

FALKIRK ARCHIVES

Russel & Aitken Papers finding aid (30) Papers of the Paterson family, 1826-1906

The finding aid for the Russel & Aitken Papers has been divided into 63 parts. This part contains a list of records relating to the Paterson family of Grahamston.

Family history

Mr John Paterson and Mrs Jane or Jean Harrower or Paterson of Carron and thereafter Grahamston owned Campfield which had previously belonged to George Meek and after their deaths a dispute over division of their estate ensued between their Trustees and their heirs, the latter being the children of John Paterson's sisters. Mr and Mrs Paterson's Executors were Rev William Steel, John Drysdale and William Ure.

Mr and Mrs Paterson were beneficiaries in their son's Indian estate. Their son was Captain John Paterson of the East India Company Sea Service. The executors of his estate, which principally consisted of 40,000 rupees, were Rev James Brownlees of Falkirk, John Stuart and George Harrower of Edinburgh.

Scope & Contents Note

Papers of Mr & Mrs John Paterson Trust including executry papers, Trust papers such as discharges and documents about division of estate, accounts, plan of Easter Seamores with related title deed and papers relating to Captain John Paterson and his monument in Larbert Churchyard.

Date range: 1826-1906

Reference Code: A1830

Item list

<i>Reference No</i>	<i>Production date</i>	<i>Brief Description</i>
A1830.001	1830-1843	Paterson Trust papers. Includes extract registered Trust Deed and Settlement, 1830, Report by Russel & Aitken with regard to the affairs of Mr and Mrs Paterson and Scheme of Division of part of their funds among the legatees in their Deed of Settlement, 1843 and Special and General Special Charge, 1840.
A1830.002	1826-1842	Executry papers of Mr John Paterson and Mrs Jane or Jean Harrower or Paterson. Includes extract Decreet Nominate for John Paterson and for Jane or Jean Paterson, copy Will of Captain John Paterson, 1826, letters of General Charge and Confirmed Testament Testamentars of both, 1842.
A1830.003	1843-1852	Mr and Mrs Paterson Trust papers. Includes minutes of meetings of the Trustees and of the legatees of Mr and Mrs Paterson's estate and Roup Roll of Mr Paterson's furniture.
A1830.004	1843-1850	Mr and Mrs Paterson Trust accounts with Russel & Aitken
A1830.005	1839-1848	Mr and Mrs Paterson Trust papers. Includes inventories of personal estates of John and Jean Paterson, legacy duty accounts and correspondence
A1830.006	1842-1852	Discharges by legatees to Trustees of Mr and Mrs Paterson Trust. Also includes correspondence and receipts.
A1830.007	1843-1848	Papers relating to Captain John Paterson's Indian estate. Includes accounts and correspondence between the Trustees of Mr and Mrs Paterson Trust and Land Agents.
A1830.008	1841-1849	Correspondence, relating to legacies, between Russel & Aitken and beneficiaries of the Mr and Mrs Paterson Trust and agents acting on their behalf.
A1830.009	1844-1850	Correspondence and accounts of John Drysdale, executor for John Paterson and trustee of Paterson Trust. Includes correspondence with beneficiaries and with Russel & Aitken.
A1830.010	1840s	Account Books for the upbringing of family of William Aitken to John Drysdale as Executor of estate of Mr John Paterson.
A1830.011	1884-1906	Accounts relating to Monument to Captain John Paterson in Larbert Churchyard.
A1830.012	1834	Plan of the farm of Easter Seamores which belonged to William Russell and over which John Paterson held a Bond, surveyed and delineated by William Scotland, scale 1 inch to 2 scotch chains.