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Mission Properties; Wills, Legacies + Donations

This section consists of wills and related papers for both clergy and laity. They were found, in bundles, arranged chronologically, under sections consisting of 1) donations etc to the general mission, 2) donations etc to particular missions. For ease of use I have rearranged the documents, maintaining the strict chronological order, but grouping clergy and laity separately, I have, however, included under the "clergy" section, any legacies of outstanding significance such as the foundation of the Scots College, Madrid.

CLERICAL LEGACIES + THOSE OF OUTSTANDING SIGNIFICANCE.

24 Father Curle's Testament; 16 Sept 1618.

1. Attested copy made by Bp Hay on 21 March 1772.
2. Brief of P. Clement VIII regarding Curle's testament, 1626, Latin. Copy by Kyle.

25. Scots College, Madrid

1. Document regarding the foundation of the Scots College in 1629 and the testament of 1633 regarding it; original, Spanish.
2. "Ane Copie of Coronel W^m Semple fundator of the Scots College that is in Madrid his testament". Testament dated 10 Feb 1633; copy made ? c 1700.
3. John Geddes: "Masses to be said annually in the Scotch College of Valladolid", n.d. c 1770
4. Extract from letter from John Geddes to Mr Grant regarding the history of the Scots College in Spain, n.d., (late 18th cent)

26 CLERGY WILLS, etc, 1683 - 1728

1. Mr John Irvine, 1683
2. Mr John Wallace: disposition and assignation to Cordon of "Glastirime", 1711
- 3 Bp Nicolson: disposition in favour of Bp James Gordon, 1718
- 4 Bp John Wallace: last will + testament, 1717
- 5 do spiritual testament, n.d.
- 6 do last will + testament, 1728
7. Mr James Carnegie's testament, 1728

27 Extract from the Will of the Baron de Plettenberg concerning the Monastery of St James, Ratisbon, and the Mission, 1712; [extract made in 1802 according to docket]

1. Extract in German hand., German.
2. Extract with translation opposite

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Clergy Wills etc. 1737-46

- 1 Mr James Donaldson's testament, 1737, copy in Bp Gordon's hand.
- 2 Bp James Gordon's testament, 1741, with codicil, 1745, original.
3. Copy of above
- 4 Discharge: Mrs Anne Home to Mr Alexander Gordon re bond of Bishop James Gordon, 1746.

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Will, etc - Mr Andrew Hackett, 1742-51

1. Obligation by Bp Alexander Smith to pay Mr Hackett an annual sum, 1742, with additional obligation, 1743.
2. Obligation of Bp Alexander Smith to the Clergy Mission re Mr Hackett's legacy, 1743
3. Mr Andrew Hackett's testament, 1747
- 4 Disposition by Mr Andrew Hackett in favour of the Mission, 1747 with codicil added in 1750
5. Testament of Mr Andrew Hackett in favour of Duncan Mc Grouther of Meggor, 1751 [Mr Mc Grouther is appointed his executor].
- 6 Discharge: Mrs Jean Balfour to Duncan Mc Grouther, 1751
- 7 Discharge: Margaret Hackett " " " 1751
- 8 Discharge: Margaret Cowan " " " 1751

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Clergy Wills, etc, 1751-63

1. Bp. Alexander Smith to George Gordon of Kirtchill, obligation and destination of £100, 1751
2. Bp Alexander Smith's testament, 1744 with codicils 1751-54.
- 3 Do: covering letter for above.
- 4 Father Thomas Brockie, last will + testament, 1754.
5. Father Thomas Brockie: instructions to his executors, 1755
- 6 Father Thomas Brockie: last will + testament, 1759
- 7 Copy of the previous 2 items made by Kyle
- 8 Cardinal Spinelli: last will + testament, 1759, Italian, copy
- 9 Cardinal Spinelli: copy of the Instrument of Donation + Destination of the sum of 10,000 crowns by Spinelli, 1759, Latin + Italian
Copy made by John Thomson
- 10 Cardinal Spinelli's foundation, 1759, Italian, copy
- 11 Cardinal Spinelli: destination of the 10,000 crowns, 1761, Latin + Italian
- 12 Cardinal Spinelli: destination of the 10,000 crowns, 1763, Latin + Italian.
- 13 Cardinal Spinelli's foundation, n.d., Italian

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CLERGY WILLS, 1769-99

1. Mr John Godsmen, Testament, 1769
2. Mr Robert Grant, Dauid to Bp Hay: destination of £100, 1772.
3. Same to same: destination of £100, 1775
4. Extract Registered disposition: Bp John Geddes to Bp George Hay and Mr Paul MacPherson, 1782 [extract made in 1799]
5. Registered power of attorney: Bp Geddes to Bp Hay, 1791.
6. Mr William Reid: his will, engrossed in a letter to Bp Hay, 1785
7. same: draft will, n.d.
8. State of Mr William Reid's executry, 1785
9. Mr William Guthrie: disposition to Bp George Hay and Bp John Geddes, 1791
10. Mr John Thomson: memorandum of letter re his intentions regarding his effects after his death, [1791]
11. Bp John Geddes: confirmation of his disposition to Bp Hay, 1793.
12. Mr Charles Farquharson, Arberg - will - 1 Sept 1796
- 13-20 Mr Alexander Renzies, Auchental - will + executry, 1796-99

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Rev George Maxwell's Last Will + Testament, 1793-1803

1. Declaration and Disposition by Messrs George Maxwell and John Pepper and agreement thereto by Bp Hay - regarding Jesuit funds in Scotland, 1793.
2. George Maxwell: last will + testament, 1796
3. George Maxwell to Bp Hay enclosing his will and giving further instructions, Aug 1796.
4. George Maxwell: codicil to above will, Dec 1797
5. James Farquharson and Charles Maxwell, Edinburgh to Bp Hay, Aberdeen regarding George Maxwell's executry, Nov 1802
6. Charles Maxwell, Edinburgh to [Bp Hay]: his settlement of George Maxwell's affairs, 2 Feb 1803

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Clergy Wills, 1806-26 Bishop Cameron, John Reid

- ③ Bishop Alexander Cameron: instructions as to his property in the event of his death - not a formal will, 19 Nov 1806
1. John Reid, Aberdeen: last will + testament, 2 Feb 1809, copy.
2. John Reid: receipt and discharge by the Stamp Office on account of John Reid's personal estate, 1816.
- ③ → 4. Bishop Cameron: last will + testament, unwitnessed, July 1814.
5. Bishop Cameron: draft letter regarding the payment of Andrew Oliver's legacies to the two Scottish seminaries, 14 Dec 1814.
6. Bishop Cameron: Deed of Declaration and Testament, 15 June 1826
- 7-8 Bishop Paterson: agreement with Wm Reid re the usage of Cameron's furniture etc, 2 drafts, n.d.

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John Farquharson Papers, 1788-1808

1. John Farquharson. Duay to Bp Geddes; his wishes regarding the £500 he has sent home to Scotland, 31 March 1788
2. Bond: Bishop Hay to John Farquharson for £400, 1793, discharged 1794
3. Bond: same to same, for £400, 1794, discharged 1795
4. John Farquharson, Glasgow: disposition whereby £400 is bequeathed to each of the Strathavon and Glasgow missions, 1804, draft.
5. Same:- part of a list of documents contained in lettercases, etc, n.d.
6. Same, Elgin to Bp Cameron: he wants to make some provision for aged and infirm priests of the Districts; he also hopes to buy a house & garden at Elgin for himself and his successors. 22 July 1806
7. Same: disposition of £800 in favour of Superannuated members of the Scottish Mission, n.d., draft.
8. Same: general and private deeds to the same effect as above, drafts.
9. Same, Elgin to Charles Maxwell, Edinburgh: his proposed superannuation fund; north east news, money matters, 3 Feb 1808
10. Same: private instructions relative to Glenaladale's bond to him for £800 - it is to be invested and half the interest each year is to go to Highland superannuated priests, and half to Lowland. 13 Aug 1808, signed and witnessed.
11. Same: further instructions, draft.
12. Bishop Cameron, Edinburgh to John Farquharson, Edinburgh: he has used the Strathavon £400 to buy a house in High School Yards, 16 Nov 1808
13. John Farquharson, Ayr to Bp Cameron: Mr Nicolas is happy to continue helping at Ayr; the area covered by Ayr mission; its migrant Catholic population. He'd like to go to Canada, and gives instructions as to his affairs in case he goes; etc, 31 Dec 1808

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John Farquharson Papers, 1809

(His Ayr foundation)

1. John Farquharson, Ayr to Bp Cameron: Napoleon in Spain; The Paisley mission; instructions regarding his available funds; etc, 19 Jan 1809
2. same to same; wishing still to retire from the mission. Since the foreign colleges are lost he thinks they should found one in Canada. 11 Feb 1809
3. Same to same; the Canadian project, etc, 13 Feb 1809
4. Same to same: still swithering about going to Canada; he's still acting as assistant to M. Nicolas; he stands up for the ex-Jesuits on the Mission, 27 Feb 1809
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John Farquharson Papers, 1809, contd.

- 5 John Farquharson, Ayr to Bp Cameron, Edinburgh: wanting them to meet to discuss his future, 28 Feb 1809
- 6 Same to same: thanking him for the permission to go wherever he wants; getting official recommendations for going to Canada; if he doesn't go there he'd like to settle in Stranraer, 10 March 1809.
- 7 Same to same: he can barely walk; he can't get official letters of recommendation + authorisation for going to Canada from Govt. 22 March 1809
- 8 same to same; the pain that he is in, etc, 3 April 1809
- 9 same to same: asking that the money due him be sent; Lord Hermand's kindness to him, 29 April 1809
- 10 same to same: his visit to Stranraer to say prayers and hear confessions; he doesn't know yet where he finally wants to settle, 14 June 1809
- 11 same to same: his fund designated for the West Coast mission; etc. 21 June 1809
- 12 same to same: he thinks his west coast foundation should be for Ayr. 30 June 1809
- 13 same to same: his Ayr foundation, 2 July 1809
- 14 same to same: Ayr foundation, 26 Aug 1809
- 15 same to same: Ayr foundation, 20 Sept 1809
- 16 same to same: Ayr foundation; etc, 5 Nov 1809
- 17 Same: "A few reasonable hints --- on the Expediency --- of supplying --- the want of our late National Foreign Establishments ---", n.d.

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John Farquharson, 1810 - 11

(his annuity)

1. John Farquharson, Lossiemouth to Bp Cameron: the state of the Elgin Mission; Friendly Society regulations; money matters, 21 March 1810
- 2 Same to same: comments on the Friendly Society, 9 Aug 1810
- 3 Same to same: the Friendly Society; the Ayr foundation, 20 Aug 1810
- 4 Same to Charles Maxwell, Edinburgh: he is stopping the Ayr foundation; Friendly Society; etc. 29 Sept 1810
- 5 Same to same: money matters, etc, 20 Oct 1810
- 6 Same, Elgin to same: money matters; annuity; etc, 2 Nov 1810
- 7 Same to same: investing so as to get an annuity; 14 Nov 1810
- 8 Same to same: sending certificate of his age - re annuity, 15 Nov 1810
- 9 Same to same: his annuity, 19 Nov 1810
- 10 same to same: he can only afford to invest £100 at present, 18 Feb 1811

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John Farquharson Papers, 1810-11 contd.

- 11 John Farquharson, Elgin to Charles Maxwell; his annuity. 2 March 1811
- 12 Same to Bp Cameron: Charles Maxwell's death; his papers + financial arrangements that were in Maxwell's hands, 18 March 1811
- 13 Same to same; the deeds, etc, that were in Maxwell's hands; etc; 15 April 1811
- 14 Bond of Annuity by the City of Edinburgh to Rev John Farquharson, 1811.

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John Farquharson Papers, 1812-15

1. Bond of Annuity by the City of Edinburgh to Rev John Farquharson, 1812.
- 2 John Farquharson, Elgin to Bp Cameron about a final arrangement of a £400 bond to support "a substitute" for himself, 8 Nov 1813
- 3 Same to same: his Strathavon foundation. 9 March 1814
- 4 Same: Instructions regarding Duke's Bond; + an assignation, 1814, draft.
- 5 Same: "Form of a Disposition or Assignation made by JF to Trustees, 1814"
6. Same "Private Instructions" relative to the Duke of Gordon's Bond to him for £400, 16 May 1814, signed and witnessed.
7. Same to William Reid instructing him on how to place certain moneys, n.d.
- 8 Same: list of books at Elgin which belong to himself, 15 Feb 1815

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John Farquharson in Paris, and his Death There, 1817

1. Voucher, Fred Faber, Paris, 8 May 1817, French
- 2 Fred Faber to John Farquharson: receipt for 1,000 francs in draft of Sir William Forbes, 9 May 1817, French
- 3 John Farquharson, Paris to William Reid asking him to remit his annuity into the hands of Sir William Forbes + Co. 10 May 1817
4. Inventory of John Farquharson's possessions, Rue des Fosses St Victor, 10 June 1817, French
- 5 Account of money paid by Mr Daniel to Mr Farquharson, 1814-17
- 6-7 Quittance des Frais d'Inhumation, Paris, 10 June 1817, 2 copies, French
- 8 Voucher for coffin for Mr Farquharson, 10 June 1817, French
- 9 Voucher, French, n.d.
- 10 Account for funeral expenses, etc, 11 June 1817, French
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John Farquharson's Death, 1817 contd

- 11 Vaucher; wages, M. Renodot; partier, 12 June 1817, French
- 12 Vaucher; Bureau Général, for translation of a letter, 2 July 1817, French
- 13 Vaucher; wages, M. Renodot, 4 Aug 1817, French
- 14 Vaucher; M. Renodot, 23 Aug 1817, French
- 15 Account; M. Tuite "à l'administration Ecossaise, June-Aug 1817, French
- 16 Vaucher for linen, n.d., French.

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John Farquharson's Estate, 1817

1. Charles Gordon, Aberdeen to Bp Cameron, Edinburgh: description of contents of Mr Farquharson's trunks, etc, 9 July 1817
- 2 William Reid, Edinburgh to [?] listing the documents left by John Farquharson, 16 July 1817
- 3 Same: Inventory of Farquharson's papers, n.d.
- 4 Statement of John Farquharson's funds, n.d.
- 5 Charles Gordon to James Kyle, Aquharties sending him a copy of William Reid's letter (2 above), 18 July 1817.
- 6 John Gordon, Blairs to Bp Cameron: about the papers that John Farquharson had entrusted to his keeping; Farquharson's instructions, 10 July 1817
7. Charles Gordon to Wm Reid:- about settling Farquharson's estate, 27 July 1817
- 8 William Reid to George Rathism, sending a copy of Farquharson's instructions, 16 Oct 1817.
- 9 George Gordon, Edinburgh to John Gordon, Blairs: Farquharson's various assignations of bonds, etc, 8 Nov 1817
- 10 Charles Gordon to Bp Cameron: Farquharson's relatives are taking legal advice about contesting his settlement, 10 Nov 1817
- 11 Same to same: Farquharson's relations have got hold of the papers he left in Elgin; that is how they found out about the settlement. 11 Nov 1817
- 12 John Fletcher, Durans to John Gordon, Blairs; he has a bond for £400 to John Farquharson, 19 Nov 1817
- 13 William Reid to John Menzies about bonds granted to Farquharson by the Duke of Gordon and others, Nov 1817, copy
- 14 Bp Cameron to Charles Gordon about the need to appoint a Factor to act for John Farquharson's trustees and suggests George Gordon, 3 Dec 1817
- 15 Same to James Kyle: about signing of papers by Farquharson's trustees, 3 Dec 1817
- 16 Charles Gordon to [?] about signing papers. The Duke of Gordon's bond, 8 Dec 1817

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Farquharson's Estate, 1817 contd.

- 17 Charles Gordon to James Kyle about getting papers signed, 11 Dec 1817.
- 18 John Gordon to Bp Cameron requesting to sign a commission and factory for George Gordon re Farquharson Trust, 16 Dec 1817
- 19 Charles Gordon to same: refusing to sign any papers until he has seen a copy of Farquharson's instructions, 17 Dec 1817
- 20 Copy of above letter
- 21 George Gordon to John Gordon: the position re Farquharson's Trust, 19 Dec 1817
- 22 Same to Charles Gordon: re Farquharson's Trust, 19 Dec 1817

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Farquharson's Trust, 1818-19

1. George Gordon to John Gordon sending various bonds and assignments, Farquharson's Trust, 20 Jan 1818
- 2 John Gordon to [?]: the Trustees' titles are now complete as regards Farquharson's bonds, 16 April 1818
- 3 Same to James Kyle: re factory for Farquharson's Trust, 11 May 1818
- ⑤ J. Gordon to Kyle: sorting out practicalities of Trust - impossible to re-establish Douay College, etc, 20 May 1818
- 4 James Kyle to John Gordon: he has signed the deed of factory re Farquharson's Trust; Paris as a foundation is out of the question; the Farquharson bursary, etc, 14 May 1818
- ⑤ → 6 George Gordon to John Gordon re interest on bond, 26 May 1818.
- 7 Inventory of title deeds of heritable security for £800 granted by Glenaladale to Farquharson, 1818
- 8 Account: Trustees for John Farquharson to George Gordon, 1817-18 (ie John Gordon and others, Trustees)
- 9 Account: Bp Cameron and others, trustees of John Farquharson, to George Gordon, 1817-18
- 10 John Gordon: receipt for £10 to account of Farquharson's estate, 26 June 1818
- 11 George Gordon to John Gordon: sending copy of account of Sir William Forbes + Co. re Farquharson's bond, 6 July 1818
- 12 Donald Carmichael, Cults to Bp Paterson about sending boys to [Aquharties], 1 Dec 1818
- 13 James Kyle to [Donald Carmichael] about the sort of boy who should be educated on Farquharson's bursary, n.d., enclosed with above
- 14 Discharge: Ann Farquharson + others to Bp Paterson + Wm Reid, 1 Jan 1819
- 15 George Gordon to James Kyle sending copies of correspondence with Robert SF ..., agent for representatives of Mr Farquharson, 26 Feb 1819.

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41. Rev John Gordon, Blair: Estate, 1818-24

- 1 Letter of Instructions: Rev John Gordon to Rev Charles Gordon, 1818, copy
2. Minutes at opening the repositories of the deceased Rev John Gordon, 17 Dec 1823
- 3 Valuation by William Ross, auctioneer, of John Gordon's effects, Dec 1823
4. William Ross:- account for making up above inventory and valuation, Jan 1824
- 5 Inventory of John Gordon's personal estate and deposition as to its management by Rev Charles Gordon, 1824, draft.
- 6 Extract inventory of John Gordon's personal estate, 1824.
7. Robert Heddingham, Commissary Clerk, to T. Sangster: account for dues, etc relating to above inventory, 18 June 1824
8. Stamp Office, Aberdeen to T Sangster: legacy receipt + discharge, 20 July 1824.

42 Clergy Wills, etc, 1815-37 (includes disposition of lands of Blair)

1. Bishop Aeneas Chisholm's will, unwitnessed, 15 March 1815, copy
2. Cosmo and Alexander Hamilton, Erford, Germany: "latter will", 30 April 1822, copy (see 5, 6 below)
- ③ → 4. Bishop Alexander Paterson's will, unwitnessed, 2 Oct 1826, copy
- 5 Bishop Alexander Paterson: disposition in favour of himself in life rent and The Rev Ranald MacDonald + others in fee of the lands of Blair, 1827.
- 6 Cosmo Hamilton, Erford to Charles Gordon, Aberdeen, with an enclosure for his sister, regarding the death of his brother, Alexander Hamilton, 20 June 1828
7. Cosmo / Alexander Hamilton, Erford to their sister and to [Charles Gordon] regarding their legacy to the Mission, 1828
- ⑧ → 9 Rev John Forbes, Elgin; last will + testament, 6 Dec 1831, certified by the County Clerk Depute in 1855.
10. Rev John Fraser appointing Bp Kyle his executor, 23 May 1837.
- ⑧ Anne Paterson + John Lawrie, Oran to Bp Kyle: authorisation to open Bp Paterson's repositories, etc, 3 Nov 1831

③ Excerpt from Settlement and Latter Will of Rev Wm Reid, 1825

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Charles Gordon's Executry: Deeds of Settlement, etc, 1826-56.

1. Charles Gordon, Aberdeen to James Kyle, Secretary of Friendly Society describing the deed he has just executed which names Kyle or his successor in office as his executor. Money to go to various purposes for Aberdeen Catholics. 27 Jan 1826
2. Same: Instructions to the trustees named in his Deed of Settlement of 3 Feb 1830. 1834
3. Same to Bp Kyle: receipt for £400, 22 June 1847; with note in Kyle's hand of interests paid 1847-52
4. Deed by Charles Gordon, holder of shares, and Bp Kyle, one of the trustees appointed regarding assignation of the shares to the Trustees, 1855, copy
5. Abstract of Settlement by Rev Charles Gordon, 1856

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Copies of Documents made by William Clapperton of Paper, 1845-55

1. Disposition + deed of settlement of Rev Charles Gordon, 8 Nov 1852: General purposes.
2. Declaration of Trust and Instructions by Rev. Charles Gordon to Disponees, The Right Rev Dr Kyle + others, 1845
3. Testamentary Deed of Instructions by Rev Charles Gordon, 1852
4. Disposition: Rev Charles Gordon to Right Rev Dr Kyle + others, 1852
5. Declaration of Trust and Instructions by Rev Charles Gordon, 1852: Ecclesiastical purposes.
6. Codicil by Rev Charles Gordon, 1855

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Accounts: Charles Gordon's Trust, 1865-72.

1. Abstract of Accounts of Rev Charles Gordon's Trust, 1865, copy
2. Analysis of Charles McGrigor's account with St Peter's Catholic Orphan Institution, Aberdeen, 1864-65
3. Abstract of Accounts of Rev Charles Gordon's Trust, 1872

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Rev George Gordon, Duftoun: Will, etc., 1841-56

1. George Gordon's will, signed + witnessed, but with annotations pencilled in, 14 April 1841
2. Same, draft will, 28 June 1841 (signed, but not witnessed)
3. Same, draft will, 12 Jan 1842 (signed, but not witnessed)
4. same. will, signed and witnessed, 12 Jan 1842; and certified as having been recorded 28 July 1856.
5. Instructions from Rev George Gordon to Bishop Kyle, 25 April 1856
6. Draft of above.
7. Extract confirmed Testament Testamentar Umquhil Rev. George Gordon, 1856.

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Donations to Individual Places, and Specific Causes, 1816-71:

1. Extracts from documents regarding bequests to Portlach by Mr Gordon of Auchanachy, and to Huntly + Blais by Revs Cosmo and Alexander Hamilton; excerpts dated 1816-33; Clapperton's hand.
2. Bishops Paterson, Kyle and Scott to Rev Charles Gordon, Aberdeen regarding the latter's bursary for a student at Blais, 21 April 1831, copy made in 1893.
3. Rev James Sharp, Blais to Bp Kyle, Rev John Sharp and Rev William Caven: instructions regarding the £800 he has assigned to them, the interest to be used to help Northern District priests, 13 March 1837
4. Rev Paul MacPherson, Rome to Bp Kyle, sending £100 to be settled on the Cairnside mission, 4 Dec 1841
5. Memorandum given to Bp Cameron by Mr Reid regarding mass obligations of the Preshome presb, n-d.
6. John Smith, Bogs: discharge for £60 being Rev John Reid's legacy to the poor of Rathven parish, 9 Jan 1871.

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Clergy Wills 1842 - 55 (includes disposition of Blairs).

1. Rev William Caven, Auchinhalrig: Instructions to Bp Kyle regarding the disposal of his property, 8 June 1842.
2. Rev William Caven; will of 8 June 1842, and a subsequent will of 16 April 1856; both signed but unwitnessed.
3. Rev William Caven; will, signed and witnessed, 10 Dec 1857; and certificate of recording of will on 21 Feb 1859
4. Rev James MacLachlan; will, signed and witnessed, 7 Aug 1846.
5. Rev Donald Carmichael; instructions for disposition of furniture, signed at Blairs, 10 April 1852
6. Same: disposition of clothes, etc, 10 April 1852.
7. Rev Donald Carmichael, Blairs; transfer of shares to Bp Kyle + others, April 1852, copy by Messrs Cochran + MacPherson, advocates, Aberdeen
8. Rev Donald Carmichael, Peterhead, will, signed and witnessed, 15 Sept 1854, copy by Messrs Cochran + MacPherson, Aberdeen.
9. Copy of above will made by Clapperton
10. letter from Clapperton regarding the above will, n.d.
11. Disposition by Bp Kyle and Rev Charles Gordon in favour of Bp Kyle + others of the lands + property of Blairs, 9 Jan 1855, lawyer's copy.

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Clergy Wills, 1863-72

- 1-3. Lachlan McIntosh; loan to Aberdeen, Legacy to Glengairn, 1864-65
4. Codicil or Memorandum of Instructions by Bp Gillis, 1863, lawyer's copy made in 1869
5. Bp Kyle, Presbyme to Rev James Glennie regarding the papers of Rev Charles Gordon [Junior], who died at Bruges, 25 June 1864
6. Discharge by Jane Gordon in favour of Rev James Glennie, re estate of Rev Charles Gordon [Junior], 6 Jan 1873
7. Discharge by executors of Rev Charles Gordon to Rev James Glennie, 1872
8. Rev. Theophilus Mary Verstraeten, berwick: will, signed and witnessed, 26 April 1870, together with a letter from his brother, 25 April 1872, copies made in 1876.
9. Rev Theophilus Verstraeten: will, original, signed + witnessed, 26 April 1870
10. L. Verstraeten, Belgium to Bp MacDonald regarding his brother's will, 25 April 1872

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Robert Stuart's Executry: Correspondence, 1860 - August 1861

1. James Petrie, Dufftown to Robert Stuart: sending him a receipt; letter of obligation from John Blackie, 20 June 1860
2. Bp Kyle, Preshome to James Glennie: Robert Stuart's death and funeral arrangements, 8 Dec 1860
3. James Petrie to James Glennie regarding taking of inventory at Tombae, 26 Dec 1860
4. Bp Kyle to James Glennie: Robert Stuart's executry; Tombae inventory, 27 Dec 1860
5. Same to same: Chapelton insurances; Tombae inventory, etc, 5 Jan 1861
6. James Petrie to James Glennie: inventory must include money owing to and owed by late Robert Stuart, 4 Jan 1861
7. Same to same: asking him to send obligations made out to Stuart, etc 11 Jan 1861
8. Same to same: Robert Stuart's executry and its relation to James Stewart's estate, 1 Feb 1861
9. Bp Kyle to James Glennie: R. Stuart's executry and his successor, 1 Feb 1861
10. Same to same; Tombae inventory + will of Mr Stuart have been confirmed before the J.P. - Now legacy duty must be ascertained. Money matters concerning Tombae; 14 Feb 1861
11. Same to same; The farm at Tombae must be kept on mean time; problem of leasing it from Duke of Gordon. Mr Stuart's executry, 4 March 1861
12. John MacPherson, Edinburgh to [?]: the late Mr Stuart's account for Catholic Directories, 20 March 1861
13. Bp Kyle to James Glennie: arranging a meeting to discuss Mr Stuart's affairs, 2 April 1861
14. James Petrie to same re Mr Stuart's executry, 3 May 1861
15. Aeneas Chisholm; Tombae: receipt for money due him as Mr Stuart's assistant, 21 May 1861
16. Janet Stuart, Tombae: receipt for wages due, 24 May 1861
17. Bp Kyle, Preshome to James Glennie about financing a journey to Belgium; Tombae mission's money problems; and the rent of its farm; farm crop does not belong on Mr Stuart's inventory; etc. 14 July 1861.
18. Same to same: advice re arranging vouchers on Mr Stuart's estate; and on making up accounts for the Revenue Office; Mr Stuart's claim on Mr Blackie; etc, 18 Aug 1861

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Robert Stuart's Executory: Correspondence, Sept 1861 - 1862

1. Bp Kyle to James Glennie: arrangements of payments out of Mr Stuart's estate as required by Stamp Office, 5 Sept 1861
2. Same to same: the renting of Tombae farm is for the benefit of the incumbent as such; not for his personal gain. Chapel furnishings also belong to Mission; other matters re Stuart's executry
3. Same to same: legal position re Tombae farm, etc, 20 Sept 1861
4. Same to same: hoping debts ~~to~~ Mr Stuart have been paid. Mr Gordon's placement in Bruges. Distance of Tombae house from its chapel, 17 Oct 1861
5. Same to same: Mr Blairie's debt to Mr Stuart; various money matters; the house and offices at Tombae + their upkeep; etc, 28 Oct 1861
6. Same to same: about settling with Mr Murdoch various money matters concerning Mr Stuart and the money he set aside for a school; legacy duty still to be settled; etc, 13 Nov 1861
7. Same to same: investment of Mr Stuart's school fund; etc, 16 Dec 1861
8. Same to same: Keith-Dufftown railway opening; Stuart executry - money matters, 14 Feb 1862
9. James Petrie to James Glennie sending a receipt for duties on estate of Robert Stuart, 28 Feb 1862
10. James Glennie, Chapeltown to Bp Kyle: he has received receipt for legacy duty, 5 March 1862
11. John Stephen: voucher - Robert Stuart's estate, March 1862
12. James Glennie to Bp Kyle: opening of Chapeltown schools; investment of Mr Stuart's money, 7 April 1862
13. Same to same: Mr Stuart's estate; his own liabilities to Chapeltown Mission, 29 June 1862
14. Bp Kyle to James Glennie: sending accounts relating to Mr Stuart's executry; 10 Aug 1862
15. Same to same: accounts re Mr Stuart's executry; various statements etc requested relative to the accounts; financial calculations re Stuart's estate, 16 Aug 1862
16. Same to same: sorting out accounts re Stuart's estate, 22 Aug 1862
17. Same to same: the settlement with Mr Petrie; further accounts re Mr Stuart's estate; Chapeltown silver plate, etc, 1 Sept 1862
18. James Glennie to Bp Kyle sending him an obligation for £45 regarding the Chapeltown mission, 15 Sept 1862

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- 52 Robert Stuart's Executry: Vouchers for groceries, hardware, coffin, taxes wages, owed by Mr Stuart; also vouchers for legacies paid out of his estate, 1860 - May 1861 (20 items)
- 53 Robert Stuart's Executry: vouchers as above, May 1861 contd (16 items)
- 54 Robert Stuart's Executry: vouchers for nails, saltpetre, farm implements, etc, also for legacies received from estate, June 1861 - 1862. (19 items)
- 55 Robert Stuart's Executry, 1861-81 (accounts etc)
1. Inland Revenue Office, Banff: receipt for legacy duty on Robert Stuart's estate, 5 Dec 1861.
 2. Robert Stuart in account with The North of Scotland Banking Company, Aug 1862
 3. Bp Kyle in account with the executry of Rev Robert Stuart, 1861-62
 4. Rev James Glennie in account with the executry of Rev R. Stuart, 1861-62
 5. Account between James Petrie Esq + the estate of Rev R. Stuart, 1860-62
 6. Account: the Estate of Rev Robert Stuart to James Petrie, 1862
 7. James Glennie, Inverurie to William Clapperton, sending him all the papers relating to the estate of the late Mr Stuart, 11 July 1881

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Donations for Specific Purposes, 1874-75

1. Rev James Glennie, Inverurie to Bp Gdm, Aberdeen regarding Abbe' Paul MacPherson's intentions in respect of Chapeltown schools, 11 June 1874
2. Copy of Abbe' MacPherson's will of 1840 enclosed with above letter, 11 June 1874.
3. Rev J. Kemp, Dufftown to Bp Mac Donald, Aberdeen: he has purchased the neighbouring property of Maryvale to provide a school playground. He himself is paying $\frac{2}{3}$ of the cost, 13 Feb 1874.
4. Rev Colin Grant, Eskdale to Rev Wm Clapperton sending £100 to be a special fund for maintaining the church at Marydale, 16 Dec 1874.
5. Rev Wm Clapperton, Buckie to Rev Colin Grant acknowledging above instructions, 17 Dec 1874
6. Rev Colin Grant: he has money to leave for the support of the Glengairn Mission [25 Nov 1875]
7. Same to Wm Clapperton sending a draft for £100, the interest after his death to be used for Glengairn, 13 Dec 1875
8. Wm Clapperton to Colin Grant acknowledging above, 14 Dec 1875

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Copies of Extract Registered Declaration of Trust by Rev Charles Gordon, 1881

1. St Peter's Chapel, vestry etc in Chapel Court, are Trust Property for ecclesiastical purposes, 1852
2. Disposition of St Peter's Chapel, vestry, three dwelling houses and court in favour of Bp Kyle + others, 1852
3. Special legacies + bequests, 1852
4. Legacies for priest longest resident in Aberdeen, and for School + Orphanage Factor, 1845

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Rev James Glennie: Will + Executry, 1879-93

1. Rev James Glennie, Inverurie to Rev William Clapperton bequeathing Aberdeen Gas Annuities to the Diocese, 28 April 1879, copy by Clapperton
2. Same: will, signed and witnessed, 1 Oct 1880
3. Same to Rev Wm Clapperton: sending him a letter of credit, with instructions, 17 Nov 1881
4. Rev W. Clapperton, Buckie to Rev James Glennie acknowledging receipt of above letter of credit, 18 Nov 1881.
5. Rev James Glennie: death certificate, 11 Jan 1882
6. Confirmation of Rev. John Sutherland as executor of Rev James Glennie, 4 Feb 1882.
7. Rev John Sutherland, Huntly to Bp MacDonald, sending a copy of Glennie's will, and mentioning his further, private instructions, 14 Jan 1882
8. Copy will sent with above letter
9. Inventory of books bequeathed by Rev James Glennie to the Bishop of Aberdeen, and left in the Chapel House, Inverurie, n.d.
10. Rev John Sutherland, Huntly to Rev Wm Clapperton regarding Glennie's Celebration fund for Inverurie, 18 May 1883
11. Rev John Sutherland, Huntly to Rev C. Mackenzie regarding the silverware at Chapelstarn left to that Mission by Abbe' MacPherson and carried off by Mr Glennie; as Mr Glennie's executor he wishes to restore the silver to Chapelstarn, 27 June 1893, copy
12. Copy of above letter attested by John Sutherland.

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Rev James Glennie's Executry: vouchers etc, 1882

[17 items]

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Donations for Specific Purposes 1882-86

1. Rev John Sutherland to Rev John MacEachron regarding Abbe' MacPherson's foundation for the Brass of Glenlivet, 2 May 1882
2. Same to same: further on the same topic, 12 June 1882.
3. Rev Charles Tochetti, Keith to Rev W. Clapperton, Buckie giving £250 to the special funds of the Mission, 9 Nov 1886

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Bishop Colin Grant : Will; Donation, Consecration + Executing, 1888-89.

1. Rev Colin Grant, Eskdale, will, and codicil, both signed, Aug 1888,
copy
2. Same to Rev W. Clapperton giving £100 to the special funds of
the Diocese; formal letter, 8 Nov 1888.
3. Same to same: informal covering letter sent with above.
4. Same to same: he has been made Bishop Elect of Aberdeen, 5 July 1889
5. Same to same: regarding the Bishops' Funds, 13 July 1889.
6. Same to same: the claim against Aberdeen for Hay fund,
18 July 1889
7. Rev Wm Clapperton to Bp Colin Grant regarding the above funds,
19 July 1889
8. Bp Grant to Rev Wm Clapperton: Bp MacDonald's finances, etc,
21 July 1889
9. Rev Wm Clapperton to Bp Grant: more on money matters, 23 July 1889
10. Same to same asking him to come to a meeting regarding money
matters, 29 July 1889
11. Bp Grant to Rev Wm Clapperton: money matters regarding the different
dioceses, 16 Aug 1889.
12. Rev John Cameron, Beauly to Rev Wm Clapperton; as Bp Grant's
executor he is inquiring into his financial position in respect of
Clapperton, 12 Oct 1889.
13. Clapperton to Rev John Cameron - refusing to divulge any information,
14 Oct 1889, copy
14. Rev John Cameron to Clapperton: his executory duties re Bp Grant,
21 Oct 1889
15. Clapperton to Cameron asking for the return of some of the late Bishop's
papers, 21 Oct 1889, copy
16. Same to same: he knew of no insurance policy, 22 Oct 1889
17. Cameron to Clapperton: he has discovered the Bishop's Life Policy,
23 Oct 1889
18. Rev Allan MacRae, Eskdale to [Clapperton] about Bp Grant's
endowment for Eskdale, 16 Nov 1889
19. Clapperton to MacRae about Bp Grant's endowments to Missions,
18 Nov 1889
20. Rev Alex Bissett, Marydale to [Clapperton] thanking him for some
money + wondering what it is for, 16 Nov 1889
21. Clapperton to Bissett explaining that the money is interest from
Bp Grant's endowment for Marydale, 18 Nov 1889
22. Rev John Cameron, Beauly to Clapperton thanking him for the
cheque, 18 Nov 1889

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Rev P. J. Weir : Donations, 1889-1906

1. Rev P. J. Weir, Forhabes to Rev Wm Clapperton, Buckie about sums of money to be invested for the missions of Forhabes + Buckie, 7 April 1889
2. Clapperton to Weir about investing above money 13 May 1889
3. Weir to Clapperton sending £110, 13 May 1889
4. Clapperton to Weir acknowledging receipt of cheque, 14 May 1889
5. Weir to Clapperton: specific instructions re £50 for Buckie, 15 May 1889
6. Same to same : specific instructions re £60 for Forhabes, 15 May 1889
7. Same. instructions regarding his property, etc, 26 June 1891, copy by Clapperton
8. Same to Clapperton re Forhabes masses, 19 Nov 1893
9. Same to same: proposing to pay in to special funds £500 to be the "Canon Weir's Forhabes Fund", 26 Jan 1894
10. Same to Bp MacDonald, Aberdeen: adding a further £500 to his Forhabes Fund and £200 to the Canon Weir bursary fund for Blais, 29 May 1895
11. Same to Bp Chisholm: declaration that the £1000 he has given were intended to defray the debt on Blais College due by Aberdeen Diocese. It was not intended for general building fund. His brother's donation was for the same purpose, 8 Feb 1906. Copy, with comments, by Canon Wilson.
12. Bp Chisholm to "Nonignore": he accepts Weir's instructions about his own gift, but not about that of his brother James. 14 March 1906.
13. Rev P. J. Weir to Bp Chisholm: his own gift of £1000 is to go to the Aberdeen diocese's share of Blais debt, and not to the general building fund, 20 March 1906

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Donations for Specific Purposes, etc, 1891-95

1. Rev Allan MacRae, Eskdale to Rev Wm Clapperton, Buckie: he wants to hand over some money to be invested, the interest to go to Marydale School, 16 Oct 1891
2. Clapperton to MacRae: advice on getting a bank draft, 17 Oct 1891
3. MacRae to Clapperton sending bank draft for above money, 5 Nov 1891
4. Clapperton to MacRae acknowledging receipt of money, 8 Nov 1891
5. Rev Charles Tochetti, Keith to Clapperton about getting £500 invested for the Keith Mission, 27 Oct 1891.
6. Same to same sending cheque for £500, interest to go to Keith Mission, 7 Nov 1891
7. Same: mass celebrations to be said for him post mortem, 15 Nov 1893
8. Rev William Stopani: instructions regarding masses for the repose of his soul, 22 Dec 1892.
- 9-10. Copies of above.
11. Bp Hugh Mac Donald: memorandum regarding Mgr Stopani's executry, 6 Sept 1895

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Donations for Special Purposes; Executries; 1894

1. Rev P. J. Weir, Fochabes to Rev Wm Clapperton proposing to pay over £500 to inaugurate the "Canon Weir's Fochabes Fund", 26 Jan 1894
2. Clapperton to Weir regarding the terms proposed for above Fund, 7 Feb 1894
3. Weir to Clapperton about the above terms, 8 Feb 1894.
4. same to same: The Bishop agrees to his conditions re the Fund, 19 Feb 1894
5. Clapperton to Weir: he will arrange the investment, 21 Feb 1894
6. Weir to Clapperton proposing to send a cheque, 8 May 1894.
7. Clapperton to Weir acknowledging above proposal, 9 May 1894.
8. G. A. Wilson, Aberdeen to Rev Wm Clapperton regarding Rev John Sutherland's executry and £400 to be invested on behalf of the Huntly Mission, 6 June 1894.
9. Clapperton to Wilson regarding the terms of the above investment, 8 June 1894
10. Wilson to Clapperton clarifying the above terms, 18 June 1894
11. Same to same sending bank draft for £400, 21 June 1894

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Rev John Kemp's Executry, 1895-97:

- 1- 26 Vouchers, 1895-97.
- 27 Charles MacPherson, solicitor, Duftoun to Rev Wm Clapperton sending him the above vouchers, 27 Nov 1897.

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Rev John MacEachron: Will and Executry, 1898

1. Rev John MacEachron; will, signed but not witnessed, 3 March 1891, copy made in 1898
2. Charles MacPherson, solicitor, Duftoun to Rev George Wilson regarding Rev J. MacEachron's legacy to the Friendly Society, the interest to go to the Portsay incumbent, 13 Sept 1898
3. Same to same: he will contact Father MacGregor, 15 Sept 1898
4. Rev James MacGregor, Aberdeen to Canon Wilson regarding investment of Fr MacEachron's legacy, 15 Sept 1898
5. Same to same: he has received the £200 in payment of Fr MacEachron's legacy and will arrange the transfer of the money, 5 Oct 1898.

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Rev Charles MacDonald: Donation, Executry, 1903-11

1. Rev Charles MacDonald, Inverurie to Canon Wilson: he has donated £1,000 to form a fund called "The Very Rev Charles, Provost MacDonald's Fund" towards the education of a boy for the priesthood for Aberdeen Diocese, 11 Nov 1903.
2. Same to same: he will add a further £400 to the above fund, 4 March 1905
3. Same to same sending a cheque for £400, 28 April 1905
4. John Craigen, Aberdeen to Mgr Wilson, Elgin regarding Provost MacDonald's executry, 21 Feb 1911
5. Same: Memorandum of the Estate of Provost Charles MacDonald, d 15 Feb 1911,

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Rev William Clapperton's Executry, 1897, 1911-12

1. Rev Wm Clapperton to Canon Wilson: instructions re £500 legacy to Banff, 27 June 1897
2. John Anton, Buckie: declaration that the bond + disposition in his favour by John Buchan belongs to Canon Clapperton's estate, 12 Sept 1911
3. Business Account: The trustees of Preshome Mission to Alex Anton, Solicitor, Buckie re sale of property, 30 High Street, Buckie, 15 May 1912.
4. Business Account as above: sale of Clapperton's household furniture and effects, 15 May 1912.
5. Alex Anton to Mgr Wilson, Elgin sending the the money received for house + contents, 30 High Street, Buckie, 18 May 1912.
6. Cash account: John Anton, for upkeep and taxes of Clapperton's house at 30 High Street, 1904-12.
7. Note of expense of assignation by John Anton to the Trustees of Aberdeen Diocese Finance Committee of bond + disposition in security over subjects in Port Gordon, 21 June 1912.
8. Alex Anton to John Anton acknowledging receipt of Engrossment of Assignation to Trustees of the Finance Committee of the Diocese, 20 June 1912.
9. Ranald MacDonald, Cluny Estate Office to A. Anton returning the Disposition in favour of Mr James Grant, 30 July 1912.
10. Alex Anton to Mgr Wilson: he has had adjusted the claim for casualty on 30 High Street, Buckie, 1 Aug 1912.
11. Same to same acknowledging receipt of money for casualty, etc, 6 Aug 1912.

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Rev John Paul's Executry, 1912-23

1. Messrs Mackenzie + Wilson, solicitors, Aberdeen to Mgr Wilson, Elgin regarding a bequest invested in the name of Mgr Paul and his successors, 24 Sept 1912
2. same to same sending a memorandum regarding Mgr Paul's estate, 16 April 1913
3. same: memorandum regarding property in Aberdeen over which Mgr Paul held a Bond, 1913.
4. same: memorandum as to interest paid at Whitsunday 1913 by Deceased Mgr Paul's Trustees to the Procurator, Aberdeen Diocese, 1913.
5. same: note of interests payable to the Procurator, Aberdeen Diocese, 1913
6. same to Rev Donald Matheson, Huntly regarding documents concerned with the repayment of a loan, 6 Nov 1922.
7. same to same regarding a bond over property in Cults that was part of Canon Paul's investment, 10 Feb 1923

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Donations, legacies, etc 1912-26

1. Bp Aeneas Chisholm to Canon Wilson; instructions regarding the destination of the interest on the £1,000 he is giving him to invest. Ultimately it is to be for infirm priests; to be called the "Sick Priests' Fund", 11 Nov 1912
2. Copy cash account: charge + discharge of the intromissions of John and W G Craigen, advocates, Aberdeen, in the realisation of the estate of the late Rev Donald Kennedy, 1925-26

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Wills, Settlements, etc 1768 - 88

1. John Addison, London - will, 31 Oct 1768
2. Alexander Crow, Haughhead: instructions as to destination of interest on £40 given to Bp Hay - Edinburgh Mission, 21 June 1768
3. Alexander Crow, will + codicils, 1770
4. Same to Bp Hay: instructions re destination of legacy, 1770-74
5. Isabell Cruickshank - will, as dictated to Wm Reid at Aberdeen Infirmary, 8 April 1771
6. Ann Warwick, Warwick Hall, Cumberland: instructions regarding payment of her legacies, 11 Aug 1772. see also "Donations"
7. Alexander Crow: extract registered latter Will and Testament, dated 2 Nov 1773 with codicil dated 9 Jan 1775
8. Alexander Strachan, London to [Bp Hay]: - after his death the interest of the money lodged with [Hay] is to be used for priests on Scottish Mission, 23 Oct 1775
9. Note of legacies + annuities left by L[ady] Win[dy] M C[onsta]ble, nd.
10. James Leslie, Courtray to Bp Hay: about money to be put in Hay's hands; the interest going to Leslie's nephew for life, 18 March 1776
11. Same to same: clarifying his intentions, 14 May 1776
12. Mr Robert Grant, Douay to Bp Hay forwarding a letter from Mr Leslie - legal case involving land belonging to Scots College, Douay, 1 April 1778
13. James Leslie, Courtray to Bp Hay: settling his affairs, 24 March 1778 enclosed with above letter from Mr Grant.
14. Same: instructions regarding money sent to Bp Hay, 5 April 1778
15. Mutual disposition between James Grant, Corsheulloch and Janet Grant, his spouse, 5 July 1779
16. James Young, Aberdeen to John Young about paying Bishop Hay £400 after his death in respect for their grand aunt Lillian's wishes, 23 Oct 1780
17. Frances Hay, Aberdeen - will, 21 April 1788

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Wills and Legacies, 1791-98

1. Notarial Copy of Will of William Gordon to Patrick Gordon of Aberdeen, 1791
2. Declaration of Mr James Gordon about his benefaction to the Mission,
1 June 1792
3. M. J. Selby, London to Bp Hay, Aberdeen: death of Rev James Gordon
of Bolton Row and his legacy of £400 to Bp Hay, 14 June 1793
4. Arthur Gordon and Messrs R+H Ingram: Declaration of Trust, 27 July 1792
5. Arthur Gordon, Cadiz to Messrs R+H Ingram, London, asking them to
transfer his stock to Mr John Geddes, 22 May 1793; with Geddes'
authorisation for transfer of stock to Bp Hay, 16 July 1793
6. Same to Bp Geddes re above gift of stock, [May 1793]
7. Mr John Pepper, Dumfries to Bp Hay: death of Mrs Dorothy Riddell; her
legacy of £1,000 to the Mission, 18 Oct 1793
8. James Maxwell, Kirkcconnell to Bp Hay about the conditions attached
to his aunt's legacy of £1,000, 25 Oct 1793
9. Authentic copy of Trust Deed, Messrs R+H Ingram to Bishops Hay+Geddes, 1794
10. Bp Hay: notes about money remitted from Paris: part Wauchop's legacy,
part Mr Harry Innes's property, n.d.
11. Copy receipt: Bp Hay to Andrew Stewart Jnr, for interest on a bond,
14 May 1794, with note added by Hay at foot of page.
12. Henry Strabach and Charlotte Hector, his spouse - to Bp Hay: instructions
regarding their deed of settlement, [1796] draft in Hay's hand.
13. George Mathison, merchant, Forchabers: will, 26 Jan 1798, draft

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Wills and Trust Dispositions, 1800-19

1. Last Will + Testament of James Cowie in favour of John Cowie, July 1800
2. do Alexander Shaw, 1802 - later superseded.
3. do John Grant, Scalan, 8 Nov 1802
4. do Alexander Shaw, 1803 [see 2 above], sewn pp.
5. do Madame Rey, Edinburgh, 19 April 1803, French.
6. do James Mair, Soldier in Ceylon, 27 July 1806
7. do William Sutherland, Chapel of Inchbeary, 30 July 1807
8. do Edward Quin, merchant, Edinburgh, 23 Sept 1808
9. Margaret Nassie to Rev Charles Gordon and Mr Leith, Aberdeen :- instructions regarding the execution of her will, [n.d.]
10. Last Will of Adam Dickson of hisbon and Edinburgh, 13 Sept 1810
11. do James Burges, Middlesex, 1814, copy
12. do John Cowie and Anne Paterson, Walkerdales, 8 May 1815
13. Copy Trust Disposition and Deed of Settlement of Major General Andrew Anderson, 23 Nov 1815, printed.
14. Last Will of Anne Strachan, Buckie, 10 Jan 1816
15. do Thomas Dawson, Middleton, 4 Sept 1818
16. do Robert Grant, Auchmillie, 17 June 1819.
17. Copy letter from Mr Lewis Gordon + copy translation of Mr Andrew Stewart's will, 1819
18. Copy translation of Patrick Andrew Baron Stuart's Will, Dec 1819.

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Wills and Settlements, 1824-30

1. Last Will of William Murray, Aberdeen, 7 May 1824
2. do Mary Gordon, Tullachallum, 21 Aug 1826
3. do William Bonyman, Bogshalloch, 12 March 1827
4. do William Thomson, Buckie, 1 Feb 1828
5. Lucy Stuart, London to Bp Paterson regarding her sister's will and the masses requested, 31 March 1829
6. Messrs Wright + Co, London to Bp Paterson: £ 250 from Lady Lucy Stuart has been credited to his account, 27 April 1829
7. Lady Lucy Stuart to same about the above £ 250, 4 May [1829]
8. Same to same about above gift, etc, 28 June [1829]
9. James Grant, Tornochlagant: instructions regarding money owed to him which may be recovered after his death, 20 May 1830
10. Last Will of James Russel, farmer, Fordyce parish, 1 June 1830, copy
11. Confirmation of James Russel's will by his widow, 3 Dec 1830
12. Extract confirmed Testament Testamentar unquhile James Russel, Muir of Glassaugh, 1830

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Sarah Simpson's Executry - Rev John Forbes Executor., 1832

1. Rev John Forbes, Elgin, executor of Sarah Simpson, to William Grant, accountant in Elgin; receipted account 1832
2. Account of charge and discharge of the intromissions of Rev John Forbes, executor of Sarah Simpson, with the personal estate of the deceased, 1832
3. Account: the heirs of Sarah Simpson to James Simpson - funeral expenses, 1832
4. Account: the heirs of Sarah Simpson to James Walker for wine, brandy, candles, etc, 1832
- 5-14 Miscellaneous vouchers re accounts for items bought and also receipts for legacies, 1832

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76 Wills, Dispositions, etc, 1832-35

- 12 Margaret Milne: disposition in favour of Rev Charles Gordon, 1831, 2 drafts
- 3 Last Will of John Smith, Upper Drimnin, 16 Aug 1832.
- 4 Instructions received by Mr Reid from Alexander McDonell by word of mouth, Dumfries, 11 Sept 1832
- 5 General state of the affairs of deceased Mr Alex. MacDonell, Dumfries, 1832-34
- 6 Accounts: The Rev Wm Reid for Alexander McDonell's executors to George Gordon SSC, 1832-34
- 7 Last Will of William Thomson, Wick, 18 Aug 1832
- 8 do Peter Gordon, Fordmouth, Tomintoul, 1833, draft.
- 9 Mary Grant: confession of fornication with Lachlan Cameron, n.d.
- 10 Account of legacy bequeathed by James Russel to Elspet Russel in Fochabers, 19 Feb 1835 (Kyle's hand)
- 11 Last Will of Elspet Davidson, [? Laggan], 9 May 1835
- 12 do Alexander Hay, weaver, Fochabers, 29 Aug 1835, copy
- 13 do Janet Stuart senior, Balnoe, Glenlivet, 2 Dec 1835
- 14 do Anne Mellis, widow of Alex MacWilliam, Buckie, n.d.

77 Wills, 1836-46, 1854

1. Will of Donald Cameron and Elizabeth Stewart, Aberdeen, 20 June 1836
- 2 Separate wills by Donald Cameron and Elizabeth Stewart, n.d., copy
- 3 Will of Elizabeth Stuart, Easter Auchaveich, Glenlivet, 16 Dec 1837
- 4 Will of John Sinclair, Wheelwright, Buckie, 11 Dec 1838
- 5 Will of Charles Stuart, Mill of Auchnasera, 7 August 1838
- 6 Will of John Grant, n.d., draft
- 7 Will of James Geddes, Buckie, 1 Nov 1839
- 8 Will of John Simpson, farmer in Hole, [Enzie], 1839, draft.
- 9 Will of Alexander Wilson, Coteau du Lac, Lower Canada, n.d., copy
- 10 Will of Thomas MacPherson [Glenlivet] 5 May 1840
- 11 Registered will of Robert Carlyle, joiner, Terregles, 1841
- 12 Will of Robert Cameron - legacy to Chapelton Mission, 6 Dec 1841
- 13 Alexander Gordon, Lagual to his son, Adam: his wishes re the farm, and his family after his death, witnessed document, 12 Jan 1842.
- 14 Same to Rev James Gordon, Tombae: his wishes re the farm, 15 Jan 1842
- 15 Will of Mrs Picard, Penrith, Feb 1844, copy
- 16 Will of Helen Grant or Stuart, Balnoe, 10 Feb 1844
- 17 Will of Ellen Grant, Gibraltar, 1 Dec 1846, copy
- 18 Will of James Michie, Scalan, 30 Aug 1843
- 19 Division of late James Michie's stock, Scalan, 3 June 1854

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Wills, 1850 - 56

1. Will of May Robertson, Castletown of Braemar, 20 Feb 1850, copy
2. Will of Helen Margaret Grant, Aberdeen, 19 May 1850
3. Will of John Paterson, farmer, Baremuir, Rathven, 13 Dec 1850
4. Will of James Murphy, Portsoy, 27 May 1851
5. Will of John Phinister, crofter, Farnaughty, Rathven, 23 March 1851
6. Will of James MacKachlan, 10 Aug 1853
7. Copy of above by Bp Kyle
8. Bp Kyle, Proshome Ec [the priest for Drumley, Co Donegal] asking him to help with the discharge of MacKachlan's debts in Ireland, Aug 1854, copy.
9. Will of James Murdoch, Wellheads, Bellie, 26 April 1853
10. Will of Anne Hepburn, Buckie, July 1854, draft
11. Will of Alexander Bennett, Farmer, Hillocks, Rathven, 18 May 1854
12. Will of James Stuart "residing on the moor between Tomalanan and Scalan", 27 Feb 1855
13. Will of Alexander Grant, Foot of Ladder, 5 March 1855
14. Will of Janet Stuart, Rhindhu, Inveravon, 26 June 1855
15. Will of Jane Gordon, Upper Clashmore, 8 May 1856
16. Will of Anne Jamieson, Buckie, 6 Feb 1856

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Wills, (1847) 1857-62, 1895

1. Will of Isabella Thomson or Bennet, Blaemuir, Rathven, 21 Oct 1857, attested and registered 1861
2. Will of Joseph Charles Grant, Netherston of Upper Drumin, 1857, with codicil, 1861; copy made in 1863
3. Will of Margaret Stuart, West Auchavaich, Glenlivet, 21 May 1864
4. Will of Isabella Gordon or MacPherson, Tomalanan, Glenlivet, 27 March 1864
5. Will of Miss E. M. D. Maxwell, 1847; codicil 1857, copy made in 1869
6. D. Cullington, London to Bp MacDonald, Aberdeen: bequest from Madame Mary de Sandelin to the Northern District, 31 Oct 1870, copy by Clapperton.
8. Will and Settlement of Alexander Forbes, Errol Bank, Dufttown, 1872, copy
9. Excerpt from Will of Mrs John James Roy, Avochie - legacy to Catholic Orphanage, Aberdeen and School, Auchindryne, 19 May 1862, Copy, with note by Bp Hugh MacDonald, 26 Nov 1895
10. Will of Helen McIntosh, Huntly, 10 Jan 1858