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William Baird Ross (1871-1950) was an organist and organ teacher, and composer, his final appointment being organist at the church of The Holy Rude, Stirling.

For the papers of his daughter, Mable Ross, see Acc.11234; for the papers of her husband, William Ross, see Acc.11236.

1. Miscellaneous material 1894-1937 including: printed application (with testimonials) to be organist at Broughton Street UP Church, Edinburgh, 1895; copy of marriage contract 1902; printed application (with testimonials) for the Reid School of Music, Edinburgh University 1914; and a draft letter to The Scotsman 1933.
2. Notebook containing various notes written at different times between ca. 1898 and ca. 1946 including lists of works played.
3. Specifications and estimates, with photographs, 1936, concerning the organ at the church of The Holy Rude, Stirling.
4. Portrait photographs and snapshots 1913, n.d. of W B Ross and others.
5. Correspondence 1947-9 concerning the descant to 'Crimond' composed by Ross which was played at the wedding of the Princess Elizabeth.
6. Manuscript music book containing hymn tunes (including some published items tipped in) 1928-ca. 1948, n.d.
7. Manuscript music book mostly containing hymn tunes loosely enclosed n.d.
8. Manuscript music book containing hymn tunes n.d.
9. Various musical compositions n.d. including Tarantella (which was published 1928).
10. Correspondence ca. 1950, 1963-89 of Dr Marion A S Ross mostly concerning the William Baird Ross Trust.