

D. R. Atkinson - Bibliography

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Introduction

David Atkinson F.S.A. was born on 26th January 1934 and died on 22nd October 2011. He developed an interest in clay tobacco pipes during the 1940s and started publishing notes on them during the 1950s. He became a good friend of Adrian Oswald and worked closely with him on a number of projects, most notably their 1969 study of London pipes. David was one of the most influential pipe researchers during the second half of the twentieth century and, in particular, studied the pipes and pipemakers of Sussex, London, central southern England and the Broseley area. Following his death the author worked with Susie White to compile a bibliography of his papers on pipes (Higgins 2011), an updated version of which is provided below. In 2012, his collection of books, papers and pipes was donated to the National Pipe Archive (Accession Number LIVNP 2012.06), which is currently held at the University of Liverpool. A summary of this collection has been published in SCPR 82 (Higgins 2012) and it can be used for reference or research by prior appointment with the curator, Dr Susie White (nctpa@talktalk.net).

D. R. Atkinson - Published Pipe Research

Although born David Richard Aubrey Atkinson, his works were usually just published under the name of D. R. Atkinson. The following is as complete a list of his works as it has been possible to compile as of April 2013, totalling more than 70 in all. Most, if not all, of these works should be available for consultation at the National Pipe Archive (see above). If anyone spots any errors or omissions to this list, the author would be very glad to hear from them so that it can be revised (david_higgins@talktalk.net).

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