1. Esslemont + Auchleuchries: correspondence 1703-36
2. do  do  1737-39
3. do  do  1740-49
5.  do  tax receipts  1746-66
6.  do  account of harvest  c. 1712-33
7.  do  money due by subtenants  1724-35
8.  do  account with tenants  1736-37
9.  do  account of meal  1738-39
10. do  estate accounts  1739-40
11. do  deburements  1742-44
12. do  tenants' rents, Glendaung,  1767-64
13-14 do  loose notes from above,  1755-64
15-18 do  accounts with tenants,  1747-65
19. Auchentoule multure book, 1758-59
20-22 do  abstract rental,  1768-79
23.  Miscellaneaus papers  1719-1841
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GORDONS OF ESSELMOUTH AND AUCHLEUCKSHRIE. Found among Paris Papers.

1. CORRESPONDENCE ETC., 1703-1736.

1. C. Lasie, Sherrynes to James Gordon of Esselmouth: Lord Hay will give him an answer when at Esselmouth, 2 Dec 1703.

2. Cess of Alex Mathew for 1713.

3. George Herbearwood, Chapeltown: Crop 1716.


6. William Johnston to James Gordon: receipt for hear; Aberdeen 22 May 1725.

7. “Accounting with the Tenants of Claymynes this 28th of Oct 1725 for Crop 1726 and proceedings.”

8. William Sawyer, Aberdeen to James Gordon at the Middle Mill of Esselmount: to John Culmes, merchant in Ellon: about a French she bound arrived for him. 5 Oct 1730.


10. Thomas Forbes, Wetheral to Sir James Gordon in Middle Mill of Esselment: asking him to value some stones, 5 Feb 1731. Estate accounts written in another hand on back.


17. Robert Catanach, about meal he is to receive, 1736.


20. “Alex Scott to Ja Gordon, D” to Dr. Blair: receipt, 1 Oct 1736.


22. Charles Donaldson: discharge for 306 marks received from William Ogilvie, factor to the Earl of Erroll, 20 April 1717.
GORDONS OF ESSELMENT AND AIKENHEADS.

2. CORRESPONDENCE 1737-1739

1. James Gray, Kelly to James Gordon, Chamberlain to the Earl of Aberdeen, hoping Gordon will undertake the Earl on his behalf, 31 March 1737.


3. R. Pitjendrach, Aberdeen to James Gordon, factor to the laird of Esslemont, about getting stores carried to Ellen for Gordon, 10 Oct 1737.

4. George Reid, Kelly to James Gordon, Chamberlain to the Earl of Aberdeen, asking him to meet him at the Earl's order, 5 Jan 1737.

5. Alexander Udny, Udny to [?] enclosing something for Collector Litherdale, 17 Sept 1737.

6. Thomas Young, Old Aberdeen to James Gordon, Auchleithn of Esslemont, about losing a watch to him, etc., 20 Dec 1737.

7. Memoranda for Lowen, 1737.

8. James Arbaath, Rora to James Gordon, Auchleithn of Esslemont - "Dear Father": his wife has given birth to a daughter, 18 April 1738.

9. A. Davidson, Ellen to same; wanting to meet and discuss a possession which Robert Ogston told him is [Tarlene?], and other matters, 1738.

10. James Gordon to his son, Aberdeen - about sending her meal, 1738.

11-12. R. Pitjendrach, Aberdeen to [James Gordon]: about getting bills for money, etc., 15 Jan, 2 Oct 1739.

13. "The Rent of Bear received from tenants in to the Barns of Kelly, 9 cope 1739.

14. Lists of names with amounts of money against each [1739].

15. Receipt to Andrew Belfi, for "bene upon the account" of Sir James Gordon, factor to the Laird of Ellen, Aberdeen 1 June 1739.

17. Alexander Gordon, Aberdeen to James Gordon, Esslemont, "O.B." - Sir Smith is in from making a demand about meal, 21 May 1739.
3. CORRESPONDENCE 1740 - 1749

1. John Cassie, Old Aberdeen to James Gordon, Fishtail Mill of Esslemont, asking for meal, 25 April 1740
2. John Hay, Apothecary to same, about hiding a Barn Court, 16 July 1740
3. Margaret Leslie, Aberdeen to same, wanting meal, 10 Jan 1740
4. Alex. Milne, Aberdeen to same about the money owed to him, by Andrew Hutchison, Taylor, 16 June 1740
5. R. Pitendrigh, Aberdeen to [same] - "Is, Caorun" - sending various items; possibility of charging Mr Tyler with hiring, 16 April 1740
6. Part of a document charging someone with prestoning, regaling etc., 16 Aug 1740
7. [J. Arbuthnot], Rora to James Gordon, Esslemont - family matters, 16 June 1741
8. John Pitang, Caley to same about a horse for Hallhead, 21 May 1741
9. James Farquhar, Aberdeen to [same] - asking for a horse for his father to cost about £5, 24 March 1741
10-12. Alex Gordon, Auchberechrie, to same - "B. 8" - family matters etc., Jan-Jun 1741
13. Charles Gordon, Tarves to same - "Dear Father": - The Earl of Aberdeen requests James Gordon to attend Elgin. Probation about repainting the Kirk, 28 April 1741
14. Counting for crop and other estate accounts 1738 - 1742
15. John Douglas, Teild to Charles Gordon, Glencairn - rental agreement for piece of ground, 6 June 1747
16. Alex Seton, Pitmedden, to Mr Gordon, younger, Tichlemill: estate matters - corn, threshing etc., 15 Jan 1748
17. John Wight, merchant, summarizing Charles Gordon, Tichle Mill, Esslemont to appear before the Sheriff of Aberdeen, Feb 1749
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CORRESPONDENCE 1751 - 1762 and undated, also 1800.

1. George Paul to Andrew Law, 28th & Tillietot: receipt for & hem, 31 Dec 1751
3. Mar. Gordon, Glass to same approving a settlement made on the latter's wife, 19 Nov 1756
4. Charles Gordon, Kelly to James Gordon, Neskyle Mill of Esslemont: Lord Aberdeen wants the latter to come to Kelly to judge various matters, 5 April 1757
5. Alex Taylour, Haddo House, to Charles Gordon, Neskyle Mill sending £10 3/-, 28 Jan 1758
6. Alex Gordon, Haddo House, to Charles Gordon of Auchleuchries, enclosing two precepts signed by Lord Aberdeen, 4 Jan 1759, with draft letter written on back.
7. Same to same: the summons against Keighley, 16 June 1759
8. Robert Sim: delivery notice for meal, 2 April 1762
13. Alex [? ] to same, family matters, n.d.
16. Alex Perrie to Charles Gordon of Auchleuchries asking for two horses and a cart to comply with Act of Parliament for transporting Carmany's baggage, 5 Oct.
17. Scrap addressed to Mr. Gordon, Esslemont.
18. James Smyth to [?] about Ellin's fishing, etc.
19-20. Estate accounts.
21. Medical instructions to Mr. Gordon.
22. Chart & crops on different tenant farms & estate, n.d.
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Tax Receipts Etc. (printed) 1746-1766

1. Arrears in the hands of Charles Gordon, Recklemill of Esslemont, of £500 pertaining to George Gordon, 10 Sept 1746
2. Receipt to Charles Gordon for Excise of Salt, 8 Jan 1750/51
3-5 Receipts to same for Road Arreys, 24 Dec 1754 - 24 June 1756.
6-15 Receipts to Charles Gordon, Auchleuchries: Road Arreys, Service, 1756-1760
14-15 Receipts to same for Window tax, 1761
16-20 Receipts to same for Supply for Service, 1761-1766
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ACCOUNT OF HARVESTS, MEIKLE MILL a 1718 - 35.

Small book, seven pages, with accounts of harvest, monies due by subtenants etc. Many loose pages.

Loose NOTES - money due by Subtenants.

1. Account of work done by various tenants as payment for duties, 1726.
2. List of payments made by tenants for except 1727.
3. "Account of drawing upon renting and by the subtenants", and list of persons who are to pay James Gordon in Micklemill.
4. Inventory of livestock belonging to different tenants, 1735, seven pages.

ACCOUNT WITH TENANTS (on the south side of Ythan) of the Earl of Aberdeen, except 1736 - 1737. Notebook of seven pages.

"ACCOUNT OF THE WHOLE WHIT MEAL and farm meal paid in to the Laird of Ellon received from the tenants crop 1738 and 1739 by John Cathness at Ellon, January 20th 1738."

Notebook of seven pages.

ESTATE ACCOUNTS, 1739 - 40.

Day to day note of payments made in connection with the estates of the Earl of Aberdeen, notebook.

ACCOUNT OF DEBENTURES, 1742 - 1744.

Seven pages.

TENANTS' RENTS, crop 1747 - crop 1764, - Glendarroch.

Small notebook.
GORDONS OF ESSLEMOND + AUCHLEUCHRIES.

Loose Notes Found Inside 12 Above: - Newsent + Glenaveunie receipts 1755-62

1. Account to Mr Gordon, Auchleuchries per shoes 1755.
2. Thomas Thomson, Parkhill: receipt to William Webster in Glenaveunie:
  ord per account of Charles Gordon of Auchleuchries, 30 April 1756.
3. Inventory q Newsent, 30 June 1756.
4. Thomas Thomson: receipt to Alexander Slesor in Glenaveunie, 3 Feb 1757.
   same: receipt to William Bruce here in Newsent, 8 July 1757.
5. Account to Mr Gordon of Auchleuchries per shoes, Dec 1756 - Dec 1757.
6. Thomas Thomson: receipt to William Thom in Glenaveunie, 6 Jan 1758.
7. Same: receipt to Alexander Slesor in Glenaveunie, 3 Feb 1758.
8. Same: receipt to Alexander Bogie in Newsent, 6 March 1758.
9. Account to Mr Gordon of Auchleuchries per shoes, 1758.
    for stipend payable out of the lands of Newsent + Glenaveunie, 28 May 1759.
11. Account to Mr Gordon, Auchleuchries per shoes, 1759.
12. George C. Robertson, Parkhill, servant to Robert Pittendrigh: receipt to
    William Webster in Glenaveunie, 4 Jan 1762.
13. Robert Pittendrigh, Cadence: receipt to John Bogie in Newsent for rent of
    Charles Gordon of Auchleuchries, 5 Jan 1762.
14. Account to Auchleuchries per shoes, 1762.

Loose Notes as Above, 1763 - 1767.

1. Thomas Thomson, Parkhill: receipt to John Bogie in Newsent, 3 Jan, 19 Feb, 1763.
2. Robert Pittendrigh, Cadence: receipt to Isobell Yeats, 19 Jan 1763.
3. Same: receipt to John Bogie in Newsent, 30 Jan 1763.
4. Same: receipt to Alexander Brook in Glenaveunie, 30 Jan 1763.
5. Thomas Thomson: receipt to William Webster in Glenaveunie, 19 Feb 1763.
6. Same: receipt to Alexander Slesor in Glenaveunie, 5 Feb 1763.
7. Same: receipt to Alexander Brooke in Glenaveunie, 8 Feb 1763.
8. Account to Auchleuchries per shoes 1763, receipted by William Webster.
9. Robert Pittendrigh, Cadence: receipt to Wm Webster in Glenaveunie, 19 March 1765.
10. Same: receipt to Alexandre Brooch in Glenaveunie, 27 March 1765.
11. Account to Auchleuchries per shoes, 1765.
13. Same: receipt to Wm Webster in Glenaveunie, 11 March 1766.
15. Account to Mr Gordon of Auchleuchries per shoes, 1766.
16. Robert Pittendrigh, Cadence: receipt to Wm Webster, 19 Jan 1767.
GORDON OF ESSLEIGHTON + AUCHLEUCHRIES

Accounts with Tenants: crop 1757 - crop 1763, will accounts running to 1765. Notebook.

Tenants include: Nill & Kelly, Auchnairn, Brodick, Little Neldrum and Newsom, Ruskine, etc.

LOOSE NOTES FOUND INSIDE IS ABOVE: 1747-1761

1. "Money received from the tenants at Tarves for crop 1747 and given in to Mr. Auchinleck."

2. John Neill: Rent Ardlethen: bill to Earl of Aberdeen, 29 April 1748


5. William Godsmen, Haddo House: receipt to George Lesley (for meal), 6 June 1758

6. Robert Auchinleck, Haddo House: receipt to George Lesley, 8 July 1758

7. same: receipt to John Sim (for barn), 6 May 1759.

8. same: receipt to John Lesley in Douglashead, 29 August 1760

9. same, receipt to William Ritchie, 25 November 1760

10. Mr. Robert Auchinleck's rents and payments from crop 1748 to 1760.


12. John Fullarton Inn, Leuchars to [?], giving thanks for offer of £100, 24 June 1761; will note of Will Godsmen's crop list in back.

13. Robert Auchinleck, Haddo House: receipt to Peter Nill in Melloan, 1 August 1761.

14. same, Dykeside: receipt to John Sim, 22 August 1761.

15. W. A. to the Earl of Aberdeen's factor, Charles Gordon of Auchleuchries, from Nill Auchindly: agreement to take a task of land, 5 July 1761.
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Loose Notes Continued, 1762 - 1763

1. Robert Auchinleck, Haddo House: receipt to Wm Jameson for malt beer, 29 Jan 1762
2. George Taylor, Haddo House: receipt to John Sim in Auchleuchrie, 29 Jan 1762
3. same: receipt to James Duncan in Tillycarron, 29 Jan 1762
4. same: receipt to James Chryskie, 9 Feb 1762
5. same: receipt to John Miller, for meal, 17 March 1762
6. same: receipt to Alexander Ricie for meal, 3 April 1762
7. same: receipt to William Ritchie for meal, 8 April 1762
8. same: receipt to James Lamb for meal, 15 April 1762
9. same: receipt to Elizabeth Thomson in Cairalnagie for meal, 13 May 1762
10. same: receipt to William Jameson for meal, 14 May 1762
11. same: receipt to Alex Ricie for meal, 15 May 1762
12. same: receipt to Robert George for meal, 17 May 1762
13. same: receipt to J Jock Stachan for meal, 17 May 1762
14. same: receipt to J Jock Miller for meal, 1 Jan 1763
15. same: receipt to Jock Sim for meal, 16 Feb 1763
16. same: receipt to Janet Gray for meal, 24 Feb 1763.
17. George Neeck: receipt to John Sim in Auchleuchrie for 2 hens, 12 May 1763
18. Robert Auchinleck, Haddo House: receipt to Wm Jameson for malt beer, 13 June 1763
20. George Taylor, Haddo House: receipt to Barbara Wallace, 21 July 1763
21. Receipt, 1763, sold very jaded...
22. Note of balance due by John Murray for Renten Crop 1763
23. "John Murray's charge for rent of Renten Crop..." debt acknowledged by John Murray, 1763.
2. same: receipt to Alexander Cutts for meal, 3 Feb 1764.
5. same: receipt to Win Jamieson for meal, 12 Feb 1764.
6. same: receipt to Joseph Picrie for meal, 16 March 1764.
7. same: receipt to Win Richie for meal, 21 May 1764.
8. Patrick Bline in Neathermill or Tillenait: obligation for all areas and proceedings due to the Earl of Aberdeen and Charles Gordon of Auchleuchries, 26 May, 1764.
9. George Taylor, Haddo House: receipt to Alex Chalmers for meal, 4 June 1764.
10. same: receipt to Elizabeth Thomson for meal, 4 June 1764.
11. William Reid: obligation to pay the Girdel of Haddo House meal at rent agreed on outfield ground on plains of Haunbrogy, 1764.
12. Note of cash for corn and grass, 1763-1766.
14. Note of things in George Black's house, etc., n.d.
CORDONS OF AuchentouLE.

19. **MATURE BOOK** of the lands of Auchentoule and Upper Culvic for crop 1758, also includes alphabetical list for crop 1758, and list of "shilling days", 1759.

20. **ABSTRACT RENTAL** of the lands and Barony of Laithes, Auchentoule, Elrick and Corstie, for crop and year 1768-1770, large notebook.

21. *SAME* 1771-1772

22. *SAME* 1773-1779.

Miscellaneous

23. **Miscellaneous Papers**

1. Genealogical Table of the progeny of James Gordon of Aberlour to the attainted Earl of Winton, deceased 3 April 1841.

2. Queries to be answered by Sir James Gordon about his genealogy, n.d.

3. Extract contract of marriage between Alexander Stewart and Anna Gordon, 1719, p 15 of Extract only.

Note: See also BC 11: Gordon