

## **C DBJS      Records of J. W. Stanley (Insulations) Ltd. of Hull      1935-2020**

**Accession number:** 20/13

**Historical Background:** J. W. Stanley (Insulations) Ltd. was a heat, cold and acoustic insulation engineers. The company worked on both marine and land based boilers, as well as other aspects of insulation work. They worked with companies such as C.D Holmes, Cook, Welton & Gemmell; Dunston's and Humber Graving Dock. They also worked with the Admiralty during World War Two.

The Stanley family originated in Norfolk and the founder of the business, John William Stanley (1856-1928) was born in Morley St. Botolph, Norfolk. He moved to Hull sometime in the 1870s, working as a labourer. In 1877 he married Emily Penrose and by 1888 was listed as a boiler composition manufacturer. 1880 saw the birth of a son, John William Robert Stanley (1880-1931), who would eventually join his father's business, where he worked as a boiler coverer. In 1907 JWR Stanley married a widow, Katie Hick, who had three children, Percy, Doris and Enid. JWR Stanley took over the company in 1924 with Percy Hick (1897-1981) also becoming involved. They were eventually joined by George Edward (Ted) Stanley (1916-1986), son of JWR Stanley and Katie Hick. Ted Stanley and Percy Hick entered into a formal partnership in 1938 and the company became limited in 1955. Ted Stanley married Joyce Roberts. In 1940 they had a son, Ian Stanley who also join the business. With much of the company's work connected to the marine industry, the decline in ship building in the area during the 1970s hit their operations hard and in 1987 Ian Stanley, the last working director, put J.W. Stanley (Insulations) Ltd. into liquidation. A more complete history is contained in the document listed at C DBJS/5/1.

**Custodial history:** Created through the natural course of business of J. W. Stanley (Insulations) Ltd and deposited by Ian and Jenny Stanley in November 2020

**Description:** Articles of Association; Share certificates; Agreements; Trustees accounts; Balance Sheets; Papers relating to conscription of workforce; Family and company history; Photographs; Letters and records relating to membership of Hull and East Riding RUFC

**Arrangement:**

C DBJS/1	Articles of Association	1955-1980
C DBJS/2	Legal records	1935-1964
C DBJS/3	Financial statements	1951-1986
C DBJS/4	Records relating to the conscription of employees	1940-1949
C DBJS/5	Records relating to the Stanley family	1931-2020
C DBJS/6	Records relating to Hull and East Riding RUFC	1958

**Extent:** 2 boxes

**Related material:** At reference C DBR/664/6 and C DBR/779 are shop order books relating to transactions between Rose, Down and Thompsons and JW Stanley (Insulations) Ltd.

**Access conditions:** Access will be granted to any accredited reader

<b>C DBJS/1</b>	<b>Articles of Association for J. W. Stanley (Insulations) Ltd.</b>	<b>1955-1980</b>
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C DBJS/1/1	Articles of Association for J. W. Stanley (Insulations) Ltd. 1 item	29 Mar 1955
C DBJS/1/2	Articles of Association for J. W. Stanley (Insulations) Ltd. 1 item	27 Aug 1980
<b>C DBJS/2</b>	<b>Legal records of J. W. Stanley (Insulations) Ltd</b> 2 items and 2 bundles	<b>1935-1964</b>
C DBJS/2/1	Accounts of the Trustess of J. W.R. Stanley (deceased) Includes details of the valuations of assets, loans, mortgages and other items 1 bundle	1935-1938
C DBJS/2/2	Draft partnership agreement for J. W. Stanley & Co. i) Percival Henry George Hick, of Withernsea, East Riding of the County of York, thermal insulation contractor ii) George Edward Stanley of South Cave, East Riding of the County of York, thermal insulation contractor 1 item	5 Dec 1950
C DBJS/2/3	Share certificates for J. W. Stanley (Insulations) Ltd. 1 bundle	21 Jun 1955- 24 Jan 1964
C DBJS/2/4	Draft agreement of J. W. Stanley (Insulations) Ltd. on the retirement of P.H.G. Hicks i) Percival Henry George Hick, of Withernsea, East Riding of the County of York, company director ii) Enid Muriel Hick, his wife, the vendors iii) George Edward Stanley of South Cave, East Riding of the County of York iv) Joyce Marie Stanley, his wife, the purchasers 1 item	1963
<b>C DBJS/3</b>	<b>Financial statements of J. W. Stanley (Insulations) Ltd</b> For the year ending 8 bundles	<b>1951-1986</b>
C DBJS/3/1	Financial statements of J. W. Stanley & Co. For the year ending 1 bundle	1951-1955
C DBJS/3/2	Financial statements of J. W. Stanley (Insulations) Ltd For the year ending 1 bundle	1956-1959
C DBJS/3/3	Financial statements of J. W. Stanley (Insulations) Ltd For the year ending 1 bundle	1960-1964

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C DBJS/3/4	Financial statements of J. W. Stanley (Insulations) Ltd For the year ending 1 bundle	1965-1969
C DBJS/3/5	Financial statements of J. W. Stanley (Insulations) Ltd For the year ending 1 bundle	1970-1975
C DBJS/3/6	Financial statements of J. W. Stanley (Insulations) Ltd For the year ending 1 bundle	1976-1979
C DBJS/3/7	Financial statements of J. W. Stanley (Insulations) Ltd For the year ending 1 bundle	1980-1982
C DBJS/3/8	Financial statements of J. W. Stanley (Insulations) Ltd For the year ending 1 bundle	1983-1986
<b>C DBJS/4</b>	<b>Records relating to the conscription of employees of J. W. Stanley (Insulations) Ltd.</b> 8 bundles	<b>1940-1949</b>
C DBJS/4/1	Records relating to the conscription of William Walker, employee 1 bundle	24 Feb 1943- 18 Jan 1945
C DBJS/4/2	Records relating to the conscription of George Green, employee 1 bundle	19 Sep 1939- 13 Mar 1944
C DBJS/4/3	Records relating to the conscription of Benjamin Walker, employee 1 bundle	17 Apr 1942- 21 Aug 1945
C DBJS/4/4	Records relating to the conscription of Frank Richardson, employee 1 bundle	21 12 1942- 12 Jul 1944
C DBJS/4/5	Records relating to the conscription of Sydney Makin, employee 1 bundle	1 Jun 1942- 12 Jan 1943
C DBJS/4/6	Records relating to the conscription of William Robinson, employee 1 bundle	2-5 Apr 1943
C DBJS/4/7	Records relating to the conscription of R.J. Cooper, employee 1 bundle	28 Jun 1939- 22 Jul 1943

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C DBJS/4/8	General papers relating to the conscription of employees of J. W. Stanley (Insulations) Ltd. 1 bundle	1 Nov 1941- 19 Apr 1949
C DBJS/4/9	Papers relating to employees of J. W. Stanley (Insulations) Ltd. at the Admiralty Yard, Immingham 1 bundle	1942-1943
<b>C DBJS/5</b>	<b>Records relating to the Stanley family</b> 5 items	2020
C DBJS/5/1	History of the Stanley family and J.W. Stanley (Insulations) Ltd Compiled by Ian and Jenny Stanley 1 item	2020
C DBJS/5/2	Copies of photographs of members of the Stanley family Includes photographs of work undertaken by J.W. Stanley (Insulations) Ltd 1 item	2020
C DBJS/5/3	Letter of condolence on the death of John William Robert Stanley Copy of a letter from James Iveson, solicitor, to Mrs Katie Stanley (née Hick), both of Hull 1 item	10 Oct 1931
C DBJS/5/4	Letters of condolence on the death of George Edward (Ted) Stanley From Ken Marshall and Norman Acaster of Cochrane Shipbuilders of Selby and Stan Byatt of Yorkshire Dry Dock Co. of Hull to Joyce Stanley of South Cave 1 item	5-7 Jan 1987
C DBJS/5/5	Business card for J.W. Stanley (Insulations) Ltd 1 item	c.1970s
<b>C DBJS/6</b>	<b>Records relating to Hull and East Riding Rugby Union Football Club</b> 1 item	<b>1958</b>
C DBJS/6/1	Membership card for Hull and East Riding Rugby Union Football Club For the year 1958-1959, with accompanying letter 1 item	1 Sep 1958