



# Lithgow Small Arms Factory Museum Inc

*A factory history - a people profile*

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Matthew Johnson  
Community and Culture Manager  
Lithgow City Council

13<sup>th</sup> July 2013

Dear Matthew,

Further to an earlier discussion with Mayor Statham the museum would like to formalise a request for Council to donate the illuminated address presented to Arthur H Butler on September 4<sup>th</sup> 1918 by the Lithgow Small Arms Factory Employees & Munitions Workers Association.

This address has close ties to the Factory and its industrial history. If our request is successful we will consult with conservators from the Power House Museum and Museums & Galleries NSW regarding conservation/restoration of the address with a view to place it on public display in our "Unionism at the Factory" display.

We would like to make the point that this museum's collection is held by the museum trustees on behalf of the people of Lithgow and any material transferred to the museum by Council is not lost to the community.

Regards

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1918



ARTHUR H. BUTLER

**W**e the fellow employees & members of the above Association having regard for your 5 YEARS stewardship as our General Secretary feel that we cannot allow you to relinquish that office without asking you to accept a token of our appreciation of the very capable manner in which you discharged your duties during the above mentioned period.

Now that you have been relieved of Official Responsibilities we ask you to accept this Address which carries with it the very best wishes of every member of the Association for the health wealth & prosperity of yourself your good wife & your family.

We beg to subscribe ourselves on behalf of the General Association

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