

PROPRIUM.

see also SM 7/120

- 1-6 Printed copies of proof stages of Proprium, with amendments etc, c 1890-96.
7-7A Kalendarium Perpetuum, 1914.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION etc.

- 8 Clapperton: historical documents, 1803-78
9 Parliamentary Bills, 1855
10 Convents, 1856-76
11 Mass Celebrations, 1901-13
12-13 Prisons, 1865-1897.
14 Miscellaneous administration, 1839 - c 1881.
14A - Stations of the Cross.

PARTICULAR PLACES + PRIESTS.

- 15 Aberdeen documents, 1883-94
16-19 Griffin: clergy lists.
20-22 John MacPherson: copy letters, lists + biographies of clergy, 1846-70
23-24 William Grady: letters to him; his own letter-books, 1879-1912 (see also no 80)
28-32 Taggart Papers - correspondence with Hope Scott and others, 1853-92

BUTE CORRESPONDENCE. and topics concerning Bute.

- 33 Bute's letters, 1880-86 (college at St Andrews, etc).
34 Charles MacDonald to Bute, 1886-87
35 Bute's letters, 1890 (Carmelite church at Queensferry; Oban malters)
36 Oban Choir, 1890
37-38 Bute's letters, 1892-95 (proposed RC college for St Andrews; Dunfermline chapel)
39 Blais improvement v New College, St Andrews, 1892-95
40-41 Bute's letters, 1896-99 (Dunfermline ceremony; Miss Freer's ghosts)
42 Lord Bute's Trust, 1895-1911

DOCUMENTS, MAINLY FOR ROME. (also for Propagation de la Foi)

- 43 Descriptions of state of religion in Scotland, 1862-98
44 Ternas, 1878-1912

ROMAN DOCUMENTS

- 45 Papal Bulls giving Episcopal Appointments, 1914-19.
46 Petitions, Faculties etc: Cathedrals + Chapters, 1885-1916
47 " " " Rituals, faculty sheets, 1876-1905
48 " " " Easter, Lent, Abstinence, 1884-1915
49 " " " Masses, Holy Eucharist, [Christmas etc] 1879-1911
50 Faculties: dispensing clerics, blessing rosaries etc, confraternities, 1866-1906
51-52 " matrimonial cases, 1883-1916
53 Petitions, faculties etc: Convents, 1884-1917.
54 PTO.

ROMAN DOCUMENTS contd.

- 54 Societies: Holy Childhood, Liberorum Muratorum, 1841-56
 55-55A Miscellaneous Roman documents, 1878-99
 56 " " " 1900-16
 57 Papal documents, miscellaneous, 1822-1903
 58 " encyclicals, 1851-80
 59 " allocutions, 1851-81
 60 Apostolic letters, 1842-81

MISCELLANEOUS

- 61 Printed documents, Non-Scottish, 1860-1900
 62-63 Archive lists, 1915, n.d.
 64-71 Sermons, Rev James Carruthers [c 1814-29]
 72-73 " Rev Alexander Gordon c 1828-34
 74-75 Life of Venerable Anna Maria Taigi
 76 Miscellaneous notes, n.d.
 77 Scottish Mission Papers, 1911-20, nd.
 78 Scottish non Mission Papers, 1900-10.
 79 Non-Scottish papers, 1905-25

NEWSPAPER CUTTINGS.

- 80-82 Mgr Grady's collection of cuttings and notes, 1883-1912, 1864
 83 Scotsman, 9 Sept 1880
 84 The Catholic Union Gazette, March 1915

PROPRIUM

See also ED 5/143

1. "Officia Propria Sanctorum Scotiae" printed copy, left hand pages blank, annotated with changes made at meeting of bishops and committee in April 1890
2. "Officia Propria Sanctorum Scotiae", printed copy docketed :-
 "Proprium as sent to Rome in 1896"
 "Dunkeld's working copy"
 "Changes made by Abp McD in new revision for Rome, Spring 1899 are entered here so far as known by me": James Smith's hand.
 copy annotated by James Smith. Covers missing
3. Another copy of above, front page loose, annotated copy, covers missing
 "Duplicate of Revise" in James Smith's hand on front page.
4. SAINTS Calendar of Saints beginning with Kentigern and giving Lessons, Mass, Collect etc for each. The text is prefaced by an introduction. Printed copy, Latin and English, docketed "1. James H. Smith" on front page; no covers.
5. SAINTS "In the diocese of Aberdeen" commencing with Nachlan. printed copy uniform with above. "2 JAS" on front page
6. SAINTS: SUGGESTIONS FOR ALTERATIONS.
 1. Revision of the Offices of Adamnan and Cairnich by Mr Grant, printed copy with annotations.
 "3. JAS" on front page.
 2. Comments on the Office of St Patrick: printed copy, uniform with above,
 "4. James A. Smith" on front page.

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KALENDARIVM PERPETIVM. for use in The Archdiocese of Edinburgh.

1. Kalendarium Perpetuum: printed pamphlet with appropriate Scottish Saints filled in in manuscript, 15 April 1914
2. Note from Sacred Congregation of Rites about Feast of St Brigit, 27 Oct 1914
3. D Mackintosh, Rome to Abp Smith enclosing the above, 27 Oct. 1914
4. Envelope.

7A-C PROPRIUM: Congregation of Rites, 1896-1901, Latin.

7A * S. Andreae et Edinburgen. Concessionis et Approbationis Officiorum et
Missarum in Honorem Peculiarium Scotiae Sanctorum",
printed Rome 1896, covers loose
" + Angus MacDonald" in title page

7B * "S Andreae et Edinburgen. Confirmationis Cultus servus dei Adamnano ---
etc" printed Rome 1898 2 copies See below
" + Angus Macdonald" on cover

7C * "S Andreae et Edinburgen. Concessionis et Approbationis Officiorum et
Missarum nec non Elogiorum Martyrologio Inserendorum honori
Peculiarium Scotiae Sanctorum", printed Rome 1901. See below

The above * did not come with the ED deposit but were found at
Drygrange * 7A - 7C

2. Additional note

Several documents bound together:

Informatio super dubio	18 May 1898	pp 1-5	
Summarium "	24 Feb "	pp 1-28	
Animadversiones "	24 May "	pp 1-3	
Responsio (to same)	5 Jun "	pp 1-9	
Summarium additioale	3 " "	pp 1-3	
Secretum (postic)	5 Jul "		loose in 1 copy loose " bibl. copies

3. Additional note

Several documents bound together

Petition	17 May 1901	pp 1-13
Summarium I-III		1-127
" additioale I-II		1-6
Adnotationes Proem Fidei	25 Jun 1901	1-4
Responsio (to same)	12 Jul 1901	1-10
St Kentigern: confirmation	11 Aug "	[1-2]

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CLAPPERTON: HISTORICAL DOCUMENTS, 1803-1878

The following documents were sent by Clapperton, or are copies of those sent by him, nos 1, 2 being docketed by Angus MacDonald.

1. Postulation and terna for appointment of coadjutor to Bp John Chisholm, 1 Aug 1803. Copy sent by Wm Clapperton, in his hand., Latin
2. Division of Scotland into 2 Vicariates 1732; 3 Vicariates 1827, typescript made from copies by Wm Clapperton, Latin.
3. Apostolic letter by Leo XIII restoring the Scottish Hierarchy, printed Edinburgh 1878, found with 1, 2 above.
4. Typescript extract from above.

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PARLIAMENTARY BILLS, 1855, printed.

1. A Bill to amend the Laws concerning the Burial of the Dead in Scotland, 15 March 1855, sent to John Boyle.
2. A Bill to impose further Restrictions upon irregular Marriages in Scotland, 26 March 1855, sent to John Boyle.
3. A Bill to make further Provision for the Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages in Scotland, 26 March 1855, sent to John Boyle.

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CONVERTS 1856-76

1. William Smith: list of converts, 1856-58, notebook.
2. Angus MacDonald: converts received into Church, 1872-1876, with a couple of later notes by James Smith, notebooks.

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MASS CELEBRATIONS, 1901-13

Notebook giving dates when masses were celebrated for various people, in hands of Canon Grady + others

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PRISONS, 1865-78

1. D. Murray, Chambers of County Prison Board, Edinburgh to Bp Strain: the Prison Committee on Internal Management will report on Strain's application to have a Catholic prison chaplain, 7 Oct 1865
2. Excerpts from minutes of above Committee regarding Bp Strain's application, and excerpt minutes of special general meeting of the Board approving the same, 20 Oct 1865
3. D. Murray to Bp Strain sending the above excerpts, 24 Oct 1865
4. J. Burton, Office of Prison Managers, Edinburgh to William Smith, Perth: The prison managers decline to adopt arrangements "of so novel and peculiar a character" as those suggested by Smith, 17 March 1873
5. same to same: cases where prisoners are believed to have been registered in error as Catholics, 24 Jan 1875
6. William Smith, Perth to Dr Burton, Prison manager about the change in the worksheet of Isabella Sievewright's denomination from Catholic to Church of Scotland, 14 Dec 1875, draft.
7. J. A. Burton to Wm Smith hoping to meet him to discuss the problem [of Isabella Sievewright], 20 Jan 1876
8. Wm Smith to Dr Burton: asking him to put in writing his answer to Smith's remonstrance of 14 Dec 1875; 22 Jan 1876, draft
9. same to same: refusing to waive the "particular instance" of Isabella Sievewright, 25 Jan 1876, draft.
10. J. Burton to Wm Smith; the managers of the prison wish that Smith should always be treated with every courtesy; under the Rules they are empowered to give such instructions as are necessary to ascertain religious denominations of prisoners, 28 Jan 1876
11. William Smith: copies of correspondence between himself and Dr Burton regarding religious denominations of prisoners, 14 Dec 1875 - 9 Feb 1876
12. Bishop Strain laying forward a grievance regarding Catholic prisoners in Edinburgh, whom the priest is not allowed to visit unless specifically requested to by a prisoner, n. d. draft.
13. Copy of above in William Smith's hand.
14. William Donaldson, Prison Commission to the Governor of Edinburgh Prison: The Commission cannot recognise the existence of any office in the Prison of which Abp Strain has the right of appointment, 13 July 1878, copy in Wm Smith's hand.
15. A. Liddell, Whitehall to Bp Strain: Mr Cross will consider Strain's letter regarding religious instruction of Catholics in Edinburgh Prison, 11 Dec 1878

PRISONS, 1882 - 97

1. William Smith: Memorandum for Lord Rosebery regarding Government sanction for a Catholic Prison Chaplain, n.d., draft.
2. Lord Rosebery, Whitehall to Abp Strain: The question of a Catholic Chaplain to the Edinburgh prison will be considered carefully once the prison has been reconstructed, 28 Nov 1882
3. Cruickshank, Prison Commission to Abp Wm Smith: The Secretary for Scotland has approved the appointment of an RC visiting clergyman for Edinburgh prison at a salary of £70 p.a., 11 June 1886.
4. Wm Donaldson, Prison Commission to same: appointment of Canon Dmteuy as Edinburgh Prison's RC visiting Clergyman.
5. George Cruickshank, Prison Commission to same: agreement to appointment of an RC visiting chaplain at Dundee at £20 pa, 8 May 1889
6. Robert Clapperton, Dundee to same suggesting himself as prison chaplain, 10 May 1889.
7. George Cruickshank to same acknowledging receipt of recommendation to chaplaincy, 13 May 1889.
8. same to same: acceptance of nomination of Mr Clapperton as RC visiting clergyman at Dundee
9. Andrew Thomson, St Marys, Peterhead to the Marquis of Lothian: his duties as RC visiting Clergyman at Peterhead Prison; he is applying for an increase in salary, 27 Nov 1890, copy.
10. Wm Donaldson, Prison Commission to Abp Smith about Mr Thomson's application for an increase in salary, 5 Dec 1890
11. same to same acknowledging the Abp's letter regarding Mr Thomson's application, 10 Dec 1890
12. Bp Hugh MacDonald, Aberdeen: "On the Remarks made by the Commissioners of Prisons regarding the payment of salaries to RC Chaplains", 11 Feb 1891
13. "Answers to Remarks about Prison Chaplains": comments by Abp Eyre, Bp of Argyll, Bp Ncheklan, Bp Smith, n.d. In James Smith's hand.
14. Wm Donaldson to Abp Smith enclosing a copy of Andrew Thomson's letter of 30 April 1891 about his application for a salary increase, 5 May 1891
15. same to same: the application regarding the salary of the RC visiting clergyman at Peterhead will go before the Commissioners, 19 May 1891
16. same to same about increasing the Peterhead salary by reducing that of the Perth RC Chaplain, 26 May 1891
17. Prison Commission to Abp MacDonald: RC prisoners at Aberdeen, 3 Feb 1897
18. Wm Donaldson to same: salaries of RC chaplains at Barmillie, Glasgow, Perth prisons, 8 April 1897 with copy reply by Abp MacDonald

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MISCELLANEOUS ADMINISTRATION 1839 - c1881

1. Baptism certificate of John Edgar, born 26 March 1816; extract from register made in 1839
2. Minutes of meeting held in St Marys [1844], Wm Smith's hand.
3. Minutes of meeting held in St Marys, Glasgow, on 16 June 1857, signed by Charles McKenzie and Wm Smith, Lullithgow 30 Sept 1857., Wm Smith's hand.
4. John Carmant: application to Friendly Society and to St Andrews Society for Blairgowrie Mission [July 1857]
5. Minutes of Committee meeting held in Lullithgow 30 Sept 1857, Wm Smith's hand.
6. Part of minutes of meeting, n.d., Wm Smith's hand.
7. Donald McKay, Duminin "Questiones Theologicae pro conventibus Districtus occidentalis Scotiae", 16 April 1872.
8. Decisions taken at meeting of secular clergy of Edinburgh, 30 May 1881
9. Proposed decrees on discipline, + Registers, n.d. - Wm Smith's hand with additional note by Strain.
10. Bishop John MacDonald - questions regarding clerical retreats; n.d., Italian
11. Note on conditional baptisms, and on days per week taken up by baptisms in Aberdeen, n.d. [Wm Stopani's hand]
12. Map and table showing Roman Catholic Establishments in England, Scotland and Wales, 1833 - 1867. Drawn up by the Scottish Reformation Society. "James A Smith" written on back.
13. Bp Graham: form for permission to erect Stations of the Cross, n.d.

14A

1897 - 1922: Bishop's counterfoil book of parish requests for permission to erect Stations of the Cross: Abp A. MacDonald, Bp Graham.

14B

1923 - 1929 Bishop's counterfoil book: Stations of the Cross, Bp Graham.

14C

1918 - 1920 Letters from the Friary, Glasgow re erection of Stations of the Cross, (5 items)

ABERDEEN DOCUMENTS, 1883-94.

1. Description of the first mass celebrated by Bp John MacDonalld at the new altar of St John the Evangelist, 8 Dec 1883, draft.
2. Epitaphs of Bps James Kyle (d. 1869) and John MacDonalld (d. 1889), n.d., Latin.
3. Cardinal Simoni to Bp John MacDonalld about erecting parishes, having chapters in diocese and about proposing candidates for vacant sees, 27 July 1883, Latin.
4. Cardinal Ledochawski to Bp Hugh MacDonalld about the celebration of masses for the soul of the benefactor, Robert James, 25 Sept 1894, Latin.
5. Bp Hugh MacDonalld to "Emo et Rmo Princeps" about Robert James case, 29 Sept 1894, copy, Latin.
6. same to Pope about Robert James celebrations, n.d., Latin.
7. Cardinal Ledochawski to Bp Hugh MacDonalld defining the obligations regarding Robert James celebrations.

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JOHN MACPHERSON PAPERS.

20 LETTERBOOK. etc 1846-70.

Large notebook containing

- f. 1. Extract from Shanahan at Clonnel, March 1832. Shares in mission fund.
- r 2 Notes on Dr Johnson on Catholicism; Aberdeen Educational Society, etc.
- H 3-4 Diary, 1846
- H 5-9 Biography of Paul MacPherson.
- r 9 Biographies of Robert Cameron, Charles MacDonald., deaths of various priests.
- * H 10-18 Copy letters, Dec 1848 - Sept 1858
- r 19 List of Clergymen in the Northern District, May 1838 and afterwards.
- H 20-28 Copy letters, Sept 1858 - May 1870
- * H 33-34 List of Clergymen in Western District, May 1838 and afterwards.
- * H 39-40 " " Eastern District, May 1838 and afterwards.
- * r 40 Notes on Perth Mission at Stobhall.
- * H 41 and 43 biography of Wm Wallace.
- * r 44 " " Wm Reid.
- * H 41-45 biographies of Bps Gillis and Carmichael, crossed out. These two biographies seem to be rather mixed up among the columns.

* note written "upside down"

21 LIST OF CLERGYMEN ON THE SCOTTISH MISSION at the Partition of Scotland into three Districts. 21 Sept 1828 and after that date.

Vol I from 1828-1854 inclusive, bound notebook

21A **Vol II** from 1855-1870 ; bound notebook.

22 BISHOP GILLIS: BIOGRAPHICAL NOTES.

1. Biography of Gillis by John MacPherson.
2. Notes on above, later hand.

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GRADY PAPERS 1883 - 1911

1. E. C. Heddowick, Glasgow to Wm Grady: does not know who is Alexander Heddowick's successor, 28 Dec 1883
2. Bp Rigg to same: Bruce endowment for Falkirk, problem of Mr Barrett, 30 Aug 1883
3. same to same: Bruce benefaction, etc, n. d. [1883?]
4. Wm Considine, Edinburgh to same, Falkirk: sending him some letters from Mr Cair together with a plan, 27 March 1884
5. Bp Rigg to same: opening of hall of Gieff mission; Falkirk feu and Bruce endowment, 5 Jan 1884
6. Bp Rigg to same about signing deed of Assumption; Kinnoull retreat; opening of convent at Dumpres, 28 Aug 1884
7. same to same: glad Grady is going to build at Slamannan and sending a contribution, 29 Aug 1884.
8. William Geddes, Perth to same: Bp Rigg's health, 17 June 1885
9. John Smith, Stirling to same: Considine's application for re-admission to college; Stuart's case and the Archbishop's "Anniversary", 26 May 1885
- 10 → 11. Reginald Schomberg, Herefordshire to same: asking for information about a Mrs Oliver, now deceased; etc, 23 June 1911
12. notes about money, 1866-68 (found among Grady papers.)
- 10 13. Patrick Norris, Falkirk to Provost [Grady] about 11 St John Street, 23 Feb 1911

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MAGINI CORRESPONDENCE, 1890-92

- 1-4. Benvenuto Magini, Rome to [Grady], 1890-92, Italian; found inside (26) below.

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WILLIAM GRADY: Letter Book 1. Aug 1879 - Jan 1889, bound vol.

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WILLIAM GRADY: Letter Book 2. March 1890 - March 1912, bound vol.

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WILLIAM GRADY: Letter Book 3. Oct 1895 - Dec 1911: Correspondence concerning Edinburgh Catholic Schools; bound vol.

Note: see also ED 7/80 for Mr Grady's Newspaper cuttings volume.

28 TAGGART PAPERS, 1853-64 : Correspondence with Hope Scott.

1. James Hope [Scott], Abbotsford to Mr Taggart: enclosing cheque on account of Galashiels; more on Galashiels mission, 7 Jan 1853
2. James Hope Scott, Abbotsford to same: enclosing cheque for Galashiels, 22 Aug 1853
3. same to same sending cheque as above, 31 Dec 1853.
4. same to same hoping to visit him next week, and sending cheque for Galashiels and for the Poor, 5 Jan 1855
5. same to same enclosing cheque; complaining about Wm MacLoughlin, 25 Feb 1855
6. Ho Hope Scott to same enclosing cheque, 18 Sept 1855
7. same to same: hoping he is not ill as he didn't come to Abbotsford, 28 Dec 1855
8. same to same: sorry he is unwell; sending him some clothes for the "distressed poor" of Hawick, also some books for his lending library, and cheque. 11 Jan 1856
9. James Hope Scott to same: sending money to help poor of Hawick in cold weather; his wife is pregnant. 1 Oct 1856
10. Mrs Hope Scott to same: asking him to stay, 12 Feb 1857.
11. same to same enclosing cheque for Hawick poor, etc, 7 Jan 1858
12. James Hope Scott to same enclosing cheque, 13 Feb 1858
13. same, London to same: sending cheque which includes contribution for poor during winter: especially in memory of his wife who cared about the poor, 12 Nov 1858
14. same to same sending cheque; the railway strike of Hawick area, 19 Feb 1859
15. same, Strontian to same: he cannot afford to buy the land that Mr Taggart mentions; encloses cheque for usual $\frac{1}{2}$ yearly payment, 10 Oct 1859
16. same, Abbotsford to same enclosing cheque; death of Lord John Scott; will try to expedite school settlement, 5 Jan 1860
17. same, London to same enclosing cheque, 17 July 1860
18. same, Abbotsford to same: enclosing cheque; asks for prayers, 14 Jan 1861
19. same, Sussex to same: enclosing cheque. Taggart's proposed trust. 14 Dec 1863
20. same, London to same enclosing cheque, 27 Nov 1864

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TAGGART PAPERS: Hope Scott, 1867-74

1. Patrick Taggart, Hawick to Mr Hope Scott hoping to visit Abbotsford,
7 Dec 1867
2. James Hope Scott, London to Mr Taggart; Lady Victoria has
birth to a son but is ill herself, 13 Dec 1870
3. Messrs MacNitchil, Bayley and Henderson, Royal Exchange to same: Mr
Hope Scott's annuity to him while he is priest at Hawick, 20 May 1873
4. same to same sending his annuity, 21 Jan 1874.
5. Patrick Taggart: notes on receipt for annuity; list of Hope Scott's Trustees,
notes about Hope Scott's will, 1874.

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TAGGART PAPERS: General Correspondence, 1859-81

1. Francis Mc Kerrell, Jedburgh to Patrick Taggart; troubles in Kelso, information
about a book, 4 Nov 1859, with quotations written on the back page
by Taggart
2. Terence Maguire, Huntly to same about a possible housekeeper for him, 10 Apr '61.
with draft reply by Taggart on back
3. same to same; more about the possible housekeeper, 13 April 1861.
4. same to same: the lady in question wants to know if she is to go to
Hawick, 24 April 1861
5. John Galvin, Dumfries to same; he got a sick call which he thinks belongs
to Taggart, 22 Jan 1862
6. same to same: further on the sick call and to whom it should belong,
25 Jan 1862.
7. Patrick Taggart to John Galvin; an extremely rude reply about the sick
call, 27 Jan 1862
8. another copy of above, with a curt note by Galvin on back.
9. same to Mr MacFarlane sending him a letter from a priest with his
reply to it [probably the correspondence with Galvin], 24 Feb 1862
10. same to Duchess of Buccleuch about Mr Cowan's statement regarding
school & teacher's house, 19 Dec 1863, draft?
11. Wm Dawrie, Traquair to [Taggart]: Lady Louisa wants him to visit
Traquair, 8 Aug 1868, with note by Taggart on back re Insh church.
12. Abp Strain: appeal for money to build church in St Andrews, 1881,
circular.
13. John Magini, Lennoxtown to [Taggart]: summons to Synod, 7 Nov 1881

31 TAGGART PAPERS: General Correspondence 1885-92.

- See
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1. Address to William Smith, printed circular sent to Taggart.
 2. Bishop Bernard Finegan, Cavan recommending to the charity of the faithful the convent of Bally Camesduff, 28 June 1886, circular.
 3. J. Campbell, Rome to Patrick Taggart: the foundation of the Scots College, Rome, its representatives and rights, etc. Advice regarding management of the bursaries that Taggart wants to establish, 28 April 1888.
 4. Cardinal Simeoni, Rome to same about the three Taggart Bursaries to the Scots College, Rome, 10 Oct 1888, Latin.
 5. J. Campbell, Rome to same: details of the three students at present on Taggart bursaries, 10 Aug 1889.
 6. Prefettura dei SS Palazzi Apostolici: decree appointing Patrick Taggart a Monsignor, 19 Sept 1890, Italian.
 7. Abp. Smith, Edinburgh to [Patrick Taggart] enclosing above document, 29 Sept 1890.
 8. Messrs Haddon + Turnbull, Hawick to Taggart: asking to see a disposition so that they can settle the boundaries of a property, 30 Oct 1890 with reply by Taggart on back.
 9. Joseph Holder, Dundee: Presentation to Rev P J Grant, Blair, 2 Dec 1890, printed circular to clergy, copy addressed to Taggart.
 10. Scottish Hierarchy: appeal for money to build a new College at Blair, 3 March 1892, printed circular, copy addressed to Taggart.
 11. Archibald MacDonald, Dundee to [Taggart]: about a possible housekeeper, n.d.

32 TAGGART PAPERS: Miscellaneous.

- 1-3 Baptism certificates, 24 April 1862 - all concerning Mary Cairns.
- 4-5 Baptism certificates - Maurice Connor, 18 Nov 1867.
- 6 Inventory of vestments and altar furniture, n.d.
- 7 Ticket to J Taggart for Hawick Horticultural Society show, n.d. with a riddle about Colours on the back.
- 8 Photograph of house [Traquair?]
- 9 Engraving of the interior of the house of the Carmelite Friary.

CHARLES MACDONALD TO BUTE, 1886-87

1. Charles Macdonald, Cairo to Lord Bute: his journey out from England, (fascinating descriptions of Port Said, Suez etc), 31 Dec 1886.
2. same to same about the Arab gentleman who was born a Catholic; description of Cairo; news of Dr Grant, etc 9 Jan 1887.
3. same to same: his change of hotel; life in Cairo, visit to the Pyramids, 17 Jan 1887
4. same to same: getting permission to study the Koran, studying Arabic and Coptic, the Franciscan monastery and adjacent convent; etc, 24 Jan 1887.

BUTE'S LETTERS, 1890

1. Lord Bute, Rothsay to "Rev Sir"; history of the Earls of Bute, and a Bute Fund which became part of the Russian Quota Fund; this fund was founded by Christian Dundas of that ilk. of whom he wants more information with details of her coat of arms, 10 Jan 1890
2. same to same about the Carmelite Church at Queensferry on which the Dundas archives throw some light, 13 Jan 1890
3. same to same: Countess Christian; the Carmelite Friary, etc, 15 Jan '90
4. same, Falkland to same; offering him a subscription for his chapel; the Carmelite Church, 12 March 1890
5. H. Turner, S. Queensferry to Archbishop Wm Smith enclosing the above letters (1-4) from Lord Bute, 30 April 1890
6. Lord Bute, Falkland to Abp Smith: all the things he has provided at Oban from the Pro-Cathedral, orphanage, organist to vestments etc. His problem keeping a chaplain; his proposal for founding two Prebends at Oban, 10 July 1890, with draft reply by Abp Smith.
7. same to same: Oban matters, 12 July 1890
8. same to same: his chaplain, Francis de Carolis, [16 July 1890]
9. same to same: need for daily recitation of office in Oban Cathedral, the bad treatment meted out to him, 21 July 1890
10. same to same, sending copy of his correspondence with Cardinal Simoni, 22 July
11. same to same: further on Oban matters; his complaint against Mrs Brennan and her husband, 23 July 1890
12. same, Chiswick to same: Oban matters, 1 Aug 1890
13. same to same: possible nominations to Aberdeen bishopric, 5 Aug 1890
14. same to same: Oban Cathedral office, and Mr + Mrs Brennan's jealousy 9 Aug 1890
15. same to same: Cardinal's direction regarding office in Oban Cathedral, 15 Aug 1890

BUTE'S LETTERS, 1880-86.

1. Lord Bute, Tunbridge Wells to "Rev Doctor" about a paper by himself and Mr Grant of Eskdale, 26 Oct 1880
2. same to same thanking him for his criticisms regarding Saint David I, and making further comments on that King of Scots, 5 Nov 1880
3. same, Chiswick to "Rev. Sir", sending copies of the works by Mr Grant of Eskdale and himself 21 May 1881
4. same to same thanking him for his opinion of the drafts, 25 May 1881
5. same, Harrogate to "Rev Doctor": he has recommended him to an Arab gentleman from Syria who is Catholic by birth, 18 Aug 1881
6. same to same: further on the Arab gentleman; the works by himself and Mr Grant, 20 Aug 1881
7. same to same: The Arab was most pleased at the kindness shown him in Edinburgh, 5 Sept 1881
8. same to same: the mission of St Andrews; possibility of a Catholic college being started there; don't waste money on an iron chapel; but build chapel with house that could accommodate students, 8 Sept 1881
9. same to same: settling a mission at St Andrews; the proprium; possibility of attaching seminaries to the Universities of Glasgow and Edinburgh; but students of seminaries wouldn't pass the preliminary exams; etc. Idea of College at St Andrews, 10 Sept 1881
10. same, Dumprie's House to same: sending the concluding set of notes by himself and Rev C. Grant, which, once approved can be sent to Rome [ie Proprium], 18 Dec 1882.
11. same, Chiswick to Mr Smith: about Mr Hope Scott's site at St Andrews; advises erection of an iron church and presbytery, 25 Jan 1884
12. same to Abp Wm Smith: sending cheque for Fr. Angus, priest at St Andrews; Fr Angus's extravagances and lack of financial acumen, 18 Nov 1885
13. same, Dumprie's House to same: his many commitments, 27 July 1886
same, Cologne and Bayreuth to same: his detailed plans and ideas for a Catholic College, with reasons for its establishment etc; long letter written between 1st and 9th Aug 1886.

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OBAN CHOIR, 1890

1. Bp Angus MacDonald, Oban to Abp Smith: Lord Bute calls his stopping of services at Oban a "public insult"; he had good reasons for requiring de Carolis to be removed; 17 July 1890
2. same to same: he thought Bishops had the authority to regulate ecclesiastical affairs, not a [noble] layman. Bute insisted on a temporary church with full choir; and refused to acknowledge the impracticability of the latter. A reasonable amount of choir work might have been possible, etc; Bute's scheme to import Italian chaplains + prebends, etc, 17 July 1890
3. same to same: summary of the essential features of the case regarding the "Bute choir", 18 July 1890
4. same to Cardinal Simeoni on the "Bute Choir" case, 24 July 1890, copy, Latin.
5. same to Abp Smith: his letter to Cardinal Simeoni; he will never, himself, be able to get anywhere with Bute; Bute's ridiculous notion regarding the Brevens; he acknowledges Bute's excellent motives, 25 July 1890

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BUTE'S LETTERS, 1892-94

1. Lord Bute, Falkland to Abp MacDonald hoping to be present at his investiture with the Pallium, 21 Aug 1892
2. same, Rotheray to same: improbability of obtaining the late Mr Russell Walker's drawings [for St Nigts, Dunfermline]; a competition of designs might answer; he will contribute more if he likes the plan, 11 Feb 1893
3. same, London to same: Principal Donaldson of St Andrews University wants a meeting; possible Catholic college at St Andrews, 24 June 1893
4. same, Falkland to [Bp of Gallaway]; his solicitor is preparing a draft agreement, 17 Oct 1893
5. same, Dumpries House to Abp MacDonald: proposed St Andrews College, and offer of his estate by the ex-Provost, Mr Paterson, 13 March 1894
6. same, Falkland to same: Mr Dewar's researches into psychic phenomena; statues of Bp of Ross etc for outside the National Portrait Gallery; his election as Rector of "SXA", 13 April 1894
7. same to same: Mr Dewar and ghosts; proposed St Andrews College; objections to his rectorship; Dunfermline mission, 18, 20 April 1894
8. Francis Anderson, Rotheray to same: about getting estimates [for Dunfermline chapel?], 18 Aug 1894
9. Lord Bute, St Andrews to same: laying foundation stone at Dunfermline; objections to proposed St Andrews College by "Dundee Advertiser", 23 Sept 1894

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- 10 Lord Bute, Rothesay to Abp MacDonald: form of ceremony for blessing corner stone at Dunfermline, plan for ceremony, 5 Oct 1894
- 11 same, to same: the forthcoming ceremony at Dunfermline, 22 Oct 1894
- 12 same, Falkland to same: congratulating him on sermon preached at Dunfermline ceremony, 17 Nov 1894
- 13 same, St Andrews to same: the position of St Andrews University vis-a-vis proposed Catholic College, and Dundee College, 4 Dec 1894
- 14 same, Falkland to same: St Andrews University matters, his rectorship, his little chapel at Falkland which he wants to sell, 11 Dec 1894
- 15 same to same: [Falkland?] chapel; letter of Blair's rector, 15 Dec 1894

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BUTE'S LETTERS, 1895

1. Lord Bute, Rothesay to Abp MacDonald: St Andrews College and Blair's rector's attitude, 3 Jan 1895
- 2 same to same: Canon Chisholm's letter to Professor Knight, 5 Jan 1895
- 3 same, Dumfries House to same: the report to Rome c 1800 on second sight by the Vicars Apostolic, 22 Feb 1895
- 4 same to same: Miss Goodrich Freer's researches into second sight in the Highlands, 10 March 1895
- 5 same to same: Miss Freer's researches; Bp Hay's superstitions; etc, 19 March 1895
- 6 same, Falkland to Propaganda: about the proposed Catholic College for St Andrews, 26 March 1895, copy, Italian
- 7 same, London to Abp MacDonald: Cardinal Ledochowski's letter regarding the proposed Catholic College; Dundee College v St Andrews University intrigues, etc which involved the Catholic College, etc, 27 May 1895
- 8 same, Rothesay to same: thanking him for his letter, 12 Aug 1895
- 9 same, Falkland to same: his re-election as rector of SXA, University politics, 28 Dec 1895

BLAIRS IMPROVEMENTS v. NEW COLLEGE, ST. ANDREWS, 1892-95

1. James Smith, Perth to Abp MacDonald: congratulations on his promotion to Archbishop; need to get Blairs plans settled; enclosing leaflet about "Catholic Herald" 12 July 1892.
2. same to same: forthcoming meeting to sort out college questions; etc, 16 July '92
3. same to same: more on college problems to be sorted out, 20 July 1892.
4. Bp of Galloway to Abp MacDonald: wants Maguire with powers to act for Abp Eyre, for Blairs meeting, 21 July 1892, telegram.
5. James Smith to same: temptation to buy Glasgow out of Blairs, 26 July '92.
6. same to same: Hanson's plans for Blairs, 28 July 1892.
7. same to same: The proposed new College at St Andrews and the reactions of Principal Donaldson; methods of teaching that would be insisted on, etc, 20 Feb 1893
8. same to George Smith, appending copy of letter from Lord Bute about the proposed college, necessary examinations, etc, 21 Feb 1893
9. George Smith, Rokesay to James Smith: his comments on Bute's letter regarding St Andrews, 23 Feb 1893, with copies of comments by Abp Eyre and Administrators added by James Smith.
10. James Smith: "Memorial on the Proposed College at St Andrews"; n.d.
11. same: "Negotiations with Lord Bute about College", n.d., signed as seen and approved by George Smith, 25 Feb 1893.
12. same to Abp MacDonald about his "Negotiations with Lord Bute --" paper; abstinence questions, etc, 3 March 1893
13. Abp MacDonald "The New College Scheme", 3 April 1893, with comments added by the various bishops.
14. Draft Copy Agreement between Lord Bute and the Roman Catholic Bishops, [Oct 1893]
15. Copy of correspondence between the Bishop of Galloway and A. M. Pitman about the above draft agreement, with comments on various of its clauses, 24, 27 Nov 1893.
16. A M Pitman to Bp of Galloway enclosing new draft agreement between Bute and the Bishop; 27 Jan 1894, typescript copy of letter and agreement.
17. James Smith, Dundee to Abp MacDonald: the paper he sent to Rgr Campbell for presentation regarding the College scheme and Lord Bute; Bute's involvement in university politics, 22 May 1894
18. Copy of correspondence between Lord Bute and Cardinal Ledochowski, March - April 1895, Italian.
19. James Smith to Abp MacDonald: the new University Ordinances; Lord Bute and the St Andrews College scheme, 27 March 1895
20. Copy of correspondence between Aeneas Chisholm, Bp of Galloway and Lord Bute about false rumours re College Scheme, Sept 1895

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BUTE'S LETTERS, 1896-97

1. Francis Anderson, Falkland to Abp MacDonald; sending cheque from Lord Bute for East Calder; Bute wants account of cost of Dunfermline Foundation Stone, 6 Feb 1896
2. Lord Bute to same: may Mr. Haynes make a copy of the portrait of Cardinal Beaton at Blairs? 7 April 1896, with copy reply by the Abp.
3. Francis Anderson, London to same: sending cheque for Dunfermline Memorial Stone, and returning various papers, 26 May 1896
4. Lord Bute to same: forthcoming ceremony at Dunfermline; Proprium matters, 4 June 1896
5. same to same: Proprium - better to have it for St Andrews province only than not at all; the Scottish Church Society; observation of Holidays of Obligation; St Andrews University matters, 1 July 1896
6. same, Cardiff to same: New medical school at St Andrews; - he wants 3 Catholics sent to it on his funds; The Dundee College has no connection with St Andrews so his funds can't be used for it; 10 Aug '96
7. same, Rothsay to same sending [£1,000] towards Dunfermline Chapel, 5 Jan 1897
8. same, Falkland to same; Spirits; enclosing a message "automatically written in north attic, 19 April [1897]
9. same, Rothsay to same: success of pilgrimage; Jubilee circular, 19 June 1897.
10. same, London to same enclosing letter from Duchess of Argyll who sent Abp MacDonald's letter to the Queen, 2 July 1897
11. A. Goodrich Freer, Herts to same: her book on the spirits of Ballenduin; the affairs of Holywell, n.d.

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LORD BUTE'S LETTERS, 1898-99

1. Lord Bute, London to Abp MacDonald: mass at Pluscarden, 11 May 1898
2. same to same: Proprium matters; Pluscarden matters; skeleton dug up at St Andrews, - second sighted St Andrews Student; 11 June 1898
3. same to same: saying of mass in Priory at Sx A; 30 June 1898
4. same to same: the skeleton they dug up - whom it might have been, etc; Miss Freer's visions about it; 4 July 1898
5. same, Falkland to same: The re-burial of the bones, "dressed" in a habit with all due solemnity, 16 July 1898
6. same, London to same; heraldic matters as regards church dignitaries: mitres being preferable to hats; etc 18-25 June 1898
7. same, Falkland to same: Miss Wingfield and thought transference; spirit photographs, etc, 18 July 1898
8. P.T.O.

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- 8 Lady Bute, London to Abp MacDonald; writing to Lord Bute's dictation about a Ritual in the possession of the Aberdeen Ecclesiastical Association, 5 Dec 1899
- 9 Lord Bute, Elgin to same; spiritualism, mediums, etc; Celebration of mass in old Catholic buildings - he has bought the old Greyfriars church in Elgin, 26 July, n.d.
- 10 Lady Bute, Dumpres House to same; they leave for London tomorrow, 28 Nov, n.d.
- 11 same to same sending something from Lord Bute, 28 Nov, n.d.

LORD BUTE'S TRUST, 1895-1911

1. Excerpt from holograph Codicil by Lord Bute of 2 Dec 1895, extract made in 1901. It regards students for St Andrews University.
2. J & F Anderson, Edinburgh to Abp of Edinburgh: The codicil to Bute's will which provides for the maintenance of students chosen by the Abp at St Andrews University, 10 Dec 1900
3. same to same: further on above legacy; investment of money, 21 Dec 1900
4. same to same; Deed of Mortification should be adjusted soon, 18 March 1901
5. Wm Considine to Abp Smith: Lord Bute's Mortification, 28 March 1901
6. Books of Council & Session: Extract Registered Deed of Declaration of Trust Purposes by Abp James Smith: The Marquess of Bute's Bequest - St Andrews University Students, dated 30 March, registered 3 April 1901
7. Bute Mortification: Certificate for £750 Highland Railway 4 1/4 Debenture stock, 24 April 1901
8. Income: Bute mortification, 1901-05, Abp Smith's hand.
9. Bute Mortification: income and grants, 1901-08, Abp Smith's hand.
10. "Reclaiming Bute Burses' Income Tax, 31 March 1911, Abp Smith's hand.
11. Wm Considine to Abp Smith: dividends and burses connected with Bute mortification, 3 April 1911
- 12-13 envelopes.