

## Miscellaneous Papers of Individuals, Organisations etc.

### Finding List 2

SUMMARY	
Extent: 24 boxes Location : Special Collections	
Collection name	Extent
Archer, Thomas	2 boxes
Ashworth, James Hartley (1874-1936)	1 box
Bannerman, David Armitage	3 boxes
Carnegie Trust	1 box
Clarke, AS	1 box
Challenger Expedition Photographs	3 boxes
Dunlop, Robert	1 box
Govan, Margaret	1 box
Johnson, Professor Thomas (1863-1854)	1 box
Royal Society of Edinburgh	1 box
Simpson, Isobel	1 box
Standard Metre - Messrs Bailey, Henderson and Murphy	1 file
Stephen, Dr Alexander C	1 file
Traquair, Ramsay H (1840-1912)	2 boxes, 1 file
Traquair, Ramsay H (1840-1912)	1 file
Waterton, Charles (1782-1865)	1 box
White, Adam (1817-1879)	1 box
James Wright (box is titled F A Bather)	1 box

**Thomas Archer**

Director of the Industrial Museum of Scotland and Edinburgh Museum of Science and Art from 1860-85.

Extent: 2 boxes

<b>Box 1</b>	1886	Obituary, reprinted from <u>Proceedings of the Royal Society of Edinburgh</u> ; 2 copies
	1866	Small press-cuttings book containing account of the inauguration of Edinburgh Museum of Science and Art
	1866-1885	Scrapbook, containing cuttings etc
	1871-1885	Scrapbook, containing cuttings etc
<b>Box 2</b>	1876	Large scrapbook containing cuttings etc associated with Philadelphia exhibition

**James Hartley Ashworth (1874-1936)**  
 Professor, Department of Zoology, Edinburgh  
 Specialised in the zoology of Invertebrates

Extent: 1 box

<b>Box 1</b>	1920s	Rhinosporidium: Original figures and list of slides shown
	n.d.	Helix Pomatia: original plates and two proofs
	1923	Blowfly's proboscis: original and proofs
		Xenia: figures and notes
	n.d.	Heteroxenia Lingula: Original figures
	1905-1915	Letters and notes on Ctenopteryx and other correspondence
	n.d.	Halla and Sclerocheilus: photographs and plates
	n.d.	Scalibregmidae: literature, notes, correspondence (2 envelopes)
	1935	<u>Charles Darwin as a student in Edinburgh. 1825-1827.</u> address delivered by Ashworth to the Royal Society of Edinburgh. Offprint from <u>Proceedings</u>
	1937	Obituary notice of J H Ashworth. Offprint from <u>Proceedings</u>
	1936	Obituary notice of J H Ashworth.
	n.d.	Offprint from <u>Obituary Notices of the Royal Society of London</u> n.d.  Notes on Literature of Scalibregmidae
<b>Box 2</b>	n.d.	Halla and Aglaurides: literature, methods, material, slide records
	n.d.	Tetracotyle: notes and drawings
	n.d.	Notes on Nervous System
	n.d.	Scalibregma: published figures
	n.d.	Rhinosporidium: notes

**David Armitage Bannerman**

Ornithologist

Extent: 3 boxes

<b>Box 1</b>	1953-1958	letters from Hugh M S Blair
	1958-1964	letters from Hugh M S Blair
	1943-1962	Correspondence (letters in), A-B
	1955-1962	Correspondence (letters in) C-F
<b>Box 2</b>	1943-1963	Correspondence (letters in), G-H
	1944-1964	Correspondence (letters in), I-M
	1949-1963	Correspondence (letters in), N-R
	1953-1963	Correspondence (letters in), S
<b>Box 3</b>	1944-1964	Correspondence (letters in), T-Y
	1940-1951	Correspondence from publishers, Oliver and Boyd
	1947-1961	Notes, correspondence, offprints etc, on miscellaneous ornithological topics
	Various	Collection of envelopes (now empty) addressed to Dr David Bannerman
	n.d.	Draft list of correspondence (numbered)

**Carnegie Trust**

Extent: 1 box

	1940s-1950s	A-C Reports on Scottish Museums
	1940s-1950s	D-M Reports on Scottish Museums
	1940s-1950s	N-Z Reports on Scottish Museums
	1940s-1950s	Miscellaneous material relating to Scottish museums

**A S Clarke**

Keeper of the Royal Scottish Museum (joined staff in 1954)

Extent: 1 box

<b>Box 1</b>	c. 1875-1935	Files containing various RSM publications, mainly guides to the collections of different dates
	1956-1966	File containing cuttings about the museum
	n.d.	File marked "History of Museum", containing:  page of ms notes on Walker papers notes on Bulloch's Museum
	n.d.	Typescript copy "Memorial for Mr Alexander Weir"
	n.d.	Typescript list of "Prof. Walker's specimens still extant" [Rev. Dr. Walker, Prof of Natural History, at Edinburgh University, late 18th century]
	n.d.	Ms "copy of an entry in the notebook of Prof P G Tait"
	1864	Offprint <u>On Literary and Scientific Studies in Connexion with Medicine</u> by J H Balfour
	n.d.	Page from ?Edinburgh University Student Handbook on Students' Representative Council
	n.d.	Ms notes on "Specimens in Edinburgh Museum"
	1955	Letter from Librarian, Nature Conservancy, to Sir William Kinnear
	1939-1940	Notebook marked "grant in aid". Contains list of stores etc received at Blackness Castle from RSM
	n.d.	Typescript history of Natural History Department, with list of staff and donors, by A C Stephen. Also a similar but anonymous typescript history of Natural History department (by Stephen too?)
	n.d.	Ms notes on Natural History staff

<b>Challenger Expedition Photographs</b>		
Extent: 3 Boxes		
<b>Box 1</b>	n.d.	Envelope "Challenger photographs received with neg nos unknown - matched up with glass plates and nos pencilled on back" (5 prints)
	n.d.	Envelope "Duplicates in main set. Challenger neg nos pencilled on rear top right corner" (9 prints)
	n.d.	Envelope (unmarked) containing photographs of "Dr Alexander Crosbie, Surgeon on the Challenger Expedition", "Rock Hopper Penguin" and "Mound Turkey" (3 prints)
	1885	File containing printed catalogue of Challenger photographs with prices (original and photocopies)
	1981-83	Correspondence with BM(NH)
	n.d.	Photograph of cartoon drawing of "The scientific researches of the "Challenger" in Bermuda"
	1981	List of Challenger photographs held in BM(NH)
	1870's	Original photographs from Expedition (79 prints)
<b>Box 2</b>	1870's	Original photographs from the Expedition (83 prints)
<b>Box 3</b>	n.d.	Photocopy of list of prints from expedition
	1982-1983	Copies of original prints prepared by BM (NH) including RSM and BM (NH) prints

<b>Robert Dunlop</b> b. 1848		
Extent: 1 box		
<b>Box 1</b>	n.d.	Autobiography with two photographs
	n.d.	"New Zealand North Island": ins notes
	n.d.	"James Thomson, FGS" by David Murray
	n.d.	"Pioneers of the Logan Water" ms
	1888	"On a section of Boulder Clay"
	1882	Lecture on Geology in notebook of Gartsherrie Science School, Coatbridge
	n.d	"A Geological Excursion to Gotland" - Typescript
	1913	Holiday on Gotland

<b>Margaret Govan</b>		
Extent: 1 box		

<b>Box 1</b>	?1922	Watercolours of fish. Western Mediterranean species, apparently painted at Puerto Alcudia (Balearic Islands)
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**Professor Thomas Johnson (1863-1854)**

Keeper of botanical collections in National Museum, Dublin.  
Studied algae and fossil plants.

Extent: 2 boxes

<b>Box 1</b>	1912-1927	File of correspondence, also contains notes and sketches
	n.d.	File containing photographs and notes
	n.d.	Bundle of notes, lists and sketches
<b>Box 2</b>	n.d.	Series of envelopes containing notes (titled in pencil)
<b>Box 3</b>	n.d.	Series of envelopes containing notes, sketches and photographs (titled in pencil)
		Biographical information on Professor Johnston, photocopied from unidentified books
	n.d.	File entitled "Palaeobotanical Techniques", containing ms and typescript notes, including: <u>Scottish National Antarctic Expedition. 1902-1904: Cambrian Organic Remains from a Dredging in the Weddell Sea</u> by W J Gordon
	1923 1928	Two offprints by John Walton:  <u>On a New Method of Investigating Fossil Plant Impressions or Incrustations</u> <u>Recent Developments in Palaeobotanical Technique</u> (2 copies)
	n.d.	Miscellaneous ms and typescript notes

**Royal Society of Edinburgh**

Extent: 1 box

	1983 (date of copies)	Collection of modern copies of photographs of scientists, gathered for Society's exhibition in 1983. Includes ms sheaf catalogue index of names and sources (incomplete)
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**Isobel Simpson**

Pseudonym "Carita"  
author of Lacis (1909)

Extent: 1 box

<b>Box 1</b>	ca. 1926	Photograph of Quilt of Lacis (darned net), presented to the then Duchess of York for Princess Elizabeth, with historical note on back (6 copies)
	1907-1927	Correspondence and Agreements with publishers of <u>Lacis</u> (Sampson Low, Marston and Co Ltd)
	1934	Inventory and Valuation of needlework belonging to Mrs Simpson, Chester Street, Edinburgh, made for fire insurance purposes (ms and typescript, with envelope)
	1932-1967	Correspondence to Mrs Simpson and to her granddaughter Mrs Thorburn-Brown
	1924-1927	File of correspondence etc re Lacis quilt
	1913-1938	Cuttings and articles on Lacis
	n.d.	File of illustrations, mostly photographs, of Lacis and other needlework
	1919	Correspondence re exhibition of Lacis organised by Medici Society
	1913, n.d.	Drafts of lectures on Lacis by Mrs Simpson and Mrs Thorburn-Brown
	n.d.	Album of photographs of Lacis panels
	1932	<u>Home and Country</u> ; The Journal of the Women's Institutes (Jan 1st 1932)
	n.d.	Photographs of stall displaying Lacis Ms "complete list of Lacis"
		Correspondence from Mrs B Whishaw, Spain, re Spanish lacis
	1904-1938	file containing miscellaneous notes and correspondence
	1872, 1876, 1919	Embroidered pouch containing coloured 1872 calendar, other coloured cards, photographs and correspondence to Miss Stapleton and Mrs William Simpson
	n.d.	notebook with notes in Italian, French and English
	n.d.	Collection of coloured and black and white postcards of needlework produced by the Victoria and Albert Museum
	1866	Letter in envelope marked "from "Annie Pratt" the celebrated botanist and author"
	n.d.	Notebook containing collection of epitaphs
	n.d.	ms copy of "inscription on House Built 1440"



	n.d.	Postcard of woman at spinning wheel
	n.d.	Photograph of large piece of needlework
	n.d.	Notebook (A-Z) containing notes and quotations

### Standard Metre - Messrs Bailey, Henderson and Murphy

Extent: 1 file

	1834	Ms notebook recording comparisons between R.S.E. Brisbane metre and the Royal Astronomical Society 5ft scale - undertaken July 1834 by Messrs Bailey, Henderson and Murphy.
	1846	Together with a letter from Hastings Murphy to T. Henderson, July 1834 relating to thermometer correction; and from C. Piazzzi Smyth to J. D. Forbes, June 1846, passing the ms. to R.S.E. With accompanying documentation. Property of STWL Department (T1989.51)

### Dr Alexander C Stephen

Keeper, Natural History Department, 1935-

Extent: 1 file

	1953-1954	File of correspondence between Averil Lysaght, British Museum, and Dr Stephen, on drawings by William Anderson of Cook's voyage.
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<b>Ramsay H Traquair</b> 1840-1912 Keeper of Natural History Collections, RSM, 1873-1906 Extent: 2 boxes, 1 file		
Box 1	1882, 1899, nd	Three letters
	1874-1905	Wet-copy letterbook (with modern index)
	1911	Ms copy of Poissons Wealdiens de Bernissait
Box 2	1910, 1936	Plates and list of plates made for Dr Traquair, with letter from publishers
	n.d.	Photographs of various fossils
	n.d.	Fish and fossil drawings, unsigned and undated
	n.d.	Two fossil drawings
	n.d.	Fish and fossil drawings, unsigned and undated. Also programme of lectures at Royal College of Science for Ireland, session 1869-1870, to be given by Ramsay H Traquair, Professor of Zoology
	1871, nd	Fossil drawings by William Dinning and J Green
	n.d.	Fossil drawings by Phoebe A Traquair
	n.d.	Fossil drawings by R H Traquair
	1875, 1878, 1883, 1891, 1893	Fossil drawings by R H Traquair (dated)
	various	Ten files containing fossil drawings etc by R H and Phoebe A Traquair, with note of publication in which they appeared (reliability of this information not guaranteed)
	n.d.	Typescript labels from exhibition on Traquair held by Edinburgh Geological Society. Includes some biographical information
File	n.d.	Two outsize folders containing one fossil fish drawing N H Dept accession number 1922.116, Library accession number 15217

<b>Ramsay H Traquair</b> 1840-1912 Keeper of Natural History Collections, RSM, 1873-1906 Extent: 1 file		
	1886-1889	File containing photocopies of correspondence between R H Traquair and Prof J S Newberry supplied by the American Museum of Natural History File containing index to Traquair's letterbook

<b>Charles Waterton</b> 1782-1865 Naturalist  Extent: 1 box		
Box 1	1827-1839	Bundle of correspondence to and from Charles Waterton. Includes notes on contents and correspondence provided by Jessie M Sweet

<b>Adam White</b> 1817-1879  Extent: 1 box		
	1981	Correspondence with Glasgow Art Gallery and Museum re White's papers
	n.d.	Miscellaneous zoological notes
	ca. 1850	Scrapbook (cover torn) entitled Priva... British M. .. and Zoological Botanic... Mineralogical & Antiq... Museums, Gardens, &c, &c. Contains correspondence, cuttings and notes
	n.d.	Scrapbook "On an Open Museum in the Scottish Capital": letters and cuttings

<b>James Wright</b> (box is titled F A Bather)  Extent: 1 box		
	1907-1934	Collection of letters from F A Bather to James Wright of Kirkcaldy