

FALKIRK ARCHIVES

Forbes of Callendar Papers finding aid Part 1 – William Forbes (1747-1815)

This collection consists of 36m of records of the Forbes of Callendar family from 1531-1974. The records have been arranged into twenty eight series (see introduction for details) and the finding aid has been separated into these series to make it easier to download from our website.

Part 1 consists of the correspondence and personal papers of the first William Forbes of Callendar (1747-1815).

A727.1	24 Sep 1722-15 Apr 1723	Copy letters to Colin Kirk WS from William Stirling of Herbertshire, his brother in law and letter to Stirling from John Cuthill at Herbertshire concerning Stirling's claim to the teinds of Denny
A727.2	29 Aug 1724	Letter to David Maculoch, writer in Edinburgh, from George Mackenzie, Fortrose, complaining that Maculoch has not delivered a letter to the laird of Herbertshire
A727.3	10 Jun 1728	Letter to Mr John Campbell, writer, Edinburgh, from William Stirling of Herbertshire, wishing to delay his action until Lord Grange and the Lord President are on the bench and asking for writs of Belvill
A727.4	28 Mar 1732	Copy letter to Alexander Baillie, attorney at Law at London, from John Campbell, concerning the appeal to the House of Lord by the feuars of Denny against [William Stirling] of Herbertshire.
A727.5	05 Mar 1765	Letter to John Mackenzie [McKenzie] of Delvin WS, Edinburgh, from John Syme [Sim], Edinburgh, concerning incumbrances on Barskeoch estate.
A727.6	01 Jan 1773	Letter, with enclosures, to William Forbes, in London, from Robert Mitchell, concerning methods of distilling. (4 items)
A727.7	04 Jan 1773-22 Apr 1773	Letters to William Forbes & Company, coppersmiths, London, on business matters. Correspondents - James Whitechurch, Bristol (no.1); T. Vassall (2,3); George Collins, Lynn (4,5,8); Christopher Court & Co, Crutched Friars (6); Hawkins & Hamilton, Lynn (7) (8 items)
A727.8	19 Jan 1773	Letter to William Forbes, in London, from Alexander Bannerman, in London concerning a successful lottery ticket.
A727.9	19 Apr 1773	Letter to George Forbes, coppersmith, Aberdeen, from Mary Oliver, in Greenwich, acknowledging receipt of claret.
A727.10	1773-1774	Letters to William Forbes, in London, from George Forbes, his brother, in Aberdeen, partners in firm of George and William Forbes, coppersmiths, Aberdeen and London, concerning their business, including shipments from London to Aberdeen of iron, copper, tinplates and articles specially requested; shipment from Aberdeen to London of metal goods, such as tea-kettles, porrage pots and coffee pots, sugar, money (usually hidden in a kettle), borax, solder, gifts of marmalade made by their sister, etc, sometimes describing how goods are packed; financial arrangements; credit-worthiness of customers; casting of metal goods; relationship with customs officers; and 3. bad times because of the decline of the stocking manufacture

- which 'has supplied most of the Country's money for several years'; 4. storm of wind has blown lead off the Chapel of Ease - George amends a printed report to prevent reflection on their firm; 10. shipment of claret; 16. pipes for the Infirmary baths; 18. fashion is for longer candlesticks; 19. grates for Infirmary baths; 20,27,30,31. George's marriage, particularly the financial terms; 21-33. importing iron from Gothenburg [Goteborg, Sweden] to Aberdeen; 34-35. sickles required because regular selling items; 35,44,52. selling bathing caps; 41. exchange of deficient gold coins; 49. special order for a 'tea kitchen'; 54. sends home-made Christmas loaves, and discusses separating the Aberdeen and London businesses. Enclosures includes copies of shipment lists. (55 items)
- A727.11 1773-1775 Letters to William Forbes, in London, from James Dun [Dunn] in Aberdeen, Alexander Dun, his son, in London, Sir William Forbes in Edinburgh, D. McCulloch and J. Broomhead, both in London, concerning Alexander's financial straits and melancholy condition. (25 items)
- A727.12 1773-1777 Letters to William Forbes, in London, from Katharine and John Abercrombie, his sister and brother-in-law, in Aberdeen, concerning family matters, receipt of goods from London, honey and other foodstuffs sent to London, insurance on ships to Holland, friends in London on business, and 3. requests fashionable Bristow shoe buckles, not paste; 7,8,28,29. inquiring the value of Nova Scotia notes; 11-14. ordering a gold watch for Katharine - 'no ingraved cases has ever yet appeared' in Aberdeen; 18. enclosed sample of printed cotton; 22. sends a maid servant along with their sister Jessie who is to keep house for William; 48-53. applications for place of postmaster in Aberdeen; 55. Scots pebbles for seals. (58 items)
- A727.13 1773-1777 Letters to William Forbes, in London, from Robert Forbes, his uncle, in Nairn, and Elizabeth Forbes, Robert's wife, concerning supply of drugs to Robert from London, asking news of his daughter there, and other family matters. (11 items)
- A727.14 1773-1779 Letters to William Forbes in London from James Forbes his brother in Aberdeen concerning financial matters, James's various business ventures, his health and gossip. 11 and 12 are written when William is in Portsmouth and Jame in London and concern William's coppersmith business. 17-19 are enclosed accounts for linen items
- A727.15 29 Jan 1774-16 Dec 1774 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - George Collins, Lynn (1); John Hall & Co, Gothenburg [Goteborg, Sweden] (2); William Mathew Burt (3,28; 28 being written at St Christopher's); William Blakey [Blaikie], Paris [France] (4); William Pengree, Snowhill (5); Robert Joseph Rotton, Derby (6,8); William Simpson (7); John Cooke [Cook], Kilnhurst Forge (9,12); Thomas Slade, Deptford (10); E. Ormes (11,23,38); Harford, Lloyd & Co, Bristol (13); William Atkin [Aitken], Sheffield (14); Michael Herries (15); Joseph Jewitt, Hull (16); John Byres [Byers] (17); Joseph Tuckwell, Wallingford (18,35); J. Foster Barham, Bedford (19); R. Byres [Byers] (20); John Wilkinson, Brosely (21,22,24); Simon Dobbs (25,30,31); George Walker (26); Moir,

- Davidson & Co (27); Captain J. Oliver (29); T. Vassall (32-34); Thomas Barnard, Aylsham (36); Wright & Son (37). (38 items) N.B. In the bundles of letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, on business matters, correspondents who are geographically undesignated are usually writing from London.
- A727.16 28 Feb 1774-29 Nov 1774 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on personal matters. Correspondents - Mrs Jean Watson, Rotherhithe (1,8); John Melvill [Melville], about to sail to Tobago (2-4); John Duncan, Aberdeen (5,9,10,13,14); Mrs Barbara Hardie, Peckham (6); John Grant, Inverness, whose son is in Forbes' service (7); Logan Henderson, Haddington (11); W. Matthews (12). (14 items)
- A727.17 06 Oct 1774-23 Nov 1774 Correspondence between William Forbes and Henry Laurens [Lawrence], concerning Aberdeen stone for building quays or wharfs, the stone to be transported to South Carolina [U.S.A.]. (3 items)
- A727.18 17 Dec 1774 Letter to Robert Forbes, in London, from Janet Forbes, his sister, in Aberdeen. Their brother does not want her to keep house for him in London.
- A727.19 1774-1777 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, in London, from David Forbes, his brother, in Aberdeen, concerning their metal business, including goods shipped from Aberdeen to London. No 3 is addressed to George Forbes, their brother, who is in London. (18 items)
- A727.20 1774-1780 Letters to William Forbes, in London, from Janet Dyce, his mother, in Aberdeen, on personal and family matters, exchanging gifts, mainly food, and including 7. she chooses black silk for gowns - 'as they are thought a genteel dress here tho not in mourning'; 18. she is ordered to appear before Chancery in Dublin [Eire] in an inheritance case. 19. is enclosed letter from James Forbes. (26 items)
- A727.21 06 Feb 1775-29 Sep 1775 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - George Lear, Wapping (1); Charles Trevor, Hull (2); Joseph Tuckwell, Wallingford (3,5); George Sinkler [Sinclair], Hull (4); Thomas Bridge (6); John Wilkinson, Broseley (7); Edward Harpham, Putney (8); D. Cookson, Lothbury (9); Joseph Jewitt, Hull (10); William Pengree, Temple and Snow Hill (11,30,47); John Freeman & Co, Bristol (12-22,26-28,32-36,38,40,42,45); Edward Wells, Wallingford (23,24,29); Thomas Gilbert, Hounslow (25); T. Vassall (31); John Hall & Co, Gothenburg (37); E. Ormes (39); J.F. Barham, Bedford (43,46,48); Crichton & Co (44). (48 items)
- A727.22 30 Mar 1775-29 Aug 1775 Draft letters to customers, potential customers and suppliers from William Forbes, coppersmith, London. Letters to John Freeman & Copper Company, Bristol, refer to shipments to the Gulf of Lyons and Gibraltar and from Portugal to India. 23 is to Hall & Co, Gothenburg [Goteborg, Sweden]. (23 items)
- A727.23 10 Apr 1775-17 Apr 1775 Correspondence among members of the Forbes family concerning their descent from Thomas Mitchell and Katharine Dun [Dunn] in Aberdeen. No 2 is list of their children (born 1666-76) 'taken from the town's register'. Matter arises through possible inheritance from Irish relative. (4 items)
- A727.24 04 May 1775-13 Dec Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on

- 1775 personal matters. Correspondents - William Gray, Aberdeen, a cousin (1); J. Bowman (2); William Elliott [Elliot] (3); Mr Vaugham (4); Neil Malcolm, whose brother is to embark for Jamaica (5); Peter Young, in King's Bench Prison (6); William Rose, Kilphader (7); Mrs Mary Oliver, Greenwich (8). (8 items)
- A727.25 09 Sep 1775-29 Dec 1775 Draft letters to customers, potential customers and suppliers from William Forbes, coppersmith, London. Letters to J.F. Barham, Bedford, concern stills and other goods for his sugar plantations in Jamaica. Including 25. 'this summer I paid 12.8 for enlarging a ships hatchway to take a 1500 gall: still for Quebeck' [Quebec, Canada]. (38 items)
- A727.26 01 Oct 1775-30 Dec 1775 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - William Pengree, Temple (1,10,12,24,28,32); William Hale, Bristol (2); John Freeman & Co, Bristol (3,4,9); J.F. Barham, Bedford (5,6,8,11,15,16,21,23,27,30,33,45); John Barker & Co, Lichfield (7); Bissons & Co, West Ham (14,46); Edward Brine, Portsmouth (17,26,29); William Hinton, Portsmouth (18); James Winter, Wallingford (19); T. Vassall (20); John Henderson, Plymouth (25); William Cooke [Cook], Kilnhirst Forge (31); William Mathew Burt, Maiden Early (34,35,41,44); James Somervell, Glasgow (36); James Whatman, Boxley (37); Sir William Forbes, Edinburgh (38-40); G. Moore (42); George Sinkler [Sinclair], Hull (43). (46 items)
- A727.27 12 Dec 1775 Draft letter to George Forbes, coppersmith, Aberdeen, from William Forbes, coppersmith, London, his brother, mainly on financial matters. George should import deals from Russia.
- A727.28 1775-1776 Letters to William Forbes, in London, from George Forbes, his brother, in Aberdeen, on topics as in GD.171/10, also including making beams for William; returning leaky tea-kitchens; trading (in 1776) with Dantzig [Gdansk, Poland] and St Petersburg; and 10. order for lead pipe from town of Aberdeen; 11. Huntly merchant goes to London to sell linen; 17. remittance from Tobago; 21. brother-in-law to volunteer for army in America; 25. orders a pocket sand-glass; 47. doubts if market for St Petersburg flax. (54 items)
- A727.29 01 Jan 1776-31 Mar 1776 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - Forbes, Hunter & Co, Edinburgh (1,5,33); J.F. Barham, Bedford (2-4); Griffin Curtis (6); John Freeman & Co, Bristol (7,34); Joseph Lodge, Snowhill (8); John Thomas, Plymouth (9,13); Thomas Aldridge, Deptford (10,31,35); William Pengree, Swansea and Snowhill (11); Edward Brine, Portsmouth (12,14,28,30); Moses Barton Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (15); Thomson & Peters (16); Thomas Ridgeway, with enclosed accounts (17-27); Paul Curry [Currie], Plymouth (29); Peter Nouaille, Great Ness (32,36). (36 items)
- A727.30 05 Jan 1776 Letter to James Forbes, ironmonger, London, from William Forbes, his brother, in Chatham, giving instructions about his coppersmith's business during his absence.
- A727.31 26 Jan 1776-29 Jun 1776 Draft letters to customers, potential customers and suppliers from William Forbes, coppersmith, London, customers including the Commissioners of the Navy. 9 describes the loss in weight of copper sent from the Barbadoes [Barbados]. 18 announces his removal to more commodious

- premises at 1 Primrose Street. (31 items)
- A727.32 03 Feb 1776-09 Dec 1776 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on personal matters. Correspondents - Mr Whitcomb (1); J. Kennedy, Cornhill (2,16); Robertson & Chalmers, Aberdeen (3,6); James Carter (4,5,18- 22); Thomas Snell, Portsmouth (7); William George, Aberdeen (8); John Cookson, Queenhithe (9); William Elliott [Elliot] (10,11); Calder & Cruickshank, Aberdeen (12); R. Twopenny, Stock Exchange (13); Robert Sinclair (14); R. Cracraft (15); Mr Naylor (17,25); Edmund Green (23); Margaret Campbell, Edinburgh (24); Mrs Jean Watson, Rotherhithe (26,27). (27 items)
- A727.33 04 Apr 1776-29 Jun 1776 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - James Whatman, Boxley (1,19,43); Belcher & Burney [Burnie] (2); Thomas Coates [Coats], Portsmouth (3); William Pengree, Snowhill (4,9,23,28-30,33,37,45,46,49); William Mathews [Matthews], Deptford (5,6); Peter Nouaille, Great Ness (7); Thomas Aldridge, Deptford (8,10,15,39); Law & Holme (11); John Freeman & Co, Bristol (12); John Weatherall, Chatham (13,25,36,42); George Lawrance [Lawrence], Woolwich (14); Joseph Jewitt, Hull (16); R. Gittins (17); Edward Brine, Portsmouth (18); Philip Justice, Plymouth (20,24); Goodchild & Slater (21); Moses Barton Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (22); William Balston, Boxley (26); Mr Wilkinson (27); J.F. Barham, Bedford (31); J. Hawksworth (32); Thomas Coates [Coats], Portsmouth (34); Robert Hunter, Woolwich (35); Joseph Tealing, Ember Mills (38); John Greenway, Portsmouth (40); R. Aislabie (41); Laurence Charleson [Charleson] (44); Mr Williams (47); Daniel Harvey, Wiverhoe (48); Thomas Ferris, Bristol (50); John Vaughan, Bristol (51). (51 items)
- A727.34 02 Jul 1776-19 Dec 1776 Draft letters to customers, including the Navy, potential customers and suppliers from William Forbes, coppersmith, London. 4 is to Millman & Sons, Amsterdam [Netherlands], on behalf of his brother George Forbes. (26 items)
- A727.35 02 Jul 1776-28 Sep 1776 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - Martin Paddey, Dockhead (1); Moses Barton Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (2,33,46,50); Nicholas Bools, Bridport (3,17); Daniel Harvey, Wivenhoe (4,19); W. Pengree, Snowhill (5-7,22,28,38); J. Noel Fannin (8); P. Robinson (9,10); Thomas Aldridge, Deptford (11,34); James Tredennick, Plymouth (12,37); Edward Brine, Portsmouth (13,16,40); J. Jenner Ware, Plymouth (14); James Wright, Dudley (15); John Hall & Co, Gothenburg [Goteborg, Sweden] (18); George Smith, Sheerness (20); George Lawrance [Lawrence], Woolwich (21,25); James Clyde, Sheerness (23); William Jennings, Reading (24,26,29,45,49); Thomas Dawes, Hackney (27); R. Hodgson, Garlick Hill (30); Muilman & Sons, Amsterdam [Netherlands] (31); Corry [Corrie], Murray & Scott, Danzig [Gdansk, Poland] (32); John Freeman & Co, Bristol (35, 53); J.F. Barham, Bedford (36); A. Villion (39); John Rolt, Deptford (41,42); James Wright, Dudley (43); John Greenway, Portsmouth (44); Thomas, Peters & Co, St Petersburg (47); John Lawford, Portsmouth (48); Thomas Coates [Coats], Portsmouth (51); E. Ormes (52). (53 items)

- A727.36 02 Oct 1776-30 Dec 1776 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - John Owen, Snow Hill (1); James Clyde, Sheerness (2,20,38); J. Hawksworth (3); John Weatherall, Chatham (4); John Freeman & Co, Bristol (5,7,11,24-26,31,35,36,41); Marsh & Creed (6); Edward Brine, Portsmouth (8); Mulman & Sons, Amsterdam (9); Salmon May, Woolwich (10,29); Malcolm & Nivinson, Jamaica (12); Moses Barton Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (13,14,19,34,37), L. Henderson, Deptford (15); John Thomas, Plymouth (16); B. Cleypole, 3 Mills (17); Peter Nouaille, Great Ness (18,23,40); Mr Gilchrist (21); William Mowat, London (22); Mr Harvey (27); William Pengree, Snowhill (28); Philip Justice, Plymouth (30); John Greenway, Portsmouth (32); William Matthews (33); Mr Vigeon, Chatham (39). (41 items)
- A727.37 03 Jan 1777-26 Feb 1777 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - J. Steel, Lothbury (1,6,22); Archibald Gilchrist, surgeon of the 'Princess Royal' (2); Peter Nouaille, Seven Oaks (3); G. French (4); Robert Scott, of the 'Princess Royal' (5); Captain William Smith (7); Daniel Harvey, Wivenhoe (8,30); William Cruden, Gravesend (9,14); Goodchild & Slater (10); William Applegarth (11); Nicholas Phillipps [Phillips], Woolwich (12,16,26,40-41); Philip Justice, Plymouth (13); Robert Aislabie (15); John Mackie (17); Robert Hunter, Woolwich (18); James Clyde, Sheerness (19); William Mathews [Matthews], Deptford (20); Adam Hayes, Deptford (21); William Bland, Chatham (23); Moses B. Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (24,31); James Whatman, Boxley (25); William Greatrex, Temple (27); William Rayden, Dover (28,32,36); James Tredennick, Plymouth (29,37-39); Mr Dove (33); William Egerton (34); John Weatherall, Chatham (35). (41 items)
- A727.38 15 Jan 1777-31 Dec 1777 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, from John Freeman & Co, Bristol, who supply him with copper. (68 items)
- A727.39 12 Feb 1777-23 Dec 1777 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on personal matters. Correspondents - Robert Sinclair (1,12,23); W. Tevendel (2); Michael White (3); Edward Mulso, Excise Office (4); Thomas Coates [Coats], Portsmouth - 'I am Drunk with sherry (Sir)' (5,10); Miss Maitland (6); Thomas P. Lamb, Rye (7,8); John Hunter, at the Nore [Norway], seeking his discharge (9); J. Kennedy, Cornhill (11,13); Mr Twopenny (14,15); John Duncan, provost of Aberdeen (16,17,20,30); Adam Watson, Rotherhithe (18); Mr Fenn, Cornhill (19); J. Gray (21); Joseph Stevens, an employee (22); William Elliott [Elliot] (24,29,31,33); Richard Polhill, Chatham (25,27); A. Mitchell (26); Calder & Cruickshank, wine merchants, Aberdeen (28,32,34); Robert Rowe, an employee (35). (35 items)
- A727.40 01 Mar 1777-29 Apr 1777 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - William Gilbert, Portsmouth (1); Michael Herries (2); Isaac Parry, Deptford (3,34,35); T. Macknab [McNab] (4); John Greenway, Portsmouth (5); Moses B. Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (6,21,29,36,39,48); George Sinkler [Sinclair], Hull (7); William Greatrex, Temple (8); N. Phillipps [Phillips],

- Woolwich (9,44,50,52,53,55); Philip Justice, Plymouth (10); William Pengree, Snowhill (11,12,16,42,43); John Weatherall, Chatham (13); William Butler, Deptford (14); William Rayden, Dover (15,41,56); Logan Henderson, Birmingham (17); Thomas Aldridge, Deptford (18,40,57); J. Lodge, Snowhill (19,20); J. Randall (22); William Gilbert, Portsmouth (23); Hartford & Co, Bristol (24); James Margetion (25); E. Brine, Portsmouth (26,30); James Clyde, Sheerness (27); Captain Ale Walker (28); William Cruden, Gravesend (31); J. Butt, Deptford (32); S. May, Woolwich (33); George Lawrance [Lawrence], Woolwich (37,3 E. Hunt, Portsmouth (45); George White, Sheerness (46); Thomas Greatrex, Kingston (47); George Walker (49); T. Snell, Ports] (51); J. Henslow, Plymouth (54); Stephen Tadd [Todd?], Folkstone (58). (58 items)
- A727.41 02 May 1777-23 Jun 1777 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - Thomas Wood (1,2); William Pengree, Snowhill (3,6,8); Stephen Tadd [Todd?], Folkstone (4); Joseph Jewitt, Hull (5); William Rayden, Dover (7,27); Thomas Farley, Folkstone (9); M.B. Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (10,24); Marsh & Creed (11,12); J. & T. Warner (13); Mr Radcliffe (14); George Walker (15); T. Vassall (16); Mr Snodgrass, Lee (17); George White, Sheerness (18); E. Ormes (19); Salmon May, Woolwich (20,22,25); John Hall & Co, Gothenburg [Goteborg, Sweden] (21); John Greenway, Portsmouth (23); N. Phillips, Woolwich (26); James Clyde, Sheerness (28); Alexander Gibsone [Gibson] & Co, Dantzig [Gdansk, Poland] (29). (29 items)
- A727.42 01 Jul 1777-31 Aug 1777 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - J. Henslow, Plymouth (1); N. Phillips, Woolwich (2,13,31); Adam Hayes, Deptford (3,46); J. Weather Chatham (4,27); Alexander Gibsone [Gibson] & Co, Dantzig [Gdansk, Poland] (5); Thomas Aldridge, Deptford (6,23,41); Thomas King, Dover (7,12,24,35,44,47, 48,53); William Pengree, Snowhill (8,14); George Pengree, Temple (9); Marsh & Creed (10); James Clyde, Sheerness (11,17,19,37); Thomas Wood (15); George White, Sheerness (16,32); William Mathews, Deptford (18); J. Lodge, Snowhill (20); Richard Polhill, Chatham (21,22); E. Firth (25); John Cooke [Cook] & Co, Stratford (26); Bissons & Co, Westham (28,43); John Thomas, Plymouth (29); B. Morris, Chatham (30); Alexander Coutts (33); Moses B. Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (34,36,39,40); Martin Kemble (38); Alexander Lauder (42); John Vaughan, Bristol (45); Goodchild & Slater (49); Thomson & Peters (50,51); Muilman & Sons, Amsterdam [Netherlands] (52). (53 items)
- A727.43 09 Jul 1777-06 Aug 1777 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, from J.F. Barham, Bedford, concerning a workman, 'a genius', who is going to Jamaica as 'a missionary among the poor negroes'. (2 items)
- A727.44 03 Sep 1777-31 Oct 1777 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - Thomas King, Dover (1,10,12,14,17); M.B. Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (2,5,13,21); Richard Polhill, Chatham (3,29,41); George White, Sheerness (4); Robert Hunter, Woolwich (6); John Henslow,

- Plymouth (7); Adam Hayes, Deptford (8); P. Soley, Woolwich (9); W. Bowman, Westham (11,22,28); J.F. Barham, Bedford (15,16); John Weatherall, Chatham (18); Mr Vassall (19); Thomas Alldridge, Deptford (20); George Lawrance [Lawrence], Woolwich (23,25,34,37,40); John Thomas, Plymouth (24,33,39); James Clyde, Sheerness (26); Mr Walker (27); Stephen Ludlow (30); Raby & Co (31); B. Cleypole, Westham (32); James Tredennick, Plymouth (35); Marsh & Creed (36); George Pengree, Snowhill (38); Philip Justice, Plymouth (42,43); Russell & Ormes (44). (44 items)
- A727.45 04 Nov 1777-31 Dec 1777 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - Thomas Alldridge, Deptford (1,19,24,42); George Pengree, Snowhill (2,4,13); M. Harford & Co, Bristol (3,35); M.B. Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (5,9,22,41); Salmon May, Woolwich (6); E. Firth (7); Thomas Farley, Folkstone (8,17,21); James Kemp, Deptford (10); Wright & Son (11,34); Mr Langdale (12); E. Ormes (14-16,32); Thomas Greatrix, Kingston (18); Beardmore & Reynolds (20); James Clyde, Sheerness (23,33); John Rayson, Chatham (25,26); William Bowman, Westham (27,28); William H Bristol (29); John Greenway, Portsmouth (30,36,39,40); James Hicks, Deptford (31); Thomas Ferris, Bristol (37); John Thomas, Plymouth (38); Thomas Wood (43,44); Adam Hayes, Deptford (45) (45 items)
- A727.46 1777-1780 Letters to William Forbes, in London, from George Forbes, his brother, in Aberdeen, concerning their metal businesses; financial arrangements; trade with Dantzig [Gdansk, Poland], Memel [Klaipeda, Lithuania] and Gothenburg [Goteborg, Sweden]; Swedish and Russian iron; shipping goods between London and Aberdeen; family matters; and 2. request for paper and a fashionable hat; 12. money sent to Guards volunteer in America; 13. wishes to buy house in the Broadgate - 'we find ourselves at a disadvantage in not having a shop in a house fronting the street'; 23-24. death of George Bartlet in East Indies; 43. enclosed letter from Robert Forbes, Nairn, whose daughter goes to London to complete learning mantua-making; 45. the husband of the milknurse to George's youngest child has been pressed and she believes 'a single word from you at the Navy Office would recover her husband's liberty'; 46. order for pipes from magistrates of Aberdeen; 54. measurement and price of lands of Seaton; and contract for upholding wells of Aberdeen. (54 items)
- A727.47 01 Jan 1778-28 Feb 1778 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - Richard Polhill, Chatham (1,11,34); M.B. Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (2,8); Robert Carter, Watford (3,7,9,13,15); George Lawrance [Lawrence], Woolwich (4,28,36); J. Pownall, Chatham (5); Thomas Aldridge, Deptford (6,22,44); John Hawthorne [Hawthorn], Watford (10); H.H. Pelly (12); N. Phillipp [Phillips], Woolwich (14,41); Adam Hayes, Deptford (16); Edward Jolly, Liverpool (17); Cooke [Cook] & Co, Stratford (18); George White, Sheerness (19,21); George Pengree, Temple (20,31,43); John Shapcote, Sheerness (23); James Clyde, Sheerness (24); James Hine, Bridgewater (25);

- James Betts [Bett], Mistley Thorn (26); William Mears (27,29); J. Lodge, Snowhill (30); John Hooker, Bristol (32); Kinloch & Hogg (33); Thomas Sayer, Stratford (35); Mr Coker (37); Isaac Parry, Deptford (38); Walter Blunt (39); John Barnard, Ipswich (40,50); W. Bowman, West Ham (42); Hudson Bay Company (45-49); Mr Nouaille (51); M. Herries (52); William Arch (53); J. Reynolds (54). (54 items)
- A727.48 03 Jan 1778-28 Dec 1778 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, from John Freeman & Copper Company, Bristol. (40 items)
- A727.49 12 Jan 1778-18 Jun 1778 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, from Messrs Mark Harford, Brass, B.W. & Copper Company, Bristol. (36 items)
- A727.50 18 Jan 1778-05 Jun 1778 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, from James Watt and Matthew Boulton [Bolton], his partner, in Birmingham, concerning an order for 2 education steampipes, which Watt specifies in detail, but which order is cancelled as Forbes fails to begin the work. Nos 1 and 4 are written by Watt. (6 items)
- A727.51 22 Jan 1778-29 Jun 1778 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on personal matters, including the purchase of Navy bills. Correspondents - Mary Oliver, Greenwich (1,14); Jean Watson, a cousin, Rotherhithe (2); Thomas Charlton (3); Alexander Mitchell (4,5); John Kennedy, Cornhill (6,19); John Fearn, mercer (7); Calder & Cruickshank, wine merchants, Aberdeen (8,15); Marsh & Creed (9,10,16,20); Robert Hunter, Woolwich (11); Richard Twopenny, Temple (12,13,21); Sanders [Saunders] & Henniker (17,22,23); Robert Exam (18); William Elliott [Elliot] (24). (24 items)
- A727.52 01 Mar 1778-28 Apr 1778 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - James Betts [Bett], Mistley Thorn (1); Thomas King, Dover (2); Adam Hayes, Deptford (3); Richard Polhill, Chatham (4,31); M.B. Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (5,13,17,54); Mr Davidson (6); James Clyde, Sheerness (7-10,30,35); Kinloch & Hog [Hogg] (11,18,22,44); Mr Snell, Portsmouth (12); John Thomas, Plymouth (14,26,57); John Hooker, Bristol (15,53); Randall, Gray & Brent, Rotherhithe (16); Thomas Farley, Folkstone (19); William Arch (20); J. Weatherall, Chatham (21); John Greenway, Portsmouth (23-25); Commissioner Curry [Currie], Plymouth (27); James Tredennick, Plymouth (28); Henry Peake, Dover (29); Antony Calvert (32, 33); Edward Kemm, Rotherhithe (34); Joseph Menetone (36,37); Edward Jolly, Liverpool (38); Hilary Andoe, Bordeaux (39); George White, Woolwich (40,41); J. Baker & Co (42); Nicholas Bools, Bridport (43); Mr Somerton (45); John Hall & Co, Gothenburg [Goteborg, Sweden] (46); William Bisset [Bissett], Dundee (47); Thomas Aldridge, Deptford (48); Shadwell Water Company (49-51) enclosing copy of letter from James Watt (50); S. Swiney, Woolwich (52); Thomas Grant, Portsmouth (55,56). (57 items)
- A727.53 02 May 1778-29 Jun 1778 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - Mr Herries (1); John Greenwood, Halsted (2); E. Firth (3); J. Reynolds (4,12,22); William Jennings, Reading (5); Richard Crawshay (6); William Jewitt, Hull (7); Thomas Alldridge, Deptford (8,43,49); M.B. Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (9,20,26); Adam Hayes, Deptford (10,36); E. Firth (11,13,18); Edward Jolly &

- Co, Liverpool (14); John Thomas, Plymouth (15); William Rayden, Liverpool (16,33); Richard Oswald (17); Logan Henderson, Richmond (19,21,28); Richard Polhill, Chatham (23); Mr Coker (24); Mr Skinner (25); John Greenway, Portsmouth (27); R. Forster (29); A. Barclay (30,31); Charles Roe [Rowe] & Co, Macclesfield (32,37); Kinloch & Hogg (34,40,46,50); Thomas Grant, Portsmouth (35); John Thomas, Plymouth (38,47,48); John Stooke, Rotherhithe (39); Thomas Raymond, Southampton (41); Messrs Camdens, Wapping (42); David Pugh, Battle (44,45); Mr Barnard, Ipswich (51); Richard Woolley (52); John Marshall, Ipswich (53). (53 items)
- A727.54 22 Jul 1778-31 Dec 1778 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - George Pengree, Snow Hill (1,4); M. Herries (2,3); J. Pownall, Chatham (5); John Thomas, Plymouth (6); John Greenway, Portsmouth (7,9); James Whatman, Boxley (8); Mr Kemp, Deptford (10); James Clyde, Sheerness (11). (11 items)
- A727.55 31 Dec 1778-24 Apr 1779 Letters, including accounts, to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, from Messrs Mark Harford, Brass, B.W. & Copper Company, Bristol. (32 items)
- A727.56 1778-1780 Letters to William Forbes, in London, from David Forbes, his brother, in Aberdeen, sometimes signing 'George Forbes & Co', concerning their metal businesses; financial arrangements; goods required from London; candles shipped there; and 16. wine to be shi
- A727.57 1778-1780 Letters to William Forbes, in London, from John Abercrombie, his brother-in-law, in Aberdeen, concerning shipments by Abercrombie of stockings to Holland, and insurance thereon; his sending tea, honey and wine to Forbes; and 5. competition for place of postmaster at Aberdeen; 16. French privateers; 41 and 48. price of claret; 43 and 46. possible establishment of insurance brokers in Aberdeen; 56. feather beds from Holland; 59. enclosed letter from Thomas Henderson on prize money on ships taken by Admiral Rodney; 61. enclosed letter from Thomas Squire in Amsterdam; 62. silver table spoons. (65 items)
- A727.58 1778-1782 Letter-book of William Forbes, coppersmith, London, including at least two letters of George Forbes & Co, Aberdeen, and lists of goods ordered and supplied. Correspondents who are mainly copper companies, shipbuilders and overseers of ships being built, are:- John Abercrombie, Aberdeen. Hilary Andoe & Co, Bordeaux [France]. Baker & Co, shipbuilders, Houdenpans by Newcastle. Mr Baker, shipbuilder, Liverpool. John Barnard, shipbuilder, Ipswich. Mr Barton, shipbuilder, Liverpool. Beardmore & Reynolds. James Betts [Bett], shipbuilder, Mistleythorn. Nicholas Bools, shipbuilder, Bridport. Boulton [Bolton] & Watts. Calder & Cruickshank [Cruickshank], Aberdeen. Henry Canham, Dover and Sandgate. William Cleverly, shipbuilder, Gravesend. Colhoun [Colquhoun] & Nowlans, shipbuilders, Bursledon. Dumbell & Co, Warrington. Richard Dunmall, Sandgate. Mr Fabian, shipbuilder, Isle of Wight. Thomas Farley, Folkstone. Fearson & Webb, shipbuilders, Liverpool. Fenton & Co. Mr Ferris. William Fieldhouse. John Fisher, shipbuilder, Liverpool. John Freeman & Co, Bristol. Moses Games,

- shipbuilder, Wivenhoe. Thomas Grant. John Guyer, Isle of Wight. John Hall & Co, Gothenburg [Goteborg, Sweden]. Mark Harford & Co, Bristol. John Henderson. Mr Hillhouse, shipbuilder, Bristol. Andrew Hills, shipbuilder, Sandwich. John Hooker. Hudson Bay Company. Jolly & Co, Liverpool. Thomas King, shipbuilder, Dover. Henry Ladd, shipbuilder, Dover. Mr Limbery, Bristol. Lindergreen & Co. John Lumsden. John McKenzie, Leith. Mr Marshall, Ipswich. John Marshall, Liverpool. Mears & Co. John Mioll, Bristol. Richard Nassall, Bath. John Parkin, shipbuilder, Cawsand. Mr Parry. George Parsons, shipbuilder, Bursledon. Henry Peake, Dover. George Pengree & Co, Snowhill. Mr Pollyblank, Bristol. Jacob Preston, shipbuilder, Yarmouth. Mr Randall, Bristol. William Rayden, Liverpool. Thomas Raymond, shipbuilder, Southampton. George Roberts, Ipswich. Charles Roe & Co, Macclesfield. William Ross, Liverpool. R.T. Rotton, Swansea. Robert Rundle, Bristol. Smallshaw & Rogers, shipbuilders, Liverpool. John Stooke, Gravesend. Stuart & Wilson, shipbuilders, Sandgate. John Sutton & Co, shipbuilders, Liverpool. Stephen Tadd, Bristol. Mr Tague, shipbuilder, Ipswich. Tisot, Tombs & Co, shipbuilders, Bristol. Messrs Walton, shipbuilders, Hull. Messrs Warner. Waterwork Company, Shadwell. Messrs Whitaker, shipbuilders, Liverpool. James Williams, Dover. Charles Yoxall.
- A727.59 01 Jan 1779-28 Feb 1779 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - W. Mathews [Matthews], Deptford (1,16); George Lawrance [Lawrence], Woolwich (2,15,46); George White, Woolwich (3,9,33,48,50); John Jenner, Sheerness (4,8,25,61); John Freeman & Co, Bristol (5,11); Mr Travers (6); John Rolt, Deptford (7); George Pengree, Snowhill (10,35); M.B. Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (12); Thomas Wood (13); J. Weatherall, Chatham (14,26,39); J. Lumsden, Crawley (17); Messrs Warner (18); Thomas Raymond, Southampton (19); Thomas Farley, Folkstone (20); J. Reynolds (21-23,49); James Clyde, Sheerness (24,52); Henry Peake, Dover (27); John Greenway, Portsmouth (28,57,64); Charles Roe & Co, Macclesfield (29,30); Matthews & Barton (31); William Dumbell, Warrington (32,53); John Meall Bristol (34); Mr Palmer (36); Robert Rundle, Bristol (37); William Arch (38); William Brymer (40); Nicholas Bools, Bridport (42); John Parkin, Custom House (43); N. Phillipps [Phillips], Portsmouth (44,54,56,59); Arthur Manclark, Chatham (45); Shadwell Water Works (47); J. Pownell, Chatham (51,58); George Parsons, Bursledon (55); William Rayden, Liverpool (60); George Smith, Sheerness (62); Anthony Manley, Deptford (63). (64 items)
- A727.60 15 Jan 1779-10 Apr 1780 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, from Messrs Kinloch & Hogg, and related papers concerning shipments of copper and brass to Amsterdam and Rotterdam [Netherlands]. (57 items)
- A727.61 20 Jan 1779-09 Mar 1779 Letters to William Forbes, in London, from Robert Forbes, his brother, in Aberdeen, on personal matters. (2 items)
- A727.62 20 Jan 1779-10 Mar 1780 Letters to William Forbes, in London, from Miss Christy Forbes, in Aberdeen, concerning a young man, George Forbes whom she recommends to William. (7 items)

- A727.63 11 Feb 1779-19 Dec 1779 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on personal matters, including the purchase of Navy bills. Correspondents - Mr Rotton (1); Marsh & Creed (2,12,16,17,20,21,23,26,32,35,44); Mr Twopenny (3,4,6,7,27,29,37); Thomas Chesse, Aberdeen, whose son has wrongfully enlisted (5); George Forbes, in London, who has been pressed (8,34); S. Swaine [Swain] (9); Richard Crawshay [Crawshaw] (10); Mary Oliver, Greenwich (11); Mr Templeman (13-15,18,19,25,31,36); T. Warner (22); Mr Taylor (24); Calder & Cruickshank, wine merchants, Aberdeen (28,30); Alexander Nicol, Romford (33); William Williamson, a persecuted employee (38-40); Samuel Guppy, Bridgewater (41-43); John Duncan, Aberdeen (45); John Greenway, Portsmouth, concerning a horse (46,47,49); Mr Staples (48); John Reid, Portsmouth (50). (50 items)
- A727.64 01 Mar 1779-31 Mar 1779 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - George White, Woolwich (1,10,21,26,48,49); John Jenner, Sheerness (2,33,46); George Lawrance [Lawrence], Woolwich (3,5,45,50); Bingley & Pitt (4,20); N. Phillipps [Phillips] (43)
- A727.65 24 Mar 1779-11 Dec 1779 Draft letters to suppliers and customers, including the Navy, from William Forbes, coppersmith, London. (13 items)
- A727.66 01 Apr 1779-30 Apr 1779 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters Correspondents - Thomas Alldridge, Deptford (1); George White, Woolwich (2,4,18); J. Reynolds (3,12); William Brymer (5); John Greenway, Portsmouth (6,8,14,16,22,27); Edward Hunt (7,17); Edward Kemm, Rotherhithe (9); Salmon May, Woolwich (10); George Guy, Chatham (11,35); John Jenner, Sheerness (13,21,26); J. Weatherall, Chatham (15); M.B. Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (19,23,40) James Betts [Bett], Mistlethorn (20); B. French (24); Richard Hill, Birmingham (25); James Clyde, Sheerness (28); George Lawrance [Lawrence], Woolwich (29,37); N. Phillipps [Phillips], Portsmouth (30,33,36); Mr Bromley (31); Thomas Grant, Portsmouth (32,42); Henry Peake, Dover (3 Nicholas Bools, Bridport (38,39); Mr Parkin (43). (43 items)
- A727.67 02 May 1779-31 May 1779 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - M. B. Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (1,8,13,36); Mrs A. Justice, Plymouth (2); George White, Woolwich (3,18,33,39); George Lawrance [Lawrence], Woolwich (4,34); Marmaduke Stalkarth, Deptford (5); John Thomas, Plymouth (6); J. Henslow, Plymouth (7,48); Stephen Ludlow (9,46); Adam Hayes, Deptford (10,43); James Betts [Bett], Mistlethorn (11,17); Anthony Manley, Deptford (12,20); Henry Peake, Dover (14,15); Edward Brine, Portsmouth (16); William Savill (19); Nicholas Bools, Bridport (21); John Parkin, Cawsand (22-25,51); George Smith, Sheerness (26,45); Thomas Grant, Portsmouth (27); Le Crass & Co (28); John Wood (29); N. Phillipps [Phillips], Portsmouth (30,40,42); Thomas Alldridge, Deptford (31,37); Thomas King, Dover (32); Philip Justice, Plymouth (35); James Whatman, Boxley (38,44); James N. Hillhouse [Hillhouse], Bristol (41); John Freeman & Co, Bristol (47); Thomas Farley, Folkstone (49); J.F. Barham, Bedford (50); George Guy, Chatham (52); Brewing

- Company, Banff (53,56,57); J. Lumsden, Plymouth (54); John Greenway, Portsmouth (55). (57 items)
- A727.68 06 May 1779-28 Aug 1779 Letters, including accounts, to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, from Messrs Mark Harford, Brass, B.W. & Copper Company, Bristol. (40 items)
- A727.69 02 Jun 1779-30 Jun 1779 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - George Lawrance [Lawrence], Woolwich (1,34,41); Marmaduke Stalkarth, Deptford (2); J. Cooke [Cook] & Co, Stratford (3); John Freeman & Co, Bristol (4,6,18,37,40,45,46,56); Thomas Aldridge, Deptford (5,9,10,13,33); Thomas Farley, Folkstone (7); Mr Dighton, Bristol (8); James Clyde, Sheerness (11,28-31); M.B. Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (12,44); Edward Hawkins, Newnham (14); Mr Blunt (15); Smallshaw & Rogers (16); Captain Oliver (17); John Thomas, Plymouth (19,49); George White, Portsmouth (20,27); N. Phillipps [Phillips], Chatham (21,55); J. Weatherall, Chatham (22,35); James Whatman, Boxley (23,42); George Guy, Chatham (24); J. Henslow, Plymouth (25); James Kemp, Deptford (26,36); George Champion, Bristol (32,52,57); Adam Hayes, Deptford (38,39,47 John Greenway, Portsmouth (43); W. Mears (50); Charles Roe & Co, Macclesfield (51); Captain R. Kaye (53,54); Thomas Grant Portsmouth (58). (58 items)
- A727.70 01 Jul 1779-29 Jul 1779 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - Thomas Aldridge, Deptford (1); Henry Peake, Sheerness (2,39); Salmon May, Woolwich (3,11); John Greenway Portsmouth (4,19); John Freeman & Co, Bristol (5,16,24,46); Mr Snell, Portsmouth (6); M.B. Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (7,23); George White, Portsmouth (8); Nicholas Bools, Bridport (9); James Whatman, Boxley (10); Thomas Farley, Folkstone (12,13); James Clyde, Sheerness (14,31); John Parkin, Cawsand (15); George Guy, Chatham (17); Bingley & Pitt (18); William Mears (20); John Jenner, Woolwich (21,30); James Kemp, Deptford (22); Robert Exam (25,26); Metcalfe & Co, West Ham (27,43); N. Phillipps [Phillips], Chatham (28); Samuel Huxstable (29,36,38,41); Adam Hayes, Deptford (32); Davis & Protheroe, Bristol (33,34); Thomas Netherton, Plymouth (35); J. Weatherall, Woolwich (37,45); R. Hodgson, Ashborne (40); Mr Calvert (42); James Lewis (44). (46 items)
- A727.71 05 Jul 1779-12 Jan 1782 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, from Charles Roe & Company, Macclesfield, who supply him with copper. Invoices, accounts, receipts for freight, copies of replies. (86 items)
- A727.72 02 Aug 1779-31 Aug 1779 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - J. Weatherall, Chatham (1); George Champion, Bristol (2); Antony Calvert (3,4); B. Cleypole, West Ham (5); Davis & Protheroe, Bristol (6); John Greenway, Portsmouth (7,31,45); James Lewis (8,38); John Freeman & Co, Bristol (9,10,18,25); William Mears (11,27); James Clyde, Sheerness (12,19,29,30,36,40,46); Thomas King, Dover (13); Henry Peake, Dover (14,21); John Nelson, Woolwich (15); John Parkin, Cawsand (16); Mr Bools, Bridport (17); George Lawrance [Lawrence], Woolwich (20); E. Brine, Portsmouth (22,32); J. Warner

- (23); Mr Hunt (24); Thomas Farley, Folkstone (26,37) T. & N. Walton, Hull (28); Cooke [Cook] & Co, Stratford (33); Thomas Grant, Portsmouth (34); James Whatman, Boxley (35); Mr Harrist (39); Thomas Massy [Massey], Portsmouth (41); M.B. Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (42); N. Phillipps [Phillips], Chatham (43); George Guy, Chatham (44). (46 items)
- A727.73 01 Sep 1779-30 Sep 1779 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - James Clyde, Sheerness (1,18); J. Reynolds (2,13); Fabian Clayton Wilson, Folkstone (3); M.B. Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (4); Thomas Farley, Folkstone (5,11); S. Netherton, Plymouth (6,30); John Greenway, Portsmouth (7,10); Thomas Grant, Portsmouth (8); George Guy, Chatham (9); William Mathews [Matthews], Deptford (12); John Freeman & Co, Bristol (14,21,23,27); J.F. Barham, Bedford (15,19); John Cooke [Cook] & Co, Stratford (16); Stephen Ludlow (17); James Lewis (20); Richard Lewis, Bromley (22); James Whatman, Boxley (24); Nicholas Bools, Bridport (25); J. Henslow, Plymouth (26); William Lance, Woolwich (28); John Thomas, Plymouth (29). (30 items)
- A727.74 02 Sep 1779-31 Dec 1779 Letters, including accounts, to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, from Messrs Mark Harford, Brass, B. W. & Copper Company Bristol. (36 items)
- A727.75 01 Oct 1779-31 Oct 1779 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - Thomas Alldridge, Deptford (1); Tidy & Spence (2); William Lance, Woolwich (3); Mr Furlly (4); Mr Wood (5); John Freeman & Co, Bristol (6,7); R. Rundle, Bristol (8); Salmon May, Woolwich (9,29); John Greenway, Portsmouth (10,14,15); James Clyde, Sheerness (11,12,27); R. Hodgson, Congleton (13); M.B. Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (16,21,30); James Lewis (17,24); J.F. Barham, Bedford (18-20,26); Fabian Clayton Wilson, Folkstone (22); John Fisher, Liverpool (23); Henry Peake, Sheerness (25); Davis & Protheroe, Bristol (28). (30 items)
- A727.76 25 Oct 1779 Extract from letter to William Brymer, London, from Johnston & Purss, Quebec, complaining about a still and worm.
- A727.77 01 Nov 1779-30 Nov 1779 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - J. Weatherall, Chatham (1,15,27); J. Pyke, Bridgewater (2); W. Williamson, Bridgewater (3); Thomas King, Dover (4,25); Salmon May, Woolwich (5,34); J. Reynolds (6); J.F. Barham, Bedford (7,16); John Greenway, Portsmouth (8); Mr Lindsay (9,17); Philip Justice, Plymouth (10); Mr Charleson (11); A. Manley, Deptford (12); M.B. Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (13,26); Adam Hayes, Deptford (14); John Anstruther, Streatham (18); William Cleverly, Gravesend (19,20); N. Phillipps [Phillips], Chatham (21,38); J. Henslow, Plymouth (22); John Freeman & Co, Bristol (23); E. Brine, Portsmouth (24); G. Smith (28); Thomas Wood (29); Mr Hunt (30); William Lance, Woolwich (31); Thomas Grant, Portsmouth (32); Nicholas Bools, Bridport (33); James Clyde, Sheerness (35-37); George Guy, Chatham (39). (39 items)
- A727.78 01 Dec 1779-31 Dec 1779 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters Correspondents - J. Reynolds (1,20); Mr Wood (2,4); Adam Hayes Deptford (3,6); Mr Manclark (5);

- George White, Portsmouth (7,28); George Guy, Chatham (8); Edward Kemm, Rotherhithe (9); John Freeman & Co, Bristol (10); Edward Brine, Portsmouth (11); John Greenway, Portsmouth (12,35,37,38); E. Hunt (13); J. Rolt, Deptford (14); Thomas King, Dover (15); Thomas Alldridge, Deptford (16); James Clyde, Sheerness (17,31,36,41,42,45); William Cleverly, Gravesend (18); J. Weatherall, Chatham (19); William Reid (21) William Limberry, Deptford (22); Mr Mears (23); Philip Justice, Plymouth (24); M.B. Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (25,26,43); James Kemp, Deptford (27), N. Phillipps [Phillips], Chatham (29); James Lewis (30), Mr Binmer (32); John Thomas, Plymouth (33); Tidy & Spence (34); Walter Taylor, Southam (39,40); Josiah Lancashire (44); J. Henslow Plymouth (46). (46 items)
- A727.79 04 Dec 1779-18 Mar 1780 Draft letters to Alexander Douglas from William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on financial matters. (5 items)
- A727.80 01 Jan 1780-31 Jan 1780 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - Thomas Grant, Portsmouth (1,2,31); William White, Harwich (3,4); Cooke & Co (5); John Greenway, Portsmouth (6,25,26); Edward Brine, Portsmouth (7); E. Hunt (8,13); James Clyde, Sheerness (9,16,24,33,34); Freeman & Co, Bristol (10,18,19,29,38); Thomas King, Dover (11,12,36); Salmon May, Woolwich (14); Mr Somerton, Bath (15); T. Henslow, Plymouth (17); J. Lodge, Snowhill (20); William Cleverly, Gravesend (21); M.B. Legg [Legge] (22); John Barnard, Harwich (23); J. Rolt, Deptford (27); Mr Pengree, Snowhill (28); John Jenner, Woolwich (30); J. Weatherall, Chatham (32); J.F. Barham, Bedford (35); William Dumbell, Warrington (37). (38 items)
- A727.81 06 Jan 1780-27 Jun 1780 Letters including accounts to William Forbes, coppersmith, London from Messrs Mark Hartford, Brass, B.W. and Copper Company, Bristol (54 items)
- A727.82 17 Jan 1780-20 Jun 1780 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on personal matters. Correspondents - W. Lishman [Leishman] (1); R. Hodgson (2); Patrick Troy (3); Mr Sinclair (4,5); Mr Travers (6); Marsh & Creed (7,8,11,22,28); William Battersby (9); Mr Twopenny (10,15,16); Dutton & May (12); George Forbes on H.M.S. 'Beltona' (13,23); Mr Vaughan (14); Bingley & Pitt (17); Mrs Copland (18); James Farquhar, surgeon's mate on H.M.S. 'Prince of Wales' (19); Mr & Mrs Rolt (20); Kinloch & Hog (21,29); J. Mackintosh [McIntosh] (24,25); Lockwood, Morris & Co (26,27,33); George Colebrooke (30,31); John Forbes, [?younger of] Inverernan (32). (33 items)
- A727.83 01 Feb 1780-29 Feb 1780 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - Salmon May, Woolwich (1,23); S. Sidden (2); George White, Portsmouth (3,35,44); M.B. Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (4,10,12,31); John Greenway, Portsmouth (5,16); Thomas Grant, Portsmouth (6,15,19,25,30,32,36); James Clyde, Sheerness (7,20,27,28,34); Birch & Villers, Birmingham (8); John Freeman & Co, Bristol (9,13,22,43); Thomas Netherton, Plymouth (11,18); George Parsons, Bursledon (14); George Guy, Chatham (17,42); Portman & Swive (21); N. Phillipps [Phillips], Chatham (24,38); Thomas Belsher, Deptford (26);

- Thomas Alldridge [Aldridge], Deptford (29,39); Thomas Wood (33); J. Weatherall, Chatham (37,47); Thomas King, Dover (40,41,48); P. Justice, Plymouth (45); Nicholas Bools, Bridport (46). (48 items)
- A727.84 01 Mar 1780-30 Mar 1780 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - George Guy, Chatham (1,3,10); Freeman & Co, Bristol (2,22,24); J.F. Barham, Bedford (4); N. Phillipps [Phillips], Chatham (5); M.B. Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (6,19); Nicholas Bools, Bridport (7,26); T. Henslow, Plymouth (8); Randall, Gray & Brunt (9); Salmon May, Woolwich (11,32); John Parkin, Cawsand (12); Mr Snell, Portsmouth (13); James Clyde, Sheerness (14,15,17,31); J. Lodge, Snowhill (16); John Cooke & Co, Stratford (18); T. Netherton, Plymouth (20,35,41); S. Ludlow (21); John Kootigen (23); George White, Portsmouth (25,29,33); Mr Pengree, Snowhill (27); C.H. Harris, Sheerness (28); Johnston & Purse - draft reply only (30); D.E. Adams (34); John Jenner, Woolwich (36); James Whatman (37); William Baker (38); Thomas Grant, Portsmouth (39,40). (41 items)
- A727.85 01 Apr 1780-29 Apr 1780 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - Mr Langdale (1); Thomas Grant, Portsmouth (2,6,16,28); Mr Butt (3); Salmon May, Woolwich (4,30); James Clyde, Sheerness (5,9,15,19,20); John Vaughan, Bristol (7); T. Netherton, Plymouth (8,13,24,32); Mr Ludlow (10); William Roe, Liverpool (11); Mr Snell, Portsmouth (12); Beardmore & Reynolds (14); John Freeman & Co, Bristol (17); Thomas Farley, Folkstone (18); J. Weatherall, Chatham (21); T. Henslow, Plymouth (22,31,34); George White, Portsmouth (23); N. Phillipps [Phillips], Chatham (25); Mr Rolt, Deptford (26); John Greenway, Portsmouth (27,33); T. Smith, Chatham (29); Charles Beech, Deptford (35). (35 items)
- A727.86 04 Apr 1780-25 Nov 1780 Draft letters to suppliers, the Navy Board, East India Company and mill-owners from William Forbes, coppersmith, London. 18 is to Lord North, tendering for the New Loan. (18 items)
- A727.87 25 Apr 1780 Letter to William Forbes, London, from John Thomas, Plymouth, containing copy of letter from George Quash, Falmouth, giving news from America.
- A727.88 01 May 1780-31 May 1780 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - Randall, Gray & Brent, Rotherhithe (1); Mr Menetone (2); John Greenway, Portsmouth (3,10,16,24,49); James Clyde, Sheerness (4,12); George White, Portsmouth (5,22,28,48); John May (6); D.E. Adams (7); George Smith, Sheerness (8); William Lance, Woolwich (9); John Rolt, Deptford (11,26,35); Mr Fossick (13); Portman & Swive (14); Nicholas Bools, Bridport (15); Antony Calvert (17,21,31,39,41,42); Freeman & Co, Bristol (18,40); Patrick Watkinson, Liverpool (19); F. Kinman (20); T. Netherton, Plymouth (23,37); Adam Hayes, Deptford (25); Tidy & Spence (27); T. Henslow, Plymouth (29); Mr Farly (30); J. Weatherall, Chatham (32,33); Salmon May, Woolwich (34); John Jenner, Woolwich (36); Mr Fisher (38); Mr Dawes (43,46); Philip Justice, Plymouth (44); Thomas Grant, Portsmouth (45,50); N. Phillipps [Phillips], Chatham (47). (50 items)

- A727.89 01 Jun 1780-28 Jun 1780 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - James Kemp, Deptford (1); Antony Calvert (2); N. Phillipps [Phillips], Chatham (3); John Freeman & Co, Bristol (4,8,22); Richard Limberry, Bristol (5); Salmon May, Woolwich (6,7,14,28,34,40); M.B. Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (9,26); George Lea r(10); George Guy, Chatham (11); John Rolt, Deptford (12); James Clyde, Sheerness (13,20,24,31); George White, Portsmouth (15,19,27,30); J. Weatherall, Chatham (16-18,23,35); Henry Canham, Dover (21); Mr Dawes (25); Adam Hayes, Deptford (29); Thomas Grant, Portsmouth (32); Moses Game, Wivenhoe (33); Mr Skinner (36,38); T. Netherton, Plymouth (37); Thomas Aldridge [Aldridge], Deptford (39,43); Mr Ludlow (41); John Fisher, Liverpool (42). (43 items)
- A727.90 01 Jul 1780-31 Jul 1780 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - James Clyde, Sheerness (1,14,26,37); Mr Dawes (2); Mr Skinner (3); Watson & Rashleigh (4); John Greenway, Portsmouth (5,12,22,27,34,36,48,49); Thomas Netherton, Plymouth (6); Thomas Aldridge [Aldridge], Deptford (7,17,31); N. Phillipps [Phillips], Chatham (8,21,47); J. Weatherall, Chatham (9,46); J. Reynolds (10,35); Thomas Grant, Portsmouth (11,33,38); Mr Lear (13,24); M.B. Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (15,40); Henry Canham, Dover (16); John Fisher, Liverpool (18); Mr Langdale (19); George Guy, Chatham (20,42); Mr Pollard, Portsmouth (23); T. Henslow, Plymouth (25); Mr Tillett (28); George White, Portsmouth (29); John Thomas, Plymouth (30); Thomas Wood (32); Cootye & Co, Stratford (39); Partridge & Co (41); John Freeman & Co, Bristol (43,50); John Stoppers, Southampton (44); Thomas Evans (45). (50 items)
- A727.91 04 Jul 1780-30 Dec 1780 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, from Messrs Mark Harford, Brass, B.W. and Copper Company, Bristol. (58 items)
- A727.92 06 Jul 1780-30 Dec 1780 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on personal matters. Correspondents - J. Mackintosh [McIntosh] (1,33); Mary Oliver, Greenwich (2); Benjamin Boulton [Bolton] (3); Marsh & Creed (4,13,14,20); Henry Baker (5); Mr Lear (6); John Duncan (7); William Archer (8); R. Sinclair (9); J. Edwards (10); William Forbes, Leith (11); David Taylor (12); James Farquhar, Portsmouth (15); J. Grant (16); Lockwood, Morris & Co (17,18); Bingley & Pitt (19); J. Haysom (21); J. Reynolds, founder, concerning missing apprentices (22,23); Mr and Mrs Gibson (24); Mr Winterbottom (25); William Gould (26); George Colebrooke (27); Harford & Battersby (28,29); E.H. Jump, Deptford (30); Mr Hodgson (31); Alexander Mitchell (32); Mrs Lindsay (34); Mrs Ferguson (35). (35 items)
- A727.93 24 Jul 1780-05 Dec 1780 Letters to William Forbes, London, concerning his possible purchase of mills. Correspondents - John Lawton, Chester (1-6,11,12); D.J. Eaton, Guildford (7); W. Hall (8); Mr Skinner (9,10). 10 is printed particulars of an estate called Ember Court in Surrey. (12 items)
- A727.94 01 Aug 1780-31 Aug 1780 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - Salmon May, Woolwich (1,11,36,53,56); Mr Pigou (2); Mr Skinner (3,12,14); R.

- Smith, Chatham (4,5); George Guy, Chatham (6,37,45,57,59); James Clyde, Sheerness (7,18,54); J. Weatherall, Chatham (8); James Hilhouse, Bristol (9); Thomas King, Dover (10,30,47,48); Thomas Grant, Portsmouth (13,21,39,65); Mr Vaughan (15); N. Phillpps [Phillips], Chatham (16); George Smith, Sheerness (17); John Greenway, Portsmouth (19); John Freeman & Co, Bristol (20,24,25,28,43,44,67,68); William Cleverly, Gravesend (22,35,49); Moses Game, Wivenhoe (23); Thomas Whalley (26,27); John Freizer, Chatham (29); J. Thomas (31); Mr Lear (32); John Guyer, East Cowes (33); James Williams, Dover (34); Adam Hayes, Deptford (38,62); James Whatman, Boxley (40); George Polyblank, Bristol (41,42); James Farquhar, Spithead (46); George Papps, Hereford (50,51); William Savill (52); George White, Portsmouth (55); T. Netherton, Plymouth (58); Thomas Fenton, Rothwell Haigh (60,61); Mr Alldridge [Alldridge], Deptford (63,64); Messrs Maitland (66). (68 items)
- A727.95 02 Sep 1780-29 Sep 1780 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - J. Weatherall, Chatham (1); Mr Dawes (2); Fabian C. Wilson, Folkstone (3); James Clyde, Sheerness (4,28,47); George Guy, Chatham (5,12); Thomas Grant, Portsmouth (6,14,31,35,46); Adam Hayes, Deptford (7,29); James Lewis (8); Salmon May, Woolwich (9,33); E. Ormes (10); Mr Twiss (11); Henry Canham, Dover (13); J.F. Barham (15); Thomas Alldridge [Alldridge], Deptford (16,17,36,37); Mr Pigou (18); Coope & Charlesson (19-21); Philip Justice, Plymouth (22); George Lawrance [Lawrence], Deal (23); John Greenway, Portsmouth (24); Lockwood & Co (25); Messrs Warner (26); Edward Brine, Portsmouth (27,32); Nicholas Bools, Bridport (30); James Williams, Dover (34); John Thomas, Plymouth (38); George Smith, Sheerness (39); Freeman & Co, Bristol (40,44,45); George Parsons, Bursledon (41,42); T. Netherton, Plymouth (43); T. Henslow, Plymouth (48). (48 items)
- A727.96 02 Oct 1780-30 Oct 1780 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - John Freeman & Co, Bristol (1,7,16,17,21,34,35,45); James Williams, Dover (2); John Greenway, Portsmouth (3,25); Mary Wright, Dudley (4); William Mears (5); John Nelson, Woolwich (6,15); Thomas Alldridge [Alldridge], Deptford (8,10); Stephen Tadd, Bristol (9); Robert Walker (11); Mr Pigou (12); Thomas King, Dover (13); T. Netherton, Plymouth (14,23,46); Thomas Grant, Portsmouth (18,50); Jacob Preston, Yarmouth (19,20); George Smith, Sheerness (22,26,31,37); Mr Slade (24); Mr Langdale (27); East India Company (28-30); Thomas Evans, Rotherhithe (32); George Lawrance [Lawrence], Deal (33); Henry Canham, Dover (36); George Parsons, Bursledon (38,52); Mr Rigby (39); Adam Hayes, Deptford (40); Travers & Griffiths (41); Messrs Maitland (42,48); Salmon May, Woolwich (43); J. Rolt (44); Fabian Clayton Wilson, Folkstone (47); Mr Skinner (49); William Rayden, Liverpool (51); J. Guyer, East Cowes (53); J. Weatherall, Chatham (54). (54 items)
- A727.97 01 Nov 1780-30 Nov 1780 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - Low & Beck, Dover (1);

- Thomas Grant, Portsmouth (2-4,38); George Lawrance [Lawrence], Deal (5,30); Troy & Spence (6); George Vernon, Sheerness (7); George Guy, Chatham (8); East India Company (9); R. Blackler, Plymouth (10); Thomas Aldridge, Deptford (11); James Kemp, Deptford (12); J. Weatherall, Chatham (13,29); James Clyde, Sheerness (14,32); Stephen Tadd, Bristol (15,24); Mr Lewis (16); Richard Twiss (17); John Chester, Deptford (18,35); Salmon May, Woolwich (19,37); George Skerrett, Plymouth (20); James Betts, Mistle Thorn (21); Adam Hayes, Deptford (22,27,28); William Gilbert, Portsmouth (23); James Williams, Dover (25); J. Preston, Yarmouth (26); Henry Canham, Dover (31); William Cook (33); Davis & Protheroe, Bristol (34); John George, Bristol (36); Robert Kidd, Sandwich and Margate (39); Blunt & Travers (40); Thomas Wood (41); William Lance, Woolwich (42); Peter Nouaille, Great Ness (43). (43 items)
- A727.98 01 Dec 1780-31 Dec 1780 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - John Nelson, Woolwich (1,15); Thomas Aldridge [Aldridge], Deptford (2,28,39); William Lance, Woolwich (3,6,9,38); Adam Hayes, Deptford (4,5,7,8,40); William Handasyde [Handyside], Wapping (10); N. Phillipps [Phillips], Chatham (11); Messrs Maitland (12); J. Weatherall, Chatham (13); Thomas Netheron, Plymouth (14,37); [Anon], Portsmouth (16,24); Salmon May, Woolwich (17,18,42); Thomas Wood (19,25); Robert Kidd, Margate (20,21,32); Andrew Hill, Sandwich (22,36); Charles Turner, Deptford (23); Robert Tynell (26); Mr Reynolds (27,29); James Lewis, Yarmouth (30); Richard Limbery, Bristol (31); Robert Fabian, Cowes (33); James Williams, Dover (34,41); William Cruden, Gravesend (35); George Guy, Chatham (43); W. Barnard, Deptford (44,47,48,50); Thomas Grant, Portsmouth (45); Peter Baker, Liverpool (46); William Rayden, Liverpool (49); Robert Kidd, Margate (51); J. Preston, Yarmouth (52). (52 items)
- A727.99 04 Nov 1780-13 Oct 1781 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, from Messrs John Freeman & Copper Company, Bristol. (61 items)
- A727.100 05 Dec 1780 Letter to Mrs Betty Reid [Forbes' maid ?] from Miss J. Forbes, in Aberdeen, enclosing a piece of black lace as a sample for a cloak. (2 items)
- A727.101 1780-1783 Letters to William Forbes, in London, from Robert Forbes, his uncle, in Nairn, and Elizabeth Forbes, Robert's wife, on family matters, particularly his daughter Lexie. (7 items)
- A727.102 02 Jan 1781-31 Jan 1781 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - James Clyde, Sheerness (1); J. Weatherall, Chatham (2,38); J. Greenway, Portsmouth (3,14); Robert Kidd, Margate (4,5,17,18,29); Captain R. Mace (6); Salmon May, Woolwich (7,11); James Betts, Mistle Thorn (8); George White, Portsmouth (9,26); N. Phillipps [Phillips], Chatham (10,21); Richard Limbery, Bristol (12,13,32); James Williams, Dover (15,19); T. Netheron, Plymouth (16); George Smith, Sheerness (20); John Rolt, Deptford (22,33); William Rayden, Liverpool (23); W. Daman, Southampton (24); John Sutton & Co, Liverpool (25); George Roberts, Ipswich (27); A. Hills, Sandwich (28); Thomas Farley, Folkstone (30); George Guy,

- Chatham(31,34); Smallshaw & Rogers, Liverpool (35); Peter Nouaille, Greatness(36); R. Smith, Chatham (37); John Freizer, Chatham (39); Mr Snell (40). (40 items)
- A727.103 02 Jan 1781-29 Dec 1781 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, from Messrs Mark Harford, Brass, B.W. and Copper Company, Bristol. (37 items)
- A727.104 03 Jan 1781-03 Sep 1782 Letters to William Forbes, London, concerning the London Dispensary.(11 items)
- A727.105 08 Jan 1781-29 Aug 1781 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on personal matters. Correspondents - John Melvill [Melville] (1); J. Mackintosh [McIntosh] (2,3,22); Mr Hodgson (4); John Reed, Portsmouth (5); Mrs F. Copland (6,8); Thomas Wood (7); J. Robinson, Treasury (9); Benjamin Surman (10); Marsh & Creed (11); G. Russell (12); Robert Farquhar, Newhal I(13); Mr Gilding (14); Lockwood, Morris & Co (15); Martin Smith, Gosport (16); Mr Pengree, Temple (17); Mr House (18); Daniel Biven, onboard 'Conquestador' at the Nore (19); George Pengree, Snow Hill (20); Mr Sinclair (21); A. Douglas (23); Joseph Robarts [Roberts] (24); Mr Winterbottom, enclosing printed particulars of estate at Bourne Gate in Hertford and Middlesex (25,26); J. Walley (27). (27 items)
- A727.106 03 Feb 1781-21 Feb 1781 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - Jacob Preston, Yarmouth (1); Richard Twiss (2); Nicholas Bools, Bridport (3); George White, Portsmouth (4,12); Thomas Price (5); J. Cooke & Co, Stratford (6); Thomas Aldridge [Aldridge], Deptford (7); East India Company (8); William Gilbert, Portsmouth (9); George Lawrance [Lawrence], Deal (10,16); Thomas Farley, Folkstone(11); N. Phillipps [Phillips], Chatham (13); Dawes & Co (14,25); J.F.Barham, Bedford (15,17); Thomas Grant, Portsmouth (18); William Rayden, Liverpool (19); Fearon & Webb, Liverpool (20); Antony Calvert (21-23); George Smith, Sheerness (24); A. Hills, Sandwich (26); James Betts, Mistley Thorn (27); Mr Bell (28-30); Thomas Squire, Amsterdam(31). (31 items)
- A727.107 01 Mar 1781-31 Mar 1781 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - John Greenway, Portsmouth (1,21); A. Hills, Sandwich(2,20); Richard Twiss (3,33); Thomas Aldridge [Aldridge], Deptford (4,13,31); Thomas Grant, Portsmouth (5); James Betts, Mistley Thorn (6,30); George Roberts, Ipswich (7); Henry Smith (8); George White, Portsmouth (9); John Hooker (10); Smallshaw & Rogers, Liverpool (11); Charles Turner, Deptford (12); H. Peake, Dover (14,26); William & Thomas Raikes (15); James Clyde, Woolwich (16); Mr Rolt (17); J.Holden, Sheerness (18); George Skerrett, Plymouth (19); S. Price, Colchester (22); Richard Dunmall, Sandgate (23); George Guy, Chatham (24,28); J. Keir (25); J. Weatherall, Chatham (27); Beardmore & Reynolds (29); W. Mathews, Deptford (32); N. Phillipps [Phillips], Chatham (34); R. Fabian, Cowes (35). (35 items)
- A727.108 02 Apr 1781-29 Apr 1781 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - John Stooke, Gravesend (1); George Smith, Sheerness (2,7); Henry Peake, Dover (3,30); Richard Limbery, Bristol (4); Smallshaw & Rogers, Liverpool (5,15); J. Henslow,

- Plymouth (6); George Lawrance [Lawrence], Deal (8); Thomas Dawes (9,26,27); Henry Canham, Dover (10,22); George SurrIDGE (11); Henry Ladd, Dover (12,14); James Williams, Dover (13,19); E. Ormes (16,17,24); John Greenway, Portsmouth (18); George White, Portsmouth (20,29); N. Phillipps [Phillips], Chatham (21,23); James Clyde, Woolwich (25); Robert Fabian, Cowes (28). (30 items)
- A727.109 01 May 1781-31 May 1781 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - Mr Rolt, Deptford (1); Thomas Aldridge [Aldridge], Deptford (2,6); James Clyde, Woolwich (3,19); Henry Canham, Dover (4); John Stooke, Gravesend (5); George SurrIDGE (7); John Hooker, Deptford (8); Henry Peake, Dover (9,12,24); Bingley & Pitt (10); Adam Hayes, Deptford (11); James Keir, Birmingham (13); Salmon May, Woolwich (14); Thomas Odwin & Co (15); Andrew Hills, Sandwich (16-18,22); John Ancell, Bucklers Head (20); H. Venture, Colchester (21); J. Henslow, Plymouth (23); George Polyblank, Bristol (25); John Sutton & Co, Liverpool (26,27); John Greenway, Portsmouth (28). (28 items)
- A727.110 01 Jun 1781-30 Jun 1781 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - Thomas Aldridge [Aldridge], Deptford (1,23); Henry Peake, Dover (2,3,11); M.B. Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (4); Stephen Copland, Deptford (5); John Sutton & Co, Liverpool (6,12); T. Netherton, Plymouth (7); William Gilbert, Portsmouth (7); William Gilbert, Portsmouth (8); Salmon May, Woolwich (9,25); William Godfree [Godfrey], Cowes (10); George White, Portsmouth (13); John Greenway, Portsmouth (14,22,32); Mr Rolt (15); John Bartholomew, Woolwich (16); Thomas King, Dover (17,20); Fabian C. Wilson, Sandgate (18); Thomas Grant, Portsmouth (19,29); S. Calhoun, Bursledon (21); J. Chester, Deptford (24); Walter Taylor, Southampton (26-28,31); Stephen Tadd, Bristol (30); Cooke & Co (33); George Smith, Sheerness (34); Mr Wood (35). (35 items)
- A727.111 15 Jun 1781-20 Oct 1781 Draft letters to Freeman & Co, East India Company and Navy Board from William Forbes, coppersmith, London. (4 items)
- A727.112 01 Jul 1781-31 Aug 1781 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - George Roberts (1); Mr Thomas (2); Henry Peake, Sheerness (3,18); T.W. Jolly (4-6); Goodchild & Slater (7,9,12,19,38); George Smith, Sheerness (8,53); John Greenway, Portsmouth (10,32,52); George Guy, Chatham (11); Thomas Smith, Chatham (13); William Cowling (14); Mr Coggan (15); Thomas Grant, Portsmouth (16,22,26); Dr Ludlow and Mr Battersby, Bristol (17,41,42); James Keir, Birmingham (20); Andrew Hills, Sandwich (21); J. Henslow, Plymouth (23,28); George White, Portsmouth (24,48); Thomas Hale, Bristol (25); E. Ormes (27); Richard Twiss (29,43); Mr Steward [Stewart] (30,34,37); James Clyde, Woolwich (31,35,36,39); W. Mathews, Deptford (33); Messrs Bishop (40); John Hall & Co, Gothenburg (44-47); Thomson, Peters, Bonar & Co, St Petersburg (49); Stephen Tadd, Bristol (50); G. Skerrett, Plymouth (51); Charles Beech, Deptford (54); Mr Exam (55).

- (55 items)
- A727.113 03 Sep 1781-29 Oct 1781 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - Mr Exam (1); James Clyde, Woolwich (2,22,35); Mr Venture (3); Thomas Grant, Portsmouth (4,12); George Smith, Sheerness (5,9); Mr Snell, Portsmouth (6); Stephen Tadd, Bristol (7); George White, Portsmouth (8); Charles Wright (10); Travers & Griffin (11); John Greenway, Portsmouth (13); Smallshaw & Rogers, Liverpool (14); John Bartholomew, Woolwich (15,25); Thomas Netherton, Plymouth (16,19); Robert Kidd, Margate (17,18); Thomas Farley, Folkstone (20,28), John Pattinson, Blackwall (21); Bishop & Blindstone (23); James Keir, Birmingham (24); Edward Browning (26); John Raymond (27); J. Henslow, Plymouth (29,30); Richard Reynolds, Deptford (31); George Guy, Chatham (32); William Battersby, Bristol (33,34,37); N. Phillipps [Phillips], Chatham (36); Henry Peake, Sheerness (38). (38 items)
- A727.114 05 Sep 1781-31 Dec 1781 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on personal matters. Correspondents - Mary Oliver, Greenwich (1); Mr Gregg (2,3); J. Mackintosh [McIntosh] (4,15,38); Mr Herries (5); Marsh & Creed (6); Mr Tolson (7); John Duncan, Aberdeen, wishing to sell leaden statues (8); William Somerton (9); Mr Young (10), Mr Rotton (11,16,33); James Mitchell (12); A. Fordyce (13); London & Country Register Office (14); Joseph Robarts [Roberts] (17-23,26,31,32); Philip Cook, Ruislip (24); John Syde, master of ship 'Wolf' (25); Mr Douglas (27); J. Spackman (28); William Brymer (29); Mr Crichton (30,43); Miss Brown (34); Mr Sanders (35); John Thomas, Plymouth (36,41); Mr Curzon (37,40); Mr Nash (39); John Cruikshank (42). (43 items)
- A727.115 01 Nov 1781-31 Dec 1781 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - Alnutt, Jones & Thomas (1); Thomas Wood (2); J. Weatherall, Chatham (3,17); Thomas Hall, Bristol (4); John Greenway, Portsmouth (5); William Battersby, Bristol (6,7); Bingley & Pitt (8); John Edwards, Cornwall (9); Adam Hayes, Deptford (10); Thomas Venture (11); J.F. Barham, Bedford (12); Thomas Grant, Portsmouth (13,26,28,34); James Clyde, Woolwich (14); Mr Thomas (15,16); Thomas Alldridge [Alldridge], Deptford (18); Whitehead & Watts (19); N. Phillipps [Phillips], Chatham (20,32); Robert Morris (21,24); Andrew Hills, Sandwich (22); Henry Peake, Sheerness (23); George Guy, Chatham (25,33); Mr Morgan, Deptford (29); George Roberts, Ipswich (30); Messrs Maitland (31); Henry Canham, Sandwich (35); R.J. Rotton, Swansea (36,37). (37 items)
- A727.116 1781-1783 Letters to William Forbes, in London, from George Forbes, his brother, in Aberdeen, concerning their metal businesses; financial matters; landed estates for purchase, including Fettercairn, Kilsyth, Lauder, Rossie and Slains; purchase and management of estate of Callendar; goods shipped to Aberdeen; and 5,6,13,22. iron from St Petersburg [Russia]; 8. trade with Gothenburg [Göteborg, Sweden]; 12. George's children's ages; 14. proposes that customs be farmed; 16. wants a portrait of William; 25. 'it is not the custom for people to be resident at Edinburgh above a night in an inn'; 31,52. expenses of visits to Edinburgh; 38. first discusses

- estate of Callendar; 39. proposes to erect iron foundry in Aberdeen; 42. trade with Memel [Klaipeda, Lithuania]; 60. introduces Dr Bowman. 26 is letter to George from William. (61 items)
- A727.117 1781-1783 Letters to William Forbes, in London, from David Forbes, his brother, in Aberdeen, sometimes signing 'George Forbes & Co', concerning their metal businesses; goods shipped between Aberdeen and London; and financial arrangements. 18-19 are enclosures about claret. (36 items)
- A727.118 1781-1783 Letters to William Forbes, in London, from John Abercrombie, his brother-in-law, in Aberdeen, concerning his trade in stockings to Holland, in which the Dutch war interferes, and insurance thereon; and 8. finnan haddocks and chin cough; 13,15. enclosed bills of lading; 14. French privateers off the east coast; 32. complaint about Admiral Rodney and prize money; 34,35. introduces Alexander Balmanno; 36. amazement in Aberdeen at William's purchase of Callendar. (38 items)
- A727.119 1781-1783 Letters to William Forbes, in London, from Janet Dyce, his mother, in Aberdeen. Personal matters. Nos 4 and 5 concern gifts by William to the poor. 6 is enclosed printed appeal for charitable aid for the poor inhabitants of the parishes of Auchindore [Auchindoir] and Cabrach, 13 December 1782. (16 items)
- A727.120 02 Jan 1782-21 Dec 1782 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, from Messrs Mark Harford, Brass, B.W. and Copper Company, Bristol. (39 items)
- A727.121 02 Jan 1782-23 Sep 1783 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, concerning estates he might purchase. Correspondents - James Ramsay, concerning Fettercairn estate (1,2); William Robinson, surveyor, Reigate (3-6,14,37,39,41,44); James Ferrier W.S., concerning Callendar estate (7); Mr Hart (8-12,15,16,29,31,35,58); Mr Sampson (13); General Melvill [Melville], concerning Earlshall estate (17); Sir William Forbes, Edinburgh (18,22-24,28); Sir David Carnegie, Edinburgh (19); Michael Herries enclosing letter from John Spottiswoode (20,21); Alexander Allardyce, Aberdeen, - Fettercairn estate (25); James Christy, London (26); James Galloway, Windsor (27); Isaac Grant, Edinburgh (30,40); John Taylor, Edinburgh - estate of Callendar (32,36,43,45,47,50-52,54,56); Walter Campbell, Islay - estate of Kilsyth (33); William Cadell, Carronpark - estate of Callendar (34); Alexander Grant (38); Robert Houstoun [Houston], Glasgow (42); Thomas Thomas, Cardiff (46,49,53); W. Stewart, Hillside by Dumfries - estate of Carnsalloch (48); Mr Forster (55); Mr Moir, Aberdeen (57); Charles Gordon, Edinburgh - estate of Balfour (59,60). (60 items)
- A727.122 03 Jan 1782-27 Feb 1782 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - James Williams, Dover (1); Adam Hayes, Deptford (2); Thomas Wood (3,17); N. Phillipps [Phillips], Chatham (4,22,49); J. Weatherall, Chatham (5,36); J. Lee, Mistle Thorn (6); Robert Kidd, Margate (7); Thomas Alldridge [Alldridge], Deptford (8,30,39); J. Cooke & Co, Stratford (9); John Greenway, Portsmouth (10); Fabian C. Wilson, Sandgate (11,44); Mary Wright & Son, Dudley (12,13); John Bartholomew, Woolwich

- (14,15 - No 15 is sample of tiny nails wrapped in blottingpaper); George White, Portsmouth (16); Messrs Maitland (18); M.B. Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (19,51); Captain Sheedy Hayes, Portsmouth (20); Thomas Netherton, Plymouth (21); James Clyde, Woolwich (23,26,32,35,41,50); George Guy, Chatham (24,33,47); Andrew Hills, Sandwich (25,42); John Freeman & Co, Bristol (27,31,38); John Puckey, Deptford (28); John Chester, Deptford (29); Charles Turner (34); Mr Manclark (37); William Brymer (40); Mr Wright (43); Lilly & Roberts [Roberts] (45,46); Bingley & Pitt (48). (51 items)
- A727.123 03 Jan 1782-20 Jun 1782 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on personal matters. Correspondents - N. Curzon M.P. (1,5,8-10,16,17,20-22); Mr Bromley(2); Mr Winterbottom (3); William Brymer, whose nephew in Nova Scotia wants silver cutlery (4); John Duncan, Aberdeen (6); Alexander Thomson(7); R. Aislabie, seeking naval patronage for his son (11-15,24,26,31); Mr Young (18); Alnutt & Co (19); J. Reynolds (23); Elizabeth Watson (25); Charles Wright (27); Charles Dalrymple (28); Mrs Douglas (29); Mr Allardyce (30); Mr Davies (32); Mr Creed (33); Mr Pigou (34); Mr Lubbock (35,36); A. Douglas (37); Mrs Oliver (38); Mr Bartholomew (39); M. Herries (40). (40 items)
- A727.124 04 Jan 1782-18 Nov 1782 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, concerning navy bills and other investments. Correspondents - Joseph Roberts [Roberts], Mr Hart, John Cruikshank, Mr Mackintosh [McIntosh], William Forbes, Marsh & Creed, John Belfour, Sanders [Saunders] & Co. (43 items)
- A727.125 13 Jan 1782 Medical regimen. On reverse: confirmation by Earl of Callendar, 10 May 167[?].
- A727.126 02 Mar 1782-30 Mar 1782 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - Fabian C. Wilson, Sandgate (1); Mr Randall (2); George Guy, Chatham (3,13,18,26,35,40); James Clyde, Woolwich (4,19,25,28,30,32); N. Phillipps [Phillips], Chatham (5,14,41); Thomas Alldridge, Deptford (6,17); J. Weatherall, Woolwich (7,8); George White, Portsmouth (9,21,34); George Smith, Sheerness (10); Thomas King, Dover (11,15); James Keir, Birmingham (12); John Greenway, Portsmouth (16); Messrs Maitland (20,44); George Parsons, Bursledon(22,27,31); J. Hayward, Rotherhithe (23); M. Game, Wivenhoe (24,36,37); J. Lee, Mistley Thorn (29); Bingley & Pitt (33); J. Henslow, Plymouth (38); Thomas Netherton, Plymouth (39); Bishops & Blundstone (42); W. Hansford, Woolwich (43); Mr Paine, Plymouth (45); Thomas Grant, Portsmouth (46); Edward Kemm, Blackwall (47); J.A. Pownall, Plymouth (48); J. Vinall, Chatham (49). (49 items)
- A727.127 01 May 1782-30 Jun 1782 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - Salmon May, Woolwich (1); J. Morgan (2); M. Game, Wivenhoe (3); James Betts [Bett], Mistley Thorn (4,5,53); Thomas Grant, Portsmouth (6,28); George Parsons, Bursledon (7,17,26,30); Thomas Netherton, Plymouth (8); Messrs Maitland (9,12); George Guy, Chatham (10,24,36); Sherrett [Sheret] & Co, Plymouth (11); Messrs Bishop & Blundstone (13); N. Phillipps [Phillips], Chatham (14,23,34); Thomas King, Dover (15);

- Lockwood, Morris & Co (16,29,39,43); Henry Peake, Dover (18,31); James Keir, Birmingham (19); William Cleverly, Gravesend (20,25); Haig, White & Co (21); James Hillhouse [Hillhouse], Bristol (22); T. Pigou (27); Richard Steele [Steel] (32); George Teait [Tait], Sheerness (33,42,49-51); J. Spence (35); Thomas Evans (37); John Greenway, Portsmouth (38); George Roberts, Ipswich (40); Bingley, Pitt & Bingley (41); J. Henslow, Plymouth (44); Thomas Alldridge, Deptford (45-47); Cooke [Cook] & Co, Stratford (48); J. Vinall, Chatham (52). (53 items)
- A727.128 03 May 1782-06 May 1782 Letters to George Forbes, merchant, Aberdeen, from William Fiddler, at Caristone [Careston], concerning the estate of Leuchars. (2 items)
- A727.129 04 May 1782-Jun 1783 Draft letters to suppliers, the Navy and the Treasury from William Forbes, coppersmith, London. (10 items) Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on personal matters. Correspondents - Miss Brown (1,2,17,18); Mr Morris (3); Calder & Cruickshank, wine merchants, Aberdeen (4); Mr Bayley [Baillie] (5); Kinloch & Hogg, wine merchants (6,16,22,30,36,39); Mr Sinclair (7,23,24); Wood & Edwards (8-10,13); G. Kemp (11); G. Taylor (12); M. Herries (14,29); Mr Whatman, Boxley (15); Mr Pigou (19,27,47); R. Morris, Portsmouth - 'The Royal George went to the Bottom at Spithead' (20); Mr Ramsay [? Rev James Ramsay?] (21,33,38); Mr Douglas (25,34); Mr Brymer (26); Mr Nisbet (28); Job Grimshaw, unable to work (31); Jean Watson (32); Mr Akers (35,37); Scottish Charitable Corporation (40); Mr Young (41); S.F.L. Honore, the Hague (42); Dr Farquharson (43); Mr Crawshay [Crawshaw] (44); Andrew Anderson (45); Mr Dalrymple (46); William Gould (48). (48 items)
- A727.130 02 Jul 1782-22 Dec 1782 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on personal matters. Correspondents - Miss Brown (1,2,17,18); Mr Morris (3); Calder & Cruickshank, wine merchants, Aberdeen (4); Mr Bayley (5); Kinloch & Hogg, wine merchants (6,16,22,30,36,39); Mr Sinclair (7,23,24); Wood & Edwards (8-10,13); G Kemp (11); G Taylor (12); M Herries (14,29); Mr Whatman, Boxley (15); Mr Pigou (19,27,47); R Morris, Portsmouth - "The Royal George went to the Bottom at Spithead" (20); Mr Ramsay (?Rev James Ramsay?) (21,33,38); Mr Douglas (25,34); Mr Brymer (26); Mr Nisbet (28); Job Grimshaw unable to work (31); Jean Watson (32); Mr Akers (35,37) : Scottish Charitable Corporation (40); Mr Young (41); SFL Honore, the Hague (42); Dr Farquharson (43); Mr Crawshay (44); Andrew Anderson (45); Mr Dalrymple (46); William Gould (48). (48 items)
- A727.131 05 Jul 1782-31 Aug 1782 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - George Guy, Chatham (1,45); James Clyde, Woolwich (2,37); Henry Peake, Dover (3,21,26); Andrew Hills, Sandwich (4); Bingley & Pitt (5); Pycroft & Payne (6); Thomas Alldridge, Deptford (7,16,23,43); John Freeman & Co, Bristol (8); Adam Hayes, Deptford (9,20,22,46); Mr Bartholomew (10); J. Weatherall, Chatham (11); Calhoun [Colquhoun] & Nowlan, Bursledon (12,30,51); P. Hellyer, Harwich (13,53); J. Henslow, Plymouth (14); William James, Bristol (15);

- Stephen Tadd [Todd], Bristol (17,25,40,49); Thomas King, Dover(18); Captain Calvert (19); Cooke [Cook] & Co, Stratford (24); James Betts [Bett], Mistley Thorn (27,28); G. Notcutt, Deptford (29); ThomasNetherton, Plymouth (31); Robert Exam (32); John Furley & Co (33); James Whatman, Boxley (34); Patrick Campbell (35); Salmon May?Woolwich (36); J.F. Barham, Bedford (38,41); Beach & Plummer (39,50); William Rayden, Liverpool (42); Thomas Monkland (44); W. Butler,Deptford (47); William James, London (48); Samuel Spalding, Sandgate (52); Beardmore & Co (54). (54 items)
- A727.132 03 Sep 1782-29 Sep 1782 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - Stephen Tadd [Todd], Bristol (1); John Stooke, Gravesend (2); James Williams, Dover (3); N. Phillipps [Phillips], Chatham (4); George Smith, Sheerness (5); William Cleverly, Gravesend(6,26); J. Henslow, Plymouth (7); Salmon May, Woolwich (8,23); Captain Oliver (9); Mr Randall (10); James Clyde, Woolwich (11,16); Nicholas Diddams, Dover (12); Calhoun [Colquhoun] & Nowlan, Southampton (13); Samuel Spalding, Sandgate (14); John Freeman & Co, Bristol (15); Sir F. Basset & Co, Cornwall (17,21,33); Messrs Maitland (18); George White, Portsmouth (19); Patrick Campbell (20); George Lawrance [Lawrence], Deal (22); George Guy, Chatham (24); John Fisher, Liverpool (25); Henry Peake, Frinsbury (27); Thomas Wood (28,29); J. VERNY (30); P. Hellyer, Harwich (31); Andrew Hills, Sandwich (32); Robert Rundle, Bristol (34). (34 items)
- A727.133 20 Sep 1782 Draft letter to [John] Taylor, Edinburgh, from William Forbes, London, concerning the sale of the lands of Callendar.
- A727.134 01 Oct 1782-31 Oct 1782 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - J. VERNY (1); Thomas Wood (2,20,25); John Chester, Deptford (3); Henry Ladd, Dover (4); George Guy, Chatham (5,16,21,28); Adam Hayes, Deptford (6,10); Smallshaw & Rogers, Liverpool (7); John Furly & Co (8,18,30); John Fisher, Liverpool (9); James Clyde, Woolwich (11,13); Thomas Grant, Portsmouth (12,26,29); Salmon May, Woolwich (14,22); Bishops & Blundstone (15,19); J.F. Barham (17); Mr Dawes (23); P. Hellyer, Harwich (24); Thomas Netherton, Plymouth (27).(30 items)
- A727.135 05 Nov 1782-28 Dec 1782 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - Richard Setford, Shoreham (1,24); Calhoun [Colquhoun] & Nowlan, Southampton (2,17); Messrs Sackett, Rotherhithe (3); Mr Akers (4); J. Henslow, Plymouth (5); Amos Mitchell (6); A. Livingstone, Rotterdam (7); N. Phillipps [Phillips], Chatham (8); George Guy, Chatham (9,21); Thomas Alldridge, Deptford (10,12,18,22); Mr Wood (11?30,32); George White, Portsmouth (13); Adam Hayes, Deptford (14); Thomas Ferris, Bristol (15); James Clyde, Woolwich (16); Captain John D. Belfour [Balfour] (19); J.F. Barham (20,26); George Roberts, Ipswich (23); Messrs Maitland (25,28,35); Richard Dunmall, Sandgate (27); George Polyblank, Bristol (29), Charles Turner, Deptford (31); Chapman & Mears (33); Messrs Cooke & Co (34); John

- Edwards, Cornwall (36); George Teait, Sheernes (37). (37 items)
- A727.136 1782-1783 Letters to William Forbes, in London, from Catherine Abercrombie, his sister, in Aberdeen, on family matters, including 2-3. relatives in poor circumstances, with enclosed printed statement by the Managers of the Poor's Fund of Aberdeen; 6. their sister Janet's proposed marriage to James Allardyce. (6 items)
- A727.137 03 Jan 1783-27 Feb 1783 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - James Williams, Dover (1,22); John Frankland, Sheerness (2); George Polyblank, Bristol (3,20,45); J. Edwards, Cornwall (4); John Hooker, Rotherhithe (5); Mr Pigou (6); John Morgan, Deptford (7,43); Hilary Andoe, Bordeaux (8); James Clyde, Woolwich (9,27,42); George Guy, Chatham (10); John Freeman & Co, Bristol (11,18,35); Thomas Netherton, Plymouth (12,19,28); Mr Alldridge, Deptford (13); F.C. Wilson, Sandgate (14); Samuel Spalding, Sandgate (15); Andrew Hills, Sandwich (16,24); P. Hellyer, Harwich (17); Thomas King, Dover (21,33); John Greenway, Portsmouth (23); Thomas Grant, Portsmouth (25,34); George White, Portsmouth (26,44); J. Weatherall, Chatham (29,39); Henry Canham, Sandwich (30,41); George Roberts, Ipswich (31); Robert Smith, Chatham (32,38); Stephen Tadd, Bristol (36,40,46); Thomas Wood (37); N. Phillipps [Phillips], Chatham (47). (47 items)
- A727.138 05 Jan 1783-30 Apr 1783 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on personal matters. Correspondents - William Reid (1); Mr and Mrs Pigou (2,4,11); Mr Annand (3); Mr Rotton (5); Gavin Young (6); Robert Morris, Brussels, owner of collieries in Wales (7,24,26,28); Mr Kennedy (8); Kinloch & Hog [Hogg] (9); Mr Skinner (10); Mr Roberts (12,16,34,38); G. Balston (13); R. Aislabie (14,21,27,40); Mr & Mrs Wilson (15); Marsh & Creed (17); Mr & Mrs Hart (18); Mr Edmund Akers (19); Walter Nisbet, owner of sugar plantation in Nevis (20,31); Mr Young (22); Alexander Allardyce, Aberdeen (23); Mrs Forbes (25); Lady Hill (29); Mr Byres (30); William Forbes, Aberdeen (32); Mr Adey [Eadie] (33); Rolt & Morgan (35); J. Reynolds (36); E. Maitland (37); Mary Oliver, Greenwich (39); J. Kennedy (41,42). (42 items)
- A727.139 22 Jan 1783-05 Jun 1783 Letters to Alexander Douglas, London, from Robert Houston [Houston], Glasgow, describing estate of Gourock, and from Mr Forster [Forrester], concerning estates in England for sale. (4 items)
- A727.140 15 Feb 1783-15 Nov 1783 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, from Messrs Mark Harford, Brass, B.W. and Copper Company Bristol. (28 items)
- A727.141 21 Feb 1783 Letter to Robert Houston [Houston], Glasgow, from John Orr, Banerfield, concerning the estate of Gourock which Mr Forbes might buy.
- A727.142 03 Mar 1783-30 Apr 1783 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - William Battersby, Bristol (1); James Williams, Dover (2); James Whatman, Boxley (3,4); Stephen Tadd, Bristol (5); George Teait, Sheerness (6); Edward Kemm, Blackwall (7); G. Skerrett, Plymouth (8); John Morgan, Deptford (9); Henry Canham, Sandwich (10,15); Mr Sinclair (11); Thomas Wood

- (12,22); George Polyblank, Bristol (13); Thomas Raymond, Southampton (14, 17, 20, 25); John Freeman & Co, Bristol (16); Andrew Hills, Sandwich (18); James Walley (19); Paul Le Mesurier (21, 26); N. Phillipps [Phillips], Chatham (23, 30); Samuel Spalding, Sandgate (24); James Clyde, Woolwich (27); G. Taylor, Carshalton (28); R. Morris (29); Thomas Netherton, Plymouth (31). (31 items)
- A727.143 05 Apr 1783-13 Dec 1783 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, from James Keir, Birmingham. Copies of replies. Nos 15 and 18 are copies of articles of agreement that Forbes will use a compound metal invented by Keir to make bolts etc for ships for the Royal Navy. (32 items)
- A727.144 01 May 1783-28 Jun 1783 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - R. Morris (1); Mr Butterworth (2); N. Phillipps [Phillips], Chatham (3); Mr Bromley (4); W. White, Wivenhoe (5); John Freeman & Co, Bristol (6, 12, 21, 27); James Whatman, Boxley (7, 14, 20); John Greenway, Portsmouth (8); John Hooker, Rotherhithe (9, 10); Cornish Company (11); George Parsons, Bursledon (13, 25, 29); Camden & Calvert (15); Thomas Malleson, Cornhill (16); Thomas Mitchell, Deptford (17, 24, 28); James Clyde, Woolwich (18); M.B. Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (19); Cooke & Co, Stratford (22); Thomas Netherton, Plymouth (23); Mr Knight, Deptford (26). (29 items)
- A727.145 01 May 1783-25 Aug 1783 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on personal matters. Correspondents - Mr Roberts (1, 4, 5, 7, 10, 15, 17, 22, 24); Sir James Riddell (2); George Gibson, Rotterdam (3); William Cowling (6); Miss M. Elliot (8); Mr Walker (9, 40, 41); J. Kennedy (11, 13); John Cruikshank (12, 34); M. Herries (14); Thomas Turner (16, 18, 25, 33); Walter Nisbet, sugar planter [in Nevis] (19, 31, 32); Lady Hill (20); Dr John Farquharson (21); Alexander Allardyce (23); Lady Winifred M. Constable (26, 30); Mr Winterbottom (27); Joshua Wilkinson (28); Mr Young (29); John Forbes, [younger of] Inverernan (35, 36); R. Morris (37); John Hall (38); Mr Sinclair (39); Mr Grubb (42); Miss Ragg, Aberdeen, concerning relative in Maryland (43); [Alexander] Forbes of Inverernan (44); Sir William Forbes (45); Lady Dundas of Kerse (46); Jean Watson (47, 48); John Lumsden, Aberdeen (49). (49 items)
- A727.146 29 Jun 1783-25 Sep 1783 Correspondence concerning the purchase by William Forbes of the estate of Callendar. Correspondents - Forbes; John Taylor W.S. Edinburgh; William Cadell, Carron Park (1, 2, 8, 10, 20, 24, 28, 32, 34, 35, 39, 40); David Stewart [Stewart], Edinburgh (5, 11, 36); Walter Ferguson, Edinburgh, recommending Alexander Dickieson [Dickson] (6); J. More, painter (7); Mr William Whyt [White], manager of the Coal, Falkirk (8); James Ferrier, Edinburgh, recommending Mr Higgins as factor (9); James Stormonth, recommending James Henderson, writer, Falkirk (12); Robert Beatson of Pitteady [Pitteadie] (13); Alexander Farquharson, Edinburgh (13); Alexander Dickeson [Dickson], Edinburgh and Falkirk (14, 16, 25, 42, 46); Sir Alexander Livingstone (15, 18, 31); William Livingstone, Roughlands (17); George Buchan Hepburn, Smeaton (19, 23, 29); James Walker, Edinburgh (21); Alexander Douglas, London (22); William Young, Edinburgh (22, 37, 38, 49); John Ogilvie of

- Pocknave (26); William Phaup, Maddiston (30,41); Henry Swinton, Sea Lock (33); D. Lumsden, Aberdeen (43); John Dingwall, Aberdeen (44,45,48); Mr Abercrombie [senior], Aberdeen (47). Topics covered include the coaland ironstone in the estate and 25. the town of Falkirk - 'a Proverb,the Bairns of Falkirk die or they thrive'; 41. estimate for enclosing the lands of Almond. (49 items)
- A727.147 01 Jul 1783-29 Aug 1783 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - Richard Setford, Shoreham (1,8,17); Thomas Alldridge, Deptford (2); Thomas Bartlett, Portsmouth (3,24); Thomas Wood (4); Thomas Pollard, Sheerness (5); Jonas Hanway [Hannah?] (6); R. Morris (7); John Ancell, Bucklers Hard (9,10); Robert Mitchell (11); James Clyde, Woolwich (12); Samuel Brown, Custom House (13); Edward Hardesty, Liverpool (14,15); Henry Adams, Bucklers Hard (16); W. Mathews [Matthews], Deptford (18); Wood & Edwards (19); J. Campbell (20); John Lee, Mistle Thorn (21); N. Phillipps [Phillips], Chatham (22); S. May Woolwich (23,25); J. & R. Dunlop (26,27). (27 items)
- A727.148 23 Aug 1783-17 Oct 1783 Letters to William Forbes from Janet and Jean Forbes, his sisters, in Aberdeen, on personal matters. (3 items)
- A727.149 02 Sep 1783-31 Oct 1783 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - James Williams, Dover (1,20); Edie [Eadie] & Laird (2); Thomas King, Dover (3,19,34); P. Mellish [Mellis] (4,7,8); Edward Brine, Portsmouth (5); Robert Kidd, Margate (6,13,24); Thomas Mitchell, Deptford (9); John May, Sheerness (10,31); Thomas Alldridge, Deptford (11,12,23,25,33); George Teait, Sheerness (14); James Betts [Bett], Mistle Thorn (15); John Greenway, Portsmouth (16); John Hooker (17); George Parsons, Bursledon (18,26); John Horsley & Son, Hoxton (21); Mr Barton (22); Mr Mathews [Matthews], Deptford (27); John Freeman & Co, Bristol (28,35); Robert Smith, Chatham (29); Edward Powell, Birmingham (30); George Pengree (32); James Clyde, Woolwich (36); R. Morris (37); Mr Barham, Bedford (38); William Rayden, Liverpool (39); Caleb Crookenden, Itchenor (40); Bishops & Blundstone (41); P. Hellyer, Harwich (42); Beardmore & Co (43); Daniel E. Adams (44); George Smith, Sheerness (45); Mr Coverdale (46); Salmon May, Woolwich (47); John Stooke, Gravesend (48,49) (49 items)
- A727.150 02 Sep 1783-31 Dec 1783 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on personal matters. Correspondents - Richard Crawshaw [Crawshaw] (1); Excise Office, London (2); J Burnett, Disblair, a cousin (3,10); Mr & Mrs Stanley (4); John Reed, Portsmouth (5); Mr Thomas (6,7); A. Douglas (8); Miss M. Elliot (9); G. Pengree, Snow Hill (11); Mr Sim (12); Lady Hill (13); Marsh & Creed (14,29); Catharina Brown (15,18,20); Walter Nisbet, sugar planter, [Nevis] (16); D. Steuart [Stewart], Edinburgh (17); Kinloch & Hog [Hogg] (19,25,39,44); Mrs Mitchell (21); J. Kennedy (22,34,38,40,42,43); Mr McIntosh (23,24); Mr Adey [Eadie] (26,35); Mr Grubb (27,28,46); Mr Hood (30); John Stanley (31); Secretary, Scottish Charitable Corporation (32,33); H. Gibbons, Birmingham (36); Alexander Allardyce, Aberdeen (37); Mr Henckell (41); John Forbes, [younger of]

- Inverernan (45). (46 items)
- A727.151 15 Sep 1783-15 Oct 1783 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar requesting feus or tacks of lands in estate of Callendar, with copies of replies. Correspondents - John Baird, Manuel Hill (1,2,10,11); John Read [Reid], Linlithgow Bleachfield (3,4,7,8); John Rankine [Rankin], Falkirk (5); Alexander Ramsay, Callendar House (6); Mr Taylor, Falkirk (9). (11 items)
- A727.152 15 Sep 1783-24 Dec 1783 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from William Cadell, Carron Park, with copies of replies, concerning Callendar estate, particularly its coal and ironstone, and also concerning 1,5. possible sale of Carron products to the navy; 8,14. sale of Abbotshaugh; 3 is enclosed letter from John Ogilvie, Dunmore Park, suggesting an exchange; 20 is enclosed letter from John Mackenzie, Edinburgh, concerning copper ore. (21 items)
- A727.153 24 Sep 1783 Letter to William Forbes, London [not the coppersmith] from Rev. Patrick Dunbar, minister at Nairn, suggesting that William Forbes [the coppersmith] settle an annuity on the family of his uncle, Dr Forbes. Nairn.
- A727.154 27 Sep 1783-24 Dec 1783 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Alexander Dickeson [Dickson], at Falkirk, concerning Callendar estate, including its wood, coal and feuing and roup of the customs. 4 is newspaper cutting reporting meeting of owners and lessees of coals and others in Edinburgh on 19 November. (10 items)
- A727.155 06 Oct 1783-31 Dec 1783 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning the estate of Callendar. Correspondents - Michael Bruce, Camelon (1); John Dingwall, Aberdeen (2,3,11); Thomas Johnston, surveyor, Carronpark (4,5); Mr Lumsden, Aberdeen (6,16); James Andrew, Linlithgow (7); J. Forbes, Seaton (8); John Rose, Aberdeen, wishing to set up a pottery (9); David Young, Perth (10); Francis Lumsden, at Shanwall [Shanwell] (12,13); Roger Hog [Hogg], Newliston (14,15); R. Mackintosh, Edinburgh (17-19); Alexander Duncan W.S., Edinburgh (20,21). (21 items)
- A727.156 20 Oct 1783-30 Dec 1783 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from John Taylor W.S., Edinburgh, with copies of replies, concerning legal matters relating to the estate of Callendar, particularly Forbes' charter thereof. Taylor could not find the old title deeds in the Exchequer 'tho I have found the title deeds of almost all the other forfeited families lying in holes and corners there' and believes they were removed by the family of Erroll. (23 items)
- A727.157 01 Nov 1783-31 Dec 1783 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - John Stooke, Gravesend (1,25); Bishops & Blundstone (2,6); John Freeman & Co, Bristol (3,11,12,18,20,21,34, 40,45); J. Vinall, Chatham (4,10); Richard Setford, Kingston and Shoreham (5,8,24); Caleb Crookenden, Itchenor (7,28,36,37); John Greenway, Portsmouth (9); James Clyde, Woolwich (13,31,38); Chapman & Mears (14); John Kemsley, Chatham (15); J. Morgan, Deptford (16,46); J. Hanway (17); George Papps, Ember Mills (19); Mr Bell (22); Mr Forster (23); William Marsh (26,27); Beardmore & Co (29); W. Butler, Deptford (30); John Vaughan (32); Mr Grubb (33); William Cleverly, Gravesend (35); Mr Ludlow (39); Thomas Netherton, Plymouth (41); Thomas Mitchell,

- Deptford (42); J. Edwards, Cornwall (43); Thomas Auldjo, Cowes (44). (46 items)
- A727.158 15 Nov 1783-31 Dec 1783 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from C. Gascoigne, at Carron, concerning a cutter for the Commissioners of Excise and coal at Callendar. (6 items)
- A727.159 24 Sep 1722-15 Apr 1723 Letters to James Forbes in London and at Callendar from Robert Forbes, his brother at Byfleet, London and Edinburgh, on financial and personal matters. 5. describes his circumstances at Byfleet where he attends the parish church "The church musick is curious, there is no organ but a few people sit in a gallery and sing...different parts...they sometimes sing psalms in prose" Also mentions keeping hens in Primrose St and a fire near "our house in the Strand" 8. mentions items sent from London to Callendar, including cases of wine, 2 cases of glasses, 8 cases of wearing apparel, coach harness, bundles of bedding and garden tools
- A727.160 1783-1786 Letters to David Forbes, in London, from George Forbes, his brother, in Aberdeen, concerning his metal business; metal goods shipped from Aberdeen to London; goods requested from London including copper, ironhoops, tea-urns, bells, anvils, japanned ware; cost of Russian iron; family matters; and 6. letter from George's wife - 'there has been three plays acted by the younge boys about the town'; 9. describes a soldering failure in copper pipes; sale of stills - 'people have begun to nibble at a few of the smallest sizes notwithstanding the terrors of the late law' and 'A man has ordered ... a still to carry to America'; 10. items wanted by Professor Gordon for scientific experiments; 12. recommends copper for roofing; 18. discount in the book trade; 18,20,22. dictionaries; 20. fan-light for door; 20,26. wishes to employ English soldier; 20,21. Strange's engravings; 22. Methlick [Methlic] kirk session's bell has fallen; 27. enclosed letter to David from George, 23 May 1782, concerning their joint stock. (30 items)
- A727.161 1783-1786 Letters to David Forbes, in London, and William Forbes of Callendar, from Janet Dyce, their mother, in Aberdeen, on family and personal matters. (16 items)
- A727.162 01 Jan 1784-16 Jan 1784 Letters to David Forbes, in London, from Mrs J. Burnet, his cousin, in Aberdeen, on personal matters and requiring a silver candlestick. (2 items)
- A727.163 01 Jan 1784-28 Feb 1784 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents - Thomas Roberts, Deptford (1); M.B. Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (2); Thomas Mitchell, Deptford (3,21,28); Thomas Pollard, Sheerness (4,5,18); James Clyde, Woolwich (6,19); John Morgan, Deptford (7,9,24); John Freeman & Co, Bristol (8,10,13,27,34); John Greenway, Portsmouth (11); Caleb Crookenden, Itchenor (12,16,26); Thomas Grant, Portsmouth (14); Andrew Hill, Sandwich (15,20); Thomas Aldridge, Deptford (17); James Keir (22,23); Thomas Auldjo, Cowes (25); Mr Douglas (29); Thomas Wood (30); Salmon May, Woolwich (31); Thomas Smith, Chatham (32); N. Phillipps [Phillips], Chatham (33); Mr Wright, Deptford (35). (35 items)
- A727.164 01 Jan 1784-17 Nov 1784 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Charles Gascoigne, of the Carron Company, at Edinburgh and

- Carron, mainly concerning rights in River Carron and Dunipace Reservoir. 6. describes the Carron Company's affairs in London. (9 items)
- A727.165 06 Jan 1784-10 Sep 1784 Letters to James Forbes, in London and at Callendar House, from his sister Janet, his mother, his brother George Forbes, and his brothers-in-law, James Allardyce and John Abercrombie junior, all in Aberdeen, and copy of letter to his mother. Family matters. (10items)
- A727.166 07 Jan 1784-21 Jan 1784 Letters to William Cadell of Banton, at Carronpark, on Callendar estate matters. Correspondents - Robert Crow, Falkirk (1); William Dick (2); John Moir, Falkirk (3); John Monro [Munro], Edinburgh (4); Alexander Murray, Bantaskine (5); William Chalmers, Falkirk (6); JamesSteuart [Stewart], Falkirk (7); James Leishman, Falkirk (8); Lewis Potter, Stenhouse Miln (9); James Williamson, Falkirk (10); Patrick Renny [Rennie], Falkirk (11,12). (12 items)
- A727.167 09 Jan 1784-23 Jan 1784 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, at Edinburgh and Falkirk, from David Forbes, his brother, in London, fully informing William in his absence about their copper business and other matters. (4 items)
- A727.168 09 Jan 1784-02 Feb 1784 Letters to David Forbes, in London, from William Forbes of Callendar, his brother, at Edinburgh and FaLkirk, mostly concerning their business affairs. 4 concerns his intention to enclose the lands of Callendar and their value. (5 items)
- A727.169 13 Jan 1784-10 Feb 1784 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, while in Scotland, from Scottish correspondents, concerning Callendar estate and personal matters. Correspondents - Patrick Renny [Rennie], Falkirk (1); John Leishman, Carmuir (2); Walter Ferrier, Somerford [Summerford] (3); Sir Alexander Livingston of West Quarter (4,8); George Buchan Hepburn, in Edinburgh, enclosing note of merchant in Stockholm [Sweden] (5,6); A. Dickeson [Dickson], Falkirk (7,23,24); Dr Deans, Falkirk (9); Robert Boyd, Falkirk (10); Adam Thomson, Falkirk (11); Mr Dundas, Carronhall (12); Sir Michael Bruce of Stenhouse (13); Robert Gillespie, Edinburgh (14); William Young, Edinburgh (15,22); Alexander Ramsay, Falkirk (16); George Chalmers, Edinburgh (17-19); George Smith, Netherwood (20); Francis Garden, Lord Gardenstone (21); Mr Mackintosh (25); Lord Monboddo (26). 23 concerns colliers stealing coal. (26 items)
- A727.170 13 Jan 1784-30 Dec 1784 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from John Taylor W.S., Edinburgh, with copies of replies, on legal business concerning Callendar estate. 6 and 7 are enclosed letters from John Eiston [Easton], Edinburgh, and Alexander Melvill [Melville], Leuchold, recommending the latter. 47 describes a gardener. In 48 Forbes expresses his plans for his estate. 57 is enclosed letter from Thomas Johnston, concerning lime rock at Almond. (60 items)
- A727.171 15 Jan 1784-06 Apr 1784 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from William Cadell, Carronpark, and copies of replies, concerning business in copper goods, payment by navy bills, and coal and ironstone on Callendar estate. 7 is receipt from shipmaster at Grangemouth of bundle for London. (14 items)
- A727.172 22 Jan 1784-23 Dec 1784 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, in Edinburgh and London, from James Forbes, his brother at Callendar

- House, reporting in detail on estate matters including problems with colliers, relations with the Carron Company, collecting debts, illegal woodcutting and other matters 4. enclosed letter from Alexander Dickeson, Falkirk 8. criticism of Sir Thomas Dundas 10. collecting debts "Forty shillings of the money were in halfpence. He made a boy carry them home for me" 22. choosing a maidservant 23, 30,36,41. furnishing the house, furniture being dearer in Edinburgh than in London, and second hand almost as dear as new 31 opening the house and using servant's hall as a kitchen 34 enclosed letter from Sir Alexander Livingston, asking about East India Company cadets 35. wall-paper 38. visit from their mother 43. luxuriant crops on former dunghills in highest land
- A727.173 24 Jan 1784-23 Dec 1784 Letters to James Forbes, at Callendar House, from William Forbes of Callendar, his brother, in Edinburgh and London, directing him on estate matters including tenancies, relations with Carron Company, furniture for Callendar House, and 6. family papers in Callendar House; 8. house rented by James in London; 31. East India cadetship; 39. sale of lands of Arochar [Arrochar]. (39 items)
- A727.174 27 Jan 1784-20 Dec 1784 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, coppersmith, London, from correspondents in England on personal matters. Correspondents - John Wood, going to Bengal [India] (1); Marsh & Creed (2, 19); Sir Archibald Edmonstone [Edmiston] (3); Mr Henckell (4); John Butt (5); Excise Office (6); John Forbes (7); William Hood (8); Mr Addison (9); Mrs Oliver, Greenwich (10); Mrs Forbes (11, 12); R Morris (13, 14, 17, 18); Miss Douglas (15); Lord Monboddoo (16); Lieut Col Drummond (20); Mr Kinloch (21); Logan Henderson, describing a mine (22, 23); J Kennedy (24); Mr Snell, Portsmouth (25); Christopher Gullett, Exeter, offering shares in silver mines (26, 27, 29, 30); J Stanley (28); Mr Bell (31); Mr MacFarlane (32); Adam Watson (33); S Thurston Adey [Eadie] (34-36); Alexander Douglas (37). (37 items)
- A727.175 30 Jan 1784-17 Dec 1784 Letters to James Forbes at Callendar House on estate and personal matters. Correspondents - William Cadell, Carronpark [Carron Park] (1, 2, 4, 6); Sir Alexander Livingstone of Westquarter (3, 16, 18); Walter Clark, Falkirk (5); John Watt, Falkirk (7); John Brown, Grangemouth (8); James Meek, Falkirk, calling meetings of heritors (9, 10, 15, 19); Mr Tibbats, Dorrator (11); James Henderson, Falkirk (12); John Grieve, Grange (13); John Morrison, Falkirk (14); Ebenezer Gilfillan & Co, supplying a carpet (17); John Baird, Manwell Mill (20); George Gibson, Grangemouth (21); Abraham Leishman, Falkirk (22, 26, 27); Young & Trotter, Edinburgh (23); Mr Robertson, Edinburgh (24); Jean Middlemist [Middlemiss], Edinburgh (25); J Forrester, Braes (28); Matthew Steel, Falkirk (29); Alexander Sutherland, Limecraig (30); T Johnston, Almond (31). (31 items)
- A727.176 01 Feb 1784-18 Dec 1784 Letters to James Forbes, at Callendar House, from Alexander Dickeson [Dickson], Falkirk, on estate matters. (18 items)
- A727.177 11 Feb 1784-20 Aug 1784 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, in London, from Scottish correspondents, concerning Callendar estate and personal matters. Correspondents - William Phaup,

- Madiston [Maddiston] (1); DuncanGraham, Westertoun [Westerton] (2, 4, 5, 19); William McKillop, Stirling (3); George Buchan Hepburn, Edinburgh, partly concerning Forbes' parliamentary ambitions and recommending John Rennie, engineer (6, 7, 10, 32); David Steuart [Stewart], Edinburgh (8, 13); Alexander Dickeson [Dickson], Falkirk (9, 15, 29, 30); Anne Steuart [Stewart], Glasgow (11); John Mackenzie [McKenzie], reporting on coal and ironstone in Falkirk area (12); Thomas Chesse, Aberdeen (14); Francis Lumsden, Shanwall [Shanwell] (16, 25); Mr Lumsden, Aberdeen (17, 18); Roger Hog [Hogg], younger of Newliston (20, 21, 33); Thomas Edington, Cramond (22-24); R Mackintosh [McIntosh], Edinburgh (26); James Meek, Falkirk, calling a meeting of heritors (27); James Trotter, Dusingstoun, stating the rental of Hopefield (28); Sir Alexander Livingston [Livingstone] of West Quarter (31). (33 items)
- A727.178 02 Mar 1784-04 May 1784 Letters to James and Robert Forbes, at Callendar House, from Mrs S Vyse and Richard Collett junior, requiring payment of rent of a house in London. Copies of replies. (5 items)
- A727.179 03 Mar 1784 Letter to David Forbes from James Forbes, his brother, at Callendar House, on financial matter.
- A727.180 03 Mar 1784-30 Mar 1784 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters. Correspondents: - George Pengree & Co., Snowhill (1-3); Thomas Grant, Portsmouth (4, 19); George White, Portsmouth (5, 20); John Freeman & Co, Bristol (6); Robert Smith, Chatham (7, 10); R Sinclair (8); T Netherton, Plymouth (9); Thomas Pollard, Sheerness (11, 21); Thomas Wood (12); J Henslow, Plymouth (13); H Pownall, Plymouth (14); Mr Pennal, Deptford (15); John Greenway, Portsmouth (16); M B Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (17, 22, 23), N Phillipps [Phillips], Chatham (18). (23 items)
- A727.181 19 Mar 1784 Letter to William Forbes, in London, from Robert Forbes, his brother, in Birmingham, on business matters.
- A727.182 04 Apr 1784-26 May 1784 Letters to William Forbes, coppersmith, London, on business matters .Correspondents - Thomas Netherton, Plymouth (1); J Henslow, Plymouth (2); Thomas Wood (3, 4, 9, 21, 24); George Papps, Ember Mills (5);Thomas Grant, Portsmouth (6, 8, 10, 15, 25, 33); James Keir, Birmingham (7); James Edwards, Cornwall (11, 18, 23); Mark Harford & Co, Bristol (12); James Clyde, Woolwich (13); Salmon May, Woolwich (14, 22, 28); Robert Smith, Chatham (16, 27); John Greenway,Portsmouth (17, 35, 36, 38); N Phillipps [Phillips], Chatham (19, 26,31); John Freeman & Co, Bristol (20); John Ancell, Buckler's Hand (29); J Morgan, Deptford (30, 39); James Whatman, Boxley (32); Thomas Alldridge, Deptford (34); M B Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (37); SamuelBrown, Custom House (40); John Hall & Co, Gothenburg [Goteborg,Sweden] (41); Walter Nisbet (42). (42 items)
- A727.183 09 Apr 1784 Letter to Robert Mitchel, care of William Forbes, London, from William Mitchel [Mitchell], at North Berwick, willing to serve Forbes as an overseer.
- A727.184 14 Oct 1784-18 Dec 1784 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, by Falkirk, from David Forbes,his brother, in London, reporting in detail on

- their copper business.(11 items)
- A727.185 Oct 1784-Mar 1785 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from William Cadell, Carronpark [Carron Park], on Callendar estate matters. 9 is enclosed inventory of utensils belonging to the coalworks of Callendar and Pirlyhill [Pirley Hill], 23 January 1784. 16-18 concern sale of estate of Glengusy. 24 is enclosed account of feu duties. (24 items)
- A727.186 18 Oct 1784-27 Dec 1784 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his coalworks Correspondents - Robert Wyber, Falkirk (1); Lord Elphinstone (2); Adam Thomson, collier, Shieldhill (3, 7, 8); John Squair [Squires], Bo'ness (4); John McFarlane, Larbert (5); Alexander Snadden [Sneddon], Bo'ness (6); Thomas Baird, Quarrelhead [Quarrel Head] (9). (9 items)
- A727.187 19 Oct 1784-30 Dec 1784 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning tenancies. Correspondents - Henry Swinton, Grangemouth (1); James Russell, Falkirk (2); Margaret Stark, Bonnyhill (3); Henry Buchanan, Hallglen (4); John Kincaid, Carmuir (5); James Meek, Falkirk (6, 15); William Anderson, Falkirk (7); Robert Russel [Russell], Lochridge (8); Duncan Graham, Westertown [Westerton] (9); Mr Mitchell, Almond (10); James Kincaid, Falkirk (11); William Russell, Kirkcaldy, concerning snuffmiln (12, 14); John Bouckie [Buckie], Falkirk (13). (15 items)
- A727.188 20 Oct 1784-31 Dec 1784 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous matters. Correspondents - William Bruce, upholsterer, Edinburgh (1); Alexander Sutherland, Bo'ness, seeking employment (2); Mansfield Ramsay & Co, Edinburgh, concerning parcels (3, 11); William Forteach, Underwood, seeking a place (4); Michael Ramsay, Falkirk, recommending James Beg [Begg], architect (5); J Walker, sending tea (6); David Young, Perth (7) enclosing printed proposals for publishing by subscription essays upon agriculture (8, 9); Patrick Renny [Rennie], Falkirk, calling meeting of road trustees (10); James Ferrier, Edinburgh, concerning a difference with Colonel Livingston [Livingstone] (12, 13); Lady Dundas, Edinburgh, recommending a carpenter (14); Young & Trotter, furniture-makers, Edinburgh (15); Henry Swinton, timber merchant, Grangemouth (16). (16 items)
- A727.189 22 Oct 1784-29 Nov 1784 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and to John Taylor from Thomas Cockburn, wine merchant, Limekilns. (6 items)
- A727.190 22 Oct 1784-11 Dec 1784 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Alexander Dickeson [Dickson], Falkirk, on estate matters. Letter to Dickeson from Thomas Stirling. Anonymous letter about Dickeson. (6 items)
- A727.191 23 Oct 1784-14 Dec 1784 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning limestone for his estate. Correspondents - Alexander Muirhead, Almond (1); George Espie, Bainsford (2, 5, 7-9); William Robb, Bo'ness (3); John Grant, Charlestown (4); Lord Elphinstone (6); Alexander Sutherland, Almond (10); Thomas Johnston, Callendar (11). (11 items)
- A727.192 28 Oct 1784-16 Dec 1784 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning dyking, ditching and fencing his estate. Correspondents - Sir Alexander Livingston [Livingstone] of Westquarter (1); Alexander Muirhead, Ridgend [Riggend?] (2); William Moor [Muir], Camelon (3); Rev James Robertson, Callander (4);

- James Andrew, Linlithgow (5, 8); Alexander Sutherland, Bo'ness (6, 16); John Gardner, Falkirk (7); Alexander Sutherland, Almond (9, 10). Related papers. (16 items)
- A727.193 28 Oct 1784-02 Apr 1785 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from John Campbell, Stirling, on legal matters. 21 is answers to petition for tenants in Carmuir. (25 items)
- A727.194 29 Oct 1784-29 Dec 1784 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on personal matters. Correspondents - John Gloag, Chapleton [Chapelton] (1); David Steuart [Stewart], Edinburgh (2, 7); Robert Houstoun [Houston], Glasgow, concerning ship sailing to Philadelphia (3); Dr William Cullen, Edinburgh (4-6); Mr Young, Edinburgh (8); Roger Hog [Hogg] of Newliston (9). (9 items)
- A727.195 10 Nov 1784-13 Nov 1784 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, recommending gardeners. Correspondents - John Richmond & Co, Edinburgh (1), enclosing their printed catalogue of seeds etc (2); Roger Hog [Hogg] of Newliston (3); J Marjoribanks [Marchbank], Lees (4); Peter Charles, Edinburgh (5). (5 items)
- A727.196 21 Dec 1784-31 Dec 1784 Correspondence between William Forbes of Callendar and William Fullarton [Fullerton] of Rosement [Rosemount], discussing the possible purchase by Forbes of lands of Haining Ross. (3 items)
- A727.197 28 Dec 1784 List [by William Forbes of Callendar] of items to be obtained. Includes matting and chairs for a church gallery.
- A727.198 28 Dec 1784-23 May 1785 Letters to his brothers in London from William Forbes of Callendar, a tCallendar House, instructing them on their metal business. 3 reports on work on the estate of Callendar. 7 also concerns his Purchase of the lands of Sanquhar near Ayr. (26 items)
- A727.199 1784-1786 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from George Forbes, his brother, in Aberdeen, on financial and family matters. 7 includes letter from James Anderson, of Gordon's Hospital, seeking patronage. 10 includes letter from Sir William Forbes of Fintray, seeking a loan. (12 items)
- A727.200 1784-1786 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and David Forbes, in London, from Dr Robert Forbes, their uncle, and his wife, in Nairn, and his daughter Alexandra, in London, on family matters. Enclosed letters - to Mrs Forbes from Marjory Stuart [Stewart], her aunt, in Edinburgh (3); to Dr Forbes from Rev Lewis Grant, minister of Cromdale (4); to David Forbes from Alexander Hay, a neighbour of Dr Forbes, visiting London (12). (13 items)
- A727.201 1784-1786 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, sometimes in London, and David Forbes there, from John Abercrombie junior, their brother-in-law, in Aberdeen, concerning insurance on stockings sent to Campvere, family matters, and (1 and 2) silver items and a petticoat needed by their sister Jess. (22 items)
- A727.202 1784-1786 Letters to David Forbes, in London, and William Forbes of Callendar, from Catherine Abercrombie, their sister, in Aberdeen, and Robert and Janet ("Jess") Abercrombie, her children. In No.1, Catherine describes their sister's wedding celebrations - 'on Saturday the 6th was the feet washing'. Jess, in Edinburgh at Mrs Hamilton's school, watches an ascent by Lunardi (6). (7 items)
- A727.203 1784-1786 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Alexander Allardyce [of Dunottar] in Aberdeen, London and Edinburgh,

- on financial and personal matters. Allardyce's brother marries Forbes' sister. (15 items)
- A727.204 1784-1786 Letters to David Forbes, in London, and William Forbes of Callendar from James Allardyce, their brother-in-law, in Aberdeen, on family and financial matters. (18 items)
- A727.205 01 Jan 1785-16 Mar 1785 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning coal-mining. Correspondents - James Fish, Shieldhill (1); William Phaup, Madiston [Maddiston] (2); John Beaumont, Boghall (3, 4); Adam Glen, Madiston [Maddiston] (5); John Allinson, Hope Park (6, 7); Adam Thomson, Shieldhill (8). (8 items)
- A727.206 01 Jan 1785-22 Sep 1785 Letters to David Forbes and William Forbes, in London, from Robert Forbes, their brother, at Byfleet Mills, concerning the copper business. Statements of copper goods sent from Byfleet 26 contains list of furniture. (26 items)
- A727.207 01 Jan 1785-24 Sep 1785 Letters to Robert Forbes, at Byfleet Mills, from David Forbes and William Forbes of Callendar, his brothers, in London, concerning their copper business and sending provisions and other articles (35 includes 'The nine first volumes of Fielding'). Statements of copper sent bybarge to Byfleet. Letter from Charles Price. at Ember Mills. (42). (42items)
- A727.208 02 Jan 1785-31 Mar 1785 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar House and estate. Correspondents - George Espie, Bainsford (1); John Shaw, Carron Park (2); Sir Alexander Livingstone of Westquarter (3); Young & Trotter, furniture makers, Edinburgh (4,5); John Sliman [Slimon],Falkirk (6,18); Alexander Nimmo, Falkirk (7); James Dobbie, painter(8); Rev. James Robertson, minister of Callander (9); James Meek, Falkirk (10); James Henderson, Falkirk (11); William Walker, Little Kerse (12); George Smith, Netherwood (13); Thomas Thomson, Philpston [Philpstoun] (14); James Hodge, mason, Falkirk (15); James Downes[Downs], Carriber (16); James Bruce of Kinnaird (17); Charles Gascoigne, Carron (19); James Easton, Bainsford (20); James Scot[Scott], Callendar House (21); William Glen, Forganhall (22); Alexander Dickeson [Dickson], Falkirk (23, 26); James Walker, Falkirk, enclosing rental of house there (24,25); Joseph Read [Reid], Linlithgow (27,28). (28 items)
- A727.209 02 Jan 1785-31 Mar 1785 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from John Taylor W.S.,Edinburgh, and copies of replies, concerning legal matters and estates for sale. In 6 Taylor urges Forbes to settle down -'It will be impossible for you otherwise to preserve any respect from the people either in the better or lower ranks of life.' 10 and 13 are enclosed letters from James Thomson W.S. 18 concerns a ball. (25 items)
- A727.210 03 Jan 1785-28 Mar 1785 Letters to William Forbes and David Forbes, coppersmiths, London, on business matters. Correspondents - Thomas Wood (1, 8, 35); John Freeman & Co., Bristol (2-4, 13, 20, 21, 29, 30, 33, 34); John Toverly, Plymouth (5); Edward Bunn (6); Mrs Oliver, Greenwich (7); Thomas Chesse, Aberdeen (9); Adam Watson (10); Mr Adey [Eadie] (11); John Greenway, Portsmouth (12, 28); Edward Greaves, Limehouse (14); James Clyde, Woolwich(15,19); Thomas Alldridge, Deptford (16); John Morgan, Deptford(17,22); John Kemsley, Chatham (18); Messrs Dawson (23); George Bowser(24,38); Mr Lloyd, Plymouth (25); Mr Hunter,

- Deptford (26,31); M.B. Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (27); Lockwood, Morris & Co. (32); James Buckingham (36); Captain William Hawkins, Falmouth (37). (38 items)
- A727.211 03 Jan 1785-31 Mar 1785 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, on personal matters. Correspondents - R. Mackintosh [McIntosh], Edinburgh (1, 14); George Buchan Hepburn, Edinburgh (2 - describes how to prepare haws, 3 and 4- concern loan to nephew in Stockholm [Sweden], 16); W. Fullarton[Fullerton], Rosemount (5, 6, 10, 11 - concern estate of Haining Ross); D. Steuart [Stewart], Edinburgh (7, 9, 17); David Beatson (8 - concerns estate of Kilgraston); Alexander Douglas, London (12); Sir Alexander Livingstone of Westquarter (13); the Lord President (15); Mrs Wood, Edinburgh (18); Robert Foster, London (19, 22); Lord Monbuddo [Monboddoo] (20); Mr Dundas, Carronhall [Carron Hall] (21); Joseph Forbes, Aberdeen (23); William Phaup, Madiston [Maddiston] (24); Captain Napier, Merchiston Hall (25). (25 items)
- A727.212 04 Jan 1785-12 Feb 1785 Letters announcing deaths of Henry Buchanan, Halglen [Hallglen], and Mrs Bruce of Kinnaird.
- A727.213 17 Jan 1785-14 Mar 1785 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and John Taylor W.S. from correspondents in and near Ayr, concerning visit there by Forbes and his wish to buy an estate there - John Beaumont (1, 10, 14, 15); Mr Limond (2); James Forbes, customs officer (3); Mr Ballantine[Ballantyne] (4); Mr Robertson (5); Provost Ferguson (6); Mr Stevenson(7); Colonel Stafford (8); John Pope (9,12); Robert Kennedy of Pinmore, of which estate, the coal 'would serve the Town of Belfast'(11); John Simson [Simpson] (13). (15 items)
- A727.214 21 Jan 1785-10 Mar 1785 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, at Callendar House, on business matters. Correspondents - John Bell, Camelon, giving price of nails (1); Henry Swinton, timber merchant, Grangemouth (2, 5, 6); Sir John Dalrymple, Edinburgh, offering to supply ships' sheaves (3); John Edwards, London (4, 9); Frederick Pigoe junior. London (7); S.T. Adey [Eadie], London, also commenting on political situation. (8) (9items)
- A727.215 02 Feb 1785-21 Oct 1785 Correspondence between William Forbes of Callendar, in Edinburgh and London, and James Forbes, his brother, at Callendar House, mostly on estate matters including:- purchase of lands of Sanquhar (1); Highland cattle (4); Falkirk tryst (5, which includes estate account); "I have seen a scarcity of beds [at Callendar House] when many strangers come"(7). (7 items)
- A727.216 19 Mar 1785-31 Mar 1785 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from William Simpson, cashier, Royal Bank, Edinburgh, and copy of reply, concerning a bond. (3items)
- A727.217 02 Apr 1785-14 Sep 1785 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, in London, seeking financial assistance, from 1. Mr Leiber, London, narrating his dependence on Mr Oswald since 1760, having served him in Germany and Bance Island in Africa. 2. James D. Innes, apothecary. 3. 'An Aberdeen Wellwisher' on behalf of Miss Leonard. 4-5. Peter Paumier, describing his estate in Jamaica. (5 items)
- A727.218 03 Apr 1785-07 Jul 1785 Letters to William Forbes and David Forbes, copper smiths, London, on business matters. Correspondents - Robert Rundle, Bristol (1, 8); John Greenway, Portsmouth (2); John Morgan, Deptford (3); Bryan Bentham, Sheerness (4, 16);

- Stephen Tadd [Todd], Bristol (5); James Clyde, Woolwich (6, 7, 37); James Henckell, Wandsworth (9), John Kemsley, Chatham (10); William Mathews [Matthews], Deptford (11); Mr Cracraft(12); Thomas Grant, Portsmouth (13); F C Wilson, Sandgate (14); MrVaughan (15); Robert Akins [Aitken] (17); S T Adey (18, 20); Mr Harris (19); Messrs Mark Harford & Co, Bristol (21); Thomas Pollard, Plymouth(22); Robert Willing (23, 26, 31); John Hall & Co, Gothenburg [Goteborg, Sweden] (24); Miss I Douglas (25); Mr Price, Ember Mills(27); Mr Derrick (28); Robert Smith, Chatham (29, 30); Mr Fox,Hudson's Bay House (32); Mr Morris (33); Macfarlane [McFarlane] & Co(34); John Simpson, Bethnal Green (35); William Herries (36). (37items)
- A727.219 18 May 1785 Letter to [William] Forbes [of Callendar] from James Blair, at Newton upon Ayr, seeking the tenancy of Sandmill.
- A727.220 04 Jun 1785-07 Jul 1785 Correspondence between William Forbes of Callendar, in London, and John Taylor WS, Edinburgh, concerning legal matters, main Forbes' process against Colonel Livingston [Livingstone] of Bantaskine. 'I want to see in this case how far the Influence of those in power is to prevail against me in a matter of Property'. (6 items)
- A727.221 11 Jun 1785-15 Jun 1785 Letters to William Forbes, London, and Rev D Milne, Deptford, from Dr Hawes, concerning the London Dispensary. (3 items)
- A727.222 01 Sep 1785-20 Oct 1785 Letters to William Forbes and David Forbes, copper smiths, London, on business matters. Correspondents - William Thompson (1, 14, 15); Miss Douglas (2); J Weatherall, Chatham (3); Stephen Tadd [Todd], Bristol (4); Mr Butt, Deptford (5); Mr Fox, Hudson Bay House (6); James Buckingham (7, 27, 32), Mr Taylor, Carshalton (8); Captain J Cow[Cowe], Woolwich (9); Sarah Nickals [Nicol] (10); George Vernon, Sheerness (11); J Fearnhead (12); George Sewell, Byfleet (13); S T Adey [Eadie] (16, 19, 25); Mr Deacon (17); James Clyde, Woolwich (18); R Hawkins (20); Nixon & Co, Phipps Bridge (21); Thomas Aldridge, Deptford (22); James Robarts [Roberts] (23); May & Dutton (24); Thomas Grant, Portsmouth (26); Bryan Bentham, Sheerness (28); James Whatman, Boxley (29); Samuel Brown, Custom House (30); J Kennedy (31); Mark Harford & Co, Bristol (33); William Mathews [Matthews], Deptford (34); J Courage (35); John Wright, Dudley (36). (36 items)
- A727.223 20 Sep 1785-19 Dec 1785 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on financial and business matters. Correspondents - William Simpson, Royal Bank, Edinburgh (1,2, 6); William Young, Edinburgh (3); S T Adey [Eadie], London, also on political matters (4, 7, 8, 10; 7 describes a dinner at the Whig Club at which Fox spoke); James Jopp, Edinburgh (5); John Edwards [London?](9). (10 items)
- A727.224 08 Oct 1785-27 Dec 1785 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning furniture, fixtures and servants for Callendar House. Correspondents - Alexander Fiddes, Carronshore [Carron Shore] (slates 1, 2); Mr Wedgwood [Wedgewood] (a service, 3, 4); Mrs Innes (servants, 5, 6, 13); William Hamilton & Son, Edinburgh (furniture, 7, 12, 17-19, 21, 23); John Milne junior(hardware, 8, 15, 26); Kitty Varney, Edinburgh (servants, 9); Moodie, Hunt & Co, Dunfermline (table cloths, 10); Anne Steuart

- [Stewart], Edinburgh (servants and furniture, 11, 16); William Glen, Forganhall (timber, 14, 29); John Thomson, Edinburgh (chimney-piece, 20); James Nisbet, Edinburgh (chimney-piece, 22); Alexander Gowan, Edinburgh (chimney-piece, 24); Marshall & Armstrong (plumber work including water closets, 25); Thomas Johnston, Ormiston Hill (stair carpet, 27); Alexander Ramsay, Falkirk (clock, 28). (29 items)
- A727.225 08 Oct 1785-31 Dec 1785 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and James Forbes, at Callendar House, on miscellaneous matters. Correspondents - Mrs and Miss Fordyce, Edinburgh (1); Sir James Riddell, Edinburgh (2); Charles Beaumont, Edinburgh, requiring Mr Allinson's judgment on his coal subjects (3, 22); Thomas Duncanson, wine-merchant, Falkirk (4); Francis Lumsden, Belcherrie (5); D Steuart [Stewart], Edinburgh (6,14); Robert Robertson, Ayr, concerning coalworks there (7); John Stewart, Edinburgh, sending oysters (8); Sir John Dalrymple, Edinburgh, enclosing 'Estimate of Tar Work under Lord Dundonald's Patent', and copy of letter to Lord Dumfries concerning Dalrymple's star business (9-11, 13); Mr Laurie [Lawrie], Polmont (12); Charles Lockhart Macdonald, Edinburgh (15); Mr Douglas, London (16, 17); Allan, Steuart [Stewart] & Co, wine merchants, Leith (18, 19, 21); Mrs Hamilton, Edinburgh, concerning her school for young ladies (20); James Pringle, Newhalls, concerning a spaniel dog (23, 24); Rev William McQuhae, minister of St Quivox, calling meeting of heritors (25); Mr Tibbats, Dorrator (26). (26 items)
- A727.226 12 Oct 1785-31 Dec 1785 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on Callendar estate matters. Correspondents - Allan Stewart, a tenant (1); Alexander Dickeson [Dickson], Falkirk (2, 8, 11, 16, 28); Thomas Spottiswood, Dunipace (3); Thomas Johnston, South Mains (4); Alexander Ramsay, Falkirk (5); James Meek, Falkirk (6, 7); Adam Thomson, Falkirk (9); Alexander Henderson, Falkirk (10); James Adam, Falkirk, a tenant (12); James Fleming (13); Mr Ferriers, Somerford [Summerford] (14, 15); Lewis Potter, Stenhouse Milns [Stenhouse Mills] (17); Charles Napier of Merchiston (18, 27); John Williamson, Torwood (19); Robert Turner, Falkirk (20); Adam Smith, Falkirk (21); James Stark junior, Camelton (22); James Weir, Falkirk, tacksman of the customs of the trysts of Falkirk (23); David Binnie, Linlithgow (24); James Shanks, Drumcross (25); John Campbell, Stirling (26); Dickson & Brown, Perth (29); James Walker, Falkirk (30-32); Mr Bertram, Muiravonside (33). (33 items)
- A727.227 03 Nov 1785-26 Dec 1785 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from John Taylor WS, Edinburgh concerning legal matters and estates for sale. No. 1 concerns the choice of a footman. (16 items)
- A727.228 27 Dec 1785-26 Jun 1786 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from David Forbes, his brother, in London, reporting on their metal business including accounts thereof, bank and other stock prices, goods required by William, both personal and for Callendar House including hall lantern (4) and turret clock (10); and 1. Lexie Forbes' marriage; 10. commissioning a plan for the garden at Callendar; 14, 19 messages from Mr Douglas about buying an estate in Scotland; 18. letter from John

- A727.229 1785-1787 Taylor WS appended. (24 items)
Letters to John Taylor WS, Edinburgh, on William Forbes of Callendar's affairs, mostly concerning estates he might buy. Correspondents -David Russell, Edinburgh (1); Alexander Mackenzie [McKenzie] WS, Edinburgh (2, 5, 6); John Syme [Sim], Edinburgh (3, 7, 14, 15, 18); John Campbell, Stirling (4); William Campbell, Edinburgh (8, 9); Hugh Corrie, Edinburgh (10, 11); Mr Hunter, Edinburgh (12); James Loch, Edinburgh (13); John Robinson, Edinburgh (16), John Tait, Edinburgh (17). (18 items)
- A727.230 01 Jan 1786-13 Dec 1786 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and related papers concerning the employment of servants for Callendar House, including cooks and gardeners. Correspondents - Elizabeth Macdonald, Edinburgh (2); Thomas Anderson, Muirhouse (3); Helen Innes, Edinburgh (4, 7, 9, 33); Christian Gauld [Gauld], Hopetoun House (5, 29, 32, 34, 38); Anne Steuart [Stewart], Edinburgh (6); Adam Gordon, gardener, Edinburgh (8); George Paterson, Castle Huntly (11, 13); Robert Austin, Glasgow (12); George Smith, gardener, Raith (25); David Kinghorn, gardener, Kirkcaldy (26); William Shaw, gardener, Annieston (27); Robert Heriot, Edinburgh (28); William Phaup, Madiston [Maddiston] (31); W Wilson, Hawkhead (35); Edward Innes, Edinburgh (36); James McCredie [McCreadie], Hopetoun House (37); John Macredie [McCreadie] (39). (39 items)
- A727.231 01 Jan 1786-29 Dec 1786 Letters to David Forbes, in London, from William Forbes of Callendar, his brother, advising on their metal business in London, and concerning financial matters, progress of improvements of Callendar House and estate and their increased value, advice to friends who wish to buy estates, personal and household items required from London, including a turret clock (11), a pen-knife for Robert (14-illustrated), a double boiler (26,27-illustrated), panes of glass (36,37), and locks for the garden gates (43); and 3-5. his purchase of Earlstoun [Earlston] and Barskeoch; 35. advice on engaging a maid servant. (47 items)
- A727.232 03 Jan 1786-31 Jul 1786 Letters to William Forbes and David Forbes, coppersmiths, London, on business matters. Correspondents - Coope & Charleson (1); James Clyde, Woolwich (2,4-6,8,10-12,14,17,37,41); Mr Dutton, Woolwich (3,9,13); Mr Sinclair of Ulbster (7); R. Smith, Chatham (15); Bingley & Pitt (16); George Smith, Sheerness (18,24,42); Thomas Grant junior, Portsmouth (19,32,45); M.B. Legg [Legge], Portsmouth (20); John Bradley, Portsmouth (21-23,25); Crawshaw [Crawshaw] & Co. (26); John Brown, Hudson's Bay Company (27); J. Weatherall, Woolwich and Chatham (28-30,33); Thomas Raymond, Northam (31); George Parsons, Bursledon (34); Mr Hunter, Deptford (35); James Henckell, Wandsworth (36); Thomas Wood (38); John Morgan, Deptford (39); John Greenway, Portsmouth (40); J. & G. Whitehead (43,44); Calhoun [Colquhoun] & Nowlan (46); Thomas Netherton, Plymouth (47). (47 items)
- A727.233 03 Jan 1786-31 Jul 1786 Letters to James and Robert Forbes, at Callendar House, from William Forbes of Callendar, their brother, in Edinburgh, Glasgow, London, Aberdeen and Dumfries, giving instructions about estate matters, and 2. he has bought Barskeoch and Earlstoun [Earlston] as a situation

- forJames. (9 items)
- A727.234 04 Jan 1786-28 Jun 1786 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and James Forbes, at Callendar House, on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - S.T. Adey [Eadie], London (1, 6, 15, 24, 32); Thomas Johnston, Gouckly Moss [Goukly Moss] (2, 17); George Buchan Hepburn, Edinburgh (3); Charles Macdonald, Edinburgh (4, 5, 16); Mrs Hamilton, Edinburgh, who runs a school for young ladies (7, 21, 38); Colonel Livingston [Livingstone], Bantaskin [Bantaskine] (8, 9); Captain A. F. Cochrane, Culross (10, 11, 13); David Steuart [Stewart], Edinburgh (12, 25, 26); Sir Alexander Livingston [Livingstone] of Westquarter (14, 19, 27); Lachlan McPherson, Edinburgh (18); George Peters, London (20); Mrs Campbell, Fairfield (22); William Maclean, Mid Calder (23); 'Belsebbe' (28); George Chalmers, Edinburgh (29, 34, 39, 40); Dr. Robertson from Aberdeen (30); Lady Janet Dundas (31); Alexander Walker, Walker's Hotel, Edinburgh (33); James Bruce of Kinnaird (35, 36); Mr Jopp, Aberdeen (37). In 16 Macdonald offers a peacock. Both he and Bruce (35) discuss controversy between Forbes and Colonel Livingston [Livingstone]. Chalmers (29) advises on doors and crops at Callendar, and encloses a printed leaflet 'Present State of Scotland in regard to Customhouse-fees and the navigation of its rivers' (40). (40 items)
- A727.235 04 Jan 1786-26 Dec 1786 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his Ayrshire estate and collieries. Correspondents - David Limond, Ayr (1, 3, 4, 6, 14, 15); John Pope, Ayr (2, 10); John Beaumont, Boghall (5, 11); Rev William McQuhae, minister of St Quivox (7, 16); Mrs Elizabeth Beaumont, Boghall (8); William Wallace, Ayr (9); William Logan, sheriff substitute of Ayr (12); Bruce Campbell, Milnrig [Milrig] (13). (16 items)
- A727.236 05 Jan 1786-26 Jul 1786 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, mostly in Edinburgh and London, from James and Robert Forbes, his brothers, at Callendar House, reporting on work on the estates and house, information received about the London metal business, and articles required from London. (11 items)
- A727.237 05 Jan 1786-30 Dec 1786 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and David Forbes, both in London, on personal matters. Correspondents - S T Adey [Eadie] (1, 3-5, 7, 8, 14); Mr Mears (2); Robert Morris (6, 25-27); Mr Taylor (9); Mrs R S Nichols, Ember Mills (10, 12, 19); Jean Watson (11, 28); Robert Ligertwood (13); Elizabeth Anderson, a poor widow (15); Alexander Grant, Hornsey, concerning estates for sale (16); John Dingwall, Aberdeen (17); Alexander Dingwall (18); Henry Chester, Byfleet (20); William Burgess, Soho, who was an apprentice in Aberdeen 'when you was but a young youth' (21); C P Price (22, 24); Betty Harrison, a servant (23). (28 items)
- A727.238 06 Jan 1786-17 Nov 1787 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning the purchase of horses, harness, carriages and ploughs. Correspondents - Walter Goodlet [Goodlad], Linlithgow (1); Home [Hume], Cleghorn & Wilson, Edinburgh (2, 5, 9); Robert Dalgliesh [Dalgleish], Falkirk (3); George Turner, Falkirk (4); William Thomson, Crichtondean [Crichton Dean] (6, 10); Alexander Crichton, Edinburgh (7, 8, 14-17); William Glen, Forganhall (11); Thomas Johnston, Edinburgh (12, 13); Robert Allan, Edinburgh (18); Charles Oliver, Falkirk

- (19). (19 items)
- A727.239 14 Jan 1786-29 Jun 1786 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from John Taylor WS, Edinburgh, concerning legal matters and estates for sale. 24-25 are enclosed letters from John Beaumont, Boghall, Ayr. 36 concerns Beaumont's colliery.
- A727.240 19 Jan 1786-27 May 1786 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and James Forbes, at Callendar House, concerning Callendar estate matters. Correspondents - Henry Stark, Grange Pans (1); Alexander Fraser, Whiteside (2,3); George Espie, Bainsford (4); John Thomson, Edinburgh (5); William Cadell, Carronpark (6); Alexander Dickeson [Dickson], Falkirk(7, 14, 16, 33, 34,36,40); James Henderson, Falkirk (8,9); John Ranken [Rankin] & Son, Falkirk (10); Alexander Muirhead, Rigend [Riggend](11); John Eiston [Easton], Edinburgh (12); Alexander Ramsay, Falkirk(13); Thomas Johnston, Mid Calder (15); Rev. William Finlay [Findlay], minister of Polmont (17,20); John Sinclair, Linlithgow (18); an inhabitant of Falkirk (19); John Campbell, Stirling (21,24,35); Sir Alexander Livingstone of Westquarter (22); James Finlay [Findlay], Polmont (23); Michael Ramsay of Mungal [Mungall] (25); Mr Johnston, Champfleurie (26); George Chalmers, Edinburgh (27); Lewis Potter, Stenhouse Milns [Stenhouse Mills] (28,30); James Henderson, Falkirk(29); Johanna Bruce, Camelon (31,32); John Bertram, Lauriston (37,38); James Meek, Falkirk (39); James Morton, Dorrator (41); D. Macnab [McNab], Bainsford (42); Henry Calder, Coalheughbrae (43); Stephen Breas [Braes], Almond (44). (44 items)
- A727.241 22 Jan 1786-28 Nov 1786 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and related papers concerning foodstuffs, clothes and household goods supplied to Callendar House .Correspondents - John Robinson, Edinburgh (foodstuffs, including prawns and Orkney butter, 1 ,2, 19-22 ,25, 29); Hart & Son, Edinburgh (boots, 3); Archibald Bathgate, Falkirk (candles 5); William Glen, Forganhall (bottles, 6); William Duncanson, Laurieston [Lauriston] (7); Ebenezer Gairdner [Gardner], Edinburgh (towels, 8, 15, 16, 18, 24); Allan & Steuart [Stewart], Leith (wine, 9-11 ,17, 23, 27, 30); James Andrew, Linlithgow (beer, 12, 26, 28); Charles Oliver, Falkirk (13); John Rankine [Rankin] junior, Falkirk (stockings, 14). (30 items)
- A727.242 25 Jan 1786-29 Jun 1786 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, estimates and other papers, concerning improvements to Callendar House. Correspondents - Charles Robertson, painter, Edinburgh (1); James Craig, Edinburgh (chimney-piece, 4, 15); Bell, Wright & Co., Camelon (nails, 5, 10); John Wyse (east turret, 9); John Campbell, Stirling (11); Agnes, Lady Stuart [Stewart] of Allanbank [Allan Bank] (recommending an upholsterer, 12); John Glen & Co., Grangemouth (timber, 13, 24-26, 33, 35, 38); John Baxter, Edinburgh (slates, 14); James Nisbet, plasterer, Edinburgh (Mr [Robert] Adam would like to see the plans bu tis busy with the Bridge - 17, 18); Robert Allan, Edinburgh (20); Robert Dickson, Edinburgh (lead pipe, 22 ,23); Ambrose Tibbats, Carron (29); William Hamilton & Son, Edinburgh (furniture, 34, 36). 6-7 are estimates for a turret clock. (38 items)
- A727.243 26 Jan 1786-27 May Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Sir John

- 1786 Dalrymple [Hamilton-Macgill] concerning a business venture. 2 is enclosed letter from Earl of Dundonald. (16 items)
- A727.244 02 Feb 1786-26 Dec 1786 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and accounts concerning the gardens and policies at Callendar House. Correspondents - John Richmond & Co, nurserymen, Edinburgh (1); William Cullen, Edinburgh (2); Ambrose Tibbats, Dorrater [Dorrator] (3); Dickson & Brown, nurserymen, Perth (4, 5); Robert Heriot, seedsman, Edinburgh (6); Alexander Laird, Grangemouth (8); A & W Driver, London (10-12). (12 items)
- A727.245 03 Feb 1786-04 Nov 1786 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his Galloway estates. Correspondents - John Newall, Earlstoun [Earlston] (1, 2); Thomas Johnston, St Johns Clachan (3); Hugh McCulloch, Newton Stewart (4); Rev John Gillespie, minister of Kells (5); John Robinson, Edinburgh (6) enclosing letters from Thomas Johnston, land surveyor, Gowkly Moss [Goukly Moss] (7) and Samuel Clark, Earlstoun (8) concerning articles for Earlstoun [Earlston]; Alexander Stewart, [later MP], Stair House (9); Mr Riddell (10); Keith Stewart of Glasserton, enclosing road estimate (11-13). (13 items)
- A727.246 10 Feb 1786-06 Jul 1786 Letters to David Forbes, in London, from Robert Forbes, his brother, at Callendar House, 1. describing the staff there and the improvements to the house, policy and estate {MISSING} 2. criticising Messrs Driver's plans for the garden. (2 items)
- A727.247 01 Apr 1786-30 Nov 1786 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on financial matters. Correspondents - Charles Lockhart Macdonald, Bristol (1); William Honeyman, Edinburgh (2, 3); William Simpson, Royal Bank, Edinburgh (4, 10); W Fullarton [Fullerton], Edinburgh (5); Joseph Walley, London (6); Thomas Smith, Edinburgh (7); James Saunders, Edinburgh (8, 9). (10 items)
- A727.248 06 Apr 1786-08 Dec 1786 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning estates for sale. Correspondents - Alexander Douglas, London (1-4 - no 1 includes rental of Hopefield); P Colquhoun, Glasgow (5, 6, 10); James Gray, Edinburgh (7, 9, 11); Sir W A Cunynghame [Cunningham] (8); John Eiston [Easton], Edinburgh (12), Robert Houstoun [Houston], Glasgow (13, 14); John Buchan, Edinburgh, copying letter from Mr Gordon, Greenlaw (15, 16). (16 items)
- A727.249 07 Apr 1786-24 Jul 1786 Letters announcing deaths of Betty, daughter of Alexander Ramsay, Falkirk; Thomas Dundas of Fingask; and John Livingston [Livingstone] of Parkhall. (6 items)
- A727.250 07 Apr 1786-23 Dec 1786 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Alexander Fergusson [Ferguson] of Craigdarroch, with copies of replies, concerning their estates in Galloway, the sale of the estate of Lincluden, and a lega lacion. 5 is from Mrs Fergusson [Ferguson]. (20 items)
- A727.251 02 Jun 1786-30 Aug 1786 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and James and Robert Forbes, at Callendar House, concerning Callendar estate matters. Correspondents - John Jarvey [Jarvie], Balbardie (1); David Richmond, Edinburgh (2); James Henderson, Falkirk (3); Alexander Dickeson [Dickson], Falkirk (4, 12); Andrew Longmoor [Longmuir], Kerse (5); Andrew Robertson, Maddistown [Maddiston] (6); J. Stainton [Stanton], Carron (7-9); Mr Johnston, Champfleurie (10);

- Adam Thomson, Falkirk (11); anonymous(13); William Glen, Forganhall (14); Mr Ramsay, Falkirk (15,20,32);Patrick Colquhoun, Glasgow (16,33,34); James Fish, Shieldhill (17);Lewis Potter, Stenhouse Milns [Stenhouse Mills] (18); David Gardiner[Gardner], Burn (19); Captain Napier of Merchiston (21-24); AlexanderRamsay, Falkirk (25); Robert Boag, Bo'ness (26); William Dobie[Dobbie] (27); Mrs Fergusson, Camelon (28); James Meek, Falkirk(29,30); Sir Alexander Livingstone of Westquarter (31). (34 items)
- A727.252 01 Jul 1786-23 Dec 1786 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - George Chalmers, Edinburgh (1,7,9); S.T. Adey[Eadie], London (2,6,11,19,28); Mr Russell, Rosebank (3); AlexanderWalker, Walker's Hotel, Edinburgh (4); William Wyse (5); Mr Livingstonof Parkhall (8); Sir Alexander Livingston [Livingstone] of Westquarter(10,25); Mr Cadell, Carronpark (12); Francis Bonnard [Bonar],Edinburgh (13); Henry Erskine, Edinburgh (14,20); Ambrose Tibbats,Dorrater [Dorrator] (15); Lord Elphinstone (16,17); Sir Thomas andLady Dundas of Kerse (18,23,26); Elizabeth Hamilton, Edinburgh (21);Henry Swinton, Grangemouth, who is fitting out a ship for theGreenland fishing (22); Mr Dundas, Hillhead (24); Lord Justice Clerk(27); George Buchan Hepburn, Edinburgh (29). (29 items)
- A727.253 01 Jul 1786-28 Dec 1786 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from John Taylor W.S., Edinburgh, on legal matters, particularly the action against Colonel Livingston [Livingstone], and estates for sale. Enclosures - letter from George Paterson of Castle Huntly, recommending a gardener (11); certificate of service of a journeyman farrier (17); copy of offer byJohn Gray of Randieford to Patrick Muirhead in Falkirk of a tack of farm of Randieford (21). (37 items)
- A727.254 03 Jul 1786-25 Dec 1786 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes, at Callendar, from David Forbes, their brother, in London, reporting on their metal business including accounts, bank and other stock prices, goods sent to Callendar both personal and for the house, including glass (23); and 14. Mr Brazier's designs for Callendar House; 14, 17.messages from Mr Douglas about buying lands; 15. David dismisses his cook; 18-25. David's hand is crippled by rheumatism; 29. articles sent to West Indies (30 items)
- A727.255 04 Jul 1786-29 Dec 1786 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes and related papers concerning improvements to and furniture for Callendar House. Correspondents - Ambrose Tibbats, Carron (1, 3, 21-23); E. B Brazier, architect (4, 5, 15, 18); John Glen & Co., Grangemouth (timber,6, 10, 14, 16, 25, 31, 33, 37); P. Forrester & Co, Edinburgh (knife trays,8); John Sibbald, Edinburgh (locks, 9, 12); William Hamilton & Son,Edinburgh (furniture, 11, 13, 17, 24, 36); James Nisbet, plasterer,Edinburgh (19); John Veitch, Edinburgh (chimney- pieces, 20, 26, 34);John Milne & Son, ironmongers, Edinburgh (27-30); Carron Company(32, 35, 38-40, 42, 43). (43 items)
- A727.256 15 Jul 1786-20 Dec 1786 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, David and Robert Forbes from James Forbes, their brother, at Earlstoun [Kirkcudbright], concerninghis life there, reporting on estate and farming matters, neighbouring estates, servants, and

- things needed; and describing the property including its fruit trees (2), sending an eagle to Robert (2); accounting for sheep bought (3, 4); and reporting on a meeting of heritors (13). (18 items)
- A727.257 03 Aug 1786-29 Dec 1786 Letters to William Forbes and David Forbes, coppersmiths, London, on business matters. Correspondents - J & G Whitehead (1,2,24); Thomas Netherton, Plymouth (3, 6, 7, 27); George Smith, Sheerness (4, 43); James Clyde, Woolwich (5, 11, 12, 15, 20, 22, 23, 28, 32, 33, 36,41); J Butt, Deptford(8, 9); J Weatherall, Chatham (10, 30); Benjamin Griffiths, Portsmouth (13); Henry Peake, Frinsbury (14); Charles Turner, Deptford (16); George Forbes, London (17, 21, 25); Mr Wells (18); John Stooke,Gravesend (19); John Bradley, Portsmouth (26, 29, 31, 34, 37 ,39); John Hodgskin, Chatham (35); Mr Alldridge, Deptford (38); Thomas Gran tjunior, Portsmouth (40); Mark Harford & Co, Bristol (42); Charles Herries & Co (44); P Soley, Woolwich (45). (45 items)
- A727.258 10 Aug 1786 Letter to David Forbes, in London, from Thomas Christie, medical student, Edinburgh, discussing David Kynloch's poem 'de hominis procreationi'. Christie scorns the belief in 'equivocal generation',discusses the membrane hymen, the belief that the strength of the future child depends on the strength of the ejaculation, artificial insemination of women, the effect of the mother's imagination on the unborn child, and midwifery.
- A727.259 01 Sep 1786-29 Dec 1786 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes at Callendar House, on Callendar estate matters. Correspondents - Sir Michael Bruce of Stenhouse (1); Alexander Dickeson [Dickson], Falkirk(2-4, 7, 9, 12, 14, 15, 17- 19, 27); Mr Baird, Manuel Mill (5); George Dykes, Carron Shore (6); Mathew Steel, Falkirk (8); D Macnab, Bainsford (10);Mr Ramsay, Falkirk (11, 22, 23, 34); John Eiston [Easton], Edinburgh(13, 16); Mr McDonald (20); anonymous (21. 24); John Crawford, Whitecross (25); James Warrock [Warrack], Glasgow (26, 31, 33); Lewis Potter, Stenhouse Mill (28); Patrick Calder, Pirley Hill (29); Sir Alexander Livingstone of Westquarter (30); Alexander Melvill[Melville], Rossie (32); James Loudoun [Loudon], Grangemouth (35); Mrs M Maclean, West Calder (36); John Rankine [Rankin] junior, Falkir k(37); Joseph Udny, land surveyor, Linlithgow (38); William Marchell [Marshall] (39). (39 items)
- A727.260 04 Oct 1786 Copy letter to Mr Grant, Charleston, from William Forbes of Callendar, requesting a load of limestones.
- A727.261 18 Oct 1786 Medical prescription
- A727.262 03 Nov 1786-26 Sep 1787 Letter to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Wolstenholme, York,sending decorations for chimney pieces. Bill and receipt therefor. (3items)
- A727.263 1786-1812 Letters to Colonel, later General, John Ross from Jane, Duchess of Gordon, concerning patronage and giving news of family and friends.Early letters are written to Ross in India. 2 is enclosed letter from William Forsyth, 'one of those Forsyths at Huntly who give employmentto thousands of poor creatures'. 5 comments on William Pitt's social talents; 7 on the Warren Hastings' trial. 15 is written at Glenfidich[Glenfiddich], where she intends 'to build a

- shieling for goats whey'. (16 items)
- A727.264 1787-1822 Letters to Colonel, later General, John Ross from [4th] Duke of Gordon, in London and at Gordon Castle. Nos 1-4 are written to Ross in India, recommending young men going there. 5 concerns the financial embarrassment of Colonel Gordon. 6 comments on the very low temperature. 7 concerns aid for fitting Colonel Gordon's sons for India. (7 items)
- A727.265 01 Jun 1787-26 Jun 1787 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and his brothers, and other papers, concerning improvements to Callendar House. Correspondents -Carron Company (1-8,32); James Rennie junior, Leith (glass,9 10); JohnTaylor, Throsk (bricks, 11); Alexander Henderson, Falkirk (timber,12); John Johnston, Grangemouth (timber, 13); Marshall & Armstrong,Edinburgh (pipes, 14); E B Brazier, architect, London (15,16,25);Alexander Ramsay, Falkirk (slates, 17,18); James Lindsay & Co, Glasgow(slates, 19,21,28-30); William Miller, Glasgow (slates, 20,24,26);John Milne & Son, Edinburgh (locks, 27,33); John Bell, Camelon (slatenails, 31). (33 items)
- A727.266 01 Jan 1787-30 Jun 1787 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from John Taylor WS, Edinburgh, concerning legal matters, and servants and other requirements for Callendar House. (32 items)
- A727.267 01 Jan 1787-16 Jul 1787 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes from David Forbes, their brother, in London, incorporating accounts of their copper business and lists of articles shipped for Callendar House, and concerning these topics. (26 items)
- A727.268 01 Jan 1787-21 Nov 1787 Letters to David Forbes, in London, from William Forbes of Callendar,his brother, instructing on and concerning their copper business, financial matters, and furniture and personal and household articles to be obtained for Callendar House, including one hundred weight of hair powder (1), shoe blacking (4) and panes of glass (13). 18 refers to a plan, which has been cut from the letter and is missing. (19items)
- A727.269 01 Jan 1787-18 Dec 1787 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes, his brother,at Callendar House, on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - George Buchan Hepburn, Edinburgh (1,28); James & Andrew Tod [Todd], Bo'ness,concerning ship being fitted for the Greenland Fishery (2); Elizabeth Hamilton, Edinburgh (3,6); Sir William Fordyce (4,5); Mr Brimner[Bremner] (7); Mr and Mrs Steuart [Stewart], Edinburgh (8,9); GeorgeChalmers, Edinburgh, concerning a petition for the regulation of ofcustom house fees (10); William Wilson, Hawkhead (11); Colonel WilliamDalrymple (12,13); Alexander Fergusson [Ferguson] of Craigdarroch(14); Mr Macdonald, Muiravonside (15); Ambrose Tibbats, Dorrater[Dorrator] (16,18,25); Mr Anderson, Aberdeen (17); David Young, Perth, enclosing printed proposals for publishing by subscription Agriculture, the Primary Interest of Great Britain (19-21); W Finlason[Finlayson], Aberdeen (22,24); Mrs Forbes of Wattertone [Waterton](23); Alexander Laird, Grangemouth, proposing to fit out a ship forthe Davis Straits Fishery (26,27); Mrs Burnett of Kemnay (29); Lady Dundas (30). (30 items)
- A727.270 01 Jan 1787-23 Dec Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and John Taylor WS,

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concerning servants at and for Callendar House. Correspondents - Thomas Ross (1); Margaret Bowie, Beanston (2); Margaret Thomson, Falkirk (3); Thomas Smith, Edinburgh (4-10). (10 items)
- A727.271 02 Jan 1787-17 Dec 1787 Letters to Robert Forbes, at Callendar House, from William Forbes of Callendar, his brother, at London, Edinburgh and Berbeth, instructing him on work on Callendar estate and house, incorporating some lists of goods shipped, including glass and lead (6,7) and china (15); every room is to be 'quite plain' (3); designs to be taken from the 'Builders Magazine etc' (4); work at the Roman Wall (5,7); former Tryst ground to be planted (10); advice to avoid pickpockets in Edinburgh (11). (19 items)
- A727.272 03 Jan 1787 Letter to John Allinson, coal inspector, Callendar, from Patrick Calder, at Pirleyhill [Pirley Hill], where the colliers are not working.
- A727.273 03 Jan 1787-28 Nov 1787 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and other papers, concerning beer, wine and food stuffs supplied to Callendar House. Correspondents- James Andrew, Linlithgow (1,4,8,10); Allan & Steuart [Stewart], Leith (2,3,9,11,12); Jane Robinson, Edinburgh (5). (13 items)
- A727.274 03 Jan 1787-27 Oct 1787 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning estates for sale. Correspondents - John Buchan, Edinburgh (1,6,7,10); Thomas Tod [Todd] WS, Edinburgh, as tutor of Miss Ramsay of Blackcraig (2); Alexander Fergusson [Ferguson] of Craigdarroch (3,15,16); Mr Gloag, Edinburgh (4); Robert Houstoun [Houston], Glasgow (5,8,9,11-13); Alexander Grant, Hornsey (14). (16 items)
- A727.275 04 Jan 1787-28 Jun 1787 Letters to William Forbes and David Forbes, coppersmiths, London, on business matters. Correspondents - J Hodgskin, Chatham (1,9,26,31); George Smith, Sheerness (2,15,16,24,29); John Bradley, Portsmouth (3); Thomas Alldridge, Deptford (4,35); James Clyde, Woolwich (5,8,19,22,25,39); Richard Limbery, Bucklershard (6); H Peake, Deptford (7); John Greenway, Portsmouth (10-12,18); J Nelson, Sheerness (13,21); William Limbery, Deptford (14); Thomas Grant junior, Portsmouth (17); J Walley (20); John Morgan, Deptford (23,30); J Spence (27); John Kemsley, Chatham (28); John Hall & Co, Gothenburg [Goteborg, Sweden] (32); P Hellyer, Harwich (33,34); N Ware, Deptford (36-38). (39 items)
- A727.276 05 Jan 1787-26 Apr 1787 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes on Callendar estate matters. Correspondents - Lillias Leishman, Falkirk (1); (2); James Loudoun [Loudon], Grangemouth (3); James Adam, Falkirk (4); DMacnab, Bainsford (5,6); Alexander Dickeson [Dickson], Falkirk (7,8,16,22,23); James Meek, Falkirk (9); William McCalpin [McAlpine], Bonney Flour Mill (10,18); James Warroch [Warrack], Edinburgh (11); Sir Alexander Livingston [Livingstone] of Westquarter (12,15,32); David Binnie, Linlithgow (13,14); John Errach, Falkirk (17); Alexander Ramsay, Falkirk (19); James Henderson, Falkirk (20); Joseph Bogue [BOAG], Grangemouth (21); John Eiston [Easton], Edinburgh (24); James Binnie (25); William Phaup, Madiston [Maddiston] (26,30); John Ogilvie, Carronhouse (27,28); Patrick Baird, Bo'ness (29); Roger Hog [Hogg] of Newliston (31). (32 items)

- A727.277 09 Jan 1787-22 Dec 1787 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and David Forbes, in London, from George Forbes, their brother, in Aberdeen, concerning their metal businesses, financial arrangements, and articles required from London, especially a telescope; also concerning candlesticks (1); the possible purchase of the discharge from the army of a metal-worker (3,4, and11); coppers for dyeing (8-10); and a leaden pump needed for a well at the Manse of Old Aberdeen (16-18). (24 items)
- A727.278 16 Jan 1787-24 Dec 1787 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and David Forbes, in London, from correspondents in or near London, on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - Adam Watson (1,2,12,52); S T Adey [Eadie](3,4,13,14,18,23, 24, 30, 41, 46); R Wright (5); Charles Price(6,11,25); Mrs Sarah Price (7-9); J Stanley (10,15); Gregg [Greig],Potts & Gregg (16); Jean Watson (17,21); Elizabeth Abernethie[Abernethy] (19); Mr Morris, Lincoln's Inn (20); Dr J Morrison(22,27); Dr Farquharson (26,28); Mr Mearns (29,42,43); Mr Colquhoun(31); Lady Wallace (32-34); Mr Whitehead (35,48); Mr Fraser (36); SirWilliam Fordyce (37); Matthew Bloxam (38,40); T Christie (39); Jane Kerr, concerning smuggled sweetmeats (44); S Salomons (45); MrsFielding, Portsmouth (47); Mr Jopp (49,50); James Boadene (51). (52 items)
- A727.279 17 Jan 1787-26 Dec 1787 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and David and Robert Forbes from James Forbes, their brother, at Earlstoun [Kirkcudbright],concerning farming, particularly sheep, and estate matters there, with occasional inquiries about fashionable clothes; and vegetable seeds needed (2) and the civility of the New Galloway postmaster (13). (28 items)
- A727.280 23 Jan 1787-26 Dec 1787 Papers concerning furnishings and other articles for Callendar House, including letters from John Gloag, Edinburgh (damask, 2); James Bremner, Edinburgh (damask, 3,4); Messrs Seddon, [London] (beds, 6);Grant, Pellance & Co, Glasgow (carpeting, 14,15). (15 items)
- A727.281 24 Jan 1787-31 Dec 1787 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, concerning his estates in Galloway. Correspondents - Charles Wilson, Calside (1); Thomas Miller, Lord Justice Clerk (2,5); William Sloan, Earlstoun [Earlston] (3); Patrick Heron of Kirrouchtree [Kirroughtree] (4); Thomas Grierson, Edinburgh (6-10); David Russell, Edinburgh (11); Alexander Mackenzie,Edinburgh (12); James Cato [Catto], Berbeth. (13 items)
- A727.282 28 Jan 1787-17 Dec 1787 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and David Forbes, in London, from Robert Forbes, their brother, at Callendar House, reporting on and discussing detailed progress of work on the house, policies and estate, and family matters, and requesting articles from London; they select details from Brazier's designs (3); the location of Falkirk tryst is disputed (8); the kitchen maid is unsuitable - 'did she carry on her amours secretly she would be less blameable' (10); Carron Company has improved roads, being 'frightened with the idea of a toll'(12). (19 items)
- A727.283 10 Dec 1787-22 Dec 1787 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his Ayrshire estate. Correspondents - David Limond, Ayr (1,2); Richard Campbell, Ayr (3);Rev William McQuhae, minister of St Quivox (4,5). (5 items)

A727.284	21 Feb 1787-22 Dec 1787	Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on financial matters. Correspondents - Marsh & Creed (1); William Honyman [Honeyman], Edinburgh (2,3); John Eiston [Easton], Edinburgh (4); William Simpson, Royal Bank, Edinburgh (5,7,10,13-18); William Miller, Glasgow (6); James Gray, Edinburgh (8); James Saunders, Edinburgh (9); George Forbes, Nevis (11,12); Alexander Crichton, Edinburgh (19); Messrs Mears (20). (20 items)
A727.285	04 Mar 1787	Letter to Robert Forbes from Jean Forbes, his sister, in Aberdeen, concerning their mother.
A727.286	05 Mar 1787-12 Dec 1787	Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Alexander Douglas, London, concerning Douglas' purchase of the estate of Baads. Enclosures include estimate of house and barn to be built by a tenant (16) and rental of lands of Harwood, which John McIntosh offers for sale (21). (21 items)
A727.287	27 Mar 1787-30 Nov 1787	Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes, concerning supplies of grass, asparagus roots and clover. Correspondents - Dicksons & Fair, Edinburgh (1); Adam Gordon, Hermitage Park (2,3); A & W Driver, London (4). (4 items)
A727.288	31 Mar 1787	Letter to William Forbes of Callendar from Janet Abercrombie, his niece, in Aberdeen, reporting her grandmother's ill-health.
A727.289	01 May 1787-18 Dec 1787	Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes on Callendar estate matters. Correspondents - Joseph Bogue [Boag], Grangemouth (1); Alexander Ramsay, Falkirk (2,4,5,7); John Robert, Linlithgow (3); Sir Alexander Livingston [Livingstone] of Westquarter (6); John Ogilvie, Glasgow (8); James Fish, Shieldhill (9); Alexander Dickeson [Dickson], Falkirk (10,14,17-19); James Kincaid, Falkirk, concerning town water supply (11); John Allinson, Edinburgh (12); James Balderston, Falkirk (13); Lillias Leishman, Falkirk (15); Lewis Potter, Stenhouse Milns [Stenhouse Mills] (16); Lord Elphinstone (20-22); William Cadell, Carronpark (23); John Grant, Charlestown (24,26); John Eiston [Easton], Edinburgh (25); Andrew Russell, Tophill (27); James Meek, Falkirk (28,29,33); Guards officers, Linlithgow (30); Mrs Fergusson [Ferguson], Camelon (31); William McCalpin [McAlpine], Bonnyflour Mill (32); John Hardie, Almond (34). (34 items)
A727.290	18 May 1787-20 Jun 1787	Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, concerning the vacant church of Falkirk. Correspondents - Rev John Muir, Falkirk (1); Rev William Finlay [Findlay], minister of Polmont (2); John Buchan, Edinburgh (3); Alexander Gordon, Lord Rockville (4,5); James Anderson, Aberdeen (6). (6 items)
A727.291	18 May 1787-10 Sep 1787	Letters announcing deaths of Rev John Aitcheson [Aitchison], minister of Falkirk; Mrs Elizabeth MacDonald of Largie; Gilbert Laurie [Lawrie], Polmont. (6 items)
A727.292	29 May 1787-19 Jun 1787	Letters to David Forbes, in London, from Michael Herries, Dumfries, describing the brewing copper he requires for the brewhouse 'for family use' in his house at Spottes. (3 items)
A727.293	27 Jun 1787-29 Jun 1787	Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from James Meek, collector of poors rates for parish of Falkirk, containing his account and a valuation of Forbes' lands in the parish. (2 items)
A727.294	01 Jul 1787-28 Dec	Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from John Taylor

	1787	WS, Edinburgh, and copies of replies, on legal matters, particularly the action against Colonel Livingston [Livingstone], and estates for sale. (43 items)
A727.295	01 Jul 1787-29 Dec 1787	Letters to William Forbes and David Forbes, coppersmiths, London, on business matters. Correspondents - J Hodgskin, Chatham (1,2,6,28,45); Henry Peake, Woolwich (2); P Hellyer, Harwich (3,17); J Greenway, Portsmouth (4,11,14,22,29,33,37,48); Thomas Mitchell, Sheerness (5,6); N Ware, Deptford (7,30,49); William Rule, Sheerness (8,13,41); J Edwards, Cornwall (9,10,18,47); John Kemsley, Chatham (12); Thomas Alldridge, Deptford (15); Edward Brine, Portsmouth (16); George Smith, Sheerness (19,23,34); Henry Cort, Fareham (20); George Bowser (21,31); Henry Chawner (24) Captain Oliver, East India House (25); W Mathews, Deptford (27); Richard Clark, Queenborough (32,38,43,44,46); James Clyde, Woolwich (35,39,40); William Mears (36); John Wright, Dudley (42). (49 times)
A727.296	06 Jul 1787-28 Dec 1787	Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and his brothers, and other papers, concerning improvements to Callendar House. Correspondents - John Milne & Son, Edinburgh (locks, 1,19); Joseph Bogue [Boag], Grangemouth (timber, 2-5,21); James Whyte [White], Leith (marble for chimney-piece, 6,9,14,16); Carron Company (7,17); Alexander Laird, Grangemouth (timber, 8); William McGowan, Alloa (slates, 10); Bell, Wright & Co, Camelon (hinges, 11-13,15,22); Alexander Jameson [Jamieson], Throsk (bricks, 18); James Liddell, Edinburgh ('ornaments for the top of the stair case, similar to those on the Regesture Office', 20). (22 items)
A727.297	04 Oct 1787-11 Oct 1787	Letters to John McAdam of Craigengillan from Alexander Fergusson [Ferguson] of Craigdarroch, who wishes to sell his sheep farms in the Head of Dalwhat Water to William Forbes of Callendar. (2 items)
A727.298	29 Oct 1787-24 Dec 1787	Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes from David Forbes, their brother, in London, incorporating accounts of their copper business and lists of articles shipped for Callendar House, and concerning these topics, including an account for silver plate (1) and the fashionable colours of carpets (6). (11 items)
A727.299	31 Dec 1787	Letter to William Forbes of Callendar from John Loudoun [Loudon] McAdam at Ayr, concerning an estimate for a yard dyke at the shore of Ayr.
A727.300	1787-1788	Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Katherine Macadam [McAdam], his mother-in-law, at Berbeth, on family matters. 2 concerns his marriage - 'my opinion is you should not come here till you meant to put the Ceremony over'. (4 items)
A727.301	1787-1789	Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from John McAdam of Craigengillan, his father-in-law, at Berbeth, on estate and family matters. (18 items)
A727.302	1787-1789	Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, David and Robert Forbes from Janet Dyce, their mother, in Aberdeen, on personal and family matters. (29 items)
A727.303	1787-1789	Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and David Forbes from Dr Robert Forbes, their uncle, in Nairn, and Anne Forbes, his daughter, on personal and family matters. He

- wishes to buy a pianoforte second-hand in London (9). (11 items)
- A727.304 1787-1789 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and David Forbes from James Allardyce, their brother-in-law, in Aberdeen, and Alexander Allardyce of Dunnottar [Dunottar], his brother, in Aberdeen and London, on various topics, mainly personal. (11 items)
- A727.305 1787-1789 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes from John Abercrombie Junior, their brother-in-law, Aberdeen, on family matters, particularly his sons' prospects. 10 is enclosed letter from David Forbes concerning William Abercrombie's vexatious refusal to continue his naval education. (10 items)
- A727.306 1787-1789 Letters to David Forbes, in London, from John Abercrombie junior, his brother-in-law, Aberdeen, concerning financial arrangement, and family matters, particularly his sons, Robert, who is sent to France to learn the language, and William, 'a perverse boy', best suited for a career at sea. No 1 refers to olive oil ordered from Leghorn. (34 items)
- A727.307 01 Jan 1788-26 Jun 1788 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from David Forbes, his brother, in London, concerning their copper business, incorporating accounts thereof, and also financial matters, furniture and other articles for Callendar House, including floor-cloth and clover seeds, and family matters, including a visit from their nephew Robert Abercrombie on his way to France. 'That fiddle faddle creature Brazier' exhibits the plans (18). 29 is written from Aberdeen. (29 items)
- A727.308 01 Jan 1788-02 Sep 1788 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from purveyors of carriages, horses and harness. Correspondents - Home [Hume], Cleghorn & Wilson, coachmakers, Edinburgh (1-3,7,9,10); George Turner, Falkirk (4); James Howie, Eaglesham (5); W Dumbreck, Edinburgh (6); Alexander Crichton, Edinburgh (8,11). (11 items)
- A727.309 02 Jan 1788-24 Dec 1788 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes from James Forbes, their brother, at Earlstoun, concerning estate and farming matters, particularly sheep farming. 4 also concerns servants. 2 6 incorporates rental of Barskeoch and other lands Subsequent letters record payments of rent. (32 items)
- A727.310 03 Jan 1788-30 Jun 1788 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate matters. Correspondents - Alexander Dickeson [Dickson], Falkirk(1,10,19); William Phaup, Madiston [Maddiston] (2,13); AndrewMuirhead, Camelon (3); James Meek, Falkirk (4); Joseph Bogue [Boag], Grangemouth (5,7,14,20), Andrew Russell, Rosebank (6); John Ogilvie, Carronhouse (8,12), James McVey, Glensburgh (9); Milne & Graham, Bo'ness (11); John Taylor and William Ferguson, Bainsford (15); Mr Ramsay, Falkirk (16); William Baird, Bo'ness (17); James Russell, Blackbraes (18); Sir Alexander Livingston [Livingstone] of Westquarter(21-23); Alexander Baird, Alloa (24); William Cadell, Carronpark, withenclosures concerning mutiny and desertion of colliers at Grange(25-30): Andrew Wallace. Forthside (31): James Baird, Kennetpans, naming workmen (32). (32 items)
- A727.311 03 Jan 1788-15 Jul 1788 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and his wife, concerning furnishings for Callendar House. Correspondents - Grant, Pellance & Co, Glasgow (carpets,

- 1, 2, 6, 8); James Liddle [Liddell], Edinburgh(3-5, 7, 15); Ebenezer Gairdner [Gardner], Edinburgh (linen, 9-14,16). (16 items)
- A727.312 03 Jan 1788-09 Sep 1788 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and others concerning servants at and for Callendar House, including gardeners. Correspondents -Thomas Smith, Edinburgh (1-4, 12, 16, 23); William Wilson, Hawkhead (5-7, 10, 11); Robert Heriot, seedsman, Edinburgh (8); James Hay,Edinburgh (9); William McCall, Gibsyard (13, 19); John McTier,hostler, Stirling (14); Home [Hume], Cleghorn & Wilson, Edinburgh(15); Janet Manners, Edinburgh (17, 18, 24); Alexander Walker,Edinburgh, discussing a cook's perquisites (20-22); John Smith,Edinburgh (25, 26); R Belsches [Belses], Edinburgh (27); WalterSkirving, Edinburgh (28); Robert Houstoun [Houston], Glasgow (29). (29items)
- A727.313 04 Jan 1788-30 Oct 1788 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and his wife on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - Mrs Fergusson [Ferguson], Camelon (1); Sir Michael Bruce of Stenhouse (2); William Cadell, Carronpark (3, 6);John Strachan, Woodside (4, 35); Mrs Maxwell, Carriden (5); Sir William Cuninghame [Cunningham] of Auchinskeith [Auchenskeith] (7, 8);Mr Mackintosh [McIntosh], Edinburgh (9); Alexander Fergusson[Ferguson] of Craigdarroch (10, 11); Jean Rorison [Rorrison], Ardoch(12); Mr Morehead [Moorhead], Herbertshire (13, 20, 34); ThomasMiller, Lord President (14, 15); William Honyman [Honeyman], Edinburgh(16, 19); David Steuart [Stewart], Edinburgh (17, 24, 28, 29); JohnSmart, Stirling (18); Mr Hamilton, Grangemouth (21); Mr Craig (22);Frances Cunningham, Auchinskeith [Auchenskeith] (23, 27, 33); Lady Dundas of Kerse (25, 26); Alexander Fairlie [Fairley] of Fairlie (30);Alexander Walker, Walker's Hotel, Edinburgh (31); Thomas Wingate,Stirling (32); Miss C Hart, Edinburgh (36). (36 items)
- A727.314 07 Jan 1788-26 Nov 1788 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and other papers concerning supply to him of food, wine and household goods. Correspondents - Jane Robinson, Edinburgh (1, 25); Robert Burn, Longniddry (4, 9, 20, 26,37, 38, 43, 56, 57); George Anderson, Glasgow (5, 7, 10, 15, 16, 18,22, 39, 40, 42); John Stewart, Edinburgh (6, 14); William Boyd, Falkirk (11, 13, 21, 24, 27, 29, 31, 33, 36, 41, 51, 52, 54, 55);Alexander Hendrie [Hendry], Edinburgh (12, 23); William Davidson,basket maker, Edinburgh (17); Allan, Steuart [Stewart] & Co, Leith(19, 34, 35, 45, 48-50, 53, 58, 59); John Brebner [Bremner], Edinburgh(28); James Dalrymple & Son, Falkirk (30); James Alexander, Stirling(32); James Andrew, Linlithgow (44, 62); John Dick, Edinburgh (46,47); John Sligo, Leith (60); Charles Heath, London (61); AndrewCassels, Leith (63). (63 items)
- A727.315 10 Jan 1788-29 Dec 1788 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes from the Carron Company, and copies of replies, mainly concerning coal supplied by Forbes to the Company and an iron gate for Callendar House, also mentioning Bonnyhill ironstone works and Dunipace reservoir. (49items)
- A727.316 11 Jan 1788-31 May 1788 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from John Taylor WS, Edinburgh, concerning legal matters, particularly the process against Colonel Livingston [Livingstone]. (31 items)

- A727.317 16 Jan 1788 Letter to William Forbes of Callendar from Alexander Mitchelson, chairman of the Governors of Dumfries and Galloway Infirmary about the need for a lunatic asylum. Enclosed: printed report of the state of the Infirmary for year ended 30 April 1787. (2 items)
- A727.318 16 Jan 1788-28 Oct 1788 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and David Forbes, in London, from Captain W Finlason [Finlayson], Aberdeen, and his nephew, William Duthie, who is going to Jamaica. (4 items)
- A727.319 17 Jan 1788-31 Dec 1788 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and David Forbes in London from correspondents in or near London, on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - S.T. Adey [Eadie] (1, 3, 15); H Fletcher (2); Mr Bloxam (4); Jane Watson (5, 7-9, 11); Dr Farquharson (6, 12); John Stanley (10); Richard Nicholls [Nicol], Ember (13); Adam Watson (14). (15 items)
- A727.320 18 Jan 1788-10 Dec 1788 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, Robert and David Forbes concerning improvements at Callendar House. Correspondents - Carron Company (1, 9, 11); Marshall & Armstrong, plumbers, Edinburgh (2, 5); Alexander Ramsay, Falkirk (slates, 3); Bell, Wright & Co, Camelon (nails, slate, timber, ironwork, 4, 6, 8, 13, 14, 18, 19, 21, 26, 27, 32, 33, 35, 37-39, 41-44); E B Brazier, architect, London (7, 31); Alexander Henderson, Falkirk (timber, 10); William Maclean, Falkirk (12); John Glass & Son, Stirling (white lead, 15); James Rennie, Leith (whitening, 16); Thomas Duncanson, Falkirk (oils and paints, 17, 20, 22, 28); Alexander Manners, Edinburgh (glass, 23, 24, 45); John Rankine [Rankin], Falkirk (timber, 25); Alexander McArra [McAra], Carronshore (slates, 29); J Spence (lead pipes, 30); William Deas, Throsk (pantiles, 34); James Nicol, Grangemouth (slate, 40). (45 items)
- A727.321 22 Jan 1788-25 Nov 1788 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Alexander Douglas, London, concerning his estate of Baads, which Forbes administers for him. Rent account enclosed (15). (21 items)
- A727.322 30 Jan 1788-26 Mar 1788 Letters to Jane Macadam and Mrs Forbes of Callendar from Messrs Bow & Co, Edinburgh, sending ribbons and flannel, and James Brown, Edinburgh, concerning stays. (2 items)
- A727.323 30 Jan 1788-28 Nov 1788 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Wingate, Stirling, concerning mainly legal matters relating to the estate of Callendar. 8 is note of taxes due. 12 is minute of Turnpike meeting at Falkirk. (16 items)
- A727.324 05 Feb 1788-27 Dec 1788 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, concerning his estates in Galloway. Correspondents - Thomas Grierson, Edinburgh (1, 5-11, 17, 23) with enclosed estimates of repairs on farmhouses and dykes (18-20); Robert Gracie, Fingland and Dalmellington (2, 4); Rev. Alexander McGowan, minister of Dalry (3); Rev. John Gillespie, minister of Kells (12, 14); John McMillan, Brockloch (13, 25); Thomas Miller, Lord President (15, 16, 26, 27); Alexander Brown, Craignell (21); Alexander Fergusson [Ferguson] of Craigdarroch (22); Charles Wilson, Kirkcudbright (24). (27 items)
- A727.325 07 Feb 1788-31 Dec 1788 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his Ayrshire estate. Correspondents - David Limond, Ayr (1-3, 5); Sir Adam Fergusson [Ferguson] of Kilkeran (4); Rev. [John] McDermeit [McDiarmid], minister of Straiton (6);

- Thomas McPherson, Berbeth (7); Rev. William McQuhae, minister of St Quivox (8); Mungo Smith, Drongan (9); Sir William Cuningham [Cunningham] of Auchinskeith [Auchenskeith] (10). (10 items)
- A727.326 11 Feb 1788-31 Dec 1788 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning estates for sale. Correspondents - Alexander Fergusson [Ferguson] of Craigdarroch (1,2); Sir William Cunningham of Auchinskeith [Auchenskeith] (3-6, 8); John Buchan, Edinburgh (7, 10) enclosing rental of lands of Carlingwark (11); Alexander Ramsay, Leslie (9); John Fleming of Craigs (12, 13, 21-23); Robert Fergusson [Ferguson], Millmark (14); George Russell, Glasgow (15); Thomas Marshall, Lauriestoun [Laurieston] (16); Robert Houstoun [Houston], Aikenhead (17); Thomas Grierson, Edinburgh (18, 20); John Eiston [Easton], Edinburgh (19); John Neilson, Falkirk (24, 25). (25 items)
- A727.327 12 Feb 1788-31 Dec 1788 Letters to David Forbes, in London, from William Forbes of Callendar, his brother, instructing on and concerning their copper business and navy bills and requiring personal articles and articles for Callendar House, with a few mentions of estate and family matters. 17 includes list of plants and vines required. 'The coal operation here [Callendar] will prevent me from beginning a nursery at Earlston [Earlstoun] this year' (21). 31 is enclosed sketch of roof ornaments. (33 items)
- A727.328 18 Feb 1788-25 Dec 1788 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and his brothers concerning the gardens at Callendar House. Correspondents - A & W Driver, London (1, 13-15); Dicksons & Fair, Edinburgh (2-5, 10, 11, 16-18); Andrew Mitchell and James Bain, bricklayers, Leith (6); C Sealy, artificia lstone manufactory, Lambeth (7, 9); Deas & Buchan, Edinburgh (8, 12). 3 is list of seeds wanted. (18 items)
- A727.329 19 Feb 1788-31 Dec 1788 Letters to William Forbes and David Forbes, coppersmiths, London, on business matters. Correspondents - Richard Clark, Queensborough (1); John Greenway, Portsmouth (2, 7, 19, 27, 28, 37, 39, 45-47); James Clyde, Woolwich (3, 10, 17, 18, 20, 31); John Hodgskin, Chatham (4, 6, 15, 43, 48, 52, 53); Mr Dutton, Woolwich (5, 38); James Whyte [White], Leith (8); J Pownoll, Plymouth (9); Hilary Andoe, Bordeaux (11, 12); Thomas Pollard, Plymouth (13, 14, 21, 32, 51); Robert Mitchell, London (16); J Edwards (22); W Knight, Glamorganshire (23); Graham & Wardrop's, Glasgow (24); George Bowser (25, 26); George Teait [Tait], Sheerness (29, 30, 35); Edward Shelley, Lambeth (33, 41, 42); John Hassell, Deptford (34); J Warner (40); George Cruikshank, Aberdeen (44); J Vinall, Rochester (49, 50)
- A727.330 28 Feb 1788-01 May 1789 Letters to David Forbes, in London, from Robert Forbes, his brother, at Callendar, ordering lady's shoes (1), describing progress on the coal works (2), ornamental vases required (3), and progress in the gardens (4 and 5). (5 items)
- A727.331 02 Mar 1788-21 Sep 1789 Letters to Robert Forbes, at Callendar, from William Forbes of Callendar, his brother, at Berbeth, Fairlie and Ayr, instructing about Callendar estate matters and concerning his south-west estates. Cattle are to be taken from Callendar to Earlstoun. (5 items)
- A727.332 04 Mar 1788-02 Dec 1788 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Robert Forbes, his brother, at Callendar, reporting on William's various

- concerns. (3items)
- A727.333 12 Mar 1788-24 Dec 1788 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from William Simpson, Royal Bank, Edinburgh, and other financial papers. (16 items)
- A727.334 15 Mar 1788-24 Dec 1789 Letters to David Forbes, in London, from George Forbes, his brother, in Aberdeen, concerning their metal businesses, including trade with Gothenburg [Goteborg, Sweden] and Memel [Klaipeda, Lithuania], financial arrangements and articles required from London, including mocha coffee (no 1 - 'We every day take coffee in the morning'), a good edition of Virgil (12) and a bell for the kirk of Glenbervie (17). In 2 he describes the painting of his front room. (24 items)
- A727.335 03 Apr 1788 Letter to [William Forbes of Callendar] from Roderick Macleod, provost of Aberdeen, asking a subscription towards a new town house with rooms for an English and Latin School. Enclosed: subscription list. (2 items)
- A727.336 09 May 1778-22 Nov 1778 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from George Main, Falkirk, on legal matters. (9 items)
- A727.337 05 Jun 1788-25 Dec 1788 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from John Taylor WS, concerning legal matters. (38 items)
- A727.338 19 Jun 1788-01 Jul 1788 Letters between Robert Mitchell, in London, and David Forbes at Callendar House, concerning the copper business, which Mitchell is managing in Forbes' absence. (2 items)
- A727.339 05 Jul 1788-26 Dec 1788 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate, including colliery matters. Correspondents - Nicol Baird, Kelvinhead (1); Joseph Bogue [Boag], Grangemouth (2, 24, 34, 35, 37-39); William Thomson, Bainsford (3); James Henderson, Falkirk (4, 11, 19); John Mackie, Carronshore (5); Duncan Macnab, coastwaiter at Camelon, concerning shipping of coal (6, 7, 12, 13); John Watt, Falkirk (8, 10); Ambrose Tibbats, Carron (9); Alexander Jameson, Grange Pans Brickwork (14); John Rankine [Rankin], Falkirk (15); Bo'ness colliers (16); John Bell, Camelon (17); John Wach [Waugh], Wester Inch (18); David [illegible], Cumbernauld (20); Dr John Roebuck, Bo'ness, concerning women coal-bearers (21, 22); James Prat [Pratt], Dunmore Park (23); George Williamson, Redden (25); Andrew Russell, Tophill (26); William Cadell, Carronpark (27); J Livingston [Livingstone], Parkhall (28); Alexander Ramsay, Leslie (29); Peter Henderson, Falkirk (30); Robert Mitchell, Ochiltree (31); Colonel Thomas Dundas, Carronhall (32); William Pate, Camelon (33?); Andrew Longmoor [Longmuir], Kerse (36); Masonic Lodge of Falkirk (40). (40 items)
- A727.340 07 Jul 1788-29 Dec 1788 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes from David Forbes, their brother, in London, concerning their copper business, incorporating accounts thereof, and financial matters, improvements at and furniture and other articles for Callendar House, including artificial stone figures, lead pipes and a fowling piece, and getting their nephew William Abercrombie on an East Indies ship. 10 contains particulars of new dock work for Plymouth. 25 and 27 contain sketches of exterior vases. (30 items)
- A727.341 28 Jul 1788-28 Nov 1788 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning timber supplied him, mainly for his colliery. Correspondents - Ambrose Tibbats, Carron (1, 2); Alexander Henderson,

- Falkirk (3, 5, 19); James Dalgleish, Bo'ness (4, 6, 7, 9-15, 20); Joseph Bogue [Boag], Grangemouth (8, 18); Andrew Russell, Tophill (16); Alexander Laird, Grangemouth (17); Henry Swinton, Grangemouth (21). (21 items)
- A727.342 13 Dec 1788 Letter to Mrs Forbes of Callendar from Jane Macadam, her sister, at Berbeth. Personal.
- A727.343 1788-1789 Letters to David Forbes, in London, from Robert Abercrombie, his nephew, in Paris, concerning his education there. A separate paper describing political events (July 1789) is unsigned 'a cause que toutes les lettres ... sont examinees' (9, 10). (12 items)
- A727.344 1788-1789 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from George Forbes, brother, in Aberdeen, on personal matters, Captain Finlason's [Finlayson] nephew(2) and pickled salmon sent to London (3, 4). (9 items)
- A727.345 1788-1789 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Quintin Macadam, his brother-in-law, at Bourges [France], commenting on the political situation in France. (4 items)
- A727.346 01 Jan 1789-30 Jun 1789 Letters to William Forbes and David Forbes, coppersmiths, London, on business matters. Correspondents - Robert Deans, Plymouth (1); Harford & Co, Bristol (2); Thomas Wood (3); Thomas Pollard, Plymouth (4); N Phillipps [Phillips], Chatham (5, 16); J Vinale, Rochester (6); John Greenway, Portsmouth (7); John & William Partridge, Ross (8); Thomas Haite, Chatham (9); George Smith, Sheerness (10, 17); G Parkins, Chatham (11, 19); John Hodgskin, Chatham (12, 15); Mr Kevern, Chatham (13); Mr Alldridge, Deptford (14, 23); Charles Turner, Deptford (18, 22); Mr Clyde, Woolwich (20); Robert Shirras, Chelsea (21); Daniel Wilkins, Chatham (24); Mr Ware, Deptford (25). (25 items)
- A727.347 05 Jan 1789-29 Jun 1789 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate matters. Correspondents - Joseph Bogue [Boag], Grangemouth (1, 4, 6, 7, 43, 44); Henry Swinton, Grangemouth (2); Thomas Duncanson, Falkirk (3); Lord Fincastle (5); James Stark junior, Camelon (8, 14); James Henderson, Falkirk (9); Mr Morehead [Muirhead] (10); Alexander Dickeson [Dickson], Falkirk (11-13, 15); James Dalgleish, Bo'ness (16); John Muir, Blackbrae [Blackbraes] (17); John Eiston [Easton], Edinburgh (18, 20, 21, 34); Earl of Elgin (19); Sir Alexander Livingstone of Westquarter (22-25, 28, 31, 37, 39, 40); Lewis Potter, Roughlands (26); John Ogilvie, Carronhouse (27); John Cook, Falkirk (29); Dr John Roebuck, Bo'ness (30); William Callander, Falkirk (32); Charles Lockhart, Muiravonside (33); Peter Taylor, Banknock (35); John Wallace, Bathgate (36); Alexander Binning [Binnie], Harthill (38); William Cadell, Carronpark (41); George Hart, Bo'ness (42); Andrew Longmoor [Longmuir], Kerse (45-47); William Dobbie, Larbert Miln (48); John Dick, Linlithgow (49); Thomas Smith, Edinburgh (50); Mary Hay Leishman, Falkirk (51); John McQueen, Falkirk, advising on burning limestone (52). 23 and 40 are enclosed minutes of road trustees. (52 items)
- A727.348 05 Jan 1789-27 Jul 1789 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from David Forbes, his brother, in London, concerning their copper business, incorporating accounts thereof, articles sent to Callendar House, including stone ornaments and Gibbons' History, and proposed naval career for nephew William

- Abercrombie. (30 items)
- A727.349 05 Jan 1789-18 Dec 1789 Letters to David Forbes, in London, from William Forbes of Callendar, his brother, instructing on and concerning their copper business and financial and some family matters, and requiring articles, personal and for Callendar House, including bells for the gates (1), a wedding ring (4), chamberpots (9) and doorplates (34). James Forbes is to buy an estate in Aberdeenshire (11). 'The work at Callender is now finished...nothing remains but to paint and paper the house'(15). 19 includes a list of servants. (36 items)
- A727.350 10 Jan 1789-25 Dec 1789 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Alexander Douglas, London, and enclosures, concerning his estate of Baads. (17 items)
- A727.351 13 Jan 1789-29 Aug 1789 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on financial matters Correspondents - William Simpson, Royal Bank, Edinburgh (1-4); George Home [Hume], Edinburgh (5, 6). (6 items)
- A727.352 13 Jan 1789-21 Nov 1789 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes, and related papers, concerning the gardens and policies at Callendar House. Correspondents - William Mathie, Bo'ness (3); Dicksons & Fair,Edinburgh (5, 6, 8, 10-16, 19, 20); Thomas McGrigor [McGregor], Calder New Bridge (7); William Durham, Falkirk (9); John Richmond & Co,Edinburgh (17); Joseph Udney, Linlithgow (18). No 1 is list of seeds wanted. (24 items)
- A727.353 17 Jan 1789-29 Dec 1789 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from John Taylor WS, Edinburgh, on legal and some estate matters. 18 is enclosed certificate of possession by Thomas Callendar, smith in Falkirk, of land there. (33items)
- A727.354 17 Jan 1789-08 Jul 1789 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his Ayrshire estate from (1) David Limond, Ayr, and (2) John Hunter, Edinburgh. (2 items)
- A727.355 23 Jan 1789-13 Oct 1789 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes from the Carron Company, concerning articles provided, including a weighing machine and gates, and estate matters. (21 items)
- A727.356 23 Jan 1789-16 Dec 1789 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Wingate, Stirling, on legal matters concerning the estate of Callendar. (33 items)
- A727.357 26 Jan 1789-28 Jun 1789 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - Roderick Macleod, Aberdeen (1); Alexander Fergusson[Ferguson] of Craigdarroch (2, 8, 18); H Hatton, Kelso, concerning thenunnery of Manuel (3); William Honyman [Honeyman], Edinburgh (4, 5,9); George Buchan Hepburn, Edinburgh (6); Alexander Stewart MP, London(7); Mrs D Fergusson [Ferguson] of Craigdarroch (10, 11); William Oatt, Falkirk (12); Francis Lumsden, Belcherrie (13); R Belsches[Belses], Edinburgh (14); Janet Dick, Dalry (15); James Thomson & Son,Edinburgh (16); Agnes Johnston, Lauriestoun (17); Sir William Cuninghame [Cunningham] of Auchinskeith [Auchenskeith] (19). (19 items)
- A727.358 02 Feb 1789-03 Nov 1789 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from correspondents in or near London on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - Richard Cracroft (1);R Morris (2); Matthew Bloxam (3); Richard Nichols [Nicol], Hounslow(4). (4 items)
- A727.359 03 Feb 1789-20 Oct 1789 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning decoration and furnishings of Callendar House.

- Correspondents - Bell, Wright & Co, Camelon (nails, 1, 16); William Crawford, Bo'ness (pottery, 2); Thomas Duncanson, Falkirk (oil and paint, 3, 4, 17); John Miln & Son, Edinburgh (spoons, 5); James Liddle [Liddell], Edinburgh (furniture, 6, 12); Robert Muir, Bo'ness (nails, 7); Alexander Walker, Edinburgh (mirrors and paintings, 8, 13); John Madinae, Edinburgh ('original paintings', including by Poussin and Rembrant, 9); David Thomson, Edinburgh (paintings, 10); John Williamson, Edinburgh (paintings, 11); William Deas, Throsk (pots, 14); James Goodwin, Edinburgh (ice houses, 15).
- A727.360 04 Feb 1789-19 Dec 1789 Letters to David Forbes, in London, on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - Dr Farquharson (1); Jane Watson (2, 7-9, 11, 12, 15, 16, 21, 22); Thomas Christie (3, 4); Lady Wallace (5); Adam Watson, in Clerkenwell [prison] (6, 17, 30); Mr Fergusson [Ferguson] (10); Mrs Burnett of Disblair (13); George Gordon, concerning Charles Colville, captured by Algerians (14); Messrs Seddon [Sneddon?] (18); Dr John Touch [Tough], Edinburgh (19); John Maver [Mavor] (20); J Warner (23); Thomas Smith, Edinburgh (24); Mr Sim (25); Vere, Lucadov, Troughton & Co, bankers, London (26, 27); William Cuninghame [Cunningham], 17th Regiment, Chatham and Windsor (28, 32); Mr Whitehead (29); Mr Farquhar (31). (32 items)
- A727.361 07 Mar 1789-31 Dec 1789 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in Galloway. Correspondents - Thomas Grierson WS, Edinburgh (1-3, 5, 9, 10, 17, 23); Rev John Gillespie, minister at Kells (4, 7); Rev Alexander McGowan, minister of Dalry (6); Samuel Clark, Earlstoun (8, 11, 13, 16, 19, 22, 24, 26); James Carson, Barscobe (12); William Crinzian, schoolmaster, Moniaive (14); a road trustee of county of Dumfries (15); David Kennedy, Knocknalling (18); George McKertnay [McCartney], Bachkan (20); James Fallas, Blawquhairn (21); Thomas McPherson, Berbeth (25); James Newall, Stranfasket (27). (27 items)
- A727.362 08 Mar 1789-21 Mar 1789 Letters to David Forbes, in London, from William Abercrombie, his nephew, about to sail [to Jamaica], and from Captain George Craik, concerning William. (5 items)
- A727.363 11 Mar 1789-12 Oct 1789 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from George Main, Falkirk, and James Henderson, there, on legal matters. (8 items)
- A727.364 11 Mar 1789-28 Dec 1789 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, his wife and Robert Forbes, concerning servants. Correspondents - John Henderson, Edinburgh (1, 9, 15); W Graham of Airth (2); Ambrose Tibbats, Dorrater [Dorrator] (3); Thomas Smith, Edinburgh (4-7, 11, 12, 16); Alexander Walker, Edinburgh (8); Mr Leburn, Edinburgh (10); Mr Manners, Edinburgh (13); James Lochhead, cook (14, 17). (17 items)
- A727.365 16 Mar 1789-28 Dec 1789 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and other papers, concerning estates for sale. Correspondents - Alexander Mackenzie, Edinburgh and London (1-3, 35); Alexander Fergusson [Ferguson] of Craigdarroch (5-7, 9, 26, 30, 31); Thomas Grierson, Edinburgh (10); John Newall, Rammerscales (11, 13); John McAdam, Ayr (12, 14); George Russell, Glasgow (15, 23, 24); Thomas Smith, Edinburgh (16, 21, 25, 32, 33); Henry Swinton, Grangemouth (17); William Smith, Maxwellton (18);

- A727.366 02 Apr 1789-30 Dec 1789 George Russell, Glasgow (20, 29); James Newall, Stranfasket (22); James Loch, Edinburgh (27); John Gibson, Linlithgow (28); James Carson, Barscobe (34) (35 items) Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and his wife concerning supply of wine, food and other articles. Correspondents - James Andrew, Linlithgow (1, 14); John Stewart, Edinburgh (2); Henry Swinton, Grangemouth (3); Andrew Cassels, junior, Leith (4-8, 25-27); Alexander Crichton, Edinburgh (9); James Alexander, wine merchant, Stirling (10); Robert Burn, Longniddry (11); Bells & Rannie, Leith (12, 15-17, 19, 21, 22, 28); Brebner [Bremner] & Co, Aberdeen (13); J Dalrymple & Son, Falkirk (18, 20); William Fraser, Edinburgh (23, 24). (28 items)
- A727.367 08 May 1789-27 Jul 1789 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from James Forbes, his brother, in Edinburgh and Aberdeen, reporting how he has left matters at Earlstoun (1), concerning Mr Johnston the surveyor's advice on liming (2), and his finances (3). (3 items)
- A727.368 02 Jul 1789-31 Dec 1789 Letters to William Forbes and David Forbes, coppersmiths, London, on business matters. Correspondents - John Hodgskin, Chatham (1, 6, 7, 15, 16, 20, 21, 23, 29, 35, 40); John Hall & Co, Gothenburg [Goteborg, Sweden] (2); William Gilbert, Portsmouth (3); John Greenway, Portsmouth (4, 5, 11, 37); James Clyde, Woolwich (8-10, 13, 24, 27, 28, 31, 32); Thomas Netherton, Plymouth (12, 18, 19); W Hellyer, Portsmouth (14); Mr Pollard, Plymouth (17, 25); John Freeman & Co, Bristol (22); Daniel Wilkins, Chatham (26, 30); John Lloyd, Plymouth (33); Thomas Alldridge, Deptford (34); Richard Rooke, Houndsditch (36); Mr Swan, Chatham (38); N Phillipps [Phillips], Chatham (39); Marsh & Creed (41); John S James, Bristol (42). (42 items)
- A727.369 03 Jul 1789-28 Dec 1789 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate, including turnpike roads. Correspondents - Andrew Longmoor [Longmuir], Kerse (1); William Livingstone, Broomagehall [Broomage Hall] (2); Joseph Bogue [Boag], Grangemouth (3, 6); John Gibson, Falkirk (4); Andrew Russell, Rosebank (5); John Currie, Manuel Mill (7); George Main, Falkirk (8); James Henderson, Falkirk (9); T Livingston [Livingstone], Parkhall (10); Mr Riddell, Dunipace (11, 12); Mr Meek, Falkirk (13); Colonel Dundas, Carronhall (14, 15); John Gibson, Glasgow (16); John Mackie, Carronshore (17); Donald Matheson, Falkirk (18); John Campbell, writer, Stirling (19); R Graham of Gartmore (20); Colonel Dalrymple (21); William Cadell, Carronpark (22); James Kincaid, Falkirk (23); J Fergusson [Ferguson] of Pitfour M.P. (24); James Stark, Camelon (25); R Belsches [Belses], Dunmore Park (26); Henry Jaffray [Jeffrey], Stirling (27); John Risk, Linlithgow Bridge (28); Elizabeth Grumm, Linlithgow Bridge (29); George Gibson, Grangemouth (30); John Inglis, Haining Mill (31); William Boyd (32); George Dempster, Dunnichen (33, 35); David Boyd, Prastick (34); Robert Banks, Stirling (39); Mr Banks, Whiteside (40); William Glen, Forganhall (41); Lord Fincastle (42); Alexander Henderson, Falkirk (43). 36-38 are copies of letters from Forbes, concerning the liming of his estate. (43 items)
- A727.370 23 Jul 1789-23 Dec 1789 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - Alexander Fergusson [Ferguson] of

- Craigdarroch (1,21); Thomas Smith, Edinburgh (2); Colonel Hunter, Edinburgh (3); Lady Dundas of Kerse (4); Sir W A Cunynghame [Cunningham] [of Milncraig](5); Sir William Cuningham of Auchenskeith (6); James Andrew, Linlithgow (7); Mr Craig, Bo'ness (8, 9); Mr Wingate, Stirling (10,11); R Lumsden, Aberdeen, describing attempted murder of Francis Lumsden after Keith Fair (12); Margaret, Lady Cuningham [Cunningham], Ayr (13); D Steuart [Stewart], Edinburgh (14); Lady Cunynghame [Cunningham], Livingstone (15); Provost and magistrates of Stirling, offering him the freedom of the town (16); John Strachan (17); George Pagan, Edinburgh (18); Alexander Monro [Munro], Edinburgh (19); John Murray of Polmaise (20); Robert Houstoun [Houston], Edinburgh (22). (22 items)
- A727.371 03 Aug 1789-28 Dec 1789 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from David Forbes, his brother, in London, concerning their copper business, incorporating accounts thereof, articles sent to Callendar House, including door plates, Alexander Douglas's concerns in Scotland, and London newspapers. (25 items)
- A727.372 23 Sep 1789-02 Oct 1789 Letter to Mrs Margaret Forbes of Callendar from James Boswell of Auchinleck, concerning her marriage and soliciting Mr Forbes vote in the County of Ayr at the next General Election. Letter in reply. (2 items)
- A727.373 28 Dec 1789-09 Apr 1790 Letters to David Forbes, in London, from Robert and Janet Abercrombie, his nephew and niece, in Aberdeen. Personal. (3 items)
- A727.374 01 Jan 1790-21 Apr 1790 Letters to William Forbes and David Forbes, coppersmiths, London, on business matters. Correspondents - J Nelson, Woolwich (1, 10); John Smallwood (2); James Clyde, Woolwich (3, 14, 18, 21, 26); Mr Derrick (4); Messrs Maitland (5, 6, 13); George White, Portsmouth (7); Thomas Aldridge, Deptford (8, 19); George Smith, junior, Sheerness (9); John Hodgskin, Chatham (11, 12, 20, 22); Thomas Pollard, Plymouth (15, 17); W Butler, Deptford (16); Bingley, Pitt & Bingley (23); Mr Sisons, Chatham (24); Robert Ingram (25); Margaret Lidgey, Plymouth (27). (27 items)
- A727.375 02 Jan 1790-06 Mar 1790 Letters to David Forbes, in London, from William Forbes of Callendar, his brother, concerning the Stirlingshire Turnpike Bill, their copper business, financial matters, family matters, and articles required, including a fumigating bellows and watering machine for hothouses (2). Coal is to be wrought on a large scale (3). (8 items)
- A727.376 04 Jan 1790-08 Mar 1790 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from David Forbes, his brother, in London, concerning their copper business, incorporating accounts thereof, including a still for Jamaica (4), and also articles sent to Callendar, including seeds, the Stirling Turnpike Bill and family matters. (13 items)
- A727.377 05 Jan 1790-30 Sep 1790 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and David Forbes from Sir William Cuningham [Cunningham] of Auchenskeith (4, 8-10, 13); William Cuningham [Cunningham], 17th Regiment, his son (1-3, 5-7, 15, 16); Thomas Sommers [Summers], vintner, Edinburgh (11, 14); William Allan, teacher, Edinburgh (12); concerning William Cuningham's [Cunningham] debts. (16 items)
- A727.378 06 Jan 1790-12 Dec 1790 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his Ayrshire estate. Correspondents - David Limond, Ayr (1, 2, 4); Hugh Reid, Clune (3). (4 items)

- A727.379 06 Jan 1790-29 Dec 1790 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and his wife from Alexander, Janet and Thomas Manners, Edinburgh, sending and accounting for household provisions. Some letters also concern the hiring of servants. (53 items)
- A727.380 08 Jan 1790-30 Jun 1790 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, his wife and Robert Forbes, concerning assorted merchandise supplied. Correspondents - Bells & Rannie, Leith (wines, 1, 3, 5, 7-9); John Bell, Camelon (nails and slate, 2); Andrew Cassels, Leith (porter, 4, 29); Leith Candle Company(6, 17, 26); Thomas Duncanson, Falkirk (marmalade oranges, 10, 27);Alexander Ramsay, Falkirk (meat 11); Mr Fraser, Edinburgh (lace, 12);Samuel Search, London (beds and bedding, 13-16); Henry Chawner, London(plates, 18); Forrester & Co, Edinburgh (bed covers, 19, 20 - bothdamaged by decay, 23); Miss Bannatine [Bannatyne] (bed cover, 21);Alexander Crichton, Edinburgh (carriages, 22, 24); James Andrew,Linlithgow (bee , 25); John Andrew, Grangemouth (slates, 28). (29items)
- A727.381 09 Jan 1790-14 Dec 1790 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes, and related papers, concerning the gardens and policies at Callendar House, including lists of seeds and trees. Correspondents - James Gordon,London (1); Dicksons & Fair, Edinburgh (2, 6-11, 13-17); George Scrimgeour, Thornhall (12); William Reid, Aberdeen (21); John Richmond & Co, Edinburgh (23). (23 items)
- A727.382 11 Jan 1790-29 Jul 1790 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and employees on Callendar estate matters. Correspondents - Robert Banks junior, Stirling (1);William Phaup, Madiston [Maddiston] (2); John Dudgeon, Byers [Byres](3); Alexander Fiddes, Carronshore (4); George Henderson, Craigtoun[Craigton] (5, 6); John Douns [Downs], Knowhead [Knewehead] (7); James Kincaid, Falkirk (8); George Brown, Camelon (9); John Gentels[Gentles], Dunipace (10); James Stark, Camelon (11); Andrew Paul,Linlithgow (12); Dr John Roebuck, Boness [Bo'ness] (13 - damaged bydecay); Jonathan Rankin, Slamannan (14); William Crab [Crabb],Newcastle (15); Alexander Ker [Kerr], Larbert (16); John Dobbie,Lantoun [Lanton] Mill (17, 20); William Cowbrough [Coubrough], Ellrige[Ellrig] (18); David Macnab, Bainsford (19); John Inglis, Falkirk(21); William Balloch, Falkirk (22); Alexander Ure, Gunershaw (23).(23 items)
- A727.383 11 Jan 1790-18 Oct 1790 Letters to David Forbes, in London, on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - Mr Perry and Mr Gray (1); Mr Wilson (2); Lady Wallace(3); Mr Barnes (4); Mr Christian (5); Mrs Nichols [Nicol], Hatton (6).(6 items)
- A727.384 12 Jan 1790-07 Dec 1790 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in Galloway. Correspondents - Samuel Clark, Earlstoun (1, 4, 8, 13-15,17, 29); Rev. John Gillespie, minister of Kells (2); Thomas Grierson WS, Edinburgh (3, 5, 9, 10, 12, 19, 22, 23, 26, 27); Alexander Smith, Maxwellton (6); A Gordon, Terregles (7); John Syme [Sim] Junior,Dumfries (11, 24, 25); James Smith, Maxwellton (16); Rev WilliamGrierson, minister of Glencairn (18); Andrew McClamroch, Barskeoch(20); Thomas McPherson, Berbeth (21, 28). 15 contains list of articles sent from Earlstoun to Callendar. (29 items)
- A727.385 12 Jan 1790-21 Dec Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from John Taylor

- 1790
WS, Edinburgh, on legal matters. 32 also concerns colliers who are to work for the Ayr Coal Company. (45 items)
- A727.386 14 Jan 1790-31 Jul 1790 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - John Watt, Falkirk (1); Sir Alexander Livingstone of Westquarter (2, 13); Mr Eiston [Easton], Kersiebank House (3); John Murray, Johnstone (4, 10); E B Brazier (5); Helen Gillespie [Gillespie], Laurieston (6); Stephen Maxwell, Glasgow (7, 17); Matthew Bloxam MP, London (8, 22, 29); Mr Morris, London (9); Claud Alexander, Ballamyle (11); William Baillie, Edinburgh (12); James Bachop [Bauchop], Muirhouse (14); R Fergus, London (15); Sir Alexander Campbell of Gargunnoch (16); Mrs Bannatine [Bannatyne], Edinburgh (18); Sir Andrew Cathcart, Ayr (19); Colonel Livingston [Livingstone], Bantaskine (20); General Alexander Stewart, Dumfries (21); Lord Graham, Edinburgh (23); trustees for rebuilding the University of Edinburgh (24, 25); Colonel Bruce of Stenhouse (26); George Douglas, Somerford [Summerford] (27); Robert Mitchell, London (28); Provost Andrew, Linlithgow (30). (30 items)
- A727.387 14 Jan 1790-09 Dec 1790 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes from Thomas Wingate, Stirling, concerning Callendar estate matters, including legal matters and the Turnpike Road Bill. 3 names the principal butchers in Glasgow. 5 and 9 include minutes of meeting of Turnpike Trustees. (18 items)
- A727.388 19 Jan 1790-26 Nov 1790 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning estates for sale. Correspondents - James Bird, Foulden Newmains (1); William Molle WS, Edinburgh (2, 10-14, 16); James Carson, Barscobe (3, 19); John Buchan, Edinburgh (4); John Hunter WS, Edinburgh (5); John Fleming, Edinburgh (6); William Cuninghame [Cunningham] of Lainshaw (7); Alexander Douglas, London (8, 17, 18); John Fleming, Barnbogle Castle (9); Robert Johnston, Overtown (15); Robert Stark, Camelon (20-22). (22 items)
- A727.389 19 Jan 1790-19 Dec 1790 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning oats and beans. Correspondents - Joseph Bogue [Boag], Grangemouth (1, 3-14, 16, 20); Mr Ramsay (2); James Kincaid, Falkirk (15, 17-19, 21). (21 items)
- A727.390 27 Jan 1790-29 Dec 1790 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, concerning supplies of timber to Callendar estate. Correspondents - William Glen, Forganhall (1, 4, 5, 8, 9, 13, 23, 46, 50, 53); Canal Company, Glasgow (2); John Cowie, Grangemouth (3); Charles Watson, Alloa (6); James Dalgleish, Boness (7, 16, 26, 28, 32-34); Alexander Henderson, Falkirk (10); Henry Jaffray [Jeffrey], Stirling (11); John Glas [Glass] & Son, Stirling (12, 14, 17); Robert Muirheid [Muirhead] & Company, Glasgow (15, 18-22, 29-31); Thomas Henderson (24); Henry Swinton, Grangemouth (25, 35-37, 39-43, 45, 47-49, 52); Alexander Laird, Grangemouth (27, 51); John Melvin, Bainsford (38); James Allan junior, Alloa (44). (53 items)
- A727.391 02 Feb 1790-02 Jun 1790 Letters to John Brice [Bryce], overseer at Callendar, from John Jarvey [Jarvie], at Balbardie, enclosing rental of estate of Barbauchlaw [West Lothian], which he hopes William Forbes might buy. (4 items)
- A727.392 02 Feb 1790-27 Oct 1790 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and his wife concerning servants. Correspondents - John Morison [Morrison], Edinburgh, concerning effects of late Alexander

- White, coachman, with enclosed letter to Alexander Purves, Duns (1, 2); Thomas Smith, Edinburgh (3,5); James Fraser, Edinburgh (4); Alexander Walker, Edinburgh (6, 8,10); Mrs J Manners, Edinburgh (7); John Keater, Falkirk (9). (10 items)
- A727.393 03 Feb 1790-23 Dec 1790 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes concerning opposition to the Stirlingshire Turnpike Bill. Correspondents - Robert Banks junior, Stirling (1, 8-11, 25-30, 32); Henry Jaffray [Jeffrey], Stirling (2, 7, 22); Thomas Longlands, solicitor, London (3, 4, 6); William Glen, Forganhall (5); Sir Thomas Dundas, London (12, 14); A Maconochie [McConnachie], London (13); William Adam, London (15); John Campbell, Stirling (16-21, 23, 24, 31). Enclosures include accounts. (32 items)
- A727.394 13 Feb 1790-10 Nov 1790 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes from Thomas Smith, Edinburgh, on legal matters. (8 items)
- A727.395 18 Feb 1790-13 Sep 1790 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from John McAdam of Craigengillan, his father-in-law, and Quintin Macadam, his brother-in-law, at Berbeth, on family matters. Letter to Mrs Forbes from her mother. In 5 McAdam wishes Mrs Forbes to go to Madeira to recover her health. 7 announces McAdam's death. (7 items)
- A727.396 06 Mar 1790-26 Sep 1790 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Alexander Cunningham, Irvine, and Alexander Fairlie [Fairley] of Fairlie, concerning silver articles bought in London. (6 items)
- A727.397 08 Mar 1790-08 May 1790 Letters to Robert Forbes, at Callendar, from William Forbes of Callendar, his brother, in London, concerning Callendar estate matters, horses he purchases in London, and the Stirlingshire Turnpike Bill. 'Callendar Park was amply & completely guarded against all incursions, the words which I prescribed being adopted as a clause of the Bill... Thus, everything that I wished in this matter has been accomplished'. (9 items)
- A727.398 09 Mar 1790-30 Apr 1790 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, in London, from Robert Forbes, his brother, at Callendar, reporting on various matters. 2 and 3 are enclosed accounts of taxes. (6 items)
- A727.399 17 Mar 1790-26 Mar 1790 Copy letters to [-] from Mr Campbell, visiting London, concerning opposition to the Stirlingshire Turnpike Bill. (3 items)
- A727.400 25 Mar 1790-25 Aug 1790 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from James Boswell of Auchinleck. 1 and 2. March 25 and 30. London. Offers assistance and advice in opposing Stirlingshire Turnpike Bill. 3. July 9. Carlisle. Withdraws as candidate for the County of Ayr. 4. August 25. London. Requests loan of money to buy estate of Knockroon. (4 items)
- A727.401 23 Apr 1790-07 Dec 1790 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on financial matters. Correspondents - William Simpson, Royal Bank, Edinburgh (1, 7, 12, 13, 15-18, 20, 22, 25); William Honyman [Honeyman], Edinburgh (2, 3, 5, 6, 8); Alexander Blair, writer, Edinburgh (4); Hunters & Co, Ayr (9-11, 21); Alexander Mackenzie WS, Edinburgh (14, 23); Mr Morris, Swansea (copy of letter to him, 19); Robert Boyd, Kilsyth (24). (25 items)
- A727.402 10 May 1790-30 Aug 1790 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from David Forbes, his brother, in London, concerning their copper business, incorporating accounts thereof, articles sent to Callendar House, including tureens, and Alexander Douglas's affairs

- in Scotland. (24 items)
- A727.403 16 Jun 1790-08 Nov 1790 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from George Main, Falkirk, on legal matters. (7 items)
- A727.404 01 Jul 1790-28 Dec 1790 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes concerning assorted merchandise supplied. Correspondents - John Sligo, Leith (canvas and slates, 1, 2, 7, 8, 10); John Bell, Camelon (nails and slate, 3, 31); Alexander Crichton, Edinburgh (carriages and ploughs, 4, 15, 17, 18, 21); Marshall & Armstrong, Edinburgh (lead for gutter, 5, 12, 13, 28); William Fraser, Edinburgh (suit, with 3 samples of black cloth, 6); William & George Armstrong, Edinburgh (diamond, 9); Mr Dempster, Edinburgh (silver articles, 11); James Andrew, Linlithgow (beer, 14, 19, 23-25, 27); Mr Wilkieson [Wilkinson], Edinburgh (gun, 16); Mr Fyffe [Fyfe], Edinburgh (hat cover, 20); James Braid, Falkirk (pork, 22); Andrew Cassels, Leith (porter, 26, 29, 30); Thomas Duncanson, Falkirk (32); Ebenezer Gairdner [Gardner], Edinburgh (Russia sheeting, 33). (33 items)
- A727.405 12 Jul 1790-29 Dec 1790 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning cattle on Callendar estate. Correspondents - John Gibson, Glasgow (1, 2, 5, 6, 8-19); James Smith, Dumfries (3); John King, Glasgow (4); Mrs Ferguson, Camelon (7). (19 items)
- A727.406 04 Aug 1790-27 Dec 1790 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, his wife and Robert Forbes on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - Sir Alexander Campbell (1); Robert Muirhead & Son, Glasgow (2); Malcolm Munro, Saracen's Head Inn, Stirling (3); John Murray, Johnstone (4); Stephen Maxwell, Glasgow (5); Duntocher Wool Company (6-9, 30); Thomas Johnston, Goucklymoss [Goukly Moss] (10, 28); John Innes WS, Edinburgh (11); H S Mercer, Edinburgh (12); Matthew Bloxam MP, London (13-15, 37); managers of ball at Stirling (16); Ambrose Tibbats, Dorrater [Dorrator] (17); James Whyte [White], Edinburgh (18); Lady Dundas (19); Alexander Douglas, London (20, 34); Mr Lockhart, Muiravonside (21); Janet Logan, Glasgow (22); E [benezer] Picken, [poet], Falkirk (23, 24, 26, 27); Lady Wallace, Aix-La-Chappelle (25, 33); Alexander Stewart, Edinburgh (29); James Jack, Falkirk (31); Henry Jaffray [Jeffrey], Stirling (32); Edward Young, Edinburgh (35); [Rudolf Eric] Raspe (36). (37 items)
- A727.407 06 Aug 1790-31 Dec 1790 Letters to William Forbes and David Forbes, coppersmiths, London, on business matters. Correspondents - George Smith, Sheerness (1,2); James Clyde, Woolwich (3, 22); Learmonth & Lindsay (4); Thomas Netherton, Plymouth (5, 8-10, 21, 24, 29); John Hodgskin, Chatham (6); T Hannaford, Plymouth (7, 31); J Owen (11); Thomas Pollard, Plymouth (12); Stephen Panell, Deptford (13, 28); Margaret Lidgley, Plymouth (14); William Hellyer, Portsmouth (15, 18, 20, 32); James West (16); John Greenway, Portsmouth (17); George Pengree, Snowhill (19, 30); Bingley, Pitt & Bingley (23); John Greenway, Portsmouth (25, 26); John Edwards, Cornwall (27). (32 items)
- A727.408 23 Aug 1790-25 Dec 1790 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and employees on Callendar estate matters. Correspondents - George Brown, Camelon (1,3) Robert Stark, Camelon (2); James Henderson, Falkirk (4, 5, 9 28); Mr Williamson, Polmont (6, 7); Thomas Greenhill, Muiravonside (8); John Inglis, Stirling

- Tolbooth and Haining Mill (10, 23); Ebenezer Broun[Brown] (11); John Dobbie, Bonniefoord (12); Patrick Calder, Newwinning (13); John Brock, Fogermountain (14, 21); John Gentels[Gentles], Dunipace (15); Alexander Henderson, Falkirk (16); Alexander McLardie [McLarty], Falkirk (17); Rev. Josiah Hunter, [Constitutional] minister at Falkirk (18-20); William Shaw, Slamannan (22); William Dobbie, Falkirk (24); John Rankine [Rankin] senior, Falkirk (25, 26); James Whyte [White], Leith (27). (28 items)
- A727.409 30 Aug 1790-25 Dec 1790 Letters to David Forbes, in London, from William Forbes of Callendar, his brother, concerning their copper business, financial matters, Mr Douglas's estate of Baads, and articles required, including stoneware from Wedgewood's. 'The works upon the Callander estates have been really more profitable than the Naval Contract' (2). (15 items)
- A727.410 06 Sep 1790-27 Dec 1790 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from David Forbes, his brother, in London, concerning their copper business, incorporating accounts thereof, articles sent to Callendar House, and Alexander Douglas's affairs in Scotland. (18 items)
- A727.411 15 Oct 1790 Letter to David Forbes, in London, from Janet Allardyce, his sister, in Aberdeen, asking for fox skin trimming.
- A727.412 23 Dec 1790 Letter to William Forbes of Callendar from several farmers informing him that they will pay him no more customs until he provides them with a market place in Falkirk, as they may no longer use the High Street.
- A727.413 1790-1791 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from George Forbes, his brother, in Aberdeen, on personal and family matters, including his appreciation of Gibbon's History and his son William's wish for a medical education. 2 gives his children's ages. 7 and 8 concern the Aberdeen water supply. (8 items)
- A727.414 1790-1791 Letters to David Forbes, in London, from George Forbes, his brother, in Aberdeen, concerning his metal business, financial arrangements, goods sent to London and metal articles required from there, particularly tea-urns (the blue colour is popular) and candlesticks. 5 describes an addition to his shop. Sends smoked haddocks 'of the kind called pin-the-woodies' (11). Introduces Professor Gordon's grand-nephews, a coppersmith and a carpenter (15). Town of Old Meldrum wants a bell, and his wife a carpet (16). Stated accounts between them. (19 items)
- A727.415 1790-1791 Letters to David Forbes, in London, from Janet Forbes, his mother, and Jean Forbes, his sister, in Aberdeen, on personal and family matters. (4 items)
- A727.416 1790-1791 Letters to David Forbes, in London, from Robert Forbes, his brother, at Callendar, concerning (1) his purchase of the estate of Strongcastle; (2) the new roof of Callendar House, and Mr Bloxam's lawsuit; (3) their brother George's death. (3 items)
- A727.417 1790-1791 Letters to David Forbes, in London, from John Abercrombie, his brother-in-law, Provost of Aberdeen, on family and financial matters, including his son William's naval career and insurance on cargoes of stockings to Campvere. 20 and 23 are enclosed accounts of Wedgewood stoneware. 33 is stated amount between Forbes and Abercrombie. (33 items)
- A727.418 1790-1791 Letters to David Forbes, in London, from William Abercrombie, his nephew, in Aberdeen and as a

- midshipman aboard the 'William Pitt at Gravesend, mostly concerning articles he requires. 9 is enclosed letter to John Abercrombie, in London, from Janet Abercrombie his daughter, requiring a hat, sash and sugar. (10 items)
- A727.419 1790-1792 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Janet Forbes, his mother, in Aberdeen, on personal and family matters and acknowledging money. 7 concerns a dispute over a shared gable. (10 items)
- A727.420 1790-1792 Letters to Robert Forbes from Janet Forbes, his mother, in Aberdeen, on personal and family matters. 2 includes letter from George Forbes, requiring a journeyman. (9 items)
- A727.421 1790-1792 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, his wife and brothers from Robert Forbes, their uncle, at Nairn ('one of the poorest dead places upon Earth'), on family matters, especially his wish for a mercantile career for his son. Enclosed letters (11-13) from John Forsyth in Elgin, James Allardyce in Aberdeen and John Mackintosh [McIntosh] in Inverness. (13 items)
- A727.422 1790-1792 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from John Abercrombie his brother-in-law, in Aberdeen, concerning his sons' career and the disposal of George Forbes' stock. (10 items)
- A727.423 1790-1800 Papers concerning dispute between the representatives of George Forbes, coppersmith, bailie of Aberdeen, and Alexander Joyner [Joiner], tailor in Aberdeen, later his creditors, over the title to a tenement in the Gallowgate, Aberdeen. Include letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Joyner (3-5); A Dingwall Fordyce (7, 9, 10, 12, 13); Charles Tait (16); Jean Forbes, George's widow (18, 20); David Forbes, George's, son (21, 22); and A. Thorn, advocate (24, 26); all in Aberdeen. (27 items)
- A727.424 01 Jan 1791-31 May 1791 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and John Allinson on Callendar estate matters. Correspondents - James Henderson, Falkirk (1); David Wright, Camelon (2); George Brown, Camelon (3, 5, 17, 18, 30, 32); Elizabeth Thomson, Falkirk (4); George Main, Falkirk (6, 15, 23, 34); Nicol Baird, Grangemouth (7); John Walker, Bathgate (8); William Kincaid (9); William Balloch, Falkirk (10); Robert MacKillop, Stirling (11, 12); William Phaup, Madiston [Maddiston] (13); Thomas Douglas (14); John Brock, Foggermountain (16, 20); John Rose, Charlestoun [Charlestown] (19); Thomas Johnston, Goucklymoss [Goukly Moss] (21); John Ogilvie, Falkirk, where the prison needs to be rebuilt (22, 24); Robert Junken [Jenkin], Falkirk (25); Johanna Fergusson [Ferguson], Camelon (26, 27); Andrew Robertson, Madistoun [Maddiston] (28); John Murray, Johnstone (29); Patrick Calder, Newwinning (31); Daniel Miller, Falkirk (33). (34 items)
- A727.425 01 Jan 1791-21 Dec 1791 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on financial matters. Correspondents - David Scott, Hunters & Co, Ayr (1, 2, 5, 14); Lady Wallace, Aix-La-Chapelle [Aachen, Germany] (3, 4); William Honeyman, Edinburgh (6-9); Alexander Blair WS (10), William Glen, Forganhall (11); William Simpson, Royal Bank, Edinburgh (12, 13, 15, 18); John Innes, Leuchars by Elgin [Leuchars House, Calcots] (16); Sun Fire Office, Edinburgh (17). (18 items)

- A727.426 01 Jan 1791-26 Dec 1791 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in Galloway. Correspondents - William Gordon, schoolmaster, Kells (1,34); Rev. John Gillespie, minister of Kells (2, 35); 'A Farmer', Dumfries (3); Samuel Clark, Earlstoun (4, 15, 16, 19, 20, 21, 27, 28,33); William McMillan, Newmill (5); John Fergusson [Ferguson], Glasgow(6); Alexander Munro, Dumfries (7); John Syme [Sim], Dumfries (8, 9,14, 32); Thomas Grierson WS, Edinburgh (10, 18, 22, 24, 29, 36); John Welsh, Dumfries (11); Alexander Smith, Maxwellton [Maxwelltown] (12); William Watt, New Galloway (13); Matthew Campbell, Wigtown (17); Alexander Fergusson [Ferguson], Edinburgh (23); William Gordon, Earlstoun (25); Samuel Boddan, Earlstoun (26); Robert Murray, Auchlannich [Auchlane?] (30, 31). (36 items)
- A727.427 04 Jan 1791-27 Jun 1791 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from David Forbes, his brother, in London, concerning their copper business, including the Navy Board's new arrangement of prices, enclosing and incorporating accounts, also concerning financial matters, goods sent to Callendar and improvements there. 33 is enclosed letter to Mr Allinson from G Ellison concerning the Bloxam cause. (36 items)
- A727.428 04 Jan 1791-20 Dec 1791 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Alexander Douglas, London, with enclosures, concerning his estate of Baads and possible purchase of an estate in Ayrshire. 9 is rental of Garrieve estate. (27 items)
- A727.429 04 Jan 1791-22 Dec 1791 Letters to Robert Forbes, at Callendar, from William Forbes of Callendar, his brother, variously in Scotland and England, advising and instructing on Callendar estate matters. (7 items)
- A727.430 04 Jan 1791-27 Dec 1791 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes, concerning assorted merchandise supplied. Correspondents - James Andrew, Linlithgow (beer, 1, 2, 15, 17, 19, 23); Mr Hamilton, Grangemouth (plates, 3, 5); John Bell, Camelon (nails, 4, 12, 16); James Liddle [Liddell], Edinburgh (chairs, 6); Janet Manners, Edinburgh (groceries, 7, 8); William Fraser, Edinburgh (clothes, 9); Thomas Duncanson, Falkirk (bottles, 10, 14, 18); John Sligo, Leith (wine, 11); Mr Tibbats, Edinburgh (hats, 13); Andrew Cassels, Leith (porter, 20-22,24); John Sibbald, Edinburgh (locks, 25). (25 items)
- A727.431 11 Jan 1791-15 Jun 1791 Letters to William Forbes and David Forbes, coppersmiths, London, on business matters. Correspondents - J Bradnock, Woolwich (1); Thomas Netherton, Plymouth (2, 9, 32); William Hellyer, Portsmouth (3, 4); James Clyde, Woolwich (5, 7, 21, 23, 33); Thomas Oben, Chatham (6); Robert Smith, Chatham (8); T Hannaford, Plymouth (10, 24, 29); Lyon & Neilson (11); James West (12, 13); Matthew Rucker, Bordeaux [France] (14-16, 19, 22); William Rayden, Harwich (17); William Gilbert, Portsmouth (18, 20); George Pengree, Snowhill (25); Nixon & Co, Mitcham (26); Thomas Evans, Plymouth (27, 28, 30); James Whatman, Maidstone (31); Thomas Pollard, Plymouth (34). (34 items)
- A727.432 13 Jan 1791-14 Dec 1791 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning supplies of timber to Callendar estate. Correspondents - James Dalgleish, Bo'ness (1-13,15-17, 19); Henry Swinton, Grangemouth (14); John Cowie, Grangemouth (18). (19

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- A727.433 14 Jan 1791-27 May 1791 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - Alexander Manners, surgeon-apothecary, London (1); Thomas Johnston, Edinburgh, giving details of fly to Aberdeen (2); Sarah Nichols [Nicol], Hatton (3, 18); Andrew Crichton, Falkirk (4); William Ferguson, Edinburgh (5); Robert Buchan, painter, Edinburgh (6); Stephen Maxwell, Glasgow (7); Henry Dundas MP (8, 9); Company of Armorers and Braziers, London (10, 19); Matthew Bloxam, London (11, 14, 20-22); Robina Grant, wife of the minister of Cromdale (12); Jane Watson, London (13); officers of 44th Regiment (15, 16); Jean Gibson, a bankrupt in prison, Glasgow (17); A Moconochie [McConnachie], Edinburgh (23). (23 items)
- A727.434 14 Jan 1791-07 Nov 1791 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, his wife and Robert Forbes, and other papers concerning gardens and gardener at Callendar. Correspondents - Joseph Udny, Linlithgow (1); Robert Weir, Bo'ness (2); John Adams, Aberdeen (3); Thomas Smith, Edinburgh (6, 9, 10); John Ross, Bo'ness (7); Dicksons & Co, Edinburgh (8, 14, 17); William Martin, Falkirk (11); Andrew Leslie, Edinburgh (12); John Mackenzie [McKenzie], Glasgow (13); Peter Lawson, Edinburgh (15); Peter Bell, Falkirk (16); Alexander Rennie, Falkirk (18). 4 is list of seeds ordered. (18 items)
- A727.435 15 Jan 1791-28 May 1791 Letters to David Forbes, in London, from William Forbes of Callendar, his brother, concerning their copper business, including a possible new naval contract, financial matters, Mr Douglas's and Mr Bloxam's concerns, and articles for Callendar, including lead pipes to bring water (24). (31 items)
- A727.436 17 Jan 1791-29 Nov 1791 Letters to David Forbes, in London, from James Forbes, his brother, in Aberdeen, on financial matters. Stated account between them. (4 items)
- A727.437 18 Jan 1791-22 Dec 1791 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning supplies of beans, oats and barley. Correspondents - Joseph Bogue [Boag], Grangemouth (1, 3-5, 7, 15, 21, 31); James Kincaid, Falkirk (2, 6, 8-10, 12, 14, 16-20, 22, 23, 25, 26, 29, 30, 32, 33); Henry Swinton, Grangemouth (11, 13, 24, 27, 28). (33 items)
- A727.438 24 Jan 1791-05 Apr 1791 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Robert Forbes, his brother, at Aberdeen and Callendar, on Callendar estate matters, including planting thorns (1) and marble for the baking table (3). (4 items)
- A727.439 24 Jan 1791-12 Aug 1791 Papers concerning the British Wool Society. 5 is letter from Sir John Sinclair. (5 items)
- A727.440 29 Jan 1791-30 Nov 1791 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Wingate, Stirling, on legal business, particularly an action against brickmakers at Throsk. (36 items)
- A727.441 01 Feb 1791-23 Dec 1791 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from John Taylor WS, Edinburgh, on legal matters. (32 items)
- A727.442 03 Feb 1791-04 Feb 1791 Correspondence concerning the death of James Cheap [Cheape], Parkplace, and interment in Callendar aisle of Falkirk Church. (4 items)
- A727.443 15 Feb 1791-31 Dec 1791 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning cattle on Callendar estate. Correspondents - John Gibson, Glasgow (1, 2, 4-7, 10, 12); David Wright, Camelon (3, 8); Thomas Smith, Edinburgh (9, 11). (12 items)

- A727.444 05 Mar 1791-15 Oct 1791 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and his wife concerning servants. Correspondents - Alexander Walker, Edinburgh (1, 2, 6, 7,9-11); A Maconochie [McConnachie], Edinburgh (3); Hugh Brown, Edinburgh (4, 5); James Allan, Alloa (8). (11 items)
- A727.445 23 Mar 1791-30 Nov 1791 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his Ayrshire estate. Correspondents - Gilbert Kennedy, Ayr (1); David Limond, Ayr (2, 3, 5,10); George Hendrie [Hendry], Sanquhar (4, 9); Archibald Jameson [Jamieson], Shas Miln [Milne] (6); Sir William Cuninghame [Cunningham] of Auchenskeith (7); John Gibson, Barskimming [Barskimming] (8). (10 items)
- A727.446 01 Jun 1791-28 Dec 1791 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes on Callendar estate matters. Correspondents - Stephen Maxwell, Glasgow (1); Robert Pirrie [Pirie], Falkirk (2); James Monteith, Manuel Mills (3), Alexander Crichton, Edinburgh (4); James Henderson, Falkirk (5); James Stark, Camelon (6); Sir Alexander Livingstone of Westquarter (7, 9); John Melvin, Bainsford (8); George Broun [Brown], Camelon (10-12, 14, 15); William Cowbrough [Coubrough], Ellrigg [Elrig] (13); Robert Orr, session clerk, Cumbernauld (16); William Glen, Forganhall (17); Mr Riddell, Mount Riddell (18, 22, 23, 25); Mr Williamson, Polmont (19); T Johnston, Falkirk (20); Robert and David Spottiswoode [Spottiswood], Dunipace (21); William Finlay [Findlay], Polmont (24); George Main, Falkirk (26); Robert Stark, Camelon, concerning school there (27); George Colvin, Denovan (28); J Alexander, Falkirk (29); Alexander Callander, Falkirk (30, 31); Thomas Bryce, Kilbagie (32). (32 items)
- A727.447 03 Jun 1791-21 Dec 1791 Letters to David Forbes in London from William Forbes of Callendar, his brother, concerning their copper business, including negotiations with the Navy Board, financial matters, family matters, Mr Bloxam's trial, and articles required at Callendar. (26 items)
- A727.448 05 Jun 1791-29 Dec 1791 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - Thomas Smith, Edinburgh (1, 5, 6, 10, 13-15, 19); James Jopp, Linlithgow (2); R Mackintosh [McIntosh], Edinburgh (3); George Johnston, Edinburgh (4); Captain William MacLachlan, Auchintraig [Auchintroig] (7, 11, 20); Company of Armourers and Braziers, London (8, 16); John Smith, Edinburgh (9, 17, 18); Sarah Nichols [Nicol], Hotton (12); Matthew Bloxam, London (21-23); William Cadell, Carronpark, concerning horses from Flanders (24); Alexander Ramsay, Leslie (25, 26); Trinity Church, Aberdeen (27); James Ross, Edinburgh, concerning a chimney sweep (28). (28 items)
- A727.449 04 Jul 1791-26 Dec 1791 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from David Forbes, his brother, in London, concerning their copper business, including their contract with the Navy Board, incorporating accounts, also concerning articles sent to Callendar and family matters. (27 items)
- A727.450 05 Jul 1791-30 Nov 1791 Letters to William Forbes and David Forbes, coppersmiths, London, on business matters. Correspondents - J Woodford, Deptford (1, 2); John Beck, Blackwall (3, 4, 6); George Smith, Junior, Sheerness (5, 26-28); Mr Dutton, Woolwich (7); Thomas Pollard, Plymouth (8, 12); James

- Clyde, Woolwich and Portsmouth (9, 10, 18, 25); John Greenway, Portsmouth (11); Mr Whatman (13); Thomas Netherton, Plymouth (14); Mr Harris, Woolwich (15); Edward Davies, Dudley (16); William Hellyer, Portsmouth (17, 29); Thomas Wood (19, 20); T Hawks, Deptford (21, 22); J Weatherall, Woolwich (23); Matthew Rucker, Bordeaux [France] (24). (29 items)
- A727.451 16 Jul 1791-20 Aug 1791 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from James Allardyce, his brother-in-law, in Aberdeen, concerning the amicable termination of his partnership with Mr Jopp. (2 items)
- A727.452 03 Sep 1791-11 Feb 1792 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes from James Forbes, their brother, in Aberdeen, concerning his possible purchase of part of the lands of Slains and their brother George's last illness and disposal of his stock. (11 items)
- A727.453 12 Sep 1791-09 Nov 1791 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Robert Dundas [of Arniston], Edinburgh, concerning the division of valued rent of parish of Muiravonside and arrangements for calling on Henry Dundas. (7 items)
- A727.454 29 Oct 1791 Letter to Nichol Baird, manager of the Canal, Kelvinhead, from [-], Bainsford, wanting oak for wheels.
- A727.455 14 Dec 1791 Letter to William Forbes of Callendar from Jean Forbes, his sister, in Aberdeen, on a financial matter.
- A727.456 30 Dec 1791-17 Oct 1792 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Jean Forbes, widow of his brother George, in Aberdeen, concerning the executry and her sons' education. (13 items)
- A727.457 1791-1794 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and related papers concerning the executry of his brother, George Forbes, coppersmith, bailie of Aberdeen. Correspondents - A Dingwall Fordyce, writer, Aberdeen (1, 7, 9-12, 14-16, 19, 22, 25-27, 30-35); John Smith, auctioneer, Aberdeen (2); Arthur Chillas, Aberdeen (3); George Auldjo, provost of Aberdeen, requesting the keys of the town wells (4); Robert Chillas, Aberdeen (13). 17 and 18 are copies of inventory of Bailie Forbes' goods. 23 is summons at instance of Fordyce, as commissary of Aberdeen, against the officials of the University of Aberdeen for exhibition of the foundation deeds of the University. (35 items)
- A727.458 02 Jan 1792-09 Apr 1792 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topic Correspondents - Alexander Stewart, Edinburgh, whether eldest sons of peers can be MPs (1); George Buchan Hepburn, Edinburgh on same topic (2); Alexander Douglas, London (3-5); Dr George French, Aberdeen (6); Margaret Skin [Skene], Falkirk, but from Aberdeen (7, 9); James Dalrymple, Falkirk (8); Alexander Walker, Edinburgh (10); David Adam, Falkirk (11); Edward Balmain, Linlithgow (12); Alexander Ramsay, Leslie (13); Miss Mackay, Edinburgh (14); Sir John Sinclair, recommending a sheep farmer (15). (15 items)
- A727.459 03 Jan 1792-28 May 1792 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from David Forbes, his brother, in London, concerning their copper business, incorporating accounts thereof, and financial, family and legal matters, and articles sent to Callendar. (24 items)
- A727.460 04 Jan 1792-06 Nov 1792 Letter to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in Galloway. Correspondents - Robert McLamburgh, Craigenbay (1); Robert Murray, Auchtannich (2); J Gordon

- (3); Thomas Grierson WS, Edinburgh(4, 6, 7, 9, 11, 12, 14-18, 21-23), enclosing letters from William Newall, Waterside (5) and William Sloan, Garverie (13); Lord Daer[Deer] (8); Samuel Clark, Earlstoun (10, 19); Rev William Grierson, minister of Glencairn (20); Rev John Gillespie, minister of Kells (24,25); David Kennedy, Knocknalling (26). (26 items)
- A727.461 04 Jan 1792-13 Dec 1792 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and other papers concerning the gardens and gardeners at Callendar. Correspondents - Joseph Udney, Linlithgow (2); Dicksons & Co, Edinburgh (5-8, 10, 11, 17); James Walker, Falkirk (9); Charles Lockhart, Muiravonside (12, 13); Mrs Strachan, Woodside (14, 18); William Whitehead, Keir (15); John Kyle, Blair Drummond (16); A & W Driver, London (19). 3 is list of seeds and 4 of flower roots. (19 items)
- A727.462 06 Jan 1792-29 May 1792 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes on Callendar estate matters. Correspondents - Stephen Maxwell, Glasgow, concerning mill machinery (1, 2, 8); Alexander Callander, Falkirk (3, 4); John Rankine [Rankin] Junior, Falkirk (5); George Rawling [Rawlings], Ravensworth, concerning boring for coal (6, 12, 18); George Main, Falkirk (7, 11, 27); John Burn, Stirling (9); Marshall & Armstrong, Edinburgh (10); George Brown, Camelon (13, 14); Robert Stark, Camelon (15, 17); James Andrew, Linlithgow (16); William Glen, Forganhall (19); Captain Charles Napier of Merchiston (20); Robert Buchan, Edinburgh (21); John Bell, Camelon (22, 25); Alexander Ramsay, Falkirk (23); William Maclean, Callendar (24); John Risk, Camelon (26). (27 items)
- A727.463 14 Jan 1792-19 Jul 1792 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning supplies of oats, beans and barley. Correspondents - James Kincaid, Falkirk (1, 7-9, 11, 14, 15, 19, 21-25, 29); Alexander Ramsay, Falkirk (2, 13, 16, 17, 26-28); Joseph Bogue [Boag], Grangemouth (3, 5, 12, 18); Mr Swinton, Grangemouth (4, 6, 10, 20). (29 items)
- A727.464 14 Jan 1792-08 Oct 1792 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Robert Dundas [of Arniston], in Edinburgh, concerning a petition by Forbes to the Commissioners of Supply [of Stirlingshire] and a new feu right 'of the Coal to be granted by Mr (Henry) [Hendry] Dundas's son to Forbes. (13 items)
- A727.465 14 Jan 1792-15 Dec 1792 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from John Taylor WS, Edinburgh, and related papers, on legal matters, including a petition by the York Buildings Company against Taylor. (38 items)
- A727.466 17 Jan 1792-01 Dec 1792 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on financial matters. Correspondents - William Simpson, Royal Bank, Edinburgh (1, 3, 5, 11, 14, 21, 22); Thomas Duncanson, Falkirk (2); John Gloag, Edinburgh (4); Hugh Warrender, Edinburgh (6, 7, 10, 15-18); William Honyman [Honeyman], Edinburgh (8, 12); Alexander Blair WS, Edinburgh (9); Philip King, Edinburgh (13); Robert Allan, Edinburgh (19); Evan Clark, Torwood (20). (22 items)
- A727.467 19 Jan 1792-02 Oct 1792 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Wingate, Stirling, on legal business concerning Callendar estate. (13 items)
- A727.468 22 Jan 1792-24 Dec 1792 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas and John Smith, Edinburgh, mainly concerning legal matters. 8

- is enclosed fragment of advertisement for a fireworks circus. 13 and 14 concern an ass. 23-27 concern the estate of Monygyrle which is for sale. 28-29 concern Mrs Forbes' need to go to Madeira. (29 items)
- A727.469 07 Feb 1792-10 Dec 1792 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes, concerning cattle on Callendar estate. Correspondents - Alexander Callander, Falkirk (1, 10, 13, 14); Thomas Stark, Knowhead (2, 5, 7); John Gibson, Glasgow (3); John Spier [Speirs], Paisley (4); James Stark Junior, Camelon (6); Duncan McDougall, Falkirk and Ardintrive near Oban (8, 12); Evan Clark, Falkirk (9, 11). (14 items)
- A727.470 16 Feb 1792-17 Dec 1792 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and his wife, concerning assorted merchandise supplied. Correspondents - Alexander Crichton, Edinburgh (ploughs, 1); James Andrew, Linlithgow (beer, 2, 7); Elizabeth Montgomery, Edinburgh (brushes, 3); Andrew Cassels, Leith (porter, 4, 8-11); William Finlay [Findlay], Polmont (horse, 5); John Sligo, Leith (wine, 6); John Bell, Camelon (nails, 12, 13); Mrs Stewart (material for aprons, 14); Mr Christian (silk handkerchiefs, 15). (15 items)
- A727.471 17 Feb 1792-13 Jul 1792 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from J Stainton [Stanton], Carron Company, concerning a stove and other articles for Callendar House. (7 items)
- A727.472 12 Apr 1792-01 Jan 1793 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, his wife and Robert Forbes, concerning servants. Correspondents - Alexander Walker, Edinburgh (1, 7, 8); William Hogg, Cumbernauld House (2, 3); Sir Charles Preston of Valleyfield (4); James Rannie Edinburgh (5); G Stewart, housekeeper, Callendar House (6); Charlotte Bowning (9). (9 items)
- A727.473 05 May 1792-30 Aug 1792 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - Rev James Macnair [McNair], minister of Slamannan (1); Thomas Duncanson, Falkirk, who is charged by the Excise people (2); Patrick Waugh, Falkirk (3, 7); Alexander Douglas, London (4, 5, 9, 12); Sir Alexander Ramsay, Edinburgh (6); Ambrose Tibbats, Shropshire (8); Duke of Montrose (10); William Cunningham [Cunningham], Argaty (11); Mrs Strachan, Woodside (13); Lady Reay, Edinburgh (14); William Finlay [Findlay], Polmont (15); Francis Lumsden, Belcherrie [Balcarry?] (16). (16 items)
- A727.474 17 May 1792-30 Sep 1792 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Quintin Macadam [McAdam], his brother-in-law, at Berbeth, concerning Mrs Forbes' ill-health. (5 items)
- A727.475 22 May 1792-18 Nov 1792 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, his wife and Robert Forbes from Janet Abercrombie, their niece, in Aberdeen. Personal. The plants are in the hot house at Dam Head. She is to marry. (4 items)
- A727.476 02 Jun 1792-07 Dec 1792 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes on Callendar estate matters. Correspondents - Robert Burns, Falkirk (1); George Main, Falkirk (2, 5, 24-27); Captain Charles Napier of Merchiston (3, 4, 7); Robert Orr, session clerk, Cumbernauld (6); Robert Stark, Camelon (8, 15, 22, 23); Major Scott of Dunipace (9); Patrick Calder, Newwinning (10); Mr Livingstone, Westquarter (11); James Andrew, Linlithgow (12); John Rose, Charlestown [Charlestown] (13, 21); John Baird, Manuel Mills (14, 17); James Bowie, Almond (16); Alexander Monteith (18);

- Robert Spottiswoode, Woodside (19); John Bell, Camelon(20). (27 items)
- A727.477 04 Jun 1792-16 Nov 1792 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from David Forbes, his brother, in London, concerning their copper business, incorporating accounts thereof, and financial and family matters and articles sent to Callendar. (21 items)
- A727.478 22 Jun 1792 Letter to William MacLean [McLean], wright, Callendar, from James Edmonstone [Edmiston], Mid Calder, who wants to be factor of the estate of Baads.
- A727.479 07 Aug 1792-27 Dec 1792 Letters to Robert Forbes, at Callendar, from William Forbes of Callendar, his brother, in Edinburgh, London and Bath, instructing on Callendar estate works and concerning Mrs Forbes' health. 2 is from Mrs Forbes. 5 concerns clothes for servants. Later letters concern arrangements for Robert to accompany Mrs Forbes to Madeira. Medical men forbid William to go. (15 items)
- A727.480 07 Aug 1792-29 Dec 1792 Letters, including some copies or drafts, to William Forbes of Callendar, mainly in London, from Robert Forbes, his brother, at Callendar, reporting on Callendar estate activities, including coal mining and household matters. 2, 6 and 12 are partly written by John Allinson, 2 incorporating a sketch plan by him of divisions of a moor. Robert sends pineapples and melons (1), lists an order for vines (4), and is willing to accompany Mrs Forbes to Madeira (9). 12 includes account of cattle. (17 items)
- A727.481 31 Aug 1792 Letter to William Forbes of Callendar from David Guthrie, Ayr offering for farms of East and West Sanquhar.
- A727.482 01 Sep 1792-27 Dec 1792 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - E B Brazier, London (1, 31); Sir Alexander Ramsay, Edinburgh (2); William Finlay [Findlay], Polmont (3, 8); Lewis McCulloch, London (4, 5); Sir John Sinclair (6); Alexander Douglas, London (7, 15); Robert Houston [Houston] Rae, Govan (9, 11, 20); Elizabeth, Lady Reay, Edinburgh (10); Mr Lockhart, Muiravonside (12); Dr James Hamilton, Royal Infirmary, Edinburgh, declining to accept a patient (13, 14); Donald Gray, Falkirk (16); William Cuninghame [Cunningham] (17); George Johnston, Edinburgh (18, 19); Sir John Henderson of Fordell (21); Mr Morehead [Muirhead], Herbertshire (22); John Gloag, Edinburgh (23); R Mackintosh [McIntosh], London (24); Stirling & Allan, Edinburgh (25); Rev [John] Muir, minister of Falkirk (26); Company of Armorers and Braziers, London (27, 28); Frances Cuninghame [Cunningham], Auchenskieth [Auchenskeith] (29); Rev William Finlay [Findlay], Edinburgh (30). (31 items)
- A727.483 01 Oct 1792-23 Oct 1792 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, concerning supplies of timber. Correspondents - James Dalgleish, Bo'ness (1, 2); Robert Melvill [Melville], Falkirk (3). (3 items)
- A727.484 30 Dec 1792-21 Nov 1793 Papers concerning voyage of Mrs Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes to Madeira, where Mrs Forbes died, their stay there, and Robert's return to London. Include correspondence with James Duff, London; Gordon Duff & Co, merchants, Madeira; Dr Abraham Gordon, physician, Madeira; James Allen, captain of sloop 'Industry' of Fredericksburg in Virginia [U.S.A.]; W Somerville, Madeira. (66 items)
- A727.485 02 Jan 1793-24 Dec Papers, including letters to William Forbes of Callendar,

- 1793 concerning supplies of garden seeds, grass and clover seeds, and thorns for Callendar estate. Correspondents - John Hamilton, Grangemouth (7); Dicksons & Co, Edinburgh (11-13, 20, 24, 25); John Richmond & Co, Edinburgh (14, 28, 29, 32); Anderson, Leslie & Co, Edinburgh (15, 19, 26, 27, 30); Alexander Rennie, Falkirk (17); John Gardner, Muiravonside (18); Peter Lawson, Edinburgh (31); Alexander Fowlds[Foulds], Kilmarnock (33). 8 has added note from David Forbes. (33 items)
- A727.486 09 Jan 1793-30 Dec 1793 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and related papers, concerning financial matters. Correspondents - Thomas Renny [Rennie] WS (1, 2); James Innes, Royal Bank, Edinburgh (4, 7); T Dermer, London (5); British Wool Society, Edinburgh (6); William Simpson, Royal Bank, Edinburgh (8, 9, 14, 17, 20); Charles Lockhart, Muiravonside (10); Alexander Blair WS, Edinburgh (11); David Steuart [Stewart], Edinburgh (12, 13, 16); James Bremner, Edinburgh (15); Hugh Rorison [Rorrison], Rammerscales (18, 19). (20 items)
- A727.487 11 Jan 1793-30 Aug 1793 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and John Alison on Callendar estate matters. Correspondents - William Dawson, Camelon (1); William Smith, Longford (2); Matthew McKenzie, Falkirk (3); Charles Lockhart, Muiravonside (4, 9, 10, 25); Lieutenant Alexander Munro, Dorrator (5); 'the tenant in the Boglon' (6); James Gowans, Townhead (7, 14); Katherine McKy [McKay], Falkirk, complaining about colliers (8); Andrew Robertson, Madiston [Maddiston] (11, 16, 21); John Henderson, Bonnyside Mill (12); William Walker, Torwood (13, 24, 32); Mr Ramsay, Falkirk (15); James Stark, Camelon (17, 23); Sir Alexander Livingstone of Westquarter (18, 19); Margaret Phaup, Madiston [Maddiston] (20); Robert Cairns, Denny (22); Mr Riddell, Mount Riddell (26); John Gibson, Falkirk (27); Nicol Baird, Kelvinhead, for Forth & Clyde Canal Company (28); James Hunt, Dunfermline (29); William McMillan, Newmills (30); James Burns, Falkirk (31, 33). (33 items)
- A727.488 14 Jan 1793-28 Jun 1793 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - M B Legg [Legge], Basingstoke, concerning his brother at Wilsontown Iron Works (1); E McIntosh, Mrs Forbes' servant (2); David Steuart [Stewart] (3); William Ramsay, Edinburgh (4); Mrs Meek Falkirk (5); George Home, Edinburgh, concerning the estate of Cockburn (6); John Eiston [Easton], Edinburgh (7, 8); Robert Melvill [Melville], Falkirk (9); Alexander Douglas, London, enclosing estimates for planting (10-13); Mr Cadell, Carronpark (14, 33); Robert Banks, Stirling (15, 22); [unsigned], concerning Forbes' butler (16) William Finlay [Findlay], Polmont (17); Robert Houston [Houston] Rae, Glasgow (18); Colin Campbell, Polmont Park (19, 20); James Weir, Stirling (21); Rev John Muir, minister of Falkirk (23); Colonel Blennerhasset (24); Sir John Dalrymple, Edinburgh (25, 26); D Dundas, Merchistonhall [Merchiston Hall] (27); William Morehead [Muirhead], Herbertshire (28); Mr Lockhart, Edinburgh (29); R Mackintosh [McIntosh], Edinburgh (30, 31); Sir Michael Bruce of Stenhouse (32); John Russell, Falkirk (34). (34 items)
- A727.489 17 Jan 1793 Letter to Mrs Forbes, at the Adelphi [London], from

- Euphemia Boswell. Personal.
- A727.490 20 Jan 1793-30 Sep 1793 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estate Ayrshire. Correspondents - David Limond. Ayr (1, 2, 4, 5); George Hendrie[Hendry] and John Duncan, Sanquhar (3); John Rawling [Rawlings], Ayr(6); John Simson [Simpson], Ayr (7). 4 is draft letter from Forbes concerning payment to a miner's wife. (7 items)
- A727.491 22 Jan 1793-24 Apr 1793 Letters to Robert Forbes, on board ship and in Madeira, from David Forbes, his brother, in London. Mainly personal, but 3 describes his obtaining of naval contracts. (3 items)
- A727.492 23 Jan 1793-11 May 1793 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Robert Forbes, his brother, on board ship and at Funchal, Madeira, whither he accompanied Mrs Forbes of Callendar, who there died. 2 describes the hazards of the voyage. 6 and 7 concern the difficulty of returning to Britain, because of the war. (7 items)
- A727.493 28 Jan 1793-24 Jun 1793 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from David Forbes, his brother, in London, concerning their copper business, particularly their tender for the Navy contract, incorporating accounts of the business, and articles sent to Callendar. 26 is enclosed information of death of Mrs Forbes in Madeira. (28 items)
- A727.494 01 Feb 1793-25 Sep 1793 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Smith, writer, Edinburgh, concerning various of Forbes' affairs. 15 concerns mourning clothes for servants. 21 is enclosed letter from Hugh Mosman [Mossman] of Auchtyfardle, concerning march dyke between his and Forbes' lands in Kirkcudbrightshire. (22 items)
- A727.495 06 Feb 1793-25 Nov 1793 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning supplies of merchandise. Correspondents - Montgomery & Steele [Steel], Edinburgh (French apples, 1); William Coulter, Edinburgh (caps, 2); Forrester & Co, Edinburgh (sheetings, enclosing samples, 3-8); Bells & Rannie, Leith (wine, 9, 12, 13, 15-18); John Lawson, Canongate [Edinburgh] (marble tables, 10, 11); A & P Crichton, Edinburgh (chaise, 14); Ebenezer Gairdner [Gardner] & Son, Edinburgh (switches, 19); William Fraser, Edinburgh (mournings, 20); Thomas Cowan, Bo'ness (horse, 21); Mr Tibbets, Edinburgh (hat, 22); George Brown, Camelon (nails, 23); John Rose, Charlestoun [Charlestown] (limeshells, 24, 27, 28); James Liddle [Liddell], Edinburgh (blankets, 25); Andrew Cassels, Leith (porter, 26, 30); John Bell, Camelon (nails, 29). (30 items)
- A727.496 08 Feb 1793-25 Nov 1793 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Grierson, W., Edinburgh, on legal matters concerning Forbes' estates in Galloway, particularly the removal of tenants. 15 is enclosed letter from William Newall, Waterside. (33 items)
- A727.497 18 Feb 1793-13 Dec 1793 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from George Main, Falkirk, on legal matters concerning the estate of Callendar. (16 items)
- A727.498 28 Feb 1793-26 Nov 1793 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Wingate, Stirling, concerning the Fund for encouraging a more speedy manning of the Navy. No. 1 includes a list of Stirlingshire subscribers. (7 items)
- A727.499 02 Mar 1793-31 Dec 1793 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in Galloway. Correspondents - James Buchanan,

- Dalry (1, 4, 7); Samuel Clark, Earlstoun (2, 6, 8, 9, 13, 15); William Robison [Robson], Hannaston (3, 14); Rev John Gillespie, minister of Kells (5, 19); John Thomson, Kirkcudbright (10); Robert Ramsay, Dumfries (11); David Allan, Paisley (12, 21); James Douglas, Dalry (16, 18); John Robison [Robson], Hannaston (17); John Thomson and John Irving [Irvine], Glencairn (20). (21 items)
- A727.500 05 Mar 1793-18 Nov 1793 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and other papers concerning supplies of timber. Correspondents - James Dalgleish, Bo'ness (1, 16, 18, 19, 21, 22, 25); Robert Melville [Melville], Falkirk (2, 3, 14); Henry Swinton, Grangemouth (5, 7-13, 15, 17, 20, 23); Robert Binny [Binnie], Bainsford (24). (25 items)
- A727.501 15 Mar 1793-27 Dec 1793 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from John Taylor WS, Edinburgh, on legal matters. Copies of replies. Enclosed letters to Taylor from Mr Honyman [Honeyman] (28); John Graeme [Graham], Edinburgh (30); and Charles Innes WS, Edinburgh (34). (44 items)
- A727.502 18 Mar 1793-21 Nov 1793 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning supplies of oats, barley and beans. Correspondents - Joseph Bogue [Boag], Grangemouth (1, 2, 5, 8, 9, 14, 16); James Kincaid, Falkirk (3, 4, 7, 10, 15); Mr Ramsay, Falkirk (6, 11-13, 17). (17 items)
- A727.503 13 Apr 1793-12 Aug 1793 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, John Allinson and Robert Forbes from John Beaumont, in Ayr, on colliery matters, particularly miners sent to Callendar, including news of their families; Nos 1 and 5 are from Mrs Elizabeth Beaumont. (12 items)
- A727.504 13 Jun 1793-01 Jul 1793 List of clothes left in London. Notes of hats. (3 items)
- A727.505 01 Jul 1793-30 Dec 1793 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from David and Robert Forbes, his brothers, in London, concerning their copper business, incorporating accounts thereof, articles sent to Callendar, and the making and sending to Madeira of a marble tombstone in memory of Mrs Forbes and a present of tureens. In 22, David advises taking snuff for weak eyes. 30 includes account of insurance on Callendar House. 32 notes a great rise in stock prices. (40 items)
- A727.506 03 Jul 1793-29 Dec 1793 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - John Tovey, Stirling (1); Mr Bannatine [Bannatyne], Edinburgh (2); Robert Houstoun [Houston] Rae, Glasgow (3, 5, 16); J A Higgins, Edinburgh (4); Robert Dundas of Arniston, acknowledging pineapples (6); Matthew Bloxam, London (7); R Mackintosh [McIntosh], Edinburgh (8); Andrew Leslie, Edinburgh (9); Thomas Wingate, Stirling (10, 11); Sir John Dalrymple, Edinburgh (12); Alexander Walker, Edinburgh (13); E McIntosh, Edinburgh (14); Sir John Sinclair, concerning the Statistical Account of Falkirk (15); Montgomery & Steele [Steel], Edinburgh (17); Jane Watson, London (18); Alexander Joyner, Aberdeen (19); Mr Ferrier, Somerford [Summerford] (20); Alexander Bruce, Aberdeen (21, 22); R Belsches [Belses], Edinburgh (23). (23 items)
- A727.507 07 Jul 1793-19 Jul 1793 Letters to Robert Forbes, in London and Edinburgh, having returned from Madeira, from William Forbes of Callendar, his brother, advising him on his journey to Callendar. (2 items)

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| A727.508 | 20 Jul 1793-24 Jan 1794 | Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning the death of John Muir, minister of Falkirk, and the appointment of his successor. Correspondents - Mrs Muir (1); Mrs Speirs, Dunmore Park (2); Alexander Muir, Falkirk (3); the Miss Lockharts, Muiravonside (4); A Maconochie [McConnachie], Edinburgh (5); J F Erskine [of Mar] (6); Robert Houston [Houston] Rae, Glasgow (7); A Dunmore, Glasgow (8); Sir Alexander Campbell, Stirling (9); Rev John Sommers [Summers], Glasgow (10, 12); R Belsches [Belses], Edinburgh, who expresses 'the necessity of exercising the Crown's right of patronage', the presbytery being 'not a little fanatical' (11). (12 items) |
| A727.509 | 09 Aug 1793-13 Sep 1793 | Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes from William Lamb, upholsterer and cabinet maker, Edinburgh, concerning furniture and upholstery he supplies for Callendar House. Related papers, including drafts of letters from William Forbes -'I am determined to have all the Window Curtains in the house plain pull up and no drapery window curtains at all' (5). 14 is sample of moreen for covering the sofa. (28 items) |
| A727.510 | 06 Sep 1793-09 Dec 1793 | Letters to Robert Forbes and Mr Allison, overseer, both at Ayr, on Sanquhar estate matters. Correspondents - Richard Alexander Oswald of Auchincruive (1), with draft letter from William Forbes of Callendar (2); Oswald Weir, Auchincruive (3); Rev John Gillespie, minister of Kells (4); David Scott, Ayr (5); Ayr Subscription Assemblies (6, 7). (7 items) |
| A727.511 | 07 Sep 1793-16 Dec 1793 | Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on Callendar estate matters. Correspondents - Mr Baird, Manuel Mill (1, 11, 13); Major Scott, Dunipace (2); Captain Alexander Munro, Dorrator (3); William McMillan, Newmills (4), Helen Liddell, Falkirk (5); Lieutenant Hutchinson, Falkirk (6); Alexander Adam, Kinnaird, concerning colliers (7); Mr Nimmo, Falkirk (8); Mr Cadell, Carronpark, (9); John Black, Denovan (10); Duncan McDougall, Falkirk (12); George Rawling [Rawlings], Ravensworth (14); James Stark, Camelon (15); George Hutton, Bainsford (16); Robert Stark, Camelon (17, 22); James Gibson, Glasgow (18); Robert Inglis, Casie End (19); Andrew Robertson, Madiston [Maddiston] (20); Thomas Hucheson [Hutchison], Falkirk (21); Janet Bain, Kinnaird (23); James Walker, Falkirk (24). (24 items) |
| A727.512 | 09 Sep 1793-05 Dec 1793 | Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Robert Forbes, his brother, at Ayr, reporting on work improving the estate of Sanquhar, including the coal pit and bores. (15 items) |
| A727.513 | 10 Sep 1793-14 Dec 1793 | Letters to Robert Forbes, at Ayr, from William Forbes of Callendar, his brother, discussing improvements of the Sanquhar estate, including boring. William sends fruit and boring rods and is bled and blistered for an eye complaint. 7 and 8 comment on work at Callendar. (13 items) |
| A727.514 | 25 Sep 1793 | Letter to William Forbes of Callendar, in Ayr, from Robert Abercrombie, [his nephew], at Callendar House, reporting on estate matters. |
| A727.515 | 17 Oct 1793-19 Oct 1793 | Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from James Forbes, his brother, and Dr George French, both in Aberdeen, suggesting that his nephew William Forbes study medicine in Edinburgh. (2 items) |
| A727.516 | 15 Nov 1793-17 Jan 1794 | Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes from John Beaumont, in Ayr, concerning boring and thorn |

- planting on Sanquhar estate. (8 items)
- A727.517 1793-1795 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes from Janet Forbes, their mother, in Aberdeen, on family matters, including (11 and 13) an Irish lawsuit. 6 is draft letter from Robert, describing Mrs Forbes' death in Madeira and his difficulty in obtaining a ship from there. 10 is enclosed letter to Janet from Dr Robert Forbes, Nairn, concerning his son. (19 items)
- A727.518 1793-1795 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Jean Forbes, widow of his brother George, in Aberdeen, concerning her sons' education and financial matters. Enclosed are letters from George Bisset, Udney Academy, (6 and 17) and from David Forbes, Jean's son, (18) and account of cash disbursed in fitting out her son William as surgeon's mate (19). (27 items)
- A727.519 1793-1795 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from William Forbes, his nephew, in Aberdeen, Torbay, Spithead and Portsmouth, concerning his career. Having completed his medical studies in Aberdeen, he becomes a surgeon's mate in the Navy. (8 items)
- A727.520 1793-1795 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes from Dr Robert Forbes, their uncle, in Nairn, and Elizabeth, his wife, concerning family matters, particularly the career of his son Robert, who works in a bank in Aberdeen. Enclosed are letters from James Brand (6) and James Allardyce (7) in Aberdeen, concerning Robert. (17 items)
- A727.521 1793-1795 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from John Abercrombie, his brother-in-law, in Aberdeen, mainly concerning family matters and enclosing accounts of the expenses of their Forbes nephews. 6 concerns the Commercial Banking Company. 14-17 are enclosed correspondence of Alexander Allardyce of Dunnottar concerning the salary of the postmaster of Aberdeen. 27-29 concern competition for the office of barracks master in Aberdeen. (32 items)
- A727.522 01 Jan 1794-29 Apr 1794 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - R Belsches [Belses], Edinburgh (1, 4, 11, 19); Gordon Duff & Co, Madeira (2); Henry Farquharson, Edinburgh (3); Robert Houstoun [Houston] Rae, Glasgow (5); William Cadell, Carronpark (6); Captain J Dempster, Edinburgh (7, 9); George Purcell, formerly footman at Callendar (8); Mr Williamson, Polmont (10); John Angus, London (12); Rev Robert Innes, minister of Huntly (13); Matthew Forbes, Northumberland (14); Robert Dundas, Edinburgh (15); Henry Dundas [Secretary of State] (16, 17); Mr Anstruther, London (18); W Innes, Craigforth (20); Margaret McAdam, Ayr (21). (21 items)
- A727.523 04 Jan 1794 Letter to William Forbes of Callendar from Jean Forbes, his sister, in Aberdeen, on a financial matter.
- A727.524 04 Jan 1794-26 Dec 1794 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in Galloway. Correspondents - Samuel Clark, Earlstoun (1, 18, 21, 28, 32, 35); John Hastings, Darnaw (2); Christopher Ferguson, Margril [Margrie?] (3); Thomas Grierson, Edinburgh (4, 17, 22, 27); Robert Ramsay, Dumfries (5, 7); John Thomson, Kirkcudbright (6, 9-11, 13, 16); David Allane [Allan], Hannaston (8); Thomas Gibson,

- Ardoch (12); John Gordon, Kenmure Castle (14, 15); Alexander Fergusson [Ferguson] of Craigdarroch (19, 20, 34); Hugh Mosman [Mossmann], Auchtyfardle (23, 24); Thomas Goldie, Dumfries (25, 26, 33); Rev John Gillespie, minister of Kells (29); Rev Alexander McGowan, minister of Dalry (30); John Grierson, at Knees of Balliney (31). (35 items)
- A727.525 06 Jan 1794-17 Jul 1794 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes on Callendar estate matters. Correspondents - James Walker, Falkirk (1); William Maclean [McLean], Callendar (2); Thomas Aiken [Aitken], Falkirk (3); R Belsches [Belses], Edinburgh (4, 5); George Brown, Camelon (6); Patrick Waugh, Falkirk (7); Robert Stark, Falkirk (8); Thomas Birkwood, Summerford (9); John Jarvey [Jarvie], Balbardie (10); James Stark, Camelon (11, 24); Andrew Oswald, Larbert (12); J Stainton [Stanton], Carron (13, 14); Josiah Cox (15); James Whitelaw, Laurieston, seeking radishes for a relative 'thought to be a ding of a consumption' (16); James Bruce of Kinnaird (17); Mr Spottiswoode (18); William Waugh, Seafield (19); unsigned, concerning robbery at the colliery (20); James Henderson, Falkirk (21, 22); Mr Ramsay, Falkirk, asking for loan of tarpaulins (23); George Brown, Dalderse (25). (25 items)
- A727.526 06 Jan 1794-08 Dec 1794 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from David Forbes, his brother, in London, concerning their copper business and family and financial matters. Enclosed are (4) letter from Thomas Netherton, Plymouth, and (15) an account for carpets. (27 items)
- A727.527 07 Jan 1794-12 Dec 1794 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from John Taylor, WS, Edinburgh, on legal matters, including those of Alexander Douglas and his estate of Baads. (18 items)
- A727.528 09 Jan 1794-12 Oct 1794 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, Robert Forbes and Mr Simpson, innkeeper, Ayr, concerning Sanquhar estate in Ayrshire. Correspondents - Joseph Norman, Ayr (1); James Campbell, Williamwood (2); Philip and Alexander Ross, Glasgow (3); James Brown, Glasgow (4); Robert Reid, Adamton (5, 12, 13); David Limond, Ayr (6); Thomas and George Rawling [Rawlings], Ravensworth (7); Rev William McQuhae, minister of St Quivox (8-11, 16); George Girvan, schoolmaster, St Quivox (14, 15); John Ballantine [Ballantyne], Ayr, enclosing subscription paper for improvement of schools there (17, 18); John Duncan, Ayr (19). (19 items)
- A727.529 10 Jan 1794-27 Sep 1794 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and related papers concerning supplies of thorns and seeds. Correspondents - Gordon, Dermer & Co, London (2); Robert Fair, London (3); Anderson Leslie & Co, Edinburgh (4, 11, 12); John Runciman, Stirling (5); John Hamilton, Grangemouth (7); Peter Bell, Falkirk (8); Joseph Udny, Linlithgow (17). 5 is list of garden seeds. 13 includes sketch plan of area west of Shielhill Road. (17 items)
- A727.530 13 Jan 1794-10 Oct 1794 Announcements of deaths of John Maxwell, of island of Tobago (1); James Bruce of Kinnaird (2, 3); Captain James Eiston [Easton], at Martinico [Martinique, Lesser Antilles] (4); John Beaumont, Edinburgh (5-7). (7 items)
- A727.531 14 Jan 1794-19 Aug 1794 Letters to Robert Forbes, at Ayr, accepting or making dinner invitations. (12 items)

- A727.532 16 Jan 1794-23 Dec 1794 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Robert Forbes, his brother, John Allinson and George Logan, all at Ayr, concerning estate and colliery work there, including planting thorns and erection of a gin. Also concern melons received from Callendar and a wart on Robert's nose. (35 items)
- A727.533 17 Jan 1794-23 Feb 1794 Letters to Robert Forbes, at Ayr, from William Forbes of Callendar, his brother, discussing and instructing on work on Sanquhar estate, including the acquisition of a coal gin. (10 items)
- A727.534 17 Jan 1794-11 Nov 1794 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and other papers concerning supplies of timber. Correspondents - John Cowie, Grangemouth (1); James Dalgleish, Bo'ness (2-5, 9, 10); Henry Swinton, Grangemouth (6-8, 11). (12 items)
- A727.535 20 Jan 1794-01 Nov 1794 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from George Main, Falkirk, on legal matters concerning Callendar estate. 10 and 11 concern the Volunteers. (13 items)
- A727.536 26 Jan 1794-24 Dec 1794 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning supplies of merchandise. Correspondents - James Anderson, Edinburgh (books, 1, 2); J & M Chalie, London (wine, 3); Bells & Rannie, Leith (wine, 4-8, 13, 14, 16, 17); John Stewart, Edinburgh (fish, 9); Richard Bannatine [Bannatyne], Edinburgh (cloth, 10); George Brown, Dalderse (nails, 11); Andrew Cassels, Leith (porter, 12, 18, 20, 22); William Lamb, Edinburgh (cotton, 15); John Rose, Charlestown (limeshells, 19); Colin Macnab [McNab], Grangemouth (porter, 21); John Gibson, Falkirk (tan, 23); James Elder, Edinburgh (saddle, 24); Ebenezer Gairdner [Gardner] & Son, Edinburgh (25); Leith Candle Company (soap, 26). (26 items)
- A727.537 04 Feb 1794-25 Nov 1794 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes concerning supplies of oats. Correspondents - Mr Ramsay, Falkirk (1, 3, 4, 7, 13); Joseph Bogue [Boag], Grangemouth (2, 5, 10, 17); James Kincaid, Falkirk (6, 8, 11, 16); John Callander junior, Ladysmill (9, 12, 14, 15); John Napier, Grangemouth (18). (18 items)
- A727.538 12 Feb 1794-13 Nov 1794 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Wingate, Stirling, mainly on legal matters concerning Callendar estate. 3 is copy petition to Parliament for a Stirlingshire Road Bill. 8 and 11 concern the Committee for Internal Defence. (12 items)
- A727.539 18 Feb 1794-23 Aug 1794 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Smith, writer Edinburgh, mostly concerning a disposition of the lands of Seafield. (7 items)
- A727.540 25 Feb 1794-17 Dec 1794 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on financial matters. Correspondents - Robert & Hugh Ingram, London (1, 3, 5); William Simpson, Royal Bank, Edinburgh (2, 10, 12, 16, 19); Mr Edwards, London (4); Sir William Forbes & Co, Edinburgh (6-9, 13-15, 22, 23); Alexander Blair WS, Edinburgh (11, 20, 25); Sun Fire Office, Edinburgh (17); Highland Society, Edinburgh (18); Ann Muirhead, Tippetcraig (21); William Sloan, Ingliston (24). 12 also has information of French ship at Grenada. (25 items)
- A727.541 11 Mar 1794-06 May 1794 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, in London, from Robert Forbes, his brother, at Callendar, reporting on Callendar estate matters, including planting of thorns and sowing of oats and grass seeds, and occasionally Ayr and Kirkcudbright estates. No 1 also concerns carpets required

- A727.542 12 Mar 1794-12 May 1794 and gives measurements of small drawing-room. (6 items) Letters to Robert Forbes, at Callendar, from William Forbes of Callendar, his brother, in London, concerning the Turnpike Bill for Stirlingshire and instructing on estate matters. He wishes a comparative trial of English or Scotch rye grass. The 'clover seeds must always come from London or Holland' (5). Mirrors and Wedgewood plates are sent to Callendar (9). (9 items)
- A727.543 13 Mar 1794-29 Mar 1794 Letters to David Forbes, in London, from James Irvine there, enclosing catalogues of pictures to be sold by auction at Christie's. William Forbes of Callendar is a possible buyer. (4 items)
- A727.544 13 May 1794-22 Aug 1794 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - H. Innes, London (1, 8); Johan Bartholomew, Clarkston (2); Dr James Hamilton, London (3); Rev Dr David Johnson, Secretary to the Society for Relief of the Indigent and Industrious Blind, Leith (4); Alexander Douglas, London (5, 14, 27, 32); Mrs Steuart [Stewart], Edinburgh (6, 20); R Belsches [Belses], Edinburgh (7, 18, 28, 29); Duke of Montrose (9, 21, 22, 24); Mr Bruce of Kinnaird (10); Miss Bruce, Kinnaird (11); William Forbes, flaxdresser, Huntly (12); Robert Houston [Houston] Rae, Glasgow (13, 15, 17, 30); M S Teulon [Teulon?], Falkirk (16); Mr Livingston [Livingstone], Clarkston (19); John Buchan, Carronpark (23); R Graham of Gartmore, parliamentary candidate for county of Stirling (25, 26); Henry Dundas [Secretary of State], London (31). (32 items)
- A727.545 14 Jul 1794-29 Oct 1794 Letters to Robert Forbes, at Ayr, from William Forbes of Callendar his brother, instructing on works on Sanquhar estate and coal pits, sending melons, and reporting on work on Callendar estate where (6) no progress is made in arming the people, (14) cattle are bought for the Liverpool market, and (19) a root from Madeira has produced a beautiful flower. No surgeon at Ayr should touch Robert's nose (16). (22 items)
- A727.546 12 Aug 1794-16 Dec 1794 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes on Callendar estate matters. Correspondents - John Russell, Dalgreen (1); James Stark, Camelon (2); Alexander Callander, Falkirk (3); John Buchan, Edinburgh (4); James Archibald, Camelon (5); John Baird, Manuel Mills (6); James Walker, Weedings (7, 22); Mr Riddell, Mount Riddell (8); John Henderson, Falkirk (9); Robert Inglis, Causewayend (10); Colonel Maxwell, Parkhill (11); D Macnab [McNab], Bainsford (12); Mr Spottiswoode, Dunipace (13); Peter Calder, Newwinning (14); James Henderson, Falkirk (15, 16); 'an inhabitant', Falkirk (17); Mr Cadell, Carronpark (18); Captain Alexander Munro, Dorrator (19); Duncan Campbell, Falkirk (20); Andrew Robertson, Madiston [Maddiston] (21); Patrick Waugh, Falkirk (23); Daniel McLean, Bonnybridge (24); William Greig, Thornhill (25, 26); William Glen, Forganhall (27); Alexander McLardie [McLarty], Falkirk (28); Robert Knox, at Kinnaird, concerning deer (29); Margaret Phaup, Madiston [Maddiston] (30); Jean Ross, Edinburgh, concerning rats (31). (31 items)
- A727.547 01 Sep 1794-30 Dec 1794 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - Alexander Douglas, London (1, 3,

- 6, 9, 13, 14, 22, 26, 27, 40); James Green, in the Abbey (2); John Buchan, Edinburgh (4, 5); James Dalrymple, Edinburgh (7); J Livingston [Livingstone], Clarkston (8); Robert Dundas, Edinburgh (10); Mr MacGibbon [McGibbon], Stirling (11); John Walker, Falkirk, concerning an orphan (12); Colonel James F Erskine, Dalhousie (15, 33); Mr White (16); Sir John Dalrymple, Edinburgh (17); Robert Houston [Houston] Rae, Glasgow (18, 21, 32); Colonel Maxwell, Parkhill (19, 20, 23); George Douglas, Alexander's son, London (24, 34); Robert Dundas of Arncliffe, Lord Advocate (25); Walter Ferrier, Somerford [Summerford], volunteering as a constable (28); Neil Fergusson [Ferguson], Edinburgh (29), enclosing letter from David Steuart [Stewart], Edinburgh (30); Jane Watson, London (31); Patrick Heron, London, parliamentary candidate for stewardry of Kirkcudbright (35, 36); R A Oswald, Edinburgh, the same (37); Major Maclean [McLean] (38); Robert Banks, Stirling (39). (40 items)
- A727.548 30 Sep 1794 Letter to [Robert] Forbes from Dr James Bone, Ayr, prescribing sticking plaster.
- A727.549 1794-1795 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from James Allardyce, in Aberdeen, and Alexander Allardyce, in London, mainly on financial matters.
- A727.550 1794-1795 Letters and invoices to William Forbes of Callendar from Dicksons & Co, Edinburgh, who supply him with plants, seeds and thorns. Related papers. (34 items)
- A727.551 02 Jan 1795-21 Dec 1795 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes concerning his estate in Ayrshire. Correspondents - George Logan, Ayr (1-4, 6, 11, 30, 33); Robert Reid, Adamton (5, 9, 10, 12); William Drennan, Ladykirk (7, 8, 16); James Reid, Prestwick Toll Bar (13); Robert Aitken, writer, Ayr (14, 15, 21); David Limond, Ayr (17, 25, 26, 34, 36); Alexander Smith, writer, Ayr (18, 19); William Dunn, Ayr (20, 23, 27); David Hunter, Ayr (22, 24, 29); John Murdoch, Ayr (28); Edward Hippon, Ayr (31); William Wylie, Ayr (32); Oswald Weir, Mount Hamilton (35). (36 items)
- A727.552 08 Jan 1795-23 Dec 1795 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning supplies of merchandise. Correspondents - John Gibson, Falkirk (tan, 1, 10); Bells & Rannie, Leith (spirits, 2); George Anderson, Glasgow (rum, 3-9); Mr Burns, Falkirk (linen, 11); William Dickson, Edinburgh (guinea fowls, 12); Mr Chowner, London (silver, 13); Mr Tod [Todd], Edinburgh (horse, 14); William Hodge, Falkirk (bread, 15); John Rose, Charlestown [Charlestown] (lime, 16-18, 33); Joseph Bogue [Boag], Grangemouth (limeshells, 19, 23); John Sligo, Leith (wine, 20, 25); Crichton & Feild, Edinburgh (carriage, 21, 32, 36); Alexander Allan & Co, Edinburgh (uniforms of Deputy Lieutenants of Stirlingshire, 22); Andrew Cassels, Leith (porter, 24, 29-31, 34); Montgomery & Steele [Steel], Edinburgh (Portugal plums, 26, 37); Thomas Duncanson, Falkirk (porter, 27); William Fraser, Edinburgh (coat, 28); Marshall & Armstrong, Edinburgh (brass plug, 35). (37 items)
- A727.553 10 Jan 1795-19 Jun 1795 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - R Belsches [Belses], Edinburgh (1, 2, 11, 14, 17, 18, 21); Alexander Douglas, London (3, 8, 10, 20); John Buchan, Falkirk (4); Robert Houston [Houston]

- Rae, Glasgow (5, 16); W Gartshore, London (6); David Steuart [Stewart], Braehouse (7, 23); Andrew Wardrop, Edinburgh (9); Jean Ross, Edinburgh (12); Secretary of Scottish Hospital Board in Scotland (13, 24); Thomas Gordon, London (15); David Ure, Edinburgh (19); P Crauford Bruce, Stenhouse (22); Captain Colin Campbell, Falkirk, requesting 'sallad' (25); J Forbes, Seaton (26); Mr Wilson, Falkirk, who gives lectures (27, 28); Richard Alexander Oswald, Hythe (29); Sir Alexander Ramsay, Edinburgh, concerning Arran cattle (30); Margaret Brooks, London (31); the Lord Advocate (32); Miss Graham, Gartmore, thanking for grapes (33). 14 and 17 describe the murder by his brother of Sir Francis Kinloch. (33 items)
- A727.554 10 Jan 1795-22 Dec 1795 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Smith, writer, Edinburgh, concerning mainly an election in stewartry of Kirkcudbright and the purchase of superiorities. 12 concerns the death of Smith's brother. 16 and 21, which is an enclosed letter from Andrew Plummer, Sunderland Hall, concern prospective tenants. (24 items)
- A727.555 10 Jan 1795-26 Dec 1795 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from David Forbes, his brother, in London, concerning his copper business, family matters, particularly their nephews, and items sent to Callendar, including a garden engine for watering wall trees (9 and 11). 13 includes an account from Wedgewood's. 23 is to Robert Forbes. 24 is draft letter to Henry Dundas from William Forbes, asking for a change of ship for his nephew William Forbes. (26 items)
- A727.556 12 Jan 1795-24 Jun 1795 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in stewartry of Kirkcudbright. Correspondents - William Sloan, Garrerie (1, 8, 26); Alexander Smith, Maxwellton [Maxwelltown] (2, 11); John Commelin [Comblin], Kirkcudbright (3-5); Alexander Papple [Papple], Ayr (6, 7); John Thomson, Kirkcudbright (9, 19, 20, 27, 28, 32, 37, 38, 41); Samuel Clark, Earlstoun (10, 13, 14, 18); Thomas Grierson, Edinburgh (12); John Papple [Papple], Strongcastle (15); Peter McLachlan, Bannachra by Dumbarton (16, 17, 29, 30, 33, 34, 39); Alexander Gordon, Kirkcudbright (21); John McMillan, Brockloch (22); John Gordon, Kenmure Castle (23, 35, 36); Michael Herries, Spottes Hall (24); John Mitchell, Strahanna (25); Thomas Gilson [Gillieson], Dumfries (31); William Robison [Robson], Hanistown [Hannaston] (40); David Kennedy, Kirkcudbright (42); William Copland, Edinburgh (43); Hugh Mosman [Mossman], Auchtyfardle (44). (44 items)
- A727.557 16 Jan 1795-29 Dec 1795 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and related papers on financial matters. Correspondents - Sir William Forbes & Co, Edinburgh (1-3, 5, 6, 8, 9, 14, 16, 18, 20); William Simpson, Royal Bank, Edinburgh (4, 10-13, 15, 19, 22, 26); Robert Melvill [Melville], Falkirk (7); DeVisme & Co, London (17); John Cochrane, Edinburgh (21); Alexander Blair WS (23); William Maclean [McLean], Falkirk (24, 25); Walter Logan, Glasgow (27). (31 items)
- A727.558 17 Jan 1795-17 Nov 1795 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from John Taylor WS, Edinburgh, on legal matters. (9 items)
- A727.559 24 Jan 1795-14 Sep 1795 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from George Main, Falkirk on legal matters concerning Callendar estate. 9 concerns two Navy volunteers. (11 items)

- A727.560 15 Feb 1795-04 Nov 1795 Announcements of deaths of Lady Bruce, Stenhouse; Sir Alexander Livingstone; Captain George Eiston [Easton]; Sir Michael Bruce.
- A727.561 27 Feb 1795-15 Dec 1795 Dinner invitations and other brief notes to William Forbes of Callendar. (24 items)
- A727.562 12 Mar 1795-27 Aug 1795 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate. Correspondents - Edward Mackenzie [McKenzie], Falkirk (1); William Greig (2); James Walker, Weedings (3, 16); Andrew Robertson, Maddiston (4); Walter Logan, Glasgow (5); Thomas Wingate, Stirling, enclosing hair powder certificates (6-12, 17, 22); Mrs Ferguson, Camelon (13); Clerk of Falkirk Library (14); Alexander Gillespie, Larbert (15); John Gibson, Glasgow (18, 19); Thomas Duncanson, Falkirk (20); John Morehead [Muirhead], Herbertshire (21); William Girvan, Glasgow (23) W Garthshore, London (24); John Malcolm, Larbert (25); Major Alexander Munro, Dorrator (26). (26 items)
- A727.563 20 Mar 1795-12 Oct 1795 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and related papers concerning supplies of thorns and seed oats. Correspondents - John Richmond & Co, Edinburgh (1); James Kincaid, Falkirk (2); Mr Ramsay, Falkirk (3); Joseph Udney, Linlithgow (4). (4 items)
- A727.564 31 Mar 1795-02 Dec 1795 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning servants, including gardeners. Correspondents - Alexander Walker, Walker's Hotel, Edinburgh (1, 3, 6, 8-10, 13); Dickesons [Dickson] & Co, Edinburgh (2, 5, 7, 12); Colin Macnab [McNab], Grangemouth (4); Elizabeth Montgomery, Edinburgh (11). (13 items)
- A727.565 08 Apr 1795-28 Oct 1795 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning supplies of timber. Correspondents - James Dalglish, Boness (1, 4, 10, 12); Henry Swinton, Grangemouth (2, 3, 11); Mr Spottiswoode, Dunipace (5-8, 13). (13 items)
- A727.566 13 Jun 1795-28 Dec 1795 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, and related papers, concerning a shipment of Madeira wine. Correspondents - Gordon Duff & Co, Madeira (1-4); James Delamain, Hull (5); Ramsay, Williamson & Co, Leith (6-11). (11 items)
- A727.567 20 Jun 1795-26 Jun 1795 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, in London, from Robert Forbes his brother, at Callendar, concerning estate matters and items required from London, including Wedgewood urns 'for bringing Ice cream to table with the Ice along with the cream which keeps it from melting'. (2 items)
- A727.568 29 Jun 1795 List of clothes left in London.
- A727.569 30 Jun 1795 Letter to Robert Forbes, at Callendar, from William Forbes of Callendar, his brother, in London, on estate matters.
- A727.570 10 Jul 1795-28 Dec 1795 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in stewardry of Kirkcudbright. Correspondents - John Thomson, Kirkcudbright (1-3, 6, 7, 10-12, 14, 15, 23, 31, 32, 34); John Gordon, Kenmure Castle (4, 21, 22); Thomas Grierson, Edinburgh (5, 30); William Sloan, Garrerie (8, 33); Alexander Smith, Maxwellton [Maxwelltown] (9, 16, 17); Robert McMillan, Dumfries (13); Samuel Clark, Earlstoun (18, 28, 37); Thomas Goldie, Dumfries (19, 26, 27); James Carson, Barscobe (20); Hugh Mosman [Mossman], Auchtyfardle (24, 25); John Commelin [Comblin], Kirkcudbright (29); James Buchanan, session clerk (35); William McCaa, Newton Douglas (36); Rev William

- Grierson, minister of Glencairn (38); John Irving [Irvine], Dumfries (39); Samuel Brown, Dumfries (40); Rev John Gillespie, minister of Kells (41); Alexander McGowan, Dalry (42); William Watson, Barskimming (43). (43 items)
- A727.571 11 Jul 1795-29 Dec 1795 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents -Lewis Gordon, Highland Society, Edinburgh (1, 2); George Still, Aberdeen (3); R Belsches [Belses], Edinburgh (4, 5, 24, 29, 33, 38, 40); James Andrew, Linlithgow (6); Robert Dundas, Edinburgh (7); Mrs Wilson, Falkirk Manse (8); Duke of Montrose (9, 11, 20); General William Maxwell, Parkhill (10); Mrs Bruce, Westquarter (12); William Forbes, Huntly (13, 39); Thomas Johnston (14); the Lord Advocate (15); Francis Lumsden, Belcherie [Balcarry?], his uncle (16); Miss Bruce, Stenhouse, acknowledging peaches (17); John Duncan, provost [of Aberdeen], Edinburgh (18); Janet Ross, Edinburgh (19); John Sprott, New Wooll (21-23, 25-27); Colonel W Fullarton [Fullerton], Ayr (28); Mrs M Fullarton [Fullerton], Fullarton (30, 35, 36); James Walker, Edinburgh (31); Mrs Dundas, Edinburgh (32); A Dallas, Edinburgh (34); W Garthshore, Horse Guards, London (37); Alexander Fergusson [Ferguson], Edinburgh (41). (41 items)
- A727.572 Jul 1795-Apr 1796 Printed advertisements of farms to let in the estates of Callendar and Almond in Stirlingshire and lands of Sanquhar in Ayrshire, which advertisements were published in Scottish and English newspapers; and letters to William Forbes of Callendar in response to them. Correspondents - Editors of Glasgow Courier (5); Peter Tait, publisher of Glasgow Journal (6); Lieut Col Wemyss, Hillside (7,8); Abraham Jones, Glasgow (9, 10, 14, 17); James Colquhoun, Glasgow (11); John Easton, Aberdeen Distillery (12, 13, 18); John Oswald, Hairlaw (15); John Dudgeon, Camlachie (16); John Harvie [Harvey], Edinburgh (19, 32); James Robson, Newcastle (20, 33); Alexander Ross, York (21); George Cully, Berwick (22, 23); Richard Foster, Holm, Yorkshire (24); John Hemingway, Winterset, Yorkshire (25); Mark Douglas, New Abbey (26); Robert Gray, Middleton, Northumberland (27); Thomas Robinson, Tutchill (28); William Nutbrown, York (29); John Smeddle, Earby Hall, York (30, 37); Charles Scott, Wooll (31); R & A Clarkson, Falkirk, but from Yorkshire (34); John Egglestone, Bedale (35, 36); W Seaton, Scansby (38, 43, 44, 53, 54, 59); John Robinson, Newcastle (39, 51); William Boag, Inverkip (40) George McDougall, Cavertonmill [Caverton Mill] (41); Henry Calder, Drumcross (42); William Forbes, writer, Edinburgh (45); John Ronaldson, Castlehill (46); James Chisholm, Southside, Dalkeith (47); James Todd, Pennington (48); William Glen, Mains (49, 50, 67); John Laurie [Lawrie], Musselburgh (52); Thomas Sootheran, Gilling, Yorkshire (55); James Todd, Pennington (56); George Arnott, Milrighill, Selkirk (57, 62, 74); John Aitkin [Aitken], Glasgow (58); John Coulson, Wold Newton (60); John Dunlop, Morham (61); James McGhie [McGhee], Deanscales, Cumberland (63); Nathaniel Handasyde [Handyside], Wooler (64, 73); Alexander Ramsay, Falkirk (65); William Coulson, Huby, Yorkshire (66); Thomas Dennison, Easington, Co. Durham (68, 75); Thomas Baker,

- Allerstone (69); John Atkin [Aitken], Norton, Sheffield (70); Francis Grassam, Scotton, Richmond (71); George Coverdale, Pickering (72); John Hall, Press (76); William Acomb, Marston (77); Robert Thornborrow, Keisley (78). (78 items)
- A727.573 01 Sep 1795-28 Dec 1795 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate. Correspondents - Miss Lockhart, Muiravonside (1); Alexander Callander, Falkirk (2); Thomas Wingate, Stirling (3); Joseph Adams, Grangemouth (4); James Stark, Camelon (5); David Spottiswoode [Spottiswood], Dunipace (6); John Moir, Falkirk (7); Henry Calder, Drumcross (8); Nicol Baird, Kelvinhead (9); Captain Ximenes, Falkirk (10); Robert Wilson, Almond (11); Mrs Ferguson, Camelon (12); William Hutchison, Bainsford (13); J Stainton [Stanton], Carron (14); Rev Dr George Baird, Edinburgh (15, 16); Alexander Dickeson [Dickson], writer, Falkirk (17, 24, 25); George Menzies, Buchanan (18, 21, 22); Patrick Robertson, writer, Glasgow (19, 20, 29); John Baird, Manuel Mills (23); Duke of Montrose, Buchanan (26-28, 33, 34); James Gray, Linlithgow (30); Thomas Duncanson, Falkirk (31); Edward Mackie, Mount Carron (32). (34 items)
- A727.574 21 Sep 1795-10 Oct 1795 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Sir Philip Ainslie, in Edinburgh, introducing Gouverneur Morris, late ambassador from the USA to France, who is touring Scotland. Letter to Forbes from Morris, at Inveraray, hoping to meet him at Buchanan. (3 items)
- A727.575 05 Dec 1795-18 Dec 1795 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from James Forbes, his brother, in Aberdeen, concerning interest due to him and lands for sale. (3 items)
- A727.576 18 Dec 1795-11 Jan 1796 Letter to William Forbes of Callendar from Sir John Sinclair, requesting a statement of debit and credit of Forbes' improvements of waste land, 'as you have carried on agricultural improvements on a greater scale than I believe any other person in the Kingdom'. Draft of Forbes letter and statement in reply. (4 items)
- A727.577 01 Jan 1796-25 Apr 1796 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - Colonel H Montgomerie [Montgomery], Ayr (1, 24); R Belsches [Belses], Edinburgh (2-4, 6, 10, 16, 17, 19, 20); Thomas Douglas, Wark near Berwick (5); Georgina M Jenison (7, 9); Mary Ann Jenison, Edinburgh (8); Mr Finlay [Findlay], Millfield (11, 12); Lord Advocate R Dundas, Edinburgh (13, 14); Sir William Bruce, Westquarter, sending a greyhound puppy (15); Secretary of the Corresponding Board in Edinburgh (18); Marian Wilson, Falkirk, a seduced and abandoned woman (21, 26); Mr Le Sugg, Falkirk, enclosing an advertisement of his entertainment (22, 23); Lady Elphinstone (25). (26 items)
- A727.578 01 Jan 1796-12 Dec 1796 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from David Forbes, his brother, in London, concerning navy bills, their nephews at sea, items sent to Callendar including card counters from China (7), his copper business including a new furnace 'upon the principle of Ladling instead of Tapping' (20), a message from Madeira (21), and the London Dispensary (24). (24 items)
- A727.579 02 Jan 1796-30 Jun 1796 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes concerning Callendar estate. Correspondents - James Andrew, provost of Linlithgow, concerning swans (1, 15,

- 33); William Maclean [McLean], Falkirk (2); William McCulloch, Linlithgow (3); J Stainton [Stanton], Carron (4); John Short, Bridgeness (5); Edward Mackie, Mount Carron (6); John Ogilvie, Carron House (7, 8); William Baird, Falkirk concerning the Customs (9); John Allinson, Grange (10, 12); William Eadie, Falkirk (11); Alexander Callander, Falkirk (13); John Burn, Stirling (14); John Henderson, Cupar (16); Mrs Fergusson [Ferguson], Camelon (17); P White, Edinburgh (18, 19); Mr Ramsay, Falkirk (20, 24, 26); T Fleming, Primrose (21, 22); Thomas Wingate, Stirling (23); Rev John Bertram, minister of Muiravonside (25, 35); William Burns, Glasgow (27); John Moir & Son, Falkirk (28); W Henderson, Linlithgow (29); J Wilson, Falkirk, concerning commercial school (30, 31); Edward Mackie, Falkirk (32); James Braed [Braid], Falkirk (34); Sir William Forbes, Edinburgh (36); Andrew Longmoor [Longmuir], Kerse (37, 38, 40, 41); James Wardrop, Westquarter (39). (41 items)
- A727.580 02 Jan 1796-25 Dec 1796 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning supplies of merchandise. Correspondents - Andrew Cassels (porter, 1, 2, 28); William Lamb, Edinburgh (chairs, 3, 12, 29); John Gibson, Falkirk (tan, 4, 5); Provost Andrew, Linlithgow (a firLOT measure, 6). Alexander Allan & Co, Edinburgh (Deputy Lieutenants's accoutrements, 7); John Bell, Camelon(nails, 8); Montgomery & Steele (9); John Rose, Charlestoun [Charlestown] (limeshells, 10, 13, 14, 30); William Balloch, Falkirk (beef, 11); George Burn, Netherwood (lime, 15); John Rankine [Rankin], Falkirk (hats, 16); Bells & Rannie, Leith (port, 17, 18, 21); John Struthers, Falkirk (wine, 20); David Spottiswood, Dunipace (stobs, 19, 22, 23); James Brock, Falkirk (horse, 24-27). (30 items)
- A727.581 02 Jan 1796-26 Dec 1796 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on financial matters. Correspondents - Sir William Forbes & Co, Edinburgh (1, 3, 4, 6, 9, 12, 16, 19, 21, 22, 26, 28, 35, 38); William Marsh, London (2); William Simpson, Royal Bank, Edinburgh (5, 8, 10, 23, 25, 27, 29, 30, 33, 34, 37); James Lindsay & Co, Glasgow (7); John Greenhill, Edinburgh (11); Cuthbert & Co, London (13, 17, 18); Patrick White, Edinburgh (14, 15, 20, 32); Lewis Gordon, Edinburgh (24); Henry Farquharson, Edinburgh (31); Alexander Blair, Edinburgh (36). (38 items)
- A727.582 04 Jan 1796-24 Dec 1796 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Smith, Edinburgh, on legal matters. (11 items)
- A727.583 04 Jan 1796-28 Dec 1796 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes from John Thomson, writer, Kirkcudbright, concerning financial and legal matters respecting Forbes' estates in the stewartry, including sale of woods. (21 items)
- A727.584 05 Jan 1796-14 Nov 1796 Announcements of deaths of Mr Creed, London; Charles Lockhart of Muiravonside; Thomas Miller Riddell of Mount Riddell; Robert Belsches [Belses] of Greenyards; and of the birth of a son to Lady Bruce. (6 items)
- A727.585 05 Jan 1796-01 Feb 1797 Letters and other papers to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Stirling county matters - the scarcity of meal and remedies therefor; roads; Justices of Peace; earlier dispatch of mail (12); Stirlingshire ball; sale of corn; and subscription for family of Robert Burns (28). Correspondents - James Henderson, Falkirk (1, 2, 10, 20-22, 29); James Aitken, Falkirk (3-5, 9); William Cadell, Carronpark (6-8); Alexander Robertson, Stirling (11); Duke of Montrose (14, 15, 17, 18);

- Thomas Wingate, Stirling (16, 19, 23, 24, 26); J F Erskine of Mar, Alloa (27, 28); John Callander, Falkirk (30). (31 items)
- A727.586 06 Jan 1796-10 Dec 1796 Letters to Robert Forbes, at Callendar, from William Forbes of Callendar, his brother, at Edinburgh, Ayr, London and Harrogate, on miscellaneous, mainly estate matters. (6 items)
- A727.587 07 Jan 1796-30 Dec 1796 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his Ayrshire estate. Correspondents - John Taylor, Ayr (1, 2, 35, 38-40); Mrs Montgomerie [Montgomery], Ayr (3); David Limond, Ayr (4, 9, 12-14, 16, 25, 32-34, 36, 41, 45, 47); Alexander Gairdner [Gardner], Ladykirk (5); William Drennan, Ladykirk (6, 7); James Norvall [Norval], Whitelets Toll (8); George Hendrie [Hendry], Sanquhar (10); J Tennant, Glenconner (11); John Dick, Wallacetown [Wallaceton] (15, 21); Hamilton Boswell, Ayr (17); Robert Morton, Kilmarnock (18, 20, 24, 37); William Dunn, Ayr (19); William Thom, Loanhouse (22, 23); William McKinnon, Ayr (26); George Logan, Ayr (27-30); Robert Hill, Edinburgh (31); William Hutcheson [Hutchison], Greenfield (42); Agnes Hutcheson [Hutchison], Greenfield (43); Arthur Bruce, Ayr (44); William McHoule [McHoul], Greenfield (46). (47 items)
- A727.588 08 Jan 1796-24 Dec 1796 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in stewartry of Kirkcudbright and Dumfries-shire. Correspondents - Alexander Fergusson [Ferguson], Edinburgh (1); George Lorimer, Moniaive heritors' clerk of Glencairn (2); John Irving [Irvine], Moniaive (3); John McMillan, Brockloch (4, 5, 11, 13); Samuel Clark, Earlstoun (6, 8, 12, 14, 21, 22, 25, 33, 34); Alexander Gordon, Kirkcudbright (7); Alexander Smith, Maxwellton [Maxwelltown] (9, 10, 39, 40); Patrick Heron, Kirroughtree (15); James Barber, Knockreoch [Knockrioch] (16); William Sloan, Garrerie (17); James Smith, New Galloway (18); Wellwood Maxwell, collector of land tax, Dumfries (19, 20, 24); John Sprott, New Wooll (23, 29); Mrs E Belsches [Belses], Edinburgh, concerning a 'noble oak' (26); John Commelin [Comblin], Kirkcudbright (27); Thomas Grierson, New Galloway (28, 35); James Carson, Barscobe (30); Robert Murray, Buss (31); Thomas Douglas, St Mary's Isle (32); Rev John Gillespie, minister of Kells (36); William Stewart and John Irving [Irvine], Moniaive (37, 38); William Robison [Robson], Hannaston (41). (41 items)
- A727.589 09 Jan 1796-24 Dec 1796 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning supplies of garden and grass seeds, tree plants and gardeners, and related papers. Correspondents - Peter Lawson, Edinburgh (1); Robert Fair, London (2); Dicksons & Co, Edinburgh (4-10, 12-16, 18); John Struthers, Falkirk (11); Andrew Russell, Rosebank (17); Joseph Udney, Linlithgow and Moffat, (19, 20, 27, 28); Peter Bell, Falkirk (21); James Wardrop, Westquarter (22); Gordon, Dermer & Co, London (25, 26). 3 and 24 are lists of garden seeds ordered. (28 items)
- A727.590 23 Jan 1796-03 Nov 1796 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning supplies of oats. Correspondents - James Kincaid, Falkirk (1, 3, 5, 22); Joseph Bogue [Boag], Grangemouth (2, 7, 9, 10, 12-14, 19-21, 23-25); Mr Ramsay, Falkirk (4, 6, 11, 15-18); Mr Swinton, Grangemouth (8). (25 items)
- A727.591 17 Feb 1796-08 Dec Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, in Edinburgh,

- 1796 London and Ayr, from Robert Forbes, his brother, at Callendar, concerning estate matters and describing a riot among the servants (2), which included a fight on the Roman Wall. (5 items)
- A727.592 11 Mar 1796-25 Dec 1796 Dinner invitations and other brief notes to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes. (25 items)
- A727.593 21 Mar 1796-05 Dec 1796 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from George Main, Falkirk, on legal and other matters concerning the estate of Callendar, and as clerk of the heritors of Falkirk. (16 items)
- A727.594 14 Apr 1796-14 Nov 1796 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes from staff of John Taylor WS, Edinburgh, and copies of replies, concerning legal matters, a mare for sale, and grapes. (10 items)
- A727.595 05 May 1796-18 Aug 1796 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - R Belsches [Belses], London and Edinburgh (1, 9, 12, 15, 17, 18, 21, 22, 25, 27, 28); John Bell, Camelon (2); P White, Edinburgh (3); Lord Selkirk (4); Jess Wyse, Falkirk (5); John Duncan, Aberdeen, on the need for foot pavements there (6); Alexander Walker, Edinburgh (7); W Elphinstone, Edinburgh (8); Colonel Fullarton [Fullerton] of Fullarton (10); A Dallas, Edinburgh (11); Lord Advocate R Dundas (13, 14); Patrick Heron, Dumfries (16); Hugh Laird, Riddell (19); Mrs M Riddell, Edinburgh (20); Miss J Akers [Aikers], London (23, 24); J Wilson, Falkirk, who is to lecture on vegetation (26, 32); Duke of Montrose, Buchanan (29); Rev. John Sommers [Summers], minister of Mid Calder (30); John Kennedy, London (31); Lady Douglas, widow of Sir James Douglas, late Consul General at Naples (33). (33 items)
- A727.596 11 May 1796-23 Nov 1796 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning servants. Correspondents - Montgomery & Steele [Steel], Edinburgh (1, 15); D Macnab [McNab], Bainsford (2); E McIntosh, housekeeper, Callendar House (3, 4); Joseph Williamson, Polmont (5); John Stevenson, Edinburgh (6, 7); James Robertson, butler, Annick Lodge (8); John Eiston [Easton], Edinburgh (9, 11); Mary Brown, housekeeper, Tranent (10); Peter McKay, Edinburgh (12); M Graham, Edinburgh (13); Margaret Melville, Cumbernauld (14); Lady Mary Ann Carnegie (16); James Dalrymple, North Berwick (17); Alexander Walker, Edinburgh (18, 20, 21); James Gordon, Edinburgh (19); Elizabeth Baxter, Edinburgh (22, 23); Jane Cockburn, Edinburgh (24). (24 items)
- A727.597 04 Jul 1796-28 Dec 1796 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate. Correspondents - Robert Simpson, Quarrel, wanting to set the coal (1); Mr Napier of Merchiston (2, 3); George Menzies, Cadder (4); Johanna Fergusson [Ferguson], Camelon (5, 13); Mr Spottiswoode, Dunipace (6); Robert Allan, 'Mercury' office, Edinburgh (7); Sir William Forbes, Bantaskine (8-10, 15); Joseph Udny, Linlithgow (11); George Williamson, Haws (12, 32); Mr Meek, Falkirk (14); William Eadie, Falkirk (16); John Lauder, surveyor, Linlithgow (17, 20, 26, 34-36, 38); Mr Baird, Manuel Mills (18, 22); Donald McIntyre, Falkirk and Leny (19, 24, 25, 33); Mr Williamson, Polmont (21); James Lindsay & Co, Glasgow (23); John Andrew, Edinburgh (27, 28); John Callander, Ladysmill (29, 30, 40); Mr Campbell, Falkirk (31); James Brock, Falkirk (37); John Ogilvie, Carron House (39);

- Robert Dick, Edinburgh (41, 42); Thomas Wingate, Stirling (43); Captain Fortye, Falkirk (44); James Gray, Linlithgow (45). (45 items)
- A727.598 01 Sep 1796-30 Dec 1796 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - R Belsches [Belses], Edinburgh and Sauchie (1, 3, 11, 13); P White, Bernard's Bower (2, 4); Robert Mackintosh, London (5-7, 15, 16, 20, 27, 29, 30, 35, 36, 38, 40); Major Alexander Munro, 4th Fencibles, Dundee (8, 9); Lady Bruce, Stenhouse (10, 12, 18); John Ogilvie, Carron House (14); Alexander Walker, Ayr (17); George Dunlop, Edinburgh (19, 22, 28); Colonel Fullarton [Fullerton] of Fullarton (21, 37); Alexander Bruce, Edinburgh (23); Mr Sandilands, Edinburgh (24); Duke of Montrose, Buchanan (25, 31, 39); John Forbes of Inverernan (26); John Duncan, Aberdeen (32, 33); James Francis Erskine, Edinburgh (34); Lieutenant George Forbes, Sheerness (41). (41 items)
- A727.599 30 Dec 1796-25 Jan 1797 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from George Jeffrey, Edinburgh, and related papers, concerning Forbes' purchase of the lands of Gilmeadowland in parish of Muiravonside. (9 items)
- A727.600 1796-1797 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Dr Robert Forbes, his uncle, at Nairn, concerning family matters, his failing health and financial matters; and from John Strath [Strath], rector of the grammar school, Nairn, concerning Dr Forbes' death. (8 items)
- A727.601 1796-1797 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from James Allardyce, his brother-in-law, in Aberdeen, concerning his ambitions for the posts of barrack-master and collector of customs at Aberdeen, which latter post he obtains. 19-21 concern William Forbes in Huntly, whose father was a natural brother to William Forbes of Callendar's father, 21 being an enclosed letter to Allardyce from Helen Nicoll [Nicol], his aunt, in Huntly, reporting the said William's death from an over-indulgence in spirituous liquors. (21 items)
- A727.602 1796-1798 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Janet Forbes, his mother, in Aberdeen, on family and financial matters and acknowledging gifts of pineapples. 5 mentions a mob attacking Callendar House. (9 items)
- A727.603 1796-1798 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Jean Forbes, his sister-in-law, in Aberdeen, concerning her sons and financial matters. (18 items)
- A727.604 1796-1798 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and David Forbes, in London, from William Forbes, their nephew, a naval surgeon, at Milford Haven, Portsmouth, Martinique [Lesser Antilles] and St Kitts, concerning his naval experiences and financial difficulties. See also RH1/2/808. (5 items)
- A727.605 1796-1798 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from John Abercrombie, his brother-in-law, Aberdeen, on family matters, particularly the prospects of James Allardyce and of Abercrombie's son William, whose ambition for a ship command is hindered by the failure of his investment in goods to India. Enclosed letter from William. (4 items)
- A727.606 1796-1799 Letters to Robert Forbes, at Callendar, from Janet Forbes, his mother, and Jean Forbes, his sister, in Aberdeen, on personal and family matters, including Janet's health and shirts and cravats for Robert. 5 asks for rosemary plants, it being recommended for the cramps. (16 items)

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| A727.607 | 1796-1809 | Letter covers addressed to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes. (7 items) |
| A727.608 | 03 Jan 1797-10 Dec 1797 | Dinner invitations, thanks for presents and other brief notes to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes. (28 items) |
| A727.609 | 04 Jan 1797-16 Jan 1798 | Letters to Robert Forbes, at Callendar, from William Forbes Callendar, his brother, at Edinburgh and Ayr, and from David in London, on behalf of William, mainly concerning estate matters. (9 items) |
| A727.610 | 06 Jan 1797-29 Jun 1797 | Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate matters. Correspondents - George Main, Falkirk (1, 14, 15, 18, 21); J Stainton [Stanton], Carron, concerning a gate and iron doors (2, 9, 36); John Sproat (3, 4); T Fleming, Edinburgh (5); William Beveridge [Beveridge], Torphichen (6); Thomas Duncanson, Falkirk (7); James Allan, flaxdresser, Falkirk (8); George Simpson, Carron Shore (10); Duncan McEuan [McEwan], Duntril (11); A Dallas, Edinburgh (12, 19, 20, 22, 40); J Livingston [Livingstone], Parkhall (13); Easton & Brownlee [Brownlie], roadmakers, Blairmuckhole (16, 17, 25); Edward Mackie, Grahamstown [Grahamston] (23); Alexander McVey, Shieldhill (24); James Henderson, Falkirk (26, 27, 31, 33-35) enclosing a minute of meeting of feuars of Falkirk concerning division of Falkirk Muir (28); Thomas Wingate, Stirling (29, 30); James Ross, rat catcher, Edinburgh (32); Sir William Bruce, Stenhouse (37-39); Robert Shaw, Bo'ness (41); John Lauder, Linlithgow (42). (42 items) |
| A727.611 | 06 Jan 1797-30 Dec 1797 | Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estate in Ayrshire. Correspondents - William Drennan, Ayr (1, 2, 5, 6); David Limond, Ayr (3, 20, 21, 24-26); Arthur Bruce, Greenock (4, 7, 13, 19); John Allinson, Ayr (8, 12, 27); Rev William McQuhae, minister of St Quivox, concerning the schoolhouse (9, 10, 16); Henry Drennan, Ayr (11, 14, 15, 17, 18); John Taylor, Ayr (22); John Lauder, surveyor, Linlithgow (23). (27 items) |
| A727.612 | 10 Jan 1797-23 Dec 1797 | Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on financial matters. Correspondents - William Simpson, Royal Bank, Edinburgh (1, 5, 7, 9, 11-13, 16, 17, 24, 25, 29, 31, 35); John Anderson, Edinburgh (2, 3); Bell & Rannie, Leith (4); Sir William Forbes & Co, Edinburgh (6, 10, 14, 18, 20, 21, 26, 30, 32, 36); James Lindsay & Co, Glasgow (8); Annie Muirhead, Tippet Craig (15); Alexander Blair WS (19, 22); John Murray, New Galloway (23); Robert Allan, Edinburgh (27); Elizabeth Rogers, Falkirk (28); Mr Finlay [Findlay], Polmont (33); Lewis Gordon, Highland Society of Scotland, Edinburgh (34). (36 items) |
| A727.613 | 13 Jan 1797-09 Sep 1797 | Announcements of deaths of the Hon. Dunbar Douglas; Mrs Cadell of Banton; George Main, Falkirk; Rev John Stewart, Falkirk. (6 items) |
| A727.614 | 14 Jan 1797-21 Jun 1797 | Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - Colonel Fullarton [Fullerton] of Fullarton, concerning his iron foundry and the Bank of England (1, 19, 20); Lady Douglas, London (2); Alexander Douglas, London (3, 7, 9, 11, 12); John Forbes of Inverernan (4); Lieutenant Hugh Douglas, 58th regiment, Stirling (5); Provost [James] Andrew, [Linlithgow] (6); D Ramsay, Greenock (8); John Syme, Edinburgh (10); |

- Secretary, Corresponding Board in Edinburgh (13); George Forbes, HMS 'Sandwich' (14); John Smith, Edinburgh (15); P White, Bernard's Bower (16); John Eiston [Easton], Edinburgh (17); Alexander Shearer, Prestonhall (18); Mrs Main, Falkirk (21); Thomas Smith, Edinburgh (22); Thomas Smith, smith, Glasgow (23); Francis Lumsden, Belcherrie [Balcarry?] (24); William Russell, Glenhead (25). (25 items)
- A727.615 14 Jan 1797-31 Oct 1797 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and related papers concerning supplies of merchandise. Correspondents - James Duff, London (wine, 1, 35); John Rose, Charlestown (limeshells, 2, 3, 5); Henry Glassford, Netherwood (lime, 4); John Yellowlees, Edinburgh (ploughs, 6); John Bell, Camelon (nails, 7, 19, 31); W Shaw, Glasgow (slates, 8); Mrs Riddell, Mount Riddell (hay, 9-12, 30); William Lamb, Edinburgh (furniture, 14, 26, 27, 29, 33); Robert Carr, Caldwell (horse, 15, 16); Colin Macnab [McNab], Grangemouth (slates, 17); John Struthers, Falkirk (transport of wine, 18); James Rannie, Leith (wine, 20-22); Home [Hume], Cleghorn & Wilson, Edinburgh (chaise, 23); William Wotherspoon, Charlestown (limeshells, 24, 25, 28, 37, 38); John Kesson, Edinburgh (carts, 34, 36); Mr Fraser, Edinburgh (coat, 39); Joseph Partington, Perth (bricks, 40); John Milne, Edinburgh (locks, 41). (41 items)
- A727.616 14 Jan 1797-27 Nov 1797 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from John Taylor WS, Edinburgh, on legal business including the purchase of Jawcraig. 17 and 18 report the Militia riot at Tranent. (23 items)
- A727.617 14 Jan 1797-29 Dec 1797 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in stewartry of Kirkcudbright and sheriffdom of Dumfries. Correspondents - Alexander Papple [Papple], Woodhead (1, 6); John Thomson, Kirkcudbright (2, 5, 9, 31, 33, 40, 41, 47-49); Alexander Gordon, Edinburgh (3); Matthew Campbell, Wigtown (4, 30); James Barber, Knockreoch [Knockrioch] (7); Robert McMillan, Fingland (8); John Robison [Robson], Hannaston (10); Alexander Smith, Maxwellton [Maxwelltown] (11); Alexander McGuffog, Earlstoun (12); John Clark, Dumfries (13); Samuel Clark, Earlstoun (14, 16, 23, 29, 32, 34, 35, 39, 42, 44, 46); Hugh Mosman [Mossman], Edinburgh (17, 18); John Goldie, Dumfries (15); John McMillan, Brockloch (19, 21, 24, 36); Alexander Gordon, Kirkcudbright (20); Rev John Gillespie, minister of Kells, concerning the schoolmaster (22); Thomas Grierson, Edinburgh (25); William Ramsay, Cornharrow (26); Wellwood Maxwell, Dumfries (27); Thomas Cannan, Knocksheen (28); James Hunter, Lochrenny (37); Rev Alexander McGowan, minister of Dalry (38, 43); William Sloan, Earlstoun (45). (49 items)
- A727.618 17 Jan 1797-25 Mar 1797 Letters and related papers to William Forbes of Callendar concerning supplies of seeds, plants and thorns, and employment of gardeners. Correspondents - Mr Hamilton, Grangemouth (1, 5, 17); Dicksons & Co, Edinburgh (2-4, 6-8, 11, 12, 14, 18, 20); George Scrimsour [Scrimgeour], Thornhall (9); Minier, Minier & Fair, London (13); J Livingstone, Parkhall (15); Colin Macnab [McNab], Grangemouth (16); Robert Fair, London (19). (20 items)
- A727.619 30 Jan 1797-18 Dec 1797 Letters to William Forbes to Callendar from David Forbes, his brother, in London, concerning financial matters, articles

- sent to Callendar (the Epsom Salts beginning to melt), Mr Douglas's ill-health, and their nephews, 11 including an account of items required by sailor John Forbes. (11 items)
- A727.620 31 Jan 1797-23 Sep 1797 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning supplies of oats. Correspondents - James Kincaid, Falkirk (1, 29, 30, 32, 33); Alexander Ramsay, Falkirk (2, 12-14, 24, 31); James Andrew, Linlithgow (3, 6-8, 11, 15, 17, 19-21, 25, 28); Joseph Bogue [Boag], Grangemouth (4, 5, 18, 22, 23, 26, 27). Enclosed letters to James Andrew from Alexander Todd, Burnshot [Burnshott] (9); Robert Andrew, Edinburgh (10); and John Kidd, Winchburgh (16). (33 items)
- A727.621 02 Feb 1797-21 Jun 1797 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning supplies of timber. Correspondents - John Rankine (1, 5); James Dalgleish, Bo'ness (2, 4, 6); Robert Melvill [Melville], Falkirk (3); Henry Swinton, Grangemouth (7). (7 items)
- A727.622 23 Feb 1797-06 Dec 1797 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, at Edinburgh, Glasgow and Ayr, from Robert Forbes, his brother, at Callendar, reporting on estate matters. (3 items)
- A727.623 07 Apr 1797-Oct 1797 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning servants. Correspondents - William Grant, Rockville House, Haddington (1); Montgomery & Steele [Steel], Edinburgh (2); Alexander Walker, Edinburgh (3); Katherine Buchanan, Edinburgh (4); Lady Frances Douglas, Edinburgh (5); Lady Bruce, Stenhouse (6); Thomas Smith, Edinburgh (7, 8); John Martin, cook, Edinburgh (9); John Reid, Edinburgh (10). (10 items)
- A727.624 03 Jul 1797-28 Dec 1797 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on Callendar estate matters. Correspondents - J Stainton [Stanton], Carron, concerning an iron door (1, 36, 41); Mr Ferrier, Somerford [Summerford] (2); John Lauder, surveyor, Linlithgow (3, 8-10, 38, 42, 54); Thomas Wingate, Stirling (4, 11, 21, 22, 27, 29, 52-53); William Creelman, roadmaker (5); A Dallas, Edinburgh (6, 7, 23); Thomas Aiken [Aitken], writer, Falkirk (12, 26, 43, 44, 47); Margaret Forsyth, Laurieston (13); Robert Shaw, Bo'ness (14); Robert Robart [Robert], Linlithgow (15); John Baird, Manuel Mills (16, 20); Nathaniel Anderson (17); Rev John Bertram, minister of Muiravonside (18); T Fleming, Primrose (19); James Campbell, Falkirk (24); George Brown, Camelon (25, 31, 32, 34); Robert McKechnie, Falkirk (28, 30); James Allan, Alloa (33); James Henderson, Falkirk (35, 51, 56-59); Daniel Miller, Falkirk (37); Sir William Forbes, Edinburgh (39, 40); James Buchanan, schoolmaster, Falkirk, concerning Sabbath evening schools (45); John Burns, Falkirk (46); James Kincaid, Falkirk (48); Mr Dickeson [Dickson], Falkirk (49, 50); John Sprott, Carmuir (55); W Finlay [Findlay], Polmont (60). (60 items)
- A727.625 19 Jul 1797-22 Dec 1797 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - Lady Bruce, Stenhouse (1); John Forbes of Inverernan (2); J Forbes, Seaton (3); Major Alexander Munro, Edinburgh Castle and Dorrator (4, 6, 8, 16, 28); Lord Adam Gordon (5, 21); Francis Lumsden, Belcherrie [Balcarry?] (7); anonymous, Falkirk (9); anonymous 'A Deputy Lieutenant', Edinburgh (10); George Douglas, London (11, 12, 14, 15, 24-26); John MacLeod of Colbecks, Ballencrieff House (13, 22); Thomas Wingate, Stirling (17, 18); Major Blackburn, Falkirk (19, 20);

- Mrs M Riddell, Edinburgh (23); Mrs Jane Macleod of Colbecks (27); Robert Mackintosh [McIntosh], Edinburgh (29, 30, 32-36); Major Cunningham, Woodend, concerning turkeys (31); Robert Dundas (37); Janet Tait, Kirkcaldy (38); Colonel H Bisshopp [Bishop], Linlithgow (39); John Baird, Manuel Mills, concerning subscription list for men on militia list (40); Archibald Douglas, Stirling (41). (41 items)
- A727.626 24 Jul 1797-29 Sep 1797 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, who is a Deputy Lieutenant of Stirlingshire, and other papers concerning attempts to obtain a Militia list for the parish of Falkirk, against the wishes of the parishioners. Correspondents - Thomas Wingate, Stirling (1-3, 5, 16); George Menzies, Buchanan (4); Duke of Montrose (6, 7, 14, 15, 21, 22, 24-27, 32-38); General William Maxwell, Parkhill (9-11, 20, 28-31); William Greig, Thornhill (12); James Henderson, Falkirk (17, 18). (38 items)
- A727.627 1797-1798 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Robert Forbes, his cousin, in Aberdeen and London, [son of the deceased Dr Robert Forbes,] concerning his search for a situation, which he obtains in the counting house of a West India merchant in London. (4 items)
- A727.628 01 Jan 1798-29 Jun 1798 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes concerning their estates in stewartry of Kirkcudbright and sheriffdom of Dumfries. Correspondents - Samuel Clark, Earlstoun (1, 13, 23, 26, 27, 36); William Sloan and Robert McMillan, Forest (2); John Thomson, Kirkcudbright (3, 6-8, 12, 16, 25, 31, 33, 35); Alexander McGuffog, Earlstoun (4); Dumfries County Convener (5); John Clark, Dumfries (9, 10); William Sloan, Garverie (11); Alexander Gordon, Kirkcudbright (14, 15); John McMillan, Brockloch (17, 18); John Commelin [Comblin], Kirkcudbright (19); Hugh Mosman [Mossman], Edinburgh (20-22); John Sloan, Earlstoun (24, 28); Alexander McGowan, Dalry (29); William Johnston, Barley (30), Rev William Grierson, minister of Glencairn (32); David Kennedy, Knocknaling [Knocknalling] (34); Alexander Hunter, Dumfries (37); Alexander Blair WS (38); James Barber, Knockreoch [Knockkrioch] (39). (39 items)
- A727.629 01 Jan 1798-28 Dec 1798 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from David Forbes, his brother, in London, mostly concerning their nephews William and David Forbes, aiming to obtain an East India cadetship for the latter. 'There is a Man [Dundas] who could do this at once, but I believe you are rather unwilling to make such requests'. (9 items)
- A727.630 03 Jan 1798-12 Nov 1798 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from John Taylor WS and John Morison WS, Edinburgh, on legal business. 6 concerns a process about billeting soldiers in Falkirk. 20 is enclosed letter from James Caird, Wigtown. (20 items)
- A727.631 03 Jan 1798-10 Dec 1798 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - Vice-Presidents of the Highland Society (1, 2); Thomas Smith, Edinburgh (3, 7); George Douglas, London (4); Lady Douglas, London (5); Mr Anderson, Edinburgh (6); Francis Lumsden, his uncle, Belcherrie [Balcarry?] (8, 25); James Johnstone [Johnston], Alva (9); Robert Dundas, Edinburgh (10); W Finlay [Findlay], Edinburgh (11, 22); John Duncan, Aberdeen (12); Robert Buchan, Edinburgh, concerning the placing of a

- portrait by Raeburn (13); Colonel John MacLeod, Edinburgh (14); Mr Ballantine [Ballantyne], Ayr (15); John Brown, Edinburgh (16); William Lamb, Edinburgh (17); Archibald Douglas, schoolmaster, Stirling (18); Elizabeth Mackintosh [McIntosh] or Roger [Rodger], Falkirk, servant of the late Mrs Forbes (19); John Roger [Rodger], stocking-maker, Falkirk (20, 21); Sir John Dalrymple, Edinburgh (23); Hector MacLean, London (24); Elspeth Reid, his aunt, Pitcairn Green (26); Sir John Stirling of Glorat (27); Sir William Pulteney, Edinburgh (28, 29); William Cadell, Carronpark, enclosing valuation and rental of estate of Grange in parish of Carriden (30, 31). (31 items)
- A727.632 04 Jan 1798-25 Jun 1798 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes concerning Callendar estate. Correspondents - James Henderson, Falkirk (1, 5, 6, 9, 11, 17, 19, 20, 29-33, 35, 37, 44-48); Andrew Robertson, Maddiston (2, 7, 25, 27); Mr Stainton [Stanton], Carron (3, 28, 42); Alexander McVay [McVey], Shieldhill (4); Thomas Aiken [Aitken], Falkirk (8, 36); George Jeffrey, Edinburgh (10); John Sprott, Carmuir (12, 15, 22, 24); Thomas Fairbairn, Queensferry (13, 14); John Lauder, surveyor, Linlithgow (16); James Aitken, Falkirk (18); James Campbell, Barncrosh, requiring Highland cattle (21); Thomas Bain, Bainsford (23); Mr Ferrier, Somerford [Summerford] (26); John Bell, Camelon (34); John Burns, Falkirk (38); James Kincaid, Falkirk, concerning candidates for the Poors House (39); James Gilmore, heritors' clerk, Cumbernauld (40); Robert Buchan, Edinburgh (41); Mr Napier of Merchiston (43); Young, Trotter & Co, Edinburgh, requiring a plane tree (49, 50). (50 items)
- A727.633 10 Jan 1798-29 Dec 1798 Callendar on financial matters. Correspondents - Sir William Forbes & Co, Edinburgh (1, 2, 5, 7, 15, 19, 22); David Steuart [Stewart], Edinburgh (3); William Simpson, Royal Bank, Edinburgh (4, 6, 8-13, 17); William Wotherspoon, Charlestoun [Charlestown] (14); James Turner, Falkirk (16); James Taylor, Linlithgow (18); Alexander Blair WS, Edinburgh (20); Lewis Gordon, Edinburgh (21). (22 items)
- A727.634 15 Jan 1798-23 Nov 1798 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning supplies of merchandise. Correspondents - James Duff, London (wine,); Thomas Fairbairn, Queensferry (weighing machine, 2-4); Mr Hamilton, Grangemouth (transport, 5, 8, 9, 14); Carron Shipping Company, Grangemouth (transport, 6, 15); William Wotherspoon, Charlestoun [Charlestown] (lime, 7, 17, 18, 26); John Lang (hay, 10); Cadell & Davies, London (books, listed, 11, 12); James Liddle [Liddell], Edinburgh (picture, 13); William Lamb, Edinburgh (furniture, 16); John Bell, Camelon (slate and nails, 19, 20, 22, 27); Thomas Duncanson, Falkirk (brandy, 21); James Andrew, Linlithgow (beer, 23); Andrew Cassels, Leith (porter, 24, 25). (27 items)
- A727.635 17 Jan 1798-31 Dec 1798 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in Ayrshire. Correspondents - William Manson (1); John Duncan, Sandyford (2, 3, 5-8, 11); John Allinson, Ayr (4); William Lermont [Learmonth], Ayr (9); David Limond, Ayr (10, 12-15). (15 items)
- A727.636 31 Jan 1798-02 Aug 1798 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning employment of a farrier and a smith. Correspondents -

- Home [Hume], Cleghorn & Wilson, Edinburgh (1); Thomas Smith, Edinburgh (2); William Lamb, Edinburgh (3, 8); John Smith, Edinburgh (4, 6); Benjamin Ketching [Kitchin], Aberdeen (5); Andrew Souter [Soutar], Dundee (7); James Simpson, Bantaskine (9); William Morison [Morrison], Loanhead (10). (10 items)
- A727.637 02 Feb 1798-24 Dec 1798 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning supplies of oats and barley. Correspondents - James Andrew, Linlithgow (1-9); James Kincaid, Falkirk (10-12, 19, 20); W Dickson, Edinburgh (13-16); James & Andrew Tod [Todd] & Co, Bo'ness (17, 18); Thomas Thomson, Falkirk (21). (21 items)
- A727.638 10 Mar 1798-20 Oct 1798 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning gardeners and other servants. Correspondents - Jean Henderson (1); John Borthwick, Kerse (2); Duncan Robertson, gardener, Warriston (3); Alexander Lamb, gardener, Edinburgh (4); Dicksons & Co, Edinburgh (5, 8-11); John Kyle, Blair Drummond (6); James Cockburn, gardener, Larbert (7); George Buchan Hepburn, Smeaton (12, 15); William Balderston WS, Edinburgh (13, 14); Thomas Duncanson, Falkirk (16); Andrew Munro, gardener, Livingstone House (17, 18). (18 items)
- A727.639 16 Mar 1798-31 Dec 1798 Letters, with enclosed papers, to William Forbes of Callendar and James Henderson, writer, Falkirk, from Thomas Wingate, Stirling, concerning the Stirlingshire Militia and legal matters regarding Callendar estate. (34 items)
- A727.640 14 Apr 1798-24 May 1798 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning supplies of timber. Correspondents - Henry Swinton, Grangemouth (1); Robert Melvill [Melville], Falkirk (2). (2 items)
- A727.641 24 Apr 1798-01 Nov 1798 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from James, George and David Forbes, his nephews, in Aberdeen, and from George Still there, concerning the boys' future careers. James, who has a mechanical bent, enters Professor Copland's class of Experimental Philosophy. (10 items)
- A727.642 30 May 1798-25 Oct 1798 Brief notes to William Forbes of Callendar, including ones thanking for gifts of fruit. (12 items)
- A727.643 20 Jun 1798-08 Sep 1798 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from George Menzies, Stirling, and the Duke of Montrose there, concerning Stirlingshire Militia and Volunteers. (5 items)
- A727.644 04 Jul 1798-29 Dec 1798 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate. Correspondents - Young, Trotter & Co, Edinburgh (1, 4); William Belfrage, Falkirk (2); Mr Napier of Merchiston (3, 13, 14); James Stark, Camelon (5); James Henderson, Falkirk (6, 9, 10, 26); James Buchanan, Falkirk, extolling the advantages of Sunday schools (7); Robert McKechnie, Falkirk (8); Andrew Robertson, Almond (11); George Brown, Camelon (12, 17); James Gilmore, Cumbernauld (15); James McAlpin [McAlpine], Larbert (16); James Whitelaw (18); Walter Logan, Glasgow, for the Canal Company (19); Major Blacker, Linlithgow (20); R Dodgson, Linlithgow (21); Mr Stainton [Stanton], Carron (22); James Campbell, Dumfries, purchasing cattle (23, 24, 27); J Aitken, Falkirk (25); James Murchison, Falkirk (28); Rev J Wilson, minister of Falkirk (29, 30); William Reid, Falkirk (31); James Allan, Bannockburn (32, 33); John Stephens [Stevens], heritors' clerk, Slamannan (34); James Lindsay & Co, Glasgow, requiring plane trees (35, 37-39); William Baird, Falkirk (36);

		William Hodge, Falkirk (40, 41). (41 items)
A727.645	14 Jul 1798-04 Sep 1798	Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Robert Forbes, his brother, in Aberdeen, concerning his marriage to Miss Elizabeth Chalmers. (9 items)
A727.646	16 Jul 1798-29 Dec 1798	Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estate, in stewardry of Kirkcudbright and sheriffdom of Dumfries. Correspondents - George Lorimer, as factor for the heritors of Glencairn (1); Patrick Heron, Kirroughtree (2); Samuel Clark, Earlstoun (3, 9, 18, 19); John Thomson, Kirkcudbright (4, 5, 10, 11, 13, 25, 28); William Sloan, Knockshean [Knocksheen] (6); J Mitchell, Ardoch (7); William Johnston, Garrerie (8, 15); James Carson, Kirkcudbright (12); Alexander McKnight, Brownhill (14, 21); James Campbell, Norwich (16, 17); Rev William Grierson, minister of Glencairn (20); Hugh Mosman [Mossmann], Auchtyfardle (22, 23); Alexander Wylie of Corsoch [Corsock] (24); Peter Kelly, Bargaly (26); John Commellin [Comblin], Kirkcudbright (27). (28 items)
A727.647	18 Jul 1798-30 Aug 1798	Letters to Robert Forbes, in Aberdeen, where he has gone to get married, from William Forbes of Callendar, his brother, concerning the marriage contract and reporting on estate matters, including roads and buildings. (7 items)
A727.648	24 Aug 1798	Letter to Robert Forbes from David Forbes, his brother, in London, complimenting him on his marriage.
A727.649	26 Sep 1798	Letter to Robert Forbes, at Callendar, from Janet Allardyce, his sister, in Aberdeen, on family matters.
A727.650	28 Sep 1798	Letter to William Forbes of Callendar from John Forbes, his nephew, on board HMS 'Minotaur' off Sicily, describing the Battle of the Nile, in which he took part.
A727.651	25 Oct 1798-19 Dec 1798	Announcements of deaths of Walter Ferrier of Somerford [Summerford] and of Mrs Campbell of Glensaddale. (5 items)
A727.652	17 Dec 1798	Letter to William Forbes of Callendar from A Dallas, Edinburgh, enclosing rental of lands in Nairn belonging to Robert Forbes [William's cousin]. (2 items)
A727.653	31 Dec 1798-02 Apr 1799	Papers concerning seeds ordered for Callendar from Gordon, Dermer & Co, London, and Dicksons & Co. Include letters from Mr Hamilton, Grangemouth, concerning damage to the ship from London. (7 items)
A727.654	1798-1800	Draft letters to the Star Office, London, from [William Forbes of Callendar], ordering the paper to be sent to him. (2 items)
A727.655	1798-1801	Letters to Robert Forbes, at Callendar, from John Chalmers, his father-in-law, at Westfield, on family matters. Copy letter to Chalmers from William Forbes of Callendar, concerning a financial matter. (8 items)
A727.656	01 Jan 1799-24 Jun 1799	Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes concerning Callendar estate. Correspondents - James Lindsay & Co, Glasgow (1); James Caird, Edinburgh (2); Relief Society, Falkirk (3); Mr Stainton [Stanton], Carron (4, 20, 21, 32); James Henderson, Falkirk (5); Mr Burns, Falkirk (6, 27); John Sprott, Carmuir (7); Colonel Cameron, Lochaber Regiment, Falkirk (8, 9); William Reid, Falkirk (10); Alexander Callander, Kilbagie (11); John Lauder, surveyor, Linlithgow (12-14, 30); James Dalgleish, Bo'ness (15); James Andrew, Linlithgow (16, 23); Matthew Waddell, Jawcraig (17); John Buchanan, Auchinreoch, concerning

- the Carse road (18, 19, 22); Captain James Colquhoun, Stirling (24); Thomas Aiken [Aitken], Falkirk (25); John Rankine, Falkirk (26); John MacRitchie [McRitchie], writer, Edinburgh (28); George Brown, Camelon (29); Samuel Seggie, heritors' clerk, Slamannan (31); Colonel William Duncan, Glenfuir (33). (33 items)
- A727.657 02 Jan 1799-28 Dec 1799 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in Ayrshire. Correspondents - William Boreland [Borland], Prestwick (1); David Limond, Ayr (2-4, 6, 7, 12, 15, 17, 20-27, 29, 33); Margaret Wylie, Ayr (5, 11); George Oswald, Edinburgh (8-10, 13, 14); James Kilgour, Doonside (16); W Hutcheson [Hutchison], writer, Ayr (18, 19); Thomas Grierson, WS, Edinburgh (28); Hugh McFadyen [McFadyen], Ayr (30); John Dick, Sanquhar (31); Oswald Weir (32). (33 items)
- A727.658 03 Jan 1799 Letter to William Forbes of Callendar from John Morrison WS, Edinburgh, informing of the dissolution of his business connection with John Taylor WS.
- A727.659 03 Jan 1799-31 Dec 1799 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and other papers concerning the Stirlingshire Militia. Correspondents - James Henderson, Falkirk (1, 5-7, 14, 17, 21); Alexander Callander, fletcher, Falkirk (2); Duke of Montrose (8-11, 18); William Brown, Falkirk (12); Colin Macnab, Grangemouth (15, 19, 20); Andrew Templeton, Glasgow (22-26). (26 items)
- A727.660 04 Jan 1799-26 Aug 1799 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - Lieutenants Cameron and Ogston, Falkirk (1); A Dallas, Edinburgh (2); George Douglas, London (3); John Forbes of Inverernan (4); Elizabeth Beaumont, Edinburgh (5); Ashton Blackburn, Bourne (6); John Waugh, Falkirk (7); Matthew Hardie, musical instrument maker, Edinburgh (8); Colonel W Fullerton [Fullerton] of Fullerton, concerning a project to supply the King's dockyards with granite from Troon (9); J Forbes of Seaton (10, 13); James Buchanan, Falkirk, advertising a sermon by Rev Rowland Hill (11); Mrs Isabella Blair (12); David Steuart [Stewart], Edinburgh (14, 15, 19, 20); John Buchan, Dalziel (16); John Taylor, Edinburgh (17); Colonel Lachlan Maclean, Inveresk (18, 21). (21 items)
- A727.661 07 Jan 1799-12 Dec 1799 Letters, with enclosed papers, to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Wingate, Stirling, concerning the Stirlingshire Militia and legal matters regarding Callendar estate. (22 items)
- A727.662 09 Jan 1799-19 May 1799 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in stewartry of Kirkcudbright and sheriffdom of Dumfries. Correspondents - William Shaw, Glasgow (1); William Hastings, Craigleron (2); Alexander Melville, Kirkcudbright (3); John Thomson, Kirkcudbright (4, 5, 10-12, 23, 32); George Lorimer, Moniaive, clerk of heritors of Glencairn (6); Samuel Clark, Earlstoun (7, 22, 25, 27); Robert McMillan, Fingland (8, 24); Thomas Goldie, Dumfries (9); William Stewart (13, 14); Rev Alexander McGowan, minister of Dalry (15); John McMillan (16); Caleb Grayson, Kirkcudbright (17); Hugh Mosman [Mossman], Edinburgh (18, 19); Alexander Smith, Maxwellton [Maxwelltown] (20, 28); Peter Kelly, Bargaly (21); John Yorstoun [Yorston], Garroch (26); Nicolas Gordon, widow, Moniaive (29-31). (32 items)

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- A727.663 10 Jan 1799-06 Dec 1799 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning supplies of merchandise. Correspondents - John Bell, Falkirk (nails and iron, 1, 20); William Fraser, Edinburgh (breeches, 2); Mr Stainton [Stanton], Carron (mine dust, 3, 4); William Wotherspoon, Charlestoun [Charlestown] (lime, 5, 6, 8-13, 15, 21, 23, 24); Mr Creech, Edinburgh (paper book, 7); Robert Melvill [Melville], Falkirk (slates and lead, 14, 16, 19); James Milne & Co, Grangemouth (oats, 17, 18); Andrew Cassels, Leith (porter, 22). (24 items)
- A727.664 11 Jan 1799-24 Apr 1799 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from David Forbes, his brother, in London, concerning the future of their nephew, David Forbes. 'Please to reflect what duty I have done to Nephews already with advice, opinion, negotiations, care, vigilance by day & night, for a course of years'. 4 includes an account of David junior's outfit for India. (5 items)
- A727.665 15 Jan 1799-18 Dec 1799 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, at Edinburgh, Callendar and Ayr, from Robert Forbes, his brother, at Callendar, Edinburgh and Craighburn, concerning estate and family matters. 2 includes copy of letter from Henry Dundas. (7 items)
- A727.666 18 Jan 1799-02 Apr 1799 Draft letters to David Forbes, in London, from William Forbes of Callendar, his brother, in Edinburgh and Callendar, concerning their nephew David Forbes, who was removed from Aberdeen because of his drunken excesses and therefore should not go into the army, but for whom Henry Dundas obtains a cadetship in the Madras Cavalry. (4 items)
- A727.667 25 Jan 1799-28 Dec 1799 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on financial matters. Correspondents - William Simpson, Royal Bank, Edinburgh (1, 3, 5-7, 9, 15-17); Sir William Forbes & Co, Edinburgh (2, 4, 10-12); James Lindsay & Co, Glasgow (8); Alexander Blair WS, Edinburgh (13, 14). (17 items)
- A727.668 15 Feb 1799-11 Mar 1799 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from David Forbes, his nephew, in London, concerning his appointment as a cadet in India. (3 items)
- A727.669 20 Feb 1799-05 Oct 1799 Announcements of deaths of Captain Selkirk Stewart; John Andrew, Avonbank; Edward Mackie, Grahamston; John Forgie, Haining. (7 items)
- A727.670 21 May 1799-16 Mar 1800 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning diligence against Arthur Carlaw, Ayr, for debt. Correspondents - Thomas Smith, Edinburgh (1-4, 7, 9-14, 17, 20); Carlaw (5, 6, 8, 15, 18, 19); Thomas Aiken [Aitken], Falkirk (16, 21, 22). (22 items)
- A727.671 22 May 1799-09 Nov 1799 Letters to Robert Forbes and his wife, at Callendar and Craighburn, on domestic matters concerning their residence at Craighburn, including the choice of servants. Correspondents - Charles H Cove, Edinburgh (1, 2, 6-8); William Lamb & Son, Edinburgh (3); Jane Cockburn, Callendar (4); James Wardrop, Westquarter (5); Mrs Walker, Falkirk (10, 11, 13, 14, 17, 18); Thomas Duncanson, Falkirk (12, 15, 16, 19-22). 9 is draft of letters from Mrs Forbes concerning the inoculation of her son. (22 items)
- A727.672 01 Jun 1799-13 Nov 1799 Dinner invitations and other brief notes to William Forbes, of Callendar. (17 items)

- A727.673 02 Jul 1799-23 Jul 1799 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from William Forbes, his nephew, a naval surgeon, in London. No 1 describes his professional concerns - 'We boarded a Danish brig, deserted by her crew ... their reasons ... a long voyage from Arch Angel, starvation and the sea scurvy'; pursued Spanish ships; Monsieur Barthelemy a passenger. 2 concerns his wish to marry. (2 items)
- A727.674 04 Jul 1799-26 Dec 1799 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes concerning Callendar estate. Correspondents - John Forgie, Haining (1); Andrew Robertson, Almond (2); Mr Stainton [Stanton], Carron, proposing to metal the Drove Loan (3-6, 8-10, 12-14, 19, 29, 40, 41); John Henderson (7); Thomas Duncanson, Falkirk (11); James Campbell, Castle Douglas (15); James Callander, Falkirk (16); James Williamson, Falkirk (17); Thomas Aiken [Aitken], Falkirk (18, 20, 31); Robert Andrew, Avonbank (21); Robert Spottiswoode [Spottiswood], Dunipace (22); Donald McIntyre, Callendar (23); William Finlay [Findlay], Millfield (24); William Hodge, praeses of the stintmasters, Falkirk, concerning alteration of days of fairs (25, 26); John Lauder, surveyor, Linlithgow (27, 39, 42, 44, 48, 49); George Parkin, Aislaby, Yorkshire (28); James Dalgleish, Bo'ness (30); Mr Pillans; Polmont (32, 35); Robert Kincaid, Falkirk (33); Thomas Wallace, mason, Glasgow (34); John Thomson, Leith (36, 38); Colonel Duncan, Glenfuir (37); John Mudie [Moodie], Bainsford (43); Lieutenant James Hervey [Harvey], Falkirk (45); Edward Mackenzie (46); Duncan Graham, Skaithmuir (47); Mr Carstairs Bruce of Tillicoultry (50); A Dallas, Edinburgh (51); James Thomson, farrier, Culross (52). (52 items)
- A727.675 10 Jul 1799-25 Dec 1799 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in stewartry of Kirkcudbright and sheriffdom of Dumfries. Correspondents - John Gordon of Kenmure, President of the New Galloway Agricultural Society (1, 8); George Lorimer, clerk of heritors of Glencairn, with extract from heritors' minutes (2, 3); Alexander Munro, Ayr (4); Thomas Grierson WS, Edinburgh (5, 15-22); Samuel Clarke [Clark], Earlstoun (6, 12, 14); Alexander Hunter, Dumfries (7); Alexander Wylie, Dumfries (9-11); John McMillan, Brockloch (13); William Paton, Dumfries (23j, William Watson, Barskimming (24); David McMillan, assessor, New Galloway (25); John Thomson, Kirkcudbright (26, 27). (27 items)
- A727.676 13 Jul 1799-20 Jul 1799 Letters to Robert Forbes, at Craighburn, congratulating him on birth of a son. Correspondents - David Forbes, his brother, in London; J Forbes of Seaton; Rev Mr Wilson, minister of Falkirk. (3 items)
- A727.677 26 Jul 1799-24 Dec 1799 Letters to Robert Forbes, at Callendar, from William Forbes of Callendar, his brother, in Edinburgh and Ayr, concerning his movements and estate matters. (5 items)
- A727.678 30 Aug 1799-02 Jul 1800 Correspondence between William Forbes of Callendar and Alexander Melville, Kirkcudbright, concerning arrears of tax for the Forbes lands in the stewartry. (8 items)
- A727.679 02 Sep 1799-11 Dec 1799 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - William Reid, printer, Edinburgh, a cousin, (1) enclosing a letter from his brother-in-law, William Mortimer, Logie (2); Earl of Selkirk (3); Colonel W Fullarton [Fullerton] of Fullarton, concerning

- supply of granite to the Navy Board (4, 7, 9); Elizabeth Roger [Rodger], Falkirk (5); Francis Lumsden, Belcherrie [Balcarry?], their uncle (6); William Forbes, Aberdeen (8); Sir John Sinclair (10), enclosing letter from John McDonald, drover, Inverness (11); Sir William Forbes, Bantaskine (12); Robert Jamieson, Edinburgh (13); John Smith, Edinburgh (14); Thomas Smith, Edinburgh (15); David Steuart [Stewart], Edinburgh (16, 17, 19, 20); James Wardrop, Westquarter (18). (20 items)
- A727.680 18 Oct 1799-09 Dec 1799 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from John Taylor WS, Edinburgh and Ayr, concerning coal under Wallacetown [Wallaceton] and legal business. (6 items)
- A727.681 1799-1801 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes from Jean Forbes, their sister, in Aberdeen, on personal and family matters, including (5) the death of their brother [James]. (10 items)
- A727.682 1799-1801 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Jean Forbes, his sister-in-law, in Aberdeen, concerning her sons and other family and financial matters. (17 items)
- A727.683 1799-1801 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from James Forbes, nephew, in Aberdeen, concerning the classes he has attended and the wisdom of getting a commission in the Militia before going to India. (2 items)
- A727.684 1799-1801 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Robert Forbes, his cousin, in London, concerning his business partnership with Mr Macdonald [McDonald] and need for pecuniary aid. Letter from A Dallas, Edinburgh, thereanent. (4 items)
- A727.685 1799-1801 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes from John Abercrombie, their brother-in-law, in Aberdeen, on family matters. 7 mentions Aberdeen lads who have got Civil Medical appointments in the East Indies. Enclosed are letters from his sons, William, in London, 'settled in the tobacco trade', and John, in Holland, variously in England, and Jersey, with the 85th Regiment, of which he is assistant surgeon. Copy of note from India House concerning John's nomination as an Assistant Surgeon at Bombay [India] (16). Enclosed letter from David Forbes in London (19). (25 items)
- A727.686 1799-1801 Letters to Robert Forbes, requesting his arrears of subscription to the Highland Society of Scotland. (4 items)
- A727.687 01 Jan 1800-23 Apr 1800 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate. Correspondents - James Henderson, Falkirk (1-3); John Osburn [Osborne], Falkirk (4); John Lauder, surveyor, Linlithgow (5, 28, 29); Robert Simpson, coal undertaker, Carronhall (6); Mr Wilson, Falkirk (7); Lieutenant Douglas, Falkirk (8); Mr Stainton [Stanton], Carron (9, 17-19, 31-35); John Yorkston [Yorston], Camelon (10); Patrick Calder, Falkirk (11); James Boyd, Ladykirk (12); John Duncan, Sanquhar (13-16, 18-20, 22, 23, 33); Thomas Smith, Edinburgh (21, 26, 29, 40); Davie Guthrie, Ayr (27, 30); John Dick, Sanquhar (28); David Craig, Foulshawood (34); James Kilgour, Sanquhar (41); William Duncan, Nursey Haw [Nurseyhall] (43); David
- A727.688 01 Jan 1800-26 Dec 1800 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in Ayrshire. Correspondents - David Limond, Ayr (1, 2, 5-8, 10-16, 24, 25, 31, 32, 35-39, 42); George Oswald, Edinburgh, with sketch plan of acre in Sanquhar Meadow (3, 4); Rev William McQuhae, minister of St Quivox (9, 44, 46); James Boyd, Ladykirk (17); John Duncan, Sanquhar (18-20, 22, 23, 33); Thomas Smith, Edinburgh (21, 26, 29, 40); Davie Guthrie, Ayr (27, 30); John Dick, Sanquhar (28); David Craig, Foulshawood (34); James Kilgour, Sanquhar (41); William Duncan, Nursey Haw [Nurseyhall] (43); David

- Gibson, Ayr (45, 47). (47 items)
- A727.689 02 Jan 1800-18 Oct 1800 Dinner invitations, acknowledgements of gifts of fruit, and other brief notes to William Forbes of Callendar. (14 items)
- A727.690 02 Jan 1800-23 Jun 1800 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in stewartry of Kirkcudbright and Dumfriesshire. Correspondents - Thomas Grierson, Edinburgh (1, 28); James Buchanan, session clerk, Dalry (2); Thomas Goldie, Dumfries (3); Thomas Newall, Stranfasket (4, 5); Alexander Smith, Maxwellton [Maxwelltown] (6, 11); William Watson, Barskimming [Barskimming] (7); John Thomson, Kirkcudbright (8, 10, 16-18, 24, 25); Hugh Wilson, Monkton (9); Rev John Gillespie, minister of Kells (12); Rev William Grierson, minister of Glencairn (13); John Burns, Falkirk (14, 15); Samuel Clarke [Clark], Earlstoun (19, 26, 27); Rev Alexander McGowan, minister of Dalry (20, 21); William Stewart, Ewnston [Ewenston] (22, 23). (28 items)
- A727.691 04 Jan 1800-11 Oct 1800 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Sir John Sinclair, concerning agricultural improvements and Caithness cattle sent to Callendar. 'I hope ... that you will continue to carry on an agricultural intercourse with the Ultima Thula'. (4 items)
- A727.692 04 Jan 1800-29 Dec 1800 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - David Steuart [Stewart], Edinburgh (1, 3, 4, 6, 18, 48); J Forbes, Seaton (2); Janet Ross, Edinburgh (5); Ann Duff, London (7, 8, 44); Mrs Anne Steuart [Stewart], Edinburgh (9); Archibald Douglas, Stirling (10, 16, 25, 29); Thomas Smith, Edinburgh (11, 21); Robertson Buchanan, Glasgow, concerning his patent pump (12-14); Elizabeth Beaumont, Edinburgh (15); Sir John Whitefoord [Whiteford], Edinburgh (17, 22, 23); William Chisholm, London (19, 20); John Home [Hume], surveyor, Edinburgh (24); J Ferguson, Aberdeen (26); Sir William Forbes, Cramond House (27, 30, 41-43, 45, 46); Alexander Walker, Walker's Hotel, Edinburgh (28); Robert Houston [Houston] Rae, Glasgow (31); Solicitor-General and Mrs Blair (32, 33); J Aitken, Falkirk (34); Lady Douglas, London (35); Robert Banks, Stirling (36); Patrick Heron, Tunbridge Wells and Kirroughtree (37, 38, 40); James Wyse, Coble Brae (39); George Douglas, London (47). (48 items)
- A727.693 15 Jan 1800-12 Dec 1800 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning supplies of merchandise. Correspondents - Robert Melville [Melville], Falkirk (tar, 1-3); Thomas Duncanson, Falkirk (slates, 4); Brownsin Co., Edinburgh (ploughs, 5); William Wotherspoon, Charlestown, who has freight problems (limeshells, 6, 9, 10, 11); Thomas Rowntree & Co., London (chaff cutters, 7, 8). (11 items)
- A727.694 18 Jan 1800-05 Dec 1800 Letters to Robert Forbes and his wife at Craighburn, mainly on domestic matters, including servants. Correspondents - John Sprott, Carmuir (1); Jane Cockburn, Callendar (2, 3); Mrs Walker, Falkirk (4, 5); Thomas Duncanson, Falkirk (6); Thomas Wingate, Stirling (7, 8); Patrick Heron, Kirroughtree, seeking Robert's vote in stewartry of Kirkcudbright parliamentary election (9); R. Melvel [Melville], Falkirk (10); Rev. J. Wilson, minister of Falkirk (11-13). (13 items)
- A727.695 21 Jan 1800-25 Aug 1800 Announcements of deaths of Rev. Mr Finlay [Findlay], Polmont; Mrs Anderson, Stirling; Colonel James Eidingtoun

- [Edington] of Gargunnoch; Peter Henderson, Falkirk. (6 items)
- A727.696 21 Jan 1800-29 Dec 1800 Letters to Robert Forbes, at Callendar and Craighburn, from William Forbes of Callendar, his brother, at Edinburgh, Ayr and Sanquhar, mainly instructing on Callendar estate matters. 3 and 4 refer to the distress caused by the high price of bread. (14 items)
- A727.697 22 Jan 1800-27 Nov 1800 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, at Edinburgh and Ayr, from Robert Forbes, his brother, at Craighburn, mainly concerning Callendar and other estate matters. Meal was scarce in January and 3 reports a visit from some colliers looking for meal. (11 items)
- A727.698 28 Jan 1800-04 Sep 1800 Copies of letters to John Forbes, his nephew, and Lord Keith, from William Forbes of Callendar, recommending John to Keith's protection. Letter to his mother from John, 'At Sea', having been freed from a Spanish prison and given a commission by Lord Keith. Covering letter to William Forbes from George Still. [See also RH.1/2/793 and RH.1/2/799/1.] (4 items)
- A727.699 29 Jan 1800 Prescription for laxative pills to be taken by [William] Forbes of Callendar.
- A727.700 03 Feb 1800-23 Dec 1800 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on financial matters. Correspondents - Sir William Forbes & Co, Edinburgh (1); Archibald Cuthill, writer, Stirling (2); Alexander Blair W. S., Edinburgh (3); William Simpson, Royal Bank, Edinburgh (4-9, 11); Robert Allan, Edinburgh (10). (11 items)
- A727.701 14 Feb 1800-02 Jun 1800 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from John Taylor W.S., Edinburgh, on legal matters. 3 suggests an annuity for John Allinson, who is now too feeble to work. (4 items)
- A727.702 07 Mar 1800-09 Dec 1800 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Wingate, Stirling, mainly on legal matters concerning Callendar estate. (32 items)
- A727.703 17 Apr 1800 Letter to Mrs Cockburn, [housekeeper?], Callendar House, from William Hodge, Falkirk, concerning rasped bread which she has returned.
- A727.704 28 Apr 1800-30 Sep 1800 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning supplies of oats. Correspondents - Joseph Bogue [Boag], Grangemouth (1, 2); James Reid, Bonnymill (3-5); Mr Swinton, Grangemouth (6, 7, 9-14); James Milne & Co, Grangemouth (8); John Aitken & Co, Grangemouth (15, 16, 18); John Callander, Ladysmill (17). (18 items)
- A727.705 01 May 1800-30 Aug 1800 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes concerning Callendar estate. Correspondents - Andrew Robertson, Myrhead (1, 9, 15, 27); anonymous (2); John Burns, Falkirk (3); James Andrew, Linlithgow (4, 19, 25); George Brown, Camelon (5, 40); Mr Stainton [Stanton], Carron (6, 7, 17, 32); James Balderston, Falkirk (8); John Mackie, Carronshore (10, 13); Christian Crawford and James Henry, Bonnyhill (11); Thomas Aiken [Aitken], Falkirk (12, 16, 18, 20, 34, 37); Thomas Young, Falkirk (14); Andrew Longmoor [Longmuir], Kerse (21); John Sprott, Carmuir (22, 23); Duncan Graham, Skaithmuir (24); James Waugh, Falkirk, concerning damage to the Tolbooth (26); William Hodge, Falkirk (28); William Rid, Falkirk (29); John Bell, Falkirk (30, 35, 41); Mr Heugh, Gartcows (31); James Henderson, Falkirk (33, 36); John Baird, Manuel Mills (38); James Allan, Bannockburn (39); Mr Dunlop, Kinneil House

- (42). (42 items)
- A727.706 13 Jun 1800-31 Oct 1800 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning repairs to Falkirk Church. Correspondents - Robert McKechnie, Falkirk (1, 3, 4); Mr Glen, Forganhall (2); John Ogilvie, Carron House (5 -8, 10); Lord Dundas, Kerse House (9). (10 items)
- A727.707 03 Jul 1800-31 Dec 1800 Letters to William Forbes or Callendar concerning his estates in stewartry of Kirkcudbright and Dumfriesshire. Correspondents - James Gordon, Johnstoun [Johnstone] (1); G. Hoggan, Waterside (2); James Smith, Dumfries (3); John Lauder, surveyor, Linlithgow (4); John Thomson, Kirkcudbright (5); William Johnston, Kirkcudbright (6); Ivie Campbell, Dalgig (7); William Newall, Waterside (8, 9,); John Robison [Robson], Hannaston (10); Hugh Mosman [Mossman], Auchtyfardle (11, 12); Samuel Clarke [Clark], Earlstoun (13); Rev. Alexander McGowan, minister of Dalry (14, 29); Rev. John Gillespie, minister of Kells (15,16); Thomas Newall, Dumfries (17); Thomas Grierson, Edinburgh (18) George Lorimer, Moniaive (19); John Murray, New Galloway (20-22); [Robert] McMillan, Fingland (23, 28); Thomas Smith, Edinburgh (24, 25, 27); Alexander Sloan, St. Johnstoun [Johnstone] (26); Thomas Goldie, Dumfries (30); Alexander Smith, Maxwellton [Maxwelltown] (31); James Carson, Barscob (32); John Kelly, Bargaly (33). (33 items)
- A727.708 26 Aug 1800-29 Aug 1800 Letters to Robert Forbes, at Callendar, from Robert Buchan, William Lamb, and John Milne, respectively, all in Edinburgh, concerning pavours. (4 items)
- A727.709 05 Sep 1800-30 Dec 1800 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes concerning Callendar estate. Correspondents - Thomas Aiken [Aitken], Falkirk (1, 4, 7, 36); David Spottiswoode [Spottiswood], Dunipace (2); Mr Stainton [Stanton], Carron (3, 5); George Brown, Camelton (6); John Smith, Edinburgh, concerning a proposed gunpowder mill (8, 11, 12); John Henderson, Falkirk (9); George Williamson, Carron (10); James Henderson, Falkirk (13, 20); Alexander Macleod, Muiravonside (14, 24, 34); Mr Whyte [White], Falkirk (15); George Gray, Kinnaird (16); Thomas Smith, Stirling (17); John Bell, Carron (18); John Lauder, surveyor, Linlithgow (19); James Wright, Stirling (21-23, 39); William Tinker [Tinkler], Falkirk (25); Robert Simpson, Carronhall (26); Colonel Ferrier, Edinburgh (27, 28); Nathan Anderson (29); Captain Copley (30); G. R. Caie, Westquarter (31, 32); James Donaldson, Muiravonside (33); John Bell, Falkirk (35); Colonel Duncan, Glenfuir (37); Rev. John Bertram, minister of Muiravonside (38); James Gilmore, heritors' clerk, Cumbernauld (40); Rev. J. Wilson, minister of Falkirk (41, 42). (42 items)
- A727.710 02 Oct 1800-23 Dec 1800 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from James Forbes, his brother, in Aberdeen, describing his ailments. 'What the Doctor thinks I will receive the greatest benefit from is Schweepe's soda water'.
- A727.711 23 Dec 1800-19 Mar 1801 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from William Abercrombie, his nephew, in London, concerning his prospects. He procures the command of a ship to Jamaica. (3 items)
- A727.712 1800-1803 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes

- from Janet Forbes, their mother, in Aberdeen, on personal and family matters. (13 items)
- A727.713 02 Jan 1801-30 Mar 1801 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in stewartry of Kirkcudbright and Dumfriesshire, including the sequestration of William Johnston in Garvorie. Correspondents - Rev. John Gillespie, minister of Kells (1-4, 43); Andrew Key [Kay], Garlaff (5); Thomas Newall, Stranfasket (6, 10, 19); John Thomson, Kirkcudbright (7, 9, 16, 17, 26, 29, 34, 37, 39, 44); Rev. William Grierson, minister of Glencairn (8); Samuel Clarke [Clark], Earlstoun (11, 35, 36); M. Babington, Conheath (12, 20); Alexander Smith, Maxwellton [Maxwelltown] (13, 14); James Moffat, Tynron (15); William Barber, Bogue (18); John Commelin [Comblin], Kirkcudbright (21); Robert McMillan, Fingland (22, 30); James Hunter, Lochrenny (23); John Napier, Kirkcudbright (24); John Kelly, Bargaly (25); James Johnston, Archbank (27); Robert Murray Watt, Burnhead (28); William Smith, Moniaive (31); Anthony Macmillan, New Galloway (32); John Wallace, Knockgray (33); Thomas Goldie, Dumfries (38); Earl of Selkirk (40); Edward Moffat, Moniaive (41, 46); Walter Hunter, Pingarie (42); David Newall, Dumfries (45). (46 items)
- A727.714 03 Jan 1801-30 Jun 1801 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate. Correspondents - R. Melvill [Melville], Falkirk (1); John Bell, Falkirk (2, 4, 6, 15); James Wright, Stirling (3); Thomas Aiken [Aitken], Falkirk (5, 14); James Gilmore, heritors' clerk, Cumbernauld (7); Alexander Callander, Edinburgh (8); Alexander Morrison, Falkirk (9); Robert McKechnie, Falkirk (10); Robert Simpson, Carronhall (11); John Sprott, Carmuir (12); Thomas Wingate, Stirling (13, 18, 26, 27, 29, 52, 53); George Brown, Camelon (16); Rev. J. Wilson, minister of Falkirk (17, 20, 48); Robert Paterson, Camelon (19); Andrew Robertson, Myrhead [Myrehead] (21); John Grieve, engineer, Edinburgh (22, 23); John Fish, Shieldhill (24, 25); Sir William Forbes, Edinburgh (28, 46, 49); Thomas Botfield, Worcestershire (30, 31); Sir William Bruce of Stenhouse (32, 33); Patrick Calder, session clerk, Muiravonside (34); James Laing, gardener, Callendar (35); James Burns, Falkirk (36); Thomas Hardie, Cumbernauld (37); James Balderston, Falkirk (38); Robert Hill, Edinburgh (39); Colin Dunlop, Glasgow (40-42, 44, 47); James Aitken, Falkirk (43); Christian Napier, Muiravonside, recommending Rev. Mr William McCall (45); John Rankine [Rankin], Bantaskine (50); Henry Dundas M.P. (51); Duncan Shaw, Carronpark (54). (54 items)
- A727.715 03 Jan 1801-16 Oct 1801 Letters to Robert Forbes, at Craighburn, concerning his health and domestic matters. Correspondents - Thomas Hardy [Hardie], Longdyke (1); Dr. John Taylor, Falkirk (2, 4, 5); Dr Alexander Monro [Munro] senior, Edinburgh (3, 8); Thomas Wingate, Stirling (6); Thomas Duncanson, Falkirk (7). (8 items)
- A727.716 07 Jan 1801-09 Mar 1801 Letters to Robert Forbes, at Craighburn, from William Forbes of Callendar, his brother, at Edinburgh, mainly instructing on Callendar estate matters. 13 also mentions inoculation. (15 items)
- A727.717 07 Jan 1801-22 Dec 1801 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, at Edinburgh, Callendar and Ayr, from Robert Forbes, his brother, at

- Craigburn and Aberdeen, concerning, and containing copies of letters received concerning, all the Forbes estates and family matters. 37 contains copy of letter from Henry Dundas concerning Kirkcudbrightshire election. (37 items)
- A727.718 17 Jan 1801-30 Jun 1801 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - Earl of Galloway (1); David Steuart [Stewart], Inveresk (2, 3, 16); Sir William Forbes, Edinburgh (4, 8); Ann Duff, London (5); Sir John Dalrymple [of Cranstoun] (6); North Dalrymple, his son (7); Earl of Selkirk (9, 10); William Kerr, Edinburgh (11); William Dumbreck, Edinburgh (12); P. Miller junior, Dalswinton, sending potato oats (13); Elizabeth Roger [Rodger], Falkirk - cotton hose sent to China (14); George Douglas, London (15); James Laing, Culzean (17); Duncan Forbes, Edinburgh (18); Catharine Sinclair, Edinburgh (19); Katherine Buchanan, Edinburgh (20); Duke of Montrose (21); Elizabeth Buchanan, Edinburgh (22). (22 items)
- A727.719 25 Jan 1801-26 Dec 1801 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning supplies of merchandise. Correspondents - John Anderson, Edinburgh (paper, 1, 14); William Wotherspoon, Charlestown (lime, 2, 6, 11); Provost Andrew, Linlithgow (beer, 3); Mr Creech (book, 4); Thomas Duncanson, Falkirk (tobacco, 5); Archibald Bell, Falkirk (ironware, 7); Thomas Freeman, London (Star newspaper, 8, 15); George Gray, Shieldhill (coal, 9); Josiah Maxton, Edinburgh (saddlery, 10); Peter Bell, Falkirk (tree plants, 12); Alexander Morison [Morrison], Falkirk (groceries, 13). (15 items)
- A727.720 30 Jan 1801-07 Dec 1801 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on financial matters. Correspondents - Thomas Duncanson, Falkirk (1); Thomas Edmondston [Edmiston], Edinburgh (2); Sir William Forbes & Co, Edinburgh (3, 7); William Simpson, Royal Bank, Edinburgh (4, 5, 8-13); Mr Burns, Falkirk (6). (13 items)
- A727.721 03 Feb 1801-09 Nov 1801 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from James Allarclyce, his brother-in-law, in Aberdeen, on family matters. Enclosed are copies of testamentary deeds by deceased Alexander Allardyce of Dunnottar [Dunottar], James's brother. (5 items)
- A727.722 06 Feb 1801-11 Dec 1801 Dinner invitations and other brief notes to William Forbes of Callendar. (14 items)
- A727.723 10 Jan 1801-18 Dec 1801 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his Ayrshire estates. Correspondents - David Limond, Ayr (1, 5, 9-11, 13, 14, 16, 18); William McKoul [McCoull], Townhead (2); William Allason [Allison], Ayr (3); Charles Haig, Ayr (4); John Dick, Sanquhar (6, 7); Archibald Matheson, Whitelet [Whitlets?] (8); John Duncan, Sandyford (12, 17); William Manson; Sanquhar (15). (18 items)
- A727.724 07 Mar 1801-05 Dec 1801 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning servants, including housekeeper and gardeners. Correspondents - J. Thomson, Edinburgh (1); James Wardrop, Edinburgh (2); James Banks, gardener, Polmaise (3); Isaac Ross, Edinburgh (4); Montgomery & Steele [Steel], Edinburgh (5); Mrs J. Baillie, Edinburgh (6); Margaret Carmichael, Cumbernauld House (7); Dicksons & Co, Edinburgh (8, 13); Finlay Clark, Polmont (9); John Ballantine [Ballantyne], Ayr (10); Thomas Duncanson, Falkirk (11); Earl of Selkirk (12); Alexander Walker, Edinburgh (14). (14 items)
- A727.725 10 Mar 1801-04 Dec Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from George Forbes,

- 1801 his nephew, in Aberdeen, concerning his future. He is advised against going to Goree [Gore, Africa] in Africa, and Messrs Mavor & Lushington, London, engage him to go to Grenada to learn plantation management. The last letter is written in London, where his ship is delayed because the seaman do not accept the wages. (11 items)
- A727.726 17 Mar 1801-03 May 1801 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from William Forbes, his nephew, in London and Liverpool, planning a venture in Africa, where he expects to be for 14 years. [See also RH.1/2/794/1.] (3 items)
- A727.727 02 Apr 1801-22 Dec 1801 Letters to William Forbes or Callendar concerning his estates in stewardry of Kirkcudbright and Dumfriesshire. Correspondents - Robert McMillan, Fingland (1); John Thomson, Kirkcudbright (2, 9, 10, 16); Samuel Clarke [Clark], Earlstoun (3, 12, 22); John Murray, New Galloway (4); Rev. John Gillespie, minister of Kells (5); James Hunter, Lochrenny (6); Andrew McClamroch, Barskeoch (7); Rev. Alexander McGowan, minister of Dalry (8); Robert Murray Watt, Burnhead (11); John McMillan, Brockloch (13); James Smith, Dumfries (14); William Porter, Edinburgh, concerning projected Glenkens canal (15); Thomas Newall, Dumfries (17); William Watt, Burnhead (18); James Carson, Barscob [Barscobe] (19); John Barber, Terreran (20, 21); Rev. William Grierson, minister of Glencairn (23) Hugh Mosman [Mossman], Edinburgh (24); chairman of Dumfries Infirmary (25); William Stewart, Moniaive (26); William Ferguson, Dalry (27). (27 items)
- A727.728 05 Apr 1801-10 Aug 1801 Announcements of death of Miss Margaret Ramsay, Kerse Hill, and William Cleland, son of Thomas Cleland, Craighburn. (5 items)
- A727.729 07 Apr 1801-26 Dec 1801 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Smith, Edinburgh, on legal matters. Smith replaces John Taylor W.S. as Forbes' man of business. (18 items)
- A727.730 11 May 1801-22 Dec 1801 Letters to Robert Forbes, at Craighburn and at Westfield near Aberdeen, from William Forbes of Callendar, his brother, at Edinburgh, Callendar, Glasgow and Ayr, concerning Callendar estate matters and Robert's health - Dr Munro recommends the Peterhead waters (7).
- A727.731 19 May 1801-15 Jun 1801 Correspondence concerning William Forbes' need of a saddler - letters from James Crawford, Glasgow; Alexander Gray, Grahamston; Archibald Stark, Falkirk. (4 items)
- A727.732 14 Jun 1801 Draft of letters from William Forbes of Callendar recommending Mr William McCall as assistant and successor to the minister of Muiravonside.
- A727.733 01 Jul 1801-30 Dec 1801 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes concerning Callendar estate. Correspondents - Thomas Wingate, Stirling (1, 22, 23); D. Smith, Polmont (2, 3); Mr Dundas, Edinburgh (4); William Glen, Forgan Hall (5-7, 16); Thomas Aiken [Aitken], Falkirk (8, 17, 32, 48, 52); Mr Stainton [Stanton], Carron (9, 20, 21, 29, 30, 33, 38, 40); James Henderson, Falkirk (10, 14, 25); Rev. J. Wilson, minister of Falkirk (11, 53); George Brown, Camelon (12); James Donaldson, Muiravonside (13); Andrew Rae, Craighburn (18); Mrs Steuart [Stewart] Fergusson [Ferguson], Camelon (19); C.B. Tucker, Falkirk (24); Duke of Montrose (26); William Cadell, Carronpark (27, 28); James Donaldson, Muiravonside (31, 37); William Brown,

- Falkirk (34); James Walker, Falkirk (35, 36); William McCulloch, Linlithgow Bridge (39, 44); William Stiven [Stephen] (41); James Macdonald [McDonald], Falkirk (42); James Nimmo, Linlithgow Bridge (43); William Brees [Breeze], Almond (45); John Baird, Manuel Mills (46); indwellers in Falkirk Hospital (47); John Burns, Falkirk (49); Robert McKechnie, Falkirk (50, 54, 55); James Crawford, rabbit-catcher, Craighall (51). (55 items)
- A727.734 06 Jul 1801-29 Dec 1801 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - Robert Mitchell, London (1, 11); John Allinson, Irvine (2); Patrick Heron, Edinburgh (3); Robertson Buchanan, London, having been interviewed by the Navy Board (4); James Walker, Falkirk (5); William Porter, Edinburgh (6); William Kerr, Edinburgh (7, 9, 14); William Paterson, Edinburgh (8); James Wright, Stirling (10); Janet Ross, Edinburgh (12); David Steuart [Stewart], Inveresk (13, 15, 18); Elizabeth Roger [Rodger], Falkirk (16); Elizabeth Forbes, wife of Archibald Douglas, Stirling (17); Dr Alexander Adam, Edinburgh (19). (19 items)
- A727.735 14 Nov 1801-03 Jul 1802 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning the candidacies for the Stirlingshire election of Captain Charles Elphinstone and Sir Robert Abercromby [Abercrombie]. Correspondents - W. Elphinstone, London (1, 7); Duke of Montrose (2, 8, 9); Henry Dundas M.P. (3, 4); Sir Robert Abercromby [Abercrombie] (5, 6); Lord Keith, at Malta and Gibraltar (10, 11); Charles Innes, Edinburgh (12). (12 items)
- A727.736 04 Jan 1802-29 May 1802 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in stewardry of Kirkcudbright and Dumfriesshire. Correspondents - George Lorimer, heritors' clerk, Moniaive (1); Samuel Clarke [Clark], Earlstoun (2, 6, 10); John Thomson, Kirkcudbright (3, 4, 11, 18); James Carson, Barscob [Barscobe] (5); Rev. William Grierson, minister of Glencairn (7); James Barber, Knockreoch [Knockrioch] (8); Robert McMillan, Waterside (9, 16); Henry Fergusson [Ferguson], Craigdarroch (12); Alexander Smith, Maxwellton [Maxwelltown] (13); Alexander McGuffog, Kirkcudbright (14); Adam Maitland, Edinburgh, concerning projected Glenkens Canal (15); Alexander Melville, Kirkcudbright (17); Rev. John Gillespie, minister of Kells (19); Mrs Newall (20); Andrew McClamroch, Barskeoch (21); Robert Ramsay, Dumfries (22); James Buchanan, heritors' clerk, Dalry (23). (23 items)
- A727.737 06 Jan 1802-30 Apr 1802 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - Jane Watson, London (1); George Douglas, London (2); John Allinson, Irvine (3); Henry Dundas M.P. (4, 6, 17); J. Duff, London (5); David Steuart [Stewart], Inveresk (7, 8, 20); Sir John Stirling of Glorat (9); Miss G. Mackay (10); Ann Allinson, Irvine (11, 22); Janet Ross, Edinburgh (12); Patrick Heron, Kirroughtree (13); William Kerr, Edinburgh (14, 16, 18); Neil Fergusson [Ferguson], Edinburgh (15); Dr James Hay, Edinburgh (19); Margaret Mitchell, London (21). (22 items)
- A727.738 06 Jan 1802-01 Dec 1802 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his Ayrshire estates. Correspondents - John Dick, Sanquhar (1); David Limond, Ayr (2, 5, 8, 16-18); Thomas Barker, Sanquhar (3); John Duncan, Ayr (4); Stewart Ewing, writer, Ayr (6, 7); Oswald Weir, Ayr (9); William Allason [Allison],

- Annebank [Annbank] (10-12, 14); Captain Charles Dalrymple, Ayr (13); Archibald Matheson, Whitelets (15). (18 items)
- A727.739 07 Jan 1802-28 Dec 1802 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes from Thomas Smith, Edinburgh, on legal matters, including an action over the proposed rebuilding of Falkirk Church. 28-29 refer to William Forbes' illness. 12 is letter to Smith from Lord Advocate Hope. (34 items)
- A727.740 09 Jan 1802-27 Jul 1802 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes concerning Callendar estate. Correspondents - [unsigned], Falkirk (1); Donald McIntosh, Loanhead (2); James Henderson, Falkirk (3, 18); Thomas Wingate, Stirling (4, 6, 13, 14, 20, 27); Thomas Aiken [Aitken], Falkirk (5, 7, 9, 22); William Glen, Forgan Hall (8, 12, 16, 19); James Hoggan, Carmuir (10); Archibald Webster, Kinnaird (11); William Storie, Falkirk (15); William Aitken, mason, Falkirk (17); Donald McIntyre, Callendar (21); William Hutchison, Rig (23, 26); John Burns, Falkirk (24); A. Dallas, Edinburgh (25). (27 items)
- A727.741 13 Jan 1802-08 Jul 1802 Letters to Robert Forbes, at Craighburn, from William Forbes of Callendar, his brother, in Edinburgh, advising on Callendar estate matters. 6 repeats medical advice from Dr Munro. (21 items)
- A727.742 14 Jan 1802-17 Dec 1802 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and other papers concerning supplies of seeds and plants. Suppliers - Gordon, Dermer & Co, London; Robert Fair, London; Dicksons & Co, Edinburgh; James Walker, Falkirk; Peter Bell, Falkirk.
- A727.743 14 Jan 1802-27 Oct 1802 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, mostly in Edinburgh, from Robert Forbes, his brother, at Craighburn, reporting on Callendar estate matters and copying letters received on various topics. 28 reports Dr Munro's advice to get a wig 'like the natural hair'
- A727.744 06 Feb 1802-04 Dec 1802 Dinner invitations and other brief notes to William Forbes of Callendar. (13 items)
- A727.745 08 Feb 1802-27 Dec 1802 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes concerning supplies of merchandise. Correspondents - William Wotherspoon, Charlestown (limeshells, 1, 2, 10); Montgomery & Steele [Steel], Edinburgh (forwarding a box, 3); Provost Andrew, Linlithgow (beer, 4, 17); Archibald Bell, Falkirk (iron, 5, 7, 8, 15); James Simpson, Falkirk (iron, 6); Luck & Kent, London (carpets, 9, 11, 13, 14); James Adams, Grangemouth (goods from London, 12); Thomas Duncanson, Falkirk (oil, 16); Thomas Johnston (British Almanack, 18). (18 items)
- A727.746 26 Feb 1802-02 Oct 1802 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning servants. Correspondents - Jean Fleming, Falkirk (1); Dicksons & Co, Edinburgh (2); Alexander Macleod, Edinburgh (3); Betty Thomson, Stenhouse (4). (4 items)
- A727.747 11 Mar 1802-12 Nov 1802 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning supplies of barley and oats. Correspondents - William Hodge, Falkirk (1, 2, 4, 5); James Walker, Falkirk (3); Joseph Bogue [Boag], Grangemouth (6). (6 items)
- A727.748 31 Mar 1802-25 Aug 1802 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from R. A. Oswald of Auchincruive, and draft replies, concerning Oswald's offer to purchase from Forbes the farms of Clune and Mainshaw on Sanquhar estate. (8 items)

- A727.749 04 May 1802-23 Dec 1802 Announcements of deaths of Lady Forbes of Pitsligo; Sir Philip Ainslie; John Meek of Campfield; Margaret Riddell; Rev. John Bertram, minister of Muiravonside. (5 items)
- A727.750 24 May 1802-22 Dec 1802 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - Anna Duff, London (1); Alexander Munro, Dorrator (2); Patrick Heron (3, 6, 9, 12); W. Macdonald, Edinburgh, concerning estate of Glenelg (4, 5); Colonel W. Fullarton [Fullerton], London (7, 8, 11); William Porter, Edinburgh (10); William Marsh, London (13); Mr Stainton [Stanton], Carron (14); John Lauder, surveyor, Linlithgow, who is to make a map of Ross and Cromarty (15); Sir George S. Mackenzie [McKenzie] of Coul (16); J. & A. Anderson, London, introducing Mr Cassels from South Carolina [U.S.A.] (17); Sir John Sinclair (18, 22); R.W., Falkirk (19); Dr Wilson, minister of Falkirk (20); Mr Cadell, Carronpark (21); Jean Grant, Forres (23); David Steuart [Stewart], Inveresk (24). (24 items)
- A727.751 09 Jun 1802-18 Dec 1802 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in stewartry of Kirkcudbright and Dumfriesshire. Correspondents - John Commelin [Comblin], Kirkcudbright (1); Rev. Alexander McGowan, minister of Dalry (2, 3); Samuel Clarke [Clark], Earlstoun (4, 14, 17, 22, 24); Thomas Goldie, Dumfries (5); George Lorimer, Moniaive (6, 7); William Porter, Edinburgh (8); Sir Alexander Gordon, Edinburgh and Greenlaw, concerning canal shares (9); William Sloan, Knocksheen (10); Earl of Galloway (11); John Thomson, Kirkcudbright (12, 21); Robert McMillan, Waterside (13, 19); David Kennedy, Knocknaling [Knocknalling], concerning bridge over the Kenn [River Ken] (15); Earl of Selkirk (16); John Gordon of Kenmure (18); William Watson, Barskimming [Barskimming] (20); William Stewart, Moniaive (23). (24 items)
- A727.752 27 Jul 1802-21 Dec 1802 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes from David Forbes, their brother, in London, on various topics. (4 items)
- A727.753 06 Aug 1802-30 Dec 1802 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes concerning Callendar estate. Correspondents - William Hutchison, Rig (1, 16); Andrew Nimmo, Laurieston (2); James Walker, Falkirk (3); John Burns, Falkirk (4, 9); Robert Kincaid, Falkirk (5, 13); Provost Andrew, Linlithgow (6); Alexander McVey, Shieldhill (7); anonymous, Falkirk (8); Alexander Macleod [McLeod], Muiravonside, concerning division of Tarduff [Tarduf] Muir (10); Robert McKechnie, Falkirk (11, 12); William Brown, Falkirk (14); Sir J.M. Riddell (15); Thomas Aiken [Aitken], Falkirk (17, 41); Thomas Wingate, Stirling (18, 23, 42); Colonel Duncan (19); Patrick Baron Seton [Seaton], Preston (20, 21); William Begbie, Edinburgh (22); Peter Brown, smith, Haddington (24); Alexander Learmonth, Falkirk (25); John Lauder, Linlithgow (26, 31-33); Peter Bell, Falkirk (27); David Spottiswood, Edinburgh, concerning Stirlingshire Road Bill (28); Mr Stainton [Stanton], Carron (29, 35, 37); George Gray, Shieldhill (30); James Stark, Camelon (34, 36); William Burns, Falkirk (38); Charles Napier, Muiravonside (39, 40). (42 items)
- A727.754 17 Sep 1802-06 Dec 1802 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from William Simpson, Royal Bank, Edinburgh, on financial matters. (6

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- A727.755 27 Oct 1802-08 Nov 1802 Letters to Robert Forbes on the birth of his daughter. (3 items)
- A727.756 26 Nov 1802-12 Dec 1802 Letters to John Taylor, surgeon, Falkirk, from Dr. A. Monro [Munro] senior, Edinburgh, prescribing treatments for Mr Forbes' complaints. (3 items)
- A727.757 1802-1803 Letters to John Taylor, surgeon, Falkirk, from Dr. A. Monro [Munro] senior, Edinburgh, prescribing treatments for Mr Forbes' complaints. (3 items)
- A727.758 1802-1803 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from James Forbes, his nephew, at Aberdeen, Greenock and London. No. 1 concerns the death of his brother George, in Grenada [West Indies], and the illness of his brother William in Africa. The other letters concern his career. He goes to Greenock to gain mercantile experience, but then accepts the cadetship in the Infantry in India procured through Lord Melville. 5 includes account of his expenses. 4 is letter from Alexander Still, Greenock. [For letter from James in India, see RH.1/2/801] (6 items), Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from James Allardyce, his brother-in-law, at Aberdeen, on family matters, particularly his son James's departure for Jamaica. (5 items)
- A727.759 1802-1804 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes from Jean Forbes, their sister, at Aberdeen, concerning family and financial matters, including their brother James's executry. Enclosed is letter from John Forbes, their nephew in the Navy (11). (11 items)
- A727.760 1802-1804 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Jean Forbes, his sister-in-law, in Aberdeen and London, concerning her children and financial matters. 5 is enclosed letter from her son John Forbes, on board HMS 'Florentina' at Messina [Italy] - 'at this season the Italians eat Ice every day'. [For formerly enclosed letter from her son David Forbes, in India, see RH.1/2/800] (16 items)
- A727.761 1802-1804 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from John Forbes, his nephew, a Lieutenant in the Navy, at London, Plymouth, and Downs, mainly concerning his career. [See also RH.1/2/799/2] (3 items)
- A727.762 1802-1804 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Robert Forbes, his cousin, in London and Aberdeen, concerning his marriage to William's niece 'Jess' Forbes and financial requirements of his business. Letter from A. Dallas, Edinburgh, Robert's brother-in-law. (7 items)
- A727.763 1802-1804 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from James Allardyce, his nephew, in Glasgow and Jamaica, describing his arrival there, and from Thomas Donald, Musselburgh, asking after Allardyce. (3 items)
- A727.764 1802-1804 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from John Abercrombie, his brother-in-law, in Aberdeen, on family matters, including his son John's exchange to a regiment at Madras [India] and the death of William Forbes' mother. (7 items)
- A727.765 1802-1804 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Captain William Abercrombie, his nephew, in London, concerning his trading voyages, mainly to the West Indies, and wine imported for his uncle. The docks are guarded overnight by bloodhounds. (10 items)

- A727.766 03 Jan 1803-02 Jul 1803 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate Correspondents - Stirlingshire Police Society (1); J. Aitken, Falkirk (2); Robert McKechnie, Falkirk (3); Mr Napier, Merchiston Hall (4); John Sprott, Carmuir (5); Mrs Christian Napier, Merchiston Hall (6, 8); John Hume, Falkirk (7); Robert Paterson, Camelon (9); William Dearn, Falkirk (10); Dykes Smith, Polmont (11, 18); James Walker, Falkirk (12, 14); Thomas Aiken, Falkirk (13, 17, 25); William Braes, Crownierland (15); John Heugh, Gartcows (16); Andrew Bartholomew, Linlithgow (19); James Potter, Grahamston (20); Patrick Calder, session clerk, Muiravonside (21); William Allan, Camelon (22); John Wardrop and others, Falkirk, concerning Falkirk Muir (23); Thomas Wingate, Stirling (24); James Adam, Falkirk (26). (26 items)
- A727.767 04 Jan 1803-23 Apr 1803 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - A. Dallas, Edinburgh, recommending Dr Gibson (1); John Allinson, Irvine (2); Mrs M. Riddell, Edinburgh (3); Alexander Macleod, Muiravonside (4); Jane Cockburn, Edinburgh (5); Jean Grant, Forres (6); Viscount Melville (7, 14, 15); John Coult [Coutts], blacksmith, Edinburgh, (8); Sir Hew Dalrymple Hamilton, Falkirk (9, 10); J. Galloway, Falkirk (11); John Anderson, Edinburgh (12); R. Finnan, Falkirk (13, 16); Ann Allinson, Irvine (17); Dr Robert Hamilton, Aberdeen, concerning the Poor's Hospital there (18) (18 items)
- A727.768 04 Jan 1803-31 Dec 1803 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning supplies of seeds and plants. Correspondents - Minier & Co, London (1, 6); William Stephenson [Stevenson] & Co, London (2); James Booth, Falkirk (3); Robert Bygrave, Southwark (4, 7); Gordon Dermer & Co, London (5, 15); London Shipping Company, Grangemouth (9, 10); James Walker, Falkirk (11); John Lauder, Linlithgow (12-14). 8 is list of garden seeds. (15 items)
- A727.769 05 Jan 1803-04 Aug 1803 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Stirlingshire roads. Correspondents - John Buchanan, Auchinreoch (1); 'A Trustee on the Denny Line' (printed, 2); William Cadell, Carronpark (3, 4); Robert Rennie, Kilsyth (5); Mr Stainton [Stanton], Carron (6-8, 12, 13); John Burns, Falkirk (9, 11); Thomas Wingate, Stirling (10). (13 items)
- A727.770 05 Jan 1803-11 Jun 1803 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in stewartry of Kirkcudbright and Dumfriesshire. Correspondents - Robert Murray Watt, Burnhead (1, 19); Sir Alexander Gordon, Greenlaw (2); Rev. John Gillespie, minister of Kells (3, 8-10); John McLachlan, Bannachra (4); Rev. Alexander McGowan, minister of Dalry (5); George Hoggan, Waterside (6, 7, 16, 24-27); Robert Hope, Glenlee (11); David McMillan, Dumfries (12); William Barber, Dumfries (13); Robert McMillan, Waterside (14); William Sloan, Knocksheen (15); Alexander Melville, Kirkcudbright (17, 21); Earl of Selkirk, Kirkcudbright (18); Hugh Mosman [Mossman], Edinburgh (20); George McKertney [McCartney], Largmore (22); James Hunter, Lochrenny (23); James Gordon, Edinburgh (28); John Thomson, Kirkcudbright (29). (29 items)
- A727.771 08 Jan 1803-30 Dec 1803 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning supplies of merchandise. Correspondents - William Wotherspoon, Charlestown (lime) shells, 1, 3-6, 15, 22, 23); Archibald Bell,

- Falkirk (iron, 2); William Dearn, Falkirk (horses, 7, 14, 16, 17); Thomas Duncanson, Falkirk (porter, 8); James Andrew, Linlithgow (beer, 9, 12); Bells & Rannie, Leith (port and sherry, 10, 11, 13, 18 -21); Cleghorn & Wilson, Edinburgh (24), enclosing patterns of cloth for chaise lining (25). (25 items)
- A727.772 11 Jan 1803-30 Nov 1803 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on financial matters. Correspondents - William Simpson, Royal Bank, Edinburgh (1-7, 10); Robert Banks, Stirling (8); James Innes, Royal Bank, Edinburgh (9). (10 items)
- A727.773 18 Jan 1803-01 Oct 1803 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning servants. Correspondents - Dicksons & Co, Edinburgh (1, 2); Kirstie McDonald, Edinburgh (3); Rev. Archibald Menzies, minister of Dull (4); Sir John Shaw Stewart of Greenock (5); Mrs Maxwell, Parkhill (6). (6 items)
- A727.774 21 Jan 1803-26 May 1803 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes concerning Falkirk steeple (stentmasters of Falkirk v Glen). Correspondents - William Glen, Forgan Hall (1, 8); James Aitken, Falkirk (2); Thomas Wingate, Falkirk (3-6); Robert Walker, Falkirk (7). (8 items)
- A727.775 24 Jan 1803-24 Dec 1803 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Smith, Edinburgh, mainly on legal matters. 15 is enclosed copy of certificate of death of Lady Wallace in Munich [Germany]. (37 items)
- A727.776 31 Jan 1803-14 Dec 1803 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, at Edinburgh, Ayr, Dumfries and Aberdeen, from Robert Forbes, his brother, at Craighburn reporting on Callendar estate matters, including liming the land, and reporting on and copying letters received on assorted topics. (20 items)
- A727.777 03 Feb 1803-10 Mar 1803 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Janet MacDonald, spouse of John Dewar in Camiscarny, concerning her right to the effects of her deceased brother, Alexander MacDonald, servant of Forbes, and related papers. (5 items)
- A727.778 04 Feb 1803-10 Dec 1803 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in Ayrshire. Correspondents - David Limond, Ayr (1, 3, 4, 11, 16-22, 25); Archibald Matheson, Whitlets (2, 5, 6); John Duncan, Sandyfoord [Sandyford] (7, 15); David Craig, Ayr (8, 12, 14); John Dick, Sanquhar (9, 10); Rev. William McQuhae, minister of St Quivox (13) William Watson, Barskimming [Barskimming] (23); John Smith, Wallacetown (24); William Allason [Allison], Annbank (26). (26 items)
- A727.779 19 Feb 1803-21 Nov 1803 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from David Forbes, his brother, coppersmith, in London, mainly concerning his tendering for the naval contract, which involves an introduction to Viscount Melville, and also concerning removal of his shop to Shoreditch and nephew James Forbes going to Madras [India]. 17 is memorandum by William Forbes, suggesting prices to tender of copper goods. (19 items)
- A727.780 23 Mar 1803-16 Nov 1803 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes and other papers, concerning the defence of the Realm in Stirlingshire - the militia, volunteer companies, and resident alien enemies. Correspondents - Thomas Wingate, Stirling (1, 3, 9, 11-14, 23, 29, 36, 37); James Bruce of Kinnaird (2, 5-7); William Glen, Forgan Hall (4, 8); Duke of Montrose (10); General William Maxwell, Deputy Lieutenant (15, 24,

- 27, 30, 31, 34); William Brown, schoolmaster, Falkirk, who complains that his teaching suffers through his time spent on compiling the Militia List (16-19, 21, 22, 35); George McCallum of Thornhill (25, 26); John Wardrop, Falkirk (28); James Henderson, Falkirk (32, 33). (37 items)
- A727.781 05 Apr 1803-13 Oct 1803 Dinner invitations and other brief notes to William Forbes of Callendar. (14 items)
- A727.782 09 Apr 1803-04 Jun 1804 Announcements of death of Sir John Whitefoord [Whiteford]; Patrick Heron of Heron; Provost James Andrew, Linlithgow; Rev. Robert Ure junior, Edinburgh; Mr Williamson, Edinburgh. (6 items)
- A727.783 12 Apr 1803-06 Sep 1803 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from James Walker, Falkirk, and William Hodge, Falkirk, concerning supplies of barley, oats and wheat. (11 items)
- A727.784 30 May 1803-28 Dec 1803 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - Robina Grant, Edinburgh (1, 2); Jean Grant, Forres and Peterhead, where she has gone for the baths (3-5); John Anderson, bookseller, Edinburgh (6, 7); William Porter, Edinburgh, concerning farm in Glamorganshire (8-11); Janet Ross, Edinburgh (12); John Innes, Durris (13, 14); Alexander McDonald, Blackness (15); Mrs Speirs, West Quarter (16); Robert Hill, Edinburgh, concerning superiorities of Temple lands in Scotland (7, 18); Mrs Johnston, Champfleurie (19). (19 items)
- A727.785 09 Jul 1803-29 Dec 1803 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate. Correspondents - James Potter, Grahamston (1, 8); Alexander Macleod, Muiravonside (2); anonymous, Falkirk (3); Colonel William Duncan, Glenfuir (4); Andrew Robertson, Myrhead (5, 34); Rev. J. Wilson, minister at Falkirk (6); Robert Robart, Almond (7); Mr Burns, Falkirk (9, 16, 19); John Kincaid, Hamelton [Hamilton] Farm (10, 11, 15); Thomas Armstrong, Springhouse (12); Thomas Wingate, Stirling (13); William Brown, Falkirk (14); Rev. William McCall, minister of Muiravonside (17, 30); Thomas Aiken [Aitken], Falkirk (18, 25-27, 29); James Allan, Denny (20); George Meek, Falkirk (21); John Heugh, Gartcows (22); Mrs Speirs, West Quarter (23, 24); Robert Blair, Avontown [Avontoun] (28); John Sprott, Carmuir (31); James Walker, Falkirk (32); Colonel William Duncan, Glenfuir (33); William McCulloch, Linlithgow (35); William Gardner, Glasgow (36); John Shaw, [surveyor], Falkirk (37). (37 items)
- A727.786 11 Jul 1803-23 Dec 1803 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in stewardry of Kirkcudbright and Dumfriesshire. Correspondents - George Hoggan, Waterside (1-4, 17, 18); Samuel Clarke, Earlstoun (5, 21, 23, 26, 27); Rev. Alexander McGowan, minister of Dalry (6, 8, 19); Robert McMillan, Waterside (7, 9, 10, 13, 22); Rev. John Gillespie, minister of Kells (11); Archibald Douglas, schoolmaster of Kells (12); David Kennedy, Knocknaling [Knocknalling] (14); Adam Maitland of Dundrennan, concerning proposed bridge at Tongland [Tongueland] (15, 16); John Alexander, Glenhoul (20); William Barber, Bogue [Boag] (24, 25); Alexander Smith, Maxwellton [Maxwelltown] (28); John Thomson, Kirkcudbright (29). (29 items)
- A727.787 14 Jul 1803 Draft of letter to Duke of Montrose from William Forbes of Callendar, concerning an application by Dr J. Wilson,

- A727.788 1803-1804 minister of Falkirk, to be principal of Glasgow University. Correspondence of William Forbes of Callendar concerning his nephew, William Forbes, who is in Gambia, 'carrying on the Slave Trade'. Letters from Eleanor Forbes, William's wife, at Deal; J. Sherriff, Downs; Charles King, Liverpool. Draft letter to his nephew from William Forbes of Callendar. [For letters from William, in Gambia, see RH.1/2/794] (4 items)
- A727.789 01 Jan 1804-21 Dec 1804 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Smith, Edinburgh, on legal matters relating to the various Forbes estates. (43 items)
- A727.790 02 Jan 1804-09 Jul 1804 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from David Forbes, his brother, in London, mainly concerning his tendering for and obtaining the Naval contract for braziers and foundry goods. 6 explains the new sheathing nails. 7 contains an account of duty on wine. 9 describes an interview with Viscount Melville. (9 items)
- A727.791 02 Jan 1804-18 Jan 1805 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and other papers concerning supplies of seeds and plants. Correspondents - Robert Bygrave, London (1, 15, 16); Dicksons & Co, Edinburgh (2); J. Stainton [Stanton], Carron (4); Peter Bell, Falkirk (5, 12); London Shipping Company, Grangemouth (6, 9); James Walker, Falkirk (10); Robert Blair, Avontown [Avontoun] (11); Gordon, Dermer & Co, London (17). (17 items)
- A727.792 05 Jan 1804-30 Jun 1804 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes concerning their estates in stewardry of Kirkcudbright and Dumfriesshire. Correspondents - James Smith, Dumfries (1); Samuel Clarke [Clark], Earlstoun (2-4, 16, 24, 32, 39, 40); James Rae, Dumfries (5, 6); John Thomson, Kirkcudbright (7, 8, 12, 13, 17-19, 25); Alexander Smith, Maxwellton [Maxwelltown] (9); Thomas Grierson, Edinburgh and Kenmore (10, 21, 22, 26); George Lorimer, Moniaive (11); George Hoggan, Waterside (14, 23, 37); Thomas Cannan, Over Barskeoch (15); Robert McMillan, Waterside (20, 30, 38); Rev. William Gillespie, minister of Kells (27, 28); Robert Murray Watt, Barskeoch (29); chairman of Dumfries Infirmary (31); Ebenezer Simpson, Kirkcudbright (33); Robert Gordon, Kirkcudbright (34-36). (40 items)
- A727.793 05 Jan 1804-19 Dec 1804 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and other papers concerning the defence of the Realm in Stirlingshire (militia, volunteers, etc). Correspondents - Colonel William Duncan, Glenfuir (1, 16, 23); General William Maxwell (2, 7, 9, 15, 25-28, 36); Thomas Wingate, Stirling (3-5, 8, 10, 12-14, 20, 22, 24, 31, 34, 35); James Henderson, Falkirk (6, 11, 30, 32, 37); Lieutenant Colonel Macdowall [McDowall], Falkirk (18); John Sprott, Carmuir (21); William Brown, Falkirk (33). (37 items)
- A727.794 08 Jan 1804-28 May 1804 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes concerning Callendar estate. Correspondents - William Symington, Parkhouse (1, 2, 4, 30); Thomas Wingate, Stirling (3, 9, 25, 31); James and John Russell, Loanhead (5, 6); Colonel William Duncan, Glenfuir (7); Robert Guthrie, Callendar Garden (8); Alexander Callander, Falkirk (10); James Allan, Denny (11); J. Livingston [Livingstone], Parkhall (12); W. Macdonald, Edinburgh, asking for vine cuttings (13, 14); Mr Cadell, Carronpark (15); Andrew

- Robertson, Myrhead [Myrehead] (16); John Sprott, Carmuir (17, 20-24, 27, 33); John Baird, Manuel Mills (18); Robert Shearer, Falkirk (19); Mr Stainton [Stanton], Carron (28.); James Potter, Grahamston (29); Alexander Morison [Morrison], Falkirk (32). 26 is enclosed list of sequestrated effects of John Sprott, farmer, Carmuir. (33 items)
- A727.795 09 Jan 1804-24 Dec 1804 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on financial matters. Correspondents - William Simpson, Royal Bank, Edinburgh (1 4, 7-12); Marsh & Co, London (5); Mungo Smith, Drongan (6); J. Learmonth & Co, Edinburgh (13). (13 items)
- A727.796 19 Jan 1804-11 Dec 1804 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in Ayrshire. Correspondents - John Duncan, Ayr (1, 12, 21); David Limond, Ayr (2, 6, 8, 9, 14-17, 19, 22, 23, 25, 29); David Craig, Fulshawood (3, 7, 20); Rev. William McQuhae, minister of St Quivox (4); John Dick, Sanquhar (5, 10, 11, 13); William Allason [Allison], Ayr, whose trials for coal are unsuccessful (18, 26-28, 30, 31); Captain Andrew Macfarlane [McFarlane], Ayr (24). (31 items)
- A727.797 31 Jan 1804-30 Nov 1804 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, at Edinburgh, Ayr and Dumfries, from Robert Forbes, his brother, at Craighburn, reporting on Callendar estate matters, including the weather, and copying letters received on various topics. (30 items)
- A727.798 06 Feb 1804-25 Dec 1804 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning supplies of merchandise. Correspondents - Thomas Duncanson, Falkirk (gin, 1); William Wotherspoon, Charlestown (limeshells, 2-6, 9-13); Thomas Andrew, Linlithgow (beer, 7, 8); Thomas Johnston, Falkirk (British Almanack, 14). (14 items)
- A727.799 14 Feb 1804-01 Dec 1804 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - George Douglas, London (1); P. Miller junior, Edinburgh (2); T. Fleming (3), enclosing rental of estates of Dairsie and Foodie (4); J. M. Mulhollan, Edinburgh, publishing Irish and Scots music (5); Sir John Dalrymple, concerning improvements proposed by Mr Younger (6); David Steuart [Stewart], Edinburgh (7); A. Maconochie [McConnachie], Edinburgh (8); Alexander Macleod, Muiravonside, wishing to sell his carriage horses (9); Ann Allinson, Bo'ness (10); John Ronald, upholsterer, London, formerly of Aberdeen (11); John Forbes of Inverernan (12); George Dunlop, Edinburgh (13); Jane Watson, London (14); Rev. J Wilson, minister of Falkirk (15); Mrs Speirs, Polmont (16); Mrs A. Newall, Dumfries (17); Thomas Armstrong, Easingwold (18). (18 items)
- A727.800 Mar 1804-22 Dec 1804 Dinner invitations and other brief notes to William Forbes of Callendar. (15 items)
- A727.801 02 Apr 1804-19 May 1804 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning the Falkirk new church committee . Correspondents - George Meek, Falkirk (1); Robert McKechnie, Falkirk (2, 3); Rev. Dr J. Wilson, minister of Falkirk (4). (4 items)
- A727.802 12 Jun 1804-27 Sep 1804 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate. Correspondents - Mr Stainton [Stanton], Carron (1); George Brymmer [Bremner], Stirling (2, 3); John Sprott, Carmuir (4); James Walker, Falkirk (5, 12, 28); Robert Allan, Edinburgh (6); Colonel William Duncan (7, 8); William Symington, Parkhouse (9, 13, 22); John Henderson, Falkirk (10); T.C. Hagart, Bantaskine (11); Thomas Wingate,

- Stirling (14, 18, 19, 23, 27); Alexander Callander, Larbert (15, 17); William Hodge, Falkirk (16); Thomas Armstrong, Falkirk (20); David Carruthers, Falkirk (21); Alexander Learmonth, Falkirk (24); Mr Spottiswoode, Dunipace (25); John Lauder, surveyor, Linlithgow (26). (28 items)
- A727.803 05 Jul 1804-31 Dec 1804 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in stewartry of Kirkcudbright and Dumfriesshire. Correspondents - John Thomson, Kirkcudbright (1-3, 30, 31); Samuel Clark, Earlstoun (4, 6, 16, 19); Thomas Grierson W.S., Edinburgh (5, 12, 22, 23); George Hoggan, Waterside (7, 8, 28, 29); Richard Oliver, Glenlee Park (9); Robert McMillan, Waterside (10, 20); Rev. John Brown, minister of Glencairn (11); J. Niven, Kirkcudbright (13); John Heron, Ingleston (14); Alexander Melville, Kirkcudbright (15, 25); William Mure [Muir], Kirkcudbright (17); John McCulloch, Barholm (18); George Lorimer, Moniaive (21); John Gilmour, Paisley (24); John Jeffrey, Edinburgh (26); James Carson, Barscob (27, 39); John Morrison, Kirkcudbright (32); John Robison [Robson], Hannaston (33). (34 items)
- A727.804 16 Jul 1804-07 Oct 1804 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Sir John Sinclair, in Edinburgh, concerning Caithness cattle. 'I propose setting out ... for Caithness, with my eldest son, who is for the first time to visit his native county'. Enclosed printed letter by Sir John 'on the Improvement of Mossy Lands'. (5 items)
- A727.805 05 Sep 1804 Copy letter to William Cadell of Barnton from Robert Trotter, Secretary of the General Post Office, Edinburgh, answering resolutions by the gentlemen of Stirlingshire about the mail service.
- A727.806 04 Oct 1804-31 Dec 1804 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes concerning Callendar estate. Correspondents - Thomas Wingate, Stirling (1, 3, 5, 8, 11, 13, 23, 33, 36); John Shaw, surveyor, Falkirk (2); Patrick Calder, heritors' clerk, Muiravonside (4, 9); Forster, Coul & Cook, Falkirk (6); John Ronald, Swinedyke (7); Mr Ramsay, Falkirk (10); Rev. Robert Rennie, minister of Kilsyth (12); Thomas Aiken, Falkirk (14-16); Rev. William McCall, minister of Muiravonside (17, 18, 22, 24, 26-30); Peter Scott, Denovan Printfield (19); John Sprott, Carmuir (20); James Miller, Craigend (21); Major Hay, Dorrator (25); William Symington, Parkhouse (31, 32, 35); James Buchanan, Falkirk (34). (36 items)
- A727.807 03 Jan 1805-08 Oct 1805 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Wingate, Stirling, on legal matters concerning Callendar estate. (13 items)
- A727.808 04 Jan 1805-31 May 1805 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate. Correspondents - John Robertson, St Ninians (1); Dr J Wilson, minister of Falkirk (2); James Potter, Grahamstone [Grahamston] (3); Patrick Calder, heritors' clerk, Muiravonside (4, 6, 14); James Gilmore, heritors' clerk, Cumbernauld (5); Robert McKechnie, Fakirk (7); James Watson, Bonnybridge (8, 10); Thomas Andrew, Linlithgow (9); John Ogilvie, Carron House, concerning proposed new church for Falkirk (11-13, 17); William Glen, Forgan Hall (15); R. Clarke [Clark], Comrie House (16); Alexander Gentles, Falkirk (18); William Cadell, Carronpark

- (19); John Mason, Craighburn (20); James Boyd, Kerse Mills (21); William Cuthell [Cuthill], Mosside [Moss-side] (22); Isabella Tytler, Tillicoultry (23); J. Stainton [Stanton], Carron Company (24); John Lauder, surveyor, Linlithgow (25); Andrew Robertson, Almond (26); William Symington, Parkhouse (27); Andrew Patterson [Paterson], Bo'ness (28); Robert Melvill [Melville], Falkirk (29); Mr Cox (30); William Glen, distiller, Mains (31, 32). (32 items)
- A727.809 06 Jan 1805-21 Jun 1805 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, at Edinburgh and Aberdeen, from Robert Forbes, his brother, at Craighburn, reporting on Callendar estate matters, including proposals to rebuild Falkirk Church, and reporting on and copying letters received on various topics. Letter to Robert from William. (27 items)
- A727.810 06 Jan 1805-30 Oct 1805 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Sir John Sinclair, at Edinburgh and Thurso, concerning Caithness cattle, longevity, and Thurso straw, enclosing samples - 'Instead of converting straw into nasty dung, we make it into Ladies bonnets at Thurso'. (8 items)
- A727.811 10 Jan 1805-06 Dec 1805 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in Ayrshire. Correspondents - David Limond, Ayr (1, 9, 12, 14, 15, 22, 23); Mungo Smith, Drongan (2); John Dick, Ayr (3, 10, 17, 19, 24); David Craig, Ayr (4, 11, 16); John Duncan, Sanquhar (5, 13, 18, 20); James Kilgour, Sanquhar (6, 8); David Drennan, schoolmaster, St Quivox (7, 21). (24 items)
- A727.812 15 Jan 1805-17 Dec 1805 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Smith, Edinburgh, mainly on legal matters relating to the various Forbes estates. 6 describes a meeting of heritors and presbytery concerning the proposed rebuilding of Falkirk church. 8 and 9 concern the death, after a declaration of marriage, of Mr Macadam of Craigengillan. 13 and 35 further concern the dispute over the Falkirk church building. (41 items)
- A727.813 17 Jan 1805-03 Jun 1805 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in stewartry of Kirkcudbright and Dumfriesshire. Correspondents - George Lorimer, heritors' clerk, Moniaive (1); Samuel Clarke [Clark], Earlstoun (2, 21, 26); Thomas Grierson, Edinburgh (3); Alexander Smith, Maxwellton [Maxwelltown] (4, 5, 12); George Hoggan, Waterside (6, 7); Alexander Melville, Kirkcudbright (8, 19); John Watt, Greenock (10); John Hastings, Auchenstron (11); Lady Miller, Bristol (13); Earl of Kingston, London (14); Horatius Cannan W.S., Edinburgh, concerning Glenkens Canal (15); John Thomson, Kirkcudbright (16); Alexander McGowan, minister of Dalry (17); James Dalryell [Dalziel], Kirkcudbright (18); J. Niven, Kirkcudbright (20); Robert McMillan, Waterside (22); James Buchanan, schoolmaster, Dalry (23); James Hunter, Lochrenny (24); James Carson, Barscob (25). (26 items)
- A727.814 17 Jan 1805-18 Dec 1805 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and other papers concerning the defence of the Realm in Stirlingshire. Correspondents - Colonel William Duncan, Glenfuir (1, 16); Thomas Wingate, Stirling (2, 4, 7, 9, 12, 22); General William Maxwell, Parkhill (3, 14, 15, 19, 20, 25, 26); Thomas Johnston, Falkirk (5, 6); Lieutenant Colonel William Shillinglaw, Bathgate (10, 11); Lieutenant Colonel Charles

- Walker, Glasgow (17); Mr Henderson, Falkirk (21); Major David Hay, Dorrator (23, 24). (26 items)
- A727.815 02 Feb 1805-03 Oct 1805 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes from Thomas Aiken [Aitken], Falkirk, on legal and financial matters concerning Callendar estate. (18 items)
- A727.816 09 Feb 1805-12 Nov 1805 Dinner invitations and other brief notes to William Forbes of Callendar. (21 items)
- A727.817 13 Feb 1805-08 Oct 1805 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning supplies of merchandise. Correspondents - Thomas Andrew, Linlithgow (beer, 1); Thomas Duncanson (bottles, 2); Alexander Wilson, London (guns, 3); Thomas Freeman, London (The Star, 4); Robert Melvill [Melville], Falkirk (timber, 5); William Dearn, Falkirk (horses and chaise, 6, 8); William Horne, Edinburgh (wig, 7). (8 items)
- A727.818 04 Mar 1805-31 Jul 1805 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - John Glas [Glass], cotton manufacturer, Stirling (1); Alexander Dallas, Edinburgh (2); John Ogilvie, Glasgow (3); Robina Burt or Brodie, Edinburgh (4); Clerk & Ross, Edinburgh (5); William Glen, Forgan Hall (6); David Steuart [Stewart], Edinburgh (7, 8) Dr A. Dingwall Fordyce, Aberdeen (9, 13, 16); Colonel Grant, Edinburgh (10); Mr Farquhar 'of Dr's Commons', Linlithgow (11); Colonel William Duncan, Glenfuir (12, 14, 15, 17); James Bruce, Kinnaird (18); John Mavor, London, concerning William Forbes' niece Margaret (19, 20). (20 items)
- A727.819 08 Mar 1805-13 Mar 1805 Note of words used by Dr Wilson, minister of Falkirk, about Forbes of Callendar. Intemperate letter to Mr Dallas from Wilson. (2 items)
- A727.820 13 Mar 1805-16 Mar 1805 Notices of death of James Graham of Airth. (3 items)
- A727.821 15 Mar 1805-30 Aug 1805 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning gardeners. Correspondents - Dicksons & Co, Edinburgh (1, 2, 4, 5); John MacAttie [McCathie], Edinburgh (3); James N. Rind, Wester Livilands (6). (6 items)
- A727.822 29 Mar 1805-18 Nov 1805 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on financial matters. Correspondents - James Henderson, Falkirk (1); Mrs A. Newall, Dumfries (2); William Simpson, Royal Bank, Edinburgh (3-5). (5 items)
- A727.823 03 Jun 1805-25 Dec 1805 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate. Correspondents - Andrew Robertson, Myrhead [Myrehead] (1); James Walker, Falkirk (2); Mrs Patrick Renny [Rennie], Falkirk (3); J. Stainton [Stanton], Carron Company, purchasing old iron (4); Andrew Paterson, Falkirk (5); John Burns, Falkirk (6, 42); Thomas Aitken, Shieldhill (7), Henry Baird, Leith, purchasing wheat (8); William Hodge, Falkirk (9, 12, 25, 27, 30, 33, 37); James Milne & Co, Grangemouth (10, 11); John McNaught, heritors' clerk, Slamannan (13); John Lauder, surveyor, Linlithgow (14, 16, 35); John Keater, Glasgow (15); James Miller, Craigend (17); John Mitchell, Mungall Mills (18); Edgar Hunter, Linthill (19); John Callander, Ladysmill (20); George Brown, Camelon (21); Gilbert Burns, factor for Lord Blantyre, Lennoxlove (22-24); Thomas C. Hagart, Bantaskine (26); Thomas Armstrong, Falkirk (28); William Symington, Parkhouse (29); William Dearn, Falkirk (31); Patrick Calder, Muiravonside (32); William Allen (34); Rev. J. Wilson,

- minister of Falkirk (36, 40, 41); George Maclagan, Underwood (38); Thomas Muirhead, Falkirk (39); Thomas Hill, Craigend (43). (43 items)
- A727.824 05 Jul 1805-28 Dec 1805 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in stewartry of Kirkcudbright and Dumfriesshire. Correspondents - Robert McMillan, Waterside (1, 3, 7); Samuel Clarke, Earlstoun (2, 9, 11, 22); John McTaggart, Earlstoun (4); Archibald Douglas, schoolmaster, Johns Clachan (5, 6, 12); Alexander Smith, Keir Miln (8); Thomas Morrison, Felland (10, 18); Rev. John Gillespie, minister of Kells (13, 14); Thomas Gibson, Ardoch (15); Rev. Alexander McGowan, minister of Dalry (16, 17, 23); Robert Watt, Paisley (19); William Stewart, Moniaive (20); William Smith, Moniaive (21). (23 items)
- A727.825 09 Jul 1805-07 Dec 1805 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Robert Forbes, his brother, in Aberdeen, where he and his family have moved, concerning, as well as family matters, the possible purchase of an estate by Robert. Castleton, Davo, and Johnshaven are considered. (14 items)
- A727.826 06 Aug 1805-26 Dec 1805 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - Dr Taylor, Falkirk (1); Masterton Ure, Edinburgh (2); Jane M. Baker, Edinburgh (3); Lewis Gordon, Highland Society of Scotland, Edinburgh (4); Elizabeth Roger [Rodger], Falkirk (5); Alexander Dallas, Edinburgh (6, 7, 17); John Barron, Deacon of Hammermen, Aberdeen (8); Colonel William Duncan, Glenfuir (9); Alexander Steel, Post Office, Falkirk (10); David Steuart [Stewart], Edinburgh (11); J. Forbes of Seaton (12, 18); Mr Rolland, Edinburgh (13-15); Robina Brodie, Edinburgh (16). (18 items)
- A727.827 02 Sep 1805-16 Sep 1805 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from David Forbes, his brother, in London, concerning his copper business. (2 items)
- A727.828 1805-1807 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Jean Forbes, his sister, at Aberdeen, on family and personal matters, particularly her investments. 12-14 contain a rental of and a report on the lands of Oldfold. (18 items)
- A727.829 1805-1807 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Jean Forbes, his sister-in-law, in Hampstead and Aberdeen, concerning her suffering from dropsy and family matters, particularly news of her sons. (15 items)
- A727.830 1805-1807 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from John Forbes, his nephew, a lieutenant in the Navy. No. 1 is written at sea, proceeding for Cape St Vincent [Madagascar] with Nelson's Fleet, of which he gives news. The other letters are written from Plymouth and Cawsand Bay and concern his prospects of promotion. [See also RH.1/2/795] (7 items)
- A727.831 1805-1807 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from William Abercrombie, his nephew, in London, and Rachel Abercrombie, his wife, concerning his West Indian trade and the failure of his brokers. He sends guinea fowls to Callendar (8). (9 items)
- A727.832 1805-1808 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Robert Forbes, his cousin, in London, on family matters, and (5) introducing Mr Burnie. (5 items)
- A727.833 03 Jan 1806-27 Jun 1806 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Smith, Edinburgh, on legal matters, including the action concerning

- Falkirk Church. Nos. 1-2 describe the action proving the marriage of Mr Macadam of Craigengillan. 9 advises Forbes on a gift to the poor of his parish for failing to have his forthcoming marriage proclaimed there. (32 items)
- A727.834 04 Jan 1806-16 Jul 1806 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Mrs Forbes concerning servants, including gardeners and gamekeepers. Correspondents - Anne Gardner, Bonnytown (1); Dicksons & Co, Edinburgh (2); Alexander Walker, Edinburgh (3); A. Dallas, Edinburgh (4-6). (6 items)
- A727.835 04 Jan 1806-12 Dec 1806 notes to William Forbes of Callendar. (28 items)
- A727.836 05 Jan 1806-16 Dec 1806 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Robert Forbes, his brother, in Aberdeen, concerning family and financial matters, his purchase of the estate of Castleton, and including rental and description of lands of Montquich etc (4); putting caps over the doors in Callendar House (5); 'The Register Office [in Aberdeen] is at present full of papers to be recorded, and as only one Clerk is employed the progress is slow' (13); copy letter from Dr James Fraser, [minister of Drumoak] (16). (19 items)
- A727.837 08 Jan 1806-29 Dec 1806 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his Ayrshire estates. Correspondents - William Manson, Whitletts (1, 8); Archibald Mathison [Matheson], Whitletts (2); John Dick, Sanquhar (3, 11); David Craig, Ayr (4); John Duncan, Ayr (5, 6, 12, 15); David Limond Ayr (7, 9, 10, 13, 16, 18); William McWhirter, Ayr (14); William Allason [Allison], Ayr (17); William Robison [Robson], Prestwick (19). (19 items)
- A727.838 09 Jan 1806-13 Dec 1806 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Wingate, Stirling, on legal matters concerning Callendar estate. 16 concerns his situation as Deputy Collector of Property Tax for Stirlingshire. (16 items)
- A727.839 10 Jan 1806-29 Jun 1806 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate. Correspondents - William Begg, Callendar (1, 2); John Mitchell, Mungall Mills (3, 19, 38), Ann Muirhead, Tippetcrag (4-6), Mrs Patrick Renny [Rennie], Falkirk (7); Dr J Wilson, minister of Falkirk (8-10); Thomas Melvill [Melville], Grahamston (11); William Symington, Parkhouse, enclosing valuation of produce of Callendar colliery (12, 13); Thomas Aiken [Aitken], Falkirk (14, 22, 23, 25); William Hodge, Falkirk (15); Robert McKechnie, Falkirk (16); Alexander Callander, Falkirk (17); John Lauder, surveyor, Linlithgow (18, 31); John Buchanan, Cambusmore (20); Robert Taylor, Laurieston (21); William Brees [Breeze], Crownerland (24); George Gray, Shieldhill (26); John Sprott, Carmuir (27); Patrick Calder, heritors' clerk, Muiravonside (28); John Burns, Falkirk (29); John Ritchie, Bonnyhill (30); William Glen, Forganhall (32, 34); Peter Grant, Falkirk (33); Thomas Duncanson, Falkirk (35); Peter Stalker, supervisor of Excise, Falkirk (36); Sir John Murray, Lanrick (37); John Ogilvie, Carron House (40). (40 items)
- A727.840 16 Jan 1806-28 Jun 1806 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes concerning their estates in stewartry of Kirkcudbright and sheriffdom of Dumfries. Correspondents - Alexander Smith, Maxwellton [Maxwelltown] (1, 14, 25, 35); Anthony Macmillan, Knocknalling (2); William Stewart, Moniaive (3, 4, 41); John Campbell, Strahanna (5); James Rae, banker

- Dumfries (6-9); Walter Paterson, Dalry, schoolmaster (10); Rev. John Gillespie, minister of Kells (11, 12); Rev. Alexander McGowan, minister of Dalry (13); Robert Johnston, Stranfasket (15); Robert McMillan, Waterside (16, 21); Rev. John Brown, minister of Glencairn (17, 26, 38); James McTurk, Stenhouse (18); James McMillan, Forrest (19); George McCartney [McCartney], Largmore (20); John Milligan, Land (22); David Kennedy, Knocknalling (23, 32); George Hoggan, Waterside (24); James Hunter, Lochrenny (27); John Gordon, New Galloway (28, 29); Rev. William Gillespie, minister of Kells (30, 31, 33); Thomas Morrison, Felland (34); Alexander Melville, Kirkcudbright (36); David Drennan, schoolmaster, St Quivox (37); Samuel Clarke, Earlstoun (39, 43); John Alexander, Glenhoul (40); Henry Fergusson [Ferguson], Craigharroch (42); A. Newall, Dumfries (44). (44 items)
- A727.841 27 Jan 1806-30 Jun 1806 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - Dr A. Dingwall Fordyce, Aberdeen (1); A. Dallas, Edinburgh (2, 3, 17, 21, 27); !1, 27); Colonel William Duncan, Glenfuir (4, 22); Mr Milnes, Edinburgh (5, 19); Alexander Bruce of Kennet (6); Rev. Dr J. Wilson, minister of Falkirk, concerning the 'irregularity' of Forbes' marriage (7); William Cadell, Carronpark (8, 14, 23, 24); Jane Watson, London (9); Dr John Taylor, Falkirk (10-12, 18, 20); William Marsh, London (13, 31); Sir Hew Dalrymple Hamilton, London (15, 35); Mr Ogilvie, Carron House, concerning mail from London (16); Earl of Selkirk, London (25); Sir James Hall, London (26); J. Forbes of Seaton (28); 'Humanus', Edinburgh (29); M. Stewart, London (30, 32); William Brown, session clerk, Falkirk, concerning William Forbes' marriage (33); George Galloway, poet, Edinburgh (34). (35 items)
- A727.842 01 Feb 1806-28 Oct 1806 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Sir John Sinclair, in Edinburgh, on various topics. Enclosed are, subscription form for preservation of Gaelic Literature and Music (3), extract from letter from Sir Home Popham, at Buenos Aires [Argentina] (5), and a paper 'On the Valour of Ancient Highlanders' (8). (9 items)
- A727.843 05 Feb 1806-31 Dec 1806 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and related papers on financial matters. Correspondents - William Simpson, Royal Bank, Edinburgh (1-5); William Lothian, writer, Edinburgh (6); Sir W. Forbes & Co, Edinburgh (8). (8 items)
- A727.844 08 Feb 1806 Letter to William Forbes of Callendar from James Allardyce, his nephew, in Jamaica, concerning his life there on a sugar plantation.
- A727.845 08 Feb 1806-23 Dec 1806 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from David Forbes, his brother, in London, mainly on family and financial matters. (7 items)
- A727.846 13 Feb 1806 Letter to Mrs Callander, at Callendar House, from Charlotte Biggs, her aunt, in Glasgow. Personal.
- A727.847 28 Feb 1806-29 Dec 1806 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and other papers concerning the defence of the Realm in Stirlingshire. Correspondents - Colonel William Duncan, Glenfuir (1, 15, 16); Thomas Wingate, Stirling (2, 3, 5-8); James Henderson, Falkirk (4, 10, 14); Peter Grant, Falkirk (9, 12, 13). 6-8 also concern trespassers in Callendar Park. (16 items)

- A727.848 04 Mar 1806-05 Dec 1806 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, at Edinburgh and Dumfries, from Agnes Forbes, his wife, at Callendar, on personal and domestic matters. (6 items)
- A727.849 07 Mar 1806-15 Nov 1806 Announcements of death of Mrs Simpson of Plean; George Cadell, Edinburgh; David Abercromby [Abercrombie], Laurieston; Earl of Galloway. (5 items)
- A727.850 16 Apr 1806-10 Nov 1806 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and other papers concerning supplies of merchandise. Suppliers - John Anderson, Edinburgh (pamphlets, 1); Robert Buchan, Edinburgh (paints, 2, 4); Fell Parker, London (wine, 3); William Lamb & Sons (hearth rugs, 5, lace, 9); Marshall & Sons, Edinburgh (knives, 6); Robert Melvill [Melville], Falkirk (bottles, 7, 10, 13, planks, 8); William Dearn, Falkirk (horses, 11); Kiniburgh [Kinniburgh] & Ritchie, Edinburgh (glazier work, 12); Cassels & Co, Leith (porter, 14); R. Johnston & Co, Edinburgh (plums and figs, 15); James Liddle [Liddell], Edinburgh (door caps, 16). (16 items)
- A727.851 May 1806-Jun 1806 Note of people that called [at Callendar].
- A727.852 09 Jun 1806-26 Aug 1906 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, petitions from inhabitants of Grahamston and Bainsford, and schedule of protest, against the erection of a lime kiln. Correspondents - Christine Napier, Merchiston Hall (1, 2, 7, 8); John Ogilvie, Shandon Lodge (3). (9 items)
- A727.853 03 Jul 1806-30 Dec 1806 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate. Correspondents - John Ogilvie, Carron House (1, 7); Mr Napier, Merchiston Hall (2); Dr J. Wilson, minister of Falkirk (3); John Rankine, Falkirk (4, 8); John Mitchell, Mungall Mills (5, 6); William Dallas, Huntlyhill (9); William Symington, Westquarter (10, 25); John Sprott, Carmuir (11, 18); A. Dallas, Edinburgh (12); Alexander White, Jedburgh (13); Colonel William Duncan, Glenfuir (14); Thomas C. Hagart, Bantaskine (15); George Rodger, Selkirk (16); Thomas Aiken [Aitken], Falkirk (17); John Lauder, surveyor, Linlithgow (19, 22); William Wingate, Craigengelt (20); William Hodge, Falkirk, concerning the rebuilding of Falkirk tolbooth (21); Sir William Bruce, Stenhouse (23); Adam Rennie & Co, Grahamston (24); Lord Elphinstone, who is not allowed to fox-hunt in Callendar Park (26, 27); R. Williamson, Dehochter (28); Henry Swinton, Grangemouth (29, 30); Alexander Learmonth, Falkirk (31); James Grant W.S., Edinburgh (32). (32 items)
- A727.854 08 Jul 1806-26 Dec 1806 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Smith, Edinburgh, on legal matters. 4 contains copy of concurrence by the heritors of Falkirk concerning the church. 18 reports on sale of lands by Duke of Argyll. (24 items)
- A727.855 16 Jul 1806-31 Dec 1806 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - Janet Ross, Edinburgh (1, 16); Alexander Dixon, Edinburgh (2); Earl of Galloway (3); Mr Rankine, Falkirk (4); Lewis Gordon, Highland Society of Scotland, Edinburgh (5); A. Maconochie [McConnachie], Lord Meadowbank, Linlithgow (6); William Robison [Robson], Ayr (7); John Gordon, Elrick, by Huntly (8); Dr John Taylor, Falkirk (9, 20); Jane Watson, London (10, 17); Archibald Ferrier, Edinburgh (11); Mrs Speirs, Polmont (12); M. Stewart, Edinburgh and Galloway House, (13, 14); Sir Hew Dalrymple Hamilton, Ayr (15); Rev. Robert Walker, minister of Canongate (18); George Galloway, poet,

- Edinburgh (19); Dr James Fraser, minister of Drumoak. (21). (21 items)
- A727.856 24 Jul 1806-25 Dec 1806 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes concerning their estates in stewartry of Kirkcudbright and sheriffdom of Dumfries. Correspondents - Rev. Alexander McGowan, minister of Dalry (1, 12); Robert McLymont [McClymont], Headmark (2); William Ramsay, Cornharrow (3); John Harkness, schoolmaster, Moniaive (4), Thomas Morrison, Dumfries (5); George Lorimer, Moniaive (6) Robert Jamieson, Castlemadie (7); Matthew Johnston, Lamington (8); James Buchanan, schoolmaster, Dalry (9); Thomas Smith, Ingleston (10); Adam Bryden, Dumfries (11); John Armstrong, Wrae (13, 14, 29); Rev. John Brown, minister of Glencairn (15-17); Samuel Clarke, Earlstoun (18-21, 33); John Alexander, Glenhoul (22); Robert Murray Watt, Burnhead (23); Rev. William Gillespie, minister of Kells (24); John McMillan, Brockloch (25); Robert McMillan, Waterside (26); Archibald Douglas, Dalry (27); A. Newall, Dumfries (28); John Watt, Burnhead (30); John Thomson, Kirkcudbright (31); John Goldie, Dumfries (32); James Hunter, Lochrenny (34). (34 items)
- A727.857 25 Oct 1806-06 Nov 1806 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning the birth of his son. Correspondents - Dr John Abercrombie, Edinburgh (1-3, 10); Dr John Taylor, Edinburgh (4, 9); Colonel William Duncan, Glenfuir (5); John Sprott, Carmuir (6); William Symington, Westquarter (7); Elizabeth Forbes, [Seaton], Edinburgh (8); Thomas Wingate, Stirling (11); J. Forbes of Seaton (12); Mr Glen, Forganhall (13); Mr Cadell, Carronpark (14); Lady Eleanor Dundas (15); A. Dallas, Edinburgh (16); Robert Allan, Edinburgh (17); Mrs H. Bruce, Kennet (18); John Sligo, Leith (19); George Galloway, containing words of song 'Callander's Heir' (20); Johanna Stuart Fergusson [Ferguson], Camelon House (21). (21 items)
- A727.858 1806-1807 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from John Chalmers of Westfield, his father-in-law, on family matters. (4 items)
- A727.859 1806-1807 Letters to William Forbes of Chalmers from William Chalmers, his brother-in-law, at London and Westfield, concerning his debts and his hopes of entering into partnership with Thomas Pagan, London, and marrying Pagan's daughter. (3 items)
- A727.860 1806-1807 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Mrs Forbes from John Chalmers, her brother, in London, concerning the purchase of an appointment, for which Lord Melville's interest is needed, personal matters. (3 items)
- A727.861 1806-1807 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from William Forbes, his nephew, at Goree [Gore, Africa], in Africa, concerning his ill-health, and from Eleanor Forbes, the latter's wife, at Deal, complaining of her husband's neglect of her. [See also RH.1/2/794/6-8] (2 items)
- A727.862 1806-1808 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from James Allardyce, his brother-in-law, at Aberdeen, concerning the lands of Redmyre, which he purchases, and other lands for sale near Aberdeen, 12 being an enclosed rental of lands of Dillavaird [Dillairaid] and Corsbauld, and family matters, particularly his son Sandy, who goes to London to study surveying. (20 items)

- A727.863 01 Jan 1807-27 Jun 1807 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Robert Forbes of Castleton, his brother, at Aberdeen, mainly concerning the affairs of William and John Chalmers, their brothers-in-law. Enclosed is copy of correspondence between the Rev. Dr Fraser, minister of Drumoak, and the Rev. Dr Wilson, minister of Falkirk, the latter angry because the former married William Forbes and baptised his son (3). 10 mentions that nephew John Forbes has been wounded by the Turks. (13 items)
- A727.864 02 Jan 1807-10 Nov 1807 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and other papers concerning supplies of merchandise. Suppliers - Anthony Fontaine (clothes, 1); Thomas Duncanson, Falkirk (porter, 2); R. Johnston & Co, Edinburgh (provisions, 4-6); Alexander Learmonth, Falkirk (meat, 7); Thomas Freeman, London (The Star, 8); Mr Anderson, Edinburgh (books, 9); Easdale Slate Quarries (11); Mr Bannatine [Bannatyne], (12). (13 items)
- A727.865 03 Jan 1807-12 Dec 1807 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - J. Forbes of Seaton (1, 4, 10-12, 14, 15); Elizabeth Forbes, Seaton (2, 3); W. Kerr, Edinburgh (5); Colonel William Duncan, Glenfuir (6); Mr Campbell, Edinburgh (7, 9); Major Forbes, Stirling Castle, concerning a shower bathing machine (8); T. Fleming, Edinburgh (13); George Galloway, poet (16, 23); James Henderson, Falkirk, concerning the property of Thomas Whitlaw [Whitelaw], who died in America (17); T. Storrie [Storie], Paisley (18, 21); Alexander Maconochie [McConnachie], Edinburgh (19); James Grant W.S., Edinburgh (20); John Taylor junior, Ayr (22); Viscount Melville, concerning Forbes' nephew (24); John Forbes of Inverernan (25, 27); A. Dallas, Edinburgh (26); Lady E Dundas (28); Michael Nicolson [Nicholson], Carnock (29); Isabella Cornelia Blair, Avontoun (30); Mrs H Bruce, Kennet (31); Rev. James Fraser, minister of Drumoak (32); Jane Watson, London (33); Archibald Bell, Glasgow (34, 35). (35 items)
- A727.866 04 Jan 1807-30 Jun 1807 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Smith, in Edinburgh, on legal matters mainly relating to Callendar estate. 3 includes draft advertisement of house of Craighburn to let. The process of the division of Reddingrig Common is lost (13). (28 items)
- A727.867 06 Jan 1807-19 Oct 1807 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Sir John Sinclair, concerning his Code of Health and Longevity and cattle. Enclosed are letter from J. C. Curwen M.P. (4); and pamphlet Explanation of a Plan ... for the Purchase of Scotch Cattle. (10 items)
- A727.868 07 Jan 1807-13 Nov 1807 Dinner invitations and other brief notes to William Forbes of Callendar. (26 items)
- A727.869 10 Jan 1807-17 Jun 1807 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate Correspondents - Sir William Bruce, Stenhouse (1); Thomas Aitken, Pirliehill [Pirley Hill], concerning a disputed seat in Falkirk church (2); Thomas Aiken [Aitken], Falkirk (3, 37); Robert McKechnie, Falkirk (4); Thomas Wingate, Stirling (5, 8, 10, 14, 25, 29-31, 35); Alexander McKean, Glasgow (6); William Symington, Westquarter (7, 16, 36, 38); Murray & Campbell, Stirling (9); John Sprott, Carmuir (11, 20); William Hodge, Falkirk (12); Thomas Clarkson, Ratho (13, 21-24, 34); Thomas Andrew, Linlithgow (17);

- John Callander, Ladysmill (18); Peter Stalker, Falkirk (19); Alexander Millar, Ratho (26); James McFarlane, Wester Garchel (27, 28); R. Clarke, Denny Loanhead (32); John Burns, Falkirk (33); Charles Steuart [Stewart], Edinburgh (39). (39 items)
- A727.870 11 Jan 1807-09 Feb 1807 Letter to [Dr John Abercrombie?] from Dr John Taylor, Falkirk, and letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Dr Abercrombie, Edinburgh, concerning the inoculation of Forbes' child. (3 items)
- A727.871 14 Jan 1807-31 Dec 1807 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in Ayrshire. Correspondents - William Robison [Robson], Prestwick (1); David Limond, Ayr (2, 6, 14, 17, 23, 24); William Allason [Allison], Annbank (3, 21, 26); William Walker, Dalmellan (4); John Taylor junior, Ayr (5, 16); John Dick, Sanquhar (7, 11, 13, 19); John Duncan, Ayr (8, 12, 15); Justice of Peace clerk, Ayr (9); David Craig, Fulshawood (10); David Campbell, Ayr (18, 20, 22); John Ramsay, Wallacetown, concerning militia (25); Alexander Boswell of Auchinleck (27). (27 items)
- A727.872 19 Jan 1807-24 Apr 1807 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in stewartry of Kirkcudbright and Dumfriesshire. Correspondents - James Hannay [Hannah], Lochbank (1, 2, 22, 23, 34, 35); Rev. William Gillespie, minister of Kells (3, 29-32); John Thomson, Kirkcudbright (4, 10, 21, 24); John Watt, Burnhead (5); William McCartney, Earlstoun (6); Thomas McMillan, Marbreck (7); George Lorimer, Moniaive (8); Samuel Clarke, Earlstoun (9, 27); William Stewart, Moniaive (11); Robert Murray Watt, Burnhead (12); John McTaggart, Earlstoun (13); Alexander Smith, Maxwelltown (14); John Milligan, Dumfries (15); Thomas Grierson W.S., Edinburgh (16); John Gordon of Kenmore (17, 18); John Goldie, Dumfries (19); Robert McMillan, Waterside (20, 28); Rev. Alexander McGowan, minister of Dalry (25); Thomas Gibson, Ardoch (26); Thomas McGill, Auchrae (33). (35 items)
- A727.873 07 Feb 1807-15 Oct 1807 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from David Forbes, his brother, in London, concerning investments and family matters, including approaching Lord Melville for promotion for their nephew in the Navy. (7 items)
- A727.874 16 Feb 1807 Letter to James Forbes of Seaton from James Urquhart, at Meldrum, concerning lands he is selling. (Damaged)
- A727.875 17 Feb 1807-02 Nov 1807 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning gamekeepers, gardeners and a children's maid. Correspondents - William Hodge, Falkirk (1, 2); W. Dickson, Edinburgh (3); John Ramsay, Linlithgow (4, 5); Dicksons & Co, Edinburgh (6); Sir John Buchanan Riddell (7); Alexander Walker, Edinburgh (8). (8 items)
- A727.876 07 Mar 1807-19 May 1807 Printed list of committee and subscribers to the Trials for ascertaining the most eligible place for a tunnel under the Forth near Queensferry. Appended is letter to William Forbes of Callendar from John Grieve, Edinburgh.
- A727.877 25 Mar 1807-30 Nov 1807 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, at Edinburgh, London, Ayr and Dumfries, from Agnes Forbes, his wife, at Callendar, of family and domestic matters. (9 items)
- A727.878 21 Apr 1807-24 Nov 1807 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and other papers concerning the defence of the Realm in Stirlingshire. Correspondents - Thomas Wingate, Stirling (1, 4, 9, 15);

- General William Maxwell, Parkhill (2); James Henderson, Falkirk (3, 10-14); Robert Henderson, Stirling (5, 6); Colonel William Duncan, Glenfuir (7). (15 items)
- A727.879 27 Apr 1807-26 May 1807 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes soliciting their support for candidates in parliamentary elections for counties of Ayr, Kirkcudbright and Stirling. Correspondents - M. Stewart, London and Castle Douglas (1, 2, 14, 15, 24); Duke of Montrose, London (3, 23, 26); Captain J. Fleming, London (4); Lord Keith, London (5); Alexander Maconochie [McConnachie], Edinburgh (6); David Boyle, Edinburgh (7); Sir James Hall, Orchardton (8); Viscount Melville (9, 11, 16, 17, 21); William Douglas, Orchardton (10, 22); Sir Hew Dalrymple Hamilton, Ballantrae (12, 19); Colonel W. Fullarton [Fullerton], Isleworth (13); Alexander J. Goldie, Goldie Leigh (18). (26 items)
- A727.880 02 May 1807-25 Jan 1808 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from William Simpson, Royal Bank, Edinburgh, and other papers on financial matters. (8 items)
- A727.881 08 May 1807-17 Dec 1807 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in stewartry of Kirkcudbright and Dumfriesshire. Correspondents - Robert McMillan, Waterside (1, 3, 17, 33); Rev. William Gillespie, minister of Kells (2, 11, 12, 15); Thomas McMillan, Marbreck (4); John Barber and Alexander Smith, Maxwellton [Maxwelltown] (5, 13, 14), Thomas Grierson W.S., Edinburgh (6); James Hannay [Hannah], Lochbank (7, 8); William Smith, Maxwellton [Maxwelltown] (9, 10); Henry Fergusson [Ferguson], Craigdarroch (16); John Alexander, Glenhoul (18, 19, 21); James Macgowan, Edinburgh (20); Samuel Clarke, Earlstoun (22, 25); William Robison [Robson], Hannaston (23); John Milligan, Dumfries (24); Gordon Barber, Bogue [Boag] (26, 31); James Hume, Glencairn (27); Archibald Douglas, Dalry (28); William Ferguson, Castle Douglas (29); Moniaive-Craigdarroch road committee (30); Thomas McGill, Darnsalloch (32). (33 items)
- A727.882 01 Jun 1807-04 Oct 1807 Announcement of deaths of John Symington, West Quarter; and John Forbes of Inverernan. (2 items)
- A727.883 02 Jul 1807-17 Dec 1807 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Smith, in Edinburgh, mainly concerning legal matters, but also obtaining a gardener for Callendar. 6 congratulates Forbes on purchase of barony of Benbreck. 18 is enclosed letter from Dicksons & Co. 30 describes the Court's deliberations over an action between Forbes and the Earl of Galloway. (33 items)
- A727.884 02 Jul 1807-21 Dec 1807 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate. Correspondents - William Symington, Westquarter (1, 2, 29); James Walker, Falkirk (3); John Ogilvie, Carron House, concerning Falkirk Church (4, 16, 23, 25, 26); James Robertson, Falkirk (5); Alexander Davie, Falkirk (6); Thomas Aiken [Aitken], Falkirk (7); Thomas Wingate, Stirling (8, 20, 30, 32); anonymous, Falkirk (9); Rev. Robert Rennie, minister of Kilsyth (10); Mrs Steuart Fergusson [Ferguson], Camelon (11); James Wright, Stirling (12, 13); James Miller, Craigend (14); Alexander Taylor, Tophill (15, 19); John Lauder, surveyor, Linlithgow (17); Robert Paterson, Camelon (18); William Galbraith, Pirlyhill [Pirley

- Hill] (21); James Aitken, Falkirk (22, 24); James Black, Avonfield (27); Robert Humble, thatcher, Cumbernauld (28); Mr Burns, Falkirk (31). (32 items)
- A727.885 31 Jul 1807-11 Sep 1908 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, at Dumfries, Edinburgh and London, from Robert Forbes of Castleton, his brother, at Callendar, mainly reporting on Callendar estate matters. (5 items)
- A727.886 05 Aug 1807-12 Nov 1807 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his purchase of lands in parish of Dalry from trustees of Earl of Galloway. Correspondents - Matthew Sandilands, Edinburgh (1-3, 5, 6, 8); Alexander Young, Edinburgh (4, 11, 15); Roger Aytoun [Ayton], Edinburgh (7, 9, 10); Earl of Galloway (12-14, 16). (16 items)
- A727.887 17 Aug 1807-08 Sep 1807 Letters to Robert Forbes of Castleton, at Callendar, from William Forbes of Callendar, his brother, at Edinburgh and London, advising on things to be done at Callendar. (3 items)
- A727.888 03 Oct 1807-12 Oct 1807 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning the birth of his second son. Correspondents - Mrs Johnston, Champfleurie (1); Mrs Speirs, Polmont Park (2, 5); Isabella Cornelia Blair, Avontoun (3); Mr Hagart, Bantaskine (4); A. Dallas, Edinburgh (6); J. Forbes, Seaton (7); Mr Cadell, Carronpark (8); M. Nicolson [Nicholson], Carnock (9); Matthew Sandilands, Edinburgh (10); Mrs H Bruce, Kennet (11); Dr James Fraser, minister of Drumoak (12); Charles Farquharson, Aberdeen (13). (13 items)
- A727.889 18 Oct 1807-28 Dec 1807 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Robert Forbes of Castleton, his brother, at Aberdeen, concerning family matters, particularly the death and trust of John Chalmers of Westfield, whose trust deed is understamped, and the complaint of the Rev. Dr Wilson, minister of Falkirk, against Rev. Dr Fraser, minister of Drumoak. 9-11 are enclosed letter from Dr Fraser, copy letter to Dr Fraser from Sir Harry Moncrieff, and copy minute of meeting of presbytery of Aberdeen, all concerning Dr Wilson's complaint, which relates to marriage of William Forbes and baptism of his children. In 12 Robert discusses buying the house he rents in Old Aberdeen. (14 items)
- A727.890 03 Nov 1807 Advice by Dr Taylor on treatment for colic in an infant.
- A727.891 15 Dec 1807-03 Feb 1808 Letter to John Burns, writer, Falkirk, from Michael Linning, Edinburgh, concerning a disposition to William Forbes of Callendar of a lot of Gilmeadowland. State of price thereof. (2 items)
- A727.892 25 Dec 1807-31 Dec 1807 Printed advertisements for Hope Fire and Life Insurance company. Covering letter from William Cadell, Carronpark, whose sons are to be the company's agents in Scotland. (3 items)
- A727.893 01 Jan 1808-30 May 1808 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Smith, Edinburgh, on legal matters, particularly concerning actions against the Earl of Galloway's trustees and involving Falkirk Church. 3 is enclosed letter from William Whyte [White], Edinburgh. (42 items)
- A727.894 01 Jan 1808-18 Oct 1808 Dinner invitations and other brief notes to William Forbes of Callendar. (32 items)
- A727.895 04 Jan 1808-05 May 1808 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Thomas Smith W.S. concerning the action between Forbes and the Earl of Galloway's trustees. Correspondents - Earl of Galloway (1);

- William Anderson, Edinburgh (2); Roger Aytoun [Ayton], Edinburgh (3); A. Dallas, Edinburgh (4); Earl of Selkirk (5, 6). (6 items)
- A727.896 05 Jan 1808-31 Dec 1808 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Robert Forbes of Castleton, his brother, in Aberdeen, on family matters. 7 concerns the pillar stove in the gallery at Callendar. 12 concerns the farm of Carsphad. 15 concerns a beehive sent to Callendar. (22 items)
- A727.897 07 Jan 1808-24 Jun 1808 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate. Correspondents - Mr Symington, Westquarter (1); Thomas Aiken [Aitken], Falkirk (2, 27, 34); Thomas Aitken, Pirliehill [Pirley Hill] (3); Archibald Bell, Falkirk (4, 8, 9, 11, 25, 35, 36); G. Galloway, Callendar Colliery (5); Thomas Graham of Airth (6, 7); Thomas Girdwood, Polmont School (10); John Burns, writer, Falkirk (12, 13); John Carrick, Threaprig (14, 38); Thomas Andrew, Linlithgow (15, 33); Rev. J. Wilson, minister of Falkirk (16); Thomas Wingate, Stirling (17, 21-24, 31, 37); John Sprott, Carmuir (18, 29); Robert Coubrough, Kilsyth (19); Peter Maxwell, Pirlyhill [Pirley Hill] (20); A. Dallas, Edinburgh (26); John Lauder, Linlithgow (28); James Stark, Camelon (30); James Miller, Craigend (32). (38 items)
- A727.898 Jan 1808-28 Jul 1808 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in stewartry of Kirkcudbright and Dumfriesshire. Correspondents - John Thomson, Kirkcudbright (1, 23); Alexander Smith of Land (2, 11, 18, 22, 24); William Ferguson, Barlae (3); Samuel Clarke, Earlstoun (4, 7, 9, 16, 20, 21, 26); Rev. William Gillespie, minister of Kells (5); Thomas Gibson, Ardoch (6); John Robison [Robson], Hannaston (8); Robert McMillan, Waterside (10); Robert Murray Watt, Burnhead (12, 17); Robert McMillan, Waterside (13, 25); James Macgowan, Edinburgh, son of minister [of Dalry] (14); John Goldie, Dumfries (15); James Hunter, Lochrenny (19); George Sempill, Glenlee Park, concerning poaching (27). (27 items)
- A727.899 09 Jan 1808-10 Dec 1808 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in Ayrshire. Correspondents - John Dick, Sanquhar (1, 7, 13, 18, 22, 24, 25, 30, 32); John Ramsay, Ayr (2); John Duncan, Sandyford (3, 8, 11, 16, 26, 28); William Manson, Ayr (4); Rev. William McQuhae, minister of St Quivox (5, 6, 9, 35); James Kilgour, Sanquhar (10, 12); David Limond, Ayr (14, 19, 20, 23, 33); David Craig, Fulshawood (15, 21, 31); Archibald Steel, Whitlet (17); James Wilson, Whitlet (27); Joseph Boyd, Ayr (29); John Taylor junior, Boghall (34). 6 is enclosed extract minute of presbytery of Ayr. (35 items)
- A727.900 10 Jan 1808-30 Dec 1808 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Mrs Forbes on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - Mrs K. Storie [Storie], Edinburgh (1, 2, 5); Matthew Sandilands, Edinburgh (3, 22); Dr John Taylor, Falkirk (4, 12, 14); Alexander Smith of Land (6); A. Dallas, Edinburgh (7, 16, 24, 34); Thomas Drummond, Laurieston, in verse (8, 9); Lady Gordon, Edinburgh (10); John Browne [Brown], St Andrews (11); James Noble, collector of Excise, Stirling (13); Dr John Abercrombie, Edinburgh (15); Robert McKechnie, Falkirk (17); Viscount Melville, Dunira (18); George Galloway, poet, Edinburgh (19, 23); William Campbell W.S., Highland

- Society of Scotland, Edinburgh (20); Richard Bowden, carpenter, Grangemouth, offering a model of a frigate (21); Jane Watson, London (25); Mr Cadell, Carronpark (26); J. Forbes of Seaton (27, 35); Colonel William Duncan (28); Mrs M Speirs, Polmont Park (29, 31, 33); Rev. James Fraser, minister of Drumoak (30); Mrs Johnston, Champfleurie (32). (35 items)
- A727.901 15 Jan 1808-13 Oct 1808 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning servants, including gamekeepers. Correspondents - J. Ferguson M.P., Edinburgh (1); Dicksons & Co, Edinburgh (2); Ebenezer Paterson, Plean (3); Alexander Horn, Parkhill (4); John Mackenzie, Garnkirk (5); William Arthur, Slamannan (6). (6 items)
- A727.902 18 Jan 1808-11 Dec 1808 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and other papers concerning Stirlingshire militia and his resignation as Deputy Lieutenant. Correspondents - James Henderson, Falkirk (1, 3, 5); Thomas Gibson, schoolmaster, Falkirk (4); Thomas Wingate, Stirling (6); Duke of Montrose, London (7-9). (9 items)
- A727.903 21 Jan 1808-06 Dec 1808 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and other . Suppliers - John Ramsay; Dicksons & Co, Edinburgh; William Dunn, Falkirk; John Lauder, Linlithgow; Peter Bell, Falkirk. (14 items)
- A727.904 19 Feb 1808-06 Oct 1808 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Sir John Sinclair, in London and Edinburgh, concerning pasturing of cattle and other topics. (7 items)
- A727.905 28 Feb 1808-01 Dec 1808 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, at Edinburgh, Ayr and Dumfries, from Agnes Forbes, his wife, at Callendar, concerning family and occasional estate matters, and asking him to buy articles of clothing. 7 is enclosed tape for measuring a hat. (17 items)
- A727.906 14 May 1808-23 Dec 1808 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from David Forbes, his brother, in London, concerning his copper business - until Peace comes, he cannot go far from London - and naval patronage for their nephews. (11 items)
- A727.907 19 May 1808-04 Oct 1808 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Stirlingshire roads. Correspondents - John Burns, Falkirk (1); Thomas Wingate, Stirling (2, 5); Charles Abercrombie, surveyor, Falkirk (3, 4). (5 items)
- A727.908 01 Jun 1808-30 Dec 1808 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Smith, Edinburgh, on legal matters, including the cost of the appeal to the House of Lords in the action against Earl of Galloway's trustees and the enrolment of Robert Forbes as a freeholder of Kirkcudbright. (31 items)
- A727.909 30 Jun 1808-19 Nov 1808 Announcements of deaths of William Simpson, Parson's Green; Alexander Bruce of Kennet; Miss Ann Whitley Dundas, Carronhall; William Glen, Forgan Hall; Miss Mary Riddell, Mount Riddell. (8 items)
- A727.910 02 Jul 1808-13 Oct 1808 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Mrs Forbes concerning supplies of merchandise. Correspondents - Thomas Freeman, London (The Star, 1); Robert Johnston, Edinburgh (fruit, 2); William Hodge, Falkirk (barley, 3); Thomas Henderson, Edinburgh (cotton sheeting, with samples, 4, 5); Walter Scott, White Cross (a horse, 6). (6 items)
- A727.911 04 Jul 1808-24 Dec 1808 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate. Correspondents - James Murdoch, Glenrig (1, 2);

- Thomas Wingate, Stirling (3, 4, 6); John James Johnston, Kincardine (5); Mr Burns, Falkirk (7); James Grant, Edinburgh (8, 19); Mr Steuart [Stewart], Camelon (9); Thomas Aiken [Aitken], Falkirk (10, 31); John Lauder, Linlithgow (11); James Miller, Craigend, concerning Callendar colliery (12, 32); Andrew Robertson, Myrehead (13, 25); Major L.H. Ferrier, Belleside (14); Colonel Andrew Gillon, Wallhouse (15); Mr Spottiswoode, Dunipace (16); Mr Gillespie, London (17); John Baird, Manuel Mills (18); John Sprott, Carmuir (20); Patrick Calder, heritors' clerk, Muiravonside (21); Robert Cubroch [Coubrough], Kilsyth (22); Mr Wishart, Bantaskine (23, 24); William Campbell, Callendar Colliery (26, 30); Rev. J. Wilson, minister of Falkirk (27, 28); Janet Binnie, widow of Thomas Marshall, Almond (29). (32 items)
- A727.912 03 Jul 1808-28 Nov 1808 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Alexander Melvill [Melville], at Kirkcudbright, advising on the estate of Airds in stewartry of Kirkcudbright, which is for sale. 5 includes a rental. (5 items)
- A727.913 02 Aug 1808-28 Dec 1808 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in stewartry of Kirkcudbright and Dumfriesshire. Correspondents - Samuel Clarke [Clark], Earlston (1, 4, 6, 10); George Sempill [Semple], Glenlee Park (2); Earl of Selkirk, St Mary's Isle (3); James Thomson, Dumfries (5); Agnes McCulloch, Dalry (7); Samuel Brown, Moffat (8); James Hannay [Hannah], Lochbank (9); Robert McMillan, Waterside (11, 18, 23); Rev John Brown, minister of Glencairn (12); William Ferguson, Barlae (13, 22, 24); Rev William Gillespie, minister of Kells (14); Andrew McLamroch, Barskeoch (15); John Harkness, Moniaive (16); John Brown, Bl. . .ill (17); William Ramsay, Cornharrow (19, 20); J. C. Alexander, Glenhoul (21); Gordon Barber, Bogue [Boag] (25); John McTaggart, Earlston (26). (26 items)
- A727.914 1808-1809 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from William Forbes, his nephew, in Jamaica, where he is engaged in a manufactory of soap and then in medical practice, first with the Navy and latterly in partnership with Dr Rose, from Nairn, having been technically invalidated out of the Navy. He complains of his property being detained in America. [See also RH.1/2/796]. Letters from John Durno, in Jamaica and Edinburgh, concerning William Forbes and his own bankruptcy. (13 items)
- A727.915 1808-1810 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Jean Forbes, his sister, in Aberdeen, concerning financial and family matters and her purchase of the lands of Hillbrae and Skillydam. (13 items)
- A727.916 1808-1810 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Jean Forbes, his sister-in-law, in London and Aberdeen, on personal and family matters. (11 items)
- A727.917 1808-1810 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Lieutenant John Forbes, his nephew, on board HMS 'Royal George' and at London and Spithead, concerning his aim for preferment and his financial affairs. Copy letter to Admiral Sir John Duckworth from William Forbes, concerning John. (8 items)
- A727.918 1808-1810 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from William Abercrombie, his nephew, in London, concerning his trade with Madeira and Tobago [West Indies] and his inheritance

- A727.919 01 Jan 1809-07 Jul 1809 of his brother-in-law's sail-making business. (6 items)
Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Smith, Edinburgh, mainly on legal matters, including Falkirk Church, Falkirk muir, the grass glebe of Kells, and the action against Earl of Galloway's trustees. 28 concerns a dinner in memory of Mr Pitt. (38 items)
- A727.920 03 Jan 1809-29 Mar 1809 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in stewartry of Kirkcudbright and Dumfriesshire. Correspondents - William Johnston, Garrerie (1, 16); Robert McMillan, Waterside (2, 4, 6-8, 13, 21, 24, 32, 37); Samuel Clarke [Clark], Earlstoun (3, 5, 14, 17, 29, 34); R. Murray Watt, Burnhead (9); Robert Coats, Stair Bridge (10, 11, 39); John Robison [Robson], Hannaston (12, 22); Thomas Bell, Dalry (15); William Ramsay, Cornharrow (18, 26); John Campbell, Rankestoun [Rankinston] (19, 20); J. Niven, Kirkcudbright (23); William Ferguson, Barlae (24, 33); James Macgowan, Edinburgh, son of minister of Dalry (27, 30, 31); James Carson, Barscobe (28); John McTaggart, Earlstoun (35); Alexander McTurk, Blarennie (36); George McCartney, Falkirk (38); John Brown, Barskeoch (40). (40 items)
- A727.921 03 Jan 1809-23 Oct 1809 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Mrs Forbes concerning supplies of merchandise. Correspondents - R. Johnston, Edinburgh (provisions, 1-3); Miss Saunders, Edinburgh (muslin cap, 4, 5); Andrew Thomson, Charlestown (limeshells, 6, 10-12); Alexander Runciman, Stirling (gun, 7, 8); Cassels & Scougall, Leith (porter, 9); Henry Urquhart, Edinburgh (headdress, 13, 14). (14 items)
- A727.922 05 Jan 1809-11 Mar 1809 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his action against the Earl of Galloway's trustees. Correspondents - Earl of Galloway (1-6); A. Dallas, Edinburgh (7). (7 items)
- A727.923 05 Jan 1809-11 Nov 1809 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Robert Forbes of Castleton, his brother, in Aberdeen, on family matters. In 3 he describes his children's education. 5 concerns the demands of the clergy for grass glebes. 7 describes the lands of Hillbrea [Hillbrae] and Skillydam. (8 items)
- A727.924 07 Jan 1809-22 Dec 1809 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - John Forbes of Seaton (1, 18, 20-22, 24, 25); Sir J.M. Riddell, Mount Riddell (2); Dr John Abercrombie, concerning 'cowpox matter' (3, 4, 6); A. Dallas, Edinburgh (5); Mrs Duncan Glenfuir (7); Viscount Melville (8); Robina Brodie, widow of a macer (9); Alexander Sutherland, Glasgow, a cousin (10); Ann Gardner, Castlemilk (11); William Hodge, Falkirk (12); George Galloway, poet, Edinburgh (13, 15); Thomas Duncanson, Falkirk (14); C. Stewart, for the trustees of the late Dr Walker, Edinburgh (16); Robert Walker, Falkirk (17); P. M. Darling, Edinburgh (19); Sir John Sinclair (23, 27); James Noble, collector of Excise, Stirling (26); James Sloan, Ayr (28); H. M. Herries, Spottes, president of Stewartry Agricultural Society (29); General William Maxwell, Parkhill (30, 31). (31 items)
- A727.925 11 Jan 1809-26 Dec 1809 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning the dispute over building a new church for Falkirk and the choice of his muir for a grass glebe. Correspondents - James Walker, Falkirk (1, 3, 9-11, 13, 14, 19, 20); John Ogilvie, Carron House (2, 4, 7, 8); A. Dallas, Edinburgh (5,

- 6, 12,16); Rev. Dr J. Wilson, minister of Falkirk (15); R. Clarke [Clark], Comrie (17); Mr Burns, Falkirk (18). (20 items)
- A727.926 17 Jan 1809-22 Dec 1809 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in Ayrshire. Correspondents - John Dick, Sanquhar (1, 8, 10, 17, 29); David Limond, Ayr (2, 4, 14, 16, 19, 28); David Craig, Fulshawood (3, 9); William Allason [Allison], Ayr (5, 15, 18); John Duncan, Ayr (6, 7, 20, 21); Andrew Steel, Ayr (11, 12); James Kilgour, Sanquhar (13); Alexander Murdoch, Ayr (22); David Drennan, schoolmaster at St Quivox (23-25); R.A. Oswald of Auchincruive (26, 27); John Kirkland, Ayr (30); Rev. William McQuhae, minister of St Quivox (31). (31 items)
- A727.927 21 Jan 1809-16 Dec 1809 Callendar, mostly responses to dinner invitations. (31 items)
- A727.928 30 Jan 1809-31 Jul 1809 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate. Correspondents - William Hodge, Falkirk (1, 3); Dykes Smith, Polmont (2); James Miller, Craigend, tacksman of Callendar Colliery (4, 5); William Cowan, heritors' clerk, Slamannan (6, 27); Thomas Andrew, Linlithgow (7); Thomas Aiken [Aitken], Falkirk (8, 28); Robert McKechnie, Falkirk (9); Mr Wishart, Bantaskine (10, 11); John Burns, Falkirk (12, 13); Colonel William Duncan, Glenfuir (14, 15); John Boyd, surveyor of taxes, Linlithgow (16, 18, 23-25); James Aitken, Falkirk (17); James Watson, Linlithgow (19, 21, 22); John Lauder, surveyor, Linlithgow (20, 30, 32); Robert Paterson, Camelon (26); Walter Scott, Almond (29); John Borthwick, Kerse (31). (32 items)
- A727.929 30 Jan 1809-22 Dec 1809 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Wingate, Stirling, on legal matters concerning Callendar estate, mainly removal of tenants. (27 items)
- A727.930 05 Feb 1809-13 Dec 1809 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar at Edinburgh, Dumfries and Ayr, from Agnes Forbes, his wife, at Callendar, concerning their children and estate matters. (14 items)
- A727.931 24 Feb 1809-15 Nov 1809 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and other papers concerning servants, including gardeners. Correspondents - Robert Banks, Stirling (1); Mrs J Cockburn, Edinburgh (2); Major General Simson [Simpson], Kellie Castle (3); Charles Deas, Bo'ness (4); Dicksons & Co, Edinburgh (5, 11, 12); Abraham Wintle, Edinburgh (8); Mrs Gregory, Edinburgh (9, 10). (12 items)
- A727.932 12 Mar 1809-25 Nov 1809 Announcements of deaths of Thomas Livingston [Livingstone] of Parkhall; Robert Burns, Falkirk; John Sanders, boot and shoemaker, Edinburgh; Miss Eleanora Riddell, Mount Riddell; Rev. Dykes Smith, Polmont. (5 items)
- A727.933 18 Mar 1809-23 Mar 1809 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning supplies of thorns and grasses, and list of seeds. Correspondents - Peter Bell, Falkirk; Dicksons & Co, Edinburgh. (5 items)
- A727.934 01 Apr 1809-19 Jun 1809 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his stewardry of Kirkcudbright and Dumfriesshire. Correspondents - Rev William Gillespie, minister of Kells (1); Rev. Alexander McGowan, minister of Dalry (2); James Campbell, Rankestoun [Rankinston] (3, 7); John Thomson, Kirkcudbright (4); Samuel Clarke [Clark], Earlstoun (5, 14, 34, 41); Robert McMillan, Waterside (6, 21, 25, 27, 28, 30,

- 37); James Hannay [Hannah], Lochbank (8); William Smith, Maxwelltown (9); Andrew McLamroch, Barskeoch (10, 11, 15); David Kennedy, Knocknalling (12); Walter Hunter, Pingarie (13); John Coltart, Hannaston (16); John and William Robison [Robson], Hannaston and Newmill (17, 18, 20,26); John Watt, Burnhead (19); William Ferguson, Barlae (22); Andrew McCormick, Carminnow (23); William Ramsay, Cornharrow (24, 29, 33); Robert Anderson, New Galloway (31, 35); James Alexander, Glenhoul (32, 36, 39); Colonel William Newall Maxwell, Tinwald (38); James McCourtie, Knocksheen (40). (41 items)
- A727.935 20 May 1809-16 Nov 1809 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from David Forbes, his brother, in London, concerning patronage for their nephew John, the copper business, and Madeira wine imported. (4 items)
- A727.936 02 Jul 1809-19 Dec 1809 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in stewartry of Kirkcudbright and Dumfriesshire. Correspondents Samuel Clarke [Clark], Earlstoun (1, 3, 9, 13, 14); John Sloan, Milton (2); Rev. William Gillespie, minister of Kells (4); Colonel H. M. Fullarton [Fullerton], Edinburgh (5); William McCartney, Earlstoun (6); J. Alexander, Glenhoul (7); Rev. Alexander McGowan, minister of Dalry (8, 16); Earl of Selkirk, St Mary's Isle (10); Robert McMillan, Waterside (11, 20); James Smith, Todstone (12); John Thomson, Kirkcudbright (15); Andrew McLamroch, Dalry (17); John Harkness, schoolmaster, Moniaive (18); Mrs A Newall, Dumfries (19); John Robison [Robson], New Galloway (21); J. Barber, Tererran (22); James Moffat, Blawhairn (23); William Robison [Robson], Newmill (24). (24 items)
- A727.937 01 Aug 1809-30 Dec 1809 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Smith, Edinburgh, on legal matters, including actions about the coal in Parkhall estate, and Falkirk church and grass glebe. (34 items)
- A727.938 03 Aug 1809-23 Dec 1809 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate. Correspondents - William Campbell, Callendar Colliery (1, 28); Peter Bell, Falkirk (2); Andrew Porter, Kinnaird (3); George Wyse, Dalderse (4); William Cowan, heritors' clerk, Slamannan (5); Mr Stuart, Camelon House (6); William Cadell, Carronpark (7); Mr Spottiswoode, Dunipace (8); John Heugh, Gartcows (9); J. Learmonth, Parkhall (10); James Aitken, Falkirk (11, 16); Thomas Aiken [Aitken], Falkirk (12, 26, 29); Mr Burns, Falkirk (13-15); James Stark, Camelon (17); James Hamilton, writer, Glasgow (18-21); James Black, Avonfield (24); Thomas Aitken, Pirliehill (25); anonymous (27); James Anderson, Seafield (30). (30 items)
- A727.939 24 Nov 1809 Draft letter to the agent of the Bank of Scotland, Kirkcudbright, from William Forbes of Callendar concerning an arrestment against the minister of Dalry.
- A727.940 1809-1814 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from his wife's mother and brothers, Mrs Chalmers, at Westfield, and William and John Chalmers, in London, on family matters. (5 items)
- A727.941 02 Jan 1810-24 May 1810 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Smith, in Edinburgh, on legal matters, including Falkirk and Kells grass glebes. The Exchequer records may be searched (5).

- (34 items)
- A727.942 02 Jan 1810-30 Jun 1810 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate. Correspondents - Robert Balloch, Falkirk (1); Colonel William Duncan, Glenfuir (2, 3); David McKendrick (4); William Cowan, Slamannan (5); Thomas Aiken [Aitken], Falkirk (6, 10, 12, 14); John Alexander, Knowhead (7); Mr Henderson, Falkirk (8); James Gilmore, heritors' clerk, Cumbernauld (9); Alexander Learmonth, Falkirk (11); Robert Millar, Bannockburn (13); John Boyd, assessor, Linlithgow (15, 21-23, 26); John Lauder, surveyor, Linlithgow (17, 18), William Campbell, Callendar Colliery (19, 24); Alexander Livingston [Livingstone], Parkhall (20); John Baird, Camelon (25); Walter Scott, Almond (27, 28); James Rennie, Callendar (29). (29 items)
- A727.943 06 Jan 1810-17 Apr 1810 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in stewartry of Kirkcudbright and Dumfriesshire. Correspondents - James Johnston, Alton near Moffat (1); Henry Fergusson [Ferguson], Dumfries (2); William Miller, Dalswinton (3); James Rae, Dumfries (4); David Kennedy, Knocknaling [Knocknalling] (5); William Douglas, Greencroft (6); Edward Rowland [Rolland], Carlisle (7, 8); Robert McMillan, Waterside (9, 17, 20); John Robison [Robson], Hannaston (10, 19); Rev. John Brown, minister of Glencairn (11, 25); Ponsonby Harris, Eaglefield, Cumberland (12, 13); John Milligen [Milligan], Dumfries (14, 15, 18, 21, 22); Samuel Clarke [Clark], Earlstoun (16, 23, 27); T. Fleming, Collington [Colinton?] (24); Alexander Smith of Land (26); Thomas Grierson, Edinburgh (28); Robert Coats, Earlstoun (29); William Ramsay, Cornharrow (30); John McMillan, Brockloch (31, 32). (32 items)
- A727.944 06 Jan 1810-18 Nov 1810 Callendar, mostly responses to invitations. (28 items)
- A727.945 08 Jan 1810-17 Dec 1810 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Robert Forbes of Castleton, his brother, in Aberdeen, concerning family and property matters, including division of a common and his decision to build a house in Aberdeen. (12 items)
- A727.946 09 Jan 1810-31 Jul 1810 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, at Edinburgh, from Agnes Forbes, his wife, at Callendar, reporting on estate matters, including liming, and letters received, and concerning family and social matters and items required from Edinburgh. (25 items)
- A727.947 15 Jan 1810-21 Dec 1810 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - Jane Watson, London (1); William Anderson, Edinburgh (2, 3); A. Dallas, Edinburgh (4, 7, 9, 29, 32, 38, 39); Ashton Blackburn, Liverpool (5); Mr Thomson, Edinburgh (6); Katherine Reid, Edinburgh (8, 21); James Waugh, Falkirk (10); William Whyte [White], writer, Edinburgh (11, 12); Dr John Abercrombie, Edinburgh (13); John Gordon, Elrick Cabrach [Coubrough] (14); Dr Taylor, Falkirk (15, 18, 19, 37); Widow Watson, Larbert (16); Mary Leys [Lees], Edinburgh (17); John Morison [Morrison], Edinburgh (20, 22, 25, 34, 35); James Anderson, Edinburgh (23); Alexander Dingwall, postmaster, Aberdeen (24); Sir Hew Dalrymple Hamilton, Ayr (26, 33); David Boyle M.P., Killermont (27); James Montgomerie [Montgomery], Eglinton Castle (28); J. Forbes of Seaton (30); Mr Cadell, Carronpark (31); Thomas Duncanson, Falkirk (36). (39 items)

- A727.948 19 Jan 1810-15 Dec 1810 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in Ayrshire. Correspondents - John Duncan, Sanquhar (1, 10, 14, 17, 24, 32); David Campbell, Ayr, concerning salt pans (2-4, 8, 9, 11); John Walker, Coalston Mains [Coalstoun Mains] (5, 27, 28); David Limond, Ayr (6, 16, 19-23, 25, 26, 30, 31, 35, 40, 43-46); Rev. William McQuhae, minister of Quivox - 'preaching is so painful to myself on account of a teizing cough and so disagreeable to the Hearers that I must give it up' (7, 13, 42); William Manson, Ayr (12); John Dick, Sanquhar (15, 36, 38); David Craig, Ayr (18, 34); Joseph Boyd, Ayr (29); Rev. Alexander McGowan, minister of Dalry - 'I cannot dispense the sacrament till I get money' (33); William Allason [Allison], Annbank (37); David Niel [Neill], Tarholm (39); John Taylor, Blackhouse (41). (46 items)
- A727.949 23 Jan 1810-15 Nov 1810 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning servants, including gardeners. Correspondents - James Whitelaw, Laurieston (1); Thomas Aiken [Aitken], Falkirk (2); Mainie Reid, Edinburgh (3); Thomas Bell, Polmaise (4); Mrs Riddell, Mount Riddell (5, 6); Alexander Fraser, Edinburgh (7); Dicksons 8c Co, Edinburgh (8, 10); Alexarder Keith, Ravelston (9). Note of servants engaged. (11 items)
- A727.950 23 Jan 1810-22 Nov 1810 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Wingate, Stirling, on legal matters concerning Callendar estate, especially removal of tenants. (15 items)
- A727.951 24 Jan 1810-07 Oct 1810 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Stirlingshire turnpike roads. Correspondents - William Cadell, Carronpark (1, 4); John Burns, Falkirk (2, 3, 6, 12); William Cowan, Slamannan (5); Mr Stainton [Stanton], Carron (7-9, 11); Thomas Wingate, Stirling (10, 13). (13 items)
- A727.952 25 Jan 1810-22 Nov 1810 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Janet Allardyce, his sister, in Aberdeen, concerning the poverty of Elspeth Reid and family matters. (3 items)
- A727.953 05 Feb 1810-23 Nov 1810 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from David Forbes, his brother, in London, mainly on financial matters, including payments to Mrs Watson [their cousin] and (2) account of import and shipment of Madeira wine to Grangemouth. (4 items)
- A727.954 16 Feb 1810-14 Nov 1810 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, concerning the building of new church of Falkirk. Correspondents - James Walker, Falkirk (1, 3-7); Mr Clarke [Clark], Edinburgh (2); Robert McKechnie, Falkirk (8, 14, 16, 17, 20-22); Colonel William Duncan, Glenfuir (9-13); George McCallum, Falkirk (15); Mr Burns, Falkirk (18); Mr Stainton [Stanton], Carron (19). (10 items)
- A727.955 22 Feb 1810-17 Oct 1810 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Mrs Forbes concerning supplies of merchandise. Correspondents - T. & W. Henderson & Co, Edinburgh (nankeen, 1); Mr Stainton [Stanton], Carron (shipment of wine, 2, 3, 8, 9); James Simpson, Falkirk (iron, 4); Thomas Freeman, London (Star newspaper, 5); James Sanders [Saunders], Edinburgh (slippers, 6); Andrew Thomson, Charlestown (limeshells, 7); Peter Bell, Falkirk (thorns, 10). (10 items)
- A727.956 02 May 1810-27 Dec 1810 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in stewartry of Kirkcudbright and Dumfriesshire. Correspondents - John Alexander, Glenhoul (1, 6);

- Alexander Smith of Land (2, 13, 19); Robert McMillan, Waterside (3, 9, 22, 24, 25); John McMillan, Brockloch (4); George Lorimer, factor for heritors, Moniaive (5); Samuel Clarke [Clark], Earlstoun (7, 15, 23, 27, 33); William Ramsay, Cornharrow (8, 12); James Carson, Barscobe (10); David Kennedy and John Robison [Robson], Knocknalling (11); Miss Baillie, Dollars (14); William Douglas, Castle Douglas (16); James Hunter, Lochrenny (17); William N. Maxwell, Tinwald (18); R. A. Oswald, Auchencruive (20); James Campbell, schoolmaster, Kells (21); James Johnstone, Alton near Moffat (26); John Harkness, Moniaive (28); Rev. Alexander McGowan, minister of Dalry (29, 30); Rev. John Brown, minister of Glencairn (31); James McMillan, Forest (32). (33 items)
- A727.957 12 Jun 1810-27 Dec 1810 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Smith, in Edinburgh, on legal matters, including Falkirk and Kells grass glebes. (29 items)
- A727.958 01 Jul 1810-16 Dec 1810 Announcements of the death of Thomas, son of Mr Wingate, Stirling; James Bruce of Kinnaird; Mrs Campbell of Balimore. (3 items).
- A727.959 20 Jul 1810-24 Dec 1810 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate. Correspondents - Thomas Aiken [Aitken], Falkirk (1,3,5); Rev William McCall, minister of Muiravonside (2); Mrs Riddell, Mount Riddell (4); Patrick Calder, heritors clerk, Muiravonside (6); George Graham, Kippen (7); Andrew Nicol, Plean (8); Robert Millar, Bannockburn (9); Alexander Livingston, Parkhall (10); John Boyd, Linlithgow (11); James Miller, Craigend (12); John Burns, Falkirk (13,25,28-30); John Millar, Kilsyth (14); Mr Spottiswoode, Dunipace (15); William Kerr, General Post Office, Edinburgh (16); George Brown, St Ninians (17); Robert Paterson, Camelon (18); Walter Logan, Canal Office, Glasgow (19,21); John Lauder, surveyor, Linlithgow (20,22-24); Mr Stainton, Carron (26,27); Robert Hamilton, Kilsyth (31); Charles Ferrier, Edinburgh (32); Colonel William Duncan, Glenfuir (33); James Ballantine [Ballantyne], Falkirk (34). (34 items)
- A727.960 02 Aug 1810-29 Dec 1810 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, at Edinburgh and Dumfries, from Agnes Forbes, his wife, at Callendar, concerning estate and family matters, including their daughter's illness, letters received and items required from Edinburgh. 10 is note from William, their son. (26 items)
- A727.961 08 Aug 1810 Letter to William Forbes of Callendar from John Burns, Falkirk, concerning committee for making a railway from Carron works to Bainsford.
- A727.962 21 Aug 1810 Letter to William Forbes of Callendar from James Allardyce, his brother-in-law, in Aberdeen, advising on an excise permit for transport of port wine.
- A727.963 22 Aug 1810-21 Nov 1810 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Mrs Forbes, in Edinburgh, from Jessie Chalmers, her sister, at Callendar, reporting on matters there and letters received. (3 items)
- A727.964 10 Oct 1810 Letter to William Forbes of Callendar from Sir John Sinclair, in Edinburgh, enclosing copy of application to translate his answer to the report of the Bullion Committee. (2 items)
- A727.965 06 Nov 1810-18 Dec 1810 Correspondence concerning titles of lands disposed by Earl of Galloway's trustees to William Forbes of Callendar. Letters to John Smith WS from Roger Aytoun [Ayton], Edinburgh, to Forbes from John Morison [Morrison],

- Edinburgh, and Alexander Dallas WS, and to Dallas from David Hume, Edinburgh. (6 items)
- A727.966 01 Jan 1811-10 May 1811 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate matters. Correspondents - Walter Logan, Canal Company, Glasgow (1, 18, 20-22, 27); John Boyd, Linlithgow (2, 5, 11); Patrick Calder, heritors' clerk, Muiravonside (3,13,23); James Gilmore, Cumbernauld (4); James Learmont [Learmonth], Callendar Colliery (6); Thomas Aiken [Aitken], Falkirk (7); Alexander Williamson, Falkirk (8); John Baird, Camelon (9); Thomas Morrison, Grangemouth (10); William Storie, Falkirk, concerning old coal pits (12); William Cowan, heritors' clerk, Slamannan (14, 19, 25); James Ballantine [Ballantyne], Barleyside (15); William Cowbrough, Ellrigg [Ellrig] (16); Mr Taylor, Falkirk (17); Alexander Monro [Munro], Falkirk (24); James Aitken, Falkirk (26). (27 items)
- A727.967 01 Jan 1811-15 Jul 1811 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, at Edinburgh and Belford, Northumberland, from Agnes Forbes, his wife, at Callendar, reporting on estate and family matters, forwarding and copying letters received, and inquiring about his health. 21 concerns putting their sons in mourning. 22 is written to Robert Forbes, at Belford. (36 items)
- A727.968 05 Jan 1811-13 Nov 1811 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and other papers concerning supplies of merchandise. Correspondents - Mrs Bowman, London (peruke, 1); Dicksons & Co, Edinburgh (seeds, 2, 8); Andrew Thomson, Charlestown (limeshells, 3-5, 9); Thomas Freeman, London (Star newspaper, 6); Mr Andrew, Linlithgow (beer, 7); Leith GLass Works (bottles, 10); James Mackie, Grangemouth (oats, 11); R Plenderleath & Co, Edinburgh (linen, 12). (12 items)
- A727.969 06 Jan 1811-10 Dec 1811 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes concerning their estates in stewartry of Kirkcudbright and Dumfriesshire. Correspondents - Robert Kirk, Moniaive (1); Robert Murray Watt, Burnhead (2); James Carson, Barscobe (3); Samuel Clarke [Clark], Earlstoun (4, 16, 19, 20, 22); William Grierson, Edinburgh (5); Roger Aytoun [Ayton], Edinburgh (6); Rev Alexander McGowan, minister of Dalry (7-12, 17); David McMillan, Viewfield (13); Colonel William N Maxwell, Tinwald House (14); J.B., New Galloway (15); John Robison [Robson], Hannaston (18); Robert McMillan, Waterside (21); Rev William Gillespie, minister of Kells (23); James Moffat, Blawhairn (24); Thomas Gibson, Ardoch (25). (25 items)
- A727.970 07 Jan 1811-09 Dec 1811 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Robert Forbes of Castleton, his brother, in Aberdeen, concerning family and legal matters including the affairs of the late James Allardyce, and letting the estate of Castleton. 14 informs of the death of William Chalmers in Dominica [West Indies].
- A727.971 08 Jan 1811-11 Jan 1811 Letter to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Smith, Edinburgh, enclosing letter from Alexander Young, Edinburgh, complaining about 'the strange conduct' of Forbes. Drafts of letter to Smith from Forbes transferring his business to Messrs Higgins and Dallas. (4 items)
- A727.972 11 Jan 1811-05 Jun 1811 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - Matthew Sandilands, Edinburgh (1); James McNair, Falkirk (2, 11); William Duncan, Enfield, Middlesex (3); Katherine Reid, Edinburgh (4); A Maconochie

- [McConnachie], [advocate], Edinburgh (5); Mr Handyside, Kerse House (6); George Mitchell, Royal Bank, Edinburgh (7, 8); Duncan Robertson, perfumer, Edinburgh, concerning orphans (9); James Farquharson, Phoenix Iron Works, Glasgow (10); John Campbell, Edinburgh, including valuation of property at Leith (12); Mrs Alexander Walker, Edinburgh, concerning John McLeod's children (13); J A Gordon, Edinburgh (14); Rev Dr J Wilson, minister of Falkirk (15); Dr Taylor, Falkirk (16, 17); Ann Allinson, Torryburn (18); Jane Watson, London - 'Poor Bill is prest' (19); James Walker, Falkirk (20); Dr Patrick Graham, minister of Aberfoyle (21); Miss Spiers [Speirs] (22, 23); Sir John Sinclair, London (24). (24 items)
- A727.973 16 Jan 1811-25 Feb 1811 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Robert Forbes, his brother, from A Dallas WS, Edinburgh, copies of replies and related papers, mainly concerning Forbes' action against the Earl of Galloway's trustees. Forbes meanwhile resides at the Bell Inn, Belford. 25 is copy interlocutor in process about multures of Ladysmill. (48 items)
- A727.974 26 Jan 1811 Letter to Robert Forbes, his brother, at Callendar, from William Forbes of Callendar, at Belford, on a financial matter.
- A727.975 02 Feb 1811-30 Aug 1811 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Wingate, Stirling, on legal matters concerning Callendar estate, mainly actions against tenants. (38 items)
- A727.976 03 Feb 1811-08 Feb 1811 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Andrew Jopp, Aberdeen, suggesting that a pension be paid to Mrs Allardyce from her husband's successor as Collector. (2 items)
- A727.977 08 Feb 1811-30 Sep 1811 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Alexander Allardyce, his nephew, in Aberdeen and London, on personal matters. 4 concerns the garden wall at Callendar. (4 items)
- A727.978 08 Feb 1811-31 Dec 1811 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning candidacies for parliamentary elections. Correspondents - Lord Keith, London (1); General J Montgomerie [Montgomery], London and Edinburgh (2, 6, 14); Viscount Melville (3, 7); Sir Charles Edmonstone [Edmiston], London (4); Duke of Montrose, London (5); George Buchan Hepburn, Smeaton (8); William Cadell, Carronpark (9, 10); Alexander Monypenny WS, Edinburgh (11, 12); Sir Hew Dalrymple Hamilton, Bargany (13); Earl of Eglinton (15); James Dunlop, Southwick (16); William Douglas, Castle Douglas, (17). (17 items)
- A727.979 19 Feb 1811-03 Oct 1811 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Stirlingshire roads. Correspondents - John Burns, Falkirk (1, 5); Lord Keith, London (2-4); Thomas Potter, Ladysmill (6); Mr Stainton [Stanton], Carron (7-11, 13); John Baird, Falkirk (12). (13 items)
- A727.980 19 Feb 1811-26 Dec 1811 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from David Forbes, his brother, in London, mainly concerning his failure to obtain the Ordnance contract ('Deel a plack care I') and introducing Mr Rule. 9 describes the copper market. (10 items)
- A727.981 03 Mar 1811-17 Jul 1811 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from A Dallas WS and J A Higgins WS, Edinburgh, mainly concerning processes about multures and a grass glebe. 22 is enclosed

- letter from William Whyte [White], Edinburgh, concerning entry of a feuar. (23 items)
- A727.982 11 Mar 1811-07 Dec 1811 Brief notes to William Forbes of Callendar, including responses to invitations. (13 items)
- A727.983 12 Mar 1811-24 Aug 1811 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Smith, in Edinburgh, on legal matters. (9 items)
- A727.984 04 Apr 1811-17 Dec 1811 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in Ayrshire. Correspondents - William Allason [Allison], Ayr (1, 3, 8); David Limond, Ayr (2, 7, 9, 11, 12, 15, 17, 18); David Craig, Fulshawood (4, 6, 13); James Kilgour, Sanquhar (5); John Dick, Sanquhar (10); R A Oswald of Auchincruive (14); Rev William McQuhae, minister of St Quivox, of which the poor have much increased (16); John Duncan, Ayr (19). (19 items)
- A727.985 04 Jun 1811-23 Sep 1811 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate matters. Correspondents - Archibald Spiers [Speirs], Elderslie (1, 2); Mrs Riddell, Mount Riddell (3); John Melvill [Melville], Grahamston (4); James Learmonth [Learmonth], Callendar Colliery (5); Thomas Aiken [Aitken], Falkirk (6, 9-11, 15, 19, 27, 31); Alexander Learmonth, Falkirk (7); Charles Ferrier, Edinburgh, trustee of Rev Mr Smith, minister of Polmont (8); William Cowan, Slamannan (12); Patrick Waugh, Falkirk (13); John Selby [Selbie], Grangemouth (14, 28), Patrick Calder, heritors' clerk, Muiravonside (16, 30); James Wright, Stirling (17); William Scott, Falkirk (18); John Christie, Hayfield (20, 21); Robert Paterson, Camelon (22); Robert Henderson, Stirling (23); Mr Handyside, Edinburgh (24); Thomas Aitken, Pirliehill [Pirley Hill] (25); John Sprott, Carmuir (26); James Waugh, Falkirk, brother of Patrick Waugh, Jamaica (29). (31 items)
- A727.986 03 Jul 1811-20 Dec 1811 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - Mrs Bruce, Kennet (1); Thomas Thomson, [Deputy Clerk Register], Edinburgh (2, 3); P Miller junior, Alloa (4); John Selby [Selbie], Grangemouth, concerning Falkirk Steeple (5); Hugh Cameron, Glasgow (6); W N Rule, London (7); J Frederic Daniell [Daniel], London (8); Mrs Renny [Rennie], Falkirk (9); William Rose, Glasgow, a kinsman, and co-heir of Topham Mitchell, Dublin (10, 15); Mrs M Forbes, London (11); Dr John Taylor, Falkirk (12); Rev John Muckersy [Muckersie], minister of West Calder (13); Dr John Abercrombie, Edinburgh (14); Dr James Anderson, Edinburgh (16). (16 items)
- A727.987 16 Jul 1811-04 Jan 1812 Medical prescription for Mr Forbes of Callendar. Letter to Forbes from Drs J Gregory and John Abercrombie, Edinburgh, concerning treatment for Forbes' inflamed testicle. Letter to Forbes from Dr Taylor, Falkirk. Letters to Taylor from Abercrombie, advising treatment for Forbes.
- A727.988 20 Jul 1811-05 Aug 1811 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from David Charters, at Falkirk, who wishes to let Forbes' loch, because it has leeches in it. Charters gathers herbs for doctors in Glasgow and Edinburgh. (2 items)
- A727.989 29 Jul 1811-05 Aug 1811 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning the new Falkirk Church and the letting of seats therein. Correspondents - Robert McKechnie, heritors' clerk (1); John Burns, Falkirk (2). Captain Dugald Macdougall, Dalderse (3, 8, 12); James Waugh, Falkirk (4); Rev Dr J Wilson, minister of Falkirk (5, 6, 14); John Grieve,

- Grangemouth (7, 16); John Waugh, Falkirk (9); Mrs Russell, Rosebank (10); Robert Smith junior (11); W Handyside, Edinburgh (13, 17); Alexander Morison [Morrison], Falkirk (15). (17 items)
- A727.990 02 Sep 1811-27 Dec 1811 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Wingate, Stirling, on legal matters concerning Callendar estate, including removal of tenants and various sequestrations. (25 items)
- A727.991 05 Sep 1811-30 Dec 1811 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Patrick Tennant WS Edinburgh, on legal matters, including the title deeds of lands purchased from Lord Galloway's trustees. (23 items)
- A727.992 02 Oct 1811-30 Dec 1811 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate matters. Correspondents - John Boyd, Linlithgow (1); J R Gardner, Edinburgh (2); Alexander Buchanan, Falkirk (3-6); Thomas Aiken [Aitken], Falkirk (7, 8, 21); John Burns, Falkirk (9); Andrew Robertson, Myrhead [Myrehead] (10, 14); John Sprott, Carmuir (11, 12); Alexander Macdonald, Greencraig (13); J Simpson, Falkirk (15); William Cuthill, Shieldhill (16); Patrick Calder, heritors' clerk, Muiravonside (17, 27); Matthew Robertson, Rosehall Coalwork (18); Rev Robert Rennie, minister of Kilsyth (19); George Gray, Summerhouse, naming colliers working at Pirleyhill [Pirley Hill] (20); Mr Stainton [Stanton], Carron (22); Robert Paterson, Camelon (23); William Young, Dullatur by Kilsyth (24); Colonel William Duncan, Glenfuir (25, 26). (27 items)
- A727.993 1811-1812 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Jean Forbes, his sister-in-law, in Aberdeen, concerning financial matters and her children. (6 items)
- A727.994 1811-1814 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Janet Allardyce, his sister, in Aberdeen, concerning the illness, death and affairs of her husband James Allardyce, and prospects of her sons. No 1 is written by her daughter, Janet. 2 explains that James's illness arose from a circumstance at the Custom House. 5 lists her children's dates of birth. (11 items)
- A727.995 1811-1815 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Jean Forbes, his sister, in Aberdeen, on financial and family matters, including illnesses. (14 items)
- A727.996 1811-1815 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Captain John Forbes, his nephew, at sea and in England, concerning his naval career, marriage and distinguished connections. [See also RH.1/2/802]. Letter from [2nd] Viscount Melville concerning Captain Forbes (5). (12 items)
- A727.997 1811-1815 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from William Allardyce, his nephew, in Aberdeen, concerning his petition to the Board of Customs and mercantile prospects. (13 items)
- A727.998 01 Jan 1812-27 May 1812 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate. Correspondents - John Boyd, Linlithgow (1, 11, 16); William Campbell, Pirlyhill [Pirley Hill] and Callendar Colliery (2, 3, 9); James Jack, Laurieston (4); Mr Stainton [Stanton], Carron (5); James Davidson WS, factor for Sir Charles Edmonstone [Edmiston], Edinburgh (6); Daniel Miller, Falkirk (7); Patrick Calder, heritors' clerk, Muiravonside (8, 23); Thomas Aiken [Aitken], Falkirk (10, 13, 17, 24, 25); Colonel William Duncan, Glenfuir (12); William Cox, Greenbank (14, 15); William Hotton [Hutton], Grahamston

- (18); Robert McKechnie, Falkirk (19-22); James Tennent [Tennant], Braidenhill (26); Henry Swinton, Grangemouth (27). (27 items)
- A727.999 02 Jan 1812-07 Nov 1812 Brief notes to William Forbes of Callendar. (19 items)
- A727.1000 03 Jan 1812-30 May 1812 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Patrick Tennent [Tennant] WS, Edinburgh, on legal matters, including an action against Dr Wilson, minister of Falkirk. (24 items)
- A727.1001 03 Jan 1812-23 Jun 1812 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in stewardry of Kirkcudbright and Dumfriesshire. Correspondents - John Thomson, writer, Kirkcudbright (1, 2, 5, 7, 8, 10, 23, 30); Robert McMillan, Waterside (3, 4, 9, 15, 19, 26); Rev William Gillespie, minister of Kells (6, 20, 21, 31); Thomas Gibson, Ardoch (11); James Buchanan, heritors' clerk, Dalry (12); James Burnie, writer, Kirkcudbright (13, 14, 22); William Wallace junior, writer, Dumfries (16); Alexander Smith of Land (17, 18, 25); Robert Kirk, Dumfries (24); Samuel Clarke [Clark], Earlstoun (27, 28, 32); William Ramsay, Cornharrow (29). (32 items)
- A727.1002 03 Jan 1812-30 Dec 1812 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - John Morison [Morrison], Edinburgh (1); Mrs Jane Watson, London (2); Rev Dr J Wilson, minister of Falkirk (3, 7, 8, 17); Rev Patrick McFarlan [McFarlane], minister of Polmont (4-6, 12); Dr John Abercrombie, Edinburgh, sending vaccine matter (9, 10); Mr Mackenzie, Edinburgh (11); William Douglas, Clermiston (13); G W Grimmett (14); anonymous, Glasgow (15); William Rose, Glasgow (16); George Galloway, poet (18, 19); Dr John Taylor, Falkirk (20, 24); J de Buck, London (21); Henry Belfrage, Falkirk, concerning uneducated children (22); Thomas Morison [Morrison], Aberdeen (23); G Cranstoun [Cranston], Edinburgh (25, 26). (26 items)
- A727.1003 06 Jan 1812-29 May 1812 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Robert Forbes of Castleton, his brother, in Aberdeen, concerning (1) financial matters, and (2) his new house and their nephew George Allardyce. (12 items)
- A727.1004 07 Jan 1812-31 Dec 1812 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning parliamentary candidacies. Correspondents - William Gordon, London (1); Robert Forbes, [cousin], London (2, 4); William Douglas of Orchardton, Castle Douglas (3, 11); James Duff, Banff (5); Viscount Melville, London (6, 9, 12, 16-20); Sir Charles Edmonstone [Edmiston], Colzium (7); Duke of Montrose (8, 21, 22); Captain J Fleming, Edinburgh (10); Sir Hew Dalrymple Hamilton, Falkirk (13, 14); General J Montgomerie [Montgomery], Ayr (15, 25, 26); George Oswald, Scotstoun (23); Alexander Maconochie [McConnachie], Edinburgh (24). (26 items)
- A727.1005 10 Jan 1812 Letter to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Smith, writer, Edinburgh, who has delivered Forbes' title deeds to Mr Tennent [Tennant]. Receipt for cost of inventory attached.
- A727.1006 14 Jan 1812-16 May 1812 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Wingate, Stirling, concerning legal actions against Callendar tenants. (27 items)
- A727.1007 15 Jan 1812-10 Nov 1812 Announcements of deaths of Joseph Sprott, Carmuir; Rev Robert Ure, minister of Airth; James Duff, 'of Madeira', Banff; Mrs Graham Stirling of Airth; Captain Francis

- A727.1008 23 Jan 1812-28 Dec 1812 Livingstone, who died in Portugal. (6 items)
Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in Ayrshire. Correspondents - William Allason [Allison], Ayr (1, 7, 13); David Limond, Ayr (2, 3, 14, 19, 25, 26, 30, 35, 38); David Craig, Foulshawood (4, 12); George Paton, Whitletts (5); Rev William McQuhae, minister of St Quivox (6, 33, 36); James Kilgour, Ayr (8, 9); David Gibson, Ayr (10); John Dick, Sanquhar (11); Archibald Mathieson [Matheson], Ayr (15); John Duncan, Ayr (16, 31); M Nicolson [Nicholson], Carnock (17); Richard Campbell, Ayr (18); James Wallace, Dalmelling (20-22); John Smith, Swindrige Muir (23); Andrew Wyllie [Wylie], Giffordland (24, 27, 28); William Manson, Whitletts (29, 34); John Brown, Prestwick Pans (32); Thomas Sanders [Saunders], Wallacetown (37, 39). (39 items)
- A727.1009 10 Feb 1812-17 Dec 1812 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, at Edinburgh, from Agnes Forbes, his wife, at Callendar, forwarding letters, requesting articles to be bought in Edinburgh, and reporting on estate matters. (9 items)
- A727.1010 23 Mar 1812-23 Dec 1812 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Sir William Forbes & Co, Edinburgh, on financial matters. (4 items)
- A727.1011 27 Mar 1812-23 Dec 1812 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and other papers concerning supplies of merchandise. Correspondents - James Milne & Co, Grangemouth (oats, 1, 2); Andrew Thomson, Charlestoun (limeshells, 4); Thomas Freeman, London (The Star, 5); J Duncanson, Falkirk (bottles, 7); A Watson, Falkirk (wine, 8); T & W Henderson & Co, Edinburgh (shirt buttons, 9); Alexander Cruickshank, Edinburgh (stockings, 10); J Thomson, Falkirk (horses, 11); Walter Scott, White Cross (oats, 12). (2 items)
- A727.1012 02 Jun 1812-24 Dec 1812 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Patrick Tennent [Tennant] WS, Edinburgh, concerning various legal actions. (23 items)
- A727.1013 18 Jun 1812 Printed proposals for publishing by subscription miscellaneous poems by Ebenezer Picken, including 'Auld Reekie'. Letter to William Forbes of Callendar from Picken, who has sustained losses in America. (2 items)
- A727.1014 18 Jun 1812-29 Sep 1812 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate. Correspondents - John Boyd, Linlithgow (1, 27); anonymous, Falkirk (2, 3, 5); John Barrie, Bent End (4, 25); John Sutherland, Stirling (6); Thomas Aiken [Aitken], Falkirk (7, 8, 10, 37); James Grindlay, Camelon (9); Patrick Wishart, Lochcoat (11); John Gray, Falkirk (12), William Russell, Falkirk (13); William Cox, Greenbank (14-22, 34); James Reid, Omoa Foundry (23); James Waugh, Falkirk (24, 35, 36); Mr Burns, Falkirk (26); Robert Jamieson, Rosehill (28); Robert Paterson, Camelon (29); James Ritchie, Bonnyhill (30); Patrick Calder, heritors' clerk, Muiravonside (31); Mr Wood, Avontoun (32); Mr Spottiswoode, Dunipace (33). (37 items)
- A727.1015 25 Jun 1812-03 Nov 1812 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Wingate, Stirling, concerning the Slamannan heritors' process and actions against Callendar tenants. (19 items)
- A727.1016 01 Jul 1812-28 Dec 1812 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in stewartry of Kirkcudbright and Dumfriesshire. Correspondents - Colonel William N Maxwell, Tinwald House (1); John Gordon, Kenmore Castle (2); Thomas

- Grierson, Edinburgh (3, 14); William Sloan, Milton (4, 10); Samuel Clarke [Clark], Earlstoun (5, 6); Rev William Gillespie, minister of Kells (7, 12); Rev Alexander McGowan, minister of Dalry (8); David Kennedy, Dumfries (9); Robert McMillan, Waterside (11); James McMillan, Forest (13); Rev John Brown, minister of Glencairn (15); Thomas Gibson, Ardoch (16, 19); Mr Coates [Coats], Earlstoun (17); Robert Corson [Carson], Margree School [Margrie School] (18); James Buchanan, School House, Dalry (20). (20 items)
- A727.1017 31 Jul 1812-25 Dec 1812 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from David Forbes, his brother, in London, concerning the failure of a banking house - David fortunately keeps his principal sums in the Bank of England - and obtaining a command for nephew John Forbes by [2nd] Viscount Melville's patronage. (9 items)
- A727.1018 10 Sep 1812-19 Nov 1812 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Alexander Maconochie [McConnachie] [advocate] and Thomas Thomson [Deputy Clerk Register], both in Edinburgh, concerning the action over Falkirk grass glebe. In 4 Thomas awaits Lord Frederick Campbell 'and another Record Officer from London'. (8 items)
- A727.1019 07 Oct 1812-26 Dec 1812 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate. Correspondents - James Waugh, Falkirk (1, 3-5, 12); Charles Erskine, Melrose (2); John Sprott, Greenock, on way to the West Indies (6); Walter Ewing MacLae [McLay, Cathkin (7); Patrick Young, Blacktongue (8); John Walker, Coalstoun Mains (9); Alexander Watson, Falkirk (10); John McAllum [McCallum], Eastfield (11); John Boyd, Linlithgow (13); Thomas Stark, Camelon (14); Alexander Macdonald, Loanfoot (15); Robert Banks, Stirling (16). (16 items)
- A727.1020 1812-1815 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Dr John Abercrombie, his nephew, home from India, mostly in Aberdeen on leave, later with the Dragoon Guards, on personal and family matters. He describes the dissection of Mrs George Forbes' body (4), and the collapse of the Aberdeen Pier extension, after Mr Telford had pronounced the work sufficient (13). His father re-commences the trade of shank-making (14). (16 items)
- A727.1021 1812-1815 Financial notes and correspondence of William Forbes of Callendar. (24 items)
- A727.1022 01 Jan 1813-28 May 1813 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Wingate, Stirling, on legal matters concerning Callendar estate, including the Slamannan heritors' process and removal of tenants. (24 items)
- A727.1023 01 Jan 1813-24 Jun 1813 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate matters. Correspondents - Colonel William Duncan, Glenfuir (1, 2); John Ogilvie, Carron House (3, 4, 16); Thomas Aiken [Aitken], Falkirk (5, 36); James Gilmore, Cumbernauld (6); John Boyd, Linlithgow (7); Robert Aitken, Bonnybridge (8); Robert Banks, Stirling (9); Alexander Livingston [Livingstone], Parkhall (10, 20, 21); James Russel, Falkirk (11); Alexander Buchanan, St Ninians (12, 19, 26-29); John Barrie, Falkirk (13, 14); John Burns, Falkirk (15, 18, 24, 25); Patrick Calder, heritors' clerk, Muiravonside (17); James Russel, writer, Falkirk (22); William Cox,

- Greenbank (23); James Aitken, Falkirk (30); Robert Dundas, Edinburgh (31); William Symington, Falkirk (32); Robert Hamilton, Kilsyth (33, 37); James Fogo [Foggo], Killearn (34); James Stark, Camelon (35). (37 items)
- A727.1024 01 Jan 1813-13 Nov 1813 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Patrick Tennent [Tennant] WS, Edinburgh, on legal matters, including a process about the coal under the lands of Parkhall and an action against the Earl of Galloway's trustees. Tennent's dilatoriness in the latter causes Forbes to transfer his affairs to another agent. (29 items)
- A727.1025 07 Jan 1813-14 Dec 1813 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in Ayrshire. Correspondents - John Duncan, Ayr (1); John Reid, Ayr (2, 10, 23, 27); John Dick, Sanquhar (3, 4, 38); David Limond, Ayr (5, 8, 11, 14, 15, 17, 24, 25, 29, 32, 34, 35, 37, 39, 40); Mr Craig, Sanquhar (cover only, 6); William Allason [Allison], Ayr (7, 16, 22, 28, 33, 36); James Wilson, Whitletts (9); Allan Wilson, Florida (12); John Sloan, Milton (13); David Campbell, Ayr (18-21); James Kilgour, Ayr (26); David Craig, Foulshawood (30, 31). (40 items)
- A727.1026 07 Jan 1813-26 Dec 1813 Brief notes to William Forbes of Callendar, including invitations. (18 items)
- A727.1027 07 Jan 1813-11 Apr 1813 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in stewartry of Kirkcudbright and Dumfriesshire. Correspondents - Robert McMillan, Waterside (1, 7, 8, 11, 13); John Robison [Robson], Hannaston (2); John Thomson, Kirkcudbright (3, 4, 14, 16, 17, 23); John Smith, Glenjaan (5); Samuel Clarke [Clark], Earlstoun (6); James Moffat, Blawhairn (9, 10); Alexander Smith of Land (12, 22); Rev William Gillespie, minister of Kells (15); William Ramsay, Blackmark, and James Smith, Jedburgh (18-20); Wellwood Maxwell, Dumfries (21). (23 items)
- A727.1028 09 Jan 1813-05 Sep 1813 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Sir John Sinclair, in Edinburgh and Floors, with printed enclosures, on assorted topics, particularly the estate of Langwell which Sinclair is trying to sell to Forbes. (17 items)
- A727.1029 11 Jan 1813-22 Jun 1813 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, at Edinburgh, from Agnes Forbes, his wife, at Callendar, concerning letters received, work in the garden and plantations, family matters and articles required from Edinburgh, including an apparatus for their daughter Agnes's foot. 8-11 are enclosed letters and drawings from their sons. (23 items)
- A727.1030 22 Jan 1813-06 Dec 1813 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Robert Forbes of Castleton, his brother, in Aberdeen, on family matters, particularly the death of Mrs George Forbes - 'the disorder being an uncommon one she was apprehensive that her body would be taken up by the Surgeons. She had the strength of mind to desire that, if it would be of use to mankind, she should be opened to ascertain what the disease was'. 8 concerns lease of farm of Redmyre. (8 items)
- A727.1031 23 Jan 1813-25 Oct 1813 Announcements of deaths of Miss Dyce of Disblair; Mr Smith, Edinburgh; Charles Hagart, Bantaskine; Master Robert Forbes, Edinburgh. (5 items)
- A727.1032 04 Feb 1813-01 Dec 1813 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and other papers concerning supplies of merchandise. Correspondents - James Simpson, Falkirk (iron, 1, 5); Thomas Morrison, Edinburgh (machine for Forbes' daughter, 2); John Cooke

- [Cook], Falkirk (clover seed, 3); William Cox, Greenbank (nails, 4); J Pond, London (newspapers, 7); William Bulloch, Bainsford (box from Aberdeen, 8); Margaret Ferguson, Edinburgh (fur, 9, 10). (10 items)
- A727.1033 08 Feb 1813-26 Aug 1813 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - A Maconochie [McConnachie], [Solicitor-General], Edinburgh (1); John Allinson, Dunfermline (2); James Leslie, 'late of Drumdolls', now a 'gentle beggar', Edinburgh (3); Betty Fraser, Glasgow, enclosing 3 buttons (4, 5); George Galloway, Falkirk, enclosing bills for his play Admirable Crichton and a concert of music (6-9); William Handyside, Edinburgh and Kerse (10, 13, 18, 20, 22, 23, 25); James Reid, gilder, Stirling (11, 19); David Steuart [Stewart], Edinburgh (12); Mary Rattray, Grangepans, enclosing letter from her son, Henry Rattray, boatswain, at Lisbon (14, 15); John Frazer, Edinburgh (16); William Nicholls [Nicol], London (17, 21); tutors of Quintin Macadam of Craigengillan (24); Margaret Husband, London (26); Georgina Mackay, Brompton (27); Dr John Taylor, Falkirk (28). (28 items)
- A727.1034 11 Mar 1813-07 Dec 1813 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his actions against Livingston [Livingstone] of Parkhall, Earl of Galloway and the minister of Falkirk. Correspondents, mostly in Edinburgh - James A Maconochie [McConnachie], advocate (1, 4, 7, 10, 19, 22, 23); Thomas Thomson, [Deputy Clerk Register] (2, 3, 5, 6); Archibald Campbell (8, 12, 13, 15-18, 20, 21); James Thomson (9, 11, 14, 24-29). In 3 Thomas Thomson writes about the Craigengillan cause. In 10 Maconochie [McConnachie] discusses the estate of Craigs, near Jedburgh. (29 items)
- A727.1035 08 May 1813 Letter to Robert Forbes from the Highland Society of Scotland, demanding arrears of contributions.
- A727.1036 15 May 1813-30 Dec 1813 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in stewartry of Kirkcudbright and Dumfriesshire. Correspondents - Samuel Clarke [Clark], Earlstoun, (1, 11, 15-17, 19); Robert Corson, Margree School [Margrie School] (2, 7); John Thomson, Kirkcudbright (3, 5, 12); Robert McMillan, Waterside (4, 6, 13); John Gordon, Kenmore Castle (8); Colonel William N Maxwell, Tinwald House (9, 20, 22); James Smith, Jedburgh (10); William Ramsay, Cornharrow (14); clerks of Commissioners of Supply, Dumfries (18); Alexander Smith of Land (21). (22 items)
- A727.1037 11 Jun 1813-31 Dec 1813 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Wingate, Stirling, on legal matters concerning Callendar estate, including a process against James Wyse. (27 items)
- A727.1038 12 Jun 1813-29 Dec 1813 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from David Forbes, his brother, in London, mainly concerning their nephew John Forbes. Enclosed letter (5) from John, captain of HMS 'Havoc', concerning his promotion. (7 items)
- A727.1039 05 Jul 1813-15 Dec 1813 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate matters. Correspondents - Patrick Calder, heritors' clerk, Muiravonside (1); James Speirs, Camelon (2); Colonel William Duncan, Glenfuir (3, 4); Andrew Burt, Camelon (5); Robert Paterson, Camelon (6); David Scott, Manuel (7); Robert Main, Slamannan (8); Thomas Aitken junior, Falkirk (9); John Thomson, Falkirk (10); Andrew

- Robertson, Myrhead [Myrehead] (11); John Boyd, Linlithgow (12, 23,29,30); Alexander Millar, East Kerse (13); Henry Morison [Morrison], Kirkintilloch (14); Thomas Aiken [Aitken], Falkirk (15); Peter Shiells [Shields], Callendar (16); James Rennie, Dennyloanhead (17); John Shirra, Crowtree of Leckie (18); Rev J Wilson, minister of Falkirk (19); Alexander MacDonald, Loanfoot (20); William Inglis, Manuel (21); Henry Swinton, Grangemouth (22); John Miller, Townhead (24, 27); James Cowan, Townhead (25); Patrick Wishart, Lochcoat [Lochcote] (26, 28); Thomas Graham, Stirling (31). (31 items)
- A727.1040 16 Jul 1813-30 Nov 1813 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning servants. Correspondents - Daniel McRobie [McRobbie], chimney sweep and mole catcher (1); Sir John Stirling, Edinburgh (2); John Thomson, Falkirk. (3); James Russell, Edinburgh (4); Peter Steven, butler, Edinburgh (5, 6). (6 items)
- A727.1041 05 Aug 1813-25 Dec 1813 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, at Edinburgh and Dumfries, from Agnes Forbes, his wife, at Callendar, concerning family and estate matters, servants, letters received, and articles required. 8 is enclosed thread for measuring a hat. (21 items)
- A727.1042 08 Sep 1813 Draft letter to Henry Jardine, the Exchequer, [from William Forbes of Callendar] recommending John Craig as a surveyor of taxes.
- A727.1043 09 Sep 1813-30 Dec 1813 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - J Forbes, Seaton (1); Charles Forbes, Crieff and Aberdeen (2, 5, 6); William Mackenzie, Edinburgh (3); Mrs Fortune, Edinburgh (4); Duncan Davidson, Aberdeen (7, 10); Dr John Abercrombie, Edinburgh (8); James Horne, Edinburgh (9); William Nicholls [Nicol] (11); George Cranstoun [Cranston], Edinburgh (12, 13, 16, 17, 22, 25); Mr Innes, Edinburgh (14); Colonel William N Maxwell, Tinwald House (15); David Staig, Dumfries (18); Sir John Maxwell of Pollock (19-21); James Hadden, provost of Aberdeen (23); James Gordon, Edinburgh (24); J Innes, merchant, Aberdeen (26); Rev Dr J Wilson, minister of Falkirk (27-29); anonymous, Linlithgow (30). (30 items)
- A727.1044 29 Oct 1813-07 Dec 1813 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his opposition to the Falkirk and Edinburgh [Union] Canal Bill. Correspondents - Spottiswoode & Robertson, London (1,3,5); Colonel William Duncan, Glenfuir (2); Dr Alexander Monro junior, Edinburgh (6); D Cleghorn, Edinburgh (7)., Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his opposition to the Falkirk and Edinburgh [Union] Canal Bill. Correspondents- Spottiswoode & Robertson, London (1, 3-5); Colonel William Duncan, Glenfuir (2); Dr Alexander Monro [Munro] junior, Edinburgh (6); D Cleghorn, Edinburgh (7). (7 items)
- A727.1045 1813-1815 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Margaret Forbes, his niece, in Aberdeen, concerning her board. (4 items)
- A727.1046 03 Jan 1814-29 Dec 1814 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate matters, Correspondents - John Ogilvie, Carron House (1, 2, 3, 9); Patrick Wishart of Newhouse, Edinburgh, enclosing minute of tack to James Forrester, farmer, Wester Kilmore, of farm of Newhouse of Bantaskine, 1806

- (3-6, 11, 12); Thomas Aiken [Aitken], Falkirk (7, 30, 35, 36, 38, 41, 44); John Cooke [Cook], Falkirk (10); Robert Calder, Carmuir (13); John Black, Falkirk (14); Rev Dr J Wilson, minister of Falkirk (15); William Campbell, Airdrie (16, 17); Andrew Robertson, Almond, impressed by Mr Rennie of Phantassie's barn (18, 34, 46); Thomas Spottiswoode, Dunipace (19, 25, 26, 29); John Burns, Falkirk (20, 21); Mr McCallum, Thornhill (22); A Bulloch, Falkirk (23); Mr Andrew, Linlithgow (24); Robert Borthwick, Laurieston (27); Alexander Shearer, Cumbernauld (28, 33); Robert Main, Slamannan (31, 49); Robert McKechnie, Falkirk (32, 45); John Boyd, Linlithgow (37); John Shaw, surveyor, Falkirk, interrupted by a bull (39); Thomas Duncanson, Falkirk (40); James Jardine, Callendar, concerning works in the park (42); James Henderson, J.P. clerk, Falkirk (43); Colonel William Duncan, Glenfuir (47). (49 items)
- A727.1047 05 Jan 1814-31 Dec 1814 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - Rev Patrick McFarlan [McFarlane], minister of Polmont, (1); George Cranstoun [Cranston], Edinburgh (2, 4, 6-8, 14, 24); Mr Swinton, Edinburgh (3); Jane Watson, London (5, 42); William Niccolls [Nicol], London (9); John Douglas, Glasgow Ayrshire Society, concerning proposed Burns mausoleum (10); Robert Boyd, Edinburgh, concerning compost (11); D Dick, Glasgow, concerning estate of Kintail (12, 13); W Walker, Edinburgh (15); Mr Tytler, Edinburgh (16); the Pitt Club, Edinburgh (17, 25, 41); Miss Riddell (18); James Lowden, Edinburgh (19, 20); James Gordon, London (21); Mrs M Forbes, London (22); George Galloway, poet (23); Thomas Thomson, [Deputy Clerk Register], Edinburgh (26); Rev John Macwhirr [McWhirr], Galloway Bible Society (27); James Trotter, Edinburgh (28-30); A Maconochie [McConnachie], Lord Meadowbank, Edinburgh (31-34, 40); Dr John Abercrombie, Edinburgh, giving a prescription (35); Mrs Maconochie [McConnachie], Edinburgh (36); James Duldass, Edinburgh (37); J F Gordon WS, Deaf and Dumb Institution, Edinburgh (38); William Grinley [Grindlay], Leith (39). (42 items)
- A727.1048 10 Jan 1814-20 Dec 1814 Announcements of death of Mary, Lady Stirling of Glorat; Mrs Campbell of Canbie; William Murray of Polmaise; Fraser Wingate, Stirling; Major Alexander Munro, Stirling; Mrs Napier, Merchiston Hall; Lucy Isabella Campbell, Merchiston Hall. (8 items)
- A727.1049 10 Jan 1814-28 Dec 1814 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from James Thomson WS and Archibald Campbell, both in Edinburgh, on legal matters, mainly Forbes' actions against the Earl of Galloway and Dr Wilson, minister of Falkirk. (32 items)
- A727.1050 10 Jan 1814-11 Jan 1815 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Thomas Wingate, Stirling, on legal matters, including the Slamannan heritors' process, sequestrations, and the use of the Falkirk Masonic Lodge as a J.P. Court. (49 items)
- A727.1051 11 Jan 1814-24 Feb 1814 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, at Edinburgh, from Agnes Forbes, his wife, at Callendar, concerning letters received and family and estate matters. 12 is written by their son, William. (24 items)
- A727.1052 26 Jan 1814-17 Dec 1814 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in stewartry of Kirkcudbright and Dumfriesshire. Correspondents - Colonel William N Maxwell, Tinwald

- House, (1, 17); Alexander Smith of Land (2, 3, 14, 18, 22, 23); James Hunter, Ford (4, 25); David Kennedy, Knocknalling (5); Samuel Clarke [Clark], Earlstoun (6, 19, 21, 27, 28); Thomas Grierson, Edinburgh (7); Rev William Gillespie, minister of Kells (8); John Robison [Robson], Hannaston (9, 11, 16, 32); Robert McMillan, Waterside (10, 12, 15, 20, 24); James Smith, Jedburgh (13); John Dunlop, Seafield and Duns (26, 29); Rev John Brown, minister of Glencairn (30); Rev Alexander McGowan, minister of Dalry (31); James Cuthbert, Treesmax (33); R Threshie, Dumfries (34). (34 items)
- A727.1053 31 Jan 1814-24 Dec 1814 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and notes by him concerning his opposition to the Union Canal Bill. Correspondents Spottiswoode & Robertson, London (5-9, 11, 12, 15, 17, 19, 22, 28, 29); William Anderson, Edinburgh (10); D Cleghorn, Edinburgh (16, 23); James Jardine, Edinburgh (18, 21, 30); Mr Graham, Airth Castle (20); Alexander Livingston [Livingstone], Parkhall (24); Colonel William Duncan, Glenfuir (25, 26); John Marjoribanks [Marchbank], Lord Provost of Edinburgh (27). (30 items)
- A727.1054 17 Feb 1814-22 Dec 1814 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from David Forbes his brother, in London, concerning their nephew John Forbes' prospects and marriage, William's visit to London, carpets and hock shipped to Callendar, and the Canal Bill. (19 items)
- A727.1055 04 Mar 1814-20 Nov 1814 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from J A Maconochie [McConnachie], advocate, Edinburgh, concerning health and other personal matters, gifts of hock by Forbes, the Canal Bill and processes involving Forbes. Maconochie's father [Lord Meadowbank] 'is now able to insert the Catheter himself without any surgical assistance'(1). (13 items)
- A727.1056 08 Mar 1814-05 Jul 1814 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Robert Forbes of Castleton, his brother, in Aberdeen, on family matters, mainly James Allardyce's trust. (4 items)
- A727.1057 26 Mar 1814-14 Dec 1814 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his Ayrshire estates. Correspondents - David Craig, Foulshawood (1, 7, 11, 13); James Kilgour, Sanquhar (2, 3); David Limond, Ayr (4-6, 8, 9, 15, 17, 21-23); John Reid, Ayr (10); William Allason [Allison], Ayr (12, 14); John Taylor, Blackhouse (16, 18, 19); William Young, Dalmelling (20). (23 items)
- A727.1058 27 Mar 1814-14 Jul 1814 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from William Forbes, his nephew, in Jamaica, where most planters have been destroyed by the war and where he suffers ill-health, and Eleanor Forbes, his wife, in London, concerning their daughter. (3 items)
- A727.1059 06 Apr 1814-21 Dec 1814 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, at Edinburgh, London and Dumfries, from Agnes Forbes, his wife, at Callendar, concerning letters received, family and estate matters, including work by masons, servants and articles required, including clothes for the children. In 7 she reports his popularity 'in this County by the advice you gave respecting the Corn bill'. 13 is enclosed measure for a hat. (29 items)
- A727.1060 21 May 1814-18 Jun 1814 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Janet Dingwall, his niece, and Alexander Dingwall, her husband, in

- Aberdeen, wishing a cadetship to India for their son. (3 items)
- A727.1061 25 Aug 1814-06 Sep 1814 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Sir John Sinclair, advertising his General Report of Scotland (nos 1-4) and asking a loan (5). (5 items)
- A727.1062 15 Oct 1814 Letter to William Forbes of Callendar from William Abercrombie, his nephew, in London, grateful for the patronage of Charles Forbes [MP].
- A727.1063 1814-1815 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar and Mrs Forbes concerning supplies of merchandise. Correspondents - R Plenderleath [Plenderleith] & Co, Edinburgh (sheeting, 1); Thomas Duncanson, Falkirk (porter, 2, 4, 13, 14); J Anderson, Edinburgh (paper, 3); William Gibson & Co, Stirling (plumbing articles, 5); John Hart, Leith (wine, 6,7); Mr Andrew, Linlithgow (beer, 8, 11); Andrew Thomson, Charlestown (lime, 9, 10, 12). (14 items)
- A727.1064 1814-1815 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning servants, including gardeners. Correspondents - John Fraser, Edinburgh (1, 2, 10-12); Dicksons & Co, Edinburgh (3, 8, 9); Thomas Clark, South Bantaskine (4); James Callander, Falkirk (5); James Hislop (6); Eagle & Henderson, Edinburgh (7). (12 items)
- A727.1065 1814-1815 Brief notes to William Forbes of Callendar and Mrs Forbes, including dinner invitations. 23 is a verse which apparently presages Forbes' death. (25 items)
- A727.1066 1814-1815 Notes by William Forbes of Callendar of people [to be written to or visited] and articles [to be bought] in Edinburgh. (5 items)
- A727.1067 1814-1815 Printed 'Letters on the Corn Laws' by Robert Ainslie WS. Covering letter from Ainslie.
- A727.1068 03 Jan 1815-01 Jun 1815 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in Ayrshire. Correspondents - William Young, Dalmelling (1); David Limond, Ayr (2, 7, 8, 11, 15, 22, 23); David Craig, Foulshawood (3, 16, 17, 24, 26); Andrew Muir, Glencaird (4, 10); William Allason [Allison], Ayr (5, 12-14); John Smith, Wallacetown (6, 9, 18-20); James Kilgour, Sanquhar (21); John Reid, Ayr (25). (26 items)
- A727.1069 03 Jan 1815-03 Jun 1815 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar on miscellaneous topics. Correspondents - Mrs M Husband, formerly Mitchell, London (1); William Anderson, Edinburgh, who became tutor to Forbes' sons (2, 3, 11-13); George Galloway, Stirling (4); John Hardie, Bo'ness (5, 6); Ebenezer Picken, Edinburgh (7, 15); John Campbell, Edinburgh (8); John Sawers, writer, Stirling (9); Robert Campbell, Stirling (10); James Wright, Stirling (14); Mrs C Wingate, Stirling (16); James Tytler, Edinburgh (17); James Horne, Edinburgh (18); Archibald Bell, sheriff of Ayr (19); Georgina MacKay, Burntsfield Lodge (20); Rev John Fleming, Edinburgh (21, 22); Daniel Forbes, Glasgow (23). (23 items)
- A727.1070 03 Jan 1815-07 Jun 1815 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning Callendar estate matters. Correspondents - William Cox, Greenbank (1); John Boyd, Linlithgow (2, 8, 10); Alexander Shearer, Cumbernauld (3, 12); William Symington, Falkirk (4); John Mason, session clerk, Cumbernauld (5, 6); Patrick Calder, heritors' clerk, Muiravonside (7); Alexander Balloch, Falkirk (9, 13); Alexander Gentles, Falkirk (11); Thomas Aiken [Aitken], Falkirk (14-16, 19); John Burns, Falkirk (17). Letter

- to James Thomson WS from William Dallas, Edinburgh, concerning Grahams Muir (18). (19 items)
- A727.1071 05 Jan 1815-25 May 1815 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Robert Forbes of Castleton, his brother, in Aberdeen, mostly concerning the affairs of the family of the late James Allardyce. Enclosed letter from Andrew Jopp, Aberdeen. (6 items)
- A727.1072 08 Jan 1815-09 Jun 1815 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar, at Edinburgh, from Agnes Forbes, his wife, at Callendar, concerning family and estate matters, including mason work, letters received and articles required. 12 is measure for hats. (36 items)
- A727.1073 17 Jan 1815-10 Jun 1815 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his estates in the stewartry of Kirkcudbright and sheriffdom of Dumfries. Correspondents - Thomas Grierson, Edinburgh (1, 11, 18); Samuel Clarke [Clark], Earlstoun (2, 9, 34); John Wallace, Knockgray (3); James Burnie, Kirkcudbright (4, 37); William Johnston, Garrerie (5); John Robison [Robson], Hannaston (6, 26); Robert Coats, Millquarter (7); James McCourtie [McCourt], Knocksheen (8); Robert McMillan, Waterside (10, 12, 13, 15, 17, 24, 25, 27, 33); Alexander Smith of Land (14, 19, 32, 35, 38); Robert Gordon, Kirkcudbright (16); John McMillan, Brockloch (20); John Commelin [Comblin], Dumfries (21, 22, 28-30); Thomas Gibson, Ardoch (23, 36); Rev Alexander McGowan, minister of Dalry (31). (38 items)
- A727.1074 21 Jan 1815-03 Jun 1815 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from James Thomson WS, Edinburgh, on legal matters. (6 items)
- A727.1075 22 Jan 1815-15 May 1815 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from Robert Henderson, Stirling, concerning the death of Thomas Wingate and legal matters relating to Callendar estate. (26 items)
- A727.1076 28 Jan 1815-05 May 1815 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from David Forbes, his brother, in London, mainly concerning the Union Canal Bill. (19 items)
- A727.1077 16 Feb 1815-20 Feb 1815 Letters to John Murray WS from John Wauchope and James Thomson, all Edinburgh, concerning proposed examination of Wauchope as a haver in the process Forbes of Callendar v the minister of Falkirk. (2 items)
- A727.1078 01 Mar 1815-20 Apr 1815 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar concerning his opposition to the Union Canal Bill. Correspondents - Spottiswoode & Robertson, London (1-5, 7, 8, 12, 14, 15); D Cleghorn, Edinburgh (6); [Thomas] Telford (9); James Jardine, Edinburgh (10, 11, 13); Charles Forbes MP, London (16); Colonel William Duncan, Glenfuir (17). (17 items)
- A727.1079 03 Apr 1815-02 Jun 1815 Letters to William Forbes of Callendar from J A Maconochie [McConnachie], advocate, Edinburgh, on personal and legal matters. 'The Canal people have been labouring very hard to get subscriptions to their petitions. The very High School boys were made to put down their names' (3 items) William Forbes of Callendar died in Edinburgh on 21 June 1815.
- A717.008 1786-1832 Correspondence, minutes, accounts and estimates relating to Falkirk Parish Church, poor rates, scheme of the locality of stipend and other Heritors business. Also includes list of householders with voting rights and accounts for Laurieston

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A353.01	26 Sep 1811	Letter, Ro[bert] McKechnie, Clerk to William Forbes concerning meeting of the committee of Heritors of Falkirk Parish
A037.042/01	08 Jan 1813	Extract minute of a general meeting of the Heritors of the Parish of Falkirk. Relates to repairs to the manse and disputed liability for repairs between heritors and minister
A037.042/02	20 May 1814	Extract minute of annual general meeting of the Heritors of the Parish of Falkirk.
A037.045	08 Jul 1814	Letter, Robert McKechnie to William Forbes concerning arrears of poor rates due by Forbes and intention to take out summons against Forbes
A037.044	14 Jul 1814	Letter, Robert McKechnie to William Forbes concerning proportion of eighteen year rent due for half acre of land belonging to the Poor and occupied by Rev Dr James Wilson as part of the Glebe; and arrears of poor rates due by Forbes
A037.043	17 Nov 1814	Summons before the Sheriff of Stirlingshire of William Forbes for five years arrears of poor rates. Includes detailed account of arrears
A037.046	27 Dec 1814	Letter, Thomas Wingate to William Forbes concerning arrears of poor rates due by Forbes. Contains report of legal work undertaken and opinion on next stages
A037.048	06 Apr 1816	Letter, Robert McKechnie to James Maconochie, Advocate, Edinburgh giving notice of meeting of heritors (to be held on same day as public meeting regarding roads)
A037.049	30 Apr 1816	Letter, Robert McKechnie to James Maconochie, Advocate, Edinburgh giving notice of meeting of heritors
A037.050	11 May 1816	Letter, [Rev] J Wilson to Archibald Campbell, WS, Edinburgh regarding poor relief for William Simpson, a blind beggar. Gives personal details
A037.047	22 May 1816	Letter Ro[bert McKechnie] to Archibald Campbell concerning arrears of poor rates owed by heirs to the late William Forbes. Includes copy extract minute of general meeting of Heritors of Falkirk Parish, 25 January 1815
A037.051	27 Nov 1816	Letter, Robert McKechnie to James Thomson, WS, Edinburgh concerning arrears of poor rates due by trustees of Callendar Estates
A037.052	18 Feb 1817	Letter, Robert McKechnie to James Thomson, WS, Edinburgh giving notice of meeting of heritors and detailing need for repairs to church
A936.001	27 Nov 1811	Letter from Agnes Forbes to William Forbes of Callendar, while in Dumfries, referring briefly to letters received concerning business, also referring to general personal matters.
A353.02/02	12 Dec 1814	Letter, Agnes Forbes to William Forbes concerning family and domestic matters. Also includes copy letter, David Lomond to William Forbes relating to meeting of creditors of John Dick and appointment of trustee