



The Definitive Story of McHugh Bros Pottery

Tasmanian pottery manufactured by McHugh Bros. in the early 1930s is easily recognised, well marked and keenly sought after by the Australian pottery collector. Very little, though, has been said about the pottery manufactured from John McHugh's humble beginnings in North Motton.

The McHugh factory produced pottery for the local community from the 1860s through to their very successful art pottery period from 1910-1939, after which they reverted to being purely pipe manufacturers; finally being bought by Humes in 1961 and relinquishing the McHugh name in 1968.

A book written by the curator of the 'Erin May Collection' is now available. Lavishly illustrated from both private and museum pottery collections around Australia. It reveals the pottery's untold history and includes price lists, photographs of the pottery workers, historical advertising and a gallery of wares.

This limited edition hardback book of 200 pages is a must have addition for any Australian pottery collector. It can be ordered direct from the author, Robert Florey, at orgles@bigpond.com
The cost is \$85.00 plus \$20 for packaging and postage within Australia