DUNCAN LOANE PTY.

GENERAL MERCHANTS, DEVONPORT

Duncan Loane Pty. was founded in 1910 by Duncan Loane, formerly Devonport manager for A.G. Webster & sons, and on his retirement in 1922 the firm was made into a proprietary company. Directors included W.H. Edwards, managing director, G.C. Walch, R.J.D. Loane etc. The firm dealt especially in farm machinery, holding a number of agencies for overseas firms, such as Ransome & Sims of England, as well as Australian firms, including water pumps by wind mill and electric or diesel rams. They also dealt in fertilisers, fencing wires, corn sacks, gates, etc. and act as agents for insurance.

D7/1 Correspondence 1949 - 1954  
Mainly about technical aspects of machinery

2-4 Stock ledgers  
2 1910 - 1911  
3 1951 - 1919 (with details of disposal)  
3 1922 - 1934 (with details of sales)  
(3 vols)

5 Order & delivery book 1943 - 1948  
Includes name and address of buyer

6 Miscellaneous printed papers

GEORGE NEWTON LEVY

7 Account book of G. N. Levy 1900 - 1917  
Record of sums owed him for work done etc.