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The post war migration to Australia and the subsequent assimilation of many thousands of people of Italian origin is now part of the very proud history of Australia.

The work of Mrs. Lena Gustin has gone a long way to making the Italian contribution to that history a memorable one.

"Mamma Lena" has spent the past 28 years of her life working towards building a better life for Italians living in Australia.

This book, "The Big Family of Mamma Lena" is an accurate account of the work she has done for the Italian Community. It will be of great value because it deals with a very important subject of interest not only to the Italian Community but to the community at large.

It is obvious that Mrs. Lena Gustin has done a great service for the Italian Community and everyone interested in multi-cultural relations will find this a valuable piece of work and of great contemporary interest.

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