

FALKIRK ARCHIVES

Forbes of Callendar Papers finding aid Part 23 – miscellaneous papers

This collection consists of 36m of records 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.

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<i>Reference No</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Description</i>
A727.4227	1693-1694	Accounts due by laird of Carquhuin to George Sandry, Edinburgh, for veal. (2 items)
A727.4228	[Post 1719]	Memorandum on the heirs male and of line to the 1st Viscount Strathallan.
A727.4229	[1772]	Note of capacity of reservoir at Castlehill, Edinburgh.
A727.4230	10 Aug 1773	Copy of articles of indenture between William Elliott [Elliot], of London, gentleman, and John Ohlson, sugar boiler, for service in sugar plantation in East Florida.
A727.4231	Jan 1775	Printed table of shore dues payable to the City of Edinburgh.
A727.4232	09 Jul 1782- 12 Jul 1782	The Edinburgh Advertiser, no 1934.
A727.4233	25 Nov 1784	Estimate, addressed to Henry Swinton, merchant, Grangemouth, by James Welsh there to build a canal lighter.
A727.4234	11 Feb 1785	Burgess ticket of burgh of Ayr in favour of 'John Forbes of Callendar'.
A727.4235	12 Feb 1785	Burgess ticket of burgh of Newton upon Ayr in favour of William Forbes of Callendar.
A727.4236	18 Mar 1786	Printed catalogue of engravings by Robert Strange.
A727.4237	11 May 1786	Burgess ticket of burgh of Dumfries in favour of William Forbes of Callendar.
A727.4238	08 Aug 1786	Note of Mr Ramsden's Prices of refracting telescopes
A727.4239	Mar 1787	State of Facts relative to the new method of making bar iron' by Mr Henry Cort, of Gosport. (Printed)
A727.4240	25 Sep 1788	Contract of the Commercial Banking Company in Aberdeen, with list of additional partners. (Printed)
A727.4241	22 Nov 1788	Advertisement for patent sword-cutter.
A727.4242	26 Oct 1789	Burgess ticket of burgh of Stirling in favour of William Forbes of Callendar.
A727.4243	1780s	Note of Scots solicitor [in London?].
A727.4244	1792	Printed advertisement of stud horse, Bucephalus.
A727.4245	31 Jan 1794- 04 Feb 1794	The Edinburgh Advertiser, no 3141.
A727.4246	1794?	Ticket of admission to 128th day of trial of Warren Hastings.
A727.4247	22 Dec 1795- 30 Dec 1795	Printed copy of official letters and advertisement concerning the prohibition of distilling.
A727.4248	24 Aug 1797	Printed advertisement for the News Office, South Hanover Street, Edinburgh, of which the services include a lending library for newspapers. Circular covering letter. (2 items)
A727.4249	10 Jan 1799	Printed advertisement of Sir John Dalrymple's method of making soap from fish. Covering note. (2 items)
A727.4250	08 May 1800	Printed minutes of meeting of Directors of Royal Infirmary,

		Glasgow.
A727.4251	[1800]	Printed memorial proposing building a new church of Inveresk.
A727.4252	1801	Printed advertisement for a new daily evening newspaper 'The Plough or Agricultural Gazette'.
A727.4253	1802	Printed advertisement of Mr Roebuck's charges for business as scientific engineer.
A727.4254	04 Jul 1803- 11 Jul 1803	Printed extracts from Proceedings of the Highland Society of Scotland, recommending that intended emigrants instead join the navy or army.
A727.4255		Printed advertisement for the Aberdeen Female Society for the Relief of Aged and Indigent Women'. Covering letter. (2 items)
A727.4256	16 Nov 1806	Poem 'Callander House'.
A727.4257	17 Jun 1807	Subscription list for bridge over the Forth at Alloa.
A727.4258	07 Mar 1808- 16 Apr 1808	Printed report of committee of trustees for high roads in the County of Edinburgh relative to exemption of mail coaches from payment of tolls.
A727.4259	25 Dec 1808- 31 May 1809	Statement of daily thermometer readings at Penzance and Glasgow. Note thereon. (2 items)
A727.4260	May 1809	Printed advertisement for subscriptions to the Gaelic and English Chapel of Ease, Horse Wynd, Edinburgh.
A727.4261	09 Dec 1809	Printed scheme by George Winton and James Nisbet for improving public and private roads.
A727.4262	20 Mar 1811	Printed circular letter from John Stein of Kennetpans on behalf of the Lowland Distillers of Scotland, objecting to a Bill to equalise the duties on distillation.
A727.4263	[1814]	Defamatory poem 'Inscription for Culross Abbey 1789'.
A727.4264	1821-1822	The Tyro's Index for summer and winter sessions, showing the sittings in the Court of Session: printed with ms alterations. (2 items)
A727.4265	01 Aug 1822	Offer to Archibald Campbell WS by Brodie & Hume, plumbers, to fit a water closet in 65 George Street, Edinburgh.
A727.4266	23 Dec 1822	Certificate of registration of Archibald Campbell WS in the Court of Session.
A727.4267	23 Jul 1829	Printed 'Prospectus of an Intended Treatise on Training the Horse'. Covering letter from the author, P. Miller, Edinburgh. (2 items)
A727.4268	17 Jul 1830	Printed regulations of the New Club, Edinburgh.
A727.4269	07 Feb 1835- 11 Aug 1835	Printed papers concerning the magistrates of Paisley. (3 items)
A727.4270	10 May 1835	Printed leaflet concerning the alleged marriage of Henry Darby Griffith and Martha Bainbridge.
A727.4271	Apr 1836	Note of a weaver's wages.
A727.4272	Jul 1836	Memoir for sheriff of Lanarkshire concerning Bill altering his jurisdiction.
A727.4273	[1836]	Lists of persons to be removed and added as Commissioners of Land Tax. (2 items)
A727.4274	18 Aug 1841	Memorandum concerning Lieutenant John G. Macnab, cashiered in India.
A727.4275	04 Jan 1843	Subscription list on behalf of Joseph Parmer to enable him to purchase an organ.
A727.4276	Apr 1843- May 1843	Abstract of evidence taken at Greenock before the Surveyor General of H. M. Customs relative to smuggling by the ship 'Mohawk' at Montreal in November 1842; and copy letter to Sir George Clerk from William Philipps [Phillips], on behalf of the owners.
A727.4277	1844-1845	Printed statements of the funds of the National Security Savings

A727.4278	20 Aug 1845	Bank of Stirling. (2 items) Printed prospectus for Prince Charles Edward Stewart by William Meikleham [Meiklem].
A727.4279	13 Oct 1845	Testimonial in favour of Robert Taylor, Kirkmichael, as a tutor.
A727.4280	Feb 1848	Questions about effect of currency restrictions on Scottish banking system.
A727.4281	07 Jun 1848	Printed minutes of meeting of Commissioners of Supply of Wigtownshire to consider the Lunatic Asylum Bill.
A727.4282	Mid 19th Century	Assorted covers. (3 items)
A727.4283	(1850)	Memorandum of examination of candidates for commissions under 16 years of age.
A727.4284	1854-1855	Commissions to William Forbes as a cornet and lieutenant in the Midlothian Yeomanry Cavalry. (2 items)
A727.4285	Mid 19th Century	Admission card to private view of 'Napoleon at Bassano' painted by T. J. Barker. (Damaged)
A727.4286	1891-1892	Commissions to Charles W. Forbes and Dudley H. Forbes as 2nd Lieutenants in, respectively, the Lanarkshire Yeomanry and 3rd Battalion Royal Scots. (2 items)
A727.4287	01 Mar 1914	Printed memorandum of the Scottish Land and Property Federation relative to the administration of the Small Landholders (Scotland) Acts.
A727.4288	1786-1788	Papers relative to gardens. 1. 1786 February 6 Plan endorsed 'copy of a limekiln sent Sir Jno Dalrymple by Mr Wedgewood'. Plan headed section of the Staffordshire limekilns, stated to be the kind of limekiln used in that part of Staffordshire. Some are deeper where there is the advantage of a sloping bank to build them in. [Transferred to RHP 92299] 2. 1786 August 23 Directions for workmen to build hothouses, etc. Signed: A and W Driver. Includes sections. [Transferred to RHP 92300] 3. 1786 October 28 Offer by William Wilson, Hawkhead, Paisley, to William Forbes of Callendar, to oversee the building of his hothouses. 4. 1786 December 16. Edinburgh. Letter from John Richmond and Co to Mr Forbes of Callendar. Containing a list of gooseberries from Lancashire; they send a catalogue of fruit [wanting]. 5. 1787 April 9. Hawkhead. Letter from William Wilson to Robert Forbes, Callendar House. Discusses building of the hothouses. 6. 1788 May 12. Callendar House near Falkirk. Copy letter ordering glass for a hothouse. 7. n.d. List of articles not received from Mr Driver [peaches and other fruit trees and Provence roses]. 8. n.d. A list of pine apples and vines. 9. List of trees and plants, under headings, peaches, filberts, roses, seeds, beans, kidney beans and miscellaneous, flower seeds, applies dwarf, pears dwarf, vines and raspberries, cherries dwarf, current, gooseberries, apricots, plums dwarf and nectarines. 10. n.d. List of fruit trees. Note: all these items are damaged and fragile.
A727.4322	1786	Copy architectural sketch section of the Staffordshire limekilns with description "sent to Sir John Dalrymple by Mr Wedgewood": 6 February 1786. (In pencil) Architect: [Josiah Wedgewood]
A037.016	27 Feb 1786	A Table for ascertaining the toll-dues on all goods, wares, merchandize, coals and other articles passing the Forth and Clyde Navigation

A353.006	06 Sep 1801	Letter, Lady Elphinstone to William Adam, Blair Adam, by the North Ferry, concerning candidature of "my Charles" and "Mr William" for parliament.
A1012.001	1832-1869	Account book. Contains various accounts including list of Kincardineshire Fiars, (feuars), accounts relating to estate of R Forbes (d. 27 Feb 1832, Aberdeen), payments to various members of Forbes family, rentals and stock.
A980.008	Late 19th Century	Label for Finest Bermuda Arrow Root from Duncan Flockhart & Co, 52 North Bridge & 139 Princes St Edinburgh, chemists & druggists
A980.009	Late 19th Century	Wrapping paper for parcel addressed to Nurse Graham, Callendar House, Falkirk
A980.006	Apr 1898	Ninth annual report by the managers of the Falkirk Cottage Hospital
A704.001	(1901) {nd}	Rules and Directions for playing Ping-Pong or Gossima. Refers to FALKN=1994-7
A980.003	Early 20th Century	Advertising leaflet for Pears Soap
A980.004	Early 20th Century	Advertising leaflet for Armstrong's guns
A980.007	Early 20th Century	Label addressed to William Forbes Esq of Callendar from James & Son, Boot & Shoemakers, 8 St Andrew Square, Edinburgh
A980.005	1890s-1900s	Catalogue of Swears & Wells, 190-192 Regnet St, London. Clothing retailer
A980.001		Printed paper bag of James Haddow & Co, family grocers and wine merchants, Vicar St & Melville St, Falkirk and Stenhousemuir (found in Callendar House during renovations)
A980.002		Advertisement for E Godfree, Felton & Co, Charing Cross Chambers, Duke St, Strand, London, wine and spirit dealers (found in Callendar House during renovations)
A804.001	1919	Callendar House and Estate Roll of Honour
A412.001	1925	Photocopy of booklet "Callendar House, Falkirk. The opening of an historic mansion in the cause of charity" Contains description of house and furnishings. Printed to support Falkirk and District Infirmary.
A681.001	1925	"Callendar House, Falkirk. The opening of an historic mansion in the cause of charity" Contains description of house and furnishings. Printed to support Falkirk and District Infirmary. (See also A412.01 for photocopy)
A717.005	1938	Bundle of letters and excerpts from books detailing the history of Callendar house, its interior, the Livingstones and the Forbes family