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- 1 CORRESPONDENCE, 1953-72, N.D.
- 2-6 MANUSCRIPTS AND CORRECTED TYPESCRIPTS OF POETRY AND PROSE, ?1946-1974, N.D.
- 7 PRINTED ITEM, 1933.
- 8-14 NOTEBOOKS, CA. 1937-65.

Bought, 1974.

1. **Correspondence, 1953-72, n.d.**

Letters to George Bruce from:

- Ivor Brown (3), 1968.
- Stewart Conn (1), 1970, with copy of part of reply, 1970.
- C.M. Grieve (1), ?1968.
- Neil Gunn (4), 1962-72.
- Joseph MacLeod (4), 1953-71.
- H.M. Nieter O'Leary (2), 1968-9.
- Alex Scott (2), 1970-1.
- Nan Shepherd (1), 1972.
- Iain Crichton Smith (8), 1967, n.d.
- Stephen Spender (1), 1971.
- Sydney Tremayne (1), 1968.
- Jay Wright (1), 1971.
- John [] (1), 1971.

2-6. **Manuscripts and corrected typescripts of poetry and prose, ?1946-1974, n.d.**

- 2. Poems, ?1946-1973, n.d.
- 3. Poems to Elizabeth Bruce, 1968-74, n.d.
- 4. 'Home', a sequence of poems, n.d.
- 5. Untitled and incomplete poems, n.d.
- 6. Manuscript extract, 1955, from a common place book, and typescripts of talks and articles, n.d.

7. **Printed item, 1933.**

7. *Fraserburgh Academical* 1(5), December 1933.

8–14. **Notebooks, ca. 1937-65.**

8. Notebook, ca. 1944.

Drafts of poems including 'Good wishes for a departure' and 'Valediction for 1944', and lecture notes.

9. Notebook, ca. 1965.

Drafts of poems including 'Fishermen's Houses', 'Laotian Peasant', notes on MacDiarmid, and 'Imagination in Literature'.

10. Notebook, n.d.

Drafts of 'To Scotland with Rhubarb', reviews and poetry.

11. Notebook, ca. 1946.

Drafts of 'Notes and outline of proposed Glencoe script', 'The making of a sculptor: a note on the animal carving of T.S. Halliday', and drafts of poems, including '66 South Street, St Andrews', and 'He who creates'.

12. Notebook, n.d.

Drafts of poems, including 'The Helmsman', 'Tom on the Beach', 'The Christmas Party' and 'Homage to El Greco'.

13. Notebook, ca. 1949-60.

Drafts and fair copies of poems including, 'Tom', 'Valediction for 1944', 'The Helmsman and the Wind', 'Good wishes for a departure', 'St Andrews – June 1946', 'An Old and New Ruin', 'A Gateway to the Sea', '66 South Street, St Andrews', 'Fingal's Cave', 'First Flight', 'In Praise of Henry Moore's "Pink and Green Sleepers"', 'Perfection', 'A Man of Inconsequent Build', 'An Island and Seals', 'A Glass of Water', 'Late Springs this North', 'The Island', 'Love', 'Flint Head', 'A House by the Sea', 'St Andrews 1960', and 'Thalassa'.

14. Notebook, ca. 1937-41.

Notes on English literature, religion and art, and drafts of poems, including 'Sea Talk'.