

Discover the century-old James Hill Taxidermy collection of 600 birds, mammals, reptiles and bird eggs on the ground floor of the Water Tower.

Believed to be one of the best collections in Australia.

Membership

BECOME A MEMBER AND HELP KEEP OUR HISTORY ALIVE

\$14 Individual
\$20 Family

For direct deposit details, email murtoamuseum@outlook.com
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James Hill (Jnr) 1850 - 1932
Farmer & Taxidermist

Open Daily
12 noon - 2pm
(Happy to open any time for one or more!)

Entry: \$9 per adult,
Children under 16 Free

Eftpos available



Murtoa is the ideal place to base yourself while exploring the Grampians and the Silo Art Trail.

Don't forget to visit The Stick Shed, Murtoa and Woods' Farming & Heritage Museum, Rupanyup.

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The Murtoa Museum Precinct



Explore History

Historical Water Tower Museum

Experience the four levels of heritage collections on display and view the water tank underbelly and pulley system on the top floor.

Learn about Murtoa's unique farming history, industry developments and notable achievers.

Be astounded by Aboriginal artefacts and ingenious relic farming and household implements.

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Historical Concordia College



Established in Murtoa, 1890



Coromby Brass Band, 1895



Explore the displays of **German and Lutheran heritage** and the longest ongoing Brass Band in Australia - the **Coromby Brass Band**.

Admire **Wedding Dresses** and learn about the **Rabbit Fur Coat story**.

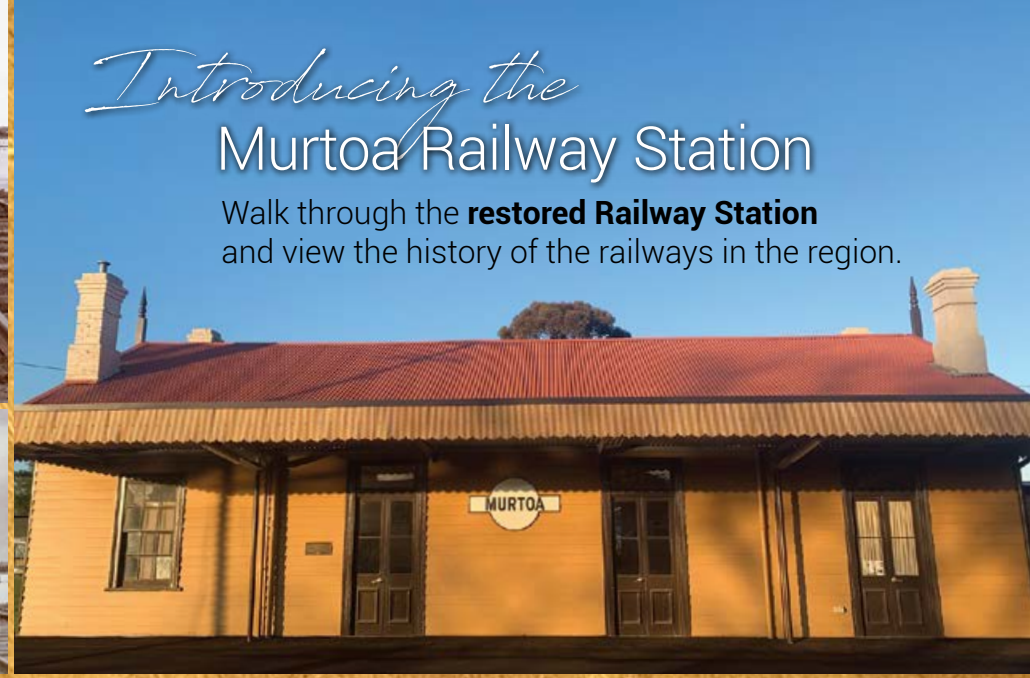
Reflect on the **Military history** of the local area.



c1890



Flood c1909

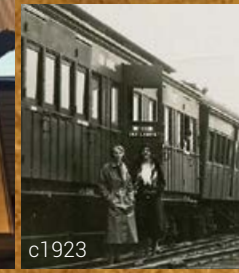


Introducing the Murtoa Railway Station

Walk through the **restored Railway Station** and view the history of the railways in the region.



c1910



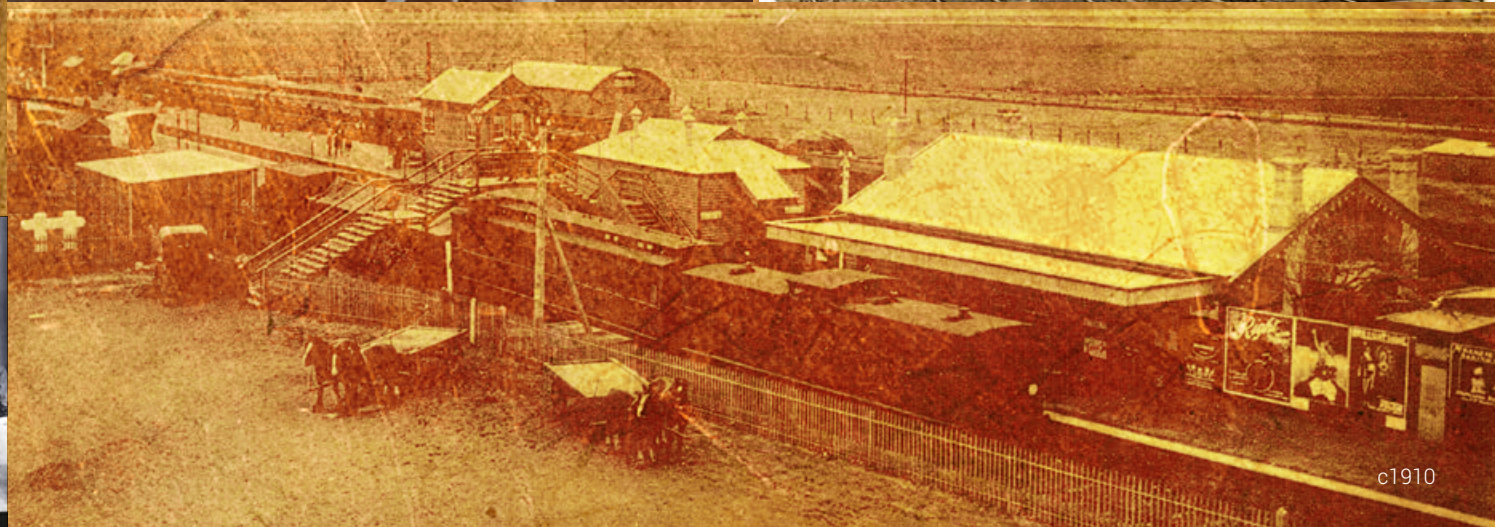
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Freezing Works Opening c1911



c1900



c1910

Concordia College Bell Tower

Ring the old
Brass Bell!

