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Miscellaneous papers, 1873-1974, relating to Leith dockers, the Transport & General Workers' Union, Leith Docks Branch, and the industrial relations and operation of the port of Leith.

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1. Minutes of Leith Port Registration Committee, 1942-6.
2. Minutes of the Local Joint Committee of Leith Dock Labour Employers' Association, and the TGWU, 1945-6.
3. Miscellaneous papers, 1942-1969, n.d., relating to industrial relations and conditions at Leith Docks including some papers relating to a dockers' strike, 1945, press-cuttings relating to a dispute in 1956, and poem 'The Dockers' Hook', by Crae Ritchie, 1969.
4. Three TGWU membership cards of Robert H. Rodgers.
5. **Booklets: conditions of Labour at the Docks of Leith as at 1 August 1930, Leith, 1930; and Port of Leith: Leith Modernisation Committee Agreement, Leith, Jan. 1972.**
6. Miscellaneous printed pamphlets, official reports and government White Papers (10), all relating to dock labour regulations and conditions.
7. Schedules and rates of portage at the Port of Leith (all printed items), 1873, 1911, 1916 and 1932.
8. Leith port rules and conditions of labour (printed), 1911, 1924, 1930, 1967.