

1. State of religion in England, 1637
2. Andrew Leslie: "Epistola de sua Incarceratione", 1647-48
3. William Ballentyne: Report to Propaganda 1659
- 4-6. Gilbert Blackhall: Brief Narrative --- services done to three noble ladies, 1666-67
7. An account of Gilbert Blackhall
  
- 8-9. Alexander Leslie: Visitation 1674-78
10. Holyroodhouse College Rules, 1688
11. William Leslie to J Irvine: transcripts of letters, 1678
12. Louis Innes: Letterbooks, 1683-84
13. Robert Gordon: vocation of Scots youths, 1694, copy
14. William and Walter Leslie: transcripts of letters, 1694-1710
  
15. "Autograph Letters", 1598-1688 (contains part of Ballentyne's report of 1659)
  
16. Mission, c 1603-75
17. Mission, c 1677-84
18. Mission, c 1688-93
  
19. Miscellaneous documents, c 1640-94
  
20. Dealings with Propaganda, 1653-68
21. Correspondence with Propaganda, 1672-81
- 22-23. Dealings with Propaganda, 1683-94
  
24. Cardinal Barbarigo to William Leslie, 1681-85
25. Cardinal de S Susanna to William Leslie, 1693-94
  
26. Abbe' MacPherson: Copies made by/for him from documents in Propaganda, 1658-62.
  
27. Political, 1608-90
28. Public affairs, 1638-82
29. Printed pamphlets, 1638

1. "RELAZIONE DELLO STATO DELLA RELIGIONE Cattolica in Inghilterra data alla Santita di N. S. Urbano VIII da Gregorio Parazani vel suo Ritorno da quel Regno, L'anno 1637" Italian, scwn ms.
2. ANDREW LESLIE: "Epistola de sua Incarceratione, 1647-1648" ms, with alterations in a second hand. (Latin)  
(Translated in Forbes Leith "Memoirs" vol II p 3ff)
3. WILLIAM BALLENTYNE: "Report on the Catholic Church in Scotland, 1659", (Latin)  
Bound photostat of original ms in Propaganda Fide.  
(IR VIII, 39-66, 99-129)  
NOTE: Part of this report is transcribed in SM2/15.
4. GILBERT BLACKHALL: "A brieffe narration of the services done to three noble ladies by Gilbert Blackhal priest of the Scots Mission in France and the low countries and in Scotland. Original ms, written in Paris in 1666-67 and delivered to Bp Cameron by John Farquharson when he left Glasgow in 1805 (Spalding Club 1844) (vol)
5. COPY OF BLACKHALL made in Scots College Paris by Alexander Leslie, 1671  
Scots College Paris bookplate (vol)
6. COPY OF BLACKHALL; two hands: Bp Kyle's and another (vol)
7. "AN ACCOUNT OF MR GILBERT BLACKHAL", Andrew Scott's hand (double sheet)
8. ALEXANDER LESLIE'S VISITATION 1677-78, sent to Propaganda, 1681
  1. Contemporary copy, Italian
  2. Typescript, Italian, with key to place names.

- 9 ALEXANDER LESLIE'S VISITATION, 1677-78 :- English translations
1. Typescript from original in King's College, Aberdeen, 2260 Box R
  2. Ms by Odo Blundell
  3. Ms by David McRoberts
- 10 HOLYROOD : Rules of the Schools of the Royal College at Holyrood, 1688
1. Photocopy of sheet printed at Holyrood.
  2. Typescript copy
- 11 MR WILLIAM LESLIE to Mr J Irvin : contemporary transcripts of letters of 1678
1. Need for secular missionaries, 1678 ; Walter Leslie's hand.
  2. As above, same hand, sewn ms.
  3. As above, part at least in Walter Leslie's hand.
  4. Pontifical alumnis' obligation not to make themselves Regulars, 1678.
- 12 MR LOUIS INNES : LETTER BOOKS 1683-87
1. 1683-85, sewn ms, several pp not in Innes's hand
  2. 1685- Jan 1687, sewn ms. " " " " "
  3. 1687. double sheet
- 13 MR ROBERT GORDON; BOULOGNE : Treatise concerning the vocation of Scots youths to be Religious or to be Clergy priests and Missioners, 1694
- Copy in Walter Leslie's hand with a preface to the treatise.

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"PAMPHLET A": Transcripts of documents made by William and Walter Leslie, Rome, 1680s-1716, with list of contents added by Abbé MacPherson. Bound volume of sewn sections, containing:-

1. Queries of Mr Leslie, the Procurator, to the Protector, Cardinal Norfolk [47 in all], relating to the bad conduct of the Jesuits, both as superiors in the College and as Missionaries. Contains much information on the state of the Mission, 1694.
2. Opposition made by the Jesuits in the reign of James VII to the nomination of Bishops for Scotland [1680s]
3. An account of the persecution of Catholics and imprisonment of Mr Jameson under William III; conversion of three students at Aberdeen University to Catholicism - they were sent to become secular priests but were persuaded at Douay to become Jesuits, 1694.
4. Dissertation on the Jesuit assertion that a religious state of life is preferable to that of a missionary priest, 1694
5. Anti-Jesuit stories, mainly extracted from Archives of Propaganda.
6. Dissertation against alliances between Catholic and heretical kings.
7. Letter on private affairs.
8. Letter insinuating the opposition of Jesuits to having Bishops in Scotland, and that those Fathers were not in great repute in Rome. 1694
9. Letter to Lord Melport about Rome's agreeing to give a Bishop to Scotland, and proposing six capable for the charge, 1694.
10. Letter to Mr Dunbar, Prefect of the Mission, ordering him to send a priest to open a school in the Highlands, 1694.
11. Letter to Mr Lewis Innes concerning the grant made by Rome of a Bishop for Scotland, 1694.
12. Answers from Lord Melport and Mr Lewis Innes. Nicolson named bishop, 1694
13. Letter from Mr Lewis Innes giving an account of the imprisonment and banishment of Mr Munro; his imprisonment again in Flanders, 1696
14. Three different representations to the Pope of the persecutions against British Catholics; their causes and remedies, 1696-98.
15. Letter from Bp Gordon describing the persecution in Scotland. Bp Nicolson taken but escaped - still obliged to abscond. 1716

## 15 "AUTOGRAPH LETTERS relating to England under the Stuarts", 1598-1688

(see WSA: SCA Guide 19)

1. ff 1-6 "De origine haereses eiusque effectibus". - Bannatyne report, 1661.  
see I.R. viii p 39 et seq. and "S.M.I."
2. ff 7-10 "Henricus tituli Sanctae Potentianae Cardinalis Caietano, SRE  
Camerario, Anglicanae nationis protector. Georgio Blackwello  
Sacerdoti Anglo, Sacrae Theologiae Baccalares formato, in  
vinea Anglicana laboranti Salutem". Rome, 7 March 1598
3. ff 11-19. "Litterae Presbyterorum quorundam associatorum ut ipsi se vacant  
ad Archipresbyterum Angliae ---" (L.H. column)  
"Responsiones quaedam breves per alios presbyteros ---" (RH col.)  
Anderson notes "It includes the Paris decree of TD iii xxix and  
Blackwell's Decree of 29 May 1600 [TD = Tierney Dodd]"
4. ff 20-24. "Exemplum edicti impressi et promulgati contra catholicos Londini  
in Anglia ad diem 15 Novembris hoc ipso anno 1602. Est  
idiomate Anglicano in Latinum traductum, Per Regnam. Edictum quo  
praescribitur, ut procedatur contra Jesuitas, et sacerdotes saeculares ---"  
[WSA: Translation of Proclamation printed in Rymer xvi, 473; Tierney Dodd III p. clxxxv]
5. ff 25-26. "A Rege. Edictum de Revocandis maiestatis suae subditis a  
Seminariis ultramarinis et legibus contra Jesuitas et papisticos  
Sacerdotes executioni mandandis."  
[WSA: Translation of Proclamation dated Woodstock 14 Aug. Anno primo Regni]
6. ff 27-30 "Notata ex libro Regis Angliae cuius titulus est primum Latine,  
Triplici modo triplex cuneus, deinde Anglice. Apologia pro iurciurando  
fidelitatis contra duo Brevia Papae Pauli V et recentem Epistolam  
Cardinalis Bellarmini ad Georgium Blackwellum Arc Epbrum,  
Huius titulo hanc sententiam annectit ex Esdrae 3. Tunc omnes  
populi clamaverunt + dixerunt magna est veritas + praevalet.  
Auctoritate Regia. Impressus Londini per Robertum Berkerum --- 1608."
7. ff 31-52. Letter docketed "Factum pro Justificatione Episcopi  
Calcedonensis in Anglia",  
Letter begins "Beatissime Pater, Nescio quo siue sancti Officii  
Consilio ---" 1627.
8. ff 53-54. Copy of a letter from Count Goadomar, Spanish Ambassador in  
England to the Spanish Ambassador at Genoa, dated London,  
June 22, 1618.

15 contd. Autograph letters contd.

9. ff 55-56. Letter from Queen Henrietta Maria to the Prince of Wales, her son, translated into Italian by Giovanni Francesco Biondi. Dwells on her misfortunes, reminds him of his promise to declare himself a Catholic. Tells him to rescue his brothers & Elizabeth; sends her jewels.
10. ff 57 Document in cypher, headed "Vienna 3 febraro 1678", and, at the foot of the page, "A Mons. Nunzio di Spagna."  
 ff 58 "Cipra di M. Bonnisi dei 3 Febr<sup>o</sup>. 1678 - transcript of above  
 ff 59 Docket on otherwise blank paper: "1678, 3 Febr<sup>o</sup>, Cipra, Vienna M<sup>r</sup> Bonnisi sopra lo stato della cose d'Inghilterra in ordine alla rottura con francia e desidera sapere se si para il matrimonio del Re con la Portugheze."
11. ff 60-61 Document docketed: "a die 7 febraro 1678; Copia della Risposta del Parlamento d'Inghilterra data al Re Britannico sopra la Guerra da intraprendersi contra la francia."
12. ff 62-63 An address to the King by Parliament.  
 ff 64-65 Docketed "Proposta fatta dal Re d'Inghilterra alle due Camere, di 24 di Gennaro di 1678  
 ff 66-67 Resolution of Parliament (ff 67 is blank).
13. ff 68-69. Letter from Vienna to the Nuncio of Spain; docketed "1678, 17 March, Vienna, M. Bonnisi - Accusa. i Publicat. della ha? dei 16 (December?) supra la rottura del Congresso Prebensionie de gl. Inglesi di trattando? in Londra, accordando po chi [?] ferma la mediage Pontificia. Pensiers di Leuar? affato gl. Sucsesi dal' Alemagna e per qual fine - aspetta d'un Ambasciaba de Mosconit in Vienna. - - -"
14. ff 70-71 Cypher letter from Vienna to the Nuncio of Spain, Madrid. 31 March 1678 docketed "Sopra il Matrimonio del Re e del J. D. Gio. Sopra la lega coll' Inghilterra e L'olanda, e Raggiussam di S. A. con la Reg<sup>a</sup>. - - -"  
 ff 72-73 Transcript deciphering above (ff 73 is blank).
15. ff 74-75 Cypher letter from Vienna to the Spanish nuncio dated 14 April 1678. docketed "Sopra i drattati di (questa?) Corte coll' Inghilterra sopra il matrimonio del J. d. Gio. con Portugallo e L'allontanam. del Valenquela"  
 ff 76-77 Transcript deciphering above (ff 77 is blank).

15 contd. Autograph letters contd.

- 16 ff 78-81. Document headed: "Madrid 27 December 1678: Relazione sopra gl' Emergente d'Inghilterra" (f 81 is blank)
- 17 ff 82-91 "Lettera scritta sopra le presenti Commozione d'Inghilterra" 1679. (Letters about Titus Oates)
- 18 ff 92-93 Letter from the Archbishop, Lisbon about news from England, 1679.
- 19 ff 94-95. Original document in Spanish: Sworn statement by Don Diego Lirize Archbishop of Tuam in Madrid that he never had anything to do with Titus Oates.  
Document is countersigned by the Archbishop of Caesarea, Papal Nuncio to Spain, and signed by Tribunal of the Nunciature.
- 20 ff 96-97 "Translato del Ristretto del Processo fatto contra Li Richard Cattolici prigionieri nella Torre di Londra".
- 21 ff 98-99 Relazione delle Dichiecatione fatte --- 1679 --- " (looks like a docket for a non-extant document?)
- 22 ff 100-109. Accounts of the martyrdom of the Jesuits, docketed 'Brussels, 1689, Relazione del Sr. Abbate Tanara sopra la morte violenta di ? Jesuiti in Inghilterra --- "
- 23 ff 110-111 "Razonamientos de los P.P.<sup>os</sup> Thomas Whitebread, Provincial de los Jesuitos Ingleses, El P.<sup>o</sup> Guillermo Harcourt, Pastor de Londres, el P.<sup>o</sup> Juan Fenwick Procurator de la Provincia en  $\frac{20}{30}$  de Junio 1679, estando en Tyburne lugar del Suplicio poco antes de ser asusticiados."
- 24 ff 112-113 Document in Spanish beginning: "Certo hombre de negocios Verino desta Ciudad, tubo aviso de Madrid por via secreta como algunas personas en conversacion sobre la conspiracion de Ynglaterra, se indignaron contra los Ingleses por per seguir a los Catholicos --- "
- 25 f 114 Letter in Swedish dated Stockum 17 May 84.  
[W. S. A.'s decipherment of the language].
- 26 ff 115-116 Document dated Whitehall, 18 July 1685, ending "et e presentemente nelle mani di My lord Lumley"  
About the defeat of the rebels

## 15 cont'd Autograph letters cont'd

27. ff 117-118. Document in French, but in same hand as (26) above, dated "a Londres ce 9 Juillet 1685," about the Duke of Monmouth, who joined in his rebellion, and about the envoy of the Prince of Orange who offered the King his help against the rebels. etc.
28. ff 119-126 "Declaration de Jacques Duc de Monmouth, et des Nobles, Seigneurs, et autres presentement Armes pour la defence, et maintien de la Religion Protestante, des Loix, Droits, et Privileges d'Angleterre, contre l'infraction, qui en a este faite et pour l'affranchissement et delivrance du Royaume de la Tyrannie, et de l'usurpation, perpetrée par Jacques, ~~Duc~~ Duc d'York."
29. ff 127-128 Proclamation by James II concerning the the Rebels. Dated Whitehall, 22 July 1685.
30. ff 129-130 Document headed "Londra 19 Luglio 1685" about Monmouth's rebellion.
31. ff 131-132 Document headed "Londra, 23 Luglio 1685" about the return of Eversham, Churchill and the Duke of Grafton to London, and about Monmouth's letter to the King + Queen, etc.
32. ff 133-134 Document dated "Londres, le 26 Juillet, 1685" about Monmouth's imprisonment in the tower, and his execution.
33. ff 135-136. Document dated "a Londres ce 30 Juillet 1685." The Duke of Albemarle has brought Monmouth's "secretary of state" to London. The King has given a cavalry regiment to the Earl of Arran, etc. and other English news.
34. ff 137-138; "Londres le 2 Aoust. 1685" - Monmouth's burial; other rebels have been captured & taken to Newgate; pronouncement of sentence against Colonel Culpepper, etc.
35. ff 139-141 Letter dated Paris, 12 August 1685 docketed "Monsieur Ranneé sorge Vacie? nobique?"  
Letter begins: "Quasi subito pervenute qua la lettere di cot<sup>a</sup> Corte del corrente ordinario insorsero varii discorsi intorno al soggetto della cattura di M<sup>r</sup> Villan, e della hollier sua moglie, stati già al servizio della Regina Regnante - - -"

## 15 contd. Autograph letters contd.

- 36 ff 142-150 "Vera, et legitima remedia contra mala, quibus Regna Britannia Regna hodie misere agitantur" (signed "Da. Cam" - i.e. David Camararius)  
doctored "~~Discursio~~ Discursio supra vera et legitima remedia a libenda contra mala agitantia magnae Britanniae Regna.
- 37 ff 151-152. "Traslato d'un Bigletti in cui Li consengono le ragioni ch' hanno obligato il Re d'Inghilterra da Rochester, e che fu da S. M.<sup>a</sup> Castiaro sopra il suo tauolino per che si renda publica le giustificatione della sua ritirata."
- 38 ff 153-154. Letter dated Lyons, 31 December 1688, about the arrival of the Queen & the Prince of Wales in France

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SCOTTISH MISSION 1604-1694.

MISSION: c 1603-1675.

1. "De Regno Scotiae iuvando": Catholicism in Scotland and the need for Scotsmen to serve as priests there. [after 1603]. Latin.
2. Political and religious situation in Britain while Cecil remains in power. [c 1603 x 1608], Italian.
3. "Notations" out of Sinclair concerning the Scots Jesuits from c 1589 with notes on various Jesuits, 1589-1613
4. Indult of Pope Paul V authorising publication of books, addressed to "Joannes Baptista Collorenus" and docketed "P Brunum Minoritam" c 1605 x 1621  
note: John Brown died 14 Jan 1635 at Brussels; see Bellesheim iii, 332-33; Call- "Scottus Peregrinus", Tablet 11 Sept 1880.
5. Reasons for maintaining the correspondence between Pope Urban and the Queen of Great Britain, c 1640
6. "Mandata Edicta et Acta Secreti nostri Consilii de Jesuitis Sacerdotibus et Papistis": Royal edicts, Edinburgh 1642, ms copy, Latin
7. Extracts from letters written by Messrs Duquoin and Lumsden, 1652-1657, French
8. Father Dempster: An exhortation to Catholics in time of persecution, written during his imprisonment, [1658], Italian translation.
9. Father Dempster: Challenge to the Ministers in Scotland, written while in prison, [1658], Italian translation.
10. Another copy of above, Italian.
11. Alexander Gordon, Paris to Gilbert Talbot SJ, Scots College, Rome: his father wants him to return home and become a regent of philosophy at Aberdeen. He needs money to get to London. [c 1659]
12. [?] to Fr Gilbert Talbot, Rome [1655 x 1670], Italian.
13. Propaganda Fide: Appointment of Mr Dunbar as prefect of the Scottish Mission. 12 June 1662, Latin.
14. [P. Conne, Paris] - Headed "--- ultime parole del Sig. Card<sup>e</sup> Antonio a me date, quando parti di Parigi per tornare a Roma. nel Anno 1670"
16. [Fr Duquoin] [to ?] about the Jesuits in Scotland and the history of Duquoin. [c 1675], draft
15. "Correctiones reflectionum Patris Durham" [before 1674] draft. Latin

1. Reflections on the Mission [c. 1677], French.
2. Letter from Scotland giving an account of persecutions there, 2 June 1679, copy, Italian.
3. [D.C.M., "sal" ?] [to ?] containing transcript of a pamphlet: "A proclamation against papists" originally printed at Edinburgh in 1679. 26 Aug 1679.
4. "Remarks on the Scotch Mission, 1686" [Mr Wm Leslie's hand?]
5. "Memoire de ce qu'il faut pour l'establissement d'une maison pour servir de retraite aux Missionnaires des Montagnes d'Ecosse," plus extract. 1687, French.
6. An Information of the Present state "of the University of Glasgow" [1687]
7. [The Scottish priests] to "My Lord" asking him to deliver the enclosed address to James VII. ["My Lord" is probably Lord Relfort] [1687] copy.
8. The Scottish priests to James VII; address as mentioned above asking for the King's help. [1687]. copy.
9. Proposals for rebuilding St Ninian's Chapel, 1687, Italian [Mr Wm Leslie's hand?]
10. Disputes between the Scots Jesuits about a legacy. Probably refers to Holyrood. [c. 1687].
11. Rome's opinion on the oath proposed to Catholics by James [VII], n.d. Latin.
12. Suggestions for a brief of the Pope to James [VII], n.d., Latin [Mr Wm Leslie's hand?].

See also P.B. catalogue: Ordo Baptizandi (1686)

1. Part of a letter mainly concerned with genealogies. [July 1688] French.
2. Father Gordon and Abercromby: accounts, 1688
3. [?], Paris [to Mr Leslie, Rome]: Religion and politics in Britain, 7 Feb 1689
4. Note of the losses of the clergy missionaries in Scotland, and banished out of Scotland. [1689]
5. Notes concerning the Edinburgh Jesuit schools and Mr Nicolson, 1690
6. Memorial on the miseries of Catholics in Scotland, and asking assistance. [c 1690], draft, Italian.
7. Note on King James being sent to England by the king of France, etc. Mentions Fr. Musanti's remark on Abbot Liberti [c 1690], Italian.
8. "Lettre d'un Francois refugee a la Hay a un nouveau Converti. des leuemes" 23 April 1691.
9. Minute of the memoir given by Captain Hay, and of the letter written to Mr Batouler
10. "Expostulatio quorundam Missionariorum in Regno Scotiae pro fide captivorum. [1693] Latin.
11. Scots priests, Daung, to the Papal Nuncio at Paris about charity sent them when they were in prison on account of their faith. 1693.

[SM 2/18/5 is a partial copy of BL 1/133/4

Mr Charles Whyteford, Paris to Mr Leslie, Rome 6 Feb. 1690]

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## MISCELLANEOUS DOCUMENTS c1640-94.

1. Memorial to Pope Alexander VII asking for the recognition of John IV of Braganza as king of Portugal [1640 x 56]  
contemporary copy, (Italian)
- 2 The nuncio, Vienna to Cardinal Spada about the Catholics of Ireland, 23 Dec 1691  
part of letter only, copied by Walter Leslie (Italian)
- 3 Letter to the Pope on the effect of a general peace on Europe (nd.)  
(Italian)
- 4 Notes on the Pope and on "Catholic and lawful princes", nd.  
part only of a draft.
- 5 [?] to "Monsieur L'Abbe' Inese au College des Ecossois",  
about an inscription on a marble tomb in the college, nd  
(French)
- 6 Part of a letter about sending students to a college and about  
internal dissensions, nd.
- 7 Reasons for uniting the missions of Scotland and Ireland in  
one Province, nd (Italian)
- 8 Giuseppe Zambecchini to Mr William Leslie, Rome, about  
a journey made with Fr Howard, nd. (Italian)
- 9 Memorial to the General of the Jesuits about various Scots  
Jesuits, nd, copy (Latin)
- 10 Instructions to the Procurators of the Jesuit mission in Scotland.
- 11 Covering note addressed to Will. Leslie, Italian notes on back.
- 12 "The Scotch Capuchin - from Card. Rinuchini", sewn pages.

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DEALINGS WITH PROPAGANDA FIDE, 1653-1668.

1. Mr William Leslie to Cardinal Barberini about the continuation of a provision to the Scottish missionaries, 1653, contemporary copy, Italian.
2. "Instructione per Sig<sup>r</sup> Alessandro Winstero --- Missionario nel regno di Scotia", 7 Sept 1657, Italian.
3. Propaganda to Mr Ballentine: permission to consecrate chalices and altars. 12 Nov 1657, Latin.
4. Cardinal Barbarigo, Venice [to ?], 1 Oct 1661, Italian.
5. Mr Leslie [to Propaganda]: Memorial about the Scottish Mission, 1662, Italian.
6. Franciscus Petrensis, Bishop of Canada, Paris to the Pope about Canada. 21 April 1663, contemporary copy? Latin.
7. Bishop of Padua, Padua to Cardinal Barberini, Rome, 22 May 1663, Italian.
8. The monks of Ratisbon to Cardinal Barbarino, Rome, 14 Sept 1666, Latin.
9. Cardinal Barberino to the rector of the English college: dispensation from writing to Propaganda. 29 Dec 1668, Italian.  
On the back: signatures of 8 students of the Scots College, Rome, attesting that they have seen and read "originalem" [c 1721 x 1730].

## CORRESPONDENCE WITH PROPAGANDA, 1672-1681

1. Propaganda to Mr Alexander Winster, London, 9 March 1672, Italian.
2. Propaganda to the rectors of the Scots Colleges of Rome, Madrid, Douay, 13 June 1673, copy, Italian.
3. Cardinal Barbarigo, Rome to Mr William Leslie, Pesaro, promising to help the Scottish Mission, 17 June 1677, Italian.
4. Cardinal Casanate, Rome to Mr William Leslie, Pesaro, 23 June 1677, Italian.
5. Cardinal Ludovico, Rome to Mr Alexander Winster, 2 May 1678, copy, Italian.
6. Urbano Cerri, Rome to Mr William Leslie, Pesaro, 21 May 1678, Italian.
7. Mgr Albani, Rome to Mr William Leslie, Pesaro, 8 June 1678, Italian.
8. Urbano Cerri, Rome to Mr William Leslie, Urbino, 10 Sept 1678, Italian.
9. Cardinal Colonna, Rome to Mr William Leslie, Urbino, 29 July 1679, Italian.
10. Mr Alex Dunbar to Propaganda with a copy of Fr Irvin's will, 1680, Italian.
11. Contemporary copy of above.
12. "Istruptione per il Superiori d'una Missione", [1680], Italian. [Leslie's hand?]
13. Decree of Propaganda about Scottish Mission stations and secular (regular) priests for them, 4 March 1681, copy, Latin.

DEALINGS WITH PROPAGANDA FIDE: 1683-1691

1. Father Thomas Johnston to Propaganda, 10 Jan 1683, Latin.
2. Letter to the Vicar Apostolic, London, 31 Jan 1686, Italian. copy [in Mr William Leslie's hand?].
3. Messrs James Cahassy and John Devoyer, Paris to the Cardinals, 18 March 1686 Latin. copy [in Mr Wm Leslie's hand].
4. The Scottish Missionaries, Speyside, to the Pope, 27 May 1686, Latin. copy [in Walter Leslie's hand?].
5. Queries to Propaganda concerning the Catholic religion [c 1687], Latin. (two hands)
6. Propaganda to the Prefect + missionaries of the Scottish Mission, 8 May 1688. Latin. copy [in Mr Wm Leslie's hand?].
7. Cardinal de S. Susanna, Monte Fiescone to Mr William Leslie, Rome, 10 July 1688. Italian.
8. Cardinal Barbarigo, Padua to Mr Wm. Leslie, Rome, 29 April 1689.
9. Gio. Francesco Albani, Monte Cavallo to Ngr Cybo Patriarca di Constantinopoli and Mr William Leslie to the Pope. 1689. The latter is a copy probably in Walter Leslie's hand; [the former also a copy?].
10. Memorial to Propaganda about the Scottish mission and the need for a bishop. 1 Feb 1690, Italian. Copy [in Mr Wm Leslie's hand].
11. Pope Alexander VIII, Monte Cavallo granting money to the Catholics of Britain. 18 March 1690, Italian.
12. Fr Andrew Magi, Rector of the Scots College, Rome: Memorial to Propaganda, [1690?] Italian. Contemporary copy.
13. Mr David Burnet, Dunkirk to Propaganda, 16 Sept 1690, Latin. Copy [in Walter Leslie's hand?].
14. Same to same, 16 Sept 1690, Latin. Copy, but not same as above, [in Walter Leslie's hand?].
15. Same to Cardinal Norfolk, 16 Sept 1690, English. Copy [in Walter Leslie's hand].
16. Mr Thomas Forbes to Cardinal Sacripanti [1691], Italian. Contemporary copy.
17. another copy of the same.

DEALINGS WITH PROPAGANDA FIDE, 1692-1694

1. Mr William Leslie to the Pope about the problems facing Catholics in Britain.  
20 June 1692, draft, Italian.
2. Fr William Lewis Leslie, Scots College, Rome [to Cardinal Norfolk]; Scottish affairs, 19 Sept 1692, draft.
3. "Bisogni e Rimedii" :- requests to be made to Propaganda, 1692, Italian [Walter Leslie's hand?]
4. [Walter Leslie]: Extracts from letters of Scottish priests about sending boys to Rome and Paris, 1692-1693.
5. Notes about procurators, [1692], Latin. Incomplete.
6. Memorial to the Pope about getting a Scottish bishop, [April 1693], copy, Italian [Mr Wm. Leslie's hand?]
7. "C.M." [John Irwin?] to Cardinal Norfolk, 1 June 1693: copy of extracts from original
8. [Walter Leslie]: part of a letter about a document which a cardinal refused to read to the Pope [c 1693?]
9. "Alle considerazioni fatte sopra i consaputi Decreti" [c 1693?], draft, Italian.
10. Messrs George Gordon, Robert Davidson and Alexander Crichton, Paris to Propaganda, 31 Aug. 1693, contemporary copy, Latin.
11. Memorial to the Pope about the Scots Colleges of Douay and Madrid, [1693] copy, Italian [Mr Wm. Leslie's hand?]
12. Cardinal de S. Susanna to Mr Wm Leslie, Rome 16 May 1694
13. Resolution to appoint Dr Nicolson 17 Aug 1694
14. Cardinal de S Susanna to Mr Wm Leslie, Rome 19 Sept 1694
15. same to same, 13 Oct 1694
16. Bp Nicolson, Paris, to Pope and Propaganda, 13 Dec 1694, copy

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CORRESPONDENCE: Cardinal Barbarigo to Wm Leslie 1681-85, Italian.

1. Cardinal Barbarigo, Venice to Wm Leslie, Rome, 10 May 1681
2. same to same, 23 Aug 1681
3. same to same, 13 Sept 1681
4. same, Padua to same, 9 Jan 1682
5. same to same, 15 Jan 1683
6. same to same, 19 March 1683
7. same to same: 9 July 1683
8. same to same: 13 Aug 1683
9. same to same, 20 Aug 1683
10. same, Venice to same, 24 March 1685
11. same, Padua to same, 5 May 1685
12. same, Venice to same, 14 July 1685
13. same, Padua to same: 2 Oct 1685
14. same to same, 19 Oct 1685
15. same, Venice to same, 30 Nov 1685

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CORRESPONDENCE, Cardinal de S Susanna to Wm Leslie, 1693-94, Italian

1. Cardinal de S Susanna, Montepiascone to Wm Leslie, Rome, 22 July 1693.
2. same to same, 29 July 1693.
3. same to same, 5 Aug 1693
4. same to same, 12 Aug 1693
5. same to same, 19 Aug 1693
6. same to same, 26 Aug 1693
7. same to same, 2 Sept 1693
8. same to same, 16 Dec 1693
9. same to same, 23 Dec 1693
10. same to same, 4 April 1694
11. same to same, 7 April 1694
12. same to same, 14 April 1694
13. same to same, 21 April 1694
14. same, Tessenano to same, 4 May 1694.

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COPIES OF LETTERS MADE BY/FOR ABBE' MACPHERSON FROM DOCUMENTS  
IN PROPAGANDA ARCHIVES. 1658-1662.

1. Patrick Conne to the Secretary of Propaganda, 29 May 1659; Mr Leslie's memorial to Propaganda, 1659; Mr Leslie's petition to Propaganda, 1658. Italian
2. Messrs Lumsden and Winster to Propaganda: account of the state of religion in Scotland, 1659. Latin
3. Patrick Conne to Propaganda about the Scottish Mission, 26 Sept 1659.
4. Mr Ballentine, Paris to Propaganda: Mission matters, 1660, mainly Latin.
5. same, Elgin to same, 29 June 1660, Italian.
6. Messrs Lumsden + Winster to Propaganda: Scottish affairs. 10 Sept 1661, Italian
7. Mr Leslie to Propaganda: information on the Scottish Mission, 4 June 1662, Italian.

POLITICAL PAPERS, 1608-90

Dockets on many of these papers indicate that they were sent either to the Scots College at Paris or to the Scots College at Rome.

1. Secretary Elphinstone to James VI, 1608, copy.
2. Prince Charles [I] to the Pope, 29 June 1623, copy, Latin.
3. Account of the death of Charles I. London, 2/12 Feb 1649, Latin.
4. Charles II's escape from Worcester, 1651.
5. Charles II's general pardon from Breda, 1660. Copy of sheet printed by John Maccock and Francis Tibon, London, 1660.
6. "His Majesty's declaration to all his loving subjects", 26 Dec 1662, incomplete.
7. Declaration of Charles II against the French; Whitehall, 9 Feb 1666, translated into Italian.
8. The last speeches of the five Jesuits that were executed at Tyburn on 20 June 1679.
9. "Ragionamento del P. Gavano fatto al Popolo nel luogo del suo Supplico", 20/30 June 1679, Italian.
10. Act of Parliament on the right of succession to the crown, Edinburgh, 28 July 1681, copy.
11. Council of State for Scotland to Charles II about the return of the Duke of York to Scotland, Nov 1681; translated into Italian.
12. The confession of Edward Fitzharies written in his own hand and given to Doctor Flaunkins [son] the day of his execution, [1681].
13. Charles II's declaration re the conspiracy against him, 1683, transl. into Italian.
14. Proceedings of the Estates of Scotland, Nov 1688, <sup>1689</sup> copy.
15. "His Majesty's Reasons for With-drawing himself from Rochester ---", 22 Dec 1688, printed sheet.
16. "Responsio" on the king's position regarding the Church of England, n.d., Latin.
17. Decision of English clergy on usury. Copy made by Louis Innes, 1688.
18. Dissertation on the political and religious situation in England, n.d., Italian [written during Charles II's reign].
19. List of those imprisoned in Scotland by order of Parliament, 1689.
20. Relation of the escape of the Queen and the Prince of Wales from England, 1689, Italian.
21. List of Highland gentlemen who may support James VII, 1689.
22. An account of the affairs of Scotland from 1 May to 27 May 1690, dated Dublin 10 June 1690.
23. Petition of Archibald Earl of Argyll and others to the High Commissioner and Parliament, n.d. [c 1690], printed, incomplete.

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| <b>SM/2/28</b> | <b>1638-1682</b>              | <b>Political Papers</b>  |
| SM/2           | 1604-1694                     | <p><b>Mission documents</b></p> <p><i>Level:</i> Sub fonds<br/> <i>Extent:</i><br/> <i>Creator:</i><br/> <i>Scope and Content:</i><br/> <i>Note:</i><br/> <i>Related Units:</i><br/> <i>Publications:</i></p>  |
| SM/2/28        | 1638-1682                     | <p><b>Political Papers</b></p> <p><i>Level:</i> File<br/> <i>Extent:</i> 9 items<br/> <i>Creator:</i><br/> <i>Scope and Content:</i> Letter against signing the New Covenant; Warrant to John Roy MacGregor alias Murray; Commission to Earl of Murray; Commission regarding Clangregor; Commission relating to Rebellion in the north east; Remonstrances; Act of Parliament against the Western Remonstrance; Copy of the instructions from his Majesty to the Lord Marquess of Queensberry, Lord High Treasurer of Scotland<br/> <i>Note:</i><br/> <i>Related Units:</i><br/> <i>Publications:</i></p>  |
| SM/2/28/1      | c 24 Sept 1638-<br>1 Oct 1638 | <p><b>Letter addressed to the laird of Innes, the sheriff of Murray and the laird of Grange</b></p> <p><i>Level:</i> Item<br/> <i>Extent:</i> 1 item<br/> <i>Creator:</i> Earl of Montrose and other covenanting nobles<br/> <i>Scope and Content:</i> Letter narrating the royal proclamation at the market cross of Edinburgh on 22 September 1638 ordaining all the Privy Councillors to subscribe 'the schort confession of faith without our explication and applications their of so solemnelie sworne by us' and to take steps for its subscription throughout the kingdom, further narrating the protestation by the Tables against the said proclamation and the appointment by the Privy Council of commissioners to enforce subscription in each sheriffdom [Register of the Privy Council, vii, 75, 24 September 1638] and directing the said laird of Innes and the others to require 'everie presbaterie congrigatioun and persoune who within the schyre hath befor subscrivit the covenant to hold of thair handis and absteine from subscribing this new confessioun by ane politick plott set furth to droune ours in oblivion' and to that effect to circulate throughout the sheriffdom copies of these reasons against the new subscription until the above protestation by the Tables could be printed and copies sent to them, to inform the commissioners [to the Glasgow Assembly] chosen in the presbyteries within their sheriffdom to resort to Edinburgh to meet the rest of the commissioners before 1st October and to ensure that when the above proclamation should be published in any burgh within the sheriffdom, the inhabitants thereof should countenance the reading of the protestation; with postscript to the effect that each minister should be urged to inform his parishioners thereof with all haste and that, if the minister were absent as a commissioner, the next adjacent minister should do so; signed by Rothes, Montrose, Home, Wemyss, Boyd, Balmerinocht, Burghly, Elcho, Loudoun, Lindsay, Sinclare, Lothian<br/> <i>Note:</i> In form this is a circular letter sent to the various burghs and sheriffdoms<br/> <i>Related Units:</i><br/> <i>Publications:</i></p> |
| SM/2/28/2      | 30 Jul 1640                   | <p><b>Warrant to Patrick Roy McGregour alias Murray</b></p> <p><i>Level:</i> Item<br/> <i>Extent:</i> 1 item<br/> <i>Creator:</i> Archibald, Earl of Argyll, Lord Campbell and Lorne<br/> <i>Scope and Content:</i> Warrant from Archibald, Earl of Murray, Lord Campbell and Lorne, having commission from the Estates for securing the Highlands, to Patrick Roy McGregour alias Murray 'to conveine some of the speciall men of the Race of McGregour and to deal with thame in materis concerning the peace off the country and shaw them such directiounes as we have imparted to him therannt, astricteing the said Patrick Roy to report to us his diligence heirannt to soonne as possibillie he can; signed by Argyll at Keppoch in Lochquhaber<br/> <i>Note:</i> Not recorded in the Register of the Committee of Estates or preserved among the warrants<br/> <i>Related Units:</i><br/> <i>Publications:</i></p>   |

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| <b>SM/2/28</b> | <b>1638-1682</b> | <b>Political Papers</b>  |
| SM/2/28/3      | Dec 1640         | <p><b>Commission to Earl of Murray et al</b></p> <p><i>Level:</i> Item<br/> <i>Extent:</i> 1 item<br/> <i>Creator:</i> Committee of Estates of Parliament<br/> <i>Scope and Content:</i> Commission by the Committee of Estates of Parliament to James, Earl of Murray, James, Earl of Findlater, Sir Robert Innes of that ilk, Kt. Bt., James Grant of Frewchie, James Creichtoune of Frendracht, Alexander Dumber of Westfeild, sheriff of Murray, Sir William Forbes of Craigievar, Kt. Bt., Robert McKenzie of Alter, Thomas McKenzie of Pluscarden, Alexander Abercrombie elder of Birkinboig, Sir Alexander Abercrombie younger thereof, his son, and Robert Leslie of Finnersies or any five of them, the said James, Earl of Murray, or James, Earl of Findlater, being always one of the number, to proceed against lawless persons of any clan and the resettlers of such persons within the bounds of Murray, Strathspey, Balvenie, Auchindown, Glenrinnis, Cabrach, Strathyla, and Enghie; signed by members of the Committee of Estates<br/> <i>Note:</i> Not recorded in the Register of the Committee of Estates or preserved among the warrants; note 'in dorso' to the effect that this commission was directed against the resettlers of 'Clangregour'; 'in dorso' renewal of above Commission giving power to the commissioners to fine persons found guilty, 1 Dec 1641<br/> <i>Related Units:</i><br/> <i>Publications:</i></p> |
| SM/2/28/4      | 1 Dec 1641       | <p><b>Extract act of the Privy Council approving the proceedings of the Commission for dealing with lawless persons in the North</b></p> <p><i>Level:</i> Item<br/> <i>Extent:</i> 1 item<br/> <i>Creator:</i> Privy Council<br/> <i>Scope and Content:</i> Extract act of the Privy Council approving the proceedings of the Commission for dealing with lawless persons in the North<br/> <i>Note:</i><br/> <i>Related Units:</i> GB 0240 SM/2/28/3<br/> <i>Publications:</i> Printed in the Register of the Privy Council of Scotland, vii, 159</p>   |
| SM/2/28/5      | 19 Jul 1645      | <p><b>Commission relating to Rebellion in the north-east</b></p> <p><i>Level:</i> Item<br/> <i>Extent:</i> 1 item<br/> <i>Creator:</i> Committee of Estates at Perth<br/> <i>Scope and Content:</i> Commission by the Committee of Estates at Perth in favour of Sir Robert Innes, younger of that ilk, and John Grant of Ballindalloche granting warrant to the said persons to intromit with all debts, sums of money, rents of lands and other goods and gear belonging to all persons within the bounds of the Earl of Murray's division, Balveny, Strathdoune, Auchindoune, Glenlivet, Cabroche and Strathspey 'that have joyned with the Irishes and unnaturall countrey men in this present Rebellioune and have beine accessorie thairto'; signed by members of the Committee of Estates<br/> <i>Note:</i> Not recorded in the Register of the Committee of Estates or preserved among the warrants<br/> <i>Related Units:</i><br/> <i>Publications:</i></p>   |
| SM/2/28/6      | 19 Jul 1645      | <p><b>Commission relating to Rebellion in the north-east</b></p> <p><i>Level:</i> Item<br/> <i>Extent:</i> 1 item<br/> <i>Creator:</i> Committee of Estates at Perth<br/> <i>Scope and Content:</i> Extract of Commission by the Committee of Estates at Perth in favour of Sir Robert Innes, younger of that ilk, and John Grant of Ballindalloche granting warrant to the said persons to intromit with all debts, sums of money, rents of lands and other goods and gear belonging to all persons within the bounds of the Earl of Murray's division, Balveny, Strathdoune, Auchindoune, Glenlivet, Cabroche and Strathspey 'that have joyned with the Irishes and unnaturall countrey men in this present Rebellioune and have beine accessorie thairto'; signed by members of the Committee of Estates<br/> <i>Note:</i> Not recorded in the Register of the Committee of Estates or preserved among the warrants<br/> <i>Related Units:</i> GB 0240 SM/2/28/5<br/> <i>Publications:</i></p>  |

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| <b>SM/2/28</b> | <b>1638-1682</b> | <b>Political Papers</b>  |
| SM/2/28/7      | Jan 1646         | <p>Copy letter and petition by the heritors and commons of the shires of Elgin and Nairn to the Lords of Council against assessment laid upon them</p> <p><i>Level:</i> Item<br/> <i>Extent:</i> 1 item<br/> <i>Creator:</i><br/> <i>Scope and Content:</i> Copy letter and petition by the heritors and commons of the shires of Elgin and Nairn to the Lords of Council against assessment laid upon them [probably under Act of Maintenance, 6 January 1646, A.P.S. vi, pt.1, 540]<br/> <i>Note:</i> Not recorded in the Register of the Privy Council<br/> <i>Related Units:</i><br/> <i>Publications:</i></p>   |
| SM/2/28/8      | 1660             | <p>Copy Act of Parliament against the Western Remonstrance</p> <p><i>Level:</i> Item<br/> <i>Extent:</i> 1 item<br/> <i>Creator:</i><br/> <i>Scope and Content:</i> Copy Act of Parliament against the Western Remonstrance, 4 June 1641, [printed A.P.S. vi, pt.2, 683], act against 'complyers with the Sectarian Enemie' 4 June 1651, [printed <i>ibid.</i> 682], names of nobles, barons and burgesses appointed in June 1651 to form Committee of Estates [much fuller list than that printed <i>ibid.</i> 684] and names of those dissenting from the above act against the Western Remonstrance [much fuller list than that printed <i>ibid.</i> 684]<br/> <i>Note:</i><br/> <i>Related Units:</i><br/> <i>Publications:</i> Printed A.P.S. vi, pt.2, 682-684</p> |
| SM/2/28/9      | 15 Jul 1682      | <p>Copy instructions by Charles II to the Marquis of Queensberry, Lord High Treasurer of Scotland</p> <p><i>Level:</i> Item<br/> <i>Extent:</i> 1 item<br/> <i>Creator:</i><br/> <i>Scope and Content:</i> Copy instructions by Charles II to the Marquis of Queensberry, Lord High Treasurer of Scotland, relating to the management of the King's revenues and other matters concerning the Treasury and Exchequer of Scotland<br/> <i>Note:</i> Recorded in Treasury Register, vol.3 (1682-1686), p.17, 24 July 1682<br/> <i>Related Units:</i><br/> <i>Publications:</i></p>   |

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## POLITICAL PAPERS, 1638-82

1. Against signing the New Covenant, Sept 1638
2. Warrant to John Roy MacGregor alias Murray, 1640
3. Commission to Earl of Moray etc against Clangregor 1641
4. Commission ref Clangregor, 1641
- 5-6. Commission, etc relating to Rebellion in north-east, 1645
7. Remonstrances: copy of letter sent from Morayshire from the Barons + Heritors of Moray + Nairn to the Lords of Council, 1646
8. Act of Parliament against the Western Remonstrance, 1660
9. Copy of the instructions from his Majesty to the Lord Marquess of Queensberry, Lord High Treasurer of Scotland.

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## PRINTED PAMPHLETS :- THOMAS ABERNETHY, 1638

1. Thomas Abernethy: "Abjuration of poperie ---", (Edinburgh)
2. Andrew Ramsay: "A warning to come out of Babylon, in a sermon preached --- at the receiving of Mr Thomas Abernethie --- into the --- Church of Scotland", (Edinburgh)