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Papers of J B Kinross, financier, son of John Kinross RSA, including some of his father – 1873-1988, mostly concerning his business interests, but there is much family and personal material too. See also Acc 8699 for another collection of his papers.

GENERAL ARRANGEMENT

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| 1-3 | PAPERS OF J B KINROSS RSA |
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| 18-30 | BUSINESS INTERESTS |
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J Kinross RSA

1. File on the Bruges Madonna, 1906-1947.
2. Personal and RSA papers of J Kinross RSA, 1890-1931.
3. Papers relating to the career of J Kinross RSA, 1873-1984.

Family and Personal Papers

4. Letters from family and Sir Arthur Blake, 1928-35.
5. Family letters and papers, 1904-1982.
6. Investment ledger for Mary and Eveleen Kinross, 1935-1988.
7. Holiday snapshots, letters and diaries, 1913-1988.
8. Letters to J B Kinross from friends, 1946-83.
9. Personal and family papers, including newspaper cuttings, 1891-1982.
10. Personal papers, 1920-1986.
11. Memorial services and obituaries of J B Kinross and his friends, 1959-88.

Personal Interests

12. Correspondence with Roy Jenkins, 1962-84.
13. Royal College of Surgeons, 1970.
14. Royal Scottish Academy, 1931-1984.
15. Friends of the Elderly, 1987-88.
16. Farming, 1944-1966.
17. Theatre, 1927-1980, includes programmes.

Business Interests

18. Australia, 1976.
19. London School of Economics, 1953-9.
20. George Outram and Co, an account of the Thomson takeover bid and its defeat by Sir Hugh Fraser, 1964.
21. 'Investors Chronicle' cuttings of J B Kinross's 'Successful Investor' column, 1954-64.
22. Industrial and Commercial Finance Corporation Ltd (ICFC), 1962-1985.
23. Scottish interests – mainly House of Fraser, 1964-70 (includes newspaper cuttings).
24. Investment trust of Guernsey, Director's report and statement of accounts, 1959-64.
25. Hong Kong's relations with China, 1983-88.
26. Programme and papers for the 'Small Business Finance Symposium', 20 April 1977.
27. Personal letters from business acquaintances, 1945-82.
28. Miscellaneous business papers and memoranda – mostly printed material, 1929-86.

29. Materials concerning J B Kinross's autobiography 'Fifty Years in the City', 1961-1982, including typescripts of chapter 14.
30. Typescript copy in two parts of 'Fifty Years in the City', 1981.

Diaries

31. Pocket diary, 1942.
32. Pocket diary, 1951.
33. Pocket diary, 1953 (with leaves from 1958).
34. Pocket diary, 1961.
35. Pocket diary, 1967.
36. Pocket diary, 1969.
37. Pocket diary, 1971 (with leaves from 1975).
38. Pocket diary, 1977.
39. Pocket diary, 1978.
40. Pocket diary, 1979.
41. Pocket diary, 1980.
42. Pocket diary, 1981.
43. Pocket diary, 1982.
44. Pocket diary, 1983.
45. Pocket diary, 1984.
46. Pocket diary, 1985.
47. Pocket diary, 1986.
48. Desk diary, 1952.
49. Desk diary, 1953.

50. Desk diary, 1954.
51. Desk diary, 1955.
52. Desk diary, 1956.
53. Desk diary, 1958.
54. Desk diary, 1978.
55. Desk diary, 1984.
56. Desk diary, 1985.
57. Desk diary, 1986.
58. Engagement diary, 1979.
59. Engagement diary, 1980.
60. Engagement diary, 1981.
61. Engagement diary, 1982.
62. Engagement diary, 1983.
63. Engagement diary, 1984.
64. Engagement diary, 1985.
65. Engagement diary, 1986.
66. Engagement diary, 1987.
67. Engagement diary, 1988.

Miscellaneous

68. History of Readson Limited, 1932-82.
69. 'Poems' by Seumas O'Sullivan, 1912.
70. Photograph – J B Kinross at Basildon House, 1985.