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### Correspondence

- 1. Personal letters, 1935-62, n.d., with some photographs.
- 2. Family letters, 1914, 1939-55, n.d.
- 3. BBC, 1938-52.
- 4. BBC, 1953-60.
- 5. BBC, 1961-80.
- 6. Various bodies: libraries, associations, federations, Scottish Arts Council, etc, 1943-80.
- 7. Newspapers: The Scotsman, Edinburgh Evening News, 1940-71.
- 8. Magazines: Parents 1943-4, People's Journal 1946-7 and Sunny Stories, 1954-7.
- 9. The Children's Film Foundation, 1965-7.
- 10. Eric Duthie, 1959-68.
- 11. Publishers: Collins, 1940-72.
- 12. Publishers: John Crowther, 1944.
- 13. Publishers: Chambers 1949, 1979.
- 14. Publishers: Oliver and Boyd, 1962-74.
- 15. Publishers: Chatto, Boyd and Oliver, 1969-72.

- 16. Publishers: Chatto and Windus, 1976-9.
- 17. Publishers: Lutterworth Press, 1944-52.
- 18. Publishers: Lutterworth Press, 1953-60.
- 19. Publishers: Lutterworth Press, 1961-2.
- 20. Publishers: Lutterworth Press, 1963-72.
- 21. Publishers: Lutterworth Press, 1973-80.
- 22. Publishers: Epworth Press, 1969-71.
- 23. Publishers: Methodist Book Room, 1970-9.
- 24. Publishers: Penguin, 1972-9.
- 25. Publishers: Holmes McDougall, 1974.
- 26. Publishers: Blackwoods, 1975-9.
- 27. Publishers: Blackie, 1975-80.
- 28. Publishers: others, 1969-75 n.d.
- 29. Contracts and agreements with publishers, 1945-54.
- 30. Contracts and agreements with publishers, 1955-65.
- 31. Contracts and agreements with publishers, 1966-80.
- 32. 1955, Diary.

### Brydons books and plays

- 33. Exercise book containing The Borrowed Garden, with other articles, 1944.
- 34. Exercise book containing St Jonathan's in the Country (radio version 1944).
- 35. St Jonathan's in the Country.
- 36. St Jonathan's in the Country, proof of book published, 1945.
- 37. Christmas day at St Jonathan's, TS, 1945.
- 38. Exercise book containing The Brydons at Smugglers' Creek, MS.
- 39. The Brydons at Smugglers' Creek original, TS.
- 40. The Brydons at Smugglers' Creek, proof 1946.
- 41. Exercise book containing The Brydons go camping, MS, 1946.
- 42. The Brydons go camping, original TS.
- 43. The Brydons go camping, TS.
- 44. More Adventures of the Brydons, original TS, 1946.
- 45. More Adventures of the Brydons, TS.
- 46. Exercise book contianing The Brydons' Caravan Adventure and The Brydons Do Battle, 1947.
- 47. The Brydons Do Battle for Juan, TS.
- 48. Exercise book containing The Brydons at the Circus (play) and Christmas Day at St Jonathan's (play), 1948.
- 49. Exercise book containing Surprises for the Brydons, MS, 1948, and Dan and Sam Become Inquisitive, MS.
- 50. Surprises for the Brydons, TS.
- 51. Exercise book containing The Brydons' Day of Surprises (radio script), MS, 1948, and alterations to Dan and Sam Turn Detectives.

- 52. Exercise book containing The Brydons go by Barge, MS (play), 1948, and The Brydons in a Pickle, MS.
- 53. Exercise book containing The Brydons in a Pickle, MS, 1948.
- 54. The Brydons in a Pickle, TS.
- 55. Exercise book containing The Brydons in a Fog, MS (radio play), 1948, and the Brydons' Snow Adventure MS (play), n.d.
- 56. The Brydons in a Fog, TS (radio play).
- 57. The Brydons' Detective Adventures, TSs (book), 1949.
- Various TS Brydon family broadcasts including The Brydons Stick at Nothing (play), 1949, The Brydons go by Barge (play), 1949, The Brydons in a Pickle (play), 1949, The Brydons' Day of Surprises (play), 1949, Pete, Pam and Jim investigators (play), n.d. and St Jonathan's Seaside Outing (play), n.d.
- 59. Exercise book containing Peter Pam and Jim investigators, MS and TS
- 60. Exercise book containing 3 Brydons plays, MS: The Brydons Brighten Manchester March 1949, The Brydons Undertake a Flitting, May 1949, and The Brydons Catch Queer Fish, July 1949.
- 61. The Brydons Catch Queer Fish, TS (play) 1949.
- 62. Exercise book containing The Brydons Brighten Manchester MS (book), 1949, and The Brydons at Whitby MS (radio play), 1949.
- 63. The Brydons at Whitby, TS.
- 64. The Brydons' Whitby Adventure, TS (book), 1949.
- 65. Exercise book containing play and book, MS versions of The Brydons Stick at Nothing, 1949.
- 66. Envelope containing play and book, TS versions of The Brydons Stick at Nothing, 1949.
- 67. Exercise book containing plays: The Brydon Family Coach, and Dan Brydon's Bargain, and a broadcast on Fountains Abbey 1950.
- 68. Dan Brydon's Bargain, TS (play for acting).
- 69. TS plays for acting: Dan Brydon's Bargain, The Brydon Family Coach and Spring Cleaning with the Brydons.
- 70. The Brydon Family Coach, TS
- 71. The Brydons in France, TS (book), 1951.
- 72. Exercise book containing The Brydons' French Adventure, MS.
- 73. Exercise book containing MS of The Brydons Afloat and The Brydons on the Broads.
- 74. Exercise book containing continuation of The Brydons Afloat, MS.
- 75. The Brydons Afloat, TS.
- 76. Challenge to the Brydons, MS (book), 1956.
- 77. The Brydons get things going, TS (book), 1956.
- 78-9. The Brydons get things going, TS (TV play), 2 copies.
- 80. Spring clean with the Brydons, TS (TV plays).
- 81. Exercise book containing MS of The Brydons decide to spring clean and The Brydons get things going.

- 82. The Brydons at Blackpool, MS (book) 1959.
- 83. The Brydons at Blackpool, TS.
- 84. The Brydons go canoeing, MS with TS spare pages 1963.
- 85. The Brydons go canoeing, proof.
- 86. Envelope containing alterations to Brydon books, 1969.
- 87. Exercise book containing the Brydons decide to Spring Clean (play), n.d., the Mysterious Mr Simister (play), n.d. and The Brydons half term holiday (play) n.d.
- 88. Envelope containing The Brydons' Summer Adventures, TS, n.d.
- 89. Exercise book containing Family Coach with the Brydons and St Jonathan's Seaside Picnic, n.d.

### The Deans books and plays

- 90. Exercise book containing plans, details and scripts for series.
- 91-2. The Deans move in TS (play), 1952.
- 93. The Deans move in TS (play).
- 94. The Deans move in TS (story).
- 95. Exercise book containing The Deans follow a clue, MS, 1953.
- 96. The Deans follow a clue, TS.
- 97. Exercise book containing The Deans solve a mystery, MS, 1954.
- 98. The Deans solve a mystery, TS.
- 99. Exercise book containing The Deans defy danger, MS, 1954, and notes on illicit trade with the Isle of Man.
- 100. Exercise book containing The Deans dive for treasure, MS, 1955.
- 101. Exercise book containing continuation of The Deans dive for treasure, MS.
- Exercise book containing The Deans Lighthouse adventure, MS (book), 1958.
- 103. The Deans and Mr Popple, MS (book), 1959.
- 104. The Deans and Mr Popple, TS (book).
- 105. The Deans' Dutch adventure, MS (book) 1961.
- 106. The Deans' Dutch adventure TS (book).
- 107. Exercise book containing untitled Deans book.

### Books (with broadcast versions in chronological order)

- 108-11. Exercise books containing Maggie Fedigan, MS, 1936-41.
- 111a. Take it and pay for it (Maggie Fedigan), TS.
- 112. The white cockade passes, MS synopsis.
- 113. Exercise book containing The White Cockade passes, MS, 1944.
- 114. Exercise book containing The White Cockade passes, MS, part 2.
- Exercise book containing The White Cockade passes as a play for Wigan Little Theatre, and the radio script of Mr Simister appears again.
- 116. The White Cockade passes, original TS.

- 117-18. The White Cockade passes, TSs.
- 119. The White Cockade passes, Author's proof.
- 120. Exercise book containing The Mysterious Mr Simister, MS, 1945.
- 121. The Mysterious Mr Simister, altered TS and proof illustrations.
- 122. Exercise book containing Mr Simister appears again, MS, 1946.
- 123. Exercise book containing Mr Simister appears again, MS continued.
- 124. Mr Simister appears again, TS and altered spare sheets.
- 125. Mr Simister appears again, TS (play).
- 126. Exercise book containing Mr Simister is unlucky, MS.
- 127. Exercise book containing first script of Secret Agent, 1948.
- 128. Secret Agent, original TS.
- 129. Secret Agent, TS.
- 130. Secret Agent, TS of revised story form.
- 131. Guest Castle, TS.
- 132. Envelope containing Guest Castle TSs and Dan and Sam Stories.
- 133. Exercise book containing Guest Castle (radio play), 1948.
- 134. I rode with the Covenanters, underscript, 1949.
- 135. I rode with the Covenanters (radio play), underscript.
- 136. I rode with the Covenanters (radio play), TS.
- 137. Exercise book containing To the White North, MS, 1950.
- 138-41. Exercise books, 1-4 containing notes on John Franklin.
- 142. Exercise book containing radio version of To the White North, and other notes for broadcasts.
- 143. Exercise book containing Fedora the Donkey MS and other writings.
- 144. Fedora the Donkey, TS, 1951.
- 145. Fedora the Donkey (play), TS.
- 146. Heritage of the North, TS, 1951.
- 147. Exercise book containing Heritage of the North, MS.
- 148. Exercise book containing stories for Collins Readers, and Heritage of the North.
- 149. Exercise book containing notes for Heritage of the North and other pieces.
- 150. Exercise book containing Tales of London, MS, 1952.
- 151. Exercise book containing The Stallion from the Sea, MS, 1952.
- 152. The Stallion from the Sea synopsis TS parts 2-4 and play TS.
- 153. Exercise book containing Tales of the Midlands, MS, 1953.
- 154. The Droving Lad TS (radio script) parts 1-3, 1954.
- 155. The Droving Lad TS (radio script) parts 1-5.
- 156. The Droving Lad TS for schools broadcast.
- 157. The Droving Lad broadcast transmitted, May 1958.
- 158. Exercise book containing notes for The Droving Lad and first part of broadcast.
- Exercise book containing continuation of broadcast and beginning of the book of The Droving Lad.
- 160. The Droving Lad, TS of book.

- 161. The Bank House Bairns, TS of book 1954.
- 162. Exercise book containing the Bank House Bairns, MS of broadcast 1954.
- 163. The Bank House Bairns, TS of broadcast.
- 164. Exercise book containing Tales of Scotland, MS, 1955.
- 165. Tales of Scotland, TS.
- Look to the West (Tales of Liverpool), MS 1955.
- 167. Exercise book containing notes on Liverpool.
- 168. Lanterns over the Lune, MS, 1957.
- 169. Lanterns over the Lune, TS.
- 170. Lanterns over the Lune, TS of broadcast for Children's Hour.
- 171. Exercise book containing dramatisation of Lanterns over the Lune and notes on the Hudson's Bay Company.
- 172. Lanterns over the Lune radio scripts.
- 173. Lanterns over the Lune broadcast, transmitted March 1960.
- 174. The McGills Christmas adventure, TS, 1957-8.
- 175. More adventures of the McGills, TS, 1958.
- 176. Exercise book containing Tales of the Islands, MS, 1958.
- 177. Tales of the Islands, TS, 1958.
- 178. Tales of Lost Treasure, MS, 1961.
- 179. Tales of Lost Treasure, TS.
- 180. The Little Ship Dog, MS, 1963.
- 181. The Little Ship Dog, proof.
- 182. True Tales of Escape, MS, 1965.
- 183. True Tales of Escape, TS.
- 184. Police Dog, MS.
- 185. Police Dog, proof, 1966.
- 186. Exercise book containing notes for Police Dog.
- 187. The Boy with the Bronze Axe, MS, 1967.
- 188. The Boy with the Bronze Axe, dramatisations.
- 189. The Boy with the Bronze Axe, radio scripts, from 1980.
- 190. School at sea, MS, 1969.
- 191. Mountain Rescue Dog, MS.
- 192. Mountain Rescue Dog, proof, 1969.
- 193. Papers relating to Mountain Rescue Dog.
- 194. The Gold of Fast Castle, MS, 1969.
- 195. Exercise book containing notes on Fast Castle and on Flodden Field.
- 196. Flodden Field, MS and TS discarded leaves.
- 197. Flodden Field galley proof.
- 198. Flodden Field proof book, 1971.
- 199. The Thames in story, MS, and a discarded chapter TS.
- 200. Exercise book containing notes on the Thames and other notes.
- 201. The Thames in Story, galley proof.
- 202. The Thames in Story, proof copy, 1971.
- 203. Diggers of Lost Treasure, TS.

- 204. Diggers of Lost Treasure, TS.
- 205. Diggers of Lost Treasure, galley proof.
- 206. Diggers of Lost Treasure, galley proof.
- 207. The '45 and Culloden, MS.
- 208. The '45 and Culloden, TS.
- 209. The '45 and Culloden, galley proof.
- 210. The '45 and Culloden, proof, 1973.
- 211. Exercise book containing notes on Culloden and archaeology.
- 212. Stories of Old Inns, galley proof.
- 213. Stories of Old Inns, proof.
- 214. Turk, the Lost Sheep dog, MS.
- 215. Turk, the Lost Border Collie, TS.
- 216. Turk, the Border Collie, TS.
- 217. John Paul Jones, Pirate and Admiral, MS.
- 218. John Paul Jones, Pirate and Admiral, TS and sketches.
- 219. Exercise book containing notes on John Paul Jones.
- 220. Exercise book II containing notes on John Paul Jones.
- 221. John Paul Jones, Pirate and Admiral, proof, 1974.
- 222. The Helmet in the Red Sand, MS.
- 223. The Helmet in the Red Sand, undercopy, original TS.
- 224. The Helmet in the Red Sand, altered undercopy.
- 225. The Helmet in the Red Sand, undercopy with altered mid-section.
- 226. Exercise book containing scripts for Wrecks and Wreckers.
- 227. Wrecks, Wreckers and Rescuers, MS.
- 228. Wrecks, Wreckers and Rescuers, TS of the Mary Rose chapter.
- Envelope containing undercopies and odd sheets for Wrecks, Wreckers and Rescuers.
- 230. Wrecks, Wreckers and Rescuers, proofs, 1977.
- 231. The Lost Mine, MS.
- 232. The Lost Cave, TS.
- 233. The Lost Cave proof, 1978.
- 234. Pablos and the Black Bull, MS.
- 235. Pablos and the Black Bull, TS.
- 236. Pablos and the Bull, edited TS.
- 237. Exercise book containing MS and TS of the Ghosts of Sandeel Bay.
- 238. The Ghosts of Sandeel Bay, galley proof.
- 239. The Ghosts of Sandeel Bay, galley proof and sketches.

### Books (with broadcast versions) in alphabetical order

- 240. The Christmas Cracker Ring, MS.
- 241. The Christmas Cracker Ring, undercopy TS.
- 242. The Christmas Cracker Ring, TS.
- 243. The Desperate Journey, MS.

- 244. The Desperate Journey, underscript.
- 245. The Desperate Journey, dramatised TS.
- 246. The Desperate Journey, broadcast transmitted May 1964.
- 247. Escape in Darkness, MS.
- 248. Escape in Darkness, TS.
- 249. Escape in Darkness, original TS of dramatisation.
- 250. Escape in Darkness, broadcast transmitted Sept 1961.
- 251. Flash the Sheepdog.
- 252. Flash the Sheepdog, inserted leaves.
- 253. A Forest Fire, MS and TS.
- A Forest Fire, TS.
- 255. A Forest Fire broadcast transmitted May 1956.
- 256. Haki the Shetland Pony, MS.
- 257. Haki the Shetland Pony, TS.
- 258. Mr Punch's Cap, TS.
- 259. Octavius the Octopus, TSs, MS additions and broadcast.
- 260. Exercise book containing notes for Pirates and Castaways.
- 261. Pirates and Castaways, MS.
- 262. Pirates and Castaways, TS.
- 263. The Railway Runaways (The Innocent Railways), MS.
- 264. The Railway Runaways, TS.
- 265. The Railway Runaways, photocopies of illustrations.
- 266. Exercise book containing Scottish Shipbuilders and Sailors, MS.
- 267. Scottish Sailors and Ships (Thomas Cochrane chapter), TS.
- 268. Seal Story, MS and booklets on Lindisfarne.
- 269. Seal Story, original TS.
- 270. Seal Story, TS.
- 271. The Seeker of Gold (Heinrich Schliemann), MS.
- The Seeker of Gold (Heinrich Schliemann), TS.
- 273. Tales of the Castles, MS.
- Tales of the Castles, TS.
- Tales of the South Country, MS.
- 276-7. Exercise books containing notes for Tales of the South Country and other items.
- Tales of Inns, MS.
- 279. Exercise book containing notes for Tales of Stage Coaches and Inns.
- 280. Tales of the West Country, MS.
- 281. Exercise book containing notes for Tales of the West Country and other items.
- Treasure of Ebba, MS.
- 283. True Tales of Mysteries, MS.
- 284. True Tales of Mysteries, TS.
- 285. Exercise book containing notes for True Tales of Mysteries and also notes on Scottish witches.

#### **Short Stories**

286. Adventure in the snow, TS. 287. Adventure underground, MS and galley proofs. 288. The adventures of Hetty Housemouse, TSs. 289. The auction sale. 290. The babies' percussion band, MS. 291. The capture of Long Tom, TS. 292. Children in the larder, MS. 293. The Christmas rose. 294. The cruise of the celluloid duck. 295. The Earl of Derby's execution, MS. 296. The escape of Lord Derby, MS. 297. Fingal's ghost, MS (in exercise book). 298. Fingal's ghost, TS. 299. The friends of royalty, TS. The ghost who could not do sums, MS. 300. 301-2. The ghost who waited, TSs (2 different versions). 303. Hamish and the hare, TS. 304. Henri Dunant, TS. 305. Hetty Housemouse goes to see the world, TS. 306-7. The hogmanay cat, TSs (2 different versions). 308. Lisbon story, MS. 309. The necklace from Mycenae, MS. 310. The necklace from Mycenae, TS. 311. A pioneer Scot in Virginia. 312. The precious moment, MS. 313. The precious moment, TS. 314. Promenade concert, TS. 315. Short commons, TS. 316. The snow man, TS. 317. The sphnagnum cleaners, TS. 318. Spring comes again, TS. 319. The toffee apple, TS. Chapter VII of unidentified work. 320.

3 envelopes containing short stories.

Exercise books containing short stories.

#### Short stories which are also plays

321-3.

324-5.

316.

327. The Geordie Lamp, TS (story).

Stories told to children.

328. The Geordie Lamp, TS (play).

- 329. The Geordie Lamp, TS (play) version 2.
- 330. The Honours of Scotland, TS (story).
- 331. The Honours of Scotland, TS (play).
- 332. Horatius for Short, TS (story).
- 333. The Inn of Splendid Mystery, TS (story).
- 334. The Inn of Splendid Mystery, TS (play).
- 335. The Legend of Bewsey Hall, MS (story).
- 336. The Legend of Bewsey, TS (play).
- 337. The Magic Soap, TS (story).
- 338. The Magic Soap, TS (play).
- 339. The Soldier Countess (story).
- 340. The Soldier Countess (play).

#### **Plays**

- 341. Exercise book containing MS of Alexander Selkirk.
- 342. Alexander Selkirk, TS.
- 343. Caps to the castle, TS.
- 344. The Devil on the Dun Horse, TS.
- 345. Elias Howe, TS.
- 346. Elizabeth Spencer has her Way, TS.
- 347. The Embroidery Garden, TS.
- 348. The Gay Adventure, TS.
- 349. Grizell was not dismayed, TS.
- Envelope containing Grizell was not dismayed, TS, and Pete, Pam and Jim plays for TV.
- 351. James Stanley, 7th Earl of Derby.
- 352. Envelope containing Look to the West, TS and broadcasts.
- 353-4. The Magic Cauldron, TSs.
- 355. Meindert Hobbema, TS.
- 356. Exercise book containing Mrs Widgeon walks out.
- 357. Mrs Widgeon walks out, TS.
- 358. The Pixie who lost his Cap, TS.
- 359. Samuel Pepys hunts for Treasure, TS.
- 360. The Soldier Countess, TS.
- 361-2. The Three Tasks, TSs.
- 363. The Trial of the Knave of Hearts, TS.
- 364. Underwater Adventure, MS.
- 365. Underwater Adventure, TS.
- 366. Underwater Adventure, radio script.
- 367. The Wee Moss Woman, broadcast.
- 368-9. The Little Moss Woman, TS's.
- Exercise book containing MS of Fairy Plays, 2nd Series.
- Envelope containing TS of above in both play and story form.

#### **Articles**

- 372-3. Envelopes containing various articles on the USSR TS.
- 374. Envelope containing various short articles.
- 375. All I aspired to do, TS.
- 376. A Ride to see the King, TS.
- 377. The battle of Wigan Lane, TS.
- 378-9. Fellow Travellers, TSs.
- 380. Envelope containing Fellow Travellers and the Innocent Railway TS.
- 381. James Blair, TS.
- 382. The Scotch Houses of Veere, TS.
- 383. When America threatened Leith.

#### Stories, Plays and Articles

- 384-7. Exercise books containing stories, plays and articles.
- 388-90. Folders containing various stories, plays and articles.

#### **Poems**

391. The Diver MS and Rochers de Naye, MS.

### **Scottish Heritage Scripts**

- 392. Hebridean Tweed MS and Harris Tweed, TS.
- 393. Hebridean Tweed broadcast, Dec 1942.
- 394. Sir John Ross and the North West Passage, TS.
- 395. Sir John Ross and the North West Passage, TS suggestions for part of the script.
- 396. Sir John Ross and the North West Passage, TS (story format).
- 397. Sir John Ross, broadcast March 1948.
- 398. Arbroath, TS (story format).
- 399. Arbroath, TS.
- 400. Arbroath, broadcast Nov 1948.
- 401. Mary Slessor broadcast, May 1949.
- 402-3. Carlops to Musselburgh, TS, and broadcast June 1950.
- 404. David Livingstone broadcast, Mar 1951.
- 405-7. Muckle Mou'd Meg, TSs and broadcast May 1952.
- 408-9. Sir John Richardson, TS, and broadcast Apr 1953.
- 410. The Battle of Dunkeld, broadcast Nov 1953.
- 411-12. The Emigrant Family, TS, and broadcast Mar 1954.
- 413. Mary Slessor broadcast, May 1954.

- 414. Drove Roads broadcast, Mar 1954.
- 415. The Tobacco Lords broadcast, Jan 1955.
- 416. MacKay of Uganda broadcast, Feb 1955.
- 417. Dunnottar Castle broadcast, Feb 1955.
- 418-19. The Bass Rock, TS, and broadcast, Feb 1956.
- 420. The Drove Roads of Scotland, broadcast Jan 1958.
- 421. The Tobacco Lords, broadcast June 1958.
- 422-3. The Man with the Wooden Hat, TS and broadcast June 1958.
- 424. Robert Owen broadcast, Nov 1958.
- 425. Red River Settlement, broadcast May 1959.
- 426-8. The Hudson's Bay Company today, TSs and broadcast June 1959.
- 429-30. Sir George Simpson, TS and broadcast June 1959.
- 431. Lighthouses of Scotland, broadcast Sept 1959.
- 432. Flannan Isle, broadcast Oct 1959.
- 433. Carron, broadcast Oct 1959.
- 434. Gotturm the Dane. Transmitted Sept 1960.
- 435. Children of New Lanark, broadcast Feb 1961.
- 436. Betty Mouat's adventure, broadcast Mar 1961.
- 437. Envelope containing scripts on William Murdoch.
- 438. Advance on Edinburgh, broadcast May 1962.
- 439. The Innocent Railway, broadcast Nov 1962.
- 440-1. Charles MacIntosh, TS and broadcast March 1963.
- 442. Roads and Roadmakers, broadcast May 1964.
- 443. Robert Owen, broadcast April 1964.
- 444. Accidents in the Home, TS.
- 445. Admiral Cochrane, TS.
- 446. A Bottle of Milk, TS.
- 447. Barter and Bank-notes, TS.
- 448. The Battle of Dunkeld, TS.
- 449. The Californian Gold Rush, TS.
- 450. The Coming of Wireless, TS.
- 451. Drove Roads and Great Cattle Fairs of the 18th Century, TS.
- 452. Dunadd, TS.
- 453-4. Dunbar Castle, TSs.
- 455. Dunfermline Abbey, TS.
- 456. Earthquake in Lisbon, TS.
- 457. Fairs and trysts, TS.
- 458. A Forest fire, TS.
- 459. General Patrick Gordon, TS.
- 460. Good and Bad Habits. Black Monday, TS.
- 461. How Roads are made, TS.
- 462-3. Inchcolm, TSs.
- 464. James Gibbs: Scottish Architect, TS.
- 465. Lochinvar, TS.

- 466. Melrose Abbey, TS.
- 467. Retreat to Glasgow, TS.
- 468-9. Rullion Green, TSs.
- 470. Exercise book containing script for Rullion Green.
- 471-3. Ships of the Clyde, TSs.
- 474-6. Sir Andrew Barton, TSs.
- 477. Staffa and Fingal's Cave, TS.
- 478-9. The Story of Dunadd, TSs.
- 481-2. Walter Chepman, TSs.
- 483. Word of Honour, TS.
- 484. Unknown, TS.
- 485-91. Exercise books containing scripts and notes on the Scottish Heritage series.

### **Scottish History Scripts**

- 492. Saint Columba broadcast, Sept 1948.
- 493-4. Mungo Park, TS and broadcast March 1951.
- 495-9. Saving the Honours, TS and broadcast Feb 1952.
- 500-2. Malcolm Canmore and Margaret, TSs and broadcast Oct 1952.
- 503-4. David I, TS and broadcast Oct 1952.
- 505-6. A Scottish Country Bank in the 19th Century, broadcast Jan 1953.
- 507. Thomas Telford, broadcast June 1953.
- 508-9. King, Overlord and Tenant, TS and broadcast Oct 1953.
- 510-11. Life in an abbey, TS and broadcast Oct 1953.
- 512-13. James IV. Holiday Adventure, TS and broadcast Feb 1954.
- 514-15. James IV. A 'Wede Awa'. TS and broadcast. Feb 1954.
- 515-17. Let Glasgow Flourish, TS and broadcast June 1954.
- 518-20. David Duly, TS and broadcast Feb 1955.
- 521-22. The Rothiemurchus Volunteers, TS and broadcast June 1955.
- 523. Great White Ma, broadcast July 1955.
- 524-5. Jock Howieson, TS and broadcast Feb 1956.
- 526-9. David Dale, TSs and broadcast May 1956.
- 530. The Plague of 1530, broadcast Jan 1957.
- 531. The Black Stones, broadcast March 1957.
- The Honours of Scotland, broadcast March 1957.
- 533. The Abbey of Holyrood broadcast Oct 1957.
- King, Overlord And Tenant, broadcast Oct 1957.
- 535. Flodden broadcast, Feb 1958.
- 536. Plague In Edinburgh 1530, broadcast Feb 1963.
- 537-8. Bonnie Dundee, TS and broadcast March 1963.
- 539-41. The Battle of Rullion Green, TSs and broadcast n.d.

### **Exploring Scotland scripts**

- 542. Hawick: Woollen Manufacturers, TS Sept 1956.
- 543. A Country Blacksmith, TS Oct 1956.
- 544. The Potato Harvest in East Lothian, TS Oct 1956.
- 545. Helping With The Harvest The Merse, TS 1956.
- 546. Lambing Time In Tweeddale, TS 1956.
- 547-8. Aberfeldy, TS and broadcast May 1957.
- 549-50. A Farm In Strathmore, TS and broadcast June 1957.
- 551-52. Perth, TS and broadcast June 1957.
- 553-4. The Carse of Gowrie, TS and broadcast.
- 555-6. New Industries In Dundee, TS and broadcast.
- 557. Manuscripts notes and scripts for nos.547-56.
- 558. Kirkintilloch broadcast, March 1958.
- 559. On A Berwickshie farm, broadcast April 1958.
- 560. Kelso: An Agricultural centre, broadcast April 1958.
- East Coast Journey: Perth, broadcast Feb 1959.
- 562. Printed booklet for Exploring Scotland, broadcast 1959.
- 563. Blossom Time In Clydesdale, TS April 1959.
- 564-5. Culross and Burntisland, TS and broadcast May 1960.
- 566. Exploring The Tweed: Kelso, TS, n.d.
- 567. Tweeddale, TS, n.d.
- 568. Selkirk and St Mary's Loch, TS, n.d.
- 569-71. Printed booklets 1956-7, 1959, of Exploring Scotland broadcasts.
- 572. Exercise books containing scripts and notes for the series.

### Round and about scripts

- 573. A Great Scot Mary Slessor, broadcast transmitted Nov 1953.
- 574. Home nursing, TS.
- 575. Home nursing, broadcast transmitted June 1954.
- 576. District Nurse, broadcast transmitted Oct 1954.
- 577. Word of honour, broadcast transmitted Oct 1954.
- 578. Fair Play In The Family, broadcast transmitted Feb 1955.
- 579. Things To Do, broadcast transmitted March 1955.
- 580. Sally's First Job, broadcast transmitted May 1955.
- Me First a programme about the McGills broadcast transmitted, Sept 1955.
- 582. Christmas Preparations, broadcast transmitted Dec 1955.
- 583. Morag Visits A Woollen Mill, broadcast transmitted Dec 1955.
- 584. I Dare You, broadcast transmitted Apr 1956.
- 585. The Californian Gold-rush, broadcast transmitted Sept 1956.
- 586. A Programme of American songs, broadcast transmitted Oct 1956.
- 587. Good And Bad Habits, broadcast transmitted Jan 1957.

- 588. Dirt And Disease, broadcast transmitted March 1957.
- 589. Accidents In The Home, broadcast transmitted March 1957.
- 590. Programme of Scots Songs, broadcast transmitted July 1957.
- 591. I'm Bored, broadcast transmitted Sept 1957.
- Morag's Adventure In Decoration, broadcast transmitted Sept 1957.
- 593. I'm Hungry: Food For The Table, broadcast transmitted Jan 1958.
- 594. I'm Thirsty: Water From The Tap, broadcast transmitted Jan 1958.
- 595. District Nurse, broadcast transmitted Feb 1958.
- 596-7. Happy Birthday: What Shall I Be?, broadcasts transmitted April 1958.
- 598. Behind The Scenes At A Christmas Pantomime broadcast transmitted Dec 1958.
- 599-600. Exercise book containing scripts for Round and About series.

### This is my country scripts

- 603. Bless General Wade, broadcast, June 1952.
- Exercise book containing scripts for workers welfare, Jan 1953.
- 605-6. Robert Owen At New Lanark, broadcasts, Jan 1953.
- 607. Robert Owen At New Lanark, TS and notes, 1952-3.
- 608. Children In The Factories, broadcast, Jan 1953.
- 609-10. Security, broadcasts, Feb 1953.
- 611. Welfare problems to-day, Feb 1953.
- 612-13. The McLeods In The 1840s, broadcasts, Feb 1956.
- 614-16. Fight Against Dirt and Disease, broadcasts, Feb 1956.
- 617-18. Helping The Old And Infirm, broadcasts, Feb 1956.
- 619-20. On The Dole, broadcasts, Feb 1956.
- 621-22. The Beveridge Report, broadcasts, March 1956.
- 623-4. The McLeods Today, broadcasts, March 1956.
- 625. Bless General Wade, broadcast, June 1956.
- Notes, letters and scripts on social welfare broadcast series, 1956.
- 627. The First Spinning Mills, broadcast, Jan 1958.
- 628. Scotland's Cotton Industry, broadcast, Feb 1958.
- Notes and letters on workers welfare, scripts, 1961.
- 630-2. Child Labour, TS and broadcasts, Jan 1962.
- 633-5. Hours And Wages, TS and broadcasts, Feb 1962.
- 636-8. National Insurance, TS and broadcasts, Feb 1962.
- 639-40. On The Dole, TS and broadcast, Feb 1962.
- 641-3. The Beveridge Report, TS and broadcasts, Feb 1962.
- 644-6. The Welfare State, TS and broadcasts, Feb 1962.
- Notes, letters and scripts on welfare.
- 648-9. Exercise books containing notes on social welfare scripts.
- 650. Printed booklet of This is my country broadcasts, 1962.

#### Other Broadcasts

- 651. Andrew Carnegie, April 1945.
- 652. Exercise book containing notes on Andrew Carnegie.
- 653. How roads are made, Nove 1945.
- 654. A Factory Girl, Jan 1950.
- 655-6. The District Nurse TS and broadcast, Mar 1950.
- 657-8. The Infirmary Nurse TS and broadcast, May 1950.
- 659. Nursing TS.
- 660. Dairying As A Career, May 1950.
- 661-2. Scots Tweeds, Feb 1951.
- Envelope containing scripts for Water From The Tap and Food For The Table, 1956-7.
- I Rode With The Covenanters, June 1957.
- 665. Henry Trengrouse And The Life Saving Rocket scripts and letters.
- 666-7. The Decline Of The Cotton Industry TS and broadcast, 1966.
- 668. The First Spinning Mills, 1966.
- 669-72. Lugless Willie Of Lanark MS and TS's, 1979.
- 673. Linlithgow Palace, TS.
- 674. The Panama Canal, TS.
- 675. Scots Greys At Waterloo, TS.
- 676. Tales Of The Royal Mile, TS.
- 677. Unknown broadcast.
- 678. Miscellaneous letters and notes.
- 679-87. Exercise books containing various broadcasts.
- Book containing a record of every play, book, article, story and broadcast written between April 1948 and Feb 1959.

### Exercise books containing scripts and notes

- 689. Archaeology notes.
- 690. Andrew Carnegie notes.
- 691. Canadian history notes.
- 692. Canals and turnpikes notes.
- 693. Notes on the Clearances.
- Notes on Houses and Monuments of Edinburgh.
- 695. The Haunted tunnel outline and script.
- 696. The Legend of Bewsey Hall script.
- 697. Nature study notes.
- 698. Notes on Peter Fidler.
- 699. Notes on Roman Archaeology in Scotland.
- 700. Notes on Roslin Castle and printed books and photographs.
- 701. Notes on Skara Brae.
- 702. Notes on William Lithgow.

703-28. Exercise books containing various scripts and notes.

#### Loose notes

- 729. Loose notes on castles.
- 730. Loose notes on William Pit Explosion in Whitehaven.
- 731-4. Miscellaneous loose notes.

#### **Newsletters**

- 735. Folder containing newsletters MS, TS and printed, 1952-3.
- 736. Folder containing MS, TS and printed newsletters, 1954-5.
- 737. Folder containing newsletters, Jan 1957 Aug 1959.
- 738. Folder containing newsletters, Oct 1959 Spring 1965.
- 739. Loose newsletters, Aug 1950 Aug 1960.
- 740. Press cutting book containing cuttings, 1933-57.

#### Talks to Adults

- 741. Talk at Harrods, 14 Jan 1952 on Brydon books.
- 742. Talk to Scottish Youth Libraries' section of Library Association, Kirkcaldy, 27 Feb 1952 on writing books for children.
- 743. Talk to Scottish Youth Libraries' Section of Library Association, Glasgow, 22 Oct 1952 on writing books for children.
- 744. Gidlow secondary modern girls' school prize day, 27 Mar 1953.
- 745. Talk to the United Society for Christian Literature, 27 Nov 1953 on literature for children.
- 746. Talk to Scottish Librarians, 1953 on how to write for children.
- 747. Talk at Bangor re-union, April 1955 on writing for children.
- 748. Talk to Librarians at Lutterworth part, Oct 1960.
- 749. Talk to the publishers representatives at the annual dinner, 26 May 1960 with some press cuttings and a photograph.
- 750. Talk on books for children, 30 Jan 1961 at Sandyhills.
- 751. Talk to the Writers' Circle, March 1961 on childrens books.
- 752. Talk given at Stranraer to librarians and educationists, Nov 1961.
- 753. Talk to Women's Guild, Jan 1962 on writing ooks.
- Talk at Loughborough Rotary Club, March 1962 on writing books.
- 755. Talk to parents' association, Moray House, 19 Feb 1963 on work as a writer of children's books.
- 756. Talk to Writers' Club, Glasgow, 10 June 1964 on writing for children.
- 757. Talk given on the opening of the Standish Library, 5 May 1965.
- 758. Talk to the Wigan Business and Professional Women's Club, April 1966.
- 759. Talk at Loughborough College on history for children, 1966.

- 760. Talk to the Soroptomist Club, 1968 about work as a writer for children.
- 761. Talk to The World Education Fellowship, January 1969 about work as a writer for children.
- 762. Talk to the Strathesk Women's Guild, 9 March 1971.
- 763. Talk about the Pilgraim Trail to Santiago, April 1973.
- 764. Talk to the Writers' Circle, Nov 1973 about work as a writer.
- 765. Talk to the Glasgow Book Fair, 1974 on children's books.
- 766. Talk to Youth Libraries Group, Mar 1974 about work as a writer.
- 767. Talk to teachers at Ayr, 20 May 1975 about work as a writer.
- 768. Talk to the United Kingdom Reading Association, Nov 1975.
- 769. Talk to the United Kingdom Reading Association, MS.
- 770. Talk to WRI Polton, 1975 and Bonnyrigg, 1976 about writing for children.
- 771. Talk given at National in-service Course: environmental education, Mar 1980 on local history in children's education.
- 772. Talk to the parent-teacher association, Longniddry, April 1980 on how she became a writer.
- 773. Miscellaneous paper relating to talks.
- 774. Talk entitled Book buyer's forecast.
- 775. Talk entitled The child mind.
- 776. Talkentitled Children, TV and books.
- 777. Talk entitled Flannan Isle story.
- 778. Talk entitled Holiday Window on the Soviet World.
- 779. Talk entitled On the Pilgrim Tale.
- 780. Talk entitled Tell me a story.
- 781. Talk entitled Writing for Children.
- 782. Talk entitled The wanderings of Prince Charlie after Culloden.
- 783. Talk to Scottish Youth Libraries section of Library Association on writing for children.
- 784. Talk to Strathesk Youth Club on history and archaeology.
- 785. Talk to Youth librarians on fun and adventure in writing books.
- 786. Talk to the Old Girls' Association on school life in Wigan.
- 787. Talk to Scottish PEN on the meeting of the executive committee of International PEN in London.
- 788. Talk to Bonnyrigg and Lasswade Professional Men's Club on women.
- 789. Second talk to Bonnyrigg and Lasswade Professional Men's Club on women.
- 790. Loose leaves.

#### Talks to children

- 791. Wigan Girls' High School jubilee talk, 6 June 1947.
- 792-3. Talk at Burnley library, 8 Dec 1949 (2 copies).
- 794. Talk to Wigan children, 19 Dec 1949.

- 795-6. Talk at the Nelson Library, 3 Mar 1950 (2 copies).
- 797. Talk at the Carnegie Library, Pemberton, 11 Apr 1951.
- 798. Talk at the Wigan Girls' High School, Apr 1951.
- 799. Talk at Gateshead Library, Nov 1952.
- 800. Talk given to Libraries, Feb 1955.
- 801. Talk to libraries, 1955-6.
- 802. Talk at Crumpsall, Jan 1958.
- 803. Talk at Liverpool Central Junior Library, 17 Dec 1958.
- 804. Talk at Reading, 1960.
- 805. Talk at Mitcham Library, 13 Mar 1961.
- 806. Talk at children's libraries, 1962.
- 807. Talk at libraries, 1963.
- Talk given to Liverpool Library, 14 March 1966.
- 809. Talk given at Workington, March 1967.
- 810. Talk given at Tillicoultry, 22 May 1975.
- 811. Talk given at Airdrie Public Library, 12 June 1975.
- 812-13. Talk given at Book Bang, 5 May 1976 (2 copies).
- 814. Talk given at Coatbridge Library, 16 June 1976 (2 copies).
- 815. Talk given at Hailesland Primary School, 1 Mar 1977.
- 816. Talk given at Trinity School, Feb 1978.
- 817. Talk at Dalkeith, Nov 1978.
- 818. Talk to Schools Autumn, 1979.
- 819. Talk at Kirkcaldy, 1980.
- 820-1. Talk to Australian children (2 copies).
- 822. Talk given at Cumbernauld.
- Talk at Dundee.
- 824. Talk at Leeds.
- 825. Talk to Libraries.
- 826. Talk at London libraries.
- 827. Talk during National Book Week.
- 828. Talk at Sheffield and Chesterfield.
- 829. Talk given to Stranraer children.
- 830. Talk at Towerbank school.
- 831. Talk at Wigan children.
- 832-4. Adventure is where you look for it (3 copies).
- 835-7. Fun and adventure in writing books (3 copies).
- 838. Fun in writing books.
- 839. Loose sheets.

#### Printed and other items

- 840. The Hudson's Bay Company. A Brief History. London, 1934.
- List of Books relating to Hudson's Bay Company, 1935.
- 842. A brief history of the Hudson's Bay Company, [ca. 1955].

- 843. Envelope containing material relating to the Hudson's Bay Company including 2 copies of The Beaver magazine, June 1943 and June 1952 and letters and accounts.
- 844. J L Black, Penicuik and neighbourhood. Edinburgh, n.d.
- J G Ritchie, Historical Sketch of Cove House and King Robert the Bruce's Cave. Kirkpatrick Fleming, n.d.
- Take note! Magazine of the Scottish Tourist Board, Feb 1948.
- 847. Berwick-upon-Tweed official guide, n.d.
- 848. Jedburgh Official guide, n.d.
- Envelope containing books and papers relating to a Yorkshire tour, 1976.
- 850. Envelope containing brochures and letters on canoeing.
- 851. Vere Foster's complete course of drawing, part x marine, n.d.
- 852. George Scott-Moncrieff, Living traditions of Scotland, HMSO, 1951.
- 853. Melrose and vicinity published by D D Deans.
- 854. James Laver, Mellerstain, n.d.
- 855-8. 4 copies of the Radio Times, 2-29 September 1961.
- 859. History of Hawick Auction Mart. Hawick, 1951.
- 860. Envelope containing London Evening News, 24 July and 14 August 1954.
- 861. Composite map of Shropshire made up from 9 sheets (60 N, SE; 61 NW, NE, SW, SE; 55 NW, NE; and 56 NE) of Ordnance Survey of England, Wales 1:63,360 [Old Series], published 1832-6, joined and mounted to form a single map.
- 862. J C Wallace, Potatoes. London, HMSO, 1941.
- 863. Harry Ballam, The Story of a Thread of Cotton. Puffin Books, n.d.
- 864. Brynhild Parker and Alwyn Richards, Pond and River Life. Puffin Books, n.d.
- 865. K Baedeker, Belgium and Holland. Leipsic, 1878.
- 866. How to get all you want ... in Holland. London, n.d.
- A Spits, The Delta Works. The Hague, 1960.
- 868. Frederick Stakhuyzen, The Dutch Windmill. Bussum, 1962.
- 869. Guide to The Hague. The Hague, 1958.
- 870. C B Mackenzie, It was like this! 3<sup>rd</sup> edition, Osterbeek, 1958.
- 871. Envelope containing Dutch brochures and books.
- 872. Envelope containing Dutch brochures and material.
- Folder containing letters, press cuttings, articles, a broadcast and other papers.
- 874. Rand and McNally children's books for fall and winter, 1970-71.
- 875. Books For Your Children Magazine, Autumn 1978.
- 876. Envelope containing programmes and booklets.
- 877. Envelope containing literature on the Red Cross.
- 878. Loose letters and notes.
- 879. Folder containing various notes.

880. Leaves containing fragments of stories.