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Papers of Dunbartonshire Conservative and Unionist Association, predecessor bodies and associated local Conservative and Unionist associations, 1889-1997.

The collection is arranged into a number of series. The first is the papers of the main Dunbartonshire Conservative and Unionist Association and predecessor bodies. The remaining series are the papers of branch associations within Dunbartonshire which were presumably sent to the parent branch at some point. The final series is a collection of papers from various local associations which were filed together. Each series is divided in further sub-series based on the type of record.

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DUNBARTONSHIRE CONSERVATIVE AND UNIONIST ASSOCIATION

Minutes, including executive committee minutes, annual reports and annual general meeting.

1. Minute book, 1889-1915.
In this period this body was known variously as Dumbartonshire Conservative Committee, Dumbartonshire Constitutional Association, Dumbartonshire Unionist and Conservative Association.
2. Minute book, 1916-26.
Dumbartonshire Unionist Association.
3. Minute book, 1926-32.
Dumbartonshire Unionist Association.
4. Minute book, 1932-38.
Dumbartonshire Unionist Association.
5. Typescript minutes, annual reports, and constituency agent's reports, 1961-69 [incomplete].
West Dumbartonshire Unionist Association, West Dumbartonshire Conservative and Unionist Association.
6. Typescript minutes, annual reports and constituency agent's reports, 1970-79 [incomplete].
West Dumbartonshire Conservative and Unionist Association, West Dumbartonshire Conservative Association, West Dumbartonshire Scottish Conservative Association.
7. Typescript minutes of the annual general meeting and annual reports, 1980-89 [incomplete].
West Dumbartonshire Scottish Conservative Association, Dumbarton Scottish Conservative Association.
8. Typescript minutes of the annual general meeting and annual report (1992), 1990-97 [incomplete].
Dumbarton Scottish Conservative Association.

Financial Papers

9. Ledger of subscribers in the branches of the West Dumbartonshire Unionist Association, 1950-52.
10. Ledger of accounts of the West Dumbartonshire Unionist Association, 1959-65.

11. Balance sheets of West Dunbartonshire Conservative and Unionist Association, 1969-71.
12. Letter from Scottish Conservative and Unionist Association Central Office, South Western Region, detailing the quota scheme in the constituencies, 1971.

Organising Secretary's Papers

13. Papers of the organising secretary of the Dumbartonshire Unionist Association including organising secretary's reports, 1927-30, report by the executive, 1930, minute of a meeting of the executive, 1938, and various other draft correspondence and papers, 1927-46.

Association Circulars

14. Circular letters of Dumbartonshire Unionist Association, 1928-38.
15. Circular letters concerning meetings concerning the candidature of Commander Robert A Allan in the general election, 1945.
16. Circular letters concerning West Dumbartonshire Unionist Association prize draw, 1957.
17. Circular letters concerning West Dunbartonshire Conservative Association constituency events, 1969-70.

Printed Material

18. Annual report of the Western Divisional Council of the Scottish Conservative and Unionist Association, 1939, and press clipping of letter to press of J G Thom, MP Dumbartonshire, c.1930.

ALEXANDRIA JUNIOR UNIONISTS

Financial Papers

19. Account book of the Alexandria Junior Unionists, 1951-57.

JUNIOR IMPERIALIST UNION, ARROCHAR AND TARBET BRANCH

Financial Papers

20. Account book of the Junior Imperialist Union, Arrochar and Tarbet Branch, 1935-53.

BONHILL UNIONIST ASSOCIATION

Minutes

21. Minutes of the Bonhill Unionist Association, 1938.

Financial Papers

22. Vouchers and other papers, 1937-39.

Branch Papers

23. Correspondence of and to, and circular letters of Bonhill Unionist Association, 1927-46.

BOWLING AND MILTON UNIONIST ASSOCIATION

Minutes

24. Minute of the Annual General Meeting, 1933.

Financial Papers

25. Financial statements, 1933-39.

Branch Papers

26. Correspondence and circular letters of Bowling and Milton Unionist Association, 1926-45.

CARDROSS UNIONIST ASSOCIATION [see also Acc.12264/32]

Branch Papers

27. Correspondence and circular letters of the Cardross Unionist Association, 1932-46.

HELENSBURGH CONSERVATIVE AND UNIONIST ASSOCIATION

Minutes

28. Typescript minutes and associated papers, 1957-70 [incomplete].

Branch Papers

29. Manuscript notes for, and typescript versions of, branch newsletter, with fliers for coffee mornings and circular letter campaigning for Conservative government, 1969.

HELENSBURGH AND CARDROSS YOUNG CONSERVATIVE AND UNIONIST ASSOCIATION

Minutes

30. Minutes of annual general meetings, 1949-64, including manuscript notes for chairman's report, 1964.
Until 1957 Helensburgh Junior Unionist Association, then Helensburgh Young Unionist Association.
31. Minutes of committee meetings, 1957-67.
32. Minutes of annual general meetings, extraordinary general meetings, and special general meetings, 1965-70, and minutes of committee meetings, 1970-73. Also includes some loose branch correspondence, a copy of the association's constitution, and a set of shorthand notes in front of volume, c. 1967-68.
From 1970 Helensburgh and Cardross Young Conservative and Unionist Association.

Register of Members

33. Register of members of Helensburgh Young Unionist Association, 1960-66.

JAMESTOWN CONSERVATIVE ASSOCIATION

Minutes

34. Typescript minutes of annual general meetings of Jamestown Conservative Association, and joint meetings of Jamestown Conservative Association and Womens' Social Committee, 1931-33, n.d. [incomplete].
35. Minutes of Jamestown Conservative Association, 1934-59.

Branch Papers

36. Circular letters and other papers of Jamestown Conservative Association, 1928-38.

JAMESTOWN JUNIOR UNIONIST ASSOCIATION

Minutes

37. Minutes of Jamestown Junior Unionist Association, 1949-54.

KILMARONOCK UNIONIST ASSOCIATION

Minutes

38. Minutes and other papers concerning the meetings of Unionist supporters held for the purpose of forming a local association, 1925-26.

Branch Papers

39. Circular letters and other papers of Kilmaronock Unionist Association, 1928-39.

RENTON UNIONIST ASSOCIATION

Branch Papers

40. Papers from the annual general meeting, 1928, including committee report for year, 1927-28, financial statement, and note of committee members elected at meeting, 1928.

VALE OF LEVEN CONSTITUTIONAL CLUB

Register of Members

41. Register of members of the Vale of Leven Constitutional Club, 1900-36.

Branch Papers

42. Correspondence and statements of account for the installation of a boiler in the Vale of Leven Unionist Club, Alexandria, 1935.

MISCELLANEOUS

43. A folder of miscellaneous papers, 1928-56, from various associations which were filed together by the parent Dunbartonshire Conservative and Unionist Association. The associations represented include Dunochter and Hardgate Unionist Club, Helensburgh and Gareloch Unionist Association, Bowling and Milton Unionist Association and Old Kilpatrick Unionist Association. The papers primarily consist of circular letters and handbills. Some other material is present, for example the minute of the meeting to establish the Bowling and Milton Unionist Association, 1925.