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**Papers relating to the 694 Tarran
Artisan Company, Royal Engineers**

1940-1991

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Historical Background/Biographical Background: Mr. R. G. Tarran, Founder and Principal of the firm Tarran Industries Ltd. in Hull, recruited volunteers to the Tarran Artisan Company Royal Engineers, which included some of his own craftsmen, tradesmen, artisans and technicians. A complimentary and farewell dinner took place on the 12th February 1940 and just two days later the company set off to their training quarters for intensive training prior to going overseas to work on the maintenance of lines of communication, etc.

Custodial history: Some of the papers were inherited by Mr. Ronald Bunton from his father and the rest he collected. Mr. Ronald Bunton deposited the papers in April 2013.

Extent: 1 bundle

Access conditions: Access will be granted to any accredited reader

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A file of papers and photographs relating to the 694 Tarran Artisan Company, Royal Engineers
Includes typed and photocopied memoirs of Ronald Bunton regarding his time in the 694 Artisan Company Royal Engineers; photographs and copies of photographs including one of the 694 Artisan Works Company Royal Engineers, Section 3, Margate, 1940; photocopies of maps where the Company was stationed; a souvenir booklet of the Tarran Artisan Works Company farewell dinner held by Mr. R. G. Tarran on the 12th February 1940; a list of "old comrades" members of the Artisan Works Company Royal Engineers, listed in alphabetical order by surname the list also gives members' addresses and telephone numbers; a poem regarding the 694 Royal Engineers Works Unit in 1940; papers regarding the Bunton family tree; and questions and answers put together for Mr. Bunton's visit to a local school.
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