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Literary papers, circa 1931-1970, of Alasdair Alpin MacGregor (1899-1970), writer and photogapher.

This collection also includes a portrait of Alasdair Alpin Macgregor by Henry Raeburn Dobson. This painting is on long-term loan to the National Galleries of Scotland.

Bequeathed, 1974.

Box 1

- a. Typescript draft of *The Enchanted Isles. Hebridean Portraits and Memories* (London, 1967).
- b. Correspondence, notes and drafts concerning the Small Isles, Jura, Fair Isle etc.
- c Correspondence, notes and drafts concerning Raasay.

Box 2

- a. Correspondence, notes and drafts concerning the Channel Isles.
- b. Correspondence, notes and drafts concerning Ireland and Wales.
- c. Correspondence, notes and drafts concerning Australia.
- d. Correspondence, notes and drafts concerning Canada.

Box 3

- a. Notes for, and drafts of *The Changing Land. A look at the primordial* (Bath: Kingsmead Press, 1973).
- b. Miscellaneous notes and drafts concerning Scotland.
- c. Miscellaneous notes and drafts.

Box 4

- a. Original drafts of ghost stories collected for possible inclusion in *The Ghost Book. Strange Hauntings in Britain* (London, 1955) or *Phantom Footsteps. A second ghost book* (London: 1959).
- b. Original drafts of Australian ghost stories.

c. Correspondence notes and paper cuttings relating to, and typescript draft of, a memoir by Ernest Stamford CBE - James Ramsay MacDonald.

Box 5 Notebooks

- a. "Words, Words and more Words".
- b. "Phrases and Words".
- c. "Literary Notes".
- d. "Literary Matter".
- e. "Humour".
- f. "Miscellaneous Information and Phrases".
- g. "Miscellany".
- h. "Commonplace Book".
- i.-w Notes on Australia and Tasmania.
- x. Folder of correspondence with the National Galleries of Scotland concerning an order for photography.

Box 6 Tapes and Photographs

- a. Folder of miscellaneous photographs.
- b. Box of portrait photographs.
- c. Miscellaneous portrait photographs.
- d. Negative album.
- e. Colour slides and printer's block of paintings by Pervical Tudor-Hart.
- f. Tape recording of Dawn MacLeod reading five extracts from books by Alasdair Alpin Macgregor.
- g. Songs of Scotland tape 1.
- h. Songs of Scotland tape 2.
- i. Scottish and Celtic songs.

Box 7

- a. Two corrected typescript of *The Deserted Garden and other collected poems* (Bath: Kingsmead Press, 1970), by Alasdair Alpin MacGregor.
- b. Two corrected proof copies of *The Deserted Garden and other collected poems* (Bath: Kingsmead Press, 1970), by Alasdair Alpin MacGregor.
- c. Envelope containing holograph copy of *Tir nam Beann-Ard*, by Surgeon Colonel John MacGregor MD., and dedicated to the Glasgow Gaelic Musical Association (1895).
- d. Coisir a'Mhoid II The Mod Collection of Gaelic Part Songs (1913-1925) published for An Comunn Gaedhealach by Alex MacLaren and sons.
- e. The Harp of The Glen twenty five gaelic songs; arranged with simple accompaniments by Jennie Given ARCM.
- f. Three Hebridean Songs, by Clement Hosking.
- g. Orain Bam Beann, Songs of the Mountains, A collection of Gaelic songs containing many airs not hitherto published.
- h. Holograph copy of extract from *Mary Morison* by Robert Burns, and other songs.
- i. Ceol Mara, Songs of the Isle of Lewis, collected and arranged by Duncan M Morison.
- j. Songs of the Hebrides, Marjory Kennedy Fraser and Kenneth MacLeod.

The Grail Galley
Land of Heart's Desire
The Road to the Isles
The Seagull of the Land-Under-Waves

k. Annotated copy of *Skye and the Inner Hebrides* (London: Hale, 1953).

Box 8

The contents of this box were transferred to the Department of Printed Books in December 1990.