

# Personal papers in Special Collections

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## The Wolfson Reading Room

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## Introduction

Many individuals and institutions have deposited their papers with the University; as a result it has acquired an unrivalled collection of material not solely relating to the history and culture of the north-east of Scotland but also of national and international importance.

There are numerous and diverse collections of papers created by individuals from all walks of life. The papers often comprise diaries, journals, correspondence, research papers and photographs.

## Personal papers (selected)

Anderson, Dr. James, agriculturist and author; see Seton of Mounie papers: 1765 – 1804 (MS 2787 and MS 3523).

Anderson, Sir John, colonial administrator: 1900 – 1914 (MS 2965).

Anderson, John: 'A Magistrate's Recollections in St. Vincent's': 1836 – 1838 (MS 602).

Anderson, Peter John, librarian, University of Aberdeen: 19<sup>th</sup> century – 20<sup>th</sup> century (MS 545, MS 918, MS 977, MS 978, MS 1097 - 1099, MS 2462, MS 2528, MS 2899, MS 3178, UNIVERSITY 513-514, UNIVERSITY 522, UNIVERSITY 524, UNIVERSITY 525 - 527 and UNIVERSITY 528).

Angus, Marion, poet: 1934 – 1969 (MS 2737).

Arbuthnot, Charles, diplomat and politician: 1767 – 1850 (MS 3029).

Arbuthnot, Charles George James, General MP (correspondence with family, part of papers of Charles Arbuthnot, diplomat and politician): 1767 - 1850 (MS 3029).

Bain, Alexander, Professor of Logic and Rhetoric: 1895 – 1905 (MS 522, MS 523 and MS 524).

Baird, John Lawrence, 1<sup>st</sup> Viscount Stonehaven, diplomat and politician (part of the papers of the Earls of Kintore): 1890s – 1915 (MS 3064).

Barrett-Ayres, Reginald, composer and musical scholar: 1940 – 1988 (MS 3103).

Bale/Beal/Beale, Robert, administrator, diplomat and Clerk of the English Privy Council: 1550 – 1600 (MS 1009).

Beattie, James, poet and scholar: 1758 – 1806 (MS 3977, MS 3978, MS 3979, MS 4015, MS 30, MS 555, MS 2065, MS 2901, MS 3294, MS 3486 & MS 3522).

Bell, Reverend Patrick, minister and inventor: 1833 - 1837 (MS 2137).

Bickersteth, Professor G L, Professor of English Literature: 1913 – 1974 (MS 2906).

Booker, Patrick Kilgour, civil servant: papers relating to Arabia and Aden: c.1950 – 1970 (MS 3520).

Bottomley, Gordon, poet: 1896 – 1946 (MS 1102 and MS 2985).

Bruce, Robert, sinologist and diplomat and Bruce, Helen, author: 1930s – 1990s (MS 3836).

Buchan, Peter, ballad-collector: 1811 – 1815 (MS 2303).

Bulloch, John, journalist: 19<sup>th</sup> century (MS 690, MS 876, MS 930 & MS 931).

Bulloch, John Malcolm, journalist: 1850s – 1900 (MS 553, MS 840, MS 911, MS 967, MS 970, MS 1021, MS 1072, MS 2482, MS 2798, MS 3051, MS 3135, MS 3149, MS 3180, MS 3239, MS 3310 & MS 3331).

Burnett, Dr D., lecturer in particle physics: 1917 – 1987 (MS 3487).

Butchart, Henry Jackson, administrator: 1917 – 1918 (MS 3134).

Byron (later Gordon Byron), John and Catherine, parents of Lord Byron: 1788 (MS 932).

Cairns, David Smith, theologian and Principal of Christ's College, Aberdeen: 1883 – 1946 (MS 3384).

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- Campbell, George, Principal at Marischal College: theological papers: 18<sup>th</sup> century (MS 649, MS 650, MS 651, MS 652, MS 653, MS 654 & MS 655).
- Cardno, David Hawthorn, whaler: 1866 – 1960s (MS 3090).
- Cargill, David, missionary: 1826 – 1881 (MS 2566).
- Carmichael, Charles: plans and drawings: late 19<sup>th</sup> century (MS 3059).
- Carnegie, Susan Scott; see Alexander A. Cormack papers: 1765 – 1818 (MS 2937).
- Caseby, Rev. Alexander, missionary, Africa: 1908 – 1929 (MS 3289).
- Chalmers family: Alexander, Lt. John, Richard, engineer; Alexander, engineer, Royal Navy; Samuel, HEICS; William, military surgeon: 1845 – 1861 (MS 2884).
- Chapman, John Bissett, collector of contemporary literature: 1915 – 1947 (MS 2265).
- Clyne, Arthur, architect: papers: 19<sup>th</sup> century (MS 3898)
- Conway, George Robert Graham: historian of Mexico: compiled mid-20<sup>th</sup> century (MS 2713).
- Cooke, George William, Chief Scientific Officer, Agricultural Research Council: 1939 – 1988 (MS 3514).
- Cooper, Dr James, minister and Professor of Church History, Glasgow University: 1867 – 1922 (MS 2283).
- Copland, Patrick, Professor of mathematics and natural philosophy: 1770s-1870s (MS 2886, MS 2999 and MS 3376).
- Cormack, Alexander, local historian: 1799 – 1962 (MS 2937).
- Craven, Reverend James Brown, clergyman: 1880 – 1922 (MS 2150, MS 2151, MS 2152, MS 2153, MS 2154, MS 2155, MS 2156).
- Cruickshank, Ernest, University of Aberdeen Professor of Physiology: diaries: 1916 – 1919 (MS 4027).
- Cumming, Rev John, minister at Crown Court Church, Covent Garden: 19<sup>th</sup> century (MS 3761).
- Cumming, Ronald, surgeon: 1940 – 1997 (MS 3810).
- Daube, David, Roman and Biblical Law scholar: 20<sup>th</sup> century (MS 3878).
- Diack, Francis Carney, Celtic scholar: 20<sup>th</sup> century (MS 2276, 2636 and MS 2771).
- Dixon, Waynman, engineer and amateur archaeologist: Great Pyramid diagrams: 1873 (MS 2031).
- Doddridge, Philip, nonconformist minister, teacher and hymn writer: 1739 – 1751 (MS 2334 and MS 2454).
- Donald, Reverend Francis Cantlie, minister: c.1905 – c. 1974 (MS 3202).
- Duncan, Mrs. Isobel, of Banff (Mrs Master William Duncan): 1878 – 1893 (MS 2526).
- Duncan, Rev. James, of Lynturk, ballad-collector: 1796 – 1917 (MS 998).
- Dunnet, Professor George Mackenzie, Regius Professor of Natural History: 1950s – 1980s (MS 3365 and MS 3541).
- Eeles, Francis Carolus, ecclesiologist: 20<sup>th</sup> century (MS 2143, MS 2241, MS 2348, MS 2351, MS 2379 and MS 2507).
- Esslemont, Mary, physician: 20<sup>th</sup> century (MS 3179).
- Ferguson, Alexander Stewart, Professor of Logic: 1944 – 1958 (MS 2622).
- Forbes, Sir George Ogilvie, diplomat: 1927 – 1939 (MS 2740).
- Forbes, Sir John, knight, physician: 1817 – 1852 (MS 2908 and MS 3790).
- Forbes, Richard, (of Relvenden, Kent), landed proprietor: 1815 – 1835 (MS 2219 & MS 2221).
- Forbes-Clarke, John, of Tillypronie, Tarland: 1897 – 1900 (MS 3142).
- Fraser, Olive, poet: 1920s – 1970s (MS 3336).
- Fraser, Rev. James, of Phopachy, clergyman: 1661 - 1670 (MS 630 and MS 2538).
- Fraser, James, book dealer and librarian: 1656 – 1712 (MS 3952)
- Fraser, John, Celtic scholar: 20<sup>th</sup> century (MS 2760 and MS 2771).
- Fraser, William, numismatist: 1771 – 1786 (MS 124 and MS 126 – MS 127).
- Fullarton, John, divine: 1682 – 1755 (MS 2267).
- Getty, Robert John, classicist: 1931 – 1964 (MS 2706).
- Gibbon, Lewis Grassic, journalist and author: 1929 – 1960 (MS 2377).
- Gill, Sir David, astronomer: 1891 (MS 2574).
- Godsman, James, local historian: 1815 – 1961 (MS 2804).
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- Gordon, Alexander, obstetrician: 1780s – 1795 (MS 632 and MS 643, MS 645, MS 646).
- Gordon, Robert, of Straloch, geographer and scholar, and his family: 1585 – 1665 (MS 2223).
- Graham, Cuthbert, journalist: 20<sup>th</sup> century (MS 3302).
- Grant, James, Senior Sergeant Major, Bengal Sappers and Miners: 1877 – 1883 (MS 3272).
- Gray, Frances, chemist: 19<sup>th</sup> century – 20<sup>th</sup> century (MS 2893).
- Gray, Rev James Gordon: 19<sup>th</sup> century – 20<sup>th</sup> century (MS 2890).
- Gregory family: David (1661-1708), astronomer; James (1638-75), mathematician; James (1753-1821), professor of medicine; John (1724-73), professor of medicine; William (1803-58), chemist: 1582 – 1912 (MS 2206).
- Greig, Gavin, ballad-collector: 1876 – 1917 (MS 701 – MS 790, MS 3088, MS 3173).
- Grierson, Sir Herbert, literary scholar: c.1900 – 1972 (MS 2478).
- Hamilton, Robert, Professor of Mathematics, Marischal College: 1766 – 1829 (MS 36, MS 451 – MS 464, MS 4004 & MS 4012).
- Hay, Major Malcolm Vivian, of Seaton, historian: 1907 – 1962 (MS 2193, MS 2272, MS 2788).
- Hay, Alice Ivy, of Seaton, author: 1828 – 1981 (MS 3079).
- Hay, Matthew, Professor of Forensic Medicine: 1890 – 1905 (MS 2853).
- Hardy, Thomas, author: (MS 593, MS 617 and MS 2445).
- Henderson, John Alexander, antiquary: early 20<sup>th</sup> century (MS 2034, MS 2035, MS 2036, MS 2037, MS 2038, MS 2039, MS 2040, MS 2041, MS 2261 and 2262).
- Hendrick, James, Professor of Agriculture: 1902 – 1908 (MS 3603).
- Jack, Adolphus, Professor of English: 20<sup>th</sup> century (MS 2208).
- Jenkinson, Sir Hilary, scholar: 1904 – 1961 (MS 2786).
- Johnstone, James Fowler Kellas, bibliophile: 1906 – 1924 (MS 1087, MS 1088, MS 1089, MS 1090, MS 1091, MS 1092, MS 1093, MS 1094 & MS 1095).
- Jones, Professor R. V., Professor of Natural Philosophy: 1980s (MS 3827).
- Keir, Walter (and Muriel Keir): lecturer in English literature, University of Aberdeen, writer and broadcaster: 1940s – 1960s (MS 3489 and MS 3635).
- Keith, Dr Alexander, writer: (MS 2148 and MS 3017).
- Keith, Sir Arthur, knight, anatomist and anthropologist: 1890 – 1933 (MS 470).
- Keith, George Skene, minister and writer: 1817 – 1822 (MS 3629).
- Kelly, William, architect and antiquarian, 1805 – 1944 (MS 2380 and MS 3859).
- Kemsley, Sir Colin Thornton, politician: 1929 - 1964 (MS 2852).
- Kilgour, Alexander, physician: 1817 – 1826 (MS 3307).
- Knight, Margaret, psychologist and humanist: 20<sup>th</sup> century (MS 3133).
- Knight, William, Professor of Natural Philosophy: 1837 – 1842 (MARISCHAL/8/1/1, MARISCHAL/9/1/4 and MS 2020).
- Kosterlitz, Hans, Professor Emeritus and Director of the Unit for Research on Addictive Drugs: 1920s – 1990s (MS 3682).
- Laird, Professor John, philosopher: 1924 – 1946 (MS 2298).
- Laws, Rev. Robert, missionary, Africa: 1872 – 1975 (MS 3290).
- Laws, Amelia, nurse: 1914 – 1966 (MS 3290).
- Leatham, James, writer and publisher: 1911 – 1958 (MS 2776).
- Lewis, David, relating to Karl Barth, theologian: c.1960 – 1995 (MS 3478).
- Livingstone, John, divine: 1666 (MS 671).
- Lockhart, Robert Douglas, Professor of Anatomy: 20<sup>th</sup> century (MS 3270).
- Logan, James, artist and antiquarian: drawings of St. Machar's Cathedral: early 19<sup>th</sup> century (MS 2928 and MS 3598).
- Low, Alexander, Regius Professor of Anatomy: 1923 – 1956 (MS 2629).
- Macartney, William MacLeod, Church of Scotland Minister: 1936 -1999 (MS 3757).
- MacDonald, George, author: 1852 – 1924 (MS 1031, MS 2165, MS 2166, MS 2167, MS 2231, MS 2254, MS 2291, MS 2716, MS 2717 & MS 2718).
- MacGillivray, William, naturalist: 1811 – 1840 (MS 1032 – MS 1033, MS 2158 and MS 2159).
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- MacGillivray, James Pittendrigh, sculptor: 1889 - 1937 (MS 2751, MS 2958, MS 3095 & MS 3259).
- McHardy, Rev. Professor W.D., Hebrew scholar: 19<sup>th</sup> century – 20<sup>th</sup> century (MS 3139 & MS 3638).
- MacKay, Dr Mona Elspeth, school teacher and novelist: c.1925 – c.1990 (MS 3797).
- McKenzie, Agnes Mure, novelist: 1920 – 1955 (MS 2750).
- Mackie, Adam, farmer, merchant and innkeeper: 1800 – 1828 (MS 3347).
- Maclachlan, Ewan, gaelic poet and scholar: c 1809 - c 1841 (MS 499, MS 2145 & MS 3274).
- MacLaurin, Colin, Professor of mathematics at Marischal College: 1720 – 1743 (MS 34, MS 206 – MS 209).
- MacGill-Eain, Somhairle ('Sorley MacLean'), poet: 20<sup>th</sup> century (MS 2864).
- MacNaughton, William Alexander, physician and historian: 16<sup>th</sup> century – 20<sup>th</sup> century (MS 1083, MS 2093, MS 2192, MS 2307, MS 2605 & MS 2606).
- MacLeod, John James Rickard, physiologist and biochemist: Nobel Prize Diploma: 1923 (MS 1041).
- MacPherson, Dr Hugh, Professor of Greek Literature and sub-principal: 1838 (MS 3350).
- MacRae, Farquhar Baliol: colonial administrator: papers relating to Rhodesia: 1927 – 1968 (MS 3014).
- Maxwell, James Clerk, Professor of Natural Philosophy at Marischal College, correspondence: 1856 - 1872 (MS 980 and MS 3838).
- Melvin, James, classical scholar: 1831 - 1851 (MS 2324 and MS 2803).
- Minto, William, Professor of Logic and English: 1871 – 1892 (MS 2613).
- Moir family: Andrew of Cultercullen and Oldmill Rev. Andrew of Towie, Rev. George of Peterhead, Patrick, Dr. James and John: 1688-1857 (MS 2909).
- Moir, James, industrial chemist: 1900 – 1920s (MS 3129).
- Munro, Alexander, historian: 15<sup>th</sup> century -19<sup>th</sup> century (MS 2480, 2481, MS 2483 and MS 2831).
- Murray, Charles, poet: 1920s – 1940s (MS 3788).
- Murray, Sir James Augustus Henry, lexicographer: 1902 – 1912 (MS 2903).
- Napier, Robert Cornelis, first Baron Napier of Magdala and army officer: 19<sup>th</sup> century (MS 1162/2 and MS 1162/3).
- Nicoll, Sir William Robertson and his family, Old Manse, Lumsden: 1822 – 1996 (MS 2588 and MS 3518).
- O'Dell, Professor Andrew Charles, Professor of Geography: 1930 – 1970 (MS 2882).
- Ogston, Sir Alexander, surgeon: personal and family papers: 1881 – 1917 (MS 3760 and 3850).
- Orr, John Boyd, nutritional physiologist: 1896-1970s (UNIVERSITY 1451/2).
- Paton, James, meteorologist: 1920s – 1970s (MS 3188).
- Patterson, Hilda M., genealogist and antiquarian: 20<sup>th</sup> century (MS 3132).
- Penny, Captain William, ship master: 1842 – 1854 (MS 2295).
- Ree, Reverend Stephen, Church of Scotland minister, antiquarian and genealogist: late 19<sup>th</sup> century - early 20<sup>th</sup> century (MS 801, MS 802, MS 803 - MS 821 & MS 822 - MS 837).
- Reid, Eric James, composer and teacher: 1950s - 1960s (MS 3104).
- Reid, Robert, Regius Professor of Anatomy: 19<sup>th</sup> century – 20<sup>th</sup> century (MS 3753).
- Reid, Thomas, philosopher: 18<sup>th</sup> century (MS 2131, MS 2739, MS 2744, MS 2814 and MS 3061). Many papers have been digitised and are available online: [www.abdn.ac.uk/historic/Thomas\\_Reid/index.shtml](http://www.abdn.ac.uk/historic/Thomas_Reid/index.shtml)
- Rettie, Robert, inventor: 1840s – 1860s (MS 2381).
- Rickart, John, Merchant: 1693 – 1724 (MS 2305).
- Rickards, F. T., classical scholar: 1864 – 1914 (MS 569 - 584 & MS 3168).
- Robertson, Edith Anne Stewart, poetess and author and Robertson, James Alexander, Professor of Biblical Criticism and author: 1908 – 1970 (MS 3406).
- Robinson, Roger, author: research papers on James Beattie, Professor of Moral Philosophy and Logic, Marischal College: 1990s – 2000s (MS 4023).
- Ross, Dr Thomas, architect, architectural historian and author: c.1890 – 1921 (MS 2820, MS 2910 & MS 3169).
- Row, Rev. John, scholar and divine: 17<sup>th</sup> century (MS 158, MS 2333 and MS 2623).
- Scotland, James, Principal of Aberdeen College of Education (copies): 1980s (MS 3834).
- Scott, Robert Eden, Professor of moral philosophy, King's College: 18<sup>th</sup> century-19<sup>th</sup> century (MS 3107).
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- Scott, Sir Walter, lawyer and author: 1831 (MS 2455).
- Shelley Percy Bysshe, author, 'The Magnetic Lady to her Patient': 1822 (MS 937).
- Shire, Helena Mennie, literary scholar: 1832 – 1990s (MS 3407).
- Shirras, George Findlay, economist: 1906 – 1955 (MS 2795, MS 2876 and MS 3789).
- Simpson, Henry Fife Morland, antiquarian and Rector of Aberdeen Grammar School: 1870 – 1917 (MS 877, MS 2234, MS 2252, MS 2325 & MS 2449).
- Simpson, William Douglas, historian and archaeologist: 19<sup>th</sup> century – 20<sup>th</sup> century (MS 2229, MS 2230, MS 2285, MS 2398, MS 2498, MS 2729, MS 2818, MS 2968, MS 3042 & MS 3442, MS 3759).
- Skene, David, physician and scholar: 1750 – 1780 (MS 37, MS 38, MS 39, MS 40, MS 471 – MS 483, MS 501 and MS 540).
- Skene of Rubislaw, James, artist and antiquarian: 1800 – 1830 (MS 2720).
- Skinner, Rev. John of Longside, Aberdeenshire: 1751 - c. 1940 (MS 3230).
- Slade, H. Gordon, architectural historian: 1971 - 2001 (MS 3127).
- Smith, Alexander, squarewright: 1727 – 1766 (MS 3831/1).
- Smith, Iain Crichton, poet: 1981 – 1989 (MS 3100).
- Smith, William Robertson, Professor of Oriental Languages and Old Testament Exegesis, Free Church College, Aberdeen: 1866 – 1894 (MS 3674).
- Smith, William, architect: 1843 (MS 926).
- Souter, William Clark, ophthalmologist: c.1903 – 1940s (MS 2415, MS 3755) See on-line photographs of Souter's Antarctic Trip: [www.abdn.ac.uk/historic/Antarctic\\_Index.shtml](http://www.abdn.ac.uk/historic/Antarctic_Index.shtml)
- Speirs, John Hastie, scholar of Scottish and English literature: 1929 – 1979 (MS 3655).
- Stalker, Alexander Logie, Professor of Pathology: 20<sup>th</sup> century (MS 3471).
- Stewart, Captain James, antiquarian: 1890 – 1902 (MS 680 – MS 685).
- Stewart, James, British government officer, Fiji and British Guiana: 1880 – 1900 (MS 3385).
- Stuart, John, Professor of Greek, Marischal College; (see papers of Keith, Dr. Alexander): 1559 - 1890s (MS 3017).
- Swan, Annie Shepherd, novelist: 1894 – 1946 (MS 3517).
- Taylor, Rachel Annand, author and journalist: 1899 – 1908 (MS 2742).
- Taylor, Sir Thomas, Principal of University of Aberdeen: 1915 – 1973 (MS 2843).
- Terry, Charles Sanford, historian: 19<sup>th</sup> century – 20<sup>th</sup> century (MS 550, MS 618 - MS 627, MS 698 - MS 699, MS 891, MS 1043, MS 2637, MS 3145 & MS 3165).
- Thom, William, poet and weaver: 1841 – 1963 (MS 2304, MS 2497 and MS 3089).
- Thomson, Alexander, of Banchory, writer: 19<sup>th</sup> century (MS 2809, MS 2829 and MS 3244).
- Thornton-Kemsley, Sir Colin, politician: 1929 – 1964 (MS 2852).
- Tomlinson, George, 1<sup>st</sup> Bishop of Gibraltar: 19<sup>th</sup> century (MS 3470/16).
- Toulmin, David, author: c.1925 – 1970s (MS 2823; MS 2830; MS 2980; MS 3048; MS 3065; MS 3114 & MS 3569).
- Trail, James William Helenus, Professor of Botany: 1787-1920s (MS 668, MS 851 - MS 868, MS 871 and MS 2988).
- Troup, Jonathan, physician of Aberdeen, Scotland and Dominica, West Indies: 1788 – 1797 (MS 2070, MS 2391, MS 2900 and MS 3027).
- Walker, William, writer and ballad-collector, papers relating to ballads and folk songs: 19<sup>th</sup> century – 20<sup>th</sup> century (MS 2212, MS 2306, MS 2732, MS 2733, MS 2774, MS 3396 and MS 3643).
- Watt, James Cromar, artist: c.1880 (MS 2052 – MS 2054).
- Webster, John, lord provost, Aberdeen: 1851 – 1878 (MS 881 – MS 890).
- Wilkinson, Thomas, Quaker philanthropist and writer: transcripts of journals: 1785 - 1807 (copied in 1937) (MS 2394 – MS 2396).
- Wilson, Charles Thomas Rees, physicist: c.1890 – 1959 (MS 3525).
- Wilson, Robert, physician and traveller: 19<sup>th</sup> century – 20<sup>th</sup> century (MS 413 – MS 443 and MS 3849).
- Wyllie, James McLeod, classical scholar and lexicographer: 20<sup>th</sup> century (MS 2293 and MS 3126).
- Yule, Sir Henry, geographer: late 19<sup>th</sup> century (MS 1162/1/3 and MS 2860).
- Yule, Robert, soldier: 1850s (MS 1162/1).
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Zulueta, Sir Francis de, legal historian: 20<sup>th</sup> century (MS 2785).

## **Oral history collections**

University of Aberdeen Oral History Archive: comprises nearly 200 interviews with individuals connected with the University (MS 3620).

'Lives in the Oil Industry' Oral History Archive & associated records was a major collection of sound recordings which was completed between 2001 and 2006 and includes interviews with nearly 200 people, totalling nearly 800 hours of recordings (MS 3769).

## **Other relevant collections**

Adam, Cochran and Company, advocates, Aberdeen. This collection contains records from families, estates, businesses, trusts and other organisations which the firm represented: 1630 – 1919 (MS 3066).

Davidson and Garden, advocates, Aberdeen: 14<sup>th</sup> century – 20<sup>th</sup> century. This extensive collection contains records of some 200 families, estates, businesses, trusts and other organisations which the firm represented (MS 2769 and MS 3744).

Ledingham Chalmers, solicitors: 18<sup>th</sup> century – 20<sup>th</sup> century. This collection contains records from families, estates, businesses, trusts and other organisations which the firm represented: such as Rubislaw Granite Company Ltd. (MS 3257, MS 3277, MS 3394, MS 3662, MS 3665 and MS 3713).

F. A. MacDonald and Partners, engineers and surveyors, Aberdeen (incorporating Walker & Duncan, Aberdeen): 18<sup>th</sup> century – 20<sup>th</sup> century. Includes papers from various businesses such as relating to Rubislaw Quarry (papers MS 2626 and maps and plans MS 3860).

## **Access**

Materials are available upon request for consultation in the Reading Room. Please search online catalogues to identify individual items.

## **Further reading**

For further reading please also see the studies of a number of manuscripts, printed books and collections in the journals *Aberdeen University Library Bulletin*, *Aberdeen University Review* and *Northern Scotland*.

A number of the above papers were highlighted in: Beavan, Iain; Davidson, Peter; Stevenson, Jane. *Library and archive collections of the University of Aberdeen: an introduction and description*. (Manchester: Manchester University Press with the University of Aberdeen, 2011).