws upon works by E. M. Forster, Rebecca West, Gavin Casey, Ibsen, Chekov, D. H. Lawrence, and Peter Cowan. Texts discussed include *Medea*.

1986

---. "The Land was Wide and Quiet and Peaceable." Lecture. 14 Jan. 1986.

Lecture given as part of a series at New Norcia. Jolley comments upon the way in which writers see and use the land in relation to "human feelings and survival." Also offers a more general commentary regarding the role of imagery in writing.

1987

---. "Meg Padgham." Fremantle Arts Review 2.7 (1987): 2.

Tribute to the artist Meg Padgham, who painted a 1977 portrait of Elizabeth Jolley.

---. "Lasting Words." Vogue Australia Apr. 1987: 76.

Preface to an extract from Amy's Children, by Olga Masters.

1989

---. Acceptance Speech for 3M Talking book of the Year Award. 27 Oct. 1989.

Recording of the speech delivered by Jolley.

---. "Decidedly Pointing to Central Mischief." Letter. *Australian and New Zealand Journal of Psychiatry* 24.3 (1990): 309-11.

1991

- ---. [Untitled] *Patrick White: A Tribute*. Comp. Clayton Joyce. North Ryde, NSW: Angus and Robertson, 1991. 137-38.
- ---. "Media Mistake." Letter. West Australian 9 July 1991: 10.
- ---. [Untitled prose piece exhibited in a collection of art/writing as part of *Woodworks: An Art and Technology Festival*, Curtin University of Technology, Sept. 20-28, 1991] School of Art and Design, Curtin University of Technology, Perth.

Woodworks, one of a series of biennial Curtin University festivals focusing on the elements, was sponsored by WA's Department of Conservation and Land Management. Jolley contributed a short prose piece to *Woodwork's* exhibition of woodcut prints and writing; her piece highlights the beauty and versatility of wood.

---. "Mr Berrington" and "Wednesdays and Fridays." Read by Elizabeth Jolley. Literary Event. South Bank, London. 8 Nov. 1991.

1993

---. "Train Safety." Letter. West Australian 21 Jan. 1993: 10.

1995

---. Graduation Address. Macquarie University, Sydney. 28 Apr. 1995. Videocassette. 70 mins.

Both Jolley and Jessica Anderson (a writer much admired by her) are awarded a Doctor of Letters, honoris causa, at this graduation ceremony. Jolley, having been introduced by then Vice Chancellor Diane Yerbury, gives an 8-minute graduation address which draws on favourite writers (poets like Thomas Traherne and William Wordsworth, along with Evelyn Pearce, who wrote Jolley's nursing text book), and recurs to constant themes in her work—people's needs and desires and how they can issue in violence, the remedy of "celebrating human life" through cherishing and "thoughtfulness and understanding," and the love that assuages loneliness.

1996

- ---. "The Idea of a Tapestry." *Masks, Tapestries, Journeys: Essays in Honour of Dorothy Jones*. Ed. Gerry Turcotte. Wollongong, NSW: U of Wollongong [Centre for Research into Textual and Cultural Studies], 1996. 1-3.
- ---. [Untitled] *The Tiger Garden: A Book of Writers' Dreams*. Ed. Nicholas Royle. London: Serpent's Tail, 1996. 121-22.

Jolley speaks briefly about her five-acre country property in Wooroloo, WA, linking it to a repeated dream.

---. "Letter to Mr Brian Johns [Publishing Director of Penguin]". *A Rare Bird: Penguin Books in Australia 1946-96*. Ed. Geoffrey Dutton. Ringwood, Vic.: Penguin, 1996. 174-75.

1997

---. "Dipping into *The Well*." *HQ Magazine* Sept.-Oct. 1997: 44+.

1998

- ---. "A Note from the Novelist...Elizabeth Jolley." *Elizabeth Jolley's* Milk and Honey. [Theatre program] Perth: Perth Theatre Company, 1998. N. pag.
- ---. "Boys." *Author! Tales of Australian Literary Life*. Ed. Chris Wallace-Crabbe. Melbourne: Oxford U P, 1998. 210.
- ---. "The Strawberry Widow." Sydney Morning Herald 28 Dec. 1998: Summer Times 8.
- ---. "To Ian Templeman." 4 Aug. 1975. Letter 182 of *The Oxford Book of Australian Letters*. Ed. Brenda Niall and John Thompson. Melbourne: Oxford U P, 1998. 281-82.

Features Jolley's letter to Ian Templeman, foundation director of the Fremantle Arts Centre.

1999

---. Letter. West Australian 20 Apr. 1999: 12.

2000

---. "Time Out..." Letter. West Australian 2 Feb. 2000: 14.

Reviews

1971

Jolley, Elizabeth. Rev. of *Full Cycle and Other Stories*, by Lyndall Hadow. *Westerly* 2 (1971): 58-59.

1982

---. "Young Rebecca's Equal Hate for Men and Women." Rev. of *The Young Rebecca:* Writings of Rebecca West 1911-1917, sel. Jane Marcus. West Australian 7 Aug. 1982: 125.

1983

---. Rev. of *The State of the Art: The Mood of Contemporary Australia in Short Stories*, ed. by Frank Moorhouse; *Milk*, by Beverly Farmer; *The Bodysurfers*, by Robert Drewe, and *Uphill Runner*, by James McQueen. *First Edition* ABC [Aust.]. Radio Natl. Probable date 1983.

In this broadcast Jolley is asked to review four books for "holiday reading."

1984

- ---. Rev. of *Year One—A Record*, by John Tittensor. *Fremantle Arts Centre Broadsheet* 3.3 (1984): Books 6-7.
- ---. Rev. of *Australian Short Stories*, sel. Kerryn Goldsworthy. *Fremantle Arts Centre Broadsheet* 3.4 (1984): Books 2-3.
- ---. Rev. of *White Stag of Exile*, by Thomas Shapcott. *Fremantle Arts Centre Broadsheet* 3.6 (1984): Books 3-4. Rpt. [with additional comments] in "Poetry that Calls Itself Something Else." *Australian Book Review* Feb-Mar. 1992: Refrain Poetry Review Supplement 19-20. Rpt. in *Reading from the Left*. Ed. Wendy Jenkins. Fremantle, WA: Fremantle Arts Centre P. 1994. 68-73.

- ---. Rev. of *The Home Girls*, and *True Love and How to Get It*, by Olga Masters. *Fremantle Arts Centre Broadsheet* 4.1 (1985): Books 3-4.
- ---. Rev. of *The Conscious Stone—A Biography of John C. Hawes*, by A. G. Evans. *Fremantle Arts Centre Broadsheet* 4.3 (1985): Books 3-4. Rpt. [with additions] as "Courage and Commitment." *Australian Book Review* [month unknown] 1992: Top Shelf 13.
- ---. "Flashes of Insight Redeem a Fantasy." Rev. of *Frankenstein or, the Modern Prometheus*, by Mary Shelley. *Sydney Morning Herald* 1 June 1985: 42.

- ---. "Lil's Story: Facts, Fat and Frailness." Rev. of *Lilian's Story*, by Kate Grenville. *Sydney Morning Herald* 29 June 1985: 42. Rpt. as "Facts, Fat and Frailness: Review of Kate Grenville's *Lillian's Story*." *Eight Voices of the Eighties: Stories, Journalism and Criticism by Australian Women Writers*. Ed. Gillian Whitlock. St. Lucia, Qld.: U of Queensland P, 1989. 331-33. Rpt. in *Eight Voices of the Eighties: Stories, Journalism and Criticism by Australian Women Writers*. Ed Gillian Whitlock. Audiocassette [3 cassettes]. Enfield, NSW: Royal Blind Society, 1991.
- ---. "There *Is* Life after the Dirt and Din of Cities." Rev. of *The Bunburyists*, by Anthony Hill, and *Fine Bones*, by Renate Yates. *Sydney Morning Herald* 3 Aug. 1985: 46.
- ---. "Helen Garner Rescuing Fragments." Rev. of *The Children's Bach*, by Helen Garner. Scripsi 3.2-3 (1985): 17-20. Rpt. as "Rescuing Fragments: Review of Helen Garner's *The Children's Bach*." Eight Voices of the Eighties: Stories, Journalism and Criticism by Australian Women Writers. Ed. Gillian Whitlock. St. Lucia, Qld.: U of Queensland P, 1989. 327-30. Rpt. in Eight Voices of the Eighties: Stories, Journalism and Criticism by Australian Women Writers. Ed. Gillian Whitlock. Audiocassette [3 cassettes]. Enfield, NSW: Royal Blind Society, 1991.
- ---. "Mystery Novel Clear As Runes." Rev. of *Borderline*, by Janette Turner Hospital, and *Shirley's Song*, by Marele Day. *Sydney Morning Herald* 7 Sept. 1985: 46.
- ---. "Keneally: A Mighty Maze but Not without a Plan." Rev. of *A Family Madness*, by Thomas Keneally. *Sydney Morning Herald* 28 Sept. 1985: 46.
- ---. "Progress to Epiphany." Rev. of *Running Backwards over Sand*, by Stephanie Dowrick. *Sydney Morning Herald* 26 Oct. 1985: 48.
- ---. "Old Themes Freshly Presented." Rev. of *The Voice Beyond The Trees*, by Nancy Phelan, and *Family and Friends*, by Anita Brookner. *Sydney Morning Herald* 7 Dec. 1985: 46.

- ---. "Good Home for a Horse of Clay." Rev. of *Under the Banyan Tree and Other Stories*, by R.K. Narayan. *Sydney Morning Herald* 22 Feb. 1986: 43.
- ---. "Love, Hope, Fear and Perversion." Rev. of *Erotic Tales*, by Alberto Moravia. *Sydney Morning Herald* 29 Mar. 1986: 30.
- ---. "New Worlds of Richness." Rev. of *The Showa Anthology: Modern Japanese Stories*, 2 vols., ed. Van C. Gessel and Tomone Matsumoto. *West Australian* 18 June 1986: Japan Supplement 21.
- ---. "Subtle Shades of Madness." Rev. of *The Bay of Silence*, by Lisa St Aubin de Teran. *Sydney Morning Herald* 20 Sept. 1986: 46.

- ---. "Murderous Family Secrets Revealed in Fine Detail." Rev. of *Cronus' Children*, by Yves Navarre. *Sydney Morning Herald* 11 Oct. 1986: 48.
- ---. "Is Simon in Hog Heaven?" Rev. of *Paradise*, by Donald Barthelme. *New York Times Book Review* 26 Oct. 1986: 7.
- ---. "When a Woman Came to Crusoe's Island." Rev. of *Foe*, by J. M. Coetzee. *Sydney Morning Herald* 13 Dec. 1986: 43.
- ---. Rev. of *Memoirs of Many In One*, by Alex Xenophon Demirjian Gray, ed. Patrick White. *Fremantle Arts Review* 1.5 (1986): 15.
- ---. Rev. of *Something Out There*, by Nadine Gordimer. *Fremantle Arts Review* 1.7 (1986): 15.
- ---. Rev. of *The Poems of Lesbia Harford*, ed. Drusilla Modjeska and Marjorie Pizer, and *The Well of Loneliness*, by Radclyffe Hall. *Fremantle Arts Review* 1.12 (1986): 15.

- ---. Rev. of *That Eye The Sky*, by Tim Winton. *Los Angeles Times* 5 Apr. 1987: Book Review 3.
- ---. "Death on the Thames." Rev. of *The Five Bells and Blade-Bone*, by Martha Grimes. *New York Times Book Review* 13 Sept. 1987: 53.
- ---. "The Book of Middle-Class Realism." Rev. of *The Book and the Brotherhood*, by Iris Murdoch. *Age* [Melbourne] 14 Nov. 1987: Saturday Extra 17.
- ---. "A Voyage of Discovery: Dodging Life's Mad Sheep." Rev. of *Dancing on Coral*, by Glenda Adams. *Australian Book Review* Nov. 1987: 5-6.
- ---. Rev. of *Ruth*, by Dorothy Johnson. *Fremantle Arts Review* 2.4 (1987): 15.
- ---. "A World without Love." Rev. of *The Handmaid's Tale*, by Margaret Atwood. *CRNLE Reviews Journal* [Centre for Research in New Literatures in English] 1 (1987): 23-26.

1988

---. "Updike Drives Hertz to an Ashram." Rev. of *S. A Novel*, by John Updike. *Age* [Melbourne] 2 July 1988: Saturday Extra 13.

1989

---. "Journey to Possess the Self." Rev. of *Cat's Eye*, by Margaret Atwood. *Age* [Melbourne] 18 Mar. 1989: Saturday Extra 9.

- ---. "The Irony in Playing with the Future." Rev. of *The Cloning of Joanna May*, by Fay Weldon. *Age* [Melbourne] 2 Sept. 1989: Saturday Extra 9.
- ---. "Haunting Story of Family Misery." Rev. of *Passing On*, by Penelope Lively. *West Australian* 30 Sept. 1989: Big Weekend 9.
- ---. "Magpie Pickings Make Up a Grim World-View." Rev. of *A Natural Curiosity*, by Margaret Drabble. *Age* [Melbourne] 18 Nov. 1989: Saturday Extra 11.

- ---. "An Exploration of Family Trust." Rev. of *The Fog Line*, by Carol Birch. *West Australian* 24 Feb. 1990: Big Weekend 9.
- ---. "Insight into Human Dilemma." Rev. of *Lies of Silence*, by Brian Moore. *West Australian* 21 July 1990: Big Weekend 9.
- ---. "Satisfying View of Living on the Corner of a Heritage." Rev. of *On Double Tracks*, by Leslie Hall Pinder. *West Australian* 25 Aug. 1990: Big Weekend 9.
- ---. "The Small Town Vision Warped." Rev. of *Bedrock*, by Lisa Alther. *West Australian* 3 Nov. 1990: Big Weekend 9.

1991

- ---. "Relatives and Relativity." Rev. of *Hopeful Monsters*, by Nicholas Mosley. *West Australian* 2 Mar. 1991: Big Weekend 11.
- ---. "Dear Diary: The Absorbing Journals of Elizabeth Smart." Rev. of *Necessary Secrets*. *The Journals of Elizabeth Smart*, ed. Alice Van Wart. *Sunday Age* [Melbourne] 12 May 1991: Agenda 11.

1992

- ---. "Disturbing Stories of the Failings of Fickle Humanity." Rev. of *Jump and Other Stories*, by Nadine Gordimer. *West Australian* 1 Feb. 1992: Big Weekend 8.
- ---. "Within a Heart of Darkness." Rev. of *Hidden in the Heart*, by Dan Jacobson. *West Australian* 14 Mar. 1992: Big Weekend 9.
- ---. "Marr's Patrick White: Some Impressions." Rev. of *Patrick White: A Life*, by David Marr. *Scripsi* 7.3 (1992): 27-31.

1993

---. "A Woman of Letters." Rev. of *Love from Nancy: The Letters of Nancy Mitford*, ed. Charlotte Mosley. *Age* [Melbourne] 23 Oct. 1993: Saturday Extra 9.

- ---. "A *Woman's* Destiny." Rev. of *No Fear of Flying: Women at Home and Abroad*, ed. Jocelynne A. Scutt. *Age* [Melbourne] 26 Mar. 1994: Saturday Extra 9.
- ---. "You're a Brick, Patricia!" Rev. of *The Oxford Book of Schooldays*, ed. Patricia Craig. *Age* [Melbourne] 14 May 1994: Saturday Extra 9.
- ---. "Chronicles of a Brave Life." Rev. of *On the Side of Angels: The Second Volume of the Journals of Elizabeth Smart*, ed. Alice Van Wart. *West Australian* 14 May 1994: Big Weekend 7.
- ---. "In the Pink." Rev. of *Oleander, Jacaranda: A Childhood Perceived*, by Penelope Lively. *Age* [Melbourne] 27 Aug. 1994: Saturday Extra 7.

1995

- ---. "Greetings, My Lovely." Rev. of *The Australian Love Letters of Raymond Chandler*, by Alan Close. *Age* [Melbourne] 18 Mar. 1995: Saturday Extra 8.
- ---. "Crying Over Slurped Milk." Rev. of *The Best of Friends*, by Joanna Trollope. *Age* [Melbourne] 10 June 1995: Saturday Extra 9.
- ---. "Lonely Hearts." Rev. of *Incidents in the Rue Laugier*, by Anita Brookner. *Age* [Melbourne] 26 Aug. 1995: Saturday Extra 8.
- ---. "A Girl's Own Adventure." Rev. of *An Experiment in Love*, by Hilary Mantel, and *Flesh and Blood*, by Michele Roberts. *Age* [Melbourne] 16 Sept. 1995: Saturday Extra 8.
- ---. "Entertainments of a Master." Rev. of *In Translation*, by Annamarie Jagose. *Age* [Melbourne] 14 Oct. 1995: Saturday Extra 8.

1996

- ---. "Swansong of the Dancing Duck." Rev. of *The Showies: Revelations of Australia's Outdoor Sideshowmen*, by Bob Morgan. *Age* [Melbourne] 3 Feb. 1996: Saturday Extra 7.
- ---. "Mirroring an Epoch." Rev. of *The Literary Companion to Fashion*, by Colin McDowell. *Age* [Melbourne] 8 June 1996: Saturday Extra 9.
- ---. "Chaucerian Desires with Modern Twist." Rev. of *Mister Sandman*, by Barbara Gowdy. *Sydney Morning Herald* 3 Aug. 1996: Spectrum 10s.
- ---. "Chronicles of the Midlands." Rev. of *Next of Kin*, by Joanna Trollope. *Age* [Melbourne] 17 Aug. 1996: Saturday Extra 9.

- ---. "Heading Out to Find Home." Rev. of *The Oxford Book of Australian Travel Writing*, ed. Ros Pesman, David Walker and Richard White. *Age* [Melbourne] 19 Oct. 1996: Saturday Extra 9.
- ---. "Dark Secrets of Village Life in the Coronation Year." Rev. of *The Orchard on Fire*, by Shena Mackay. *Sydney Morning Herald* 26 Oct. 1996: Spectrum 10s.

- ---. "Motherless Child." Rev. of *Falling Leaves: The True Story of an Unwanted Chinese Daughter*, by Adeline Yen Mah. *Age* [Melbourne] 26 Apr. 1997: Saturday Extra 9.
- ---. "Bugger the Scenery...Where's the Butter?" Rev. of *A Biased Memoir*, by Ruth Cracknell. *Australian Book Review* Dec. 1997-Jan. 1998: 19-20.

1998

- ---. "Seeking Eternity's Sunrise." Rev. of *The Pillow Fight*, by Matthew Condon. *Courier-Mail* [Brisbane] 29 Aug. 1998: Weekend 8.
- ---. "Delicious Arousal." Rev. of *Casanova*, by Andrew Miller, and *The Anatomist*, by Federico Andahazi. *Australian* 7 Oct. 1998: Australian's Review of Books 3-4.

1999

---. "A Dazzling Tabernacle of Love." Rev. of *The Nature of Gardens*, ed. Peter Timms. *Australian Book Review* Dec. 1999-Jan. 2000: 13-14.

2000

---. "The House of Love." Rev. of *Passion's Fortune: The Story of Mills and Boon*, by Joseph McAleer. *Age* [Melbourne] 4 Mar. 2000: 9.

Radio Plays/Broadcasts of Short Stories and Novels

1947

Jolley, Elizabeth. "The Adventures of George Henry." *Children's Hour.* BBC. Midland Region. 23 Aug. 1947.

1968

---. "Bill Sprockett's Land." BBC. World Service. 20 Oct. 1968.

1969

---. "A New World." BBC. World Service. 29 June 1969.

1970

---. "May I Rest My Case on Your Table." Prod. Margery Hartley. BBC. World Service. 10 Jan. 1970. Rebroadcast by BBC. World Service. 13 Jan. 1970.

1971

- ---. "The Worcester Sauce Queens." BBC. World Service. 1 Feb. 1971. Rebroadcast by BBC. French Service [French translation]. 12 Nov. 1972.
- ---. "Lovely Old Christmas." BBC. World Service. 22 Dec. 1971.

1972

---. "A Waste of a Good Man." BBC. World Service. 23 Sept. 1972.

1973

---. "The Jarrah Thieves." BBC. World Service. 29 May 1973.

1975

- ---. "One Bite for Christmas." BBC. World Service. 5 Oct. 1975.
- ---. "Night Report." Prod. Alexander Turner. *Sound Stage*. ABC [Aust.]. Radio 2. 2 Nov. 1975. Rpt. in *Off the Air: Nine Plays for Radio by Elizabeth Jolley*. [Transcript]. Comp. and introd. Delys Bird. Ringwood, Vic.: Penguin, 1995. 4-14.

Broadcast announces Jolley's play as winner of the Sound Stage Radio Play competition.

---. "The Performance." Prod. Shan Benson. *Sound Stage*. ABC [Aust.]. Radio 2. 23 May 1976. Rpt. in *Off the Air: Nine Plays for Radio by Elizabeth Jolley*. [Transcript]. Comp. and introd. Delys Bird. Ringwood, Vic.: Penguin, 1995. 23-60.

1977

---. "The Well-Bred Thief." Prod. David Chandler. *Sound Stage*. ABC [Aust.]. Radio 2. 6 Mar. 1977. Rpt. in *Off the Air: Nine Plays for Radio by Elizabeth Jolley*. [Transcript]. Comp. and introd. Delys Bird. Ringwood, Vic.: Penguin, 1995. 105-16.

1978

- ---. "The Shepherd on the Roof." Prod. Jane Pawley. *Sound Stage*. ABC [Aust.]. Radio 2. 8 Jan. 1978. Rpt. in *Off the Air: Nine Plays for Radio by Elizabeth Jolley*. [Transcript]. Comp. and introd. Delys Bird. Ringwood, Vic.: Penguin, 1995. 66-102.
- ---. "Pear Tree Dance." BBC. World Service. 15 Jan. 1978.
- ---. "Melon Jam." BBC. World Service. 10 Sept. 1978.

1979

---. "Woman in a Lampshade." Prod. Tony Evans. A Festival of Radio Plays by Western Australian Writers. ABC [Aust.]. Radio 2. 24 Nov. 1979. Rpt. in *Radio Quartet: A Collection of Radio Plays by Joan Ambrose*[,] *Hal Colebatch*[,] *John Meredith Evans*[,] *Elizabeth Jolley*. [Transcript]. Introd. Tony Evans. Fremantle, WA: Fremantle Arts Centre P, 1980. 79-94. Rpt. in *Off the Air: Nine Plays for Radio by Elizabeth Jolley*. [Transcript]. Comp. and introd. Delys Bird. Ringwood, Vic.: Penguin, 1995. 127-42.

Play first broadcast in a series by Western Australian writers on the occasion of the state's sesquicentennial celebrations.

1980

---. "The Long Distance Lecture." BBC. World Service. 21 June 1980.

1981

---. "One for Sorrow, Two for Joy." BBC. World Service. 20 Dec. 1981.

1982

"Two Men Running." Prod. Jane Howard. *The Sunday Play*. ABC [Aust.]. Radio 2.
13 June 1982. Rebroadcast on *Sunday Matinee*. CBC [Canada]. CBC Radio. 26
Sept. 1982. Rebroadcast on *Drama Wednesday*. ABC [Aust.]. Radio 2. 20 Feb.
1985. Rebroadcast on *Playback*. ABC [Aust.]. Radio Natl. 5 Apr. 1989.
Rebroadcast on *Tuesday Night Drama*. ABC [Aust.]. ABC FM Stereo. 11 Feb.

1992. Rpt. in *Off the Air: Nine Plays for Radio by Elizabeth Jolley*. [Transcript]. Comp. and introd. Delys Bird. Ringwood, Vic.: Penguin, 1995. 148-83. Rebroadcast on *Airplay*. ABC [Aust.]. Radio Natl. 4 Mar. 2007 and 11 Mar. 2007.

1988

- ---. "Five Acre Virgin." Read by Mia Soteriou. Prod. Peter King. BBC. Radio 3. 5 May 1988.
- ---. "Paper Children." Prod. Tony Evans. *Fictions*. ABC [Aust.]. Radio Natl. 29 May 1988. Rebroadcast on *The Stereo Play*. ABC [Aust.]. ABC FM Stereo. 28 Feb. 1989. Rebroadcast on *Tuesday Night Drama*. ABC [Aust.]. ABC FM Stereo. 18 Feb. 1992. Rpt. in *Off the Air: Nine Plays for Radio by Elizabeth Jolley*. [Transcript]. Comp. and introd. Delys Bird. Ringwood, Vic.: Penguin, 1995. 188-218.

1990

---. "Little Lewis Has Had a Lovely Sleep." Prod. Anne McInerney. *Tuesday Night Drama*. ABC [Aust.]. ABC FM Stereo. 12 June 1990; 25 Feb. 1992. Rpt in *Off the Air: Nine Plays for Radio by Elizabeth Jolley*. [Transcript]. Comp. and introd. Delys Bird. Ringwood, Vic.: Penguin, 1995. 223-60. Rebroadcast on *Airplay*. ABC [Aust.]. Radio Natl. 15 and 22 Apr. 2007.

1991

---. "Miss Peabody's Inheritance." Dramatised by Elizabeth Proud. Prod. Sue Wilson. *Saturday Playhouse*. BBC. Radio 4. 2 Mar. 1991.

1992

- ---. "The Well." Prod. David Britton. *Tuesday Night Drama*. ABC [Aust.]. ABC FM Stereo. 4 Feb. 1992. Rebroadcast on *Fictions*. ABC [Aust.]. Radio Natl. 17 May 1992; 8 May 1994. Rebroadcast on *Monday Night Playhouse* [part of *The Arts Tonight*]. CBC [Canada]. CBC Stereo. 9 Jan. 1995. Rebroadcast on *Fictions*. ABC [Aust.]. Radio Natl. 12 Feb. 1995. Rebroadcast on *Sunday Showcase*. CBC [Canada]. CBC Radio. 15 Jan. 1995. Rpt. in *Off the Air: Nine Plays for Radio by Elizabeth Jolley*. [Transcript]. Comp. and introd. Delys Bird. Ringwood, Vic.: Penguin, 1995. 264-98.
- ---. "Black Country Farm." [*GW* 60-72, altered; also *LD*] Read by Mary Wimbush. Prod. Anne-Marie Cole. BBC. Radio 4. 11 Mar. 1992.
- ---. "A Gentleman's Agreement." Read by Susan Curnow. Prod. David Hunter. BBC. Radio 4. 23 Mar. 1992.
- ---. "Bill Sprockett's Land." Read by Stan Pretty. Prod. David Hunter. BBC. Radio 4. 29 Apr. 1992.

---. "Wednesdays and Fridays." Read by Carole Boyd. Prod. David Hunter. BBC. Radio 4. 17 May 1993.

1994

---. "The Silver Apples of the Moon." Read by Tina Gray. Prod. Joanna Green. BBC. Radio 4. 23 Feb. 1994. Rebroadcast as "A Jolley Good Show: 'The Silver Apples of the Moon." Dir. David Britton. *Fictions*. ABC [Aust.]. Radio Natl. 10 Apr. 1994.

Includes a brief interview with Jolley in which she talks about the importance to her career of writing for radio. She pays tribute to Faith Clayton, noting Clayton's assistance in technical matters pertaining to writing for radio and her encouragement over the years.

---. "Lorelei in the Wheat." Dir. Leith Taylor. *Fictions*. ABC [Aust.]. Radio Natl. 10 Apr. 1994.

A short monologue recorded at the 1993 Festival of Perth as part of the Tell Tales stage collection.

1996

---. "The Newspaper of Claremont Street." Read by Pat Bishop. Prod. Jill Milford and ABC Radio Drama [Aust.]. Between the Covers. CBC [Canada]. CBC Radio. 6 May-4 June 1996.

This Canadian broadcast of Jolley's novel took place over several episodes.

1997

- ---. "The Georges' Wife." Adapt. David Britton. Prod. Alison Hindell. BBC. Radio 4. 21 June 1997.
- ---. "Poppy Seed and the Sesame Rings." Read by Kerry Fox. Prod. Melanie Harris. BBC. Radio 4. 21 Oct. 1997.

1998

---. "Like the First Dewfall." [Adapt. of "Clever and Pretty."] Adapt. David Britton. Prod. Alison Hindell. *Afternoon Play*. BBC. Radio 4. 2 June 1998.

2003

---. "Five Acre Virgin." Read by Pippa Williamson. Prod. Christine Kinsella. *Short Story*. ABC [Aust.]. Radio Natl. 16 Sept. 2003. Rebroadcast on 10 July 2005; 23 Mar. 2007.

Poetry

Jolley, Elizabeth. "Orchard." [7 poems] Westerly 3 (1973): 42-47. Rpt. in Quarry: A Selection of Contemporary Western Australian Poetry. Ed. Fay Zwicky. Fremantle, WA: Fremantle Arts Centre P, 1981. 17-22. Poems 1-5 rpt. in Westerly 21: An Anniversary Selection. Ed. Bruce Bennett and Peter Cowan. Fremantle, WA: Fremantle Arts Centre P, 1978. 157-59. Poem 3 rpt. in The Penguin Book of Australian Women Poets. Ed. Susan Hampton and Kate Llewellyn. Ringwood, Vic.: Penguin, 1986. 116. Poem 3 rpt. in The Illustrated Treasury of Australian Humour. Sel. Michael Sharkey. South Melbourne: Oxford UP, 1988. 200. Poem 3 rpt. [with brief commentary] in Suzanne Falkiner. The Writer's Landscape—Wilderness. East Roseville, NSW: Simon and Schuster, 1992. 145.

Poem 1: "Country Towns and Properties."

Poem 2: "The Land."

Poem 3: "Neighbour Woman on the Fencing Wire."

Poem 4: "The Planting."

Poem 5: "Neighbour on the Other Side of the Valley."

Poem 6: "Dead Trees in Your Absence."

Poem 7: "Pear Tree Dance."

All poems in this group, excepting "Country Towns and Properties" are included in *Diary of a Weekend Farmer*. "The Land," "Neighbour on the Other Side of the Valley," "Dead Trees in Your Absence" and the "Pear Tree Dance" appear in *Learning to Dance*, edited by Caroline Lurie.

---. "Weekend Farmer." [8 poems] *Soundings: A Selection of Western Australian Poetry*. Ed. and introd. Veronica Brady. Fremantle, WA: Fremantle Arts Centre P, 1976. 80-85. Poem 1 first printed [as "Forester"] in *Patterns* 1.3 (1975): 10. Poems 2 and 6 rpt. in *Poems on My Mind*. Sel. Anne Gunter. Melbourne: Longman Cheshire, 1981. 68. Poem 1 rpt. [as "Forester"] in *West Australian* 17 Apr. 1993: Big Weekend 8. Poem 8 rpt. in *Sunburnt Country: Stories of Australian Life*. Ed. B. R. Coffey. Fremantle, WA: Fremantle Arts Centre P, 1996. 202.

Poem 1: "Forrester."

Poem 2: "Interruption for the Fencing Wire, Neighbour Woman Sucking Her Teeth."

Poem 3: "Good Season."

Poem 4: "Bad Season."

Poem 5: "A Tender Worship."

Poem 6: "Continuation from the Fencing Wire."

Poem 7: "Funeral."

Poem 8: "Great Branches Fall."

All the poems in this group are included in *Diary of a Weekend Farmer*. All but poems 2 and 6 are included in *Learning to Dance*, edited by Caroline Lurie. In 2007 Benjamin Anderson, in a tribute to Elizabeth Jolley, produced a digital videodisc (DVD) of "Great Branches Fall," narrating the poem, and setting it to his own music and photography.

Ephemera

"From the Top of the Shelf..." Weekend Australian 24-25 Dec. 1983: Magazine 13.

Australia's leading authors and publishers on the best and brightest reading in 1983. Elizabeth Jolley has been reading several contemporary writers and re-reading Henry James, Thomas Hardy and Goethe's *Elective Affinities*.

- "Best Books of '84." Sydney Morning Herald 8 Dec. 1984: n. pag.
- "Books for Christmas." Sydney Morning Herald 7 Dec. 1985: Saturday Review 41.

Jolley chooses *Lilian's Story*, by Kate Grenville, *Nights at the Ghetto*, by Angela Carter, and *Antipodes*, by David Malouf.

- "What I Know Now..." [CM] Australian Women's Weekly Dec. 1986: 75.
- "Brief Lives." Sydney Morning Herald 24 Oct. 1987: Good Weekend 45.

Jolley is one of ten distinguished Australians asked to summarise their lives in 100 or so words.

"What Do We Have to Celebrate in 1988?" Australian Way Dec. 1987-Jan. 1988: 40.

In this bicentennical issue of an inflight magazine, several personalities briefly comment on the topic—Jolley's comment emphasises the disadvantage of the "long-term unemployed."

- "To Mum, with Love." Comp. Margo Beasley. *Australian Women's Weekly* May 1988: 22-23.
- Steinhauer, Yvette. "The Pyramids vs Pantihose." *Sydney Morning Herald* 1 Oct. 1988: Good Weekend 22-28.

Elizabeth Jolley nominates her wonders of the modern world, which include pantihose, sliced bread and children.

- "The Mini-Saga: 50 Words and Perfect." Age [Melbourne] 28 Dec. 1988: 10.
- "God's Place in the Hearts of Community." *West Australian* 23 Dec. 1989: Big Weekend 1-2.

Jolley comments that the word "God is misused in all sorts of ways," making it impossible to put forward ideas on the meaning of God, but does acknowledge the existence of some force existing beyond us.

- "Christmas Books: A Gift and Reading Guide." *Independent Monthly* [Sydney] Dec. 1989-Jan. 1990: 34-35.
- "Why Do I Write?" Australian Book Review Apr. 1990: 3-6.
- "How Do You Teach Writing? Four Leading Teachers Reply." *Editions* [Sydney] 2.5 (1990): 20.

- Kent, Simon, and Rachel Loos. "Shunned' Writer Sues Grant Council: What the Authors Say." *Sun-Herald* [Sydney] 2 Dec. 1990: 12-13.
 - Elizabeth Jolley disagrees with "shunned" writer, Sasha Soldatow, and states that "writers are very lucky to get help."
- White, Judith. "Talking about a Good Read." Sun-Herald [Sydney] 30 Dec. 1990: 71.
 - Elizabeth Jolley's favourite books of the year are P. N. Furbank's biography of E. M. Forster and *Gone Bush*, edited by Roger McDonald.
- Ogier, Richard. "Australia: The Good and the Bad." *Courier-Mail* [Brisbane] 26 Jan. 1991: Monitor 3.
- Murray, James. "The Write Stuff." Mode [Aust.] Feb. 1991: 59-61.
 - Paragraph "interviews" with 14 Australian authors about the influence their childhood had on their writing [paragraph about Jolley on p. 60].
- "Question Time." Sydney Morning Herald. 20 Apr. 1991: Good Weekend 5.
- Jolley, Elizabeth. "Tinned Oysters in White Sauce." *Lit à la Carte*. Comp. Rex Beckham. Soquel, CA: Bay Side P, n.d. 103. Rpt. in *Recipes My Mother Gave Me: "Never Fail" Recipes and Stories from Well Known Australians and Friends*. Ed. Loukie Werle. Paddington, NSW: Webber and Werle, 1993. 50-51.
- "Best Books of 1994." Sydney Morning Herald 3 Dec. 1994: Spectrum 11A.
 - Jolley chooses *The Orchard*, by Drusilla Modjeska, *Debonair Jack: A Biography of Sir John Longstaff 1861-1941*, by Prue Joske, and says she is "rereading *The Book of Psalms*, in particular the *Penetential Psalms*."
- Jolley, Elizabeth, Barbara M. Milech and Linda Browning. "In Short." Letter to the Editor. *West Australian* 17 Nov. 1995: 13.
- ---. "Lawrence should resign in the name of good government." Letter to the Editor. *Australian* 17 Nov. 1995: 16.
- Sorensen, Rosemary. "Canon Practice." *Sydney Morning Herald* 29 July 1995: Spectrum 6A.
- Riemer, Andrew. "The Best Books of 1995." *Sydney Morning Herald* 2 Dec. 1995: Spectrum 11A.
- "Best Books of '97." Sydney Morning Herald 29 Nov. 1997: Spectrum 11s.
- "Open Letter to Residents of the South Ward of the Town of Claremont." Claremont/Nedlands Post 26-27 July 1997: 25.

- Jolley a signatory urging residents to vote for Peter Weygers in the forthcoming Claremont local mayoral election.
- "The X-Mas Files: V.I.P. Secret Addresses Revealed." *Australian* 20-21 Dec. 1997: Magazine 35.
- "Favourites of the Famous." *Gleebooks' Guide to Christmas Reading 1997.* [Sydney: Gleebooks, n.d.] 2.
- "Woman's Hour." Radio Programme [puppet special]. Presented by Jenni Murray. Prod. Karen Deco. BBC. Radio 4. 29 Dec. 1997.
- Gripper, Ali. "Word Perfect." Sydney Morning Herald 18 Apr. 1998: Travel 4t.
- Jolley, Elizabeth. "Silas in Exile." West Australian 13 June 1998: Big Weekend 8.

 Jolley describes the passages that have most influenced her from Silas Marner by George Eliot.
- "Bedside Table: What People Are Reading." West Australian 8 Aug. 1998: Big Weekend 8.

 Jolley is reading back issues of *The New Yorker* and Anthony Powell's *A Dance to the Music of Time* series.
- "Writers on Editors." Weekend Australian 12 June 1999: Review 10.
- Jolley, Elizabeth. "Life Support." Weekend Australian 18 Aug. 2001: Magazine 50.

 Elizabeth Jolley on the importance of people in her life.

Juvenilia

Knight, M[onica]. "Vitamins." *The Owl: A Journal of Popular Science*. Issued by the Sibford School Science Society 1 (Autumn Term, 1937): 10 (350 words).

Knight, M[onica] E[lizabeth]. "The Growth of Plants in 'Water Cultures." *The Owl: A Journal of Popular Science* (Winter Term, 1938): 8-9 (560 words).

PART 2

Interviews with Elizabeth Jolley

Print Interviews

1985

Jolley, Elizabeth. "Elizabeth Jolley: An Interview." [Interview with David Headon] *Meanjin* 44.1 (1985): 39-46.

An early interview, in which Jolley speaks of her parents' marriage, her own marriage, and her writing.

1986

---. Interview. *Yacker: Australian Writers Talk about Their Work*. By Candida Baker. Sydney: Picador-Pan, 1986. 210-33.

Jolley discusses her background and describes her home environment, and talks about her work habits—in particular the re-writing and crafting procedures. Books discussed include *MH*, *SR* and *P*.

---. Interview. *Rooms of Their Own*. By Jennifer Ellison. Ringwood, Vic.: Penguin, 1986. 172-91.

Jolley answers questions relating to her books *F* and *MH*, and to aspects of writing generally—her beginnings, the qualities needed to become a writer, whether or not it is possible to teach writing, women writers, and the practice of reviewing.

---. "An Interview with Elizabeth Jolley." [Interview with Stephanie Trigg] *Scripsi* 4.1 (1986): 244-64.

A revealing interview in which Jolley talks freely of many aspects of her work and the writing process.

1989

---. "Fringe Dwellers: Extracts from an Interview by Jennifer Ellison." *Eight Voices of the Eighties: Stories, Journalism and Criticism by Australian Women Writers*. Ed. Gillian Whitlock. St. Lucia, Qld.: U of Queensland P, 1989. 334-44. Rpt. in *Eight Voices of the Eighties: Stories, Journalism and Criticism by Australian Women Writers*. Ed. Gillian Whitlock. Audiocassette [3 cassettes]. Enfield, NSW: Royal Blind Society, 1991.

Jolley comments briefly on writing, women and writing, reviewing, and literary awards.

"This Self the Honey of All Beings—A Conversation with Elizabeth Jolley." [Interview with Paul Kavanagh] *Southerly* 49.3 (1989): 438-51. Rpt. in *Conversations: Interviews with Australian Writers*. Ed. Paul Kavanagh and Peter Kuch. Sydney: Angus and Robertson, 1991. 153-76.

An especially informative exchange.

---. "Elizabeth Jolley: An Interview." [Interview with Anthony Long] *Verandah* 4 (1989): 34-41.

Focusses on Jolley's published work.

---. "A Conversation with Elizabeth Jolley." [Interview with Ray Willbanks] *Antipodes* 3.1 (1989): 27-30. Rpt. [with additional material] in *Australian Voices: Writers and Their Work*. By Ray Willbanks. Austin: U of Texas P, 1991. 111-27. Rpt. [with additional material] in *Speaking Volumes: Australian Writers and Their Work*. By Ray Willbanks. Ringwood, Vic.: Penguin, 1992. 111-27.

An especially thoughtful, informative conversation.

1990

---. "Elizabeth Jolley." [Interview with Trevor Thompson] *Peafowl: The Official Journal of the Arts Union* [U of Western Australia] July-Aug. 1990: n. pag.

Interview transcript is preceded by Thompson's biographical profile of Jolley [see same entry in **Profiles**].

---. "Elizabeth Jolley." *Sunday Afternoon with Peter Ross.* Comp. Peter Ross. Crows Nest, NSW: ABC Enterprises, 1990. 68-81.

Published transcript of Jolley's ABC Television interview with Ross, for the program *The Sunday Afternoon Show* [see **Filmed Interviews**].

---. "Elizabeth Jolley." Facing Writers: Australia's Leading Writers Talk with Dagmar Strauss. Comp. Dagmar Strauss. Crows Nest, NSW: ABC Enterprises, 1990. 9-22.

Edited transcript of interview Jolley participated in with Strauss for ABC Television series *Facing Writers* [see **Filmed Interviews**]. The series focused on writers whose works appeared on the last two years of the secondary school curriculum throughout Australia; its intended audience was late secondary school students.

---. "Writing Pain and Optimism." [Interview with Philippa Hawker] *Sunday Herald* [Melbourne] 30 Sept. 1990: 33.

1992

---. "Elizabeth Jolley: The Art of Writing and the Art of Living." [Interview with Jill Kitson] 24 Hours: ABC-FM Stereo[,] Radio National[,] ABC Concerts Aug. 1992: 44-47.

Published transcript of Jolley's previously broadcast interview with Kitson on ABC Radio National's *The Book Report* [see **Audio Interviews**].

---. "Elizabeth Jolley." *One to One.* By Ramona Koval. Sydney: ABC Enterprises, 1992. 77-83.

Published transcript of Koval's previously broadcast interview of Jolley [see Audio Interviews].

1993

---. "Elizabeth Jolley: *Mr Scobie's Riddle.*" *Making Stories: How Ten Australian Novels Were Written.* By Kate Grenville and Sue Woolfe. St Leonards, NSW: Allen and Unwin, 1993. 154-67.

Interview about the making of *SR*. The interview transcript is followed by two further sections: EJ's notes from the writing of the story, and an extract from the novel [see **Articles and Chapters**].

- ---. "An Interview with Elizabeth Jolley." [Interview with Ulla Joussen] *Kunapipi* [Denmark] 15.2 (1993): 37-43.
- ---. "Sky Harbours and Wheat-Field Oceans: An Interview with Elizabeth Jolley." [Interview with Gillian Tyas] *Mattoid* 46-47 (1993): 193-200.

Focussed on landscape in Jolley's fiction.

1997

---. "Helen Daniel Talks to Elizabeth Jolley." *Australian Book Review* July 1997: 28-29.

1998

---. "Elizabeth Jolley." *Local Heroes: A Celebration of Success and Leadership in Australia*. By Ann-Maree Moodie. Sydney: Prentice-Hall, 1998. 159-66.

2001

---. "Interview with Elizabeth Jolley on the Subject of Food and Drink in her Fiction." [Interview with Janet Meszaros and Dennis Haskell] "The Rich Dark Fruit Cake of Life': Representations of Food and Drink in Elizabeth Jolley's Fiction." By Janet Meszaros. Diss. [Ph.D] University of Western Australia, 2001. 295-309.

2002

"An Interview with Elizabeth Jolley." [Interview with Magdalena Ball] *The Compulsive Reader* 3 June 2002: n. pag. http://www.compulsivereader.com/html/index.php?name=News&file=article&sid=182

Audio Interviews

1978

Elizabeth Jolley. Interview with Brian Dibble. *Between the Lines*. Community Broadcasting Association of Australia. 6NR, Perth. [date/month unknown] 1978.

Jolley reads and discusses her story "The Shed."

1980

---. Interview. *Library of the Air*. Community Broadcasting Association of Australia. 6UVS FM, Perth. [date unknown] May, 1980.

Interview accompanied by Jolley reading her poetry.

1983

---. Interview with Wendy Wicks. Community Broadcasting Association of Australia. 2SER FM, Sydney. 9 Mar. 1983; 20 Mar. 1983.

1984

---. Interview with Susan Hayes. *Conversations*. Audiocassette. Adelaide College of Technical and Further Education, 1984.

This interview covers several topics, notably Jolley's experiences at boarding school, her dual language background, her writing practices, and her love of the land. It includes a discussion of *Miss Peabody's Inheritance*, *Five Acre Virgin*, and *Mr Scobie's Riddle*.

---. Interview with Mary-Lou Jelbart. *Profile*. ABC [Aust.]. 22 May 1984.

Recorded at the Adelaide Festival, Jolley talks about her creative process, preferred methods of writing, and her early desire to become published.

1985

---. Interview with Beate Josephi. "Christmas Book Special." *Writers' Radio*. Australian Community Radio Satellite Network. 5UV, Adelaide. 5 Dec. 1985; 7 Dec. 1985.

1986

---. Interview with Julie Copeland. *First Edition*. ABC [Aust.]. Radio Natl. 14 Feb. 1986.

Broadcast celebrates the 200th episode of *First Edition*. Jolley is one of seventeen writers and public personalities invited to select and discuss their favourite texts about love. Jolley reads the poem "The Owl and the Pussycat," referring to it as a tale of "male romanticism," and noting that it reveals how "women could look after themselves long before Dr Germaine Greer." She then cites several lines from William Congreve's play *The Way of the World*.

---. Interview with Kate Vietch. *The Coming Out Show*. ABC [Aust.]. Radio Natl. 1986.

Jolley reads extracts from *The Well, The Newspaper of Claremont Street*, and *Miss Peabody's Inheritance*. She responds to queries about her handling of unconventional relationships and characters, including descriptions which have been labelled grotesque and bizarre.

1987

- ---. Interview with Elizabeth Alley. *Anthology No. 14*. Radio New Zealand. Concert Programme. 10 Sept. 1987; 13 Sept. 1987; 4 Oct. 1990; 7 Oct. 1990.
- ---. Interview with Anyella Wynyard. *Books and Writing*. ABC [Aust.]. Radio Natl. Probable date 1987.

Jolley is interviewed by Wynyard about *The Well*. The broadcast also includes a review of *The Well* by Kerryn Goldsworthy.

---. Interview with Mary Nicholson. *Melisma*. ABC [Aust.]. Radio Natl. Probable date 29 Mar. 1987.

Jolley selects her favourite music and discusses her life and writing. Music chosen includes works by Mozart, Beethoven, Vivaldi, and Schubert.

1988

- ---. Interview with Elizabeth Alley. "Dwelling in the Novel." 2 episodes. *In the Middle Distance*. Radio New Zealand. Concert Programme. 10-11 May 1988; 2, 6 Jan. 1989.
- ---. Interview with Peter Conrad. "Filling in the Centre." Prod. Piers Plowright. BBC. Radio 3. 26 May 1988.

Broadcast investigates how Australian writers deal with their history and landscape. Writers mentioned include Peter Carey, Helen Garner, and David Malouf, among noted others. Jolley contributes to the program as a speaker.

1989

- ---. Interview with Margaret Walters. *Third Ear*. Prod. Edwina Wolstencroft. BBC. Radio 3. 14 Mar. 1989.
- ---. Interview with Stuart Reid. Rec. 10 May-5 June 1989. Audiocassette [6 x 60 min. cassettes]. J. S. Battye Library of West Australian History, Perth, Oral History Unit. OH 2268. Rpt. as "Verbatim Transcript of An Interview with Dr. Elizabeth Jolley." Perth: Library Board of WA, 1990.

Covers early life in England, migration to Australia 1959, development as a writer since 1960s, publications to 1989, and tutoring and lecturing in creative writing, and is a particularly valuable biographical resource.

---. Interview with Ramona Koval. *The Ramona Koval Program*. [date/month unknown] Rpt. as "Elizabeth Jolley." [Transcript] *One to One*. By Ramona Koval. Sydney: ABC Enterprises, 1992. 77-83

1990

Interview with Dagmar Strauss. Facing Writers. Audiocassette [3 cassettes].
 [Producer of audiocassette unknown. Held in Natl. Information Library Service (joint Australian library service for the vision-impaired)] [c.1990] Taken from Facing Writers: Interviews with Dagmar Strauss for Year 11 and 12 Students. Prod. ABC TV [Aust.]. Videocassette. ABC Video, 1989. Originally broadcast in Facing Writers. ABC TV [Aust.]. 26 Feb. 1990. Rpt. as "Elizabeth Jolley." [Transcript]. Facing Writers: Australia's Leading Writers Talk with Dagmar Strauss. Comp. Dagmar Strauss. Crows Nest, NSW: Australian Broadcasting Corporation, 1990. 9-22.

A twenty-five minute interview, produced initially as a television program broadcast, then as a videocassette, print interview and audiocassette [see also **Print Interviews** and **Filmed Interviews**]. Discusses *W*, *MP* and *NCS*.

1992

---. Interview with Eleanor Wachtel. *Writers and Company*. CBC [Canada]. CBC Stereo. 8 Mar. 1992. Rebroadcast on *The Arts Today*. CBC [Canada]. CBC Radio. 4 Mar. 1999.

Jolley reads from CF, after discussing her childhood in England and life in the Australian bush.

---. Interview with Jill Kitson. *The Book Report*. ABC [Aust.]. Radio Natl. 30 Apr. 1992. Rpt. as "The Art of Writing and the Art of Living." [Transcript] *24 Hours: ABC-FM Stereo*[,] *Radio National* [,] *ABC Concerts* Aug. 1992: 44-47.

Interview focusses on CM.

1995

---. Interview with Catherine Kenneally. *Author's Proof.* Australian Community Radio Satellite Network. 5UV, Adelaide. 20 Mar. 1995. Rebroadcast Australian Community Radio Satellite Network. 28 Mar. 1995.

Interview is generally concerned with Jolley's collection of radio plays, *Off the Air*, but also discussed are Jolley's connection with radio, and the ways in which plays lead into novels.

---. Interview with Terry Watts. Rec. 10 Apr. 1995. Audiocassette. Held in The Elizabeth Jolley Research Collection, John Curtin Prime Ministerial Library, Curtin University of Technology, Perth.

Watts interviews Jolley about Miss Peabody's Inheritance.

---. Interview with Margaret Throsby. *Margaret Throsby*. ABC [Aust.]. ABC Classic FM. 28 Feb. 1997. Rebroadcast 23 Mar. 2007.

Jolley is "special guest" on Throsby's classical music program.

1999

---. Interview with Ramona Koval and Sandy McCutcheon. *Australia Talks Books*. ABC [Aust.]. Radio Natl. 26 Mar. 1999.

Jolley discusses *Lovesong* in terms of themes of memory, music, darkness, and fear. The broadcast includes a review of *Lovesong* by Rosemary Sorenson.

- ---. Interview with Phillip Adams. "Wild Minds." *Late Night Live*. ABC [Aust.]. Radio Natl. 8 Sept. 1999.
- ---. Interview with Ramona Koval. "National Treasures." *Books and Writing*. ABC [Aust.]. Radio Natl. 22 Oct. 1999.
- ---. Interview with Catherine Kenneally. *Writers' Radio*. Australian Community Radio Satellite Network. 5UV, Adelaide. 25 Oct. 1999. Rebroadcast Australian Community Radio Satellite Network. 2 Nov. 1999.

Interview focusses on the subject matter of AS.

2000

---. Interview with Elizabeth Alley. "Elizabeth Jolley." *NZ Post Writers and Readers Week—Wellington Festival 2000.* 25 episodes. Radio NZ. Natl. Radio. 9 Aug. 2000.

2001

---. Interview with Sian Prior. "Elizabeth Jolley, James Cowan and Good Reading." *Books and Writing*. Pres. Robert Dessaix. ABC [Aust.]. Radio Natl. 9 Nov. 1991.

2007

---. Interview with Elizabeth Jolley. *Short Story*. ABC [Aust.]. Radio Natl. Part 1, 11 Mar. 2007; part 2, 15 Apr. 2007; part 3, 22 Apr. 2007.

Broadcast of an earlier interview with David Britton on The Box Seat, 2 Jan. 1996.

Filmed Interviews

1984

Elizabeth Jolley. Interview with Linda Jeffery and Mark Buckeridge. *Meet the Author: Elizabeth Jolley*. Prod. Audio-Visual Branch, Educ. Dept. of W.A. Videocassette. WAVE [Women in Adult and Vocational Education], 1984.

A 20-minute interview conducted by two secondary-school students. Topics include Jolley's writing practices, her different approaches to novel and short-story writing, and her crafting of real moments into a broader fiction. Video's intended audience is Year 10-12 students.

1986

---. Interview. State of the Arts. ABC TV [Aust.]. 16 Aug. 1986.

Jolley discusses the launch of the Fremantle Arts Centre.

1987

---. Interview with George Negus. *Today*. Nine Network [Aust.]. [c. June] 1987.

1988

Interview with Andrea Stretton and Dinny O'Hearn. *The Bookshow*. SBS Television [Aust.]. 23 Nov. 1988. Rpt. in *Australian Writers: Part Two from "The Bookshow."* Prod. SBS Television [Aust.]. Videocassette. Marcom Projects, 1994.

An 11-minute studio interview with Jolley, recorded as part of SBS Television's *The Bookshow*. The interview was subsequently included in a compilation videocasette.

1989

---. Interview with Dagmar Strauss. Facing Writers: Interviews with Dagmar Strauss for Year 11 and 12 Students. Prod. ABC TV [Aust.]. Videocassette. ABC Video, 1989. Originally broadcast in Facing Writers. ABC TV [Aust.]. 26 Feb. 1990. Rpt. as "Elizabeth Jolley." [Transcript]. Facing Writers: Australia's Leading Writers Talk with Dagmar Strauss. Comp. Dagmar Strauss. Crows Nest, NSW: Australian Broadcasting Corporation, 1990. 9-22. Rpt. in Facing Writers. Audiocassette [3 cassettes]. [Producer of audiocassette unknown. Held in Natl. Information Library Service—joint Australian library service for the vision-impaired] N.d.

A 25-minute interview, produced as a television program broadcast, videocassette, print interview and audiocassette [see also **Print Interviews** and **Audio Interviews**]. Discusses *W*, *MP* and *NCS*.

1991

---. Interview with Clive Robertson. *Robbo's World Tonight*. Nine Network [Aust.]. 26 Apr. 1991.

Interview ranges across such subjects as Jolley's father, her schooling, her views on pacificism and her writing style.

1992

---. Interview with James Murdoch. Prod. Peter Campbell. Published by Australia Council, Sydney. Distributed by AFI Distribution, 1992.

1993

---. Interview with Peter Ross. *The Sunday Afternoon Show*. ABC TV [Aust.]. 11 Apr. 1993. Rpt. as "Elizabeth Jolley." [Transcript] *Sunday Afternoon with Peter Ross*. Comp. Peter Ross. Crows Nest, NSW: Australian Broadcasting Corporation, 1990. 68-81.

Content of interview largely biographical [see also Print Interviews].

1995

---. Interview. 7:30 Report. ABC TV [Aust.]. 26 May 1995.

Jolley participates in a panel discussion on the issue of euthanasia.

1996

---. Interview with Judith Dinham and Glen Phillips. "Landscape in Review." *Landscape and You*. Churchlands, WA: Media Production Unit, Edith Cowan University, 1996.

1997

---. Interview with Caroline Baum. *Between the Lines*. ABC TV [Aust.]. 2 July 1997.

Profiles

1970

Carr, Christina. "Perth Woman's Story Accepted by BBC." *Daily News* [Perth] 2 Jan. 1970: 10.

Notice of BBC broadcast of "May I Rest My Case on Your Table." Jolley notes her themes of migration and aged people. [see **Radio Plays/Broadcasts**].

1971

Cowie, Denise. "Old People's Nurse Also Writes Stories for BBC." *Daily News* [Perth] 29 Jan. 1971: 10.

"'Mrs Mop' on BBC." Herald [Melbourne] 7 Dec. 1971, city extra ed.: 9.

1973

Cole, Owen. "BBC Accepts Another WA Short Story." *Daily News* [Perth] 24 May 1973: 18.

Notice of BBC's acceptance of "The Jarrah Thieves." Jolley notes the impact of the Australian landscape on her writing.

1975

Young, Peter. "Story Teller." Weekend News [Perth] 15 Nov. 1975: 10.

Refers to "Night Report" and the "special" \$200 prize awarded to it by the ABC.

1976

Hewett, Jenni. "Exploring from One Small, Slender Idea." West Australian 6 Dec. 1976: 78.

1980

Jenkins, Tom. "Prize-Giver a Winner." West Australian 3 May 1980: 27.

Notice of Jolley's awarding the 1980 Young Writer's Contest prizes, and her winning the Victorian FAW prize for "Two Men Running."

1981

Hassell, Mea. "A Lack of Pretension." West Australian 5 Dec. 1981: Magazine 46.

Brief profile, in which Jolley refers to NCS.

Lawson, Bruce. "Aspiring to Literature, Not a Living from Words." *West Australian* 12 June 1982: Magazine 38.

Comments by several WA writers, including Elizabeth Jolley, who discuss the difficulties of publishing from Western Australia.

1983

Matheson, Ann. "A Touch of Humour." Daily News [Perth] 1 Oct. 1983: 7.

Mayman, Jan. "A Literary Flowering in Suburbia." *National Times* [Sydney] 13-19 Mar. 1983: 29.

Succint overview of Jolley's career to 1983.

"Nedlands Appreciates Talented Writer." College Contact 2.1 (1983): 3.

"Novels Flow from an Old Fashioned Nib." Sunday Times [Perth] 20 Nov. 1983: 42.

Simons, Margaret. "Rich, Black Comedy Wins 'Age' Book Award." *Age* [Melbourne] 3 Dec. 1983: 5.

On the occasion of Jolley's winning the Age Book of the Year award for SR.

Thomas, Athol. "Elizabeth Jolley's Gently Winning Way." West Australian 3 Dec. 1983: 46.

Wiltshire, Trea. "Port Press Opened the Door for Writer." *Western Mail* [Perth] 26 Mar. 1983: 48.

1984

Cadzow, Jane. "A Compulsive Writer Who Sifts Shadows from Another World." *Weekend Australian* 22-23 Sept. 1984: Magazine 16.

On the occasion of the publication of *MH*. Reports Thea Astley's controversial launching speech ("You're sick, Elizabeth. You're sick."), as well as Jolley's sense that the line between fact and fiction is blurred, and her comment that she can't yet write about her war years in England.

"Elizabeth's Latest Is Milk and Honey." Subiaco Post [Perth] 11 Sept. 1984: 26.

Wright, Mary. "Stories: 'Perhaps for Me, Encountering and Accepting Strange Territory Is a Necessary Part of Being a Writer." Fremantle Arts Centre Broadsheet 3.2 (1984): 11.

Jolley talks generally about her work on the occasion of the publication of Stories.

"Writer-in-Residence." Reporter [Curtin University of Technology, Perth] 5.4 (1984): 3.

1985

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- Sullivan, Jane. "In Search of the Human Factor." *Age* [Melbourne] 25 Sept. 1999: Saturday Extra 9.
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McLeod, Marion. "Woolf in Sheep's Clothing." New Zealand Listener 15 Apr. 2000: 42-43.

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- O'Connor, Shaunagh. "Reason to Be Jolley." *Herald Sun* [Melbourne] 10 Mar. 2001: Weekend 19.
- Sorensen, Rosemary. "Jolley Reveals Idyllic Time in Hitler Camp." *Courier-Mail* [Brisbane] 29 June 2001: 3. Rpt. as "Jolley Tune in Hitler Camp." *Courier-Mail* [Brisbane] [late city edition] 29 June 2001: 4.
- ---. "Jolley Sang Hitler's Praise." *Sunday Times* [Perth] 1 July 2001: 18.

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PART 3

Adaptations of Works by Elizabeth Jolley

Film/Video Adaptations

"Great Branches Fall." [*DWF* 87] Poem by Elizabeth Jolley. Music, photography and narration by Benjamin Anderson. Cover design by Jonathan Anderson. DVD. 2007. 1 min. 47 secs.

The grandson of Hannah Levey, one of Jolley's dearest friends, pays tribute to her by setting her poem to music and landscape photos.

The Last Crop. Screenplay by Richard Burridge and Michael O'Hanlon. Dir. Sue Clayton. Perf. Kerry Walker and Noah Taylor. Zenith Productions (UK) with Film Australia and the Australian Film Commission, 1990.

An adaptation of Jolley's short story, "The Last Crop," this near hour-long film was successful on the festival circuit, and was shown on Channel 4 in Great Britain 20 April 1991, and on ABC TV (Australia) 7 August 1991.

The Nights Belong to the Novelist: The Imaginative World of Elizabeth Jolley. Dir. Christina Wilcox. Prod. Nigel Williams. Written by Joan Kirby and Christina Wilcox. Yowie Films, 1986.

A well crafted compilation featuring interviews, readings and dramatised segments which explore the craft and practical problems of writing. Elizabeth Jolley talks about her fictional treatment of old age, women's relationships, exile and displacement. Broadcast on ABC TV [Aust.] 25 Feb. 1988, 15 Jan. 1990, and 11 November 1990.

Two Men Running. Screenplay by Kevin Thompson. Videocassette. Curtin University of Technology, 1989. Film treatment by Kevin Thompson, 1988, held in Elizabeth Jolley Research Collection, John Curtin Prime Ministerial Library, Curtin University of Technology, Perth.

Film treatment includes Elizabeth Jolley's comments on the script.

The Well. Screenplay by Laura Jones. Dir. Samantha Lang. Perf. Miranda Otto, Pamela Rabe, Paul Chubb, Frank Wilson, Steve Jacobs, Genevieve Lemon. Prod. Laura Levy. Globe Film Company, 1997. Re-released on videocassette. Triumph Home Video, 1998.

The Well, Samantha Lang's first feature film, received critical acclaim, was nominated for 11 and won three 1997 Australian Film Institute Awards (Best Production Design, Best Actress [Pamela Rabe], and Best Screenplay), and was nominated for the Palme d'Or 1997 Cannes Film Festival; it also won a 1997 Stockholm Film Festival Award (Best Actress [Pamela Rabe]), and a 1998 Film Critics Circle of Australia Award (Best Screenplay-Adapted).

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1991

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- Hooks, Barbara. "Elizabeth Jolley Story Makes Transition to Splendid Television." Rev. of *The Last Crop*, dir. Sue Clayton. *Age* [Melbourne] 7 Aug. 1991: 14.

Discusses the genesis and development of the film.

1997

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- Fitzgerald, Michael. "Deep Water." Rev. of *The Well*, dir. Samantha Lang. *Time* 4 Aug. 1997: 70.
- Garner, Helen. "Deep in Jolleyland." Rev. of *The Well*, dir. Samantha Lang, and *Fever Pitch*, dir. David Evans. *Australian* Aug. 1997: Australian's Review of Books 27.
- Hall, Sandra. "Jolley Tale of an Odd Pair." Rev. of *The Well*, dir. Samantha Lang. *Sydney Morning Herald* [late edition] 31 July 1997: Arts 12.
- James, Stan. "Plumbing the Darker Depths." Rev. of *The Well*, dir. Samantha Lang. *Advertiser* [Adelaide] 2 Aug. 1997: A13.
- Naglazas, Mark. "Cop-Out Ending the Ultimate Flaw." Rev. of *The Well*, dir. Samantha Lang. *West Australian* 2 Aug. 1997: 62.
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- Roach, Vicky. Rev. of *The Well*, dir. Samantha Lang. *Marie Claire* Aug. 1997: 93.
- Stratton, David. "Jolley Fine Drama." Rev. of *The Well*, dir. Samantha Lang, and *Au Petit Marguery*, dir. Laurent Benegui. *Australian* 2-3 Aug. 1997: Weekend Review 11.
- Thomas, Chris. "The Film Doesn't Go So Well." Rev. of *The Well*, dir. Samantha Lang. *Sunday Times* [Perth] 3 Aug. 1997: 54.

Carr, Jay. "Mystery and Madness Fill Australian 'Well." Rev. of *The Well*, dir. Samantha Lang. *Boston Globe* 31 July 1998: C4.

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Interview with Christina Wilcox, director of The Nights Belong to the Novelist.

1988

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Account of the making of *The Last Crop*.

1997

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- "Aussie Oscar Bidders." West Australian 5 Oct. 1997: 5.
- "Australian Films Selected for Cannes." *AFC News* [Australian Film Commission] Mar.-Apr. 1997: 1.

Barber, Lynden. "Well, It's Kiss or Kill." Australian 5 Oct. 1997: 7.

- ---. "The Well on the Way to Cannes." *Australian* 9 May 1997: 11.
- ---. "Well, Well, Well: Aussie Trio Triumph in Cannes." Australian 16 May 1997: 2.
- "Cannes Film Festival at Fifty." *AFC* [Australian Film Commission] *News* May-June 1997: 1.
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- Curtis, Quentin. "A Pair of Two-Handers Take the Festival by Storm." *Daily Telegraph* [UK] 15 May 1997: 20.

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Meade, Amanda and Lynden Barber. "Cannes-Do Film-Makers Win Funds Pledge." *Australian* 24 Apr. 1997: 3.

Slee, Amruta. "Miranda Otto Goes Off." *HQ Magazine* Sept.-Oct. 1997: 40+.

Stratton, David. "Sticks, Stones and a Deep Well of Opinion." Australian 16 May 1997: 15

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"Write Stuff." Editorial. Sydney Morning Herald 26 Apr. 1997: 36.

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- Dwer, Paul and PACT Youth Theatre, adapt. *Uncle Bernard's New World*. [Adapt. of six stories by Elizabeth Jolley] Dir. Paul Dwyer. Perf. Alexander Winton and Tai Scrivener. PACT Youth Theatre, Erskineville [Sydney]. 10 Aug.-2 Sept. 1990.
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- Taylor, Leith. Tell Tales. Dir. Leith Taylor. Dolphin Theatre, Perth. 9-28 Feb. 1993.
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- Rider, Sue, et al., adapt. *Supermarket Pavane*. By Elizabeth Jolley. Dir. Sue Rider. Perf. Jennifer Flowers. La Boite Theatre, Brisbane. 14 Sept.-5 Oct. 1996.

Knight, Ingle, adapt. *Milk and Honey*. By Elizabeth Jolley. Dir. Sally Richardson. Perth Theatre Company. Playhouse Theatre, Perth. 13-29 Aug. 1998.

Knight's adaptation won the 1999 WA Premier's Book Award. The (unpublished) rehearsal script for this production is held in the Elizabeth Jolley Research Collection, John Curtin Prime Ministerial Library, Curtin University of Technology.

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- Mills, Claire. Rev. of *Atomic Fiction: The Novels of David Ireland*, by Ken Gelder, and *Helplessly Tangled in Female Arms and Legs: Elizabeth Jolley's Fictions*, by Paul Salzman. *Australian Bookseller and Publisher* May 1993: 32.

1994

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"This [New Critical Essays] is a collection which—like Salzman's book—is more committed to the celebration than the analysis of the Jolley moment in Australian literature." He asks, "Who elected Jolley to sit at the right hand of Patrick White?..."

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- Feltracco, Daniela. "The Fiction-within-the-Fiction: The Lie, the Labyrinth, and the Mirror in Elizabeth Jolley's *Miss Peabody's Inheritance*." Diss. Instituto Universitario di Lingue Moderne [Milan], 1990-91.
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- Hort, Harold. "Fact and Fiction, Form and Fantasy: The Novels of Elizabeth Jolley." Diss. [MPhil.] University of Sydney, 1995.
- Kiley, Dean. "The C³PO Experiment: Jolly Critical Theory/Writing and the Post/Modern." Diss. [Honours] University of Sydney, 1995.
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- Mitchell, Alicia. "Desperately Seeking Subversive Masculinities in Three Contemporary Feminist Novels." Diss. [Honours] University of Adelaide, 1993.
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- Pannell, Rebecca Helene. "Contesting the Myths: A Search for the 'Sacred' in a 'Secular['] Land. Quest, Identity and Belonging in *The Well* (Elizabeth Jolley, 1986), *Cosmo Cosmolino* (Helen Garner, 1992), and *Oyster* (Janette Turner Hospital, 1997)." Diss. [Honours] University of Adelaide, 1998.
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- Plunkett, Felicity A. "Vociferous Self-Effacement: Paradoxical Powers in the Writing of Virginia Woolf, Sylvia Plath and Elizabeth Jolley." Diss. [PhD] University of Sydney, 1996.
- Ryden, Anne. "'If There is No Such Word Then . . . The Thing Does Not Exist': Translating Elizabeth Jolley's *Mr Scobie's Riddle* into Danish." Diss. [Doctor of Creative Arts] Curtin University of Technology, 2007.

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- Stadtmiller, Patricia Joan. "Explorations and Discoveries: Charting the Imaginative World of Elizabeth Jolley." Diss. [MA] Australian National University, 1992.
- Tyas, Gillian. "Transformations: Landscape in Recent Australian Fiction." Diss. [PhD] Deakin University, 1995.

Abstract: Focusing on novels written since 1980 by Australian authors Rodney Hall, Liam Davison, Tim Winton, Elizabeth Jolley and Gerald Murnane, and engaging with responses to the land by visual and performing artists, this thesis explores the idea that the writer and artist are mediators in the multitude of experiences that constitute landscape.

- Varago, Alessia. "E. Jolley's Characters as Symbols of the Culture Clash: Their Struggle to Achieve Their Own Identity." Diss. Istituto Universitario di Lingue Moderne [Milan], 1990-91.
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Articles and Chapters

1977

Maslen, Margaret. "Local Writing—A Matter of Perspective." Artlook 3.5 (1977): 29-30.

1980

Shapcott, Thomas. "Five Acre Hell." Westerly 25.4 (1980): 73-75.

A writer's detailed analysis of the three books: *Five Acre Virgin* "certainly established those narrow but remarkably resonant boundaries of Elizabeth Jolley's concerns"; *The Travelling Entertainer*, shows "the dance of victim and predator has become more intense"; and *Palomino* is interesting for its relationships—youth/age, predator/victim, female/female.

1982

Brady, Veronica. "Place, Taste and the Making of a Tradition: Western Australian Writing Today." *Westerly* 27.4 (1982): 105-10.

A review of Western Australian writing, briefly mentioning *P* and "Two Men Running" (*Decade*, Fremantle Arts Centre P, 1982), and remarking on Jolley's ability to write "lyrically, even tenderly, without becoming sentimental."

1983

Garner, Helen. "Elizabeth Jolley: An Appreciation." *Meanjin* 42.2 (1983): 153-57. Rpt. in *Eight Voices of the Eighties: Stories, Journalism and Criticism by Australian Women Writers*. Ed. Gillian Whitlock. St. Lucia, Qld.: U of Queensland P, 1989. 383-87. Rpt. in *The Temperament of Generations: Fifty Years of Writing in* Meanjin. Ed. Jenny Lee, Philip Mead and Gerald Murnane. Melbourne: Melbourne UP-Meanjin, 1990. 298-302. Rpt. in *Eight Voices of the Eighties*[:] *Stories, Journalism and Criticism by Australian Women Writers*. Ed. Gillian Whitlock. Audiocassette [3 cassettes]. Enfield, NSW: Royal Blind Society, 1991.

An appreciation of Jolley's writing in general, arguing that Jolley's "repetitions and re-usings . . . set up a pattern of echoes which unifies the world, and is most seductive and comforting." It is the friction between humour and pathos in her books that makes us laugh. Jolley's treatment of old people "provokes not condescending sympathy but rushes of 'pity and terror'"; however, with younger folk there is a "slight sense of uncertainty." "She is not quite at home with contemporary idiom."

Riemer, A. P. "Between Two Worlds—An Approach to Elizabeth Jolley's Fiction." *Southerly* 43.3 (1983): 239-52.

This essay in two parts is a cultural analysis of Jolley's work, concerned with "the sense . . . of the individual adrift between two worlds, between opposed possibilities of being or of becoming." The writer considers that Jolley, in this respect, has made a significant contribution to "Australian Literature." Part I refers to many of Jolley's works, but Part II concentrates on *Mr Scobie's Riddle*: "an important landmark in what, I believe, will come to be seen as a vital tradition of Australian writing."

Jones, Dorothy. "The Goddess, the Artist and the Spinster." Westerly 29.4 (1984): 77-88.

A long article using a mythic approach to *Miss Peabody's Inheritance*: "The image of the goddess Diana becomes . . . a focus for the novel's major themes—the passions which trouble the lives of ordinary people; love in conflict with desire for power; the relationship between truth and fiction; the importance of a sense of place." The article also relates the novel, in parts, to Dickens' *Great Expectations* and Wagner's opera *The Valkyrie*.

Jose, Nicholas. "Possibilities of Love in Recent Australian Short Stories." *Island Magazine* 20 (1984): 30-33.

Jose discusses Jolley's short story "The Bench" (also known as "Adam's Bride"), among others.

Kirkby, Joan. "The Nights Belong to Elizabeth Jolley: Modernism and the Sappho-Erotic Imagination of *Miss Peabody's Inheritance*." *Meanjin* 43.4 (1984): 484-92.

A long article, structuralist in approach, which identifies *Miss Peabody* as modernist and links the novel with Virginia Woolf's *Orlando*—whilst not denying "the powerful realist impulse of Jolley's fiction." The novel's "exuberant eroticism" is recognised as its "great surprise," and "all sorts of stereotypes are exploded" in the novel. The article also explores similarities with *Palomino*, *The Newspaper of Claremont Street*, *Mr Scobie's Riddle* and *Milk and Honey*.

Macleod, Mark. "The Year That Was." Kunapipi 6.1 (1984): 79-83.

"Elizabeth Jolley may become a major writer."

Riemer, A. P. "This World, the Next, and Australia—the Emergence of a Literary Commonplace." *Southerly* 3 (1984): 251-70.

Mention of *SR* and *MP* in an essay "dealing with the 'matter' of Australia . . . that Australia is not part of the 'real' world, and to live there is worse than death, or indeed a living death." In *SR* "the nursing home for the aged [is considered] as an emblem of living death." *MP*, on the other hand, "neatly reverses the main thrust " of Riemer's argument by "making modern Britain the world of living death and Australia a benign, romantic land of promise."

Ward, Elizabeth. "Literature Is Looking Up Down Under." Washington Post 1 July 1984: Book World 15.

Reports on the current state of publishing in Australia, and which books are being read. Elizabeth Jolley is "one of the best" of "an unprecendented number of Australian authors in print overseas." A comparison is made to Flannery O'Connor.

Wright, Mary. "The Writer's Voice." Fremantle Arts Centre Broadsheet 3.6 (1984): 3.

1985

Edwards, Brian. "Tricks of the Imagination: Australian Fiction of the 1980s." *Landfall* 39.2 (1985): 213-23.

Harrison, Martin. "Passages: A Reader Loiters in a Public Place." *Age Monthly Review* [Melbourne] 5.1 (1985): 16-19.

A critique of contemporary reviewing practice, that takes the publication of three pieces of "new writing"—MH, Rosa Cappiello's Oh Lucky Country and Antigone Kefala's The Island as its starting point. Harrison reviews the reviews of MH, arguing that their concensus—the novel is "powerful, disappointing, gloomy, Gothic"—is a function of the book being (mis)read as a "conventional life-stor[y]." Such reviews obscure the book's comedy, symbolism, density of musical and literary allusion, structuring through themes of sexual discovery, and relation to the "cultural predicament of 'self' and 'language' in contemporary Australia." Such reviews illustrate the (limiting) assumptions that literature is about "what is 'known' and psychologically accessible," and that literature is "an instance of a cultural position" (and so can be read in terms of thematics, politics, truisms). Further, they illustrate the privatisation of the public space where new books are received—typically, neither reviewer nor reader nor novel is located and "[by] that token, the space between and behind new books is denied." Thus the narrowness of the MH reviews: "how small the space which was left for the book and how little could be read there: not Blake, not Rilke, not Lacan, eroticism, family histories, nor the unconcious reconstruction of one's own past, not much about migration or even Elizabeth Jolley's own migrant autobiography, not maleness and certainly not the madhouse."

Smith, Margaret. "Australian Women Novelists of the 1970s: A Survey." *Gender, Politics and Fiction: Twentieth Century Australian Women's Novels.* Ed. Carole Ferrier. St. Lucia, Qld.: U of Queensland P, 1985. 200-21.

Under the sub-heading "Lesbian Novels," a brief mention of P.

Webby, Elizabeth. "The Uses of Fiction: Some Recent Novels from the South Pacific Region." SPAN [Journal of the South Pacific Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies] 21 (1985): 29-37.

A paper "inspired by a reading of *Miss Peabody's Inheritance*" in which Webby discusses "characters [in novels] who were writers and readers." Contrasts *MP* with several New Zealand novels and states that with Jolley "we know from the beginning that we are reading metafiction"; in other novels such as Janet Frame's *Living in the Maniototo* "this only becomes apparent at the end."

1986

Daniel, Helen. "Elizabeth Jolley: Variations on a Theme." Westerly 31.2 (1986): 50-63.

A long article—partly structuralist, partly psychoanalytical in approach—which surveys Jolley's work as a continuum, and draws attention to the importance of musical themes and variations which occur throughout the work.

Giles, Barbara. "The Autumn Crocus." Overland 105 (1986): 62-67.

An article on writers who were late starters, including Elizabeth Jolley.

Goldsworthy, Kerryn. "Voices in Time: A Kindness Cup and Miss Peabody's Inheritance." Australian Literary Studies 12.4 (1986): 471-81.

Thea Astley and Elizabeth Jolley have in common "the subtlety and complexity of their narrative methods." Both *A Kindness Cup* and *MP* contain a text within a text and Goldsworthy considers that "the narrative methods employed are precisely those which elude and defy . . . containment, definition and separation."

- Goodwin, Ken. "Novelists of the Later 1970s." *Macmillan History of Literature: A History of Australian Literature*. Basingstoke, Hampshire: Macmillan, 1986. 259-72.
- Jones, Dorothy. "Which Hend You Hev?': Elizabeth Jolley's Milk and Honey." *Westerly* 31.2 (1986): 35-49.

A long and scholarly analysis of *Milk and Honey* in terms of its "theological framework of the Fall, loss of innocence, judgement and redemption." Comparisons are made between the Jacob of *Milk and Honey* and the Jacob of the Old Testament, and also the protagonists in *Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde* and *The Picture of Dorian Gray*.

Riemer, A. P. "Displaced Persons—Some Preoccupations in Elizabeth Jolley's Fiction." *Westerly* 31.2 (1986): 64-79.

An article which analyses several of Jolley's works—notably *Milk and Honey* and *Foxybaby*—in order to identify the Australian (new world) and European (old world) aspects of Jolley's literary sensibility; Riemer comments that these give rise to the tensions in her art, and to a novelist's dilemma.

Salzman, Paul. "Elizabeth Jolley: Fiction and Desire." *Meridian* [La Trobe University English Review] 5.1 (1986): 53-62.

Salzman uses the notion of desire as a way of approaching and exploring Jolley's fiction. He refers particularly to critical pieces on Jolley's work by Laurie Clancy, A. P. Riemer, Helen Garner and Joan Kirkby.

1987

- Brady, Veronica. "A Postmodernist City." *Island Magazine* 30 (1987): 3-9. Rpt. in *First Rights: A Decade of Island Magazine*. Ed. Michael Denholm and Andrew Sant. Elwood, Vic.: Greenhouse, 1989. 18-27.
- Canfield-Reisman, Rosemary M. "The Well." Masterplots II: British and Commonwealth Fiction Series. Ed. Frank N. Magill. Vol. 4. Pasadena, CA.: Salem P: 1987. 1883-89.

Detailed synopsis which discusses the novel, its characters, themes, meanings and critical content. W "has all the ingredients that her readers have come to expect. . . . What cannot be pinned down is the personal flavor, the quirky individuality of style and vision, which makes a writer such as Elizabeth Jolley stand out." A comparison is made to Barbara Pym.

"Elizabeth Jolley." *Contemporary Literary Criticism*. Ed. Daniel G. Marowski and Roger Matuz. Vol 46. Michigan: Gale, 1987. 212-22.

Compilation of criticism by A. P. Riemer, Thomas M. Disch, Joan Kirby, Joanna Motion, Angela Carter, Lesley Chamberlain, Peter Ackroyd, Bob Halliday and Robert Coover.

Manning, Gerald F. "Sunsets and Sunrises: Nursing Home As Microcosm in *Memento Mori* and *Mr Scobie's Riddle*." *Ariel: A Review of International English Literature* 18.2 (1987): 27-43.

Descriptive comparison in which Jolley, like *Memento Mori's* author Muriel Spark, "stretch[es] the limits of realistic fiction in order to explore . . . serious subject matter without moralizing or sentimentalizing." Both authors "use the institutional settings to symbolize various kinds of estrangement and entrapment." In *SR*, Jolley "raises a more profound problem for the aged . . . anonymity and its correlatives, loneliness and isolation."

Monaghan, Peter. "Miss Peabody's Inheritance." *Masterplots II: British and Commonwealth Fiction Series*. Ed. Frank N. Magill. Vol. 3. Pasadena, CA: Salem P: 1987. 1116-20.

An interpretive essay, reviewing the characters, plot, themes and meanings and critical context of *MP*—appropriate for upper-secondary, lower-tertiary use.

1988

Bennett, Bruce. "Perceptions of Australia, 1965-1988." *The Penguin New Literary History of Australia*. Gen. ed. Laurie Hergenhan. Spec. issue of *Australian Literary Studies* 13.4 (1988): 433-53. Ringwood, Vic.: Penguin, 1988.

MH exemplifies the theme of the "outsider" (443).

Daniel, Helen. "Eighth Dialogue: A Literary Offering." *Liars: Australian New Novelists*. Ringwood, Victoria: Penguin, 1988. 263-300.

Daniels identifies Jolley as the only female Liar in Australia—that is, one of the "new fiction" writers whose concern is with the play of truth and illusion, of reality and fiction; such writers are the most truthful because they "tell things the way they really are." She opens her discussion of Jolley by characterising her corpus as being "one large fugue," and closes it with a description of each novel as "one aperture into that crowded absurd and suffering world that is . . . the constant companion of each novel." In between she surveys the novels (through *SM*), along the way tracing connections between them (details, themes, techniques) and several of the stories. The survey emphasises that Jolley's characters are "displaced persons, who construct their own worlds in hostile circumstances"; that her vision is of an absurd world; that entrapment and enclosure, along with the sinister, are repeated themes; and that, above all, Jolley the Liar "fights fiction with fiction, absurdity with the saving power of the Lie."

Gelder, Ken. "The Novel." *The Penguin New Literary History of Australia*. Gen. ed. Laurie Hergenhan. Spec. issue of *Australian Literary Studies* 13.4 (1988): 503-19. Ringwood, Vic.: Penguin, 1988.

Half-page reference to Jolley's works (506).

- Gilbert, Pam. "Thea Astley." Coming Out from Under: Contemporary Australian Women Writers. London: Pandora, 1988. 109-28.
- ---. "Elizabeth Jolley." *Coming Out from Under: Contemporary Australian Women Writers.* London: Pandora, 1988. 43-65.

"No other Australian writer has produced so many fictions with so many variations on such a theme [lesbian relationships]." In a brief overview of Jolley's career to date, Gilbert quotes from critics and Jolley herself, and reviews *P*, *NCS*, *MP*, *F* and *W* with descriptive and very brief analytical comments on each text.

- Heilbrun, Carolyn G. Writing a Woman's Life. New York: Norton, 1988. N. pag.
- Howells, Coral Ann. "In Search of Lost Mothers: Margaret Laurence's *The Diviners* and Elizabeth Jolley's *Miss Peabody's Inheritance*." *Ariel: A Review of International English Literature* 19.1 (1988): 57-70.

"[B]oth novels explore women writers' relation to literary and cultural traditions as they write their way out of dispossession into inheritance." Howells attempts "to track down lost mothers by showing the relationship of these two novels to female literary traditions." Miss Peabody feels "disinherited" in England "and her search for a lost mother is an index of her own gendered sense of unbelonging." Miss Peabody shares with Diana Hopewell a "female sensibility toward landscape as an image of psychic freedom."

Kirkby, Joan. "The Call of the Mother in the Fiction of Elizabeth Jolley." *SPAN* [Journal of the South Pacific Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies] 26 (1988): 46-63.

The "tragedy of Jolley's women is their inability to escape the crippling legacies of the symbolic order." *NCS*, *MP*, *P*, *WL*, *F* and *W* are discussed in the context of the "dead-undead mother . . . signifying the problematics of femininity" that haunts Jolley's fiction."

1989

Castan, Con. "Multiculturalism and the Canon of Australian Literature." *Australian Studies* 12 (1989): 8-17.

MH mentioned in a discussion of "the extent to which multiculturalism has had an effect on Australian Literature."

Gelder, Ken and Paul Salzman. "The Women's Story." *The New Diversity: Australian Fiction 1970-88*. Melbourne: McPhee Gribble, 1989. 54-81.

Section on Jolley 66-72. Jolley's "settings tend to shift between two central locations: an institution . . . and the countryside." Brief synopsis of Jolley's work to date—especially MP, SR, F, W and SM.

Jones, Dorothy. "Olivia and Chloe: Fictions of Female Friendship." *Australian Literary Studies* 14.1 (1989): 3-14.

A consideration of "the ways [Australian] women writers portray interactions between women[,]" arguing that female friendship is often represented as a "refuge . . . continually under threat from external [patriarchal] pressures, and the inner tensions which these generate." Following a concise overview of the cultural positioning of women in nineteenth-and twentieth-century Australia, MP is said to illustrate "the development of female friendship as an image of the interdependence of writer and reader who must each contribute to the processes of creativity and communication." P and W illustrate "withdrawal into seclusion" as a strategy for preserving female friendship; this strategy ultimately fails as the pressures of the outside, patriarchal world intrude—in the shape of Andrea's brother in P, and the thief in W.

Salzman, Paul. "Talking/Listening: Anecdotal Style in Recent Australian Women's Fiction." *Southerly* 4 (1989): 539-53.

Considers the problems women writers have with "speaking within a 'man made language." *MP* is used as an indicator to "trace voices creating both the writer, the characters, *and the*

reader of the novel." Jolley's "sealed circuit of the writing/reading process, imaginatively close[s] out the patriarchal system of transmission and reception" (546-47).

1990

Bennett, Bruce. "Versions of Ageing: Olga Masters and Elizabeth Jolley. Olga Masters: An Autumn Crocus[.] Proceedings of the Olga Masters Memorial Conference 8-10 July 1988. Ed. William McGaw and Paul Sharrad. Wollongong, NSW: New Literatures Research Centre, U of Wollongong, 1990. 84-96. Rpt. as "Ageing and the Question of 'Home'—Olga Masters and Elizabeth Jolley." An Australian Compass: Essays on Place and Direction in Australian Literature. By Bruce Bennett. Fremantle, WA: Fremantle Arts Centre P, 1991. 132-45.

Olga Masters' and Jolley's representations of age and ageing share a "view of the importance of sexuality among the old . . . [and a] comic spirit," but "Jolley's aged characters [in *SR* and *SM*] are more often displaced persons, not searching for social roles but seeking, as migrants on the earth, perhaps unconsciously, a transfiguring experience."

- Brooks, David. "Unnatural Naturalism." *The Necessary Jungle: Literature and Excess*. Ringwood: McPhee Gribble/Penguin, 1990. 25-37.
- Luke, Margot. "Swamp to Supermarket: Suburbia in Recent Western Australian Fiction." *Westerly* 35.4 (1990): 93-97.

An essay bemoaning the lack of literary "relevance and revelation" in suburbia—particularly in Perth. *SR* and *NCS* both consider the suburban theme; in the latter "[a]rchitecture, plant life, socio-economic mix and social interaction, are all integrated as essential elements of the story."

- Petersson, Irmtraud. *German Images in Australian Literature from the 1940s to the 1980s*. Berne, Swutzerland: Peter Lang, 1990.
- Shapcott, Thomas. "Meeting Elizabeth Jolley." *Biting the Bullet: A Literary Memoir*. Brookvale, NSW: Simon and Schuster, 1990: 240-46.

1991

Bennett, Bruce. "The Hills Are Alive." *An Australian Compass: Essays on Place and Direction in Australian Literature*. By Bruce Bennett. Fremantle, WA: Fremantle Arts Centre P, 1991. 97-112.

Half-page account of rural themes in Jolley (100).

- Bettle, Maureen. "Dr Thorne and Miss Peabody: *Miss Peabody's Inheritance*." *Elizabeth Jolley: New Critical Essays*. Eds. Delys Bird and Brenda Walker. North Ryde, NSW: Collins-Angus and Robertson, 1991. 121-30.
- Bird, Delys. "Now for the Real Thing: Elizabeth Jolley's Manuscripts." *Elizabeth Jolley: New Critical Essays*. Eds. Delys Bird and Brenda Walker. North Ryde, NSW: Collins-Angus and Robertson, 1991. 168-79.

- Brady, Veronica. "'Speaking From Where She Is Not': *The Well* and *My Father's Moon*." *Elizabeth Jolley: New Critical Essays*. Eds. Delys Bird and Brenda Walker. North Ryde, NSW: Collins-Angus and Robertson, 1991. 49-62.
- Cary, Norman R. "From Irony to Affirmation: Religious Language in the Fiction of Elizabeth Jolley." *Elizabeth Jolley: New Critical Essays*. Eds. Delys Bird and Brenda Walker. North Ryde, NSW: Collins-Angus and Robertson, 1991. 37-48.
- Edwards, Brian. "Definition and Exchange: Australian Fiction 1988-90." *Australian and New Zealand Studies in Canada* 8 (1992): 165-73.
- ---. "Propero's Art: Zest and Instruction in Recent Canadian and Australian Fiction." *Australian-Canadian Studies* 9.1 (1991): 79-90.
- Frost, Lucy. "A Monstrous Sweetness: The Narratives of *Milk and Honey.*" *Elizabeth Jolley: New Critical Essays.* Eds. Delys Bird and Brenda Walker. North Ryde, NSW: Collins-Angus and Robertson, 1991. 94-104.
- Gillett, Sue. "Breaking the Realist Mirror: With a (Female) Difference." *Elizabeth Jolley: New Critical Essays*. Eds. Delys Bird and Brenda Walker. North Ryde, NSW: Collins-Angus and Robertson, 1991. 105-20.
- Gray, Martin. "Surprise in the Novels of Elizabeth Jolley." *Elizabeth Jolley: New Critical Essays*. Eds. Delys Bird and Brenda Walker. North Ryde, NSW: Collins-Angus and Robertson, 1991. 24-36.
- Kavanagh. Paul and Keryl. "Miracle Play: The Imagination in Elizabeth Jolley's Novels." *Elizabeth Jolley: New Critical Essays*. Eds. Delys Bird and Brenda Walker. North Ryde, NSW: Collins-Angus and Robertson, 1991. 57-167.
- Kirkby, Joan. "The Joseph Complex or the Father/Daughter Bond in the Fiction of Elizabeth Jolley." *Elizabeth Jolley: New Critical Essays*. Eds. Delys Bird and Brenda Walker. North Ryde, NSW: Collins-Angus and Robertson, 1991. 63-81.
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Thompson, Tom. "Coming Out from Behind: The Unprinted Stories Behind the Published Books." *Australian Book Review* Sept. 1991: 28-35.

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Twidale, K. M. "Discontinuous Narrative and Aspects of Love in Shirley Hazzard's Short Stories." *Journal of Commonwealth Literature* 26.1 (1991): 101-16.

Notes themes of isolation in Jolley's short stories (104-05).

Walker, Brenda. "Reading Elizabeth Jolley." *Elizabeth Jolley: New Critical Essays*. Eds. Delys Bird and Brenda Walker. North Ryde, NSW: Collins-Angus and Robertson, 1991. 82-93.

1992

- Falkiner, Suzanne. *The Writers' Landscape: Settlement*. East Roseville, NSW: Simon and Schuster, 1992.
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- Gillett, Sue. "The Incestuous Father in the *The Well*: An Hysterical Narrative." *Journal of Australian Lesbian Feminist Studies* 1.2 (1992): 69-79.
- ---. "The Well: Beyond Representation, The Active Space of Desire and Creativity." Westerly 37.1 (1992): 33-41.

"There is a proliferation of writer-figures throughout Jolley's fiction. . . . They emphasise the otherness of writing[;] the distance between world and word, self and self expression[; and] the illusion of an untransformed presence of life in art." Gillett considers the symbolic significance of the well—"a resonant metaphor simultaneously for woman and the unconscious[,]" in which "[s]hutting the well is both the acting out of repression and the means of escape from repression."

- Papaellinas, George. "Exoticism is Just a Boutique Form of Xenophobia: Writing in a Multicultural Society." *Striking Chords: Multicultural Literary Interpretations*. Ed. Sneja Gunew and Kateryna O. Longley. Sydney: Allen and Unwin, 1992. 165-67.
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- Watzke, Beth. "Writing the West: Regionalism and Western Australia." *Westerly* 37.1 (1992): 21-29.

Discusses works by Jolley, Tim Winton and Peter Cowan relative to a sense of place utilised "not only in the finished work of certain writers, but also in the creative process as they experience it."

Wimmer, Adi. "Dualism and the Austrian Connection in Elizabeth Jolley's Fiction." Southerly 52.2 (1992): 44-55. Rpt. in *The Making of a Pluralist Australia 1950-1990:* Selected Papers from the Inaugural EASA [European Association for Studies of Australia] Conference 1991. Ed. Werner Senn and Giovanna Capone. Bern: Peter Lang, 1992. 229-40

Drawing on Jolley's autobiographical pieces and interviews, and on the articles of Joan Kirkby and Coral Ann Howells, Wimmer argues for an "Austrian connection" in Jolley's work. This connection is owing in part to her own and her mother's migrant experiences, and in part to her "otherness" as a woman writer in patriarchal Australia. But most of all it can be explained in psychological terms as a "'quest for the mother'"—that is, a lost paradise, the womb. In the novels Austria/mother/womb is "signified by Dyonisian components such as music, feasting and drinking, love-making[,]" as well as by the German language. And Jolley—who is father-identified as well as mother-identified—writes a "'double-voiced discourse'" which seeks a "detente" between these maternal forces and such paternal ones as the "Australian way of life, the realm of order and the English language."

1993

Carporaletti, Silvana. "The Echoes of the Echoing Well: Reading into the Darkness of Elizabeth Jolley's *The Well*." *Commonwealth Literary Cultures: New Voices, New Approaches*. Lecce [Italy]: Edizione del Grifo, 1993. 171-90.

Goddard, Kerry. "Women off the Market: Possession and Desire in Elizabeth Jolley's *The Well.*" SPAN [Journal of the South Pacific Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies] 37 (1993): 201-11.

Argues clearly and persuasively that *W* is "concerned with the difficulties of homosocial, though not necessarily sexual relations between women" in patriarchy. Katherine's heterosexuality has been shaped by a "range of popular texts," by "patriarchal fictions." Hester acts from a "'father-identified' position" when she desires to possess Katherine, and fails to act on the understanding that "relationships need to be expressed as mutuality not possession." When Hester must sell her father's land, she "begins to pay more attention to the personal and sensual," but the "feminine space" she makes with Katherine in the cottage is a marginalised one; and it is intruded upon by "the realities of the dominant order" in the figure of Jacob, the perhaps dead man whom she throws in the well and who perhaps talks to Katherine. The well can be read as representing Hester's (whose name is etymologically related to *hyster*) unconscious, and her repression of "the mother and the sexual bond that exists between mother and daughter is also associated with the repression of female relatedness." Against this narrative the novel's discontinuous circular structure, and its ending with Hester's beginning to write/tell *her* story, gestures toward the feminist assertion that "you cannot change an order without changing the forms of that order."

Grenville, Kate and Sue Woolfe. "Elizabeth Jolley: *Mr Scobie's Riddle.*" *Making Stories: How Ten Australian Novels Were Written.* St Leonards, NSW: Allen and Unwin, 1993. 154-83.

Considers *SR* and its twenty-year genesis. The format consists of an interview, a section on Jolley's notes and extracts from the novel. Jolley remarks, "Writing is a mixture of exploring and inventing. You're inventing a character, and once you get the character a little bit on paper, you're exploring them and discovering more about them." Jolley also talks of publishers' rejections of her work and how she overcame this by "[d]oggedly persisting."

--. "Making *Making Stories*." *Sydney Papers* 5.4 (1993): 94-106.

- Jagose, Annamarie. "Homosexual Writing in Australia." *Meridian* [La Trobe University English Review] 12.2 (1993): 159-64.
- Kertzer, Adrienne. "Voices in the Well: Elizabeth Jolley and Radclyffe Hall." *World Literature Written in English* 32.2 and 33.1 (1992-93): 122-32.
- Lindsay, Elaine. "Who Talks of God? And Who Is Listening?: Elizabeth Jolley and Australian Spirituality." *Eremos* [Magazine of the Eremos Institute] 43 (1993): 30-34.

Considers the religious implications of Jolley's writings: "Organised religion is irrelevent to Jolley's characters and the only religious concepts which are transmitted come through art and music." Comments that Australian women novelists are "consistently excluded from this country's canon of literary texts on religion."

Livett, Jennifer. "Against the Grain: Dream Narrative in Elizabeth Jolley's *Foxybaby*." *SPAN* [Journal of the South Pacific Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies] 36.1 (1993): 211-19.

"The internal Foxybaby narrative is . . . essentially a story of patriarchal control and the struggles of a daughter to have both freedom and parental love which seem mutually exclusive." Livett compares F to Alice in Wonderland, and more specifically to The Madwoman in the Attic—"tropes of hunger and imprisonment are a major way in which women writers respond to their sense of being confined and denied by patriarchal models of social and literary femaleness." Jolley "uses the dream narrative to 'write beyond the ending,' avoiding conventional closures[,]" and she subverts patriarchal authority by "asserting the power of women to reinvent their places in literature and culture."

Milech, Barbara and Brian Dibble. "Aristophanic Love-Dyads: Community, Communion, and Cherishing in Elizabeth Jolley's Fiction." *Antipodes* 7.1 (1993): 3-10.

Considers the role(s) of the "secondary characters" in the fiction and "the notions of caring and communion enacted through the main characters." Drawing on psychoanalytic theorists such as Lacan and Margaret S. Mahler, Milech and Dibble argue "the concept of the borderline/narcissistic dyad can help in understanding the extraordinary things that routinely happen in Jolley's novels, like the odd violence and unconventional sexualities." The authors use listings to indicate "Borderlining" and "Narcissistic" characters in the novels to date; and also record "an inventory to identify the varieties of sexuality, in addition [to] that of lesbianism" in the texts.

Paolini, Shirley. "Narrative Strategies in Elizabeth Jolley's *The Well* and African Folktales." *Antipodes* 7.1 (1993): 11-13.

Comparison between the narrative structure of W—"Jolley's novel requires the participation of the reader to solve the murder mystery of the plot"—and a similar lack of closure in African folk tales.

Pierce, Peter. "Australian Literature Since Patrick White." *World Literature Today* 67.3 (1993): 515-18.

Squier, Susan. "Representing the Reproductive Body." *Meridian* [La Trobe University English Review] 12.1 (1993): 29-45.

SM, among other contemporary works, illustrates the argument of this informed and informing discussion of "the continuity in representational strategies" of the reproductive body across Romantic, modern and postmodern social formulations. Such representations function (1) to create a "metaphoric break between mother and foetus that made possible their different social positionings"; (2) to reconstruct the use of "woman's body to produce or consolidate male power"; and (3) to deconstruct the use of "the (male and female) body to serve industrial production." Three images especially figure these functions—the extra-uterine foetus, the surrogate mother, the pregnant man. SM, a "theoretical" postmodern text, "uses the theme of surrogacy . . . to attack the notion that there is a natural world existing before or beyond representation." Squier sees the "stability of bodily identity" and sexual identity to be "shaken in this world," where "male desire for control . . . connects the biblical notion of immaculate conception to the contemporary notion of surrogate mothering. . . . Like the Bible, [and] Edwin's books of the body and Cecelia's obstetrics convention papers, Leila's invention of herself as a surrogate mother exemplifies the human use of systems of representation to shape, control, and gain power in our world."

1994

Buffi, Roberta. "Perth and Naples—Two 'Corrupted' Mediterranean Cities Hanging Between Sky and Sea." *Westerly* 39. 4 (1994): 14-19.

Reference to "A Sort of Gift—Images of Perth" [1989] (15).

Carr, Julie. "The Dancing Body—Somatic Expression in Elizabeth Jolley's Fiction." *Westerly* 39.2 (1994): 75-80.

The use of dance in *SR*, *NCS*, and *WL* is considered both as a response to patriarchy, and in terms of how experiences (which are hard to articulate) can be resolved through movement.

- Nettelbeck, Amanda. "The Ambivalence of Women's Experience in Elizabeth Jolley's *My Father's Moon* and *Cabin Fever*." *Constructing Gender: Feminism and Literary Studies*. Ed. Hilary Fraser and R. S. White. Nedlands, WA: U of Western Australia P, 1994. 242-52.
- Pietropoli, Cecilia. "Elizabeth Jolley's Bourgeois Carnival: Novelistic and Social Dialogism in *Foxybaby* and *Mr Scobie's Riddle.*" *Representation, Discourse and Desire: Contemporary Australian Culture and Critical Theory.* Ed. Patrick Fuery.
 Melbourne: Longman Cheshire, 1994. 184-93.

SR and F exemplify "the new novel as opposed to the old concept of narrative" in their "carnivalesque world[s],"—"in which all that is logical and moral is denied and subverted while corruption and eccentricity become the rule." In such novels the carnivalesque is not so much Mikhail Bakhtin's carnival as "political and ideological subversion," as it is a "consciousness that a natural canonical literature is no longer self-sufficient. . . . The new, all-inclusive culture admits ambiguity and ambivalence in all their manifestations . . . becoming therefore an open culture." Carnival finds its expression in Jolley's novels, on the one hand, in the modality of the grotesque "as a reaction to the fearsome" and, on the other, in their composite, multi-voiced, discontinuous, postmodern, deconstructive narrative structures.

Soulier, Anne-Marie. "Elizabeth Jolley et le Pays des Autres." Commonwealth: Essays and Studies [France] 17.1 (1994): 45-50.

Brief biography of Jolley commences this article which concentrates on the role of the enclosed and isolated places in which many of the protagonists in Jolley's fiction live [article written in French].

Thomson, Helen. "Elizabeth Jolley's Trilogy, My Father's Moon, Cabin Fever, The Georges' Wife: The Fiction of Pain." Bio-Fictions: Brian Matthews, Drusilla Modjeska and Elizabeth Jolley. Townsville, Qld.: James Cook U-Foundation for Australian Lit. Studies, 1994. 36-54.

The texts of this book were originally delivered as part of the 1993 Colin Roderick Lectures.

Washington, Paul. "The Postcolonial 'Nation' and Australian Cultural Studies: The Case of the Miles Franklin Award." *New Literatures Review* 28-29 (1994-1995): 129-39.

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- Campbell, Elizabeth. "Re-Visions, Re-Flections, Re-Creations: Epistolarity in Novels by Contemporary Women." *Twentieth Century Literature* [Hofstra U, New York] 41.3 (1995): 332-48.
- D'Cruz, Doreen. "Contesting the 'One Law—The One Sublimating Transcendent Guarantor': Elizabeth Jolley's *The Well* and *Sugar Mother*." *SPAN* [Journal of the South Pacific Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies] 40 (1995): 54-71
- Goddard, Kerry. "Contingency or Remedy? That Little Herb of Self-Heal." *Proceedings of the 1994 Association for the Study of Australian Literature* [ASAL] Canberra: ASALDept. of English, Australian Defence Force Academy, 1995. 28-34.
- Goldworthy, Kerryn. "Is it a Boy or a Girl? Gendering the Seventeenth Doll." *Southerly* 55.1 (1995): 89-105.
- Lindsay, Elaine. "Figuring the Sacred: Geography, Spirituality and Literature." *Kunapipi* 17.2 (1995): 60-67.
- Livett, Jennifer. "Two Answers to Every Question: Elizabeth Jolley's Fiction, Ethics and Criticism." *Australian Literary Studies* 17.1 (1995): 10-18. Rpt. in part as "Ethics and Criticism." *Authority and Influence: Australian Literary Criticism 1950-2000*. Ed. Delys Bird, Robert Dixon, Christopher Lee. St Lucia: Qld.: U of Queenland P, 2001. 282-86.

Livett considers the ethical problems raised by Jolley's fictional characters and give examples of moral dilemmas from some of Jolley's short stories and novels. "Jolley [demonstrates] . . . that experience of the world comes through a network of complete and incomplete stories. Since we live by analysing stories, life makes us all into critics of narrative, and moral judgements may in some sense be judgments like those in literary criticism." However, "as she so often suddenly reminds the reader, this is fiction, not reality, so that in another sense there are no answers at all."

Maclean, Marie. "Narrative Involution: The Gendered Voices of the Text." *Rivista di Letterature moderne e comparate* [Pisa] 48.2 (1995): 113-24.

- Milech, Barbara. "'A Novel I Believe In': Reading Elizabeth Jolley." *Proceedings of the* 1994 Association for the Study of Australian Literature [ASAL] Annual Conference Canberra: ASAL-Dept. of English, Australian Defence Force Academy, 1995. 187-95.
- Ommundsen, Wenche. "Differences Within: Three Australian Women Writers." *A Sense of Difference*. Ed. Marit Berge and Anne Holden. Bergen, Norway: Senter for Humanistisk Kvinneforskning, 1995. 25-47.
- Turcotte, Gerry. "Sexual Gothic: Marian Engel's *Bear* and Elizabeth Jolley's *The Well*." *Ariel: A Review of International English Literature* 26.2 (1995): 65-91.

- ---. "Bodily Desires and Narrative Pleasures: Food in Elizabeth Jolley's Fiction." *Masks, Tapestries, Journeys: Essays in Honour of Dorothy Jones*. Ed. Gerry Turcotte. Wollongong: U of Wollongong, Centre for Research into Textual and Cultural Studies, 1996. 87-98.
- ---. "Contestant Worlds: The National and the International in Elizabeth Jolley's Fiction." Nationalism vs. Internationalism: (Inter)National Dimensions of Literatures of English. Ed. Wolfgang Zach and Ken L. Goodwin. Tübingen, Germany: Staffenburg-Verlag, 1996. 517-25. Vol. 10 of Studies in English and Comparative Literature. Michael Kenneally and Wolfgang Zach, gen. eds.
- Condé, Mary. "Houses and Homes: Elizabeth Jolley's *Mr Scobie's Riddle* and Beryl Gilroy's *Frangipani House.*" *Framing the Word: Gender and Genre in Caribbean Women's Writing*. Ed. Joan Anim Addo. London: Whiting and Birch, 1996. 128-33.
- Dalziell, Tanya. "Beyond the Verandah: Elizabeth Jolley's *The Orchard Thieves* and Drusilla Modjeska's *The Orchard.*" *Current Tensions: Proceedings of the 1996 Association for the Study of Australian Literature [ASAL] Annual Conference*. Brisbane: ASAL-Queensland of Technology. 1997. 50-56. Rpt. in *Antipodes* 11.1 (1997): 37-40.
- Garner, Helen. "Elizabeth Jolley's War." *True Stories: Selected Non-Fiction*. Melbourne, Vic.: Text Publishing, 1996. 125-31.
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- Gillett, Sue. "Elizabeth Jolley's Writerly Selves." *Masks, Tapestries, Journeys: Essays in Honour of Dorothy Jones*. Ed. Gerry Turcotte. Wollongong: U of Wollongong, Centre for Research into Textual and Cultural Studies, 1996. 73-85.
- Lindsay, Elaine Stuart. "Not the Desert Experience: Spirituality in Australian Women's Fiction." *Religion, Literature and the Arts: Conference Proc.* Ed. Michael Griffith and Ross Keating. Sydney: RLA [Research, Literature and the Arts] Project, 1996. 239-51.

- O'Brien, John. "Home-Breaking and Making in the Novels of Elizabeth Jolley." Homemaking: Women Writers and the Politics and Poetics of Home. Ed. Catherine Wiley and Fiona R. Barnes. New York: Garland, 1996. 71-82.
- Radha, K. "Humour in Elizabeth Jolley's *My Father's Moon*." *Commonwealth Review* 7.1 (1995-96): 101-06.

- Milech, Barbara H. "Sophisticated Spaces: Fiction, Autobiography, and Reading Elizabeth Jolley." *A/B: Auto/Biography Studies* 12.1 (1997): 90-105.
- Liddelow, Eden. "Bound By That Claim: Necessity in Elizabeth Jolley." *Meanjin* 56.3-4 (1997): 723-34.
- Russell, Roslyn. "Australian By Choice." *Literary Links: Celebrating the Literary Relationship between Australia and Britain*. Sydney: Allen and Unwin, 1997. 152-65.

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- Jones, Dorothy. "Voyaging In, Out and Down Under: A Discussion of Elizabeth Jolley's 'Vera Wright' Trilogy." *Westerly* 43.3 (1998): 5-18.
- Kiley, Dean. "Un-Queer Anti-Theory." *Australian Humanities Review* 9 (1998). 30 Oct. 2002.
 - http://www.lib.latrobe.edu.au/AHR/archive/Issue-February-1998/kiley.html

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- Lever, Susan. "Fiction: Innovation and Ideology." *The Oxford Literary History of Australia*. Ed. Bruce Bennett and Jennifer Strauss. Melbourne: Oxford UP, 1998. 308-31.
- Thompson, John. "Some Australian Letters of Love and Friendship." *National Library of Australia News* 8.10 (1998): 11-15.
 - Elizabeth Jolley's letter to Ian Templeman (published in *The Oxford Book of Australian Letters*) is discussed, among others.
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Neville, Fionnuala. "The Gendered Literary Landscapes of Elizabeth Jolley." *Land and Identity: Proceedings of the 1997 Association for the Study of Australian Literature* [ASAL] Conference. Ed. Jennifer McDonell and Michael Deves. Armidale, NSW: ASAL-U of New South Wales, 1998. 197-201.

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 Amsterdam: Rodopi, 2000. 155-212, bib. 294-99.

The author argues that there are ways of imagining spirituality outside of the Christian paradigm and recognises women's spirituality as a dominant force found in contemporary Australia. Chapter Four of this work engages Jolley's writing in particular.

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Dibble, Brian. "Elizabeth Jolley." *A Reader's Companion to the Short Story in English*. Ed. Erin Fallon, et al. Westport, CT: Greenwood P, 2001. 214-24.

Claremont, Amanda L. "Cultivating the Wilderness: The Orchard in the Australian Literary Imagination." *Studies in the History of Gardens and Designed Landscapes* 21.2 (2001): 122-26.

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- Jones, Dorothy. "Political Persons: Empire, Motherhood and State Control." *Compr(om)ising Post/colonialism(s): Challenging Narratives and Practices*. Ed. Greg Ratcliffe and Gerry Turcotte. Sydney: Dangaroo P, 2001. 174-81.
- ---. "Surveying the Promised Land: Elizabeth Jolley's *Milk and Honey*." *Semeia* 88 (2001): 97-122.

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- Rodriguez, Judith. "Some of our Best Writers are Late Starters." Writing Queensland 102 (Nov. 2001): 6-7.
- Thieme, John. "Turned Upside Down? Dickens's Australia and Peter Carey's Jack Maggs." *Postcolonial Con-Texts: Writing Back to the Canon.* New York and London: Continuum, 2001. 102-26.

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Fiction of Elizabeth Jolley." *Journal of the Association for Research on Mothering* 4:2 Fall-Winter 2002: 146-55.

Thomson, Alistair. "Landscapes of Memory." Meanjin 61.3 (2002): 81-96.

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Thomson, Alistair. "The Empire was a bar of soap": life stories and race identity among British emigrants travelling to Australia, 1945-1971." *Cultural History in Australia*. Ed. Hsu-Ming Teo and Richard White. Sydney: U of NSW P, 2003. 201-13, 263-64.

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"Page for Women." West Australian 25 Oct. 1959: 29.

"New University librarian Leonard Jolley arrived in Perth this week with his wife and their three young children. English-born Mr and Mrs Jolley have been living for some time in Scotland where Mr Jolley was deputy librarian at the Glasgow University."

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Outlines theme of 'New Connections in Australian Literature' for the Fifth Annual ASAL [Association for the Study of Australian Literature] Conference. Conference conveners were Bruce Bennett and Veronica Brady.

"Elizabeth Goes Back to Class." Nedlands and Subiaco Post [Perth] 26 Apr. 1983: 10.

Scanlan, Larry. "Author!" Whig-Standard Magazine [Toronto] 29 Oct. 1983: Book Section 23.

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Wright, Mary. "The Writer's Voice." Fremantle Arts Centre Broadsheet 3.4 (1984): 3.

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A humorous article describing the proceedings of the presentation of the NSW Premier's Literary Awards, at which Elizabeth Jolley "graciously accepted the award for fiction with her deprecating humour."

Lawson, Sylvia. "The Literary Awards: No Prizes for Marketing." *Sydney Morning Herald* 12 Sept. 1985: 13.

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"Perth Writer's Star Review." West Australian 14 Dec. 1985: 42.

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Duffy, Judy. "Writers Share Dreams in Hobart." *National Times on Sunday* [Sydney] 7 Dec. 1986: 33.

Report on the 1986 Salamanca Festival.

Hall, James. "Why Women Writers Crowd the Best Sellers List." *Bulletin* 27 May 1986: 72-77.

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Horwitz, Tony. "The Write Stuff." *Sydney Morning Herald* 12-13 Sept. 1986: Good Weekend 25-30.

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Morrison, Blake. "Commonwealth Writers." Times Literary Supplement 1 Aug. 1986: 482.

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"Adoptions." West Australian 5 June 1987: Reflex 6.

Britton, David. "West Australian Writers—In Depth." West Australian 6 June 1987: Big Weekend 43.

An article describing the strength and depth of current West Australian writing.

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- "Diary Better Than Photos—Author." Sunday Times [Perth] 12 Apr. 1987: 82.

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- Hyde, John. "Jolley and U.S. Enclaves." West Australian 9 May 1987: Big Weekend 12.
- MacLatchy, Jane. "Thoughtless Belittlement." *Daily News* [Perth] 3 June 1987: 19. Pt. of a reg. col., Just Jane.

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- Cameron, Deborah. "Big Apple Provides a Forum for Our Authors." *Sydney Morning Herald* 12 Nov. 1988: 13.
- Heilbrun, Carolyn G. "Women Writers: Coming of Age at 50." *New York Times Book Review* 4 Sept. 1988: 1.

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Feature on Caroline Lurie, Jolley's first literary agent, including reference to typical publishers' initial response to *P*—"it's just a couple of old Lesbians."

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Dempsey, Shelley. "Leading Citizens Call for Gulf Peace." *Sun-Herald* [Sydney] 23 Dec. 1990: 15.

Hill, Robin. "A Personal Celebration." Sydney Morning Herald 10 Nov. 1990: 80.

Sullivan, Jane, ed. "Shelf Life." Age [Melbourne] 13 Oct. 1990: Books Extra 11.

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Banks, Ron. "TV Film First in a Crop of Jolley Stories." West Australian 22 Aug. 1991: 43.

Craven, Peter. "The Very Adaptable Elizabeth Jolley." *Sunday Age* [Melbourne] 25 Aug. 1991: n. pag.

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Sullivan, Jane. "Main Book Prize to Murnane." Age [Melbourne] 25 Feb. 1991: 14.

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- Wilson, Jan. "Reflections on the Australian National Word Festival 1993." *Muse* 119 May 1993. 36-37.

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Danielsen, Shane. "Cinema's Quest for the Write Stuff." Australian 6 Aug. 1997: 24.

Epanomitis, Fotini. "Classy Masters." Sydney Morning Herald 26 July 1997: Spectrum 9s.

Fang, Gavin. "Treasure' Won't Go to Ball." West Australian 17 Dec. 1997: 13.

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Reviews of Books by Elizabeth Jolley

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Bedford, Jean. "Adversity in Detail." Rev. of *Five Acre Virgin and Other Stories*, by Elizabeth Jolley, and *The Institution*, by Walter Adamson, trans. by Sonja Delander. *Australian* 5 Mar. 1977: 28.

An early recognition of "the new wave of Australian writing" by a leading Australian novelist.

Chisholm, A. R. "Haloes Around the Drabness." Rev. of *Five Acre Virgin and Other Stories*, by Elizabeth Jolley; *The Mystic Lake*, by Hilde Knorr, and *Devil by the Sea*, by Nina Bawden. *Age* [Melbourne] 5 Feb. 1977: 23.

Enthusiastic review.

Ikin, Van. "New Anthologies." Rev. of *Five Acre Virgin*, by Elizabeth Jolley [and several others]. *Quadrant* 21.10 (1977): 79-80.

Jolley's first publication considered as an instance of West Australian writing.

1979

Fisher, Lucille. "Casualties of Their Own Environment." Rev. of *The Travelling Entertainer*. West Australian 29 Dec. 1979: 20.

Characterisation is Jolley's forte; "she is above all a gentle writer."

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Baxter, Greg. "Palomino Needs to Gallop." Rev. of *Palomino*, by Elizabeth Jolley, and *South Falia*, by Antonio Casella. *Weekend Australian* 18-19 Oct. 1980: 20.

Reviewer remarks that P is not successful in tone or style.

Burns, D. R. "Tales of Imagination and Realistic Horror." Rev. of *The Travelling Entertainer and Other Stories*, by Elizabeth Jolley [and several others]. *Australian Book Review* Apr. 1980: 20-21.

Praise accompanied by criticism—"A problem which Jolley needs to solve . . . is the adequate placement and pinning down in fictional terms" of her lyricisms.

- Little, Brenda. "CleoBooks." Rev. of *Palomino* [and several others]. *Cleo* [Aust.] Dec. 1980: 15.
- Treloar, Carol. "Not What It Seems." Rev. of *Palomino. Advertiser* [Adelaide] 13 Dec. 1980: 25.

The novel is "a bizarre tale of human sexual relationships in their more socially taboo forms—homosexuality and incest."

Williams, Bruce. "Three Short Story Writers—Peter Cowan, Elizabeth Jolley, Justina Williams." Rev. of *Mobile*, by Peter Cowan; *The Travelling Entertainer*, by Elizabeth Jolley, and *White River*, by Justina Williams. *Westerly* 25.2 (1980): 104-07.

Analyses Jolley's preoccupations and philosophy, with comparison to Peter Cowan. Jolley is "preoccupied with various kinds of darkness," and with characters who are "unable to join the ranks of the tough-minded, competent people they often seem to have married. . . . " Cowan has the "greater strength."

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Keesing, Nancy. "Female Companions." Rev. of *Palomino*, by Elizabeth Jolley; *The Travelling Entertainer and Other Stories*, by Elizabeth Jolley, and *Alone*, by Beverley Farmer. *Australian Book Review* Mar. 1981: 34-35.

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Murrie, Alan and James Jervis. Rev. of *Palomino. Review* [Education Dept. of SA] 9.4 (1981): 28-29.

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Webby, Elizabeth. "'All the Qualities of the Art': Circulating Some Shorts." Rev. of *The Travelling Entertainer*, by Elizabeth Jolley [and several others]. *Meanjin* 40.2 (1981): 200-08.

Review of 13 new books. Webby notes that many of Jolley's stories suffer from over-compression. "The Performance" is one example, whereas the longer version of "Grasshoppers" (previously published in *Westerly* 2, 1979) is "transformed from a powerful but macabre horror story into a deeply moving account of a woman who loses everything."

1982

- "Books: Tragedy Within Comedy." Rev. of *Mr Scobie's Riddle* [and several others]. *Sunday Press* [Melbourne] 19 Dec. 1982: n. pag.
- Cooper, D. Jason. Rev. of *The Newspaper of Claremont Street*, by Elizabeth Jolley [and several others]. *Books* June 1982: 91.

Dismisses the novel as "badly conceived and badly written."

Deacon, Oliver. "Weekly Keeps All Up to Date." Rev. of *The Newspaper of Claremont Street*. Sunday Times [Perth] 3 Jan. 1982: Magazine 4.

Summarises Jolley's publishing history, and describes the novel, with approving final comments.

Dibble, Brian. "Jolley Excellent." Rev. of *The Newspaper of Claremont Street. Australian Book Review* May 1982: 29-30.

Substantive, emphasising that Jolley's work is about relationships rather than things or people.

- Doust, Jon. "Fighting for a Dream." Rev. of *The Newspaper of Claremont Street. Daily Commercial News* [Melbourne] 6 Jan. 1982: 4.
- Frost, Lucy. Rev. of *The Newspaper of Claremont Street*, by Elizabeth Jolley; *The Same Old Story*, by James Legasse, and *Double Exposure*, by Julie Lewis. *Westerly* 27.3 (1982): 67-70.

Jolley has "overcome her earlier problems with structure and evenness of tone in an extended piece of fiction."

Frost, Lyn. "Mothers and Queens: Paperback Issues." Rev. of *The Newspaper of Claremont Street* [and several others]. *Canberra Times* 9 May 1982: 8.

Six new publications briefly noted.

Giles, Zeny. "The Cleaning Woman Known as Weekly." Rev. of *The Newspaper of Claremont Street. Newcastle Herald* 13 Feb. 1982: 6.

Descriptive, concluding that it is "deftly written."

Ikin, Van. "Australian Cartography." Rev. of *Hunting the Wild Pineapple*, by Thea Astley; *Approaches*, by Gary Disher, and *The Newspaper of Claremont Street*, by Elizabeth Jolley. *CRNLE Reviews Journal* [Centre for Research in New Literatures in English] 2 (1982): 5-10.

Appreciative of the novel's subtle plotting, emotional affect, "deftly rendered" setting, and moral resonance.

Jamieson, Anne. "An Outsider Listening In." Rev. of *The Newspaper of Claremont Street*. West Australian 13 Feb. 1982: 44.

Descriptive.

Kroll, Jeri. "Weekly—Doing for Others." Rev. of *The Newspaper of Claremont Street*. *Advertiser* [Adelaide] 17 Apr. 1982: Saturday Review 29.

Jolley's "wry observations of human nature are wonderful."

McInerney, Sally. "Constant Reminders of Ugliness." Rev. of *The Newspaper of Claremont Street. National Times* [Sydney] 17-23 Jan. 1982: 39.

A "slight and disturbing novel"; Weekly's ugliness is insisted upon too much.

Robinson, Hilary. "Black Comedy That Shines." Rev. of *Mr Scobie's Riddle. Weekend Australian* 1 Jan. 1982: n. pag.

Descriptive, concluding "Jolley brings the same kind of insight to her new book as the very best cartoonists achieve. . . . "

Shapcott, Thomas. Rev. of *The Newspaper of Claremont Street. Fremantle Arts Centre Broadsheet* 1.1 (1982): 2+.

Substantive, noting that "Jolley's survivors are all, in essence, victims" and comparing her to Vladimir Nabokov in her capacity to expose "the tragedy in human needs within the small comedy of existence."

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Bedford, Jean. "Illuminating Novel of Emotional Experience." Rev. of *Miss Peabody's Inheritance*. *National Times* [Sydney] 11-17 Nov. 1983: 31.

Descriptive, concluding "a delightful novel, very small in its apparent emotional scope, but with enough twists . . . to engage the reader totally."

Clancy, Laurie. "Love, Longing and Loneliness: The Fiction of Elizabeth Jolley." Rev. of Woman in a Lampshade, Mr Scobie's Riddle, Miss Peabody's Inheritance, Five Acre Virgin and Other Stories, The Travelling Entertainer, Palomino, and The Newspaper of Claremont Street. Australian Book Review Nov. 1983: 8-12.

Extended review covering each of Jolley's books, concluding that "her fiction identifies its sympathies very much with older people," and provides "an astonishingly rich gallery of comic creations." *FAV*: "pathos is fused . . . [with] a peculiarly hard-headed and even mordant humour." *TE*: revising and re-working is not "paucity of imagination or invention" but each book is part of one large work. *P*: "[d]espite a sense of strain at times" this "least typical" book is "moving and honest." *SR*: the label "black humour" is not fully appropriate for "Jolley's finest achievement to date," which uses repetition skilfully. *WL*: "[w]riting itself becomes more of a concern in the later works of Jolley. . . . " *MP*: "the relationship between life and art" increasingly concerns Jolley.

- Cooke, Deborah. "Imaginative Short Stories." Rev. of *Woman in a Lampshade. Westdside News Zone 'A'* [Paddington, NSW] 11 May 1983: 10.
- Daniel, Helen. "Riddles of Mortality." Rev. of *Mr Scobie's Riddle*, by Elizabeth Jolley, and *IHE*, by Bill Reed. *Age* [Melbourne] 5 Feb. 1983: Saturday Extra 10.

"[S]tartlingly good" (whereas P was "disappointingly silly"), the novel "explores the indignities of old age and mortality, with richly absurd humor."

- Dewsbury, Ruth. "Life, A Lampshade and a Hitch-hiker." Rev. of *Woman in a Lampshade*. *West Australian* 19 Mar. 1983: 111.
- Dibble, Brian. Rev. of Mr Scobie's Riddle. Westerly 1 (1983): 85-87.

The novel has flaws—disjointed chronology, loss of "punch," fading jokes—"but they are greatly overshadowed by Jolley's complex sensitivity and great moral erudition."

Dickenson, Helen. Rev. of *The Newspaper of Claremont Street. Compass: Poetry and Prose Magazine* Apr. 1983: 18.

- Dixon, Kathryn. "Women in Shorts." Rev. of *Woman in a Lampshade*." *Weekend News* [Perth] 19 Mar. 1983: n. pag.
- Eldridge, Marian. "Quirky Stories Well Worth Re-reading." Rev. of Woman in a Lampshade. Canberra Times 9 Apr. 1983: 13.
 - "Adam's Bride" is singled out as the most poignant and disturbing story in the collection.
- Eliot, Helen. "Australian Perspectives: Character and Situation." Rev. of *The Newspaper of Claremont Street*, by Elizabeth Jolley; *Double Exposure*, by Julie Lewis; and *Approaches*, by Garry Disher. *Island Magazine* 14 (1983): 47-48.
 - "The strength of this novel is the masterly grasp of Weekly's character." Although the narrative possesses "an assured strength and confidence," there are moments when it "hovers dangerously close to the cliched."
- England, Katherine. "Aboriginal Writer's Historical Novel." Rev. of *Doctor Wooreddy's Prescription for Enduring the Ending of the World*, by Colin Johnson; *Miss Peabody's Inheritance*, by Elizabeth Jolley, and *The Colour Man*, by Ian Moffitt. *Adelaide Advertiser* 26 Nov. 1983: Sunday Review 33.
- F[leming], W[illiam] E. Rev. of *Mr. Scobie's Riddle* [sic]. *Review* [Education Dept. of South Australia] 11.4 (1983): 56.
 - Reviewer's assessment is that *SR* is appropriate for upper-secondary readers.
- Frost, Lucy. "Nothing abnormal to report." Rev. of *Mr Scobie's Riddle. Australian Book Review* Apr. 1983: 5-6.
 - Jolley has the ability to make readers laugh "at matters our social conventions tell us are not funny"—humour gives an edge to the gentleness.
- Frost, Lyn. "Excerpts by Airmail Keep Miss Peabody in Suspense: Paperback Issues." Rev. of *Miss Peabody's Inheritance*, by Elizabeth Jolley [and several others]. *Canberra Times* 13 Nov. 1983: Timestyle 8.
 - Six new publications briefly noted.
- Halligan, Marion. "Skilful and Savage." Rev. of *Miss Peabody's Inheritance*, by Elizabeth Jolley, and *An Unusual Angle*, by Greg Egan. *Canberra Times* 26 Nov. 1983: 19.
 - Jolley uses "techniques of exaggeration"—"characters are larger or smaller than life," and below the "caustic surface" is a non-judgemental compassion.
- Hassell, Mea. "Tale with Teeth." Rev. of *Mr Scobie's Riddle. West Australian* 22 Jan. 1983: 34.
- Keesing, Nancy. "Lampshade Reflects Great Talent." Rev. of *Woman in a Lampshade*. *Weekend Australian* 12-13 Mar. 1983: Magazine 16.

Some readers find Jolley's characters "grotesque," but the same could be said of Patrick White and others.

---. "Land As Obsession." Rev. of *The Art of Elizabeth Durack*, Intro. by Patrick Hutchings with letter of comment by Elizabeth Durack; *Woman in a Lampshade*, by Elizabeth Jolley, and *Mr Scobie's Riddle*, by Elizabeth Jolley. *Australian Book Review* Apr. 1983: 6-7.

WL reflects Jolley's interest in the land and SR is an "enjoyable comic novel underpinned by a gallant view of death, and life."

- Kepert, L. V. "Parade of Eccentrics." Rev. of *Woman in a Lampshade* [and several others]. *Sun Herald* [Sydney] 13 Mar. 1983: n. pag.
- Lord, Gabrielle. "Exposing Truths and Myths." Rev. of *Woman in a Lampshade* and *Mr Scobie's Riddle. National Times* [Sydney] 13-19 Mar. 1983: 32.

"Elizabeth Jolley is a writer who can make you laugh out loud and almost at the same time, bite your heart in two."

- Noonan, William. "Satirical Peek at Miss Peabody." Rev. of *Miss Peabody's Inheritance*, by Elizabeth Jolley, and *Seven Days at Sea*, by Allan Skerman. *Weekend Australian* 22-23 Oct. 1983: 14.
- Pierce, Peter. "Narrative Ambiguity." Rev. of *Miss Peabody's Inheritance. Age* [Melbourne] 19 Nov. 1983: Saturday Extra 18.

Thoughtful commentary, noting that keywords in MP are "pain" and "need" and that Jolley "mingles novelette and memoir."

- Punnett, Ivor. "Riddle in the Twilight." Rev. of *Mr Scobie's Riddle. Sun* [Melbourne] 8 Jan. 1983: 22.
- Riddell, Elizabeth. "Two Women Take a Look at Love." Rev. of *Daughters of Passion*, by Julia O'Faolain, and *Woman in a Lampshade*, by Elizabeth Jolley. *Bulletin* [Aust.]12 Apr. 1983: 66.

Notes Jolley's sometimes "rather painful whimsy" and her capacity for compassion and understanding.

Robinson, Hilary. "Black Comedy That Shines." Rev. of *Mr Scobie's Riddle. Weekend Australian* 1-2 Jan. 1983: Magazine 10.

Description of this "illuminating black comedy."

Shapcott, Thomas. "Living in a World of Tiny Terrorism." Rev. of *Mr Scobie's Riddle. Courier-Mail* [Brisbane] 12 Mar. 1983: Great Weekend 6.

Appreciative description, noting that "Jolley's great talent is to create chartacters that at first seem bizarre, grotesque, funny or a bit mad, and then to show them in the complexity of interpersonal relationships."

- ---. "Jolley: A Name to Reckon With." Rev. of *Woman in a Lampshade.*" *Courier-Mail* [Brisbane] 9 July 1983: n. pag.
- "Shaw on Subtle Rot." Rev. of *Woman in a Lampshade* [and several others]. *Sunday Press* [Melbourne] 6 Mar. 1983: n. pag.
- Stead, C. K. "No One Ever Manages to Break Out of This Old Folks' Home." Rev. of *Mr Scobie's Riddle. Sydney Morning Herald* 29 Jan. 1983: 33.
 - Descriptive, concluding that though the novel may be "over-strenuous," characters and place are vividly set down.
- Stretton, Andrea. "Cultural Bonds Bind More Than Feet." Rev. of *A Visit from the Footbinder and Other Stories*, by Emily Prager, and *Woman in a Lampshade*, by Elizabeth Jolley. *Sydney Morning Herald* 28 May 1983: 33.

A succinct appreciation of Jolley's characters and the way in which their obsessions acquire significance.

- T[onkiss], M[ark]. Rev. of *The Newspaper of Claremont Street. Review* [Education Dept. of South Australia] 11.1 (1983): 57.
- Wyndham, Susan. "Tangled Tale of Repression, and of Women in Love with Women." Rev. of *Miss Peabody's Inheritance. Sydney Morning Herald* 29 Oct. 1983: 42.

Descriptive, emphasising that MP is a novel about women.

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- Allan, Helen. Rev. of *Miss Peabody's Inheritance*. LiNQ [*Literature in North Queensland*] 12.1-3 (1984): 75-77.
- "Almost the Best of Elizabeth Jolley." Rev. of *Mr Scobie's Riddle. Albany Advertiser* [Western Australia] 5 July 1984: n. pag.
- Baranay, Inez. "A Discomforting Tale Painted in Murky Colours and Harsh Lights." Rev. of *Milk and Honey. Sydney Morning Herald* 13 Oct. 1984: 41.
 - "A discomforting book altogether, depressing and dazzling at once. It is hard to know just what to say about it."
- Brewster, Anne. "Very Jolley." Rev. of *Miss Peabody's Inheritance*. *ASH* Winter (1984): 31.

Notes the "interplay of the two narrative strands" and "the irony and ambiguity of characterisation."

- "Briefly Noted: Fiction." Rev. of *Miss Peabody's Inheritance* and *Mr Scobie's Riddle*, by Elizabeth Jolley, and *Something to be Desired*, by Thomas McGuane. *The New Yorker* 24 Dec. 1984: 88.
- Burgi, Anne. "The Story of a Strange Pen-Friendship." Rev. of *Miss Peabody's Inheritance*. *Yass Tribune* [NSW] 22 Oct. 1984: n. pag.
- Burns, Graham. "Chronicler of Time's Slow Attritions." Rev. of *Stories*. *Age* [Melbourne] 14 July 1984: 13.

Concise and thoughtful, showing how Jolley "is a prose poet of the slow attritions of time; but she is also a robust and entertaining comic writer who chronicles . . . the dotty strategies and casual cruelties by which her defenceless characters try to come to terms with their lives or to influence the wills of others." Remarks on Jolley's "Tolstoian inwardness" in "A Hedge of Rosemary."

Clancy, Laurie. "A Melancholy Novel, Darkly Disturbing." Rev. of *Milk and Honey* and *Palomino*. *Age* [Melbourne] 3 Nov. 1984: Saturday Extra 19.

MH is a "darkly disturbing, sombre book" whose tone and mood is more like *P* than the other novels.

- D. P. D. Rev. of *Miss Peabody's Inheritance* and *Mr. Scobie's Riddle. Booklist* 1 Oct. 1984: 191.
- Disch, Thomas M. "Bound, Gagged and Left in the Pantry." Rev. of *Miss Peabody's Inheritance* and *Mr. Scobie's Riddle. New York Times Book Review* 18 Nov. 1984: 14.

Focusses mainly on *MP*, noting that the bond between novelist-reader-characters springs from an old-fashioned concern for the morality of imaginative experience.

Dowrick, Stephanie. Rev. of *Milk and Honey. Books and Writing*. ABC [Aust.]. Natl. Radio. 10 Oct. 1984.

Broadcast of a review of *Milk and Honey* in which Jolley is praised for her skills of observation and description, but criticised for her construction of characters, with the reviewer stating that the characters in this novel do not invite any serious attempt at identification.

Dutton, Geoffrey. "A Talent which Has Its Flaws." Rev. of *Stories. Bulletin* [Aust.] 29 May 1984: 97.

Dutton notes that Jolley has the "rare ability" to write about old people, and is good with eccentrics.

- East, Vickie Kilgore. "Australian Novelist Full of Suprises." Rev. of *Miss Peabody's Inheritance*. *The Tennessean* 12 Feb. 1984: n. pag.
- England, Katharine. "Awaiting the Next Sick Surprise." Rev. of *Palomino* and *Milk and Honey. Advertiser* [Adelaide] 13 Oct. 1984: Saturday Review 38.

Forshaw, Thelma. "The Comic Muse." Rev. of Mr Scobie's Riddle, Woman in a Lampshade and Miss Peabody's Inheritance. Quadrant 28.4 (1984): 81-82.

Argues that "Elizabeth Jolley shares with Patrick White a tenderness and fascination for Fools" and that she is able to "show us the hidden underbelly of humanity" through the "Fools of daily life."

Frost, Lucy. "The Grotesque and the Innocent." Rev. of *Palomino*, by Elizabeth Jolley; *Milk and Honey*, by Elizabeth Jolley; *Bearded Ladies*, by Kate Grenville, and *The Bush Soldiers*, by John Hooker. *Overland* 97 (1984): 66-68.

In *MH*, Jolley "begins with the detail, seen clearly for whatever it might be in itself. Then gradually, connections come until finally everything fits together and her prose is radiant with metaphor."

- Gerrish, Carolyn. "One to One." Rev. of *Palomino*. Womanspeak 9.1 (1984): 24.
- Halligan, Marion. "Jolley's Jacobean Farce." Rev. of *Milk and Honey. Canberra Times* 23 Dec. 1984: 8.

Jolley's "prose can be superb," but "in this novel I could not believe sufficiently in her characters or her messages."

---. "Variations on Character." Rev. of *Stories*, *Five Acre Virgin*, and *The Travelling Entertainer*. *Canberra Times* 29 Sept. 1984: 16.

Notes the unevenness of the collected stories and that "Jolley doesn't celebrate happiness, but love."

- Harrison, Martin. "Present with a Past." Rev. of *Just City and the Mirrors*, by Lynne Strahan; *Snow on the Saltbush*, by Geoffrey Dutton, and *Milk and Honey*, by Elizabeth Jolley. *Look and Listen* Nov. 1984: 88.
- Hildyard, Annette. "Bomb Nuts, Detective and Prisoners. Recent Australian Fiction." Rev. of *Woman in a Lampshade*, by Elizabeth Jolley [and several others]. *Island Magazine* 18/19 (1984): 40-44.

Notes the stories occasionally veer "towards the sentimental, the melodramatic, the coincidental," but there is a "cutting edge" in some stories comparable to Patrick White's.

- James, Trevor. "Stable of Authors." Rev. of *Palomino* [and several others]. *Sunday Territorian* [Northern Territory, Aust.] 4 Nov. 1984: n. pag.
- J[ervis], J[ames] V. Rev. of *Miss Peabody's Inheritance*. *Review* [Education Dept. of South Australia] 12.3 (1984): 47.
- Little, Brenda. "When Honey Becomes Gall." Rev. of *Milk and Honey. Weekend Australian* 22-23 Sept. 1984: 14.

"The non-reality and non-understanding of Louise was, for me, where the book flounders."

- Lord, Gabrielle. "Whispered Gothic Secrets." Rev. of *Milk and Honey. National Times* [Sydney] 14-20 Sept. 1984: n. pag.
- Rev. of Miss Peabody's Inheritance. Kirkus Reviews 1 Sept. 1984: n. pag.
- Rev. of Mr. Scobie's Riddle. Kirkus Reviews 1 Sept. 1984: 815.
- Rev. of Miss Peabody's Inheritance. Publishers Weekly 14 Sept. 1984: 131.
- Rev. of Mr Scobie's Riddle. Publishers Weekly 28 Sept. 1984: n. pag.
- O'Connell, Elin. "A Delicate Miniature." Rev. of *Miss Peabody's Inheritance*. *Newcastle Herald* [Aust.] 28 Jan. 1984: 6.
 - Rhetorical questions sustain the thesis of the review's title.
- Owings, Alison. "Wry Tales From Down Under." Rev. of *Miss Peabody's Inheritance* and *Mr Scobie's Riddle.*" *San Francisco Chronicle* 2 Dec. 1984: n. pag.
- Purnell, Kathryn. Rev. of *A Descant for Gossips*, by Thea Astley, and *Miss Peabody's Inheritance*, by Elizabeth Jolley. *Luna* 18 (1984): 40-43.
 - Descriptive, noting that MP is a woman's book in which the male characters are "rather nice props needed for the women to get on with their lives."
- See, Carolyn. "Jolley Aussies." Rev. of *Miss Peabody's Inheritance* and *Mr Scobie's Riddle*. *Los Angeles Times* 9 Dec. 1984: Book Review 1, 13.
- T[onkiss], M[ark]. Rev. of *Woman in a Lampshade. Review* [Education Dept. of South Australia] 12.1 (1984): 55.
- Ward, Elizabeth. "Moments of Vision." Rev. of *Miss Peabody's Inheritance* and *Mr. Scobie's Riddle. Washington Post* 4 Nov. 1984: Book World 1-2.
 - Places Jolley along with Patrick White as among the most eminent of Australian writers and considers that *SR* "touches on greatness."
- Weyland, John. "Jolley—but Mysterious." Rev. of *Milk and Honey. West Australian* 13 Oct. 1984: 44.
 - Echoes the discomfort of many reviewers of the book.
- Wiehe, Janet. Rev. of *Miss Peabody's Inheritance* and *Mr Scobie's Riddle*. *Library Journal* 1 Nov. 1984: 2080.
- Windsor, Gerard. "The Importance of Being Old-fashioned." Rev. of *Stories, Five Acre Virgin* and *The Travelling Entertainer. Australian Book Review* Dec. 1984/Jan. 1985: 17-18.

Sceptical analysis of "the Elizabeth Jolley phenomenon," followed by a thoughtful commentary on her short story collection.

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- Ashcroft, Bill. Rev. of *Foxybaby*. *Books and Writing*. Broadcast ABC Radio 2, 30 Oct. 1985.
- Britton, David. "Superb Comic Horror." Rev. of *Foxybaby. West Australian* 14 Sept. 1985: 34.

Notes Jolley's themes of loneliness and isolation, her interest in fantasy, her manic humour, and her memorable characters.

Brown, Mary Ellen. "Family Melodramas." Rev. of *Milk and Honey* and *Foxybaby. CRNLE Reviews Journal* [Centre for Research in New Literatures in English] [Special Australian Number] 2 (1985): 1-3.

Considers the novels from a feminist-psychoanalytical point of view.

Butel, Elizabeth. "Women Writers Quicken the Pulse of Australian Fiction." Rev. of *A Long Time Dying*, by Olga Masters and *Foxy Baby* [sic], by Elizabeth Jolley. *National Times* [Sydney] 6-12 Sept. 1985: 30.

Descriptive, calling attention to the theme of writing in Jolley's fiction.

Carter, Angela. "Dreams of Reason...And of Foxes." Rev. of *Foxybaby. New York Times Book Review* 24 Nov. 1985: 1+.

Extended review of Jolley's "delicious and sustaining new novel"—in which she is likened to writer Grace Paley. Notes Jolley's comic method is in part to juxtapose profound feelings with low farce, and concludes that Jolley's "fiction shines and shines and shines, like a good deed in a naughty world."

Chapple, Veneta. "Intriguing Study of Life Today." Rev. of *Foxybaby. Courier-Mail* [Brisbane] 23 Nov. 1985: Great Weekend 7.

"Homosexuality is introduced somewhat unnecessarily in subtle tones on numerous occasions throughout the novel."

Colmer, John. "Romp at the Summer School." Rev. of *Foxybaby*. Weekend Australian 7-8 Sept. 1985: Magazine 17.

An "hilarious and deeply moving novel" concerned with "the difference between invented worlds and reality, their surprising clashes and intersections." Jolley is "one of the most original and inventive writers of fiction in Australia today."

Cunningham, Valentine. "Dreams Are Good For You." Rev. of *Miss Peabody's Inheritance*, by Elizabeth Jolley [and several others]. *Observer* [UK] 28 Apr. 1985: n. pag.

Descriptive, concluding Jolley is "one of the spryest of Australia's new comic talents."

Daniel, Helen. "A Jolley Comic Horror." Rev. of *Foxybaby*. *Age* [Melbourne] 7 Sept. 1985: Saturday Extra 13.

"[A]nother outstanding novel, with an exquisite comic horror and a brimming pain," but the last page and a half disappoints.

Dibble, Brian. "Dream-crowded Inferno." Rev. of *Foxybaby*. *Australian Book Review* Dec. 1985/Jan. 1986: 29-30.

Argues that *F* represents "a logical but highly imaginative development" of Jolley's typical themes and techniques. The metafictional structure of the novel is related to the themes of imagination and dream and reality. Notes Jolley's use of Dante's *Inferno* as a structuring device.

England, Katharine. "As Cunning as a Fox." Rev. of. *Foxybaby*. *Advertiser* [Adelaide] 14 Sept. 1985: 7.

The novel is a "vibrant" exploration of truth against fiction, of the dream against the reality, the absurd against the tragic"; but it lacks cohesion.

Forshaw, Thelma. "The Sullen Novelists." Rev. of *Milk and Honey*, by Elizabeth Jolley [and several others]. *Quadrant* 29.3 (1985): 77-79.

Seven new publications briefly reviewed; highlights the gothic quality of MH.

Rev. of Foxybaby. Kirkus Reviews 1 Sept. 1985. n. pag.

Rev. of Foxybaby. Publishers Weekly 13 Sept. 1985: 127.

- Fraser, C. Gerald. ["New and Noteworthy."] Rev. of *Miss Peabody's Inheritance* [and several others]. *New York Times Book Review* 17 Nov. 1985: 50.
- Garner, Helen. "A Strange Novel that Rubs the Right Way." Rev. of *Tunnel Vision*, by Dorothy Johnston, and *Palomino*, by Elizabeth Jolley. *Sydney Morning Herald* 19 Jan. 1985: 41.

Brief but emphatic retraction of earlier dismissal of P in Meanjin (42.2 [1983]: 153-57).

- G[eeslin], C[ampbell]. Rev. of *Miss Peabody's Inheritance*. *People* [USA] Jan. 1985: 23.

 Description of "this uniquely witty Australian novel."
- Gibson, Sharan. "Alma Porch Walks Toward Herself: Delicious Satire in Portions Large and Small." Rev. of *Foxybaby*. *Houston Chronicle* 29 Dec. 1985: 17.

Descriptive, noting that Jolley's fiction blends the comic and the tragic.

Glastonbury, Marion. "Chewed to a Rag." Rev. of *Miss Peabody's Inheritance*, by Elizabeth Jolley, and *Mr Scobie's Riddle*, by Elizabeth Jolley [and several others]. *New Statesman* 10 May 1985: 25-26.

Five new publications briefly reviewed. Jolley's two novels are "[m]ildly nasty, affording only a rare twinge of wry amusement, [but they] illustrate the idea that farce may be a form of tragedy speeded up, or alternatively, by repetition and inertia, slowed down and drawn out."

Hastings, Selina. Rev. of *Miss Peabody's Inheritance*, by Elizabeth Jolley [and several others]. *Daily Telegraph* [UK] 26 Apr. 1985: 19.

Four new publications briefly reviewed.

- Hildebrand, Holly. "Heartbreak and Hilarity in Pair of Jolley Books." Rev. of *Miss Peabody's Inheritance* and *Mr Scobie's Riddle. Houston Post* 10 Feb. 1985: n. pag.
- Hill, Susan. "Good Books." Rev. of *Miss Peabody's Inheritance* [and several others]. *Good Housekeeping* [UK] June 1985: 197.
- Jones, D. A. N. "Morituri." Rev. of *Miss Peabody's Inheritance* and *Mr Scobie's Riddle*, by Elizabeth Jolley [and several others]. *London Review of Books* 23 May 1985: 22-23.
 Five new publications briefly reviewed.
- Kakutani, Michiko. "Satiric Touch." Rev. of *Foxybaby*. *New York Times* 16 Nov. 1985: n. pag. Rev. reprinted in *Herald Tribune* [New York] 6 Dec. 1985: n. pag.
- Koestler, Frances A. "In Two Novels, A Mix of Heartbreak and Hilarity." Rev. of *Miss Peabody's Inheritance* and *Mr Scobie's Riddle. Newsday* 17 Jan. 1985: Part II 39.
- La Badie, Donald. "Tale of Spinster is a Heady Blend." Rev. of *Foxybaby*. *The Commercial Appeal* [Memphis] 29 Dec. 1985: J4.

Descriptive, noting that Miss Porch, like Alice in Wonderland, is "barraged with outrageous situations that are apparently normal for those around her."

Lewis, Peter. "Ratbags and Others." Rev. of *Illywhacker*, by Peter Carey; *The Doubleman*, by C. J. Koch, and *Palomino*, by Elizabeth Jolley. *London Magazine* 25. 1-2 (1985): 148-52.

Notes that Jolley concentrates on "psychological and emotional rather than social beings," and that landscape functions as "both a context and a defining metaphor." Criticises the novel for its "ecstatic tremulousness," its "preciously overworked" rythmns, its being "coyly anti-pornographic," its "elements of coincidence" and "history repeating itself," its "Gothicism," and its melodrama. Concludes that Jolley is more fashionable than talented.

McDonald, John. "Jolley Disturbing." Rev. of *Milk and Honey. NSWIT* [New South Wales Institute of Technology] 202, 29 July 1985. n. pag.

Comments on earlier reviews of *MH*, especially Martin Harrison's critique of those reviewers who found it "gloomy, depressing Gothic" (*Age Monthly Review* [Melbourne] May 1985: 16-19). Argues that Jolley's "narrative of cultural dispossession in an ironically named 'land of milk and honey' has made the novel seem depressing to some critics." *MH* is "[p]robably . . . her most complex and finely written work," which by "comment[ing] so pertinently on migration . . . perhaps even functions as a critique of Australia's capacity for cultural ingestion and destruction"—hence the negative reviews.

- McKernan, Susan. "A Feminist View of the Young Artist." Rev. of *Running Backwards Over Sand*, by Stephanie Dowrick, and *Foxybaby*, by Elizabeth Jolley. *Bulletin* [Aust.] 26 Nov. 1985: 99-100.
 - Jolley is concerned with the nature of imagination and the difficulties of communication.
- Motion, Joanna. "Patterning the Stuff of Life." Rev. of *Palomino*, *Miss Peabody's Inheritance*, *Mr Scobie's Riddle*, and *Milk and Honey*, by Elizabeth Jolley [and several others]. *Times Literary Supplement* 18 Oct. 1985: 1173.
 - Seven Australian novels briefly reviewed—four of them Jolley's. *MH* is "the richest, the darkest, and the most unexpected" of Jolley's novels, and "genuinely risk-taking."
- Parini, Jay. "Two Bright Gems from Down Under." Rev. of *Mr Scobie's Riddle* and *Miss Peabody's Inheritance*. *USA Today* 20 Mar. 1985: n. pag.
- Sheahan, Robyn. "A Jolley Look at Sophisticated Love." Rev. of *Palomino. Toowoomba Chronicle* [Aust.] 3 Jan. 1985: n. pag.
- Steinberger, Margaret. "Bevy of Hilarious Characters." Rev. of *Foxybaby*. *Newcastle Herald* 28 Sept. 1985: n. pag.
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- Thody, Philip. "In Line for Lunacy." Rev. of *Miss Peabody's Inheritance* and *Mr Scobie's Riddle* [and several others]. *Yorkshire Post* 9 May 1985: n. pag.
- Webby, Elizabeth. "Jolley is Familiar—Yet Surprising." Rev. of *Foxybaby. Sydney Morning Herald* 14 Sept. 1985: 47.
 - Appreciative description of this "complex work," which "deals with the inter-relationship between life and fiction."
- Weyland, John. "Precision and Integrity." Rev. of *Midwinter Spring*, by John Webb, and *Palomino*, by Elizabeth Jolley. *West Australian* 23 Mar. 1985: 38.
- White, Diane. "Hilarity at Slimming School." Rev. of *Foxybaby*. *Boston Globe* 20 Dec. 1985: n. pag.
- Wiehe, Janet. Rev. of Foxybaby. Library Journal 1 Oct. 1985: 112.

- Winders, Glenda. "Newcomer Scores with Subtle Tale." Rev. of *Miss Peabody's Inheritance. Kansas City Star* 27 Jan. 1985: n. pag.
- Wood, Elizabeth. "Lust and Laughter from Down Under." Rev. of *Miss Peabody's Inheritance*, by Elizabeth Jolley, and *The Only Daughter*, by Jessica Anderson. *Ms* [USA] Mar. 1985: 89-90.

Ackroyd, Peter. "Two Cultures, One Transplanted." Rev. of *Milk and Honey. New York Times Book Review* 15 June 1986: 12.

The novel reflects Jolley's European and Australian cultural experience—"its European images have been placed in an Australian setting where their shadows become darker and longer, more difficult to understand but also more difficult to resist." Jolley has the "ability so to control the cadences of her writing that their movement becomes a necessary part of the story." Comparison is made to Barbara Pym.

- Baldwin, Dean. "Foxybaby." Rev. of *Foxybaby. Magill's Literary Annual 1986*. Ed. Frank N. Magill. Englewood Cliffs: Salem P, 1986. 306-09.
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- Berridge, Elizabeth. "Recent Fiction." Rev. of *Foxybaby* [and several others]. *Daily Telegraph* [London] 27 Mar. 1986: n. pag.
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- Brown, Bethwyn. "Pushing the Limits of Reality." Rev. of *The Well. West Australian* 20 Sept. 1986: 35.

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Coover, Robert. "Dotty and Disorderly Conduct." Rev. of *The Well* and *Woman in a Lampshade. New York Times Book Review* 16 Nov. 1986: 1+.

Synopses of the books (plus MP and F), concluding that Jolley's writing "even at its best . . . seems ultimately somewhat slight. . . ."

- Craig, Patricia. "Intrusive Echoes." Rev. of *The Well. Times Literary Supplement* 15 Aug. 1986: 894.
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- Daniel, Helen. "Trafficking between Fantasy and Horror." Rev. of *The Well. Age* [Melbourne] 27 Sept. 1986: Saturday Extra 12.
 - "Jolley at her brilliant best"—like *MH*, the novel is characterised by its "brooding, meditative manner and the contradictory possibilities Jolley holds in beautiful poise."
- Dieter, William. "Foxybaby Filled with Outrageous Characters." Rev. of Foxybaby. Rocky Mountain News [Denver, CO] 26 Jan. 1986: Sunday Magazine n. pag.
- Dunn, Rosalind. "Literary Ladies With Several Good Words." Rev. of *Bearded Ladies*, by Kate Grenville; *The Acolyte*, by Thea Astley; *Walking the Dog*, by Marian Eldridge, and *Palomino*, by Elizabeth Jolley. *Daily Sun* [Melbourne] 10 May 1986: n. pag.
- Dutton, Geoffrey. "Obsessed with What's Down the Well." Rev. of *The Well. Weekend Australian* 20-21 Sept. 1986: Magazine 15.
 - "A brilliant storyteller," Jolley "has written a horror story that is also richly comic, a parable of evil that encompasses goodness."
- England, Katharine. "Dark Secret Lurks Deep in the Well." *Advertiser* [Adelaide] 20 Sept. 1986: Magazine n. pag.
- Esposito, Michael J. Rev. of *The Well. Library Journal* 1 Oct. 1986: 110.
- Feinstein, Elaine. "Wasting Away on the Edge." Rev. of *Home Ground*, by Lynn Freed, and *Foxybaby*, by Elizabeth Jolley. *Sunday Times* [London] 20 Apr. 1986: n. pag.
- "Forecasts." Rev. of Milk and Honey. Publishers Weekly 229.15 (1986): 86-87.
- "Forecasts." Rev. of Woman in a Lampshade. Publishers Weekly 230.6 (1986): 66.
- "Forecasts." Rev. of The Well. Publishers Weekly 230.13 (1986): 67.
- Foty, Geraldine R. "Comic-sad Story Set In Outback." Rev. of *Foxybaby*. *Worcester Telegraph* [USA] 2 Feb. 1986: n. pag.
- Fulweiler, Megan. "Bubble of Emotions." Rev. of *Foxybaby. Providence Sunday Journal* [Rhode Island] 5 Jan. 1986: H16.
- Garner, Helen. Rev. of Foxybaby. Fremantle Arts Review 1.1 (1986): 12.
 - "Jolley's most complete and satisfying novel," which "moves from one tone level, one mode, to another"—from "daffy" comedy to the lyric, down to sober gentle sequences, and right down into the depths of incest, despair, fear and sadness.

- Gerrish, Carolyn. Rev. of Foxybaby. Womanspeak 10.1 (1986): 26.
- Halliday, Bob. "Elizabeth Jolley's Well of Loneliness." Rev. of *The Well, Woman in a Lampshade* and *Milk and Honey. Washington Post* 2 Nov. 1986: Book World 10-11.

Notes Jolley's "virtuosity of form," but "would gladly sacrifice cleverness of design for more of the naturalness the premise of these stories requires." Jolley "is an Australian original who deserves a wide American audience." Comparisons are made to Muriel Spark and Flannery O'Connor.

Halligan, Marion. "Jolley: Ambiguous, Surreal, Powerful." Rev. of *The Well. Canberra Times* 29 Nov. 1986: B2.

Jolley's "recycling" is related both to her technical experimentation and to her being "fascinated by different modes of perception."

---. "Taking the Jolley Treatment." Rev. of Foxybaby. Canberra Times 18 Jan. 1986: B2.

Notes "Jolley's recycling habits," and the novel's "[c]aricature, farce, exageration"—"none of these precludes truth. Readers will find their own, or not. . . ."

- Hamilton-Smith, Barbara. "Hypocrisy of the British Abroad." Rev. of *Foxybaby* [and several others]. *Catholic Herald* [London] 9 May 1986: 6.
- Harnett, Lynn. "Jolley's Book is Captivating, Absorbing and Hilarious." Rev. of *Foxybaby*. *Portsmouth Herald* [New Hampshire] 2 Feb. 1986: 16A.
- Hildebrand, Holly. "Life on Experimental Fat Farm Dishes Up Appetizing Food For Thought." Rev. of *Foxybaby*. *Houston Post* 16 Mar. 1986: n. pag.
- Jarvis-Prokop, Kay. Rev. of Foxybaby. Tribune [San Diego, CA] 10 Jan. 1986: C3.

"No matter how the reader takes Elizabeth Jolley's work—for its wit and devilish irony, or its profoundly darker message—it shimmers with a richness of place and character and dialogue that is breathtaking and rare."

Jefferis, Barbara. "Three Novels." Rev. of *Foxybaby*, by Elizabeth Jolley; *Lilian's Story*, by Kate Grenville, and *A Long Time Dying* by Olga Masters. *Overland* 103 (1986): 65-66.

"[T]he most philosophically intricate and coherent" of Jolley's books, the novel is also "profoundly funny," and "a brilliant examination of the creative process."

Kennedy, Joanne. "Funny, Mysterious and Perceptive." Rev. of *Foxybaby*. *Virginian-Pilot and the Ledger-Star* [Norfolk, VA] 12 Jan. 1986: C6.

Comparisons are made to Barbara Pym and Anita Brookner.

Laren, Anne. Rev. of Woman in a Lampshade. Kirkus Reviews 1 Sept. 1986: 1313-14.

"Jolley is if anything slightly less impressive in this collection of stories"—only "Dingle the Fool" succeeds in delivering "pathos with effective starkness."

McKernan, Susan. "A Message From Our Flying Domestic." Rev. of *The Well. Bulletin* 18 Nov. 1986: 101.

Comparison is made to Patrick White's "The Aunt's Story."

Rev. of Foxybaby. Booklist 15 May 1986. n. pag.

Rev. of Milk and Honey. Kirkus Reviews 15 Mar. 1986: n. pag.

Modjeska, Drusilla. "Many Levels in the Fantasy World of Hester Harper." Rev. of *The Well. Sydney Morning Herald* 13 Sept. 1986: 44.

The novel is Jolley's "best yet."

Monson, Karen. "An Eerie Tale with Music, Marriage and Surprises." Rev. of *Milk and Honey. Baltimore Sunday Sun* 25 May 1986: n. pag.

A "wonderful novel [whose] gothic turns and twists of plot are its essence."

Multer, John. Rev. of Milk and Honey. Publishers Weekly 11 Apr. 1986: 86-87.

---. Rev. of Woman in a Lampshade. 8 Aug. 1986: 66.

- Murphy, Marese. "Children of the Apocalypse." Rev. of *Foxybaby* [and several others]. *Irish Times* 29 Mar. 1986: n. pag.
- Parrington, Drena. "Love Story Told with Style." Rev. of *Palomino. Sunday Mail* [South Australia] 20 Apr. 1986: n. pag.
- Perkins, Elizabeth. "New Fiction: A Village Hampden, Wasting Sweetness and the Short Annals of the Poor." Rev. of *Benton's Conviction*, by Geoff Page; *Foxybaby*, by Elizabeth Jolley, and *A Long Time Dying*, by Olga Masters. *Quadrant* 30.3 (1986): 80-83.

"The depth of Elizabeth Jolley's satire in all her published work is partly due to her courage in centring characters and action on the use, abuse and denial of human love."

- Rodriguez, Judith. Rev. of The Well. Fremantle Arts Review 1.12 (1986): 14-15.
- Schapiro, Nancy. "Blending British Cosy and Australian Crude." Rev. of *Foxybaby* and *Miss Peabody's Inheritance. St Louis Post-Dispatch* 19 Jan. 1986: n. pag.

Descriptive, concluding that Jolley's theme is the "equivalence of the real and the imaginative."

---. "The Darker Truths of Love." Rev. of *Milk and Honey. St Louis Post-Dispatch* 25 May 1986: n. pag.

Appreciative, noting that the novel's "tone and mood [are] far bleaker than the comic satire of her earlier novels." Comparison made to Charles Dickens.

- See, Carolyn. "Fully Fleshed Lives in Sorry Surroundings." Rev. of *Foxybaby. Los Angeles* 28 Jan. 1986: Part 5: 1, 4.
- ---. "Gothic Tale With Plenty of Secret Sins to Reveal." Rev. of *Milk and Honey. Los Angeles Times* 26 May 1986: Part 5: 6.

To tell the story of European migration to "a strange land, Jolley falls back on a European form"—the gothic tale. Comparison is made to Thomas Keneally's *A Family Madness*.

Seymour, Miranda. "Agony at Summer School." Rev. of *Foxybaby* [and several others]. *Daily Standard* [London] 9 Apr. 1986: n. pag.

Steinberg, Sybil. Rev. of The Well. Publishers Weekly 26 Sept. 1986: 67.

Thody, Philip. "Game Show." Rev. of *Foxybaby* [and several others]. *Yorkshire Post* 3 Apr. 1986: n. pag.

Tomkins, Pat. "Who Is Innocent When Everyone Is Guilty." Rev. of *Milk and Honey. San Francisco Chronicle* 29 June 1986: Review 5.

"Jolley's subject is the dual nature of love—love selfish and unselfish, love that destroys and nurtures; the novel proceeds through details [that] accumulate and observations [that] reverberate."

Trigg, Stephanie. "Elizabeth Jolley: Something Remarkable Every Time." Rev. of *Foxybaby. Scripsi* 4.1 (1986): 265-74.

Substantive, linking the novel to MP and SR, and focusing on its explorations of the "relationship between the writer and her material." Draws attention to "the repetition of themes, characters, images and phrases in [Jolley's] work" and to F's "Dantesque framework."

---. "The Realms of Gold: Fictions, Fantasies, Self-fashioning." Rev. of *The Well. Australian Book Review* Nov. 1986: 5-6.

Detailed discussion, noting the novel is thematically linked to *P* and *MH*, and commenting on Jolley's "conscious act of self-fashioning," and her "fashionable female characters."

Walker, Brenda. Rev. of Foxybaby. Westerly 4 (1986): 91-94.

"[A] satisfying and stimulating investigation of literary form, authorial motive, the effects of storytelling and dissembling, and the significance of certain moral values."

Rev. of The Well. Kirkus Reviews 1 Sept. 1986: 1313.

Jolley again "explores the quasi-lesbian obsessions of an ageing spinster; and again the effect is that of a short story puffed out to novel length. . . ."

- White, Diane. "Jolley Goes Gothic with a Vengeance." Rev. of *Milk and Honey. Boston Globe* 26 June 1986: n. pag.
- Wiehe, Janet. Rev. of Milk and Honey. Library Journal 111.9 (1986): 78.
- Willox, Bob. "The Well Overflows with Horror." Rev. of *The Well. Daily News* [Perth] 8 Oct. 1986: 28.
- Wordsworth, Christopher. "Out of the Heart of the Cape." Rev. of *Foxybaby* [and several others]. *Guardian* 27 Mar. 1986: n. pag.

- Anderson, Don. "And the Winner Is Franklin, By Miles: A Punter's Guide to the Miles Franklin Award." Rev. of *The Well. Times on Sunday* [London] 24 May 1987: 27.
- "Briefly Noted: Fiction." Rev. of *Mum and Mr. Armitage*, by Beryl Bainbridge and *Palomino*, by Elizabeth Jolley. *The New Yorker* 14 Sept. 1987: 134-35.
- Cadzow, Jane. "Paperbacks: The Well Deserving Winner." Rev. of *The Well* [and several others]. *Weekend Australian* 6-7 June 1987: Magazine 12.
- Dibble, Brian. "Fruit Cake of Life." Rev. of The Well. Overland 106 (1987): 83-84.
 - "Elizabeth Jolley is traditional is subscribing to the pastoral myth, modern in using metafictional techniques. Both serve in exploring her basic concern, the concept of *love*."
- Feinstein, Elaine. "Out of the Past." Rev. of *Frozen Music*, by Francis King; *Second Sight*, by Anne Redmond, and *Milk and Honey*, by Elizabeth Jolley. *Times* [London] 27 Aug. 1987: 15.
 - Appreciation of the novel as "quirky, brilliantly written."
- Glazer, Daphne. Rev. of The Well. Margin 18 (1987): 20-21.
- Gray, Paul. "Flowerings." Rev. of *The Newspaper of Claremont Street. Time* [Aust.] 7 Dec. 1987: 77.
 - Brief remarks on the occasion of the Viking edition of NCS.
- Hanaor, Diana. Rev. of Milk and Honey. Antipodes 1.1 (1987): 53.
 - Notes that the novel is concerned with the migrant experience, and comments on Jolley's successful introduction to American readers.
- Hendin, Josephine. "Perfecting Woman." Rev. of *Palomino*. New York Times Book Review 19 July 1987: 11.
 - Appreciative commentary on the occasion of the Persea Press edition of P.

Jacobson, Howard. "Measuring up to the Age and Place." Rev. of *Milk and Honey*, by Elizabeth Jolley [and several others]. *Times Literary Supplement* 27 Nov. 1987: 1307-09.

An overview of 16 new Australian novels in which Jolley is briefly mentioned.

- Johnson, George. ["New and Noteworthy."] Rev. of *The Well* [and several others]. *New York Times Book Review* 20 Sept. 1987: n. pag.
- Lacy, Robert. "Elizabeth Jolley Tells a Story and It Stays Told." Rev. of *The Newspaper of Claremont Street. Minneapolis Star Tribune* [no date] Dec. 1987: n. pag.

Descriptive—NCS is "funny, sad, eccentric, outrageous."

- Lorenz, Janet E. Rev. of The Well. Magill's Literary Annual. 1987. 958-62.
 - "[A] suspenseful psychological thriller [that is] an unusual character study [of Hester] as well."
- "New in Paperback." Rev. of *The Well* [and several others]. *Washington Post* 30 Aug. 1987: Book World x12.
- Paolini, Shirley J. Rev. of *The Well. Antipodes* 1.2 (1987): 117.
- Pritchard, William H. "Aussie Oddities." Rev. of *The Well. New Republic* [USA] 23 Feb. 1987: 38-41.

Unfavourable comments on MH and WL and more favourable ones on F. Observes affinities between the novel and the works of D H Lawrence and Muriel Spark.

- Sen, Veronica. "Paperbacks: Youth's Hopes and Fears, In Its Own Words." Rev. of *The Well* [and several others]. *Canberra Times* 24 May 1987: 9.
- Sinkler, Rebecca Pepper. Rev. of *The Newspaper of Claremont Street. New York Times Book Review* 20 Dec. 1987: 16.

Jolley is a "weirdly wonderful writer," who "writes about money the way others write about love—lyrically, longingly, sensually."

- Ward, Elizabeth. "Elizabeth Jolley's Portrait of Women in Love." Rev. of *Palomino*. *Washington Post* 16 Aug. 1987: Book World x11.
- Zabusky, Charlotte Fox. Rev. of Palomino. Wilson Library Bulletin [USA] Nov. 1987: 82.

Descriptive, concluding that "[s]uch bizarre themes, examined so deeply and unflinchingly make this love story vintage Jolley. . . ."

Bloom, Alice. "Adults Only." Rev. of *The Newspaper of Claremont Street*, by Elizabeth Jolley [and several others]. *Hudson Review* 41.3 (1988): 539-47.

A review of recent novels by six women.

- "Briefly Noted." The Sugar Mother. The New Yorker 5 Sept. 1988: 101.
- Brooker, Emma. "Up-front in the Outback." Rev. of *Stories*, by Elizabeth Jolley. *Guardian Weekly* 14 Aug. 1988: 28.
- Brunet, Elena. "Current Paperbacks." Rev. *The Newspaper of Claremont Street*, by Elizabeth Jolley [and several others]. *Los Angeles Times* 25 Dec. 1988: Book Review 9

One of five brief notices.

Craven, Peter. "Dark Shadows in a Teacup." Rev. of *The Sugar Mother. Age* [Melbourne] 23 Apr. 1988: Saturday Extra 12.

Condensed observations on the novel and on Jolley's writing generally by one of her best reviewers, arguing that "her true affinity is not with the English comedy of manners she apes but with the art of the German expressionists. She creates a world where pain and horror and hilarity [are] an indistinguisable totality...." Comparison is made to Patrick White.

- Dowrick, Stephanie. "Volcanic Emotional Ground." Rev. of *The Sugar Mother* [and three others]. *Vogue* [Aust.] July (1988): 80.
- England, Katharine. "The Sugar Mother: Elizabeth Jolley's Bicentennial Project." Rev. of *The Sugar Mother. Advertiser* [Adelaide] 2 Apr. 1988: Magazine 7.

Descriptive, arguing that where Jolley's theme in the early novels was possession, here it is creation, fiction, writing.

Freeman, Judith. "How Do You Look to Your Cleaning Lady." Rev. of *The Newspaper of Claremont Street. Los Angeles Times Book Review* 3 Jan. 1988: 3+.

A favourable review of Jolley's novel.

Greenwood, Gillian. "A Man from Japan." Rev. of *Singular Rebellion*, by Saiichi Maruya, trans. Dennis Keene; *The Newspaper of Claremont Street*, by Elizabeth Jolley, and *Cautionary Tales for Women*, by Julian Fane. *Times* [London] 31 Mar. 1988: 19.

Notes that "Jolley is not well known here, but . . . recently [has] had the success in America she deserves."

Halligan, Marion. "Happy Families? Jolley Breaks New Ground." Rev. of *The Sugar Mother. Canberra Times* 19 Mar. 1988: B6.

Detailed description, calling attention to the ambiguitities of the ending.

- Harris, Margaret. "It's a Wise Child." Rev. of [The] Sugar Mother. Australian Book Review Mar. 1988: 32-33.
 - "[L]ess arch and more adroit" than its predecessors, the subject of *SM* "as in so much of her previous writing, is possession, in all its senses"; more subtle than its predecessors, it replays the themes of "story telling, and . . . the power of writing and reading." Comparisons are made to Barbara Pym and Beryl Bainbridge.
- Hobson, Linda Whitney. "Australian Author Explores the Difficulties of Marriage in Lively Suburban Parable." Rev. of *The Sugar Mother*. Atlanta Journal and Constitution 2 Oct. 1988: n. pag.
- Johnson, George. ["New and Noteworthy."] Rev. of *Palomino* [and several others]. *New York Times Book Review* 31 July 1988: n. pag.
- Jones, Rod. "Elizabeth Jolley: The Exile Within." Rev. of *Stories. Washington Post* 15 May 1988: Book World x3.
- Lee-Jones, Nancy. "Funny but Sad People Inhabit Jolley's *Stories*..." Rev. of *Stories*. *Antipodes* 2.2 (1988): 130.
 - Notes Jolley's unique synthesis of fear and threat, tenderness and hope.
- McCauley, Stephen. "Pedant in Love." Rev. of *The Sugar Mother. New York Times Book Review* 10 July 1988: 7.

Thoughtful commentary, focussing on Jolley's creation of a fictional world: a "parallel universe—so wickedly amusing, so rich in character and gripping story. . . ." The novel is "one of her only extended portrayals of the virtues and limitations of marriage," and her subtlest "untangling of a story within a story." Comparisons are made to Barbara Pym and Evelyn Waugh.

- McKernan, Susan. "Extravagant Absurdity." Rev. of *The Sugar Mother. Bulletin* 29 Mar. 1988: 112.
 - "[C]onsiderably less baffling than some of her earlier work. . . ."
- Mendelsohn, Michael J. "Down Under's Delightful Secret." Rev. of *The Newspaper of Claremont Street. Tampa Tribune* 24 Apr. 1988: n pag.
- Moose, Ruth. Rev. of Stories. Library Journal 15 Apr. 1988: 94.
 - Comparisons are made to Barbara Pym and Anton Chekov.
- ---. Rev. of *The Sugar Mother*. *Library Journal* 1 June (1988): 140-42.
- Peake, Cathy. "A Jolley Professor Swallows the Sugar." Rev. of *The Sugar Mother. Sydney Morning Herald* 6 Apr. 1988: 72.

Descriptive, concluding "[t]here is something faintly unsatisfactory and boiled up about it all. . . ."

Platek, Teri. "Jolley's Macabre Tale of a Housekeeper Delights, Haunts..." Rev. of *The Newspaper of Claremont Street. Antipodes* 2.1 (1988): 56.

Brief remarks on the occasion of the Viking edition of NCS.

Plunket, Robert. Rev. of *Stories: Five Acre Virgin and The Travelling Entertainer. New York Times Book Review* 24 Apr. 1988: 34.

"Reading Elizabeth Jolley is a bit like listening to your grandmother.... What is not grandmotherly is the precise intelligence and masterly technique Ms. Jolley brings to her work; she is an artist of the first order."

Scott, Suzanne. "Humor, Poignancy, and Intrigue: The Fiction of Elizabeth Jolley." Rev. of Woman In A Lampshade, The Well, The Newspaper of Claremont Street, Palomino and Stories. Belles Lettres 3.6 (1988): 3

Saari, Peggy. Rev. of Stories. Antioch Review 46.3 (1988): 393.

Steinberg, Sybil. Rev. of The Sugar Mother. Publishers Weekly 6 May 1988: 93.

Taylor, Linda. "Orstralia and Elsewhere." Rev. of *The Newspaper of Claremont Street*, by Elizabeth Jolley [and several others]. *Times Literary Supplement* 15-21 Apr. 1988: 421.

One of five brief reviews.

- Thwaite, Anthony. "Ruined by Men." Rev. of *Stories*, by Elizabeth Jolley [and several others]. *London Review of Books* 10.15 (1988): 24-26.
- Walker, Brenda. Rev. of *The Sugar Mother*. Westerly 3 (1988): 90-91.

The novel focusses on "masculine unhappiness" in marriage—"[p]atriarchal social arrangements are implicity rejected," and "the difficult problem of women's collusion in them is explored."

- Ward, Elizabeth. "In the Family Way." Rev. of *The Sugar Mother. Washington Post* 31 July 1988: Book World x3.
- Weyland, John. "Humour Lightens New Jolley Novel." Rev. of *The Sugar Mother. West Australian* 26 Mar. 1988: Big Weekend 13.
- White, Diane. "Loners, Outsiders and Misfits." Rev. of *Stories*. *Boston Globe* 2 May 1988: LIVING 24.
- Whitlam, Margaret. "A Jolley, Sugary Yarn." Rev. of *The Sugar Mother. Weekend Australian* 9-10 Apr. 1988: Magazine 15.

- Abel, Betty. "Literary Supplement: Quarterly Fiction Review." Rev. of *The Sugar Mother* [and several others]. *Contemporary Review* [UK] 254. 1479 (1989): 213-16.
- ---. "Literary Supplement: Quarterly Fiction Review." Rev. of *My Father's Moon* [and several others]. *Contemporary Review* [UK] 255.1485 (1989): 213-16.
- Birch, Dinah. "Growing-up." Rev. of *The Sugar Mother* [and several others]. *London Review of Books* 20 Apr. 1989: 20-21 n. pag.

Review of four new novels. "The triumph of *The Sugar Mother* is the wry sympathy with which we are led to understand exactly how Edwin's credulous reveries are absurd, but the pain and hunger which give rise to them are not."

- Burns, Rachel. "Subtle, Seductive and Subversive." Rev. of *My Father's Moon. Courier-Mail* [Brisbane] 15 Apr. 1989: Great Weekend 7.
- Craig, Patricia. "Benevolence Reborn." Rev. of *The Sugar Mother. Times Literary Supplement* 3-9 Mar. 1989: 226.
- Craven, Peter. "Life's Grim Heart Transcended" Rev. of *My Father's Moon. Weekend Australian* 22-23 Apr. 1989: Weekend 10.

Incisive appreciation of "this taut and wrenching piece of writing"—this "autumnal book in which each word is charged for all its plainness of style," in which there is "so little extrinsic narrative propulsion that it could be autobiography." "The power of Jolley's novel comes from her ability to sustain . . . imagery whilst also depicting the mundane experiences of a protagonist who . . . [is] intelligently an innocent." Comparison is made to Patrick White.

Daniel, Helen. "Painful Passage Into Memory." Rev. of *My Father's Moon. Age* [Melbourne] 15 Apr. 1989: Saturday Extra 11.

"[T]he most autobiographical of Jolley's novels," *MFM* focusses on "[w]ound and shame" and has lyric power: there is "the sense of an inner debate between the relentless honesty of a confessional self, a self-indictment without mercy, and at the same time the splendid defiance of the writer, who, in creating with such intensity Vera's predicament and pain, creates clemency."

---. "Plotting (3): A Quarterly Account of Recent Fiction." Overland 115 (1989): 31-36.

Overview of 45 titles, briefly mentioning *MFM* as "a profoundly moving novel of the thresholds of pain and exile, . . . a work poised across absences."

---, ed. *The Good Reading Guide: 100 Critics Review Contemporary Australian Fiction.* Melbourne: McPhee Gribble, 1989. 137-43, 291-92.

Australian critics briefly comment on each of Jolley's published works to date—three of which make the "50 Choice Titles" list.

- Edwards, Brian. "Researching Memories." Rev. of *My Father's Moon. Mattoid* 34 (1989): 183-86.
- Eldridge, Marian. "Jolley Good Rites of Passage." Rev. of *My Father's Moon* and *The Sugar Mother. Canberra Times* 29 Apr. 1989: B4.

MFM is "funny, sad, poignant"; SM is "contrived."

England, Katharine. "Jolley's Shimmering Prose Shines on Life's Darkness." Rev. of My Father's Moon. Advertiser [Adelaide] 15 Apr. 1989: n. pag.

Focusses particularly on the imagery of the moon in this "surely most autobiographical of Jolley's novels...."

- Glazer, Daphne. "Elizabeth Jolley: My Father's Moon." Rev. Margin 22 (1989): 33-34.
- Gornick, Vivian. "Youthful Pain in Normandy." Rev. of My Father's Moon. New York Times Book Review 30 Apr. 1989: 9.

Comments on the way the novel is structured through "the chronological disorder of memory," and compares it to Marguerite Duras' *The Lover*: in both a "hard, clear" introspectiveness gives the books their power. (An interesting line drawing accompanies the review.)

Hardie, Melissa. "Making Love, Making Babies or Making Do." Rev. of *Joan Makes History*, by Kate Grenville and *The Sugar Mother*, by Elizabeth Jolley. *Southerly* 49.1 (1989): 113-17.

Descriptive, noting "Jolley's novels and short stories centre upon ambivalent and half-revealed relationships," and that *SM* "cleverly presents three alternative formulations of pregnancy." Remarks that "the figure of the invader is transported from *The Well*" and that novel has affinities to D. H. Lawrence's *The Fox*.

---. "Body Language." Rev. of *Working Hot*, by Mary Fallon; *Broken Words*, by Helen Hodgman, and *My Father's Moon*, by Elizabeth Jolley. *Southerly* 49.4 (1989): 654-60.

Descriptive, noting "the ironies of *The Sugar Mother* are muted" in this novel, which is "dark, in some places even despondant, and restrained throughout in the exposition of emotional ties."

- Johnson, George. ["New and Noteworthy."] Rev. of *Palomino* [and several others]. *New York Times Book Review* 31 July 1988: n. pag.
- ---. ["New and Noteworthy."] Rev. of *Stories* [and several others]. *New York Times Book Review* 2 Apr. 1989: n. pag.
- ---. ["New and Noteworthy."] Rev. of *The Sugar Mother* [and several others]. *New York Times Book Review* 28 May 1989: 22.

Jones, Dorothy. Rev. of My Father's Moon. SPAN [Journal of the South Pacific Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies] 29 (1989): 113-15.

Descriptive, noting that this "discontinuous narrative," like MP and F, "explores once again the paradox of writing truth and fiction simultaneously."

Kenneally, Catherine. "Capturing the Essence." Rev. of *The Sugar Mother* and *My Father's Moon. The Sydney Review* 12 (May 1989): 17-18.

Lucas, Robin. ["New Paperbacks."] Rev. of *The Sugar Mother* [and several others]. *Sydney Morning Herald* 15 Apr. 1989: 90.

Notice of seven new publications—SM is "[w]itty, sad and strange."

---. ["Paperbacks."] Rev. of *The Sugar Mother* [and several others]. *Age* [Melbourne] 22 Apr. 1989: Saturday Extra 10.

Notice of six new publications, repeating comment on SM above.

McKeough, Craig. "Perth Author Lives Up to Expectations." Rev. of *The Sugar Mother*. *Albany Advertiser* 18 May 1989: 28.

Descriptive, noting that Jolley is considered "as one of Australia's best writers" and that this "[w]itty, off-beat and slightly unsettling ... [novel] is vintage Jolley."

McKernan, Susan. "Old Duffer No More." Rev. of *My Father's Moon. Bulletin* 11 Apr. 1989: 121.

Enthusiastic description, noting that *MFM* "does not pretend that human loneliness can be kept at bay by a hearty irony and taste for the bizarre." Jolley "is no longer playing the silly old duffer novelist," but rather details the world "of institutionalised women, of women cast out from the family and forced to fill their emotional hunger in unapproved or off-beat ways."

Rev. of My Father's Moon. Antioch Review 47.3 (1989): 373.

Milton, Edith. Rev. of The Sugar Mother. Massachusetts Review 30.1 (1989): 114-15.

Nelson, Penelope. "Paperbacks: Facing-up to an Eloquence of Apocalyptic Vision." Rev. of *The Sugar Mother* [and several others]. *Weekend Australian* 9-10 Sept. 1989: Weekend 8.

Descriptive, noting that Leila is one of "Jolley's most compelling creations."

---. "Paperbacks: Moon Sheds Light on the Odd Moments." Rev. of *My Father's Moon*, by Elizabeth Jolley [and several others]. *Weekend Australian* 23-24 Dec. 1989: 7.

Notice of seven new publications—"[m]ore autobiographical perhaps than her previous fiction, this is a delightful book."

"New Australian Books: Jolley's Latest." Rev. of *My Father's Moon* [and several others]. *Australian Bookseller and Publisher* Apr. 1989: 48.

Raine, Pat. "Missing Out." Rev. of My Father's Moon. Times Literary Supplement 28 July-3 Aug. 1989: 831.

"With My Father's Moon Elizabeth Jolley has invented a new literary form . . . neither . . . a novel nor a collection of related stories, but something midway between the two. . . ." Jolley is "always enigmatic, and never more so than when she has something to convey; she shies away from significance, as she does from expansive storytelling, preferring a kind of writing that above everything eschews fuss."

Riemer, A. P. "Mooning Around in the Past." Rev. of My Father's Moon. Australian Book Review May 1989: 27-28.

Descriptive, concluding that "the reason why so much of this book is flat, somnambulistic, why it lacks Jolley's characteristic verve and gusto, . . . is that it is a novel of retrospection and reminiscence."

- Reiter, David P. Rev. of My Father's Moon and The Sugar Mother. Redoubt 6 (Aug. 1989): 65-70.
- Schaumberger, Nancy Engbretsen. "'Irresistible' Novel Offers the Comic and the Macabre..." Rev. of *The Sugar Mother. Antipodes* 3.1 (1989): 30.

Acknowledges the "seemingly contradictory adjectives from reviewers" for this novel and concludes that "[o]ne can only hope that some alert director will appreciate Jolley's eye for the comic-macabre and transpose *The Sugar Mother* into the film for which it seems destined."

See, Carolyn. "Taking the Wrong Turn on Love." Rev. of *My Father's Moon. Washington Post* 7 May 1989: Book World 8.

Descriptive, commenting that Jolley is "now regarded as a national treasure" in Australia, "and in England and America she's amassing droves of fans, addicts crazy about that irony, outrageousness, throwaway humor." Concludes that in *MFM* "the traditional Jolleyesque rescue devices are already in place."

- Steinberg, Sybil. Rev of My Father's Moon. Publishers Weekly 24 Feb. 1989: 217-18.
- Wansbrough, Juliette. "Paperbacks by Juliette Wansbrough: 'Surrogacy: Loss of Innocence." Rev. of *The Sugar Mother. West Australian* 22 July 1989: Big Weekend 10.
- Webby, Elizabeth. "Jolley Marvellous." Rev. of My Father's Moon. Sydney Morning Herald 15 Apr. 1989: 89.

Jolley's "most autobiographical" novel so far; *MFM* begins where *SM* finishes—it is a book about "love and desire" and "survival."

1990

Craven, Peter. "A Conjuror of Luminous Memories." Rev. of *Cabin Fever. Age* [Melbourne] 8 Sept. 1990: Saturday Extra 8.

"[E]ssentially a continuation of *My Father's Moon* in both its narrative line and its narrative strategies" this is "an autumnal book" with "an extraordinary lyrical power." Craven speculates that *MFM* and *CF* "are stepping stones in the larger path of Elizabeth Jolley's quest through memory. If she continues with it she is liable to produce her masterpiece and one of the most remarkable pieces of fiction written in this country."

- Daniel, Helen. "Challenging Echoes in a Continuum of Excellence." Rev. of *Cabin Fever*. *Weekend Australian* 8-9 Sept. 1990: Review 5.
 - CF "lur[es] the reader deep into the nature and activity of memory, imagination and narrative form." It and MFM "form an extraordinary composition, in which each is a descant on the other"—and a third book looks likely to come.
- ---. "Time Travellers." Rev. of *Cabin Fever* [and several others]. *Sunday Herald* [Melbourne] 2 Dec. 1990: 37.
- Dutton, Geoffrey. "An Essay on Memory and Time." Rev. of *Cabin Fever. Australian Book Review* Sept. 1990: 12.
 - Considers *CF* as a "rather a strange novel" which is "a sort of essay on memory and the unravelling of time."
- Eldridge, Marian. "Managing the Dips and Sweeps of Memory." Rev. of *Cabin Fever*. *Canberra Times* 29 Sept. 1990: B5.
- Garner, Helen. "Elizabeth Jolley: The Love of Nurses." Rev. of *My Father's Moon. Scripsi* 6.1 (1990): 81-86.
 - Descriptive, noting the "surreal quality" of the novel.
- Gostand, Reba. "Mooning Along the Expressway: Some Get Nearer Than Others." Rev. of *My Father's Moon*, by Elizabeth Jolley [and several others]. *Social Alternatives* 8.4 (1990): 71-72.
 - Descriptive, noting that Jolley's "ironies of relationship, like the ironies of expectation and attainment, are complex indeed. . . . "
- Gostand, Reba. "Diverse Voices." Rev. of reprint of *My Father's Moon*, by Elizabeth Jolley [and several others]. *Social Alternatives* 9.1 (1990): 58-60.
- Heary, Monica. "A Jolley Sad Story." Rev. of *Cabin Fever. Daily Telegraph* [Sydney] 29 Sept. 1990: n. pag.
- Hewitt, Hope. "A Welcome Return to Quality Reading." Rev. of *My Father's Moon* [and several others]. *Canberra Times* 25 Feb. 1990: 20.
- Kitson, Jill. "Mother and Son." Rev. of *Cabin Fever*. *Australian Bookseller and Publisher* July 1990: 22.
 - One of several brief reviews by diverse hands.

Modjeska, Drusilla. "A Drawn Out Pause of Intention." Rev. of *Cabin Fever. Scripsi* 6.3 (1990): 129-34.

Substantive, noting that in this novel "the focus shifts from the moment of passion, both real and illusory, in *My Father's Moon*," and concentrates instead on "the painful relationships between parents, or parent and child." Compared to *MFM*—"a novel without a word out of place"—*CF* "seems to spiral out again, missing, though only just, that harmony."

Pierce, Peter. "Powers of Inference." Rev. of Cabin Fever. Bulletin 23 Oct. 1990: 118-19.

In *CF*, a "semi-autobiographical" continuation of *MFM*, the older Vera is perhaps the author's "surrogate," but in any case is a "haunted figure": she "becomes more perplexing rather than more familiar to herself as the inquiry proceeds. This may be Jolley's central intuition about all autobiographical venturing." Comparison is made to the work of Paul Auster.

Riemer, A. P. "Beached Cabin." Rev. of *Cabin Fever. Sydney Morning Herald* 8 Sept. 1990: 77.

Descriptive, noting that, although *CF* is "not a sequel to *My Father's Moon*, nor is it, strictly speaking, a revision of the earlier novel," it "offers a broader canvas . . . where the prose is more complex and possibly more supple than the staccato diction of *My Father's Moon*. But . . . I cannot see much difference between the two novels"; and "its construction is, at times, perilously close to haphazard."

- Shannon, Ness. "Jolley Might Touch, But That Is All." Rev. of *Cabin Fever. Courier-Mail* [Brisbane] 6 Oct. 1990: Weekend 6.
- Stasko, Nicolette. Rev. of *My Father's Moon*, by Elizabeth Jolley [and several others]. *Phoenix Review* 6 (1990): 116-19.

One of five reviews—"I have always thought Elizabeth Jolley one of the most important writers Australia (at least partially) has produced. This book convinces me of it absolutely."

- White, Judith. "A Jolley Look at Our Foibles." Rev. of *Cabin Fever* [and *Gone Bush*]. *Sun-Herald* [Sydney] Sept. 16 1990: 122.
- Wolfe, Peter. "New Jolley Novel Re-creates Wartime England..." Rev. of *My Father's Moon. Antipodes* Winter (1990): 136.

"[M]ore lyrical than dramatic, \dots [w]hat saves this moody, autumnal book, besides its moments of deft dialogue, is the mastery with which Jolley's subdued narrative rythms invoke atmosphere."

1991

Bala, Suman. Rev. of Central Mischief. Commonwealth Review 3.1 (1991-1992): 222-25.

Banas, Mary. Rev. of Cabin Fever. Booklist 87.21 (1991): 2030.

Brandt, Barbara. Rev. of *Cabin Fever. Fremantle Arts Review* 6.12/7.1 (1991/1992): 20. Appreciative review by a former student of Jolley's.

- "Briefly Noted: Fiction." Rev. of *Cabin Fever* [and several others]. *The New Yorker* 23 Sept. 1991: 115.
- Busch, Frederick. "Mourning Becomes Vera." Rev. of *Cabin Fever. New York Times Book Review* 7 July 1991: 9.

Reading CF "is to come in contact with an interesting, wounded, somber mind." Comparisons are made to Jean Rhys' Wide Sargasso Sea, and Paula Fox's A Servant's Tale or The God of Nightmares.

Rev. of Cabin Fever. Kirkus Reviews 15 May 1991: 626.

Stylish panning of the novel—its central character is unappealing and its structure "more dislocating than elucidating."

Craig, Patricia. "A Gallant Kind of Carelessness." Rev. of *Cabin Fever. Times Literary Supplement* 25 Jan. 1991: 20.

Jolley "writes with vividness and assurance, even while she shies away from conventional storytelling. . . . But with her two latest books, . . . we feel that once should have been enough: second thoughts, . . . are not always best."

Fuller, Troy. "Preview Books." Rev. of *Cabin Fever*, by Elizabeth Jolley [and several others]. *Grok* [Curtin University Student Guild newspaper] 21 May 1991: 39.

Descriptive, noting the novel's "overwhelming sense of honesty, feeling and immediacy."

Gostand, Reba. "History Repeats—And Repeats." Rev. of *The Country Without Music*, by Nicholas Hasluck; *Cabin Fever*, by Elizabeth Jolley, and *Holocaust Island*, by Graeme Dixon. *Social Alternatives* 10.1 (1991): 68.

CF "introduces many new, wonderful Jolleyan creation[s]."

Kennedy, Louise. "Cabin Fever While Holed up in a New York Hotel: Flashbacks." Rev. *My Father's Moon* and *Cabin Fever* [and several others]. *Canberra Times* 19 May 1991: 23.

Brief reprise of original reviews on the new paperback issues of MFM and CF.

- ---. "Cadet Journalists in 'an atmosphere of reckless joy." Rev. of *Central Mischief* [and several others]. *Canberra Times* 21 Mar. 1993: n. pag.
- Nelson, Penelope. "Paperbacks." Rev. of *Cabin Fever*, by Elizabeth Jolley [and several others]. *Weekend Australian* 27-28 Apr. 1991: Review 5.

Brief comment on this "moving yet oddly humorous story."

Nettelbeck, Amanda. "Reviews." Rev. of Cabin Fever. Westerly 36.3 (1991): 114-15.

Succinct, substantial discussion of the novel's structure (it "moves according to associations rather than chronological sequence") and of the "'little pauses and spaces of mystery' in human relationships."

"Out Now." Rev. of Cabin Fever [and several others]. Books Jan./Feb. 1991: 23.

A negative notice.

Quick, Patricia. "Memories and Loneliness." Rev. of *Cabin Fever*. *Mattoid* 40 (1991): 126-28

CF explains the loneliness of ordinary human lives in drab ordinary surroundings.

Reardon, Patrick T. "Alone in New York with Cabin Fever." Rev. of *Cabin Fever. Chicago Tribune* 29 July 1991: Section 5 Tempo 3.

Descriptive, foregrounding the repetition within the novel, and between it and *MFM*—"the book has the feel of music."

Sellers, Frances Stead. "Feeding the Depths of the Soul." Rev. of *Cabin Fever. Washington Post* 2 July 1991: Style e3.

Soete, Mary. Rev. of Cabin Fever. Library Journal 116.12 (1991): 135-36.

"Wry, intent and unsparing in introspection. . . ."

Steinberg, Sybil. Rev. of Cabin Fever. Publishers Weekly 10 May 1991: 273.

1992

Chenery, Susan. "Modest Musings of a Grand Dame of Lettters." Rev. of *Central Mischief*. *Weekend Australian* 13-14 June 1992: Weekend Review 7.

"[M]odest musings . . . [t]he pieces are neither self revelatory nor sentimental."

Daniel, Helen. "Quick Change Jolley in Many Disguises." Rev. of *Central Mischief. Age* [Melbourne] 2 May 1992: Saturday Extra 8.

An informative discussion by one of Jolley's best reviewers. "[M]uch of this collection plays over [the] boundaries [between fiction- and essay-writing], with resonances running between the fiction and the essays; the best of them fluid shapings of memory, meditation and imagination, some with the black comedy of Jolley's fiction." (Amusing line drawing accompanies review.)

- England, Kathrine. "Connecting both Passion and Prose." Rev. of *Central Mischief*. *Advertiser* [Adelaide] 23 May 1992: Magazine 12.
- Floyd, Chris. Rev. of *Cabin Fever*, by Elizabeth Jolley [and several others]. *SPAN* [Journal of the South Pacific Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies] 33 (1992): 177-81.

The reviewer identifies the older Vera as an observer and then asserts that "the main narrative thread concerns the observer's mother in England."

- Graeber, Laurel. ["New and Noteworthy."] Rev. of *Cabin Fever* [and several others]. *New York Times Book Review* 26 July 1992: n. pag.
- Hughes, Lyn. "Odd Selection Shows Wit of Jolley's Work." Rev. of *Central Mischief. West Australian* 2 May 1992: Big Weekend 8.

Though "this sort of collection would probably make better sense posthumously . . . I enjoyed the book thoroughly."

- Hugo, Giles. "Collected Thoughts of Mind Worth Knowing." Rev. of *Central Mischief. Saturday Mercury* [Hobart] 16 May 1992: 20.
- Lucas, Robin. "Private Glimpses of a Public Person." Rev. of *Central Mischief. Voices* 2.3 1992: 107-10.
- Milech, Barbara. "On the Edge'—An Idea Central to *Central Mischief*." Rev. of *Central Mischief*. Antipodes 6.2 (1992): 169-70.

"Unexpectedly, this miscellany *works*" for both new readers to Jolley and her "longstanding admirers . . . who will find here not only autobiographical detail and authorial opinion, but, even more, [Jolley's] novels' characteristic narrative style, emotional preoccupations, range of tone, and moral commitments."

Pierce, Peter. "Mischief Central to the Riddle of What Dipped Elizabeth Jolley in Ink." Rev. of *Central Mischief. Sydney Morning Herald* 9 May 1992: 46.

Descriptive, emphasising the indirection of Jolley's persona and the use of fictive devices in her writing.

Riemer, Andrew. "Compelling Though Strange: A Collection of Articles by a Writer with a Reputation for Idiosyncracy." Rev. of *Central Mischief. Australian Book Review* June 1992: 43-44.

Considered commentary, emphasising Jolley's "dizzying" associative procedure, and the way in which individual works are "linked in curious and at times disconcerting ways."

Rolfe, Patricia. "Go 'Mad,' Get Even." Rev. of *Central Mischief. Bulletin* [Aust.] 2 June 1992: 98-99.

Reviewer observes this is an "odd collection" in which the autobiographical pieces are particularly satisfying.

Smith, Hamilton. "Deep Concern for the Simple Aspects of Life." Rev. of *Central Mischief. Canberra Times* 20 June 1992: C8.

Hamilton argues that this is a well edited collection which reflects Jolley's "overriding humanity and deep concern for people—for the simple, fundamental aspects of life. It is this quality, along with her unusual and often unexpected sense of humour, that truly distinguishes her as a writer."

Willbanks, Ray. "New Novel Picks Up Old Story..." Rev. of *Cabin Fever*. *Antipodes* 6.2 1992: 148-49.

Descriptive, concluding that *CF* is a "superimposed continuation" of the characters in *MFM*, and that "their plight is dense, patchy and vague. There is much to like in *Cabin Fever* in specific parts, but the whole is something of a muddle."

1993

- "A Great Australian Author Gets Up to Some Mischief." Rev. of *Central Mischief. Australian Doctor* 9 Apr. 1993: n. pag.
- Bird, Carmel. "Elizabeth Jolley: In Fine Form." Rev. of *The Georges' Wife. Sunday Age* [Melbourne] 10 Oct. 1993: Agenda 9.

Thoughtful reflection on *GW* and its place in the Vera trilogy, emphasising the way in which it is structured by memory, with characters and events built "layer upon layer," and also the way in which "a kind of new voice speaks [in the novel], part Vera, part Elizabeth Jolley musing more on writing than on memory."

Blackburn, Barbara. Rev. of *Central Mischief. ETANEWS* [English Teachers' Association, Dept. of Education, Tasmania] 6.2 (1993): 6.

Identifies CM as "Jolley's biography."

- Brice, Chris. "Book Shelf." Rev. of *The Diary of A Weekend Farmer* [and others]. *Advertiser* [Adelaide] 29 May 1993: n. pag.
- Burke, Janine. "Connections: A Private Piece of Earth to Hoe." Rev. of *Diary of a Weekend Farmer*. *Age* [Melbourne] 24 July 1993: Saturday Extra 8.

"Not enough cream to ladle."

- Carlyle, Diane and Nick Walker. "New Scholarly Books from Australian Publishers: Australian Literature." Rev. of *The Georges' Wife* [and several others]. *Campus Review* [Aust.] 5-11 Aug. 1993: 12.
- Congdon, Judy. "Shelf Life." Rev. of *Central Mischief* [and several others]. *Saturday Mercury* [Hobart] 6 Mar. 1993: 38.
- Craven, Peter. "Shaped and Transfigured in the Telling." Rev. of *The Georges' Wife.*Australian 2-3 Oct. 1993: Weekend Review 6.

The Vera trilogy is "preoccupied" with the "idea of service." In it "Jolley's language has a weight and a music that ensure that the work of which this is a part will be remembered as one of the significant pieces of writing in our time." Comparison is made to Patrick White and Barry Humphries.

Daniel, Helen. "The Self in Three Movements." Rev. of *The Georges' Wife. Australian Book Review* Oct. 1993: 8-9.

Thoughtful consideration of *GW* and its place in the Vera trilogy—"[A]ll are novels of exile, absences, entrapment, but also novels about the nature and activity of memory." Like Craven above, Daniel notes that it is "difficult to avoid seeing the Vera trilogy as in part Jolley's autobiographical play between self, character, writer and reader of her own past."

Edwards, Brian. "Elizabeth Jolley's Repetitions with a Little Difference." Rev. of *The Georges' Wife. Mattoid* 46/47 (1993): 273-76.

"[A]utobiographical fiction" in which the "hard edge of detail gives way to musings on memory and feeling," and in which the focus is on "the nuances of relationships."

England, Katherine. "Sorting Out the Secrets." Rev. of *The Georges' Wife. Weekend Advertiser* [Adelaide] 20 Sept. 1993: n. pag.

Reviewer notes that GW is a satisfying conclusion to the Vera trilogy.

Gostand, Reba. "Poetry Is Where You Find It." Rev. of *Central Mischief*, by Elizabeth Jolley [and several others]. *Social Alternatives* 12.1 (1993): 63-65.

One of eight brief reviews.

Hanrahan, John. "A Comedy of Terrors." Rev. of *The Georges' Wife. Age* [Melbourne] 2 Oct. 1993: Saturday Extra 7.

Elegant commentary, noting that the novel touches on "the twilight territory of the father-figure as lover" and "demanding" companion; that it is autobiographical in complex ways; and that its "most resonating sound is the silence that lies between sentences." The reviewer "would like to savour again its gracious gratitude and salvaged celebrations, tender is the night that belongs to this novelist."

- Heyward, Michael. "Local Lit." Rev. of *The Georges' Wife. Melbourne Weekly* 29 Oct. 1993: 25.
- Hild, Herb. "Into Jolley Territory." Rev. of *The Georges' Wife. Courier-Mail* [Brisbane] 16 Oct. 1993: n. pag.

Descriptive, briefly noting Jolley's "mosaic" narrative structures and "wound[ed]" characters.

Hughes, Lyn. "Enigmatic Tale of a Very Odd Couple." Rev. of *The Georges' Wife. West Australian* 9 Oct. 1993: Big Weekend 7.

"The novel is, overall, an engaging love story."

"Insight: Books." Rev. of *The George's Wife* [sic] [and several others]. *Elle* Nov. 1993: 16.

One of six brief notices—misspelt Jolley as Jolly.

- Louise. "Cadet Journalists in 'an atmosphere of reckless joy." Rev. of *Central Mischief* [and several others]. *Canberra Times* 21 Mar. 1993: n. pag.
- Kleu, Tony. "New Paperbacks." Rev. of *Central Mischief* [and several others]. *Sydney Morning Herald* 17 Apr. 1993: 47.
- Lavau, Ali. Rev. of *The Georges' Wife. Who* 8 Nov. 1993: 24-25.
- Liddelow, Eden. "Marrying Pyjamas: Elizabeth Jolley's Trilogy." Rev. of *My Father's Moon, Cabin Fever*, and *The Georges' Wife. Editions* [Potts Point, NSW] Oct.-Nov. 1993: 19-20.

Substantive, arguing that "Vera is always reaching out for the new and strange while seeking a home," noting the novels' "elliptical modes," and concluding that they eschew the "safety" of ordinary fiction while struggling to be fiction. Comparison is made to Patrick White and Fay Weldon.

- Lucas, Robin. "Lore of the Land." Rev. of *Diary of a Weekend Farmer*, by Elizabeth Jolley, and *On the Coolakin*, by Thelma Atkins. *Courier-Mail* [Brisbane] 22 May 1993: Weekend 7.
- ---. "Memory's Child." Rev. of *The Georges' Wife. Bulletin* 26 Oct. 1993: 89.

Notices that Jolley's repetitions can be "irritating," but that her "Proustian," restrained writing is her strength.

- Lynch, Mary. "Looking at Books: A Weekend Idyll." Rev. of *Diary of a Weekend Farmer*. *Live* June 1993: n. pag.
- Maniaty, Tony. "Women of Conviction: A Jolley Life." Rev. of *Central Mischief. Weekend Australian* 13-14 Mar. 1993: Review 7.

One of 5 brief notices.

- Meszaros, Tracy. "Neo-Fictions from Elizabeth Jolley." Rev. of *Central Mischief: Elizabeth Jolley on Writing, Her Past and Herself,* ed. Carolyn Lurie, and *Helplessly Tangled in Female Arms and Legs: Elizabeth Jolley's Fictions,* by Paul Salzman. *CRNLE Reviews Journal* [Centre for Research in New Literatures in English] 2 (1993): 121-24.
- Mills, Claire. Rev. of *Diary of a Weekend Farmer* [and several others]. *Australian Bookseller and Publisher* Mar. 1993: 33.
 - "Like *Central Mischief*, *Diary of a Weekend Farmer* can only be enjoyed within the context of Jolley's complete oeuvre."
- ---. Rev. of *The Georges' Wife* [and several others]. *Australian Bookseller and Publisher* Aug. 1993: 35.

One of several brief notices.

- Moran, Jennifer. "Fertile Ground for Emotional Harvest." Rev. of *Diary of a Weekend Farmer*. West Australian 17 Apr. 1993: Big Weekend 8.
- Najdecki, Moira. "Continuing Story of a Generous, Naive Soul." Rev. of *The Georges' Wife. Canberra Times* 27 Nov. 1993: C11.

"[A]bout families and relationships" GW is "ineffably sad but very funny."

Pierce, Peter. "In the Shadows of Memory." Rev. of *The Georges' Wife. Sydney Morning Herald* 2 Oct. 1993: Spectrum 13A.

Descriptive.

Riemer, Andrew. "The Past is Another Country." *Independent Monthly* 5.4 (1993): 94-96.

Riemer surveys Jolley's novels on the occasion of the publication of GW. The early novels of the 1980s are "epiphanies of alienation: fantastical meditations on the discontents of migration and displacement." Beginning with SM they "present such preoccupations in more directly autobiographical ways." In GW the "past and present are brought together" in such a way as to show how "she has been constantly circling around the one large, powerful and disturbing topic: the past. . . ."

- Swain, Shurlee. "A Personal Excursion." Rev. of *Central Mischief. Geelong Advertiser* 3 Apr. 1993: n. pag.
- Thomson, Helen. "Jolley Trilogy Strips Away Many Masks." Rev. of *The Georges' Wife. Melbourne Times* 27 Oct. 1993: 22.

Descriptive, concluding that "this meditative, postmodern, self-reflexive, strongly autobiographical novel" invites a psychoanalytic reading.

Tranter, John. "Before Fiction and Fame: A Place in the Bush." Rev. of *Diary of a Weekend Farmer*. Sydney Morning Herald 12 June 1993: 45.

"[I]n its small compass the book is full of incident, drama, compassion, humour . . . quirky wisdom."

Womsley, Katherine. Rev. of *The George's Wife* [sic] [and several others]. *She* Nov. 1993: 33.

One of five brief notices.

Woodall, Helen. Rev. of *Central Mischief. SLAV* [School Libraries Association of Victoria] Newsbulletin 23.5 (1993): 10-11.

1994

Bird, Delys. Rev. of The Georges' Wife. Westerly 39. 1 (1994): 98-100.

- Lucidly descriptive, commenting on the trilogy's use of repetition as a structural principle and on the shift from "the yearning forward of *My Father's Moon*, to the immobilisation of *Cabin Fever*, to the 'ruthless self-examination'" of *GW* and on its "'merging of the actual and imagined.""
- Bowers, Helen. Rev. of *The Gripping Beast*, by Joan Dugdale, *The Iron Mouth*, by Beryl Fletcher, and *The Georges' Wife*, by Elizabeth Jolley. *Imago* 6.2 (1994): 99-101.
- Clark, Graham. "Jolley Good." Rev. of *The Georges' Wife.*" Weekend Courier-Mail [Brisbane] 16 Apr. 1994: 6.
- Clayton, Pauline. "Delicate Inspection of Human Relationships." Rev. of *The Georges'* Wife. South-East Advertiser (Qld.) 13 Apr. 1994: n. pag.
- Ferguson, Jean. "Books: Impressive Portrait of a Hero." Rev. of *The George's Wife* [sic] [and several others]. *Illawarra Mercury* (NSW) 16 Apr. 1994: 29.
- Geason, Susan. "Exploration of Survival." Rev. of *The Georges' Wife. Sun Herald* [Sydney] 8 May 1994: Weekend Review 133.
- Gostand, Reba. "Reviews: Fishing in Ambiguous Waters of Memory." Rev. of *The Georges' Wife*, by Elizabeth Jolley [and several others]. *Social Alternatives* 13.1 (1994): 56-57.

One of four brief notices.

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