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INTRODUCTION

This company had a major trading connection with West Africa. Unfortunately, little is known about this company. The archive has an extremely interesting collection of photographs, lists, newscuttings, etc., covering every aspect of cargo handling.

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1/1 - 5	<u>Cargo Notes</u>	<u>1959 - 1967</u>
1	Photograph Album: cargo handling, Liverpool to West African Terminals.	n.d.
2	Photograph Album: containing line drawings of ships, also giving dimensions, cargo capacities and storage areas. [front index]	n.d.
3	Cargo notes: Wharfingers Department.	1959
4	Alphabetical copies of Cargo Notes: front - copies of cargo notes; back - port notes.	1963 - 1967
5	Alphabetical copies of Cargo Notes.	n.d.

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1	West African Port Information File.	1982
2	Book of newspaper cuttings taken from the <i>Liverpool Echo</i> , <i>Daily Telegraph</i> , <i>Daily Mail</i> , <i>Daily Post</i> , <i>Sunday Times</i> , the <i>Journal of Commerce</i> , <i>Hoylake News</i> and the <i>Advertiser</i> .	1963 - 1965
3	West African Trade Study.	Nov 1969
4	The Docks Regulations (1934), explained by Captain K. MacDonald.	1967
5	Table, listing the modifications to vessels. [2 copies]	Nov 1971
6	The <i>Journal of Commerce</i> and <i>Shipping Telegraph</i> newspaper - 'The Port of Merseyside'.	25 June 1965

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	Newscuttings, newspaper and Union circulars re the <i>Devlin</i> Enquiry regarding the decasualisation of dock labour and dock strikes.	
1	Folder of newspaper cuttings for general information re the decasualisation of labour.	1966 - 1967
2	Front page of the <i>Liverpool Echo</i> - Jack Jones talks to the dockers through the 'Echo'.	23 Oct 1947
3	<i>Port of Liverpool</i> newspaper.	1966
4	<i>Irish News</i> survey: Darkness over Dockland (an assessment of the London and Liverpool dock strikes, Autumn 1967).	1967
5	(a) Circular letter "Calling all Members" re the Government findings of the <i>Devlin</i> Enquiry.	n.d.
	(b) Page from the <i>Journal of Commerce and Shipping Telegraph</i> re the <i>Devlin</i> proposals.	30 Dec 1966
6	Newspaper cuttings on the Docks, Accident Prevention, Container Storage, and Port Nationalisation proposals.	1967
7	(a) Newspaper cuttings of extracts from the <i>Journal of Commerce</i> .	3 Apr 1967
	(b) Newspaper cuttings from the <i>Manchester Guardian</i> and the <i>Journal of Commerce</i> .	1968
8	Supplements from the <i>Daily Post</i> re the Port of Liverpool. [2 items]	30 Dec 1963 - 9 Sept 1965
9	Circular from the National Amalgamated Stevedores and Dockers, Merseyside Area re permanent employment.	3 Jul 1967
10	Day to day list of the withdrawal of labour.	14 May 19?? - 27 May 19??

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4/1 - 12	<u>West African Trade Study and Port Information File</u>	<u>1936 - 1987</u>
1	Receipt books of the Notice of Completion of the processes of loading, unloading or coaling at specified hatches. [2 items]	n.d.
2	(a) Handwritten monthly lists of ships and names of docks, etc.	Sept 1936 - Dec 1971
	(b) Handwritten monthly lists of ships and names of docks, etc.	Jan 1972 - Aug 1986
3	Ro-Ro Berth photographs and cuttings ex Felixstowe newspapers.	12 Jan 1976
4	Photographs of ships cargoes, various vessels and how they are stored, some showing space for containers. [58 items]	1970s
5	(a) Photographs of loading and unloading, mostly of containers. [22 items]	n.d.
	(b) Photographs of lifting equipment at quayside - <i>Sapele</i> , <i>Shauenburg</i> and the <i>Africa Palm</i> . [11 items]	1977
6	(a) Photographs of moving drums at the warehouse. [10 items]	n.d.
	(b) Photographs of cranes at dockside, in action, packing and unpacking. [14 items]	n.d.
	(c) Photographs of titanium dioxide pallets, 2 high in shed. [7 items]	Nov 1987
7	Photographs of hevar gear. [25 items]	n.d.
8	Photographs of fork lift truck, one lifting cargo. [2 items]	n.d.
9	Photographs of an unidentified person. [5 items]	n.d.
10	(a) Photographs of displaced and damaged cargo, 2 are showing coloured workers. [18 items]	n.d.
	(b) Photographs of damaged bags of cargo on the MV <i>Tarkwa</i> . [46 items]	1966

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11	Photographs of loading and unloading on ships. [18 items]	n.d.
12	Photographs of loading motor cars. [10 items]	n.d.

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1	Photographs of storage and lifting of gold blocks. [14 items]	n.d.
2	Photographs of torn and spilling bales of cotton. [26 items]	n.d.
3	(a) Photographs of men inspecting container on quayside which has been dislodged. [3 items]	1984
	(b) Photographs of containers on ships at quayside. [6 items]	n.d.
	(c) Photographs of drums of chemicals. [3 items]	n.d.
	(d) Photographs of men using lifting equipment. [2 items]	n.d.
	(e) Photographs of rolls of stored paper, and vehicles lifting large bales of tissue paper re the SS <i>Sapele</i> and <i>Falcon</i> . [6 items]	n.d.
4	(a) Photographs of equipment used for lifting vehicles. [2 items]	n.d.
	(b) Coloured photographs of cargo in the hold of a ship. [2 items]	n.d.
	(c) Coloured photographs of oil containers. [5 items]	n.d.
5	Photographs of vehicles showing trailers. [7 items]	1979
6	(a) Coloured photographs of Pilot ships alongside cargo vessel. [2 items]	1980
	(b) Photographs of outside toilets at Huskisson Quay. [3 items]	n.d.
	(c) Photographs showing the dislodgement of a container from a trawler, causing damage to wall. [3 items]	n.d.
	(d) Photographs of locking device. [2 items]	n.d.
	(e) Photograph of cargo on lifting device.	n.d.
7	(a) Photographs of steel columns and steel brackets, copper bars on the MV <i>Apapa Palm</i> and the <i>Bellerophon</i> .	n.d., 1975
	(b) Photographs of PVC Pipe on the MV <i>Apapa Palm</i> .	n.d.

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9	Photographs of cargo on the SS <i>Sapele</i> and <i>Shauenburg</i> , showing space for containers. [3 items]	1977
10	Photographs of stows on the <i>River Majidon</i> . [10 items]	n.d.
11	Photographs of disarranged and leaking drums of creosote on the SSR <i>Ogun</i> . [8 items]	1972
12	Photographs of buses and other vehicles being lifted. [25 items]	n.d.
13	Photographs from I.W. Jones showing African workers on the quayside, and an example of no labels for stowage. [4 items]	n.d.
14	Photographs of salt stow on quayside for the <i>Kohima</i> , ES3 Huskisson Dock, and salt and crusher balls. [6 items]	Oct 1973 - Mar 1974
15	Photographs of suitcases and packages with and without labels, of destination and ownership. [19 items]	n.d.
16	Photographs showing how large sacks of cargo are lifted. [5 items]	1977
17	Photographs of sacks of cargo on the SS <i>Sapele</i> ; 3 in hold of ship, 1 of cattlecake. [5 items]	1977
18	Photographs of stacks of cargo and coloured worker using fork lift truck, <i>Falaba</i> . [4 items]	n.d.
19	Photographs showing large drums of Guinness storage. [4 items]	n.d.
20	Photographs of case floor blocks on the <i>Dumbaia</i> , voyage No. 19. [7 items]	1966
21	Photographs of stacks of polythene-wrapped drums in hatch, with 2 men unloading. [3 items]	n.d.
22	Photograph of boxes marked "Glass" packed between sacks of cargo and coloured worker sitting on top.	n.d.

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23	Photograph of LMT's new Head Office at 105 Boundary Street.	n.d.
24	Cable to Palm Line re <i>Bamenda Palm</i> Safe Draft; limitation 29 feet; from Karbar, Casablanca.	1982
25	Miscellaneous photographs; framed items stored on mezzanine floor.	n.d.
26	Radar plot of the roads outside Lagos Harbour, showing all the ships awaiting a berth; many are loaded with cement which ultimately sank.	1970s
27	Large coloured picture of a vehicle from Liverpool Maritime Terminal, lifting a container.	n.d.
28	Large framed photograph of an aerial view of Lagos.	1976
	[Items 27 and 28 are too large to be produced.]	

