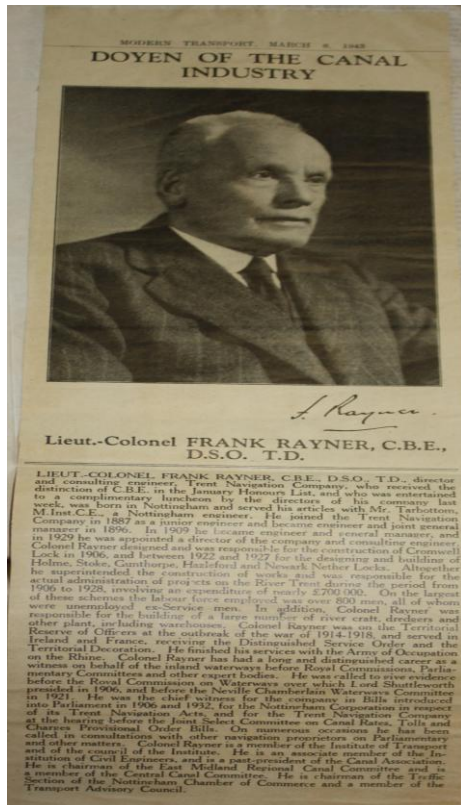




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## TRADE AND TRAFFIC ON THE TRENT, 1850-1970



Photograph from the periodical *Modern Transport* in 1943

### The Trent Navigation Company

- The Company was created following an Act of Parliament in 1783 to improve the River Trent and existed until 1940 when it was taken over by the Trent River Catchment Board
- By 1800 the Company presided over a river carrying more diverse commodities after it connected with the Beeston, Derby, Grantham and Nottingham canals
- The Company records have formed an important component in the research of the *Trade and Traffic*
- Opposite is a photograph of the former-Director of the Trent Navigation Company, Lieut-Colonel Frank Rayner, having received a C.B.E. for his work in the waterways industry



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