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CARTER & PEACE, BUILDERS, BURNIE

Carter & Peace, building contractors and hardware merchants were established in Burnie in 1920 by J.C. Peace and A.H. Carter. Mr Peace died in 1946 and Mr Carter in 1960, but the firm continued until 1970 when the Peace estate was wound up and the managing director, A.H. McInnes, retired and was sold in 1971.

The firm undertook building work through out the north west coast, including, for example: Devon Hospital (1924), N.W. Butter Factory, Ulverstone Picture Theatre (1926), Bay View Hotel (1927), Ulverstone State School (1927), Burnie Technical School (1946), St. David's Church Cooee (?1931), Somerset Bacon Factory (?1936), Baptist Church Offices Launceston (1934), Burnie Star of The Sea Church side altars (?1939). The records cover the period 1920-1957 and include estimates books, which contain a detailed list of fittings and materials needed and are especially useful, correspondence and staff pay records.

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Letter Books Oct. 1922 - July 1938

Copies of letters sent relating to building jobs in pressed copy book, including index of names of addressees.

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| 1 | Oct. 1922 | - | May 1926 |
| 2 | June 1926 | - | July 1931 |
| 3 | Aug. 1931 | - | July 1936 |
| 4 | July 1936 | - | July 1938 (part vol. unused) |
- (4 vols)

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Estimate and quotation books 1922 - 1950

Detailed lists of fittings including ranges, doors, blinds, meat safe, sinks, pipes, cement, paint, contingencies etc. entered under heading of client's name.

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| 5 | Oct. 1922 | - | c. Feb 1927 |
| 6 | May 1927 | - | Aug. 1932 |
| 7 | c 1929 | - | Mar. 1942 (Pub. buildings etc.) |
| 8 | 1934 | - | c 1936 |
| 9 | 1936 | - | 1937 |
| 10 | 1938 | - | 1939 |
| 11 | 1940 | - | 1942 |
| 12 | 1946 | - | 1950 (part vol. unused) |
- (8 vols.)

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Wages analysis book 1947 - 1951

Noting name, position, rate of pay, dependents, tax for staff including Director, carpenters, joiners etc.

13 1947 - 1951

14 1956 - 1957

(2 vols)

15 Pay book July 1949 - June 1952

Weekly payments: names and signatures for sums received.
(vol.)

16 Balance statements July 1931 - 1938

Monthly and annual summaries of balances and transactions
(papers stapled together in annual bundles)