

# Historical Snapshots – Esquimalt Municipal Archives

## Divers of Yarrow



This 1920 photo shows clearance divers and crews employed by the shipyard. As will often happen, the image shows a member of a distinguished Esquimalt family. In this photo, Louis Da Costa is shown seated wearing the 'hard hat' diving suit, and behind him is Charlie Jones with his arms folded.

All too often, there is little evidence, photographic or documentary of industrial workers. It's a field in which we definitely have to expand our holdings.