

Charles Oliver Gardner

The following details were shared by Mary Gardner:

Charles Oliver Gardner had a string of layoffs and short-term employment since his return from the war in 1946 until he landed his dream job.

He was offered a position by A.V. Roe as a Radar Mechanic in Malton to which he applied in 1954, (he was a Radar Technician during the war), but turned it down, likely because he was already working in Toronto at Canadian Arsenals.

He worked for only six months at Avro in Malton from February 20, 1956, to July 27, 1956 as a Milling Machine Operator, as per the Separation of Employment document attached. As per his resume "experience with rotary table, index head 40:1 and compound angles to tolerances of .0005 in aluminum, magnesium, titanium and hardened steel". "Milwaukee and Cincinnati vertical and horizontal mills"

As well, he applied in September 1958 for employment to Avro but was not offered a position.

Dad eventually found his dream job setting up a 12,000 square foot machine shop at the University of Waterloo in 1959 during the University's infancy. He spent the rest of his career there, and I think he enjoyed it immensely.

EMPLOYEE



AVRO AIRCRAFT LIMITED

18354

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SEPARATION OF EMPLOYMENT

NAME: GARDNER, C.

DEPT. HEAD Mr. F. Lee

ADDRESS: 1224 Northaven Drive, PORT CREDIT, Ontario.

EMPLOYEE NUMBER: 71801

DEPT.
NUMBER:

3724



PLANT



STAFF



MALE



FEMALE

LEAVING DATE: 27 July 1956

AT

A.M.

4.15

P.M.

START DATE February 20, 195



QUIT



DISCHARGED



LAID OFF

OTHER REASON

REASON FOR
SEPARATION:

OWN ACCORD

PAY WILL BE PICKED
UP AT (TIME):

A.M.

3.30

P.M., ON

Friday 27 July 1956

(DATE)

MAIL PAY TO:

CLASSIFICATION: Operator Milling Machine 'A' J.L. 6

RATE: \$1.78

Charles Gardner

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YES



NO



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NO



J. J. Heisle
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