

MARITIME ARCHIVES & LIBRARY

INFORMATION SHEET NO. 33

ALTERNATIVE PHOTOGRAPHIC SOURCES & FURTHER RESEARCH

Photography Department
National Museums Liverpool
PO Box 33
127 Dale Street
Liverpool
L69 3LA
Tel: 0151 478 4657
Fax: 0151 478 4028
Email: photography@liverpoolmuseums.org.uk
Website: www.liverpoolmuseums.org.uk

Other Institutions

Imperial War Museum
Lambeth Road
London
SE1 6HZ
Tel: 020 7416 522/1/2/6
Fax: 020 7416 5374
Email: docs@iwm.org.uk
Website: www.iwm.org.uk

National Maritime Museum
Romney Road
Greenwich
London
SE10 9NF
Tel: 020 8312 8600 (Photographic Enquiries)
Email: plansandphotos@nmm.ac.uk
Website: www.nmm.ac.uk

For Ships built by Harland & Wolff:

Curator of Manuscripts
Royal Naval Museum
HM Naval Base
Portsmouth
Hampshire
PO1 3NH
Tel: 023 9272 7577
Email: matthew.sheldon@royalnavalmuseum.org.uk
Website: www.royalnavalmuseum.org.uk

Ulster Folk & Transport Museum
Cultra
Holywood
County Down
BT18 0EU
Northern Ireland
Tel: 02890 428428
Email: ustm@talk21.com
Website: www.uftm.org.uk/collections-and-research

Further Research

Ship photographs can also be researched by contacting the yard where a ship was built. The series of publications, Lloyd's Registers (available at libraries or other repositories within most large cities with a maritime/shipbuilding history), normally list the place of build and the shipbuilding yard. If the yard is no longer in existence, then a further search could be made to find out if the records from the shipbuilding yard have been transferred to an archive. The publication below (which should be obtainable from your library on inter-library loan), is a useful source for locating shipbuilding archives:

RITCHIE, L.A. - Editor
*The Shipbuilding Industry - A Guide to Historical Records
Studies in British Business Archives*
Manchester University Press, 1992
ISBN 0 7190 3805 7 (hardback)

The small advertisements in some shipping magazines are another potential source for researching images of ships, giving contact details of photographic suppliers. Please see below:

Sea Breezes

Units 28-30
Spring Valley Industrial Estate
Braddan
Isle of Man
IM2 2QS
Tel: 01624 626018
Email: seabreezes@manninmedia.co.im
Website: www.manninmedia.co.im

Ships Monthly

IPC Country and Leisure Media Ltd.
Marine Division
222 Branston Road
Burton-on-Trent
DE14 3BT
Tel: 01283 542721
Email: shipsmonthly@ipcmedia.com

ISDN: 01624 677173