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Merchant Navy records of Samuel Rayner (1871-1948)

1900-1903

Accession number: 13/33

Biographical Background: Samuel Rayner was born in Hull on 23 April, 1871. He joined the Merchant Navy and in 1901 signed on the Glasgow registered S.S. Isis for a tour of duty that took him to Australia via South Africa. Samuel returned to the United Kingdom, where he married Martha Jane Crane in Wisbech, Cambridgeshire in 1919. He died in Berghapton, Norfolk on 14 Feburary 1948.

Custodial History: Records created as part of the merchant navy career of Samuel Rayner, and passed to the History Centre by his daughter, Avril Ryner in 2013

Description: Log Book of voyages (1901-1903); Board of Trade Continuous Record of Discharge book (1900-1903); Shipping Federation Benefit Certificate (1900); Federated Seamen's Union of Australasia Contributions book (1901-1902); Scanned copy of a photograph of Samuel Rayner, c.1902.

Extent: 5 items

Related Materials: Regsietrs of merchnat semamen can be found at The National Archives at Kew whilst the Shipping Registers for Glasgow can be found at Glasgow City Archives.

Access conditions: Access will be granted to any accredited reader

C DIRA/1	Log Book of the voyages of Samuel Rayner on the S.S.	1901-1903

Isis

Gives: full crew details; dates; weather; the courses sailed and destinations; times the vessel passed key observation points and any events that occurred in the

day. 1 item

C DIRA/2 Board of Trade Continuous Record of Discharge book

of Samuel Rayner

Gives; the name of vessels served on, tonnage and port of registry; dates served; rating; description of voyage; signature of the master and details of conduct.

1 item

C DIRA/3 Shipping Federation Benefit Certificate of Samuel

Rayner

Gives the names of the ships, dates of service and

rating 1 item

C DIRA/4 Federated Seamen's Union of Australasia

Contributions book of Samuel Rayner

Victorian Branch. Gives the amount paid, where paid in

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and received by whom.

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6 Jul 1900-15 Aug 1903

6 Jul 1900-

11 Dec 1900

1 Aug 1901-

16 Sep 1902

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Scanned copy of a photograph of Samuel Rayner Taken whilst in New South Wales C DIRA/5

c.1902

1 item