



Records Description List

Reference Number: 1976.0017

Collection/Series Title: **ELLIS, FRANK**

Creator	Ellis, Frank
Creator's Activity/Occupation	University administrators

Creator's Historical Note

Ellis was born in 1886 and educated at the Prince Alfred College in Adelaide. After graduating he worked as a lecturer at the Technical College in Tasmania from 1910 until his appointment in 1918 as Superintendent. Ellis resigned in 1927 when he was appointed Principal of the Melbourne Technical College and became a key figure in the movement to establish Melbourne's first institute of technology. He was Secretary of the Technical University Development Committee and Honorary Treasurer of the Institute of Industrial Management, Australia. During World War Two, Ellis trained technical personnel. He retired from Melbourne Technical College in 1952.

Date Range of Collection/Series	1910-1960	
Size/Extent	72 cm. (6 archives boxes)	
Access Conditions	Access: Open	

Scope and Content of Collection/Series

Correspondence 1937-1956; speeches and pamphlets 1925-1060; testimonials 1910-1927; photographs; papers, minutes and reports of organizations with which Ellis was involved, incl. the Fac. of Eng. Univ. of Melb. 1948; Engineering Graduate Sub-Committee 1950, Melb. Tech. College Council 1944, Tech. College Board 1944-1948, Committee for proposed Univ. of Technology 1946-1956, conference for co-operation btw. Melb. Tech. College and Univ. of Melb. 1941; Collingwood Tech. College report 1934-41; newspaper cuttings 1947-53; diploma syllabuses 1924-55.

Collection Category	University, individuals	
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Unit/Box	Item Number	Title	Date Range	Description
1976.0017 Unit 1	1976.0017.0000 .0001		1940-1950	Papers re status of Melbourne Teaching College; Institute of Technology Committee etc. 1940-1950
1976.0017 Unit 2	1976.0017.0000 .0002		1956-1957	E's speeches, writing; Symposium of (word unclear) material 1956-1957, collected by Association of Professional Engineers, October 1957; Articles on Technical Education
1976.0017 Unit 3	1976.0017.0000 .0003			Lecture notes
1976.0017 Unit 4	1976.0017.0000 .0004			Syllabi - diploma; Correspondence courses
1976.0017 Unit 5	1976.0017.0000 .0005		1940	Collingwood Technical School Enquiry 1940; Newscuttings
1976.0017 Unit 6	1976.0017.0000 .0006		1940-1956	University of Technology Committee 1955-1956; Also copies lodged by Tony Dare(?) re PhD. Box also includes 1977.0011 - 1 folder

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