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from W. F. Eyden of Tiffield

Records of W.F. Eyden (Tiffield) Ltd., formerly
Messrs. W. Eyden & Son of Tiffield - builders
(& sometime wheelwrights)

Prefix W.F.E.

1. Ledger, for building work undertaken by Wm. Eyden 1804-1833
arranged by the accounts of individual
customers, in roughly chronological order.

Part 1 commences on 20.10.1804 and ends
in 1812, with a few detached entries for
1814-1817. This part is unstitched and on
a smaller size paper to the later part of
the ledger, and was found in the centre folds
of Part 2. Part 1 was used as a commonplace
book too, with poem 'Farewell my dearest
friends below', note of Notices issued by
Wm. Eyden as overseer of the poor at Tiffield,
doggerel in support of Mr. Cartwright's
candidacy, wise sayings, description (1814) of
a dispute with Mr. Hill about gate posts when
working for Mr. Flesher, and a later one with
Mr. Hill in 1815. On penultimate pages are
accounts of money 'received of the Gentlemen'
1815 and paid 'to the ringers from Mr. Flesher',
and an Inventory of the goods of George Moore
11 April 1833 (of Caldecote in Towcester).

Part 2 commences on 6.2.1812 and ends on
14.12.1833, with 2 pages in the middle relating
to 1845, and a loose account for Mr. Hill in
1843 & 1844. A few draft letters of 1845.
2. Ledger, from 10.9.1808 to 1.7.1823. Also record of 1808-1823
purchases (beans, flour, pigs etc.) from 1811.
Account 'what I ham in debt to Mother for', 1810
Vellum binding.
3. Ledger, composite volume sewn together using various 1833-1860
colours & sizes of paper,
from 23.12.1833 to Jan. 1860
Vellum binding

Loose at end: Accounts (printed) for
London City Mission 1855.

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| 4. | Ledger, | 1860 - 1871
Vellum binding | |
| 5. | Ledger, | 1872 - 1877 | (ML 3722) |
| 6. | Ledger, | 1877 - 1888
also incorporating Day Book 1890-1891
Loose at back: Accounts etc. | (ML 3723) |
| 7. | Ledger, | 1888 - 1891
Indexed | (ML 3724) |
| 8. | Ledger, | 1891 - 1898
Indexed
Loose at back: time sheet, accounts | (ML 3725) |
| 9. | Ledger, | 1898 - 1903 | (ML 3726) |
| 10. | Ledger, | 1904 - 1915
Indexed | (ML 3727) |
| 11. | Ledger, | 1914 - 1924
Indexed | (ML 3728) |
| 12. | Ledger, | 1924 - 1933
Indexed | (ML 3729) |
| 13. | Ledger, | 1933 - 1939
Indexed | (ML 3730) |
| 14. | Sales Ledger, | 1939 - 1981
arranged alphabetically by surname of customer
A - F | (ML 3731) |
| 15. | Sales Ledger, | 1939 - 1981
G - O | (ML 3732) |
| 16. | Sales Ledger, | 1939 - 1981
P - Z | (ML 3733) |
| 17. | Day Book, | 1892 - 1897 | (ML 3734) |
| 18. | Day Book, | 1898 - 1903 | (ML 3735) |
| 19. | Day Book, | 1904 - 1914 | (ML 3736) |
| 20. | Day Book, | 1915 - 1926
Loose items inside incl.
estimate & specification for Mr. Harris'
new barn at Eastcote | (ML 3737) |
| 21. | Day Book, | 1926 - 1931 | (ML 3738) |
| 22. | Day Book, | 1931 - 1933
Indexed | (ML 3739) |

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| 23. | Day Book, | 1933 - 1944 | (ML 3740) |
| 24. | Day Book, | 1933 - 1936 | (ML 3741) |
| 25. | Day Book, | 1936 - Nov. 1939 | (ML 3742) |
| 26. | Day (or Contract) loose leaf file
arranged alphabetically in
box file | 1939 - 1942 | (ML 3743) |
| 27. | Day/Contract B ook
(loose leaf) | 1943 - 1945 | (ML 3744) |
| 28. | Day/Contract loose leaf file | 1946 - 1947 | (ML 3745) |
| 29. | Day/Contract Book
(loose leaf) | 1948 - 1949 | (ML 3746) |
| 30. | Day/Contract Book
(loose leaf, as are Nos. 31-40) | 1950 - 1952 | (ML 3747) |
| 31. | Day/Contract Book | 1952 - 1954 | (ML 3748) |
| 32. | Day/Contract Book | 1955 - 1957 | (ML 3749) |
| 33. | Day/Contract Book | 1958 - 1960 | (ML 3750) |
| 34. | Day/Contract Book | 1961 - 1962 | (ML 3751) |
| 35. | Day/Contract Book | 1963 - 1964 | (ML 3752) |
| 36. | Day/Contract Book | 1965 - 1966 | (ML 3753) |
| 37. | Day/Contract Book | 1967 - 1969 | (ML 3754) |
| 38. | Day/Contract Book | 1970 - 1972 | (ML 3755) |
| 39. | Day/Contract Book | 1973 - 1976 | (ML 3756) |
| 40. | Day/Contract Book | 1977 - 1980 | (ML 3757) |
| 41. | Day/Contract loose leaf file
for work done for the
Permor Hesketh estates,
in box file | Oct. 1939 - July 1949 | (ML 3758) |
| 42. | Sales "Day Book" containing totals of
bills in the Sales Ledgers
added up to make an annual
total | Jan.1964 - Dec.1967 | (ML 3759) |
| 43. | Sales "Day Book" | Jan.1968 - June 1972 | (ML 3760) |

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44. Value Added Tax Record Book Apr. 1973 - Nov. 1981 (ML 3761)
arranged under heading
of Inputs and Outputs
45. Cash Book Jul. 1939 - Aug. 1952 (ML 3762)
recording payments by
customers, amounts banked
as well as expenditure
including wages, rates and
petty cash. There are page
references to the Sales ledgers,
Purchase ledgers, Wages books &
Petty Cash books.
46. Cash Book Sep. 1952 - Nov. 1963 (ML 3763)
as above
with summary of cash at end
of book
47. Cash Book Dec. 1963 - Mar. 1974 (ML 3764)
as above
with summary of cash at end
of book
1963-1965 only
48. Cash Book Apr. 1974 - Dec. 1978 (ML 3765)
as above
(no summary)
49. Stock in Trade Book Jan. 1937 - Jan. 1938 (ML 3766)
with annual valuations
50. Stock in Trade Book Dec. 1943 - Dec. 1946 (ML 3767)
with annual valuations
grouped by shops, yards
& sheds
51. Stock in Trade Book Dec. 1947 - Dec. 1959 (ML 3768)
with annual valuations
as above
52. Stock in Trade Book Dec. 1962 - Dec. 1975 (ML 3769)
with annual valuations
as above
- Note: Dec. 1962 is loose at front
53. Stock Taking Book Dec. 1976 - Dec. 1981 (ML 3770)
with annual valuations
as above
54. Receipt Book 29 Apr. 1974 - 4 Jan. 1975
(carbon duplicate, annotated
as to cheque or cash payment)
55. Receipt Book 31 Dec. 1974 - 3 Oct. 1974
as above
and as Nos. 56-67

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56. Receipt Book 13 Nov. 1975 - 17 May 1976
57. Receipt Book 17 May 1976 - 2 Feb. 1977
58. Receipt Book 3 Feb. 1977 - 28 Nov. 1977
59. Receipt Book 26 Jan. 1978 - 8 Sep. 1978
60. Receipt Book 11 Sep. 1978 - 12 July 1979
61. Receipt Book 12 July 1979 - 12 May 1980
62. Receipt Book 14 July 1980 - 28 July 1981
63. Receipt Book 30 July 1981 - 7 Sep. 1982
64. Receipt Book (Sundry Sales) 29 May 1973 - 18 Nov. 1977
65. Receipt Book (Sundry Sales) 23 Nov. 1977 - 14 Sep. 1982
66. Receipt Book (small size) 13 Mar. 1974 - 25 June 1980
67. Receipt Book (small size) 27 June 1980 - 10 July 1980
68. Purchase Ledger 1938 - 1981 (ML 3682)
loose leaf, arranged
alphabetically by name
of firm or subject
A - F
69. Purchase Ledger 1938 - 1981 (ML 3683)
as above, G - Q
70. Purchase Ledger 1938 - 1981 (ML 3684)
as above, R - Z
71. Invoice Book 1 July 1939 - 30 Aug. 1952 (ML 3685)
(for invoices received)
as are Nos. 72-74
72. Invoice Book 1 Sep. 1952 - 31 July 1962 (ML 3686)
73. Invoice Book 3 Aug. 1962 - 30 Nov. 1968 (ML 3687)
74. Invoice Book 1 Dec. 1968 - 3 Dec. 1976 (ML 3688)
75. Invoices
giving details of goods purchased
e.g. building materials, electrical equipment & fittings, paint
with invoices filed alphabetically by firms
- /1 1 Jan. 1969 - 30 June 1969
- /2 1 Jan. 1970 - 30 June 1970
- /3 1 July 1971 - 31 Dec. 1971
- /4 from A.R. & W. Cleaver of Northampton 1971

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75. Invoices (cont.)

/5 1 Jan. 1972 - 30 June 1972
/6 1 July 1972 - 31 Dec. 1972
/7 1 Jan. 1973 - 30 June 1973
/8 1 July 1973 - 31 Dec. 1973
/9 1 Jan. 1974 - 30 June 1974
/10 1 July 1974 - 31 Dec. 1974
/11 1 Jan. 1975 - 30 June 1975
/12 1 July 1975 - 31 Dec. 1975
/13 1 Jan. 1976 - 30 June 1976
/14 1 July 1976 - 31 Dec. 1976
/15 1 Jan. 1977 - 30 June 1977
/16 1 July 1977 - 31 Dec. 1977
/17 1 Jan. 1978 - 30 June 1978
/18 1 July 1978 - 31 Dec. 1978
/19 1 Jan. 1979 - 30 June 1979
/20 1 July 1979 - 31 Dec. 1979
/21 1 Jan. 1980 - 30 June 1980
/22 1 July 1980 - 31 Dec. 1980
/23 1 Jan. 1981 - 30 June 1981
/24 1 July 1981 - 31 Dec. 1981

76. Wages Book 7 July 1933 - 26 June 1936 (ML 3689)
77. Wages Book 28 June 1936 - 24 Dec. 1937 (ML 3690)
78. Wages Book 2 Jan. 1938 - 24 Feb. 1939 (ML 3691)
79. Wages Book 26 Feb. 1939 - 15 Mar. 1940 (ML 3692)
80. Wages Book 17 Mar. 1940 - 21 Mar. 1941 (ML 3693)
81. Wages Book 23 Mar. 1941 - 10 Apr. 1942 (ML 3694)
82. Wages Book 17 Apr. 1942 - 21 Apr. 1943 (ML 3695)
loose time sheets in front

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83.	Wages Book	24 Apr. 1943 - 30 Mar. 1944	(ML 3696)
84.	Wages Book	1 Apr. 1944 - 4 Apr. 1946	(ML 3697)
85.	Wages Book	6 Apr. 1946 - 1 Apr. 1948	(ML 3698)
86.	Wages Book	3 Apr. 1948 - 1 Apr. 1950	(ML 3699)
87.	Wages Book	3 Apr. 1950 - 5 Apr. 1952	(ML 3700)
88.	Wages Book	6 Apr. 1952 - 3 Apr. 1954	(ML 3701)
89.	Wages Book	5 Apr. 1954 - 31 Mar. 1956	(ML 3702)
90.	Wages Book	2 Apr. 1956 - 5 Apr. 1958	(ML 3703)
91.	Wages Book	7 Apr. 1958 - 2 Apr. 1960	(ML 3704)
92.	Wages Book	4 Apr. 1960 - 31 Mar. 1962	(ML 3705)
93.	Wages Book	Apr. 1962 - Mar. 1964	(ML 3706)
94.	Wages Book	Apr. 1964 - Mar. 1966	(ML 3707)
95.	Wages Book	Apr. 1966 - Mar. 1968	(ML 3708)
96.	Wages Book	Apr. 1968 - Mar. 1970	(ML 3709)
97.	Wages Book	Apr. 1970 - Mar. 1972	(ML 3710)
98.	Wages Book	Apr. 1972 - Mar. 1974	(ML 3711)
99.	Wages Book	Apr. 1974 - Mar. 1976	(ML 3712)
100.	Wages Book	Apr. 1976 - Mar. 1978	(ML 3713)
101.	Wages Book	Apr. 1978 - Mar. 1980	(ML 3714)
102.	Wages Book	Apr. 1980 - Mar. 1982	(ML 3715)
103.	Petty Cash Book	7 July 1939 - 14 Nov. 1947	(ML 3716)
104.	Petty Cash Book	18 Nov. 1947 - 30 Nov. 1956	(ML 3717)
105.	Petty Cash Book	1 Dec. 1956 - 30 Dec. 1964	(ML 3718)
106.	Petty Cash Book	1 Jan. 1965 - 30 June 1969	(ML 3719)
107.	Petty Cash Book	1 July 1969 - 2 Jan. 1973	(ML 3720)
108.	Petty Cash Book	6 Jan. 1973 - 25 Dec. 1976	(ML 3721)

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109. Customers Files (approx. 1,000) c. 1945 - 1982
of correspondence with individuals,
societies, church councils, parish councils,
Northants County Council, landed estates, and
Tiffield Reformatory etc.
and including architectural plans, specifications
& estimates, reports on buildings, trade catalogues
- /1. Abbott - Baker
 - /2. Ball - Bellham
 - /3. Benham - Blisworth
 - /4. Blood - Bruce
 - /5. Bucks Water Board - Contracts
 - /6. Cook - Docherty
 - /7. Docks - Farthingstone
 - /8. Fenwick - Foster (& see 34 for Fermor Hesketh Estates)
 - /9. Foster N. - Gee
 - /10. Gee - Grant Ives
 - /11. Green - Harper
 - /12. Harries - Holloway
 - /13. Hollowell - Iredale
 - /14. Ironmonger - Ledger
 - /15. Lee - Mainwood
 - /16. Major - Millard
 - /17. Miller - Musgrave
 - /18. National Provincial - N.C.C. Towcester
 - /19. Northants. Co. Council Towcester - Nicholls
 - /20. Nicholson - Page
 - /21. Paice - Paulerspury Church
 - /22. Paulerspury - Roberts
 - /23. Plessey - Roberts
 - /24. Roberson - Shenley Church
 - /25. Sherry - Spick
 - /26. Spokes - Stoke Bruerne Church

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109.	Customers Files (cont.)	
/27.	Stoke Bruerne Methodist Ch apel - Stroud	
/28.	Strutt & Parker - Thomas	
/29.	Thompson - Towcester R.D.C.	
/30.	Towcester Scouts - Waller	
/31.	Wappenham Church - Wicken School	
/32.	Wigley - Wragg	
/33.	Wright - Zimmerman	
/34.	Fermor Hesketh Estates	
110.	Balance Sheet with Trading & Profit & Loss Account as at (Wm. Eyden & Son)	31 Dec. 1938
111.	Ditto as at enclosing lists of creditors & debtors	31 Dec. 1939
112.	Ditto as at (Messrs. W. Eyden & Son (W.F. Eyden Esq.) of Tiffield)	31 Dec. 1950
113.	Ditto as at	31 Dec. 1951
114.	Ditto as at	31 Dec. 1952
115.	Ditto as at	31 Dec. 1954
116.	Ditto as at	31 Dec. 1955
117.	Ditto as at	31 Dec. 1956
118.	Ditto as at	31 Dec. 1957
119.	Ditto as at	31 Dec. 1960
120.	Ditto as at	31 Dec. 1961
121.	Ditto as at (Messrs. W.F. Eyden (Tiffield) Ltd.) loose inside: Agenda for 1st Gen. Meeting	31 Dec. 1963
122.	Ditto as at	31 Dec. 1964
123.	Ditto	31 Dec. 1964 - 31 Mar. 1965
124.	Ditto	31 Dec. 1964 - 30 Jun. 1965
125.	Ditto for year ended Loose: Statement of loan accounts	31 Dec. 1965
126.	Ditto for year ended	31 Dec. 1967

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127.	Ditto	for year ended	31 Dec. 1968
128.	Ditto	" $\frac{1}{2}$ " "	30 June 1969
129.	Ditto	for year ended	31 Dec. 1969
	includes Directors report		
130.	Ditto	" " "	31 Dec. 1970
	includes Directors report		
131.	Balance Sheet, Accounts & Directors Report	for year ended	31 Dec. 1971
132.	Ditto	" $\frac{1}{2}$ " "	30 June 1972
133.	Ditto	" year "	31 Dec. 1972
134.	Ditto	" " "	31 Dec. 1973
135.	Ditto	" $\frac{1}{2}$ " "	30 June 1974
136.	Ditto	" year "	31 Dec. 1974
137.	Ditto	" " "	31 Dec. 1975
138.	Ditto	" $\frac{1}{2}$ " "	30 June 1976
139.	Ditto	" year "	31 Dec. 1976
140.	Ditto	" $\frac{1}{2}$ " "	30 June 1977
141.	Ditto	" year "	31 Dec. 1977
142.	Ditto	" $\frac{1}{2}$ " "	30 June 1978
143.	Ditto	" year "	31 Dec. 1978
144.	Ditto	" $\frac{1}{2}$ " "	30 June 1979
145.	Ditto	" year "	31 Dec. 1979
146.	Ditto	" $\frac{1}{2}$ " "	30 June 1980
147.	Ditto	" year "	31 Dec. 1980
148.	Ditto	" " "	31 Dec. 1981

149. Memorandum and Articles of Association
of W.F. Eyden (Tiffield) Ltd.
incorporated 5 June 1963

Subscribers : Wm. Frank Eyden & Constance Mary Eyden
of 7 High Street South, Tiffield.

Printed, 23 pages.

Miscellaneous

Items found in WFE 5 (ML 3722)

150. Printed Rules and Regulations of the Tiffield Church Allotments consisting of 14 paragraphs, followed by Declaration of tenant William Eyden, signed by him and witnessed by Louisa Turner, 27.3.1856
151. Printed Order of Procession 4.3.1870
for the funeral of Lady Anna Maria Arabella Fermor-Hesketh leaving Easton Neston (for Blisworth Station and thence by railway to Rufford (Lancs.))
giving names of officials, dignitaries, employees on the estate, tenantry and household.
Undertaker: W. Jenkinson of Towcester.
152. Indenture of Apprenticeship 28.7.1874
- (1) Charles Augustus Perring of Pattishall - clerk
George Osborn of Pattishall - land agent
Philip Grove of Eastcote in Pattishall - farmer
John Brittain Harris of Pattishall - farmer
Henry Shephard of Pattishall - farmer
George Cockerill of Pattishall - farmer
(the present Minister, Churchwardens & Overseers of Pattishall)
- (2) Thomas Rodhouse
son of John Rodhouse, a poor inhabitant of Pattishall
- (3) William Eydon of Tiffield - carpenter & wheelwright
- (3) agrees to take (2) for 5 years as apprentice
Consideration money : £15, with a further £15 half way through the apprenticeship (the money derived from Lady Leveson's Charity).
Received for £15
153. Account 21 & 22.6.1887
of receipts and payments
in connection with Queen Victoria's Golden Jubilee, 1887.
Sir T. Fermor Hesketh gave half a fat beast. Payment of £1.10.0 to Mr. Eyden.
Overleaf: Programme of the events including meals, church service and cricket match versus Eastcote.
Description of Dinner "admirably done" by J.C. Frost of Tiffield - baker.
Signed by Rector - Rev. J.T. Harcourt Delafons.

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154.

Commemorative Hymn Sheet

9.4.1899

"In Memoriam" containing the
words of Farewell Hymns to be sung
at the evening service in Tiffield Church
at the retirement of Rev. J.T. Harcourt
Delafons M.A., R.D.
(41 years Rector of Tiffield & 28 years
Rural Dean of Brackley 2nd Deanery)

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