



## Made in Maryborough - A Pictorial Record of the Railway Rollingstock Produced By Walkers Ltd.

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Australian Railway Historical Society (QLD), Brisbane, Queensland, Australia, 1994. Soft Cover. Book Condition: New. No Jacket. First Edition. 56 pages b/w photos - unpaginated - The history of Walkers Ltd., of Maryborough, Queensland, goes back to 1863, when John Walker and three friends met in Geelong in Victoria with a view to the establishment of an engineering business in that State. The result of that meeting was the Union Foundry of John Walker & Co. at Ballarat. In 1867 a branch works was established in Queensland at Maryborough, over 1,300 km. to the north-east. In 1871, the Ballarat Works tendered for the construction of a steam locomotive for the Rockingham Jarrah Timber Company of Western Australia, but was unsuccessful. The firm's first locomotive issued from the Maryborough works in 1873, a second followed in 1876 and a third in 1878. The Ballarat assets were disposed of in 1879 and five years later John Walker & Co. Ltd. was floated. The name changed to Walkers Ltd. in 1888. Apart from its general engineering work, in the ensuing century Walkers Ltd., although having waxed and waned as a shipbuilder, has remained a leading force in the manufacture of railway rollingstock. However, the...

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