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## Harold Leighton Kesteven Collection

Papers of the medical section of the Allied Works Council, Civil Construction Corps, 1942 to 1945

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| <b>Size</b>      | 1 box                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| <b>Contents</b>  | Correspondence, reports, circulars, lists and location of staff and camps; A history of the Civil Construction Corps prepared by the Dept. of Works and Housing; Reports of AWC and copy of inquiry under the National Security regulations into allegations concerning the administration of the Allied Works Council. |
| <b>Biography</b> | Dr Kesteven was director of the Medical section of the Civil Construction Corps. The Civil Construction Corps was the construction area of the Allied Works Council established during World War 2 to provide defence infrastructure for the Allied forces in Australia.                                                |
| <b>Notes</b>     | Open access<br>Some items inserted in the collection by Marcus Ahrens, see listing for details.                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |

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**Box 1**

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| <b>1</b>      | <b>Theodore, E. G.</b><br>[Correspondence] Director-General of Allied Works, E G Theodore, 30 Sep 1942 to Senator J S Collings, Minister for the Interior. <i>This was inserted by Mr Marcus Ahrens. Photocopied from Australian Archives.</i>                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| <b>2 – 4</b>  | <b>Allied Works Council</b><br>(3) letters from Allied Works Council to H. L. Kesteven, 1943 to 1945                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| <b>5</b>      | <b>Australia. Department of the Army.</b><br>12 Feb 1944 letter to H. L. Kesteven                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| <b>6</b>      | <b>Kesteven, Harold Leighton</b><br>21 Mar 1944, memo to N. J. White, Director of Personnel.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| <b>7 – 16</b> | <b>Australia. Department of Works and Housing.</b><br>Reports on camps, circulars, staff lists, location of staff and camps, standard requirements for camps and standard menus, etc. Also duplicated reports on the activities of the Civil Construction Corps, Mechanical Equipment Directorate, Sydney Graving dock, the Allied Works Council and on the Construction of small ships, aerodromes and wartime road construction. |

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- 17** History of the Civil Construction Corps established under National Security (Allied Works) Regulations 1942-1945 and its administration by the Personnel Directorate of the Allied Works Council. Typescript bound.
- 18 - 19** **Allied Works Council**  
Report: Feb 1942 to Jun 1943; Report: Jul 1943 to Feb 1945. These items inserted by Marcus Ahrens. All green markings on reports are made by him.
- 20** **Inquiry under the National Security regulations into certain allegations concerning the administration of the Allied Works Council.**  
Report. Includes Index of matters dealt with, terms of reference, lists of legal representation and witnesses. This item was inserted by Marcus Ahrens. Green markings made by him.