

MISCELLANEOUS CORRESPONDENCE ETC., 1854-85

1. Excerpts from minutes of meeting of claims of Paupers Committee, and of other meetings regarding schools where pauper children are educated, 1854.
2. J. Blackie, Edinburgh, (Education Dept), to Wm Smith: The failure of three candidates from Maryfield School, 1 April 1879.
3. Br Procope, Mount St Michael, Dumfries to same: changes in certificated teachers at school following death of Provincial, 28 July 1881.
4. J. Dunbar, Maryfield to same: he is going to put a ventilator in the wall of his base box but doesn't think it will annoy the Brothers, 1 June 1882.
5. same to same agreeing to remove the ventilator should it prove to be a nuisance, 5 June 1882.
6. Mary Gonzaga, Franciscan Convent to same: need to replace Sr M. Angelina with Mary Boyle (Sr Mary Philippa), an even better qualified teacher, 6 July 1883.
7. same to same sending Mary Luisa Kerigan to teach in the Infant School, 10 Dec 1883.
8. same to same: if they are going to be asked for a sister's parchment in every case the sisters will be withdrawn from the schools: ie they must be free to appoint & change teachers at the schools without having recourse to consulting every manager each time, 11 Dec 1883.
9. Wm Smith to Mother Abbess: The managers must have teachers' certificates to ensure that the teachers appointed are fully competent, 12 Dec 1883, draft.
10. Br Procope, Saint-Genis-Laval to Wm Smith: about changes among the Brothers teaching at Maryfield School; objecting to having to get approval for each change from managers; problems of Maryfield, 20 Feb '84.
11. B. William, St Andrews School: length of employment of, and satisfactory performance of teacher Thomas Kilcoyne, 21 Feb 1885.
12. Brother Alphonse, Glasgow to [?]: regarding the deduction of Grant, the Brothers teaching in Edinburgh should not have to bear the whole loss, n.d.
13. Ecclesiastical Inspector of Schools, Liverpool: Schedule no 1 to be filled in so that the children of the congregation may be examined, n.d., uncompleted form.
14. same: Schedule no 2: Report of Examination in Religious Knowledge, n.d., uncompleted form.
15. Religious Knowledge: Subjects of Examination for Pupil Teachers, n.d., printed sheet.

POSITION OF CATHOLIC SCHOOLS - documents - 1901-02.

1. The Position of Catholic Schools in Scotland: Minutes of meeting of Committee appointed by Archbishops + Bishops of Scotland, 24 Jan 1901, carbon copy.
2. Position of Catholic Schools in Scotland: Minutes of Meeting of Diocesan delegates, 24 May 1901, carbon copy
3. Canon Cameron's Statement on the Position of Catholic Schools, made on behalf of Committee, n.d., carbon copy.
4. The Position of Catholic Schools in Scotland: Resume of Memorandum read by the Very Rev Donald Cann Mackintosh at Meeting of Diocesan Delegates - 24 May 1901, St Mary's Cathedral Stamp, carbon copy.
5. Memorandum on the Position of Catholic Schools in Scotland, n.d., ms.
6. Memorandum on the Position of Catholic Schools in Scotland, n.d., typescript, much like 5 above but with slight changes.
ms comment on back by Aeneas Chisholm, 12 Sept 1901.
7. Memorandum on position of Catholic Schools in Scotland (Respectfully submitted by J. A. Naquire to be considered with Memo prepared by Bp of Dunkeld on 10 Sept 1901), 7 Oct 1901, typescript, draft.
8. Memorandum on the Position of Catholic Schools in Scotland, 7 Oct 1901, printed sheet.
9. Position of Catholic Schools: resolutions of meeting of School Managers of Archdiocese of Glasgow, 8 Jan 1902, typescript.

CORRESPONDENCE 1901

1. Bp Angus MacFarlane, Dundee to Abp Smith: retaining control of their Catholic schools; shall they go for some public support? 7 Jan 1901
2. same to same: possibility of Department paying schools a fixed grant in future, 8 Jan 1901
3. same to same: enclosing copy of circular letter to bishops about the draft memorandum on the position of the Catholic Schools, 10 Sept 1901
4. same to same: memo. on position of schools, need to contact Lord Balfour to secure an interview, 7 Nov 1901
5. same to same: forthcoming interview with Lord Balfour: having a layman on the deputation, 10 Nov 1901
6. same to same: the forthcoming interview, etc, 16 Nov 1901
7. same to same: Bp Naquire + the forthcoming interview, 22 Nov 1901
8. same: giving notice of meeting of Rev. Managers of Schools at St Andrews Pro-Cathedral, 31 Dec 1901
9. Bp Naquire, Glasgow to Abp Smith criticising paper prepared by Bp of Dunkeld, 7 Oct 1901

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Correspondence 1901 contd.

- 10 Bp Niquire, Glasgow to Abp Smith: the deputation to Lord Balfour, 27 Nov 1901
- 11 Scottish Office - Balfour of Burleigh - to same agreeing to receive the deputation, 16 Nov 1901
- 13 Scottish Office to same confirming that Lord Balfour will receive the deputation on 17 Dec, 6 Dec 1901
- 12 Scottish Office - Lord Balfour - to same suggesting a day to meet, 3 Dec 1901
- 14 Bp George Smith, Oban to Abp Smith: no suggestions re schools question, 16 Sept 1901, telegram.
- 15-16 Abp Smith: draft letters to Lord Balfour etc, 1901

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CORRESPONDENCE 1902 - 03

1. Lord Balfour of Burleigh to Abp Smith: independent management of Catholic Schools and the possibility of claiming assistance out of the School Rate, 6 March 1902.
- 2 Bp Chisholm to same about an Education meeting, 10 Jan 1902.
- 3 Bp MacFarlane to same suggesting changes in the wording of a document, 19 March 1902. (see 4 below)
- 4 [Abp Smith]: reply to Lord Balfour's letter (no 1 above) with amendments by Bp MacFarlane + by himself added, 22 March 1902, draft.
- 5 Abp Smith to Lord Balfour: terms settled at meeting of 28 Feb 1902, draft.
- 6 same: copy of Lord Balfour's letter of 6 March 1902 (1 above).
- 7 Cardinal Vaughan to Abp Smith: advising acceptance of a smaller sum if that means the state can be excluded from interfering in the board of management of the Catholic Schools, 22 Jan 1902.
- 8 James Bonner, Catholic Teachers' Association to Abp Smith: sending him a copy of the resolutions passed by the association regarding Catholic schools, 16 May 1903
- 9 Bp MacFarlane: circular to bishops enclosing copy of his correspondence with Lord Balfour, 4 July 1903, duplicated sheets.
- 10 same: circular regarding meeting of three bishops about Scotch Education, 28 July 1903, duplicated sheet.
- 11 Bp Niquire to Abp Smith: correspondence with Lord Balfour, misc matters, 6 July 1903
- 12 same to same: negotiations with Lord Balfour, 13 July 1903
- 13 same to same: forthcoming meeting, 26 July 1903
- 14 Scotch Education Dept to same arranging an interview. 4 Jan 1903.
- 15-16 Abp Smith, draft notes + letter to Lord Balfour, 1903.

CORRESPONDENCE 1904; and undated found among 1901-04 letters.

1. J Crick, Scotch Education Dept to Abp Smith: proposal to defer consideration [of question of recognising Irish Certificates for schools], 4 Feb 1904
2. R. W. Hepburn, Scottish Office to same: Mr Graham Murray agrees to meet with Abps Smith and Maguire and Bp MacFarlane, 14 Jan 1904
3. John McCann, Broxburn to Abp Smith: about taking action to have the injustice complained of by Catholics in the Scottish Education Bill removed, 19 April 1904
4. J. E. Redmond, M.P., House of Commons to same: pleased to help Catholics of Scotland during passage of Education (Scotland) Bill, 7 June 1904
5. Hierarchy of Scotland: circular letter about need to modify the Education (Scotland) Bill, 3 June 1904, printed circular
- 6-7: Abp Smith, notes + draft letters, 1904
8. John Sheehy, Kirkcudbright to Abp [Smith]: meeting of Diocesan School Managers, n.d.
- 9-11 Abp Smith: notes + drafts n.d.
- 12 Bp MacFarlane: notes for letter to Lord Belpair, n.d.
- 13 Pencil notes, n.d.

DOCUMENTS 1905-06 (Jan)

1. Scotch Education Dept: Regulations for the Preliminary Education, Training and Certification of Teachers for Various Grades of Schools, printed, H. K. S. O., London, 1905. "James A Smith" written on cover.
2. "Analysis of Regulations for Training of Teachers and Observations on same by Canon Mackintosh, January 1906", duplicated pages.
3. "Consideration of the effect of the Education Department's new Regulations for the Training of Teachers as they will be operative in the Diocese of Dunkeld", J Dalloch, 2 Feb 1906, carbon copy. "With J Holder's Compts" written in pencil on front page.

DOCUMENTS, Feb-May 1906

1. D. A. Mackintosh, London to "My dear Lord Bishop": meeting with Struthers, negotiations between the bishops and the Dept. about Voluntary Schools, etc; The New Regulations, 10 Feb 1906, copy, typescript.
2. Bp MacFarlane to Abp Smith: The Education Dept objects to criticisms by Canon Stuart and Fr Donlevy during its confidential communications with the bishops, 13 Feb 1906
3. John Ritchie, Glasgow: circular to priests about applications for boys who want to enter as ecclesiastical students, 27 April 1906, printed.
4. Catholic Education Council, London: circular to priests about need to oppose the Education Bill now before parliament, 27 April 1906, printed.
5. Endorsement by Abp of Westminster of Education Council's wishes, n.d., printed circular.
6. Card addressed to Augustine Birrell MP endorsing the Resolutions passed by the Executive Committee of the Catholic Association, n.d. Card is in form of printed statements of resolutions with place for people to sign their endorsement. This card is unsigned.
7. Catholic Education Council to Abp Smith: hoping that Scottish Catholics will bring pressure on Scottish MPs about the Education Bill, 27 April 1906
8. Ralph Kerr, Dalkeith to same: Archbp of Westminster's speech condemning the Education Bill; hopes Scottish hierarchy will support him, 27 April 1906.
9. Bp MacFarlane to same: arranging meeting with Mr Sinclair; MPs who might be contacted about the Education Bill, 30 April 1906
10. Bp Chisholm, Aberdeen to same: need to express sympathy with Abp of Westminster regarding Education Bill, 1 May 1906
11. Abp Smith: circular about Abp of Westminster's stand against Education Bill, 1 May 1906, ms draft.
12. Abp Nagueire, Glasgow, circular to priests about the support asked of them by the English hierarchy to induce MPs to vote against the second reading of the Education Bill, 3 May 1906, printed.
13. Notes taken at the interview granted by John Sinclair MP, Secretary for Scotland, to a deputation of the Catholic Education Committee for Scotland on 5 May [1906], typescript.
14. "Training of Teachers: Report on interview with Secretary for Scotland at Dover House, Whitehall, May 10 1906, duplicated sheets.

DOCUMENTS: JUNE - DECEMBER 1906

- 1 Minute of meeting of the Catholic Education Committee: question of establishing a Catholic Male Training College for Scotland, 12 June 1907
- 2 Catholic Education Council, London: circular to priests asking for pressure to be put on MPs regarding the Education Bill, 17 July 1906, printed.
- 3 Bp MacFarlane to Abp Smith: CTS Conference etc, question of training of teachers, 24 Sept 1906
- 4 Proposed circular to Catholic School Managers of Scotland about establishing a national committee for Education, typescript, together with notes about amendments to circular by Abp Smith, n.d.
- 5 Bp MacFarlane to Abp Smith: arranging meeting of hierarchy, 2 Oct 1906
- 6 same to same: circular about establishing a standing Committee on Education, 2 Oct 1906, duplicated sheet.
- 7 Minutes of Meeting of the Catholic Education Committee for Scotland; - Hostels for day students, public bursaries & selected schools, etc. 9 Oct 1907
- 8 Draft Minute of Meeting of the Catholic Education Committee for Scotland, 9 Oct 1906, duplicated sheets.
- 9 Bp MacFarlane: notice of special meeting of Catholic Education Committee for Scotland, 30 Oct 1906, duplicated.
- 10 Draft minute of Special Meeting of Catholic Education Committee for Scotland, 7 Nov 1906, duplicated sheets.
- 11 Abp Smith: notes for his address to Bishops' Circular of 20 Nov 1906.

DOCUMENTS 1907

1. Findings of meeting of sub-committee of Catholic Education Committee for Scotland convened to "consider if, and how, a Catholic Male Training College for Scotland should be established", 8 March 1907
- 2 Abp Smith: votes by bishops on establishing a Male training College, 2 April 1907
- 3 Bp Turner to Abp Smith: money matters, Smith's failure to get the site for his proposed intermediate school; points regarding new Scottish Education Bill, 19 April 1907.
- ④ 5 Bp MacFarlane to same: hostels for trainee teachers, 13 July 1907.
- 6 Notice & Agenda of Ordinary Meeting of Catholic Education Committee for Scotland, 2 Dec 1907
- 7 West of Scotland Catholic Teachers' Association to Abp Smith asking him to speak to the Secretary of State about the proposals for superannuation likely to be inserted in the Education Bill 1908, 8 Dec 1907.
- 8 Catholic Education Committee for Scotland: notice of special meeting to consider the new Education Bill, 9 Dec 1907
- 9 Minute of above Special Meeting, 17 Dec 1907.
- ④ Copy of 1, 2 above, with Minutes of Bishops' meeting, 11 June 1907.

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45 DOCUMENTS 1908 Jan - Sept.

1. John Ritchie: circular to priests giving elected & nominated members of the Glasgow Diocesan Board for Secondary Education - The Supply of Teachers, 21 Feb 1908, printed.
2. D. A. Mackintosh, Glasgow to Abp Smith: circular to bishops about meeting of "Vigilance Sub-Committee" held in Glasgow which examined the [Education] Bill, noting various points, 23 April 1908, carbon copy.
3. same to same: arrangements for interview with Mr Sinclair, 18 June 1908.
4. Bp George Smith, Oban to Canon Macdougall: if Managers + Teachers in Voluntary Schools disagree the matter is to be laid before the Bishop, 19 June 1908, printed circular.
5. D. Mackintosh to Abp Smith: deputation to press for more money for general maintenance; teachers' pensions, etc at meeting with Mr Sinclair, 20 June 1908.
6. Scottish Hierarchy: circular to priests about the new Education (Scotland) Bill, and reminding School Managers to use the greatest care in selecting teachers, 29 June 1908, printed.
7. Draft of above, June 1908, printed; names of bishops omitted.
8. Catholic Education Committee for Scotland: notice of Special meeting, 10 July '08.
9. John Boland, London to Abp Smith: in attending the Committee meeting in the interests of Catholic Education in Scotland they were only doing the work deputed to them by the Irish party, 21 July 1908, with draft letter by Abp Smith to Mr Boland.
10. Notes on Fr Callan's letter of July 1908 by Abp Smith.
11. Catholic Education Committee for Scotland: notice and agenda for autumn meeting: business includes new Education Bill, 17 Sept 1908.
12. Bp Turner to Abp Smith: attempt at convening a meeting, 23 Sept 1908.
13. "Education (Scotland) Bill as Amended: Memorandum on the principal provisions of the Bill affecting Voluntary Schools," [Sept 1908].

46 DOCUMENTS Oct - Dec 1908; 1909.

1. Scottish Hierarchy: circular criticising the Education (Scotland) Bill, 8 Oct 1908, printed. with enclosed circular from Bp Turner to priests introducing this document which was sent to all Scottish MPs, printed.
2. Charles E. Price, M.P. to Abp Smith acknowledging receipt of above circular, 14 Oct 1908.
3. H. P. Conacher to same acknowledging receipt by Mr Sinclair of the circular, 15 Oct 1908.
4. D. Mackintosh: need to publicise the above circular in the Press, 23 Oct 1908.
5. P. T. O.

46 contd. Documents 1908-09 contd.

- ⑥ D Mackintosh to Abp Smith: the division on Mr Boland's motion in the House of Commons, and Mr Sinclair's conversation with Mr John Redmond, about the Catholic Schools in Scotland, 15 Nov 1908.
- 5 same to same: Mr Boland thinks it won't do any good for anyone to come to London, 7 Nov 1908, telegram.
- 7 same to same: in Glasgow they think the Bill should be killed [ie opinion of clergy?], 16 Nov 1908, telegram.
- 8 Abp Smith to John Redmond about the position of Catholic Schools in Scotland, 16 Nov 1908
- 9 "Report of the Secondary Education Sub-Committee on the Question of the Supply and Training of Teachers", n.d., printed leaflet.
- 10 John Toner: receipt for rent from managers of Rutherglen R.C. School, 30 Sept 1909.

47 Newspaper Cuttings, 1903-04, Folder

47a NEWSPAPER CUTTINGS 1906-08

1. "Meeting of the Irish bishops; mixed Residential Colleges; warning to Catholics" from "Irish Catholic", 13 Oct 1906
2. "Training of Teachers: St Andrews Provincial Committee", n.d.
3. "Secondary Education in Glasgow: Distribution of Grant", n.d.
4. Roman Catholic Schools: giving most of the details of the circular of 8th Oct [ED 9/46/1]; "Scotsman", 29 Oct 1908.

DOCUMENTS, 1910

1. Archbp Smith: circular to priests asking them to attend a meeting of Corresponding Managers of Schools about a form issued by the S.E.D. regarding school accounts, 20 Jan 1910, printed, with ms notes added.
2. G. W. Ritchie, Wishaw to Abp Smith: The senior priests of Glasgow archdiocese - unanimously accepted the resolutions of the Diocesan Board of Education, 25 Jan 1910
3. J. Forsyth, Edinburgh to same: about meeting of Corresponding Managers, 26 Jan 1910
4. Minute of meeting of Corresponding Managers convened by his Grace the Archbishop about the SED's accounts form, 26 Jan 1910.
5. Lord Pentland, Scottish Office to J Forsyth: about the legalities of providing free books to children in Voluntary Schools, 28 Jan 1910, typescript copy.
6. J. Forsyth to Abp Smith: The Free Book question, etc, 29 Jan 1910.
7. Glasgow Diocesan Board of Education: circular to priests about organisation of schools that come under the new regulations, 2 Feb 1910, ms.
8. same: circular on the groups into which the schools of Glasgow archdiocese are to be divided - for financial business, - printed, 4 Feb 1910 with a covering letter to Abp Smith, 5 Feb 1910
9. J. Forsyth to Abp Smith: about sending circulars + notices of meeting to school managers + members of Diocesan Education Board respectively. 22 March 1910
10. Abp Smith: circular to clergy giving groups into which the schools of the Archdiocese of Edinburgh are to be divided, 22 March 1910, printed.
11. J. Forsyth to Abp Smith: comments on business to be covered at next meeting, 27 March 1910.
12. Notes on agenda for meeting held on 31 March 1910, typescript.
13. J. Forsyth to Abp Smith: Junior students at Holy Cross Academy, 23 July 1910, copy, typescript.

DOCUMENTS 1911-12.

1. Catholic Committee for Education: notice of meeting, 18 Jan 1911, with typescript note of business on back.
2. another copy of above.
3. J Forsyth to Abp Smith: forthcoming meeting and opinion of Edinburgh managers about Junior Students, 23 Jan 1911.
4. Notes for meeting of Catholic Education Committee - on nomination of Junior students, regulations for training, etc, 25 Jan 1911.
5. M. Agnes of Jesus, St Catharine's Convent, to Canon [?] about the attendance of would-be teachers at a Junior centre, 7 March 1911 copy, typescript.
6. J Forsyth to Abp Smith enclosing the above copy letter, 6 April 1911.
7. Patrick Morris, Falkirk to same enclosing a chart to show the differences in incomes according to how pupils are charged, 27 Nov 1911.
8. Catholic Education Council for Scotland: minutes of meeting - includes discussion of the progress of the Bill on Voluntary Schools etc, 26 March 1912.
9. Catholic Teachers Association (Wm Cudahy) to Abp Smith about their petition on Salaries, 26 June 1912.
10. Catholic Education Committee for Scotland: Report of the Deputation to the Secretary for Scotland on 30 July 1912.
11. Scottish Catholic Teachers' Petition addressed to T McKinnon Wood, Secy for Scotland, on their salaries, July 1912

DOCUMENTS, 1913-14

1. J. Forsyth to Abp Smith: Catholic Schools & The National System of Education, 22 March 1913.
2. John Toner to same: notice of meeting of National Education Committee, 28 Mar '13.
3. Proposals adopted by the National Education Council about takeover of Catholic Elementary Schools by School Boards, etc. n.d.
4. The Catholic Schools of Scotland and the question of their incorporation in a National Education Scheme: Observations on the Report of the Committee, 10 April 1913.
5. Another copy of the same together with a covering letter from John Toner to Abp Smith dated 7 May 1913.
6. "Suggestions as to the Transference of Voluntary Schools," n.d.
7. "Notes or suggestions with reference to the terms and conditions on which the Catholic Schools of Scotland may be transferred to the State and merged in a National System of Education, while at the same time preserving their strictly Catholic Character", [1913].

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Documents 1913 - 14 contd.

8. Conditions under which the Catholic Authorities are prepared to have all existing Catholic Primary Schools in Scotland given over for use to the respective School Boards, n.d., duplicated copy. Written on front page is - "Copy of Proposals of Nat. Ed. Comm. sent to Rome 25 Dec 1913".
9. W. Considine, Edinburgh to Abp Smith enclosing draft modified proposals [much as above] to be sent to the Secy. of State, 25 July 1914.
10. Abp Smith empowering the Diocesan Education Board to grant permission where necessary to H.Q. pupils to attend local H.Q. Schools, 30 Nov 1914.
11. Lord Sterrington: "The Educational Grievance of Scottish Catholics", printed pamphlet, Glasgow 1914, "With Lord Sterrington's Compliments" written on front cover.

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DOCUMENTS, 1915.

1. Circular letter from the Diocesan Education Board to the Managers and Head Teachers of the elementary schools in the Archdiocese, 4 March 1915, printed.
2. Agenda of meeting of Voluntary School Managers; docketed "Drawn up by Canon Forsyth for meeting of Edinburgh managers at Ravelston, 24-3-15".
3. Catholic National Education Council for Scotland: lack of progress in negotiations to bring Catholic Elementary schools within the state system; circular by the joint secretaries of that Council, 30 March 1915.
- 4-4a Notes on the Proposals to be considered at a Conference between Managers of Catholic Schools in Edinburgh, and the School Board, 18 April 1915 ~~copy~~.

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DOCUMENTS, 1916.

1. Diocesan Educational Trust: names suggested by Mr Morris at Meeting on 23 March 1916.
2. Copy letters - Mr Considine to Mr Morris about the Diocesan Education Trust, etc, 30 March 1916.
- 3 = 3a Revised draft Heads of agreement between the School Board of Edinburgh and the Managers of the Roman Catholic and Episcopalian Voluntary Elementary Schools in Edinburgh, 22 June 1916; ~~suggested amendments~~, 29 June 1916.
4. Abp Smith to the Clergy & Laity of Edinburgh about transfer of Catholic Schools to School Boards, 1916, draft by Wm Considine.
- 5(a-f) Different drafts of above letter, also by Considine.
6. Canon Donlevy to Canon MacRanus: comments of Catholic school managers of Edinburgh on Abp Smith's letter [the letter of 4-5 above?], 30 Oct '16.

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Documents 1916 contd

- 7 Suggested terms of agreement between the managers of the Edinburgh Catholic Schools and the Edinburgh School Board, n.d., duplicated.
- 8 Edinburgh School Board: Proposed Conference between the Board and the Managers of the City Voluntary Schools, n.d., duplicated.
- 9 Suggestions of the Majority of Dunkeld School Managers re Catholic Schools and Public Control, n.d., duplicated.
- 10 Notes on Diocesan Education Trust, single sheet, typed carbon copy, n.d.
- 11 "for Contribution Creation of Trust of Diocesan Education Fund, n.d., typescript, with handwritten amendments.

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DOCUMENTS 1917.

1. F. Macmanus, Bannockburn to Abp Smith enclosing table of replies from centres on the Educational Trust and the amended scheme for transfer of schools to control of school boards, 13 Jan 1917.
2. New Diocesan Education Fund: 15 objects + proposed funding with opinions given by centres, n.d.
3. Draft Scheme prepared by Committee of Managers of the Archdiocese of Glasgow, Feb 1917, duplicated sheets.
4. "An Act to Provide for the Proper Maintenance of Voluntary Schools in Scotland", being a rough attempt to put the scheme of the Glasgow managers into statutory form, March 1917, draft.
5. Excerpts from Minutes of Catholic Education Committee for Scotland, 196-12 produced by the Bp of Galloway, 18 April 1917.
6. Robert Munro, Scottish Office to Bp Toner on the transfer of Catholic schools to public management, 13th Aug 1917, copy.
7. Bp Toner to Abp Smith: paragraph in "Tablet", safeguards regarding Catholic Schools if under public management, 13 Aug 1917.
8. same to same, 15 Aug 1917.
9. Statement by the Canons, Senior Priests and School Managers of the Archdiocese of Edinburgh made to Abp Smith about essential safeguards of Catholic character of Church schools in Scotland, 4 Oct 1917, printed circular.
10. Scottish Catholic Teachers' Federation to Abp Smith: about the "Equivalent Grant", 23 Oct 1917
11. "Resolutions" about the transfer of existing Catholic Primary Schools to the local Education authorities, with safeguards. [Oct 1917].
12. A Bill to make further provision with respect to Education in Scotland and for purposes connected therewith, 17 Dec 1917, printed, H.A.S.O.
13. Catholic Education Committee for Scotland: Agenda for special meeting, 17 Dec 1917. with notes added by Abp Smith
14. Note of replies by Mr Mackintosh and Abp McGuire, n.d., typescript.
15. Memorandum by Lord Skerrington on religious instruction in schools, n.d.
16. Catholic Education Council, Rough Draft of Suggested Amendments to the Bill, December 1917

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DOCUMENTS, 1918, Jan - April.

1. "Answers to Questions from Rome Relative to the Catholic Schools in the Diocese of Aberdeen, Scotland." signed by Bp Chisholm, 8 Jan 1918
2. "Diocese of Callaway. Answers to 'Questions' required by his Eminence, Cardinal de Lai ---", signed by Bp Mc Carthy, 22 Jan 1918
3. "Suggestions by Majority of School Managers of Dunkeld Diocese re Catholic Schools and Public Control." n.d.
4. Outline of main points raised at Committee Meeting regarding schools and teachers on 21 Jan 1918, printed circular.
5. Envelope that contained the foregoing items.
- 6-6a "Report on the Education (Scotland) Bill to the Catholic Education Council for Scotland by its Committee", 18 Feb 1918; printed pamphlet, F.U.P. ~~+ typed carbon to p. 27 of pamphlet~~
7. W. Brown, Apostolic Visitor, London to Abp Smith about references made in an [English] pastoral letter to the Education Bill, 5 April 1918
8. Abp McGuire: circular to priests about Rome's acquiescence in the Scottish Catholic Schools joining the National System, 5 April 1918, printed.
9. Catholic Education Council: Memorandum of interview with Secretary for Scotland, 5 April 1918, copy.
10. "Memorandum respectfully submitted by Lord Skerrington for the Consideration of the Most Reverend the Archbishops and the Right Reverend the Bishops of the Scottish Hierarchy re the Education (Scotland) Bill, April 1918
11. D. J. Mitchel Quin, Tyrone to Abp [Smith]: agreeing to hold over the publication of an article for the moment, 26 April 1918.

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DOCUMENTS, 1918, May - Dec.

1. D. J. Mitchel Quin, Tyrone to Abp [Smith]: nearly all the bishops approved of his article, so it has been printed, 8 June 1918
2. Bp Toner, London to same: the second reading of the Bill and the attitude of MPs towards Scottish Catholics, etc, 27 June 1918
3. T Niley, Restalrig to Abp Smith: progress of the Bill and advice on lobbying MPs, 29 June 1918.
4. same to same: need to inform MPs of their essential demands, 1 July 1918
5. "Education (Scotland) Bill: Statement by Catholic Education Council for Scotland", giving suggested amendments to Bill, printed circular, together with introductory letter from T Niley, 4 July 1918, also a printed circular.
6. "Report of Reputation of Standing Committee of Catholic Education Council of Scotland, London, 9th to 13th July 1918", by T Niley, typescript copy.

55 contd. Documents 1918, May - Dec contd.

- 7 "Draft of amendments as revised at Meeting of Deputation in London on Thursday 11 July 1918"
- 8 "Report (Interim) of Deputation on Education (Scotland) Bill, Committee Stage", 23 July to 1 Aug 1918, T Riley, 3 Aug 1918, Typescript copy.
- 9 T Riley, Restalrig to Abp [Smith]: how far Mr Nunro is prepared to go to meet demands of Scottish Catholics regarding Bill, 27 Aug 1918.
- 10 "Observations on Memorandum of Interview with the Secretary for Scotland", 1918
- 11 W. F. Brown, Apostolic Visitor, London to Fr Riley: the reactions of Mr Nunro and Sir John Struthers to proposed amendments to Bill, 19 Sept 1918, copy
- 12 Bp H. G. Graham: Diocesan Circular giving instructions regarding saying of prayers etc for the Scottish Education Bill's final stages, 23 Sept 1918, print.
- 13 E de Backer, Glasgow to Abp Smith sending copy of Resolutions, 3 Oct 1918
- 14 "Scottish Education Bill 1918: Resolutions of the Cathedral Chapter and the Senior Priests of the City of Glasgow," sent with 12 above.
- 15 "Notes on the Scottish Education Bill", n.d., ms.

56 DOCUMENTS 1919 - 1921

1. Abp McGuire: circular to priests giving members of the School Transfer Board, 2 Jan 1919, printed
2. T Riley: circular to priests giving questions drawn up by the School Transference Committee to be answered by School Managers, 14 Jan 1919, printed.
- 3 "Memo of terms proposed for transference of Roman Catholic Voluntary Schools in the Diocese of Argyll & the Isles, to the County Education Authorities", n.d.
- 4 Sir J Struthers, Scotch Education Dept to T Riley, Edinburgh about training of teachers, 11 March 1919, typescript copy.
- 5 Bp Toner to Abp [Smith]: Mr Brown's forthcoming discussions in Oban on question of selling as opposed to leasing the school buildings, etc, 6 June 1919.
- 6 T Riley: circular to priests on question of selling or leasing schools, 27 June 1919, typescript copy.
- 7 Minutes of Meeting of Catholic Education Council held in North British Station Hotel, Edinburgh on 28 July 1919.
- 8 Cardinal de Lai to Mr Brown about Scottish Catholic schools question, 3 Sept 1919, ms copy.
- 9 Minutes of Conference of representatives of Catholic Schools Transfer Boards of Scotland, 4 Nov 1919.
- 10 Lord Skerrington to the Scottish Hierarchy criticising resolutions recently passed for purpose of reconstituting Catholic Education Council for Scotland, 12 Nov 1921

SECOND DEPOSIT. The following papers, many pertaining to the Catholic Education Council, formed part of a second deposit. Unlike the earlier deposit, these papers are not part of the episcopal archives.

57 Pre 1918 Acts and Bills, printed: 1902-08

1. Education Act 1902 (England + Wales)
2. Education (Scotland) Bill as amended by the Standing Committee on Scottish Bills, 1908

58 Future of Scottish Catholic Schools: Proposals, 1914, n.d.

1. "Grievances of Catholic Schools of Scotland and a proposed remedy for these grievances", n.d.
2. W+H Considine: draft letter to Rt Hon T McKinnon Wood, Secretary for Scotland, 25 July 1914, with amendments added.
3. T. McKinnon Wood to Bp Toner about bringing Catholic schools into the national system, 14 Dec 1914, printed copy
4. Conditions under which Catholic Authorities will hand over Scottish Catholic primary schools to School Boards, n.d.

59 John McCann, Broxburn to Mr Considine on the future of Catholic Schools in Scotland, Jan, Feb, 1915, 2 letters.

60 Letters to Mr Considine, 1918

1. W. Campbell, Edinburgh: his report re schools, 12 Feb 1918
2. Mgr William Brown, Apostolic Visitor, London: the advisability of considering the present Bill, 27 Feb 1918
3. Same: Glasgow's refusal to discuss things; possible amendments; need for patience, etc, 7 March 1918
4. W. Campbell: letter from Mgr Brown, 15 March 1918
5. Bp McCarthy, Dumfries: Mgr Brown's investigation for the Holy See of the position of Catholic schools in Scotland, etc, 16 March 1918
6. Same: the whole Committee could form a deputation to Mr Munro, 20 Mar. 1918
7. Mgr Brown: Edinburgh finance; Education Bill, 25 March 1918
8. W. Considine to Lord Skerrington suggesting he inform Rome of his work re the Education Bill, etc, 21 April 1918, draft.
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5 Precis of letters to Fr Miley and Mgr Brown, 28 June 1918

6 Copy letter, unsigned about submission of amendments to Parliament, 1 July 1918

7 John Craigen, Aberdeen: commenting on the revised amendments, 17 July '18

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11 W. Campbell: amendment to clause 7 and its explanation, 17 Aug 1918

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13 Bp H. G. Graham: motions re the Bill to be put to Mr Munro, 4 Sept 1918

62 W + H Considine: accounts for Catholic Education Council Work, 1917-18, 4 items

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- 63 1918 Membership, notices + agendas, rough notes for minutes, etc (9 items)
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2. Fr Miley to Lord Skerrington: episcopal majority vote to proceed with Bill, 26 Feb 1918
3. Mgr Brown to Mr Considine: suggested amendments, 14 March 1918
4. Cardinal de Lai to Mgr Brown: Scottish Catholic schools, 15 March 1918, Latin
5. Mgr Brown to Mr Considine: caution in introduction of precise figures into Bill, 17 March 1918
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9. Bp Toner to Fr Miley: Bishops' decision to rescind Resolution + their approval of clause about new schools, etc, 14 June 1918
10. W. Campbell (Lord Skerrington) to Fr Miley: need for meeting of Standing Committee, 17 June 1918
11. Mgr Brown to Mr Considine re amendment papers, etc, 14 Aug 1918
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2. Notes of meeting with Sir John Struthers, 23 April 1918
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4. Speech of Mr Boland on Committee Stage, Clause 17
5. Resolutions of Catholic Education Council, n.d.
6. Note on Bp Brown's services and the hostility towards the Bill of the Glasgow Representatives, n.d.

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2. Statement and suggested amendments for consideration of Council, 4 Sept 1918
3. Explanation of amendment on Clause 7 of Bill suggested by Council, 1918
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2. Letter to Lord Skerrington about clergy unrest [re schools], 29 Oct 1919, carbon
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4. Letter to Lord Skerrington: conflict surrounding proposed leasing of schools, 5 Nov 1919, carbon
5. Mgr Miley to Mgr Brawn: Cardinal's expected instructions and means of carrying them out, 8 Dec 1919, carbon
6. Letter to Abbot McDonald, Fort Augustus about possibility of extending Abbey School to status of Teacher Training College, 29 Dec 1919, carbon
7. R. Maxwell, Dumfries to Lord Skerrington: he thinks schools should be sold and not leased to County authorities, 31 Dec 1919, copy
8. Letter to Lord Skerrington about above letter & other matters, 5 Jan 1920, carbon
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2. Note of position of negotiations with Education Authorities, 3 Sept 1919
- 3-4 Copy letters from F. J. Trotter about transferred voluntary schools, Sept 1919
- 5 Memo of terms proposed for transfer of schools in Diocese of Argyll + Isles, Nov 1919
- 6 Bp Graham: circular to clergy on leasing their schools, 29 Oct 1920
- 7 "To Mr Hugh" about offer for school; valuation of furniture, etc, n.d.
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2. Consistorial Congregation re church property in Scotland, 7 Jan 1919,
translation sent by Campbell
3. Archibald Stirling regarding lunch for Lord Skerrington, 23 April 1919
4. W. Campbell afraid he may not recognise guests at luncheon, 29 April 1919
5. Sister M de Sales, St Catharine's Convent: the Qualifying Class, 7 June 1919
6. Edinburgh Education Authority re transfer of St Thomas of Aquin Higher
Grade School to Education Authority, 7 June 1919
7. Same: unsure if St Thomas's is a "Voluntary" school under Act, 23 June 1919
8. Same: They can take over the Higher Grade school but not the Elementary
school, 27 June 1919
9. Sister M Visitation, St Catharine's Convent sending statistics of school pupils,
25 June [1919]
10. Same: regarding school furniture and equipment, 12 July 1919
11. Dr Macdonald, S.E.D: the point of difficulty of private profit in
regard to schools, 14 July 1919
12. W. Campbell: commenting on Dr Macdonald's letter, 17 July 1919
13. Catholic Education Council, London: method of presentation of accounts
used by English Convent Schools, 21 July 1919
14. Margaret Walsh, Sacred Heart Convent, Moray Place: on getting help for
Convent Secondary Schools - there is no profit, 26 July 1919
15. W. Campbell: Convent School accounts, etc, 12 Aug 1919
16. James Mitchell; Fife Education Authority regarding use of school furniture,
4 Sept 1919, copy
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18. Cardinal de Lai to Bp Graham on transfer of schools, 16 Jan 1920,
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teachers. (Circular letter) (9 items)

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- 1-5 Minutes, circulars, agendas, etc; secretary Rev T Miley, 1919
- 6-8 Rev T Miley's forms for approval of teachers, n.d.
- 9-16 Minutes, 1920
- 17 Votes of Committee, 24 June 1920
- 18-19 Copy correspondence with Roma, 1920
- 20 Notice + agenda, July 1921

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- 1. H. Considine: Holy Cross School - furniture valuation, 6 Dec 1919
- 2 W Rooney, Galashiels: valuations have already been done in Borders, 9 Feb 1920
- 3 F. Macmanus, Stirling: Mr Sharp is appointed valuator for Stirlingshire schools, 18 Feb 1920
- 4 W. Rooney: figures for school - capital value, rent, accommodation, etc, 20 Feb 1920
- 5 Edward Mellon, Selkirk: figures for Selkirk school as above, 21 Feb 1920
- 6 Thomas Gillon, Hawick " " Hawick " " " 16 March 1920
- 7 John Murray, Lanark: various, 29 March [1920]
- 8 M. J. Turner, Peebles: he favours leasing school, 31 March 1920
- 9 [same]: capital value, rent, accommodation, etc of school, n.d.
- 10 W Rooney, Galashiels re valuator's report, 29 April 1920
- 11 W + H Considine: St Margaret's Convent wants to sell St John's Annexe in Windsor Terrace, 28 May 1920
- 12 same: mutual arbiter suggested re Holy Cross Academy and Holy Rood School, 28 May 1920
- 13 John Watherston: note of fee re valuations of RC transferred schools, 5 June 1920
- 14 A.D. Robertson: note of fee re valuations as above, n.d.
- 15 Table giving Watherston's and Robertson's fees, n.d.
- 16 W + H Considine: various matters re transfer of schools, 16 June 1920
- 17 Patrick Birnie, Kirkcaldy: his committee favours sale of school, 21 June 1920
- 18 W + H Considine: report + valuation of Holy Cross Academy and Holy Rood School has arrived, 1 July 1920
- 19 same: re valuation of St John's Annexe, 7 July 1920
- 20 W. Campbell: reversal of School Transfer Committee's original resolution in favour of sale of various schools, 23 July 1920
- 21 W + H Considine: Holy Cross Academy: claim re "outside" students, 5 Aug '20
- 22 Leith School Board re grant for "outside" students, 1 Oct 1920
- 23 W + H Considine: claim re "outside" students, 14 Oct 1920

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- 24 W+H Considine: refunding of fees - Holy Cross Academy, 14 Oct 1920
 25 same requesting valuations of schools, etc, 26 Oct 1920
 26 same further on valuations of schools, 28 Oct 1920

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2. William Mellon, Dunfermline to Fr. McDaniel re valuation of St Margaret's school, 1 March 1920
3. Peter McDaniel, Lochgelly to Canon Forsyth re valuations of schools, etc, 9 March 1920
4. James Maguire, Kelty, to same: valuator wants to revise his certificate, 10 March 1920
5. James Mulhern, Lochore to same sending valuation; he wants to sell school, 16 March 1920
6. James Maguire to [?] enclosing valuator's report and requesting that school be sold, 30 March 1920
7. William Mellon, Dunfermline to Canon Forsyth: valuation of school; wishes to sell school, 22 April 1920
8. Joseph Long, Inverkeithing to same: re valuation of school, 23 April '20
9. William Mellon to same: school valuation, mission debt, etc, 26 April 1920
10. J. P. McGrail, Methil to Mgr Miley re valuation of rent of school, 15 June 1920
11. Same to Canon Forsyth sending valuator's report, n.d.
12. William Mellon to same: he is sending on plan + statement, n.d.

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Mgr Forsyth: Carbons of letters, 1920-21 (School Transfer Committee)

1. Questionnaire about size of school, status, etc, n.d.
2. To Canon Rooney asking for capital value, rent, accommodation and other figures for schools in his area, 11 Feb 1920
3. To Fr. McDaniel asking for valuation of schools in his deanery, 14 Feb 1920
4. To Canon Rooney: school valuation; sale or lease, 19 Feb 1920
5. To Fr. Joyce: appointment of valutors for schools in his area, 25 Feb 1920

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6. To Canon Rooney requesting official valuator's report on schools, 25 Feb 1920
7. To Fr McDaniel asking for valuations of schools in his Deanery from official valuator, 25 Feb 1920
8. To Fr Maguire about getting valuation revised, 13 March 1920
9. To Fr Gillan: authorisation to lease school to Roxburgh Education Authority, 28 April 1920
10. To Fr Mellon: need for valuator's report on school, 28 April 1920
11. To Canon Rooney asking for valuator's report, 28 April 1920
12. To Canon Turner asking for valuator's report, 18 May 1920
13. To Fr Mellon: is the rent quoted not too small for his school?
18 May 1920
14. To same: how can school be sold without house and with Education Authority having independent access, etc?, 18 May 1920
15. To Fr Long asking for statement about responsibility for proposed new school at Rosyth, 18 May 1920
16. To Canon Rooney asking for estimate of capital value of the portion of the building proposed for lease, 18 May 1920
17. To Fr Mulhern: he is not permitted to sell his school, 18 May 1920
18. To Fr McGuire: he is not permitted to sell Kelty school, 18 May 1920
19. To Fr Mellon: he cannot sell school alone; he may be allowed to sell school plus house, 27 May 1920
20. To Bishop [Graham] re decisions of Committee, 24 July 1920

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1. Names of representatives on Education Committees, n.d.
2. " " " " School Management Committees, n.d.
3. Report of Congregational Meeting held in connection with transfer of Falkirk School, 30 May 1920
4. Report as above on transfer of Lennoxtown School, 23 May 1920
5. Report of School Managers of Stirlingshire area on meeting of 13 Feb 1920

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