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The Lismore Castle papers are a very large and important collection of the records of the estates of the Boyle family, Earls of Cork and Burlington and the Cavendish family, Dukes of Devonshire situated at Lismore, Bandon, Dungarvan, Youghal, Tallow and other locations in counties Cork, Waterford, Tipperary and Dublin, and which were generated between 1586 and 1885. The collection contains a significant portion of the papers of Richard Boyle, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork, and otherwise consists largely of title deeds, leases, rentals, estate accounts, legal papers and land agents' correspondence, the greater part of which was generated between 1814 and 1885.

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## **Introduction**

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### **Family History**

#### *The Boyle Family*

Richard Boyle (1566-1643) was born at Preston, near Faversham in Kent, the second son of Roger Boyle (c1524-76), a landowner and cadet of a Herefordshire family. Richard Boyle's rise from his position as clerk to Sir Richard Manwood, Chief Baron of Exchequer, to perhaps the richest and most powerful nobleman in Ireland has been chronicled elsewhere.<sup>1</sup> It is therefore sufficient to say that between his arrival in Ireland in 1588 as clerk to Sir Edward Waterhouse, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, and his death in 1643, Boyle's career was meteoric. He not only acquired one of the largest and richest estates in Ireland, but also acquired high office – he was, in turn, clerk to the Presidential Council of Munster (1600), member of parliament for Lismore (1614), an Irish privy counsellor (15 February 1613), a lord justice of Ireland (26 October 1629), Lord High Treasurer of Ireland (24 October 1631), and an English privy counsellor (June 1640). Having been knighted on 25 July 1603, Richard Boyle was created Baron of Youghal on 6 September 1616 and advanced to the earldom of Cork (with the subsidiary title of Viscount Dungarvan) on 16 October 1620. The methods by which Boyle acquired his authority and status continue to be a matter of historical controversy, and it is hoped that the newly discovered papers in this collection will help to shed further light on Richard Boyle's remarkable career.

On 6 November 1595, Richard Boyle married Joan Apsley, daughter of William Apsley of Limerick, who died in childbirth on 14 December 1599. On 25 July 1603, Boyle married Catherine Fenton (c1588-1630), a daughter of Sir Geoffrey Fenton, having purchased the Lismore estate largely with her marriage portion of £1000. They had fifteen children, eleven of whom survived into adulthood - seven sons, including Richard Boyle (1612-98), Roger Boyle (1621-79) and Robert Boyle (1627-91), and eight daughters, including the future Katherine Jones, Viscountess Ranelagh (1615-91) and Mary Rich (1625-78), Countess of Warwick - and

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<sup>1</sup> For concise accounts of the lives of Richard Boyle and his son, the second earl, readers are advised to consult Professor Toby Barnard's recent articles in *The Oxford Dictionary of National Biography* (Oxford University Press, 2006).

Richard Boyle was astute in forging alliances with a number of aristocratic families through the marriages of his children. Having engaged in legal and political struggles with the Lord Deputy of Ireland, Thomas Wentworth (later 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Strafford) during the 1630s and then fought to retain his lands during the Irish rebellion of 1641, Richard Boyle died at Youghal on 15 September 1643, his attachment to the royalist cause having been strained by the Crown's recent truce with its adversaries.

The 'Great Earl', as he came to be styled, was succeeded by his eldest surviving son Richard Boyle, Viscount Dungarvan (1612-98), his first born son Roger Boyle having died in 1615 (another son, Lewis, Viscount Kinalmeaky was killed at the Battle of Liscarrol in 1642). On 3 July 1634, Richard had married Elizabeth Clifford (1613-91), daughter of Henry Clifford, 5<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cumberland whose inheritance included substantial land holdings in Yorkshire, Westmorland and Cumberland. Having been knighted in 1623, Richard sat as an English member of parliament for Appleby (1640-3) and was granted an English peerage as Baron Clifford of Lanesborough on 4 November 1644. Having returned to Ireland as a royalist commander at the outbreak of the uprising in 1641, the 2<sup>nd</sup> Earl of Cork was later penalized by the victorious Parliamentarians. On his return from exile in France in 1651 he faced the task of recovering and repairing his English and Irish estates. He was gradually rehabilitated after 1655 and, having entertained the Lord Protector Henry Cromwell at Lismore Castle, was re-appointed as a justice of the peace for Cork and Waterford in 1658 (a position he had first held in 1642). Following the restoration of King Charles II the Earl of Cork's position was further improved when he was appointed Lord High Treasurer of Ireland (15 November 1660) and made an Irish privy counsellor in December 1660. His good standing at the court of Charles II resulted in his advancement to the English earldom of Burlington in 1665.<sup>2</sup> As a political figure, however, Richard was outshone by his brother Roger, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Orrery who was far more active and successful in defending both the Protestant and Boyle family interests in Ireland. Nevertheless, the Earl of Cork and Burlington did serve as Governor of Cork and Waterford (1667), Lord Lieutenant of the West Riding of Yorkshire (1679-87) and Recorder of York (1685-8).

When the 2<sup>nd</sup> Earl of Cork of Burlington died on 8 February 1698 he succeeded by his grandson Charles Boyle (1663-1704), his eldest son Charles, 2<sup>nd</sup> Baron Clifford (1639-94) having predeceased him. On 28 January 1688, Charles had married Juliana Noel (1672-1750), daughter and heir of the Hon. Henry Noel, the second son of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Viscount Campden. Like his predecessor, the 3<sup>rd</sup> Earl was member of parliament for Appleby (1690-4), Governor of County Cork (1 May 1691), and held what had become the hereditary position of Lord High Treasurer of Ireland (1695-1704). He died on 9 February 1704 and was succeeded by his ten year old son. Richard Boyle (1694-1753), 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork and 3<sup>rd</sup> Earl of Burlington was renowned as an architect and art collector and was responsible for innovative building projects at Chiswick and in Piccadilly in London. He was elected a member of the Royal Society on 1 November 1722 and a fellow of the Society of Antiquaries on 5 February 1724. Although he held the posts of Lord High Treasurer of Ireland, Governor of County Cork and was a member of the Irish Privy Council, the 4<sup>th</sup> Earl never visited Ireland and merely regarded his estates there as a source of revenue for his architectural projects in England. On 21 March 1721, he married Dorothy Saville (1699-1758), daughter and co-heir of William Saville, 2<sup>nd</sup> Marquess of

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<sup>2</sup> For the purposes of this list the Irish title of the Earls has been given precedence, the holders being described as the Earls of Cork and Burlington. During their lifetimes they were more commonly known as the Lords Burlington.



Halifax from whom she had inherited extensive lands in Derbyshire and other counties of England. The couple had three daughters Dorothy (1724-42), Juliana (1727-31), and Charlotte Elizabeth (1731-54). When, on 3 December 1753, the 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington died his estates passed on to his youngest and only surviving daughter.

### *The Cavendish Family*

The Lismore estate, along with the Cork and Burlington properties in England, was inherited by William Cavendish, Marquess of Hartington (1720-1764) and heir to the 3<sup>rd</sup> Duke of Devonshire, one of the premier dukedoms in England. In what was regarded as the outstanding dynastic alliance of the time, Lord Hartington had married Lady Charlotte Boyle in 1748. The Dukes of Devonshire were descended from Sir Thomas Cavendish (*d.* 1557), Lord Chancellor of England whose marriage in 1547 to Elizabeth Barlow (1527-1608), heiress of Hardwick and later Countess of Shrewsbury founded a landed dynasty which was to become one of the largest landowners in England. Their estates centred at Chatsworth in Derbyshire which was purchased by Sir Thomas Cavendish in 1549. The Cavendish family was at the heart of the Whig party that had dominated British and Irish politics since the Hanoverian succession, and William Cavendish took a full part in political life, sitting as member of parliament for Derbyshire from 1741. He took his seat in the House of Lords in his father's barony of Cavendish in 1749, later becoming a privy counsellor, and in March 1755 he was appointed Lord Lieutenant of Ireland (his father had also held the post from 1737 to 1745). When his wife Charlotte died on 8 December 1754 her vast estates in Yorkshire and Ireland were inherited by Cavendish, who succeeded as 4<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire in December 1755. The Duke enjoyed a distinguished political career and was summoned to form a ministry in November 1756, holding the position of First Lord of the Treasury until June 1757 and remaining in the cabinet as Lord Chamberlain until November 1762. Having then fallen out of favour with King George III the Duke's political career was at an end and he died on 2 October 1764. He was succeeded by his eldest son William Cavendish (1748-1811), then a minor, who came into his inheritance in 1769. In 1774, the 5<sup>th</sup> Duke married Lady Georgiana Spencer (1757-1806), daughter of John Spencer, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl Spencer. Although he held the posts of Lord High Treasurer of Ireland, Governor of County Cork (1766-93), and Lord Lieutenant of Derbyshire (1782-1806) he was not a natural politician. Unlike his wife, who was an enthusiastic supporter of the radical Whig politician, Charles James Fox, the 5<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire lacked political ambition and three times refused cabinet office, though he did exercise tight control over the English parliamentary boroughs within his influence. Having been remarried, in October 1809, to his long time mistress Lady Elizabeth Foster he died at Devonshire House, Piccadilly on 29 July 1811 and was succeeded by his son.

Despite being an enthusiastic supporter of parliamentary reform, William George Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire (1790-1858) played only a limited role in political life. He did, however, undertake a diplomatic role on occasion, embarking on a personally expensive embassy to Russia in 1826. He was sworn of the Privy Council in April 1827 and served as Lord Chamberlain to William IV from November 1830 to December 1834. The 6<sup>th</sup> Duke's principal interests were, however, largely cultural and literary. He acquired a number of important libraries and is widely remembered for his role as patron to Sir Joseph Paxton, the celebrated landscape gardener and architect of the Crystal Palace, built to house the Great Exhibition of 1851. The 6<sup>th</sup> Duke never married and became popularly known as the 'Batchelor

Duke'. He made his first visit to Lismore as Duke in 1812 and thereafter made great efforts to develop his estates, sparing no expense in his vast redevelopments of Chatsworth House and Lismore Castle to which he later made a number of spectacular visits. Indeed, the 6<sup>th</sup> Duke has been described by one historian as “the quintessence of early nineteenth-century extravagance and financial irresponsibility”.

After a period of illness following a stroke suffered in 1854, the 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire died on 18 January 1858. He was succeeded by his cousin William Cavendish, 2<sup>nd</sup> Earl of Burlington (1808-1891), the son of William Cavendish (1783-1812) and his wife, the Hon. Louisa O’Callaghan (*d.* 1863), eldest daughter of Cornelius O’Callaghan, 1<sup>st</sup> Baron Lismore. In 1829, Lord Burlington had married Lady Blanche Georgiana Howard (1812-40), fourth daughter of George Howard, 6<sup>th</sup> Earl of Carlisle and a favourite niece of the Batchelor Duke. They had four children, Spencer Compton Cavendish (1833-1908), later leader of the Liberal party and, as the leading opponent of Irish home rule, a founder of the Liberal-Unionist party, Frederick Charles Cavendish (1836-82) who as Chief Secretary for Ireland was assassinated in Phoenix Park, Dublin, Lord Edward Cavendish MP (1838-91), and Lady Louisa Cavendish (*d.* 1907), who married Rear-Admiral Francis Egerton in 1865. Though he served as member of parliament for Cambridge University (1829-31), Malton (1831) and Derbyshire (1831-4) William Cavendish had little talent for politics. Devastated by his wife’s death in 1840, he instead devoted himself to the personal management of the Burlington estates in Lancashire and Sussex, which he had inherited in 1834. After succeeding as 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire in 1858, he took an active interest in the day-to-day running of his Irish estate. The substantial amount of correspondence between the Duke and his Irish agent, Francis Edmond Curry, attests to the close personal attention he paid to the management of the Lismore estate. In England, the Duke sought to overturn the debts he had inherited from his predecessor by making (and subsequently losing) a substantial fortune as an industrialist in England. Both as an investor and entrepreneur he pushed forward enterprises such as the Furness Railway, several steel works, and shipbuilding and dock facilities at Barrow, Lancashire. He was elected first president of the Iron and Steel Institute in 1868. The Duke also played a major role in the development of Eastbourne and Buxton as resorts, and was by 1874 probably the richest individual in the United Kingdom, with a gross income of more than £300,000. Once described as “one of the finest flowers of the Victorian nobility”, the Duke was a considerable benefactor of institutions of higher education in England, and served as the first Chancellor of the University of London (1836-56) and as Chancellor of Cambridge University (1862-91). He did, however, suffer a reversal of fortunes after the onset of the Great Depression in 1874 so that by the time of his death on 21 December 1891 he had accumulated debts of some £2 million.

The National Library’s collection of correspondence relating to the Lismore estate ends in 1885 during the 7<sup>th</sup> Duke’s tenure as proprietor. Papers relating to the involvement of his successors’ with their Irish estate between 1886 and 1920 are located in the Waterford County Archive. This period marked the family’s progressive disengagement with Ireland as landholders, though they remained regular visitors to Lismore Castle. It is perhaps sufficient to state that the later proprietors of the Lismore estate were as follows: Spencer Compton Cavendish (1833-1908), who succeeded as 8<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire in 1891, Victor Christian Cavendish (1868-1938), 9<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire from 1908, Edward William Cavendish (1895-1950), 10<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire from 1938, and Andrew Robert Cavendish (1922-2004), 11<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire from 1950. The present proprietor of the Lismore Castle estate is Peregrine Cavendish (b. 1944), who succeeded his father as 12<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire in 2004.

## The Estates

The origins of the Lismore estate lay in the Munster Plantation of the late sixteenth century. The plantation of English settlers in the province was undertaken in the wake of the unsuccessful rebellion against the English Crown, mounted between 1579 and 1583, by Gerald FitzGerald, 15<sup>th</sup> Earl of Desmond (c1533-83). Upon the seizure of land following the attainders arising from the rebellion, Desmond's enormous land holdings in Munster were distributed to undertakers. In 1586, the largest portion, consisting of more than 42,000 acres concentrated around the fertile lower reaches of the River Blackwater on the borders of counties Cork and Waterford, and with outlying portions further to the west, was presented to Sir Walter Raleigh (c1552-1616), who had participated in the suppression of the revolt.

Raleigh's holding, which included the towns of Lismore, Tallow and the coastal walled town of Youghal, made him one of the principal landowners in Munster. He nevertheless enjoyed only limited success in inducing English tenants to settle on his estates. Raleigh's management of his Irish estate soon ran in to difficulties and contributed to a decline in his fortunes. In December 1602, he sold the estate, then known as the seignory of Inchiquin, to Richard Boyle for only £1500, the purchase having been made on the insistence of Sir George Carew, the Lord President of Munster, who also acted as broker. The transaction was jeopardized by Raleigh's attainder for treason in 1603, but this obstacle was overcome when Boyle made further substantial payments to Crown officials and to Raleigh's lessees. The Lismore estate formed the nucleus of the vast land holdings which Boyle was to acquire in Munster over the next forty years. Between 1603 and 1614 he sought to secure and improve this estate and to accumulate more land in counties Cork, Waterford and Kerry. First, Boyle purchased Ballymacdonnell seignory on the Dingle peninsula, a part of the Cloghley seignory and substantial lands in Carbery and the Ivagh Peninsula, the latter two acquisitions being then divided into the Manors of Ballydehob, Clonakilty and Enniskean. He then acquired Castlemahony seignory and with it a part of the newly founded settlement at Bandon, his acquisition of the entire town being completed in 1625. Furthermore, Boyle secured important grants from the Crown in 1604, 1610, and 1614 that promised to put his possession of these lands beyond question.<sup>3</sup> Boyle, now Earl of Cork, continued to expand his estate in counties Cork and Waterford by purchasing the Kinalmeaky seignory and half of the seignory of Knocknamona, near Dungarvan. By 1622 he held seven seignories and another important grant was secured from the Crown in 1629. In 1635, the Earl acquired Skiddies Castle in Cork and, after shortly thereafter purchased parts of the Corgig and Askeaton seignories in County Limerick. By 1641, the 'Great Earl' had also purchased smaller holdings in the Kilmore and Clandonnell Roe seignories so that he then owned all or part of eleven Munster seignories. He also owned extensive property elsewhere in Ireland, including land in counties Meath, Clare, Tipperary, Roscommon, Mayo, Sligo, Dublin, Kildare, Wicklow, Wexford, King's County (Offaly), and Queen's County (Laois). At the height of his power, the Earl of Cork controlled six parliamentary boroughs in south Munster, and exerted influence in another four. He owned a substantial residence at Youghal known today as "The College", situated close to St. Mary's Collegiate Church, and a Dublin residence, Cork House, located near to Dublin Castle. He also acquired land in the English counties of Dorset and Somerset.

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<sup>3</sup> For insights into this process see Terence Ranger, 'Richard Boyle and the making of an Irish fortune, 1588-1614' in *Irish Historical Studies*, x (39), (March 1957), pp. 257-97.

The Boyle estates attracted a substantial number of English settlers, many of them from Bristol, and the Earl vigorously exploited the natural resources of his lands. He also sponsored urban development at Youghal, Lismore, Dungarvan and Tallow, founded the town of Clonakilty and rapidly expanded the town of Bandon. By doing so he stimulated trade and commerce and encouraged industries such as linen-weaving, iron-smelting, timber trades, and glass manufacture. By 1640, the Earl of Cork's Irish rents are thought to have yielded an annual sum of £18,000. In accumulating and exploiting his enormous estate in this way, the Earl overwhelmed and largely supplanted existing patterns of civilization and altered the region permanently.<sup>4</sup> By doing so, he laid durable foundations for a dynasty that, for more than a century, would dominate the economy, society, and politics of both Munster and Ireland. The enormous possessions accumulated by Richard Boyle were subsequently divided when he bequeathed the greater part of his outlying estates together with some land in County Cork to his three surviving younger sons. Roger Boyle, Baron Broghill (later 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Orrery) received virtually all the Kerry and Limerick estates, together with property in Cork and Dublin. Francis Boyle (later Viscount Shannon), received land in the barony of Barrymore together with property in Devon, and Robert Boyle inherited the Earl's estates in Connacht together with lands in several other counties of Ireland.

In spite of this sub-division of the Great Earl's land holdings, the Cork and Waterford estates inherited by his eldest son, Richard, still amounted to more than 90,000 acres. After the Irish uprising and subsequent civil wars of 1641-51 Richard Boyle, 2<sup>nd</sup> Earl of Cork, ably assisted by his wife Elizabeth, sought to re-establish the Boyle family fortunes. In May 1650 he recovered, through the payment of fines, his lands in the north of England including the Craven (Bolton Abbey) and Londesborough estates in the West and East Ridings of Yorkshire which had been acquired through his marriage. He then regained control of his Irish estates in 1653 under the terms of the Dublin Treaty of 1647. In 1667 he acquired and rebuilt what was to become Burlington House in Piccadilly and, in 1682 he purchased an estate at Chiswick in Middlesex which was to become his permanent residence. In addition, the 2<sup>nd</sup> Earl of Cork took great pains to maintain the Irish revenues on which he was financially dependent. By the 1670s, this estate is thought to have yielded an annual sum of £30,000, thus making its owner the richest man in Ireland. The Earl paid regular visits to his estates in Ireland until 1686, after which his "obsessive attentiveness" to the running of the estates began to decline and his receipts fell accordingly, in part due to the upheavals of 1688-9. Moreover, during the 1690s small plots of land had to be sold in order to finance the debts of the Earl's son, Lord Clifford.

In following years the Burlington estates in England were to be of much greater interest to the 2<sup>nd</sup> Earl's heirs. The Irish lands, however, continued to be valued as a lucrative source of revenue. Shortly after gaining possession of his estates on attaining his majority in 1715, the 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington had 64 denominations of land in counties Cork and Waterford, amounting to 49,262 Irish acres, surveyed by Josias Bateman (see sections VI.vi.1 and VI.vi.2). The management of this estate was, however, very lax and corruption was rife. In spite of the general boom in the level of rents between 1720 and 1740, the situation deteriorated to the point where, in 1737, arrears on the Lismore estate were estimated at £80,000. Earlier, in 1729 the estates had been looted for capital when some of the holdings in west Cork were sold by public auction (see I.v.2 and VI.i.8). After a second round of land sales was completed in 1738 some £280,000 had been raised, and further lands were sold to Sir William Heathcote in 1745.

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<sup>4</sup> For recent research on the economic development of Munster in this period, see David Dickson, *Old World Colony. Cork and South Munster, 1630-1830* (Cork & Madison, 2005).

After he had inherited the estates of both his father and his wife during 1754-5 William Cavendish, 4<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire was the owner of a vast landed estate composed principally of holdings in Derbyshire and Yorkshire, including Chatsworth House, Hardwick Hall, and Bolton Abbey, and an Irish estate which was valued at more than £36,000 a year. The lands he had inherited in Ireland were substantially the same as those purchased by Richard Boyle in 1602. The estate supported a diverse range of urban and rural communities and comprised agricultural land of variable quality, about 70 per cent of it in the valleys of the rivers Bride and Blackwater in west Waterford and east Cork. This included substantial holdings at Lismore and the Manors of Tallow and Lisfinny, Curriglass and Mogeely, and Connehy and Knockmorne in County Waterford, the remainder lying fifty miles to the west in and around Bandon, with smaller portions of Spittal land in the south of County Tipperary and detached portions near Cork, Youghal and Dungarvan. In an attempt to improve the profitability of these properties the estate was extensively surveyed by Bernard Scalé in during 1773-5. The 5<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, however, took little direct interest in his Irish estate. Personally lethargic, he was content to allow his agents to administer his affairs and can be said to have epitomized the role of the absentee landlord in Ireland. The years 1755 to 1792, therefore, saw the relative neglect for the Irish estates by an indifferent landlord, a situation which was exacerbated by the “spectacular maladministration” of his resident agents. Consequently, by 1792 the Duke of Devonshire’s income, influence, and interest in Ireland were at their nadir. A new system of management was therefore inaugurated and a useful snapshot of the condition of the properties at this time can be found in the reports furnished to John Heaton, the estate auditor, by the agent Henry Bowman during 1794-7 (see MS 7198, reprinted in *Analecta Hibernica*, 22). Leasing arrangements were amended in order to establish a more direct and profitable relationship between the landowner and his occupying tenants through the elimination of absentee middlemen. Efforts were also made to develop the infrastructure of the estate with projects such as the construction of an inn, river bridge and canal at Lismore. The estate escaped virtually unscathed during the 1798 rebellion and in the early nineteenth century improvements were made at Dungarvan which involved the purchase of Sir Thomas Osbourne’s estate in the town for £7,400 in 1807-10. Improvements on a smaller scale were also made at Bandon. By the second decade of the nineteenth century the Duke of Devonshire’s Irish estates were yielding more than £45,000 per annum. Unfortunately, the extravagant lifestyle enjoyed by the 5<sup>th</sup> Duke and his first wife, Georgiana, burdened his successor with debts calculated at £593,000 in 1814.

The succession of William Spencer Cavendish as 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire in 1811 marked another change in the fortunes of the Lismore estate. Whereas his predecessors had regarded the Irish possessions as a relatively remote appendage of their much larger and profitable English possessions, the 6<sup>th</sup> Duke overcame his initial ambivalence about Lismore and came to regard it with great affection, sanctioning considerable expenditure on its general improvement. He was regarded as a sympathetic landlord and generous employer, and his predecessors’ policy of expenditure for the sake of profit enhancement was superseded by a desire to enhance the urban landscape of Lismore and its environs. Efforts were also made to create employment and improve the living conditions of rural tenants by increasing expenditure on the agricultural estate. The reconstruction and refurbishment of the estate towns, begun after 1792 was further accelerated and constituted one of the high points of interventionist management on the estate. Between 1821 and 1832 almost £50,000 was spent on improvements, chiefly to urban properties, with almost £30,000 being expended on Lismore

alone.<sup>5</sup> The 6<sup>th</sup> Duke also spent large sums on extravagant renovation work at Chatsworth House and Lismore Castle. Improvements to the latter during 1812-20 cost £43,000 and large scale re-building was again undertaken between 1849 and 1858. Such ‘building mania’ as this inevitably saddled the Devonshire estate with considerable debts as more than half of the Duke’s increasingly large annual income (which stood at £100,000 per annum by the 1830s) had to be expended on interest payments, jointures and annuities. All the same, even when faced with a severe financial crisis in 1844-5 the Duke resisted Sir Joseph Paxton’s advice to sell his Irish estate (its sale had first been considered in 1829), though from the mid-1840s onwards the managerial ethos of the estate became one of containment and contraction.

On his succession to the title in 1858, the 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire found the family estates in a condition of “unexampled splendour and severe indebtedness”. He therefore decided that the Lismore estate, which had remained intact since coming into the possession of the Cavendish family, could no longer be maintained in its current state. Consequently, between 1859 and 1862 the urban holdings at Dungarvan and Youghal, being the two most expensive and contentious parts of the estate to manage, were sold. Although this sale marked the first stage of the Cavendish family’s patronal disengagement with Ireland the 7<sup>th</sup> Duke, who had brought his Burlington holdings at Holker Hall in north Lancashire and Compton Place in Eastbourne, Sussex, back into the main line of the Cavendish family, remained one of the largest landowners in the United Kingdom. By 1876, his total landholdings amounted to 198,572 acres (including land in eleven English counties) at an annual valuation of £190,000, of which 60,000 acres were located in counties Waterford and Cork with an annual valuation £35,000. Unlike his immediate predecessor, the 7<sup>th</sup> Duke regarded the Lismore estate as a responsibility to be discharged rather than a possession to be enjoyed and he pressed his agents to increase the Irish remittances in order to help to clear his uncle’s debts of £1 million. At the same time, given the huge increase in the Duke’s industrial and investment income from his English enterprises (from £120,000 in 1858 to £310,000 in 1874), the Irish revenues lost their earlier importance and the Cork and Waterford estates came to be increasingly regarded as a disposable assets. Although the liberal management of the Irish estates had minimized the effects of successive campaigns, mounted by the Irish Land and National Leagues, to secure better conditions for Irish tenant farmers, estate income fell markedly in 1879-80 and began a progressive decline after 1882. A number of legislative measures subsequently introduced by the British government brought about a revolution in the ownership of land in Ireland and following the death of the 7<sup>th</sup> Duke in 1891 a decision was made to initiate the progressive dismemberment of the Irish estate. In fact, Spencer Compton Cavendish, 8<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire welcomed the opportunity to dispose of land that had become increasingly difficult and expensive to manage. The holdings at Bandon were sold in 1894 and, after the Land Purchase Acts were passed in 1903 and 1909, ever larger parts of the Lismore estate were sold to the Estate Commissioners and ownership of the land passed into the hands of former tenants. By 1914, land to the value of £1,450,000 had been sold, chiefly in Ireland and Derbyshire. The Irish estate was subsequently further reduced in size, with Lismore Castle remaining as the only substantial property of the Dukes of Devonshire in Ireland.

## **Estate Management**

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<sup>5</sup> Readers wishing learn more about the development of these urban estates should consult the works of Professor Lindsay Proudfoot listed in the bibliography.

The greater portion of the papers in the present collection amply illustrate the nature of estate management in Ireland from 1600 to 1885. Such large, diverse and widespread land holdings as those of the Boyle and Cavendish families meant that different parts of the estate posed very different management problems. These became increasingly complex as Irish society became subject to the forces of modernization. The resident agent was therefore a key figure in the management of the property, being responsible for the routine administration of estate affairs, the collection of rent, the valuation of property, the negotiation of leases and tenancies, the enforcement of covenants, and the supervision of improvements. He had to pursue management strategies that would guarantee the proprietor's income by sustaining remittances, controlling expenditure, and safeguarding his property. He was also expected to act as the owner's representative in local affairs and as his political and election agent.

During the time of the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Earls of Cork agents accounts were rigorously scrutinized by the proprietor. After 1698, however, when the owners of the estates lived permanently in England the resident agents were largely left to their own devices provided that they collect rents in full and remit them punctually. Such large estates as those at Lismore and Bandon required a phalanx of managers. A team of four were responsible for running the estate and under them flourished a large number of collectors, bailiffs and seneschals. In the 1730s, as the 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington sought to extract ever greater revenues to underwrite his building projects the system was overhauled and fewer but better paid agents were employed. While the administrative centre of the estate remained in Lismore Castle (supported by subordinate agencies in Bandon, Dungarvan and Youghal), the strategic guidance of estate matters was placed in the hands of an auditor in London.

After the acquisition of the Burlington estates by the Duke of Devonshire the Irish agency became one of a number of regional agencies within an administratively centralized network. It was gradually incorporated into "a highly stratified functional hierarchy, in which individual responsibilities were carefully demarcated in geographical and operational terms." During this time the estates had been administratively divided into two distinct portions – the western part centred on Bandon and the eastern on Youghal and Lismore. The two agencies were amalgamated in 1764 when William Conner (the younger) assumed responsibility as agent, but the running of the Bandon estate was to remain a semi-autonomous enterprise. The fifth Duke's indifference concerning the management of his affairs led to a period of neglect between 1760 and 1790. A lax and irregular system of administration developed which encouraged the resident agents to manipulate their employers' interests for personal gain. An important reform was therefore made in 1791 when the Devonshire estates throughout the British Isles were brought under the supervision of a single London-based auditor (John Heaton), who dismissed the Irish agent and laid down broad principles of estate management to be implemented by his successors.

Over the following years managerial policies were initiated which were designed to tighten the Duke's economic control over his tenants, thereby increasing his income and re-establishing his social authority and political influence, particularly in the towns of Bandon, Dungarvan and Youghal. In this task the resident agent at Lismore enjoyed the assistance of a sub-agent at Bandon and local bailiffs at Youghal and Dungarvan. After 1814, the Duke of Devonshire's property rights were also more vigorously defended, as can be seen in the large number of legal documents in the present collection (see sections III.ii, III.iii and III.v). This involved the services of law agents, solicitors retained by the estate to undertake all of the proprietor's legal transactions, including the preparation of leases and the frequent court cases

brought to secure the Duke's income from fisheries and the collection of tithes. Efforts were made during the long tenure of Francis E. Curry as agent (1839-85) to use the open-handed patronage of his employers to improve the local economy and with it the fortunes of the estate. The sale of Dungarvan and Youghal in 1859-62, however, ushered in a new management strategy in which ever more stringent control was placed on estate spending. During this period the Lismore estate enjoyed an increasingly subordinate status within the Devonshire patrimony as Irish remittances as a percentage of total income, which had stood at a maximum of 30% in 1855, fell to 8% in 1873 before rising again to 15% in 1878. Nevertheless, unlike many nineteenth-century Irish estates the properties were administered in a manner "designed to ensure harmonious landlord-tenant relations rather than to maximize net income" and continued to be managed with great efficiency and integrity into the twentieth century.

## The Collection

The Lismore archive held by the National Library of Ireland is a very large and exceptionally valuable example of a collection of manuscript documents accumulated by a landed estate in Ireland between the late sixteenth and late nineteenth centuries. The collection includes a large amount of legal instruments relating to the ownership of land, such as title deeds, leases, mortgages and documents arising from litigation such as cases, judgments, briefs and opinions, many of which date from the seventeenth century. As such, this part of the collection provides valuable information on patterns of landholding and legal issues arising from the possession of land between 1580 and 1870. There is also a large amount of correspondence concerning the management of the estate, a large number of rentals and account books, as well as a significant number of surveys, valuations, maps, drawings, and charters.

In October 1952, a large portion of these papers, comprising several tons of manuscript material, was removed from the tower and estate office at Lismore Castle and placed on loan to the National Library of Ireland by the Duke of Devonshire (Accession No. 1188, see *Trustees Report for 1952-3*). After an initial examination and arrangement of the collection, portions of the material, consisting mainly of bound volumes and including many rentals and account books were catalogued by the Library and listed in Richard Hayes, *Manuscript Sources for the History of Irish Civilization*, vol. 1 (MSS 6315-7220). A second portion, consisting chiefly of correspondence dating from the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries, including many of the papers of Richard Boyle, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork, was later provisionally listed in Hayes, *Manuscript Sources for the History of Irish Civilization, First Supplement*, vol. 1 (MSS 12,813 & 13,226-13,256). However, due to other pressing commitments it was not possible to proceed further with the processing and cataloguing of the remainder of such an extensive archive. In 2001, the remaining archive was identified as suitable for processing. The present list thus makes the previously unprocessed collection of manuscripts in the Lismore archive, consisting of many thousands of deeds, leases, legal documents, letters, estate records and accounts, generally available to researchers for the first time. The Lismore Castle manuscripts previously listed by the National Library have been incorporated into the present list at the appropriate points.

The estate papers that remained in Lismore Castle after 1952 were surveyed by Anthony Malcolmson and Professor Peter Jupp in 1983, and some of the nineteenth-century political correspondence was transcribed (see National Library Special Collection List 336, parts 1 and 2). Some years later most of these papers were deposited with Waterford County Archives Service, and the remainder was surveyed by the University of Cork in 1996. In May 2005, those



of the papers generated prior to 1920, consisting largely of maps and drawings, were transferred from Lismore Castle to the National Library and Waterford County Archive. When work began on the present list it was decided to make a rational division of the whole collection between the two depositories. Consequently, all of the Lismore Castle papers generated up until 1870 are now held by the National Library and are listed in the following pages. In addition, it was decided that for the sake of continuity all agents' correspondence and legal papers concerning fisheries generated up to 1885 would be deposited in the National Library. With this exception, the Lismore Castle papers generated between c1580 and 1870 are held by the National Library of Ireland, papers generated between 1870 and 1920 are held by Waterford County Archives Service and papers generated after 1920 remain in the custody of the Duke of Devonshire at Lismore Castle.

While there are a few original documents in the present collection of a date prior to 1580, records of a more or less continuous character date from the time of Sir Walter Raleigh from whom Richard Boyle (afterwards 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork) purchased the nucleus of his vast estate. A significant portion of the collection therefore consists of the personal papers of Richard Boyle, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork, a highly significant and controversial figure in early sixteenth-century Ireland and England (see section IV). The papers of the Great Earl held by the National Library of Ireland fall into two parts. The first consists of 41 National Library manuscripts containing approximately 400 documents, including letters and legal papers, and about thirty volumes of rentals, accounts and registers of deeds. These documents were briefly described some years ago and can be found listed in Richard Hayes, *Manuscript Sources for the History of Irish Civilisation*, vols. 1, pp. 704-7 and its *First Supplement*, vol. 1, pp. 157 & 417. Of the above manuscripts, a number have been microfilmed. A second, previously unlisted portion of the Great Earl's papers, consists of 1067 documents, including letters, official papers, reports and memoranda, petitions, legal papers, registers of deeds, rentals, accounts and financial papers, and about 500 leases, deeds, settlements and other contracts. These documents are now included in the present list.

The papers relating to Earls of Cork held at Chatsworth House, known as the 'Lismore Papers', consist of about 5,200 documents dating between 1586-1774. After the papers came into the possession of the House of Devonshire they were chronologically arranged and compiled into 33 massive unbound volumes and 3 bound volumes. In 1864, all 36 volumes were calendared in a four volume manuscript of nearly 900 closely written folio pages. Each of the documents is described and, in many cases, summarised, so that, it has been remarked, "a vigilant reader of the Calendar is put in practical possession of the contents of the entire Lismore Papers."<sup>6</sup> This manuscript calendar is held by the National Library (NLI MS 12,813) and an eight volume typescript copy is held at Chatsworth House.<sup>7</sup>

Some of the 'Lismore Papers' have been transcribed and published. In 1885, in order to compile the First Series of 'Lismore Papers' (5 vols., 1886), Rev. A.B. Grossart was entrusted with the Calendar and volumes 25-27 of the papers (the 1st Earl's diaries, 1611-43). He was later given access to the entire collection of 'Lismore Papers' from which he selected 573 public (state) and private papers for the Second Series (5 vols., 1887-8). His selections were made from vols. 1 - 24 of the 'Lismore Papers', which cover the lifetime of the 1st Earl and consist of 4100 documents. While the five volumes of the Second Series consist chiefly of Richard Boyle's correspondence, the first two volumes also contain transcripts of deeds, leases and

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<sup>6</sup> Grosart, *The Lismore Papers*, First Series, vol. 1, p. xii; Second Series, vol. 5, p. 286.

<sup>7</sup> See 'The Chatsworth Papers (T/3158)' (<http://proni.nics.gov.uk/records/private/Chatsw.htm>).

accounts etc., and volumes three to five also contain transcripts of legal documents. In each case Grossart cited the volume and reference number of the document as found in the original collection and included occasional comments on the state of preservation and legibility of documents. Historians have, however, questioned the accuracy of some of Grossart's work. Although Grossart worked on the papers at his home near Blackburn he states that the papers were at that time preserved at Lismore Castle, and documents in the present collection indicate that he returned the papers to the Duke of Devonshire's agent in Ireland.<sup>8</sup> It therefore remains unclear when the Lismore Papers were transferred from Lismore Castle to Chatworth House.

According to Terence Ranger and Nicholas Canny, two professional historians who have studied the life of the Great Earl, there are, in addition to the 'Lismore Papers', other documents relating to the Great Earl at Chatsworth. Canny suggests that there are two letter books covering Richard Boyle's political career from 1629 to 1643 and a book of patents relating to his lands (for a microfilm of the volume covering 1629-33, see POS 2924 in section IV.i). Ranger, however, earlier stated that one of the letter books had been lost.<sup>9</sup> Grossart claimed that some of the papers of the Great Earl found their way into the collections of the Royal Dublin Society (Cork MSS), the British Museum, Lambeth Palace and elsewhere via Dr. Charles Smith (1715-62), the historian of Cork, Waterford and Kerry. Grossart claimed that Smith had in using the papers loaned to him "in every way betrayed the confidence put in him by the Boyle family."<sup>10</sup> (For a list of the papers that Smith returned to Lismore Castle in 1749, see section V.iii.14). There are a number of documents relating to the Great Earl in the collections of the British Library and Lambert Palace Library (see Carew MSS),<sup>11</sup> and Ranger suggests that many of the items in the British Library (Add MSS 19831-19832) are pages that Smith removed from the Chatsworth letter books.

In addition to the papers of the Great Earl of Cork, the present collection also contains many later volumes and documents relating to the administration of the Lismore estates, including a particularly comprehensive collection of rentals. These manuscripts hold valuable genealogical information about the tenants who occupied the land on the estate, their rent payments and conditions of occupancy. The collection also contains a large collection of estate accounts, maps and surveys relating to the Lismore estates and data on buildings (including many fine architectural drawings). These documents provide useful information on the value, extent and lay-out of the estates at various dates. This material is supplemented by a varied collection of letters from agents, lawyers and others transacting business with the estate. There is a large collection of legal documents and correspondence relating to wills, marriage settlements, trusts and more personal items such as commissions and appointments to office. There are also personal and domestic accounts detailing incomes and expenditure. Perhaps the largest single component of the collection is the business correspondence of land and law agents. Like other agents of large landowners the agents were active in local administration, serving as magistrates and sheriffs, as well as serving on poor law guardian boards and grand juries. Some of them also played a significant role in politics and public affairs and held positions as members of parliament. The correspondence in this collection reflects their

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<sup>8</sup> It has been suggested that Grosart was responsible for dividing the Boyle family papers, but this appears to be incorrect, see R.W. Dudley Edwards and Mary O'Dowd (eds.), *Sources For Early Modern Irish History 1534-1641* (Cambridge, 1985), p. 143.

<sup>9</sup> See Nicholas Canny, *The upstart earl. A study of the social and mental world of Richard Boyle, first Earl of Cork 1566-1643* (Cambridge, 1982) and Ranger, *op cit*, p. 263.

<sup>10</sup> See Grosart, *The Lismore Papers*, Second Series, vol. 5, p. 287.

<sup>11</sup> See *Sources For Early Modern Irish History*, pp. 153-4.

involvement in these various spheres. Of particular interest is the collection of documents and letters relating to the parliamentary boroughs of Bandon, Dungarvan and Youghal, some of which date back to the 1660s.

Taken as a whole, the Lismore Castle papers constitute an important primary source for the study of many aspects of the social, economic and political history of those parts of Munster where the Boyle and Cavendish properties were situated. They also provide valuable insights into the life and times of two highly prominent landed families between 1585 and 1885.

### **The Structure of the List**

As it was not possible to determine the original order of the archive, which had been largely upset, a new arrangement was imposed. The archive is now arranged into eight divisions of varying size which relate to (1) deeds, (2) leases, (3) legal papers, (4) papers of the 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork, (5) estate correspondence, (6) estate records, (7) public administration and elections, (8) miscellanea and pedigrees. Each division is sub-divided into groups according to the specific type or function of the documents it contains (as indicated in the Table of Contents), with the exception of sections (3) where documents are sub-divided according to the legal case to which they refer and (5) where they are arranged under the name of the recipient of the letters in question. The collection is in good condition for the most part, although some of the paper documents have become fragile and worn and a number have suffered water damage.

### **Allied Materials**

As stated above, a large number of Lismore Castle papers dating from 1870-1920 have been deposited with Waterford County Archives Service (Dungarvan Library Building, Davitt's Quay, Dungarvan). Further papers relating to the Irish estates of the Dukes of Devonshire remain in Chatsworth House. These include the 'Lismore Papers' consisting largely of the correspondence and papers of the 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork (see above), papers relating to the 1<sup>st</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> Dukes of Devonshire, Irish agents' letter-books (1693-1758) and more recently discovered agents' letters (1766-1812). The latter two sets of papers, along with the vice-regal papers of the 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Dukes of Devonshire, have been photocopied and the copies deposited in the Public Record Office of Northern Ireland (T/3158).<sup>12</sup> Also at Chatsworth is an important collection of papers deposited by the Duke of Devonshire's auditors Currey & Co., which contains a significant amount of information concerning the administration of the Lismore estate. A description of the Devonshire archives can be found in the Historical Manuscripts Commission guide *Principal family and estate collections A-K* (1996).

In addition to the Chatsworth material, a smaller collection of correspondence between Richard, 2<sup>nd</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington and his wife, Elizabeth (including a copy of their marriage settlement) can be found in the Althorp (Spencer family) papers in the British Library (Add. MSS 75353-75357). Papers relating to the family estate at Londesborough in Yorkshire are held by the Manuscripts Department of the University of Hull, and a small number of documents relating to the Lismore estate (mostly dated 1725) have been deposited in the London Metropolitan Archives (ref. Q/CML). Other manuscripts in the National Library of Ireland which relate to the Earls of Cork and Dukes of Devonshire but do not form part of the Lismore Castle collection are listed in Appendix I below.

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<sup>12</sup> See 'The Chatsworth Papers (T/3158)'.

A number of junior branches of the Boyle family arose from the 1<sup>st</sup> Earl's decision to divide his estates amongst his four sons. The letters and papers of Roger Boyle, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Orrery and other members of the Boyle family are held in the National Library of Ireland (MSS 32-36A & 13,177-13,225) and have been calendared, see Edward MacLysaght, *Calendar of the Orrery Papers* (Dublin, 1941). Also of some interest will be the papers of Henry Boyle of Castlemartyr, Co. Cork, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Shannon (1684-1764), the great-grandson of the 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork and Speaker of the Irish House of Commons. A collection of the papers of the Earls of Shannon are held in the National Library of Ireland (MSS 13,295-13,306) and a larger collection is held by the Public Record Office of Northern Ireland (D/2707). In addition, microfilms of the papers of renowned scientist Robert Boyle (1627-91) are held by the National Library of Ireland (see NLI POS 9107-9122) and further information concerning these papers can be found in *Collections from the Royal Society: Letters and Papers of Robert Boyle. A Guide to the Manuscripts and Microfilm* (University Publications of America, 1992). The correspondence of the 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire's agent, the celebrated architect and landscape gardener Sir Joseph Paxton (1801-65) is held at Chatsworth House, with additional papers being deposited in University College, London, the Royal Botanic Gardens, Kew, and Durham County Record Office. Lastly, the National Library of Ireland also holds typescript copies of letters to Louisa Egerton (daughter of William Cavendish, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire), mostly from her sister-in-law, Lady Frederick Cavendish, 1864-1904 (NLI MS 21,986).

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## Appendices

### Appendix 1: Additional Manuscripts of the Earls of Cork and Burlington and Dukes of Devonshire in the National Library of Ireland

- MS 3304**                      Abstracts of leases granted by the Earls of Cork in respect of lands in counties Cork and Waterford, 1 item  
c1605-94

- D 27624-8** Deeds of the Earl of Cork mainly concerning lands in County Kerry, but including one relating to Gurranabraher, Co. Cork, 5 items  
1620-34
- MS 18,999** Grant from Richard Boyle, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork, as guardian of the wardship of George, Earl of Kildare, giving the stewardship of the manors of Adare, Crome, Tuberneagh and Athlacca in Co. Limerick to William Creagh, 1 item  
Dec 1629
- MS 28** “The Earl of Cork’s True Remembrances”, the autobiography of Richard Boyle, 1566-1632, 1 item
- MS 2018** An eighteenth-century copy of the memoirs of Richard Boyle, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork, written in 1632, 1 item
- MS 8366** Typescript copy of a general settlement of the estates of Richard Boyle, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork, dated 14 May 1636, 1 item  
n.d. (from the Northamptonshire Record Office)
- MS 8143** Memorandum of an agreement between Valentine Greatrakes and Richard Boyle, 2<sup>nd</sup> Earl of Cork, concerning the boundaries of an estate in County Waterford, 1 items  
24 May 1669
- MS 9174** Illuminated address of welcome to the Duke of Devonshire from the pupils of the Christian Brothers School, Lismore, Co. Waterford, with the signatures of Michael I. Laffan and Edward A. O’Donnell, Superior, 1 item  
10 Oct 1871
- MS 17,854** Account of the rise to power of Richard Boyle, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork, and regarding the purchase of land from Sir Walter Raleigh; as related by his son Richard Boyle and written in the hand of Sir Robert Southwell (2 pp.), 1 item  
29 Apr 1674 (formerly in the Phillips Collection)
- MS 42,015/ 1-2** Rent roll of the estate in Ireland, lying in the counties of Cork and Waterford, of Richard, 3<sup>rd</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington, as settled in 1738, with ALS from Richard Boyle to an unidentified correspondent, dated 22 December 1730, 2 items  
1730-8

**Appendix 2. The observations of Sir James Abercromby and his instructions to William Ashby in 1814** (see section V.iii.18.A)

The observations & instructions in this book are in the handwriting of the late Mr. James Abercromby, afterwards Lord Dunfermline, & appear to have been intended for the guidance of Mr. W.A. Ashby who was appointed Agent over the Duke of Devonshire's Irish Estates in 1814. Mr. Abercromby was Auditor to the then Duke of Devonshire. Mr. Ashby was succeeded in the management of the Duke's Irish property in 1817 by the late W.S. Curry.

F.E. Curry Nov 4<sup>th</sup>. 1895

My Dear Sir,

In compliance with the promise which I made to you, I shall now endeavour to state to you as fully & clearly as I can all the opinions I entertain with respect to the execution of the very laborious & most important duty which you have so kindly undertaken to discharge. You are probably aware that I went to Ireland without having conversance with any person who could give me the slightest information respecting the past or present condition of the Duke of Devonshire's property in that Country. My residence in Ireland did not exceed one month; & the greater part of my time was past [*sic*] with those who appeared to me to take a very narrow & in many respects an erroneous view of what relates to the management of a large estate in an unimproved district of Ireland. It was therefore impossible for me to have acquaintance with the details of so extensive an Estate & the opinions which I have formed apply generally to properties in the condition in which I believe that you will find Lismore & its neighbourhood. I hope that you will do me the justice to think that I am not so presumptuous as [*to*] consider the opinions which I hold, in any other light than as views which I shall upon receiving further information be most ready, upon conviction, to modify or change as circumstances may arise.

The Duke of Devonshire's Estates in Ireland consist of 61,235 acres in the Counties of Waterford & Cork (Statute measure) & of 57 acres (Irish measure) in the Co. of Tipperary, & of the Tithes of at least 20 Parishes. There are also five Towns on his Estates namely Lismore which by means of a Canal of about 3 miles in length communicates with the navigable part of the Blackwater, Tallow on the Bride navigable to Tallow Bridge, Bandon on the river Bandon which is navigable a few miles below the Town, Youghal & Dungarvan on the sea. There are also the villages of Kilpatrick & Inniskean at the opposite extremities of the Bandon Estate.

Some parts of the Estate are still out upon old leases for lives, but for the greater part is held by tenants at will. In consequence of a resolution which was formed some time ago not to renew to middle men but to let to occupying tenants, many large & valuable farms are in an untended condition, having been let from year to year in very small allotments to the undertenants of the middle men, & who were considered as the occupying tenants when the old leases dropped.

The Towns with the exception of Dungarvan are in a most decayed & untended condition, no building leases having been out for a length of time. The effect of this system has been practically felt at Bandon which was once a flourishing manufacturing Town, but as no facilities were afforded by the Landlord many people of substance have gone to Clonakilty a Town of Ld. Shannon's upon the sea.

Having thus given a general view of the nature of the Property I shall now state what occurs to me with respect to the best manner of letting the land, the Tithes, & of granting building leases, adding a few general observations relating to other improvements & to the political interests of the Duke of Devonshire.

Leases: In Ireland the Landlord incurs no expense in building Farm Houses or other improvements, all of which devolve on the tenant. There are few tenants who have much Capital & consequently there are few who are equal to the cultivation of a large farm. Many persons still adhere to the old practice of letting for their lives, but perhaps the most advisable course is to let for 21 years, with one concurrent life. This seems to be a sufficient length of lease to induce an industrious tenant to expend his Capital upon the Farm, & the addition of a concurrent life, which increases the Tenant's chance of a longer term in his farm, increases the political influence of the Landlord which is unfortunately a necessary consideration in Ireland. The power of naming the life should be reserved to the Landlord, & one ought to be chosen whose reasonable chance of life does not exceed 21 years. In the settlement of the Duke of Devonshire's Irish Estates I have inserted the power of letting Leases for 31 years, as in a property so extensive cases may occur in which the exercise of such a power might be desirable owing to the scanty capitals of the Tenants, many persons think that a farm of 50 or 60 acres, is as much as the greater part can cultivate with advantage. At all events the limit ought to be fixed by the means which the Tenant can command for cultivating & improving his Farm. On the Bandon Estate I believe that you will find more people of substance & with the means of cultivating larger farms. In order to allot the Estate, particularly at Lismore, in farms of a reasonable size, many of the Cotter Tenants as they are called, must be removed. Considering the attachment of the Irish to their national soil, & the difficulty under which many of them would labour if they were compelled to emigrate, in consequence of their ignorance of any language but the Irish, it is necessary to make some provision for those who are to be removed. The only expedient that has ever occurred or been suggested to me, is to fix them in the mountainous districts of the Estate, where some encouragement should be held out to them, & where whatever they do will be an improvement. This however is only a publication of the evil of a redundant population, but by degrees the worst subjects may be removed, other will naturally fail, & their allotments may be given to their more successful & industrious neighbours. In this place as well as in the letting of all other Lands, the best considered precautions must be adopted to prevent the Tenants from underletting & subdividing their Lands. The habit of subdividing even the smallest allotments among the different members of the Family is so inveterate, that altho' it may be checked, it is surely possible to suppress it altogether. In the Leases two rents may be fixed - one to be paid by the Tenant while he occupies the land himself - the other to be paid in the event of his underletting, & which ought to be fixed at a higher rate than any profit which he could claim from subletting. Notice ought also to be generally given that no Leases will be renewed where the Lands have been underlet or subdivided except when done with your permission. On Lord Courtenay's Estate in Limerick the scheme of improving a mountainous district by letting Land in small allotments has been very successfully carried into execution. It is desirable not to embarrass Leases by numerous & unnecessary covenants - such only should be inserted, as can with propriety be rigidly & constantly enforced. The Courts of Law in Ireland lean very decidedly in favour of the Tenant, & lay hold of any slight circumstance which can be considered as a waiver by the Landlord. The covenants to be introduced with the Leases will require a great deal of consideration, & all the information that can be collected, will be necessary before we finally decide on the form of Lease which is to serve as a precedent for the whole. For that purpose I have procured copies of the Leases granted on some of the largest Estates in Ireland. Lord Fitzwilliam's system is said to be good & will be accessible to you. There is in Ireland an act of Parliament for the



encouragement of Planting – every aid should be given to that species of Improvement. The houses of the Tenantry are in general wretched, but to give them comfortable dwellings before they have acquired a taste for comfort, is only a fruitless effort to force that state of society which results & follows from the acquisition of wealth. Where there is any disposition to improve the style & comfort of these dwellings it is desirable & is indeed a duty, to assist them by giving them timber or by contributing such materials as it is most difficult for them to procure. In the neighbourhood of Lismore there is abundance of Lime which is used as manure & for which, if I have not been misinformed, the Tenants have been obliged to pay. This surely is bad economy, for what can be so valuable to the Landlord as the improvement of his Land. If restraints are necessary to prevent abuse, such as experience suggests may be adopted (!), but I cannot conceive that paying for that which is to improve the Land, is a restraint that ought to be continued. The Estate has been lately valued by Mr. Popham, one of the most considerable Tenants at Bandon – this may be of use as a guide but ought not to be adopted as a rule. In order to give you some assistance it may be advisable to have a farm in the Duke's hands which may be managed by a Scotch Bailiff, when example may be useful to others & if he becomes popular, & conducts himself well, he may then be fixed in a Farm of his own, which may be done with safety as he will not be considered as an intruder. The uncertain & fluctuating state of the markets renders this an inexpedient moment for entering into permanent contracts, & you will therefore have abundance of time to become acquainted with the Estate & the principal Tenantry. I have no idea that it will be found advisable to grant many Leases at a time as care must be taken as far as it is practicable to do so in the choice of Tenants. There will be I have no doubt a clamour raised if Leases are not at once granted to all the principal occupiers of Land, but that will be best met by at once declaring your intention to proceed gradually & at your own pace.

The Tithes have been heretofore out annually to Tithe Proctors. This is a most unpopular class of people in Ireland - & I do believe that the charges of severity which are preferred against them are not without foundation. They have no interest but that of raising the largest possible sum from the Farmers. The Duke's great property in Tithes instead of being a source of popularity & power has made him unpopular & has diminished his influence. This system ought unquestionably to be abandoned. There are two other ways in which the Tithes can be let. The one is by letting them to a few of the principal resident Proprietors in each Parish, in trust for the whole, binding them down not to exact more from the Parish than they pay to the Owner. The other is by letting them to the most considerable resident Gentleman in each Parish, who will stand in the place of the Proctor, only binding him down not to underlet. The first is clearly the best for the public. The other would contribute most to the increase of the Duke's influence by attaching to his interest a large body of powerful Gentry. It remains therefore to be considered whether the latter course could be adopted without injuring the real interests of the Farmers. The influence ought clearly to be sacrificed to the general good, but not without consideration. It might be said that a benefit conferred on the great body of Tenantry in the County ought to be the best mode of increasing the Duke's influence, but you will find that Tenants very rarely oppose the wishes of the Landlords in political matters. It is even considered as a point of honor not to canvass the tenantry in opposition to the declared wishes of the Landlord. For this year I believe that the Tithes are out upon the old Leases, & even if they are not, it may be desirable to continue it, but accompanying it with an assurance that next

year the system will be changed, & that will afford time for consideration. The decision evidently depends upon the acquisition of local knowledge & details.

The Building Lease must necessarily be so extended as to afford adequate encouragement to those who may be disposed to lay out their money in Building. A Lease of 99 years, or three lives seems to be sufficient as an encouragement to any class of persons who are likely to offer. In some cases, they may, if necessary be for a shorter period. The habits of the Irish people are such as to make it necessary that all plans for building should include a considerable space behind their houses, where they may stow their food & for other purposes. As connected with all plans for building it is desirable to keep all the ground in the immediate vicinity of the Towns out of Lease so that they may be let from year to year. At Bandon it is represented to me that there are many persons of substance who will come forward to build if Leases are to be granted. This may be perhaps ultimately correct to a considerable extent, but I shall be surprised if it is found to be capable of being immediately carried into execution upon a large scale. Some Houses upon a handsome & expensive tho' a rather inconvenient plan have been built by the Duke of Devonshire & which are intended to serve as a model for others. This system is on many accounts objectionable - it requires a large sum to be expended - it is not easy to find Tenants who will give such a rent as will be an adequate return for the money invested, & involves constant disputes & expense in repairs. No Buildings therefore, at least as private houses should be undertaken by the Duke, unless in some particular cases when it may be more desirable to build cottages for the poorest class of people who could not afford to erect them in a substantial manner. One of the first objects therefore will be to arrange a plan for the future buildings at Bandon & to announce that proposals will be received for building allotments. The execution of this plan upon which the attention of the people is fixed will inspire confidence by showing them that what has been long promised is now about to be fulfilled. The Duke of Devonshire now returns a member for Dungarvan, & has hitherto returned alternately with Lord Bandon for the Town of Bandon. At Dungarvan the right of voting is in 40/- freeholders & householders of £5. At present I fear the number of registered voters is against the Duke, but new houses are building & many new voters will be added this Xmas. Mr. Humble has a considerable interest in Dungarvan which supports the Duke, as well as Mr. Walter Giles & some others of inferior importance. The new economy I am persuaded is to buy up all the small proprietors within the Manor of Dungarvan as they come into the Market & to secure such a preponderance as will suppress all future opposition. The Duke has the appointment of the returning officer.

The corporation of Bandon is exclusively with Ld. Bandon whose family obtained it thro' the supineness of those who managed for the Duke of Devonshire. In 1765 there was an agreement for dividing the power - this agreement I have never seen, but from what I have been able to collect, the Bandon family have at times shown a disposition to recede from it, tho' hitherto I believe that they have not departed from it in practice. I shall endeavour to trace the history of the transaction & you shall be put into possession of it as soon as possible. The only hold upon Lord Bandon is the possession of a part of his Park which is now out of Lease & is held from year to year. He would be glad to have a Lease but that cannot be granted without adequate security for possession of half of the political influence by such a nomination of corporators as shall give ample security to both parties.

The Borough of Youghal is now in the possession of the corporation & of Lord Shannon. There are various questions now pending with respect to this Borough, of which I cannot hope to put you in full possession in this general sketch. It is perhaps enough to say that

nearly the whole Town belongs to the Duke of Devonshire. The right of voting at present is now in the Freemen made by the corporation. The present Freemen are partly in the interest of the corporation, & I believe a majority are in the interest of Ld. Shannon. Those in the Interest of Ld. Shannon have been made within these few years, & by the negligence of the Duke's agents the time within which the validity of their appointment could by law be questioned expired last August. This has been a great misfortune because the Duke has a chance of obtaining a decisive hold over the corporation but he has no such chance with Ld. Shannon. If the corporation should declare for the Duke it would be necessary to make forthwith a body of Freemen sufficient to outvote Ld. Shannon's friends, & I need not enlarge upon the danger of increasing the number of Irish voters. The chance which the Duke has of gaining the corporation depends upon the results of certain actions which are likely to be fixed at the next Cork Assizes & by which his right to certain Lands which have been usurped by individual members of the corporation will be decided. If he succeeds the corporation will be at his mercy. It may be well here to remark that one of the conditions which ought to be insisted upon in case of success is the surrender for a valuable consideration of Leases for ever which were granted by one of the Shannon Family (acting for the then Duke of Devonshire) to members of the corporation of Lands adjoining to the Town, & which are necessary as means of supporting a permanent Interest & of retaining an efficient control. The expediency of presenting the pending Actions to Trial will be left to the decision of Mr. Plunket. There is also a claim made on the part of the Inhabitants to the right of being Freemen & consequently of being voters, by Birth, Servitude & Marriage. This question was once decided against the Claimants, but it is said that they could show that the case was not prosecuted with sincerity. It is no doubt true that several Boroughs in Ireland have been thus opened as Limerick, and attempts have been made are making upon others as Kinsale & Galway. This would be a bad result for the Duke as it would be a constant source of trouble & expense. As no Leases have been granted for a long time the Duke of Devonshire has few votes in the Counties Cork & Waterford, but he has the means of making a great number in each. At present the Duke gives his support to Mr. Power, whose personal & family influence in the County is very great. I confess that my own wish is that the Duke should for the present at least rest satisfied with this arrangement. He has no local Candidate who would be better than Mr. Power. An attempt to carry both Mr. Power & another on the same Interest would be very perilous, because it could only be done by the exclusion of Lord Waterford who is resident & has the support of the Castle. An ineffectual struggle would display the Duke's weakness & deprive him of the advantage which he derives from the opinion which prevails with respect to the means he has of making votes. When the votes are made & a course of good management has been adopted for some years, & the Gentlemen have been conciliated it will be time enough to discuss the expediency of extending political power. By supporting the present Member the Duke ensures the support of Mr. Humble (the Brother in Law of Mr. Power) in the Borough of Dungarvan. It is also no affectation of Patriotism or philanthropy to say that every Irish Landholders first Interest in Ireland is to raise the character of the Gentry, because that will contribute perhaps more than any other circumstance to secure the tranquility of the Country. To force upon the County an English nominee would not fail to degrade the Gentry, & ultimately to alienate them from the Duke's Interest. For the same reason I should be against any compact for dividing the County with Ld. Waterford, but as Lord Waterford is now a good deal alarmed & as the Duke is not very strong it may be desirable if an opportunity occurs of saying that pro hac vice you shall not be disturbed in the Courts if you

will assist the Duke in Dungarvan or at least give no opposition. Beyond this it would not be in my opinion wise to go.

The Duke has now very few votes in the County of Cork. A premature & unsuccessful effort to turn Ld. Shannon out of Youghal, induced Ld. Shannon to withdraw his support from Mr. Ponsonby in the Co. of Cork & in consequence of which he was out. This circumstance no doubt imposes upon the Duke the necessity of making every reasonable effort to replace Mr. Ponsonby. But from all I can hear Mr. Ponsonby has no shame. His Brother is now selling a large part if not the whole of his Estate in the Co. of Cork – none of the family reside in this Co. few of the Gentlemen are in their Interest & Mr. Ponsonby by endeavouring contrary to the established usage to induce the Catholic Tenantry to support him in opposition to the Landlords has made himself very unpopular. Ld. Shannon resides in the Co. of which he is Governor – his family has a great [*illegible*], & the Gentry salute him as their Leader because he is a powerful & efficient representative when they have points to carry at the Castle. The most that can be done is to create voters as fast as prudence will permit & to use that influence as future circumstances render expedient. In time such an Interest will be enacted as will probably induce the Gentry to put the Duke at the Head of our Party, or at least will give him such an influence as will enable him to turn the scale when a contest takes place.

Another very important object is the support of schools now established & the establishment of new ones where there are none. It is not necessary for me to state how deeply I am impressed with the necessity of giving the earliest & most zealous attention to this subject, because I know that it is a subject upon which the Duke feels most warmly. It is the best method of introducing civilisation & of teaching the English language to all the living generations. Few things have contributed more to the reproach of the late management of the Duke's Property than that no importance has been given by so great a Proprietor to the schools established by others upon his Estate or to other Charities in themselves most useful. There is consequently a great arrear of debt upon this account & you must exercise your own discretion in applying the Duke's Bounty in the first instance to those cases that are most pressing. There is an indifferent school at Lismore, a new one has been built at Tallow by the Catholic Priest, where claims & merit are great, & also at Bandon. At Bandon the people are Protestant, & if you require a Master you may procure one from an establishment at Limerick for the education of Protestant School Masters. There is a society at Dublin conducted I believe chiefly by Lawyers for the education of Masters & to which the Duke ought to subscribe. The best way of assisting the schools is by giving a salary to the School Master, which ought only to be given from year to year so as to enable you to force exertion, & by assisting in building School Houses & giving land for the purpose. Schools are now so generally established that you will have no difficulty in ascertaining what is best to be done. There are Books which have the sanction of Protestant & Catholic Bishops as being unexceptionable to either party & these are of course the best, as opening the school to both classes of religionists. I am under a promise to the Priest at Tallow both to assist him in his school & also in procuring him ground to build a house for his own residence. This is the usual & a most wholesome practice. It is very essential to be on good terms with the Priest.

The establishment of Dispensaries is another species of Charity which is very useful in such a Country as Ireland where the Poverty of the People renders it impossible for them to procure any medicinal aid in illness. I believe the establishment of that at Clogheen is upon a good Plan. One ought to be established forthwith at Lismore. The Infirmary at Youghal in its turn has claims upon the Duke. Farming Societies are very general in Ireland. I do not know

whether they do much good, but from their prevalence I must suppose that they are found to be useful, & at all events they turn the thoughts of the people towards improvement. The Duke has I believe promised to become a member of that for the Co. of Waterford & I understand that they propose eventually to hold their meetings at Lismore. In giving aid to these different establishments it may be necessary to stipulate for what you may think necessary to secure to the Duke's Tenants a fair participation in their advantages, because ever in these matters, such is the natural lure for jobbers, that they make sole use of these best Institutions. I have mentioned all these particulars because I am sure that you will feel it to be the most agreeable part of your Duty to do for the Duke all that it would be fit for him to do if he was resident upon his Irish Estates. You will find various opportunities of assisting the industrious, & I cannot too strongly urge the propriety of extending a fostering hand to those who distinguish themselves by their industry for a Country which is poor & almost in a state of infancy as to improvement such marks of favour will have a most salutary effect. The Duke's Patronage has for a long course of years been so entirely in the hands of others that those on whom he has conferred favours scarcely consider themselves as bound to him by the ordinary ties of gratitude. It will therefore be necessary to restore to him his proper degree of influence by making it felt that all favours flow from him alone. The great object is by good management, kindness & justice to mitigate the disadvantage which his Tenants might otherwise feel from his being an Absentee, I if possible to establish his reputation as a judicious & just Landlord & to secure to him the fair share of power to which he is entitled as one of the greatest Proprietors of Land in the South of Ireland.

## I ESTATE DEEDS

This subgroup is largely composed of title deeds and conveyances of land acquired and sold by the Boyle and, more latterly, the Cavendish families in Cork, Waterford, Tipperary, Dublin and other counties of Ireland between 1600 and 1870.

The greater part of the deeds chiefly comprise grants, patents, conveyances, mortgages, and other legal instruments relating to landed property. Settlements, recoveries, assignments and other types of financial settlement on property owned by the Boyle and Cavendish families as well as wills, marriage settlements and other personal deeds are also to be found in this section. The documents in this category are divided into five sections, the first three refer to the period prior to the acquisition of the Lismore estate by Richard Boyle in 1602, the fourth contains the deeds of the first Earl of Cork and the fifth contains the deeds of Richard Boyle, 2<sup>nd</sup> Earl of Cork and his successors up until 1870. Within each section the documents are grouped according to their type or, in some cases, to the specific location with which they refer. Within each section the documents are listed in chronological order.

While most of the documents are parchment, many of the earliest documents in this section are certified paper copies of original deeds issued by the Vice Treasurer's Office (1820s), the Auditor General's Office (1820s), the Rolls Office (1804-30s), the Public Record Office (1860s), and the Public Record Office of Ireland (1860-70s). These grants, patents and charters make a very valuable part of the collection, almost all of the originals having been destroyed at the Public Record Office in 1922 and many other having been omitted from the calendars of the patent and close rolls of chancery in Ireland published in the mid-nineteenth century. For supplementary information on the early deeds of the estate readers are directed towards the "Documentary Proofs" created for law cases, particularly those involving litigation concerning tithes and the River Blackwater fisheries, particularly the cases of *Devonshire v. Joseph Pim and William Neill* and *Devonshire v. Thomas Poole and Thomas Gollock* (see sections III.ii.24, III.iii.5 and III.iii.12)

### I.i Grants and Letters Patent of the Earls of Desmond

Although mostly copies, the grants, patents and inquisitions in this and the following two sections form a very valuable record of historical events in south-west Munster prior to the acquisition of the Lismore estate by Richard Boyle in 1602.

**MS 41,981/ 1** Copies of a grant to Thomas Fitz Anthony of the Desmond and Decies (3 Jul 1215, Latin with translation), a letter patent (1291/2, Latin), a grant of custody of a castle to Gerald Fitz Gerald, 3rd Earl of Desmond (1358/9, Latin), and confirmation of a grant of a weir and fishery in the River Lee in Cork and Dungarvan (6 May 1476, Latin with translation), 6 items  
1865 & 1871-2

- MS 41,981/ 2** Translation of a grant to Maurice Fitz Gerald, 9th Earl of Desmond of the ferry of Youghal to the Convent of Friars Minors (1489) 1820
- MS 41,981/ 3** Translations of a fianc granting lands and fishings in County Cork to Andrew Skyddie (20 May 1566), and a grant to Phillip William of Dublin reciting that Gerald Fitz John Fitz Gerald was in 1553 seized inter alia of the Barony of Rossmire (18 May 1575), and a grant to Cormac McTeig McCartie of possession of the Monastery of Morne (6 Oct 1577, Latin with translations), 5 items 1824-6 & 1869
- MS 41,981/ 4** Copies of a deed of entail from Maurice Fitz Gerald, 2nd Earl of Desmond to his son Gerald (16 Jan 1343, Latin, see State Papers Ireland [1586], vol. 123, p. 202), an ‘Indenture of Compromise and Treaty of Peace and Amity between Thomas Fitz Gerald, 11th Earl of Desmond and John Fitz Gerald and Gerald his son and confirmation to the two latter of the Lands of the Decies’ (1529, Latin with translations), and a deed of entail by Gerald Fitz Gerald, 15th Earl of Desmond to trustees on behalf of his son and heir James, remainder to the heirs of his father in divers remainders (18 Jul 1574, the date of the proclamation of his revolt), 7 items 1863, 1869 & 1877
- MS 41,981/ 5** Papal sentences concerning the rectory of Newton, the non-payment of refectations to the Archbishop of Cashel, and other matters, 4 items 1464 & n.d.

## **I.ii Grants and Letters Patent of the Fitzgeralds of Dromana**

- MS 41,982** Copies of letters patent creating Sir Maurice Fitzgerald, Baron of Dromane and Viscount de Decies (27 & 31 Jan 1569, Latin), a grant from King James I to Sir John Fitzgerald of the manor of Dromany and others in County Waterford (7 Oct 1613, Latin with translation), a grant of lands in County Waterford to Edward and Catherine Fitzgerald, alias Villiers (10 May 1688), 6 items 1825-6, 1871 & 1876

## **I.iii Estate Deeds of Sir Walter Raleigh**

### *I.iii.1 Grants and Letters Patent*

- MS 41,983/ 1** Copies of the Queen’s letter authorizing letters patent to Sir Walter Raleigh of the barony of Inchiquin (28 Feb 1586), a letter patent for grant to Sir Walter Raleigh of lands in counties Cork and Waterford

(16 Oct 1586), and an inspeximus of a grant (dated 16 Oct 1586) to Sir Walter Raleigh (3 Feb 1594/5), 5 items  
1826 & 1869

**MS 41,983/ 2** Copies of exemplifications of the letter patent to Sir Walter Raleigh (dated 16 Oct 1586) of the lands of Shronecally (Strongcally), Ballinatra, and Kilnecora, and the lands on the Blackwater and Bride (3 Feb 1594/5), and the letter patent to Sir Walter Raleigh (granted 16 Oct 1586, and enrolled 1591) of the lands and castle of Inchiquin lying on the Rivers Blackwater and Bride (27 Jun 1603), 5 items  
1869

### *I.iii.2 Title Deeds*

**MS 41,984/ 1** Extract from fiant granting divers houses and lands in and about Youghal to Peter Sherlock (12 Mar 1585), indenture between Edmond Norres and James [?] of Youghal for the lands of Glanboy in Tallagh (10 Aug 1586), conveyance (and copy) of a moiety of Kynalmeaky from Hugh Walsh to Sir Richard Grenville (20 Apr 1588), copy of fiant for letters patent to Sir Christopher Hatton of County Waterford (18 Jun 1589), and counterpart (and copies) of the freehold of the five ploughlands of Garryduff, Co. Cork from Sir Walter Raleigh to Thomas Salisbury (2 Oct 1589), 7 items  
1585-9 & 1871

**MS 41,984/ 2** Copy of Gerald Fitzgarret's deed for Modeligge and other lands in County Waterford (6 Apr 1594), mortgage between Edward Dove, Robert Johnson (Shane), and Sir Walter Raleigh for lands in County Waterford (10 Sep 1597), and an assignment of land in Youghal by Sir Walter Raleigh (18 May 1601), 3 items  
1594-1601

**MS 41,984/ 3** Deeds from Sir Walter Raleigh to Richard Boyle, comprising a draft conveyance of the lands of the Lismore estate (20 Nov 1602), and the deed (and copies) of bargain and sale (7 Dec 1602), 4 items  
1602, 1827 & 1869

**MS 41,984/ 4** Copies of the deed of bargain and sale from Sir Walter Raleigh to Richard Boyle conveying the lands of the Lismore estate (7 Dec 1602), 4 items  
1869



### ***I.iii.3 Molana Abbey***

- MS 41,985/ 1** Copy of the letter of Queen Elizabeth I authorizing a patent grant to Sir Walter Raleigh of the Abbey of Molana (2 Jul 1587), an assignment of the Abbey of Molana from Richard Harding to William Hoyer (19 Aug 1592), and copies of title deeds relating to the Monastery of Molana created between 1594 and 1606, 3 items 1592, 1826 & 1871
- MS 41,985/ 2** Grant (with copies) of the Abbey and lands of Molana from Sir Walter Raleigh to Thomas Harriot (16 Nov 1594, bearing Raleigh's signature), a mortgage (and copy) for £220 for the Abbey of Molana from Thomas Harriot to William Hoyer (21 Nov 1598), and an assignment of the fishing of Molana (7 Aug 1600), 6 items 1594-1600 & 1869
- MS 41,985/ 3** Conveyance (and copy) of the Abbey of Molana from William Hoyer to George Fitton (16 Jul 1601), release (and copy) of the Abbey of Molana from Thomas Harriot to William Hoyer (26 Nov 1603), 4 items 1601-3 & 1869
- MS 41,985/ 4** Deed (and copy) of the Abbey of Molana from William Hoyer to Sir James Fullerton (12 Nov 1604), 2 items 1604 & 1869
- MS 41,985/ 5** Letter of attorney (and copy) from Sir James Fullerton to Richard Williams and another for taking livery and seizure of the Abbey of Molana (14 Nov 1604), deed and release (and copy) of the Abbey of Molana from Sir James Fullerton to Sir Richard Boyle (14 Jan.1607), 4 items 1604-7 & 1869

### **I.iv Estate Deeds of Richard Boyle, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork**

The documents in this section consist of grants, patents, deeds and settlements generated by Richard Boyle from 1594, primarily as owner of the Lismore estate and other landholdings in Ireland from 1603 until his death in 1643.

#### ***I.iv.1 General Grants and Letters Patent***

- MS 43,087/ 1** Copy of King's letter for a grant assigning the Manor of Inchiquin to Sir Richard Boyle, 16 Jan 1603, and the patent confirming a patent (dated 16 Oct 1587) assigning the lands of Shronecally, Ballinatra, and Kilnecora and the lands on the Bride and Blackwater

- rivers in the counties Cork and Waterford (27 Jun 1603), 2 items  
1603 & 1869
- MS 43,087/ 2** Letter patent (and copy) granting lands in counties Cork and Waterford to Sir Richard Boyle (10 May 1604), 2 items  
1604 & 1827 [*Seal requires housing*]
- MS 43,087/ 3** Copies of the letter patent granting lands in counties Cork and Waterford to Sir Richard Boyle (10 May 1604), 4 items  
1869
- MS 43,087/ 4** Letter patent (and translation) to Sir Richard Boyle inspecting and confirming the patent (dated 10 May 1604) for the lands of Lismore, Strongcally, Templemichael, and Ballinatra (23 May 1604), 2 items  
1604 & c1830
- MS 43,087/ 5** Letter patent (and copy) to Sir Richard Boyle confirming the sale of certain manors, castles, towns, lands and other hereditaments and premises situated in the counties Cork and Waterford made to him by Sir Walter Raleigh (26 Aug 1604), 2 items  
1604 & c1830
- MS 43,087/ 6** Copies of the Crown confirmation of the conveyance of lands (dated 7 Dec 1602) from Sir Walter Raleigh to Sir Richard Boyle (26 Aug 1604), 3 items  
1869
- MS 43,087/ 7** Copy of the commission for the defection of titles from the Patent Roll (Chancery, Ireland), 4 Jas. I, part 1 (10 Jun 1606), an abstract of the King's letter patent to Francis Crofton (31 Jan. 1606/7), and a commission for defection of titles from the Patent Roll (Chancery, Ireland) 5 Jas. I, part 1 (2 Mar 1607), 3 items  
1607, 1869 & 1871
- MS 43,087/ 8** Release from King James I to Sir Richard Boyle of Lismore, Ballynea, Ballymine, Ballynaspick, and all the lands of Sir Walter Raleigh (5 Mar 1607), 1 item  
1607
- MS 43,087/ 9** Copies of the pardon of intrusion and alienation, granting castles, lands and fisheries in the vicinity of Lismore to Sir Richard Boyle from the Patent Roll (Chancery, Ireland) 4 Jas. I, Part 1 (5 Mar 1607), 2 items  
1827 & 1869
- MS 43,087/ 10** Constat copy of a grant of lands in Kilkenny and Waterford to Patrick Archer and others in trust for Sir Nicholas Walshe (30 May

- 1608, Latin with translation), 2 items  
1827 & 1830
- MS 43,087/ 11** Copies of clauses extracted out of the patent under the Great Seal of England (dated 8 Jan 1608/9), and of the King's letter patent (dated 15 Oct 1610), 2 items  
c1620
- MS 43,087/ 12** Patent to John Wakeman of several lands in the counties of Tipperary, Limerick, Cork and Waterford and particularly several premises in Youghal (23 Feb 1609/10), 1 item  
1610
- MS 43,087/ 13** Copy of a grant to Sir Richard Boyle of lands in counties Cork and Waterford (23 Mar 1609/10, Latin with partial translation), and portions of a fian to Sir Richard Boyle (1609/10), 3 items  
1869 & 1872
- MS 43,087/ 14** Contemporary copy of the letter patent from King James I to Sir Richard Boyle for incorporating the almshouses and free school at Youghal (26 Jan 1613/4), 1 item  
c1620, c1820 & 1869
- MS 43,087/ 15** Copy of the letter patent from King James I to Sir Richard Boyle granting the Manor of Inchiquin (3 Mar 1613/4), 1 item  
c1620
- MS 43,087/ 16** Copies of the letter patent from King James I to Sir Richard Boyle granting the Manor of Inchiquin (3 Mar 1613/4), 2 items  
c1820
- MS 43,087/ 17** Copies of the letter patent from King James I to Sir Richard Boyle granting the Manor of Inchiquin (3 Mar 1613/4), 2 items  
c1820 & n.d.
- MS 43,087/ 18** Copies of letter patent and portions of fian for further patent to Sir Richard Boyle (1613/4), and a constat of the grant of the Manor of Lismore, 3 items  
1820, 1869 & 1872
- MS 43,087/ 19** Grant to Sir John Jephson from Patents Rolls 10 Jas. I, parts 3 & 4 (21 Aug 1612), and a grant to Roger Dalton (4 Jan 1613/4), 2 items  
2 Mar 1872
- MS 43,087/ 20** Letter patent to Sir Richard Boyle for Carbery lands (15 Aug 1614), 1 item  
1614

- MS 43,087/ 21** Copy letter patent to Sir Richard Boyle for Carbery lands (15 Aug 1614), 1 item  
24 Nov 1784
- MS 43,087/ 22** Copies of letter patent to Richard Boyle, Baron of Youghal for Carbery lands, the manor of Ballymodan alias Ballybandon, and all tithes, tolls and markets &c., (16 Jul 1620), and an abstract concerning the Senechal of Enniskeane, 4 items  
22 Feb 1783, 1829 & Aug 1850
- MS 43,087/ 23** King's letter to Richard Hadsor regarding Dungarvan (31 Jan 1628), 1 item  
2 Sep 1869
- MS 43,087/ 24** Copy letter patent to Richard, 1st Earl of Cork and others for the Manors of Inchiquin, Dungarvan, and all other lands and premises granted to him in Ireland (8 Jun 1629, and enrolled in Chancery, 1 Feb 1667)  
7 Mar 1783
- MS 43,087/ 25** Copies of letter patent to Richard, 1st Earl of Cork and others for the Manors of Inchiquin, Dungarvan, and all other lands and premises granted to him in Ireland (8 Jun 1625), 2 items  
14 Mar 1818 & 16 Feb 1828
- MS 43,087/ 26** Copies of letter patent to Richard, 1st Earl of Cork and others for the Manors of Inchiquin, Dungarvan, and all other lands and premises granted to him in Ireland (8 Jun 1625), 3 items  
2 Oct 1848 & 1869
- MS 43,087/ 27** Printed copies of letter patent to Richard, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork and others for the Manors of Inchiquin, Dungarvan, and all other lands and premises granted to him in Ireland (8 Jun 1625), 2 items  
Jun 1869
- MS 43,087/ 28** Copy of an extract of a constat grant concerning the Manor of Dungarvan (8 Jun 1629), and an abstract concerning the Manor of Ballydehob, Co. Cork, 2 items  
c1710 & 14 May 1828
- MS 43,087/ 29** Grant from the Dean of the Cloister, St. Patrick's Cathedral, Dublin to the Richard, 1st Earl of Cork to make a vault in the choir of that Church (20 Apr 1630), and a copy of a pardon granted to the Earl of Cork for exporting goods to Amsterdam (1 Jun 1630), 2 items  
1630

**MS 43,087/ 30** Patent (and copy) to Richard, 1st Earl of Cork granting a pardon of alienation for Dungarvan (3 Aug 1638, Latin), 2 items  
1638 [*Seal requires attention*]

***I.iv.2 Grants for Tracton Abbey and Manor of Dungarvan***

**MS 43,090/ 1** Copies of ‘An account of all and singular Abbies, Priories, Monasteries, Hospitals and Houses lately religious ... [within Ireland] ... in the hands of the Lord the King ... by reason of the surrender and resignation of certain Abbots, Priors and Masters of divers houses ...’ by James Fitz John, Earl of Desmond, a rental of Queen Elizabeth I of the lands and possessions of the Monastery of White Church (als Tracton), a copy and translation of the lands and possessions of the late monastery of Tracton Abbey, Co. Cork from the account roll, 4 Ed. VI (1550/1), and a copy of the crown lease of Tracton Abbey with its possessions spiritual and temporal for 60 years from Queen Elizabeth I to Henry Guilford (20 Mar 1568), 5 items  
16 Jan 1826, 24 Mar 1828, 17 & 23 Mar 1829)

**MS 43,090/ 2** Copy constat of the grant of Tracton Abbey to Sir Richard Boyle (3 Mar 1614)  
16 Oct 1804

**MS 43,090/ 3** Copy and extracts from the grant to Sir Richard Boyle of Tracton Abbey and other manor courts (3 Mar 1614), 3 items  
1820 & c1830

**MS 43,090/ 4** Copies of the grant to Sir Richard Boyle of Tracton Abbey and other manor courts (3 Mar 1614), 2 items  
c1830

**MS 43,090/ 5** Copy of the grant to Sir James Craige and others of the Manor of Dungarvan (23 Dec 1624, Latin), 1 item

**MS 43,090/ 6** Copy of the grant to Sir James Craige and others of the Manor of Dungarvan (23 Dec 1624, Latin with translation), 2 items  
21 Mar 1829 & Jan 1830

**MS 43,090/ 7** Copies of a translation of the grant to Sir James Craige, and entitled ‘Grant of Manor of Dungarvan to the Earl of Cork’ (23 Dec 1624), 2 items  
1817

**MS 43,090/ 8** Copies of a translation of the grant to Sir James Craige and others of the possessions of Tracton Abbey (23 Dec 1624), 2 items  
c1830

**MS 43,090/ 9** Copies of a translation of the grant to Sir James Craige and others of the possessions of Tracton Abbey (23 Dec 1624), 2 items  
c1830

### *I.iv.3 Gillabbey*

The documents in this section refer to the Earl of Cork's holding at Gillabbey in County Cork. For further information on deeds relating these lands see the briefs of documentary proofs in the case of *Devonshire v. Thomas Gollock* (section III.iii.12.A).

#### I.iv.3.A Grants and Letters Patent

**MS 43,091/ 1** Copies of the Queen's letter to Henry Daville granting the late dissolved abbey of St. Finbarry (Gillabbey) (16 Feb 1575/6), and a lease of Gillabbey for 50 years (30 Jul 1583), the Queen's grant to Sir Richard Grenville of the tithes, lands and spiritualities of Gillabbey in reversion for 40 years (26 Jun 1590), and extracts from the patent rolls of the Queen's demise to Henry Daville of the abbey of Antro. St. Finbarry (Gillabbey) for 50 years (28 Nov 1590), 7 items  
7 Sep 1821 & Jul-Aug 1833

**MS 43,091/ 2** Copies of the grant to Sir Richard Grenville of the Spiritualities and Temporalities of Gillabbey and Fermoy in reversion for 40 years (26 Jun 1591, Latin with translations), 7 items  
25 Jun 1831 & n.d.

**MS 43,091/ 3** Copies of the King's letter to Sir Bernard Grenville to surrender former letters patent and for taking a new grant of monasteries and lands in County Cork (20 Jun 1606), and for obtaining a new grant of the Monastery of Gillabbey (29 Jun 1608), translations of an abstract from the letters patent granting to Sir Bernard Grenville of Gillabbey and other lands (25 Feb 1612/3), and an extract from the entry book of deeds made in 1648 with additional notes, 10 items  
1808, 1833 & n.d.

**MS 43,091/ 4** Copy of an assignment of Gillabbey and its possessions from Dame Elizabeth and Anthony St. Leger to Sir Richard Boyle (31 May 1613), letter patent to Sir Bernard Grenville granting fairs and markets at the town of Fermoy (22 Jun 1618, Latin with translations), 5 items  
1618 & 1833

**MS 43,091/ 5** Translation of the grant to Sir George Horsey of the reversion of the monasteries of Fermoy and St. Finbarry (Gillabbey) in the County Cork (8 Jan 1623), a copy grant to Sir George Horsey of certain lands, abbeys etc. in the County Cork in reversion, and a grant of fine to the Earl of Cork for Gillabbey (1635), 4 items  
1635, 3 Aug 1823, 28 Oct 1824 & 26 Jun 1627

I.iv.3.B Title Deeds

**MS 43,092/ 1** Copy exemplification of the lease of Gillabbey to Henry Davells the younger for 50 years in reversion (28 Nov 1589), assignment of Gillabbey from Henry Davells to Sir Warham St. Leger (20 Nov 1599), lease of Gillabbey from Dame Elizabeth St. Leger and her son Barry Davells to Henry Smyth for 21 years (20 Nov 1605), exemplification of the lease of Gillabbey to Henry Davells the younger for 50 years in reversion from 30 Aug 1603 (31 Oct 1609), copy grant of the lands of Farran, Shavanna, Garran, Ichaneige, and Killea, Co. Cork from Sir Bernard Grenville to Giles Maskelyn (20 Oct 1610), 5 items  
1599-1609, 1833 & 17 Jun 1850

**MS 43,092/ 2** Articles between Sir Richard Boyle and Sir Richard Grenville for the sale of Fermoy and the seigniorship of Kinalmeaky for £3500 (26 Oct 1610), 1 item  
1610

**MS 43,092/ 3** Bargain and sale (and copies) from Sir Bernard Grenville to Sir Lionel Cranfield for Kinalmeaky and Gillabbey and temporal possessions, including a schedule of lands and leases (18 Jun 1621), 3 items  
1621 & c1830

**MS 43,092/ 4** Assignment (and copies) from Sir Bernard Grenville to Sir Lionel Cranfield of the Spiritualities of Gillabbey in consideration of £3,500 (18 Jun 1621), and copy conveyance from Sir Bernard Grenville and Beville Grenville to Sir Lionel Cranfield of the monasteries of Fermoy and De Antro St. Finbarre, alias Gillabbey, and the temporal possessions thereof (18 Jun 1621), 5 items  
1621 & c1830

**MS 43,092/ 5** Power of attorney from Sir Bernard Grenville and Beville Grenville to Sir Lionel Cranfield for the conveyance of the monasteries of Fermoy and De Antro St. Finbarre, alias Gillabbey, (19 Jun 1621), and copies of a feoffment from Sir Bernard Grenville to Sir Lionel Cranfield for Kinalmeaky and Gillabbey and temporal possessions

(19 Jun 1621), 4 items  
1621 & c1830

- MS 43,092/ 6** Conveyance (and copies) from Sir Bernard Grenville, Beville Grenville his son and heir, Richard, Jonathan, and Roger Grenville the younger, sons of the said Sir Barnard to Lionel, Lord Cranfield of the seigniorie in Kinalmeaky consisting of one half of that barony and also of the Abbeys of Fermoy and Gillabbey (1 Dec 1621), and a translation of a concord and caption of a fine levied by Beville, John, and Roger Granville of lands and royalties in the County Cork (16 Dec 1621)  
1621 & 1833
- MS 43,092/ 7** Translations of a fine and concord from Lionel Cranfield, 1st Earl of Middlesex and wife and others to Sir George Horsey of the barony of Kinalmeaky and the abbeys of Fermoy and Gillabbey (24 Apr 1623), article for the purchase from Lionel, Earl of Middlesex to Sir George Horsey of the barony of Kinalmeaky and the Abbeys of Fermoy and Gillabbey (18 Jul 1623), translation of a writ of commission from the Earl and Countess of Middlesex and Sir Bernard Grenville and Beville, Roger and John Grenville for the monastery and lands of Finbarry, alias Gillabbey (12 Sep 1623), and a translation of a writ of covenant between Sir George Horsey and the Earl and Countess of Middlesex and others for the abbeys of Fermoy and Gillabbey and the Manor of Kinlameaky (24 Sep 1623), 5 items  
1623 & 1834
- MS 43,092/ 8** Deeds of bargain and sale (and copy) from Lionel Cranfield, 1st Earl of Middlesex to Sir George Horsey for the Abbeys of Fermoy and Gillabbey, and the seigniorie of Kinalmeaky (1 Nov 1623), and copy bargain and sale from Lionel, Earl of Middlesex to Sir George Horsey for the abbeys of Fermoy and Gillabbey (1 Nov 1623), 4 items  
1623 & c1830
- MS 43,092/ 9** Patent of the reversion of the abbeys of Fermoy and Gillabbey unto Sir George Horsey to the use of the Earl of Cork to commence when the heirs male of Sir Richard Grenville should be extinct, the patent being obtained to draw the reversion out of the Crown, (8 Jan 1625, Latin with translation of extracts of deed), 2 items  
1625 & c1830
- MS 43,092/ 10** Conveyance (and copy) from Sir George and Ralph Horsey of the spiritualities of Fermoy and Gillabbey to Edmond, John, and George Boyle for the use of Richard, Earl of Cork according to the trusts



therein (20 Sep 1625), 2 items  
1625 & c1830

- MS 43,092/ 11** Assignment (and copies) from Sir George Horsey to the Earl of Cork, Lord Esmond and other ffeoffees in trust of the temporalities of the Abbeys of Fermoy and Gillabbey with the seignory of Kinalmeaky for the sum of £4,500 (20 Sep 1625), 3 items  
1625 & c1830
- MS 43,092/ 12** Assignment (and copies) from Sir George Horsey and Ralph Horsey to the trustees of the Earl of Cork (Edward, John, and George Boyle, the sons of Bishop Boyle) of the spiritualities of the Abbeys of Fermoy and Gillabbey (20 Sep 1625), 4 items  
1625 & c1830
- MS 43,092/ 13** Letter of attorney from Lionel Cranfield, 1st Earl of Middlesex to Sir Bernard Grenville to receive £800 (18 Oct 1628), translation of an order releasing property of Sir George Horsey and the Earl of Cork in the County of Dorset which had been seized for £444-12-4 for 14 years supposed arrears of rent out of the abbeys of Fermoy and Gillabbey from such seizure and arrears (1637), copy of a demise from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork to the Hon. Charles Riche, Esq. for Gillabbey, Co. Cork (26 Feb 1650), indenture from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to the Hon. Garrett Ross for Gillabbey (5 Oct 1685), 4 items  
1628, 1685 & c1830

#### *I.iv.4 Bandonbridge*

##### I.iv.4.A Grants and Letters Patent

- MS 43,093** Copies of a patent for holding a weekly market on Saturdays and for two annual fairs in the south side of Bandon (20 Feb 1609), copy grant to Henry Becher to hold fairs at Bandon Bridge (8 Jul 1612), copies of a grant to Henry Becher to appoint a clerk of the market in the town of Bandon (8 Jul 1612), translations of an abstract from the patent to Sir Richard Boyle to hold fairs and markets in the north side of Bandon (3 Mar 1613), 10 items  
11 Jan 1805, 3 Mar 1806 & n.d.

##### I.iv.4.B Title Deeds

- MS 43,094/ 1** Copy of a grant in fee farm from Henry Becher to Richard Hawes of the lands of Gurlyne, Conogher, and Oge in the barony of Kinalmeaky, Co. Cork, reserving yearly rent of £10 Irish, with other

duties including a hericot (1 Apr 1613), and conveyance (and copy) from Sir James Sempill of Bandonbridge, Ballymodan and other lands in Carbery, Co. Cork (28 Jan 1614), 2 items  
1614 & 1855

**MS 43,094/ 2** Copy deed of sale Henry Becher to Sir Richard Boyle for 13 ploughlands situated on the north side of the River Bandon and chief rents out of part of Coolfadda, Carradough, and Gurteen (14 Sep 1614), 2 items  
1614 & n.d.

**MS 43,094/ 3** Deed (and copy) from Richard Fleming to Sir Richard Boyle of the manor of Ballybandon, alias Ballymodan, the four ploughlands belonging to the same, and the Court Leet etc., and the advowson and presentation of the vicarage of Ballybandon, alias Ballymodan (8 May 1615), 2 items  
1615 & n.d.

**MS 43,094/ 4** Copy deed of sale from Henry Becher to Sir Richard Boyle of the town and fairs of Bandonbridge (2 May 1619), 3 items  
n.d.

#### *I.iv.5 General Estate Deeds*

**MS 43,095/ 1** Copy deeds from Henry King and Robert Miles of Dublin, concerning lands in the Counties of Meath and Kildare (3 & 4 Feb 1594), conveyance from George Sherlock to Richard Boyle of Galbally and other lands in counties Limerick and Tipperary (17 May 1598), and conveyance from John and Annabel Delahide to Richard Boyle of Galbally, Dunganon, Emelie, Likellie and Ballynegellaghe (20 Jun 1598), 4 items  
1594-8

**MS 43,095/ 2** Conveyance (and copy) from Francis Gofton to Sir Richard Boyle of Toolary in the Barony of Muskerry (10 Jul 1609), feoffment and assignment of Kilmacnicholas from Andrew Roche (14 Jun 1609, 20 Jun 1609), copy of an indenture between Henry Becher of Kilbeg, John Shipward and Nicholas Blacknall granting the sale of woods of three ploughlands (13 Oct 1610), and deed from Owen Keelties to Sir Richard Boyle for Kilmacnicholas, Killenagh and Coolnekyly (19 Jan 1610/1), 5 items  
1609-11

**MS 43,095/ 3** Deed in trust for Ballyduff from Mr. Taaffe to Sir Thomas Browne (13 Feb 1611), a deed from Andrew [?] of Kyllenaghy to Sir Richard Boyle (16 Apr 1611), a feoffment for lands and woods (23

May 1612), an adward of Sir John Everard and Edmond Oge Fitzgerald between Sir Richard Boyle and Andrew [?] for Rosgilly, Kilmacnicholas, and Killynagh (12 Jun 1613), and a deed and counterpart for these lands to Sir Richard Boyle (13 Jun 1613), 6 items  
1611-3

**MS 43,095/ 4** Conveyance from Sir William Fenton to Sir Richard Boyle of the lands of Clontarf, County Dublin (13 Dec 1614), deed of fee simple from Sir Charles Wilmott to Sir Richard Boyle for the Rectory of Dungarvan, and other lands in the counties Kerry and Mayo (20 Dec 1614), and copies of a deed of exchange between Sir Richard Boyle and Sir Jonathan Fitzgerald for lands in Stradbally (23 Sep 1615), 4 items  
1614 & 8 Jun 1876

**MS 43,095/ 5** Copies of a grant from Edward Cary to Richard Boyle, Baron of Youghal for the Manor of Dungarvan (26 Feb 1617/8), 2 items  
1618

**MS 43,095/ 6** Copy of deed of trust between Richard Boyle, Baron of Youghal and Lady Katherine Boyle and Sir Lawrence Esmond, Sir Thomas Brown, Sir William Fenton, Richard Bolton, William Parsons, Captain Richard Smyth, Lawrence Parsons, and Pierce Power for their lands in counties Cork, Waterford, Limerick and Kerry (2 Jun 1618), 1 item  
c1620

**MS 43,095/ 7** Conveyance from Sir Lawrence Esmond to Richard Boyle, Baron of Youghal of the town and lands of Killeagh and others in County Cork (3 Jul 1618), and conveyance from the Corporation of Youghal to Richard Boyle, Baron of Youghal of Moambegg and the White Bog (25 Jun 1619), 2 items  
1618-9

**MS 43,095/ 8** Heads of an adward from Mr. Pyne for Kilronan, Ballin, and Garringoole (16 Jun. 1620), conveyance from Richard, 1st Earl of Cork to Sir Jeffery Galway of the territory of Evileary (13 Jan 1620/1), adward from the Earl of Cork touching the mortgage of the ploughland of Ballygobban (10 Jul 1621), conveyance from Sir Jonathan Dowd to the Earl of Cork of Pilltown (23 Nov 1622), and order and award (and copy) of Walter Coppinger and Mr. Galway between Sir Geoffrey Galway and Teige McDermot concerning Cornbally and Mourne Abbey (6 Aug 1624), 6 items  
1620-4

- MS 43,095/ 9** Draft deed of trust between Richard, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork and Lady Katherine Boyle and Sir Lawrence Esmond, Sir Thomas Brown, Sir William Fenton, Richard Bolton, William Parsons, Captain Richard Smyth, Lawrence Parsons and Pierce Power for their lands in counties Cork, Waterford, Limerick and Kerry (Sep 1624), 1 item 1624
- MS 43,095/ 10** Fee farm grant or conveyance (and copies) from the Corporation of Youghal to Richard, 1st Earl of Cork of land and premises in the town of Youghal, bounded by the King's Wall (8 Jul 1625), assignment from Sir John Dowdall to the Earl of Cork of the Manor of Pilltown and other lands in the parish of Kingsale, Co. Waterford (23 Jun 1626), and conveyance from Sir William Parsons and others to [?] McLeary of several chief rents in the County Cork and a rental thereof (22 Nov 1628), 5 items  
1625-8 & c1830
- MS 43,095/ 11** Assignment of Lord Barganemy's leases and the lease of Bransburbon [?] from Lord Goring and his son to Richard, 1st Earl of Cork (13 Jul 1630), and assignment from Robert Kennedy and others to Connack (or Charles) McDonogh Carthy of the Rectory of Inchigeelagh and other rectories (10 Dec 1633), 2 items  
1630 & 2 Dec 1820
- MS 43,095/ 12** Conveyance (and copy) from Richard, 1st Earl of Cork and others to the Rt. Hon. Charles, 2nd Viscount Moore of Drogheda and others (12 Jun 1634), 2 items  
1634 & c1830
- MS 43,095/ 13** Draft conveyance (prepared by Sir Gerrard Lowther) from Sir Adam Loftus to Richard, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork of the lands of Trym (1634), 1 item  
1634
- MS 43,095/ 14** Conveyance (and copy) of the Manor of Dungarvan from Richard, 1st Earl of Cork to Sir William Parsons, Sir John Brown and others (14 May 1636), 2 items  
1636 & c1830
- MS 43,095/ 15** Deed of sale from Thomas Blueth and others to Phillip Kerne of a fishery near Youghal (7 Jul 1636), deed of assignment from Adrian Coppinger to William Bluett of property in Youghal, with original deed of mortgage dated 17 September 1627 (20 Jun 1637), 2 items  
1636-7
- MS 43,095/ 16** Sale and conveyance from Daniel Carty to Richard, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork

of the town and ploughland of East Mawry in Carbery for £200, draft deed between Lord Barry, Viscount Buttevant and Sir Richard Boyle for the lands of Burrane, and a deed between King James I and Francis Blundell, 3 items  
n.d.

#### *I.iv.6 Ironworks Deeds*

**MS 43,096** Articles of agreement between Cuthbert Boutze, Sir Richard Boyle and Jonathan Frampton for the iron mines at Kilmanna (26 Nov 1607), conveyance from Jonathan Frampton to Sir Richard Boyle of an iron works (27 Nov 1607), articles of agreement between Richard Boyle, Baron of Youghal and Mr. Bogard for the delivery of iron at Youghal (4 Aug 1618), articles of agreement between the Richard, 1st Earl of Cork and Edward Russell for the working of the furnaces at the ironworks at Lisfinny (27 Mar 1637), and articles of agreement between Sir William Fenton and Margaret, his wife and Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork relative to the iron works and cutting wood within the County Cork (2 Nov 1657), 5 items  
1607-57

#### *I.iv.7 Fines*

**MS 43,097/ 1** Fines for various lands on the estates of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork in the counties Cork and Waterford, including Kilmacnicholas, Gillabbey, and Youghal (Latin), 11 items  
1605-c1630

**MS 43,097/ 2** Exemplification of the fines of all the estates of Richard Boyle, Baron of Youghal (Latin), 1 item  
1617-8

**MS 43,097/ 3** Fine of Common Pleas (and copy) levied by Richard Boyle, Baron of Youghal and Katherine, his wife in the County Waterford at Easter Term 1618 (Latin, with translation), 3 items  
1618 & 17 Jul 1869

#### *I.iv.8 Estate Settlements*

It should be noted that marriage settlements and recoveries created by Richard Boyle, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork can be found in section I.v.13.

**MS 43,098/ 1** Sexpartite deed of settlement of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork of the term of years he had to come in Pill Town (10 Jan 1624), with an

- inventory of his household goods, plate, sow iron etc. at Youghal and Lismore (22 Sep 1624), and deed of settlement from the Earl of Cork to Lewis Boyle, second son of said Earl of the Barony of Kinalmeaky and lands in Carbery (11 Jan 1624), 2 items  
1624
- MS 43,098/ 2** Deed of settlement of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork and the Countess of Cork of all their lands in Ireland and England (1 Mar 1624), 1 item  
1624
- MS 43,098/ 3** Counterpart of the deed of settlement of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork and the Countess of Cork of all their lands in Ireland and England (1 Mar 1624), and a related but unexecuted deed (1624), 2 items  
1624
- MS 43,098/ 4** Deed of settlement of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork of his whole estate on Lord Dungarvan and his wife and their issue and his other sons and their issue, whereby the settlement of 1 March 1624 was to be revoked (14 May 1636), 1 item  
1636
- MS 43,098/ 5** Copies of the deed of settlement of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork of his whole estate on Lord Dungarvan and his wife, and on his other sons (14 May 1636), 2 items  
c1830
- MS 43,098/ 6** Deed of revocation of the settlement of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork dated 1 March 1624 (20 May 1636), and deed of revocation (and copy) of the uses of the lands limited to Lewis Boyle, Viscount Kilnameaky by the settlement of 1636, being made previous to the marriage of Lord Kilnameaky with Lady Elizabeth Fielding and order to the making a settlement thereon (16 Dec 1639), 3 items  
1636-9 [*One item fragile*]
- MS 43,098/ 7** Deed of settlement (and copy) from Richard, 1st Earl of Cork to Lewis Boyle, Viscount Kilnalmeaky for the lands of Gillabbey (18 Dec 1639), 2 items  
1639 & c1830
- MS 7196** “A Booke Conteyning the Earl of Corke’s Conveyances to his five sons with Deed of revocation thereof and the new and last Conveyances made unto them after the revocation as they are enrolled in the Office of the Rolls and the Lady Dungarvan’s jointure with other conveyances covering his Lordship’s estate to his children”, being the conveyances of property in counties Waterford and Cork from Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, to his

five sons in the years 1624, 1636, and 1638, 1 item  
c1640

#### **I.v Estate Deeds of Richard Boyle, 2<sup>nd</sup> Earl of Cork and his Successors**

This section consists of grants, patents, deeds, settlements and recoveries, appointments, and wills generated by the owners of the Lismore estate after the succession of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Earl of Cork in 1644 up until the year 1870. The section also contains a small collection of copies of charters for various towns within the Irish estates of the Boyle and Cavendish families dating from the fourteenth to the seventeenth centuries.

##### ***I.v.1 Grants and Letters Patent***

- MS 43,099/ 1** Copies of the constat grants of Sir Richard Osbourne, Thomas Osbourne, and Nicholas Osbourne of the Manor of Knockmourne and other lands in County Waterford, with a copy of Thomas Iron's deed of sale for Killnalongert and Ballanure, 8 items  
1648-87
- MS 43,099/ 2** Grant (and copy) from Richard Cromwell, Lord Protector of the Commonwealth of England to Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork of the Fourth Fish on the River Blackwater (1 Jan 1658), 2 items  
1658 & Jul 1869 [*Damaged outer skin and seal requires housing*]
- MS 43,099/ 3** Copy grant to Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork respecting church livings (27 Jun 1662), writ of custodium to the Earl of Cork of the lands of Ballymacshone, Kilballyclement and Kilcoran (12 Feb 1663), copy constat grant to Major George Carey and Capt. J. Lloyd in trust of premises in the Town of Dungarvan (31 Jul 1667), copy constat grant to Sir Richard Osbourne of the Abbeyside of Dungarvan (14 Nov 1667), and copy extracts from grants to Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington of the lands of Kilehally (9 Sep 1668) and the lands of Camphire and O'Kill (20 Feb 1669), 6 items  
c1830, 19 May 1851 & 4 Aug 1871
- MS 43,099/ 4** Letter patent to Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington of the lands in Carbery and Munster, including Kilcoran, Ballamonsheen and several others (9 Sep 1669), 1 item  
1669
- MS 43,099/ 5** Copy letter patent to Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington reducing the quit rents payable out of the lands of Togher in the barony of East Carbery, Co. Cork (4 Dec 1678), and copies of a grant to Henry Slingsby for reclaiming waste lands, strands etc. in the counties Cork and Waterford (11 Aug 1684), 3 items  
30 Jul 1818 & 19 Mar 1829

- MS 43,099/ 6** Letter patent (and copies) to Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington and his heirs for ever of Cappoquin, Salterbridge and Affane, Co. Waterford under the old rent payable to the Crown (9 Jun 1693), 3 items  
1693 & c1830
- MS 43,099/ 7** Copy grant in perpetuity from John Villiers, 5th Earl of Grandison to Peregrine Butler of the lands of Tyrnore and 'Clancy's Lot', Co. Waterford (17 Jun 1747), and grant (and copies) from Sir William Heathcote to Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington of mines etc. in the Western District and release from the Earl to Sir William of the Western District purchase money and mutual covenants to produce deeds (10 Jun 1749), 4 items  
1749, 1829 & 1858
- MS 43,099/ 8** Draft fee farm grants from William, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, the Earl of Beresford, and Lord Morpeth and the Trustees and Commissioners of First Fruits to the Lord Bishop of Cloyne and the Hon. Rev. Ludlow Tonson for a glebe for the parish of Ahern, Diocese of Cloyne (1821), and from the Duke of Devonshire and the Trustees and Commissioners of First Fruits to the Lord Bishop of Cloyne and the Rev. Thomas Campion for a glebe for the parish of Knockmore, Diocese of Cloyne (1825), and fee farm grant from the Duke of Devonshire to Robert S. Ball for a site for Youghal School (6 May 1826), 3 items  
1821-6
- MS 43,099/ 9** Fee farm grant from the William, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire to the Lord Bishop of Cloyne and the minister and churchwardens of the united parishes of Ahern and Britway (22 Apr 1828), and grants from the Duke of Devonshire to the Dean of Lismore of a piece of ground in the Main Street of Lismore (25 Aug 1835), and to the Rector and Church Wardens of the Town of Youghal of ground for improving the entrance to the Church of Youghal (31 Dec 1846), 3 items  
1828-46
- MS 43,099/ 10** Grant in fee (and copies) from William, 6th Duke of Devonshire to Samuel Allen of the slobbs of D'Loughtane and the islands thereunto belonging in County Waterford (1 Aug 1851), 4 items  
1851
- MS 43,099/ 11** Copy grant in perpetuity from Lord Stuart de Decies to Eliza Green and Thomas Power of the lands of Tyrnore and 'Clancy's Lot', Co. Waterford (21 Aug 1851), draft fee farm grant from William, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire to Edward Galwey of premises in Dungarvan



(1851 & 1854), abstract of grant in perpetuity from Eliza Green and Thomas Power to Beresford Boate, Edmund Foley, and George Boate of the lands of Tournne, Co. Waterford (15 Jan 1853), and copies of counterpart grant in perpetuity from Edward Galwey to Edmund Foley and Caroline Maxwell of the lands of Abbeyside, Co. Waterford (14 Mar 1853), 6 items  
1851-8

**MS 43,099/ 12** Draft grants in perpetuity from Roger Baker to William, 7th Duke of Devonshire of the lands of Knockboy and others at the Abbeyside of Dungarvan (1859), and from Eliza Green and Thomas Power to unspecified of the premises called 'Clancy's Lot' (1859), and fee farm grant from the Duke of Devonshire to the Vicars Choral of Lismore of a house and garden in the Town of Lismore for a glebe (7 Apr 1862), 3 items  
1859-62

**MS 43,099/ 13** Grant (and copies) from David Leopold Lewis to William, 7th Duke of Devonshire of the exclusive right of fishing in a portion of the River Blackwater (27 Aug 1862), 3 items  
1862 & 1866

**MS 43,099/ 14** Grant from William, 7th Duke of Devonshire to the Lismore Town Commissioners of rights to use water pipes and works at Lismore (7 Sep 1863), 1 item  
1863

**MS 43,099/ 15** Copy and translations of a letter patent to Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington for holding three fairs and a market at Lismore (9 Mar 1721), 20 items  
1876-7

**MS 43,099/ 16** Grants to William, 5th Duke of Devonshire of two yearly fairs at Tallow (29 June, 1782), and of two yearly fairs and two markets at Dungarvan (24 Jan 1810), 2 items  
1782 & 1810

### *I.v.2 Conveyances*

**MS 43,100/ 1** Conveyance from Robert Boyle to Richard, 2<sup>nd</sup> Earl of Cork of the Great House in Bandonbridge (3 Jul 1654), 1 item  
1654

**MS 43,100/ 2** Copy conveyance from Roger Carew to Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork of Lismore Park, or Ballysaggertbeg (11 Nov 1663) and conveyance (and copy) from the Earl of Cork to Richard Graham, John Smyth,

and others of estates in Ireland in trust for the Hon. Charles Boyle (6 Jan 1687), 3 items  
1663, 1687 & 1828

- MS 43,100/ 3** Conveyance from the trustees for the forfeited and other estates and interests in Ireland to Andrew Lloyd of lands in County Meath (23 Jun 1703), and draft and counterpart conveyance from Richard, 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington to the Hon. Francis Bernard (Justice of Common Pleas) of various ploughlands in the baronies of Kinnataloon and East Carbery, Co. Cork (9 Jan 1729), 3 items  
1703 & 1729
- MS 43,100/ 4** Draft bond, contract, deed and conveyances from the Hon. Henry Boyle and Jeremy Coughlan (as agent for the Earl of Cork and Burlington) to Richard Tonson of various ploughlands in the baronies of East Carbery and West Carbery, Co. Cork and for the town and lands of Ballydehob, with copy memorial of deed poll, referred to as “Papers relating to the cant of part of the Western Estate”, 6 items  
1729
- MS 43,100/ 5** Bargain and sale for a year (and copies) from Richard, 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington to Delillers Carbonnel, William Snelling, and Henry Samuel Eyre of several farms, lands and hereditaments in the counties of Waterford and Tipperary (7 & 8 April 1730), 4 items  
1730 & 1829
- MS 43,100/ 6** Conveyance from Richard, 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington to Lionel Beecher of the ploughland of Currymacgullicaha, barony of West Carbery (24 Oct 1730), and counterpart of release and conveyance (and copy) from the Earl of Cork and Burlington to Nathaniel Gould and Albert Nesbitt of the equity of redemption for several estates in Co. Cork to indemnify them from a security entered into by them for payment of interest due to Mr. Macrea (10 Oct 1732), 3 items  
1730-2 & 1829
- MS 43,100/ 7** Copies of conveyances by lease and release from Richard, 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington to Lord Duncannon of the seignory of Inchiquin (11 Apr 1738), and to Sir William Heathcote of Cappoquin (2 Aug 1738), 5 items  
1819 & 1825
- MS 43,100/ 8** Copy counterpart conveyance from Richard, 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington and Lady Burlington to Henry Boyle of the Manor, Borough Town, and lands of Clonakilty and other lands in Co. Cork (26 Jun 1739), and copy conveyance from Robert Simmons to

- Robert Child of Mrs Julian Jones's premises and other premises in Co. Cork (29 Nov 1739), 2 items  
n.d.
- MS 43,100/ 9** Copies of the conveyance (deed of purchase) from Sir William Abdy, Jonathan Burward, the Earl of Cork and Burlington, and Lady Burlington to Sir William Heathcote of Kilwinny and other lands in the counties Cork and Waterford (30 Mar 1745), 4 items  
n.d.
- MS 43,100/ 10** Copies of the conveyance (deed of purchase) from Sir William Abdy, Jonathan Burward, the Earl of Cork and Burlington, and Lady Burlington to Sir William Heathcote of Kilwinny and other lands in the counties Cork and Waterford (30 Mar 1745), 4 items  
n.d.
- MS 43,100/ 11** Copy deed of conveyance from Lewis Meares and wife to George Rochfort of the town and lands of Ballybrack (21 Mar 1746), and conveyance from John Pepper and others to James Moor of the lands of Carrickneary (26 Nov 1751), 2 items  
1751 & 1834
- MS 43,100/ 12** Assignment and re-conveyance of several freehold and leasehold estates late of the Earl of Cork and Burlington from Mr Eyre in trust for a party claiming under Lord Burlington's will (31 May 1754), 1 item  
1754
- MS 43,100/ 13** Deed (and copies) to declare the uses of fines of the reversion of the Earl of Cork and Burlington's estates in Ireland (17 Jun 1754), 3 items  
1754
- MS 43,100/ 14** Copies of fine from William Cavendish, Marquis of Hartington and his wife, Charlotte to Charles Cavendish of lands in County Cork at Trinity Term 1754, 4 items  
1828 & n.d.
- MS 43,100/ 15** Conveyance (deed of sale) from Beverly Hearne to Rev. Verney Lovett of premises at Abbeyside, with memorial (27 Mar 1793), and conveyance from John Odell Roch to William Jenkins of his estate and interest in holdings at Dungarvan (25 Aug 1798), 3 items  
1793-8
- MS 43,100/ 16** Copy conveyance from Sir William Heathcote and Thomas Heathcote to Wadham Wyndham for the use of Mr. Wyndham and

- his heirs in trust to convey to the use of such persons as Sir William and Mr Heathcote shall appoint (2 May 1806), and copy conveyance to use from Wadham Wyndham, Sir William Heathcote, and Thomas Heathcote to William Wyndham and Thomas Wyndham (13 May 1806), 2 items  
1825
- MS 43,100/ 17** Conveyances from William, 5<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire to various persons of newly erected messuages or tenements at Dungarvan (2 Jan 1811), 12 items  
1811
- MS 43,100/ 18** Conveyances from William, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire to various persons of newly erected messuages or tenements at Dungarvan (2 Jan 1811), 13 items  
1811
- MS 43,100/ 19** Copy memorial of deed of conveyance from George Giles to William, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire of the College of Youghal (17 Nov 1812), conveyance and memorial from Rev. Verney Lovett to Duke of Devonshire of premises at Abbeyside, Co. Waterford (20 Sep 1814), and conveyances from Philip Bernard to Jonas Bernard of the lands of East Carhoon (13 Dec 1817), and from Thomas Tanner and Walter Tanner to Thomas Bennett of a house and premises in Bandon (21 Apr 1819), 6 items  
1813-9
- MS 43,100/ 20** Conveyance (and draft and copy) from Rev. Samuel Heathcote and others to Rt. Hon. Henry Boyle, 3<sup>rd</sup> Earl of Shannon, Jonathan Keily and others of Ballinatray and other lands (28 Jan 1827), 3 items  
1826-7 & 1853
- MS 43,100/ 21** Conveyance (and draft) from Rev. Samuel Heathcote and others (trustees of Sir Thomas Freeman Heathcote Bt.) to William, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire of the lands of Garrycloyne, Co. Cork (2 Jul 1827), 2 items  
1827
- MS 43,100/ 22** Copy conveyances from Anne Popham and William Popham to Maskelyne Alcock and Bradshaw Popham of the lands of Kilmore (12 Aug 1827), and from William, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire to the Youghal Bridge Commissioners of Slob Ground (6 Feb 1830), and deed of conveyance from Anne Curreen to Edward O'Donnell and Ellen O'Donnell of premises in the Main Street of Lismore (14 Oct 1830), 4 items  
1827-30

- MS 43,100/ 23** Deed of compromise and conveyance from George Giles and Walter Giles to William, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire and William Samuel Curry of the College of Youghal (5 May 1834), and conveyance from Roger Green Davis and others to Cornelius Hurley of the land called Collins Land (25 Jun 1834), 2 items  
1834
- MS 43,100/ 24** Draft deed of conveyance in fee from William, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire to Thomas Seward of lands and premises at Youghal (6 Jun 1835), deed of conveyance from William Tomlinson and others to Charles Tomlinson of Grove Hall, a part of the lands of Ballinderry, Co. Wicklow (4 Apr 1836), and draft conveyance from the Duke of Devonshire to Michael Bourke (trustee for James Kirby) of Garrynoe and Ballyreece, Co. Cork (May 1836), with accompanying letters and papers, 7 items  
1835-6
- MS 43,100/ 25** Draft deed of conveyance from William, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire to Sir Jonathan Humble of Knocknegrana (1840), conveyances from William O'Mahony and Nicholas Parker to John Slattery of premises in the Main Street of Lismore (1 Sep 1840), and from the Duke of Devonshire to Rev. Henry Cotton, Dean of the Cathedral of Lismore of part of the Warren Land adjoining the Church Yard of Lismore Cathedral (21 May 1842), with memorial, and re-conveyance from Thomas Seward to the Duke of Devonshire of lands in the parish of St. Mary in Youghal (31 May 1849), 5 items  
1840-9
- MS 43,100/ 26** Conveyance from Kilner Richard Wood to Alexander Swanston of part of the lands of Gillabbey in the parish of St. Finn Barrs in the City of Cork (23 Mar 1850), draft deed of conveyance from Mountiford Longfield and Charles James Hargreave (Commissioners of Incumbranced Estates in Ireland) to Denis Foley of the lands of Glanbeg and West Ballygally (Oct 1850), and copies of conveyance from the Commissioners of Incumbranced Estates in Ireland to Roger Baker of part of Abbeyside called Duckspool, and part of Tournore, Co. Waterford (8 Jul 1853), 5 items  
1850-9
- MS 43,100/ 27** Deeds of conveyance from John Hudson and Richard Hudson to Nicholas Moore of premises in the North Main Street of Youghal (Aug 1853), and from William, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire to Roger Baker of part of Abbeyside called Duckspool, Co. Waterford (22 Mar 1856), and copy conveyances in fee from the Duke of Devonshire to Thomas Fuge of the Old North Mill, Youghal (6 Dec

1856), and to Beverley Keily of a portion of the Spring Lands, Co. Waterford (27 Jul 1859), 4 items  
1853-9

**MS 43,100/ 28** Copy conveyances from William, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire to various persons of lands at Dungarvan sold by private sale, with a conveyance of the quit and crown rents payable out of the Duke of Devonshire's Dungarvan and Youghal Estates (28 Feb 1859), 32 items  
1859-60

**MS 43,100/ 29** Copy conveyances from William, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire to various persons of lands at Dungarvan sold by private sale, 28 items  
1860

**MS 43,100/ 30** Copy conveyances from William, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire to various persons of lands at Dungarvan sold by private sale, with associated papers, 28 items  
1860

**MS 43,100/ 31** Copy conveyance in fee from William, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire to the Dungarvan Town Commissioners of markets in Dungarvan (24 Apr 1860), 1 item  
1860

**MS 43,100/ 32** Copy conveyances from William, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire to James Reardon and Eliza Smith Barry of lands in County Tipperary, 2 items  
1860

**MS 43,100/ 33** Conveyances from William, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire to William Jackson of Dunmoo, Co. Waterford (22 Apr 1862), and to David Leopold Lewis of a portion of the bed of the River Blackwater situated near Youghal (26 Aug 1862), 3 items  
1862

### *I.v.3 Deeds of Sale and Purchase*

**MS 43,101/ 1** Deed of Roger Carew for the lands of Kilcurren (15 Aug 1663), 1 item  
1663

**MS 43,101/ 2** Deeds of sale from Henry Ingoldsby to Leonard Gorstelowe of the lands of Capt. James Baynton, Francis Langley, Thomas Brown, and others (4 Sep 1666), and from Robert Mawme to Richard, 2<sup>nd</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington of the lands of Ballydeshane (22 Jun

- 1669), 2 items  
1666-9
- MS 43,101/ 3** Deeds from Roger Carew to Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington of the lands of Garrynoe and Ballynrine (11 Aug 1671), and from Patrick Cunnican for the lands of Cloongrillin (1 Nov 1677), 2 items  
1671-7
- MS 43,101/ 4** Deed concerning Robert Vigorous and the Wrestlingworth estate in Bedford (27 May 1686), and deed of sale from Roger Carew to Roger Power (in trust for the Earl of Cork and Burlington) of Gortenelehan, Gortetalloone and several other townlands and of his interest in the fishery of Lismore (1 Sep 1694), 2 items  
1686-94
- MS 43,101/ 5** Memorial of lease, bargain and sale from Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington to William Coughlan to suffer recovery of Lord Carleton's estate (18 & 19 Aug 1726), article of sale from Rev. Verney Lovett to William, 6th Duke of Devonshire of lands near Dungarvan (6 Sep 1814), and deed of sale from Mary Crotty and others to William Ashby of lands at Abbeyside, Dungarvan (28 Jun 1816), 3 items  
1726-1816
- MS 43,101/ 6** Deed of sale (with draft) from William Jenkins to William, 6th Duke of Devonshire of premises in Dungarvan (10 Mar 1819), 2 items  
1814 & 1819
- MS 43,101/ 7** Contract and conditions of sale (and copy) between William, 7th Duke of Devonshire and David Leopold Lewis for the sale and purchase of the Youghal Estate (10 Nov 1860), 2 items  
1860

#### *I.v.4 Deeds of Trust*

- MS 43,102/ 1** Deeds of trust from Captain Tristram Sweltenham (of Inch, Innishowen, Co. Donegal) to Edward Cary at Lieutenant George Sweltenham's marriage with Susanna Cary (27 Jun 1711) and deed (and copy) from Richard, 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington to Richard Graham and Jabez Collier for the Youghal estates (5 Aug 1717), 3 items  
1711-7 & 1828
- MS 43,102/ 2** Deed of trust (and copy) from Richard, 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork and

Burlington to Richard Graham and Jabez Collier for payment of debts with trustees account (14 Mar 1720), 2 items  
1720 & 1828

**MS 43,102/ 3** Reassignment in trust from Augustus Fitzroy, 3<sup>rd</sup> Duke of Grafton to Sir Anthony Abdy to attend the inheritance of the late Richard, 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington (24 Feb 1755), 1 item  
1755

**MS 43,102/ 4** Declaration of trust between George Sullivan and Thomasina Morris for the Slaughterhouse holding at Tallowbridge (29 Sep 1800), and draft deed of trust (and copies) from Francis and Eleanor Brown to trustees for premises in Browne Street, Youghal (1824-5), 4 items  
1800-25

#### *I.v.5 Deeds of Exchange*

**MS 43,103/ 1** Draft deeds of exchange between the Archbishop of Armagh, Rev. Samuel Blacker, Rev. Nathaniel Smith, and Thomas Hannington (1818 & 1823), and deed of exchange between William, 6th Duke of Devonshire and Rt. Rev. Richard, Lord Bishop of Waterford and Lismore and Rev. Stephen Dickson, Vicar of Dungarvan of Glebe Land in Dungarvan (13 Mar 1823), 3 items  
1818-23

**MS 43,103/ 2** Draft deed of exchange between the Lord Bishop of Waterford and Lismore and Rev. John Scott, Dean of Lismore, and the Duke of Devonshire of Glebe Land in Lismore (1825), and deed of exchange between Richard, Marquis Wellesley, the Lord Bishop of Waterford and Lismore, and Rev. John Scott, Dean of Lismore and the Duke of Devonshire of Glebe Land in Lismore (19 Nov 1825), with map, inquisition and report of the Attorney-General, 6 items  
1825

#### *I.v.6 Miscellaneous Deeds*

**MS 43,104/ 1** Deed of indemnity from Richard Chute and others to Francis Chute and John Collins to secure the purchase of the chief rents of the Barony of Traghticonnor (24 Oct 1810), and deed of gift from William, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire to William Galway and others of ground for a chapel at Dungarvan (24 Sep 1814), 2 items  
1810-4

**MS 43,104/ 2** Draft deeds of annuity for life from William, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire to Frederick Musgrave (Nov 1817), and to Percy Scott



Smyth (1818), deed of endowment between Lord Stuart de Decies, Robert, Lord Bishop of Cashel, Waterford and Lismore, Rev. A.M. Browne, and the Duke of Devonshire of land for a chapel (6 Nov 1852), and draft deed of indemnity from the Duke of Devonshire to Lord Frederick Cavendish respecting schoolhouses and almshouses at Youghal, Lismore, and Bandon (16 Apr 1861), 4 items  
1817-61

#### *I.v.7 Releases*

- MS 43,105/ 1** Copy release from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork to Leonard Gorstelowe of lands in County Waterford (24 Apr 1661) and release from Roger Carew and Robert Carew to Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington and Richard Smith of the lands of Ballysaggartbeg (26 Jun 1695), 2 items  
1695 & 1828
- MS 43,105/ 2** Release from Richard 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington and the Countess of Cork and Burlington, and Sir William Heathcote Bt. to Thomas Housfield of various lands in County Cork (13 Apr 1738), 1 item  
1738
- MS 43,105/ 3** Counterpart of release (and copy) from Richard 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington and the Countess of Cork and Burlington, and Sir William Heathcote Bt. to Richard Tonson of various lands in County Cork (13 Apr 1738), 2 items  
1738
- MS 43,105/ 4** Counterparts of release (and copies) from Richard 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington and the Countess of Cork and Burlington, and Sir William Heathcote Bt. to Richard White of various lands in County Cork (13 Apr 1738), 4 items  
1738 & 1850
- MS 43,105/ 5** Counterparts of release (and copies) from Richard 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington and the Countess of Cork and Burlington, and Sir William Heathcote Bt. to Robert Warren of various lands in County Cork (13 Apr 1738), 4 items  
1738 & 1850
- MS 43,105/ 6** Counterpart of release (and copy) from Richard 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington and the Countess of Cork and Burlington, and Sir William Heathcote Bt. to John Harper of Downdaniel and other lands near Bandon, Co. Cork (13 Apr 1738), 2 items  
1738

- MS 43,105/ 7** Copy release from Richard 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington and the Countess of Cork and Burlington, Delillers Carbonell and others to Lord Duncannon of the seignory of Inchiquin (19 Apr 1738), deed of lease and release from Thomas Spring to John Usher of Ballylevane and Clonbeg, Co. Waterford (12 Aug 1740), release from Francis Malone to William Hull of the Slaughterhouse and Lime Kiln in Youghal (15 Oct 1772), and copy release from Sir William Heathcote and Thomas Heathcote to Richard Waller and John Oxford of the castle, town and lands of Cappoquin, Co. Waterford (30 Sep 1790), 4 items  
1738-90
- MS 43,105/ 8** Copy release from Sir William Heathcote, Thomas Heathcote, and Wadham Wyndham to Sir John Keane Bt. of the castle, town and lands of Cappoquin, Co. Waterford subject to a fee farm rent of £500 (6 May 1806), release from Abraham Skeys to William, 5<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire of the sum of £684.14.3 (21 Dec 1810), deed of release and indemnification from Hamilton Knox Grogan and Thomas Ellis to William, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire for the Ferry of Dungarvan (1 Jul 1818), copy deed of release from the Duke of Devonshire to the Bishop of Cloyne and Churchwardens of Youghal of premises in Youghal as a site for a Chapel of Ease (21 Aug 1818), and release from a charge of £375 from Henry and Susanna Good, John Good, and Thomas Gash to Stewart Tresilian (20 May 1847), 5 items  
1810-47 & 1872

#### *I.v.8 Assignments*

- MS 43,106/ 1** Demise (and copy) from Richard, 2<sup>nd</sup> Earl of Cork to the Hon. Charles Riche of the lands of Strongcally (26 Feb 1650/1), and redemise from the Hon. Charles Riche to William Chettle of these lands (1 Jan 1652/3), and assignment from Lord Barrymore to the Earl of Cork and Lord Broghill of estates in County Cork in trust for Lady Barrymore (2 Nov 1657), 4 items  
1651-7
- MS 43,106/ 2** Assignment (and copy) from Mr. Graham to Sir William Abdy of a trust term of 1,000 years granted by Richard, 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington to Mr Graham and Jabez Collier for payment of debts on the Youghal Estates (21 Apr 1740), and copy assignment from Sir William Abdy to John Usher of a term of 1,000 years in Camphire and O'Kill to allow inheritance and secure fee farm rent (24 Mar 1743), 3 items  
1828

- MS 43,106/ 3** Deed of assignment (and copy) from George Hatton (by direction of William, 5<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire) to Lord George Augustus Cavendish of a 500 years term in the late Earl of Cork and Burlington's estates (19 May 1775), 2 items
- MS 43,106/ 4** Deeds of assignment from John Hearn to Beverly Hearn of lands at Abbeyside, Dungarvan (10 May 1787), from Arthur Bernard to Stewart Tresilian and George Cooper of Cooke Meadows near Bandon (18 Mar 1798), from Thomas Lecky and others to Joseph Hanks of the Slaughterhouse and Lime Kiln in Youghal (1 Sep 1801), and from Samuel Newsom to John Lecky and Benjamin Murdoch Jackson of land and premises in Youghal (24 Mar 1803), 4 items  
1787-1803
- MS 43,106/ 5** Assignments from the assignees of Francis Roberts (bankrupt) to Benjamin Murdoch Jackson of land and premises in Youghal (24 Mar 1803), 2 items  
1803
- MS 43,106/ 6** Deeds of assignment of judgments from Rev. John Phelan to John Lawlor of Ferrypoint (15 May 1808), and from John Lawlor to Patrick Lawlor (5 Sep 1814), draft assignment from George and Nathaniel Burchill to trustees in trust for the several creditors of Mr. Burchill (Jan 1815), and deed of assignment (and draft) from Arthur Kiely to William, 6th Duke of Devonshire of a house and premises in and near Lismore (25 Mar 1818), 5 items
- MS 43,106/ 7** Deed of assignment from Rt. Hon. Sir John Newport Bt. to John Mathew Galwey of land and premises at Abbeyside, Dungarvan (28 Nov 1818), from Jonathan Cameron to Rev. Patrick Fogarty of a house near the Cathedral Church of Lismore (26 Nov 1834), from Robert Allen to Maurice Foley of houses and premises in the Main Street of Lismore for three lives or 99 years (25 Jun 1835), from Marks Ward to John Hall of a plot of ground in Blackpool, Dungarvan (12 Apr 1839), from John Mahony to Michael Morgan of premises at Barrett's Hill in Bandon (30 Nov 1848), from Mary Toole to John O'Brien of leasehold premises in Lismore (2 Dec 1852), and deed of assignment of equity from Francis Malone to William Tonson for the redemption of premises in Youghal (n.d.), 7 items  
1818-52 & n.d. [*One item cut in half*]

***I.v.9 Mortgages***

- MS 43,107/ 1** Mortgage (and copies) from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork to John Naylor of the Manor of Lismore and the fishery (13 Dec 1652), 5 items  
1652, 1869 & n.d.
- MS 43,107/ 2** Deed of mortgage from Captain Robert Nangle to ffargus Farrell of Ballycorky and other lands in counties Westmeath and Longford (13 Jul 1683), 1 item  
1683
- MS 43,107/ 3** Deeds of mortgage from Lord Mountgarret and Richard Butler (his son) for payment of £1500 (26 Jun 1714), and from Richard, 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington to Richard Smyth for Ballynatra (12 May 1721), and mortgage (and copy) from Edward Boate to Thomas Lecky for Knockboy (9 Sep 1726), 4 items  
1714-26 & 1792
- MS 43,107/ 4** Deeds of mortgage from John Lovekin to John Good for Ballymountain, Muskery, Co. Cork (Jul 1732), from Thomas Greene and others to Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington for several houses in Dungarvan (20 Oct 1744), and from John Hearn to David Coghlan for Knockboy for £160 (8 Mar 1760), deed of recovery of mortgage from John Coghlan to John Hearn for Knockboy (19 May 1787), and deed of release of mortgage from Robert Lecky to Beverly Hearn for Knockboy (31 Jul 1792), 5 items  
1732-92
- MS 43,107/ 5** Mortgage from Francis Roberts to Sir Thomas Roberts Bt. and others for ground in Youghal for £800 (26 Mar 1794), and assignments of mortgage for premises in Youghal from Sir Thomas Roberts Bt. and others to Robert Roberts (21 Sep 1796), and from Thomas Roberts to Samuel Newsom (3 Dec 1796), 3 items  
1794-6
- MS 43,107/ 6** Deed of mortgage from Joseph Hanks to John Strangman of land in Youghal (17 Sep 1800), assignment of mortgage from Richard Davis and John Strangman to Mary Fisher of land in Youghal (23 Jul 1805), and mortgages from John Browne to Margaret Browne of premises in Youghal (20 Oct 1806), and from Joseph Bullen to William Sullivan for premises in Bandon (6 May 1824), 4 items  
1800-24
- MS 43,107/ 7** Assignment of mortgage from Thomas Sullivan to James White of premises in Bandon (11 Apr 1837), mortgage from Maurice Foley to William O'Mahony of premises in the Main Street of Lismore (17 Sep 1839), and assignment of mortgage from James White to John Hurley of premises in Bandon (6 Mar 1840), 3 items

1837-40

- MS 43,107/ 8** Copy mortgage from Rev. John Jackson to John Sherlock of premises in West St, Tallow (25 Nov 1861), memorandum of agreement (and copy) from William, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire to Thomas Hannigan providing for payment of purchase money and equitable mortgage for premises in Dungarvan (28 Nov 1861), and draft mortgage from Edward Bell to Timothy Hurley of the Mills at Coolfadda, Co. Cork (1866), 4 items  
1863-6

### *I.v.10 Fines*

- MS 43,108** Copy fines from William McGuire to Richard, 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington for Ballynatra and other lands in County Waterford (Easter Term 1745), from Robert Walsh to Charles Kennedy for Ballykerogue Island (Michaelmas Term 1753), fine from Charles Cavendish to William Cavendish, Marquis of Hartington and Charlotte, his wife: Fine of lands in County Cork (Trinity Term 1754), fine (and copy) from Charles Cavendish to William, Marquis of Hartington and Charlotte, his wife for lands in County Waterford (Trinity Term 1754), fine from George Protheroe to George Robinson for premises in Cuffe Street, Dublin (Michaelmas Term 1758), and copy abstract of lands in Co. Waterford of which fines and recoveries were suffered by Sir Thomas Osbourne, (Hilary Term 1784), 7 items  
1754-1869

### *I.v.11 Estate Settlements*

#### *I.v.11.A Act of Settlement*

The Act of Settlement of 1662 was described as “An act for the better execution of His Majesty’s gracious declaration for the Settlement of his Kingdom of Ireland, and the satisfaction of the several interests of adventurers, soldiers, and other his subjects there”. It was an instrument to confiscate sufficient land in Ireland to repay the loans extracted from the City of London and to reward royalist soldiers who had engaged in the recent wars in Ireland. The Act was the partial reversal of the Cromwellian Act of Settlement of 1652, which punished Irish Catholics and royalists for fighting against the English Parliament by the wholesale confiscation of their lands and property. The Act of Settlement of 1662 ordered Cromwellian settlers to surrender a portion of their allotted land to royalist landowners and “innocent Catholics”, as determined by the Commissioners. A Court of Claims was set up to determine eligibility for the recovery of land. A further Act of Explanation was passed in 1665 which stated that Cromwellian settlers (with some named exceptions) had to give up one third of the lands they had

received after 1652 to compensate innocent Catholics. For further papers connected with this topic, see the Commissioner's Inquiry (7 Oct 1654) in section III.vii.1.

- MS 43,109/ 1** Copy of the Decree of Innocence of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork for the several lands and chief rents in the Manor of Dungarvan, Bewly, and Lismore (23 Oct 1654), 1 item  
n.d.
- MS 43,109/ 2** Copy of decree from 'His Majesty's Commissioners appointed to execute an Act for the better execution of His Majesty's gracious declaration for the settlement of his kingdom of Ireland and the satisfaction of the several interests of adventurers and soldiers and other of his subjects there' (11 Jun 1663), with their grant of Ballymote in Kilwatermoy (6 Nov 1663), and copy of adventurers' certificate in favour of John Nettles (7 Sep 1666), 3 items  
1663, 1825 & 1871
- MS 43,109/ 3** Copies of certificate of the Commissioners of the Court of Claims to the several encumbrances and their successors of the parish churches within mentioned of the impropriate tithes specified (17 Feb 1667), 2 items  
1821 & 1829
- MS 43,109/ 4** Certificate (and copy) from the Commissioners under the Act of Settlement to Richard, 2<sup>nd</sup> Earl of Cork for the pre-emption of his mortgages in Youghal (10 Jul 1668), 2 items  
1668 & 1828
- MS 43,109/ 5** Certificate (and copy) setting forth "that since granting a former certificate it appeared that the Earl of Cork was entitled to several premises in Youghal" (28 Dec 1668), 2 items  
1668 & 1828
- MS 43,109/ 6** Extracts from Roll of Innocents containing a list of lands formerly seized on account of the Rebellion in 1641 and since restored by the Commissioners for executing the Act of Settlement to persons of the Roman Catholic religion by virtue of decrees confirmed by the Act of Explanation to Thomas Walsh, Ellen his wife and John their son, of land in County Waterford, 2 items  
1824)

#### I.v.11.B Debentures of the '1649 Officers'

Deeds and papers relating to the sale and purchase of property assigned to pay the arrears of salary of the so-called '49 Officers', being Protestant Royalist officers who served in the army of King Charles I prior to 1649. For further information on this topic, see Kevin

McKenny, 'Charles II's cavaliers: the 1649 Officers and the Restoration land settlement', *Irish Historical Studies*, xxviii, 112 (Nov 1993), pp. 409-425.

- MS 43,110/ 1** Contracts of sale of the properties of Isaac Mason, John Duff, John Simpson, and Thomas Barnes to Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork, 6 items  
1656-7 & 1661-2
- MS 43,110/ 2** Certificates from George Monck, 1st Duke of Albermarle and Thomas Morley confirming the service of Captain William Cope and Cornet John Simpson, and the Settlement Commissioners' statements of arrears, including those of Thomas Selby, John Hunt, and Edmond Power, 7 items  
1661-3
- MS 43,110/ 3** Letter from Colonel Randal Clayton to Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork (with acquittances to Mr. Russell), and letters from Nathaniel Evanson, Owen Silver, and Sir George Wentworth to Leonard Gorstelowe, with statements from the Commissioners for executing the Acts of Settlement and Explanation, 9 items  
1662-7
- MS 43,110/ 4** Lists of the Earl of Cork's '49' debentures, with accounts of the arrears of various officers, including Colonel John Johnson and Captain Terence Macgrath, 12 items  
1662-4 & n.d.
- MS 43,110/ 5** Decree from the Settlement Commissioners to James Russell, Attorney General and trustee of the '49 Officers' (27 Feb 1662/3), and indentures between Arthur Dillon, Henry Steele and Leonard Gorstelowe (12 & 14 Sep 1666), 3 items  
1663-6
- MS 43,110/ 6** Deeds of sale, bonds, and acquittances, concerning the disposal of the property of the '49 Officers', including that of Arthur Freke, Christopher Hewson, Andrew Ruddock and Thomas Loftus, 10 items  
1665-6
- MS 43,110/ 7** Letters of attorney concerning the disposal of the property of the '49 Officers', including that of Tempest Illingworth, Arthur Freke, Andrew Ruddock, Thomas Loftus, and Sir Henry Ingoldsby, 8 items  
1665-6
- MS 43,110/ 8** Deeds of sale and bonds, concerning the disposal of the property of the '49 Officers', including that of Michael Oxenbridge, Terence Macgrath, Arthur Dillon, and Sir Henry Ingoldsby, 7 items

1665-6

**MS 43,110/ 9** Deeds and contracts of sale, assignments, and acquittances, concerning the disposal of the property of the '49 Officers', including that of Sir George Wentworth, Colonel Alexander Pigott, John Davis, William Cooke and John Salisbury, 17 items  
1666

I.v.11.C Boyle and Cavendish Families

**MS 43,111/ 1** Settlement between Richard Boyle, Baron Clifford, the 2nd Earl of Cork, and Charles Boyle, Viscount Dungarvan of lands in the cities and counties of Cork and Waterford (24 Apr 1661), 1 item  
1661

**MS 43,111/ 2** Copy settlement between Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Lawrence Hyde, 1st Earl of Rochester and others of the Mansion House called Burlington House, Middlesex (16 Feb 1688), 1 item  
1688

**MS 43,111/ 3** Copies of 'An Act for Vesting certain Lands and Hereditaments in the Kingdom of Ireland, Part of the settled estate of Richard Earl of Burlington and Corke, in Trustees, to be sold for Payment of Debts; and for Settling other Lands and Hereditaments of greater Value to the same Uses' (1730, enrolled 24 Jun 1738), 3 items  
1738

**MS 43,111/ 4** Copy of 'An Act for Vesting certain Lands and Hereditaments in the Kingdom of Ireland...', (1730, enrolled 24 Jun 1738), 1 item  
1834

**MS 43,111/ 5** Copies of 'An Act for Vesting certain Lands and Hereditaments in the Kingdom of Ireland...', (1730, enrolled 24 Jun 1738), 3 items  
1833-4 & c1850

**MS 43,111/ 6** Copy deed of settlement of the (Irish) Estates of Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington pursuant to his will (14 Jul 1771), 1 item  
1771

**MS 43,111/ 7** Copy deed of settlement of the (Irish) Estates of Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington pursuant to his will (14 Jul 1771), 1 item  
1771

**MS 43,111/ 8** Copy deed of settlement of the (Irish) Estates of Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington pursuant to his will (14 Jul 1771), 1 item  
1771



**MS 43,111/ 9** Copies of deed of settlement of the (Irish) Estates of Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington pursuant to his will (14 Jul 1771), 2 items  
c1820 & 1856

**MS 43,111/ 10** Copies of deed of settlement of the (Irish) Estates of Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington pursuant to his will (14 Jul 1771), 2 items  
c1830 & 1848

### *I.v.12 Estate Recoveries*

#### I.v.12.A Boyle and Cavendish Families

**MS 43,112/ 1** Exemplification of the recovery of Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork of the lands of Buttevant and other lands (1656), 1 item  
1656

**MS 43,112/ 2** Copies of the recoveries of Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Charles Boyle, Viscount Dungarvan of their lands in County Waterford and County Cork in the Court of Common Pleas (Michaelmas Term 1661 & Easter Term 1662, Latin with translation), 4 items  
c.1830

**MS 43,112/ 3** Grants from King Charles II concerning the recovery of Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork of his lands in County Waterford and County Cork (28 Nov 1664, Latin), 2 items  
1664

**MS 43,112/ 4** Grants from King George I concerning the recovery suffered by the Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington of his lands in County Waterford and County Cork (Trinity Term 1716, Latin), 2 items  
1716

**MS 43,112/ 5** Copies and translations of the recoveries suffered by Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington of his Irish estates in 1716-7, 10 items  
c1820-30

**MS 43,112/ 6** Copies of the recoveries suffered by Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington of parts of his Irish estates in 1727, 1740, 1743 and 1746, 9 items  
c1830

**MS 43,112/ 7** Copies of the recoveries suffered by Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington of parts of his Irish estates in 1747, 1751 and 1752, with

lists of and extracts from the recoveries suffered between 1727 and 1752, 11 items  
c1830

- MS 43,112/ 8** Deed of bargain and sale from William, 5th Duke of Devonshire and William Spencer Cavendish, Marquis of Hartington to Philip Splane for suffering recoveries of the late Earl of Burlington's estates in Ireland comprised in the settlement of 1771 (1811), 1 item  
1811
- MS 43,112/ 9** Copy deed of bargain and sale from William, 5th Duke of Devonshire and William Spencer Cavendish, Marquis of Hartington to Philip Splane for suffering recoveries of the late Earl of Burlington's estates in Ireland comprised in the settlement of 1771, 1 item  
1811
- MS 43,112/ 10** Copies of deed of bargain and sale from William Spencer, 6th Duke of Devonshire to Benjamin Popham for suffering recoveries of the late Earl of Burlington's estates in Ireland comprised in the settlement of 1771 (10 Jun 1812), 3 items  
1812
- MS 43,112/ 11** Attested copies and abstract from the recoveries suffered by William, 6th Duke of Devonshire of lands in the counties Cork, Waterford, and Tipperary on 10 Jun 1812, 3 items  
1830 & n.d.
- MS 43,112/ 12** Exemplification of the recovery suffered by William, 6th Duke of Devonshire of lands in the county of Tipperary (Trinity Term 1812), 1 item  
1812
- MS 43,112/ 13** Copy of deed concerning the uses of recoveries suffered of William, 6th Duke of Devonshire's estates in the counties of Cork, Waterford and Tipperary (16 Jun 1812), 3 items  
1812

#### I.v.12.B Other Families

- MS 43,113/ 1** Settlement of Richard Butler, 5th Viscount Mountgarrett and his son Edmund of lands in County Wexford (11 Oct 1698), 1 item  
1698
- MS 43,113/ 2** Copy recovery of lands in County Cork (Easter Term 1746), and exemplifications of recovery suffered by the Rt. Hon. Edmund

Butler, 9th Viscount Mountgarrett for lands in County Wexford (12 Feb 1750), and by Christopher Garvey for lands in County Mayo (29 Jun 1757), 3 items  
1750-7 & n.d.

- MS 43,113/ 3** Copies of exemplification of recovery suffered by Sir William Heathcote and his son for lands in Cappoquin, Co. Waterford (Easter Term 1791), and exemplification of recovery suffered by Mary Irvine for lands in County Tyrone (Trinity Term 1810), 3 items  
1810 & n.d.
- MS 43,113/ 4** Copy of revocation of uses of a settlement made between Sir William Heathcote and Sir Thomas Heathcote on 13 May 1806 and appointment of new uses of certain estates in Ireland (7 Dec 1819), and copy deed of revocation and settlement to new uses from Samuel Hayman, his wife, and others to the Rev. Robert Bell and Thomas Daunt (5 Feb 1813), 2 items  
1825 & 1853
- MS 43,113/ 5** Copy settlement between William Dorset Fellowes and the Rt. Hon. George Byng, 6th Viscount Torrington and Francis Molloy of certain hereditaments in and near the Town of Dungarvan, Co. Waterford and at Lyncomb, Co. Somerset and of the principal sums of £1000 and £600 secured by bond and mortgage (4 Oct 1823), 1 item  
1851

### *I.v.13 Marriage Settlements and Recoveries*

The documents in this section record the terms of financial settlements agreed upon the marriage of members of the Boyle, Cavendish and other families. The earliest of these documents date from the 1610s and others refer to earlier agreements. The material is divided into two sections – estate owners and other families – and are then listed chronologically.

#### I.v.13.A Boyle and Cavendish Families

- MS 43,114/ 1** Articles made between Sir Garret Moore and Richard Boyle, Baron of Youghal concerning the intended marriage between Sir Thomas Moore and Sarah Boyle (8 Dec 1619), deeds relating to the settlement made on the marriage of Sir Thomas Moore with Lady Sarah Boyle (15 Oct 1621), articles of agreement made between Richard, 1st Earl of Cork and Sir Thomas Beaumont, 1st Viscount Beaumont of Swords for the marriage of Lady Katherine Boyle and Sapcott Beaumont, eldest son to said Viscount (25 Jul 1622), and

- deed of settlement made on the marriage with conveyance by Lord Viscount Beaumont of lands for the jointure of Lady Katherine Boyle (9 Oct 1622), 4 items  
1619-22 [*One broken seal*]
- MS 43,114/ 2** Articles from Richard, 1st Earl of Cork concerning his daughter Katherine (9 Jan 1623), articles of agreement made between the Earl of Cork, Dame Lettice, Baroness Offally and Lord Digby on the marriage of Robert Digby, 1st Baron Digby of Geashill and Lady Sarah Moore, formerly Boyle (30 Nov 1626), jointure of Lady Sarah Boyle to her son (30 Oct 1627), and bond of £300 from Robert, 1st Baron Digby to secure the jointure of Lady Sarah Boyle (Oct 1627), 4 items  
1623-7
- MS 43,114/ 3** Jointure of Lord Digby to Lady Sarah Boyle of part of the Barony of Cashel (9 Nov 1627), jointure of Lady Sarah Boyle (21 Jan 1628), articles of agreement between Richard, 1st Earl of Cork and Lord George Goring and his son touching the marriage between Lord Goring and Lady Lettice Boyle, with the provision of a jointure for the Lady Lettice (30 Jul 1629), and lease for a year from Lord Goring and his son to the Earl of Cork (13 Jul 1630), conveyance made by Lord Goring and his son for the jointure of Lady Lettice Goring and for the further settling of his estate (16 Sep 1630), deed of Lord Goring for assuring land after Lady Mary Goring's death to Lady Lettice Goring in lieu of those leases with the Earl of Cork (8 Oct 1633), and counterpart of the deed made by Lord Digby concerning Lady Lettice Goring's jointure (8 Oct 1633), 7 items  
1627-33 [*One item damaged*]
- MS 43,114/ 4** Counterpart (and draft) of the settlement made upon the marriage of Richard Boyle, Viscount Dungarvan (later 2nd Earl of Cork) to Lady Elizabeth Clifford (12 Jun 1634), 2 items  
1634 [*Some damage to both items*]
- MS 43,114/ 5** Copy deed of revocation by Richard, 1st Earl of Cork of the lands of Lewis Boyle, Viscount Kilnalmeaky as limited to him by the settlement of 1636, preparatory to Lord Kilnameaky's marriage with Lady Elizabeth Fielding (16 Dec 1639), and copies of the settlement of the Earl of Cork upon the marriage of Lord Kilnalmeaky with Elizabeth Fielding (18 Dec 1639), 3 items  
1828 & 1833
- MS 43,114/ 6** Settlement (and copy) of the Irish estate of Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork made upon the marriage of Charles Boyle, Lord Clifford of Lanesborough with Lady Jane Seymour (1 Sep 1662), 2 items

1662 & c1830

- MS 43,114/ 7** Settlement (and copy) on the marriage of Charles Boyle, Lord Clifford (later 3rd Earl of Cork and Burlington) with the Hon. Juliana Noel (4 Jan 1687), 2 items  
1687 & c1830
- MS 43,114/ 8** Copies of recoveries suffered by Charles Boyle, Lord Clifford and Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington of the County Waterford and County Cork estates on the settlement made on the marriage of Charles Boyle with Juliana Noel in the Court of Common Pleas (Easter Term 1691, Latin with translation), 3 items  
n.d.
- MS 43,114/ 9** Grant from King William III and Queen Mary concerning the recovery of the County Waterford and County Cork estates on the settlement made on the marriage of Charles Boyle, Lord Clifford with Juliana Noel (1 May 1691, Latin), 2 items  
1691
- MS 43,114/ 10** Copy settlement made on the marriage of Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington with Lady Dorothy Saville (18 Mar 1720), 1 item  
c1830
- MS 43,114/ 11** Deed of revocation of Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington for uses in his marriage settlement to Lord Orrey and others (25 Dec 1725), and copies of the deed of revocation of uses in the settlement of 18 Mar 1720 made on the marriage of the Earl of Burlington with Lady Dorothy Saville to the sons of the Earl by any after wife and to the Earl of Orrery and others in default of issue male by the Earl of Cork and Burlington's estates both in England and Ireland (15 Apr 1728), 3 items  
1725 & n.d.
- MS 43,114/ 12** Deed (and copy) of revocation in pursuance of a power reserved in the marriage settlement of Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Burlington (26 Mar 1736), 2 items  
1736 & 1828

#### I.v.13.B Other Families

- MS 43,115/ 1** Conveyance of the interest in part of Coolfadda held from Humphrey Batte for 189 years from 1620 to William Daunt and Jane Dolban, his intended wife, as a marriage portion (3 Jan 1624/5), settlement vesting certain lands in the County Cork in the hands of trustees on the marriage of Richard Barry, 2nd Earl of

Barrymore with Martha Lawrence, daughter of the Rt. Hon. Henry Lawrence (2 Nov 1657), and copies of settlements on the marriage of Sir Nicholas Osbourne with Ann Parsons, daughter of Lawrence Parsons (3 Jul 1684), and on the marriage of Sir Nicholas Osbourne with Mary Smith, daughter of Thomas Smith, Bishop of Limerick (1 Nov 1708), with notes and accounts, 6 items  
1625-57 & n.d.

**MS 43,115/ 2** Copies of settlements on the marriage of John Coughlan with Ann Maule (13 Jul 1725) and on the marriage of Philip Cross with Rebecca Morris (7 Aug 1765), articles of agreement made on the marriage of John Ollive with Frances Ann Jones (12 Aug 1771), and copy of marriage settlement from Philip Bernard to trustees (23 Jan 1790), 4 items  
1771, 1820 & 1855

**MS 43,115/ 3** Copies of settlements on the marriage of George Boate with Margaret Lambert (13 May 1805), on the marriage of Henry Prendergast Garde with Catherine Hoare (29 Oct 1806), and on the marriage of John Coleman with Ellen McAuliff (10 Feb 1825), 4 items  
n.d.

**MS 43,115/ 4** Articles of agreement on the marriage between Thomas O'Daniel and Ellen Flinn of Glenshask (14 Jan 1828), and on the marriage between Daniel Noonan of Cullinagh and Mary Higgins (22 Feb 1838), 2 items  
1828-38

**MS 43,115/ 5** Copy article of agreement on the marriage of William Byrnes to Norry Christopher of Saltenbridge (1 Feb 1839), and settlement on the marriage of David Duggan of Glenmorrismeen and Ellen McGrath (7 Feb 1861), 2 items  
1839-61

#### *I.v.14 Appointments and Commissions*

I.v.14.A Richard Boyle, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork

**MS 43,116/ 1** Patent appointing Sir Richard Boyle to the Baronetcy of Youghal (6 Sep 1616, Latin), and copy of patent appointing Richard, Baron of Youghal to the Viscounty of Dungarvan and Earldom of Cork (16 Oct 1620, Latin with translation), 2 items  
1616 & 1818 [One item hand-painted - some damage]

- MS 43,116/ 2** Commission of wardship and custody of the person and estate of Richard Boyle, son of the Earl of Cork to Sir William Fenton and Laurence Fenton his son in case of the death of the parents (8 Dec 1620, Latin), 1 item  
1620 [*Seal requires housing*]
- MS 43,116/ 3** Certificate to grant an exemption from the payment of the customs of the port of Youghal to Richard, 1st Earl of Cork (5 Jun 1629), commission appointing Lord Loftus and the Earl of Cork joint justices and governors of Ireland (26 Oct 1629, Latin), copy commission under the great seal of England, directed to the Lord Chancellor, the Lord High Treasurer and others for the taking of accounts of all the officers accountant in this kingdom (24 Oct 1631), and commission to the Earl of Cork of the office of Custos Rotulorum of the Counties of Cork and Waterford (5 Jan 1634, Latin), 4 items  
1629-34 [*One item damaged*]
- MS 43,116/ 4** Patent appointing Richard, 1st Earl of Cork as Lord High Treasurer of Ireland (1638, Latin), patent to the Earl of Cork granting licence of absence (29 Aug 1638, Latin), and patent granting a pension Arthur Jones, 2nd Viscount Ranelagh (30 Mar 1644, Latin), 3 items  
1638-44

I.v.14.B Richard Boyle, 2<sup>nd</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington

- MS 43,117/ 1** Commission of the peace granted to Richard Boyle, Viscount Dungarvan and others (10 Jun 1642), and a commission for the County of Waterford (5 Oct 1642, Latin), 2 items  
1642
- MS 43,117/ 2** Patent creating Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork, Lord High Treasurer of Ireland during his lifetime (15 Nov 1660, Latin), translation of patent to Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork, granting pardon for treasons committed in England (14 Nov 1661), patent of Custos Rotulorum granted to the Earl of Cork (22 Aug 1662, Latin), licence for the Earl of Cork to travel into England (20 Nov 1663, Latin), licence of absence for the Earl of Cork for two years (6 Dec 1664), King's commission to the Earl of Cork concerning his estate at Youghal (24 Jul 1668), and patent to the Earl of Cork granting licence of absence for one year from 20 October 1670 to 20 October 1671 (21 May 1670, Latin), 7 items  
1660-70 [*Two items damaged and fragile*]

I.v.14.C Charles Boyle, 3<sup>rd</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington and others

- MS 43,118/ 1** Grant to Charles Boyle of the governorship of the County and City of Cork during pleasure (1 May 1691, Latin), patent to Charles Boyle for Custos Rotulorum for the County of Cork (9 Oct 1694, Latin), patent to Henry Boyle for Custos Rotulorum for the County of Cork (9 Oct 1694, Latin), commission of the peace to Lord Boyle (c1700, Latin), and commission of the peace for County Cork (1714), 5 items  
1691-1714 [*Two items damaged*]
- MS 43,118/ 2** Copy extract from the Journal of the House of Lords concerning the introduction of Charles Boyle, 1st Baron Clifford to the chamber (18 Jul 1689), and a translation of his writ of summons (11 Jul 1689), 2 items  
c1830
- MS 43,118/ 3** Copy certificates concerning the first sitting in Parliament of William Cavendish, 2nd Earl of Burlington (later 7th Duke of Devonshire), and of George Howard, Viscount Morpeth (later 7th Earl of Carlisle), with a certificate of burial of George Cavendish, 1st Earl of Burlington, 3 items  
1834

***I.v.15 Wills and Probate***

The documents in this section refer to the wills and testaments (both originals and copies) of members of the Boyle, Cavendish and other families. The earliest of the documents date from the 1640s. Some items refer to legislation engendered by the terms of the settlements, while others contain material relating to the executorship of the wills. The material is divided into two sections – estate owners and other families – and are then listed chronologically.

I.v.15.A Boyle and Cavendish Families

- MS 43,119/ 1** Copy will of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork (24 Nov 1642), with two extracts from the will, attested copy probate of the will of Charles Boyle, 3rd Earl of Cork and Burlington (4 Feb 1703), and copies of the will of Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington (6 Mar 1750), 8 items  
1820 & n.d.
- MS 43,119/ 2** Printed copies of ‘A Bill for Making the Exemplification of the last Will of the Right Honourable Richard late 4th Earl of Burlington and Cork, deceased, Evidence in all Courts of Law and Equity in Great Britain and Ireland’, 6 items



c1756 [*Three items damaged*]

- MS 43,119/ 3** Copies of an Act of Parliament for making the exemplification of the last will of the Right Honourable Richard late 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, deceased, evidence in all courts of law and equity in Great Britain and Ireland (29 Geo. II, c. 84), 3 items  
c1756
- MS 43,119/ 4** Copies of an Act of Parliament for making the exemplification of the last will of the Right Honourable Richard late 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, deceased, evidence in all courts of law and equity in Great Britain and Ireland (29 Geo. II, c. 84), 2 items  
c1756
- MS 43,119/ 5** Attested copies of the will and codicils of William, late 4th Duke of Devonshire (18 May 1763), and copy will of William, 5th Duke of Devonshire (17 Nov 1809), 3 items  
1815 & n.d.
- MS 43,119/ 6** Exemplification of the will of Richard, Earl of Cork and Burlington, with extract, 2 items  
1818
- MS 43,119/ 7** Copy will (14 Jun 1851) and codicils (17 May 1852 & 12 Jan 1856) of William Spencer, 6th Duke of Devonshire, and a list of legacies given by the will of the late Duke of Devonshire (22 Sep 1859), 2 items  
1859

#### I.v.15.B Other Families

- MS 43,120/ 1** Attested copy of the will and the exemplification of the will of Sir Warham St. Leger (1599), 2 items  
1833
- MS 43,120/ 2** Will of Richard Gough (20 Sep 1642), copy will of James Browne, also Portingall (7 Apr 1674), bequest from William Jones to his daughters, Jane, Barbara and Ann of his property in Bandonbridge (3 Oct 1675), and copy will of William Pope, brewer of the City of Cork (9 Jun 1718), 4 items  
1642-1718
- MS 43,120/ 3** Probate of the will of Isaac Chaigneau, and Mary Chaigneau's letters of administration (18 Jul 1720), and probate of the will of Andrew Loyd (1733), 3 items  
1720-33

- MS 43,120/ 4** Will of Sir William Parsons (18 Mar 1736), 1 items  
1736
- MS 43,120/ 5** Copies of the wills of Edward Jones (1742) and Sir William Heathcote (11 Jun 1748), will of Robert King of Prospect Point, Co. Dublin (9 Feb 1760), copy of the will and codicils of the Rt. Hon. John Villiers, 1st Earl Grandison of Limerick (1764) and probate of the will of Jeremy Walsh (1774), 5 items  
1742-74
- MS 43,120/ 6** Attested copy of the will of Sir William Osbourne with administration cum testamento annexed to Dame Elizabeth Osbourne (14 May 1774 & 9 Jun 1784), abstract from the will of Sir Thomas Osbourne (16 Oct 1713), copy will of Lady Osbourne (17 Dec 1792), copy will of Maria Jones (1782), with a copy of the prerogative of her will (23 Dec 1791), and copies of the wills of John Simpson (1 Nov 1784) and James Roche (2 Nov 1792), 8 items  
1784 & n.d. [*One item damaged*]
- MS 43,120/ 7** Copies of the will of William Conner (22 Jan 1799), 2 items  
n.d. [*One item damaged*]
- MS 43,120/ 8** Probate of the will of George, Lord Viscount Kingsland (29 Jan 1801), will of James Falls, attorney-at-law, City of Dublin (30 Jun 1801), and copy will of Francis Drew (17 Feb 1802), 3 items  
1801-2
- MS 43,120/ 9** Copy will and codicil of George Boate (3 May 1810 & 15 Jun 1812), and copies of the wills of Joseph Harvey (29 Oct 1818) and Thomas Gash (23 Jul 1819), 4 items n.d.
- MS 43,120/ 10** Assorted extracts from and copies of the wills of John Browne, Mary Jones, Edmond Howe, Lawrence Barry, Thomas Hawkes, Florence Carthy and Rev. D. O'Donnell, with associated papers, 15 items  
1820-36
- MS 43,120/ 11** Copy will of Sir Thomas Freeman Heathcote (4 May 1824), disclaimer of Langford Lovell of the trusts and executorship of the will of Sir Thomas Freeman Heathcote (11 May 1825), will of Alexander Keane of Lismore (1826), probate of the will of John Power of Lismore (1829), and the will and codicil of Rev. Henry P. Perry (31 Aug 1867 & 7 Aug 1869), 6 items  
1824-69

*I.v.16 Town Charters*

- MS 43,121/ 1** Attested copies and translation of the charter of Bandonbridge (30 Mar 1612, Latin), 3 items  
n.d.
- MS 43,121/ 2** Copies and translation of the charter of Bandonbridge (9 Mar 1687, Latin), and extracts from the various charters granted to the Town of Bandon, 4 items  
n.d.
- MS 43,121/ 3** Copies of the charter of the staple granted to the Town of Youghal (4 Jul 1375, Latin with translation), copy of the charter for customs granted to the Town of Youghal (3 Feb 1414, Latin), copies of a translation of the charter of Youghal (4 Nov 1433), and copy of the charter of Youghal (28 Dec 1462, Latin), 7 items  
1816-8 & n.d. [*One item damaged*]
- MS 43,121/ 4** Copies of a translation of the charter of Youghal (22 Dec 1609), 7 items  
c1650-1850 [*Three items damaged*]
- MS 43,121/ 5** Copies of a translation of the charter of Youghal (18 Apr 1688), and abstracts of various charters granted to the Town of Youghal from 1374, 3 items  
c1820
- MS 43,121/ 6** Attested copy of the charter of Dungarvan (4 Jan 1610), 1 item  
c1810
- MS 43,121/ 7** Copies of a translation of the charter of Dungarvan (4 Jan 1610), 2 items  
c1810
- MS 43,121/ 8** Copies of a translation of the charter of Dungarvan (4 Jan 1610), 4 items  
1829
- MS 43,121/ 9** Inspeximus and exemplification of the patent dated 4 Jan 1610 creating the Town of Dungarvan and the Borough and Corporation (29 Apr 1659, Latin), 1 item  
1659 [*Damaged*]
- MS 43,121/ 10** Copy of a translation of the charter of Lismore (3 Mar 1609), 1 item  
n.d.

**MS 43,121/ 11** Copy of a translation of the charter of Tallow (26 Sep 1612), 1 item c1630

## **II ESTATE LEASES**

This category is composed of leases and associated documents such as proposals, agreements and schedules, which were granted for lands in counties Cork, Waterford, Tipperary, Dublin and other places in Ireland owned largely by the Earls of Cork and Dukes of Devonshire. The earliest leases date from the time of the Earls of Desmond, though the greater part of the documents was generated during the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries. The leases and papers are divided into five sections, being (1) pre-1700 leases specific to particular locations, (2) pre-1700 leases referring generally to properties within counties Cork and Waterford, (3) post-1700 leases specific to particular locations, a distinction being made between urban and rural properties, (4) tithe, fishery and draft leases, and (5) other leases papers. Within each sub-division the documents are generally listed in chronological order.

### **II.i Leases and Deeds, 1464-1699**

#### ***II.i.1 County Cork***

##### **II.i.1.A Ballynoe and Connehy**

**MS 43,140** Leases relating to the lands of Kinnataloon, including Sir Richard Boyle to George Oliver for the ploughland of Killvarelagh (2 Nov 1609), and Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork to Thomas Garrett for the Manor of Kinnataloon for a payment of £864 (18 Jun 1651), 7 items 1606-93

##### **II.i.1.B Bandon**

**MS 43,141/ 1** Leases relating to lands and properties in Bandon and Ballymodan, including Richard, Earl of Cork to Evan Woodruffe and Thomas Rowland for buildings and gardens in Bandon (3 Nov 1619 and 15 Oct 1625), and Richard, Earl of Cork to John Lake and Mary Turner for pasture and ploughlands in the Manor of Ballymodan (20 Jun 1621 and 25 Feb 1632/3), 21 items 1617-74

**MS 43,141/ 2** Leases relating to lands and properties in Coolfadda, including leases between Captain William Newse and John Kirk (25 Mar 1608), Captain William Venn and John Roberts (1 Oct 1611), and Humphrey Batt and Thomas Dolban (11 May 1620) for parcels of

land at Coolfadda, 25 items  
1608-52

**MS 43,141/ 3** Leases relating to the lands of Kynalmeaky and Kilbrogan, including an assignment of the lease of Kynalmeaky from Captain William Newse to Sir Richard Boyle (23 Mar 1619), and Richard, 1st Earl of Cork to William Wiseman for the lands at Kilbegg, Kilbrogan, and Knockbrogan for 21 years (9 Nov 1620), 17 items  
1609-74

#### II.i.1.C Mogeely

**MS 43,142/ 1** Leases, releases, and assignments for the lands of Lisnabrin, Curryglass, and Templevalley, part of Sir Walter Raleigh's estate at Mogeely, including Sir Walter Raleigh's confirmation of the deed of Curryglass and Templevalley to Denis Fisher (27 Feb 1588/9), and a lease from Edward Leachland to John Darby (24 Apr 1589), 16 items  
1587-9

**MS 43,142/ 2** Leases, releases, and assignments for the lands of Lisnabrin, Curraglass, and Templevalley, part of Sir Walter Raleigh's estate at Mogeely, including leases from Lawrence Longland to Walter Coppinger for Lisnabrin (26 Sep 1594), and Edward Longland to Walter Phillis for Curryglass (2 Jul 1595), and an assignment of Curryglass from William Lee to Walter Coppinger (28 Apr 1596), 15 items  
1595-8

**MS 43,142/ 3** Leases relating to the lands of Mogeely, including Richard Boyle, Dean of Waterford to Roger Boyle (24 Oct 1610), Henry Pyne and Thomas White to Thomas Ball for the weirs and mills under Mogeely Castle for 27 years (29 Sep 1616), and Richard, 1st Earl of Cork to Walter Croker for a part of Mogeely for 31 years (29 Aug 1631), 8 items  
1607-37 & 1676

**MS 43,142/ 4** Leases relating to the lands of Curryglass, including an assignment from John Tucker to Richard Phillips of a lease for land and woods (25 Mar 1611), a counterpart of the demise from Sir Richard Boyle to Walter Jones of part of the ploughland of Templevalley (Glengowra) and Curryglass for 5000 years (31 May 1614), the counterpart of a demise from Sir Richard Boyle to Walter Coppinger of a dwelling house, water mill, garden, orchard and other land in Curryglass and Lisnabrin (8 Jun 1614), and a lease from Richard, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork to Walter Coppinger for Lisnabrin

and Currygalss for 4960 years (1 Mar 1633), 15 items  
1607-55 (Some C19th copies)

#### II.i.1.D Youghal Town

- MS 43,143/ 1** Deeds, leases, and other contracts relating to the burgesses of Youghal and to properties in the town, including a copy translation of a grant to James Butler, 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of Ormond of two parts of the issues, rents, and profits of the moiety of the town of Youghal and barony of Inchiquin (6 Feb 1414), the Earl of Desmond's lease of two tenements, and a lease from Thomas Crabb to Thomas Rowland (1 Jul 1556), 23 items  
1414-1556
- MS 43,143/ 2** Deeds, leases, and other contracts relating to properties in the town and townlands of Youghal, including those of Richard Tobin (9 May 1474) and Thomas Meefe (22 Jan 1480), and a lease from [?] Collins to Maurice FitzGerald, 9<sup>th</sup> Earl of Desmond of two messuages under the Trinity Gate of Youghal (Michaelmas 1493), 21 items  
1425-93
- MS 43,143/ 3** Deeds, leases, and other contracts relating to properties in the town and townlands of Youghal, including a grant of the mill at South Abbey (31 Jul 1520), a release from James FitzGerald, 10<sup>th</sup> Earl of Desmond to William Walsh (1523), the conveyance of a lease from William Walsh to his wife Margaret (1 May 1541), and an assignment of a house and lands at the monastery of Ffynagh[?] from William Walsh to John Thickpenny (15 Apr 1578), 16 items  
1517-78
- MS 43,143/ 4** Deeds, leases, and other contracts relating to properties in the town and townlands of Youghal, including assignments concerning Bennett's Land (5 Jul 1583) and Dexter's Land (30 Sep, 15 Oct 1589), and leases from Sir Walter Raleigh to Roger Owfield of South Abbey (31 Jan 1588/9), and to Henry Dorrell for ploughlands near Youghal (1 Oct 1589), 16 items  
1583-9
- MS 43,143/ 5** Deeds, leases, and other contracts relating to properties in the town and townlands of Youghal, including leases for a houses and gardens in Youghal from Patrick Portingall to Richard McShane (6 Oct 1576), and from Walter Bluett to Thomas Coppinger (7 Sep 1593) and a lease from the Mayor and Commonality of Youghal to Edmond Coppinger of the ferry of the town (1 Oct 1596), 27 items  
1590-9

- MS 43,143/ 6** Deeds, leases, and other contracts relating to properties in the town and townlands of Youghal, including a lease from Sir Daniel Sullivan to William Jones for premises in Youghal (17 Dec 1600), a ffeofment from Robert Bennett to Sir Richard Boyle of Bennett's Land (4 May 1605), and a lease from William Dexter to Sir Richard Boyle of a messuage in Youghal for 1000 years (20 Jul 1605), 26 items  
1600-5
- MS 43,143/ 7** Deeds, leases, and other contracts relating to properties in the town and townlands of Youghal, including leases from James Walsh, John Forrest, and Richard Gough to Sir Richard Boyle (20 Jun & 4 Aug 1606, 2 Sep 1607), and an assignment from Edmond Coppinger to George Boyle of the lease of the ferry of Youghal (1 Aug 1606), 31 items  
1606-7
- MS 43,143/ 8** Deeds, leases, and other contracts relating to properties in the town and townlands of Youghal, including leases to Sir Richard Boyle from John Galway of the tower and walls of a windmill (6 Sep 1608), and from Edmond Cumyn Fitz Stephen of a garden in Youghal (28 Sep 1608), and from Sir Richard Boyle to William Llewelin of a house for 31 years, 17 items  
1608-9
- MS 43,143/ 9** Deeds, leases, and other contracts relating to properties in the town and townlands of Youghal, including leases from John Forrest to Thomas Uniacke of land near Youghal (14 Jan 1610/1), and from William White to Sir Richard Boyle of a tenement and gardens outside the South Gate (31 Oct 1612), and a release from Christopher Portingall to Sir Richard Boyle of a garden within the North Gate (17 Jul 1613), 27 items  
1610-3
- MS 43,143/ 10** Deeds, leases, and other contracts relating to properties in the town and townlands of Youghal, including a lease from Sir Richard Boyle to William Mervyn for premises in the town (6 Jun 1614), Sir Richard Boyle's purchase and lease of Walsh's Great House to Edward Coppinger for 5000 years (Michaelmas 1614), and a release from John Collins to Sir Richard Boyle of Bennett's Land (8 Jul 1615), 21 items  
1614-7
- MS 43,143/ 11** Deeds, leases, and other contracts relating to properties in the town and townlands of Youghal, including leases from Dominic Walsh to Nicholas Gallwane of a house in the town (1 Oct 1618), and from

- William Gough and Richard Ronayne to Francis Blewitt and John O/Sullivant of Kill House in Church Lane (2 Nov 1619), 20 items  
1618-9
- MS 43,143/ 12** Deeds, leases, and other contracts relating to properties in the town and townlands of Youghal, including leases from Richard Gough to Richard Boyle, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork of three parcels of land (21 Dec 1621), from Jasper Walshe to Phillip Kearyne of several tenements (12 Jun 1622), and from William Kyrine to Ellen Coppinger of a house in the town of Youghal (20 Feb 1626), 18 items  
1620-8
- MS 43,143/ 13** Deeds, leases, and other contracts relating to properties in the town and townlands of Youghal, including a lease from Theobald Ronayne and Adrian Coppinger to Pierce Meagh of a parcel of land outside the walls of Youghal (1 May 1630), and a mortgage from Thomas Nugent to Thomas Dautnsey of William White's house in the town (22 May 1632), 10 items  
1630-4
- MS 43,143/ 14** Deeds, leases, and other contracts relating to properties in the town and townlands of Youghal, including a release from Theobald Ronayne to Thomas Fitzjames Nugent of a tenement near Portingall House (20 Oct 1635), and a lease from Richard, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork to James Dyer of a house in the town for 31 years (24 Apr 1637), 16 items  
1635-9
- MS 43,143/ 15** Deeds, leases, and contracts relating to properties in the town and townlands of Youghal, including leases from Richard, 2<sup>nd</sup> Earl of Cork to David Downey of a tenement in the town for four years, to Andrew Wallbridge for Chopping Knife House (31 Aug 1650), and to Percy Freke of a tenement in Church Lane for 21 years (1 Sep 1653), 20 items  
1641-56
- MS 43,143/ 16** Deeds, leases, and contracts relating to properties in the town and townlands of Youghal, including leases from Richard, 2<sup>nd</sup> Earl of Cork to Major Jasper Farmer of a house in the town (22 Jul 1665), and to Edward Pindar of two closes near the North Mills of Youghal (23 Aug 1669), 17 items  
1660-9
- MS 43,143/ 17** Deeds, leases, and contracts relating to properties in the town and townlands of Youghal, including leases from Richard, 2<sup>nd</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington to John Spencer of a house in Friar Street (26 Jul 1676), to John Kilchcock of a tenement in the town (12 Jul



1686), and to William Sargent of two houses for 21 years (22 Nov 1697), 12 items  
1670-99

#### II.i.1.E Youghal College

- MS 43,144/ 1** Leases, deeds, grants, and appointments relating to St. Mary's College, Youghal, including a licence from Pope Alexander to the College authorizing the purchase of livings (1494), a document concerning the founding of the College by Thomas Fitzgerald, 7<sup>th</sup> Earl of Desmond in 1464, and a grant from the Earls of Kildare and Desmond to the College of a parsonage (1482), 8 items  
1464-96
- MS 43,144/ 2** Leases, deeds, grants, and appointments relating to St. Mary's College, Youghal, including a lease from the College to Thomas Coppinger of an orchard near the churchyard of Youghal, a patent of the wardenship of the College to Thomas Wethered (20 Jul 1589), and an assignment of the lands of the College from William Sanderson to Sir Walter Raleigh (1 Aug 1589), 11 items  
1580-9
- MS 43,144/ 3** Leases, deeds, grants, and appointments relating to St. Mary's College, Youghal, including a lease from Nathaniel Baxter (Warden) to Francis Bluett of the Old College (24 Jan 1595/6), a release of the College by the Bishop of Down (23 Sep 1598), and a grant of its wardenship from Walter Borough to William Jones (6 Jul 1599), with a list of deeds relating to the College, 20 items  
1590-9
- MS 43,144/ 4** Leases, deeds, grants, and appointments relating to St. Mary's College, Youghal, including a lease from William Jones to Sir George Carew, Lord President of Munster for the College of Youghal (12 Nov 1600), an assignment of the lease of the College from Walter Borroughe to William Jones (20 Nov 1600), Richard Boyle's patent to the wardenship of the College (24 Feb 1602), a conveyance of the College from William Jones to Richard Boyle (19 May 1603), and an agreement between Sir Richard Boyle and Richard Bluett concerning the rents of College lands (27 Nov 1608), 16 items  
1600-13
- MS 43,144/ 5** Leases, deeds, grants, and appointments relating to St. Mary's College, Youghal, including an assurance from James, Dominic, and Phillis Gough to Richard, Baron of Youghal of the house of Sir Alexander Gough and the tithes of the College (16 Mar 1616/7), the

counterpart of a lease from Richard, Baron of Youghal to Richard Boyle, Dean of Waterford of the College (11 Jun 1619), and a lease from Richard, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork to Thomas May of various lands belonging to the College (20 Nov 1622), 7 items  
1616-35

**MS 43,144/ 6** Grant and confirmation of the College of Youghal and its lands in Youghal and Ballymuleasker (27 Jun 1662), 1 item  
1662

#### II.i.1.F Youghal Townlands

**MS 43,145** Deeds, leases and bonds relating to the lands of Ballyhubbert and Barnegeehy, in Imokeely, including leases from John Uniacke to Christopher Claud of Barnegeehy (25 Apr 1592), and to Edmond Fitzgerald of Ballyhubbert (3 Apr 1598), 10 items  
1592-1611

#### II.i.1.G Other Places

**MS 43,146** Leases relating to the towns of Enniskeane and Clonakilty, the Manor of Ballydehob, and the lands of Gillabbey, including Richard, 1st Earl of Cork to Garret Gould of a parcel of Gillabbey (5 Oct 1635), to Richard Willoughby of a house and garden at Clonakilty (4 Aug 1637), and to Owen McDonnagh Carty of ploughlands within the territory of Sleigh Teag O'Mahowne and the Manor of Ballydehob (7 May 1638), 10 items  
1623-74

### *II.i.2 County Waterford*

#### II.i.2.A Dungarvan

**MS 43,147** Leases relating to the town of Dungarvan, including Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork to John Lynott of a house in the town, and to Captain James Oldfield of a ploughland on the Commons of Dungarvan for 13 years (Aug 1664), 5 items  
1663-95

#### II.i.2.B Lismore

**MS 43,148** Leases relating to the town of Lismore, including the Bishop of Waterford to Sir William Drury of the Castle of Lismore excepting

the fourth part of the weir and commodities of all other fishing for 61 years (8 Oct 1576), Richard, 1st Earl of Cork to Richard Browning of a parcel of land near the Borough of Lismore (21 Apr 1626), and to Benjamin Shipton of a house and garden in the town, with copies of deeds relating to the Manor of Lismore contracted between 1590 and 1598 (1878), 15 items  
1575 & 1613-58

#### II.i.2.C Affane

- MS 43,149/ 1** Leases, deeds, and assignments relating to the lands of Affane, Cappoquin, Bewley, Salterbridge, and Kilmolash, including leases from Roger Dalton to Sir Richard Boyle of Cappoquin for 41 years (12 Oct 1610), and of Salterbridge for 1000 years (19 Dec 1610), 9 items  
1610-13
- MS 43,149/ 2** Leases, deeds, and assignments relating to the lands of Affane, Cappoquin, Bewley, Salterbridge, and Kilmolash, including a deed of mortgage from Richard Dalton to Richard, Baron of Youghal for Cappagh (17 Nov 1617), and an assignment from James Hopkins of Roger Dalton's lease of Affane (29 Nov 1617), 9 items  
1613-28
- MS 43,149/ 3** Leases, deeds, and assignments relating to the lands of Affane, Cappoquin, Bewley, Salterbridge, and Kilmolash, including a lease from Roger Dalton to Sir Richard Morrisson of Cappagh (10 Apr 1615), and articles of agreement between Sir Richard Boyle and Thomas Ball for the woodlands of Cappoquin (16 Jun 1615), 7 items  
1615
- MS 43,149/ 3** Assignments from Sir Richard Boyle to Sir Percy Smith of the lease of Cappoquin (16 Apr 1616), and from Richard Dalton to Sir Richard Boyle of Cappoquin and Affane (20 May 1616), 2 items  
1616
- MS 43,149/ 4** Leases, deeds, and assignments relating to the lands of Affane, Cappoquin, Bewley, Salterbridge, and Kilmolash, including releases from John Dalton to Richard, Baron of Youghal of the lands of Bewley (28 Jan 1616/7), and from Richard Dalton to Richard, Baron of Youghal of the Manor of Bewley (21 Feb 1616/7), 5 items  
1616-7
- MS 43,149/ 5** Leases, deeds, and assignments relating to the lands of Affane,

Cappoquin, Bewley, Salterbridge, and Kilmolash, including a deed from Thomas and Ursula Baggott to John Walley of the Manor of Affane (30 May 1629), and a release from Richard Dalton to Richard, earl of Cork of the Manor of Affane (24 Sep 1635), 6 items  
1629-35

**MS 43,149/ 6** Leases relating to the lands of Cappoquin and Salterbridge, including Richard, Earl of Cork to Samuel [?] of Salterbridge for 31 years (4 Jan 1634/5), and to John Crockford of a house at Cappoquin (9 Jan 1655/6), 3 items  
1634-55

#### II.i.2.D Ballynatray and Strongcally

**MS 43,150/ 1** Deeds and leases relating to the lands Camphire (Ballynatray), including a conveyance from John Russell to Henry Fitzgibbon of the lands of Gambonston (16 Aug 1403), and mortgages from Robert St. John to Nicholas Rowe of a moiety of the ploughland of Camphire, and to Richard, 1st Earl of Cork for the lands of Camphire for £323 (15 Nov 1623), 28 items  
1356-1499, 1548 & 1584-1623 [*Some items damaged and fragile*]

**MS 43,150/ 2** Leases and deeds relating to the lands Ballynatray, including a release and grant from Philip Fitzwilliam Gibbon to Sir Walter Raleigh (13 Feb 1595/6), an assignment of Robert Mawle's interest in a lease from Sir Walter Raleigh to William Flayer (4 May 1596), a lease from William Flayer to Nicholas Myn (1 Nov 1596), and an assignment from Edmond Coppinger to Richard Boyle (8 Oct 1602), 21 items  
1589-1616

**MS 43,150/ 3** Copies of leases relating to the lands Ballynatray made between 1399 and 1603, including an ancient paper containing an abstract of deeds relating to Ballynatray found at Lismore Castle in October 1870, 5 items  
c1600-1870

**MS 43,150/ 4** Leases and copies of leases relating to the castle, town and lands of Strongcally, including Sir Richard Boyle to James Ryves (5 Nov 1609), and Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Bartholemew Browning (23 Aug 1680), 4 items  
1606-8 & 1680

#### II.i.2.E Monatrim

**MS 43,151** Deeds and leases relating to the lands of Monatrim, Ballinvella, and Kilmacknicholas, including a lease from Edmond Power to David Lontagh of Ballinvelly and Monatrim for 31 years (1 Jun 1607), and a mortgage for Monatrim from Edmond Power, Robert Stephenson, and John Barry to Richard, 1st Earl of Cork for £40 (20 Jan 1635/6), 17 items  
1535-1641

#### II.i.2.F Tallow

**MS 43,152/ 1** Leases relating to lands and properties in Tallow and Tallowbridge, including a lease from Thomas Fitzgerald to Margaret Rogers (2 Aug 1608), and an assignment of holdings near Tallow from Henry Dunne to Thomas Carter (30 Jun 1615), 22 items  
1605-10, 1615-8 [*One item badly damaged*]

**MS 43,152/ 2** Leases relating to lands and properties in Tallow and Tallowbridge, including a lease from Richard, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork to Thomas Allwell (Sovereign of Tallow) for the lands of Lisfinny (20 Mar 1621), and a copy lease from Edward Fitton to Nicholas Fitton of the lands of Tallow (27 Mar 1622), 18 items  
1621-35

**MS 43,152/ 3** Leases relating to lands and properties in Tallow and Tallowbridge, including leases from Richard, 1st Earl of Cork to William Todd of a house and garden in Tallow (8 Jan 1634/5), to Roberta Uphall of a messuage and 11 acres of land (20 Oct 1636), to Ambrose Bishop of a tenement and garden for 31 years (20 Mar 1637/8), and to James Benger of a house for 21 years (14 Oct 1652), 17 items  
1636-8 & 1650-69

**MS 43,152/ 4** Leases relating to lands and properties in Tallow and Tallowbridge, including leases from Richard, Earl of Cork and Burlington to Joseph Gay for a house and two acres at Tallowbridge (22 May 1676), to Thomas Bateman for 12 acres of land near Tallow (21 Aug 1676), and to James Benger for a house and garden in Tallow (18 Aug 1680), 17 items  
1674-80 & 1696

#### *II.i.3 River Blackwater Fishery*

**MS 43,153/ 1** Copy of the lease of the salmon fishery of Lismore from Sir Walter Raleigh to Robert Carew (29 Sep 1589), 1 item  
c1830

- MS 43,153/ 2** Lease (and copy) of the mill and millstream with the fishing of the mildale and river, and the fishing of one net in the River Blackwater from Sir Richard Boyle to Robert Carew (18 Nov 1606), 2 items 1606 & c1860
- MS 43,153/ 3** Copy of the lease of the moiety of Ballyphillip for 21 years, reserving the River Owmore and the soil and ground thereof from Sir Richard Boyle to Christmas Herward (27 Nov 1607), 1 item c. 1860
- MS 43,153/ 4** Lease (and copies) of Ballyphillip reserving the soil of the River Blackwater from Richard, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork to Captain John Strangman (29 Nov 1627), 3 items 1627 & c1830
- MS 43,153/ 5** Lease (and copies) of a moiety of Ballyphillip reserving the fishery of the River Blackwater from Richard, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork to Thomas Swayn (31 Mar 1628), 3 items 1628 & c1830
- MS 43,153/ 6** Lease (and copies) of Ballynatra and the parsonage of Templemichael for 99 years from Richard, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork to Sir Richard Smyth (2 Feb 1634/5), 4 items 1635 & c1830
- MS 43,153/ 7** Lease (and copies) of a plot of ground without the North Gate of Youghal from Richard, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork to Robert Bateman (18 Oct 1635), 3 items 1635 & c1830
- MS 43,153/ 8** Lease (and copies) of a moiety of Robert Bateman's tenement in Youghal to the low water mark of the River Blackwater from Richard, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork to Nicholas Bagbeer (7 Apr 1637), 4 items 1637, c1820 & 1869
- MS 43,153/ 9** Copy lease of the lands of Dromore Upper and Lower, with two fishery weirs upon the River Blackwater from Garrett Fitzgerald to John Buchnor (16 Aug 1641), 1 item 1876
- MS 43,153/ 10** Lease (and copies) of Kilbree reserving the fishery of the River Blackwater from Richard, 2<sup>nd</sup> Earl of Cork to Edward Nicholas (1 Jul 1656), 3 items 1656 & c1860
- MS 43,153/ 11** Lease (and copies) of plot of ground near the sea water mark at Youghal for 21 years from Richard, 2<sup>nd</sup> Earl of Cork to Jasper Farmer (22 Jul 1665), 3 items

1665 & c1830

**MS 43,153/ 12** Lease (and copy) of Ballyphilip excepting the fishery from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork to Thomas Taylor (28 Aug 1665), 2 items  
1665 & c1860

**MS 43,153/ 13** Lease (and copies) of the salmon weir at Affane for 20 years from Richard, 2<sup>nd</sup> Earl of Cork to Valentine Greatrakes (15 Sep 1665), with particulars of lands, 3 items  
1665 & c1860

**MS 43,153/ 14** Lease (and copies) of premises bounded by the low sea mark at Youghal for 19 years from Richard, 2<sup>nd</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington to Anne Bateman (4 Aug 1669), 4 items  
1669 & c1860

#### ***II.i.4 Cork House, Dublin***

**MS 43,154/ 1** Deeds, leases and assignments relating to Cork House, Dublin, including a lease from the Treasurer and Chapter of St. Patrick's Cathedral to Sir Richard Cook of a house in Dublin (2 Nov 1587), and Sir Richard Cook's deeds of sale and conveyance to Richard, Sir Richard Boyle (4 Aug 1616), 10 items  
1587-1617

**MS 43,154/ 2** Deeds, leases and assignments relating to Cork House, Dublin, including a deed between William, Lord Cawfield and Richard, 1st Earl of Cork for Cork House (3 Jul 1630), and a lease from Henry Cromwell to Richard Kerby of part of Cork House Gallery for 31 years (21 Apr 1659), 13 items  
1630-67

#### ***II.i.5 Other Counties***

**MS 43,155** Leases relating to lands in the counties of Dublin, Galway, and Tipperary, including Richard, 1st Earl of Cork to Theodore, Lord Dowcra of the Steyne in the City of Dublin (12 Aug 1637), and to Giles Powell and Nicholas Monckton for lands in Galway and Tipperary for 31 years (13 Aug 1669) and a lease from Philip Castleton to Henry Weyber of land at Kilmainham in Dublin (24 Jun 1673), 4 items  
1637-73

### **II.ii Leases for Counties Cork and Waterford, 1586-1698**

- MS 43,156/ 1** Leases relating to the estates of Sir Walter Raleigh in the counties of Cork and Waterford, including from Sir Walter Raleigh to Denis Fisher of Kilmackoe (28 Feb 1588/9), copy leases from Patrick Condon to Henry Pyne for Ballynecomas, Killiorane, Ballyneglass and other lands in counties Cork and Waterford (15 Oct 1592), and leases from Walter Borough to Thomas Southwell for lands made to Sir Walter Raleigh (19 Jun 1600), 24 items  
1 Jul 1586-19 Jun 1600
- MS 43,156/ 2** Leases and deeds for lands on the estates of Sir Richard Boyle in the counties of Cork and Waterford, including from Sir Richard Boyle to Christmas Herward of the moiety of Ballyphillip for 21 years (27 Nov 1607), from Sir Richard Boyle to Patrick Taafe for the lands Shane and Ballyduff for 51 Years (4 Nov 1605, copy made 22 Dec 1651), and a copy of the counterpart of the fee farm between Roger Carew and Sir Richard Boyle for the farm of Burges Moor and Gortlaghan (2 May 1610), 29 items  
27 May 1602-9 Oct 1610
- MS 43,156/ 3** Leases for lands on the estates of Sir Richard Boyle in the counties of Cork and Waterford, including leases from Jona Stocke to Alexander Luke of the lands of Ballymarragh (13 Jan 1610/11), and from Francis Amies to John Mayhew for Killmackoe (1 Jun 1611), an assignment from Thomas Pepys to Thomas Ball of Kilmackoe (16 Sep 1614), and a lease from Sir Richard Boyle to Henry Pyne and Thomas Whitt of the woods of Glanator for 29 years (25 Mar 1616), 29 items  
13 Jan 1610/1-28 Oct 1616
- MS 43,156/ 4** Leases for lands on the estates of Richard, Baron of Youghal in the counties of Cork and Waterford, including a lease from Thomas Fitzjohn Gerald to Giles Smyth for the lands of Kilmackoe (30 Jun 1617), an assignment of a lease from Henry Myles to Thomas Ball of 30 acres of ploughland at Collyowdowe (4 Apr 1617), and a lease from Richard, Baron of Youghal to Richard Bartlett of a tenement and garden at Ardmore (1 May 1619), 26 items  
4 Apr 1617-12 Oct 1619
- MS 43,156/ 5** Leases for lands on the estates of Richard, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork in the counties of Cork and Waterford, including his leases to Hugh Roberts of Kilroboston for 30 years (20 Mar 1621) and to Raynell oge Hurley of ploughlands at Carbery (10 Apr 1623), and releases of lands by Jasper Walsh (20 Feb 1622/3), and Thomas Coppinger (1 Mar 1622/3), 26 items  
30 May 1620-13 Oct 1623
- MS 43,156/ 6** Leases for lands on the estates of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork in the



counties of Cork and Waterford, including an assignment of a mortgage on lands in Carbery from Ffynon O'Maghown to the Earl of Cork (24 Oct 1625), the counterpart of a lease from the Earl of Cork to William Bragg of two ploughlands of Kilbegg (5 Feb 1626/7), and a copy assignment of the lease of Shane from John Fitz Thomas to the Earl of Cork (21 Apr 1627), 21 items  
15 Apr 1624-20 Nov 1627

**MS 43,156/ 7** Leases for lands on the estates of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork in the counties of Cork and Waterford, including his leases to William and Ann Hancock of the castle and lands of Ballyduff (20 Apr 1628), and to James Walsh of the parsonage of Rossmire (1 Dec 1629), 20 items  
20 Apr 1628- 22 Dec 1630

**MS 43,156/ 8** Leases for lands on the estates of Richard, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork in the counties of Cork and Waterford, including his leases to George Mason of Ballybryer and Currabeigh for 14 years (9 Sep 1631), to Guy Toole of Shankhill of the lands of Curryheen (9 May 1632), and to Cormac Mcffynen Carty of the ploughlands of Kilkagh for 21 years (1 Mar 1633/4), 20 items  
7 Jan 1630/1-8 Dec 1634

**MS 43,156/ 9** Leases for lands on the estates of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork in the counties of Cork and Waterford, including his leases to Charles Hooker of a ploughland at Kilmackoe (21 Sep 1635), and to Robert Hathaway of Ballyclement for 21 years (13 Oct 1635), and to Augustine Atkins of a half ploughland for 5 years (14 Oct 1635), 20 items  
2 Apr-19 Oct 1635

**MS 43,156/ 10** Leases for lands on the estates of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork in the counties of Cork and Waterford, including his leases to William Page of Kilmackoe (28 Nov 1635), to Dermott McShaw O'Callanan of a half ploughland at Killborough (10 Dec 1635), and to Thomas Pomfrett of Bridane for 31 years (30 Mar 1636), 18 items  
25 Nov 1635-25 Oct 1636

**MS 43,156/ 11** Leases for lands on the estates of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork in the counties of Cork and Waterford, including his leases to Richard Silver of a moiety of the half ploughland of Carrigroe (3 Apr 1637), and to Andrew Axe of a tenement and garden in Kilmackoe for 31 years (9 Sep 1637), 21 items  
28 Mar 1637-30 Jul 1638

**MS 43,156/ 12** Leases for lands on the estates of Richard, 1st Earl, and Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork in the counties of Cork and Waterford, including

the latter's leases to Timothy Carty of the ploughland of East Manthy for 21 years (26 Dec 1654), and to Edmond Veale of the lands of Curryheen (20 Aug 1655), 19 items  
20 Feb 1638/9-13 Sep 1656 [*Two items badly damaged*]

- MS 43,156/ 13** Leases for lands on the estates of Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork in the counties of Cork and Waterford, including and a release of lands by Captain William Newse (25 Jul 1657), an assignment of the lease of Tulloghglass from Richard Abbott to Nathaniel Ruby and his wife (19 Jan 1661/2), and a lease from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork to Thomas Parkinson of the lands of Shane for 17 years (7 Nov 1663), 23 items  
1 Apr 1657-2 Aug 1665 [*Some items damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,156/ 14** Leases for lands on the estates of Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington in the counties of Cork and Waterford, including his leases to John Lane of Killmore for 21 years (3 May 1669), and to Andrew Ruddock of the ploughland of East Derrigra for 21 years (7 May 1669), 10 items  
28 Aug 1665-11 May 1669 [*Some items damaged*]
- MS 43,156/ 15** Leases for lands on the estates of Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington in the counties of Cork and Waterford, including his leases to Robert Manning of the lands of Ardmore (20 Jun 1669), to Roger Osborne of the lands of Ballymacarthy (20 Aug 1669), and to John Hull of the ploughland of East Tawny (9 Jun 1674), 16 items  
15 May 1669-11 Jun 1674 [*Some items damaged*]
- MS 43,156/ 16** Leases for lands on the estates of Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington in the counties of Cork and Waterford, including his leases to John Hogan of the lands of Coolowen (17 Jul 1674), and to Elizabeth Causabon of the lands of Ballyknock (20 Aug 1674), 15 items  
17 Jul 1674-19 Sep 1674 [*Some items damaged*]
- MS 43,156/ 17** Leases for lands on the estates of Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington in the counties of Cork and Waterford, including his leases to John Watkins of the lands of Killpatrick (6 Jul 1676), to Margaret Fisher of the lands of Knocknamuck (19 Jul 1676), and to William Lewis of a house and 80 acres at Affane for 21 years (14 Aug 1676), 17 items  
16 May 1676-18 Oct 1679
- MS 43,156/ 18** Leases for lands on the estates of Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington in the counties of Cork and Waterford, including his leases to John Parker of the lands of Gortnefery and 80 acres at

Ballyclogh for 21 years (22 Jun 1680), to Elinor Parker of a moiety of Killbegg for 18 years (22 Jul 1680), and to Morris O’Kissane of a part of Knocknamuck for 21 years (2 Sep 1680), 21 items  
22 Jun-4 Sep 1680

**MS 43,156/ 19** Leases for lands on the estates of Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington in the counties of Cork and Waterford, including his leases to Ellen Davis of the lands of Aghavine (2 Jul 1686), to Francis Baker of White Bog (23 Aug 1686), and to Francis Burgess of the lands of Ballycolane (10 Feb 1686/7), 20 items  
10 Oct 1684-5 Jan 1687/8 [*Some items damaged*]

**MS 43,156/ 20** Leases for lands on the estates of Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington in the counties of Cork and Waterford, including his lease to Thomas Doran of Castle Tavern for 6 years (14 Feb 1692/3), and a release from Richard, Earl of Cork and Burlington to William Dobbin of the lands of Kilcoran (26 Sep 1694), 14 items  
14 Feb 1692/3-22 Oct 1694 [*Some items damaged and fragile*]

**MS 43,156/ 21** Leases relating to the estates of Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington in the counties of Cork and Waterford, including his leases to Robert Fitzjohn Parker of the lands of Gortaroe and Knockanroe (27 Feb 1695/6), and to Richard Cox of the ploughland of East Tawney for 21 years (6 Jun 1696), 17 items  
16 May 1695-1 Apr 1698 [*Some items damaged*]

### **II.iii Leases for Counties Cork, Waterford and Tipperary, 1700-1870**

#### ***II.iii.1 General Estate***

**MS 43,157/ 1** Lease (and copy) from Juliana, Countess of Cork and Burlington and Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington to Jeremiah Coughlan of all their effects in the Counties Cork and Waterford for one year (20 Mar 1716), and reversion of lease (21 Mar 1716), 3 items  
1716 & c1850

**MS 43,157/ 2** Lease (and copy) from Lord Mansfield to Sir Anthony Thomas Abdy and John Heaton of Burlington House, Piccadilly, for one year (3 Jul 1777), 2 items  
1777 & c1850

#### ***II.iii.2 Urban Estates: County Cork***

##### **II.iii.2.A City of Cork**

- MS 43,158/ 1** Lease (and copy) from Joseph Harris to Robert Stevelly of Skiddy's Castle, Cork (5 Oct 1785), and lease (and copy) from William, 5th Duke of Devonshire to Joseph Harris for Skiddy's Castle (3 Mar 1786), 4 items  
1785-6
- MS 43,158/ 2** Lease from William, 6th Duke of Devonshire to Benjamin Wilson of Skiddy's Castle (1 Jan 1817), proposal for and surrender of property (3 Sep 1816 and 10 Mar 1819), and lease (and copy) from the Duke of Devonshire to William Gosnell of Skiddy's Castle (1 Apr 1819), 5 items  
1817-9
- MS 43,158/ 3** Lease from William, 6th Duke of Devonshire to William Caulfield of Skiddy's Castle, North Main Street, Cork (25 Mar 1840), with the agreement and surrender of lease (11 Mar 1847), and a proposal from John Crone (17 Feb 1848), 5 items  
1840-8

#### II.iii.2.B Bandon

- MS 43,159/ 1** Leases for various tenements and other properties and land in or near the town of Bandon granted in the years 1720-2 and 1726, 23 items  
1720-6
- MS 43,159/ 2** Leases for various tenements and other properties and land in or near the town of Bandon granted in the years 1729 and 1731, 13 items  
1729, 1731
- MS 43,159/ 3** Leases for various tenements and other properties and land in or near the town of Bandon granted in the years 1733, 1748, 1751-2, 1757, 1759-61, 1783, and 1792, 20 items  
1733-92
- MS 43,159/ 4** Leases for premises in Barrett's Hill granted in the year 1845, Bridewell Quay (1817-8), Bridge Street (1752, 1759, 1772, 1794, 1818, 1853, 1855), Water Lane (1854), and Weir Street (1855), 18 items  
1752-1855
- MS 43,159/ 5** Leases for premises in Cavendish Square granted in the year 1825), Cavendish Street (1816, 1818), and Coolfaddo Mills (1761, 1786, 1816), 9 items  
1761-1825

- MS 43,159/ 6** Leases for premises in Main Street (North) granted in the year 1816, 12 items  
1816
- MS 43,159/ 7** Leases for premises in Main Street (North) granted in the years 1816 and 1817, 14 items  
1816-7
- MS 43,159/ 8** Leases for premises in Main Street (North) granted in the years 1817 and 1818, 12 items  
1817-8
- MS 43,159/ 9** Leases for premises in Main Street (North) granted in the years 1818, 1820-2, 1824, 1826, 1839-40, and 1853-4, 16 items  
1818-54
- MS 43,159/ 10** Leases for premises in Main Street (South) granted in the years 1759, 1774, and 1783, 9 items  
1759-83
- MS 43,159/ 11** Leases for premises in Main Street (South) granted in the years 1786, and 1793-4, 16 items  
1786-94
- MS 43,159/ 12** Leases for premises in Main Street (South) granted in the years 1795-6 and 1816, 12 items  
1795-1816
- MS 43,159/ 13** Leases for premises in Main Street (South) granted in the years 1816, 1818, 1824-5, 1829, 1833, 1851-2, and 1857-8, 20 items  
1816-58

#### II.iii.2.C Youghal

- MS 43,160/ 1** Leases for various tenements, other properties, and land in or near the town of Youghal granted in the years 1717 and 1720, 19 items  
1717-20
- MS 43,160/ 2** Leases for various tenements and other properties and land in or near the town of Youghal granted in the years 1721-3 and 1725-6, 24 items  
1721-6
- MS 43,160/ 3** Leases for various tenements and other properties and land in or near the town of Youghal granted in the years 1731-2 and 1737-8, 22 items

- 1731-8
- MS 43,160/ 4** Leases for various tenements and other properties and land in or near the town of Youghal granted in the years 1740-2 and 1749-50, 22 items  
1740-50
- MS 43,160/ 5** Leases for various tenements and other properties and land in or near the town of Youghal granted in the years 1762, 1772, 1793-6, 1799, 1811, 1814, 1818, and 1845, 15 items  
1762-1845
- MS 43,160/ 6** Leases for premises in Abbey Sreet granted in the year 1777, Abraham's Lane (1838, 1843), Back Street (1794), Bank's Lane (1720), Batchelor's Lane (1844), Batchelor's Quay (1799), and Bow's Street (1740, 1786), 10 items  
1720-1844
- MS 43,160/ 7** Leases for premises in Browne Street granted in the years 1783, 1802, 1824, 1826, 1828, 1834, 1837, and 1840, 12 items  
1783-1840
- MS 43,160/ 8** Leases for premises in Catherine Street granted in the years 1794, 1823, 1835-6, 1838-40, and 1843, 12 items  
1794-1843
- MS 43,160/ 9** Leases for premises in Cork Lane granted in the years 1720, 1726, 1740, 1831-3, 1835-6, 1838, and 1844-5, and Church Lane (1750), 21 items  
1720-1845
- MS 43,160/ 10** Leases for premises in Cross Lane granted in the years 1723, 1738, 1740, 1794, 1820, and 1830, Freeman's Lane (1795), and Fox's Lane (1835), 10 items  
1723-1835
- MS 43,160/ 11** Leases for premises in Friar Street granted in the years 1720, 1740, 1772, 1796, 1820, and 1844-6, Grattan Street (1792, 1843-4), Hanover Street (1820), and the Magazine (1836), 18 items  
1720-1846
- MS 43,160/ 12** Leases for premises in Main Street granted in the years 1720, 1731, 1740, and 1749, 15 items  
1720-49
- MS 43,160/ 13** Leases for premises in Main Street granted in the years 1749-50, 1757, 1762, 1775, and 1782-3, 14 items  
1749-83

- MS 43,160/ 14** Leases for premises in Main Street granted in the years 1786-7, 1794, 1796, 1801, 1817, 1820, and 1825, 20 items  
1786-1825
- MS 43,160/ 15** Leases for premises in Main Street granted in the years 1825-6 and 1830, 12 items  
1825-30
- MS 43,160/ 16** Leases for premises in Main Street granted in the years 1830, 1832, 1834-6, 1841, and 1843, 28 items  
1830-43
- MS 43,160/ 17** Leases for premises in Meat Shamble Lane granted in the years 1841, 1843-4, and 1846, Meeting House Lane (1825), Mouse Street (1751, 1794), Nelson Hill (1842, 1845), Old Post Office Lane (1797, 1830), Poison Bush Lane (1773, 1791) Quay Lane (1720, 1757, 1826, 1836, 1841), and Raheen Lane (1836, 1840, 1845), 31 items  
1720-1846
- MS 43,160/ 18** Leases for premises in South Abbey granted in the years 1720, 1722-3, and 1749-50, 16 items  
1720-50
- MS 43,160/ 19** Leases for premises in South Abbey granted in the years 1782, 1794, 1804, 1824, 1835-6, and 1856, 17 items  
1782-1856
- MS 43,160/ 20** Leases for premises in Store Street granted in the years 1834-6, 1839-40, and 1843, and Strand Street (1794, 1818, 1841, 1843), 15 items  
1794-1843
- MS 43,160/ 21** Leases for premises in Tallow Street granted in the years 1825, 1840, and 1843-4, Windmill Lane (1722, 1726, 1740, 1788), and Witham Street (1833), 20 items  
1722-1844
- MS 43,160/ 22** Leases for the premises near the North Gate of Youghal granted in the years 1731 (copy), 1759, and 1800-1, and for premises on, and for the use of the Quays in Youghal (1823-5, 1830, 1835-7, 1839, 1841, and 1843-6), 24 items  
1731-1846
- MS 43,160/ 23** Leases for various tenements and land on the Strand of Youghal granted in the years, 23 items  
1716, 1731, 1749 (with 3 copies), 1774, 1791-3, 1796-7, 1824-5,

- 1834, 1844
- MS 43,160/ 24** Leases for the premises called ‘Arnold Wrinkle’s Holding’ granted in the years 1722, 1782, and 1835, ‘Brown’s Deal Yard’ (1824), ‘Chopping Knife House’ (1749, 1827), and near the Old Court House (1803, 1824, 1827), 13 items  
1722-1836
- MS 43,160/ 25** Leases for the land known as ‘the Slaughterhouse and Limekiln’ granted in the years 1754, 1756, 1773, and 1781-2, and for various salt works, limekilns, and corn stores in Youghal (1749, 1788, 1823), 15 items  
1749-1823
- MS 43,160/ 26** Leases for various salt works, limekilns and corn stores in Youghal granted in the years 1823-4, 1828, 1830, 1836, 1840, and 1843, 14 items  
1823-43
- MS 43,160/ 27** Lease (with copies and associated papers) from Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington to George Giles of the College of Youghal (12 May 1740), leases of land from William, 6th Duke of Devonshire for the erection of a Roman Catholic Free School House (1832), and for various tenements and lands in the townlands of Youghal granted in the years 1749, 1762, 1783, 1803, 1820, 1831-2, 1835, 1837-44, and 1846), 37 items  
1740-1846

### *II.iii.3 Urban Estates: County Waterford*

#### III.iii.3.A Dungarvan

- MS 43,161/ 1** Leases for various tenements, other properties, and land in or near the town of Dungarvan granted in the years 1720, 1723, 1738, 1740 and 1744, 16 items  
1720-40
- MS 43,161/ 2** Leases for various tenements, other properties, and land in or near the town of Dungarvan granted in the years 1750, 1757, 1761, 1763, 1767, 1777-8, 1780, 1796, 1803, 17 items  
1750-1803
- MS 43,161/ 3** Leases for premises and land in Abbeyside granted in the years 1764, 1772, 1796, 1820-1, 1832-3, 1836, 1839, 1842, and 1844-6, Barrack Lane (1775, 1781, 1793, 1818, 1830-2, 1834, 1840, 1844, 1858), and Bath Lane (1844), 47 items



- 1764-1858
- MS 43,161/ 4** Leases for premises in Blackpool granted in the years 1814, 1818, 1829, 1833-6, 1838-9, and 1846, Bootry Lane (1836), Bridge Street (1841, 1846, and 1848), and the Buttery (1814, 1818, 1821, 1834, 1836, 1840, 1843-6), 79 items  
1814-48
- MS 43,161/ 5** Leases for premises in Castle (also Fisher's) Lane granted in the year 1720, Church Lane (1720, 1729, 1803, 1835), Clubbert's Lane (1818, 1834-5, 1839, 1844-5), Cross Lane (1800), and for premises known as 'Clancy's Lot' (1747, 1796, 1801, 1819), 26 items  
1720-1845
- MS 43,161/ 6** Leases for premises in Cross Street granted in the years 1811, 1814, and 1833, High Cross Street (1816, 1818, 1826, 1846), and First Low Cross Street (1834-6, 1844-5), 35 items  
1811-46
- MS 43,161/ 7** Leases for premises in Second Cross Street granted in the years 1816, 1833, 1836, 1840, and 1843-6, Third Cross Street (1816, 1836, 1842, 1844-6), and Cross Bridge Street (1836, 1842), 52 items  
1816-46
- MS 43,161/ 8** Leases for premises in Kedman's Lane granted in the year 1828, Main Street (1720, 1738, 1773, 1816, 1832, 1838), Mill Lane (1842), and New Chapel Street Lane (1816, 1818, 1823, 1836, 1842, 1844-5), 30 items  
1720-1845
- MS 43,161/ 9** Leases for rooms in the Old Court House granted in the year 1834, Old Rope Walk (1820), Oven Lane (1833, 1836), Parsly Lane (1752), Pookeen Lane (1780, 1782), St. David Street (1814, 1834, 1836, 1843-6), St. Nicholas Street (1814, 1834-6, 1842, 1844), and the Quay (1820, 1842, 1853), 55 items  
1752-1853 [*Two items fragile*]
- MS 43,161/ 10** Leases for premises in St. Patrick Street granted in the years 1814, 1817-8, 1834, 1836, 1840-2, and 1844-5, and St. Thomas Street (1814, 1816, 1818, 1836, 1842, 1844-5), 64 items  
1814-45
- MS 43,161/ 11** Leases for premises in Strand (or Cross Strand) Street (Boreheenatra) granted in the years 1794, 1814-8, and 1821, 41 items  
1794-1821

- MS 43,161/ 12** Leases for premises in Strand (or Cross Strand) Street (Boreheenatra) granted in the years 1834, 1836, and 1841-6, The Square (1825, 1829), and Thompson's Lane (1845), 42 items 1825-46
- MS 43,161/ 13** Leases for a fever hospital (1838) and convent (1858), and for the construction of a bridewell at Dungarvan (1831), 4 items 1831-58
- MS 43,161/ 14** Leases for premises and land on the Commons and townlands of Dungarvan, including the lands of Ringsilogue, Spring, and St. Francis Field granted in the years 1760, 1761, 1766, 1782, 1764, 1789, 1792, 1803, 1814, 1818, 1820, 1834-6, 1840-1, and 1843-45, 40 items 1760-1845 [*Some items fragile*]

### III.iii.3.B Lismore

- MS 43,162/ 1** Leases for various tenements and other properties and land in or near the town of Lismore granted in the years 1720, 1722-3, 1748, 1751, 1757, and 1786, 22 items 1720-86
- MS 43,162/ 2** Leases for premises in Chapel Lane granted in the years 1824, 1829-30, and 1835-40, 27 items 1824-40
- MS 43,162/ 3** Leases for premises in Chapel Lane granted in the years 1843-6, 1848, 1853, 1856, 1858, and 1865, 32 items 1843-65
- MS 43,162/ 4** Leases for premises in Chapel Place granted in the years 1834, 1836, 1842, and 1846, Chapel Street (1824, 1841), and Church Lane (1821, 1846), 15 items 1821-46
- MS 43,162/ 5** Leases for premises in Ferry Lane granted in the years 1820, 1823, 1825, 1836, 1842, 1844, 1847, and 1853, Warren Street (1757), and West Street (1832, 1836, 1845, 1848, 1853), 19 items 1757-1853
- MS 43,162/ 6** Leases for premises in Main Street granted in the years 1751, 1791-2, 1808, and 1820-5, 20 items 1751-1825
- MS 43,162/ 7** Leases for premises in Main Street granted in the years 1827, 1829-30, and 1832, 21 items

- 1827-32
- MS 43,162/ 8** Leases for premises in Main Street granted in the years 1835-9, 21 items  
1835-9
- MS 43,162/ 9** Leases for premises in Main Street granted in the years 1840-2, 1846-7, 1849-50, 1853-4, 1856, and 1869, 23 items  
1840-69
- MS 43,162/ 10** Leases for premises in New Street granted in the years 1820 and 1824, 23 items  
1820-4
- MS 43,162/ 11** Leases for premises in New Street granted in the year 1824, 23 items  
1824
- MS 43,162/ 12** Leases for premises in New Street granted in the years 1824, 1828, 1831-3, 1835, 1837-9, 1841, and 1843-6, 50 items  
1824-46
- MS 43,162/ 13** Leases for premises in the South Mall granted in the years, and West Street, granted in the years 1826, 1829-30, 1832, 1836-7, 1853, and 1858, 14 items  
1826-58
- MS 43,162/ 14** Leases for the lands of Ballynelligan Glebe granted in the years 1707, 1733, 1750, and 1752, with leases granted to the Poor Law Commissioners (1849, 1851), and for the provision of a fever hospital (1838) and convent at Lismore (1852), 8 items  
1707-1852
- MS 43,162/ 15** Leases for premises and land in the townlands of Lismore, including Barrett's Land, Burges Land, Castle Land and Gent's Land granted in the years 1740, 1756-7, 1783, 1788, 1793, 1810, 1818, 1832, 1834-5, 1836, 1839, 1841, 1843, and 1846, and for corn stores and yards situated at the head of the Lismore Canal (1811, 1827), 26 items  
1740-1846

### III.iii.3.C Tallow

- MS 43,163/ 1** Leases for various tenements and other properties and land in or near the town of Tallow granted in the year 1720, 17 items  
1720

- MS 43,163/ 2** Leases for various tenements and other properties and land in or near the town of Tallow granted in the year 1720, 16 items  
1720
- MS 43,163/ 3** Leases for various tenements and other properties and land in or near the town of Tallow granted in the years 1720-1, 1723, and 1726, 19 items  
1720-6
- MS 43,163/ 4** Leases for various tenements and other properties and land in or near the town of Tallow granted in the years 1731, 1733-4, and 1737-8, 16 items  
1731-8
- MS 43,163/ 5** Leases for various tenements and other properties and land in or near the town of Tallow granted in the years 1740, 1742, 1744, 1748-9, 1751, and 1759, 18 items  
1740-59
- MS 43,163/ 6** Leases for premises in Barrack Street granted in the years 1783, 1820, 1824-6, 1829, and 1832-4, 25 items  
1783-1834
- MS 43,163/ 7** Leases for premises in Barrack Street granted in the years 1835-48, 1855, 1862, and 1865, 38 items  
1835-65
- MS 43,163/ 8** Leases for premises in Bog Lane granted in the years 1723, 1750-1, 1821, 1826, 1829, 1831-2, 1834, and 1837, 31 items  
1723-1837
- MS 43,163/ 9** Leases for premises in Bog Lane granted in the years 1839-40, 1842-7, and 1858, 44 items  
1839-58
- MS 43,163/ 10** Leases for premises in Tallowbridge Street granted in the years 1820, 1824, and 1829-31, 27 items  
1820-31
- MS 43,163/ 11** Leases for premises in Tallowbridge Street granted in the years 1832, 1834, 1836-9, and 1844-6, 42 items  
1832-46
- MS 43,163/ 12** Leases for premises in West Street granted in the years 1786, 1794, 1796, and 1820-1, 17 items  
1786-1821
- MS 43,163/ 13** Leases for premises in West Street granted in the years 1821-6, 13

- items  
1821-6
- MS 43,163/ 14** Leases for premises in West Street granted in the years 1831-7, 35 items  
1831-7
- MS 43,163/ 15** Leases for premises in West Street granted in the years 1839-47, 1850-1, 1853, 1860, 1863, and 1865, 40 items  
1839-65
- MS 43,163/ 16** Leases for premises in Gallow's Hill granted in the years 1720, 1751, and 1794, Tallow Mills (1726, 1794), Carr's Holding (1821), Mill Lane (1823, 1845, 1853), Lime Kiln Close (1748, 1794, 1843, 1845); Elms Close (1786, 1844) and Pond Close (1734), 19 items  
1720-1853
- MS 43,163/ 17** Leases (and draft leases) for almshouses, a house of recovery, a fever hospital, and a convent in the town of Tallow granted in the years 1831-2, 1838, 1846, 10 items  
1831-46
- MS 43,163/ 18** Leases for various tenements and other properties in Tallowbridge granted in the years 1720-1, 1723, 1748, 1759, 1786, 1820, 1825, 1840, 1843, 1845, and 1854, 25 items  
1720-1854
- MS 43,163/ 19** Leases for various tenements and land in the eastern and western townlands of Tallow, including Old Forge Land granted in the years 1720, 1831, 1833-7, and 1839-46, 60 items  
1720-1846

#### III.iii.3.D City of Waterford

- MS 43,164** Lease from Richard, 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington to Daniel Taylor of premises in Waterford (2 May 1720), and from William, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire to Mary Anne Budd (14 Mar 1843), 3 items  
1720-1843

#### *II.iii.4 Rural Estates: County Cork*

##### II.iii.4.A County Cork

- MS 43,165/ 1** Leases from the Bishop of Cork and Ross to Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, to Henry Boyle, 1st Baron Carleton, to Richard Hungerford, and to the Hon. Henry Boyle for the lands of

Dizart and Drocombeg, in the Diocese of Rosscarbery, 9 items  
1721-54

**MS 43,165/ 2** Leases from Henry Boyle to John Clark and Richard Cox, for several ploughlands, including those of Ballyahoick and Grillagh, 3 items  
1706-10

II.iii.4.B Ballynoe and Connehy: Barony of Barrymore

**MS 43,166** Leases for the lands of Rathoneigue granted in the years 1744, 1796, 1845, and 1862, 6 items  
1744-1862

II.iii.4.C Ballynoe and Connehy: Barony of Kinnataloon

**MS 43,167/ 1** Lease for the lands of Ahern granted in the year 1718, 1 item  
1718

**MS 43,167/ 2** Leases for the lands of Ballylusky granted in the years 1744, 1770, 1794, 1825, 1831-2, and 1858, 10 items  
1744-1858

**MS 43,167/ 3** Leases for the lands of Ballymacsimon granted in the years 1744 and 1825-6, 7 items  
1744-1826

**MS 43,167/ 4** Leases for the lands of Garrycaheragh granted in the years 1788, 1833, 1854, 1860, and 1869, 7 items  
1788-69

**MS 43,167/ 5** Leases for the lands of Glantrasna granted in the years 1744, 1825-6, 1832, 1834-5, 1840, 1844, and 1858, 26 items  
1744-1858

**MS 43,167/ 6** Leases for the lands of Knocknagapple granted in the years 1744, 1825, and 1837, including the Constabulary Barrack of Ahern (1869), 6 items  
1744-1869

II.iii.4.D Ballynoe and Connehy: Ballynoe Parish

**MS 43,168/ 1** Leases for the lands of Ballyknock & Ballyknock Mountain granted in the years 1745, 1785, and 1843-6, 17 items

- 1745-1846
- MS 43,168/ 2** Leases for the lands of Ballylegane granted in the years 1729, 1744, 1788, 1822, 1831, and 1843, 9 items  
1729-1843
- MS 43,168/ 3** Lease for the lands of Bouladurragh granted in the year 1856, 1 item  
1856
- MS 43,168/ 4** Leases for the lands of Cullinagh granted in the years 1744, 1841, and 1843, 4 items  
1744-1843
- MS 43,168/ 5** Leases for the lands of Garranribbeen granted in the years 1744 and 1845, 2 items  
1744-1845
- MS 43,168/ 6** Leases for the lands of Glanreigh granted in the years 1775, 1825, and 1839, 4 items  
1775-1839
- MS 43,168/ 7** Leases for the lands of Killasseragh granted in the years 1744, 1823, 1825-6, 1832-6, 1839-41, and 1844-6, 19 items  
1744-1846
- MS 43,168/ 8** Leases for the lands of Kilphillipeen granted in the years 1744 and 1845, 2 items  
1744-1845
- MS 43,168/ 9** Leases for the lands of Longaville granted in the years 1744, 1796, 1822, 1832-3, 1835-7, 1841, 1843, and 1845, 16 items  
1744-1845
- MS 43,168/ 10** Leases for the lands of Rathdrum granted in the years 1744, 1786, 1832, 1836-7, and 1844, 8 items  
1744-1844

II.iii.4.E Ballynoe and Connehy: Knockmourne Parish

- MS 43,169/ 1** Leases for the lands of Ballybreedy granted in the years 1775 and 1845-6, 5 items  
1775-1846
- MS 43,169/ 2** Leases for the lands of Clashnegarriffe granted in the years 1744, 1786, 1820, 1835, and 1837, 16 items  
1744-1837

- MS 43,169/ 3** Lease for the lands of Cooladurragh granted in the year 1840, 1 item  
1840
- MS 43,169/ 4** Leases for the lands of Curribehy granted in the year 1722 and 1735,  
2 items  
1722-35
- MS 43,169/ 5** Leases for the lands of Curryheen granted in the years 1737, 1744,  
1783, 1788, 1806, and 1820, 21 items  
1737-1820
- MS 43,169/ 6** Leases for the lands of Curryheen granted in the years 1820, 1825,  
1834, 1836, 1840, and 1859-60, 20 items  
1820-60
- MS 43,169/ 7** Leases for the lands of Douglas Mill granted in the years 1744,  
1825, 1838, 1851, 1860, and 1862, 10 items  
1744-62
- MS 43,169/ 8** Leases for the lands of Kilclare granted in the years 1828 and 1856,  
2 items  
1828-56
- MS 43,169/ 9** Lease for the lands of Killavarilly granted in the year 1744, 1 item  
1744
- MS 43,169/ 10** Leases for the lands of Knockasticane granted in the years 1744,  
1826, 1831, 1836, 1844, 1855, and 1863, 13 items  
1744-1863
- MS 43,169/ 11** Leases for the lands of Little Grace granted in the years 1726, 1752,  
1820, and 1845, 5 items  
1726-1845

II.iii.4.F Bandon: Barony of East Carbery: Fanlobus Parish

- MS 43,170** Lease for the lands of Moragh granted in the year 1829, 1 item  
1829

II.iii.4.G Bandon: Barony of East Carbery: Kinneigh Parish

- MS 43,171/ 1** Leases for the lands of Kilnacranagh granted in the years 1760,  
1821, 1824, 1826, and 1845, 13 items  
1760-1845



**MS 43,171/ 2** Leases for the lands of Teadies granted in the years 1821, 1824, 1836, 1842, 1845, and 1858, 9 items  
1821-58

II.iii.4.H Bandon: Barony of East Carbery: Murragh Parish

**MS 43,172** Lease for the lands of Dromavane granted in the year 1829, 1 item  
1829

II.iii.4.I Bandon: Barony of Kinalmeaky: Ballymodan Parish

**MS 43,173** Lease for the lands of Clancool granted in the year 1806, 1 item  
1806

II.iii.4.J Bandon: Barony of Kinalmeaky: Brinny Parish

**MS 43,174** Leases for the lands of Kilpatrick granted in the years 1720, 1731, 1748, 1751, 1788, 1790, 1796, 1821, 1824, 1829, 1837, 1844-5, 1858, and 1866, 22 items  
1720-1866

II.iii.4.K Bandon: Barony of Kinalmeaky: Kilbrogan Parish

**MS 43,175/ 1** Leases for the lands of Callatrim granted in the years 1796, 1820-1, 1824, 1826, 1829, 1844-5, and 1866, 17 items  
1796-1866

**MS 43,175/ 2** Leases for the lands of Carhoon (East & West) granted in the years 1760 and 1847, 3 items  
1760-1847

**MS 43,175/ 3** Leases for the lands of Coolfadda granted in the years 1816, 1818, 1821, 1846, and 1859, 7 items  
1816-59

**MS 43,175/ 4** Lease for the lands of Derrycool granted in the year 1767, 1 item  
1767

**MS 43,175/ 5** Leases for the lands of Laragh granted in the years 1834 and 1841-2, 5 items  
1834-1842

- MS 43,175/ 6** Leases for the lands of Little Silver granted in the years 1767, 1788, 1835, 1845, and 1853, 5 items  
1767-1853
- MS 43,175/ 7** Leases for the lands of Mallongeaton granted in the years 1760, 1821, 1824, and 1844, 6 items  
1760-1844
- MS 43,175/ 8** Leases for the lands of Shinagh granted in the years 1731, 1767, and 1846, 4 items  
1731-1846
- MS 43,175/ 9** Leases for the lands of Tullyglass granted in the years 1807, 1820-1, and 1827, 16 items  
1807-27
- MS 43,175/ 10** Leases for the lands of Tullyglass granted in the years 1842 and 1845, 17 items  
1842-5

II.iii.4.L Bandon: Barony of Kinalmeaky: Killowen Parish

- MS 43,176/ 1** Leases for the lands of Killowen granted in the years 1772 and 1844, 3 items  
1772-1844
- MS 43,176/ 2** Leases for the lands of Mawbeg granted in the years 1729, 1760, and 1786, 4 items  
1729-86
- MS 43,176/ 3** Leases for the lands of Mawmore granted in the years 1731, 1752, 1766, and 1788, 5 items  
1731-88

II.iii.4.M Bandon: Barony of Muskerry: Moviddy Parish

- MS 43,177** Leases for the lands of Farrenduffe granted in the years 1718-9 and 1759, 3 items  
1718-59

II.iii.4.N Bandon West: Barony of East Carbery: Desertserges Parish

- MS 43,178** Lease for the lands of Drombofinny granted in the year 1752, 1 item  
1752

II.iii.4.O Bandon West: Barony of East Carbery: Kinneigh Parish

**MS 43,179** Leases for the lands of the town and lands of Enniskeane granted in the years 1714, 1729, 1733, 1752, 1772, 1783, 1820-1, 1839, 1845, and 1858, 24 items  
1714-1858

II.iii.4.P Bandon West: Barony of East Carbery: Kilgarrif Parish

**MS 43,180** Leases for the lands of the town and lands of Clonakilty granted in the years 1712, 1733, 1740, 1744, and 1845, 8 items  
1712-1845

II.iii.4.Q Bandon West: Barony of Kinalmeaky: Brinny Parish

**MS 43,181/ 1** Leases for the lands of Castlenelact granted in the years 1752, 1821, 1824, 1826, 1832, and 1845, 7 items  
1752-1845

**MS 43,181/ 2** Leases for the lands of Kilmore granted in the years 1733, 1752, 1821, and 1844-5, 8 items  
1733-1845

**MS 43,181/ 3** Leases for the lands of Kilnegnady granted in the years 1821, 1831, 1838, and 1855-6, 5 items  
1821-56

**MS 43,181/ 4** Leases for the lands of Moskeagh granted in the years 1820-1, 1824, 1826, and 1845, 11 items  
1820-45

II.iii.4.R Bandon West: Barony of Kinalmeaky: Kilbrogan Parish

**MS 43,182** Leases for the lands of Mishells granted in the years 1752, 1828, and 1835-6, 12 items  
1752-1836

II.iii.4.S Bandon West: Barony of Kinalmeaky: Templemartin Parish

**MS 43,183/ 1** Leases for the lands of Carrigfroca and Garranes granted in the years 1752, 1820, 1824, 1831, and 1845, 7 items  
1752-1845

- MS 43,183/ 2** Leases for the lands of Kilbarry and Scariffe granted in the years 1759, 1786, 1844-5, 4 items  
1759-1845
- MS 43,183/ 3** Leases for the lands of Knockadoona and Moneen granted in the years 1820-1, 1824-5, 1832, and 1845, 8 items  
1820-45
- MS 43,183/ 4** Leases for the lands of Scartnamuck granted in the year 1820, 3 items  
1820
- MS 43,183/ 5** Leases for the lands of Shancloyne granted in the years 1722, 1752, and 1821, 3 items  
1722-1821

II.iii.4.T East and West Carbery

- MS 43,184/ 1** Leases for lands on the estate of the Earl of Cork and Burlington in the baronies of East and West Carbery, including Dumphea, Drishane, and Farranaheeny, granted in the years 1710, 1718, and 1729-33, 7 items  
1710-33
- MS 43,184/ 2** Leases for lands on the estate of the Earl of Cork and Burlington and Dukes of Devonshire in the baronies of East and West Carbery, including Ahaglass, Kilgariffe, and Killmoyleran, granted in the years 1740, 1751, 1760, and 1783, 5 items  
1740-83

II.iii.4.U Cork and Gillabbey

- MS 43,185/ 1** Lease for the lands of Cloghane in the parish of St. Peters, Cork granted in the years 1771-2, 1835, 1837, and 1845, 6 items  
1771-1845
- MS 43,185/ 2** Leases (and copies) for the lands of Gillabbey, including William, 5th Duke of Devonshire to Attiwell Wood (16 Sep 1772, 26 Sep 1785), Sir William Abdy (with the consent of Sir Gilbert Heathcote and Jonathan Parker) to William, 6th Duke of Devonshire (26 Mar 1813), Mary Wood to Christopher Johnson (8 Apr 1826), William, 6th Duke of Devonshire to the Pipewater Trustees (30 Jul 1844, 2 May 1848), Kilmer Wood to Michael Murphy (27 Jul 1849), and William, 7th Duke of Devonshire to the Corporation of Cork (12

Apr 1859), 13 items  
1772-1859

II.iii.4.V Mogeely: Barony of Kinnatalloon

- MS 43,186/ 1** Leases for the lands of Ballyclough granted in the years 1836, 1840-1, and 1843, 4 items  
1836-43
- MS 43,186/ 2** Leases for the lands of Ballyerin granted in the year 1835, 6 items  
1835
- MS 43,186/ 3** Leases for the lands of Curryglass and Glasshouse granted in the years 1740 and 1788, 2 items  
1740-88
- MS 43,186/ 4** Leases for the lands of Gortnefoiry (Gortnafira) granted in the years 1835, 1841, and 1843, 5 items  
1835-43
- MS 43,186/ 5** Leases for the lands of Kilmakoe granted in the years 1726, 1729, 1742, 1763, 1831, 1836, 1840, and 1866, 14 items  
1726-1866
- MS 43,186/ 6** Leases for the lands of Lackbrack granted in the years 1719, 1729, 1788, 1835, 1837, 1839-41, and 1844, 15 items  
1719-1844
- MS 43,186/ 7** Leases for the lands of Lackenbehy granted in the years 1767 and 1788, 3 items  
1767-88
- MS 43,186/ 8** Leases for the lands of Mogeely granted in the years 1722, 1769, 1760, 1786, 1818, and 1842, 11 items  
1722-1842

II.iii.4.W Youghal: Barony of Imokilly

- MS 43,187/ 1** Leases for the lands of Ardnasack and Ardmungan granted in the years 1740 and 1845, 2 items  
1740-1845
- MS 43,187/ 2** Leases for the lands of Ballyclemeashagh, Ballyglavin, and other ploughlands granted in the years 1702, 1718, 1720-1, and 1729, 7 items

1702-29

**MS 43,187/ 3** Leases for the lands of Ballynacarriga granted in the year 1751, 2 items  
1751

**MS 43,187/ 4** Leases for the lands of Greencloyne and Muckridge granted in the years 1803 (copy), 1838, 1841, 1843, and 1845, 6 items  
1803-45

#### II.iii.4.X Other County Cork

**MS 43,188/ 1** Lease and papers concerning the ploughlands of Castledermody and the Great Island at Berehaven, Bantry, County Cork, with map, 3 items  
1729-38 [*One item badly damaged*]

**MS 43,188/ 2** Assorted leases for lands in County Cork, including Chapel Island, Gaggin, and Scracnavidogue, granted in the years 1728, 1731, 1734, and 1760, 5 items  
1728-60 [*One item badly damaged*]

**MS 43,188/ 3** Assorted leases for lands in County Cork, including Innislinga Island, Chapel Island, Shandangan, and Skinakilla, granted in the years 1775, 1788, 1810, and 1859, 5 items  
1775-1859

#### *II.iii.5 Rural Estates: County Waterford*

##### II.iii.5.A Dungarvan: Affane Parish

**MS 43,189** Leases for the lands of Bleanahouree and Lisginane granted in the years 1718 and 1833, 2 items  
1718-1833

##### II.iii.5.B Dungarvan: Ardmore Parish

**MS 43,190** Leases for the lands of Ravanagh granted in the years 1829, 1832, and 1837, 6 items  
1829-37

##### II.iii.5.C Dungarvan: Dungarvan Parish

**MS 43,191/ 1** Leases for the lands of Ballycoe and Ballyduffbeg granted in the

years 1824, 1830, and 1846, 4 items  
1824-46

**MS 43,191/ 2** Leases for the lands of Knockbrack granted in the years 1844 and 1845, 3 items  
1844-5

**MS 43,191/ 3** Leases for the lands of Rincreasehy granted in the years 1820 and 1824, 2 items  
1820-4

II.iii.5.D Dungarvan: Kilrush Parish

**MS 43,192/ 1** Leases for the lands of Ballygaggin granted in the years 1829 and 1836, 3 items  
1829-36

**MS 43,192/ 2** Leases for the lands of Lackenfune granted in the years 1825, 1835, 1843, and 1845, 5 items  
1825-45

**MS 43,192/ 3** Leases for the lands of Loughmore granted in the years 1834 and 1836, 2 items  
1834-6

II.iii.5.E Lismore: Kilwatermoy Parish

**MS 43,193/ 1** Leases for the lands of Ballyclement granted in the year 1722, 2 items  
1722

**MS 43,193/ 2** Leases for the lands of Kilwatermoy granted in the years 1718 and 1726, 2 items  
1718-26

II.iii.5.F Lismore: Kilcocken Parish

**MS 43,194** Copy leases for the lands of Stroncally granted in the year 1743, 3 items  
1743

II.iii.5.G Lismore: Lismore and Mocollop Parish

- MS 43,195/ 1** Leases for the lands of Ahenboy granted in the year 1777, 1835, 1837, 1843, and 1846, 10 items  
1777-1846
- MS 43,195/ 2** Leases for the lands of Ardnagreehy granted in the year 1836, 3 items  
1836
- MS 43,195/ 3** Leases for the lands of Ballinaspick granted in the years 1719, 1737, 1748, and 1763, 7 items  
1719-63
- MS 43,195/ 4** Leases for the lands of Ballinvelly granted in the years 1721, 1729, 1781, 1820, 1831, 1835, and 1846, 10 items  
1721-1846
- MS 43,195/ 5** Leases for the lands of Ballybeg granted in the years 1806, 1820, 1830, and 1832, 7 items  
1806-32
- MS 43,195/ 6** Leases for the lands of Ballydecane granted in the years 1720, 1762, and 1783, 4 items  
1720-83
- MS 43,195/ 7** Leases for the lands of Ballyea (East and West) granted in the years 1737, 1740, 1796, 1820, and 1829, 6 items  
1737-1829
- MS 43,195/ 8** Leases for the lands of Ballyin granted between the years 1801 and 1820, 12 items  
1801-20
- MS 43,195/ 9** Leases for the lands of Ballyin granted between the years 1820 and 1829, 8 items  
1820-9
- MS 43,195/ 10** Leases for the lands of Ballyin granted between the years 1835 and 1846, 33 items  
1835-46
- MS 43,195/ 11** Leases for the lands of Ballyin Mountain granted in the years 1828, 1832, 1834, 1837-8, 1840, and 1845, 20 items  
1828-1845
- MS 43,195/ 12** Leases for the lands of Ballygalane and Ballygalane Mountain granted in the years 1773, 1826, 1832-5, 1837, 1841, 1844, and



- 1856, 16 items  
1773-56
- MS 43,195/ 13** Copy lease for the lands of Ballygally granted in the year 1739, 1 item  
1739
- MS 43,195/ 14** Leases for the lands of Ballymartin granted in the years 1719, 1767, 1820, 1831-2, 1834-5, and 1840, 9 items  
1719-1840
- MS 43,195/ 15** Leases for the lands of Ballymodrana granted in the years 1719, 1820, 1823, and 1832, 8 items  
1719-1832
- MS 43,195/ 16** Leases for the lands of Ballyneligan (or Treasurer's Glebe) granted in the years 1713, 1772, 1832-3, 1839, 1862, and 1869, 9 items  
1713-1869
- MS 43,195/ 17** Lease and renewals of lease of the lands of Ballyneligan from Rev. Henry Prittie Perry, Treasurer of the Cathedral Church of Lismore to Samuel Perry (1841-69), with an assignment of land from Elizabeth Cameron to Samuel Perry (28 Aug 1839), a lease from the Ecclesiastical Commissioners to the Venerable Ambrose Power, Archdeacon of Lismore (29 Jul 1856), and assignment from Samuel Perry and Savage French to Samuel William Perry and the Duke of Devonshire (28 June 1872), 29 items  
1839-72
- MS 43,195/ 18** Leases for the lands of Ballynoe granted in the years 1801, 1836, and 1838, 4 items  
1801-38
- MS 43,195/ 19** Leases for the lands of Ballyrafter granted in the years 1719, 1833-7, 1839, 1840, and 1843, 22 items  
1719-1843
- MS 43,195/ 20** Leases for the lands of Ballyrafter Mountain granted in the years 1828, 1832, 1839-40, and 1842-5, 31 items  
1828-45
- MS 43,195/ 21** Leases for the lands of Ballyrafter and Carrignagour granted in the year 1835, 10 items  
1835
- MS 43,195/ 22** Leases for the lands of Ballysaggartbeg granted in the years 1770,

- 1788, 1820-1, 1832, 1839, 1856, 1860, and 1866, 15 items  
1770-1866
- MS 43,195/ 23** Leases for the lands of Ballysaggartmore granted in the years 1718 and 1866, 3 items  
1718-1866
- MS 43,195/ 24** Leases for the lands of Bishopstown granted in the years 1820, 1826, 1829, 1830-1, 1833, 1834, 1839-42, 1845, and 1861, 27 items  
1820-61
- MS 43,195/ 25** Leases for the lands of Bridane (Upper & Lower) granted in the years 1718, 1760 1770, 1796, 1820, and 1826, 7 items  
1718-1826
- MS 43,195/ 26** Leases for the lands of the town and lands of Cappoquin granted in the years 1706, 1718, 1738, and 1790, 6 items  
1706-90 [*Two items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,195/ 27** Leases for the lands of Carrignagour granted in the years 1820, 1832-4, 1836, 1838, 1840, and 1847, 12 items  
1820-47
- MS 43,195/ 28** Leases for the lands of Cooldelane granted in the years 1820, 1836-8, and 1844, 13 items  
1820-44
- MS 43,195/ 29** Leases for the lands of Cooldrishogue granted in the year 1820, 3 items  
1820
- MS 43,195/ 30** Leases for the lands of Coolygoodys granted in the years 1720-1, 1738, 1751, 1803, 1820, 1848, and 1854, 21 items  
1720-1854
- MS 43,195/ 31** Leases for the lands of Curroreigh granted in the years 1820, 1825, 1826, 1829, 1835-6, 1839, and 1855, 22 items  
1820-55
- MS 43,195/ 32** Leases for the lands of Deerpark granted in the years 1760, 1779, and 1862, 3 items  
1760-1862
- MS 43,195/ 33** Lease for the lands of Garrybrittas granted in the year 1740, 1 item  
1740

- MS 43,195/ 34** Leases for the lands of Garrycloyne granted in the years 1743, 1759-60, 1808, 1820, 1825, and 1837, 9 items  
1743-1837
- MS 43,195/ 35** Leases for the lands of Garrynoë (Barrett's Land) granted in the years 1741 and 1748, 3 items  
1741-8
- MS 43,195/ 36** Leases for the lands of Glengara granted in the years 1801 and 1820, 3 items  
1801-20
- MS 43,195/ 37** Leases for the lands of Glenmorrishmeen granted in the years 1763, 1793, and 1843, 3 items  
1763-1843
- MS 43,195/ 38** Leases for the lands of Glenshask granted in the years 1801, 1820, 1825, and 1843, 20 items  
1801-43
- MS 43,195/ 39** Leases for the lands of Glountain granted in the years 1836, 1841, and 1844, 3 items  
1836-44
- MS 43,195/ 40** Leases for the lands of Killahaly granted in the years 1751, 1754, and 1826, 4 items  
1751-1826
- MS 43,195/ 41** Lease for the site of Knockmealdown Constabulary Barrack, 1 item  
1869
- MS 43,195/ 42** Leases for the lands of Knocknamuck granted in the years 1719, 1730, 1737, 1751, 1770, 1777, 1794, 1837, and 1842, 12 items  
1719-1842
- MS 43,195/ 43** Leases for the lands of Knockroe granted in the years 1726, 1737, and 1786, 3 items  
1726-86
- MS 43,195/ 44** Leases for the lands of Lyrenacallee granted in the years 1782-3, 1811, 1829, 1832, and 1834, 7 items  
1782-1834
- MS 43,195/ 45** Leases for the lands of Mocollop granted in the years 1719, 1734, 1742, and 1749, 5 items  
1719-49

- MS 43,195/ 46** Leases for the lands of Monalour granted in the years 1833-4, 1837, 1842, 1844, and 1846, 8 items  
1833-46
- MS 43,195/ 47** Leases for the lands of Monatrim granted in the years 1760, 1829, 1836, 1842, 1840, 1846, and 1851, 8 items  
1760-1851
- MS 43,195/ 48** Leases for the lands of Monaman granted in the years 1820, 1829, 1833-5, 1840, and 1844-5, 15 items  
1820-45
- MS 43,195/ 49** Leases for the lands of Monatarive granted in the years 1801, 1820, and 1828, 14 items  
1801-28
- MS 43,195/ 50** Leases for the lands of Rath and Shrough granted in the years 1820, 1832, 1835, 1838, and 1841, 9 items  
1820-41
- MS 43,195/ 51** Leases of parts of the lands of Tournikipogue to John O'Donnell, Michael Cahill, David Cullinane, William Cullinane, John Noonan, James Duggan, Anstice Duggan, and Michael Duggan (8 Sep 1836), and to Patrick Cullinane (25 Apr 1837), 9 items  
1836-7
- MS 43,195/ 52** Leases for the lands of Tourtane granted in the years 1738, 1796, and 1858, 3 items  
1738-1858
- MS 43,195/ 53** Leases for lands in the parish of Lismore and Mocollop, including Ballyboodeane, Ballinamodrana, and Gurtalee granted in the years 1802, 1808, 1836, and 1858, 4 items  
1802-58
- MS 43,195/ 54** Leases for lands in the parish of Lismore and Mocollop, including Ballinlevane, Ballyfinchoge, Ballyhamles, Curriheen, and Kilnegrasney granted in the years 1719, 1724, 1728, and 1748, 7 items  
1719-1748

II.iii.5.H Lismore: Templemichael Parish

- MS 43,196** Lease from Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington to Richard Smyth of lives renewable for ever of the lands of Ballynatray (11

May 1728), 5 copies  
n.d.

#### II.iii.5.I Tallow and Lisfinny

- MS 43,197/ 1** Leases for the lands of Kilcalf granted in the years 1737, 1794, and 1862, 4 items  
1737-1862
- MS 43,197/ 2** Lease for the lands of Killwinny granted in the year 1721, 1 item  
1721
- MS 43,197/ 3** Leases for the lands of Knockrour granted in the years 1833, 1844, and 1846, 3 items  
1833-46
- MS 43,197/ 4** Leases for the lands of Loughnasollis granted in the years 1720, 1733, 1737, 1740, 1743, 1751, 1763, 1825, 1831, 1834, 1837, and 1843-5, 20 items  
1720-1845
- MS 43,197/ 5** Leases for the lands of Lisfinny granted in the years 1729, 1748, 1751, and 1848, 6 items  
1729-1848

#### II.iii.5.J Other County Waterford

- MS 43,198** Assorted leases for lands in County Waterford, including Monk's Land, Killgainymore, Clottakenny, and Currough granted in the years 1716, 1718, 1743 (copy), and 1825, 4 items  
1716-1825

#### *II.iii.6 Rural Estates: County Tipperary (Spittal Lands)*

- MS 43,199/ 1** Leases from Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington to Rev. Thomas Dawson (1741), from Lady Burlington to Solomon Delane for Spittal lands (21 May 1757), from William, 5th Duke of Devonshire to William Kissane for the lands of Brodine, Alexander Hoops for the lands of Clover, and Rev. Robert Baillie for the lands of Gortnalour (8 Aug 1770), from the Duke of Devonshire to Richard Hoops for the lands of Clover (25 Mar 1790), to Rev. Robert Baillie for lands of Gortnalour (1 Jul 1796), to Robert Clarke for Spittal lands (7 Jul 1803), and to Edmond Scully for lands of Gortnalour (13 Sep 1820), 11 items

1741-20 [*One item damaged*]

- MS 43,199/ 2** Leases from William, 5th Duke of Devonshire to Andrew Roe for Spittal lands at Golden, and to Ambrose Lane for Spittal lands at Cashel (3 Mar 1786), 2 items  
1786

***II.iii.7 Rural Estates: Other Counties***

- MS 43,200/ 1** Leases for properties in the counties Carlow, Dublin, Kerry Louth, and Mayo: from John Kelly to Robert Ivers for a house in Tullow Street, Carlow (20 Apr 1808), from Joseph Crawley to Edward Dowling for a house and premises at Castle Hill, Carlow (9 May 1835), from James Hamilton, 7th Earl of Abercorn to Andrew Cheatham for a holding in York Street, City of Dublin (25 Mar 1724), from Robert Day to Edward Denny for the lands of Ballymacegogue (6 Jul 1808, with map), from Thomas Plunkett, 11th Baron Louth to Edward Mckenna and Mathew Conlon for the fishery at the Bridge of Louth (16 Oct 1806), and from Charles Butler, 1st Earl of Arran to Thomas and James Medlycott for Borrishoole and other lands in Co. Mayo (3 Apr 1701), 6 items  
1701-1835
- MS 43,200/ 2** Leases for properties in the counties Meath, Queen's (Laois) and Tipperary: from Hugh Mervyn to Audley Mervyn for the castle, town, and lands of the Naule or Snowtown (4 Aug 1710), from Sydenham Singleton to Walter Dawson for the lands in the parish of Ardagh (27 May 1766), from Michael McGrath to Edward Dowling for land and premises in Graigue, Queen's County (29 Sep 1838), and from Rev. John Hinton (Dean of Tuam) to Thomas Bryan for premises in Carrick, Co. Tipperary (1 & 2 Apr 1724), 5 items  
1710-1838 [*One item damaged*]
- MS 43,200/ 3** Leases for properties in the County Wexford: from Rev. John Cliffe to Thomas Houghton for premises in Sugar House Lane, New Ross (20 Aug 1773), from John Simpson to George Steadrum for the lands of Tinnick, Ballaghkeen (2 Jul 1776), from John Simpson to John Morton for the lands of Crosshue, Ballaghkeen (14 Sep 1785) from James Rosseter (Commissioner of Revenue) to John Ward for a house at Ross (31 Aug 1786), from James and Patrick Murphy for Ann Simpson's land at Garrynisk and Garryvadden (Co. Wexford (23 Jun 1815), and the certificate of Rev. Peter Browne for the Glebe House of Kilmaklogue, Deanery of Ferns (16 Mar 1826), 6 items  
1773-1826

**MS 43,200/ 4** Leases for properties in the County Wicklow: from John Tomlinson to Robert Hughes for Grove Hall, Ballinderry (21 Apr 1818), from William Tomlinson to William Frederick Archdall and Henry Archdall for the lands of Ballinderry (31 Jan 1830), and to Charles Fawcett Tomlinson and Arthur Wellesley Tomlinson for the lands of Ballinderry (15 Aug 1834), 4 items  
1818-34

## **II.iv Tithe and Fishery Leases**

### ***II.iv.1 Tithe Leases***

#### **II.iv.1.A Leases and Surrenders**

- MS 43,201/ 1** Copy lease from Sir George Flower to Sir Richard Boyle of the tithes of Clashmore and Gaylish (14 Mar 1607), 1 item  
n.d.
- MS 43,201/ 2** Leases (and copies) from the Earls of Cork and Burlington to Robert Warren of the tithes of Kilmurray, Kilmichael, and Inchegeelagh for 41 years (12 Aug 1698 and 25 Jul 1729), 6 items  
1729-1794
- MS 43,201/ 3** Abstracts of sundry leases and deeds relating to the tithes held by the Earls of Cork and Burlington, 4 items  
1701-54
- MS 43,201/ 4** Lease from Richard, 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington to John Keily of the impropriate tithes of the parishes of Affane, Aglish, Clashmore, Dungarvan, Kinslabeg, Kilronan and several other parishes in County Waterford (15 May 1734), 1 item  
1734
- MS 43,201/ 5** Lease (and copies) from Richard, 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington to William Warren of the tithes of Kilmurray, Kilmichael and Inchegeelagh for 41 years (25 Mar 1753), with copies of Warren's surrender of said tithes (4 May 1753), 6 items  
1753-94
- MS 43,201/ 6** Copy lease from William Warren to Nicholas and Benjamin White of Kilmurray tithes and a part of the lands of Shandangan (30 Jul 1761), 1 item  
1840
- MS 43,201/ 7** Lease (and counterpart) from William Murray, 1st Baron Mansfield (Lord Chief Justice) to Thomas Lucas of Templequinland tithes for

three lives (2 May 1763), to John Jones of Ballymodan tithes for 21 years (11 Apr 1764), and to John Smyth of Affane tithes for 21 years (27 May 1767), and lease from William, 5th Duke of Devonshire to Henry Coghlan and Pierce Barron of the tithes of Rossmire, Stradbally, Aglishvenan, and Dungarvan for 21 years (7 Mar 1783), 6 items  
1763-83

**MS 43,201/ 8** Leases from the Duke of Devonshire to various persons of the tithes of Colligan, Ringogowna, Kilronan, Rossmire, Stradbally, Aglishvenan and Dungarvan, Affane and Licouran, Kilgobnet, Kilwatermoy and Kilcockan, Clashmore, and Clonlea for 21 years (27 Mar 1783), 15 items  
1783

**MS 43,201/ 9** Leases from William, 5th Duke of Devonshire to Thomas Foley of Aglish tithes for 21 years (17 Aug 1796), and deed (with drafts) of the surrender, assignment, and release of the tithes of Kinsalbeg and Grange from John Lawlor to William, 6th Duke of Devonshire (28 Jun 1825), 4 items  
1796-1825

**MS 43,201/ 10** Drafts of lease from William, 6th Duke of Devonshire to anon (in trust for parishioners) of the impropriate tithes of the parish of Clashmore, with a blank draft (1828), 3 items  
1828

**MS 43,201/ 11** Leases from William, 6th Duke of Devonshire to various persons (in trust for parishioners) of the impropriate tithes of the parishes of West Dungarvan, Clonlea, Stradbally, Ballinroad, Clashmore, Abbeyside, Kinsalbeg, Kilronan, Kilgobinett, Aglish, Licouran, Whitechurch, and Grange (8 Jul 1828), and to James Barron, Richard Duckett, and Pierce Barron (in trust for parishioners) of the impropriate tithes of the parish of Rossmire (23 Jul 1829), 15 items  
1828-9

#### II.iv.1.B Articles of Agreement

**MS 43,202/ 1** Articles of agreement between William Snowe (for the Hon. Henry Boyle) and Henry Galway for the impropriate tithes of the parishes of Durries, Kilmacmage, Kilcrohane, and Killmacabee, Co. Cork (7 July 1714), and Daniel Donovan for the impropriate tithes of the parish of Killmacabee (30 Mar 1727), and between William Snowe (for the Earl of Cork and Burlington) and Jasper Lucas (10 Jun 1727) and Timothy and John Carty (3 Jul 1730) for the impropriate tithes of the parish of Templequinland, Co. Cork, with an article of



agreement for the tithes of Ballymodan (12 Aug 1771), and for the tithes of White Church, Ringogowna, Kilronan, Clashmore, Kinsalbeg, Rossmire, Stradbally, Aglishvenan, and Dungarvan for 21 years (25 Mar 1779), 10 items  
1714-79

**MS 43,202/ 2** Articles of agreement for the tithes of Kilwatermoy and Kilcockan (8 Aug 1782), Ballymodan and Kilmurry (24 Mar 1796), and Kilwatermoy and Kilcockan (2 Aug 1800), with declarations of tenancy from Thomas Knowlton to Michael Banan, William Ahern, Thomas Foley and John Lawlor for the rectorial tithes of the parishes of Rossmire, Stradbally, Kilwatermoy, Killronan, and Clashmore and other parishes in Co. Waterford (1803-8), and articles of agreement for the tithes of West Dungarvan, Kilwatermoy, Whitechurch, and Grange for the harvests of 1825 and 1826, 9 items  
1782-1826

**MS 43,202/ 3** Articles of agreement for the tithes of Aglish, Colligan, Kilgobinet, Affane and Ringnagowna for the harvests of 1830-2, 6 items  
1830-2

## ***II.iv.2 Fishery Leases***

### **II.iv.2.A Leases and Surrenders**

**MS 43,203/ 1** Lease from Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington to Richard Musgrave of the lands and fishery of Ballyeen (27 Feb 1718), with annotation “He never accepted of it or executed a counterpart & he has since surrendered his extension to the whole”, 1 item  
1718

**MS 43,203/ 2** Lease (and copies) and counterpart from Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington to Christopher Musgrave of the lands and fishery of Ballyeen (11 Sep 1738), 6 items  
1738 & 1869

**MS 43,203/ 3** Copy leases from John Villiers, 1st Earl of Grandison to John Russell of the town and lands of Dromona, including the weir in the River Blackwater (18 Jul 1741), 3 items  
1876

**MS 43,203/ 4** Lease (and copies) and counterpart from Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington to Christopher Musgrave of the lands and fishery of Ballyeen on the River Blackwater (20 Sep 1752), 7 items

1752, 1828 & 1869

- MS 43,203/ 5** Lease from William Murray, 1st Baron Mansfield to Richard Savage and John Harris of the mills of Coolfaddo and the fishery of the Bandon River (10 Aug 1761), from Melesina St. George to Christopher Musgrave of the Fourth Fish in the River Blackwater (22 Jul 1802), from William, 6th Duke of Devonshire to Attiwell Hayes of the fishery at Sunday's Well on the River Lee in the North Liberties of the City of Cork (1819), and to Rev. Percy Scott Smyth of part of the strand and the quay erected thereon opposite Snugborough for 21 years (31 Mar 1825), lease from Charles St. George to the Duke of Devonshire of the Fourth Fish in the River Blackwater for the term of 14 years (22 Jul 1828), and lease from the Duke of Devonshire to Edmond Barry of the Fishery &c. from the mouth of the River Bride to Tallow Bridge (13 Feb 1832), 7 items  
1761-1832

#### II.iv.2.B Articles of Agreement and Surrenders

- MS 43,204/ 1** Articles of agreement between Jeremy Coughlan, Andrew Crotty and John Jones (for the Earl of Cork and Burlington) and Abraham Davies for Weyens Mill, mill lands, and the fishery of the Town of Bandon (12 Aug 1718), between William Conner (for the Duke of Devonshire) and Nicholas Fitton for Sunday's Well weir and fishery in the County of the City of Cork (18 May 1770), and between William, 7th Duke of Devonshire and William Lane for Gillabbey weir and fishings on the River Lee for one year (16 Jul 1859), 4 items  
1718-1859 [*One item damaged*]

- MS 43,204/ 2** Surrender (and copy) and wide line copy of the draft surrender from Richard Cliffe and Nelson Trafalgar Foley to William, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire of the River Blackwater fishery (5 Feb 1869), and articles of agreement (and copy) for a licence to fish between the Duke of Devonshire and Nelson Trafalgar Foley and Richard Cliffe (17 Feb 1869 and between the Duke of Devonshire and Nelson Trafalgar Foley and Edmond Foley (26 Feb 1874), 6 items  
1869-74

### II.v Other Lease Papers

#### *II.v.1 Draft Leases*

- MS 43,205/ 1** Draft lease from William, 6th Duke of Devonshire to Jonathan

Clerke of the demesne and other parts of Mawmore (1817 & 1 Apr 1818), and to Mary Magrath, Mother Abbess of the Presentation Convent of Dungarvan of a plot of ground intended as a site for a convent in Dungarvan (1 Jun 1819), 2 items  
1817-9

**MS 43,205/ 2** Draft lease from William, 6th Duke of Devonshire to Rt. Rev. John Murphy, Roman Catholic Bishop of Cork and others of a plot of ground for building a school house for female children together with a chapel and nunnery annexed (1 Mar 1827), with associated letter and papers, 7 items  
1826-8

**MS 43,205/ 3** Draft leases and assignments for premises for a savings bank in Bandon and plots of land for schoolhouses in Mishells and Moneen (1832 & 1839), and draft agreements and leases for premises in Lismore, Tallow, and Youghal (1841-2), 7 items  
1832-42

**MS 43,205/ 4** Draft leases from William, 6th Duke of Devonshire to Robert Murray of one half of the weir on the Bandon River (19 Dec 1851) to the Rt. Rev Nicholas Foran, Roman Catholic Bishop of Waterford of a plot of ground for a convent in Lismore (Apr 1852) to the Venerable Henry Cotton, Archdeacon of Cashel of a dwelling house and land at Ballysaggartbeg, Lismore (Dec 1856), to the Rev. Dr. Jeremiah Halley and Andrew Carbery of the convent at Dungarvan (1857), to Michael Mahony of three houses in Old Chapel Lane, Dungarvan (Sep 1859), to Daniel Donovan of a site for Bandon School (11 Oct 1862), with opinion of counsel (9 Nov 1861), and to William Hanan (1866), 7 items  
1851-66

### *II.v.2 Lease Forms*

**MS 43,206/ 1** Draft lease for houses (1815), and for properties on the Irish Estates of the Duke of Devonshire (1816, 1841 and 1843), draft lease for 21 years and one life concurrent for farms (11 Dec 1818), draft form of surrender (c1840), 7 items  
1815-c1840

**MS 43,206/ 2** Draft defeazance to revive condition of re-entry in leases of farms in Ireland (c1840), draft lease of sites for school houses under 50 Geo. III, c. 33 (Dec 1851), amended form of house lease (Dec 1856), precedent of the Duke of Devonshire's leases, draft leases for building and building plots, and a draft surrender of yearly tenancy for farm and land, with miscellaneous amended drafts of lease forms

(c1840), 8 items  
c1840-56

### *II.v.3 Blank Leases*

- MS 43,207/ 1** Miscellaneous blank or incomplete lease forms, 4 items  
c1740 & 1793
- MS 43,207/ 2** Leases for farms, 10 copies  
c1840
- MS 43,207/ 3** Lease (arable), where valuation £50 a-year or upwards, lease (pasture), where valuation £50 a-year or upwards, lease by limited owner, where there are no buildings, lease, valuation less than £50, and leases for lands, 14 items  
c1860

### *II.v.4 Demises*

- MS 43,208/ 1** Demises from Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington to Francis Bernard of the lands of Shanaways, Castletown and Lisniquiny, Co. Cork (1731), 3 items  
1731
- MS 43,208/ 2** Copy demises from Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington to Sir William Heathcote of several lands in Ireland for a term of 99 years (3 Jun 1738), 6 copies  
c1830
- MS 43,208/ 3** Demises from William, 6th Duke of Devonshire to John Kirby and Michael Higgins of the lands of Ballymacsimon and Ballylegane, Co. Cork, 2 items  
1839
- MS 43,208/ 4** Articles of demise granted to Peter Bayly for a holding in Cork Lane, Youghal (1 Apr 1789), to Redmond Walsh for part of the Glebe lands of Kilmurry (25 Mar 1795), and to Michael Keefe, James Guiry, Robert Guiry, Daniel Neil, Triny Casheen, and Patrick Keefe for parts of the lands of Ballylegane, Co. Cork (1814), 7 items  
1789-1814

### *II.v.5 Renewals*

- MS 43,209/ 1** Renewal of lease (and copy) from John Boyle, 5th Earl of Orrery to

Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington of messuage and tenements near Cork (26 Jun 1746), and a renewal of fines (6 Dec 1755), with draft and fair copy of a renewal of premises near Cork (Nov 1813), 9 items  
1746-1813

**MS 43,209/ 2** Renewals of leases (and copies) granted to John Hearne (1764), Beverly Hearne (1788), William Jenkins (1801), Jonathan Galwey (1816), and Catherine Hill (1820) for premises in Abbeyside and the Town of Dungarvan, 7 items  
1764-1820

**MS 43,209/ 3** Renewals of leases (and drafts) granted to Edward Green (1781), Samuel Hayman (1818), Anne Forster, Henry Browne and others (1824), and Rev. Arthur Hyde Clarke (1834) for premises in the Town of Youghal, 5 items  
1781-1834

**MS 43,209/ 4** Renewals of lease granted to John and Joseph Rath, and William Atkin for Olartwick and Garrynisk, Co. Wexford (1782 & 1810) and to Sir John Keane for Affane, Co. Waterford (1806), 3 items  
1782-1810

**MS 43,209/ 5** Renewals of leases granted to Jonathan Galwey (1 Apr 1816) and Catherine Hill (13 Sep 1820) of premises in the Town of Dungarvan, 2 items  
1816-20

#### *II.v.6 Assignments of Leases*

**MS 43,210/ 1** Assignments of leases of premises situated in the Town of Bandon granted in the years 1810, 1813, 1824, 1828-9, and 1839, 7 items  
1810-39

**MS 43,210/ 2** Assignments of leases of premises situated in the Town of Youghal granted in the years 1749, 1779, and 1785, 3 items  
1749-85

**MS 43,210/ 3** Assignments of leases of premises situated in the Town of Youghal granted in the years 1788, 1804, 1814, and 1845, 5 items  
1788-1845

**MS 43,210/ 4** Assignments of leases of premises situated in the Town of Lismore granted in the years 1826, 1839, and 1842, 3 items  
1826-42

- MS 43,210/ 5** Assignments of leases of premises situated in the Ballynoe and Connehy estate granted in the years 1823, 1826-7, and 1836, 4 items  
1823-36
- MS 43,210/ 6** Assignments of leases of premises situated in the Bandon estate granted in the years 1708, 1811, 1815, 1824, 1835, and 1839, 9 items  
1708-1839
- MS 43,210/ 7** Assignments of leases of premises situated in the Bandon West, Youghal, Dungarvan and Lismore estates granted in the years 1722, 1735, 1798, 1810, 1831, 1836, 1839, and 1854, 9 items  
1722-1854

### ***II.v.7 Surrenders***

#### **II.v.7.A Urban Leases**

- MS 43,211/ 1** Surrenders of leases of premises situated in Bridge Street and other parts in and near the Town of Bandon made in the years 1753, 1777, 1816, and 1821, 4 items  
1753-1821
- MS 43,211/ 2** Surrenders of leases of premises situated in South Main Street, Bandon made in the years 1817-8 and 1820, 3 items  
1817-20
- MS 43,211/ 3** Surrenders of leases of premises situated in South Main Street, Bandon made in the years 1850-1 and 1857, 4 items  
1850-7
- MS 43,211/ 4** Surrenders of leases of premises situated in North Main Street, Bandon made in the years 1822, 1852, and 1857-8, 4 items  
1822-58
- MS 43,211/ 5** Surrender of the lease of the Mill Lands of Enniskeane, 1 item  
1830
- MS 43,211/ 6** Surrenders of leases of premises situated in the Town of Youghal made in the years 1740, 1742, 1830, and 1835, 5 items  
1740-35
- MS 43,211/ 7** Surrenders of leases of premises situated in the Town of Youghal made in the years 1836, 1840, 1844, and 1851, 6 items  
1836-51

- MS 43,211/ 8** Surrenders of leases of premises, including the Fever Hospital, situated in Abbeyside and the Town of Dungarvan made in the years 1817-8, 1828-9, 1831, 1839, 1842, and 1851, 10 items  
1817-51
- MS 43,211/ 9** Surrenders of leases of premises situated in the Townlands and Town of Lismore made in the years 1762, 1816, 1827, 1831-2, and 1836-7, 8 items  
1762-1837
- MS 43,211/ 10** Surrenders of leases of premises, including the Fever Hospital, situated in the Town of Lismore made in the years 1846, 1848, 1853, 1861, and 1863, 5 items  
1846-63
- MS 43,211/ 11** Surrender of lease of premises, including part of 'Clark's Holding' and the Fever Hospital in the Townlands and Town of Tallow made in the years 1737, 1829, 1837, and 1848, 4 items  
1737-1848

#### II.v.7.B Rural Leases

- MS 43,212/ 1** Surrenders of leases of premises situated in the Ballynoe and Connehy estate made in the years 1700, 1718, 1772, 1825, 1827, 1830, 1836, 1841, and 1849, 9 items  
1700-1849
- MS 43,212/ 2** Surrenders of leases of premises situated in the Bandon estate made in the years 1817-8, 1829-30, and 1838, 6 items  
1817-38
- MS 43,212/ 3** Surrenders of leases of premises situated in the Bandon and Bandon West estates made in the years 1830, 1833, 1838, 1847, 1849, and 1853, 7 items  
1830-53
- MS 43,212/ 4** Surrenders of leases of premises situated in the Dungarvan estate made in the years 1833 and 1859, 2 items  
1833-59
- MS 43,212/ 5** Surrenders of leases of premises situated in the Lismore estate made in the years 1763, 1817, 1823, and 1827, 8 items  
1763-1827
- MS 43,212/ 6** Surrenders of leases of premises situated in the Lismore estate made

in the years 1828, 1830, 1834-7, and 1839, 10 items  
1828-39

### *II.v.8 Proposals*

- MS 43,213/ 1** Tenants' proposals for the rental of land and properties in the Bandon district, 34 items  
1732-3
- MS 43,213/ 2** Tenants' proposals, some with plans of houses, plots ground, and associated letters and memoranda, for the rental of properties in the town of Bandon, 16 items  
1823-38
- MS 43,213/ 3** Tenants' proposals for the rental of land and properties in and around the Town of Youghal, 45 items  
1719
- MS 43,213/ 4** Tenants' proposals for the rental of land and properties in and around the Town of Youghal, 59 items  
1719-29
- MS 43,213/ 5** Tenants' proposals for the rental of land and properties in and around the Town of Youghal, 27 items  
1744-6
- MS 43,213/ 6** Tenants' proposals, some with plans of houses, plots ground, and associated letters and memoranda, for the rental of properties in the town of Youghal, 24 items  
1816-23
- MS 43,213/ 7** Tenants' proposals, some with plans of houses and plots of ground, and associated letters and memoranda, for the rental of properties in the town of Youghal, 29 items  
1824-9
- MS 43,213/ 8** Tenants' proposals, some with plans of houses and plots of ground, and associated letters and memoranda, for the rental of properties in the town of Youghal, 29 items  
1830-48
- MS 43,213/ 9** Tenants' proposals, some with plans of houses and plots of ground, and associated letters and memoranda, for the rental of properties in the town of Dungarvan, some with drawings and ground plans, 44 items  
1817-39



- MS 43,213/ 10** Tenants' proposals, some with plans of houses and plots of ground, and associated letters and memoranda, for the rental of properties in the town of Lismore, 25 items  
1791 & 1816-9
- MS 43,213/ 11** Tenants' proposals, some with plans of house and plots of ground, and associated letters and memoranda, for the rental of properties in the town of Lismore, 34 items  
1820-24
- MS 43,213/ 12** Tenants' proposals, some with plans of houses and plots of ground, and associated letters and memoranda, for the rental of properties in the town of Lismore, 40 items  
1824-40
- MS 43,213/ 13** Tenants' proposals for the rental of land and properties in and around the Town of Tallow and Tallowbridge, 44 items  
1717-9
- MS 43,213/ 14** Tenants' proposals for the rental of land and properties in and around the Town of Tallow and Tallowbridge, 42 items  
1719
- MS 43,213/ 15** Tenants' proposals for the rental of land and properties in and around the Town of Tallow and Tallowbridge, 30 items  
1719-20
- MS 43,213/ 16** Tenants' proposals for the rental of land and properties in and around the Town of Tallow and Tallowbridge, 45 items  
1719-20
- MS 43,213/ 17** Tenants' proposals for the rental of land and properties in and around the Town of Tallow and Tallowbridge, 50 items  
1719-28, 1744-5
- MS 43,213/ 18** Tenants' proposals, some with plans of houses and plots of ground, and associated letters and memoranda, for the rental of properties in the town of Tallow and Tallowbridge, 47 items  
1816-38
- MS 43,213/ 19** Tenants' proposals for the rental of land in Lismore, Kilmakoe, Kilmore and other parts of the estate of the Earl of Cork and Burlington in counties Waterford and Cork, 37 items  
1708-29 [*Mostly damaged and fragile*]

- MS 43,213/ 20** Tenants' proposals for the rental of land in Ballyknock, Ballylusky, Ballymacsimon, Kilclare, and other parts of the estate of the Earl of Cork and Burlington in counties Waterford and Cork, 26 items  
1743
- MS 43,213/ 21** Tenants' proposals for the rental of land in Garranribeen, Glantrasna, Killphillipeen, Longaville, Cullinagh, and other parts of the estate of the Earl of Cork and Burlington in counties Waterford and Cork, 28 items  
1743
- MS 43,213/ 22** Tenants' proposals for the rental of land in Rathaneige, Kilmakoe, Cullinagh, and other parts of the estate of the Earl of Cork and Burlington in counties Waterford and Cork, 38 items  
1744-1818
- MS 43,213/ 23** Tenants' proposals for the rental of land in Enniskeane, Killaseragh, Glanreigh, and various other townlands in Co. Cork, 35 items  
1816-51
- MS 43,213/ 24** Tenants' proposals for the rental of land in Derrycool, Glantrasna, Laragh, Mishells, Tullyglass, Knockasticane, Moragh, Callatrim and Ballymacsimon, Co. Cork, 46 items  
1824-49
- MS 43,213/ 25** Tenants' proposals for the rental of land in Moragh, Co. Cork, 14 items  
1845
- MS 43,213/ 26** Tenants' proposals for the rental of land in Curroreigh, Coodelane, Coolygoodys and Bishopstown, Co. Waterford, 41 items  
1820-9
- MS 43,213/ 27** Tenants' proposals for the rental of land in Garrycloyne, Ballymartin and various other townlands in Co. Waterford, 41 items  
1820-41

## *II.v.9 Articles of Agreement*

### II.v.9.A General Estate

- MS 43,214/ 1** Article of agreement between Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington and James Roth to lease his estate in Ireland for 41 years or three lives for a fine of £50,000 and £13,000 per annum rent (28 Jul 1728: cancelled), 1 item  
1728

**MS 43,214/ 2** Various articles of agreement for the rental of properties on the estates of the Earls of Cork and Burlington, including Lackenbehy, Pilltown, Bandon, Enniskeane, and a garden belonging to Cork House, Dublin (1 & 7 Oct 1661), 21 items  
1661-1753 [*Some items damaged and fragile*]

II.v.9.B Urban Properties: County Cork

**MS 43,215/ 1** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Bandon made in the years 1719-20, 1723, 1726, 1731, 1733, 1748, and 1752-3, 31 items  
1719-53

**MS 43,215/ 2** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Bandon made in the years 1773, 1777, 1791, 1797, and 1799, 23 items  
1773-99

**MS 43,215/ 3** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Bandon made in the years 1800 and 1801, 31 items  
1800-1

**MS 43,215/ 4** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Bandon, including an article of agreement with the inhabitants of the town for erecting quays on each side of the River Bandon, 26 items  
1802-5

**MS 43,215/ 5** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Bandon made in the years 1806, 1820, 1822, 1825-6, 1840, 1846, and 1853, 11 items  
1806-53

**MS 43,215/ 6** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Enniskeane made in the years 1732, 1734, 1782, 1801, 1839, and 1853, 9 items  
1732-1853

**MS 43,215/ 7** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Youghal made in the years 1701, 1709-10, 1716, 1718, 1721-2, 1724, 1727-33, 1744-5, and 1753, 30 items  
1701-53

**MS 43,215/ 8** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Youghal made in the years 1795 and 1799, 27 items

1795-9

- MS 43,215/ 9** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Youghal, 27 items  
1817
- MS 43,215/ 10** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Youghal, 28 items  
1817
- MS 43,215/ 11** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Youghal made in the years 1822, 1824, 1827, 1829-30, and 1842-4, 15 items  
1822-44
- MS 43,215/ 12** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Youghal made in the years 1846-8, 1850-1, 1853, and 1856, 14 items  
1846-56

II.v.9.C Urban Properties: County Waterford

- MS 43,216/ 1** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Dungarvan made in the years 1720, 1723, 1731, 1733, and 1737, 12 items  
1720-37
- MS 43,216/ 2** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Dungarvan, 16 items  
1795
- MS 43,216/ 3** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Dungarvan, 18 items  
1795
- MS 43,216/ 4** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Dungarvan, 39 items  
1796
- MS 43,216/ 5** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Dungarvan, 18 items  
1796
- MS 43,216/ 6** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Dungarvan, 36 items

- 1797
- MS 43,216/ 7** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Dungarvan made in the years 1799 and 1800, 69 items 1799-1800
- MS 43,216/ 8** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Dungarvan made in the years 1801 and 1802, 48 items 1801-2
- MS 43,216/ 9** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Dungarvan, 23 items 1803
- MS 43,216/ 10** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Dungarvan, 53 items 1803
- MS 43,216/ 11** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Dungarvan, 64 items 1804
- MS 43,216/ 12** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Dungarvan, 30 items 1805
- MS 43,216/ 13** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Dungarvan, 29 items 1805
- MS 43,216/ 14** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Dungarvan, 21 items 1806
- MS 43,216/ 15** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Dungarvan, 38 items 1806
- MS 43,216/ 16** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Dungarvan, 25 items 1807
- MS 43,216/ 17** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Dungarvan, 32 items 1807

- MS 43,216/ 18** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Dungarvan made in the years 1817, 1820-2, and 1825-7, 44 items  
1817, 1820-2, 1825-7
- MS 43,216/ 19** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Dungarvan made in the years 1831, 1842-4, 1846-8, 1850, 1853, 1857, and 1859, 21 items  
1831-59
- MS 43,216/ 20** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Lismore made in the years 1719-20, 1722, 1724, 1799, and 1800, 22 items  
1719-1800
- MS 43,216/ 21** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Lismore made in the years 1801, 1802, 1803, and 1806, 18 items  
1801-6
- MS 43,216/ 22** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Lismore made in the years 1820-9, 1842, 1844-5, 1847, and 1852, 40 items  
1820-52
- MS 43,216/ 23** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Tallow made in the years 1703 and 1720, 30 items  
1703-20
- MS 43,216/ 24** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Tallow made in the years 1722, 1723, and 1724, 20 items  
1722-4
- MS 43,216/ 25** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Tallow made in the years 1730-1, 1733-4, 1737, and 1742, 16 items  
1730-42
- MS 43,216/ 26** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Tallow made in the years 1816, 1820, 1821, and 1822, 32 items  
1816-22
- MS 43,216/ 27** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Tallow, 35 items  
1823-30

- MS 43,216/ 28** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the Town of Tallow, 8 items  
1844-50
- MS 43,216/ 29** Articles of agreement for building lots and works in the Town of Bandon, Dungarvan, Lismore, Tallow and Youghal, 9 items  
1728-1842
- MS 43,216/ 30** Articles of agreement for the rental of houses as Irish Constabulary Barracks in Lismore, Ahern, Co. Cork, and Knockmealdown, Co. Waterford, 5 items  
1840-54

II.v.9.D Rural Properties: County Cork

- MS 43,217/ 1** Article of agreement between Rt. Hon. Henry Boyle and Samuel Hill for the timber and woods of Castleplowland, Inneskeane, Gurtenroe, Clonamara, and several other lands in the Barony of East and West Carbery, Co. Cork, 25 May 1706
- MS 43,217/ 2** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of the ploughlands of Garranchore in the Barony of East Carbery, and for other ploughlands in that barony and elsewhere in County Cork made in the years 1704, 1708-20, 1726-31, and 1736-48, 34 items  
1704-48
- MS 43,217/ 3** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of Corbegh, Garriduff and other townlands in County Cork, 21 items  
1705-24
- MS 43,217/ 4** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of Corbehy, Curraheen, Killavareilly, Kilmakoe and other townlands in County Cork, 23 items  
1725-96
- MS 43,217/ 5** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the townlands of Ballymacsimon, 16 items  
1800-8
- MS 43,217/ 6** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the townlands of Callatrim made in the years 1796-7, 1799-1801, and 1820, 8 items  
1796-1820
- MS 43,217/ 7** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the

- townlands of Glantrasna, 27 items  
1800-9
- MS 43,217/ 8** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the townlands of Killaseragh made in the years 1796, 1802-8, and 1829, 17 items  
1796-1829
- MS 43,217/ 9** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the townlands of Kilpatrick, 14 items  
1804-6
- MS 43,217/ 10** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the townlands of Knocknagapple, 31 items  
1800-9
- MS 43,217/ 11** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in Ballylegane, Longaville and other townlands in County Cork, 29 items  
1795-1830
- MS 43,217/ 12** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the townlands of Mogeely, 13 items  
1804-9

#### II.v.9.E Rural Properties: County Waterford

- MS 43,218/ 1** Article of agreement (and copy) between Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington and John Villiers, 1st Earl of Grandison for the farm and lands of Ballynatray, Co. Waterford (23 Mar 1724), 2 items  
1724
- MS 43,218/ 2** Article of agreement between Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington and Simon Ronan for the lands and impropriate tithes of Strongcally, Co. Waterford (16 Nov 1726), 1 item  
1726
- MS 43,218/ 3** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of Bridane, Cappelquin, Mocollop, Curryheen, and other townlands in County Waterford, 19 items  
1703-95
- MS 43,218/ 4** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the townlands of Ballinvelly made in the years 1799, 1801-4, 1806, and 1808-11, 12 items



1799-1811

- MS 43,218/ 5** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the townlands of Ballydecane, 15 items  
1803-6
- MS 43,218/ 6** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the townlands of Bishopstown made in the years 1805-9 and 1830, 26 items  
1805-1830
- MS 43,218/ 7** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the townlands of Curroneigh made in the years 1802-9, 1828, 1842, and 1856, 31 items  
1802-56
- MS 43,218/ 8** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the townlands of Lackenfune made in the years 1799, 1800, 1803-4, 1807, 1809, and 1826, 8 items  
1799-1826
- MS 43,218/ 9** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in Ballyduffbeg, East Ballylea and other townlands in County Waterford, 20 items  
1795-1836
- MS 43,218/ 10** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of properties in the townlands of Ballyin, Ballyrafter, Monalour and Loghnasollis, 25 items  
1800-31

II.v.9.F Rural Properties: County Tipperary

- MS 43,219** Tenants' articles of agreement for the rental of Spittal lands at Goldenbridge, Hospital, Tipperary, and other locations in County Tipperary, with particulars of lands, 31 items  
1699-1830

*I.v.10 Schedules and Lists of Deeds and Leases*

- MS 42,018** Volume containing an inventory of deeds and leases relating to the Irish estates of the Duke of Devonshire, including settlements, patents, mortgages, and leases made between c1590 and 1756 (with later additions to 1811), 1 item  
c1760

- MS 6135** Volume of copies of leases and other deeds, executed by Sir Walter Raleigh of lands and tenements in counties Cork and Waterford in the years 1588 to 1591, 1 item  
c1590
- MS 6137** “A Briefe and perfect Collection of leases made Anno Domini 1591 concerning all her Majesty’s Grauntes within her Highnes’ Realme of Ireland”, being a volume of Crown leases, mostly of lands and tenements in the city of Dublin and province of Leinster (c1535-91), 1 item  
c1600
- MS 6136** Volume of copies of leases and other deeds, concerning the Mandevill (later Mansfield) family, of lands, tenements and fisheries in Ballynemultinagh and elsewhere in County Waterford (c1348-1603), with survey of manors “allowed” to Sir Walter Raleigh (1587), 1 item  
c1605
- MS 43,220/ 1** Abstracts of leases relating to the College of Youghal (1586-1602), with copies of the orders of the Warden of the College (1594-6), 1 item  
c1605
- MS 6138** Rental of Crown lands in counties Kerry, Limerick and Tipperary, and in the city of Waterford (1603-14), 1 item  
c1620
- MS 6139** Register of leases of the properties of Sir Lewis Boyle, Viscount Boyle of Kynalmeaky, in the town of Bandonbridge and elsewhere in County Cork, with index of lessees, 1 item  
1628.
- MS 6140** “A Rentall Booke of such Manore Lands, Tenements, and Hereditaments as the Earle of Cork hath conveyed to Sir Richard Boyle, Knight, Lo. Viscount Dungarvan, his Son and Heir”, being a rental and survey of lands in counties Cork, Waterford, and Tipperary made over by Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, to his son Richard, afterwards 2nd Earl, with index of lessees, 1 item  
c1635
- MS 43,220/ 2** Abstracts of deeds and leases relating to the estates of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork, 1 item  
c1640 [*Very badly damaged & fragile*]

- MS 6142** “A Book of all my mayne Evidences and Deeds Abstracted in Anno Domini 1642”, being a volume of abstracts of leases, deeds of purchase, mortgages, etc., in the possession of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, relating to lands in the province of Munster, but mainly in the counties of Cork and Waterford (c1589-1640), 1 item  
1642
- MS 6143** Volume of copies of leases of lands in counties Cork and Waterford executed by Elizabeth, Countess of Cork, by the authority of her husband, Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork, 1 item  
1649
- MS 43,220/ 3** List of deeds, leases, and other papers relating to the Irish estates of Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork, 1 item  
c1660 [*Badly damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,220/ 4** ‘Abstract of all my Evidences and Writings in my Study in Youghall in the Kingdom of Ireland’, containing a schedule of deeds, leases, bonds, and other papers relating to the Irish estates of Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, 1 item  
c1680 [*Some damp damage*]
- MS 43,220/ 5** Schedule of deeds, leases, bonds, and other papers relating to the Irish estates of Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington  
c1680
- MS 43,220/ 6** Schedules of deeds, leases, bonds, and other papers relating to the Irish estates of Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, 4 items  
c1680 [*One badly damaged*]
- MS 6144/ 2** Schedule of leases executed by Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, concerning properties in counties Waterford and Cork between 1665 and 1680, 1 item  
c1680
- MS 6147** Register of leases made by Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, in respect of fishery rights on the Blackwater River, and of lands and tenements on the counties Cork, Waterford, Dublin, Wicklow, and Roscommon during 1690-97, 1 item  
c1700
- MS 43,220/ 7** Lists of deeds, leases, and other papers held by the Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork, and Roger Power (his agent), with abstracts of deeds and leases relating to the Irish estates of the Earls of Cork and Burlington, 11 items  
1702-33 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]

- MS 43,220/ 8** Lists of leases executed for lands and properties in the districts of Bandon, Lismore and Youghal, 10 items  
1702-36
- MS 43,220/ 9** Schedule of deeds, leases, valuations, and rentals relating to the Irish estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington  
c1706
- MS 7195** Office register containing a short catalogue of deeds and other documents at the residence in Youghal of Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, with notes on tenancies and accounts of iron bar (1635-44), 1 item  
1707
- MS 6146** Volume of deeds and conveyances of several estates in Ireland, sold for payment of the debts of Charles Boyle, 3rd Earl of Cork and Burlington in 1705 and 1713-16, 1 item  
c1715
- MS 43,220/ 10** Instructions of Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington to his agents for houses and tenements to be let by lease (1719), a "List of leases which were set for leases of lives renewable for ever by public cant at Corke, 24 Oct 1729, with an account of what part of the fines has been received and remain due from each lessee" (1730), an account of "The Purchasers and Lessees to the Rt. Hon. Richard, Earle of Burlington" (1730), and a list of "Leases of Kynatallon, late Lady Clifford's Jointure", set Lady Day 1744 (c1770), 4 items  
1719-c1770
- MS 43,220/ 11** Printed notices containing schedules of tenements and lands due to be set for leases on the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington in the counties Cork and Waterford, commencing in March 1719, 1725, and 1728, 3 items  
1718-28
- MS 43,220/ 12** Posted Print: Schedule of lands to be let from Lady Day 1730 in the Manors of Cloghnakilty and Enniskeane, Barony of East Carbery, Co. Cork, 1 item  
24 Jun 1729
- MS 6554** List of leases of land in county Cork, forming part of the estates of Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, 1 item  
1729
- MS 6559** Index to leases and associated documents relating to the estates of

- Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington in counties Waterford and Cork, 1 item  
1730
- MS 6141** “Book of Evidence of the Irish Estate not finished”, being an abstract of the title deeds of the estate in County Cork of Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington (1273-1711), 1 item  
c1730
- MS 43,220/ 13** Schedules of lands to be let in the Manors of Cloghnakilty and Enniskeane, Barony of East Carbery, Co. Cork, and list of leases to be executed in the Lismore district, 3 items  
c1730
- MS 6156** Schedule of leases executed by Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, in respect of his estates at Lismore, Co. Waterford, and Kinnatalloon, Youghal, and Bandon, Co. Cork (1718-51), 1 item  
1751
- MS 43,220/ 14** Schedule of deeds, leases, papers, maps, and surveys of the Irish estates of William Cavendish, 4th Duke of Devonshire, 1 item  
c1760
- MS 43,220/ 15** Schedule of deeds, leases, papers, maps, and surveys of the Irish estates of William Cavendish, 4th Duke of Devonshire, as located in the Lismore estate office, 1 item  
c1760
- MS 6155** Schedule of leases of the estate of Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington and William Cavendish, 4th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, Co. Cork (1729-61), 1 item  
1761
- MS 43,220/ 16** Schedule of counterparts of leases taken out of the Evidence Room at Burlington House by William Conner on 1 March 1777, 1 item  
1777
- MS 6176** Schedule of leases executed by Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington in the Bandon district, by William Murray, 1st Baron Mansfield as a trustee of the estates, and by William Cavendish, 5th Duke of Devonshire (1718-86), 1 item  
c1810
- MS 43,220/ 17** Assorted abstracts, schedules, and lists of patents, grants, deeds, leases, and charters, including those relating to Clonakilty, and to the tithes of Kilmurry, Kilmichael, Inchegeelagh, and Ballymodan, 14

- items  
c1795-1820
- MS 6144/1** Schedule of leases executed largely by Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington concerning properties in counties Waterford and Cork (1720-96), with index, 1 item  
c1800 [*Damaged – requires re-housing*]
- MS 6177** Schedule of leases in counties Waterford and Cork executed largely by Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington in the Bandon district, and by William Murray, 1st Baron Mansfield as a trustee of his estates (1719-1802), 1 item  
c1805
- MS 43,220/ 18** Reference to deeds consisting of an alphabetical list of lands of the Duke of Devonshire's Irish estates "comprised in the old and new schedules", compiled by John Heaton, 1 item  
c1805
- MS 43,220/ 19** Schedule of deeds and leases of the Irish estates of the Duke of Devonshire, with some abstracts, 1 item  
c1810
- MS 43,220/ 20** Schedules of the Irish estates of the Duke of Devonshire of which no leases were then extant, covering lands within the Bandon, Ballyrafter and Kinatalloon districts, 3 items  
c1810
- MS 43,220/ 21** Lists of freeholders and freehold leases for tenements in the town of Dungarvan, 10 items  
1814-6
- MS 43,220/ 22** Schedule of patents, deeds, leases, and papers found in the cave at Bessborough House on 22 April 1820, 1 item  
1820
- MS 43,220/ 23** Lists of leases executed for properties on the Ballynoe, Lismore and Tallow estates, 5 items  
1820-3
- MS 43,220/ 24** Abstracts of grants, and schedule of patents, deeds, and leases respecting the possession of Gillabbey, 4 items  
1822-7
- MS 43,220/ 25** Schedule of deeds, leases, and other papers sent to Thomas Seward (solicitor), 1 item

1824-6

- MS 43,220/ 26** Miscellaneous lists and memoranda, including “List of persons having holdings but not in the rental” (17 Nov 1843), “Leases which will expire on the death of Lord Granville” (1845), “Rough Memoranda. Leases to Tenants of the Duke of Devonshire” (set between 1815 and 1834), and “Memorandum of leases yet to expire” (c1830), 5 items  
1825-45
- MS 6179** List of deeds relating to lands in counties Waterford and Cork (1604-1767), found amongst the papers of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Lismore Castle, Co. Waterford, 1 item  
1827
- MS 6160** A schedule of leases in the town of Tallow, Co. Waterford, and in the barony of Kinnatalloon, Co. Cork (1737-1837), compiled after 1827, 1 item  
c1827-50
- MS 43,220/ 27** Lists of attested copies of leases, rentals, abstracts, pedigrees, charters, translations, surveys and books of account and various papers relating to Chancery and law proceedings, 2 copies  
1829
- MS 43,220/ 28** Notebook containing details of leases for the River Blackwater fisheries at Ballynatra, Ballyphillip and Youghal set between 1631 and 1822, 1 item  
c1830
- MS 43,220/ 29** Schedules of leases for lands, tithes and fisheries set between 1607 and 1825, 5 items  
1832, 1842 & n.d.
- MS 6184** Lists of leases from the town of Youghal, Co. Cork, set between 1720 and 1837, 1 item  
c1837
- MS 43,220/ 30** Lists and abstracts of deeds and leases relating to property in East and West Carbery (1614-1749), to the lease and sale of lands to Richard Tonson (1729), and William Tonson (1738), and to the mortgage to Sir William Heathcote (1749), 10 items  
1846 & n.d.
- MS 43,220/ 31** Catalogue of original and attested copies of documents sent to

- Dublin in May 1847 relating to the Irish estates of the Duke of Devonshire, 2 items  
1847
- MS 43,220/ 32** Schedule of leases prepared for the tenantry of the Duke of Devonshire between 1818 and 1843, with costs of each annexed, 1 item  
c1849
- MS 6185** Lists of leases of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, Cork, and Gillabbey, Co. Cork (1816-60), 1 item  
c1860
- MS 6171** Schedule of leases in respect of the town and lands of Youghal, Co. Cork (1826-60), 1 item  
c1860
- MS 43,220/ 33** Schedule of leases for properties in Dungarvan Town set between 1775 and 1857, 1 item  
c1860
- MS 6170** Schedule of leases in respect of the town of Dungarvan, Co. Waterford (1757-1860), 1 item  
c1860
- MS 43,220/ 34** Schedule of the particulars of conveyances of properties in Dungarvan Town executed by the vendor (1859-61), with a schedule of deeds and documents concerning the sale of the Devonshire estate in Dungarvan returned by John Orpin (solicitor), 2 items  
1859-84
- MS 6189** Schedule of leases relating to the estates of the Duke of Devonshire in County Cork, with special reference to the town of Bandon and barony of Kinalmeaky (1783-1834), together with a rental of tenements in the towns of Tallow and Lismore, County Waterford (1862-68), 1 item  
c1868
- MS 6200** Draft inventories of title deeds (held in Lismore Castle) of the Duke of Devonshire to estates in Ireland, mainly in counties Waterford and Cork dating 1574-1782, 1 item  
1869
- MS 6191** Schedule of leases relating to the estates of the Duke of Devonshire in Bandon town and district, and elsewhere in Co. Cork dating 1816-



90, 1 item  
c1890

**MS 6190** Schedule of leases relating to the estates of the Duke of Devonshire in Tallow town and district, Co. Waterford dating 1786-1903, 1 item  
c1903

**MS 6192** Schedule of leases relating to the estates of the Duke of Devonshire in Lismore town and district, Co. Waterford dating 1819-1914, 1 item  
c1914

### *II.v.11 Schedules and Lists of Agreements and Proposals*

**MS 43,221/ 1** Book of copies of articles of agreement for properties on the estates of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington for the years 1692 and 1693-4, 2 items  
1692-4

**MS 43,221/ 2** Lists of agreements delivered to Jeremy Coughlan and William Snowe (6 Sep 1710) and book of copies of articles of agreement for various tenements and ploughlands on the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington (Apr 1726), 2 items  
1710 & 1726

**MS 43,221/ 3** Book of copies of articles of agreement for lands in County Waterford (1715-7), 1 item  
c1717

**MS 43,221/ 4** Book of copies of articles of agreement for one year's rental of tenements in the Town of Youghal, to do suit and service to the Earl of Cork's Manor Court of Inchiquin and to grind corn at the Earl's mills at Youghal, 1 item  
1717

**MS 43,221/ 5** Book of copies of articles of agreement for lands in County Waterford, 1 item  
1717-8

**MS 43,221/ 6** Book of copies of articles of agreement for one year's rental of tenements in the Town of Youghal, to do suit and service to the Earl of Cork's Manor Court of Inchiquin and to grind corn at the Earl's mills at Youghal, 1 item  
1718

**MS 43,221/ 7** Book of copies of articles of agreement for lands in the Barony of

- Imokilly, Co. Cork, made on 25 March 1718 and 25 March 1719, 1 item  
1718-9
- MS 43,221/ 8** Lists of proposals for leases for the Town of Youghal, and for the Towns of Bandon, Dungarvan, Lismore, Tallow, Youghal and Waterford, 2 items  
1719-20
- MS 43,221/ 9** Book of copies of articles of agreement for one year's rental of tenements in the Town of Youghal, to do suit and service to the the Earl of Cork's Manor Court of Inchiquin and to grind corn at the Earl's mills at Youghal  
1720
- MS 43,221/ 10** Book of copies of articles of agreement for lands in the Youghal district made on 12 April 1728, 1 item  
1728
- MS 43,221/ 11** Books of copies of articles of agreement with tenants for properties in the Tallow district (20 Mar 1818) and for various lands in the counties Cork and Waterford (March 1814), and a list of tenants who agreed to pay yearly rents for their holdings as recently valued by Benjamin Popham under the instructions of Thomas Knowlton, commencing Lady Day 1814, 3 items  
1814 & 1818

#### *II.v.12 Memorials*

- MS 43,222/ 1** Memorial of a deed from Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington to Peter Waller, with a statement of title and list of recoveries and deeds concerning the estate of Henry Boyle, 1st Baron Carleton, 3 items  
1727-32 [*Damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,222/ 2** Memorials and copies of memorials of agreements, leases and indentures of lease and release for properties in Dungarvan, Youghal, Ballydehob, several townlands and ploughlands in County Cork and the Spittal Lands of Golden Bridge, Co. Tipperary made between 1725 and 1822, 12 items  
1817-60

#### *II.v.13 Costs of Leases*

- MS 43,223/ 1** Account of the costs of leases prepared for the tenantry of the Duke

of Devonshire's Irish estates by Thomas Seward for the period 1818 to 1843, with an abstract of Mr. Seward's bill of lease costs, 2 items 1849

- MS 43,223/ 2** Receipts of payments made to Thomas Seward by various leaseholders for the preparation of leases from the Duke of Devonshire, 43 items  
n.d.
- MS 43,223/ 3** Memoranda particularising the costs of preparing leases, scales of fees for furnishing leases, lists of stamp duty payments and promissory notes, with bills and accounts of costs, 26 items 1817-48

### *II.v.14 Associated Papers*

#### II.v.14.A Notes and Memoranda

- MS 43,224/ 1** Notes and memoranda containing lists and descriptions of the Spittal lands of County Tipperary, including orders of Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Capt. Francis ffoulkes to demand possession of these lands (20 Feb 1696), 22 items 1693-1752
- MS 43,224/ 2** Miscellaneous memoranda, notes and papers connected with leasehold properties on the Duke of Devonshire's estates in counties Cork and Waterford, 24 items 1711-93
- MS 43,224/ 3** Miscellaneous memoranda, notes and papers connected with leasehold properties on the Duke of Devonshire's estates in counties Cork and Waterford, 35 items 1801-20
- MS 43,224/ 4** Miscellaneous memoranda, notes and papers connected with leasehold properties on the Duke of Devonshire's estates in counties Cork and Waterford, 35 items 1821-7
- MS 43,224/ 5** Miscellaneous memoranda, notes and papers connected with leasehold properties on the Duke of Devonshire's estates, including leases for Templevalley, Curryglass and Lisnabrine, 36 items 1829-38
- MS 43,224/ 6** Miscellaneous memoranda, notes and papers connected with leasehold properties on the Duke of Devonshire's estates, 46 items

1839-61

II.v.14.B Correspondence

- MS 43,225/ 1** Letters, memoranda, notes, agreements, receipts and maps concerning leases for the lands of Ballinvelly held by Edmond, Thomas and Patrick Barry, 24 items  
1753-1831
- MS 43,225/ 2** Correspondence and papers concerning the Duke of Devonshire's title to and rental of 'Walshe's Great House' in the city of Waterford, 33 items  
1805-30 & 1851-2
- MS 43,225/ 3** Letters, memoranda, notes, proposals and agreements concerning leases for tenements and land in the town of Tallow in the possession of Roger, Ellen and John Robinett, 28 items  
1815-40
- MS 43,225/ 4** Correspondence and papers regarding the lease of the property of Charlotte Mannix in the town of Youghal, and of John Uniacke at Knockrour, 15 items  
1819-27 & 1827-8
- MS 43,225/ 5** Letters, memoranda, notes and memorials concerning leases for land at Tullyglass, Enniskeane, and Ballinroad, 15 items  
1820-1
- MS 43,225/ 6** Memoranda, notes and memorials from tenants requesting lots of land on Ballyin and Ballyrafter Mountains, 18 items  
1822-5
- MS 43,225/ 7** Letters and papers relating to the lease of Ballygaggin by William Wren, the lease of the White Bog held by W.A. Lamb in the town of Youghal (including two letters dated 1794), and letters and proposals for properties in the town of Tallow, 27 items  
1832-43
- MS 43,225/ 8** Letters and copies of leases for the property of John Hudson in the town of Youghal, and for the Rev. Arthur Hyde's holdings at Ardnasack and the town of Youghal, 16 items  
1841-57
- MS 43,225/ 9** Letters to Francis E. Curry from William Currey and John Browne concerning the preparation of forms of leases and demises, with the legal advice and opinion of Walter Berwick, 17 items

1843 & 1847-8

- MS 43,225/ 10** Letters to Alexander Swanston, Francis E. Curry, and Basil Orpin concerning the lease for Munster Model Farm at Ballygaggin, and the boundary of Miss Jennings's holding at Gillabbey, Co. Cork (with trace map), 13 items  
1853-70
- MS 43,225/ 11** Miscellaneous letters to William Ashby, William S. Curry, Benjamin Popham, Thomas Seward, and Henry Witham relating to leases and leasehold properties, correspondents include William Sadleir, Richard Magrath and Michael Gill, 35 items  
1814-29
- MS 43,225/ 12** Miscellaneous letters to William S. Curry, Thomas Seward, Henry Witham, and Alexander Swanston relating to leases and leasehold properties, correspondents include William Warde, Rodolphus Greene, Thomas Foley and William Markes, 21 items  
1830-9
- MS 43,225/ 13** Miscellaneous letters to Francis E. Curry, Henry Witham, and Alexander Swanston relating to leases and leasehold properties, correspondents include William Currey, Rodolphus Greene, Henry Garde and Richard Hudson, 25 items  
1840-68

#### II.v.14.C Labels

- MS 43,226** Assorted labels (some cut from old deeds), markers and envelopes, 90 items  
n.d.

### III PAPERS OF RICHARD BOYLE, 1st EARL OF CORK

For further information on the documents listed in this category readers should consult the relevant section of the introduction to the Lismore Castle Papers. The papers listed below have been arranged in five categories, being (1) letters and papers, (2) legal papers, (3) accounts, (4) financial papers and (5) general estate papers, and then sub-divided according to the type of document (or, in the case of legal papers, the litigants). The papers listed within each sub-division are then arranged in chronological order. It should be noted that this category represents the paper archive of Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork and that all parchment deeds, leases, settlements, and wills etc. generated by the 'Great Earl' are listed elsewhere in the appropriate categories of this list (see sections I and II).

### **III.i Letters and Papers**

This section contains a collection of correspondence and personal papers of Richard Boyle, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork which refer to both estate and public matters. They consist of letters to public officials, landowners, tenants and family members, and therefore contain much valuable information on political and social matters in Munster during the early to mid-seventeenth century.

#### ***III.i.1 Letters***

- MS 12,813/ 1-4** A manuscript calendar of vols. 1-36 of the Lismore Papers, consisting largely of the correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork; a part of the family muniments inherited by the Dukes of Devonshire relating to the affairs of successive Earls of Cork and Burlington (1575-1774), preserved at Chatsworth House, 4 volumes c1864
- MS 43,266/ 1** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Sir Walter Raleigh (15 Oct 1587) and Sir Robert Cecil (31 Apr 1601), letters to Sir Richard Boyle from Elizabeth Randall (21 Apr 1603) and from Thomas Sarsfield regarding munitions for Kinsale (25 April 1603), letter from Sir Richard Boyle to the Lord Deputy of Ireland (2 May 1603), and letters to Sir Richard Boyle from William Fenton (17 May 1603 & 15 Dec 1603), from William Chisnull (25 Aug 1603), and from William Greatrakes (11 May 1604), 9 items  
1587-1604
- MS 13,240/1** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising a letter to Sir Jeffrey Fenton from the Robert Devereux, 2nd Earl of Essex regarding Owen Wood, Dean of Armagh (25 Apr 1596), 1 item  
1596
- MS 13,236/2** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Sir Richard Boyle from Owen McSwine (16 Jul 1602), from Thomas [?] (11 May 1603), from Sir Geoffrey Fenton (17 May 1603), and from Thomas Younge (16 Apr 1608), 5 items  
1602-8
- MS 13,255/1** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Sir Richard Boyle from James Chillester concerning payments of debt (25 Oct & 1 Dec 1602), from J. Gayles Norman (2 Dec 1603), copy letters from Richard, Earl of Cork to Nicholas Blacknall (1 May 1622), and James Ley, 1st Earl of Marlborough (18 May 1626), draft letter concerning a bond for £700 between Richard, Earl of Cork and Thomas Bates (19 Apr 1630), and a letter

from Charles Coombes to Richard, Earl of Cork concerning Skeghamore (1635), 7 items  
1602-35

- MS 13,236/3** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Sir Richard Boyle from Thomas Ball (19 Feb 1605/6, 22 Apr 1606 & 15 Mar 1607/8), from Anthony Dillon (6 Apr 1605), from Sir Geoffrey Fenton (Oct 1607), from Richard Jobson (28 Jun 1609), and from David fitz James Barry, 3rd Viscount Buttevant (30 Sep 1609), 7 items  
1605-9
- MS 43,266/ 2** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Sir Richard Boyle from Sir Geoffrey Fenton regarding his daughter's furniture (12 Jul 1605), from Robert Hardinge regarding Captain Robert Morgan (Jul 1605), from Thomas Darrell and David Meargh regarding Riverview (12 Oct 1605), from Thomas [?] regarding Thomas Darrell (22 Oct 1605), from Charles Coote regarding Mr. Fenton (2 May 1606), from the Mayor of Youghal regarding the Corporation (22 Nov 1606), from John Asher (5 May 1607), from Alice Fenton (20 Jul 1608), from Anthony Radcliffe (20 Jan 1610), and letter from Sir Richard Boyle, with an account between Sir Richard Morrisson, Vice-President of Munster, and Sir Richard Boyle (23 Apr 1610), 10 items  
1605-10
- MS 13,236/4** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Sir Richard Boyle from Robert Forde (3 May 1613), from Edward Bradstone (6 May 1613), from William Kellett (19 Jul 1611), from Sir George Flower (23 Oct 1610), and from William Newse (6 May 1613), 5 items  
1610-3
- MS 43,266/ 3** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising a letter from Sir Richard Boyle to Sir Arthur Chichester, Lord Deputy of Ireland (1 Jan 1611/2), letters to Sir Richard Boyle from James Hay, 1st Viscount Doncaster, Whitehall (1621), from John Prendergast (7 Jan 1612/3), from William Chisshull concerning payments from the iron works account to Thomas Ball (26 Apr 1612), letter from Sir Richard Boyle to James Foster, Constable of Lismore, concerning payments to William Chisshull (27 Apr 1612), letter Sir Richard Boyle from Richard Boyle, Viscount Dungarvan (18 Dec 1613), from Robert Carew, Sheriff of Dungarvan (29 Jan 1614/5), and copy of the answer of Sir Richard Boyle upon the vice-president, his letter received by Owen Hughes (6 Jan 1614/5), 8 items

1611-4 & 1621

- MS 43,266/ 4** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Sir Richard Boyle from the Burgesses of Dingle (19 Jan 1615), from Henry Cook (1 Jun 1615), from Sir John Fenton (18 Jun 1615, endorsed 20 Jan 1615/6), from Sir William Slyngsby and Sir Francis Slyngsby (4 Aug 1615, endorsed 22 Jan 1615/6), from John FitzGerald (5 Aug 1615), from Walter Butler, 11th Earl of Ormonde (1 Oct 1615, endorsed 18 Jan 1615/6), from Thomas Roper (16 Dec 1615, endorsed 22 Jan 1615/6), from William Coke (18 Dec 1615, endorsed 2 Jan 1615/6), and from Sir John Everard (22 Dec 1615, endorsed 2 Jan 1615/6), 9 items  
1615
- MS 13,236/5** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Sir Richard Boyle from Dermod McCarthy (30 Sep 1615), from Sir John Jephson (9 Jun 1615), from Sir Adam Loftus, the younger (10 Jun 1615), D. de Ross and Fermoy [possibly David Roche, 7th Viscount Roche of Fermoy] (14 Jun 1615), and from Robert Potter (c1615), 5 items  
1615
- MS 13,236/6** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Sir Richard Boyle from Thomas Wilson to Sir Richard Boyle (4 Jul 1616), from William Bodley to Sir Richard Boyle (2 Jan 1615/6), from Thomas Hussey (4 Jan 1615/6), from Sir William Power (15 Jan 1615/6), from John Crosbie, Bishop of Ardfert (11 Jan 1615/6), from John Burgatt (25 Jan 1615/6), from Roger Vaughan (13 Jul 1616), and from Geoffrey Luttrell (3 Jul 1616), 8 items  
1616
- MS 13,236/7** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Sir Richard Boyle from Richard Pearle (5 Aug 1616), from Robert Benn (28 & 30 Aug 1616), from Sir John Beare (7 Aug 1616), from Ellen Sulyvane (29 Aug 1616), from Thomas Fitzgerald (30 Aug 1616), and from William Wiseman to Sir Richard Boyle (30 Aug 1616), 7 items  
1616
- MS 13,236/8** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Richard, Baron of Youghal from Lady Joan Fitzgerald (12 Sep 1616), from John Fitzgarrett (7 Sep 1616), from D. de Ross and Fermoy (4 Sep 1616), from Sir Thomas Roper to Sir Richard Boyle (2 Sep 1616), with a bill (n.d.), 5 items  
1616



- MS 13,236/9** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Richard, Baron of Youghal from Thomas Parker (23 Jun 1617), from Captain William Hull (5 Apr 1617), from Nicholas Barham (31 Jan 1617), from Owen Boyle (25 May 1617), from William Fenton (15 Apr 1617), from George Boyle (18 Jun 1617), from Richard Danyell (15 Jul 1617), from Sir Thomas Smythe (13 Jul 1617), Allen Apsley (20 Jul 1617), from Edward Davenant (18 Jun 1617), and from William Maye to George Boyle (31 May 1617), 11 items  
1617
- MS 13,236/10** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Richard, Baron of Youghal from Donogh O'Brien, 4th Earl of Thomond (7 Aug 1617), from Sir Robert Jacob (2 Aug 1617), from Sir Laurence Esmonde (30 Jul 1617), from Mary Bates (6 Aug 1617), from M. Skipwith (3 Aug 1617), from Richard [?] (10 Aug 1617), from William ffreake (11 Aug 1617), from Richard Jobson (11 Aug 1617), return concerning the watercourse between John [?] and Robert Hellier (26 Aug 1617), and letters to Richard, Baron of Youghal from David Fitzgerald (2 Aug 1617), from Sir Oliver Lambert (6 Aug 1617), and from Sir Robert Newcomen (Jul 1617), 12 items  
1617
- MS 13,236/11** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Richard, Baron of Youghal from Sir William Power (1 Aug 1617), with enclosed copy of patent, from Sir Simon Weston (12 Aug 1617), from Sir George Flower (11 & 22 Aug 1617), from George Boyle (2 Aug 1617), from Anthony Russell (20 Aug 1617), from Sir R. Wadding (20 Aug 1617), from Roberta Barham (8 Aug 1617), from James Daunt (16 Aug 1617), from Herbert Nicholas (27 Aug 1617), from Nicholas Blacknall (15 Aug 1617), and from John de Courcy, 18th Baron Kinsale (20 Aug 1617), 12 items  
1617
- MS 13,236/12** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Richard, Baron of Youghal from Elizabeth Stanley (30 Nov 1617), from Henry Austen (12 Sep 1617), from John O'Longye (19 Sep 1617), from Sir Laurence Esmonde (Nov 1617), from M. Skipwith (10 Oct 1617), from John Fitzgerald (24 Oct 1617), from Sir Allen Apsley (22 Oct 1617), and the heads of an agreement between Richard, Baron of Youghal and Thomas Ball concerning his leases and rent in Tallow (15 Nov 1617), 8 items  
1617

- MS 13,240/2** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising a letter to Sir William Fenton from Christopher Brown regarding political affairs (20 Jan 1617), 1 item  
1617
- MS 13,236/13** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Richard, Baron of Youghal from Dean Richard Boyle (21 Jan 1617/8), from Sir George Flower (24 Jan 1617/8), from Lawrence Parsons to Richard, Baron of Youghal (20, 26 & 31 Jan 1617/8), from the Earl of Thomond (3 Jan 1617/8), from William Supple (25 Jan 1617/8, Latin text), from William Mc[?] (25 Jan 1617/8), from Christopher Browne (10 Jan 1617/8), from John Boyle (10 Jan 1617/8), from Sir William Fenton (2 Feb 1617/8), and from Hugh Persivall (21 Jan 1617/8), 12 items  
1617-8
- MS 43,266/ 5** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Richard, Baron of Youghal from John Boyle (14 Feb 1616/7), from Sir William Fenton (6 Mar 1616/7), from R. Waller (27 Aug 1616), from John Potter (4 Sep 1616), from Thomas Smythe of Gillabbey (12 Sep 1616), from Evan Owens of Lismore (21 Jan 1617/8), from John Fitz Edmond Gerald (26 Jan 1617/8), from Sir Humphrey May (4 Mar 1617/8), from Margrete Grimestone (7 Mar 1617/8), from Sir William Fenton (27 Mar 1617), and from Lady Denny (3 Apr 1617), 11 items  
1617-8
- MS 43,266/ 6** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Richard, Baron of Youghal from Sir John Jephson (3 May 1617), from the Lord Burgesses of Kerry (10 Jun 1617), from Robert Tobering, Sovereign of Tallow (25 Jul 1617), from Thomas Young (13 Aug 1617), from Sir Dominic Sarsfield (2 Sep 1617), from C. Champnowne (10 Sep 1617), from James Grant (15 Sep 1617), from the Lord Burgesses of Kerry (25 Sep 1617), from Lady Honora Fitzgerald (24 Nov 1617), from John Otter (28 Nov 1617), and from Edward Bacon (1617), 11 items  
1617
- MS 13,236/14** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Richard, Baron of Youghal from Robert St. John (5 Apr 1618), from James, Lord Dunboyne (17 Apr 1618), from William Haly (12 Apr 1618), from Dermod Moriarty (7 Apr 1618), from Owen Oge Murtagh (16 Apr 1618), from Walter Coppinger (15 Apr 1618), from Captain Walter Norton (8 Apr 1618), from Andrew Bowlder (15 Apr 1618), from Honora Fitzgerald (10 Apr 1618), and from Patrick and Thomas White (21 Apr 1618), 10 items  
1618

- MS 13,236/15** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Richard, Baron of Youghal from Sir Allen Apsley (11 May 1618), from Henry Wright (16 Jun 1618), from Henry Pyne (3 Jun 1618), from Sir Allen Apsley (11 Jun 1618), from Nicholas Blacknall (2 Jul 1618), from James Wallis (8 Jul 1618), 6 items 1618
- MS 43,266/ 7** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Richard, Baron of Youghal from Thomas Rosse (27 Jan 1618/9), from Thomas Roper (Jan 1618/9), from Sir Lawrence Edmonds (3 Apr 1618), from Sir Richard Maisteron (7 Apr 1618), from Lord Fermoy (7 Apr 1618), from Sir Dominic Sarsfield (7 & 10 Apr 1618), from Robert Raborne (10 Apr 1618), from Sir George Flower (12 Apr 1618), and from William Greatrakes (13 Apr 1618), 10 items 1618-9
- MS 43,266/ 8** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising a letter from John Barry to David fitz James Barry, 3rd Viscount Buttevant (13 Apr 1618), and letters to Richard, Baron of Youghal from Robert Cook (13 Apr 1618), from John Hampton (15 Apr 1618), from William Jones (15 Apr 1618), from Lawrence Parsons (16 & 23 Apr 1618), from Lord Fermoy (21 Apr 1618), from Sir John Everard (2 May 1618), from Thomas Taylor (25 Jul 1618), and from the Burgesses of Waterford (29 Sep 1618), 10 items 1618
- MS 13,236/16** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Richard, Baron of Youghal from Thomas Ball (27 Feb 1618/9 & 19 Jul 1619), from George Moyser (13 Mar 1618/9), from Nevill Davis (2 Jun 1619), and from Dermod McCarthy (15 Jul 1619), 5 items 1619
- MS 13,236/17** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Richard, Baron of Youghal from Captain William Hull (20 Sep 1619), from Teig Moriarty (21 Sep 1619), from Sir Francis Slynsgby (5 Sep 1619), from John Turner (21 Sep 1619), from Edward Kendall (25 Sep 1619), from Dermod Moriarty (21 Sep 1619), from Walter Nagle (26 Sep 1619), and from Nevill Davis (16 Sep 1619), 9 items 1619
- MS 13,236/18** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising a certificate from the officer of the receipts in the Exchange of London confirming Thomas Ball had paid the rents for the

ironworks of Richard, Baron of Youghal (28 Oct 1619), letters to Richard, Baron of Youghal from Peregrine Banaster (20 Sep 1619), and Thomas Ball (6 Oct 1619), and a copy of the King's letter to the Lord Deputy of Ireland on behalf of William Burrell of Deptford (2 Dec 1619), 4 items  
1619

**MS 43,266/ 9** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Richard, Baron of Youghal from Sir Allen [?] (30 Mar 1619), from Harvey Wright (7 Apr 1619), from Sir George Flower (6 Sep 1619), from Sir William Sarsfield, containing a Latin verse (22 Sep 1619), from Nicholas Walsh (25 Oct 1619), from Walter Nangle (19 Apr 1620), from Dermod Moriarty of Dingle (29 Apr 1620), from Edmond Fitz Gerald (13 Jul 1620), and from Henry Houlton, Sovereign of Tallagh, County Waterford (29 Jul 1620), 10 items  
1619-20

**MS 13,237/1** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Richard, Baron of Youghal from Sir Oliver St. John, Lord Deputy of Ireland (28 Jan 1619/20), from Anthony Stawell (17 Apr 1619), from Thomas [?], Provost of Bandon (22 Apr 1620), letter to Richard, Baron of Youghal concerning the legal dispute with Thomas Ball and William Burrell over the ironworks (11 Jan 1619/20), and a copy of the order of the Lord Deputy and Council concerning the iron and money stayed in Richard Crow's hands factotum for Thomas Ball (20 Jan 1619/20), 5 items  
1620

**MS 43,266/ 10** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Richard, Earl of Cork from Edmond Fitz Gerald (29 Oct 1620), from Nicholas Newman (5 Nov 1620), from Clifford Tout (c1620), copy letter from Richard, Baron of Youghal to the Lord Deputy of Ireland (c1620), letter from John Doughty, Mayor of Bristol to Richard, Viscount of Dungarvan, with copy of his reply (23 & 31 Jul 1621), copy letters from Richard, Earl of Cork to Sir George Horsey concerning Sir Bernard Grenville and the lands of Fermoy (27 Feb & 12 Apr 1622), and letters to Richard, Earl of Cork from George Hillier of Bristol (1 Jul 1622), and from Sir George Horsey (21 Oct 1622), 9 items  
1620-2

**MS 13,237/2** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters from Nicholas Drewe (17 Oct 1622), from John Doughty (3 Oct 1622), from George Hellier (18 Jun, 14 Sep 1622 & 23 Oct 1622), from Theobald Bryttas (1 Jan 1621/2), from Thomas

Goldfinch (20 Jun 1622), 7 items  
1622 [*Damaged & very fragile*]

- MS 13,237/3** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters from Edmond Feritter (16 Jul 1622), from Sir George Horsey (23 May 1623), from the Sovereign and Burgesses of Dungarvan (19 May 1622), from Christopher and Ann Burkett (23 May 1623), from Bernard Adams, Bishop of Limerick (28 Jul 1623), from William ffreke (28 Jul 1623), and from Nicholas Barham, with a copy of the Earl of Cork's reply (17 & 21 Sep 1623), 8 items  
1622-3
- MS 13,237/4** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters from Lawrence Parsons (29 Nov 1623), from R. Calvert (29 Nov 1622), from Richard Boyle, Bishop of Cork and Cloyne (13 Nov 1623), from Charles Dale (30 Nov 1623), from Henry Cary, 1st Viscount Falkland, Lord Deputy of Ireland (25 Nov 1623), and from Sir Adam Loftus (30 Oct 1623), 6 items  
1622-3
- MS 13,237/5** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising copies of letters and accounts with Robert Godsby (11-21 Aug 1623), letters to Richard, Earl of Cork from Thomas Roper (9 Sep 1623), from James Gallwey (18 Sep 1623), from William O'Brien (20 Nov 1623), from William Wiseman (10 Sep 1623), from John Mc Robert Gerald (19 Sep 1623), and a copy letter from Richard, Earl of Cork to Richard Fitz[?], the King's Attorney for Munster (29 Nov 1623), 7 items  
1623
- MS 13,237/6** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters from Sir Laurence Esmonde (30 Nov & 1 Dec 1623), from Thomas Ridgeway, 1st Earl of Londonderry (3 Dec 1623), from Henry Wright (5 & 6 Dec 1623), from Donough O'Brien, 4th Earl of Thomond, Lord President of Munster (1 Dec 1623), from Richard Nicholets (4 Dec 1623), from Sir Lawrence Parsons (3 Dec 1623), and from Ellice Everarde (3 Dec 1623), 9 items  
1623
- MS 13,237/7** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters from Lord Francis Aungier (7 Dec 1623), from Henry Wright (13 Dec 1623), from John Shepherd (12 Dec 1623), from Gilbert Drewe (9 Dec 1623), from John Potter (12 Dec 1623), from Peter Baker to Richard, Earl of Cork, 11 Dec 1623), and from Henry Wright (7 Dec 1623), with a copy letter from Richard, Earl of Cork to Sir Lawrence Parsons (6 Dec 1623), 8 items

1623

**MS 13,237/8** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters from Thomas Ridgeway, 1st Earl of Londonderry (15 Dec 1623), from Sir Henry Persse (6 Dec 1623), from William Wiseman (15 Dec 1623), from David Walshe (15 Dec 1623), from Sir Lawrence Parsons (17 Dec 1623), from Sir John Fitzgerald (Edmonds) (13 Dec 1623), from Edward Brandon (16 Dec 1623), from Sir John Leake (18 Dec 1623), from Augustine Atkins (13 Dec 1623), and from Richard Fitz[?], the King's Attorney for Munster (13 Dec 1623), 10 items

1623

**MS 43,266/ 11** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Richard, Earl of Cork from Thomas Smythe of Gillabbey (17 Mar 1623/4), copy letter from Richard, Earl of Cork to Sir George Horsey (18 Jul 1623), letters to Richard, Earl of Cork from Nicholas Barham (20 Jul 1623), and from Thomas Beaumont, 1st Viscount Beaumont of Swords containing a reference for Thomas Burton (15 Aug 1623), letter from the Bishop of Ardfert to Robert Danborne, Dean of Lismore (31 Aug 1623), letters to Richard, Earl of Cork from Owen McDonogh Carty regarding lands distrained from him (8 Sep 1623), and from Edward Godwin (23 Sep 1623), copy letter from Richard, Earl of Cork to the Lord Deputy of Ireland (Oct 1623), and letter to Richard, Earl of Cork from Sir George Horsey (9 Nov 1623), 9 items

1623-4

**MS 43,266/ 12** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Richard, Earl of Cork from Lord de Russell Fermage (22 Nov 1623), from Thomas Fleetwood (27 Nov 1623), from Patrick Sherloke (3 Dec 1623), from Thomas Browne concerning letters received from Sir William Power and John Fleetwood (3 Dec 1623), from Sir Lawrence Parsons (4 Dec 1623), from Peter Baker (4 & 9 Dec 1623), from William Llewelin, Mayor of Youghal (6 Dec 1623), from Robert Calvert of Dublin (9 Dec 1623), and from John Heath (bailiff) concerning Lord Barry's tenants (9 Dec 1623), 10 items

1623

**MS 43,266/ 13** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Richard, Earl of Cork from Richard Blacknall, with copies of the Earl's letters in answer (11 & 15 Dec 1623), from Nicholas Blacknall (12 Dec 1623), from John Turner of Bandonbridge (13 Dec 1623), from Thomas Champante of Gillabbey (for Sir Thomas Roper) (15 Dec 1623), from Sir Garrett Lowther (15 Dec 1623),

from Redmond Barry concerning Sir John Fitz Edmonds (15 Dec 1623), from Sir Thomas Standishe (16 Dec 1623), from John Oglethorpe regarding the lands of Ballynety (17 Dec 1623), from Patrick Napper regarding the assignment of Ballyngally to Sir John Everard (19 Dec 1623), from Robert Mead concerning rents (20 Dec 1623), and from Christopher [?] regarding accounts for iron with Nicholas Blacknall (28 Dec 1623), 11 items  
1623

- MS 13,237/9** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters from William Mollefont (18 Dec 1623), from Sir Dudley Norton (14 Mar 1623/4), from Sir Randal Clayton (25 Nov 1624), from James Waller (10 Apr 1624), from William Perkins (25 Feb 1623/4), from Thomas Notte (20 Apr 1624), and from Morgan Polden (30 Mar 1624), 7 items  
1623-4
- MS 13,237/10** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters from Nicholas Blacknall (27 Mar 1624 & 16 Jul 1625), from Charles Combe (1 Oct 1625), from Thomas Davies (21 Sep & 10 Oct 1625), from William Hull (2 Oct 1625), from Richard Boyle, Bishop of Cork and Ross concerning the lands of Skeghamore (13 Oct 1625), enclosing a copy certificate from William Lyon, Bishop of Cork and Ross dated 11 May 1588, and from Edward Boyton (23 Jul 1625), 11 items  
1624-5
- MS 43,266/ 14** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Richard, Earl of Cork from Morgan Brien (27 Jan 1624/5), from Sir George Horsey (27 Mar 1624), from Thomas Esmonde, 1st Baron Esmonde concerning the prizemonies at Dungarvan (23 Apr 1624), from Thomas Ledesham and Lord Esmonde concerning the tithes of Dungarvan (25 Apr 1624), and from John Aylmer (8 May 1624), copy letter from Richard, Earl of Cork to Sir George Horsey concerning Fermoy (9 May 1624), letter to Richard, Earl of Cork from William Barker regarding his appearance as a witness in Cork in the case between the Earl of Cork v. Dermod Muskery (24 Jun 1624), from Lady Ann Sarsfield (8 Jul 1624), and from Edward Bethell concerning Ballyclement (20 Aug 1624), and copy letter from Richard, Earl of Cork to Sir Randall Clayton concerning the mortgage on Knocknigariffe (14 Nov 1624), 10 items  
1624-5
- MS 43,266/ 15** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Richard, Earl of Cork from Sir Adam Loftus, Lord Chancellor of Ireland (22 Sep 1625), from Sir George Horsey (11 &

- 31 Oct 1625), from Richard Locklloyn Rosse, Bishop of Cork (31 Apr 1626), from Lettice, Countess Offaly (13 Dec 1627), from Sir Simon Weston (Apr 1628), from Thomas, Jonathan, and Roger Petteward and others (17 Jul 1630), from Thomas Petteward (17 Jul 1630), and from Dudley Carleton, 1st Viscount Dorchester (21 Dec 1630), 9 items  
1625-31
- MS 13,237/11** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters from Thomas Roper, 1st Viscount Baltinglass concerning a mortgage (28 Feb 1627/8), from Thomas Gogen (27 Aug 1627), from Edward Luttrell (26 Apr 1628), from John Turner (9 Nov 1629), and from Edward Bolton (21 Dec 1629), 5 items  
1627-9
- POS 2924** Letter book of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork (original manuscript held at Chatsworth House)  
1629-33
- MS 13,237/12** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters from George Hooker (19 Jul 1630), from Thomas Roper, 1st Viscount Baltinglass concerning a debt (14 Apr 1630), and from Luke Dobin (20 Feb 1629/30 & 8 May 1630), 4 items  
1630
- MS 13,237/13** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters from John Walsh concerning the Rectory of Baltinglass (20 Jan 1630/1), from Ludowicke Ponton (1 Feb 1630/1), from Roger Pettyward (21 Mar 1630/1), from Samuel Croker (23 Jan 1630/1), from Samuel Cott (30 Dec 1630), from George Hooker (12 Jul 1631), and copies of letters from Richard, Earl of Cork and Roger Jones, 1st Viscount Ranelagh to George Hooker (4 Aug 1631), 7 items  
1631
- MS 13,237/14** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters from Roger Pettyward and other ironmongers (5 Nov 1631), from Sir William Parsons (6 Sep 1631), from Edward Wagstaff (4 Sep 1631), from Walter Coppinger (15 Sep 1631), from George Hooker (23 Sep 1631), and from Thomas Roper, 1st Viscount Baltinglass concerning rents (15 Dec 1631), and the redemption of the abbey and parsonage of Baltinglass, with an enclosed order from Dudley Carleton, 1st Viscount Dorchester (5 Sep 1631), 7 items  
1631
- MS 13,237/15** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising



letters from Roger Pettyward (16 Feb 1631/2 & 25 Apr 1632), from George Hooker (29 Mar 1631, 20 Feb 1631/2 & 25 Jul 1632), from Henry Harrington concerning the Rectory of Baltinglass (16 Mar 1631/2), from Thomas Pettyward (7 Mar 1631/2), and from James Eustace (21 Jun 1631), 8 items  
1631-2

**MS 43,266/ 16** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Richard, Earl of Cork from George Hooker (30 Jan 1630/1), from William Whalley, carpenter (4 Sep 1631), from Thomas Petteward (14 Aug 1632), from Thomas Bourke, regarding the sale of iron in London (15 Mar 1633/4), from George Hooker, concerning his debt of £382 (16 Dec 1634), and from Viscount Baltinglass, concerning William Whalley (7 May 1636), 6 items  
1631-6

**MS 13,237/16** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters from Thomas Taylor, enclosing contract from Roger Pettyward (4 & 28 Sep 1633), from Lord George Goring (10 Aug 1633), from Mr. Sherman concerning Baltinglass (6 May 1633), from Thomas Roper, 1st Viscount Baltinglass concerning a loan (18 & 24 Mar 1632/3), and from Henry Harrington (22 Mar 1632/3), 7 items  
1633

**MS 13,237/17** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters from William Wiseman (2 & 25 Apr 1634), and from Augustine Atkins (16 Apr, 2 & 4 May 1634), depositions of Richard King, Donogh McDonnell Carty, and others (25 Apr 1635), and a copy of the answer of Richard, Earl of Cork to the petition of Robert Williams concerning the lease of Laragh (29 Apr 1634), 7 items  
1634-5

**MS 13,237/18** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters from Augustine Atkins, with enclosed rent account (4 & 14 Jun 1634), from William Hurley (4 & 16 Jun 1634), from Donogh Mc Teige Carty (14 Jun 1634), and the adward of William Wiseman and Peregrine Banaster concerning Lieutenant Harris's children (30 Jun 1634), 7 items  
1634

**MS 13,237/19** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters from Robert Paget (15 Nov 1634), from John O'Cullayne (5 Jul 1634), from Augustine Atkins (6, 26 Jul, 4 Aug & 18 Nov 1634), from Peregrine Banaster and Nicholas Barham (22 & 27 Jul 1634), and a petition (6 Jul 1634) and letter from Donogh Mc Teige

- Carty (2 Aug 1634), 10 items  
1634
- MS 13,237/20** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters from William Wiseman (4 & 15 Jun 1634), and from Robert Morgan (9 Jun 1635), 3 items  
1634-5
- MS 13,238** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising copies of two letters regarding estate affairs from the Earl of Cork to his cousin Joshua Boyle, with a copy of his letter of attorney (13 Jan 1638), 3 items  
1638
- MS 43,266/ 17** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters, reports, and copies of day books sent to Richard, Earl of Cork by Joshua Boyle (28 Jul, 13 Aug, 29 Sep, 8 Oct & 4 Dec 1638), with letter/report from John Walley (18 Dec 1638), letter from John Cooke (1 Jan 1638/9), and copy of part of letter from Richard, Earl of Cork to Thomas Wentworth, Lord Deputy of Ireland (2 Jan 1638/9), 8 items  
1638
- MS 13,237/21** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters from William Wiseman (2 Jun 1635), from Thomas Burt (23 Mar 1635/6), from Thomas Wentworth, Lord Deputy of Ireland in answer to the petition of William Whalley concerning the Earl of Cork's gallery (20 Jul 1637), from Henry Warren (16 Feb 1637/8), a report with annotations from John Walley (28 Jan 1638/9), a copy letter from Joshua Boyle to Sir William Parsons (21 May 1638), and letter from Sir William Parsons to Joshua Boyle (22 May 1638), and a copy letter of attorney from Patrick Comerford, Bishop of Waterford to Stephen Stephens (1 Dec 1638), 8 items  
1638-9
- MS 13,237/24** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters from Robert Naylor (18 Jul 1639), from John Walley (28 Sep 1638), and from Joshua Boyle (19 Aug 1639 & 5 Oct 1639), 3 items  
1638-9
- MS 13,237/23** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters from William Perkins (30 Apr & 21 May 1639), and a report with annotations from Joshua Boyle (3 Jun 1639), 3 items  
1639
- MS 13,237/22** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising

- letters from Sir Robert Tyrrell (22 Mar 1639/40), from Joshua Boyle (26 Mar & 27 Apr 1639), and from Christopher Watts (16 Apr 1639), 4 items  
1639-40
- MS 43,266/ 18** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Richard, Earl of Cork from Peter Baker (17 Apr 1639), from Katherine, Lady Ranelagh (9 May 1639), from George Hellier (26 May 1639), from John Langton (30 Aug 1639), from Arthur Jones, 2nd Viscount Ranelagh (30 Sep 1639), from Philip Burlamack (25 Oct 1639), copy letter from Richard, Earl of Cork to Myles Button (5 Nov 1639), letter to Richard, Earl of Cork from John Lee (27 Nov 1639), and from William ffreke (7 Apr 1640), 10 items  
1639-40
- MS 13,237/25** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising reports with annotations from John Walley (13 Apr, 21 Jul, 16, 26 Aug & 28 Sep 1640), 5 items  
1640
- MS 13,237/26** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters from Hester Hodges (21 Aug 1641), from John Boyle (23 Jul 1641), from Thomas Kelly (18 Jul 1641), from John Langton (2 Jul 1641), and a report from John Walley (16 Jul 1641), 5 items  
1641
- MS 43,266/ 19** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Richard, Earl of Cork from Thomas Kelly (8 Jun 1641), John Walley (14 & 21 Jun 1641), from Sara Holford (19 Jul 1641), from Thomas Murray (6 Aug 1641), from Sir William St. Leger, Lord President of Munster (1, 10 & 30 Jan 1641/2), from Lord Kynalmeaky (14 Jan 1641/2), and from Sir Richard Osbourne (12 & 24 Mar 1641/2), 11 items  
1641-2
- MS 43,266/ 20** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Richard, Earl of Cork from Henry Smethwick (18 Apr 1642), from Sir William St. Leger, Lord President of Munster (24 & 25 Apr 1642), from Nicholas Loftus (24 May 1642), from Sir Richard Osbourne (27 Jun 1642), from John Walley (15 Jul 1642) and from Katherine, Lady Ranelagh (26 Dec 1642), 8 items  
1642
- MS 13,237/27** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters from Sir William St. Leger, Lord President of Munster (1 &

21 Apr 1642), copies of letters to the Lord President of Munster from the Lord Justices (26 Nov 1641 & 15 Jan 1641/2), and reports from John Walley to the Earl of Cork (22 Jan, 14 Mar 1641/2 & 12 Sep 1642), 6 items  
1642

**MS 13,237/28** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters from William Daunt (21 Aug 1643), and from George Courtenay (26 Jul 1643), and reports from John Walley (22 Jul, 7 Aug & 1 Sep 1643), 5 items  
1643

**MS 43,266/ 21** Correspondence of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letters to Richard, Earl of Cork from Lady Ranelagh touching his house in Dublin, from Cecily Harrison, from Richard Boyle, Viscount Dungarvan, from William Bull, from the Mayor of Youghal, and from the Bishop of Cork and Ross concerning the Mill weir on the River Bride, with a copy of the Lord President's warrant, 6 items  
n.d.

### *III.i.2 Official Papers*

**MS 43,267/ 1** Official papers of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising an order from Sir Henry Sydney, Lord Deputy of Ireland to the Mayor of Youghal (3 Apr 1570), list of names associated with a proclamation issued by Sir Warham St. Leger, Lord President of Munster at Cork (4 Aug 1582), order of the Vice-President and Council of Munster (1596), the Lord President's warrants and an assignment concerning John Dymmock's property at Galbally, County Limerick (c1600), orders of the Lord President (17 May 1601) and Lord Deputy (25 Apr 1603), letter regarding Sir George Carew's enrolment as Lord President of Munster (20 May 1603), articles between Sir Richard Boyle and Francis Ansley for assigning the office of Clerk of the Council of Munster to Mr. Ansley (20 May 1607), commission for enquiring into free and chargeable land in the County of Waterford (15 Jun 1608), and a report to the Lord President (1608), 11 items  
1570-1608

**MS 43,267/ 2** Official papers of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising a copy of the King's letter to Lord Chichester, Lord Deputy for the passing of all the purchased lands of Sir Richard Boyle (17 Feb 1613), King's letter for the incorporation of the Almshouses and Free School at Youghal, built at the sole charge of Sir Richard Boyle, and also for the passing of the Barony of Inchequin and other lands in fee to Sir Richard Boyle and his heirs (25 Jan 1613), copy of order regarding the possession of lands granted to Sir Richard Fleetwood (25 Apr

1618), copy of order of the Lord Deputy (9 Oct 1618), certificate from the officers of the customs of the harbour of Youghal (20 Sep 1619), certificate of admission signed by Edward Bagshawe (1619), commission to Richard Sparrow touching the vicarage of Stradbally, County Waterford, signed by John Sherloke (4 Apr 1620), warrant from Richard, Earl of Cork to Edmond Fitz John Gerrald (1 Dec 1624), the King's title to the Earl of Ormonde (17 Jul 1630), certificate of Phillip Harte, Sovereign of Tallagh, of the three burgesses in election (15 Aug 1630, with copy c1850), certificate of complaint of the Provost and Burgesses of the Borough of Bandonbridge to Richard, Earl of Cork (c1634), copy of commission for suppressing weirs in the counties Cork and Waterford (21 Mar 1638), copy of Mr. Slyngsby's warrant to Edward Lassells, shipwright of His Majesty's dock of Kinsale (6 May 1638), and copy of order of the Lord Deputy and Council for the depositing of the rent of the College of Youghal (£292 10s) in answer to the petition of John Walley (20 Nov 1638), 15 items 1613-38

**MS 43,267/ 3**

Official papers of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising copy of commission to the Sheriff of County Waterford to return 24 freeholders for an inquiry to be made on 12 September 1639 at Lismore of Lazar (20 Aug 1639), certificates from Burgesses of Tallow to Richard, Earl of Cork concerning the election of three burgesses for Tallow (1639 & 1640), certificate of the Portreeve of Lismore for the election of a portreeve for the succeeding years (1640), letter from the Lord President and Council for raising and mustering forces, signed Sir Warham St. Leger, Lord Inchiquin, and others (12 Nov 1641), statement by John Jenkins concerning acts committed against the English in the City of Limerick (c1641), and Lord Skerrin's pass to George Carter for 30 days (4 April 1642), 7 items 1639-42

**MS 43,267/ 4**

Official papers of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising an archbishop's demand concerning Dungarvan and Molanna, certificate concerning an alehouse, Officium Senescalli for Richard, Baron of Youghal, licence to Thomas O'Carroll from Alberto, Archbishop of Austria, copy of the proclamation issued by the Lord President and Council of Munster for enclosing lands in the province of Munster, copy of part of a plan for making burgesses in Ireland and the case for Mr. Croker (n.d.), instructions to be observed and duly performed by the Commission established in Munster in the absence of the President, signed Sir George Carew, 7 items n.d.

### *III.i.3 Reports and Memoranda*

- MS 43,268/ 1** Reports and memoranda of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising a list of Munster undertakers (c1595), an abstract of all writings delivered to the Lord Warden (18 Feb 1600), account of certain writings of Richard Boyle delivered to Captain Newse by William Flower of London (3 Apr 1601), report from Sir Reginald Perry, Sir Charles Wylmott, and others, with a list of occupiers in the province of Munster (29 Apr 1603), and a note of all the linen of the house (1603), 5 items  
1595-1603
- MS 43,268/ 2** Memoranda and papers of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork, concerning 'Bennett's Land' at Youghal, comprising a copy of the order and fine concerning Bennett's Land (c1600), note from Patrick Mayghe concerning Edward Walsh (26 Sep 1603), Robert Bennett's bill against Nicholas Walsh and Anthony Browne (c160), answers of Nicholas Walsh and Anthony Browne against the bill of Robert Bennett (c1603), replication of Robert Bennett to the answer of Nicholas Walsh and Anthony Browne (c1603), answers of Nicholas Walsh and Anthony Browne against the replication of Robert Bennett (16 Nov 1603), bargain between Edward Walsh and Sir Richard Boyle (20 Dec 1610), note from Thomas Cullen concerning the pasture of Moneybeg (c1610), memorandum concerning Bennett's Land (c1610), and memorandum concerning the particulars of Bennett's Land (c1620), 10 items  
c1600-20
- MS 43,268/ 3** Reports and memoranda of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising a note from Sir Richard Boyle to Robert Hardinge concerning the sum of £30 (29 Mar 1604), note of all corn and cattle in the possession of Pierce Power (30 Nov 1606), memorial of financial transactions for Sir Richard Boyle (Nov 1617), return of ploughlands in each barony of County Cork (2 Apr 1618), note of lands (24 Jan 1618/9), pedigree and title of John Hussey to a house in Youghal (26 Oct 1619), propositions from Thomas Ball to Richard, Earl of Cork concerning his ironworks near Tallow, with a demand for rent (29 Oct 1619), note of all ploughlands being without the north gate of Youghal and within the borough of the same by Mr. Coppinger (11 Nov 1620), and memorandum from Henry Holimawr and others to Richard, Earl of Cork concerning John Borradaile and Sir Randall Clayton's mortgage of the ploughland of Knocknigarriffe in Carbery (15 Nov 1624), 9 items  
1604-24

- MS 43,268/ 4** Reports and memoranda of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising a description and map showing the lay out of the woods of Ballydurgan between Mr. Pyne and Edmond Condon according to the order of the Lord President and the Earl of Cork (25 Sep 1625), list of the particulars of the writings, largely deeds and leases (1624-30), extracts from ten letters from Joshua Boyle to Richard, Earl of Cork (18 Dec 1629-17 Jun 1632), memorandum of demises from the Earl of Cork to Walter Coppinger of lands at Curryglass ( 8 Jun 1614 & 1 Mar 1633), abstract of the several warrants for fiants for lands in the late plantation and entered into the Earl of Cork's book of entries (29 Oct 1629-26 Apr 1633), note of the deeds for the purchase of the lands of Cullane by Richard, Earl of Cork (Jun 1633), Mr. White's draft letter concerning the rents due to His Majesty out of Gillabbey (20 Mar 1638), and note of writings sent to the Earl of Cork by Joshua Boyle (28 Jul 1638), 8 items  
1625-38
- MS 43,268/ 5** Reports and memoranda of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising notes from the day books of Joshua Boyle, extracted and transmitted to Richard, Earl of Cork (9 Nov 1638- 7 Dec 1638), reports from Joshua Boyle on the progress of the Earl of Cork's law suits in Dublin (13-18 May 1639), and on the progress of the Earl of Cork's law suit concerning the weir of Lismore (1-20 July 1639), and a note of writings sent by Joshua Boyle to Richard, Earl of Cork (19 Aug 1639), 4 items  
1638-9
- MS 43,268/ 6** Reports and memoranda of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising the propositions of Roger Carew concerning the weirs, lands, and mills at Lismore in his possession (1639), account of homages by Joshua Boyle (1639), particulars of the variance between the high collector's rolls and the subcollector's books for the Town of Youghal (20 Mar 1640/1), particulars of the three ploughlands of Marragh, near Eniskeen (6 Aug 1641), particulars and list of tenants inhabiting the ploughlands of Marragh, near Enniskeen, supplied by Richard Bell and Richard Pope (6 Aug 1641), valuation of goods and corn distrained by Charles Pyne for arrears of rent due to the Earl of Cork by Walter Nicholas (16 Aug 1642), and account of the Earl of Cork's complaints against Christopher Croker (14 Sep 1642), 7 items  
1639-42
- MS 43,268/ 7** Reports and memoranda of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork comprising an inventory of all goods remaining at the College of Youghal and Lismore Castle after the death of the Earl of Cork (14 Sep 1643),

return of money and possessions bequeathed in the Earl of Cork's will, and a return of the lands settled upon the sons of the Earl of Cork by separtite deed and by the Earl's will, 3 items  
1643

- MS 43,268/ 8** Reports and memoranda of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork, consisting of a manuscript containing an account of the Rising of 1641, 1 item  
n.d.
- MS 43,268/ 9** Reports and memoranda of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising a memorandum concerning former owners of the lands purchased from Lord Barry by Sir Richard Boyle, pedigree of the Roches of Kilbeg, the King's title to certain lands, "A description of an ambitious man disappointed of his hopes", note of the leases of Glannaboy made by Edward Norrown and the fines to be set, list of lands passed to Richard Boyle in Mr. Wakeman's book of fee simple by Mr. Carroll, memorandum concerning the making of glass, and an account of work done by Mr. Dorrell, 7 items  
n.d.
- MS 43,268/ 10** Reports and memoranda of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork, including Mr. Osbourne's note about Kilmire parish, a note, Dominick Terry's note of the land belonging to the hospital of St. Stephens near Cork, and in what manner they are disposed, Lord Barry and Lord of Thomond's book of fee simple concerning the lands of Owen McCarty of Inniskines in Carbery, Co. Cork, list of ploughlands and parcels of land within the six parishes in Imokilly unto which Sir Richard Boyle's liberties extended, particulars of the lands occupied as they were given to Sir Richard Boyle by [?] O'Dowgay, and a note of the lands belonging to Ballynatra, 7 items  
n.d.
- MS 43,268/ 11** Reports and memoranda of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising a note of the several rectories belonging to the Abbey of Cloyne, account of how Kilmore and other lands were passed down, note of Morris Stark's debts to Sir Richard Boyle, note of the title of Thomas Fitzgarrett to the lands of Thomas Geraldine in the counties Limerick and Waterford, note and map of the mills and lands of Gillabbey, indicating the land held by Sir Richard Boyle, and a copy exemplification of William Baxter's Act of Parliament for the title of his lands, 7 items  
n.d.

#### *III.i.4 Petitions*

- MS 43,269/ 1** Copies of petitions from Richard, 1st Earl of Cork to the Lord



Deputy of Ireland, concerning the College of Youghal (c1635), Christopher Croker's seizure of the goods of James Russell, the weirs of Lismore and Bandon, and a copy of the petition of Richard, Earl of Cork and John, Lord Bishop of Waterford and Lismore to the Lord Deputy of Ireland, 5 items  
c1635 & n.d.

**MS 43,269/ 2** Copies of petitions to the Lord Deputy of Ireland, from a minister (Apr 1609, Latin text), from William Greye the elder to the Rt. Hon. Oliver St. John (2 Dec 1618) from John Norris, with a request for an answer from Richard, Earl of Cork (26 Feb 1633/4), from James Butler, 13th Earl of Ormonde and Ossery (19 Jul 1639), from Foulke Comerforde, from Dame Alice Fenton, and from William Terry (14 Jul 16[?]), with a petition concerning the navigation of the River Lee submitted to the Lord Deputy of Ireland, and petitions to Richard, Earl of Cork from William Burrell and Thomas Ball, concerning the ironworks (3 Jan 1624), and from Humphrey Slany and Philip Burlamack (1638), 7 items  
1618-39

**MS 43,269/ 3** Petitions to Richard, Baron of Youghal from [?] Bourke, Richard Fitzjames Barry, Thomas Fairey, Henry Johnson, and James White, 6 items  
c1615-20

**MS 43,269/ 4** Petitions from Frances Hussey (widow) to His Majesty's Commissioners for the Wards and Liveries (29 Jan 1617/8), from Thomas Farry to His Majesty's Commissioners for the Government of the Province of Munster, from William Peryam to Sir William St. Leger, Lord President of Munster, and from Donnell O'Sullivan to the Justices of the Assizes of County Cork, 4 items  
1618 & n.d.

### *III.i.5 Miscellaneous Papers*

**MS 43,270** Letters, papers and accounts of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork concerning various matters, including a letter of attorney of Mary Badby (20 Jun 1592), a copy of Sir Walter Raleigh's letter of attorney concerning his houses, lands, and cattle etc. (1593), a note concerning the undertakers of Munster (c1595), a brief note of lands in the Province of Munster (c1595), the certificate of Hugh Robarts (10 Nov 1596), notes of the horse and footmen to be provided by Sir Walter Raleigh (20 Jun 1598), remembrances to be answered and returned to Ireland (c1600), an account of the incumbrances of Sir Walter Raleigh (c1600), a copy of the first letter patent granted to Sir Walter Raleigh regarding his Irish estates, an account of lands

granted by Queen Elizabeth I to John Fleetwood, and a copy of an account of the first of two payments regarding subsidies granted by the parliament of Ireland (4 Jun 1635), 32 items 1592-1635 [*Damaged and largely illegible*]

### III.ii Legal Papers

This section contains a collection of legal documents and associated papers generated during legal disputes largely involving Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork. These documents provide a valuable insight into the Earl's dealings with social and political rivals in south-west Munster during the early to mid-seventeenth century.

#### III.ii.1 *Earl of Cork v. Dermod O'Mahowne (als. Muskery)*

The documents in this section refer to a legal dispute over the lands of Sleaght Teag O'Mahowne at Skeghamore, near Bandon. The O'Mahownes (or O'Mahonys) were chiefs of a large district around the modern town of Bandon before 1641, for further information see Mary Agnes Hickson, *Selections from Old Kerry Records* (1872) and A.B. Grossart, *The Lismore Papers*, vol. 2, p. 285.

##### III.ii.1.A Legal Documents

- MS 43,271/ 1** Legal documents comprising the petition of Donogh McCarty to the Justices of Assizes of Cork (20 Sep 1614), pleadings and testimonies of the illegitimacy of Dermod Muskery (14 Jun 1615), certificate and order in the case of Donogh McCarty v. Donnoghe Mc Flynn O'Mahowne, Edmond Oge Fitz Edmond Gerrald, and James Fitz Edmond Gerrald (30 Jul 1615), copy of Edward Gold's declaration against Edmond Oge Fitz Edmond Gerrald (7 Nov 1615, Latin), and a deposition (c1615, Latin), 5 items  
1614-5
- MS 43,271/ 2** Legal documents comprising an order in the case of Donogh McCarty v. Donnoghe Mc Flynn O'Mahowne, Edmond Oge Fitz Edmond Gerrald, and James Fitz Edmond Gerrald (20 Jan 1615/6), petition of Morgan Poulden against Dermod Muskery addressed to the Lord President and Council of Munster (n.d.), notice in the case Morgan Poulden v. Dermod Muskery (2 May 1616), pleadings between Dermod Muskery (als. Mahowne) and Morgan Polden (c1616), and replication of Morgan Poulden, complainant, to the answers of Dermod Muskery O'Mahowne, defendant, (n.d.), 5 items  
1616
- MS 43,271/ 3** Legal documents comprising a copy of the interrogatories ministered on behalf of Dermod O'Mahowne (Muskery), deft., at the suit of Morgan Polden, plt. (21 Jul 1616), depositions on the

behalf of Morgan Poulden against Dermot Muskery (c1616), depositions taken by John Stoughton, examinatio probius of the Province of Munster, with interrogatories ministered on the part of Morgan Polden, plt., against Dermot Muskery (Mahowne), deft., (22 & 23 July 1616), note of the depositions examined before John Stoughton on the part of Morgan Polden, plt., against Dermot Muskery, deft., (23 & 24 Jul 1616), depositions taken at Rosse in Carbery by John Stoughton, with interrogatories ministered on the part of Dermot Muskery (Mahowne), deft., against Morgan Polden, plt., (14, 15 and 16 August 1616), statement of Joseph Stoughton regarding the land of Grasmore (n.d.) , 6 items  
1616

**MS 43,271/ 4**

Legal documents comprising a statement of Donogh McCarty concerning the illegitimacy of Dermot Muskery (12 Mar 1622/3), warrant from the Justices of Assizes for the province of Munster for the appearance of the witnesses of the Earl of Cork (2 Aug 1623), note from Richard, Earl of Cork witnessing the possession of Clough by Sleaght Teag O'Mahowne (7 Aug 1624), copy of the Chancery order for Dermot Muskery to have both witnesses examined and a new trial (Dermot O'Mahowne v. Earl of Cork) in a foreign county (11 Jul 1625), depositions of witnesses (28 Aug-2 Sep 1625), statement of Dermot Oge O'Hea and others concerning Sleaght Teag O'Mahowne acknowledged under their hands before Thomas Notte and others (2 Sep 1625), list of names of the witnesses examined on behalf of Dermot O'Mahowne at Cork (21 & 22 Sep 1625), statements of Donnell Oge O'Donovan and others concerning Skeghamore (3 Oct 1625), and statements of Teig McDaniel Donovan, Edward Newman, and John Dyer concerning Skeghanore (5 Oct 1625), 9 items  
1623-5

**MS 43,271/ 5**

Legal documents comprising an answer (and copy) of the Earl of Cork to the petition of Dermot O'Mahowne (27 Sep 1627), copy petition of Dermot O'Mahowne (Muskery) to the Privy Council in England (27 May 1628), copy order of the Court of Chancery in the case of Dermot O'Mahowne v. Richard, Earl of Cork (22 Nov 1633), order that the depositions of witnesses be read at the trial of Dermot O'Mahowne v. Richard, Earl of Cork (6 Jul 1634), Dermot O'Mahowne v. Richard, Earl of Cork: Order to show cause why the [?] in opinion of the Commission should not be [?] before publication, signed by E. Dowdall (11 Feb 1634/5), and order concerning the case of Dermot O'Mahowne v. Richard, Earl of Cork (25 Apr 1635), 7 items  
1627-35

**MS 43,271/ 6**

Legal documents comprising a list of witnesses to prove that Donogh O'Mahowne died possessed of twenty four ploughlands of Teag O'Mahowne, several observations against the deponents of Dermot Muskery (O'Mahowne), plt., list of witnesses for Ellen Roche with testimonies concerning Sleight Teag O'Mahowne, list of witnesses in case against Teag O'Mahowne, list of witnesses expected to appear for Sleight Teag O'Mahowne, statements by Towon Carty and James Tonge concerning Teag O'Mahowne, and paper relating to Dermot O'Mahowne (Muskerry), 12 items  
n.d.

III.ii.1.B Memoranda and Correspondence

**MS 43,272/ 1**

Memoranda concerning the ploughlands of Skeghamore claimed by Sleight Teag O'Mahowne consisting of a note of the lands of Skeghamore with the tenants names (4 Dec 1623), memorandum from Richard, Earl of Cork to Messrs. Gorman and Banaster to learn from Morgan Polden whether any of the undernamed witnesses were living (Dec 1625), particulars of the 17 ploughlands of Sleight Teag O'Mahowne and how they were disposed and were to be disposed, and a list of the names of the ploughlands of Sleight Teag O'Mahowne, 5 items  
1623-5

**MS 43,272/ 2**

Letters to Richard, Earl of Cork regarding his dispute with Dermot O'Mahowne from Sir Adam Loftus (12 Jul 1625), from William Bolton, Sheriff of Rosse, to certify that Davies and Combes had a lease of Skeghamore under the chapter seal (5 Oct 1625), and from E. Dowdall concerning the case of Dermot O'Mahowne v. Earl of Cork (11 May 1626, 15, 26, 31 Jan 1626/7 & 25 May 1631), 7 items  
1625-31

III.ii.1.C Pedigrees and Contracts

**MS 43,273/ 1**

Pedigrees concerning the claims of to title of Teag O'Mahowne and Dermot Muskery to the ploughlands of Skeghamore, and of Florence and Donall McCarty to Kilcow, comprising the pedigree and title of Skeghamore, pedigree and state of the title of Teag O'Mahowne and Dermot Muskerry to the territory of Sleight Teag O'Mahowne and the four ploughlands of Skeghamore, pedigree and title of Sleight Teag O'Mahowne and the names of the present possessors of the four ploughlands of Skeghamore, pedigree of Donnoghe Mc Flynn O'Mahowne and Dermot Muskerry (O'Mahowne), pedigree concerning the four ploughlands of Skeghamore, pedigree and title of the lands of Skeghamore and Teag O'Mahowne, pedigree for some of the lands claimed by

Florence McCarty, addressed to David, Viscount of Buttevant, pedigree of Donall McDonagh Carty touching claims to Kilcow from Morgan Poulson (1 Sep 1631), and the pedigree of Teig Malligh O'C[?] (29 Jan 1631/2), 8 items  
1631-2 & n.d.

**MS 43,273/ 2**

Contrats and deeds concerning the ploughlands of Skeghamore, comprising a commission to acquire ploughlands for the Bishop of Rosse (Mar 1590), indenture for the lands of Skeghamore between Moore McDermody and Gordon McFrazer (Nov 1596), agreement between Richard, Earl of Cork and Dermot O'Mahowne of Skeaghmore concerning Teag O'Mahowne's lands (21 Nov 1625), certification of the lands that Donall McDonagh Carty, father of Dermot McDonnell Carty died possessed of (15 Apr 1634), certificate from Hugo Persivall, Dean of Ross to Richard, Earl of Cork confirming that Bishop Lyons's lease of Skeghamore was confrmed to Combes and Davies by the Dean and Chapter (n.d.), 5 items  
1590-1634

***III.ii.2 The Baltinglass Mortgage***

The documents in this section refer to a legal dispute which arose during the 1630s over a mortgage on the property of Sir Thomas Roper, 1<sup>st</sup> Viscount Baltinglass in County Wicklow, and to the construction of a gallery and other buildings on this property.

**III.ii.2.A Legal Documents**

**MS 43,274**

Legal documents comprising a judgement in the case between Sir William [?] , plt., and Sir Thomas Breverton and Thomas Roper, 1st Viscount Baltinglass, defts., (14 Nov 1629), statement that £3000 was not paid or tendered by Thomas, Viscount Baltinglass to Sir James Carroll for the lands of Baltinglass (5 Apr 1630), instructions of the Earl of Cork for a motion in Chancery against William Whalley and Richard Teazar for a procedendo (c1630), letter of attorney from Thomas, Viscount Baltinglass to Henry Staines for the attention of the tenants of Baltinglass (6 Jan 1630/1), letter of attorney made to Rowland Williams to enter into the Castle of Baltinglass and deliver the lease to Henry Staines (5 Mar 1630/1), letter of attorney from Richard, Earl of Cork to Viscount Ranelagh and Sir Adam Loftus authorizing them to demand payments due to him from Viscount Baltinglass (9 Aug 1631), abstract of an inquisition concerning lands belonging to the Abbey of Baltinglass, informations concerning the leases and deeds of Baltinglass, petition of William Whalley to the Lord Deputy of Ireland against the Earl of Cork and Viscount Baltinglass, several answers of the Earl of Cork and of the defendant to the bill of complaint of William Whalley regarding the construction of a gallery and stable at Baltinglass, 9 items  
1629-31 & n.d.

**III.ii.2.B Memoranda and Correspondence**

- MS 43,275/ 1** Notes and memoranda concerning the rents and parsonage of Baltinglass, the occupancy of Baltinglass Castle, and the construction of a gallery, comprising a note from Nicholas Whyte urging the payment to him of £550 by Mr. Nightingale by the last of November 1630 and for the payment of £330 to Thomas, Viscount Baltinglass (28 Nov 1630), particulars of the memoranda of Creagh Eustace concerning Baltinglass and the parsonage with the state thereof (12 Mar 1630/1), memorandum from Henry Staines and others stating that Mr. Ponton and his family were dwelling in Baltinglass Castle (27 Mar 1631), notification from Lady Ann Baltinglass that William Whalley was to be paid £63 upon full completion of the gallery (27 Jul 1631), note of how the tithe corns of the Rectory of Baltinglass were let for the harvest of 1631, and note of the rents due to the Earl of Cork for the lands of Baltinglass at Michaelmas 1631, 6 items  
1630-1
- MS 43,275/ 2** Notes and memoranda concerning the manor and rectory of Baltinglass and building work at Baltinglass Castle, comprising memorandum concerning the agreement made between Thomas, Viscount Baltinglass and William Usher (6 Jan 1631/2), abstract of from the manor and rectory of Baltinglass (7 Oct 1632), state of the business between the Earl of Cork and Viscount Baltinglass regarding the building of a gallery, stable, and three adjoining tenements (22 Jan 1632/3), note of the value of the leases of Baltinglass, proposals of Viscount Baltinglass concerning the sale of land and houses in Baltinglass as delivered to Sir Laurence Parsons, petition of John Ryan, bricklayer to the Earl of Cork regarding building at Baltinglass, petition of John Banister, carpenter to the Earl of Cork regarding building at Baltinglass, 7 items  
1632-3 & n.d.
- MS 13,250** Letter to Sir William Ussher from Lord Baltinglass regarding the payment of debts (27 Oct 1629), 1 item  
1629
- MS 43,275/ 3** Letter from Sir James Carroll to Robert Kennedy to grant an absolute state in fee of Baltinglass to Luke Nightingale, and a letter from Lodowicke Ponton to Rowland Williams, 2 items  
n.d.

### III.ii.2.C Contracts

- MS 43,276** Articles of agreement between Thomas, Viscount Baltinglass and Richard, Earl of Cork regarding the manor and abbey of Baltinglass, (7 Apr 1630), warrant from Thomas, Viscount Baltinglass requiring

the tenants of Baltinglass to attend and pay their rents to the Earl of Cork (14 May 1630), agreement between Thomas, Viscount Baltinglass and Richard, Earl of Cork concerning the manor and parsonage of Baltinglass (4 Feb 1630/1), certificate of the rectory of Baltinglass concerning the duties paid to the curate (1 May 1631), arrangement between Richard, Earl of Cork and Thomas, Viscount Baltinglass concerning monies disbursed, drawn up by Sir James Ward (7 Oct 1632), articles of differences between Viscount Baltinglass and the Earl of Cork (24 Feb 1635/6), articles of agreement (and copy) between Viscount Baltinglass and Richard Teazer, carpenter, for the construction of a gallery (1 Aug 1630), certificate of carpenters employed by Thomas Starkie to build a gallery for the Earl of Cork (20 Sep 1633), and certificate of John Banagher, King's carpenter, and John Floodgate concerning the Earl of Cork's gallery in Dublin (6 Dec 1633), 10 items  
1630-3

#### III.ii.2.D Indentures

##### **MS 43,277/ 1**

Copies and drafts of leases and conveyances for the lands of Baltinglass, comprising a copy lease from Sir James Carroll, Robert Kennedy, and John King of Dublin to Thomas, Viscount Baltinglass and Sir John Brereton for the lordship of Baltinglass with other lands for a term of 60 years provided that if the said Sir James Carroll pay unto the said Viscount the sum of £3000 before the last of March 1630 then this lease to be void (29 Jul 1627), copy lease from Sir James Carroll, Robert Kennedy, and John King of Dublin to Thomas, Viscount Baltinglass and Sir John Brereton for the lordship of Baltinglass with other lands for a term of 1000 years in consideration of the sum of £3000 paid by the said Viscount to Sir James Carroll (31 Jul 1627), copy deed for the lands of Baltinglass to the use of the Lord Chancellor and Sir John Brereton (15 Apr 1629), copy reversion of the manor and parsonage of Baltinglass from Sir James Carroll and Robert Kennedy to Luke Nightingale (24 Jan 1629/30), lease of Baltinglass for three years from Richard, Earl of Cork to Henry Staines (5 Mar 1630/1), draft of the last conveyance of Baltinglass between Viscount Baltinglass and the Earl of Cork, which was corrected and made perfect by Sir Garrett Lowther (Feb 1631/2), draft defeazance of £10000 which Lord Baltinglass should have entered into (n.d.), 5 items  
1627-32

##### **MS 43,277/ 2**

Leases and conveyances for the lands of Baltinglass, comprising conveyance of the lands of Baltinglass from Lord Viscount Baltinglass to Sir Robert Loftus, Sir Everard Loftus, and Sir John Brereton (15 Apr 1629), conveyance of Baltinglass from Lord



Viscount Baltinglass and Randal Brereton to the Earl of Cork (12 Apr 1630), letter of attorney concerning a deed of bargain and sale from Viscount Baltinglass to Richard, Earl of Cork (27 Dec 1630), assignment concerning the lands of Baltinglass from Sir William Ussher to Richard, Earl of Cork (6 Jun 1631), 4 items  
1629-31

**MS 43,277/ 3**

Lists and abstracts of deeds concerning title to the parsonage and lands of Baltinglass, comprising notes of the deeds concerning title to the lands of Baltinglass made between 10 April 1603 and 29 July 1627, as were in the custody of Sir John Brereton's brother, abstract of the dates and substance of all deeds concerning Baltinglass made between 10 April 1603 and 15 April 1629, held by Mr. Brereton, note of all deeds, leases and writings between Thomas, Viscount Baltinglass, Sir James Carroll, and Sir John Brereton concerning Baltinglass between 10 April 1603 and 15 April 1629, as delivered by Randall Breveton, abstract of seven deeds concerning the parsonage of Baltinglass made between 24 August 1629 and 28 November 1629, and abstract of nine deeds concerning the parsonage of Baltinglass made between 2 October 1628 and 28 November 1629, 6 items  
c1630

III.ii.2.E Rentals

**MS 43,278**

Rentals and rent accounts for the manor of Baltinglass, comprising a rental for the lands of Baltinglass for a half-year, delivered by Sir James Carroll to Lodowike Ponten (6 Oct 1628), rental of the manor of Baltinglass (18 Feb 1629), and division of the rents of Baltinglass from other rents payable by Sir James Carroll for two years ending Easter 1630, 3 items  
1628-30

III.ii.2.F Financial Papers and Accounts

**MS 43,279/ 1**

Papers concerning the mortgage and rents of the lands and parsonage of Baltinglass, comprising an acquittance from Thomas, Viscount Baltinglass to Richard, Earl of Cork for the sum of £100 as part of the mortgage of Baltinglass (7 Apr 1630) acquittance from Thomas, Viscount Baltinglass to Richard, Earl of Cork for the sum of £94 as part of the £700 appointed to be paid to Sir William Usher (12 Feb 1630/1), acquittance from Lady Ann Baltinglass to Richard, Earl of Cork for the sum of £21 as part of the rent due out of Baltinglass at Easter and Michaelmas 1630 (26 May 1631), receipts and instructions from Viscount Baltinglass to Morris Fitz Gerald (9

Sep, 8 Oct & 10 Nov 1631), bond of Maurice Fitz Gerald for £200 to deliver possession of Baltinglass House to the Earl of Cork (26 Jan 1631/2), and receipt from William Chettle of the payment of Rowland Williams for the parsonage of Baltinglass (Sep 22 1632), 8 items  
1630-2

**MS 43,279/ 2**

Accounts of rents derived from the lands, manor, and town of Baltinglass and for the construction of the Earl of Cork's gallery, houses, and cellars, comprising Mr. Ponton's account for the rents of Baltinglass for the year 1630, account of money received by Thomas, Viscount Baltinglass from Richard, Earl of Cork for rent due out of the lands of Baltinglass (27 Jan 1630/1), account of Sir William Usher of the monies due to him from the lands of Baltinglass payable by the Earl of Cork (31 Jan 1630/1), account for the half year's rent for the lands of Baltinglass due at Michaelmas 1631 from Morris Fitz Gerald (7 Dec 1631), account for the half year's rent for the manor and town of Baltinglass due at Michaelmas 1631 from Morris Fitz Gerald (21 Dec 1631), account of monies disbursed by the Lord of Baltinglass to workmen for the building of the Earl of Cork's gallery and the houses adjacent (21 Jan. 1632/3), account of monies received from Viscount Baltinglass by William Chettle for the manor and parsonage of Baltinglass between 29 November 1630 and 10 April 1633, account between Richard, Earl of Cork and Thomas, Viscount Baltinglass (27 May 1635), account between the Earl of Cork and Viscount Baltinglass, not extending to his arrear of rent (29 May 1635), account of the payment of £826 by Lord Baltinglass for his interest in the three houses and cellars under the gallery of the Earl of Cork (28 Feb 1635/6), account by Lodowicke Ponten of payments received by Viscount Baltinglass for the rents of Baltinglass under Sir James Carroll's arrangement, and an account of interest earned (n.d.), 12 items  
1630-6

***III.ii.3 Earl of Cork v. Chettle and Ball***

This case concerns a legal dispute between Richard, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork and two of his tenants, William Burrell and Thomas Ball. It arose over the ownership of an ironworks on the Earl of Cork's estate during 1618-20.

**III.ii.3.A Legal Documents**

**MS 43,280**

Legal documents comprising the answer of Richard, Baron of Youghal to Thomas Ball's bill of complaint to the Lord Deputy (Mar 1618), a relation of the state of the cause between Richard, Baron of Youghal and Thomas Ball, merchant of London regarding

the intrusion of William Burrell of Deptford (c 1618), deed of gift from Thomas Ball of all his goods and chattels in Ireland to William Burrell of Deptford (20 Jul 1619), copy of William Burrell's letter of attorney concerning all his goods and chattels in Ireland (24 Jul 1619), copy certificate of the Commissioners of the Navy to the counsel for William Burrell (19 Oct 1619), copy [?] of the counsel for William Burrell and Thomas Ball to Richard, Baron of Youghal, and of Mr. Burrell's affidavitt made before one of the masters of the Chancery (25 Oct & 7 Dec 1619), legal opinion regarding Thomas Ball (4 May 1620), copy account of the grievances alleged by Thomas Ball (c1620), copy petition of William Burrell and Thomas Ball to the Privy Council of England respecting the ironworks (c1620), and letter of attorney from Richard, Earl of Cork, concerning the assignment of the ironworks signed by Gerard Booth, William Chettle and Ra. Harding (5 Apr 1623), 7 items 1618-20

#### III.ii.3.B Associated Papers

##### **MS 43,281**

Assorted papers comprising copy of a paper concerning certain lands in counties Cork and Waterford made by Sir Richard Boyle to Thomas Ball (2 Dec 1611), deed of assignment of a moiety of Kilmakoe from William Chissull to Sir Richard Boyle and Thomas Ball (3 Dec 1611), copy order and adward made between Sir Richard Boyle and Thomas Ball by William Greatrakes and Nicholas Blacknall (25 Apr 1612), proposition made by Henry Wright on behalf of Sir Richard Boyle to Thomas Ball concerning the lease of the farmhouse at Affane (Apr 1612), copy conveyance of an ironworks from Sir James Lancaster, William Burrell, Robert Salmon, and John Burrell to Thomas Ball (1 Sep 1615), release of house in Tallow and tenements in Tallowbridge from Thomas Ball to Richard, Baron of Youghal (15 Nov 1617), and assignment of iron works to William Burrell (20 Jun 1619), 7 items 1611-9

#### ***III.ii.4 Rex v. Earl of Cork (College of Youghal)***

The documents in this section refer to the case between Sir William Ryves, Attorney General (plt.) and Richard, Earl of Cork (deft.) before the Court of Castle Chamber concerning the Earl of Cork's title to the College of Youghal. In 1633, the newly installed Lord Deputy, Thomas Wentworth made efforts to enhance royal authority in Ireland and attempted to strip the Earl of Cork of many of his church lands and other properties on the grounds that they had been illegally acquired. In 1634, the Earl was summoned to face the charge of illegal possession of the College and revenues of Youghal. After twice

delaying the proceedings the Earl of Cork was fined £15,000 and ordered to surrender all his impropriations. He did, however, retain his lease on the College house and lands.

#### III.ii.4.A Legal Documents

- MS 7214** Volume of depositions for plaintiff taken before a Royal Commission in the case of Rex v. Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, concerning interests in the College of Youghal, 1635.
- MS 43,282/ 1** Abstract of interrogatories on behalf of Richard, Earl of Cork concerning his title to the College of Youghal (13 Feb 1635), 1 item 1635
- MS 43,282/ 2** Copy of the depositions of Richard, Earl of Cork (deft.) to the several interrogatories of Sir William Ryves, Attorney-General (20 May 1635), 1 item 1635
- MS 43,282/ 3** Draft of the several answers of Richard, Earl of Cork (deft.) to the information of Sir William Ryves, Attorney-General preferred for and on the behalf of His Majesty, 1 item c1635
- MS 43,282/ 4** Copy of the several answers of Richard, Earl of Cork (deft.) to the information of Sir William Ryves, Attorney-General preferred for and on the behalf of His Majesty, 1 item c1635
- MS 43,282/ 5** Copy of the depositions of Edward fforest, Christmas Harford, Elizabeth Rowles, and Henry Avery taken by William Stoughton on behalf of Richard, Earl of Cork (7 Nov 1635), 1 item 1635
- MS 43,282/ 6** Bill concerning the College of Youghal with commentary by William Stoughton, 1 item c1635 [*Illegible*]

#### III.ii.4.B Associated Papers

- MS 43,283/ 1** Documents produced on behalf of Richard, Earl of Cork at the time of his examination concerning his title to the College of Youghal (20 May 1635), comprising a certificate of the Warden of the College, sentences of the Bishop concerning the rectories of Newtowne and Acharrin, sentence of the Bishop for the non-payment of refections, the Bishop's admission of the warden upon

the nomination of the collegeners and the presentation of the Earl, and copy confirmation of the union of Newtowne, Olegan, Acharrin, and Moyallo spiritualities to the College of Youghal (1464, Latin), 5 items  
c1635

**MS 43,283/ 2** Copy of the account exhibited by the Archbishop of Tuam concerning monies received by the Earl of Cork and the Archbishop out of the several livings pertaining formerly to the new College of the blessed Virgin Mary of Youghal for the harvest 1636, by virtue of the Lord Deputy's sequestration (c1636), 1 items  
1636

**MS 43,283/ 3** Papers relating to the lands and living of the College of Youghal, comprising copy leases between the Warden of the College of Youghal and John Johnson (16 Apr 1588), and Sir Thomas Norreys (28 Sep 1588), the statement from Nathaniel Baxter, Warden to the fellows of the College of Youghal concerning the lease to Phillip Curry of the great island belonging to the College (17 Jun 1593), a note of the evidences concerning Mr. Nathaniel Baxter (c1600), certificate from the Bishop of Cork concerning the College of Youghal (3 Apr 1600), indenture between William Jones and [?] Curry for the livings of the College of Youghal (4 Apr 1600), order from Sir George Carew, Lord President and Council of Munster concerning the wardenship of the College of Youghal (6 May 1600), note concerning the College of Youghal (23 May 1600), petition of Meredith Harmer, Warden of the College of Youghal to the Lord President and Council of Munster (c1600), answer of Meredith Harmer, Doctor of Divinity and Warden of Youghal, to the bill of Mr. William Jones (c1600), answers of William Jones to the bill of Meredith Harmer, legal opinion and instructions concerning Sir Walter Raleigh, and the wardenship of the College of Youghal, copy of a statement of the Bishop of Cork and Ross concerning Sir Richard Boyle and the wardenship of the College of Youghal (8 Apr 1605), and copy of an inquisition concerning the College of Youghal (c1605), 16 items  
1588-1605

### ***III.ii.5 Earl of Cork v. Bishop of Waterford and Lismore***

**MS 43,284** Copies of the order between the Earl of Cork and the Bishop of Waterford and Lismore confirmed by the Lord Deputy and Counsel (19 Jul 1637), and certified copies of an Act of Parliament confirming award on arbitration of the differences between the Earl of Cork and the Bishop of Waterford and Lismore (11 Feb 1641,

Latin), 5 items  
1637 & 1825-72

*III.ii.6 Earl of Cork v. Dermot O'Dingle*

**MS 43,285**

Case between Sir William Ryves, Attorney-General and Richard, Earl of Cork and Dermot O'Dingle concerning lease made to Theodroe Atkinson for land in County Kerry, comprising copy of the interrogatories to be ministered to witnesses to be produced on behalf of the plaintiff and His Majesty against Richard, Earl of Cork and Dermot O'Dingle, defts., (8 Feb 1635), and copy answers of Dermot O'Dingle to the information of Sir William Ryves, Attorney-General, plt., against Richard, Earl of Cork and others (4 Apr 1635), 2 items  
1635

*III.ii.7 Earl of Cork v. David Condon*

**MS 43,286/ 1**

Legal documents comprising copy petition of Joshua Boyle to the Lord Deputy of Ireland and the Lord Commissioners for Plantation requesting further time to answer the petition of David Condon, copy answer of Joshua Boyle to the petition of David Condon (19 Feb 1638), copy replication of David Condon to the answer of Joshua Boyle, information of the Earl of Cork against David Condon and others, answers of David Condon, Richard Condon, and James Roche to the Earl of Cork's bill in the Castle Chamber entered against them for perjury (11 Nov 1638), order of David Condon upon the affidavit (21 Nov 1638), copy petition of David Condon, with Richard Condon's affidavit and the order of the Lord Deputy and Council thereon (22 Nov 1638), and copy petition of Joshua Boyle to the Lord Deputy General of Ireland concerning Richard Condon's perjury in his affidavit, 8 items  
1638

**MS 43,286/ 2**

Legal documents comprising order of the Earl of Cork to put in an answer to the petition of David Condon (26 Nov 1638), doubts to be resolved by counsel before putting in the Earl of Cork's answer to the petition of David Condon, answers of Richard, Earl of Cork to the petition of David Condon, affidavit of Joshua Boyle concerning David Condon's business (27 Nov 1638), draft letter from [?] Ronayne of Stalbridge to Richard, Earl of Cork concerning the petition of David Condon (2 Dec 1638), copy of the petition of Richard, Earl of Cork concerning his further answers to the petition of David Condon (19 Dec 1638), and copy of the King's letter concerning David Condon and Mr. Hyde, 7 items

*III.ii.8 Earl of Ormond v. John Hoare*

- MS 43,287** Legal documents concerning a legal dispute over the port of Dungarvan, comprising copy of the several answers of John Hoare, Patrick Russell, and Edward Hoare, defts., to the petition of James Butler, 13<sup>th</sup> Earl of Ormond and Ossery, plt., copy replication of James, Earl of Ormond and Ossery, plt., to the answers of John Hoare, Patrick Russell, and Edward Hoare, defts., (21 Nov 1639), and copy of the several rejoinders of John Hoare, Patrick Russell, and Edward Hoare, defts. to the replication of James, Earl of Ormond and Ossery, plt., 3 items  
1639

*III.ii.9 Miscellaneous Legal Papers*

## III.ii.9.A Cases of the Earl of Cork

- MS 43,288/ 1** Miscellaneous documents concerning legal cases involving Richard, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising letter of attorney from Richard Boyle to his son to dispose of Ballynatra (15 Dec 1601), letter of attorney concerning the seizure by Captain Richard Smyth, attorney to William Floyd of London, of the possessions of the Abbey of Molana from Richard Boyle, signed by Robert Calvert (c1603), letter of attorney of Captain William Newse concerning a debt to Sir Richard Boyle (13 Apr 1605), exemplification of the execution of a writ (6 Jun 1608), arbitration of differences between Sir Richard Boyle and the Portreeve and Burgesses of Lismore (26 May 1609), and the order of David Roche, 7th Viscount Roche of Fermoy and Sir Jonathan Everard concerning the town and lands of Ballyrafter (26 May 1609), 6 items  
1601-9
- MS 43,288/ 2** Miscellaneous documents concerning legal cases involving Richard, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising the opinion of Maurice Eustace concerning Henry Pyne's case against Sir Richard Boyle (c1610), brief from Mr. Clayton of five pleadings involving Sir Richard Boyle (Jun-Oct 1610), letter of Attorney from Richard, Baron of Youghal to Robert Waller to receive from Sir Barnard Grenville various bonds and records regarding Kynalmeaky (27 Jan 1619), depositions of Richard, Earl of Cork concerning the lands of Concrosses and Kilbrides in County Limerick (1622), declaration by Thomas Roper (2 Jul 1625), copy indenture of fine (Common Pleas) levied on the lands of Affane, Co. Waterford (1630/1876, Latin),

statement of the case between the Earl of Cork and Alderman Smith prepared by Sir William Anderson and Sir James Carroll (11 Dec 1638), copy bill, answers, replication and order in the case of Earl of Cork v. Sir John Coppinger (12 Dec 1638), answer of Richard, Earl of Cork to the bill of complaint of Anne Pettey (widow), answer of Richard, Earl of Cork to the bill of complaint of John Norrowne (als Norris) concerning the lands of Glannaboy, with a petition from John Norrowne to the Rt. Hon. Christopher Wandesford, Master of the Rolls and Sir George Radcliffe, and a copy of the case of the King v. the Earl of Cork concerning the lands in Ireland that were Sir Walter Raleigh's, 13 items  
1610-38 & n.d.

### III.ii.9.B Statements of Title

- MS 43,289/ 1** Interrogatories administered to witnesses on behalf of Her Majesty by Sir Walter Raleigh, with depositions and examinations taken at Youghal in October 1593, 1 item  
c1600
- MS 43,289/ 2** Mr. Noye's draft of Sir Richard Boyle's reply to Sir Walter Raleigh's bill of complaint concerning the Barony of Inchiquin, with a survey of Sir Walter Raleigh's lands, 2 items  
c1608 [*One item badly damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,289/ 3** Statement of title concerning Tracton Abbey, with an account of land transactions between Sir Walter Raleigh and Sir Richard Boyle, 2 items  
c1610 [*One item very badly damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,289/ 4** Instructions from Hugh Noble concerning the title to the lands of Glannaboy, with notes concerning a statement of title, 2 items  
c1610
- MS 43,289/ 5** Copies of the case prepared for the crown concerning title to the lands held by Richard, Earl of Cork in Ireland, with an account of the transfer of lands from Sir Walter Raleigh to Richard Boyle, 4 items  
c1621-2
- MS 43,289/ 6** The state of the case of the Earl of Cork concerning his title to the Barony of Inchiquin and Mocollop, 1 item  
c1625 [*Badly damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,289/ 7** Copy of ancient case entitled "The accompaniment of your title of



your lands of Cappoquin and Affane as it was decreed from the Crown upon the attainder of the Earl of Desmond”, 1 item  
1869

### III.ii.9.C Legal Records

**MS 43,290**

Books containing records of inquisitions and pending law suits involving the Earl of Cork, comprising a breviat of all the inquisitions of land in the counties of Cork and Waterford (1584-8), a remembrance touching the causes of Sir Richard Boyle (c1610), state of the law suits of the Earl of Cork, Easter and Trinity Terms 1638, account of money expended on law suits in the Easter and Trinity Terms of 1638, state of the law suits of the Earl of Cork, with his Lord's directions how to proceed, Michaelmas Term 1638, state of the law suits of the Earl of Cork, Easter and Trinity Terms 1639, and account of the suits of the Earl of Cork and others depending before the Lord Deputy in 1641, 7 items  
1588-1641 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]

### III.ii.9.D Homages

**MS 43,291**

Legal papers concerning the payment of homages to the 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork, comprising an enquiry whether claims may be made on the deeds of Richard, Earl of Cork in Exchequer with counsel's opinion (c1636), land chargeable in the Exchequer belonging to the Earl of Cork (c1637), order by Court of Exchequer to Richard, Earl of Cork for payment of homages, Hilary Term, 1637, copy of plea for repayment of homages unduly demanded (10 Feb 1637, Latin), and an order (with copy) out of the Exchequer to enter into recognizances to plead to, or pay money demanded for homages out of the lands of the Earl of Cork in counties Cork and Waterford (12 Feb 1638), 6 items  
1636-8

### III.ii.9.E Grand Jury

**MS 43,292**

Papers relating to the proceedings of the Lords Justices and the Grand Juries in counties Cork and Waterford, comprising a copy of grand jury presentments out of the Cork sessions book (1607), presentment concerning the walling of Bandonbridge (23 Feb 1619), copy of an Act by the Lords Justices and Council of Ireland concerning the trade of sea fishing in Ireland (2 Jul 1616), copy of a complaint made to Sir Richard Boyle concerning sea fisheries (2 Jul 1616), and returns of grand jury members sitting at Cappoquin and

Youghal (Aug 1642), 5 items  
1607-42

### III.ii.9.F Fisheries

#### **MS 43,293**

Papers relating to weirs on the River Blackwater, comprising a copy of the return of Sir Warham St. Leger, Lord President of Munster, upon the certiorari issued to remove the proceedings about the weirs of Lismore into the King's Bench (n.d., Latin), copy of the presentment of the weirs of Bandonbridge, Lismore, and Dungarvan at the Lent Assizes for County Cork, (28 Feb 1638, Latin), warrant from the Admiral's Court for the pulling down of the Earl of Cork's weirs at Camphire (13 Sep 1638), and a copy of the presentment of the weirs in County Waterford before the Lord President of Munster (20 Sep 1639), 4 items  
1638-9

### III.ii.9.G Miscellaneous Cases

#### **MS 43,294/ 1**

Miscellaneous papers relating to legal proceedings taken by various persons, comprising a copy of an inquisition taken at Cloncashell, Co. Mayo concerning the lands of Valentine Blake (27 Jan 1593), letter of attorney from Edmund Younge to Henry Moore (20 Aug 1597), statement of Edmond Browne concerning the goods of Richard Boyle (5 Mar 1600), list of the names of the jurors in the case between Henry [?], plaintiff and Lodowick Fenton, defendant (1601), ex-parte of Alexander Garrye and Redmond Fitz John for glebe land of Ballyronan (1, 2 & 31 Dec 1607), examination of Morris Fitz John of Youghal regarding Alexander Garrye and Redmond Fitz John (30 Dec 1607), letter of attorney of Mary Badby concerning the late William Badby (27 Apr 1609), summons from the Commissioners of Accounts and Arrears to John Lee concerning arrears of rent from lands in County Limerick (6 Dec 1614), several answers of John Meade, a defendant to the bill of complaint of Carewen Raleigh (13 Feb 1628), Court of Commons pleas: Sir [?] Usher v. the Lord President (1629, Latin), brief concerning Ballamogranlan as (by information) hath been suffered by Ensign Floyd on his coming to live there (29 Apr 1630), the joint and several answers of Donagh Teig O'Connor, Dermot McCormacke Cartie and Teig McDonogh O'C[?] to the bill of complaint of John Fowler (Aug 1619), copy letter from John Fowler to the Council of Munster (Aug 1619), Ralph Horsey's bill concerning his brother Sir George Horsey (Jan 1623), and order to Sir George Horsey concerning the lands of Fermoy and other lands in Ireland in the possession of the Earl of Cork (19 May 1623), 15 items

1593-1623

- MS 13,256** An opinion concerning the gathering of fines from the recusants of Munster, 1 item  
c1610
- MS 43,294/ 2** Miscellaneous papers relating to legal proceedings taken by various persons, comprising a copy of the answer of John Whalley to the petition of William Terry (1 May 1636), copy of the several answers of Hugh Roberts, defendant to the petition of James Roche and Garret Roche concerning the plowland of Tercullenmore (28 May 1639), statement of Humphrey Aldington to Tercullenmore drawn by Sir William Sambach, Solicitor-General for Ireland (Oct 1640), recognizance given by William Ledenham (2 May 1641), statement of case of Teig O'Bryen v. John Smyth concerning seizure of the possession of the lands of Ballyfinchoge, Co. Waterford in 1641, examination of William Tart and Matthew O'Brian concerning an assault at Kilmacow taken by Joshua Boyle as justice of the peace for County Cork (11 Mar 1642), recognizance of Robert Nayler to appear before the sessions at County Waterford (1 May 1642), opinions of Sir Henry Yelverton, John Bankes, and Humphrey Davenport regarding leases made by the late Burgess of Cork (16, 19, 20 May 16[??]), copy interrogatories to be administered to witnesses on behalf of Richard Osbourne, deft., to the bill of complaint of Richard Dalton concerning the mortgage of the Castle of Knockmourne, interrogatories administered to witnesses on behalf of John Coppinger in His Majesty's High Court of Chancery against Augustine [?], William Barron's letter of attorney to Mr. Horsey to deliver possession to John Fitz Thomas and Katherine, his wife, of the lands in the mountains within the bounds of Tullaghath, Co. Cork, and Francis Barber's letter of attorney (n.d.), 13 items  
1636-42 & n.d.

### **III.iii Accounts**

The documents in this and the following two sections (IV.iv and IV.v) contain the estate records of Richard Boyle, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork. The manuscripts in this section contain details of the Earl's personal, business and estate accounts. They record details of rents and disbursements, and contain valuable information about industrial enterprises such as ironworks and the production of pipe staves.

#### ***III.iii.1 Building Accounts***

- MS 43,295/ 1** Book of accounts with George Harwell concerning work completed on Fermoy Bridge, 1 item

1626 [*Damaged & fragile*]

**MS 43,295/ 2** Articles of agreement between Richard, 1st Earl of Cork and Edmond Tingham for money paid by the said Earl and expended on the church and house at Maynooth, 7 Apr 1632

### ***III.iii.2 Pipe Staves***

**MS 43,296/ 1** Accounts, notes and bills concerning the production and sale of pipe staves between Sir Richard Boyle and John van den Bogaerde, comprising an account of money paid for the carriage and other charges on the pipe staves (2 Jul 1608), note of the pipe staves made (5 Mar 1608/9), abstract of the account (6 Jul 1609) further demands in account (6 Jul 1609), account for the period June and July 1609 (6 Jul 1609), account of charges paid on pipe staves (6 Jul 1609), particulars of disbursements in the account of pipe staves (6 Jul 1609), two accounts (15 Oct 1609), account of charges paid on pipe staves by John van den Bogarde between 15 October 1609 and 1 May 1610, note of the pipe staves remaining with Sir Richard Boyle (6 May 1610) and bill of sale from John van den Bogarde for 5000 of his pipe staves in Youghal (26 Apr 1611), 12 items  
1608-11

**MS 43,296/ 2** Accounts, notes and bills concerning the production and sale of pipe staves between Richard, Baron of Youghal and John van den Bogaerde, comprising an acquittance from Jean van den Bogaerde (25 Mar 1614), account of charges paid on pipe staves by John van den Bogarde (15 May 1614), general accounts between Richard, Baron of Youghal and John van den Bogarde (18 Sep 1617 & 10 Mar 1618/9), notes of profits made (1617 & 6 Nov 1618), account of charges paid by John van den Bogarde (9 Mar 1618/9), abstract of the cash account (16 Mar 1618/9), note of pipe staves received by Sir Richard Boyle and of the first pipe staves made in partnership with John van den Bogarde (n.d.), note of commodities delivered to Lady Boyle by John van den Bogarde, note of errors found in Mr. Bogarde's account, and a miscellaneous account (n.d.), 13 items  
1614-9 & n.d.

### ***III.iii.3 Ironworks***

**MS 43,297/ 1** Accounts of Sir Richard Boyle for the production and delivery of iron bar and the operation of the ironworks at Killmoor and Kilmackoe, comprising an account of iron works for November and December 1607, note of disbursements for the ironworks, signed by Sir Richard Boyle (27 Nov 1607), particulars of several debts due to

the account of the ironworks of Killmoor between Sir Richard Boyle and Thomas Ball (30 Sep 1609), inventory of the stocks of the ironworks to be delivered over to Thomas Ball (30 Sep 1609), account of receipts from ironworks and disbursements for law costs etc. (23 May 1610), accounts of debts due by Sir Richard Boyle for the iron works (4 Aug 1612), bill of Thomas Ball from Henry Wright (21 Oct 1617), and an account of Thomas Ball's disbursements for fitting the ironworks at Kilmakoe (n.d.), 8 items 1607-17

**MS 43,297/ 2**

Accounts of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork for the production and delivery of iron bar and the running of the ironworks at Kilmackoe and Lisfinny, comprising an account of payments due to Thomas Ball for his moiety of the iron works (1618), proposals from Henry Wright's estimate to suffer Thomas Ball to have Sir Richard Boyle's woods and mines (6 Apr 1619), account of bar made at the forge at Kilmackoe from Richard Blacknall and Thomas Boyle to Richard, Earl of Cork (12-19 Aug 1620), account of the charges disbursed upon the carriage of iron for Richard, Earl of Cork (26 May 1621), certificate of bar iron produced at Lesfinney forge from Thursday 22 May to Thursday 30 May 1622, receipt of George Hillier for 20 tons of bar delivered to Bideford and Poole in England (14 Jun 1621), account from John Potter of bar iron produced at Lisfinny forge from 29 September to 29 November 1623, account between Richard, Earl of Cork and Edmond Curvile, Mr. Pettiwards and Mr. Goat for bar iron (13 Oct 1631), offer made to Richard, Earl of Cork by Thomas and Roger Pettyward and others (his former contractors) for 1000 tons of bar iron (3 Sep 1633), account of monies received by Mr. Walley for iron (28 Jul 1638), and account of charges paid to workmen for making iron (n.d.), 10 items 1618-38

**MS 43,297/ 3**

Returns of sow iron cast in the Earl of Cork's foundry at Cappoquin furnished by John Shepherd for the periods 27 May - 24 June 1623, 19 - 26 July 1623, 26 July - 2 August 1623, 2 - 9 August 1623, 9 - 16 August 1623, 20 - 27 September, 27 September - 4 October 1623, 4 - 11 October 1623, 11 - 18 October 1623, 18 - 25 October 1623, 25 October - 1 November 1623, 15 - 22 November 1623, 22 - 29 November 1623, 29 November - 6 December 1623, 6 - 13 December 1623, and 13 - 20 December 1623, 16 items 1623

***III.iii.4 Rent and Arrears***

**MS 43,298/ 1**

Accounts of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork concerning the collection of rents and arrears, comprising an account of the rents of George

Conyng (1596), account of rents receipts for the seignory of Youghal (12 Nov 1597), account of Easter rent receipts (30 Apr 1609), account between Sir Richard Boyle and Sir Lawrence Esmonde for the rents of the temporalities of the Abbey of Moghell and two rectories near Waterford (5 Dec 1609), account of Easter rents for 1610, account of Henry Cook for the Michaelmas rents (22 Feb 1611), and account of Mr. Blacknall for collecting the payment of Sir Allen Astley's rents (1614-7), 7 items  
1596-1617

**MS 43,298/ 2** Accounts of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork concerning the collection of rents and arrears, comprising an account from Richard Leigh for the receipt of the rents of John Whyte of Clonmel (13 Mar 1619), note of arrears of rent due from Sir Allen Astley (1616-27), account of rents and arrears of Carhoon, Derryvale, and Malloge from John Turner (c1629), abstracts of the Michaelmas rents 1637 and the Easter rents 1638 assigned to Lords Dungarvan and Broghill, abstract of the rents and arrears at and before Michaelmas 1637, Lady Day 1638, and Michaelmas 1638, and note of the rents and arrears not entered paid in Lady Day rental 1638 and now turned over to the following rentals, 7 items  
1619-38

**MS 43,298/ 3** Accounts of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork concerning the collection of rents and arrears, comprising accounts of rents and arrears received by Mr. Walley (25 Mar-15 Jun 1639), abstract of the arrears upon the Easter rental 1639, account of rents for period 4 April to 28 September 1640, account of rent and arrears due for Michaelmas 1643 in and near Dublin, account of Roger [?]'s rent as set down in his ledger, and an account of rents to be received and abatements to be made (n.d.), 7 items  
1639-43 & n.d.

**MS 43,298/ 4** Rent account book, 1 items  
c1640

### *III.iii.5 Receipts and Disbursements*

**MS 6895** Rents received for lands in County Cork, disbursements made and money loaned by Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, 1 item  
1605-09 [*Damaged & fragile*]

**MS 43,299/ 1** Account of receipts and disbursements made for December 1607, with weekly accounts of receipts and disbursements made by Mr. Walley for the period 4 April to 12 June 1619, 11 items  
1607-19

- MS 6896** Rents received for lands in County Cork, disbursements made and money loaned by Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, 1 item  
1611
- MS 43,299/ 2** Weekly accounts of receipts and disbursements made by Mr. Walley for the period 13 June to 21 August 1619, 10 items  
1619
- MS 43,299/ 3** Weekly accounts of receipts and disbursements made by Mr. Walley for the period 22 August to 23 October 1619, 10 items  
1619
- MS 43,299/ 4** Weekly accounts of receipts and disbursements made by Mr. Walley for the period 24 October 1619 to 1 January 1619/20, 10 items  
1619-20
- MS 43,299/ 5** Weekly accounts of receipts and disbursements made by Mr. Walley for the period 2 January 1619/20 to 24 March 1619/20, 12 items  
1620
- MS 6897** Volume of rent receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1 item  
1626-32
- MS 6241** General entries showing rent receipts and disbursements by Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, 1 item  
1628-43
- MS 6898** Rent receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1 item  
1631-36
- MS 6246** Disbursements by Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, 1 item  
1635-41
- MS 6899** Rent receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1 item  
1636-38
- MS 43,299/ 6** Account of total receipts and disbursements made by John Walley for the period 28 September 1637 to 23 June 1638, with abstract of weekly receipts and disbursements made by John Walley for the period 16 June to 28 September 1639, 2 items  
1637-9

- MS 43,299/ 7** Account of total receipts and disbursements made by John Walley for the period 28 September 1638 to 7 September 1639, with abstract of weekly receipts and disbursements made by John Walley for the period, 29 September 1639 to 25 January 1639/40, 2 items  
1638-40
- MS 6240** General entries showing rent receipts and disbursements by Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, 1 item  
1639
- MS 6243** General entries recording rent receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1 item  
1639-41
- MS 43,299/ 8** Abstract of weekly receipts and disbursements made by John Walley for the period, 26 January to 24 March 1639/40, 1 item  
1640
- MS 43,299/ 9** Abstract of weekly receipts and disbursements made by John Walley for the period, 25 March to 15 June 1640, 1 item  
1640
- MS 43,299/ 10** Abstract of weekly receipts and disbursements made by John Walley for the period, 31 May to 25 August 1640, with abstract of weekly receipts and disbursements made by John Walley for the period 28 September to 15 November 1640, 2 items  
1640
- MS 43,299/ 11** Abstract of weekly receipts and disbursements made by John Walley for the period, 29 September to 12 December 1640, 1 item  
1640
- MS 43,299/ 12** Abstract of weekly receipts and disbursements made by John Walley for the period, 13 December 1640 to 24 March 1640/1, 1 item  
1640-1
- MS 6900** Rent receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1 item  
1641-5
- MS 43,299/ 13** Abstract of weekly receipts and disbursements made by John Walley for the period, 23 January 1641/2 to 9 April 1642, 1 item  
1642



### *III.iii.6 Personal Accounts*

- MS 43,300/ 1** Accounts of Sir Richard Boyle, comprising general accounts (Dec 1590, Apr 1592 & 25 Nov 1595), account of charges disbursed for Sir Richard Boyle, Thomas Gardiner, and Thomas Heathcote for a journey to Ireland (5 Jan 1606), general account for all debts (9 Nov 1607), account of Randall Clayton's payments to Sir Richard Boyle (5 Jan 1608), general account (1 Aug 1608), and Mr Cottingham's arrangements for money disbursed for work on the woods (20 Nov 1608), 9 items  
1590-1608
- MS 43,300/ 2** Accounts of Sir Richard Boyle, comprising an account between William Lewellin, Vice-President of Munster and Sir Richard Boyle for the period up to 31 August 1609, general account (29 Nov 1609), Thomas Fairie's account (1 Nov 1609), accounts between Sir Richard Boyle and Mr. William Collett of London (4 Nov 1609), account with Mr. Thomas and James Daunt (22 Apr 1610), account between Sir Richard Morrisson, Vice-President of Munster and Sir Richard Boyle (29 Apr 1610), estimate of the charge supposed by Mr. Pyne to be laid out for providing plank for Dericke Huiberte (25 Mar 1611), account for cloth and buttons, an account from Hugh Croker and Samuel Hill, account of Sir Richard Boyle's expenses while in England, account of payments from Sir Lawrence Parsons and the Bishop of Cork, accounts of fines, and an account for blankets, pillows, rugs and cloth (n.d.), 13 items  
1609-11 & n.d.
- MS 43,300/ 3** Accounts of Sir Richard Boyle for expenditure while residing in Dublin for 18, 21, 23, 28 September, 5, 12, 19 & 26 October 1611, 8 items  
1611
- MS 43,300/ 4** Accounts of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising an account of Thomas [?] for his journey from London to Dublin (10-28 Feb 1613), account of Richard Leigh for money received (26 Jan 1619), account of John Doughty with Sir Richard Boyle (16 Feb 1619), accounts of receipts and disbursements made by Richard Leigh, for Richard Boyle, Baron of Youghal, in his journey to Cork and Bandonbridge (7-12 & 10-16 Oct 1619), account from John Doughty to Richard, Earl of Cork concerning the payment of the £2000 to Edmond [?] for Sir John Dowdall for the Earl's purchase of Pilltown (6 Aug 1622), account of receipts entered in William Chettle's account beginning 11 August 1638, account of Richard, Earl of Cork (Aug-Sep 1638), and an abstract of the several bonds

in the custody of John Walley concerning Christopher Croke's debt of £1000, Candlemas 1638, 9 items  
1613-38

**MS 43,300/ 5**

Accounts of bills of exchange between Richard, 1st Earl of Cork and his agents John Walley and William Chettle, comprising an account of monies received by William Chettle in England and repaid by Mr. Walley in Ireland (11 Aug 1638-1 Nov 1639), account of bills of exchange reneged upon Mr. Walley upon his account (28 Sep 1639), accounts of bills of exchange charged upon Mr. Walley and not entered in his accounts (28 Sep, 16 Oct & 29 Nov 1639, and 15 Sep 1640), account of bills of exchange charged upon Mr. Walley and not entered in his accounts, and of monies paid to Lord Kinalmeaky (22 Jun 1640), account of bills of exchange charged upon Mr. Walley and not paid (30 May 1640), account of bills of exchange paid for the Earl of Cork by John Walley since his last certificate of receipts and disbursements for period 30 May to 20 July 1640, account of bills of exchange contained in the abstract sent to the Earl of Cork by William Chettle on 9 October 1640 showing which are paid and which remain unpaid (Nov 1640), account of bills of exchange paid by Mr. Walley for the period 17 to 20 August 1640 (26 Aug 1640), account of monies of Lord Dungarvan upon bills of exchange (1640), and an account for period 1 March to June 1642, 13 items  
1638-42

### **III.iv Financial Papers**

The manuscripts in this section consist of bonds, bills, receipts, acquittances and other papers concerning the financial and commercial transactions of Richard Boyle, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork. They contain much valuable information about the Earl's personal finances.

#### ***III.iv.1 Bonds***

**MS 43,301/ 1**

Bonds for sums of money exchanged by Richard Boyle and various other persons, comprising a bond between John Fitz Garret and John Rowe for warranting the mortgage of the lands of Camphire (7 Nov 1586), copy of bond (11 Sep 1588), bond from Robert C[?] to Sir Walter Raleigh (1 May 1590), bond to Richard Boyle of Dublin (gent.), signed by John Caddell and N. Kenney (8 Jul 1597), bond for £300 from Richard Boyle to Thomas Daltry (2 Jun 1598), bond for lands from William Greatrakes to James Sherlocke (4 Oct 1598), bond of between Phillip Bassett and John Galwane of Youghal (7 Jan 1598/9), Bond from Richard Boyle (9 Apr 1599), bond from Richard Boyle for £6 to Henry Dillon of the Middle Temple, London (6 Aug 1599), bond between Thomas Oge and Richard

Boyle (9 Feb 1600), bond between John Thompen and Richard Boyle for £30 (25 Jan 1601), bond between Donell O' [?] and Richard Boyle for £20 (15 Aug 1601), bond between James Trant, Morrison Moore, and Richard Boyle (4 Sep 1601), and bond of David, Viscount Fermoy (20 Oct 1601), 14 items  
1588-1601

**MS 43,301/ 2**

Bonds for sums of money exchanged by Sir Richard Boyle and various other persons, comprising a bond between William Nelson and Richard Boyle (7 Aug 1602), grant from Melmo O'Mahoney (14 Oct 1602), bond between James Sherlocke and Richard Boyle (15 Oct 1602), bond between Dominick McDermod and Sir Richard Boyle for £30 (20 Dec 1602), bond between James Ryder and Sir Richard Boyle for £100 (11 Apr 1603), bonds between William Chisshull and Richard Boyle for £64 (22 Jun 1603) and for £100 (3 Sep 1603), bond between Andrew Browne and Sir Richard Boyle for £14 (2 Nov 1603), bond of Edward Walshe (11 May 1604), permission from Nicholas Blacknall to Piers Power (4 Nov 1604), note signed by Sir Richard Boyle (18 Jan 1605), bond between Sir Richard Boyle and Anthony Dillon for 20 marks of silver (1 Apr 1605), r remembrance for Mr. Dorrell (22 Oct 1605), bond between Sir Richard Boyle and Sir Richard Morrison for £168 (31 Aug 1605), deed signed by William Chisnull and Sir Richard Boyle (12 Oct 1605), bond of Henry Clavell (10 Oct 1605), and a bond of Sir Richard Boyle (21 Nov 1605), 13 items  
1602-5

**MS 13,239/1**

Bond between Sir Richard Boyle and William Greatrakes concerning the lands of Ballygarvan (25 Dec 1603), with a subsequent assignment of the land to Sir Richard Boyle (Apr 1604), 2 items  
1603-4

**MS 43,301/ 3**

Bonds for sums of money exchanged between Richard, 1st Earl of Cork and various other persons, comprising a bond between Patrick White and George Boyle (25 Jul 1606), bond between Rys Butler and Sir Richard Boyle (3 Oct 1606), bond of Owen [?] (28 Nov 1606), bond between Pierce Power, John Power and Sir Richard Boyle (10 Mar 1606/7), bond between Mr. Willmott of Lismore and George Boyle for £10 (20 Nov 1607), bond between James Walshe of Rathronane, County Tipperary and Sir Richard Boyle (23 Mar 1608), bond between Richard Bluett and Sir Richard Boyle concerning a mortgage between the former and William Llewelin (7 Nov 1608), bond between Sir Richard Boyle and Sir John King for £35 (16 Aug 1609), bonds between Sir Richard Boyle and Sir Richard Morrison for £105 (30 Sep 1609) and for £421 (30 Apr

1610), bond between Edmond Power, Robert Stephenson, and John Barry and John Walley (18 May 1614), certificate from the Mayor and Aldermen of Bristol concerning a bond between Richard, Earl of Cork and George Hillier and Richard Griffiths (5 Feb 1620), bond of Nicholas Callwaine (1622), bond between Richard [?] and Richard, Earl of Cork (1 Dec 1631), bBond between Thomas Burt and Richard, Earl of Cork (10 May 1634), copy recognizance of James Nugent (10 May 1637), and a bond between Edward Dove and Robert Johnson for the performance of covenants (n.d.), 18 items  
1606-37

**MS 43,301/ 4** Bonds concerning land and financial transactions contracted between Richard, 1st Earl of Cork and various persons, including Alexander Tope, Richard Bluett, John Ronayne, William White, David Martell, and Henry Berger, 12 items  
c1600-32

### *III.iv.2 Bills*

**MS 43,302/ 1** Bills of debt for money and goods exchanged between Richard Boyle and various persons, comprising bills to Richard Boyle from R. Wingfield (15 Jan 1600/1), Richard FitzGerald FitzThomas for £50 (10 Feb 1600/1), bill of Richard Boyle of Galballie, County Limerick (20 May 1600), bill of Morris Starke of Balliloghram, County Kerry (31 May 1600), bills to Richard Boyle from Tibbett Bourke (21 Jul 1600), Dermod McCarty for £4 (25 Sep 1600), and Giles [?] for £3 (11 Nov 1600), release of John Lawson (31 Jan 1601/2), bill from Peter Loulton to Sir Garrett Harvie (20 Feb 1601/2), and bills to Richard Boyle from Dermod MacTeige for 40 shillings (4 Mar 1601/2) and John Thompen for £20 (18 Apr 1601), 10 items  
1600-1

**MS 43,302/ 2** Bills of debt for money and goods exchanged between Richard Boyle and various persons, comprising bills to Richard Boyle from G. Berkeley (25 Apr 1601) and Robert Myaghe (4 May 1601), bill of Richard Boyle of Dublin (gent.), signed by [?] Walshe and Christopher Redgrave (23 May 1595), with memoranda by James Browne (25 Apr 1601), bill from Theobald Bourke to Richard Boyle (3 Jul 1601), bills from Robert Pomphrie for £12 (29 Mar 1602) and Robert [?] (20 Jul 1602), bill from Walter Hackett to Richard Boyle (24 Sep 1602), note of Nicholas [?] for money disbursed by him for Richard Boyle (3 Nov 1602) nad a discharge of debts from Richard Boyle to Roger Boyle (10 Nov 1602), 9 items  
1601-2

**MS 43,302/ 3** Bills of debt for money and goods exchanged between Sir Richard Boyle and various persons, comprising a bill from Owen O'McMahowne McSweeny to Sir Richard Boyle for 40 shillings (23 Jul 1603), bill from Sir Richard Boyle to William Myller for £19 (25 Aug 1604), Thomas [?]'s bill for 21 barrels of oats at Easter (20 Jul 1605), bill from John de Courcy to Sir Richard Boyle for £4 (26 May 1606), bill from Henry Wright concerning Richard Baker's debt to Sir Richard Boyle (2 Feb 1607), and bills from Dermod Mcffyneen to Sir Richard Boyle for ten oxen (6 May 1607), and from Lieutenant Henry Saunders to Sir Richard Boyle for £25 and 5 shillings (25 Dec 1607), 7 items  
1603-7

**MS 43,302/ 4** Bills of debt for money and goods exchanged between Richard, 1st Earl of Cork and various persons, comprising an order by Sir Richard Boyle for the payment of 40 shillings to Pierce Power (May 1609), memorandum from Walter Coppinger (May 1609), a bill (9 Jul 1609), bill from Samuel Hill to Sir Richard Boyle for £10 (17 Oct 1610), bill from Peter Carew concerning salmon fishing at Lismore (c1610), bill of Sir Richard Boyle for £40 (24 Aug 1611), bill of Thomas Garrett for barrels of wheat and barley (17 Jul 1612), acknowledgment of debt from Sir Richard Boyle to Andrew Davies of Lyme Regis (24 Aug 1612), bill from Richard, Baron of Youghal to Nicholas [?] for £200 (25 Jan 1618), bill of exchange from Canon Burgh for £100 to be paid to Mr. Stoughton (17 Nov 1632), bill from Richard, Viscount Dungarvan to Bartholomew Draper for £150 (10 Jul 1636), and a bill from James Chillester for £37 (n.d.), 10 items  
1609-36

### *III.iv.3 Receipts*

**MS 43,303/ 1** Receipts for the payment of rents, debts, and other financial transactions between Sir Richard Boyle and various persons, comprising a receipt from John O'Mo[?] for £6 (25 Nov 1592), receipt for three pounds ten shillings from William Chisshull to Thomas Ackland (1 Apr 1596), receipt of Richard Boyle, signed by Richard Hudson (29 May 1600), bill from R. Wingfield to Richard Boyle for 20 shillings (13 Apr 1601), receipt from Francis Kingsmith for £8 and 5 shillings from Richard Boyle (12 Aug 1601), receipts from [?] Morgan (11 Jul 1602), [?] Taaffe (20 Oct 1602), and William Shawe (3 Apr 1603), receipt by James Farrall of the assignment of Sir Richard Boyle (20 April 1603), receipt for £43 from Edmond [?] to Richard Boyle, signed by Robert Hardinge (c1603), and a receipt from Robert Kyn[?] for £1000 from Sir

Richard Boyle (10 May 1604), 10 items  
1592-1604

**MS 43,303/ 2** Receipts for the payment of rents, debts, and other financial transactions between Sir Richard Boyle and various persons, comprising receipts from Nicholas Blacknall (Apr-Oct 1605), receipt from Sir Richard Boyle for bills of debt from Sir Lawrence Esmond (9 May 1605), release from James Hussey to Miles Hussey of the sum of three pounds (9 May 1606), receipt from Sir Richard Boyle concerning the lands of Richard Booth at Kilmackowe as assigned from Thomas Ball (3 Nov 1606), receipt from Sir Thomas Browne for £25, the sum of two rents due to Sir Richard Boyle (15 Jan 1607), receipt from [?] Stratforde for 46 shillings (28 Mar 1608), receipt from John Uniacke for 3s in rent (8 Oct 1608), and a receipt from [?] Slingsbye for £5 from Sir Richard Boyle (21 Oct 1608), 11 items  
1605-8

**MS 43,303/ 3** Receipts for the payment of rents, debts, and other financial transactions between Richard, 1st Earl of Cork and various persons, comprising a receipt from Nicholas Langres for £10 from Sir Richard Boyle (25 Jun 1609), receipt from Richard [?] (7 Jul 1609), receipt from Gregory Newman with note from Sir John Jephson to Sir Richard Boyle (25 Apr 1610), memorandum by Sir Richard Boyle of receipt of payment by Andrew Davies of Lyme Regis (24 Aug 1612), acknowledgement from John O'Donnell and James Roper (24 Nov 1617), receipt of William Pierce of the barque 'Dolphin of Youghal' for 22 [?] of bar iron sent to Redbridge, County Dorset (20 Feb 1621), and a receipt from Edward Acton (13 Apr 1621), 7 items  
1609-21

**MS 43,303/ 4** Receipts from Roger Dalton for the rents due out of the lands of Affane (28 Mar 1612, 28 Oct 1613, 8 Apr 1614, 6 Jan 1615/6, 17 Apr 1616, 30 May 1616, 14 Oct 1616, 25 Apr 1617, 19 Oct 1617, and 17 Nov 1617), and from James Hopkins (30 May 1616), Thomas Cox (14 Oct 1616), William Beckner (17 Nov 1617, and Edward Baynard (c1618), 11 items  
1612-8

**MS 43,303/ 5** Receipts for the payment of rents, debts, and other financial transactions between Richard, 1st Earl of Cork and various persons, comprising an acknowledgement from Richard, Earl of Cork to Sir George Horsey for the payment of £103 and £12-16-8 (9 Oct 1625), receipt from James Eustace, Sheriff of County Wicklow to Richard, Earl of Cork (28 May 1631), receipts from William Whalley for the

building of a gallery (4 Jun & 26 Jul 1631), receipt from Thomas Howard concerning the debt of Robert Dillon, Baron of Kilkenny and James Dillon (5 Jul 1639), and a receipt from Thomas Paramore for the payment of poole money by Richard, Earl of Cork (12 Jul 1641), 6 items  
1625-41

#### *III.iv.4 Acquittances*

- MS 43,304/ 1** Acquittances for rents, debts, and miscellaneous financial transactions between Richard Boyle and various persons, comprising an acquittance from John Prendergast, Dean of Lismore to George Covinghe and others (31 May 1594), acquittance of John Chinning to Richard Boyle, gent., witnessed by [?] Chilleston (11 Sep 1598), acquittance of Edward Nangle (23 May 1600), receipt from John Gillett, signed by Richard Boyle and Henry Gosnold (21 Jul 1600), acquittance from Richard Boyle (20 Sep 1600), acquittance signed by John Walley (28 Sep 1600), acquittance of Humphrey [?] (Jun 1601), acquittance for Easter rents for County Limerick (31 Apr 1602), and an acquittance from John Fulbright (1 Dec 1602), 9 items  
1594-1602
- MS 43,304/ 2** Acquittances for rents, debts, and miscellaneous financial transactions between Sir Richard Boyle and various persons, comprising acquittances to Sir Richard Boyle from Philip Northcott (7 Jan 1603/4), Richard Bottomley (Feb 1603/4), Margaret Bastable (21 Apr 1603), Alderman Taylor (25 Nov 1603), George Sherlocke of Waterford (20 Dec 1603 & All Saints' Day 1604), Robert Morgan (20 Mar 1605/6), and Edmond Coffey (30 Mar 1605), acquittance from Anthony Alderson to Captain Condy (5 Apr 1605), acquittance from Sir Richard Boyle to Richard Waters for Kilbarry (10 Aug 1605) nad an acquittance from Arthur Sayntsbury to Sir Richard Boyle (23 Aug 1605), 11 items  
1603-5
- MS 43,304/ 3** Acquittances for rents, debts, and miscellaneous financial transactions between Sir Richard Boyle and various persons, comprising acquittances from John White to Sir Richard Boyle (31 Jan & 7 Mar 1606/7), acquittance of Henry Davilles for Gillabbey for 1606 (18 Feb 1606/7), acquittance from Thomas Browne to Sir Richard Boyle (7 Mar 1606/7), acquittance of Edmond Duffie (19 Apr 1606), acquittances to Sir Richard Boyle from George Sherlocke (30 Aug 1606), Edmund Coppinger for part payment for ferry of Youghal (15 Sep 1606), and Balthazar Portingall for a house and garden in Youghal (20 Oct 1606), and an acquittance for

Barrett's debt (13 Aug 1607), 10 items  
1606-7

**MS 43,304/ 4**

Acquittances for rents, debts, and miscellaneous financial transactions between Sir Richard Boyle and various persons, comprising Patrick Trant's acquittance to Sir Richard Boyle of the lands of Randall Clayton for 30 pounds (22 Jan 1608), acquittances to Sir Richard Boyle for the meadow of Banonowey (15 Apr 1608), from Michael Newby concerning the debt of Sir George Flower (29 Apr 1608), from William Nugent for 40 shillings (8 Jul 1608), and for Easter rents (29 May 1609), acquittance of Mr. Blake (12 Oct 1609), receipt from James Kearny, Alderman for the rent of the ferry boat of Youghal, to William [?], steward to Sir Richard Boyle (10 Dec 1609), acquittance for the Michaelmas rent due to Richard [?] (12 Dec 1609), acquittance for Easter rents of Gillabbey (9 Apr 1610), and acquittances to Sir Richard Boyle from Patrick Tyrry (17 Jan 1612), and acquittance from Edward Daunt for the lands of Kilpatrick at Lady Day 1613, 11 items  
1608-13

**MS 43,304/ 5**

Acquittances for rents, debts, and miscellaneous financial transactions between Richard, 1st Earl of Cork and various persons, comprising an acquittance from William Fenton to Sir Richard Boyle for the sum of £120 reading "Whereas my brother in law Sr Richard Boyle did receive of Mr William Browne for me the sune of one hundred pounds and kept the sune in his hands two years I do acknowledge to have received the sune 100 ls together wth twenty pounds for the interest and do hereby aquite and discharge him and his heirsch of the sune in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand this eighth of November one thousand six hundred and fourteene." (8 Nov 1614), acquittance from Sir Walter Raleigh to Capt. Robert Tout for £100 (10 Aug 1617), acquittance from [?] Millon to Richard, Baron of Youghal (14 Jul 1619), copy of the last acquittance of Sir Thomas Crooke given to the several servants of the Crown (10 Oct 1626), acquittance from Richard Teazer to Sir Richard Boyle for the money disbursed for materials for the construction of the Earl of Cork's gallery and stables (18 Oct 1630), acquittance from Richard, Earl of Cork for £10,000 (20 Jun 1637), acquittance for poll money paid to Mr. Battamore (3 Jul 1641), general acquittances from John Wytcombe to Richard, Earl of Cork (8 Oct 1641), copy acquittance from Sir Richard Boyle to Henry Roche, acquittance from Jonas Quartes to Sir Richard Boyle, and an acquittance from Henry Pyne (n.d.), 11 items  
1614-41 & n.d.



### *III.iv.5 Debts*

- MS 43,305** Notes containing particulars of debts owed to and by Richard, 1st Earl of Cork, comprising a release of debts from Edward Fysher to Richard Boyle (22 Apr 1600), note of Sir Richard Boyle concerning debts (6 Jul 1603), assignment of debts and rents from Eustace Roche to Sir Richard Boyle (10 Jun 1613), note of debts from Sir Robert Tynte (29 Apr 1626), copy of the Earl of Cork's debt account for Easter 1641, note of Henry Boyle of money borrowed from Richard Boyle (c1600), note of money owed to Walter Coppinger, being the money he lent to Richard Boyle's wife (c1600), particulars of debts owed upon Sir George Flower's account, and "A Bill of necessaries" itemizing the debts of Edward and John Boyle (n.d.), 9 items  
1600-41

### **III.v General Estate Papers**

The manuscripts in this section contain records relating to the management and administration of the estates of Richard Boyle, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork. They contain details of rents, tithes, and the letting of land.

#### *III.v.1 Tithe Papers*

- MS 43,306/ 1** Volume containing details of tithes due to Sir Richard Boyle for period 1608 to 1612, 1 item  
c1612
- MS 43,306/ 2** Letters on behalf of Richard, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork to John Sherwyn granting the tithes of Clashmore and Aglishnegall (4 May 1640), and granting the tithes of Conna and the half ploughland of Kilcannon to Nicholas Osbourne (20 Aug 1641), 2 items  
1640-1

#### *III.v.2 Rentals*

- MS 43,307/ 1** Rentals of the estates of Sir Walter Raleigh and Sir Richard Boyle in the counties Cork, Tipperary, Waterford and Kerry and the cities of Cork, Waterford, Limerick and Youghal, comprising a rental of Youghal, containing a list of leaseholders with leases (1584-97), Sir Walter Raleigh's rental (Oct 1600), rental of Sir Walter Raleigh's seignory in Ireland (n.d.), and rentals for premises in the city of Limerick, premises in the city of Cork, lands in Tipperary and the county and city of Waterford, and for lands in counties Cork and Kerry (c1610, Latin text), 7 items

1597-c.1610

- MS 43,307/ 2** Rentals of the estates of Richard, 1st Earl of Cork in the counties Cork and Waterford and the town of Youghal, comprising a rental of the lands of Lisfinny and Tallow for the half year's rent due at Easter 1614, rental from Mr. [?] (19 May 1620), rental for half year's rent of Kilronan for 1620, with Mr. Wingfield's account of the monies between Mr. Pyne and Edmond Condon (25 Aug 1620), and rentals of the parish of Mogeely, the town of Youghal, and the Manor of Aughmane (n.d.), 5 items  
1614-20 & n.d.
- MS 6242** Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, in counties Limerick, Waterford and Cork, 1 item  
1629-43
- MS 6239** Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, in and near the city of Dublin, in the counties Cork, Waterford, Tipperary, Limerick, Kerry, Clare, and in the province of Connaught, 1 item  
1637
- MS 6245** Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, in and near the City of Dublin and in counties Waterford, Cork, Kildare and Tipperary, 1 item  
1639-40
- MS 6244** Rental and survey of properties in County Cork (and elsewhere) given over to Richard Boyle, Earl of Cork, to his son Robert, with an index of leases, 1 item  
1640
- MS 43,307/ 3** Particulars of rents assigned by the Earl of Cork for the maintenance of his son, Viscount Dungarvan, comprising particulars (and copy) of the rents assigned by the Earl of Cork to his son, Viscount Dungarvan, for his yearly maintenance of £1500 (4 Jul 1640), and particulars of the messauges, tenements and hereditaments assigned by the Earl of Cork to his second son Sir Lewis Boyle, Viscount Boyle of Kynalmeaky, for his yearly maintenance of £2000 (5 Aug 1640), 3 items  
1640
- MS 6247** Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, in counties Waterford, Cork, Kildare, Tipperary, Kerry, Clare, Limerick and Dublin, 1 item  
1641
- MS 6248** Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, in counties

- Waterford, Cork, Kildare, Tipperary, Kerry, Clare, Limerick and Dublin, 1 item  
1642
- MS 6249** Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, in counties Waterford, Cork, Kildare, Tipperary, Kerry, Clare, Limerick and Dublin, 1 item  
1642
- MS 6250** Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, in counties Waterford, Cork, Kildare, Tipperary, Kerry, Clare, Limerick and Dublin, 1 item  
1643
- MS 6251** Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, in counties Waterford, Cork, Kildare, Tipperary, Kerry, Clare, Limerick and Dublin, 1 item  
1643
- MS 6252** Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork, in counties Waterford, Cork, Kildare, Tipperary, Kerry, Clare, Limerick and Dublin, 1 item  
1643

### *III.v.3 Surveys and Valuations*

- MS 43,308/ 1** Copies of surveys of the manor of Dungarvan by Michael Fitzwilliam, Surveyor-General of Crown Lands in Ireland (7 Mar 1566), and of lands in counties Limerick and Cork, signed by W. Parsons, 2 items  
c1600
- MS 43,308/ 2** Survey of the manors, lands, towns and tenements in the counties Cork and Waterford allotted to Sir Walter Raleigh by Her Majesty's warrant of 24 April 1586, and by Sir John Perrott, the Lord Deputy's commandment of 31 May 1587, measured by Thomas Wiseman and Arthur Robens, commissioners, and returned on 17 August 1587, 2 items  
c1600
- MS 43,308/ 3** Second survey of attainted and confiscated lands made by Sir Thomas Norris, President of Munster, as measured by Arthur Robens and Francis Jobson, commissioners appointed to measure lands allotted to Sir Walter Raleigh in the counties Cork and Waterford, returned 7 February 1589

c1600

- MS 43,308/ 4** Copies of the plot and survey of the manors and lands in the Counties of Cork and Waterford allowed to Sir Walter Raleigh and by him undertaken by virtue of Her Majesty's warrant dated 24 April 1584, with a further copy of a part of the survey, 4 items 1872-6
- MS 43,308/ 5** Survey of the Abbey of Molana and the North Abbey near Youghal (28 Sep 1587), 1 item 1587
- MS 43,308/ 6** A Booke of all the Particullers of the Landes belonging to the Abbay of Molanna', with copy, 2 items c1600 & n.d.
- MS 43,308/ 7** Valuation of the tanhouse and goods at the bridge of Cappoquin made by Ensign Croker and Samuel Hill (19 Jul 1617), a particular survey taken of the several plots in Manor of Dungarvan underwritten according to Richard, Earl of Cork (3 Jun 1622), survey of the Earl of Cork's estates recording what proportion of each plot was waste, (c1630), survey plot of the lands of Templebriant measured for Richard, Earl of Cork by Augustine Atkins (Apr 1632), and certified copy of an entry in the 'Book of Survey and Distribution, Counties of Kerry and Waterford' regarding the barony of Coshmore and Coshbride, Co. Waterford, 1641, 5 items 1617-32 & 1871

### ***III.v.4 Crown Rent Receipts***

These documents refer to rents paid by the Earl of Cork to the Crown for lands that were originally leased by Sir Walter Raleigh as part of the Munster plantation.

- MS 43,309/ 1** Acquittances for Crown rents from Richard, 1st Earl of Cork (10 Feb 1616/7, 10 Feb 1617/8, 20 Dec 1618, 8 May 1621, and 30 Nov 1621), 7 items 1616-21
- MS 43,309/ 2** Acquittances for Crown rents from Richard, 1st Earl of Cork at Michaelmas 1623 (Dec 1623), for the half years ending at Easter 1625 (20 Jul 1625), Michaelmas 1625, (25 Nov 1625), Easter 1626 (2 May 1626), Easter 1627 (20 Apr 1627), Michaelmas 1627 (20 Dec 1627), and acquittances for Crown rents (20 Feb 1630/1) and the Crown rents of St. Francis Abbey (11 Jul 1630), 8 items 1623-30

**MS 43,309/ 3** Acquittances for Crown rents from Richard, 1st Earl of Cork (1632 & 1 May 1633), for Crown rents due to the Exchequer at Michaelmas 1633 (10 Nov 1633), Easter 1634, Easter 1637, Michaelmas 1638 (12 Dec 1638), Easter 1639 (29 Jul 1639), Michaelmas 1639 (10 Dec 1639), and for the Crown rents of Gillabbey (Sep 1640), 9 items  
1632-40

*III.v.5 Articles of agreement*

**MS 43,310/ 1** Articles of agreement for lands, goods, and services made between Sir Richard Boyle and various persons, comprising an agreement of Morris Oge Fitz Morris Gybon of Kilnaynyne, Co. Waterford (9 Aug 1590), agreement of David Fitz John of Kileagally, Co. Waterford (31 May 1593), with an assignment from Thomas Fitz Morris Gybon to Morris Oge Fitz Morris Gybon, signed by John Fitz Gerald and Edmond Oge Gerald (2 Jan 1590/1), article of agreement between Richard Boyle of Dublin and Edward Nangle of Ballateag, County Kildare (2 Jun 1598), with note by Edward Nangle (23 May 1601), article of agreement between Sir Richard Boyle and William Howse concerning the lands of Ballynatra (7 May 1602), the adward of Edmond Coppinger, Mayor of Youghal, and Sir Richard Boyle betwixt John Gulvan and Elizabeth Gogarston about a meadow being of the lands of Kilronan (18 Mar 1605), article of agreement between Sir Richard Boyle and Francis Holywood of Tallow for building a window and chimney (13 Mar 1608), assignment from Sir William Taaffe to Sir Richard Boyle (May 1608), copy of article of agreement between Sir Richard Boyle and Henry Pyne of Mogeely concerning the supply of timber (1610), agreement between Sir Richard Boyle and Sir Henry Harrington for Wexford wood (c1610), 9 items  
1598-1610

**MS 43,310/ 2** Articles of agreement for lands, goods and services made between Richard, 1st Earl of Cork and various persons, comprising memorandum concerning a matter between Sir Richard Boyle and Sir John Fitz Edmond (4 Mar 1612), article of agreement between John Goulding, carpenter, of Kilpatrick and Henry Reynolds of London for the erection of an ironworks in the lordship of Gallyn (15 Oct 1612), release concerning the sale of Bowler's garden in North Abbey, Youghal by Edward Walshe and Richard Ronanyne (31 Aug 1613), articles of agreement between Evan Owens of Lismore and Sir Richard Boyle (16 Sep 1616), agreement between, Richard, Baron of Youghal and Richard Mytton concerning the transportation of goods from the harbour of Youghal (10 Jun 1618),

agreement signed by James Younge and Thomas Smyth (7 Apr 1624), certificate of James [?] of Bandonbridge concerning a lease (Oct 1625), articles of agreement between Richard, Earl of Cork and John Kercoon for the lands of Clannebuye, Co. Waterford (20 Jun 1628), copy of licence granted to Philip Percival by Richard, Earl of Cork to assign his lease of Piltown over to William Perry and others (22 Feb 1632), copy article of agreement between Richard, Earl of Cork and Aulliffe McDermody O'Croully of Gallane, County Cork (22 May 1634), and an agreement between Richard, Earl of Cork and Samuel East concerning the lands of Dromkitt, Co. Kildare (24 Sep 1639), 11 items  
1612-39

## IV ESTATE CORRESPONDENCE

The estate correspondence collected in this section spans the period from the accession of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork in 1644 to the end of the agency of Francis E. Curry in 1885. The correspondence becomes more regular from the 1680s onwards and is very voluminous between 1814 and 1885, for which period many thousands of incoming letters are preserved together with letters books containing copies of outgoing letters. These letters deal almost entirely with estate business. The letters of the eighteenth century are incomplete, there being relatively few letters in the collection dating from 1755 to 1814. Many letters from this period are, however, held at Chatsworth House, and copies of some these letters are held at the Public Record Office of Northern Ireland.

The correspondence consists of letters from land agents, stewards and legal advisers concerning various matters pertaining to the administration of the Boyle and Cavendish properties in Counties Cork, Waterford and Tipperary. The subjects discussed include the welfare of tenants, the sale and purchase of land, the granting of leases, the fixing and payment of rent, and the general maintenance of the properties. Some letters also contain references to the condition of the country and to agrarian agitation. The correspondence also contains letters exchanged with public bodies on matters relating to military and police matters, the administration of national schools, poor relief, estate improvements etc., on the Lismore, Bandon, Youghal and Dungarvan estates. The papers are grouped, wherever possible, according to the person who received the letters, and are then arranged according to individual correspondents or to the subject matter with which they deal and listed in approximate chronological order.

Further correspondence of agents and other persons connected with the Lismore, Bandon, Youghal and Dungarvan estates can be found elsewhere in the relevant sections of the Lismore Castle Papers, most particularly that dealing with legal cases, tithes, and elections (see sections III, VI.v.10, and VII.iv).

### IV.i Landowners

#### *IV.i.1 Richard Boyle, 2<sup>nd</sup> Earl of Cork and 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Burlington*

**MS 43,346/ 1** Letters from Murrough O'Brien, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Inchiquin, Adam Loftus,

- Leonard Gorstelowe, John Waller, Sir R. Osbourne, and others to Richard, 2<sup>nd</sup> Earl, and Elizabeth, Countess of Cork, with letters and orders concerning estate matters from Richard, 2<sup>nd</sup> Earl, to Barry Drew, Garrett Roche, Edward Boyle and John Brelsford, with a memorandum of things done in Dublin (Jan 1665/6), exemptions from quartering troops (1691-3), and a part of a diary (1689), 20 items  
1644-93 [*Some items damaged and fragile*]
- MS 13,253/1** Letters from Rowland Davies to Henry Robinson (servant to the Countess of Cork in Youghal) referring to his lands at Gillabbey, Co. Cork, 5 items  
1648
- MS 13,239/2** Letter to the Countess of Cork from Valentine Greatrakes regarding Ballygallane and Killbree, Co. Cork (May 1649), 1 item  
1649
- MS 13,228** Letters to Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington from Leonard Gorstelowe, Jeremiah Clay, and Maurice Fenton (1659-63), with a copy letter from the Earl to Captain Francis Foulke regarding his estate and financial affairs with some political references (7 Feb 1679/80), 4 items  
1659-80 [*Damaged & fragile*]
- MS 13,255/2** Letters to Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork from Anthony Richards concerning ironworks accounts (4 Jan 1661), and from Lady Roscommon (24 May 1663), 2 items  
1661-3
- MS 13,236/1** Letters to Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork, from Pierce Walsh concerning the sale of Kilmurry (19 Jul & 4 Aug 1662), and a letter from [?] Carew (4 May 1663), 3 items  
1662-3
- MS 7177** Letter book, containing abstracts of letters to Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington and to Charles Boyle, Baron Clifford from Garret Roche (agent) concerning his affairs in Ireland  
1671-78
- MS 43,346/ 2** Copy correspondence with associated accounts and papers between Captain Francis Foulke, Colonel William Congreve, Barry Drew and Richard, 2nd Earl, concerning the lands of Camphire and O'Kill, 9 items  
1678-96 [*Some items damaged and fragile*]

- MS 13,235/1** Letters to Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington from Richard Bagge regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington in Munster, with abstracts of the Earl's letters to Bagge (1694-6), 5 items  
1695-7
- MS 43,346/ 3** Petitions to Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork from Thomas Reynolds, William Power and William Griffin, with a petition from Elizabeth, Countess of Cork to Murrough O'Brien, 1st Earl of Inchiquin, Lord President of Munster (May 1648), 4 items  
1648 & n.d.

*IV.i.2 Charles Boyle, 3<sup>rd</sup> Earl of Cork and 2<sup>nd</sup> Earl of Burlington*

- MS 7177** Letter book, containing abstracts of letters to Charles Boyle, 2nd Baron Clifford (father of 3rd Earl) from Garret Roche (agent), concerning his affairs in Ireland, 1 item  
1671-78
- MS 13,233/2** Copy letter to Charles Boyle, 3rd Earl of Cork and Burlington from his estate commissioners regarding estate matters, 1 item  
13 Sep 1699
- MS 13,255/3** Correspondence between Charles, 3rd Earl of Cork and Burlington and his estate commissioners, with associated letters and accounts from Thomas Forster, 7 items  
1699-1706
- MS 43,347/ 1** Draft and copy letters from the estate commissioners (variously William Congreve, Digby Foulke, Roger Power, Richard Bagge and Thomas Baker) to Charles, 3rd Earl, 4 items  
23 Jan 1701/2-19 Sep 1702
- MS 43,347/ 2** Letters from Roger Power to Charles, 3rd Earl, and from Richard Bagge to Anthony Spurrett about his demands, including a copy his agreement for the lands of Ballyrafter (1696) and copy letters concerning the collection of turf from Ballyrafter (1701-3), 4 items  
1704-5
- MS 43,347/ 3** Draft and copy letters from Roger Power, Dean Davies and F. Beecher to Juliana, Countess Cork and Burlington, 7 items  
1704-7



***IV.i.3 Richard Boyle, 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork and 3<sup>rd</sup> Earl of Burlington***

- MS 13,229** Letter to Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington from Colonel William Congreve concerning the salary of Richard Bagge, 1 item  
6 Jul 1706
- MS 6479** Volume of copies of business correspondence of Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, 1 item  
1711-6
- MS 13,255/5** Correspondence between Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, William Snowe, Arthur Bernard, John Walker, Thomas Garde, and John Walsh, 7 items  
1717-8 [*One item damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,348** Letters to Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, from Thomas Baker, Andrew Crotty, Luke Gardiner, Jeremiah Coughlan and William Wickham, 11 items  
1723-32
- MS 7197** Petition book presented to Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, by tenants on his estates in counties Waterford and Cork, and by others, 1 item  
1738

***IV.i.4 William Cavendish, 5<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire***

- MS 43,349** Letter from the Mayor of Cork to William Cavendish, 5<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire requesting a lease of weirs in connection with a scheme to improve the city's water supply, with copy letters from John Heaton, John Grubb and William Green, 4 items  
1792, 1795 & 1804-5

***IV.i.5 William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire***

- MS 43,350** Copy letter from John Heaton to William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, 1 item  
1812

***IV.i.6 Boyle Family***

This section contains letters addressed to Henry Boyle, 1st Baron Carleton (1669-1725), the younger brother of Charles Boyle, 3rd Earl of Cork and Burlington, and Henry Boyle

(1684?-1764) of Castlemartyr, Co. Cork, a grandson of the Earl of Cork who was served as Speaker of the Irish House of Commons (1733-56) and was created 1st Earl of Shannon in 1756.

- MS 13,232** Letters from Thomas Forster to Henry Boyle (after 1st Baron Carleton) concerning on financial matters, 4 items  
1699-1704
- MS 43,351/ 1** Letter book containing copy letters from Henry Boyle and William Snowe to Thomas Forster and Jeremy Coughlan, with copy agreements and accounts, 1 item  
1700-9
- MS 43,351/ 2** Petitions and memorials, including Dominicke Brown (als Portingall) to the Countess of Cork and Burlington (23 May 1705), and Willaim Arness to Rt. Hon. Henry Boyle (27 Dec 1711), 12 items  
1705-93
- MS 43,351/ 3** Letters and petitions from Jeremy Coughlan, Henry Gallwey, Florence O'Driscoll, Nicholas Cook, Sarah Boyle, Stephen Gould and others to the Rt. Hon. Henry Boyle, 11 items  
1710-1 [*Many damaged & very fragile*]
- MS 43,351/ 4** Letters and petitions from Richard Mansell, Benjamin Greene, Thomas Knight, Richard Bagge and others to the Rt. Hon. Henry Boyle, 8 items  
1726-36 [*Many damaged & very fragile*]

#### **IV.ii Estate Auditors**

##### ***IV.ii.1 Anthony Spurret***

Anthony Spurret and Joseph Waite (see below) were engaged to assist Juliana, Countess of Burlington in the administration of the affairs of her son Richard, then a minor, following the death of Charles Boyle, 3<sup>rd</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington.

- MS 43,352** Letters from D. Graham and Luke Ogle, 2 items  
1705-6

##### ***IV.ii.2 Joseph Waite***

- MS 43,353** Letters from Richard Turner, Digby Foulke and John Walker, 2 items  
1713-4

### ***IV.ii.3 Sir Anthony Abdy***

Sir Anthony Thomas Abdy, 5th Bt. (c1720-75) became auditor of the Duke of Devonshire's Irish estate in 1750 when he was succeeded his father Sir William Abdy, 4th Bt. (1689-1750), who had been auditor since circa 1730. A politician and barrister, he was educated at Felsted School and at St John's College, Cambridge. In 1738, Abdy was called to the Bar and was made a King's Counsel in 1765. He was Member of Parliament for Knaresborough from 1763 and continued in his post until his death in 1775.

**MS 43,354** Letters and associated papers from John Crotty and William Conner respecting the lands of Ballygallane and Ballyrafter, Co. Waterford, and copy letter from William Conner concerning the Bandon election of 1760, 15 items  
1760 & 1771-92

### ***IV.ii.4 Sir Beaumont Hotham, 1<sup>st</sup> Baron Hotham***

Sir Beaumont Hotham, 2nd Baron Hotham (1737-1814) was a distinguished lawyer and judge of the High Court in England, holding the position of Baron of the Court of Exchequer. He served as auditor of the Irish estate of the Duke of Devonshire between 1775 and 1791.

**MS 43,355** Copy letter from Sir Beaumont Hotham to Arthur B. Bernard concerning his uncle's lease, 1 item  
1805

### ***IV.ii.5 John Heaton***

John Heaton held the post of auditor between 1791 and 1815, he was the first to have responsibility for all of the Duke of Devonshire's estates in England and Ireland.

**MS 43,356** Letters from Thomas Knowlton, Henry Cavendish, Thomas Garde and Christopher Musgrave to John Heaton, 7 items  
1792-1816 [*Two items badly torn*]

### ***IV.ii.6 Sir James Abercromby, 1<sup>st</sup> Baron Dumfermline***

Sir James Abercromby, 1st Baron Dunfermline (1776-1858) was called to the bar in 1801 and administered the Duke of Devonshire's Irish estate between 1814 and 1827, where he initiated personnel changes in order to clarify the system of management. He was Whig MP for Midhurst (1807-12) and Calne (1812-30) and subsequently held the positions of Judge Advocate-General (1827-30), Chief Baron of the Exchequer in Scotland (1830-2),

MP for Edinburgh (1832-9), Master of the Mint and a cabinet minister (1834), and Speaker of the House of Commons (1835-9). He was created Lord Dunfermline in 1839.

- MS 43,357/ 1** Correspondence with William Coppinger, Bishop of Cloyne and Ross, with letters from Hugh Fortescue, Viscount Ebrington, Thomas Knowlton, Richard McGrath, Rev. Patrick Fogarty, Abraham Fisher, Jeffrey Hartley, Rodolphus Greene, Jeremiah Cahill, Thomas Seward, and petitions from Victoria Lee and Pierce Walsh to Sir James Abercromby, 17 items  
1814-26
- MS 43,357/ 2** Copy and draft letters from William S. Curry, Thomas Loane, and William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire to Sir James Abercromby concerning the affairs of the Irish estates, 19 items  
1817-27
- MS 43,357/ 3** Schedule of correspondence and papers relating to the Duke of Devonshire's estates and affairs in Ireland delivered by John Heaton to Sir James Abercromby, 1 item  
30 Dec 1815

#### *IV.ii.7 Benjamin Currey*

Benjamin Currey (1786-1856) was the elder brother of the resident agent, William Samuel Curry (readers should note the difference in the spelling of their surnames). As a lawyer and a clerk of the House of Lords, he had worked for some years on the Duke of Devonshire's legal affairs before being appointed auditor in 1827. Although highly professional in his duties, he had to contend with Sir Joseph Paxton's interference in many estate matters until his retirement in 1848. He also acted as steward to the Holland estate in west London and was father of Henry Currey, the celebrated architect.

- MS 43,358** Letters to Benjamin Currey from William S. Curry, Francis E. Curry, Henry Witham, John Coleman, George Howard, Viscount Morpeth, and William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, 14 items  
1836-44 [*One item badly damaged & fragile*]

#### *IV.ii.8 William Currey*

William Currey (b. 1820) was the eldest son of Benjamin Currey and succeeded his father as auditor the Devonshire estates in 1848 and continued his service until 1886.

- MS 7186** Letter book containing copies of letters from Francis E. Curry (agent) to William Currey (auditor) dealing with the business of the estates of William Cavendish, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, in counties

Waterford and Cork, 1 item  
1851-55

**MS 7188** Letter book containing copies of letters from Francis E. Curry (agent) to William Currey (auditor) dealing with the business of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1 item  
1855-58

**MS 7190** Letter book containing copies of letters from Francis E. Curry (agent) to William Currey (auditor) and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, dealing with the business of the Duke's estates in counties Waterford and Cork, 1 item  
1858-63

**MS 7192** Letter book containing copies of letters from Francis E. Curry (agent) to William Currey (auditor) and Sir William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire concerning the business of the Duke's estates in counties Waterford and Cork, 1 item  
1864-67

#### ***IV.ii.9 Frederick Alfred Currey***

Frederick Alfred Currey (b. 1851) was assistant to his father William Currey and succeeded his father as auditor the Devonshire estates in 1886 and continued his service until 1916.

**MS 43,359** Letter from E.J. Bartlett, 1 item  
1884

#### **IV.iii Estate Agents**

##### ***IV.iii.1 Colonel William Congreve***

Colonel William Congreve was an army officer from Bardsley, West Yorkshire and had been associated with the Earl of Cork and Burlington since 1660s. He was the most powerful of the quartet of agents then employed and was the father of William Congreve the celebrated playwright. He became a prominent member of the local gentry in Waterford.

**MS 13,226/1** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, Lismore, mainly regarding the Munster estates, but also containing references to military and political matters, 12 items  
4 Oct-13 Dec 1690 [*One item damaged & fragile*]

- MS 43,360/ 1** Letters on estate matters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, to Colonel William Congreve, 10 items  
23 Dec 1690-24 Oct 1693 [*Some damaged & fragile*]
- MS 13,226/2** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, 3 items  
31 Jan 1690/1-31 Mar 1691
- MS 13,226/3** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, 4 items  
4 Apr-19 May 1691
- MS 13,226/4** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, 9 items  
16 Jun-30 Jul 1691
- MS 13,226/5** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, 5 items  
18 Aug-26 Sep 1691
- MS 13,226/6** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, 7 items  
3 Oct-22 Oct 1691 [*One item damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,360/ 2** Letters and instructions on estate matters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, to William Congreve and his fellow estate commissioners (variously Roger Power, Richard Bagge, Thomas Forster, Barry Drew and John Rugg), 9 items  
4 Nov 1691-11 Sep 1694 [*Some damaged & fragile*]
- MS 13,226/7** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, 8 items  
7 Nov-29 Dec 1691
- MS 13,226/8** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, 5 items  
5 Jan-21 Jan 1691/2
- MS 13,226/9** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, 5 items  
2 Feb -23 Feb 1691/2
- MS 13,226/10** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, 12 items  
1 Mar 1691/2-24 Apr 1692

- MS 13,226/11** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, 9 items  
5 May-31 May 1692
- MS 13,226/12** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, 8 items  
4 Jun-29 Jun 1692
- MS 13,226/13** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, 15 items  
9 Jul-27 Aug 1692
- MS 13,226/14** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, 9 items  
1 Sep-20 Sep 1692
- MS 13,226/15** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, 9 items  
6 Oct-19 Nov 1692
- MS 13,226/16** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, 7 items  
3 Dec-31 Dec 1692 [*One item damaged & fragile*]
- MS 13,226/17** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, 8 items  
3 Jan-28 Feb 1692/3
- MS 13,226/18** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, 6 items  
7 Mar 1692/3-20 Apr 1693
- MS 13,226/19** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, 12 items  
27 Mar-10 May 1693
- MS 13,226/20** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, including abstracts from the Earl's letters concerning Richard Bagge (1694-6), 12 items  
2 Jun-23 Aug 1693
- MS 13,226/21** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, 8 items  
1 Sep-4 Dec 1693
- MS 13,226/22** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel

- William Congreve, 4 items  
14 Mar 1693/4-10 Jan 1694/5
- MS 43,360/ 3** Letters on estate matters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, to Colonel William Congreve, 10 items  
23 Jun 1694-5 Jan 1694/5 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 13,226/23** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, including a lists of lands in Lady Clifford's jointure, 11 items  
1 Apr-20 Apr 1695
- MS 43,360/ 4** Letters on estate matters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, to Colonel William Congreve, 13 items  
18 Apr 1695-13 May 1697 & n.d.
- MS 13,226/24** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, 10 items  
27 Apr-28 May 1695
- MS 13,226/25** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, 15 items  
1 Jun-30 Jul 1695
- MS 43,360/ 5** Letters and instructions on estate matters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, to William Congreve and his fellow estate commissioners and agents (variously Digby Foulke, Roger Power, Richard Bagge, and William Harrison), 8 items  
20 Jun 1695-6 May 1697
- MS 13,226/26** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, 14 items  
10 Aug-24 Sep 1695 [*One item damaged & fragile*]
- MS 13,226/27** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, 13 items  
5 Oct-26 Nov 1695
- MS 13,226/28** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, 6 items  
3 Dec-31 Dec 1695
- MS 13,226/29** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, 8 items  
4 Jan-28 Jan 1695/6



- MS 13,226/30** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, 11 items  
4 Feb-24 Mar 1695/6
- MS 13,226/31** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, 6 items  
21 Apr-18 Jun 1696
- MS 13,226/32** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, 9 items  
15 Sep-12 Nov 1696
- MS 13,226/33** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, 8 items  
14 Jan-25 Feb 1696/7
- MS 13,226/34** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, 14 items  
2 Mar 1696/7-20 Apr 1697
- MS 13,226/35** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, 14 items  
1 May-3 Aug 1697
- MS 43,360/ 6** Letters and instructions on estate matters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, to William Congreve and his fellow estate commissioners and agents (variously Digby Foulke, Roger Power, Richard Bagge, William Harrison, Edmond Howse and Thomas Forster), 7 items  
25 May-21 Dec 1697 & n.d. [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 13,226/36** Letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Colonel William Congreve, 15 items  
10 Aug 1697-8 Jan 1697/8 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 13,227** Letters from Charles, 3rd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Col. William Congreve and his fellow estate commissioners, mainly regarding the Munster estates, 15 items  
30 Apr 1698-21 Nov 1702
- MS 43,360/ 7** Letters and instructions on estate matters from Charles, 3rd Earl, to William Congreve and his fellow estate commissioners (variously Digby Foulke, Roger Power, Richard Bagge and William Harrison), 7 items  
7 Jun 1700-6 Dec 1701

- MS 13,230/1** Letters to Col. William Congreve from Charles Boyle, Baron Clifford, Brigadier-General Francis Villiers, Captain Richard Phillips, Thomas Forster, Garret Roche, Charles Congreve, and Henry Boyle (after 1st Baron Carleton), some with military and political references, 15 items  
1690-4
- MS 43,360/ 8** Letters on estate matters from Thomas Forster, Reginald Heber and John Longfield to Colonel William Congreve, concerning the demise of the tolls and customs of Bandon to the Town Provost and other local and financial matters, 3 items  
1691-4
- MS 43,360/ 9** Letters on estate and political matters from Henry Boyle (after 1st Baron Carleton) to Colonel William Congreve, 3 items  
1692-1701
- MS 13,230/2** Letters to Col. William Congreve from the Marquess of Carmarthen, Sir St. John Broderick, Brigadier-General Francis Villiers, Edward Howse, William Power, and Henry Boyle (after 1st Baron Carleton), some with military and political references, 9 items  
1693-1700

#### *IV.iii.2 Roger Power*

Roger Power (d. 1707) of Mount Eglantine came from an Old English family long settled on the borders of Waterford and Cork. He was regarded as the most talented of the 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington's quartet of agents, serving as Seneschal of the Manor of Dungarvan and Member of Parliament for the town from 1703 to 1707.

- MS 43,361/ 1** Letters on estate matters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, and Christopher Crofts to Roger Power, with an authorization to receive rents, 3 items  
13 Jul 1686-1 Sep 1694 [*Damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,361/ 2** Letters on estate matters from Charles, 3rd Earl of Cork and Burlington, Juliana, Countess Burlington, and Anthony Spurrett to Roger Power and his fellow estate commissioners (variously Digby Foulke, Richard Bagge, Thomas Baker and Jeremy Coughlan), 10 items  
15 Oct 1698-11 Jan 1704/5
- MS 43,361/ 3** Letters on estate matters from Juliana, Countess Burlington, and Anthony Spurrett to Roger Power and his fellow estate commissioners (variously Digby Foulke, Richard Bagge, Thomas Baker and Jeremy Coughlan), 14 items  
10 Feb 1704/5-23 Mar 1705/6

- MS 13,231** Letters on estate matters from Juliana, Countess of Burlington, to her agents Thomas Baker and Roger Power, 2 items  
23 Oct 1705 & 28 Aug 1707
- MS 43,361/ 4** Letters from Robert Cooke to Roger Power and Mr. Uniatt, and from Roger Power to Reginald Haber with accompanying papers (proposals, answers etc.) concerning the lands of Cappoquin, Co. Waterford, 7 items  
1692-1700
- MS 13,243** Letters to Roger Power from Anthony Spurrett, Colonel John Hore, William Dobbyn, James Bradley, John Congreve, William Boate, Robert Carew, Henry Blackmore, Capt. Robert Foulkes, Thomas Baker, and Robert Cooke, containing many references to elections in Dungarvan and other Waterford boroughs, 21 items  
1692 & 1703-05
- MS 43,361/ 5** Letters from Lord Chamberlain Cox, Myles Phillips and Garrett Watts to Roger Power, concerning the distribution of deer, an ejection and the Dungarvan parliamentary election of 1703, 3 items  
1701-4
- MS 13,247** Letters from Colonel James Barry of Rath, to Roger Power mainly regarding the Dungarvan parliamentary election of 1703, 12 items  
Aug-Sep 1703
- MS 13,245** Letter from Robert Cooke, Cappoquin, Co. Waterford, to Reginald Haber, London, regarding the quartering of soldiers on his estate (4 Oct 1692), with copy correspondence between Cooke and Heber regarding Cooke's estate, 2 items  
1692-1702

#### *IV.iii.3 Colonel Digby Foulke*

Colonel Digby Foulke was a long-standing tenant of the Earl of Cork and Burlington at Youghal and had first entered the Earl's service in the 1660s. He fought in the Williamite campaigns in Ireland and served as a justice of the peace (from 1684) and as a high sheriff (from 1695).

- MS 13,249/1** Letters to Digby Foulke from Anthony Spurrett, Joseph Waite, John Congreve, and Robert Carew, mainly regarding the estates of the Earls of Cork and Burlington in Munster, including many references to Youghal and district, 9 items  
1702-11 [*Some items damaged and very fragile*]

**MS 43,362** Correspondence between Digby Foulke and his fellow estate commissioners (Roger Power, Richard Bagge, and Thomas Baker) and Robert Carew concerning chief rents, with letters from Thomas Baker, William Atkins, John Salter, and Edward Synge, 12 items  
1703-8

**MS 13,249/3** Letters to Digby Foulkes from Anthony Spurrett and Joseph Waite, regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington in Munster, 9 items  
1712-6

#### *IV.iii.4 Richard Bagge*

Richard Bagge came from a local Protestant settler family and was the junior member of the agency. He was accused of corruption and dismissed in 1700 and a law case was subsequently pursued against him (see section III.vii.2).

**MS 13,235/2** Copy letters from Charles, 3rd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Richard Bagge (1697-1700), with a copy letter from Richard Bagge to Colonel Henry Boyle (24 Nov 1736), and an account of Bagge's charges (23 May 1727), 3 items  
1700-36

**MS 43,363/ 1** Abstracts of letters from Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington to Richard Bagge concerning his allowances (1694-6), copy letters from Charles, 3rd Earl, (13 Jan 1699/1700 & 21 Nov 1700) concerning the commissioner's complaints against him, and abstracts of Richard Bagge's letters to the Earl concerning his demands (1700-3), 4 items  
1701-4

**MS 43,363/ 2** Letters to Richard Bagge and Thomas Baker from Roger Power and Anthony Spurrett regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 3 items  
24 Feb-24 Mar 1704/5

#### *IV.iii.5 Captain Thomas Baker*

Captain Thomas Baker replaced Richard Bagge. He had been trained in account keeping and had served in the War of Spanish Succession as a member of the British Army Commissariat.

**MS 43,364/ 1** Letters to Thomas Baker and Richard Musgrave from Juliana, Countess of Cork and Burlington concerning estate matters, 5 items  
7 Jan 1706/7-21 Sep 1708

- MS 13,242/1** Letters to Thomas Baker and Richard Musgrave from Joseph Waite, Anthony Spurrett, George Howse, Digby Foulke, and William Hubbart, mainly regarding the estates of the Earls of Cork and Burlington in Munster, 10 items  
1703-9 [*Some items damaged & very fragile*]
- MS 43,364/ 2** Letters to Thomas Baker and Richard Musgrave from Joseph Waite concerning the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 10 items  
26 Oct 1706-7 Oct 1707
- MS 43,364/ 3** Letters to Thomas Baker and Richard Musgrave from Anthony Spurrett concerning the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 2 items  
28 May 1706 & 13 Sep 1708
- MS 43,364/ 4** Letters to Thomas Baker and Richard Musgrave from Joseph Waite concerning the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 9 items  
6 Apr-23 Dec 1708
- MS 13,255/4** Correspondence between Joseph Waite, Anthony Spurrett, Jeremiah Coughlan, Thomas Baker, William Snowe, and Messrs. Collier and Graham, 12 items  
1708-16 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 13,242/2** Letters to Thomas Baker and Richard Musgrave from Joseph Waite, George Howse, Digby Foulke, and Jeremy Coughlan, mainly regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington in Munster, 13 items  
Jan-Jul 1710 [*Some items damaged & very fragile*]
- MS 13,242/3** Letters to Thomas Baker and Richard Musgrave from Joseph Waite, George Howse, Digby Foulke, and Jeremy Coughlan, mainly regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington in Munster, 9 items  
Aug-Nov 1710 [*Some items badly damaged & very fragile*]
- MS 13,242/4** Letters to Thomas Baker and Richard Musgrave from Joseph Waite, Digby Foulke, and Jeremy Coughlan, mainly regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington in Munster, 8 items  
Dec 1710 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 13,242/5** Letters to Thomas Baker and Richard Musgrave from Joseph Waite and Jeremy Coughlan, mainly regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington in Munster, 4 items  
1711

- MS 43,364/ 5** Letters to Thomas Baker and Richard Musgrave from Joseph Waite concerning the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 11 items  
25 Jan 1710/1-16 Jun 1715
- MS 13,242/6** Letters to Thomas Baker and Richard Musgrave from Joseph Waite and Jeremy Coughlan, mainly regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington in Munster, with a copy of the Evening Post containing an account of the Battle of Brihuega in Castille (11 Jan 1711), 5 items  
Jan-Mar 1712 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 13,242/7** Letters to Thomas Baker and Richard Musgrave from Joseph Waite, George Howse, Jeremy Coughlan, and Joseph Rowe, mainly regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington in Munster, 8 items  
Apr-Jun 1712 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 13,242/8** Letters to Thomas Baker and Richard Musgrave from Joseph Waite, George Howse, and Jeremy Coughlan, mainly regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington in Munster, 10 items  
Jul-Dec 1712
- MS 13,244** Letters to Thomas Baker, Richard Musgrave and John Walker from Joseph Waite, on behalf of the Countess of Cork, mainly regarding estate affairs but containing a reference to the Dungarvan election, 3 items  
1712-3
- MS 13,242/9** Letters to Thomas Baker and Richard Musgrave from Joseph Waite, Digby Foulke, George Howse, and Jeremy Coughlan, mainly regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington in Munster, 13 items  
1713-4
- MS 13,249/2** Letters to Thomas Baker, Richard Musgrave, and other estate commissioners, variously Richard Bagge, Jeremy Coghlan, Roger Power, Colonel William Congreve, and Joseph Waite from Digby Foulkes, concerning the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 17 items  
1693-1714
- MS 43,364/ 6** Letters to Thomas Baker and Richard Musgrave from George Howse concerning the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 8 items  
1706-7

- MS 43,364/ 7** Letters to Thomas Baker from Digby Foulke and George Howse concerning the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 20 items 1706-11
- MS 43,364/ 8** Letters to Thomas Baker from John Walker, Richard Graham, Gerald Fitzgerald, John Bacon, William Stapleton, Edmond Welsh, and others, concerning the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 12 items 1706-25
- MS 43,364/ 9** Letters to Thomas Baker and Richard Musgrave from John Spurrett concerning the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, including a copy of *The Evening Post* (No. 1003, 7-10 Jan 1716), 6 items 12 Jul 1715-26 Jun 1716
- MS 43,364/ 10** Letters to Thomas Baker and his fellow estate commissioners, variously Richard Bagge, Andrew Crotty, Jeremy Coughlan, John Walker, and John Jones from John Walker, Messrs. Graham and Collier, and Messrs. Wickham and Maynard, concerning the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, with a copy affidavit of Thomas Baker relating to Richard Musgrave (4 Jan 1717/8), 8 items 1717-25 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 13,253/2** Letters to Thomas Baker and Richard Musgrave from Dean Rowland Davies containing references to Gillabbey, Co. Cork, 16 items 1694 & 1706-8
- MS 13,253/3** Letters to Thomas Baker, Captain George Howse, and Andrew Crotty from Richard Davies and Prendergast Davies concerning Gillabbey, Co. Cork, 8 items 1708-21 & 1750

#### ***IV.iii.6 Richard Musgrave***

Richard Musgrave was an English agent who came to Lismore to replace William Congreve on his retirement. Among his descendants was Sir Richard Musgrave (1755-1818), the political writer and politician.

- MS 43,365/ 1** Letters to Richard Musgrave from Joseph Waite concerning the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 5 items 24 Oct 1706-11 Jan 1706/7
- MS 43,365/ 2** Letters to Richard Musgrave from Digby Foulke concerning the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 26 items

1706-11

- MS 43,365/ 3** Letters to Richard Musgrave from George Howse concerning the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 13 items  
1706-12
- MS 43,365/ 4** Letters to Richard Musgrave from Jeremy Coughlan and Thomas Baker concerning the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 6 items  
1706-14
- MS 43,365/ 5** Letters to Richard Musgrave from John Nugent, Dean Davies, Messrs. Graham and Collier, Henry Puxley, and others concerning the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 13 items  
1706-15 & 1732-3 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]

#### ***IV.iii.7 Captain John Walker***

- MS 43,366** Letters to John Walker from Thomas Baker, Thomas Garde, Cham. Walker, Hugh Kennedy, Andrew Fitzgerald, and others concerning the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 19 items  
1719-24 [*Most items damaged & fragile*]

#### ***IV.iii.8 Jeremy Coughlan***

Jeremy Coughlan was of an Old Irish family which had converted to Protestantism. Having received legal training, he began to work for the 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington in the early 1690s. In addition to serving as the agent for the Lismore estate, he was Seneschal of Dungarvan from 1707 and later became manager of the estate of Henry Boyle, 1st Baron Carleton at Castlemartyr, Co. Cork. He owned Ardo House, near Ardmore, Co. Waterford.

- MS 43,367/ 1** Letters and instructions to Jeremy Coughlan from Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, with letters from Henry Boyle, Thomas Baker, Andrew Crotty, William Snowe, and Daniel Connor concerning estate matters, 14 items  
1714, 1722 & 1728-33
- MS 13,246** Letter to Jeremy Coughlan from Thomas Forster (5 Sep 1710), with letters from Jeremy Coughlan to Thomas Baker and Andrew Crotty, one letter containing references to the election of magistrates for the town of Youghal, 4 items  
1707-30
- MS 43,367/ 2** Letters to Jeremy Coughlan and William Snowe from James O'Hea



and Thomas Forster concerning the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 5 items  
1709-10 [*Damaged and fragile*]

**MS 43,367/ 3** Letters to Jeremy Coughlan from Anthony Dwyer, Nicholas Power, John Russell, Richard Hungerford, and William Coughlan concerning the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 8 items  
1715 & 1729-33

**MS 43,367/ 4** Letters to Jeremy Coughlan and his fellow estate commissioners (variously Richard Bagg and Andrew Crotty) from Henry Boyle (later Earl of Shannon), George Freke, Nathaniel Ware, W. Lingen, and others, concerning estate matters, parliamentary elections, and the stationing of troops at Lismore, 10 items  
1718-33 [*Some damaged and fragile*]

**MS 43,367/ 5** Correspondence between Jeremy Coughlan, Andrew Crotty, and John Denny Vesey, with associated papers concerning the payment of rentcharge for the lands of Brinny and Buttevant, Co. Cork, 10 items  
1732-3

#### ***IV.iii.9 Captain William Snowe***

William Snowe was a former agent to Henry Boyle, 1st Baron Carleton at Castlemartyr, Co. Cork. He served as agent for the Earl of Cork and Burlington's estate at Bandon between circa 1711 and 1720.

**MS 43,368/ 1** Copy letters from William Snowe and copy correspondence between Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, Colonel Symms, Edward Howse, and Thomas Forster concerning estate matters, 2 items  
1696-9 [*Damaged & fragile*]

**MS 43,368/ 2** Letters to William Snowe from Jeremy Coughlan concerning the estate of the Earl of Cork and Burlington at Bandon, 12 items  
1710-1 [*Many damaged & very fragile*]

**MS 43,368/ 3** Letters to William Snowe from Jeremy Coughlan concerning the estate of the Earl of Cork and Burlington at Bandon, 18 items  
1712-4 [*Many damaged & very fragile*]

**MS 43,368/ 4** Letters to William Snowe from Jeremy Coughlan concerning the estate of the Earl of Cork and Burlington at Bandon, 18 items  
1715-7 [*Many damaged & very fragile*]

- MS 43,368/ 5** Letters to William Snowe from Jeremy Coughlan concerning the estate of the Earl of Cork and Burlington at Bandon, 19 items 1718-9 [*Many damaged & very fragile*]
- MS 43,368/ 6** Letters to William Snowe from Jeremy Coughlan concerning the estate of the Earl of Cork and Burlington at Bandon, 15 items 1720-3 [*Many damaged & very fragile*]
- MS 43,368/ 7** Letters to William Snowe from Jeremy Coughlan concerning the estate of the Earl of Cork and Burlington at Bandon, 13 items n.d. (c 1715-20) [*Many damaged & very fragile*]
- MS 13,241** Letters to William Snowe of Bandon from Thomas Forster, Jeremy Coughlan, Richard Bagge, John Mathews, Edward Delany, Randall Warner, and Robert George regarding the estate of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, with copies of letters from Snowe to Henry Boyle, 1st Baron Carleton and James O’Hea, 27 items 1707-29
- MS 43,368/ 8** Letters to William Snowe from John Evans and Henry Galway concerning the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington at Bandon, 17 items 1709-11 [*Some damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,368/ 9** Letters to William Snowe from Daniel Donovan, Jeremy Donovan, John Sullivan and Teige McCarthy concerning the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington at Bandon, 14 items 1710-11 [*Some damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,368/ 10** Letters to William Snowe from Thomas Forster, Henry Beecher, Lionel Beecher, and Richard Cox concerning the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington at Bandon, 15 items 1710-11 & 1726 [*Some damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,368/ 11** Letters to William Snowe from Florence O’Driscoll concerning the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington at Bandon, 15 items 1711-2 [*Many damaged & very fragile*]
- MS 43,368/ 12** Letters to William Snowe from Lord Carleton, Digby Foulke, Thomas Baker, Richard Bagge, Richard Musgrave, and Andrew Crotty concerning the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington at Bandon, 6 items 1711-29
- MS 43,368/ 13** Letters (mainly proposals for leases) to William Snowe from various tenants on the Bandon estate, 23 items

- 1709-11 [*Many damaged & very fragile*]
- MS 43,368/ 14** Letters (mainly proposals for leases) to William Snowe from various tenants on the Bandon estate, 20 items  
1711 [*Many damaged & very fragile*]
- MS 43,368/ 15** Letters (mainly proposals for leases) to William Snowe from various tenants on the Bandon estate, 19 items  
1711 [*Many damaged & very fragile*]
- MS 43,368/ 16** Letters (mainly proposals for leases) to William Snowe from various tenants on the Bandon estate, 15 items  
1711-3 [*Many damaged & very fragile*]
- MS 43,368/ 17** Letters (mainly proposals for leases) to William Snowe from various tenants on the Bandon estate, c20 items  
c1711-3 [*Too damaged & fragile to be opened*]
- MS 43,368/ 18** Letters to William Snowe from various tenants on the Bandon estate, 13 items  
1727-35 [*Some damaged & very fragile*]

#### *IV.iii.10 Andrew Crotty*

Andrew Crotty was an Irish Catholic who served as rent collector from 1712. His talents as an agent were highly valued by the 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington. He was, however, dismissed for improprieties in 1739 but retained his substantial house at Modeligo, Co. Waterford.

- MS 43,369** Letters to Andrew Crotty from Thomas Baker, John Walker, Richard Mansell, John Newell, Thomas Squire, Brett Badham, and others concerning estate matters, with abstracts of Crotty's letters to Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington (1727-8), 13 items  
1717-33 [*Many damaged and very fragile*]
- MS 13,255/ 6** Correspondence between Andrew Crotty, John Walker, R. Graham, and Henry Wallis concerning estate matters, 4 items  
1723-8
- MS 7178** Letter book, containing copies of of the letters of Andrew Crotty and Jeremy Coughlan to other agents and tenants on the estates of Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, in County Waterford, together with accounts of rent areas, 1 item  
1733-34

#### *IV.iii.11 Captain Daniel Conner*

Daniel Conner served as receiver of rents for the Bandon estate.

- MS 13,255/7** Correspondence between Daniel Conner, William Conner, Henry Eeles, Charles Prince, Prendergast Davies, and Samuel Gardner, 9 items  
1730-54
- MS 43,370** Letters to Daniel Connor from William Conner, Robert Roberts, and Richard Hungerford concerning the estate of the Earl of Cork and Burlington at Bandon, 5 items  
1736, 1752 & n.d.

#### *IV.iii.12 John Ussher*

John Ussher was a member of a family long established in Munster and worked for the Duke of Devonshire from 1737. His appointment as head agent in 1739 (at £400 per year) marked an important change in the management of Lismore, as control of the estate was transferred from agents enmeshed in local alliances (being tenants of the Earl of Cork and Burlington) to supposedly more impartial strangers. He remained as head agent until 1748.

- MS 13,233/1** Letters from Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington to John Ussher and William Conner, mainly regarding financial matters, 7 items  
1728 & 1738-50
- MS 43,371/ 1** Letters and instructions to John Ussher from Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington concerning estate matters, 10 items  
1738-47
- MS 7179** Letter book, containing copies of the letters of John Ussher to Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, Sir William Abdy, and Jonathan Burward dealing with the affairs of the Earl, mainly in County Waterford  
1738
- MS 7180** Letter book, containing copies of the letters of John Ussher to Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington and Sir William Abdy dealing with the affairs of the Earl, mainly in County Waterford  
1740-48
- MS 13,252/1** Letters to John Ussher and William Conner from Sir William Abdy, mainly regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington in Munster, 10 items

1737-42

- MS 43,371/ 2** Letters to John Ussher from Sir William Abdy regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 6 items  
1739
- MS 43,371/ 3** Letters to John Ussher from Sir William Abdy on estate matters, some with observations from the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 14 items  
1740/1
- MS 43,371/ 4** Letters to John Ussher from Sir William Abdy regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 10 items  
1741/2
- MS 43,371/ 5** Letters to John Ussher from Sir William Abdy regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 12 items  
1742/3
- MS 43,371/ 6** Letters to John Ussher from Sir William Abdy regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 12 items  
1743/4
- MS 13,251/3** Letters to John Ussher from Sir William Abdy, William Conner, John Minchin Walcott, John Parker, Francis Browne, and Henry Wigmore, mainly regarding the estates of the Earl of Burlington in Munster, 10 items  
1743-5
- MS 43,371/ 7** Letters to John Ussher from Sir William Abdy on estate matters, including the instructions of the Earl of Cork and Burlington (1 Mar 1744/5), 13 items  
1744/5
- MS 13,252/3** Letters to John Ussher and William Conner from Sir William Abdy, mainly regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington in Munster, 6 items  
1744-6
- MS 43,371/ 8** Letters to John Ussher from Sir William Abdy regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 12 items  
1745/6
- MS 43,371/ 9** Letters to John Ussher from Sir William Abdy regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 10 items  
1746/7

- MS 13,251/4** Letters to John Ussher from Sir William Abdy, William Conner, Samuel Gardner, J. Wallis, Daniel Conner, James Wigmore, Thomas Wigmore, John Green, and Richard Giles, mainly regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington in Munster, 12 items  
1746-8
- MS 43,371/ 10** Letters to John Ussher from Sir William Abdy regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 9 items  
1747/8-9
- MS 13,252/2** Letters from Sir William Abdy to John Ussher and William Conner mainly regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington in Munster, 5 items  
1748-9
- MS 13,251/1** Letters to John Ussher from Jonathan Burward, mainly regarding the estates of the Earl of Burlington in Munster, 9 items  
1738
- MS 43,371/ 11** Letters to John Ussher from Jonathan Burward regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 12 items  
1738-9
- MS 43,371/ 12** Letters to John Ussher from William Conner regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 16 items  
1741-7
- MS 43,371/ 13** Letters to John Ussher from Andrew Crotty, Thomas Dawson, Roger Bernard, Daniel Conner, Marmaduke Grove, John Croker, William Dalton, Robert Bulman, Reuben Fisher, and John Kennedy, regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 27 items  
1738-48
- MS 13,251/2** Letters to John Ussher from William Conner, John Kennedy, and Luke Gardiner, mainly regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington in Munster, 9 items  
1742
- MS 43,371/ 14** Letters to John Ussher from the Rev. Thomas Dawson regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 18 items  
1738-40
- MS 43,371/ 15** Letters to John Ussher from Joseph Freeman, Richard Smyth, Luke Gardiner, Maurice Ronayne, J.W. Alcock, and others regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 24 items

1738-44

- MS 43,371/ 16** Letters to John Ussher from the Rev. Thomas Dawson regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 21 items  
1741-4
- MS 43,371/ 17** Letters to John Ussher from Thomas Barsham and William Heathcote regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 15 items  
1742-4
- MS 43,371/ 18** Letters to John Ussher from John Wallis and J. Minchin Walcott regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 19 items  
1743-8 [*Some damaged & very fragile*]
- MS 43,371/ 19** Letters to John Ussher from John Shea, Mary Hayles, John Kearney, John Damer, Benjamin Bunbury, H. Alcock, and others regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 20 items  
1745-6
- MS 43,371/ 20** Letters to John Ussher from Thomas Lowder, Roger Bernard, L. Broderick, John Kerby, Richard Uniacke, and others regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 14 items  
1747-9 & n.d. [*Some damaged & very fragile*]

#### ***IV.iii.13 Miscellaneous Agents' Letters***

- MS 43,372** Assorted letters to Jonathan Burward, Benjamin Davies, Pierce Power, Arthur Bernard, Zorobel Robinett, Brettridge Badham, William Shute, and to persons unknown, from Digby Foulke, James Vaughan, Francis White, Colonel William Browning, Samuel Farmer, Jeremy Coughlan, Andrew Crotty, Tristram Martin, Thomas Garde, William McGuire, and Robert Roberts regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington and other matters, 25 items  
1704-49

#### ***IV.iii.14 William Conner (the Elder)***

William Conner (the elder) became agent for the Bandon estate in 1739. He was appointed head agent for the Irish estate in 1748 and acted as the Earl of Cork and Burlington's attorney from 21 March 1753.

- MS 13,248** Letters to William Conner at Bandon and Lismore, from Sir William Abdy, Thomas Flynn, Benjamin Greene, Andrew Bagge,

- Christopher Musgrave, Robert Deane, and others, with references to the Tallow parliamentary election and works at Youghal Strand, 14 items  
1737-57
- MS 43,373/ 1** Letters to William Conner from Sir William Abdy and Sir Anthony Abdy regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 24 items  
1749-51
- MS 13,252/4** Letters to William Conner from Sir William Abdy and Sir Anthony Abdy mainly regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington in Munster, 7 items  
1750
- MS 43,373/ 2** Letters to William Conner from Sir Anthony Abdy regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 14 items  
1752-3
- MS 13,252/5** Letters to William Conner from Sir Anthony Abdy mainly regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington in Munster, 10 items  
1753-4
- MS 43,373/ 3** Letters to William Conner from Sir Anthony Abdy regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 10 items  
1754-5
- MS 13,252/6** Letters to William Conner from Sir Anthony Abdy mainly regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington in Munster, 8 items  
1755
- MS 43,373/ 4** Letters to William Conner from Jonathan Burward, Benjamin Greene, Thomas Harvey, John Giles, Rev. Thomas Dawson, Charles Prince, L. Broderick, and others regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, including a list of Lismore Castle papers returned by Charles Smith (29 May 1749), 15 items  
1740-9
- MS 43,373/ 5** Letters to William Conner from Henry Boyle regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 8 items  
1740, 1744 & 1753
- MS 43,373/ 6** Letters to William Conner from R. Waterford and H. Alcock regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 10 items  
1747-56 [*Most damaged & very fragile*]
- MS 43,373/ 7** Letters to William Conner from Thomas Barbon and Marmaduke



- Grove regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 13 items  
1749-57
- MS 43,373/ 8** Correspondence between William Conner, Thomas Baker, and John Damer, with letters to William Conner from Arthur Boate, Christopher Musgrave, John Wallis, John Ferrett, Juliana Crotty, Henry Wallis, and others regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 35 items  
1750-4
- MS 43,373/ 9** Letters to William Conner from Henry Cavendish and Sir Christopher Musgrave regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 8 items  
1750-9
- MS 43,373/ 10** Letters to William Conner from Michael Kearney (with an enclosed letter from John Ussher) regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 9 items  
1751-8
- MS 13,234** Letter to William Conner from Henry Boyle, 1st Earl of Shannon regarding his search for a record of the Earl of Cork and Burlington's having taken an oath of office (24 Apr 1753), 1 item  
1753
- MS 43,373/ 11** Letters to William Conner from Andrew Baggs, Henry Coghlan, Catherine Davies, J.W. Alcock, Juliana Crotty, Deane, James Meade, John Delane, William Conner (the Younger), and others regarding the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 28 items  
1756-64 & n.d.

#### *IV.iii.15 William Conner (the Younger)*

William Conner (the younger) succeeded his father as head agent for the Lismore estate in 1764. The subsequent system of administration he presided over has been characterized as one that embodied "a consistent policy of nepotism, financial sharp practice, and political self-aggrandizement" at the Duke of Devonshire's expense. He was forced to resign the post in July 1792 and died in 1799.

- MS 43,374** Letters to William Conner from Thomas Garde, William Lane, Frederick Ponsonby, and John Cranitch concerning estate and legal matters, 8 items  
1768-1790

#### ***IV.iii.16 Henry Bowman***

Henry Bowman served as agent from 1792 to 1797. He was appointed after a period of mismanagement by his predecessors and was the first English agent to be employed by the Dukes of Devonshire in Ireland, a practice which was continued thereafter. His appointment marked a greater professionalism and managerial interventionism in the running of the estate.

**MS 43,375** Letters to Henry Bowman from William Delehay, Daniel Hannan, Jasper Lucas, Benjamin Greene, and John Macnamara concerning the estate of the Duke of Devonshire, 5 items  
1792-6

#### ***IV.iii.17 Thomas Knowlton***

Thomas Knowlton came from a family that had served the Cavendish family for three generations. He served as agent of the Duke of Devonshire's Irish estates between 1797 and 1814. In this capacity he traveled frequently to Lismore but declined a permanent residency there. In addition to the Irish agency he served as a general agent at Chatsworth and was therefore largely an absentee. He was controversially dismissed for misconduct in 1814 and retired to his property in Derbyshire.

**MS 43,376** Copy correspondence between Thomas Knowlton, Robert Seely, and Thomas Garde, with letters to Thomas Knowlton from Benjamin Popham, R. Newenham, George Kingston, John Spottiswoode, Sir Christopher Musgrave, John Coleman, John Flynn, J.P. Panton, Thomas Hewitt, and others concerning the estate of the Duke of Devonshire, 24 items  
1801-14

#### ***IV.iii.18 William A. Ashby***

William Ashby's short tenure as resident agent at Lismore between 1814 and 1817 saw the initiation of far-reaching efforts to reform the running of the estates, particularly the collection of tithes and the enforcement of the Duke of Devonshire's property rights in the town of Youghal and over the fisheries on the River Blackwater. For Sir James Abercromby's instructions to Ashby on assuming the agency, see appendix 1 to the introduction to the list.

##### **IV.iii.18.A Duke of Devonshire and his Agents**

**MS 43,377/ 1** Letter from Duke of Devonshire concerning the renewal of a lease for a farm held by Mrs. Frances Power, with letters from James Abercromby and Thomas Knowlton, including a notebook containing a copy letter of instructions from Abercromby to William Ashby upon his appointment as land agent in 1814, 7 items

1814-7

- MS 43,377/ 2** Letters from John Hudson, subjects include the Earl of Grandison's lease for Templemichael, the proceedings of the Court of D'Oyer Hundred and the Dungarvan newspaper reading room, 18 items  
1815-7
- MS 43,377/ 3** Letters from Benjamin Popham, subjects include the registration of voters, leases in Dungarvan, the sale of Lord Bandon's timber, and proposals for the lands of Morragh, 24 items  
1815-7
- MS 43,377/ 4** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include Dungarvan Tolls, Colonel Uniacke's insurance against the claims of Mr. Freeman, and suits against Youghal Corporation (Messrs. Greene and Jackson) regarding the Strand, 24 items  
May 1815-Jun 1816
- MS 43,377/ 5** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include suits against Youghal Corporation regarding the Strand, Blackwater fishery cases, and actions against various tenants including Messrs. Lambert and Webb, 22 items  
Jul-Dec 1816
- MS 43,377/ 6** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include the Duke of Devonshire's deed of recovery (10 Jun 1812), Dungarvan Bridge, the City of Cork parliamentary election, and suits against Youghal Corporation regarding the Strand, 20 items  
Feb-Apr 1817
- MS 43,377/ 7** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include suits against Youghal Corporation regarding the Strand, illegal weirs on the River Blackwater, Dungarvan Ferry, the City of Cork parliamentary election and Joseph Eustace's property in Youghal, 25 items  
May-Aug 1817 & n.d.

#### IV.iii.18.B Principal Correspondents

- MS 43,378/ 1** Letters from George Roche, subjects include the state of political affairs in Youghal, the Earl of Shannon's writ before the Court of D'Oyer Hundred, and the condition of Youghal slob, 20 items  
1816
- MS 43,378/ 2** Letters from George Roche, subjects include the dock and quays at Youghal, the current of the River Blackwater, and import duties on British manufactures, 16 items

1817

- MS 43,378/ 3** Correspondence between William Ashby, William S. Curry, Sir James Abercromby and Richard Hely-Hutchinson, 1st Earl of Donoughmore, concerning presentments applied for by Lord Donoughmore at the County Waterford assizes, 28 items  
1815-8
- MS 43,378/ 4** Letters from Henry Prendergast Garde and Jesse Hartley, subjects include Garde's surrender of Lismore Castle grounds and his building of tenements in Youghal, and the ferry and lime kiln in Dungarvan, 20 items  
1815-7
- MS 43,378/ 5** Letters from J.M. Galwey, Joshua Eustace and Richard McGrath, subjects include Dungarvan market, the lands of Knockbeg, tenements and waste ground in Dungarvan and the stewardship of Youghal, 22 items  
1815-7
- MS 43,378/ 6** Letters from Sir Christopher Musgrave, Colonel Robert Uniacke and James Harris, subjects include the lands of Ballyin, the valuation of annuities and land holding on the River Blackwater, 24 items  
1816-8

IV.iii.18.C General Correspondence

- MS 43,379/ 1** Letters from various correspondents including Thomas Lowe, John Leary, Edward Green, Travers Cotterell, William Daunt and Thomas Pope, subjects include maps of the Bandon estate, a new road into Cork, and the death and burial of Dorothy, Countess Burlington in 1758, 20 items  
1815
- MS 43,379/ 2** Letters from various correspondents including Rodolphus Greene, John Barrett, John Kirby and William Galwey, subjects include harbour dues in Dungarvan and the delapidation of properties at Gillabbey, 23 items  
Jan-Jul 1816 [*Some items damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,379/ 3** Letters from various correspondents including William Sullivan, Michael Mortimer, William Atkinson, William Foster (Surveyor of Excise) and Attiwell Wood, subjects include Dungarvan Ferry, an assault on Mr. Meade and leases for houses in Bandon, 25 items  
Aug-Dec 1816

- MS 43,379/ 4** Letters from various correspondents including William Waggett, John Beamish, Arthur Quinn, Richard Popham and John O'Flaherty, subjects include Dungarvan Bridge and Ferry, and the publication of a history of Limerick and the sale of the Castle Quarter, 21 items  
Jan-Feb 1817
- MS 43,379/ 5** Letters from various correspondents including James Keane, Stephen Roche, Ludlow Tonson, James Fitzgerald, Patrick Delandre and Francis Sullivan, subjects include building in Bandon, Ahern Church, the position of Seneschal of Dungarvan, the registration of voters and the sale of bark, 28 items  
Mar-Jun 1817
- MS 43,379/ 6** Letters from various correspondents including William Power, John Nash, R.S. Ball (Mayor of Youghal), Stephen Baker, P. O'Meagher, William Popham, Sir N. Colhurst and Serjeant H. Joy, subjects include the Presbyterian Meeting House in Youghal, road construction and a report on the town and suburbs of Youghal by Arthur Richard Nevill, 22 items  
Jul 1817-Apr 1818 & n.d.
- MS 43,379/ 7** Correspondence between William Ashby, Rev. M. Stokes, G. Giles and Richard Musgrave concerning the re-establishment of Lismore School, and letters, with associated papers, from George Chinnery, Thomas Biggs and Philip Bernard concerning the lands of East Carhoon, 16 items  
1816-7
- MS 43,379/ 8** Memorials from Henry Banks, Mary Banks and John Dill concerning the repair of dwelling houses in the Town of Youghal, 4 items  
1815 & n.d.

#### IV.iii.18.D Special Topics

- MS 43,380/ 1** Letters to William Ashby from Sir James Abercromby, Benjamin Popham, Thomas Seward, Sir William Homan, Sir Christopher Musgrave and Mathias Walsh concerning the River Blackwater fishery, with memoranda, a report of weirs (22 May 1814) and a petition from the fishermen of Youghal (20 Dec 1816), 15 items  
1814-7
- MS 43,380/ 2** Correspondence between William Ashby and Sir Christopher Musgrave concerning the letting of Ballyin, letters from Sir Beaumont Hotham to Sir Richard Musgrave (6 Feb 1784) and John

French and an account, 17 items  
1816-7

**MS 43,380/ 3** Letters to William Ashby from Benjamin Popham and Miss M. Kenney concerning her house in Bandon, with an estimate of painting work to be done, 9 items  
1817-20

#### *IV.iii.19 Colonel William Samuel Curry*

Colonel William Samuel Curry was first English agent to be permanently resident on the Duke of Devonshire's estate in Ireland. Having retired from the British Army he had run his own farm in Yorkshire before becoming Lismore agent on 26 November 1817. With his appointment the estate's managerial structures had evolved into their final form. He served as agent until 1839.

##### IV.iii.19.A Duke of Devonshire and his Estate Auditors

**MS 43,381/ 1** Letters from William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include the Corporation of Youghal, petitions for Catholic emancipation, and a visit to Lismore Castle from Lord and Lady Clanricarde, 15 items  
1822 & 1827-37

**MS 43,381/ 2** Letters from Sir James Abercromby, subjects include Bandon Dispensary, the tithes of Kilronan, Lord Shannon's political interest, fishery leases, Cork politics, Lismore Inn, building leases at Dungarvan, and Catholic schools at Bandon, 25 items  
1817-Mar 1818

**MS 43,381/ 3** Letters from Sir James Abercromby, subjects include Dungarvan Ferry, the Cork, Bandon, Dungarvan and elections, remittances, the appointment of magistrates, the Southern fisheries, and Dr. Clarke's leases, 27 items  
Apr-Dec 1818

**MS 43,381/ 4** Letters from Sir James Abercromby, subjects include Bandon affairs, the livings of Templemichael, the window tax, the tithes of Kilronan, Enniskean Mill, the Dungarvan and County Wexford elections, and the Pipe Water Company, 27 items  
1819-Feb 1820

**MS 43,381/ 5** Letters from Sir James Abercromby, subjects include Irish elections, the suits against Youghal Corporation, donations to Bandon Church, a survey for minerals, Hibernian schools, and correspondence with John Hyde concerning Youghal Corporation, 28 items

Mar-Dec 1820

- MS 43,381/ 6** Letters from Sir James Abercromby, subjects include the Dungarvan election, Aghlish tithes, the disbursement of funds, the Education Society, Youghal affairs, the linen trade, and the Duke of Devonshire's visit to Ireland, 23 items  
1822
- MS 43,381/ 7** Letters from Sir James Abercromby, subjects include Lord Bandon's park, Youghal magistrates, Lord Landsdowne's visit to Lismore, the tithe question, an Orange procession in Bandon, and the billeting of troops at Dungarvan, 30 items  
1823-Feb 1824
- MS 43,381/ 8** Letters from Sir James Abercromby, subjects include Youghal affairs, Dungarvan Court House, the Corn Laws, Lismore salmon fishery, Waterford politics, donations to Roman Catholic chapels, and the nunnery at Bandon, 24 items  
Apr 1824-Jun 1825
- MS 43,381/ 9** Letters from Sir James Abercromby, subjects include Lord George Beresford and Waterford politics, the nunnery at Bandon, Dungarvan Chapel, Henry Witham's accounts, and the road from Bandon to Timoleague, 17 items  
Jul-Dec 1825
- MS 43,381/ 10** Correspondence with Sir James Abercromby, subjects include Lord Bandon's park, distress at Bandon, the Duke of Devonshire's tolls, parliamentary candidates for Bandon and Youghal, and the Waterford election, 21 items  
Feb-Jul 1826
- MS 43,381/ 11** Correspondence with Sir James Abercromby, subjects include the mass meeting of Catholics in Munster, Lismore Gaol, the toll on potatoes, schools, charitable donations, Waterford politics, and Dungarvan Chapel, 25 items  
Aug-Dec 1826
- MS 43,381/ 12** Letters from Sir James Abercromby, subjects include Bandon barracks, the sale of Ballygaggin, the County Cork election, the Salmon Fishery Committee, Youghal Bridge, weights and measures, and Catholic emancipation and the Munster meeting, 30 items  
1827-9 & 1833
- MS 43,381/ 13** Letters from Benjamin Currey, subjects include the County Cork parliamentary election (1817), the preparation of leases, land for

- Brinny School, the Heathcote purchase, tithe and fishery papers, and various financial and family matters, 27 items  
1817-21 & 1825-6
- MS 43,381/ 14** Letters from Benjamin Currey, subjects include the preparation of leases, tithe suits, proposals for the salmon fishery, remittances, the trust deed and reconveyance (1812 & 1817), the Dean's House at Ballyin, Youghal Bridge, and lunatic asylums, 33 items  
1827-8
- MS 43,381/ 15** Letters from Benjamin Currey, subjects include the Dublin Mendicity Institution, Dungarvan politics, parliamentary candidates for Waterford, the 1st Earl of Cork's diary and papers, and a declaration against the repeal of the Union, 35 items  
1829-30
- MS 43,381/ 16** Letters from Benjamin Currey, subjects include the Western Yacht Club, Irish election expenses, tithe suits, anonymous letters, the Reform Bill, distress in Ireland, the Kildare Place Society, and Bandon election fees, 30 items  
1831
- MS 43,381/ 17** Letters from Benjamin Currey, subjects include the County Cork Association, tithe meetings, Sir Augustus Warren and the Kilmurry tithe suit, the Corporation of Youghal, Dungarvan election and William Jagoe, and the lease of Derrycool, 39 items  
1832
- MS 43,381/ 18** Letters from Benjamin Currey, subjects include Youghal and Dungarvan politics, the sale of Ballygaggin, papers and rentals connected with Kilmurry tithes, Youghal Society of Arts, and the Tithe Composition Act, 28 items  
Jan-Aug 1833
- MS 43,381/ 19** Letters from Benjamin Currey, subjects include the recovery, settlement and sale of tithes, the Pipe Water Company, Peacock Lane Schools, the living of Ringagonagh, George Lamb's health, and Youghal College, 34 items  
Sep-Dec 1833
- MS 43,381/ 20** Letters from Benjamin Currey, subjects include George Lamb's illness, the selection of a parliamentary candidate for Dungarvan, the tithes of Kilmichael and Inchegeelagh, Youghal College, and the purchase of Gillabbey from J.R. Parker, 39 items  
Jan-Mar 1834



- MS 43,381/ 21** Letters from Benjamin Currey, subjects include the parliamentary progress of the Tithe Bill and Relief Act, the formation of Lord Melbourne's ministry, and the death of Prince William Frederick, Duke of Gloucester, 28 items  
Apr-Nov 1834
- MS 43,381/ 22** Letters from Benjamin Currey, subjects include the Gillabbey property, Youghal schools, quit rent for Kilmurry, the payment of tithes and the maintenance of Youghal Chapel, and the Earl of Cork's tomb in Youghal Church, 35 items  
1835
- MS 43,381/ 23** Letters from Benjamin Currey, subjects include the Million Fund, mineral and mining rights, the deeds of Curryglass, Youghal politics, and the sale of lands in County Tipperary, with enclosed letters from George Howard, Viscount Morpeth (Chief Secretary for Ireland) and William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, 30 items  
1836 [*Most items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,381/ 24** Correspondence with Benjamin Currey, subjects include settlement of leases, the recovery of tithes, weirs on the River Blackwater, and the selection of Charles Cavendish as parliamentary candidate for Youghal, 27 items  
Jan-Jun 1837
- MS 43,381/ 25** Correspondence with Benjamin Currey, subjects include Henry Witham's affairs, the payment of tithe composition, the registration of freeholders, John Swanston's farm at Laragh, and the purchase of a painting for Dungarvan Chapel, 27 items  
Jul-Dec 1837

IV.iii.19.B Estate Agents and Sub-Agents

- MS 43,382/ 1** Letters from William Ashby, subjects include a memorial from the inhabitants of Bandon concerning a road on the south side of the town and John Hudson's claims, 7 items  
1817, 1820 & 1834
- MS 43,382/ 2** Letters from John Hudson, subjects include proposals from tenants for the lands of Knockbue, the repair of Dungarvan Church, the Seneschal's court, the removal of crops at Lackenfune, and the dispossession of tenants in Dungarvan, 33 items  
1817-Mar 1818
- MS 43,382/ 3** Letters from John Hudson, subjects include Anthony Sheppard's

- house, a site for a county dispensary and infirmary, Dungarvan court house, the distribution of clothing to the poor, and correspondence concerning the examination of the weights and beams of Dungarvan, 31 items  
Apr-Dec 1818
- MS 43,382/ 4** Letters from John Hudson, subjects include Dungarvan Gaol, the estate boundaries, the quarry at Youghal, supplies of timber, coal and slates, the valuation of property at Youghal, and charges of impropriety brought against Rev. Patrick O'Meagher, 28 items  
Jan-Jun 1819
- MS 43,382/ 5** Letters from John Hudson, subjects include the investigation of the charges against Rev. Patrick O'Meagher, coal supplies, Waterford County parliamentary election (1819), and the distribution of clothing to the poor of Dungarvan, 29 items  
Jul-Dec 1819
- MS 43,382/ 6** Letters from John Hudson, subjects include repairs to Youghal College, proposals for Youghal Strand, outrages on Slievegrine Mountain, ground for building a dispensary at Dungarvan, tithe valuations, and a proposal from Youghal Corporation, 39 items  
1820
- MS 43,382/ 7** Letters from John Hudson, subjects include repairs to freehold properties in Dungarvan, a valuation of the lands of Kilmore, Dungarvan Glebe, outrages at Slievegrine, Dungarvan quays and damage sustained by the schooner Brigus, and the distribution of clothing in Dungarvan, 28 items  
1821
- MS 43,382/ 8** Letters from John Hudson, subjects include Dungarvan magistrates, repairs to freehold properties in Dungarvan, tolls on milled flour, William Taylor's claim on property in Youghal, premises on Dungarvan quay, and a site for a school in Dungarvan, 27 items  
1822- May 1824
- MS 43,382/ 9** Letters from John Hudson, subjects include a new Roman Catholic chapel in Dungarvan, bailiffs' salaries, building ground at Blackpool, Dungarvan politics, the Turnpike Board, the Manor of Dungarvan, Clashmore tithes, pound keepers, and the registration of freeholders, 24 items  
Jun 1824-1825
- MS 43,382/ 10** Letters from John Hudson, subjects include a meeting of Dungarvan magistrates, a toll on potatoes, Dungarvan fishermen, subscriptions

- for the relief of the poor, the salvage of wrecks, and Dungarvan Savings Bank, 31 items  
1826-7
- MS 43,382/ 11** Letters from John Hudson, subjects include the collection of tithes, Dungarvan politics, the construction of roads, the activities of 'Levellers' on Slievegrine, an agitation against tolls, and the Dungarvan fishery bounties, 31 items  
1828-Jul 1830
- MS 43,382/ 12** Letters from John Hudson, subjects include the distribution of coats, cloaks and blankets to the poor in Dungarvan, the improvement of Dungarvan Strand for bathing, the cholera epidemic, and political agitation in Dungarvan, 31 items  
Oct 1830-1831
- MS 43,382/ 13** Letters from John Hudson, subjects include the enclosure of Conygar slob, John Russell's holding, J.M. Galwey's candidature for the parliamentary election of Dungarvan, a public meeting, the cholera epidemic, and threatening letters posted in the town, 21 items  
1832
- MS 43,382/ 14** Letters from John Hudson, subjects include the postponement of Dungarvan Races, a donation to the Constabulary, Dungarvan Court House, cases of cholera, Dungarvan Savings Bank, and the collection of tithe composition, 32 items  
1833
- MS 43,382/ 15** Letters from John Hudson, subjects include Dungarvan election, subscriptions for Dungarvan Fever Hospital, the clerk of Dungarvan Church, and building work and the repair of dwellings in Dungarvan, 24 items  
1834
- MS 43,382/ 16** Correspondence between William S. Curry and John Hudson concerning the latter's claim for compensation from the Duke of Devonshire for services rendered to his estate, with a statement of the case and associated papers, 35 items  
1827 & 1834-5
- MS 43,382/ 17** Letters from John Hudson, subjects include the Dungarvan election, the payment of his salary, an altar piece for Dungarvan Chapel, and the church living of Templemichael, 16 items  
1835-7

- MS 43,382/ 18** Letters from John Swanston, subjects include reports on the Bandon district, notices cautioning against burning land, the maintenance of woods, and land holdings at Enniskeane, 16 items  
1819- Feb 1820
- MS 43,382/ 19** Letters from John Swanston, subjects include applications to graff, Rev. Richard's Lloyd's holding at Callatrim, the removal of top soil by tenants in the Bandon district, and a building plot for Brinny School, 19 items  
Mar-Nov 1820
- MS 43,382/ 20** Letters from John Swanston, subjects include arms raids near Bandon, the establishment of a school at Carhue, the construction of a road from Dwndaniel to Brinny, the price of yarn, and the letting of various plots of land to tenants, 22 items  
1821
- MS 43,382/ 21** Letters from John Swanston, subjects include trespass in Carhue woods, applications for permission to burn land, relief of the poor, the establishment of a linen, yarn and cotton market, and building in Bandon, 21 items  
1822-3
- MS 43,382/ 22** Letters from John Swanston, subjects include the bounty on coarse linen, overholding tenants, the Old Inn at Bandon, the salmon fishery, repairs to dwellings, the felling of oak trees by a party of Orangemen at Kilbrogan, and plans for Bandon school house, 24 items  
1824-5
- MS 43,382/ 23** Letters from John Swanston, subjects include the site of a new barracks at Bandon, the valuation of Carhue, poor relief, the enclosure of Bandon town square, and the valuation of Lord Bessborough's property at Carrick-on-Shannon, 21 items  
1826-7
- MS 43,382/ 24** Letters from John Swanston, subjects include Richard Hornibrook's farm at West Mawmore, a site for a flax mill at Enniskeane, plans for New Street and gas lighting in Bandon, the flying of Orange flags, and the school house at Ballymodan, 22 items  
1828-9 & 1832-5
- MS 43,382/ 25** Letters from Henry Witham, subjects include tenancies on the Bandon estate, the butter market at Lismore, quit and crown rents, fishery suits (John Hodnett), and Bandon school, 25 items  
1819-28

- MS 43,382/ 26** Letters from Henry Witham, subjects include the disposal of premises in Dungarvan, tithe suits, schools at Enniskeane and Lismore, Cork General Hospital, a special vestry at AGLISH and Clashmore, AGLSIH tithes, and Lismore gaol, 20 items  
1829
- MS 43,382/ 27** Letters from Henry Witham, subjects include Lismore fishery, disturbances in Dungarvan, proposals for farm leases, Lismore school, the manor or Lordship of Dungarvan, tithe composition, and the College of Youghal, 30 items  
1830-3 [*Some items fragile*]
- MS 43,382/ 28** Letters from Henry Witham, subjects include tithe composition, renewal of leases, Dungarvan election (1834), street lighting in Bandon, the construction of a road from Lismore to Clogheen, and Dungarvan Races, 32 items  
1834-8 [*Some items fragile*]
- MS 43,382/ 29** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include Robert Cue's holding, the sale of woodlands, and the management of the farm at Laragh, 10 items  
1838

#### IV.iii.19.C Law Agents

- MS 43,383/ 1** Letters from Benjamin Popham, subjects include Mr. Halyburton's complaint concerning the mills of Enniskean, Nathaniel Burchill's claim on the lands of Killpatrick, Benjamin Wilson's claim on Skiddy's Castle, and the sale of timber and bark, 16 items  
1818 [*One item damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,383/ 2** Letters from Benjamin Popham, subjects include the removal of Bandon Market House, Enniskean mill holdings, the pump in Bandon town square, proceedings against the Pipe Water Company, a valuation of Skiddy's Castle, and a survey of Ahaglashin, 26 items  
1819 [*Some items fragile*]
- MS 43,383/ 3** Letters from Benjamin Popham, subjects include the possession of Tullyglass, Bandon Meat Shambles, sectarian conflict and riots at Bandon, and the appointment of a Chief Magistrate under the Constabulary Act, 26 items  
1820-4 [*Some items fragile*]
- MS 43,383/ 4** Letters from Benjamin Popham, subjects include Ballymodan tithe leases, the dismissal of the schoolmaster at Bandon, relinquishing

- the toll on potatoes, loans to Irish manufacturers, distress in Bandon, and the preparation of leases and bills of costs, 28 items  
1825-6
- MS 43,383/ 5** Letters from Benjamin Popham, subjects include a request for a farm for Robert Popham (his son), leases for ground for a convent and barracks in Bandon, payments to Arthur Burchill for building costs, and Lord Bandon's interference in the Ballymodan tithe suit, 25 items  
1827-8
- MS 43,383/ 6** Letters from Benjamin Popham, subjects include an ejectment served on Lord Bandon, witnesses and evidence in the Ballymodan tithe suit, the registration of voters, a site for a savings bank in Bandon, the deeds of Gillabbey, and the repossession of various properties, 26 items  
1829-35 & 1839
- MS 43,383/ 7** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include the lands of Loughnasollis and Little Grace, Mrs. Restorick's holding, the fairs and tolls of Tallow and Dungarvan, freehold leases in Dungarvan, various ejectments, and the affairs of Youghal Corporation, 25 items  
1817-Apr 1819 [*Some items fragile*]
- MS 43,383/ 8** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include the trial of the case against Youghal Corporation, fairs and tolls, ejectments, law costs, and financial matters, 20 items  
May-Jul 1819 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,383/ 9** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include the mountain boundaries of Ballysaggart and Ballyin, the judgement in the case against Youghal Corporation, law costs, tithes, leases, and ejectments, 26 items  
Sep 1819-1820 [*Most items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,383/ 10** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include Youghal affairs, the right to claim wrecks at Dungarvan, the lease of Tallow School, the ejectment of Captain Carr, tithe suits, and the preparation of a Bill of Exceptions, 25 items  
Jan-May 1821
- MS 43,383/ 11** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include the suits against Youghal Corporation, legal expenses, documents relating to Youghal College, tithe suits, weirs on the River Blackwater, and various ejectments, 25 items  
Jun-Dec 1821

- MS 43,383/ 12** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include the suits against Youghal Corporation, Dungarvan election, the tolls of Youghal, a Court of D'Oyer Hundred, the exchange of Dungarvan Glebe, and the state of his account, 27 items  
Jan-May 1822
- MS 43,383/ 13** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include the ejectment against Robert Bible, tithe suits, the preparation of draft leases, the exchange of Dungarvan Glebe, Youghal affairs, and rent due out of the lands of Mogeely, 27 items  
Jun-Dec 1822
- MS 43,383/ 14** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include his illness, compensation for Ruben Harvey, stock accounts, Youghal leases and tolls, tithe and fishery suits, the Billet Master of Dungarvan, and Lismore fishery, 32 items  
1823-4
- MS 43,383/ 15** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include the preparation of leases, financial transactions, the Blackwater salmon fishery cases, John Lawlor's tithes, and Youghal magistrates, 20 items  
Jan-May 1825
- MS 43,383/ 16** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include the conveyance of Knockmourne Glebe, the preparation of leases for Youghal, fishery suits (Hodnett), Kilmurry, Kilmichael and Inchegeelagh tithe suits, 20 items  
May-Dec 1825
- MS 43,383/ 17** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include Ballymodan tithe suit, fees for the preparation of leases, Youghal tolls, the Blackwater fishery suits, a salmon fishery petition, and the lease of Youghal school, 21 items  
Jan-Apr 1826
- MS 43,383/ 18** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include the service of writs, the purchase of stock, parliamentary elections, the Heathcote deeds, weirs on the River Blackwater, Ballymodan tithe suit, and the deeds of Gillabbey, 30 items  
May-Dec 1826
- MS 43,383/ 19** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include weights and measures, Blackwater fishery suits (Hodnett), tithe suits, the ejectment of Red Lion house at Youghal, Linen Board payments, and the deed of settlement of 1771, 26 items

Jan-Mar 1827

- MS 43,383/ 20** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include the lease of the Presbyterian church at Lismore, the Heathcote purchase, the sale of Ahaglashin, the rents of Garrycloyne, the Blackwater fishery trials and appeals (Hodnett and Ronayne), and a writ against the Bishop of Waterford, 28 items  
Apr-Aug 1827
- MS 43,383/ 21** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include the ejectment of Knockrour, Richard Smyth's weirs on the River Blackwater, the conveyance of the College of Youghal, and the Presbyterian church at Lismore, 23 items  
Oct-Dec 1827 & 1828
- MS 43,383/ 22** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include the Blackwater fishery suits (Smyth), tithe leases, the letter patent of 3 March 1614, Ballymodan tithe suit, Dungarvan politics, Tallow tolls, and the ejectment brought against Charles Maunsell, 28 items  
Jan-Jun 1829
- MS 43,383/ 23** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include various tithe, fishery and toll suits, stamped receipts, the ejectments against Charles Maunsell and John Newell, and the premises of Francis and Eliza Browne, 27 items  
Jul-Dec 1829
- MS 43,383/ 24** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include various tithe, fishery and toll suits, ejectments against the Tipperary properties, Youghal leases, the deeds of 10 June 1812, and the ejectment of Lackengarriff, 35 items  
Feb-Jun 1830
- MS 43,383/ 25** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include Dungarvan and Youghal elections, Ballymodan and Kilmurry tithe suits, Blackwater fishery trials (Smyth), and the costs of the ejectments against Charles Maunsell, 30 items  
Jul-Dec 1830
- MS 43,383/ 26** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include various tithe and fishery cases (including Dagleigh v. Duke of Athol), Charles Maunsell's costs, Dungarvan election, O'Neill v. Merrick, salvage at Dungarvan, and the ejectment against Henry Hudson, 27 items  
1831
- MS 43,383/ 27** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include leases for a fever



hospital and almshouses, Kilmurry and Ballymodan tithe suits, the deeds of Gillabbey, writs against holders of scotch weirs on the River Blackwater, and the College of Youghal, 26 items  
Jan-Jul 1832

**MS 43,383/ 28** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include Kilmurry, Kilmichael and Inchegeelagh tithe suits, Youghal politics and the registration of voters, Dungarvan parliamentary election, and Daniel O'Connell's proposed visit to Youghal, 31 items  
Aug-Dec 1832

**MS 43,383/ 29** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include the recovery of the College of Youghal, the costs of the Ballymodan tithe suit, an appeal against the Kilmichael and Inchegeelagh tithe certificate, and weirs on the River Blackwater, 17 items  
Jan-Jun 1833 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]

**MS 43,383/ 30** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include the Kilmurray tithe suit, tithe commissioners' certificates and Stradbally and Rossmire tithe appeals, and the recovery of the College of Youghal, 19 items  
Jul-Dec 1833 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]

**MS 43,383/ 31** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include his landholdings, Dungarvan politics after the death of George Lamb, the College of Youghal, tithe certificates and appeals, weirs on the River Blackwater, and leases for almshouses, 32 items  
Jan-Sep 1834

**MS 43,383/ 32** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include his dispute with Benjamin Popham, the Kilmurry tithe suit, the renewal of Youghal leases, the ejection against Richard Curry, leases for almshouses in Tallow, and the removal of sand from Youghal Strand, 32 items  
Oct-Dec 1834 & 1835-6

#### IV.iii.19.D Principal Correspondents

**MS 43,384/ 1** Letters from George Roche, subjects include political affairs in Youghal, the Youghal Loan Society, the Cork election, Youghal Chapel of Ease, and the establishment of a Roman Catholic school in Youghal, 24 items  
1817-8

**MS 43,384/ 2** Letters from George Roche, subjects include the Spinning Society, the removal of gravel from Youghal Strand, subscriptions to Youghal Infirmary, and the legal suits against Youghal Corporation, 31 items

1819-Mar 1820

- MS 43,384/ 3** Letters from George Roche, subjects include the Charter granted to Youghal by King John, repairs to Youghal Church, and nuisances on Youghal Strand, 45 items  
Jul-Dec 1820 & 1821-2
- MS 43,384/ 4** Letters from George Roche, subjects include the election of Youghal magistrates, a meeting of the Tolls Committee, the office of town bailiff, the conveyance of mail, and the employment of constables, 26 items  
1823
- MS 43,384/ 5** Letters from George Roche, subjects include Youghal tolls, violations of the Charter of Youghal by county magistrates, a case respecting Youghal Ferry, and a fishery petition, 28 items  
Jan-Sep 1824
- MS 43,384/ 6** Letters from George Roche, subjects include meetings of the tolls and ferry committees, Youghal magistrates, a public meeting, shareholders in Youghal Bridge, and a plan to confer the freedom of the town on the Lord Lieutenant, 33 items  
Oct 1824-1828
- MS 43,384/ 7** Letters from George Roche, subjects include political affairs in Youghal, church rates, the admission of Roman Catholic freemen, gas lighting, tolls, the Vestry Act, and the establishment of schools in Youghal, 22 items  
1829-Jun 1830
- MS 43,384/ 8** Letters from George Roche, subjects include the Lord Lieutenant's visit to Youghal, charity schools, a branch bank, the cholera epidemic, electoral boundaries, a reform meeting, the registration of voters, and the holding of a Court of D'Oyer Hundred, 29 items  
Jul 1830-1833
- MS 43,384/ 9** Letters from J.M. Galwey, subjects include applications for building land in Dungarvan, the expansion of his stores on Dungarvan Quay, rates of currency exchange and various other financial transactions, 36 items  
1817-8
- MS 43,384/ 10** Letters from J.M. Galwey, subjects include Dungarvan Gaol, leases, land and premises in and around Dungarvan, remittances and various other financial transactions, 24 items  
1819-20

- MS 43,384/ 11** Letters from J.M. Galway, subjects include the state of Dungarvan Quays, the loss of cargo aboard the schooner Brigus, remittances and various other financial transactions, 27 items  
1821
- MS 43,384/ 12** Letters from J.M. Galway, subjects include Dungarvan Quays, the lands of Monkeal, the erection of bathing lodges, bills, remittances and various other financial transactions, 22 items  
1822-4
- MS 43,384/ 13** Letters from J.M. Galway, subjects include quit and crown rents, Abbeyside tithes, a Catholic Committee meeting in Dungarvan, the public weigh house, remittances and various other financial transactions, 27 items  
1825-7
- MS 43,384/ 14** Letters from J.M. Galway, subjects include the acquisition of building lots in Abbeyside, the requirement for a market house in Dungarvan, remittances and various other financial transactions, 20 items  
1828-9
- MS 43,384/ 15** Letters from J.M. Galway, subjects include the registration of freeholders, a Repeal meeting in Dungarvan, boundary fences, Lord Cremorne's tithes, remittances and various other financial transactions, 23 items  
1830-1, 1834 & 1837
- MS 43,384/ 16** Letters from George Lamb MP, subjects include the relief of distress in Ardmore, Dungarvan fishery bounties, Dungarvan petition respecting grinding bonded wheat, an application for a Liberal newspaper at Dungarvan, a salmon fishery bill, and Dungarvan parliamentary election, 24 items  
1822-30
- MS 43,384/ 17** Letters from George Lamb MP, subjects include requests from constituents for assistance in obtaining employment as police and excise officers, and the farm held by Henry Prendergast Garde, 28 items  
1831-3 & n.d.
- MS 43,384/ 18** Letters from R.S. Ball, subjects include premises in Cork Lane, the prosecution of the Youghal tolls case, the provision of a fire engine, the implementation of the prison bill, and the holding of a meeting of the Anti-Slavery Association in Youghal, 22 items

1818-26

- MS 43,384/ 19** Letters from R.S. Ball (as Mayor of Youghal), subjects include an application for a farm, poor relief, education, the boundaries of the parliamentary borough of Youghal, and the effects of the cholera epidemic on the town, 24 items  
1827-Jul 1832
- MS 43,384/ 20** Letters from R.S. Ball, subjects include the removal of sand from Youghal Strand, the registration of voters, political affairs in Youghal, and the cholera epidemic, 26 items  
Aug 1832-1837 & n.d.
- MS 43,384/ 21** Letters from Rev. Patrick Fogharty, subjects include the improvement of Dungarvan Strand, his comments to the Waterford Chronicle, financial assistance for Catholics schools, and poor relief in Dungarvan, 25 items  
1826-31
- MS 43,384/ 22** Letters from Rev. Patrick Fogharty, subjects include a book by the Earl of Shrewsbury, riots in Dungarvan, and subscriptions for school buildings, 25 items  
1832-7 & n.d.
- MS 43,384/ 23** Letters from James Ellis Green, subjects include the settlement of the property question in Youghal, a dinner to be given in honour of the Duke of Devonshire and the quays at Youghal, 34 items  
1818-22
- MS 43,384/ 24** Letters from James Ellis Green, subjects include the shipping and landing of ballast in Youghal Harbour, the salt works and water supply for Youghal, and building lots and leases for various premises in the town, 28 items  
1823-30
- MS 43,384/ 25** Letters from James Ellis Green, subjects include Youghal Corporation, an appointment for his nephew in the customs service, Youghal Dispensary and Fever Hospital, the water supply and corn store in Youghal, and church patronage, 41 items  
1831-5
- MS 43,384/ 26** Letters from Richard McGrath, subjects include the registration of freeholders in Dungarvan, ejected tenants, Dungarvan fisheries, the preparation of leases, Dungarvan newsroom, window tax, and his construction of a house at Blackpool, 38 items  
1817-21

- MS 43,384/ 27** Letters from Henry Prendergast Garde, subjects include lands held by his family, law papers in his possession, Richard Smyth's lease for Ballinatrav, election notices for Youghal, and the lease of Frederick's holdings, 28 items  
1818-22 & 1826-33
- MS 43,384/ 28** Letters from Benjamin Jackson (as Mayor of Youghal), subjects include improvements to his property, a meeting to address the Lord Lieutenant, Youghal Gaol, an offer to form a yeomanry corps, Youghal Bridge, the election of a recorder, and the registry in Youghal, 42 items  
1830-7
- MS 43,384/ 29** Letters from Rev. H. J. Newman, subjects include Kilbrogan Glebe, building a church at Carhue, an Orange procession in Bandon, the construction and repair of roads, subscriptions for the poor, and arms raids in Bandon, 23 items  
1819-23, 1830-1 & 1836 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,384/ 30** Letters from James Tallon, subjects include an application for a farm, the parliamentary election for Dungarvan, applications for various appointments, trawl fishing, and poor relief in Dungarvan, 41 items  
1820-35
- MS 43,384/ 31** Letters from Mark Hudson and Roger Hudson, subjects include politics in Youghal, canvassing voters, and a holding at Magner's Hill, 13 items  
1825-34
- MS 43,384/ 32** Letters from Peter and Arthur B. Bernard, subjects include the clothing of female emigrants, the lands of Moragh, Enniskeane Mill, and requests for permission to shoot game, 23 items  
1818-32
- MS 43,384/ 33** Letters from Stephen Dickson and Stephen Roche, subjects include Dungarvan Church, dispensary and savings bank, maintenance of police barracks, distress in Dungarvan, and books for the Dungarvan Society, 39 items  
1821-36
- MS 43,384/ 34** Letters from Rev. Ludlow Tonson and Captain Henry Parker, subjects include Ahern Glebe, the recommendation of tenants, the establishment of a school in Ahern, the water supply in Youghal, and a disputed island in the river Bride, 37 items

1820-37

- MS 43,384/ 35** Letters from William Halyburton, Henry Bagge and Rodolphus Greene, subjects include the acquisition of land and premises, a survey of part of Kilrush, the parliamentary election for Waterford, and the distraint of goods, 40 items  
1817-35
- MS 43,384/ 36** Letters from Dr. Samuel Hayman (as Mayor of Youghal), subjects include his possession of cabins and fields near Youghal, the maintenance of Youghal quays, and the affairs of Youghal Corporation, 17 items  
1820-3 & 1828
- MS 43,384/ 37** Letters from Samuel Allen and Thomas John (as Mayors of Youghal), subjects include Allen's corn stores, the appointment of freemen, meetings of the Youghal Gas Commissioners and Gaol Committee, and the lighting and cleaning of the town (with public notice), 31 items  
1822-34
- MS 43,384/ 38** Letters from George Cornwall, John Ward and George Lock, subjects include the lands of Mishells, trespass on the south strand at Youghal, premises in Bandon, almshouses in Youghal, and the payment of an annual pension, 21 items  
1820-38
- MS 43,384/ 39** Letters from Joshua, John and Reuben Harvey Eustace, Samuel Merrick and Abraham Fisher, subjects include leases for houses in Brown Street, Youghal, and digging earth for bricks in Butcher's Park, Youghal, 32 items  
1821-37
- MS 43,384/ 40** Letters from Ann, Robert, John, Richard, James and Bradshaw Popham (with associated papers), subjects include emigration to North America, the lands of Carhue, the payment of rent and arrears, the improvement of holdings, and disputes over watercourses, 40 items  
1817-37
- MS 43,384/ 41** Letters from John, Frances, Richard and Captain G. Newell, subjects include applications for the tolls of Tallow, the farm at Ballymartin, Deer Park wall, claims upon Thomas Seward, and requests for a pension and financial assistance, 37 items  
1821-38

- MS 43,384/ 42** Letters from the Sir Richard, Sir Christopher, Catherine and John Musgrave, subjects include a site for a county infirmary, plans for a bridge at Youghal, a schoolhouse at Ballintaylor, and the valuation of County Waterford, 32 items  
1819-22 & 1825-37
- MS 43,384/ 43** Letters from John, Jane, Thomas and Samuel Hornibrook, subjects include their holdings at Kilpatrick, Castlenacht, West Mawmore and Callatrim, 12 items  
1817-33
- MS 43,384/ 44** Letters from Richard Hely-Hutchinson, 1st Earl of Donoughmore, and John Hely-Hutchinson, 3rd Earl of Donoughmore, subjects include the charges brought against Rev. Patrick O'Meagher (parish priest of Dungarvan), disturbances in Glenahira, implementation of the Constabulary Act and the eviction of tenants from the Glebe of Kilronan, 18 items  
1819-22 & 1836
- MS 43,384/ 45** Letters from Richard Butler, 2nd Earl of Glengall, Hugh Fortescue, Viscount Ebrington, Lord Hutchinson, George Abercromby, 2nd Baron Abercromby, George Howard, Viscount Morpeth, Henry Petty-Fitzmaurice, 3rd Marquess of Lansdowne, John Fitzgibbon, 2nd Earl of Clare, John Evans-Freke, 6th Baron Carbery, John Ponsonby, Viscount Duncannon, Henry de La Poer Beresford, 3rd Marquess of Waterford, and George King, 3rd Earl of Kingston, subjects include recommendations of tenants, the improvement of waste land (Ballyrafter and Ballyin Mountain), the Cork election (1817), the donation of nut trees and the collection of turf, 29 items  
1819-38
- MS 43,384/ 46** Letters from Sir William Homan, Lady Mary Humble, Sir John Newport, Sir Charles Taylor, General George Walpole MP, the Bishop of Cork, and the Bishop of Waterford, subjects include weirs on the River Blackwater, the lands of Ballinroad, the window tax, and the exchange of Lismore Glebe, 33 items  
1818-38

#### IV.iii.19.E General Correspondence

- MS 43,385/ 1** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including William Kelly, George Power, Hester Kingston, Thomas Gash, Richard Long, Ann Sealy, John Morgan, Michael Nicolls, William A. Lamb, Cornelius Hegarty and John Sherin, 28 items  
1817 & Jan-Jul 1818

- MS 43,385/ 2** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Standish O’Hea, Michael Barron, B. Boate, Robert O’Callaghan Newenham, Thomas Hyde, Maurice Power, John Barrett, B. Keating and P. O’Meagher, 33 items  
Sep-Dec 1818
- MS 43,385/ 3** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Thomas Sheehan, Nicholas Giles, William Bull, John England, John Roberts, Anne Camphire, R.F. Peard, James Barron, Arthur Neville & Son and Thomas O’Neal, 41 items  
Jan-Aug 1819
- MS 43,385/ 4** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including John Flannery, Edmond Scully, Margaret Murray, Richard English, William Kelly, James Barron, B. Keating, Andrew Roche, John Ward, P. O’Meagher, and Horatio Townsend, 39 items  
Sep-Dec 1819 [*Some items fragile*]
- MS 43,385/ 5** Letters from various tenants, officials and other persons, including William Newport, Thomas Wakeham, James Stawell, Robert Meara, Jonathan Hickey (Registrar for the Archbishop of Cashel), Henry Turnour and Thomas Kelly, 27 items  
Jan-Apr 1820
- MS 43,385/ 6** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including John Flannery, Robert Allan, John Dower, William Woodley, Charles Curry, Joseph Moxley, Ambrose Lane, Benjamin Greene and Francis Towell, 22 items  
May-Aug 1820
- MS 43,385/ 7** Letters from various tenants, officials and other persons, including Stephen Moore, Rev. Denis O’Donnell, John Down, Maurice Dalton, George Chinnery, Edward Morgan, Edward Marks, John O’Neill and Richard Perrott, 23 items  
Sep-Dec 1820
- MS 43,385/ 8** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Francis Sullivan, William Perrott, James Stawell, J.G. Jacob, Eustace Stawell, William Galwey, Richard Roche, Robert Burchill, John Keily and Edward Dower, 27 items  
Jan-Mar 1821
- MS 43,385/ 9** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Isaac Houghton, Thomas Herrick, Richard Dawson, Thomas Ferry, Joseph Fisher and Robert Sealy, 18 items  
Apr-Jun 1821
- MS 43,385/ 10** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Robert



- Foulke, William Moore, Mary Smyth, John Power, Paul Williams, Thomas Kearny and Maurice Walsh, 18 items  
Jul-Dec 1821
- MS 43,385/ 11** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Mary Wood, William Welsh, George Baggs, John Scott, Godfrey Downes, Mary Browne, Capt. Thomas Poole, Thomas Lowe and Rev. Dennis O'Donnell, 24 items  
Jan-May 1822
- MS 43,385/ 12** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Samuel Croker, William Kilmartin, Rev. Michael Tobin, Eliza Merrick, William Marks, John McMahon, Richard Perrott, Thomas Fleming, Thomas Harvey and William Foster, 33 items  
Jun-Oct 1822
- MS 43,385/ 13** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Joseph Jackson, Robert Humphreys, Thomas Wakeham, Thomas Lyons, Samuel Whittle, William Robertson, Maskelyne Alcock, Francis Bronwe and Edward Green, 28 items  
Nov-Dec 1822
- MS 43,385/ 14** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Maskelyne Alcock, Edward Godsell, Benjamin Horsford, David Barry, John Dower, John Morgan, Elvira Power, Rev. James O'Brien, Elizabeth Becher and John Hearn, 40 items  
Jan-May 1823
- MS 43,385/ 15** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including James Croker, Joyhn Ryan, Thomas Prenergast, Joseph Barnes, Robert Welsh, Mary Wood, P. O'Meagher, John Scott, Gabriel Fisher and William Hudson, 36 items  
Jun-Dec 1823
- MS 43,385/ 16** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including John Quinlan, Arthur Quinn, Paul McSwiney, Robert Meade, Michael Fitzgerald, Roger Baker, Charles Curry, John Gleason, Mary Gamble, John Lecky and Charles Sullivan, 38 items  
Jan-Jun 1824
- MS 43,385/ 17** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Thomas Perry, Patrick Murphy, John Pollock, Charles Welsh, Thomas Foley, Henry Smyth, Catherine Daniel, George Burchill and Andrew Roche, 31 items  
Jul-Dec 1824
- MS 43,385/ 18** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Bridget Carbery, Michael Duggan, Rev. Grice Smyth, James Stawell, Rev.

- A. Hyde, John Draper, Richard Splaine, Henry Roderick, James Green, Thomas Waugh and Julia Coghlan, 39 items  
Jan-May 1825
- MS 43,385/ 19** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Stephen Mawson, David Power, Michael Whelan, Samuel Morton, Sylvester Lyons, Mary Lucas, John Sullivan, Edmond Scully, the Bishop of Cloyne and Julia Lyons, 40 items  
Jun-Aug 1825 [*Three items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,385/ 20** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including William Kingston, Jane Mara, James Sadleir, Catherine Odell, J. O'Driscoll, Alice Redmond, John Brown, Thomas Strangman, John Baldwin, Michael Coghlan and William Moriarty, 44 items  
Sep-Dec 1825
- MS 43,385/ 21** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Thomas Harvey, Mary Power, G.W. Wilgress, Thomas Stafford, William Baird, Thomas Welsh, P. O'Meagher, Sir George Bingham, Sir Anthony Perrier, John Green and Thomas Robinson, 32 items  
Jan-Apr 1826
- MS 43,385/ 22** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Edward Sweeny, Barry Drew, Thomas Anthony, Alicia Allen, Thomas Campion, Thomas Carew, Thomas Biggs and James Splaine, John Baldwin and Jonas Bernard, 29 items  
May-Jul 1826
- MS 43,385/ 23** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including William Bernard, Edward O'Brien, Robert Brown, Mary McGrath, Maurice Brien, Benjamin Horsford, Rev. Dennis O'Donnell and Robert O'Callaghan Newenham, 24 items  
Aug-Nov 1826
- MS 43,385/ 24** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Richard Ussher, Peter Coony, Michael Murphy, Edward Sweeny, Richard Henry Rogers, Thomas Brown, Robert Eagar, Ellen Leary and John Draper, 32 items  
Nov-Dec 1826
- MS 43,385/ 25** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Michael Hartnett, Dorothea Bowles, Margaret Green, John Lee, Michael Duggan, William Connor, Sir Augustus Warren, William Waggert, Rev. Dennis O'Donnell, John Ryan and William Baird, 42 items  
Jan-Aug 1827
- MS 43,385/ 26** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Edward Power, Robert Eagar, Anne Kennedy, Thomas Dunn, Anthony

- O'Neill, Garrett Connolly, Charles Curry, Henry Joyce and Elizabeth Teape, 39 items  
Sep-Dec 1827
- MS 43,385/ 27** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Edmond Barry, Batholomew Taylor, Charles Percival, John Boyle, Capt. Thomas Poole, Georgina Jackson, Richard Dodd, Jonas Sealy, William Smyth and Samuel Whittle, 50 items  
Jan-May 1828
- MS 43,385/ 28** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Barry Walsh, James Baggs, William Henry Barron, Patrick Foley, Mary McGrath, George Rogers, James Scott, Michael Mahony, William Galway, Arthur Keene and Henry Hardy, 37 items  
Jun-Sep 1828
- MS 43,385/ 29** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including John Odell, Garrett Walsh, Richard Cotter, Charles Curry, William Jenkins, Ann Hays, Daniel Riely, John O'Neill, William Hull, James Sinclair and Edward Groves, 37 items  
Oct-Dec 1828
- MS 43,385/ 30** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Richard Taylor, John Lee, William Smyth, George Revington, the Bishop of Ardagh, Richard Devereaux, Sarah Dickson, Robert Johnson, Mary Browne and Abraham Lane, 41 items  
Jan-May 1829
- MS 43,385/ 31** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Charles Curry, John McGrath, George Gregg, William Hall, Daniel Heffernan, John Morgan, William Galway, George Revington and Patrick Shine, 26 items  
Jun-Sep 1829
- MS 43,385/ 32** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Edward Sweeny, Nicholas Sadleir, John Curren, John Beamish, James Splaine, William Hall, Robert Rogers, Rev. M. Sheehan, James Sullivan and Patrick Power, 30 items  
Oct-Dec 1829
- MS 43,385/ 33** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Joseph James Freeman, Patrick Power, Mary Conway, Rev. Dennis O'Donnell, James Penrose, Samuel Perrott, Garrett Redmond, Thomas Walsh, James Morrison and William Lombard, 46 items  
Jan-May 1830
- MS 43,385/ 34** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including James Kiely, Nugent Humble, Edmund Farrell, Henry Dixon, Mary

- Hearne, Thomas Higgins, John Arnold, John MacBeth, William Seymour, Richard Curry and William Sullivan, 55 items  
Jun-Dec 1830
- MS 43,385/ 35** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Edward Sweeny, Patrick O’Meagher, Mary McGrath, James Barry, Anne Kennedy, Henry Baldwin, Henry Browne, John Hearn, Henry Thomas and Richard Walsh, 41 items  
Jan-Mar 1831
- MS 43,385/ 36** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including John Downing, Murdock Green, John Jones, Nicholas Murphy, Richard Taylor, John Carty, Elizabeth Green, William Stokes, William Henry, George Ponsonby, Richard Dowden and George Allman, 53 items  
Apr-Aug 1831
- MS 43,385/ 37** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including John Howard, Denis Mulcahy, Patrick Barron, William Kirby, Thomas Boyce, Michael Mortimer, Richard Parks, William Henry, John Bennett, Thomas O’Connell and John Bernard, 39 items  
Sep-Dec 1831
- MS 43,385/ 38** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Edmond Browne, Bridget Leary, Thomas Browne, Daniel Sullivan, George Shaw, George Boate, Nicholas Purcell O’Gorman, Rev. M. Sheehan and Thomas Gleeson, 29 items  
Jan-Apr 1832
- MS 43,385/ 39** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including William Baird, Daniel Heffernan, John Egan, Charles Maunsell, Richard Taylor, Mary Dwyer, Patrick Headon, George Perrott, William Baldwin and Joseph Woodley, 57 items  
May-Jul 1832
- MS 43,385/ 40** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including John Green, James Crawford, Abraham Anthony, Nicholas Fleming, Eugene Sullivan, William Poole, Robert Taylor, Susan Green, Charles Allman and Henry Bryen, 32 items  
Aug-Dec 1832
- MS 43,385/ 41** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Thomas Harvey, Ellen McGrath, Elizabeth Roche, Thomas O’Connell, William Chayter, Daniel McAlister, Thomas Hughes, Martha Wood and Alice Ireton, 34 items  
Jan-Mar 1833
- MS 43,385/ 42** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including William

- Gardner, Thomas Edward Keily, William Mahony, James Barry, Thomas Montgomery, Richard Beamish, Margaret Walsh, David Hanbury and Andrew McCormick, 44 items  
Apr-Aug 1833
- MS 43,385/ 43** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including William Moore, Susan Jones, Johanna Cronin, Margaret Byrne, James Foley, Rev. J.R. Hamilton, Catherine Smyth, Daniel Heffernan, Anne Kennedy and James Richard Day, 46 items  
Sep-Dec 1833
- MS 43,385/ 44** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Anastasia Whelan, Patrick Tynan, William Hannigan, William Burke, Patrick Foley, Jane Evans and David O'Keeffe, 20 items  
Jan-Feb 1834
- MS 43,385/ 45** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including James Keane, James Worthington, Arthur Quinn, Michael Connell, Richard Walsh, Thomas Keily, Maurice O'Brien, George Rogers, Richard Hanley and Pierce George Barron, 35 items  
Mar-May 1834
- MS 43,385/ 46** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including John Warde, John Ryan, Michael Dee, Michael Carey, James McSweeney, George Gumbleton and Rev. E. Condon, 25 items  
Jun-Jul 1834
- MS 43,385/ 47** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including John Draper, John Keily, William Shea, William Downing, Mary Halahan, Murdock Green, John Moore, Richard Warren, Matthew Godkin, Thomas Harvey, Thomas Boyce and John Bourke, 40 items  
Aug-Oct 1834
- MS 43,385/ 48** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including James Morgan, John Warde, John Meade, Elizabeth O'Meagher, Rev. E. Condon, Catherine Bowles, Robert Dower, Arthur Knox, James Dee, Rev. Thomas Hudson and John Hallahan, 36 items  
Nov-Dec 1834
- MS 43,385/ 49** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Thomas O'Connell, John Eustace, Pierce Quarry Barron, Francis Kennedy, James Wallis, William Teape, Eliza Harrison, William Cornwall, George Jackson and Andrew Roche, 32 items  
Jan-Mar 1835
- MS 43,385/ 50** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including John Carroll, Henry Bryen, Francis Johnstone, Barton Anderson, Abraham Anthony, Henry McNeal, Patrick Dower, Daniel Riordan

- and John Howe, 47 items  
Apr-Jun 1835
- MS 43,385/ 51** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including John Cahill, Charles Maunsell, Neil O'Donnell, Richard Curry, Robert Power, Joseph Spillane, Ann Hudson, James Denny, Thomas Power and Rev. William Hickey, 32 items  
Jul-Sep 1835
- MS 43,385/ 52** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including George Pentland, Rees Bond Jones, George Keily, Thomas Lynes, Rev. J. Jackson, William George Allman, Thomas Stafford and Barton Anderson, 29 items  
Oct-Dec 1835
- MS 43,385/ 53** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Patrick Power, Robert Lamb, Arthur Hyde, Maurice Barry, Richard Mullen, James Broderick, Daniel Barrington, Richard Giles, William Teape and John Pollock, 35 items  
Jan-Apr 1836
- MS 43,385/ 54** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Mary Mara, Paul Shewcraft, Margaret Collins, Charles Cahill, Thomas Harvey, Keeffe O'Keeffe, Michael Coleman, Joseph Woodley and George Rogers, 26 items  
May-Dec 1836
- MS 43,385/ 55** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including George Newson, E. Condon, George Rogers, Henry Hardy, David Hennessy, Jasper Wilson, Robert Chaloner, Thomas Mulcahy and David Carter, 29 items  
Jan-Jul 1837
- MS 43,385/ 56** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including John O'Hea, James Barry, Anthony Ferry, James Swayne, Capt. Thomas Armstrong, Sarah Dickson, A. Stewart, John Belcher, Mary Whelan and John Kedney, 25 items  
Aug-Dec 1837
- MS 43,385/ 57** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including John Poole, Catherine Kingston, Thomas Harvey, Henry McClintock, William Collis, Sarah Haynes, Peter Fisher, Charles Friend, William Fitzgerald, Stephen Moore and George Keane, 51 items  
1838-9
- MS 43,385/ 58** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including William Smyth, Nicholas Purcell O'Gorman, Cornelius Coleman, Rebecca

Roberts, Catherine Carbery, James Lynch, Anne McCarthy and Richard Carroll, 49 items  
n.d.

IV.iii.19.F Petitions and Memorials

- MS 43,386/ 1** Petitions and memorials from tenants and townspeople, subjects include the repair of dwelling houses, Dungarvan market, Youghal Strand, Bandon potato market, building work on Dungarvan Bridge, and requests for financial support, 36 items  
1817-21
- MS 43,386/ 2** Petitions and memorials from tenants and townspeople, subjects include Ballymodan Church yard, the Methodist Chapel in Youghal, renewals of leases, payment of rent arrears, and requests for financial support, 53 items  
1822-3
- MS 43,386/ 3** Petitions and memorials from tenants and townspeople, subjects include the repair of tenements, marriage settlements, the erection of buildings, boundary disputes, maintenance of the town square in Dungarvan, and requests for financial support, 42 items  
1824-6
- MS 43,386/ 4** Petitions and memorials from tenants and townspeople, subjects include requests for farms and tenements, the payment of rent arrears, the position of weigh-master and clerk at Bandon market, and requests for financial support, 42 items  
1827-9
- MS 43,386/ 5** Petitions and memorials from tenants and townspeople, subjects include the extension of leases, the payment of rent, the postponement of evictions, net fishing on the River Blackwater, marriage settlements, and requests for financial support, 43 items  
1830-1
- MS 43,386/ 6** Petitions and memorials from tenants and townspeople, subjects include applications for tenancies, the payment of rent, the establishment of a school in Dungarvan, the postponement of evictions, and requests for financial support, 51 items  
1832-4
- MS 43,386/ 7** Petitions and memorials from tenants and townspeople, subjects include requests for farms and tenements, evictions in Dungarvan, Bandon potato market, assistance for emigrants, the payment of rent arrears, and requests for financial support, 53 items  
1835-8

- MS 43,386/ 8** Petitions and memorials from tenants and townspeople, subjects include requests for farms and tenements, tenants' grievances against Bradshaw Popham, the repair of dwellings, the settlement of debts, and requests for financial support, 42 items  
n.d.
- MS 43,386/ 9** Petitions and memorials from tenants and townspeople, subjects include salmon fishing at Lismore, the tithes of AGLISH, applications for farms and employment, Bandon market house, the deputy seneschalship of Tallow, and requests for financial support, 37 items  
n.d.
- MS 43,386/ 10** Petitions and memorials from tenants and townspeople, subjects include requests for farms and tenements, marriage settlements, permission to repair and build houses, collection of tollage on Youghal Strand, and requests for financial support, 33 items  
n.d.

#### IV.iii.19.G Copy Letters

- MS 43,387/ 1** Draft and copy letters from William S. Curry to various persons, including James Barry, Samuel Croker, William Lombard, Colonel Uniacke, John Harley, Sir James Anderson and Capt. Henry Parker, subjects include tithe composition, Kilmurry Glebe, Bandon tithe suits, Barrett's Hill House, and premises in Bandon and Dungarvan, 39 items  
1817-39 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,387/ 2** Draft and copy letters from William S. Curry to various persons, including Benjamin Dower, George Roche, Benjamin Currey, Benjamin Popham, Rev. J.S. Campion, Ambrose Hickey and Thomas Seward, subjects include Slievegrine Mountain, Lismore Hibernian School, a farm at Mawbeg, Youghal College, and the Duke of Devonshire's charities, 27 items  
1822-32 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,387/ 3** Draft and copy letters from William S. Curry to various persons, including R.N. Rogers, Benjamin Currey, Major Sweeny, Richard Power and Edward Pennefather, subjects include Youghal College, Barrett's Hill House, and the lands of Ballyneligan, 33 items  
1833-6 & n.d. [*Some items damaged & fragile*]

#### IV.iii.19.H Official Bodies

- MS 43,388/ 1** Letters from the collectors of the Custom House, Milford and the



- Excise Offices of Fermoy, Youghal, Waterford and Dublin, subjects include quit and crown rents and window tax, 18 items  
1817-34
- MS 43,388/ 2** Correspondence between William S. Curry and the Office of Ordnance concerning military barracks at Bandon, with letters from Robert O'Callaghan Newenham and Benjamin Currey, 24 items  
1818-22, 1826-8 & 1837
- MS 43,388/ 3** Correspondence between William S. Curry, the Office of Ordnance and Colonel William Thornton (Royal Hospital, Kilmainham) concerning military barracks at Tallow and Dungarvan, with letters from George Smithwick, Robert O'Callaghan Newenham, Henry Thompson and a memorandum from Thomas Seward, 29 items  
1818-26
- MS 43,388/ 4** Letters from the General Post Office, the Navigation Office, the Quarter Master General's Office, the County Crown Office, the Board of Ordnance and the District Boundary Survey Office, subjects include mails guards, illegal modes of fishing, the billeting of troops, and the Ordnance Survey of Ireland, 12 items  
1818-38
- MS 43,388/ 5** Letters from George Pain, Michael Mortimer, Lord George Beresford and Major R. Woodward concerning the construction of a courthouse and bridewell in Dungarvan, with notes and memoranda, 15 items  
1824-5
- MS 43,388/ 6** Letters from Dublin Castle and the Viceregal Lodge concerning the powers of magistrates over the Constabulary, the reformation of the Chief Secretary's Office, and military and police barracks, correspondents include Colonel C. Yorke, Robert Ball, Sir William Gossett (Under Secretary for Ireland), and John Bennett, 35 items  
1828-35
- MS 43,388/ 7** Letters from the Inspectors of Mails, George Lamb MP, John Hudson, William Nugent, Michael Maher, James Tallon and others concerning the appointment of guards to protect mail coaches, including a letter from Charles Gordon-Lennox, 5th Duke of Richmond to William Lamb, 2nd Viscount Melbourne (Home Secretary), 57 items  
1832-3 & 1838
- MS 43,388/ 8** Correspondence between William S. Curry and William Henry concerning his obtaining an appointment as a stipendiary magistrate,

with letters concerning a new bridewell at Lismore and copies of reports on the state of the country and of the Constabulary establishment of the Barony of Decies Within Drum (1 Jul to 30 Sep 1824), correspondents include Edward Stanley (Chief Secretary for Ireland), George Lamb MP, Benjamin Currey, William Moore, Richard Power Ronayne and Michael Mortimer, 35 items  
1824-36

**MS 43,388/ 9** Correspondence between William S. Curry and Acheson Lyle of the commission of inquiry into the existing state of municipal corporations in the United Kingdom, with letters from John Hudson and Henry Witham, 14 items  
1833

**MS 43,388/ 10** Letters from the Home Office and the Rt. Hon. E.J. Littleton (Dublin Castle) concerning the shivalty of County Waterford offered to William S. Curry and which he declined, including reports on the illness and death of George Lamb MP (brother of Lord Melbourne), 4 items  
Jan 1833-Jan 1834

**MS 43,388/ 11** Applications for licences to sell beers and spirits in County Waterford, with letters from William Moore and Thomas Lynch and a return of public houses in Tallow, Lismore and Cappoquin, 49 items  
1833-5

**MS 43,388/ 12** Letter from John Hudson and statements and memoranda concerning an attack made on James Byrne while collecting tithes at Lacken, Co. Waterford, 7 items  
1834

#### IV.iii.19.I Politics

**MS 43,389/ 1** Letters from John Hudson, Henry Magrath, Dr. Patrick O'Meagher and Thomas Thompson Keily concerning various political matters in Dungarvan, with letters from J.C. Bernard (Mayor of Cork) concerning the Reform Bill and the appointment of town clerks, from R.S. Ball concerning a meeting addressed by Daniel O'Connell in Youghal (13 Oct 1830), and a circular letter from Daniel O'Connell inviting William S. Curry to attend a public dinner on behalf of the Catholic of Ireland in Dublin (12 Jan 1826), 17 items  
1826-31

**MS 43,389/ 2** Correspondence between William S. Curry, Henry Villiers-Stuart,

Sir William Gossett (Under Secretary for Ireland) and Major General Sir George Bingham concerning an anti-tithe meeting at Lismore on 22 July 1832, with letters from Richard Nugent and Jonathan Courtney JP, notes and memoranda, and a copy of the Waterford Chronicle (17 Jul 1832), 28 items  
1832

IV.iii.19.J Education

This collection of letters and papers relates to the establishment and regulation of a number of national, endowed, agricultural and industrial schools on the Irish properties of the Dukes of Devonshire (see also section V.iii.20.T).

*IV.iii.19.J(1) Bandon*

**MS 43,390/ 1** Correspondence between William S. Curry and Rev. John Brown on the conditions of his appointment to Bandon School, the addition of a school dining room and his application for a position at the Tipperary Endowed School, with letters from Sir James Abercromby, Rev. Horation Newman, John Swanston, Dr Joshua Clarke and others, a general statement of the Bandon Protestant Boys' Free School containing subscribers' names and establishment costs, and a printed address from the 'Bandon Sunday School Society Auxiliary to the Sunday School Society for Ireland' to the inhabitants of the Bandon District, 31 items  
1823-30

**MS 43,390/ 2** Letters from Rev. John Brown concerning alterations to Bandon school-house and his appointment to the Royal School of Banagher, Kings County, with a copy of 'The Druids', a University Prize poem by a pupil of the Bandon School and accompanying letter providing details of other pupils' successes, and a list of the day scholars and the boarders at Christmas 1831, 18 items  
1831-8

*IV.iii.19.J(2) Youghal*

**MS 43,391/ 1** Letters from John Markham, Rev. Daniel Murphy, John Litton and R. Woodward concerning Youghal Roman Catholic school, with a notice of a public meeting (2 Jan 1825) and report of the annual meeting of the Roman Catholic parishoners of Youghal, 26 items  
1818 & 1824-35

**MS 43,391/ 2** Letters and papers concerning Youghal Endowed School, Youghal United Schools and Youghal General Free Schools, correspondents

include Major Woodward, William Grove White, John Green and William Wakeham, with reports presented to annual meetings of subscribers, 17 items  
1819-38

- MS 43,391/ 3** Correspondence between William S. Curry and Samuel and Matthew Hayman concerning the Youghal branch of the London Hibernian School Society, with letters from William and Prudence Gardner and George Roche, and reports of general committee meetings, 15 items  
1824-6

*IV.iii.18.J(3) Lismore*

- MS 43,392/ 1** Correspondence between William S. Curry and Rev. Marcus Stokes concerning the inspection and maintenance of Lismore school, Stokes's position as school-master and his subsequent ill-health and appeals for financial assistance, with a copy of his certificate of appointment, 28 items  
1822-31

- MS 43,392/ 2** Letters and memorials concerning the appointment of a new principal master for Lismore School, correspondents include William R. Stokes, W.K. Forster, William Waggert, Thomas Travers, Henry Seward and James Blackwood, 36 items  
1831

- MS 43,392/ 3** Correspondence between William S. Curry and Thomas Kelly (secretary of the National Education Commission) concerning Lismore Schools for male and female pupils, with a list of the Commissioners' queries with answers, and newspaper cuttings, 18 items  
1832 & 1835

*IV.iii.18.J(4) Other Schools*

- MS 43,393/ 1** Letters from Rev. Campion, Rev. Stephen Dickson, Peter Bernard, James Gollock, George Edmunson and others regarding various schools, including an extract from the registry of the Murragh Daily School (Jun 1830), a list of subscribers to the Boys School, Ballymodan (Nov 1827), correspondence regarding Dungarvan, Inniscarra, Kinneigh, Knockmourne, Mishells, Moviddy and Enniskeane schools, letters applying for subscriptions to assist the establishment of schools at Rossmire, Knockmourne and other places, and a copy of 'An Act for enabling Tenants ... to grant Land

for the Purpose of endowing Schools in Ireland' (24 May 1810), 38 items  
1819-32

**MS 43,393/ 2** Letters from Rev. W.L. Beaufort and Rev. Samuel Beamish concerning obtaining land for a school-house at Killowen, letters from Rev. Ludlow Tonson concerning obtaining land for a school-house at Ahern, and letters from Rev. D. Horgan and Rev. Maurice Sheehan reporting on schools at Ballynoe and Conna, and a plan to convert the old chapel at Conna into a school-house, 24 items  
1824, 1828 & 1830-4

**MS 43,393/ 3** Letters from W.C. Logan and Arthur Keily concerning subscriptions to the Munster Hibernian School Society, and letters from Benjamin Currey and Edmund Rice (Dublin Christian Schools, Hanover St, Waterford) thanking the Duke of Devonshire for assistance, with a printed notice entitled 'Education of The Poor by the Brothers of The Christian Schools', 19 items  
1825-7, 1830 & 1837

**MS 43,393/ 4** Correspondence between William S. Curry and Thomas Kelly (secretary of the National Education Commission) concerning the establishment of a school at Carrignagour, with a list of the Commissioners' queries concerning the building of school-houses, 14 items  
1835-8

#### IV.iii.19.K Civil Engineering

##### *IV.iii.19.K(1) Bridges*

**MS 43,394/ 1** Letters from Thomas Stevens, Thomas Higgins, Stephen Moore, John Keily and John Musgrave concerning a proposal to build a bridge over the River Blackwater at Rincrew, with notes and reports, 15 items  
1821

**MS 43,394/ 2** Copy correspondence between William S. Curry and Henry Goulburn (Under Secretary for Ireland) regarding the construction and maintenance of Baxter's Ford Bridge over the River Bandon, with letters from Daniel Connor, John Swanston and G.R. Pain and an estimate totalling £1713 13s 6d for work on the bridge, 20 items  
1825 & 1830-2

**MS 43,394/ 3** Letters from and Jesse Hartley, G.R. Pain and Rev. W.L. Beaufort concerning Dungarvan Bridge (with sketches) and a bridge over the

River Lee, 3 items  
1827, 1831 & 1834

- MS 43,394/ 4** Letters from Sir James Abercromby, Richard Power MP, George Roche, James Ellis Green, Abraham Fisher and William Feuge concerning the construction of a bridge over the River Blackwater at Youghal, with a report of a meeting and a prospectus, 29 items  
1826-7
- MS 43,394/ 5** Letters from Benjamin Currey, John Jenkins, R.S. Ball, George Roche, Thomas John, James Ellis Green, Abraham Fisher and William Feuge concerning the construction of Youghal Bridge, with 'An Act for the erection of a Bridge, at or near Foxhole and the Town of Youghal...', 27 items  
Jan-Jun 1828
- MS 43,394/ 6** Correspondence between William S. Curry and Abraham Fisher concerning the construction of Youghal Bridge, with letters from George Roche, John Musgrave and William Feuge, 26 items  
Sep-Dec 1828 & 1829
- MS 7199** Volume containing a report by Samuel Ware on a bridge proposed to be built over the Blackwater at Dungarvan in 1813, together with map, and a copy of a deed of contract for the building of a bridge over the river at Youghal, 1 items  
1829
- MS 43,394/ 7** Letters from Benjamin Jackson (Mayor of Youghal), Thomas Harvey, and John Bennett concerning meetings of Youghal Bridge Commissioners and the maintenance of the bridge, with a specification of the work to be executed, 20 items  
1831-3 & 1836

*IV.iii.19.K(2) Roads*

- MS 43,395/ 1** Correspondence between William S. Curry and Richard White, 1st Earl of Bantry concerning the road from Bandon to Cork, with letters from Sir James Abercromby, John Swanston, Richard Griffith and Francis Bernard, 1st Earl of Bandon, and 'Instructions to Persons wishing to Contract for the Building of a Bridge over the North Branch of the River Lee to connect the Northern with the Western entrance into the city of Cork', 35 items  
1822-4, 1828 & 1831
- MS 43,395/ 2** Letters from Thomas Kearney and Colonel R.U. Fitzgerald concerning the maintenance of the Youghal and Tallow Road, 5

items  
1823

- MS 43,395/ 3** Letters from Richard Beamish, Thomas Montgomery, Arthur Keily and others dealing with the creation of the road between Clogheen, Lismore and Cappoquin and the Lismore-Mitchelstown road, with memorials, estimates, a 'Rent Roll of the Turnpike Gates on the Road from Waterford to the Bounds of the County of Cork For One Quarter, ending 1st May, 1831', providing names of gate, tenant and amount of three months rent, an assurance and a statement of account of the Trustees of the Turnpike Road from Waterford, 36 items  
1825, 1831-2 & 1836
- MS 43,395/ 4** Correspondence between William S. Curry and Richard Beamish relating to the Mitchelstown and Clogheen roads which were to link with Lismore, with letters from the Office of Public Works, George B. Jackson and from Robert King conveying Lord Lismore's assurance that there would be no further opposition in Tipperary to the proposed road between Lismore and Mitchelstown, 25 items  
1833
- MS 43,395/ 5** Correspondence between William S. Curry and Richard Beamish regarding the construction of a road from Mitchelstown to Lismore, with letters from Robert King, Arthur Keily, George B. Jackson, Richard Wood, Thomas Montgomery and John Musgrave, memoranda of meetings of the overseers of the Lismore and Mitchelstown road (25 Mar 1834 & 3 Apr 1834), and an estimate of the expense of making a new road from Clogheen to Cappoquin, 26 items  
1834
- MS 43,395/ 6** Letters and papers relating to the construction of a road from Mitchelstown to Lismore, correspondents include Patrick Morrissey, Thomas Montgomery, Arthur Keily, Thomas Kearney, Stephen Moore and Robert King, with an estimate for the construction of a road from Arraglin to Lismore (being the County Waterford portion of the proposed road), 31 items  
Feb-Jul 1835
- MS 43,395/ 7** Letters and papers relating to the construction of a road from Mitchelstown to Lismore, correspondents include Stephen Moore, Thomas Montgomery, Arthur Keily, Robert King and William Johnston, with Richard Beamish's specifications for erection of bridge over the Araglin River between the bounds of the counties Tipperary and Waterford (1833), and various other specifications,

estimates and notices, 27 items  
Sep 1835-1836

*IV.iii.19.K(3) Waterways and Strands*

- MS 43,396/ 1** Letters and papers concerning the Blackwater Navigation, correspondents include Thomas Knowlton, Thomas Garde, John Anderson, Stephen Moore, 3rd Earl of Mount Cashell, George Taylor, Robert McCall, John Ward and John Herrick, with a memorandum of agreement for sale of Ballyin and fishery, a valuation, resolutions of meetings and newspaper cutting, 23 items 1800, 1817-25 & 1834-7
- MS 43,396/ 2** Letters from John Swanston, Thomas Hornibrook and Michael Gallwey concerning the proposed construction of a ship canal between Colliers Quay and Bandon, 8 items  
1825
- MS 43,396/ 3** Letters from John Musgrave, John Hudson and Rev. Patrick Fogarty concerning a survey for the embankment of Dungarvan Strand at Connygar, and a list of costs for work on the embankment (with list of City of Waterford Grand Jury, Spring Assizes, 1835 written on reverse), 8 items  
1831-32

*IV.iii.19.K(4) Mines and Quarries*

- MS 43,397/ 1** Correspondence between William S. Curry, Sir James Abercromby, Richard Purdy and Messrs. Lecky & Mark (Mining Company of Ireland) concerning the coal mines at Ballydehob, and letters from John Taylor, Henry Witham, P.J. Foley and Robert McCall, and Andrew Waters of Glasgow concerning the exploration of mineral wealth on the Lismore estates, 23 items  
1820, 1825 & 1831-2
- MS 43,397/ 2** Letters from Sir James Abercromby, Thomas Wall Hewitt, Charles and Thomas Welsh, John Bennett, Thomas Boyce, Stephen Moore and others concerning limestone quarrying at Clancool, Mogeely, Kilmakoe, Garrycloyne, Clashnagariff and Forge Land, including an account of limestone deliveries (1827), 29 items  
1820-38
- MS 43,397/ 3** Letters and papers concerning the limestone quarry at Gillabbey, correspondents include T.J. Shine, G.R. Pain, Carden Terry, John Swanston and William S. Curry with notes, memoranda and



accounts, 19 items  
1832-5

IV.iii.19.L Charities and Poor Relief

- MS 43,398/ 1** Correspondence and papers concerning the establishment of Bandon Fever House and Dispensary Hospital Fund, correspondents include Samuel Beamish, John English, William Jervois, Benjamin Popham and William S. Curry, with a memorial, statement, report, minutes of committee meetings, and lists of subscribers, 23 items  
1817 [*Some damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,398/ 2** Letters from Josiah Berkeley and Sir James Abercromby, with printed circulars concerning the establishment of 'The Cork Auxiliary Society for promoting the objects of the National Institution for the Education of Deaf and Dumb Children of the Poor in Ireland', 10 items  
1818
- MS 43,398/ 3** Letters from Benjamin Popham, Robert Meade, Rev. D. Daly, Deane Nash, Rev. Joseph Jervois and others seeking assistance in aiding the poor in Ballymodan and other districts of the Devonshire estates and inviting William S. Curry to attend meetings of societies formed for granting aid, including a report on the condition of his parish from Arthur B. Bernard of Palace Anne, 15 items  
May-June 1822
- MS 43,398/ 4** Letters and papers concerning dispensaries, infirmaries and fever hospitals at Bandon, Clashmore, Dungarvan and Youghal, correspondents include Rev. Ludlow Tonson, James Bagge and Thomas Power, with returns of admissions and annual reports, 23 items  
1826-34 & 1838
- MS 43,398/ 5** Letters and papers concerning appeals for charity, support for foundling children and applications for positions under the Poor Law, correspondents include Rev. James Hill, William Stephenson, Dennis Callahan and James Scott, 26 items  
1830-5 & 1838
- MS 43,398/ 6** Correspondence between William S. Curry and Thomas Boyce concerning almshouses and a house of recovery to be erected in at Tallow under the will of Rev D. O'Donnell, with letters from James Denny, John Taylor (Provincial Bank of Ireland), A. Chearnley, John Jacksons and others, and accounts, notes and memoradnda, including the rules and regulations to be obeyed by the inmates of

the almshouses, 44 items  
1832-3

- MS 43,398/ 7** Letters from the Central Board of Health of Ireland, John Hudson, Rev. Patrick O’Fogarty, George Roche, B. Boate, Stephen Dickson, George Gumbleton and others concerning the cholera epidemics in Dungarvan and Youghal, with warrant appointing a Board of Health in the Town of Lismore (14 May 1832), and copy of ‘An Act ... for establishing Fever Hospitals and for preventing contagious Diseases in Ireland’, 51 items  
1832-3 [*Some items damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,398/ 8** Letters from Dr. Thomas Christian, Stephen Moore, Rev. Horatio Newenham and John Swanston concerning the cholera epidemics at Bandon, Dungarvan and Tallow, with reports and returns of cases, 18 items  
1832-4
- MS 43,398/ 9** Correspondence between William S. Curry, Charles Perry (Mayor of Cork) and Lieutenant Friend RN (H.M. Emigration Agent, Cork) concerning emigration schemes to New South Wales and Tasmania, with letters and printed circulars from Peter Bernard and Dr. M. Quinlan, and a copy of the *Dublin Evening Post* (28 Aug 1834), 12 items  
1832-7
- MS 43,398/ 10** Letters from Benjamin Currey, Rev. John Allworth, Christopher F. Musgrave, Rev. Pierce Drew and Henry Witham concerning the Youghal Protestant Relief Society, with printed reports of annual meetings, 15 items  
1833-7

#### IV.iii.19.M Church Affairs

This section contains correspondence concerning the presentation of various church livings in the Duke of Devonshire’s gift, exchanges of glebes and livings among clergymen, and other matters of ecclesiastical patronage (see also section V.iii.20.S).

- MS 43,399/ 1** Letters from George Roche, Rev. Robert Bell, John Hudson, Mrs. Mary Ann Day, John Keily, Colonel F. Marsden, and John Marks concerning the erection of a Chapel of Ease on the south side of Youghal Town, with memorials from the parishioners to the Duke of Devonshire and from the Building Committee to the Bishop of Cloyne, and sundry receipts and accounts, 28 items  
1817-8 & 1824-6

- MS 43,399/ 2** Letters from Rev. Thomas Waugh and James Scott and a petition from the Methodist community of Bandon regarding the renewal of the lease for the Methodist Chapel, Bandon and a dispute between the Methodist Society and the Devonshire Estate over the obstruction caused by the old chapel to plans to develop that part of Bandon, with a ground plan of new chapel, 13 items  
1817-21 & 1835
- MS 43,399/ 3** Letters concerning the presentation of various church livings in the Duke of Devonshire's gift, with applications for vacant livings from clergymen and other matters of ecclesiastical patronage; the livings concerned include at Affane and AGLISH, Ringagonagh, Rathronan, Mothill, Stradbally, Tallow and Kilwatermoy, Kinsalbeg and Templemichael; correspondents include Sir James Abercromby, Benjamin Currey, the Bishop of Waterford, John Hudson, Rev. George Gumbleton, Henry Bolton, George Roche, Thomas Seward and Rev. Walter Giles, 45 items  
1817-38
- MS 43,399/ 4** Letters from Rev. Stephen Dickson and John Hudson concerning the exchange of Glebe Lands at Dungarvan, with a draft of the precept and finding, 11 items  
1818-21
- MS 43,399/ 5** Copy letters from William S. Curry to the Bishop of Waterford and Henry Goulbourn (Under Secretary for Ireland) concerning the exchange of Glebe Lands at Lismore, with a draft memorial from the Bishop of Waterford to Richard Wellesley, 1<sup>st</sup> Marquis Wellesley (Lord Lieutenant), copies of inquisitions and a draft and copy of the precept agreed between William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire and Rev. John Scott (Dean of Lismore), 17 items  
1818-24
- MS 43,399/ 6** Correspondence between William S. Curry and Rev. Francis Newport concerning his proposal for a union of the parishes of Whitechurch and Colligan, with letters from the Bishop of Waterford, John Ebbs and John Hudson, 22 items  
1820-1
- MS 43,399/ 7** Correspondence between William S. Curry and Rev. Francis Newport concerning the union of Whitechurch and Colligan, the purchase of Whitechurch Glebe and other patronage requests, with letters from John Ebbs and Richard Ussher, 30 items  
1821-3

- MS 43,399/ 8** Correspondence between William S. Curry and Rev. Francis Newport concerning the purchase of Whitechurch Glebe, the living of the parish of Colligan and other patronage requests, with letters from Richard Ussher, Major Alcock and J. Jackson, 39 items  
1824-34
- MS 43,399/ 9** Letters from James Carlisle, Samuel Morewood and Rev. James Reid concerning the appointment of a Presbyterian minister in Lismore and the erection of a meeting house, with a memorial to the Duke of Devonshire, 9 items  
1823-4
- MS 43,399/ 10** Correspondence between William S. Curry and John Browne concerning the allocation of pews in Bandon Church, 7 items  
1827
- MS 43,399/ 11** Correspondence between William S. Curry, Benjamin Currey and Samuel Cooke concerning Cooke's investigation into the extent to which local church patronage rightfully belonging to the Duke of Devonshire had been 'usurped' by either laymen or ecclesiastics, and to institute legal proceedings for the enforcement of the Duke's rights, 27 items  
Apr-Jun 1827
- MS 43,399/ 12** Correspondence between William S. Curry, Benjamin Currey and Samuel Cooke concerning Cooke's investigation into church patronage, with a letter from Stephen Dickson and legal opinion as to the vicarages of Kilgobinet and Clashmore offered by William Fidd Curry, 22 items  
Jul-Dec 1827
- MS 43,399/ 13** Presentations of various church livings, writs of Quare Impedit, extracts from the Registry of the Diocese of Waterford and Lismore, abstracts and lists of deeds, schedules of advowsons and list of 'usurped churches' to which Samuel Cooke believed the Duke of Devonshire was entitled (12 Oct 1827), 19 items  
1827
- MS 43,399/ 14** Notes and memoranda relating to Samuel Cooke's investigation into church patronage, including summaries and extracts from ancient patents and deeds concerning the origins of the Devonshire estate in Ireland, with a draft agreement between the Duke of Devonshire and Samuel Cooke (12 Apr 1827), 24 items  
1827
- MS 43,399/ 15** Correspondence between William S. Curry, Rev. Horatio Newman

and William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire concerning repairs to from Kilbrogan Church and the removal of a figure of King William III from the roof, with letters from Rev. Robert Kenny and William Barry, 25 items  
1828-9

**MS 43,399/ 16** Letters from Rev. Maurice Sheehan, Rev. Daniel Murphy, Dr. William Nason, Rev. Maurice Power, Benjamin Currey and Rev. William O'Brien concerning obtaining ground for the Convent and Convent School at Youghal, and for the extension of Ballynoe Chapel, 28 items  
1829-37

**MS 43,399/ 17** Correspondence between William S. Curry and Rev. E. Condon concerning obtaining land for a new convent house in Tallow, with plan, 11 items  
1833-5

**MS 43,399/ 18** Letters to William S. Curry in relation to a proposal by Rev. Patrick Fogarty to take Mrs. Cameron's house at Lismore for use as a convent, with subsequent letters seeking a reduction in rent, 6 items  
1834-8

#### IV.iii.19.N Patronage, Manufacturing and Other Topics

**MS 43,400/ 1** Letters from anonymous persons, including the "Captain of the Hearts of Oak", concerning the condition of the rural poor, disputes with neighbours and alleged abuses and misdemeanours committed by agents and tenants, 9 items  
1818 & n.d.

**MS 43,400/ 2** Letters from Paul McSwiney concerning the construction of a veranda at Lismore Castle, 7 items  
1819

**MS 43,400/ 3** Correspondence between William S. Curry and Edward Dartnell concerning debts owed by Samuel Duigan, 9 items  
1819-20

**MS 43,400/ 4** Correspondence between William S. Curry and James Corry (the Linen Board) concerning the introduction of linen manufacture into the western part of County Waterford, with letters from Robert Green and Robert Pauncefote, Linen Board circulars, and notices of public meetings (10 May 1819 & 29 May 1820), 26 items  
1819-25

- MS 43,400/ 5** Letters from various institutions including the Cork Institution and the Youghal Literary and Scientific Institution and papers concerning dispensaries, fever hospitals and benevolent societies in Bandon, Lismore and Youghal and the prevention of cholera, 24 items  
1819-34
- MS 43,400/ 6** Letters from Peter Bernard concerning the encouragement of linen manufacture on the Duke of Devonshire's estates and the payment of tolls on linen in Bandon, with a letter from Stewart Tresillian, 12 items  
1820
- MS 43,400/ 7** Correspondence between William S. Curry and T.F. Kennedy MP concerning a shipment of cattle from Dalgnharran Castle in Scotland to Dublin, with a letter from John Colville and a copy letter from David Ramsey concerning the employment of a 'Scotch Farmer' at Lismore, 13 items  
1821-3
- MS 43,400/ 8** Letters from Charles Tuckey requesting to borrow the Book of Lismore, and from James H. Todd concerning a loan of the manuscript to the Royal Irish Academy, and a letter from Robert Ball concerning the bishop's crozier discovered in Lismore Castle (3 Feb 1835), 9 items  
1822-38
- MS 43,400/ 9** Letters from the Treasury, the Bank of Ireland and the Royal Exchange Assurance Office, subjects include compensation for Robert Venn (weighmaster of butter, Tallow), the transfer of bank stock, and the establishment of a provincial branch in Dungarvan, 18 items  
1822-38
- MS 43,400/ 10** Letters chiefly requesting permission to shoot and course game on the Duke of Devonshire's property, correspondents include William Hastings Greene, Matthew Quinlan, Thomas Morton, John Keily, Rev. G.H. Hely Hutchinson, Robert Croker and John Dillon, 47 items  
1824-38 [*Some items damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,400/ 11** Letters and papers concerning the bond for £6262 from Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Shannon to William Cavendish, 5th Duke of Devonshire (24 Sep 1784), correspondents include William Ware, John Leslie, Christopher Allen and Benjamin Currey, with a copy of the bond and particulars of interest paid, 22 items

- 1826-7
- MS 43,400/ 12** Correspondence between William S. Curry and Edward Barron concerning his son's advancement in the colonial or commissariat departments, and respecting the disposal of his farm at Ballinroad, 11 items  
1826-36
- MS 43,400/ 13** Letters from Thomas Hill of Belfast and Stephen Dickson concerning proposals to manufacture linen and cotton in Lismore, 9 items  
1827
- MS 43,400/ 14** Letters from George Lamb MP and R.S. Ball concerning the affairs of the Tremell family, formerly of Tallow, 7 items  
1830
- MS 43,400/ 15** Letters from Sir William Gossett (Under Secretary for Ireland), George Ponsonby MP, the Hon. J. Stewart and George Dawson (Treasury Chambers), and Robert Venn concerning the latter's claim for compensation as weighmaster at Tallow, 10 items  
1830-4
- MS 43,400/ 16** Letters from Rev. Peter Hickey concerning emigration schemes and patronage for his publications for the instruction of the peasantry, 5 items  
1830-1 & 1835
- MS 43,400/ 17** Letters from Rev. A. Sheehan and Henry Prendergast Garde concerning petitions and memorials requesting financial assistance from Andrew and Bridget Keefe of Killaseragh (the latter being described as "a sad rogue"), 14 items  
1831-2
- MS 43,400/ 18** Letters from Capt. William Bowles RN and James Byrne regarding Richard Sutton, an uncle of James Byrne serving in the Coast Guard, and concerning his application to be transferred from England to Ireland, 6 items  
1831 & 1835

#### IV.iii.19.O Fisheries

##### *IV.iii.19.O(1) River Blackwater Fishery*

- MS 43,401/ 1** Letters, memoranda, reports and papers concerning the River Blackwater fishery and the export of salmon, correspondents include

- James Connery, Thomas Mahoney, George Torbuck, John Jenkins and Patrick Foley, 22 items  
1820-9 [*Two items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,401/ 2** Letters, memoranda, reports and papers concerning the River Blackwater fishery and the sale of salmon, correspondents include John Daly, Edward Sweeny, C.M. Ussher, John Jenkins, Patrick Foley and Richard Cliffe, 25 items  
1829-38
- MS 43,401/ 3** Letters, reports memoranda and returns concerning weirs on the River Blackwater, correspondents include Patrick Foley, A. Anderson and P. Kelly (Inspector of Fisheries), with notebook and map of Ballysaggart weir, 17 items  
1821 & 1828-30
- MS 43,401/ 4** Letters, reports, memoranda and returns concerning weirs on the River Blackwater, correspondents include Richard Cliffe, Patrick Mansfield, Edward Hassett, Patrick Foley and Edward Sweeny, with notebook, 17 items  
1832-4 [*Some items quite fragile*]
- MS 43,401/ 5** Correspondence between William S. Curry, Thomas Seward and Major Cameron respecting a weir (or dam) erected by the latter on the River Blackwater at Ballynelligan, 9 items  
Aug 1819
- MS 43,401/ 6** Correspondence between William S. Curry, Richard Walsh and Henry Witham concerning Walsh's surrender of the River Blackwater fishery, 9 items  
1820 & 1828-9
- MS 43,401/ 7** Letters to Patrick Foley requesting permission to fish on the River Blackwater, correspondents include Joshua Andrews, John Smyth, Arthur Keily, George Hobart, Benjamin Booker and George Sheppard, 46 items  
1825-32
- MS 43,401/ 8** Assorted papers concerning the title of the Duke of Devonshire to the River Blackwater fishery, including Henry Witham's instructions respecting fisheries, a copy of a Parliamentary Act of 1634 (10 Chas. I, c.14), and an indenture between the Duke of Devonshire and the Earl of Bessborough (11 Mar 1817), 7 items  
1817, 1827-7 & n.d.
- MS 43,401/ 9** Letters and memoranda concerning incidents of illegal fishing on the River Blackwater, correspondents include John Hudson, Henry



Witham and Edward Sweeny, with notices to dismantle Scotch weirs and newspaper cuttings, 36 items  
1821-35

**MS 43,401/ 10** Correspondence and papers concerning an attack made upon Lismore weir, correspondents include Stephen Moore, 3rd Earl of Mount Cashell, John Hyde, Thomas Seward, William Waggert, James Connery, Patrick Foley and Sir James Abercromby, with legal opinion, 26 items  
1823

**MS 43,401/ 11** Letters and memoranda relating to the Fishery Acts and the employment of the Irish Constabulary in executing warrants for illegal fishing on the River Blackwater, correspondents include Patrick Foley, Lord George Beresford and George Howard, Viscount Morpeth (Chief Secretary for Ireland), with memorials, minutes of meetings and legal opinion of F. Blackburne, 25 items  
1824-36 [*Some items fragile*]

*IV.iii.19.O(2) Parliamentary Committees and Bills (1825-7)*

**MS 7161** Copy of the Fishery Bill (June 1818), with manuscript notes by William S. Curry, 1 item  
c1825

**MS 43,402/ 1** Correspondence between William S. Curry and T.F. Kennedy MP and Sir James Abercromby concerning the report of the select committee of the House of Commons on salmon fisheries and the provisions of the fishery bill, with letters from William George Little, George Lamb MP, George Ponsonby MP, Henry Witham, William Waggert, Patrick Foley and Benjamin Currey, 21 items  
1825-8

**MS 43,402/ 2** Letters and papers relating to a petition to the House of Commons concerning the fishery bill, correspondents include David Babington, Patrick Foley and Thomas Seward, with drafts and copies of the petition, and a copy of the Solicitor General's opinion on a fishery bill of 1774, 12 items  
1825-6 [*One item damaged & fragile*]

**MS 43,402/ 3** Copies of papers relating to the fishery bill of 1774, including a copy of the bill, a brief for the Duke of Devonshire against the bill, petitions, reports, and letters from the Privy Council and from Sir Richard Musgrave to Sir Anthony Abdy (24 & 26 Mar 1774), 11 items  
c1825 [*One item damaged & fragile*]

- MS 43,402/ 4** Observations, memoranda and notes by William S. Curry and Patrick Foley on the select committee report, the existing fishery laws and the fishery bill, with particular reference to the proposed close time on fishing, 16 items  
1825-7 [*Two items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,402/ 5** Printed copies of drafts of ‘A Bill for the more effectual Preservation and Increase of the Breed of Salmon, throughout Great Britain and Ireland’, with a copy of the clauses taken from the fishery bill intended to be brought into operation by T.F. Kennedy MP, 11 items  
1825-7
- MS 43,402/ 6** Printed copies of a ‘Statement by the Proprietors & Farmers of Inland Fishings in Ireland’ (1826), with copies of the third and fifth reports of the Commissioners of the Irish Fisheries for the years 1821 and 1823, 6 items  
1822-6
- MS 43,402/ 7** Letters from W. Anderson, Andrew Carbery and Henry Witham, with papers relating to various fishery associations and fishery inquiries, with a copy of a report by the Fishery Board to the Chief Secretary of Ireland (14 Jan 1830), and ‘A Bill to amend an Act ... for the Preservation of Salmon Fisheries in Scotland’ (22 May 1835), 16 items  
1818-9 & 1828-36

*IV.iii.19.O(3) Youghal Fishery*

- MS 43,403/ 1** Letters and papers concerning the Southern Fisheries Association and Youghal fisheries, correspondents include John Jenkins, James Redmond Barry, Henry Roderick and Sir William Homan, with minutes of meetings, a copy of ‘An Act for the further Encouragement and Improvement of the Irish Fisheries’ (12 Jul 1819), and newspaper cuttings, 9 items  
1818-9
- MS 43,403/ 2** Letters and papers concerning and the employment of trawls and trammel nets at Youghal fisheries, correspondents include William Galwey and George Roche, with draft petition against licensing fishing boats, 14 items  
1818-9
- MS 43,403/ 3** Letters and papers concerning Youghal fisheries, correspondents include Edward Sweeny, John Warde and George Simkins, with

copy of petition from the fishermen and boat owners to the Mayor of Youghal, 13 items  
1825-34

*IV.iii.19.O(4) River Bandon and River Bride Fisheries*

**MS 43,404** Letters concerning a dam across the River Bandon and the Duke of Devonshire's rights in the fishery of the River Bride, correspondents include John Scott, Captain C. Corker and John Swanston, 9 items  
1820 & 1830-2

*IV.iii.19.O(5) Dungarvan Sea Fishery*

**MS 43,405/ 1** Letters and papers concerning the employment of trammel nets and the imposition of a production bounty on fish caught in the Dungarvan fisheries, correspondents include Richard McGrath, John Hudson and Rev. Ponsonby Carew, with a memorial from the Dungarvan fishermen, and a notice from the Commissioners of the Irish Fisheries concerning the registration of vessels etc., 17 items  
1818-20

**MS 43,405/ 2** Letters and papers concerning the imposition of a production bounty and the employment of trammel nets in the Dungarvan fisheries, correspondents include George Lamb MP, James Redmond Barry (Fishery Office, Cork), John Hudson and Richard Dodd, with returns of vessels and petitions from the fishermen, and a copy of resolutions passed by the London Tavern Committee for the assistance of coastal fishermen (29 Aug & 4 Sep 1822), 21 items  
1821-4

**MS 43,405/ 3** Correspondence between William S. Curry and James Redmond Barry (Inspector General of Fisheries) concerning the employment of trawl and trammel nets in the Dungarvan fisheries, with letters from John Hudson, John Curreen and Richard Dodd (Inspector of Fisheries, Dungarvan) with notices, petitions from fishermen and prospectus of the National Coast and Deep-Sea Fishing Company (23 Apr 1825), 29 items  
1825-6

**MS 43,405/ 4** Letters and papers concerning the imposition of bounties and the employment of trawl and trammel nets in the Dungarvan fisheries, correspondents include James Redmond Barry, Richard Dodd, James Corry, J.M. Galway, James Byrne, John Hudson and Henry Witham, with petitions from boat owners and fishermen and copy of fishery regulations (6 Jan 1827), 29 items

1827-9

- MS 43,405/ 5** Correspondence between William S. Curry and James Redmond Barry concerning the imposition of bounties and the employment of trawl and trammel nets in the Dungarvan fisheries, with letters from George Lamb MP, Sir Henry Hardinge (Chief Secretary for Ireland), John Hudson and Malachy Donelan, with petitions from boat owners and fishermen, 24 items  
1830
- MS 43,405/ 6** Letters and papers concerning the employment of trammel nets in the Dungarvan fisheries, correspondents include Edward Stanley (Chief Secretary for Ireland), Sir William Gossett (Under Secretary for Ireland), George Lamb MP, Robert Rogers, Capt. J. Dombrain, John Hudson and Malachy Donelan, with petition from landed proprietors, traders, boat owners and fishermen, 9 items  
1831
- MS 43,405/ 7** Letters and papers concerning the imposition of bounties and the employment of trawl and trammel nets in the Dungarvan fisheries, including copy letter from William S. Curry to the Treasury Commissioners, memoranda, notes, extracts from parliamentary acts, and petitions from boat owners and fishermen, 22 items  
n.d.
- MS 43,405/ 8** Letters and papers concerning the distress suffered by Dungarvan fishermen and others in the town due to lack of employment, correspondents include John Hudson, James Byrne, Patrick Keily, Henry Witham and William Burke, with a memorial addressed to the Hon. George Lamb MP, 31 items  
1830-1 & 1834
- MS 43,405/ 9** Book containing answers (for the district of Dungarvan) to queries relative to an inquiry conducted by the Coast Fisheries of Ireland, with accompanying note, 2 items  
1836

IV.iii.19.P Town Affairs

*IV.iii.19.P(1) Bandon*

Some of the letters in this section have been transcribed in NLI Special List No. 336(2).

- MS 43,410/ 1** Correspondence between William S. Curry, Francis Bernard, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Bandon, Sir James Abercromby, Benjamin Currey, Henry Witham, Edward Doherty and others concerning the borough of

Bandon, where ownership of the soil and control of the corporation was shared between the Duke of Devonshire and the Earl of Bandon, about their respective rights in the borough, including a copy of the agreement governing those rights made in 1767, and copy extracts from letters on the subject from 1800, 36 items  
1819-27

**MS 43,410/ 2** Letters from Richard Dowden and Henry Sadleir concerning proposals for the establishment of a circulating library at Bandon, including reports, estimates of costs and suggested names for this establishment (including Bandon Literary and Scientific Institution, Bandon Literary and Academical Institution, and Bandon Religious and Moral Circulating Library), 8 items  
1821

**MS 43,410/ 3** Letter from James Scott concerning the procurement of a fire engine for the Town of Bandon, with a list of subscribers, an account of costs and a drawing of the Ballymodan parish engine, with letters from Richard Cotter concerning Bandon Bridewell, and from Abraham Lane concerning the provision of gas lighting in Bandon, 16 items  
1821-2, 1824 & 1834-5

**MS 43,410/ 4** Letter from Stewart Tresilian relating to the tolls and markets of Bandon and Enniskeane, with a list of 'the Tolls & Customs of the Town of Bandon and its precincts' (n.d.), a schedule of 'Tolls and Customs payable to His Grace the Duke of Devonshire at the Fairs and Markets within the Manor of Enniskeane in the County of Cork' (1829), and accounts of sums paid for public purposes and for the accommodation and benefit of the people of Bandon (1821 & 1822), 14 items  
1826-9

**MS 43,410/ 5** Correspondence between William S. Curry and M. McCreight, Benjamin Swete and John Swanston concerning Bandon Fox Hunting Society, including requests to hunt on the Devonshire estate and a memorandum of a meeting at the Devonshire Arms, Bandon to establish the society (6 Dec 1834), 13 items  
1835-7

*IV.iii.19.P(2) Cork*

**MS 43,411** Correspondence between William S. Curry and Robert Travers concerning the lease of Gillabbey Mills to the Cork Pipe Water Company and the payment of compensation to the Duke of Devonshire, with letters from Sir Anthony Perrier, Henry Witham

and Benjamin Popham, 10 items  
1819

*IV.iii.19.P(3) Youghal*

- MS 43,412/ 1** Letters from Abraham Fisher, Henry Roderick, William Harvey and Samuel Green containing suggestions for the improvement of the harbour and town of Youghal, with a notice for a public meeting (6 Aug 1831), 9 items  
1819-25 & 1831
- MS 43,412/ 2** Correspondence between William S. Curry, Sir James Abercromby and Lancelot Fisher concerning Lord Ponsonby's claim to the livings of the rectory of Clonpriest, near Youghal, with letters from Thomas Seward and Bartholemew Park, and schedules of deeds relating to the College of Youghal, 26 items  
1820-1
- MS 43,412/ 3** Letters and memorials from Michael Fitzgerald, William Verlin, James Flyn, John Taylor, Joshua Eustace, John Hudson and others respecting freedom of trade in the Town of Youghal, 15 items  
1822
- MS 43,412/ 4** Letters from George W. Greene, Francis Drew, William Verlin, Edward Dyer, Bartholemew Park, Joshua Eustace, William Barry, Henry Roderick, Lawrence Dennehy and others soliciting support at a forthcoming Court of D'Oyer Hundred at which freemen of the Corporation of Youghal were to be elected, 33 items  
1824-5
- MS 43,412/ 5** Letters and memorial from John Lehon concerning the construction of an inn in the Town of Youghal, with notes and memoranda, 10 items  
1829-33
- MS 43,412/ 6** Letters from Henry Parker, James Ellis Green and Henry Browne (Town Clerk), concerning gas lighting in Youghal, with reports of the Commissioners for Lighting and Cleansing the Town of Youghal, with letters and notices concerning meetings of the merchants of Youghal, the town's temperance society and newsroom, and steam communication from Youghal to England, 13 items  
1830-8
- MS 43,412/ 7** Letters from Thomas W. Green and Benjamin Currey concerning the Duke of Devonshire's acceptance of the position of patron to the

Society of Arts and Sciences in Youghal, 9 items  
1833

- MS 43,412/ 8** Letters from John Jenkins and Captain Henry Parker (Mayor of Youghal) concerning an address to be delivered to Earl Musgrave, Lord Lieutenant on behalf of the inhabitants of Youghal, with a copy of the address (13 Jul 1836), 5 items  
1836

*IV.iii.19.P(4) Dungarvan*

- MS 43,413/ 1** Letters from Henry Witham, John Hudson, Andrew Carbery concerning port duties at Dungarvan, with a memorandum of charges made by different Courts Leet at Dungarvan, and a memorial from the owners and masters of vessels belonging to the port, 11 items  
1829-30

- MS 43,413/ 2** Letters from John Hudson, James Wallace, John Henry North and Michael Carroll concerning the recovery of a cargo of timber off the coast of Dungarvan, with copy correspondence between William S. Curry, George Lamb MP, the Court of Admiralty and the Treasury, and a newspaper cutting, 11 items  
1830-1

*IV.iii.19.P(5) Lismore*

- MS 43,414/ 1** Correspondence between William S. Curry and Richard and Arthur Hartland (Seedman & Florist, Cork) concerning tree plantations at Lismore, with letters from Benjamin Popham, 15 items  
1818-20 [*Some items quite fragile*]
- MS 43,414/ 2** Public notices advertising the Bonmahon horse races (1824) and the Lismore Agricultural Show (1827), 2 items  
1824-7
- MS 43,414/ 3** Correspondence between William S. Curry and Colonel Frederick Page concerning improvements to the canal at Lismore, with a letter from J. Jones, and plans and drawings, 11 items  
1829-30

*IV.iii.19.P(6) Tallow*

- MS 43,415** Letter from Stephen Brien and James Hoare concerning their being

dispossessed of a stall in the Meat Shambles, Tallow, with certificates to guarantee the conduct of vendors, 22 items  
1830

IV.iii.19.Q Town Tenants

*IV.iii.19.Q(1) Bandon*

- MS 43,416/ 1** Letters and petitions from various tenants regarding leases, building leases and arrears of rent for properties in Bandon, correspondents include John Sullivan, Abraham Lane, James Connell, Thomas Beamish, John Scott, William Biggs, Catherine Flang, Martha Garde, Francis Brown and James Scott, 21 items  
1821-34
- MS 43,416/ 2** Letters from Roger Edward Green, James Ellis Green and John Green concerning the lease of ground adjoining Chopping Knife House, Bandon, 16 items  
1827-32
- MS 43,416/ 3** Letters from Anne Jenkins, Elizabeth Jenkins and Edward Hickey concerning their house in Bandon, 10 items  
1822-7
- MS 43,416/ 4** Letters from John Scott, John Burke, William Coughlan and Benjamin Popham concerning Scott's premises in South Main Street, Bandon, with his petition to William S. Curry, 10 items  
1828-9
- MS 43,416/ 5** Letters from William Seymour and Elizabeth Seymour concerning their premises on Bridewell Quay, Bandon, 11 items  
1831-5
- MS 43,416/ 6** Correspondence between William S. Curry, Catherine Sealy and Rev. A. Sealy concerning Sealy's Brewery in Bandon, with letters from Benjamin Popham and Edward Heard, 19 items  
1817-35 [*Damaged & fragile*]

*IV.iii.19.Q(2) Enniskeane*

- MS 43,417/ 1** Letters from Benjamin Popham, William Stanley and William Halyburton concerning Halyburton's premises at Enniskeane Mills, with estimates of repairs, rent accounts, deponents' statements, and the legal opinion of William Waggert, 25 items  
1815-9



**MS 43,417/ 2** Letters from Rev. Samuel Lucey and Honora Morrison concerning Lucey's premises in Enniskeane, with rent accounts, and a memorial from Susanna Lucey to Sir James Abercromby, 19 items  
1819-22

**MS 43,417/ 3** Letters, memorial and petitions from various tenants concerning premises in Enniskeane, correspondents include Rev. J. Sullivan, John Carey, Thomas Biggs, Edmond Sweeny, Patrick Hurly, Robert Meade and Richard Barry, with notes and memoranda, 37 items  
1817-21

*IV.iii.19.Q(3) Youghal*

**MS 43,418/ 1** Letters and papers concerning premises held by Reuben Harvey in Cork Lane, Youghal, correspondents include George Roche, Thomas Seward and Reuben Harvey, with estimates, plans, lists of tenants, an award of arbitrators between Harvey and the Duke of Devonshire, and an agreement with Thomas Donovan (17 Sep 1817), 27 items  
1817-19

**MS 43,418/ 2** Letters and papers concerning the lease of Park Mountain and premises held by Reuben Harvey at the Quay in Youghal, correspondents include John Todhunter, Abraham Fisher, William Harvey and Reuben Harvey, with proposals, valuations, notes and memoranda, 34 items  
1820-4 & 1829

**MS 43,418/ 3** Letters and papers concerning the payment of compensation to leaseholders for the surrender of various properties in Youghal, with special reference to the properties of Peter Moore and Abraham Fisher, Ann Restorick and Hugh Pollock, correspondents include Joshua Eustace, Christopher Elmore, John Eustace and Ann Restorick, with notes and accounts, 23 items  
1818-22

**MS 43,418/ 4** Letters and papers concerning the payment of compensation to leaseholders for the surrender of properties in Youghal, with special reference to the properties of Hugh Pollock and Ann Restorick, correspondents include Jonathan Davis, Joseph Harvey, William Coldwell, Andrew Henderson, Patrick Hill and Ann Restorick, with memoranda, and an extract from the Registry of the Consistorial Court of Cloyne, 27 items  
1822-4

- MS 43,418/ 5** Letters and papers concerning the payment of compensation to leaseholders for the surrender of properties in Youghal, with special reference to the properties of Hugh Pollock and Ann Restorick, correspondents include Thomas Harvey, William Coldwell, Patrick Hill, Eliza Coldwell and Ann Restorick, with notes and accounts of compensation payments, 33 items  
1825-30
- MS 43,418/ 6** Letters from Mrs. Maria Isabel Armstrong and Miss Blessing Hudson of Youghal, including a complaint against the Corporation of Youghal and a statement of their indebtedness to the Lismore Estate (£612 17s 9d) as of 29 Sept 1818, 6 items  
1818-20
- MS 43,418/ 7** Letters and papers concerning the property of Joshua Eustace in Youghal, correspondents include Abraham Fisher, Roger G. Davis, Reuben Harvey, Thomas Browne, Catherine Downing, John Eustace and Joshua Eustace, with notes, memoranda, accounts, receipts, and a schedule of Eustace's freehold and leasehold property, 40 items  
1817-23
- MS 43,418/ 8** Letters and papers concerning the property of Joshua Eustace in Youghal, correspondents include Abraham Fisher, Roger G. Davis, Reuben Harvey, Thomas Browne and Joshua Eustace, with copy correspondence between Thomas Knowlton, William Ashby and Joshua Eustace, notes, memoranda, accounts and calculations of compensation to be paid, 43 items  
1824-34
- MS 43,418/ 9** Letters from Samuel Merrick and Mrs. Jane Molton concerning the lease of Daniel Wood House, Youghal, with proposals, 12 items  
1817-8
- MS 43,418/ 10** Letters from James Swayne and Miss C. Swayne concerning the payment of compensation to Miss Swayne for her premises in Youghal, 6 items  
1822
- MS 43,418/ 11** Letters from Christopher Elmore and John Hudson concerning premises in South Abbey Street, Youghal, with a proposal and a deposition, 9 items  
1818-23
- MS 43,418/ 12** Letters from Kyrle Sedley, William Gardner, Robert Foulke and Mark Hudson concerning payments of rent and arrears for premises in Youghal, with drafts of Sedley's conditional bond for the

- performance of covenants, 25 items  
1815-32
- MS 43,418/ 13** Letters from Abraham Fisher, Josias Fisher and Thomas Seward concerning a mortgage for the Salt House in Browne Street, Youghal, 12 items  
1822-5
- MS 43,418/ 14** Correspondence between William S. Curry and William Charles concerning plans and estimates for building work in Youghal, 5 items  
1821 & 1825
- MS 43,418/ 15** Letters from Samuel Allen and Susan Lander concerning Ann Lander's lease for premises in Youghal, with a schedule of leases and a memorial from the Lander sisters, 6 items  
1834
- MS 43,418/ 16** Letters from James Ellis Green and Benjamin Jackson concerning the valuation of property in Youghal, with notes and memoranda, 7 items  
1822
- MS 43,418/ 17** Letters and memorials from John Farmer concerning his public baths in Youghal, 8 items  
1825-6
- MS 43,418/ 18** Letters from Gabriel Fisher and John Hudson concerning Fisher's holdings in Abbey Street and other parts of Youghal, 18 items  
1817-23
- MS 43,418/ 19** Letters from William Jackson concerning his premises in Friar Street, Youghal, with notes, memoranda, drawings, and extracts from rentals, 7 items  
1818
- MS 43,418/ 20** Letters from John Allment (relative of Gabriel Fisher), Isaac Haughton and William Ashby concerning holdings in Youghal, with notes, memoranda and proposals, 13 items  
1817-8
- MS 43,418/ 21** Correspondence concerning John Coleman's premises in Raheen Lane, Youghal, with an abstract of deed (29 May 1817), and a list of occupiers of houses in Raheen and New Lanes, 7 items  
1823-34

- MS 43,418/ 22** Correspondence between William S. Curry and Roger Edward Green concerning the lease of Chopping Knife premises, and of a house in Main Street, Youghal, 4 items  
1831
- MS 43,418/ 23** Letters from Joseph Freeman, Matthew Keane, R.S. Ball and Captain Thomas Armstrong concerning Samuel Freeman's premises in South Abbey and Strand Street, Youghal, with notes, memoranda, a lease (29 Oct 1781), and a notice to quit (26 Oct 1822), 29 items  
1818-36
- MS 43,418/ 24** Letters from Nicholas Giles and Richard Giles concerning their holdings in Youghal, 14 items  
1828-36
- MS 43,418/ 25** Letters from Major W.H. Turton applying for a lease for a house previously occupied by Rev. Wakeham in Strand Street, and from William Galwey and James Cleary concerning the tenancy of Iron-Store House in Youghal, with a memorial from Cleary to William S. Curry, 8 items  
1817-8

*IV.iii.19.Q(4) Dungarvan*

- MS 43,419/ 1** Letters and petitions from various tenants, including Stephen Baker, Thomas Higgins, Michael Keating, Elizabeth Murray, John Power, John Hogan, Eleanor Kiely and James Cremen concerning their houses and holdings in Dungarvan, 23 items  
1819-23
- MS 43,419/ 2** Letters and petitions from various tenants, including John Mahan, Edmond Daniel, Johanna Connel, Thomas Hearn, Michael Goff, George Purcell and John Hudson concerning their houses and holdings in Dungarvan, with a return of tenants occupying Spring Land (17 Sep 1825), 31 items  
1825-30
- MS 43,419/ 3** Letters and petitions from various Dungarvan tenants and freeholders, including Patrick Dower, William Galwey, Francis Thomas, Michael Purcell, Thomas Power and John Foley, with a return of freeholders and their houses (May 1832), maps, and public notices, 27 items  
1831-5
- MS 43,419/ 4** Correspondence between William S. Curry and Sir John Newport

- concerning property offered to the Duke of Devonshire by Newport at Killoster and Abbeyside, near Dungavan, with a letter from Sir James Abercromby and observations from John Hudson, 13 items  
1818
- MS 43,419/ 5** Letters from Andrew Roche, Bartholomew Gough and John Keily concerning the latter's holdings in Dungarvan, with a ground plan of houses on New Chapel Street, 4 items  
1819
- MS 43,419/ 6** Letters from John Hudson, J.M. Galwey, Thomas Kearney, John Fraser, William Teape, Henry Witham and Matthew Godkin concerning Godkin's premises in Dungarvan, with a schedule of damage done to his premises, and a memorandum for a brief, 30 items  
1827-32
- MS 43,419/ 7** Letters from Rev. Ponsonby Carew, John Hudson and Thomas P. Carew concerning the payment of rent for the latter's premises in Dungarvan, 10 items  
1818-9 & 1829-35
- MS 43,419/ 8** Letters from John Hudson and Andrew Carbery concerning various premises in Dungarvan, with notes and sketches, 14 items  
1826-35
- MS 43,419/ 9** Correspondence between William S. Curry and Thomas McGuire, with letters from William Hughes and John Dower concerning premises in Barrack Street, Dungarvan, 10 items  
1821-8
- MS 43,419/ 10** Letters from Thomas Ferry, Robert Ferry, George Lamb MP and Henry Witham concerning various premises and building lots in Dungarvan, 22 items  
1827-35
- MS 43,419/ 11** Letters from Bryan Keating concerning premises in Dungarvan, 10 items  
1820-1
- MS 43,419/ 12** Letters from John Hudson, Thomas Boyle and Rev. Patrick Fogarty concerning Mary Boyle's house at Blackpool, Dungarvan, with a schedule of deeds and correspondence (1810-23), and a proposal and drawing of the house, 6 items  
1825-7
- MS 43,419/ 13** Letters from John Hearn and Edward Roberts concerning the West Gate house at Dungarvan, with memorials from the ratepayers of

Dungarvan, 7 items  
1825-31 [*Some items fragile*]

*IV.iii.19.Q(5) Lismore*

- MS 43,420** Correspondence between William S. Curry, William Ashby, Major Cameron and Mrs. E. Cameron concerning holdings at Ferry Lane which formed part of Foster's Garden, Church Lane, Spittle Field and Durham Land, including the grant of freeholds for two lives within the town of Lismore, and letters concerning dispensary accounts and rents, 39 items  
1816-20 & 1832-4

*IV.iii.19.Q(6) Tallow*

- MS 43,421/ 1** Letters from James Towell, Henry Witham, Charles Maunsell and Francis Drew Towell concerning 'Lees holding', thirteen houses in Barrack Street, Tallow, seven acres of land and orchard known as Knowle's holding, with valuations of crops and a comprehensive survey of Towell's urban holdings listing tenants, type of house, amounts required to maintain said houses in a tenantable condition, yearly value when repaired, and a statement of arrears on these premises, 29 items  
1820
- MS 43,421/ 2** Letters, proposals and petitions from John Arnold, Thomas Boyce, Francis and Christopher Hanan and Henry Handcock concerning tenancies in Bog Lane and other parts of Tallow, with a book noting premises taken in the town, 20 items  
1816-31
- MS 43,421/ 3** Letters from Rev. J. Jackson concerning his house and garden in Tallow, and church and charity matters, 17 items  
1831-4
- MS 43,421/ 4** Letters from Denis O'Donnell and Mary O'Brien concerning a house in Barrack Street, Tallow, with a copy lease (3 Apr 1824), 8 items  
1828

*IV.iii.19.R Rural Tenants*

*IV.iii.19.R(1) Ballynoe and Connehy*

- MS 43,422/ 1** Letters from Peter Dwyer, Mary Dwyer and Thomas Arbuthnot concerning the Dwyer holding at Glantrasna, with a petition and proposal, 37 items  
1817-23 [*Some items damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,422/ 2** Letters from Grace Dwyer and Mary Dwyer concerning their holding at Glantrasna, with summonses to appear before magistrates (Aug 1828), 20 items  
1827-35
- MS 43,422/ 3** Letters and papers concerning the lands of Knockasticane, correspondents include Captain Gumbleton, Jeremiah Sullivan, Richard Power, John Power, John Macbeth, William Foley, Robert Corban and William John Day, with a memorandum of agreements, petitions from tenants, and valuations, 37 items  
1825-6
- MS 43,422/ 4** Petitions from David Lawlee, Patrick Lane, Michael Higgins and other tenants concerning their holdings at Longaville, 23 items  
1831-6

*IV.iii.19.R(2) Bandon: Ballymodane and Brinny*

- MS 43,423/ 1** Letters from Captain George Newell, John Hudson and John Swanston concerning Newell's holding at Ballymodrana, with memoranda, notes, accounts and statements, 36 items  
1817-29
- MS 43,423/ 2** Letters and petitions from William Whiting, Charles Whiting, Jacques Nash, Rev. Ludlow Tonson, John Hornibrook, Richard Tresilian and Catherine Donovan concerning the lands of Kilpatrick, with notes and memoranda, 23 items  
1819-26

*IV.iii.19.R(3) Bandon: Fanlobus*

- MS 43,424/ 1** Correspondence between William S. Curry and Captain Arthur Beamish Bernard concerning the Mills at Moragh, with letters and petitions from Samuel Beamish, Nathaniel Burchill, John Swanston and Patrick Hurly, with notes, memoranda and accounts, 34 items  
1818-29
- MS 43,424/ 2** Accounts and memoranda relating to the farms and mills held by A.B. Bernard at Moragh and Teadies, with returns and receipts of caretakers expenses, 30 items  
1819-28 & 1844-50

- MS 43,424/ 3** Correspondence between William S. Curry and Dr. Ambrose Hickey and Robert St. Lawrence concerning their holdings at Moragh, with a letter from John Swanston, 20 items  
1819-33
- MS 43,424/ 4** Correspondence between Joseph Conroy and Alexander Swanston, with accounts, papers and maps concerning a boundary dispute between the lands of Palace Anne and Teadies and the letting of the lands of Moragh to Arthur Beamish Bernard, 22 items  
1822-40
- MS 43,424/ 5** Letters and a memorial from Thomas Banfield concerning the lands of Carhue, with copy lease (19 Oct 1808), 6 items  
1818-9

*IV.iii.19.R(4) Bandon: Kilbrogan*

- MS 43,425/ 1** Letters from Captain L. Westropp, William Jacob and John Biggs concerning the lands of Callatrim, with extracts from rentals and other associated papers, 15 items  
1821-4
- MS 43,425/ 2** Correspondence between William S. Curry, Sir James Abercromby and Dr. Jonathan Clerke concerning the latter's holding at Coolfadda, with letters from William Ashby and Benjamin Popham, memoranda, and a map by George Sullivan (April 1816), 26 items  
1816-9, 1821 & 1830
- MS 43,425/ 3** Letters from from James Douglass, J.E. Waring and Rev. D. McSwiney concerning their holdings at Coolfadda, other correspondents include Benjamin Popham, John Swanston and Stephen Corkoran, with notes and accounts, 30 items  
1822-30
- MS 43,425/ 4** Correspondence between William S. Curry and John Popham concerning the construction of farm buildings at Carhue, with notes and accounts, 13 items  
1820
- MS 43,425/ 6** Letters and papers concerning John Popham's holding at Kilnegrady and Carhoon, with receipts and accounts, 10 items  
1826-7
- MS 43,425/ 7** Letters from George Chinnery, Edward Scott and W.H. Coppinger concerning the lands of Derrycool, with petitions and memorials



from tenants, and a schedule of the intended division of the townland, 14 items  
1831

- MS 43,425/ 8** Correspondence between William S. Curry, Mr. Swete and Francis Bernard, 1st Earl of Bandon and concerning a part of the lands of Laragh, with a proposal from Lord Bandon's agent regarding an early surrender of lands held the Duke of Devonshire, and a declaration that the proposed road through Mishells and Laragh would be of no public utility and a heavy expense to the county, 4 items  
1819
- MS 43,425/ 9** Letters from Benjamin Currey, Henry Witham, Alexander Swanston and Thomas Swanston concerning the latter's farm at Laragh, with a statement of accounts and a schedule of permanent improvements made on the farm, 8 items  
1837-8
- MS 43,425/ 10** Letters from Mr. Carnegie and William Connor concerning the latter's holding at Mishells, including his proposal (22 Aug 1827) and a copy of his notice of planting trees (7 Sep 1818), with petitions from Jeremiah Cullinane, 8 items  
1827 & 1835-6
- MS 43,425/ 11** Correspondence and papers concerning the Baldwin and Jenkins holdings at Mallowgeaton near Bandon, correspondents include Benjamin Popham, William Jenkins, Captain Thomas Baldwin, John Baldwin and Sarah Baldwin, with notes and William Jenkin's proposal (2 Feb 1824), 24 items  
1817-21 & 1824-33
- MS 43,425/ 12** Letters from Mary Popham, George Burchill, James Splaine, Joseph Stanley, Captain Arthur B. Bernard, Samuel Fowkes and George O'Connor concerning the lands of Tullyglass, with the petition of John Regan, 12 items  
1821-3, 1830 & 1835

*IV.iii.19.R(5) Bandon: Killowen*

- MS 43,426/ 1** Letters from Jeremiah Holland, James Barry, Captain Vignoles and Benjamin Currey regarding a farm held by Daniel and Denis Holland at Mawbeg, 7 items  
1835
- MS 43,426/ 2** Letters from Edmund Sweeny, Denis Hurley, Robert Popham, John

Swanston, Arthur Bernard, John Good and others concerning the lands of Mawbeg, with an estimate for building Robert Popham's house (Aug 1835), 16 items  
1830 & 1835

*IV.iii.19.R(6) Bandon: Kinneigh*

- MS 43,427/ 1** Letters from Martha Garde, Lieutenant Humphrey Moore and Dr. Jonathan Clerke concerning Mrs. Garde's house at Kilnecranagh, 15 items  
1818-29
- MS 43,427/ 2** Correspondence between William S. Curry, William Meade and the Hon. William Ponsonby concerning the lands of Teadies, with letters from John Hudson and associated papers, 23 items  
1820-2 [*Damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,427/ 3** Letter from Thomas Garde concerning the lands of Teadies, with a memorial, extracts from rentals and receipts (1801-16), 9 items  
1821
- MS 43,427/ 4** Correspondence between William S. Curry and Benjamin Horsford concerning the latter's holdings at Teadies, Tullyglass and Castlenalact, with a letter from John Swanston, a survey (1810), and statements on the matter, 13 items  
1810 & 1819-23

*IV.iii.19.R(7) Bandon West: Brinny*

- MS 43,428/ 1** Letters from Richard Popham and Robert H. Popham concerning regarding a farm at Moskeagh which was subsequently surrendered, with an account of Popham's experiences in Canada and the United States (1831) and his application for a holding on the Devonshire estate, 11 items  
1815-9 & 1831
- MS 43,428/ 2** Correspondence between William S. Curry, William Popham and Anne Popham concerning the lands of Kilmore, with petitions and memorials from tenants, accounts of arrears of rent, and a map by James Clerke, 25 items  
1818-35
- MS 43,428/ 3** Correspondence between William S. Curry, Robert H. Popham and John Swanston concerning arrears of rent for parts of the lands of Kilmore and Castlenacht, with plans and bills of costs for building work, notes, and accounts, 19 items

1824-33

**MS 43,428/ 4** Letters and papers concerning James White's holding at Castlelack (Castlenalact), with petitions, memorials statements, notices, and a copy lease (9 Sep 1826), 9 items  
1826-33

**MS 43,428/ 5** Letters from Cornelius Mahony concerning the lands of Castlenalact and his complaints against R.H. Popham, with two petitions, 9 items  
1834-5

*IV.iii.19.R(8) Bandon West: Ibane and Barrynoe*

**MS 43,429/ 1** Letters to William Ashby and William S. Curry from John O'Hea, Standish O'Hea, Martha O'Hea, Michael Galwey, James Barry, John Evans-Freke, 6<sup>th</sup> Baron Carbery and Benjamin Popham concerning the lands of Ahaglaslin (parish of Ralphbarry, Cork), with a map by George Sullivan (n.d.), 27 items  
1815-9

**MS 43,429/ 2** Letters to William S. Curry from Benjamin Popham, Michael Galwey, Boles Reeves, John Evans-Freke, 6<sup>th</sup> Baron Carbery, James Barry, John Swanston and Martha O'Hea concerning the lands of Ahaglaslin, with a report, map, memoranda, and a summons, 18 items  
1820-3

**MS 43,429/ 3** Correspondence between William S. Curry, John O'Hea and Michael Galwey concerning the lands of Ahaglaslin, 29 items  
1826-31

*IV.iii.19.R(9) Bandon West: Templemartin*

**MS 43,430/ 1** Letters from Benjamin Dowe, Benjamin Popham, John Swanston and Bradshaw Popham concerning Dowe's farm at Garrane and his charges against Bradshaw Popham, with anonymous letters making charges against Swanston and the Popham and Splaine families, 20 items  
1823

**MS 43,430/ 2** Letters and petitions from Richard Splaine, Jonathan Tanner, Mary Crowley and Florence Crowley concerning the Crowley's farm at Garrane, with a legal case for the advise and direction of William Waggert, 13 items  
1829

*IV.iii.19.R(10) Cork and Gillabbey*

- MS 43,431/ 1** Letters and proposals from Archdeacon W. Thompson concerning the lease of fields at Mardyke, near Cork, 10 items  
1822-6
- MS 43,431/ 2** Letters from Keefe O'Keefe (Crosses Green Distillery) concerning the lease of Camp Field, near Cork, and the state of repair of Gillabbey weir, 8 items  
1834-5
- MS 43,431/ 3** Letters from Benjamin Currey, Henry Witham, Thomas Seward, Carden Terry, William Taylor, Charles Beamish, James Denny and William Field concerning the sale of Gillabbey, with a schedule of properties for sale, and the legal opinion of Robert Walker, 21 items  
Dec 1834-May 1835
- MS 43,431/ 4** Letters from Benjamin Currey, Henry Witham, Benjamin Popham, Kilner Wood, Carden Terry, Daniel Clifford, Edmond Barry, John Lyons, and Keefe O'Keefe concerning the sale of Gillabbey, with schedules of properties for sale, and an abstract of title, 32 items  
Jun-Dec 1835 & 1836

*IV.iii.19.R(11) Mogeely*

- MS 43,432/ 1** Correspondence between William S. Curry and John Boyce concerning his holding at Kilmakoe, with a letter from Walter Giles, a map, and proposals for the land made by Thomas Boyce to Thomas Knowlton (1803), 22 items  
1803 & 1817-30
- MS 43,432/ 2** Letters from Thomas Boyce concerning his holding at Kilmakoe, with memoranda and a valuation of the land, 13 items  
1830-3
- MS 43,432/ 3** Letters from Robert Welsh and John Gleeson concerning the payment of rent for Welsh's holding at Mogeely, 14 items  
1817-23

*IV.iii.19.R(12) Youghal*

- MS 43,433/ 1** Letters from Nicholas Giles and Joseph Fisher concerning the lands of Greencloyne, with notes, memoranda, and instructions for giving possession of the land, 14 items  
1820-4

**MS 43,433/ 2** Letters from Samuel Hobson, John Hudson, Thomas Seward and Richard Fitzgerald concerning the lands of Muckridge, with memoranda and maps, 11 items  
1821-2

*IV.iii.19.R(13) Tipperary*

**MS 43,434/ 1** Letters and proposals from Edmund Scully, John Lane, James Sadleir, James Clark, Edward Godsell, Jonathan Shaughnessy, Maria Hoops, Alexander Anderson and William Delany concerning the letting of Gourtnalour and other Spittal Lands in County Tipperary, with notes, memoranda, and a memorial from Adam Hawthorne to William S. Curry, 36 items  
1817-26

**MS 43,434/ 2** Letters from Nicholas Sadleir, Richard Duckett, Edward Godsell, Richard Hoops, Maria Hoops, Ambrose Lane, James Sadleir, Alexander Anderson and Samuel Hoops concerning Gourtnalour, Brodeen and other Spittal Lands in County Tipperary, with notes and memoranda, 34 items  
1827-8

**MS 43,434/ 3** Letters from Samuel Hoops, J.W. Panton, James Sadleir, Henry Witham, William Reeves, Mary Heffernan, Richard Duckett, Charles Tuckey, concerning Spittal Lands in County Tipperary and the sale of Brodeen, with notes, memoranda, and an agreement to purchase from Timothy Carroll, Thomas Dunn and John Hayes (28 May 1830), 27 items  
1829-30

**MS 43,434/ 4** Letters from James Sadleir, Samuel Hoops, Nicholas Sadleir, Ambrose Lane, James Riordan, Robert Hoops and Maria Hoops concerning the sale of Spittal Lands in County Tipperary, with notes and a schedule of lands to be sold by auction, 28 items  
1831-7

*IV.iii.19.R(14) Dungarvan*

**MS 43,435/ 1** Letters from Samuel Penrose, Justin McSwiney, Richard Donovan, Thomas Biggs, Christopher Johnson, John Good, Samuel Dixon, Bartholomew Golding, Michael and William Wren, John Graves, Rowland Davies and others concerning the lands of Ballygaggin, 34 items  
1826-31

- MS 43,435/ 2** Letters and papers concerning the letting of the lands of Ballygaggin, correspondents include Horation Townsend, William Wren and Henry Witham, Charles Leslie, William Crawford, Richard Beamish, Lt. Colonel M. Beresford and Thomas Wise, with notes and a petition from William Wren to the Duke of Devonshire, 33 items  
1833-4
- MS 43,435/ 3** Letters and papers concerning the letting of the lands of Ballygaggin, correspondents include Francis Wise, Bartholomew Golding, Henry Andrews, William Uniacke, Michael Reardon and Pierce Cotter, with notes, memoranda, and printed circulars advertising improveable properties contiguous to the City of Cork, 28 items  
1835 & n.d.
- MS 43,435/ 4** Letters from James Keane, William Nugent and John Murray concerning the lands of Knockbrack, with a petition from James Keane, 5 items  
1827 [*One item damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,435/ 5** Letters and petitions from Michael O'Brien and Patrick O'Brien concerning their holdings at Lackenfune, 7 items  
1819
- MS 43,435/ 6** Letters from Thomas Maitland, John Drew Crocker and Francis and Richard Hanan concerning the lands of Loughnasollis, 6 items  
1817-8 [*Damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,435/ 7** Letters and papers concerning a scheme for the improvement of holdings on Slievegrine Mountain, correspondents include John Hudson, Thomas Seward, William Gregory (Under Secretary for Ireland) and Messrs. Farrers & Atkinson, with notes and memoranda, 20 items  
1818-23
- MS 43,435/ 8** Letters and papers concerning a scheme for the improvement of holdings on Slievegrine Mountain, correspondents include Patrick Delandre, H. Winston Barron, John Musgrave, Henry Villiers-Stuart, Sir William Homan and Benjamin Currey, with notes, a memorandum book, and a list of tenants registered on the Mountain, 34 items  
1824
- MS 43,435/ 9** Letters from John Hudson and Charles Maunsell concerning a

scheme for the improvement of holdings on Slievegrine Mountain, with a schedule of deeds and copies of the *Waterford Chronicle* (18 & 21 Mar 1826), 9 items  
1826

*IV.iii.19.R(15) Lismore*

- MS 43,436/ 1** Letters from Gervais Bushe, W. Poole, J.M. Galwey, and Rev. E. Condon concerning the lands of Ahenboy, with notes, memoranda, plans of buildings, receipts, and proposals, 50 items  
1829-39
- MS 43,436/ 2** Letters from Henry Stanistreet and Henry Witham concerning payments of rent for Stanistreet's house at Ballygalane, with notes, accounts, and a proposal (9 Sep 1816), 29 items  
1816-33
- MS 43,436/ 3** Correspondence between William S. Curry and A. Chearnley concerning a dispute over the mountain boundary between the lands of Ballygalane and Salterbridge, with maps, depositions, and statements, 16 items  
1818-20
- MS 43,436/ 4** Letters and papers concerning Mrs. Mary Power's holding at Ballygalane, with notes, accounts, and memoranda, 19 items  
1822-7
- MS 43,436/ 5** Letters and papers concerning the O'Gorman holding at Ballygalane with particular reference to the quarrying of slate, correspondents include Nicholas Purcell O'Gorman, Mary O'Gorman and Henry Witham, with notes, memoranda, and a statement of claims, 43 items  
1829-32
- MS 43,436/ 6** Letters from Mrs. C. Cameron and Mrs. Charlotte Scott concerning a fire at Dean Scott's home, Ballyin House, with statements from members of staff, 7 items  
1826
- MS 43,436/ 7** Petitions from tenants requesting plots of land on Ballyin Mountain, 20 items  
1832 [*Some items quite fragile*]
- MS 43,436/ 8** Correspondence between William S. Curry and Robert Warren Gumbleton and Rev. George Gumbleton concerning the lands of Deer Park, with letters from Messrs. Hemmis & Welstead, 16 items

1820-31

- MS 43,436/ 9** Letters from Robert Warren Gumbleton, Rev. George Gumbleton and John B. Gumbleton concerning the lands of Deer Park, the maintenance of the Deerpark wall, and the acquisition of a parcel of land at Mogeely, 29 items  
1820-32 [*Some items damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,436/ 10** Letters from John Hudson, Henry Hudson, Richard Hall, Richard White, Richard Parks and Michael Geary concerning the Hudson's farm at Monatrim, with notes and memoranda, 36 items  
1832-5
- MS 43,436/ 11** Correspondence between William S. Curry and Robert S. Bible concerning his lease of the lands of Monatrive, with letters from John Colville and R.F. Peard, memoranda, valuations, affidavits, agreements, and a surrender of the lease (4 Mar 1828), 32 items  
1818-28
- MS 43,436/ 12** Correspondence between William S. Curry and Thomas Foley concerning the lands of Tourtane, with letters from Benjamin Currey, and notes and memoranda, 20 items  
1824-32

*IV.iii.19.R(16) Tallow and Lisfinny*

- MS 43,437/ 1** Correspondence between William S. Curry, Captain Moses Dawson Carr and Sir James Abercromby concerning the lands of Killmore in Tallow Townlands, with memoranda, affidavits, statements, and a case on behalf of Captain Carr, 30 items  
1816-21
- MS 43,437/ 2** Correspondence between William S. Curry, John Newell, John Tobin and Arthur Kiely concerning the surrender of Keily's farm at Lisfinny, 7 items  
1821
- MS 43,437/ 3** Correspondence between William S. Curry and William Crawford concerning the disputed ownership of islands in the River Bride near Tallow Wharf, 12 items  
1825-32
- MS 43,437/ 4** Applications for farms at Moragh, Moneen and other locations on the Duke of Devonshire's Irish estates, applicants include Nathaniel Burchill, George Chinnery, Thomas Baldwin, James Splaine,



Edward O'Brien and George Stanley, 13 items  
1818-26 & 1835

***IV.iii.20 Francis Edmond Curry***

Francis Edmond Curry (1814-96) was the eldest son of William Samuel Curry, to whom he acted as assistant from 1837. He was head agent for the Lismore estate between 1839 and 1881 and briefly resumed the post during 1883 to 1885. He was a Cambridge-trained lawyer and served as a local magistrate and poor law guardian in County Waterford in addition to holding directorships and shareholdings in railway companies and other local enterprises. He was also a pioneer of the art of photography in Ireland.

IV.iii.20.A Cavendish Family

*IV.iii.20.A(1) William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire*

- MS 43,438/ 1** Correspondence with William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include the donation of paintings for Dungarvan Chapel and books for Lismore Cathedral, the design of tenants' houses, and arrangements for the Duke's visits to Lismore, 25 items  
1840-6
- MS 43,438/ 2** Correspondence with William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include the occupation of Lismore Castle by the military, the death of Benjamin Currey, and arrangements for the Duke's visits to Lismore, with enclosed letters from George Villiers, 4th Earl of Clarendon (Lord Lieutenant of Ireland) and Sir Duncan McGregor (Inspector General of Irish Constabulary) concerning Constable Samuel Murray, 19 items  
1848-50
- MS 43,438/ 3** Correspondence with William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include Francis E. Curry's visit to England, Joseph Paxton's escape from a fire on a railway journey, and the parliamentary election for Dungarvan, with a copy letter from Granville Leveson-Gower, 2nd Earl Granville concerning the parliamentary candidature of Charles Ponsonby, 24 items  
1851
- MS 43,438/ 4** Correspondence with William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include loaning of the Bishop's Crozier to exhibitions in Cork and Belfast, the County Cork and Dungarvan parliamentary elections, and the distribution of lithograph prints bearing the Duke's likeness, 25 items  
1852

- MS 43,438/ 5** Correspondence with William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include Francis E. Curry's photographs of Lismore Castle, books and paintings, requests for permission to fish and shoot at Lismore, game preservation, and various visitors to Lismore Castle, 22 items  
1853-7
- MS 43,438/ 6** Correspondence and papers concerning the presentation of addresses to Queen Victoria and the Marquis of Normanby (Lord Lieutenant of Ireland), correspondents include William Villiers-Stuart, Henry Villiers-Stuart, 1st Baron Stuart de Decies, John Hudson Patrick Hayden, Sir William Homan, William Moore and Francis E. Curry, with a copy of an address and newspaper cuttings, 21 items  
1839-40
- MS 43,438/ 7** Letters and papers concerning audiences with William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire and letters of condolence on his death, correspondents include Sir W.W. Becker, Richard Hudson, John Keily, J.B. Gumbleton, George Spencer Ridgeway, Lady Frances Parker, Rev. Francis Cradock and Major William Green, with newscuttings and a list of the gentry of Lismore (1839), 19 items  
1839-45 & 1858

*IV.iii.20.A(2) William Cavendish, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire*

- MS 43,439/ 1** Correspondence with William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include applications for subscriptions, the proposed sale of the Duke's property at Dungarvan and Youghal, the appointment of John R. Berwick as agent at Bandon, Lord Bandon's application for land at Coolfadda, Youghal Endowed School, and the Ballymodan churchyard memorial, 36 items  
1858
- MS 43,439/ 2** Letters from William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include the allocation of leases and church livings, subscriptions, Ballymodan Church, Bandon Gas Commissioners, hunting on the Bandon estate, the Cork and Bandon Railway, and parliamentary elections, 33 items  
Jan-Jun 1859
- MS 43,439/ 3** Correspondence with William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include the sale of the Tipperary and Dungarvan estates, requests for donations and subscriptions, estate accounts, leases and

- rents, and the purchase of a missing part of the Book of Lismore, 39 items  
Jul-Dec 1859
- MS 43,439/ 4** Correspondence with William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include applications for government posts, arrangements for the Duke's visit to Lismore, Bandon Town Hall, the Book of Lismore, academic research of the 'Lismore Papers', and Templemartin School, 25 items  
Jan-Jun 1860
- MS 43,439/ 5** Correspondence with William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include Lismore Races, the Book of Lismore, requests for donations and subscriptions, the estate accounts, the allocation of leases, and a proposed reformatory for Cork, 22 items  
Jul-Dec 1860
- MS 43,439/ 6** Correspondence with William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include the salmon fishery at Holker Hall, the Book of Lismore, requests for donations and subscriptions, Bandon Town Hall, and the Bandon and Kilmacsimon Tramway, 33 items  
Jan-Jun 1861
- MS 43,439/ 7** Correspondence with William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include the Fermoy and Derry Railway, proposals for the publication of the 1st Earl of Cork's diary and letters, arrangements for the collection of rents, and the result of the sale of the Dungarvan estate, 34 items  
Jul-Dec 1861
- MS 43,439/ 8** Letters from William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include visitors to Lismore Castle, a donation to Cork Cathedral, tenants' applications for rent reductions, Kinsalbeg Glebe House, and the appointment of a weighmaster at Dungarvan, 23 items  
Jan-Jul 1862
- MS 43,439/ 9** Correspondence with William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include photographs of Lismore Castle and the Bishop's Crozier, requests for donations and subscriptions, an address from the Duke's tenants at Tallow, and the circulation of agricultural papers, 22 items  
Aug-Dec 1862
- MS 43,439/ 10** Letters from William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include the parliamentary election for Bandon, Lord Hartington's subscription to the Kildare Street Club, payment of compensation

- for an injury to Sir John Keane, and letting of the Castle Farm, 28 items  
Jan-Jun 1863
- MS 43,439/ 11** Correspondence with William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include the Irish Fisheries Bill, the town rates of Lismore, Bandon Registry, mining trials on Dungarvan Strand, the Duke of Devonshire's visit to Lismore, photographs of the Bishop's Crozier, and reports on the Brotherhood of St Patrick, 27 items  
Jul-Dec 1863
- MS 43,439/ 12** Correspondence with William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include Ballymodan Church, the Blackwater Fishery Association, the cultivation of flax, the purchase of shares in the Clonmel and Fermoy Railway, the valuation of lots of the Ballysaggart estate, and requests for pensions, donations and patronage, 28 items  
Jan-May 1864
- MS 43,439/ 13** Letters from William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include the purchase of parts of the Ballysaggart estate, the Royal Agricultural Society's Cattle Show, Youghal Endowed School, cataloguing of the 1st Earl of Cork's diary and letters (17 Jun 1864: see NLI MS 12,813), fishing rights on the River Blackwater, and donations to schools and churches, 34 items  
Jun-Dec 1864
- MS 43,439/ 14** Correspondence with William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include the National Clerical Relief Fund, the parliamentary elections for Bandon and County Cork, a plan of Lismore Chapel, and requests for subscriptions, donations and patronage, 23 items  
Jan-Jul 1865
- MS 43,439/ 15** Correspondence with William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include an application for troops to be stationed in Lismore, Francis E. Curry's visit to Chatsworth, the Blackwater fishery cases, and requests for subscriptions, donations and patronage, 20 items  
Aug-Dec 1865
- MS 43,439/ 16** Letters from William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include the stationing of troops at Lismore, additional ground for Bandon Fair, proposals for the establishment of a corn market at Bandon, and requests for subscriptions and donations, 26 items  
Jan-Jul 1866
- MS 43,439/ 17** Letters from William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects

- include the receipt of a threatening letter, Lismore Endowed School, the parliamentary election for County Waterford, and the tenancy of the Castle Farm, 24 items  
Aug-Dec 1866
- MS 43,439/ 18** Correspondence with William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include Lismore Endowed School, the parliamentary election for County Cork, the Duke's proposed visit to Lismore and the removal of troops from town, and requests for subscriptions and donations, 20 items  
Jan-Apr 1867
- MS 43,439/ 19** Letters from William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include Lord Clanricarde's bill on Irish land tenure, the stationing of troops at Lismore, labourers' wages, complaints about Lismore Hotel, the Blackwater fishery cases, and requests for subscriptions and donations, 24 items  
May-Dec 1867
- MS 43,439/ 20** Letters from William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include the defence of police barracks, arrangements for the Duke's visit to Lismore, a site for Mogeely School, a fire at Lismore Castle, the Blackwater fishery appeals, Bandon Butter Market, the Liberal Registration Committee, and requests for subscriptions and donations, 31 items  
Jan-Jul 1868
- MS 43,439/ 21** Letters from William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include Lismore and Tallow Convents, the parliamentary election for County Cork and Youghal, Bandon Registration Fund, Youghal Endowed School, the prosecution of drift net fishing, Bandon Butter Market, and the withdrawal of troops from Lismore Castle, 26 items  
Aug-Dec 1868
- MS 43,439/ 22** Correspondence with William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include the continued presence of troops at Lismore, a site for Aghagohill School, applications and memorials from tenants, the visits of the Duke of Devonshire and HRH Prince Arthur (later 1st Duke of Connaught) to Lismore, the Irish Church Bill, a scheme for increasing voters on the Bandon Registry, and requests for subscriptions and donations, 34 items  
Jan-Jun 1869
- MS 43,439/ 23** Letters from William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include schools, church livings, increasing voters on the Bandon Registry, the Irish Church Bill, the trial of the River Blackwater

fishery case, a steamer line from Cork to Bristol, an application for troops to be stationed at Lismore, and requests for subscriptions and donations, 36 items

Jul-Dec 1869

- MS 43,439/ 24** Correspondence with William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include Munster Agricultural Model Farm at Ballygaggin, the sale of Mardyke Fields, the registration of vestrymen, proposed alterations to Lismore Cathedral, the tenancy of the Castle Farm, and requests for subscriptions and donations, with letters from J.R. Berwick, 35 items  
1870
- MS 43,439/ 25** Letters from William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include the sale of woodlands, presentments for a new bridge at Bandon, a proposal to search for coal near Lismore, a fire at Holker Hall, tramways for County Waterford, church affairs, and requests for subscriptions and donations, 26 items  
1871
- MS 43,439/ 26** Correspondence with William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include an anonymous letter concerning wages at Lismore, the Quinlan holding at Ballmodrana, the water supply to Lismore, compensation for church advowsons, the Presbyterians of Lismore, and requests for subscriptions and donations, 40 items  
1872
- MS 43,439/ 27** Letters from William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include a pension for Robert Baldwin, the purchase of Palace Anne, a proposed steamer line from Liverpool to Youghal, and Tallow water works, with enclosed letters from John R. Berwick, 25 items  
1873
- MS 43,439/ 28** Correspondence with William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include the storage of "old drawings" at Lismore Castle, estate accounts, the death of Sir Richard Musgrave, Ardmore Glebe, and a petition on behalf of Edward Condon, a political prisoner, with enclosed letters from John R. Berwick, 23 items  
1874
- MS 43,439/ 29** Letters from William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include Robert Power's replacement of John A. Baldwin in the estate office, the establishment of a frieze factory at Lismore, St. Patrick's Cathedral, Dublin, and requests for donations and subscriptions, with enclosed letters from John R. Berwick, 26 items  
1875

- MS 43,439/ 30** Letters from William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include the examination of the gardens at Lismore by Dr. David Moore, arrangements for the Duke's visit to Lismore, estate accounts, and requests for donations and subscriptions, 18 items  
1876
- MS 43,439/ 31** Letters from William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include the appointment of a lodge keeper at Lismore Castle, the publication of U.H. Hussey De Burgh's Landowners of Ireland, the Earl of Cork's monument at Youghal, plans for Lismore Cathedral, Tallow Glebe House, and requests for donations and patronage, 28 items  
1877
- MS 43,439/ 32** Correspondence with William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include Bandon Market House, estate and household accounts, the purchase of a copy of Sir James Ware's History of Ireland, Waterford Cathedral, subscriptions for a stained glass window for Conna Chapel, and a testimonial for a member of the Royal Irish Constabulary stationed at Bandon, 29 items  
1878
- MS 43,439/ 33** Correspondence with William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include the parliamentary election for County Cork, requests for access to the 'Lismore Papers', the Earl of Cork's monument in Youghal Church, the construction of a pier at Cappoquin, Henry VIII's Rosary, the Lismore College Medal, and a visit by the British Medical Association to Lismore, 31 items  
1879
- MS 43,439/ 34** Letters from William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include the state of Ireland, the dismissal and appointment of staff, Bandon Butter market, the Dungarvan, Lismore and Tallow Relief Funds, the endowment of St Finn Barr's Abbey, and granting a site for Templemartin Dispensary House, with enclosed letters from John R. Berwick, 23 items  
1880
- MS 43,439/ 35** Correspondence with William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include improvements to Ballynoe Chapel, Tallow Post Office, Ballymodan Glebe, Mogeely farm, the payment of rents, requests for donations and subscriptions, and the publication of the Earl of Cork's diary and papers by Rev. Alexander B. Grossart, 38 items  
1881-4

**MS 43,439/ 36** Letters from William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include the preparation and allocation of leases, the failure of the Munster Bank, the endowment of the Deanery of Lismore, and requests for donations and subscriptions, with enclosed letters from Messrs. Keily & Lloyd, 23 items  
1885

*IV.iii.20.A(3) Other Family Members*

**MS 43,440/ 1** Correspondence with Spencer Compton Cavendish, Marquess of Hartington (later 8th Duke of Devonshire), subjects include hunting at Bandon, the trial of the fishery cases, information about the Irish estate and Ulster 'tenant right', the parliamentary election for Youghal (1868), the publication of a New History of County Waterford, the Freemason's lodge at Lismore, and patronage matters, with additional letters from R.H. Hobart (Hartington's private secretary), 33 items  
1859 & 1865-83

**MS 43,440/ 2** Letters from Lady Louisa Cavendish (later Egerton), subjects include plans for a ball and industrial show at Lismore Castle, Mr. O'Regan's bankruptcy, fire damage to furniture at Lismore Castle, and a testimonial presented by the people of Bandon upon her marriage to Captain Francis Egerton, with enclosed letters from Dr. Browne, 22 items  
1863-9 & 1873-81

**MS 43,440/ 3** Letters from Lord Frederick Cavendish and Lord Edward Cavendish, subjects include the Fresh Provision Transit Company, permission for visitors to shoot and fish at Lismore, the death of Sir Richard Musgrave, and the position of crown prosecutor for West Cork, 6 items  
1866 & 1874-82

**MS 43,440/ 4** Letters from Charles Compton Cavendish MP (later 1st Baron Chesham), subjects include the Bandon and Cork & Youghal railways, the Blackwater navigation and subscriptions for various charities and the testimonial for Father Mathew, 51 items  
1841-8

*IV.iii.20.B Estate Auditors*

*IV.iii.20.B(1) Sir Joseph Paxton*



Sir Joseph Paxton (1803-65) acted as an adviser on estate matters to William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire until the Duke's death in 1858.

- MS 43,441/ 1** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Sir Joseph Paxton, subjects include plans for Lismore Castle gardens, models for chimney shafts, the engagement of gardeners, an application by Henry Prein for employment as an engineer, and alterations to Lismore Castle, including the installation of gas lighting, 28 items 1836-7 & 1841-52 [*Five items very damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,441/ 2** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Sir Joseph Paxton, subjects include the restoration of Lismore Bridge, photographs of Lismore Castle, visits to Lismore, alterations to Lismore Castle, the appointment of John Brown as clerk of works at Lismore Castle, and copy correspondence with William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire concerning Paxton's resignation, 26 items 1853-8 & 1863

*IV.iii.20.B(2) Benjamin Currey*

- MS 43,442/ 1** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Benjamin Currey, subjects include Henry Witham's affairs, the Kilmurry tithes memorial and petition to Parliament, the Youghal election petition, James Scott's application under the Irish Poor Law Bill, Dillon Croker's proposals relative to the weir at Lismore, and the Lismore salmon fishery, 27 items 1836-7 & Jan-May 1838 [*Most items very damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,442/ 2** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Benjamin Currey, subjects include Lismore salmon fishery, Kilmurry tithes, the visit of Lord and Lady Canning to Lismore, Dungarvan Bridge, the Irish Tithe Bill and correspondence with Lord Morpeth concerning applications for tithe arrears, and repairs to the Earl of Cork's monument in St. Patrick's Cathedral, 34 items May-Dec 1838 [*All items very damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,442/ 3** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Benjamin Currey, subjects include a subscription to the Roman Catholic Chapel at Lismore, loans to railway companies, resistance to the payment of tithe rentcharge in Ballymodan, Kilmichael and Inchygeelagh, the River Blackwater fishery, church livings, and tenants' requests for loans, 36 items Jan-Apr 1839
- MS 43,442/ 4** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Benjamin Currey,

subjects include the politics of Bandon and Youghal, a dispute between Thomas Seward and Benjamin Popham, a deputation from the merchants of Youghal, the registration of electors, press criticism of John Hudson as Seneschal of Dungarvan, and the renewal of leases in Youghal, 41 items  
May-Dec 1839

- MS 43,442/ 5** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Benjamin Currey, subjects include the endowment of Kilmurry, the sale of Rathoneigue, the payment of tithe rentcharge by Roman Catholic clergymen, a memorial from Richard and Susanna Popham concerning Moskeagh, the sale of tithe rentcharge, and a site for the National School at Glengarra, 33 items  
Jan-May 1840
- MS 43,442/ 6** Letters from Benjamin Currey, subjects include applications for various church livings and tenancies, a site for a masonic hall in Lismore, the Duke of Devonshire's visit to Lismore, the endowment of Kilmurry, and assistance for the Youghal Protestant Relief Society, 31 items  
Jun-Dec 1840
- MS 43,442/ 7** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Benjamin Currey, subjects include Rev. Francis Newport's resignation of Whitechurch parish, Bandon School, the ejection of William Popham from Kilmore, the Irish Registration Bill, a site for a Presbyterian Chapel at Dungarvan, and the parliamentary elections for Bandon, Dungarvan and Youghal, 27 items  
Jan-Jun 1841
- MS 43,442/ 8** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Benjamin Currey, subjects include the Youghal Harbour Bill, the duties of the Seneschal of Dungarvan, Henry Witham's ill health and relief from active duties, the Old Court House in Dungarvan, Youghal election expenses, and the mastership of Bandon School, 29 items  
Jul-Dec 1841 & 1842
- MS 43,442/ 9** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Benjamin Currey, subjects include the endowment of Kilmurry, the navigation of the River Blackwater, Bandon election accounts, the letting of Kilmore and West Carhoon, the Youghal election petition, proceedings against tithe rentcharge defaulters, arrangements for Henry Witham's pension, and a lease for Tallow Convent, 35 items  
Jan-May 1843
- MS 43,442/ 10** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Benjamin Currey,

subjects include policy towards Repeal meetings in Lismore and the general state of the country, the Irish estate accounts, tithe rentcharge arrears, subscriptions and loans, and proposals concerning Youghal Quay, 31 items  
Jun-Dec 1843

- MS 43,442/ 11** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Benjamin Currey, subjects include a site for a Protestant female school at Tallow, Colonel Jones's report on the Blackwater Navigation, the entrance to Youghal Church, Kilmurry endowment, assistance to the Cork Mechanics' Institute, a terminus for the Cork and Bandon Railway, Lismore fishery, and the Cork and Youghal Railway, 49 items  
1844 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,442/ 12** Letters from Benjamin Currey, subjects include the entrance to Youghal Church, the Cork and Bandon Railway Bill and a claim for compensation for Cook's Meadow, Arthur B. Bernard's holdings at Moragh and Teadies, the management of national schools, the Clonmel and Youghal Railway, and the renewal of leases, 36 items  
1845
- MS 43,442/ 13** Letters from Benjamin Currey, subjects include distress at Dungarvan and the provision of poor relief, the creation of employment at Tallow, proposals for a site for Cork College at Gillabbey, the enclosure of Youghal Slob, the quarter sessions at Youghal, Lismore Chapel and burial ground, subscriptions to relief funds, and the politics of Youghal and Dungravan, 39 items  
Jan-Jul 1846
- MS 43,442/ 14** Letters from Benjamin Currey, subjects include the Irish Fishery Bill, the Duke of Devonshire's visit to Germany, the enclosure of Youghal Slob, the Blackwater Navigation, Dungarvan Slob and the Conygar enclosure, the valuation of Cook's Meadow, and Dungarvan freeholders, 26 items  
Aug-Dec 1846 & 1848 [*Most items damaged, some very fragile*]

*IV.iii.20.B(3) William Currey*

- MS 43,443/ 1** Letters from William Currey, subjects include the Duke of Devonshire's visit to Lismore, leases for military barracks at Bandon and Lismore, the stationing of troops in Lismore Castle, Thomas Seward's accounts, the enclosure of Youghal Slob, Labouchere drainage, the Irish poor laws, sites for Roman Catholic chapels, Sir Richard Musgrave's encroachment on the Blackwater fishery, and the 'Young Ireland' insurrection, 51 items

1839-46 & Jan-Jul 1848

- MS 43,443/ 2** Letters from William Currey, subjects include the Irish Fishery Bill, the stationing of troops in Lismore, Thomas Seward's accounts, subscriptions for the repair of churches at Ballymodan and Kilbrogan, plans for the use of Chapel Island, Dungarvan fishery, the enclosure of Youghal Slob, and a deputation from the Duke of Devonshire's tenants at Bandon to request a reduction of rent, 45 items  
Aug-Dec 1848
- MS 43,443/ 3** Letters from William Currey, subjects include Labouchere drainage, the Irish Poor Law, proposals for a footbridge across the River Bandon, the parliamentary committee on Irish fisheries and a fishery bill, the Cork and Bandon Railway, the Blackwater Navigation, the letting of Chapel Island to Lord Berehaven, Youghal politics, and the church living of Dungarvan, 54 items  
Jan-May 1849
- MS 43,443/ 4** Letters from William Currey, subjects include the church livings of Dungarvan and Kinsalbeg, the Blackwater Navigation, the state of the country, repairs to Lismore Chapel, the ejection of William Popham from Kilmore Farm, the Duke of Devonshire's visit to Lismore, Ballymodan Church Building Committee, and repairs to the Glebe House at Dungarvan, 45 items  
Jun-Oct 1849
- MS 43,443/ 5** Letters from William Currey, subjects include the Duke of Devonshire's visit to Lismore, improvements to Lismore Castle, relations with the tenantry of Bandon and Dungarvan, Ballyvoile tithe rentcharge case, the church livings of Dungarvan and Kinsalbeg, the affairs of Arthur B. Bernard, and hunting at Bandon, 35 items  
Nov-Dec 1849
- MS 43,443/ 6** Letters from William Currey, subjects include Ballyvoile tithe rentcharge case, estate accounts, Arthur B. Bernard's holding at Moragh, Anstey's Fishery Bill, Youghal embankment, the Model Agricultural Farm at Ballygaggin, repairs to Lismore Chapel, the sale of the fee farm rent of Gillabbey, repairs to Youghal Endowed School, and Ballyin embankment, 43 items.  
Jan-May 1850
- MS 43,443/ 7** Letters from William Currey, subjects include the purchase of Gillabbey head rents, Lismore Chapel, Anstey's Fishery Bill, improvements to Lismore Castle, proceedings in the Encumbered

- Estates Court, Youghal embankment, the Duke of Devonshire's visit to Lismore, Kinslbeg Union, the Blackwater Fishery, Munster Agricultural Model Farm, and Dungarvan Glebe, 41 items  
Jun-Oct 1850
- MS 43,443/ 8** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and William Currey, subjects include Munster Agricultural Model Farm, the parliamentary election for Dungarvan, correspondence with the Bishop of Cashel and the Archbishop of Dublin respecting Kinslbeg Union, and the sea wall at Dungarvan, 24 items  
Nov-Dec 1850
- MS 43,443/ 9** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and William Currey, subjects include the protection of Dungarvan Glebe, correspondence with the Bishop of Cashel respecting Kinslbeg Union, the parliamentary election for Dungarvan, improvements to Lismore Castle, the purchase of Gillabbey head rents, Ballyvoile tithe rentcharge case, and the letting of Ballygaggin, 40 items  
Jan-Feb 1851
- MS 43,443/ 10** Letters from William Currey, subjects include the letting of Ballygaggin, Anstey's Fishery Bill, the parliamentary election for Dungarvan, rent allowances, Ballyvoile tithe rentcharge case, a site for Youghal workhouse, the redemption of Killavareilly by Dr. O'Neill, the purchase of Gillabbey head rents, the enclosure of Youghal Slob, and Tallow Newsroom, 43 items  
Mar-Apr 1851
- MS 43,443/ 11** Letters from William Currey, subjects include the admission of the public to Lismore Castle, Munster Agricultural Model Farm, the sale of small chief rents, Youghal politics, a report on the weirs and navigation of the River Blackwater, the enclosure of Youghal Slob, Gillabbey purchase money, and the Summary Jurisdiction (Ireland) Act, 25 items  
May-Sep 1851
- MS 43,443/ 12** Letters from William Currey, subjects include the enclosure of Youghal Slob, an agitation against the repayment of the annuities rate, returns of tenants, a proposal to establish flax and saw mills, the extent of the Duke of Devonshire's mineral rights at Carrigacatt and Milleen, the Catholic Defence Association, and draft leases for school sites, 28 items  
Oct-Dec 1851
- MS 43,443/ 13** Letters from William Currey, subjects include the enclosure of Youghal Slob, the signing of various deeds, a site for Roman

- Catholic Chapel at Bandon, Youghal Convent, the Irish Reform, Town Improvement and Fishery Bills, the deed of endowment of Villierstown Church, the Exhibition of Irish Industry at Cork, Tallow workhouse, and Sir William Homan's library, 37 items  
Jan-Apr 1852
- MS 43,443/ 14** Letters from William Currey, subjects include the retirement of George Ponsonby and the parliamentary elections for Dungarvan, Youghal and County Waterford, the Cork Bandon Railway, the Roman Catholic burial ground and chapel at Lismore, a fire at Lismore Castle, a reception for Isaac Butt MP in Youghal, and the Amateur Poultry Society of Lismore, 35 items  
May-Sep 1852
- MS 43,443/ 15** Letters from William Currey, subjects include Captain Frazer's report on the River Blackwater, an application for a living from Mr Bates, an extension to the Cork and Bandon Railway, gas fittings for Lismore Castle, the Landlord and Tenant Bill, the letting of Ballygaggin and Glenmouriskneen Farm, the Ballyvoile tithe rentcharge case, and the Cork and Youghal Railway, 36 items  
Oct-Dec 1852
- MS 43,443/ 16** Letters from William Currey, subjects include Lismore gas works, the Cork and Bandon Railway extension, the letting of Ballygaggin, Thomas Seward's accounts, the Landlord and Tenant Bill, the Irish Fishery Bill, a sea wall for Dungarvan Glebe, and rent allowances and remittances, 33 items  
Jan-Apr 1853
- MS 43,443/ 17** Letters from William Currey, subjects include the parliamentary election for Dungarvan, a sea wall for Dungarvan Glebe, investments in stock, estate accounts, the supply of Burlington slate, John Bennett's losses in the fire at Lismore Castle, Dungarvan Quays, and proposed railway schemes for County Waterford, 35 items  
May-Aug 1853
- MS 43,443/ 18** Letters from William Currey, subjects include the Cork and Youghal Railway, the Irish Drainage Act in relation to the enclosure of Youghal Slob, the removal of timber from Youghal Quay, the Kilkenny, Clonmel and Youghal Railway Committee, a dispute between Thomas Seward and Basil Orpin, flood damage to Lismore Bridge and the erection of a temporary replacement, income tax, and the collection of photographs, 42 items  
Sep-Dec 1853

- MS 43,443/ 19** Letters from William Currey, subjects include Ballyvoile tithe rentcharge case, Bandon gas subscriptions, the restoration of Youghal Church, the Town Improvement and Irish Fishery Bills, photographs of improvements to Lismore Castle, the appointment of Basil Orpin as law agent, the Dungarvan election petition, and subscriptions for Ballymodan Church, 46 items  
Jan-May 1854
- MS 43,443/ 20** Letters from William Currey, subjects include church livings, the Duke of Devonshire's illness, the appointment of a teacher at Lismore Male School, Dungarvan Quays, the Cork and Youghal Railway, photography, the lease of Kilpatrick, subscriptions for Killowen Church, the poultry show at Ballyin, and visitors to Lismore Castle, 45 items  
Jun-Aug 1854
- MS 43,443/ 21** Letters from William Currey, subjects include family matters, the Lords of the Treasury and the enclosure of Youghal Slob, directorships of the Cork and Youghal Railway, proposals for a society for the protection of the rights of conscience, gas subscriptions, the Patriotic Fund, the sale of Duckspool, and obtaining possession of Mothel Glebe, 37 items  
Sep-Dec 1854
- MS 43,443/ 22** Letters from William Currey, subjects include the death and will of Rev. W.G. Giles, the church living of Dungarvan, subscriptions to the Lismore and Tallow Relief Funds, the Endowed Schools Commission, Youghal Slob and the Board of Works, improvements to Lismore Castle, Lord Lismore and the parliamentary election for County Cork, and Dungarvan Glebe House, 39 items  
Jan-May 1855
- MS 43,443/ 23** Letters from William Currey, subjects include the maintenance of Dungarvan Glebe, correspondence with George Howard, 7th Earl of Carlisle (Lord Lieutenant of Ireland) concerning N. Wall and the Poor Law Commissioners, a visit by the Duke of Devonshire to Ireland, the execution of deeds, the restoration of the nave of Youghal Church, and proposals for gas lighting in Dungarvan, 31 items  
Jun-Sep 1855
- MS 43,443/ 24** Letters from William Currey, subjects include the sea wall at Dungarvan Glebe, Tallow Almshouses, subscriptions to Youghal Church and the Roman Catholic Chapel at Bandon, the payment of Rev. W. Hill's annuity, the letting of Ballygalane, proposals for mining iron ore near Tallow, correspondence with Sir James

- Abercromby, 1st Baron Dumfermline, and the Treasury's position on Youghal Slob, 36 items  
Oct-Dec 1855
- MS 43,443/ 25** Letters from William Currey, subjects include Youghal Convent, the appointment of a butter taster and weighmaster at Dungarvan, deeds concerning the sale of West Carbery lands (1729), the repair of Deer Park Wall, the reduction of Templequinlan tithe rentcharge, Ballymodan Church entrance, and the reconstruction of Lismore Bridge, 33 items  
Jan-Jul 1856
- MS 43,443/ 26** Letters from William Currey, subjects include the living of Dungarvan and meeting the expense of the sea wall, improvements to Lismore Castle, a subscription to the Irish National Gallery, the registries at Bandon, Dungarvan and Youghal, a new form of farm leases, almshouses, and the Tallow Trust Fund, 28 items  
Aug-Dec 1856
- MS 43,443/ 27** Letters from William Currey, subjects include Deer Park wall, Youghal life boat, the Castle Farm buildings, the letting of the Bride fishery, additional ground for Ballymodan Church, Youghal Slob, the parliamentary elections for Bandon, Youghal, Dungarvan and County Waterford, Dungarvan Gas Company, and an extension to the Cork and Bandon Railway, 48 items  
Jan-Mar 1857 [*Damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,443/ 28** Letters from William Currey, subjects include the parliamentary elections for Dungarvan and County Cork, the purchase of shares in the County Waterford Railway, a memorial from R.H. Popham, Youghal Endowed School, the Cork and Youghal Railway, a survey of the Duke of Devonshire's Irish estates, and various subscriptions and donations, 41 items  
Apr-Dec 1857 [*Damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,443/ 29** Letters from William Currey, subjects include Bandon Savings Bank, the death of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, surveys and reports on the Irish estates, the renewal of powers of attorney, Youghal Endowed School, the proposed sale of the Irish estates, the Cork and Youghal Railway, and accounts required for probate and succession duty, 50 items  
Jan-Jun 1858
- MS 43,443/ 30** Letters from William Currey, subjects include probate accounts and succession duty, the Bandon agency, Cork Corporation and the letting of Gillabbey weir, surveys, valuations and the sale of the



- Dungarvan and Youghal estates, Cork Infirmaries, Youghal Regatta, the payment of legal costs, and the Conygar embankment scheme, 49 items  
Jul-Dec 1858
- MS 43,443/ 31** Letters from William Currey, subjects include the appointment of a master at Youghal School, the Cork Infirmaries, the Dungarvan Harbour Embankment Bill, land required by the about Cork and Youghal Railway, the parliamentary election for Dungarvan and the candidature of Sir John Acton, and expenses incurred during the Duke of Devonshire's visit to Ireland, 37 items  
Jan-Jul 1859
- MS 43,443/ 32** Letters from William Currey, subjects include the removal of Basil Orpin as law agent, a proposed bridge across the Bandon River near Kinsale, compensation for the Cork and Youghal Railway, the proposed sale of the Dungarvan and Youghal estates, the Cork and Bandon Railway extension, Dungarvan military barracks, and the West Cork Railway, 32 items  
Aug-Dec 1859
- MS 43,443/ 33** Letters from William Currey, subjects include parliamentary notices concerning the West Cork Railway, the conveyance of the Tipperary estate to the trustees of Mr. Smyth Barry, succession duty accounts, a conveyance of land to the Cork and Youghal Railway, and the sale of the Dungarvan and Youghal estates (with a list of deeds and memorials sent to Francis Curry on 3 April 1860), 36 items  
Jan-May 1860
- MS 43,443/ 34** Letters from William Currey, subjects include land taken by the Cork and Youghal Railway, grants of a chapel and burial grounds at Abbeyside and Dungarvan, succession duty, John Brown's dealings with Messrs. Hogg & Perry, the sale of the Youghal estate, and proposals for a railway line from Fermoy to Lismore (with copy correspondence with William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire), 23 items  
Jun-Sep 1860
- MS 43,443/ 35** Letters from William Currey, subjects include proposals for the Fermoy and Dungarvan Railway, a conveyance of land to the Cork and Youghal Railway, proceedings in the Landed Estate Court, and an offer from David Leopold Lewis to purchase the Youghal estate for £60,000 (with copy correspondence with William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire), 23 items  
Oct-Dec 1860

- MS 43,443/ 36** Letters from William Currey, subjects include forms for rent receipts, succession duty, an indemnity deed for schools and almshouses, the water supply to Lismore, Youghal drainage charges, the sale of the Dungarvan estate, Bandon Savings Bank, and delays in the payment of purchase money for the Youghal estate and the consequent service of a conditional order on David Leopold Lewis, 32 items  
Jan-Jul 1861
- MS 43,443/ 37** Letters from William Currey, subjects include the transcription of the Earl of Cork's diary, the purchase of shares in the projected Fermoy and Dungarvan Railway, the lease of Dungarvan Glebe, the surrender of the lease of the Bandon Savings Bank, a deed of grant for the Glebe House at Lismore, and a draft lease for Enniskeane School, 22 items  
Aug-Dec 1861
- MS 43,443/ 38** Letters from William Currey, subjects include the sale of Youghal Strand to David Leopold Lewis, the payment of law costs, claims to wrecks of the sea in the barony of Imokilly, the Irish Fisheries Bill, the establishment of an oyster fishery at Dungarvan, a proposed railway line from Fermoy to Cappoquin, and income tax deductions on abatements of rents, 28 items  
1862
- MS 43,443/ 39** Letters from William Currey, subjects include claims to wrecks of the sea at Ballydehob, the parliamentary election for Bandon, the Dungarvan Harbour Bill, the Fermoy to Cappoquin railway scheme, Bandon politics, the Irish Fisheries Bill, Captain Frazer's report on the River Blackwater, the water supply to Lismore, and the purchase of shares in the West Cork Railway, 34 items  
1863
- MS 43,443/ 40** Letters from William Currey, subjects include a Committee of Inquiry into the Blackwater fishery, railway projects for County Waterford, the Fermoy and Clonmel Railway, the enclosure of Dungarvan Strand, the Cork and Youghal Railway, Youghal Bridge, searches for minerals near Tallow, and the development of oyster beds at Dungarvan, 44 items  
1864
- MS 43,443/ 41** Letters from William Currey, subjects include the Clonmel, Dungarvan and Lismore Railway Bill, oyster beds at Dungarvan, the West Cork Railway, the deeds of Bandon Town Hall and Mogeely Glebe, the parliamentary election for Bandon, negotiations with

- Lord Stuart de Decies over fishing rights, and the River Blackwater Navigation Bill, 26 items  
1865
- MS 43,443/ 42** Letters from William Currey, subjects include plans for financing the Clonmel and Lismore Railway, a mortgage for Coolfadda Mills, the position of the Church of Ireland, the Blackwater fishery, the Irish Land Tenure Bill, Tallow Market Place, suggestions concerning the re-purchase of Youghal Strands, and the general state of Ireland, 26 items  
1866
- MS 43,443/ 43** Letters from William Currey, subjects include the conduct of arbitration between the Duke of Devonshire and Lord Stuart de Decies over fishing rights on the River Blackwater, labourers' wages, the Fermoy railway project, and Dungarvan Harbour embankment, 17 items  
1867
- MS 43,443/ 44** Letters from William Currey, subjects include the Duke of Devonshire's proposed visit to Lismore, the Cork Improvement and Dungarvan Embankment Bills, the Clonmel, Dungarvan and Lismore and the Fermoy and Lismore railway projects, the Blackwater fishery cases, and the engagement of a lodge porter at Lismore Castle, 32 items  
1868
- MS 43,443/ 45** Letters from William Currey, subjects include the sale of chief rents, the payment of law costs, a mortgage for the sea wall at Dungarvan Glebe, the endowment of Kilmurry parish, proposals for a landing slip at Dungarvan, the engagement of a night watchman at Lismore, meetings on railway matters, and the operation of the Irish Land Act, 42 items  
1869-74
- MS 43,443/ 46** Letters from William Currey, subjects include proof of the Duke of Devonshire's title to estates in England, the execution of Irish leases, a dispute over legal fees, a lease for Bandon Savings Bank, the proposed sale of the Bandon estate, the retirement of Basil Orpin as law agent and the selection of his successors, with associated letters from William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire and Frederick A. Currey, 19 items  
1875-80

*IV.iii.20.B(4) Frederick Alfred Currey*

- MS 43,444/ 1** Letters from Frederick A. Currey, subjects include the erection of telegraph lines to Lismore, the purchase of Ballygaggin chief rents (with enclosed letters of Thomas Garde), Lord Hartington's Grand Jury Bill, the mortgage of Dungarvan Glebe, Irish horse breeding, the valuation of Lord De Clifford's estate in County Mayo, bills of legal costs, and the receipt of remittances, 24 items  
1871-7
- MS 43,444/ 2** Letters from Frederick A. Currey, subjects include expenditure on Lismore Cathedral, the state of works at the Mahon viaduct, a grant for Tallow Glebe, the retirement of Basil Orpin, the settlement of bills of legal costs, and the receipt of remittances and other financial transactions, 21 items  
1878-9
- MS 43,444/ 3** Letters from Frederick A. Currey, subjects include Tallow Glebe, the transfer of the custody of the Duke of Devonshire's deeds to Messrs. Keily and Lloyd, the payment of succession duty on expired drainage costs, the settlement of Basil Orpin's bills of legal costs, and the receipt of remittances and other financial transactions, 34 items  
1880-1
- MS 43,444/ 4** Letters from Frederick A. Currey, subjects include proposals concerning Henry Villiers-Stuart's fishing rights, the result of the River Blackwater fishery case, the death of Basil Orpin and the settlement of his bills of legal costs, the death of Alexander Swanston, and the receipt of remittances, 22 items  
1882-3
- MS 43,444/ 5** Correspondence with Frederick A. Currey, subjects include the Bill of Peace between Henry Villiers-Stuart and the Duke of Devonshire over fishing rights, the endowment of Youghal School, the employment of a shorthand writer, proposals for a light railway between Mitchelstown and Fermoy, tithe rentcharge, and the receipt of remittances, 31 items  
Jan-Apr 1884
- MS 43,444/ 6** Letters from Frederick A. Currey, subjects include the employment of a shorthand writer, the endowment of Youghal School, legal costs of the River Blackwater fishery case, mail trains at Mallow, proposals for a railway line from Fermoy to Cork, agitations for the abatement of rent at Tallow and Lismore, and the receipt of remittances, 35 items

May-Dec 1884

**MS 43,444/ 7** Letters from Frederick A. Currey, subjects include the proposed direct railway between Cork and Fermoy, an inquiry by the Fishery Committee of the House of Commons into Lismore weir gap, rent allowances, a combination against the payment of rent at Kinnataloon, and the receipt of remittances, 46 items  
1885

**MS 43,444/ 8** Letters from Charles Herbert Currey and G. Noble, subjects include the purchase of Alexander Swanston's property at Bandon, the proposed railway from Fermoy to Cork, labourers' cottages, financial transactions, requests for leases and deeds, the probate of the will of Richard Boyle, 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington (6 Mar 1750) and his marriage settlement (18 Mar 1720), 22 items  
1871-8 & 1882-5

IV.iii.20.C Estate Agents and Sub-Agents

*IV.iii.20.C(1) William Samuel Curry*

**MS 43,445/ 1** Letters from William S. Curry concerning estate matters, 2 items  
1840

**MS 43,445/ 2** Letters from Henry Witham, subjects include proposed plans for deepening the Bandon River and erecting weirs, the boundary between Bishopstown and Ballyanchor, compensation for Robert Venn as weighmaster of butter, and the execution of leases and ejectments, 16 items  
1839-42

**MS 43,445/ 3** Letters from John Hudson, subjects include Dungarvan Newsroom, the death of William Nugent, the Duke of Devonshire's visit to Dungarvan (Nov 1840), and the underletting of Nicholas Land at Youghal, 8 items  
1839-44

*IV.iii.20.C(2) Alexander Swanston*

Alexander Swanston (1809-82) succeeded his father, John Swanston, as sub-agent for the Bandon estate in 1838. He held the position until 1858, when he resigned following a dispute with his employer over his trusteeship of his brother's estate in England. He was active in politics and later sat as Liberal MP for Bandon between 1874 and 1880.

**MS 43,446/ 1** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include a patent for the

- prevention of dry rot, Dawson's farm at Moneen, repairs to streets and roads, Bandon electoral districts, the election of ex-officio poor law guardians, the payment of tithe rentcharge, a site for a work house in Bandon, and the payment of subscriptions to the Bandon Gas Commissioners, 29 items  
1838-9
- MS 43,446/ 2** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include proposals for deepening the Bandon River, Bandon Newsroom, schools on the Bandon estate, arrangements for farms at Kilbarry and Scariff, the registration of freeholders, the boundaries of Palace Anne, the valuation of Killowen and the payment of rent arrears, and tithe rentcharge, 50 items  
1840
- MS 43,446/ 3** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include Arthur B. Bernard's holdings at Teadies and Morragh and the sale of his stock at Palace Anne, maps of Bandon Town and of lands out of lease on the Bandon estate, costs for deepening the Bandon River, trammel fishing, a presentment for a new road from Enniskeane to Castletown, and a meeting of Conservatives at Youghal, 37 items  
Jan-Jun 1841
- MS 43,446/ 4** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include the distraint of Arthur B. Bernard's cattle at Teadies, the lease of Barrett's Hill House, the planting of trees at Scartnamuck and Castlenalact, the registration of electors in Bandon, proposals for the establishment of a corn market in Bandon, Enniskeane Infant School, and repairs to Bandon School House, 45 items  
Jul-Dec 1841
- MS 43,446/ 5** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include the holding of monthly fairs at Bandon, proceedings against tithe rentcharge defaulters, the lease of Barrett's Hill House, quarrying at Gillabbey, Bandon ship canal, R.H. Popham's account, Coolfadda Manor, the pound keeper at Enniskeane, and the sale of the Carleton estate at Inchnegelagh, 50 items  
1842-9 [*Three items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,446/ 6** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include the Bandon election account, Gillabbey fishery, the auditing of accounts, R.H. Popham's rent arrears and the ejection of overholding tenants at Kilmore, the deed of endowment for Kilmurry, a site for Killowen School, and the limits of the Bandon fishery, 47 items  
Jan-May 1843

- MS 43,446/ 7** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include the repossession of R.H. Popham's farm at Kilmore, the payment of rent and of tithe rentcharge, a repeal meeting at Bandon, the leases of Kilmurry Glebe, the Pipe Water Works at Gillabbey and Bandon Court House, Gillabbey weir, tree planting at Bandon, and a request for the stationing of additional troops in Bandon, 66 items  
Jun-Dec 1843
- MS 43,446/ 8** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include the effect of steamboat traffic on salmon fisheries, the leases of Skiddies Castle and Bandon Court House, proposals for Kilmurry Glebe, the repossession of land at Little Silver, Kilbrogan fire engine, Bandon Fishery Association, poor law electoral divisions, and the lease of the Pipe Water Works, 42 items  
Jan-May 1844
- MS 43,446/ 9** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include the Bandon canal scheme, the Devon Commission, the execution of the deed of endowment for Kilmurry and the lease of the Pipe Water Works, the proposed railway from Bandon to Cork, the registration of leaseholders, proceedings against tithe rentcharge defaulters, and the letting of farms at Teadies and Moragh, 53 items  
Jun-Dec 1844
- MS 43,446/ 10** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include Kilmurry Glebe, the parliamentary election for County Cork, the Bandon and Cork railway, the letting of farms at Teadies and Moragh, the prosecution of Christopher Tanner for sending a threatening letter, and Swanston's evidence before the Devon Commission, 31 items  
Jan-Mar 1845
- MS 43,446/ 11** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include Arthur Burchill's farm at Kilnacranagh, a dispute between Thomas Seward and Benjamin Popham, the appointment of a seneschal at Enniskeane, the Bandon Railway Bill, the Ballinghassig affray, the prosecution of William Popham for graffing without leave, and the Landlord and Tenant Compensation Bill, 29 items  
Apr-Aug 1845
- MS 43,446/ 12** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include the purchase of land by the Cork and Bandon Railway and the extension of the line to Bantry, the valuation of Cook's Meadow, the Cork, Macroom and Ballincollig Railway, tree planting, arrears of rent at Cloghane (Usher v. Scalan), and a site for a new college at Gillabbey, 29 items  
Sep-Dec 1845

- MS 43,446/ 13** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include a claim for compensation for Cook's Meadow, a site for Cork College at Gillabbey, the Bandon, Bantry and Cork railway projects, deeds of the sale of West Carbery, Ballymodan Church, the formation of poor relief committees at Bandon, and John Baldwin's farm at Tullyglass, 43 items  
Jan-Jul 1846
- MS 43,446/ 14** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include Youghal politics and the registration of voters, Kilmichael Relief Fund, a dispute between farmers and labourers at Kilnecranagh, compensation for Cook's Meadow, distress in Bandon, Swanston's visit to Ballydehob, the Cork and Bandon Railway, and relief and drainage works, 32 items  
Aug-Sep 1846
- MS 43,446/ 15** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include a proposed road through Moneen, the Labouchere drainage scheme, the engagement of a steward and bailiff for the Bandon estate, quarrying at Gillabbey, rent allowances, reductions of rentcharge, relief committees, presentment sessions and public works, 26 items  
Oct-Dec 1846
- MS 43,446/ 16** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include ejectments and the sale of tenants' interests in their holdings, the state of repair of Barrett's Hill House, aid for the construction of Killowen Glebe House, Kilmurry Relief Fund, Cork Soup Fund, relief works in Bandon and neighbouring areas, land for the Cork and Bandon Railway, and the death of Benjamin Popham, 28 items  
Jan-May 1847 [*Some items fragile & damaged*]
- MS 43,446/ 17** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include Killowen Glebe, voluntary subscriptions for outdoor relief, Bandon politics, the parliamentary election for County Cork, arrangements concerning the late Benjamin Popham's affairs, an outbreak of fever at Bandon, and subscriptions to Bandon Dispensary, 19 items  
Jun-Sep 1847
- MS 43,446/ 18** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include Benjamin Popham's farm at Kilnecnady and the purchase of his interest in Coolfadda House, a flax meeting at Bandon, Ballymodan Church, employment in Kilmurry parish, the lease of Chapel Island, and the purchase of Cook's Meadow by the Cork and Bandon Railway, 29 items  
Oct-Dec 1847



- MS 43,446/ 19** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include the sale of Coolfadda, Lismore Hotel, the management of Bandon poor house, Thomas Seward's accounts, the letting of Skiddies Castle, Kilmurry Glebe, an application for a site for a Roman Catholic Chapel at Ballymodan, and an ejectment against Walter Baldwin at Kilnegnady, 33 items  
Jan-May 1848 [*One item fragile & damaged*]
- MS 43,446/ 20** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include Kilmurry and Killowen Glebes, a dispute over law costs concerning Thomas Seward and Benjamin Popham, the receipt of a threatening letter, the disposal of Regina Popham's interest in Coolfadda House, queries from the Poor Law Boundary Commissioners, and the state of the country regarding the threat of rebellion, 30 items  
Jun-Jul 1848
- MS 43,446/ 21** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include the Young Ireland rebellion, potato disease, the Bandon and Cork Railway, the state of the corn crop, a subscription for Father Mathew, Thomas Seward's accounts and bills of law costs, Kilmurry Glebe, the letting of woodlands at Kilpatrick, and the lease of Gillabbey, 27 items  
Aug-Oct 1848
- MS 43,446/ 22** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include the repossession of Chapel Island, a dispute with Thomas J. Biggs over the farm at Phinnis, the settlement of the law costs of Thomas Seward and Benjamin Popham, and a meeting of the tenantry of the Duke of Devonshire about a reduction of rent and charges at Bandon market for weighing potatoes and turnips, 36 items  
Nov-Dec 1848
- MS 43,446/ 23** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include a proposed footbridge at Bandon (with plan), the Coolfadda Road, the settlement of Thomas Seward's accounts, the letting of Barrett's Hill House, the Irish poor law, the planting of Chapel Island, and quarrying at Gillabbey, 30 items  
Jan-Feb 1849 [*All items fragile & damaged*]
- MS 43,446/ 24** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include presentments for a footbridge at Bandon, the surrender of Cook's Meadow, a site for a school at Killowen, the management of Bandon workhouse, Laragh Farm, rent arrears and allowances, turnip seed, and the ejectment of William Popham from Kilmore, 45 items  
Mar-May 1849 [*All items fragile & damaged*]

- MS 43,446/ 25** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include cholera in Bandon, potato disease, Chapel Island, Gillabbey quarry, Kilmurry and Killowen Glebes, ejectments at Enniskeane, Tullyglass and Teadies and Bandon workhouse, 32 items  
Jun-Aug 1849 [*All items fragile & damaged*]
- MS 43,446/ 26** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include the letting of Coolfadda and Kilmore Farm, Thomas J. Biggs's surrender of the farm at Phinnis, the Boundary Commission and Bandon Union, proposals for a corn market at Bandon, and a site for a Roman Catholic chapel at Bandon, 26 items  
Sep-Oct 1849 [*Most items fragile & damaged*]
- MS 43,446/ 27** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include the felling of trees at Gillabbey, the letting of Arthur B. Bernard's farm at Moragh, Mr. Biggs's weir in the Bandon River, and observations on requests for a corn market at Bandon, 34 items  
Nov-Dec 1849 [*Fragile & damaged*]
- MS 43,446/ 28** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include poor law proceedings, Bandon Corn Market, rent allowances for tenants in arrears, the letting of Moragh, Mawmore and various other lands, Jacob Biggs's weir at Bandon, the service of ejectments, drainage, shares in the Cork and Bandon Railway, and Bandon Newsroom, 59 items  
Jan-Mar 1850
- MS 43,446/ 29** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include the assignment of Gillabbey, an application from the Munster Agricultural School of Industry for Ballygaggin as a model farm, deeds relating to the sale of the Earl of Cork and Burlington's lands (1737-8), the lease of Enniskeane Mill, the ejectment of tenants from Little Silver, and various sales in the Incumbered Estates Court, 57 items  
Apr-Jun 1850
- MS 43,446/ 30** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include the sale of the Beecher estate at Ballydehob in the Incumbered Estates Court and the reservation of the Duke of Devonshire's manorial and mineral rights, the allocation of shares in the Cork and Bandon Railway, proposals for Little Silver and the Hornibrook holding at Callatrim, and the constabulary barracks at Bandon, 57 items  
Jul-Sep 1850
- MS 43,446/ 31** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include the Munster Agricultural Model Farm at Ballygaggin, the letting of Little Silver,

the inspection of mineral districts, the conveyance of lands to the Cork and Bandon Railway, the sale of Gillabbey, Kinsalbeg Union, and the payment of rent by Bandon tenants, 61 items  
Oct-Dec 1850

**MS 43,446/ 32** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include the preparation of the lease of Ballygaggin, the purchase of Gillabbey head rents, a meeting on flax cultivation at Bandon and a deed of conveyance to the Cork and Bandon Railway, with a report on the state of Carhoon School and a list of children on the roll, 27 items  
Jan 1851

**MS 43,446/ 33** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include the transfer of Thomas Hornibrook's farm at Callatrim, the purchase of Gillabbey head rents, observations on law costs, the Munster Agricultural Model Farm, Killowen and Carhoon Schools, sales in the Incumbered Estates Court, and the Act of Parliament obtained for the sale of the Earl of Cork and Burlington's lands in 1738, 38 items  
Feb-Mar 1851

**MS 43,446/ 34** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Alexander Swanston, subjects include the surrender of Cook's Meadow, rent allowances, Swanston's accounts, Bandon Poor Law Union, the Improvement of Towns Bill, the sale of Gillabbey and the purchase of the head rents, and the Munster Agricultural Model Farm at Ballygaggin, 45 items  
Apr-Jul 1851

**MS 43,446/ 35** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Alexander Swanston, subjects include the purchase of Gillabbey head rents, potato disease, the Cork and Bandon Railway, the Munster Agricultural Model Farm at Ballygaggin, notices to quit and civil bill ejectments, the establishment of a flax manufactory, and the sale of Arthur B. Bernard's estate in the Incumbered Estates Court, 34 items  
Aug-Sep 1851

**MS 43,446/ 36** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include the sale of Farranasheskery[?] mill and weir, rent allowances, the Munster Agricultural Model Farm at Ballygaggin, the conveyance of Derrygariffe Farm, a memorial for the establishment of a corn market in Bandon, and an ejectment against William Pope of Castle Street, Bandon, 37 items  
Oct-Nov 1851

**MS 43,446/ 37** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include the Munster Agricultural Model Farm at Ballygaggin, a notice from the Commissioners of Fisheries concerning weirs on the River Lee,

sending trees and shrubs from Cook's Meadow, Gillabbey weir, James Splaine's holding at Gurrane, the Duke of Devonshire's mineral rights, and Bandon markets, 36 items  
Nov-Dec 1851

**MS 43,446/ 38** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include the agreement for Ballygaggin, proposals for a new bridge at Lismore, proceedings in the Incumbered Estates Court, a search for minerals on the Devonshire estates, the felling of trees at Mishells, the effects of floods at Cork and Bandon, the lease and rates of Ballygaggin, the Cork and Bandon Railway extension, the ejection of Sunday's Well weir, and various financial transactions, 83 items  
4 Jan 1852 & 1853

**MS 43,446/ 39** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include the collection of income tax, the payment of gas subscriptions, rent for Ballygaggin, the sale of land at Ballymodan, the repair of Gillabbey weir, encroachments on the Bandon fishery, the O'Keefe holding at Gillabbey, the sale of Tullyglass, and circulars concerning the burning of land, 38 items  
Jan-May 1854 [*Some items fragile & damaged*]

**MS 43,446/ 40** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include Kilbrogan School, deductions of income tax on poor rates and tithe rentcharge, the lease of Kilpatrick, a meeting of shareholders in the Cork and Bandon Railway, the Cork and Youghal Railway, the purchase of gas stoves, a donation for Kinneigh Church, and rent receipts and remittances, 37 items  
Jun-Dec 1854 [*Some items fragile & damaged*]

**MS 43,446/ 41** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include Templequinlan tithe rentcharge, the death of Arthur B. Bernard and the continuance of his annuity, the inspection of Youghal Slob, income tax reductions, poor relief in Bandon, Bandon Endowed School, the purchase of East Gully, gas consumption in Bandon, and a threshing machine at Laragh, 36 items  
Jan-Jun 1855

**MS 43,446/ 42** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include the lease of Carhoon School, the sale of the estate of W.H. Baldwin, tithe composition on Kilmurry parish, Cork Ragged School, the Roman Catholic Chapel at Bandon, tree planting and cutting, Kilmichael and Enniskeane Schools, Youghal Slob, and various financial transactions, 42 items  
Jul-Dec 1855

- MS 43,446/ 43** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include damage to Lismore Bridge, the sale of the estate of W. Carbery, leases for various schools, proposals for a road through Lord Bandon's park, agricultural buildings at Ballygaggin, Youghal Slob, Ballymodan Church, Templequinlan tithe rentcharge, subscriptions, and remittances, 42 items  
Jan-Jun 1856
- MS 43,446/ 44** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include the Great Western and Southern Railway and railways in County Waterford, sites for National Schools at Bandon, Brinny and Templemartin, the Cork and Youghal Railway, meetings concerning Youghal Slob, the Bandon and Bantry Railway extension, Bandon politics, and various financial transactions, 45 items  
Jul-Dec 1856
- MS 43,446/ 45** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include Youghal Slob, a site for a school at Brinny, the letting of Gillabbey Weir, building allowances, the parliamentary elections for Bandon, Dungarvan and County Cork, the Cork and Bandon Railway extension, law costs, and various other financial transactions, 42 items  
Jan-Mar 1857
- MS 43,446/ 46** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include ejectments at Gillabbey, the parliamentary elections for Bandon, Dungarvan and County Cork, Kilbrogan Church, the Chapel of Ease in Youghal, the Cork and Bandon Railway extension, claims to wrecks of the sea, proposals for a model national school in Bandon, and Killowen Glebe, 34 items  
Apr-Jul 1857
- MS 43,446/ 47** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include the re-letting of Gillabbey, Coolfadda Mills, the Cork and Bandon Railway extension, flooding in Bandon, the Cork and Youghal Railway, Bandon Model National School, subscriptions for a school in Kilmurry parish, the sale of Colonel Mair's estate, and various financial transactions, 31 items  
Aug-Dec 1857
- MS 43,446/ 48** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include Bandon Savings Bank, the death of the Duke of Devonshire and succession duty, Coolfadda water course and the sale of Colonel Mair's estate, the proposed sale of parts of the Irish estate, proposals for Gillabbey weir, estate accounts, and various financial transactions, 32 items  
Jan-Apr 1858

- MS 43,446/ 49** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include accounts for probate duty, Cork Corporation and the water works at Gillabbey weir, an inspection of the Duke of Devonshire's Irish estates, the sale of Colonel Mair's estate, Templemartin School, Swanston's successor as agent at Bandon, and various financial transactions, 37 items  
May-Aug 1858
- MS 43,446/ 50** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include the Ballygaggin county cess case, applications for the Bandon agency, the Pipe Water Works at Gillabbey, income tax on Swanston's lands at Coolfadda, Thomas Hornibrook's farm at Kilpatrick, the Ballymodan Church memorial, remittances, and other financial transactions, 29 items  
Sep-Dec 1858
- MS 43,446/ 51** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include the Pipe Water Works at Gillabbey Weir, the Cork and Bandon Railway, Bandon Town Commissioners and a memorial concerning gas subscriptions, applications to hold markets and fairs in Bandon, Ballymodan Church, and the letting of premises in South Main Street and Castle Street, Bandon, 25 items  
1859
- MS 43,446/ 52** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include a site for Bandon Town Hall, West Cork Railway, the sale of the Youghal estate, railway projects in County Waterford, Bandon street money, Kilbrogan and Ballymodan Schools, the limits of Gillabbey fishery, the establishment of monthly fairs at Bandon, and the purchase of Cook's Meadow near Bandon, 33 items  
1860-5
- MS 43,446/ 53** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include the West Cork Railway, Kilbrogan School, Mardyke Walk and the Cork Improvement Bill, the trustees of the Bandon Coal Fund, R.H. Popham and his father's former holding at Kilmore, Griffith's valuation, the lease of woodlands at Kilpatrick, and the Lismore and Fermoy Railway, 24 items  
1866-74
- MS 43,446/ 54** Letters from Alexander Swanston MP, subjects include the purchase of Cook's Meadow, tithe rentcharge for Brinny parish, land and prison legislation for Ireland, a resolution of the Liberal Committee at Bandon, Cork and Fermoy Direct Railway, the parliamentary elections for Bandon and County Waterford, Clancoole quarry, and Bandon School, 31 items

1875-80

*IV.iii.20.C(3) John R. Berwick*

John Berwick served as sub-agent for the Bandon estate from 1858.

- MS 43,447/ 1** Letters from John R. Berwick (Coolfadda House, Bandon), subjects include the enclosure of Mardyke Fields, Kilbrogan fire engine house, the Duke of Devonshire's visit to Bandon, subscriptions for a harmonium for Inchegeelagh Church, the letting of Ballygaggin, and complaints about hunting at Bandon, 48 items  
1858-9
- MS 43,447/ 2** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include succession duty returns, Bandon Roman Catholic Chapel, the West Cork Railway, proposals for a new Town Hall for Bandon, and repairs to tenants' houses in Bandon, with a sketch map of Cavendish Quay, Bandon, 39 items  
Jan-Mar 1860
- MS 43,447/ 3** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include proposed sites for Bandon Town Hall, prospective tenants for Gillabbey weir, Cork Corporation Water Works, the West Cork Railway, railings for Ballymodan and Kilbrogan Churches, and various financial transactions, 48 items  
Apr-Dec 1860
- MS 43,447/ 4** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include the Munster Flax Improvement Society, Bandon Town Hall, tithe rentcharge for Templequinlan, proposals for a tramway from Bandon to Kilmacsimon, building applications, the collection of rent, and the preparation of leases, 36 items  
Feb-Jul 1861
- MS 43,447/ 5** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include the Kilmacsimon Tramway, improvements to Enniskeane School, Bandon Town Hall, Cork Sailor's House, Bandon Farming Society, the preparation of leases for Enniskeane, and various financial transactions, 31 items  
Jul-Dec 1861
- MS 43,447/ 6** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include Kilmacsimon tramway, Cork Cathedral, the supply of poles for electric telegraph posts, an invitation to serve on the Grand Jury, Bandon Town Hall, Brinny School, the recovery of rent arrears, and the calculation of rent allowances, 46 items  
Jan-May 1862

- MS 43,447/ 7** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include the surrender of Samuel Hornibrook's farm at Callatrim, the disposal of land at Teadies, Mishells and Kilnecranagh, the opening of Bandon Town Hall, and a report of work executed on the Bandon Estate from 1 January 1862, 53 items  
May-Dec 1862
- MS 43,447/ 8** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include the transfer of Samuel Hornibrook's farm at Callatrim, the disposal of Philip Splaine's farm at Aghayohill, Bandon politics, the death of Colonel Henry Bernard, and the parliamentary election for Bandon, 31 items  
Jan-Apr 1863
- MS 43,447/ 9** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include the West Cork Railway, Ballymodan fire engine house, Bandon politics, arrangements for the Duke of Devonshire's visit to Bandon, and the disposal of two farms at Kilpatrick taken by William Shaw in trust for Rev. Samuel Shaw, 38 items  
May-Nov 1863
- MS 43,447/ 10** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include the Tract Shop at Bandon, Kilmurry Glebe House, Ballymodan Church, the preparation of leases, and financial matters, 27 items  
1864
- MS 43,447/ 11** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include the employment of a night porter at Lismore Castle, shooting at Bandon, donations to Upton Reformatory, the lease of Barrett's Hill House, Castlenacht school house, and various financial transactions, 43 items  
1865
- MS 43,447/ 12** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include the water works at Sunday's Well in Cork, cattle plague and the cattle disease bill, Wellington Bridge in Cork, Bandon Corn Market, the Hornibrook holding, the Shotten family holding at Mallowgeaton, and the registry sessions at Bandon, 42 items  
1866
- MS 43,447/ 13** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include Bandon Coal Fund, the preparation of a lease for Skiddies Castle, Cork, proposals to build a second bridge at Bandon, Ballymodan Church, the stationing of troops at Bandon, and financial matters, 29 items  
Jan-Mar 1867
- MS 43,447/ 14** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include the proposed bridge



- at Bandon, the Grand Jury Bill, the lease for Skiddies Castle, the distribution of timber to tenants, the tenure of Kilbrogan School, and the letting of various lands and houses, 32 items  
Apr-Dec 1867
- MS 43,447/ 15** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include the tail race at Coolfadda Mills, Bandon fishery bye-laws, Mardyke Walk, the Bandon Town Hall debt, building allowances, the Cork Corporation (Improvement) Bill, and the proposed disenfranchisement of Bandon, 47 items  
Jan-Apr 1868
- MS 43,447/ 16** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include the proposed butter market at Bandon, the lease of Enniskeane Mills, the construction of a Glebe House at Ballymodan, a site for the Munster Bank, the registration of voters, and the loss of Berwick's brother and sister in the *Irish Mail* train disaster at Abergele in North Wales (20 Aug 1868), 41 items  
May-Dec 1868
- MS 43,447/ 17** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include a fishery meeting at Cork, rent allowances and remittances, a site for the Munster Bank, the election of poor law guardians, subscriptions for Bandon Agricultural Society, and Bandon Races, 38 items  
Jan-Jun 1869
- MS 43,447/ 18** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include the sale of Gillabbey, the registration of voters, subscriptions for Bandon Cricket Club, Bandon fishery bye-laws, Bandon Cattle Show, Ulster tenant right, building applications, and the renewal of leases, 48 items  
Jul-Dec 1869
- MS 43,447/ 19** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include a site for a Wesleyan Chapel at Templemartin and other church matters, Mardyke Walk, the lease of woodlands at Kilpatrick, a draft conveyance for Gillabbey, Kinsale Harbour bill, applications for leases, and remittances, 66 items  
1870
- MS 43,447/ 20** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include subscriptions for Bandon Races, Bandon annual ball, Abraham Stanley's lease of premises in Bandon, the proposed union of Kilbrogan and Killowen parishes, the liquidation of rentcharge, remittances, and other financial transactions, 42 items  
1871

- MS 43,447/ 21** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include subscriptions to Inchnegeelagh and Kilmichael church funds and other church affairs, W.C. Sullivan's bankruptcy, rent receipts, accounts, and remittances, 17 items  
1872
- MS 43,447/ 22** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include subscriptions to Newcestown Roman Catholic Chapel (with a return of tenants who attended there), the purchase of glebe land near Bandon, the letting of farms, and the return of remittances, 22 items  
1873
- MS 43,447/ 23** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include the watercourse at Kilbarry, quarrying on Emma Hornibrook's land at Callatrim, Honora Murphy's will, Bandon Catholic Association, Bandon accounts, and the sending of orders and remittances, 20 items  
1874
- MS 43,447/ 24** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include Kilmurry Glebe House, Innishannon Chapel, a site for the Munster Bank in Bandon, tithe rentcharge of Brinny parish, the preparation of leases and ejectments, and the return of remittances, 40 items  
1875
- MS 43,447/ 25** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include premises for the Freemason's Lodge in Bandon, St Joachim's and St Anne's Asylum, Cork, the sale of Daniel Desmond's farm at Mishells, the preparation of leases and accounts, and the return of remittances, 35 items  
1876
- MS 43,447/ 26** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include the registration of voters, premises for the Catholic Young Men's Association, the Hornibrook family's lease of Callatrim, the rentcharge of Templequinlan parish, a lease for the Bank of Ireland, the fixing of rent days, and the renewal of leases, 53 items  
1878
- MS 43,447/ 27** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include Bandon Bridewell, poor relief, the Roman Catholic Chapel at Bandon, the disposal of farms, ejectments, rent receipts and allowances, and the return of orders and remittances, 39 items  
1879
- MS 43,447/ 28** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include a site for a

- dispensary in Templemartin, Bandon Town Commissioners, drainage works, fish dealers, rent receipts and allowances, the preparation of leases, and the return of remittances, 28 items  
1880
- MS 43,447/ 29** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include a proposed bridge at Enniskeane, Kilbrogan parochial fund, Ballymodan Glebe, the consolidation of holdings on the Bandon estate (with a return of amalgamated farms), and the state of Bandon remittances, 29 items  
1881
- MS 43,447/ 30** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include cases before the Land Commission, Bandon water works, the Sweeny family, building applications, the Bandon fishery case, rent receipts and allowances, and financial transactions, 27 items  
Jan-Aug 1883
- MS 43,447/ 31** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include repairs to houses in Bandon, the sale of the late Alexander Swanston's Bandon estate, the water supply at Bandon, Lord Rossmore, and the Bandon and Kilmacsimon Tramway, 29 items  
Aug-Dec 1883
- MS 43,447/ 32** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include the repair of Templemartin Church, subscriptions to the Carbery Hunt, the Bandon and Timoleague Tramway inquiry, Bandon Christmas Coal Fund, the Land Commission, and the appointment of Roman Catholic magistrates for Bandon, 39 items  
Jan-Apr 1884
- MS 43,447/ 33** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include building applications, Maskelyne Gash's loan from the Board of Works, plans for labourers' cottages, urban leaseholders' rents, the preparation of leases, and financial transactions, 38 items  
May-Jul 1884
- MS 43,447/ 34** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include the sale of Philip Splaine's farm, rent allowances, the Land Commission, the sale of Innisling Abbey, the preparation of leases, repairs to houses in Bandon, and the Labourers (Ireland) Act, with newspaper cuttings, 53 items  
Aug-Dec 1884
- MS 43,447/ 35** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include judicial rents, subscriptions to Bandon Football Club, the sale of tithe rentcharge, the Redistribution Act, Bandon Christmas Coal Fund, and the

surrender of farms, 44 items  
Jan-Mar 1885

**MS 43,447/ 36** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include the construction of labourers' cottages, the Land Commission and the fixing of rents, the lease of Enniskeane School, rent abatements, and judicial leases, 38 items  
Apr-May 1885

**MS 43,447/ 37** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include judicial rents and leases, the water supply at Bandon, the construction of labourers' cottages, the ejection of Rev. G.T. Hamilton, improvements to Brinny Church, and the failure of the Munster Bank, 44 items  
Jun-Oct 1885

*IV.iii.20.C(4) James Byrne*

James Byrne was bailiff for the Dungarvan estate from 1844.

**MS 43,448/ 1** Letters from James Byrne, subjects include the construction of his house at Abbeyside, repairs to tenants' houses, and the registration of voters in Dungarvan, 33 items  
1840-4 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]

**MS 43,448/ 2** Letters from James Byrne, subjects include the complaints of Dungarvan fishermen, the collection of rents, reports on the cholera epidemic, and the office of butter weighmaster, 38 items  
1845-6

**MS 43,448/ 3** Letters from James Byrne, subjects include the construction of his house at Abbeyside, the complaints of Dungarvan fishermen, the collection of rents, reports on the cholera epidemic, and the office of butter weighmaster, 52 items  
1847-9

**MS 43,448/ 4** Letters from James Byrne, subjects include the registration of voters, repairs to houses, the state of Dungarvan Quays, the arrangement of tenancies and collection of rents, and the parliamentary election for Dungarvan, 80 items  
1850-2

**MS 43,448/ 5** Letters from James Byrne, subjects include the Dungarvan election petition (1853), matters relating to tenancies and the maintenance of houses, the registration of freeholders, the sale of B. Boate's property at Abbeyside, and a memorial for a site for a town hall, 81 items

1853-8

- MS 43,448/ 6** Letters from James Byrne concerning surveyance and valuation of the Duke of Devonshire's property in Dungarvan and Youghal in preparation for its sale in the Landed Estates Court, and negotiations for the sale of the County Tipperary property, with reports and trace maps, 48 items  
1859
- MS 43,448/ 7** Letters from James Byrne concerning the sale of the Dungarvan, Youghal and County Tipperary estates, with accounts and trace maps, 37 items  
1860-2
- MS 43,448/ 8** Letters from James Byrne, subjects include the sale of wreck timber at Dungarvan, the erection of telegraph posts, the establishment of oyster fisheries, the removal of a jetty at Abbeyside, proposals for the embankment of Conygar, and trespass on the causeway of Dungarvan Bridge, 39 items  
1862-71

*IV.iii.20.C(5) Robert Baldwin*

Robert Baldwin was the bailiff for the Youghal estate from 1852 to 1860.

- MS 43,449/ 1** Letters from Robert Baldwin, subjects include his appointment to succeed John Ward as warden of the College of Youghal, quarrying at Old North Mill, the disposal of land adjoining the Chapel of Ease, and the letting of various properties to tenants, 61 items  
1852-4
- MS 43,449/ 2** Letters from Robert Baldwin, subjects include the improvement of bathing facilities at Youghal Strand, the postmastership of Youghal, the proposed road from the new Cork Road to Cork Lane, Youghal, drainage at Clay Castle, and the letting of various properties to tenants, 35 items  
1855
- MS 43,449/ 3** Letters from Robert Baldwin, subjects include the management of Youghal Endowed School, roads from the old and new Cork Roads into Youghal, freemasonry in Youghal, a site for a new national school, and the letting of various properties to tenants, 30 items  
1856
- MS 43,449/ 4** Letters from Robert Baldwin, subjects include an excavation in

- Youghal Churchyard, inquiries concerning Youghal Slob, the Mall House, constabulary barracks, repairs to Youghal Church, the redemption of Dr. Roger's land, and the letting of various properties to tenants, 45 items  
1857
- MS 43,449/ 5** Letters from Robert Baldwin, subjects include Youghal Endowed School, charges made against Baldwin by Messrs. O'Keefe and Beck, tenants in default of rent, applications for the Mall House, and the letting of various properties to tenants, 34 items  
Jan-Jun 1858
- MS 43,449/ 6** Letters from Robert Baldwin, subjects include small tenants' houses in Cork Lane and Hudson's Lane, Youghal Regatta, arrangements as to the Mall House, the removal of gravel from Youghal Strand, claims for compensation for Cork and Youghal Railway, and the provision of "public necessities" in Youghal, 40 items  
Jul-Dec 1858
- MS 43,449/ 7** Letters from Robert Baldwin, subjects include repairs to Youghal Endowed School, awards of compensation for Cork and Youghal Railway, the removal of gravel from Youghal Strand, tenants' applications, Youghal parliamentary election, and the visit of Isaac Butt MP to the town, 28 items  
Jan-May 1859
- MS 43,449/ 8** Letters from Robert Baldwin, subjects include the grazing of cattle on Youghal Slob (with public notice), Youghal gas works, awards of compensation for Cork and Youghal Railway, Arnold Wrinkle's holding, and the letting of various properties to tenants, 40 items  
Jun-Dec 1859
- MS 43,449/ 9** Letters from Robert Baldwin, subjects include the collection of rents, repairs to Moore's Hotel, the renewal of leases, tenants and properties in Cork Lane, additional land for the gas works, and proposals for a steam packet for the River Blackwater, 35 items  
Jan-Jun 1860
- MS 43,449/ 10** Letters from Robert Baldwin, subjects include quayage for steamers, Youghal Newsroom, ground for the gas works, the preparation of leases, and repairs to properties, with a return of receipts for sand taken at Youghal Strand, 23 items  
Jul-Nov 1860 & 1862

IV.iii.20.D Law Agents

- MS 43,450/ 1** Correspondence with Benjamin Popham concerning his differences with Thomas Seward, with letters concerning Arthur B. Bernard's holdings at Teadies and Morragh, and petty sessions business, 18 items  
1839-42 & 1848
- MS 43,450/ 2** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include the election of freemen at Youghal, Ballyvoile and other tithe rentcharge cases, the payment of rent for Mardyke Fields (*Usher v. Scanlan*), the death of Henry Witham, and various bills of costs, 28 items  
1839-42 [*One item damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,450/ 3** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include Ballyvoile, Stradbally, Inchygeelagh and other tithe rentcharge cases, the deed of endowment for Kilmurry, the preparation of leases and lease stamps, Dungarvan Harbour dues, and rent receipts, 35 items  
1843 [*One item damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,450/ 4** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include Ballyvoile and other rentcharge cases, an interview with the Bishop of Cork concerning the deed of endowment for Kilmurry, the renewal of the leases of Sobieski Kildahl and Major Peard, and the deeds of Seward's land at Youghal, 31 items  
1844
- MS 43,450/ 5** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include the ejectments of Maurice Collins from Curryheen and John Barry from Glanreigh, the preparation and renewal of leases, the Ballyvoile rentcharge case, deeds of the Heathcote property, and various bills of costs, 27 items  
1845-7
- MS 43,450/ 6** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include the renewal of leases, the payment of rentcharge, land at Ardnasack, and the conveyance of land to the Cork and Bandon Railway and bills of costs, with letters from Anne Seward concerning papers relating to Arnold Wrinkle's holding at Youghal and her late husband's accounts with Basil Orpin, 30 items  
1848-51 & 1860 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,450/ 7** Letters from Edward Callaghan, subjects include rentcharge cases against defaulters at Ballyvoile, Ballycullane East and various other places, the deed of endowment for Kilmurry, and O'Donnell's trusts, 16 items

1842-5 & 1856

- MS 43,450/ 8** Letters concerning the professional standing and character of Basil Orpin (solicitor), correspondents include Walter Berwick, 7 items 1845 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,450/ 9** Letters from Basil Orpin, subjects include Ballyvoile and various other rentcharge cases, the Cork and Bandon Railway, stamp duty on leases for bargain and sale, the Dublin and Drogheda Railway, purchase money for the site of a lighthouse at Youghal, and various bills of costs, 39 items 1845-9 [*Two items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,450/ 10** Letters from Basil Orpin, subjects include Ballyvoile and various other rentcharge cases, the sale of the estate of Lord Shannon and other estates in the Incumbered Estates Court, and the reservation of the Duke of Devonshire's royalties and minerals rights in lands sold, 53 items Jan-Jun 1850
- MS 43,450/ 11** Letters from Basil Orpin, subjects include the prosecution of seine net fishing in the River Blackwater, claimants to the Dukedom of Devonshire (with newspaper cutting), the protection of manorial rights, the sale of estates in the Incumbered Estates Court, and the Ballyvoile rentcharge case (Devonshire v. Henry Denny), 37 items Jul-Aug 1850
- MS 43,450/ 12** Letters from Basil Orpin and Edward Callaghan, subjects include Irish salmon fisheries, the sale of estates in the Incumbered Estates Court, payments of tithe rentcharge, the River Blackwater fishery case, the lease of Ballygaggin to the trustees of the Munster Agricultural Model Farm, and the Ballyvoile rentcharge case, 39 items Sep-Dec 1850
- MS 43,450/ 13** Letters from Basil Orpin, subjects include the sale of the estate of Robert Power Ronayne and other estates in the Incumbered Estates Court, the Ballyvoile rentcharge case, and bills of costs between Orpin and Thomas Seward, 42 items Mar-Aug 1851
- MS 43,450/ 14** Letters from Basil Orpin, subjects include the deed of purchase for Gillabbey, the sale of the estate of Arthur B. Bernard and other estates in the Incumbered Estates Court, the payment of tithe rentcharge by defaulters, Tallow Trust Fund, and various bills of costs, 40 items



Aug-Dec 1851, 1854 & 1856

- MS 43,450/ 15** Letters from Basil Orpin, subjects include the sale of the Dungarvan, Youghal and County Tipperary estates, ejectments at Killavareilly and Garrycaheragh, Arnold Wrinkle's holding at Youghal, and the sale of Lackengariff, 42 items  
Jan 1860
- MS 43,450/ 16** Letters from Basil Orpin, subjects include the sale of the Dungarvan, Youghal and County Tipperary estates, ejectment at Killavareilly and the redemption of Garrycaheragh, the sale of Lackengariff, and accounts between Orpin and Thomas Seward, 41 items  
Feb-Mar 1860
- MS 43,450/ 17** Letters from Basil Orpin, subjects include the sale of the Dungarvan, Youghal and County Tipperary estates, and the redemption of Garrycaheragh, 40 items  
Apr 1860
- MS 43,450/ 18** Letters from Basil Orpin and George Lacey, subjects include the sale of the Dungarvan, Youghal and County Tipperary estates, the redemption of Garrycaheragh, an ejectment at Ballyleagne, the lease of Whitebog, and the sale of land to the Cork and Youghal Railway, 47 items  
May-Jul 1860
- MS 43,450/ 19** Letters from Basil Orpin and George Lacey, subjects include the sale of the Dungarvan and Youghal estates, an ejectment at Ballyleagne, the conveyance of Kilronan Glebe, Bandon Endowed School, and the redemption of Killavareilly, 57 items  
Aug-Dec 1860
- MS 43,450/ 20** Letters from Basil Orpin and George Lacey concerning the sale of the Dungarvan and Youghal estates, and the conveyance of Ballyclemanacy to Thomas Seward, 38 items  
Jan-Mar 1861 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,450/ 21** Letters from Basil Orpin, subjects include the sale of the Dungarvan and Youghal estates, and Cork and Youghal Railway arbitration costs, 43 items  
Apr-May 1861
- MS 43,450/ 22** Letters from Basil Orpin, subjects include the sale of the Dungarvan and Youghal estates, and a conditional order of attachment served on David Leopold Lewis for the non-payment of the purchase

- money for Youghal, 21 items  
Jun-Jul 1861 [*One item damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,450/ 23** Letters from Basil Orpin and George Lacey, subjects include the sale of the Dungarvan and Youghal estates, the lease of Bandon School ground, the draft lease for Enniskeane School, and a grant for Lismore Glebe House, 33 items  
Aug-Dec 1861 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,450/ 24** Letters from Basil Orpin and George Lacey, subjects include subjects include the sale of the Dungarvan and Youghal estates, the purchase of land by the Cork and Youghal Railway, the sale of Clancy's Lot, a grant for Lismore Glebe House, and the Down Survey of Imokilly, 39 items  
Jan-May 1862
- MS 43,450/ 25** Letters from Basil Orpin and George Lacey, subjects include Lismore Glebe grant, the rent of Garrycaheragh, the applotment book of Kilrossanty, the lease of Enniskeane School, and an inquiry into the Duke of Devonshire's claim to wrecks of the sea at Dungarvan, Youghal and Ballydehob Manor, 35 items  
Jun-Dec 1862
- MS 43,450/ 26** Letters from Basil Orpin, subjects include the purchase of the Ussher estate at Ballysaggartmore, the sale of Dungarvan Strand, the deeds of Ballydehob, the River Blackwater fishery, and the proceedings of the Fishery Commissioners, 47 items  
1863 [*Some items fragile*]
- MS 43,450/ 27** Letters from Basil Orpin, subjects include the valuation and purchase of the Ussher estate at Ballysaggartmore, the River Blackwater fishery, and the rental of Youghal, with a trace map of the lots at Ballysaggartmore, 28 items  
1864
- MS 43,450/ 28** Letters from Basil Orpin, subjects include oyster licences at Dungarvan, Smyth's estate at Youghal, Tallow Mills, Power's estate at Dungarvan, the Rectory at Rathcormack, and bills of general legal costs, 27 items  
1865-7
- MS 43,450/ 29** Letters from Basil Orpin concerning the sale of the estate of David Leopold Lewis, including Youghal Strand and fishery, which had been purchased from the Duke of Devonshire in 1862, 13 items  
1866-9

- MS 43,450/ 30** Letters from Basil Orpin, subjects include the River Blackwater and River Bandon fishery inquiries and legal cases, arbitration with Lord Stuart de Decies over fishing rights, the sale of the estates of David Leopold Lewis and Henry Gumbleton, and various bills of costs, 42 items  
Jan-May 1868
- MS 43,450/ 31** Letters from Basil Orpin, subjects include the River Blackwater and River Lee fishery inquiries and legal cases, the sale of Catherine Dower's estate at Tinniscart, arbitration with Lord Stuart de Decies over fishing rights, and the grant of Ballynoe Chapel, 41 items  
Jun-Aug 1868
- MS 43,450/ 32** Letters from Basil Orpin, subjects include consultations with counsel on the fishery cases, legal actions against drift net fishing, the bankruptcy of Dennis McDonald, the rentcharge of Whitechurch parish, and the Lismore and Fermoy Railway, 39 items  
Sep-Dec 1868
- MS 43,450/ 33** Letters from Basil Orpin, subjects include Dungarvan quit rents, leases for Ahern and Knockmealdown police barracks, the boundaries of the manors of Lismore and Cappoquin, the sale of John O'Keefe's estate, the dispensary doctor at Ballyduff, and various bills of costs, 50 items  
1869-71
- MS 43,450/ 34** Letters from Basil Orpin concerning the sale of Dungarvan Strand and the associated rentcharges and royalties paid to the Marquess of Waterford, with letters from William Currey, Frederick A. Currey, G. Noble and P. McSwiney, 27 items  
1871-3
- MS 43,450/ 35** Letters from Basil Orpin concerning the preparation of new forms of leases in accordance with the Land Act of 1870, with letters from William Currey and J.R. Berwick, 25 items  
1871-5
- MS 43,450/ 36** Letters from Basil Orpin, subjects include the sale of Inislingy and Cloghane, Lismore Fair, Kilmurry endowment, a mortgage for repairs and alterations to Lismore Cathedral, Pierce Cotter's claim on the tenancy of Rathdrum, the sale of Dower's estate at Tinniscart, and cleaning the watercourse at Ballysaggartmore (*Devonshire v. Woodrooffe*), 37 items  
1872-4
- MS 43,450/ 37** Letters from Basil Orpin concerning the purchase of the interest of

- Mrs. Power and Mr. Cliffe in the Dean's Glebe at Lismore, with particular reference to premises in Church Lane, including letters from William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire and William Currey, 38 items  
1873-5
- MS 43,450/ 38** Letters from Basil Orpin concerning the sale of the estate of Henry Anthony in Tallow, 13 items  
1874-6
- MS 43,450/ 39** Letters from Basil Orpin and P. McSwiney, subjects include the sale of Gillabbey, Tallow and Kilwatermoy Glebe House, a legal dispute over Lyreacollee (Byrne v. Byrne), Lismore Fair, the purchase of premises in Church Lane, Lismore, the execution of leases, and various bills of costs, 49 items  
1875-7
- MS 43,450/ 40** Letters from Basil Orpin, subjects include Kilgobinet Glebe, a legal dispute over timber (Duke v. J. Owen) and Basil Orpin's retirement, with letters from John Orpin concerning outstanding legal accounts between the Duke of Devonshire and his late uncle, 28 items  
1878-84
- MS 43,450/ 41** Copy letter book containing letters from Francis E. Curry to Thomas Seward and Basil Orpin regarding legal matters, 1 item  
1848-50
- MS 43,450/ 42** Letters from Messrs. Keily and Lloyd, subjects include their assumption of the Duke of Devonshire's legal business, the purchase of premises in Church Lane, arrears of rent for Mogeely Farm (Devonshire v. Cunningham), ejectments against Mr. Power at Kilavareilly and Mr. O'Keefe at Bouladurragh, and accounts of costs, 19 items  
1879-82
- MS 43,450/ 43** Letters from Messrs. Keily and Lloyd, subjects include the ejectment of Mrs. Cunningham from Mogeely Farm, and the transfer of the title deeds of Henry Villiers-Stuart from London to Dublin and his claims to fishing rights on the River Blackwater, with a copy of the decree of the Master of the Rolls (6 Aug 1883), 31 items  
1883
- MS 43,450/ 44** Letters from Messrs. Keily and Lloyd, subjects include proceedings against Jasper D. Pyne and others for the recovery of rent, a writ of injunction concerning weirs on the River Blackwater, the

preparation of new lease forms, proceedings against fishermen at Youghal, Henry Villiers-Stuart's 'Bill of Peace', and Mogeely Farm, 36 items  
Jan-Apr 1884

**MS 43,450/ 45** Letters from Messrs. Keily and Lloyd, subjects include Mogeely Farm, the return of documents used in the fishery trials, the drafting of judicial lease forms, arrears of rentcharge due by Anthony Fitzgerald, and Mr. Moore Smyth's claim on Ballinatray fishery, 35 items  
Apr-Dec 1884

**MS 43,450/ 46** Letters from Messrs. Keily and Lloyd, subjects include the recovery of rent arrears for Ballygalane (*Devonshire v. O'Donnell*), Deer Park (*Devonshire v. Pope*), and from Captain George Gyles, title deeds received from Basil Orpin's office, and bills of costs, 29 items  
1885

#### IV.iii.20.E Principal Correspondents

**MS 43,451/ 1** Correspondence with George Howard, 7th Earl of Carlisle (Lord Lieutenant of Ireland), subjects include parliamentary elections in the counties Cork and Waterford, Lismore Post Office, and the solicitation of Curry's opinion of Rev. Loftus Fitzgerald and Dr. Nugent, 22 items  
1855-63

**MS 43,451/ 2** Correspondence with Rev. M. Sheehan, subjects include repairs to his house and drainage of his holding, the building of a gaol, court house and convent in Youghal, the lease of land in South Abbey, and requests for a site for building a chapel of ease, 38 items  
1843-55 [*Some items fragile*]

**MS 43,451/ 3** Correspondence with Rev. P.W. Drew and Rev. Francis Craddock, subjects include the sale of armour, rent and tithe rentcharge payments, the presentation of a memorial to the Lord Lieutenant, and the purchase of larch trees, 27 items  
1847-56

**MS 43,451/ 4** Correspondence with Sir Charles Shaw and Thomas Keane concerning a dispute over liability for rentcharge on land in the the parish of Ballymacart between Lord Stuart de Decies and Sir Winston H. Barron, with letters from the disputants, 15 items  
1848-50

- MS 43,451/ 5** Correspondence with Dr R.H. Rogers concerning his taking fields at Collectors Land, payments of rent for his house in South Abbey, and an application for a garden in Devonshire Place and the redemption of his lands in Youghal, with letters from Henry Long and John C. Browne, 36 items  
1851-66
- MS 43,451/ 6** Letters from Henry Bryen, subjects include parliamentary elections for Youghal (1847 & 1852), the collection and payment of rent from the Shambles and Primate Boyle's House in Youghal, and the payment of poor rates, 32 items  
1837-52
- MS 43,451/ 7** Letters from Frederick Curry, Henry Curry and Scott Curry, subjects include a copperizing process for timber, plans for the entrance to the cemetery at Lismore, the lease of Laragh National School, and the Society for Protecting the Rights of Conscience, 12 items  
1840, 1848-9 & 1854
- MS 43,451/ 8** Letters from Henry Villiers-Stuart, 1st Baron Stuart de Decies, Cornelius O'Callaghan, 1st Viscount Lismore, Ulick de Burgh, 1st Marquess of Clanricarde, Lady Granville, Sir John Keane and Lady Humble, subjects include petty and presentment sessions, and government and other appointments, 17 items  
1838-84

IV.iii.20.F General Correspondence

- MS 43,452/ 1** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including William Lame, R. Mortimer, Thomas Lee, Townsend Richard Keily, Ellen Duggan, Jonathan Tanner, Margaret Desmond, James Barry, H.B. Bernard and G.W. Melleford, 48 items  
1838-9
- MS 43,452/ 2** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including James Splaine, Mary Cox, Rev. T.M. Haynes, Walter John Carew, James McCarthy, Robert Croker, Rev. George Gumbleton, James Blackall, William Deeble, Henry Beecher and William Teape, 40 items  
1840
- MS 43,452/ 3** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including James Bogue, George Lock, Richard Woods, James Harrison, Richard Smiddy, C.W. Smyth, John Splaine, Rev. Robert Campion, John Coleman, A.O. Baker and Captain Edward Croker,

38 items  
1840 [*Two items damaged & fragile*]

- MS 43,452/ 4** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including Edward Towell, Rev. W. Ryder, Michael Walsh, Robert Popham, Thomas Havey, Richard Gumbleton, Edward Fitzgerald, Samuel Bernard Beamish, Cornelius Hurley, Sarah Letitia Haynes and James Bogue, 45 items  
1840
- MS 43,452/ 5** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including Robert Popham, James Hill, Thomas Foley, Townsend Richard Keily, Henry Milnes, Jonathan Harley, Maurice Power, J. Redmond Barry, Rev. J. Browne, William Jones, Dominick P. Ronayne and H.J. Browning, 42 items  
1841
- MS 43,452/ 6** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including Catherine Brougham, Thomas McCarthy, John Couche, John Splaine, Edward Doherty, William Poole, John Coleman, William Hudson, David Smiddy, Patrick Burke and Michael Carroll, 32 items  
1841
- MS 43,452/ 7** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including Thomas Coleman, Patrick Christopher, William Jones, Anthony Fitzgerald, Daniel Sullivan, Bradshaw Popham, Archibald Murray, Walter Berwick, George Beamish, Edward O'Brien, George Bernard, C.W. Smyth and Richard Nevill Parker, 34 items  
1841
- MS 43,452/ 8** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including J. Redmond Barry, William Poole, John Harley, Daniel Donovan, John Ward, William Squires, Joseph O'Leary, George Lock, James Hallahan and Rev. James Barry, 35 items  
1842
- MS 43,452/ 9** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including John Ward, Nicholas Daily, Martin O'Neill, Robert Ponchue, Robert Ball, Michael Carroll, Robert McCue, Bartholemew Taylor, John C. Browne, Thomas Foley and Catherine Poole, 34 items  
1842
- MS 43,452/ 10** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including Patrick Burke, Jeremiah Daly, John Murphy, Robert

- Belcher, Jasper Lucas, Thomas Ronayne, Rev. J. Browne, Michael Doyle, Thomas Arnall, John Goodwin, Thomas Curtin, David Barry and William Parker, 37 items  
1842
- MS 43,452/ 11** Letters from tenants and other persons, including William Gallwey, John Ward, William Coffey, Martin Lee, Henry Bagge, James Byrne, William Veale, William Budd, Matthew Blackburne, Michael Treacy, Daniel Buckley and John Walsh, 51 items  
1843
- MS 43,452/ 12** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including S. Kildahl, Thomas Gimlett, Samuel Harris, James Prendergast, Edmund Foley, Edward McSweeney, Charles Curry, Daniel Foley, Rev. Arthur Browne, Thomas Biggs and James Ronayne, 50 items  
1843
- MS 43,452/ 13** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including John Ward, Rev. E. Condon, Thomas Foley, James Wall, James Bogue, Jonathan Tanner, Benjamin Horsford, Patrick Coughlan, Michael Coleman, Anthony Russell, George Simkin and Stephen Barry, 45 items  
1844
- MS 43,452/ 14** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including Daniel Sullivan, Alexander Callanan, George Boate, Vincent Russell, Timothy Hurley, John Ward, Maurice Slattery, Richard Byrne, Richard Stanistreet, P. Cronin, William Popham and William O'Brien, 38 items  
1845
- MS 43,452/ 15** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including Murdock Green, John Bibley, Rev. Henry Fitzalan McClintock, John C. Browne, James Joseph Barry, Thomas Dalton, Andrew Brenan, John Judge, John O'Brien and Susanna Faunt, 23 items  
1846
- MS 43,452/ 16** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including James Power, Thomas Ware Cocker, Ambrose Power, William Poole, Elizabeth Singleton, John Wheeler, Rev. E. Condon, Leonard Gillespie Palmer and Thomas Holland, 32 items  
1847
- MS 43,452/ 17** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons,



- including H.E. Roderick, Jonathan Tanner, Thomas Connell, Sir H. Winston Barron, Florence McCarthy, Joseph W. Pim, Michael Mahony, Rev. J. Bleakley, Harrison Nason, John Ronayne and W.H. Baldwin, 32 items  
1847
- MS 43,452/ 18** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including James Bogue, James Cartwright, Rev. John Cullinan, John Coffey, Thomas Cooke, Rev. E. Condon, Mary Wivell, William Teape, John Hurley, George Doolittle Thomas Harvey and Mary Daniel, 31 items  
1848 [*One item damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,452/ 19** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including Neil Menzies, Michael Coleman, Regina Popham, Rev. John Cullinan, Thomas Lee, David O'Keefe, William Teape, Rev. Richard Meade, Henry Boyle Bernard and James Bogue, 30 items  
1848
- MS 43,452/ 20** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including Samuel Croker, J.R. O'Flanagan, Alicia Ryan, Ellen Haynes, John poole, James Higgins, John Pollock, Lucinda Fitzgerald and T. Ronayne Sarsfield, 12 items  
1849
- MS 43,452/ 21** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including John C. Browne, William George Clarke, David Scott, William Witham, George B. Jackson, Cecilia Russell, Rev. P.W. Drew, Esther Uniacke, Robert McCull, William Ryan, Thomas Garde and Esther Howe, 34 items  
1849
- MS 43,452/ 22** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including William Hanan, Charles Cahill, James Morgan, John Murphy, John Blackwell, Timothy Flynn, Edward Ambrose, Andrew Carbery, John Fulton and Sir Robert Kane, 18 items  
1850
- MS 43,452/ 23** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including Thomas Cooke, Ellen Hurley, Cornelius Hurley, Rev. Richard Smiddy, Robert Hudson, Patrick Mullany, David Farrasy, Joseph Fisher and Rev. P.W. Drew, 9 items  
1850 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,452/ 24** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including Maria Ward, Joseph Mulcahy, John Reilly, Matthew

- Blackburne, John Bennett, Rev. P.W. Drew, John Copinger,  
Murdock Green, Thomas Curtin, S. Kildahl and Edmund Leahy, 18  
items  
1851
- MS 43,452/ 25** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons,  
including John Coleman, Thomas Smiddy, Maurice Power, Mary  
Toole, Richard Ronayne, Thomas John, Catherine Robertson, Henry  
Buck, Edward Roberts and Rev. P.S. Smyth, 13 items  
1851 [*Some items fragile*]
- MS 43,452/ 26** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons,  
including Catherine Perrin, William Casey, Rev. Patrick Fogarty,  
Gervase Bushe, Richard Bushe, Sarah Bruce, William Gray, Rev.  
Thomas England, William Norcott, Edward Power and John  
O'Sullivan, 15 items  
1852
- MS 43,452/ 27** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons,  
including W.C. Renton, Mary Emma O'Dwyer, Jeremiah Hodnett,  
Robert Hudson, Thomas John, David Kiernan, John Murray and B.  
Boate, 9 items  
1852
- MS 43,452/ 28** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons,  
including Rev. Charles Campbell, Robert Sewell, William Gorman,  
Anne Walsh, Rev. William Gill, Jeremiah Coleman, John Perrott,  
William Coleman, Richard Barrett and Jeremiah Morrissey, 19  
items  
1853
- MS 43,452/ 29** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons,  
including Alexander McCully, Pierce Cotter, Dr. John Nugent, Rev.  
P.W. Drew, John Murphy, Richard Giles, Patrick Dee, Jeremiah  
Hodnett and William O'Sullivan, 16 items  
1854
- MS 43,452/ 30** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons,  
including W.H. Stephens, Rev. Edward O'Donnell, William  
Carbery, William Boland, Henry Biggs, Rev. P.W. Drew, Anne  
Beamish, Denis O'Brien and Adam Meade, 18 items  
1855
- MS 43,452/ 31** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons,  
including William O'Mahony, George Bowles, Matthew Quinlan,  
Francis Quinlan, Rev. J. Graves, Constable Samuel Murray, Rev.

- William Hill and Sir Richard Musgrave, 8 items  
1855
- MS 43,452/ 32** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including Catherine Colbert, William Sullivan, Richard Hudson, Rev. Samuel Hayman, Rev. Edward O'Donnell, Richard Tracy, J. Bagge Hearne, Andrew Carbery and Nicholas Peterson, 25 items  
1856
- MS 43,452/ 33** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including James H. Pim, Abraham Fisher, John Sheppard, George Bowles, John Pollock, Edward Ball, John O'Sullivan, Serjeant Berwick, P.M. Fisher, James O'Neill, Rev. Edward O'Donnell and James Cartwright, 20 items  
1857
- MS 43,452/ 34** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including John Sheehan, Mary Gahagan, Rev. William Irwin, Pitt Skipton, Daniel Geary, John Lindsay, Eliza Barry, Thomas Cartwright, Rev. Edward O'Donnell, Edmund Wilkinson, James Higgins, Vincent Russell and Kate Griffin, 23 items  
1858
- MS 43,452/ 35** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including Thomas Foley, Richard Nason Gaggin, C.A. Sippi, James Galwey, William Marsh, Kate O'Mahony, Patrick O'Keefe, Jane Hudson and William J. Pope, 13 items  
1859
- MS 43,452/ 36** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including Thomas McCulloch, David p. Miller, W.H. Baldwin, Edward Roberts, Henry Woodroffe, Reuben Harvey, Jane Fisher, John Nason and George Bowles, 17 items  
1860-1
- MS 43,452/ 37** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including Rev. Samuel Hayman, George Bennett, Robert Lowe, James White, Murdock Green, Robert Edwards, Benjamin Richard Dawson, Edmund Leahy, Ellen Tobin, William Kingston, Henry Lee and John Hickie, 25 items  
1862-4 [*One item damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,452/ 38** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including Patrick Clifford, Mary Anne Corbett, Sylvester Young, Henry McConnell, J.J. Byrne, Frederick Ponsonby, Matthew Parker, William Hanan, John Harding, Frederick MacCabe and Anne

- Kennelly, 25 items  
1865-6 [*One item damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,452/ 39** Letters from tenants and other persons, including A.J. O'Mara, Kate O'Keefe, Samuel Marshall, J. Bagge Hearn, James Gleeson, Denis McDonnell, Edmund Wilkinson, William Uniacke Townsend, Amelia Quinn and Rev. R. Longfield, 15 items  
1867-8
- MS 43,452/ 40** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including Maurice Slattery, Alfred Davis, Charles Tarrant, Rev. William Fitzgerald, Rev. John W. Hopkins, Thomas Sherlock, John Mahony, Rev. George B. Grant, William McCarthy and Thomas Dennehy, 18 items  
1869
- MS 43,452/ 41** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including Michael Fleming, Maurice Slattery, Captain John Corballis, James Prendergast, Frederick Bell, John Moriarty, Rev. Thomas Patterson, William McCarthy and J.G. Morris, 12 items  
1870
- MS 43,452/ 42** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including Jasper Tatton, Robert Black, John Perrott, David Craig, John Keniry, Thomas Rice, Frederick MacCabe, Rev. Jeremiah Cummins, S.R. Tresilian, Jane Corbett and Thomas O'Brien, 23 items  
1871-2 [*Two items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,452/ 43** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including John Ussher, Mary Keane, W.N. Barron, Samuel Roberts, Edward Roberts, William Fitzgerald, Emmanuel Moore, Albert Banner, John George MacCarthy and Richard F. Keane, 14 items  
1873
- MS 43,452/ 44** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including John Cunningham, C. Newport Bolton, Sub Inspector Charles Seymour, Thomas Baldwin, Rev. Richard Jones, John Mahony, Benjamin Horsford and Charles Norrington, 12 items  
1874
- MS 43,452/ 45** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including Catherine Colbert, Denis Carey, Richard Rice, Jane Bible, Charles Seymour, Rev. Thomas H. Garde, George Pope, W. Meagher and Charles Green Foott, 12 items  
1875

- MS 43,452/ 46** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including Fanny Croker, James Alcock, Robert Campion, Michael Lyons, James Murray, Thomas Hayden, Sir Richard Emmanuel Moore, Theodore Ryland, Richard Hudson and Charles Green Foott, 20 items  
1876
- MS 43,452/ 47** Letters from tenants and other persons, including Percy Smyth, Patten Bridges, Stephen Coppinger, Michael Keating, William Atkins, John Fawsitt, R.M. Gumbleton, William Tanner, James Lane, D.F. Murphy and W. Stone, 16 items  
1877
- MS 43,452/ 48** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including Michael Keating, R.W. Doherty, Rev. George Webster, William Foley, Rev. Michael Delay, David Craig, Louisa Williams and Benjamin Horsford, George Sherlock, Michael Keating, Michael Fleming, Richard O'Reilly and Colonel Gervase Bushe, 30 items  
1878
- MS 43,452/ 49** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including Daniel Cronin, John Jermyn, Rev. George Webster, the Bishop of Cashel, Richard Hudson, Joanna Crottie, William Poole, Patrick Power, John Bagnell and Jasper D. Pyne, 19 items  
1879
- MS 43,452/ 50** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including James Mosley, John Barrett, Thomas Slattery, James Myers, Edmond Mahony, Robert Terry, Canon Coghlan, William Meekin, Sub Inspector Edward O'Reilly and Charles Green Foott, 15 items  
1880
- MS 43,452/ 51** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including James Good, Edmund Heard, Thomas Slattery, William Hutton, Dr. McNaughton Jones, Charles Green Foott, St. John Grant, Rev. Thomas Walsh and John Orr, 15 items  
1881
- MS 43,452/ 52** Letters from tenants and other persons, including John Collins, W. Stacey, J.D. O'Keefe, Jasper D. Pyne, Launcelot Gubbin, R. Briscoe Cherry, Margaret Tracey, Lizzie Noton, Thomas Lucas and John Collins, 14 items  
1883

**MS 43,452/ 53** Letters from tenants and other persons, including John Connor, Arthur Hill, E.P. Terry, Richard Perceval, H.S. Rogers, Messrs. Hussey & Townsend, Philip Kelly, Philip Splaine, James Dunlea, Maurice Slattery, W.J. Cavendish and John Leahy, 16 items  
1884

**MS 43,452/ 54** Letters and correspondence with tenants and other persons, including Samuel H. Johnston, E.P. Terry, Kate Keane, William Henry Nason, Charles Green Foott, Mary Halyburton, Rev. J. O'Mahony, Nicholas Kennedy and Frances Gregg, 11 items  
1885

#### IV.iii.20.G Petitions and Memorials

**MS 43,453/ 1** Petitions and memorials submitted to Francis E. Curry and William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire by Denis Mahony, John Mahony, Michael Kennedy, Stephen Shorten, Frederick William Scott, Sarah Letitia Haynes, Thomas Connell, Timothy Holland, Henry Halyburton, Daniel Sullivan, Joseph Coombs, Richard Bradfield, James Buckley and others, including the residents of Dungarvan concerning a nuisance at Dungarvan Bridge, 36 items  
1838-40

**MS 43,453/ 2** Petitions and memorials submitted to Francis E. Curry and William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire by Denis Leary, James Hurley, Bartholomew Twomey, Jeremiah Cullinan, Cornelius Sullivan, Richard Kearney, Denis Mahony, Richard Gallavan, Jeremiah Corcoran, John Desmond, John Mahony, Mary Allman, Mary Shorten and others, 22 items  
1841

**MS 43,453/ 3** Petitions and memorials submitted to Francis E. Curry and William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire by the tenants of Kilmore, including Daniel Crowley, Cornelius Doyle, Michael Doyle, Jeremiah Desmond, Daniel Murphy, Patrick Connell, Jeremiah Dononvan, Timothy Cleary, Patrick Sheehan, Peter Mahony, James Connell and Maurice Connell, 17 items  
1842

**MS 43,453/ 4** Petitions and memorials submitted to Francis E. Curry and William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire by the tenants of Castlenalact, including John Crowley, Jeremiah Dorrigan, Timothy Mahony, John Desmond, Jeremiah Mahony, John Keleher and Timothy Lehane, with a memorandum of what was said to the

- tenants as to their continuing on the land, 21 items  
1842
- MS 43,453/ 5** Petitions and memorials submitted to Francis E. Curry and William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire by Edward Sweeny, Simon Punch, Catherine Toomy, Stephen Flynn, Michael Colbert, Thomas Brown, Jeremiah Hurly, Alicia Ryan, Daniel Donovan, Michael Carroll, Catherine Cronin and others, including the residents of Dungarvan concerning the position of the fish market, 8 items  
1842
- MS 43,453/ 6** Petitions and memorials submitted to Francis E. Curry and William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire by Mart Culbert, Maurice Connell, Daniel Donovan, Jospeh Scott, Daniel Shannahan, Andrew Lineen, Robert Wilson, Michael Doyle, Richard Nugent, Thomas McNamara John Arthur Lynch and others, including the merchants and traders of Youghal, and the inhabitants of the “higher parts” of Lismore concerning an insufficient supply of spring water, 22 items  
1843-9
- MS 43,453/ 7** Petitions and memorials submitted to William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke, and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire by Mary Halahan, the tenants, farmers, and gentry of County Waterford, the Town Commissioners of Lismore, the Protestants of Bandon, tenants in the Unions of Lismore and Fermoy, the inhabitants of Youghal, and of the united vicarages of Kinsalbeg and Grange, 11 items  
1849-67 & n.d. [*Large format*]
- MS 43,453/ 8** Petitions and memorials submitted to Francis E. Curry, William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke, William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire by Ellen Crawford, Mary Newell, William Nicholls, Margaret Hurley, Anne Murhpy, Robert McCue, Robert Fuller, Thomas Coombes, Timothy Murphy, Alice Power and others, including the merchants and shopkeepers of Dungarvan, and the widows of Tallow Asylum, 18 items  
1851-69
- MS 43,453/ 9** Petitions and memorials submitted to William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire on his visits to Ireland, with the Duke’s acknowledgments, letters from Rev. Patrick Fogarty, Colonel Gervase Bushe and W.H. Parker, and news cuttings, 19 items  
1859-63

**MS 43,453/ 10** Petitions and memorials submitted to Francis E. Curry and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire by Jeremiah Murphy, John Fawsitt, Thomas Brennan, Mary Fogarty, Ellen Doyle, Susan Fuller, the Town Commissioners of Dungarvan and Lismore, and the inhabitants of Bandon and Tallow, 20 items  
1870-82

IV.iii.20.H Copy Letter Books, Letters and News Cuttings

**MS 7183** Letter book containing copies of letters from Francis E. Curry to solicitors and tenants concerning the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1 items  
1844 & 1849-51

**MS 7184** Letter book containing copies of letters from Francis E. Curry to solicitors and tenants concerning the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Youghal, Co. Cork, 1 item  
1848-60

**MS 7182** Letter book containing copies of letters from Francis E. Curry to solicitors and tenants concerning the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1 item  
1849-56

**MS 7191** Letter book containing copies of letters from Francis E. Curry to solicitors and tenants concerning the Dungarvan estate of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in county Waterford, 1 item  
1850-70

**MS 7185** Letter book containing copies of letters from Francis E. Curry to Alexander Swanston dealing with the Bandon estate of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1 item  
1850-86

**MS 7187** Letter book containing copies of letters from Francis E. Curry (agent) to B. Orpin (lawyer) dealing with the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1 item  
1852-57

**MS 7189** Letter book containing copies of letters from Francis E. Curry



(agent) to solicitors and tenants concerning the Lismore and Tallow estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in county Waterford, 1 item  
1856-69

- MS 43,454/ 1** Copy letters from Francis E. Curry to various persons, including Thomas John, George Bernard, James Crop, James Prendergast, H. Brown, Sir W. Somerville, John Welsh, W. Power, Rev. J. Bleakley and E. Heard, 24 items  
1839-81 [*Two items damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,454/ 2** Miscellaneous newspaper cuttings, subjects include addresses to the Duke of Devonshire, the Fermoy deputation to the Board of Works (1846), Dungarvan rents, Youghal petty sessions, flax cultivation, canal communication between Bandon and the sea, the visit of HRH Prince Arthur (later 1st Duke of Connaught) to Lismore (1869), the death and funeral of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire (1858), Sir Charles Shaw and the Dromana Estates, and various other political and educational matters, 23 items  
1841-80 [*Some items damaged and fragile*]

#### IV.iii.20.I Politics

- MS 43,455/ 1** Letters and papers concerning the establishment of the County and City of Waterford Reform Registry Association and Liberal Registration Club, meetings of the Leinster and Charlemont Declaration Committee, the election of George Howard, Viscount Morpeth, and the organization of opposition to Lord Stanley's Registration Bill, correspondents include Benjamin Currey, Andrew Carbery, Henry Witham and Rev. Patrick Fogarty, with circulars and newspaper cuttings, 42 items  
1836-42
- MS 43,455/ 2** Letters and papers concerning the Repeal Movement, including two posters advertising a demonstration at Lismore to be attended by Daniel O'Connell (24 Sep 1843), and a letter from Daniel O'Connell to Stephen Barry (18 Oct 1846), other correspondents include G. Fitzgerald, Sir Richard Keane, Benjamin Currey, the Dean of Lismore and William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, with a circular and newspaper cuttings, 18 items  
1843-5
- MS 43,455/ 3** Statement of the Bandon Liberal Registration Committee, 1 item  
1869

IV.iii.20.J Law and Order

- MS 43,456/ 1** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and the Office of Ordnance concerning the stationing of troops at Lismore Castle (1848-9), the leases of Dungarvan, Bandon and Youghal barracks and the enlistment, payment and desertion of soldiers, correspondents include Sir Thomas Redington (Under Secretary for Ireland), Thomas Clarke (Solicitor to Ordnance) and Colonel John Spick, 38 items  
1841-58 & 1868-70
- MS 43,456/ 2** Letters concerning the stationing of troops at Lismore Castle, includes correspondence between Henry Villiers-Stuart, 1<sup>st</sup> Baron Stuart de Decies and Sir Thomas Larcom (Under Secretary for Ireland), and letters to Francis E. Curry from Major Edward Croker, Captain Richard Warren, Colonel Edward Somerset, Sub Inspector J.B. Irwin and Thomas Briggs, 36 items  
1865-6
- MS 43,456/ 3** Letters concerning the stationing and subsequent withdrawal of troops from Lismore Castle, correspondents include Henry Villiers-Stuart, 1<sup>st</sup> Baron Stuart de Decies, Sir Thomas Larcom (Under Secretary for Ireland), Captain W. Stuart, H.E. Redmond RM, Captain John Swann and Major O. Burne, 24 items  
1867-9
- MS 43,456/ 4** Letters and papers concerning the stationing of troops at Lismore Castle, including correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Chetwode Curry, and letters from Rev. P. Byrne, H.E. Redmond RM and William Kaye (Assistant Under Secretary for Ireland), with memorials and newspaper cuttings, 14 items  
1881
- MS 43,456/ 5** Letters from William Cavendish, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire and J.R. Berwick concerning a requisition for military at Bandon, the proposed establishment of a depot for troops under the Army Act, and the training of the militia in the town, 11 items  
1865, 1872 & 1875
- MS 43,456/ 6** Correspondence concerning the Irish Constabulary, topics include the erection of a constabulary barracks adjacent to the courthouse at Dungarvan, and the construction and maintenance of constabulary barracks at Lismore, Youghal and Knockmealdown, correspondents include Major W. Miller, Sub Inspector P.E. Greene, John Clarke, John Parkes and Robert Fitzgerald, 41 items  
1839-47

- MS 43,456/ 7** Letters and papers concerning the Irish Constabulary, topics include the recruitment of special constables in Lismore (1848), the establishment of a constabulary station on the Mitchelstown Road, the lease of Youghal constabulary barracks, and alterations to Ahern barracks, correspondents include Henry Villiers-Stuart, 1st Baron Stuart de Decies, Sub Inspector Robert Somerville, County Inspector J.H. Bracken and William Richards, 43 items  
1848-59
- MS 43,456/ 8** Letters and papers concerning the Royal Irish Constabulary, topics include the promotion of Constable Donnelly of Dungarvan station, the recommendation of candidates for the constabulary, the rental and maintenance of Lismore and Knockmealdown constabulary barracks and letters and circulars concerning the improvement of constabulary barrack defences (1867-8), correspondents include County Inspector Alexander Heard, J.K. Barry and Sackville Hamilton, 34 items  
1867-82
- MS 43,456/ 9** Letters and papers concerning the magistracy and the prosecution of crime, including robberies on the mountain boundary between the counties Tipperary and Waterford, coining at Kinnataloon and the provision of police protection, correspondents include Samuel Barton, Captain James Barry, Sir Thomas Redington (Under Secretary for Ireland), Joseph Ryall, George B. Jackson, Rev. James Power and Lord Adam Loftus, with witnesses' s statements and a reward notice, 37 items  
1847-54
- MS 43,456/ 10** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and William Kemmis concerning criminal prosecutions and other legal matters, including the Queen v. James Byrne for the rape of Norry Daly, robberies, conspiracy to murder A. Ussher, and the prosecution of tithe rentcharge defaulters, with a public notice from the magistrates of County Waterford offering a reward of £984 for information concerning the murder of Robert Charles Welsh JP, and a letter from Frederick Howard (9 May 1857), 18 items  
1839-57 [*Some items damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,456/ 11** Letters and papers concerning the magistracy and the prosecution of crime, including the reports of Head Constable Edmund Hughes on the activities of the Society of the Brotherhood of St. Patrick and a copy letter from Sir Thomas Larcom (Under Secretary for Ireland) to Henry Villiers-Stuart, 1st Baron Stuart de Decies (19 Nov 1863), a threatening letter, a fire at Lismore Castle and rewards for the

discovery of persons maiming cattle, with witnesses's statements, newspaper cuttings, and a reward notice, 27 items  
1863-84

**MS 43,456/ 12** Correspondence and papers concerning the magistracy, topics include the regulation of fairs and markets, petitions on behalf of prisoners, the appointment of resident magistrates, arms licences, petty sessions charges and the employment of petty sessions clerks, correspondents include Henry Villiers-Stuart, 1st Baron Stuart de Decies, Sir Richard Musgrave, Matthias Walsh, Sir Thomas Redington (Under Secretary for Ireland), Frederick Oding, H.G. Thompson (Private Secretary to Lord Lieutenant of Ireland), H.E. Redmond RM and Richard Wingfield (Registrar of Petty Sessions Clerks Office), 40 items  
1848-81

**MS 43,456/ 13** Letters and papers concerning the regulation of Lismore and Dungarvan Bridewells, the proposed amalgamation of Waterford City and County Jails, the restoration of Tallow Bridewell and the closing of Lismore Bridewell, correspondents include Henry Villiers-Stuart, Clement Johnson (Inspector General of Prisons), Christopher Newport Bolton, W.C. Triphook and Charles F. Bourke (vice chairman, General Prisons Board) with circulars, reports, and newspaper cuttings, 38 items  
1837-79

#### IV.iii.20.K Official Bodies

**MS 43,457/ 1** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and the secretaries of the Loan Fund Board, with letters from Archdeacon Power, a report by the Loan Fund Society at Lismore (1839), and a pamphlet containing the rules of the society, 14 items  
1838-40 & 1848-53

**MS 43,457/ 2** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry, the Postmaster General and A. Godley (Secretary of the General Post Office, Dublin) concerning the delivery of post to Lismore, the Post Office Savings Bank, the selection of a postmaster, and tenders for the day mail service, with letters from James Kendrick, Margaret Green, Sir Richard Keene, Edwin Webster, Edward Taylor, H. James and others, 44 items  
1848-54 & 1861-3

**MS 43,457/ 3** Letters and papers concerning tenders and payments for the day mail service, correspondents include George Chetwynd (Receiver

and Accountant General, GPO, London), George Cornwall (Secretary of the GPO, Dublin), A.A. Burckhardt (Surveyor, GPO, Dublin), Edward Taylor, H. James, O.C. Edwards and G. Elbery, with an agreement and security for expenses to guarantee post to Lismore and Cappoquin, 47 items  
1864-9

**MS 43,457/ 4** Letters and papers concerning the day mail service and its transmission by rail and the appointment of telegraphists, correspondents include George Chetwynd (Receiver and Accountant General, GPO, London), George Cornwall (Secretary of the GPO, Dublin), J. Allen (Inspector of Mails), R.R. Guinness (Surveyor, GPO, Dublin), William Currey, Richard Moloney and Thomas O'Malley, 32 items  
1870-84

**MS 43,457/ 5** Letters and papers relating to the Town Improvement Act, correspondents include Sir John Young (Chief Secretary for Ireland), Sir Thomas Larcom (Under Secretary for Ireland), Sir Richard Griffith, Henry Ponsonby and Elias Arnold, with accounts of Lismore Town Commissioners, a case on their behalf and newspaper cuttings, 20 items  
1854-6 & 1863 [*Some documents fragile*]

**MS 43,457/ 6** Letters and papers concerning public administration, topics include returns relating to the Manor Court of Lismore, the condition of the farming class, the sale of the Portarlinton estate, the Registrar of Marriages and the water supply to Lismore, correspondents include Sir Thomas Larcom (Under Secretary for Ireland), W.P. O'Brien, H.G. Thompson (private secretary to Lord Lieutenant of Ireland), Hugh Law (Lord Chancellor of Ireland) and Charles Cotton (Local Government Board), 14 items  
1857-85

#### IV.iii.20.L Charities and Subscriptions

**MS 43,458/ 1** Letters concerning subscriptions to various churches, schools and public and charitable institutions and causes, including the Youghal Harbour Regatta, the relief of distress in Youghal, the Lismore Temperance Band, the Church of the Most Holy Trinity, Cork, and the Irish Manufacture Ball, 21 items  
1839-49 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]

**MS 43,458/ 2** Letters to Francis E. Curry from Mrs. Eliza Barry requesting charitable assistance, 10 items  
1841-75

- MS 43,458/ 3** Letters concerning subscriptions to various churches, schools and public and charitable institutions and causes, including the Royal Hibernian Military School, Royal Cork Institute, the Irish Institution, and the Exhibition of Irish Arts, Manufactures and Materials, Cork, 32 items  
1850-3 [*Most items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,458/ 4** Letters and papers relating to the Society for Protecting the Rights of Conscience, correspondents include Dr. John Nugent, Rev. Cadwallader Wolseley and William Currey, with Nugent's statement to the society, 10 items  
1854
- MS 43,458/ 5** Letters concerning subscriptions to various churches, schools and public and charitable institutions and causes, including the Royal Irish Academy, Stradbally Church, and Tallow Parochial Boys School, 16 items  
1854-5 [*Most items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,458/ 6** Letters concerning subscriptions to various churches, schools and public and charitable institutions and causes, including the People's Park, Waterford, the Crimean Banquet, Youghal Loan Fund Society, Cork Sailors' Home, Cork Ragged School, the Royal National Life-Boat Institution, and the Blackwater Vale Hunt, 28 items  
1856-7 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,458/ 7** Letters concerning subscriptions to various churches, schools and public and charitable institutions and causes, including the Home Missionary Society, Waterford Mechanics' Scientific Institute, Cork Harbour Regatta, County Cork Agricultural Society, Youghal Harbour Regatta, and the Protestant Hall, Waterford, 54 items  
1858-9 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,458/ 8** Letters concerning subscriptions to various churches, schools and public and charitable institutions and causes, including Youghal Literary Society, Youghal Harbour Regatta, Lismore Races, the Flax Improvement Society of Munster, Cork Sailors' Home, a new portcullis for Youghal Bridge, and the Lismore Game Protection Association, 48 items  
1860-1
- MS 43,458/ 9** Letters concerning subscriptions to various churches, schools and public and charitable institutions and causes, including Tallow Young Mens' Christian Association, the Royal Western Yacht Club, the Cork Steam Ship Company, and the National Cattle Show,

- Limerick, 29 items  
1862
- MS 43,458/ 10** Letters concerning subscriptions to various churches, schools and public and charitable institutions and causes, including the Royal Dublin Society, Youghal Poor Relief Fund, Royal Cork Institution, Cork Protestant Orphan Home and the Sailors' Home, and the General Hospital, Cork, 40 items  
1863
- MS 43,458/ 11** Letters concerning subscriptions to various churches, schools and public and charitable institutions and causes, including the Sick and Indigent Roomkeepers' Society, Cork Sailors' Home, Royal Dublin Society, Fermoy Horticultural Society, and St. Mary's Blind Asylum, Dublin, 52 items  
1864-5
- MS 43,458/ 12** Letters concerning subscriptions to various churches, schools and public and charitable institutions and causes, including Tallow Dorcas Society, Knockmourne Clothing Society, Mansion House Cattle Plague Committee, Cork Sailors' Home, Royal Dublin Society, and the Cork Races, 51 items  
1866-7
- MS 43,458/ 13** Letters concerning subscriptions to various churches, schools and public and charitable institutions and causes, including the Institution of the Sisters of Charity, Waterford Mechanics' Scientific Institute, National Horse Show of Ireland, and the Hastings' Hunt, 49 items  
1868-9
- MS 43,458/ 14** Letters concerning subscriptions to various churches, schools and public and charitable institutions and causes, including Cork Sailors' Home, Tallow Dorcas Society, Royal Dublin Society, Youghal Harbour Regatta, and the County of Cork Agricultural Society, 36 items  
1870-1
- MS 43,458/ 15** Letters concerning subscriptions to various churches, schools and public and charitable institutions and causes, including the Anti-Adulteration Society of Ireland, National Agricultural Show, Church of Ireland Training Home, and the Home for Protestant Incurables, Cork, 37 items  
1872
- MS 43,458/ 16** Letters concerning subscriptions to various churches, schools and public and charitable institutions and causes, including the Cork and

- Kerry Agricultural Farming Society, South Waterford Covert Fund, Royal Cork Institution, and the Royal Dublin Society, 35 items  
1873-4
- MS 43,458/ 17** Letters concerning subscriptions to various churches, schools and public and charitable institutions and causes, including Waterford Cathedral, the Royal Dublin Society, Cork General Hospital, Tallow Dorcas Society, Cork Ophthalmic and Aural Hospital, Royal Cork Sailors' Home, and the Irish Merchantile Clerks' Association, 47 items  
1875-7 [*One item damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,458/ 18** Letters concerning subscriptions to various churches, schools and public and charitable institutions and causes, including the South of Ireland Temperance League, Tallow Dorcas Society, Waterford Cathedral, Youghal Sustenation Fund, and the Home for Protestant Incurables, Cork, 36 items  
1878
- MS 43,458/ 19** Letters concerning subscriptions to various churches, schools and public and charitable institutions and causes, including Waterford Female Industrial Schools, Tallow Dorcas Society, Waterford Young Mens' Christian Association, Lismore Band, Munster Model Farm, and the South of Ireland Temperance League, 36 items  
1879-81
- MS 43,458/ 20** Letters concerning subscriptions to various churches, schools and public and charitable institutions and causes, including Waterfrod Seamans' Institute, Tallow Dorcas Society, Cork School of Art and Science, and the Home for Protestant Incurables, Cork, 39 items  
1883-5
- MS 43,458/ 21** Letters concerning subscriptions to public and charitable institutions in Cork and Bandon, including Cork Governesses' School, Cork Agricultural Museum, Bandon Charitable Coal Yard, Cork Lying-in Hospital, Cork Races, and Cork Mechanics Institute, 45 items  
1839-43 [*Three items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,458/ 22** Letters concerning subscriptions to public and charitable institutions in Cork and Bandon, including Cork Asylum for the Deaf and Dumb, Cork Races, the Building Committee of the Primitive Wesleyan Methodist Society, and for the repair of the Ballymodan fire engine, 36 items  
1844-55
- MS 43,458/ 23** Letters concerning subscriptions to public and charitable institutions



in Bandon, including St. Patrick's Reformatory School, Bandon Tract and Bible Repository, Bandon Presbyterian School, and various church restoration funds, 37 items  
1857-64 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]

**MS 43,458/ 24** Letters concerning subscriptions to public and charitable institutions in Bandon, including Bandon Cricket Club, Bandon Steeplechases, Bandon Christmas Coal Fund, Bandon Presentation Convent Bazaar, and various church restoration funds, 24 items  
1868-73 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]

**MS 43,458/ 25** Letters concerning subscriptions to public and charitable institutions in Bandon, including the Cashelmore and Muskerry Hunts, Bandon Young Mens Association, Bandon Catholic Association, and Bandon Convent, 28 items  
1874-7 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]

**MS 43,458/ 26** Letters concerning subscriptions to public and charitable institutions in Bandon, including the Brinny Church Fund, Bandon Football Club, Bandon Christmas Coal Fund, Bandon Relief Committee, and Bandon Amateur Athletics Sports, 19 items  
1878-85 [*Most items damaged & fragile*]

**MS 43,458/ 27** Letters requesting subscriptions to various journals, including A Gazetteer of the World, and for the publication of certain books, including A Dictionary of the Irish Language, John D'Alton's History of Ireland and Charles Gibson's A New History of the County and City of Cork, 31 items  
1844-75

#### IV.iii.20.M Hospitals and Asylums

**MS 43,459/ 1** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and R. Rowan, manager of Waterford District Lunatic Asylum concerning the admission of patients, 20 items  
1837-40

**MS 43,459/ 2** Letters concerning the admission of patients to Cork and Waterford District Lunatic Asylums, correspondents include John Beauchamp, Henry Hardy, Captain John Dobbs and Dr. M. Quinlan, 32 items  
1838-43

**MS 43,459/ 3** Letters concerning the admission of patients to Cork and Waterford District Lunatic Asylums, correspondents include Captain John Dobbs, Dr. M. Quinlan, Dr. Thomas Power and E. O'Neill, 41 items

1844-63

- MS 43,459/ 4** Letters and papers concerning the administration of Youghal Infirmary, Dispensary and Fever Hospital and Bandon Dispensary and Fever Hospital, correspondents include Dr. Samuel Wood, David Scott and Rev. M. Sheehan, with reports of subscribers' meetings, annual reports, and newspaper cuttings, 19 items  
1838-44
- MS 43,459/ 5** Letters concerning the admission of patients to the South Charitable Infirmary and County Hospital, Cork, correspondents include Dr. W. Ashby Cummins, Dr. John Sandiford, Henry Anthony, Richard Walsh and J.C. Barry, 52 items  
1847-70 [*Many items damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,459/ 6** Letters concerning the admission of patients to the South Charitable Infirmary and County Hospital, Cork, correspondents include Dr. J. O'Neill, Dr. R. Callaghan, Dr. R. Trayer, Dr. Edward Malone and Dr. John Nugent, 46 items  
1871-85 [*Many items damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,459/ 7** Letters and papers concerning Ballyduff Dispensary and various hospitals, including the reports of the Cork General Dispensary and Humane Society (1850), the Cork Ophthalmic and Aural Hospital, and the Hospital for Incurables, Donnybrook, 7 items  
1850-1 & 1876-80
- MS 43,459/ 8** Letters from Messrs. W & J Sherlock concerning John Boyce's charity and plans to establish a house of recovery at Tallow, 10 items  
1856-8

IV.iii.20.N Poor Law

- MS 43,460/ 1** Orders declaring the Poor Law Unions of Bandon and Lismore, with orders for the election of ex-officio guardians for Lismore, directions for their guidance, and instructions for valuation and rating, 7 items  
1839
- MS 43,460/ 2** Papers relating to the election of Poor Law Guardians for the Lismore, Dungarvan, Fermoy and Middleton Unions, with lists of parishes and townlands, public notices, and newspaper cuttings, 14 items  
1839

- MS 43,460/ 3** Letters from William Kemmis and Thomas Seward, with papers concerning the preparation of leases for sites for workhouses in the Lismore and Dungarvan Unions from the Duke of Devonshire to the Poor Law Commissioners, with draft costs and a statement of title, 11 items  
1839-40
- MS 43,460/ 4** Letters from Francis E. Curry to Captain Broughton R.E. and the Poor Law Boundary Commissioners, with orders for the alteration of the electoral divisions of the Lismore, Fermoy and Dungarvan Poor Law Unions, with a valuation of the electoral divisions altered in the Lismore Union, 11 items  
1849-50
- MS 43,460/ 5** Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners altering the electoral divisions of the Carrick-on-Suir, Clogheen, Clonmel, Dungarvan, Fermoy, Kilmacthomas, Waterford and Youghal Poor Law Unions, 11 items  
1850
- MS 43,460/ 6** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and R.S. Hamilton (Secretary of the Relief Commission Office) relating to the voluntary rate under the Poor Law valuation of Lismore and Ballysaggartmore, with schedules of the electoral divisions, 11 items  
1847
- MS 43,460/ 7** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and the Poor Law Commissioners concerning the administration of the poor law, with newscuttings, 13 items  
1848-9
- MS 43,460/ 8** Correspondence and papers relating to the administration of Youghal Poor Law Union, correspondents include Dr. George Rogers, Robert Hudson, Thomas John, William Carbery, and P. Kennedy (clerk to the guardians), 35 items  
1849-54
- MS 43,460/ 9** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and the Poor Law Commission Office concerning the removal from office of Michael Wall, clerk of Lismore Union, with the Lismore Board of Guardians concerning the Union cemetery, and with the Local Government Board concerning irregularities in the provision of labourers' cottages in the Lismore Union, and a report on the condition of Lismore Workhouse, 20 items  
1855-84

- MS 43,460/ 10** Letters from J.R. Berwick, S.R. Tresilian, W.C. Sullivan and the Duke of Devonshire relating to resolutions concerning relief work and the employment of labourers passed by Bandon Board of Guardians, and the appointment of proxies to vote at poor law elections, 23 items  
1881-4
- MS 43,460/ 11** Assorted letters and papers relating to Bandon, Clonmel and Fermoy Poor Law Unions, including copy letters from Francis E. Curry to J. Bushe and Sir Richard Musgrave, letters from Sir Richard Keane and W.J. Hamilton, a memorandum of the survey of Glangarra Model Farm, newspaper cuttings including a poor law guardian's letter to the Dublin Evening Post (9 Oct 1851), and correspondence concerning the administration of Ballynoe Dispensary and Fermoy Workhouse, 7 items  
1840, 1850-55 & 1874-7

#### IV.iii.20.O Poor Relief

The papers in this section contain valuable information relating to the activities of relief committees in various parts of counties Cork and Waterford during the Great Famine (1845-50), and to efforts to relieve distress during the agricultural depression of 1879-81.

- MS 43,461/ 1** Letters and circulars from the Relief Commission Office and the Commissariat Relief Office concerning relief work, including regulations issued by the Relief Commission (10 Vic., c.7), and 'Instructions for the formation and guidance of Committees for Relief of Distress in Ireland, consequent on the failure of the Potato Crop in 1846', 18 items  
1845-7
- MS 43,461/ 2** Copies of reports on the potato crop furnished to the Lord Lieutenant by the Royal Dublin Society (Oct-Nov 1845 & 1850) with answers to queries concerning potato disease in Lismore Union, circulars to magistrates, directions to make potato flour, and newspaper cuttings, 22 items  
1845-50
- MS 43,461/ 3** Letters from various relief committees requesting subscriptions from the Duke of Devonshire, correspondents include Rev. Michael Clancy, Rev. Charles Swete, James Alcock, J.R. Mulcahy, John Dennehy and Clement Carroll, with lists of subscribers, and accounts of income and expenditure, 38 items  
1846

- MS 43,461/ 4** Letters from various relief committees requesting subscriptions from the Duke of Devonshire, correspondents include Richard Ussher, H.W. Massy, Rev. Edward Jones, Colonel R.P. Douglas, P. Lawlor, Rev. John Casey and Rev. R.D. Campion, with a report and account of subscriptions and expenditure by the Kilwatermoy Relief Committee, 30 items  
1847
- MS 43,461/ 5** Letters and papers concerning Lismore and Tallow Relief Committees, correspondents include R.M. Bromley, Thomas Garde, Abraham Fisher, William Wall, Thomas Synnott, John Beresford Alcock, Robert Percival Maxwell, Sir Richard Musgrave and Sir Thomas Ross, with subscription lists and general reports, 30 items  
1846-7
- MS 43,461/ 6** Letters and papers concerning Dungarvan Relief Committee, correspondents include John Hudson, Dr Thomas Christian, Arthur Cody, Andrew Carbery, B. Boate and Clement Carroll, with a list of subscribers, an account, and newspaper cuttings, 33 items  
1846-7
- MS 43,461/ 7** Letters and papers concerning Youghal Relief Committees, correspondents include Thomas John, Peter Fisher and G.B. Heasley, with a memorial, resolutions of meetings, a public notice requesting a meeting of the magistrates of Youghal (7 Feb 1846), and newspaper cuttings, 18 items  
1846-7
- MS 43,461/ 8** Letters and papers concerning presentments made for various public works and the relief of distress, correspondents include Captain Thomas Larcom, William Villiers-Stuart, Thomas Redington MP and Sir Thomas Ross, with copies of Treasury minutes, returns of expenditure, schedules of presentments for the baronies of Decies without Drum and Coshmore, and newspaper cuttings, 57 items  
1846-7
- MS 43,461/ 9** Letters and papers concerning extraordinary presentment sessions for relief drainage works at Kinataloon, correspondents include John Latimer (secretary, Office of Public Works), Rev. R.D. Campion, Charles Welland, H.K. Hemming, John Nason and William Mulvany, with a memorial for drainage under the Drainage Acts, circulars from Kinataloon Poor Relief Committee, returns, and newspaper cuttings, 30 items  
1846-9
- MS 43,461/ 10** Letters and papers concerning relief drainage works at Coshmore

- and Coshbride, correspondents include Richard Griffith (Office of Public Works), Henry Villiers-Stuart, 1st Baron Stuart de Decies, Sir Thomas Ross, E. Hornsby, Robert Bell, Captain D. O'Brien and W.L. Mulvany, with presentments made under the Poor Employment Act (9 & 10 Vic., c.107) and printed circulars, specifications, instructions and directions issued by the Board of Public Works, 27 items  
Nov 1846-Feb 1847
- MS 43,461/ 11** Letters and papers concerning relief drainage works at Coshmore and Coshbride, correspondents include Richard Griffith, Henry Owen (County Surveyor), J.C. Walker, Edward Bullen, R.G. Campion, E. Hornsby and John Arnold, with returns of presentments and expenditure, and a report by Robert Bell, 39 items  
Mar 1847-1849
- MS 43,461/ 12** Papers relating to the Lismore Poor Relief Fund, including minutes of meetings, returns of the distribution of coal and Indian meal, accounts, and receipts, 26 items  
1855-67
- MS 43,461/ 13** Letters and papers concerning the provision of housing for labourers, correspondents include Lord Edward Cavendish, Spencer Compton Cavendish, Marquis of Hartington, J.R. Berwick, B. Banks (Poor Law Commission Office) and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, with a copy of Chronological Summary of the Law Relating to Lodgings and Dwellings of the Poorer Classes in Ireland, 17 items  
1871-84
- MS 43,461/ 14** Letters and papers concerning government loans for relief work and the administration of the Dungarvan Poor Relief Fund, correspondents include Edward Hornsby (Secretary, Office of Public Works), Maurice Healy (clerk of the Lismore Union) and Rev. James Prendergast, with circulars, returns of tenants receiving relief, and newspaper cuttings, 23 items  
1879-80
- MS 43,461/ 15** Letters and papers concerning extraordinary presentment sessions for relief works, correspondents include R.H. Power, J.H. Bourke, J.D. O'Keefe, William Johnson and A. Oliver Lyons, with instructions for justices and cesspayers, 17 items  
1880
- MS 43,461/ 16** Letters and papers concerning public works for the relief of distress at Bandon, Newcestown, Ballinean and Enniskeane, correspondents

include J.R. Berwick, Daniel Craig, R.H. Hobart (India Office) and the Duke of Devonshire, 20 items  
1879-81

**MS 43,461/ 17** Letters and papers concerning emigration schemes to Australia, New Zealand, North and Central America, correspondents include Robert Torrens (Secretary of the Irish South Australia Association), Philip Souper (secretary, Eastern Coast of Central America Commercial and Agricultural Company), Thomas Rolfe (Secretary of the Colonial Society) and W. Kennaway (Secretary to the Department of the Agent-General for New Zealand), with prospectuses, reports of meetings, and details of free passages for emigrants, 41 items  
1837-79

**MS 43,461/ 18** Letters and papers from the Youghal Protestant Relief Society, correspondents include John B. Grey, Samuel Hayman and Thomas Harvey, with reports of annual meetings, and a notice for the annual charity sermon (20 Dec 1840), 18 items  
1840-57

#### IV.iii.20.P Agricultural Societies

**MS 43,462/ 1** Letters and papers concerning the Imokilly and Barrymore Farming Society, Lismore Agricultural Society and the establishment of a Cattle Show Society, correspondents include Henry Villiers-Stuart, 1st Baron Stuart de Decies, Barry Drew, Michael Wall, H.W. Villiers-Stuart, James Uniacke, John Sproule and Rev. Patrick Fogarty, 27 items  
1838-40, 1851 & 1873

**MS 43,462/ 2** Letters and papers concerning the County Cork Agricultural Association and the Bandon Farming Society, correspondents include S.R. Treselian and William Conner, with annual reports, lists of subscribers, circulars, and newspaper reports of meetings of the Agricultural Committee, 33 items  
1838-44, 1851-3 & 1868-9

**MS 43,462/ 3** Letters and papers concerning the Agricultural and Horticultural Provident and Scientific Society of Ireland, correspondents include James Connery and Patrick O'Halloran, with annual reports, and rules and regulations, 8 items  
1840-3

**MS 43,462/ 4** Letters and papers concerning the Royal Agricultural Improvement

- Society of Ireland, correspondents include Peter Purcell, Edward Buller (Secretary), Edward Lucas (Under Secretary for Ireland), James Bodkin and Henry Villiers-Stuart, 1st Baron Stuart de Decies, with lists of prizes and members, circulars, and newspaper cuttings, 37 items  
1841-7
- MS 43,462/ 5** Letters and papers concerning the Royal Agricultural (Improvement) Society of Ireland, correspondents include Edward Buller (secretary), Rev. Patrick Fogarty, Thomas Garde, Seymour Mowbray and Rev. James Millington, with circulars, reports of committee meetings, and lists of prizes, 38 items  
1848-80
- MS 43,462/ 6** Letters and papers concerning the employment of practical agricultural instructors, correspondents include Thomas Martin and Andrew Reid, with weekly reports, and a copy of an 'Address to the Tenantry on the Estates of the Marquis of Drogheda' (1850), 11 items  
1849-51
- MS 43,462/ 7** Copy of a report to the President of the Lismore Agricultural Society, with newspaper cuttings concerning the annual shows and meetings of the Lismore Farming and Agricultural Societies, and awards made by the Royal Agricultural Society of Ireland for cottages and drainage (1878-9), 28 items  
1855-80
- MS 43,462/ 8** Catalogues of 'Stock, Sheep, Swine, Horses and Dairy Produce' exhibited at Lismore Farming Society Show, 13 items  
1865-80

#### IV.iii.20.Q Civil Engineering

##### *IV.iii.20.Q(1) Roads*

- MS 43,463/ 1** Letters and papers concerning the construction and repair of various roads and road bridges in Counties Cork and Waterford, including the Clogheen and Old Fermoy roads and a proposed road from Midleton to Tallow, correspondents include W.H. Baldwin, J.B. Gumbleton, Sir Richard Musgrave, Andrew Carbery, Christopher Hanan, Willaim Hudson and John Walker (County Surveyor of Waterford), with notes, public notices, and accounts, 49 items  
1839-44



- MS 43,463/ 2** Letters and papers concerning the construction and repair of various roads in Counties Cork and Waterford, including the Midleton to Tallow and Kilworth to Youghal roads, correspondents include Hamilton White, John Walker, William O'Mahoney and Henry Owen, with reports, specifications, accounts, and a memorial, 20 items  
1845-6 & 1849
- MS 43,463/ 3** Letters and papers concerning the construction and repair of various roads in Counties Cork and Waterford, including the Tallow, Gurteen and Old Cork roads, correspondents include Henry Butt, T.M. Greene, Robert Hudson, William Currey, Charles Tarrant, John Shaw Smith, A. Oliver Lyons and Henry Grubb, with grand jury presentments and resolutions, specifications, road contracts, accounts, and newspaper cuttings, 43 items  
1851-77
- MS 43,463/ 4** Letters from J.R. Berwick and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire concerning the construction and repair of various roads on the Bandon estate, with particular reference to the Crookstown and Clonakilty road through Enniskeane, 18 items  
1869-81

*IV.iii.20.Q(2) Harbours: Dungarvan*

- MS 43,464/ 1** Letters and papers concerning repairs to the bridge, embankment and causeway in Dungarvan, including letters from Benjamin Currey, Henry Villiers-Stuart, 1st Baron Stuart de Decies, Sir Nugent Humble, Jesse Hartley and William Johnston, 10 items  
1838-40, 1849 and 1864-8
- MS 43,464/ 2** Letters and papers concerning a parliamentary bill for improving the entrance to Wexford Harbour and its bearing on plans to enclose Conygar Strand at Dungarvan, including letters from Benjamin Currey, John Hudson, George Little, Jesse Hartley, Andrew Carbery and Rev. Patrick Fogarty, with newspaper cuttings, 27 items  
1840-1
- MS 43,464/ 3** Letters and papers concerning the Dungarvan Harbour Embankment and Reclamation Bills, including letters from Messrs. Tracy & Nagle and Edmund Holland, with the reports of the Admiralty and Board of Trade, 10 items  
1859 & 1868
- MS 43,464/ 4** Letters and papers concerning salvage of wrecks of the sea at Dungarvan, Youghal and Ballydehob, correspondents include the

Office of Committee of Privy Council for Trade (Marine Department), Alexander Swanston, J. O'Dowd (Customs House, Dublin), F. Hargrave Harrel, James Byrne and John Sweetman, with lists of lands within the Manor of Ballydehob, abstracts of title, and newspaper cuttings concerning Board of Trade inquiries into titles to unclaimed wrecks, 54 items  
1859-62 & 1874

*IV.iii.20.Q(3) Harbours: Youghal*

- MS 43,465/ 1** Letters and papers concerning the Youghal Harbour Bill, including copy correspondence between F.J. Howard and William Villiers-Stuart, correspondence between Francis E. Curry, Benjamin Currey and William S. Curry and letters from Sir Richard Keane, Thomas John and William Marks, with memoranda and newspaper cuttings, 41 items  
1839-41
- MS 43,465/ 2** Draft copies of the Harbour and Dock Bill, with plans of the Harbour of Youghal by William O'Brien, and of Tallow Harbour, 5 items  
1840
- MS 43,465/ 3** Copies of 'A Bill for improving, maintaining and regulating the Harbour of Youghal...' and 'An Act for improving, maintaining, regulating and managing the Harbour of Youghal...', 2 items  
1841
- MS 43,465/ 4** Letters and papers concerning the 'Provisional Order for the maintenance and regulation of the Harbour of Youghal', including letters to Francis E. Curry from Frederick A. Currey and Messrs. Hodnett and Verlin, with a copy of the order and a clause proposed to be inserted, 13 items  
1878
- MS 43,465/ 5** Letters and papers concerning the drainage of Youghal Slob under the Drainage Acts, including correspondence between Francis E. Curry and the Office of Public Works, and letters from the Drainage Commission Office and John Keily, with forms, memorials, notices, a report of the Commissioners, and a parliamentary return of works undertaken, 34 items  
1846-9
- MS 43,465/ 6** Letters and papers concerning the drainage of Youghal Slob under the Drainage Acts, including correspondence between Francis E.

Curry, William Currey, the Office of Public Works (W.J. Mulvany), and Treasury Chambers, letters from the Alexander Swanston, G. P. Houghton and Professor J. Thomas Way, and the Commissioners' reports, memoranda and plans, 48 items  
1850-5

**MS 43,465/ 7** Letters and papers concerning the drainage of Youghal Slob under the Drainage Acts, including correspondence between Francis E. Curry, William Currey, the Office of Public Works (E. Hornsby), and Treasury Chambers (Sir Charles Trevelyan), and letters from Alexander Swanston, G. P. Houghton and Sir Thomas Larcom (Under Secretary for Ireland), with reports, circulars, notices, and the legal opinion of Roundell Palmer and H.H. Dodgson, 31 items  
1856-8 & 1866

*IV.iii.20.Q(4) Bridges*

**MS 43,466/ 1** Letters and papers concerning Blackwater Bridge at Youghal and legal opinion as to the river bed and soil required for the construction of a new bridge, including letters from James Barry, Frederick A. Currey, Basil Orpin, Douglas Pine and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, with 'A Bill to afford Facilities for the Transfer to the Grand Juries of the Counties Cork and Waterford of the Bridge across the River Blackwater, near the town of Youghal...' (1871), 25 items  
1838-40, 1871 & 1878-9

**MS 43,466/ 2** Letters concerning Araglin Bridge and the bridge over the River Bandon near Kinsale, correspondents include D. Barrington, William Johnston, Frederick A. Klein and J.R. Berwick, with a memorial to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, 12 items  
1839 & 1859

**MS 43,466/ 3** Letters from Charles Tarrant concerning improvements to Lismore Bridge, with accounts and drawings, 11 items  
1856

*IV.iii.20.Q(5) Drainage*

**MS 43,467/ 1** Letters and papers concerning loans for drainage work carried out at Kilcalf and Deerpark, Co. Waterford under the Land Improvement Act (10 Vic., c. 32), including correspondence between Francis E. Curry and the Office of Public Works, reports, estimates, and instructions, 38 items

1847-50

- MS 43,467/ 2** Letters and papers concerning drainage presentments for County Waterford made under the Labouchere drainage scheme, including correspondence between Francis E. Curry and the Office of Public Works, Treasury Chambers and the Paymaster of Civil Services Office, letters from Henry Villiers-Stuart, 1st Baron Stuart de Decies and reports of meetings of landed proprietors, 24 items  
1847-68

*IV.iii.20.Q(6) River Blackwater Navigation*

- MS 43,468/ 1** Letters and papers concerning the Blackwater Navigation, including letters from Benjamin Currey, G. Bennett Jackson, William C. Sullivan and Edmond Leahy, memorials, reports from the General Committee for the Bandon Navigation and the Shannon Commission, and newspaper cuttings which include the published letters of Sir Richard Musgrave and G. Bennett Jackson pertaining to this subject, 42 items  
1841-3

- MS 43,468/ 2** Letters and papers concerning the Blackwater Navigation, including letters from Benjamin Currey, Sir Richard Musgrave, G. Bennett Jackson and Stephen Moore, 3rd Earl of Mount Cashell, a memorandum, report and plan for improvements by Col. Harry D. Jones of the Shannon Commission, copies of memorials, and notices of meetings, 20 items  
1844-6

- MS 43,468/ 3** Copies of a pamphlet by Francis E. Curry entitled Observations upon the scheme for improving the navigation of the River Blackwater, with a copy letter from Francis E. Curry to the Cork Examiner concerning Sir Richard Musgrave's comments upon the pamphlet, and associated newspaper cuttings, 44 items  
1849

- MS 43,468/ 4** Copies of parliamentary returns entitled Letter or Report addressed to the Admiralty, by Captain Frazer, R.N. ... on the subject of the Obstruction to the Navigation of the River Blackwater, Report and Plans received at the Admiralty ... from Commander Frazer R.N., on the Subject of the Navigation and Weirs of the River Blackwater and Report of Captain Frazer, R.N., on the State of the Navigation and Weirs in the Harbour and Port of Youghal and the River Blackwater in Ireland..., 12 items  
1850-2

**MS 43,468/ 5** Letters and papers concerning the Blackwater Navigation, including the erections of quays, piers and jettys and papers relating to the formation of the Blackwater Navigation Company, Ltd (with prospectus), correspondents include John Ronayne, Richard Keane, Sir Richard Musgrave, M. Mortimer, Murdoch Green and Jeremiah Hodnett, 27 items  
1850-69, 1877-8 & 1883-4

**MS 43,468/ 6** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry, Thomas John and A. O’Riordan concerning the Suir Navigation Company, with an annual report of the company, 12 items  
1849

*IV.iii.20.Q(7) Telegraphs and Tramways*

**MS 43,469/ 1** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry, William Currey and the Postal Telegraph Department concerning the extension of telegraph lines to Lismore, 5 items  
1871

**MS 43,469/ 2** Letters from J. R. Berwick concerning the proposed tramway from Bandon to Kilmacsimon, with the prospectuses of the Irish Tramways Company, the Bandon and Kilmacksimon Tramway Company and the Dungarvan, Waterford & Lismore Road Steamer Company, with newspaper cuttings, 12 items  
1870-4 & 1880

*IV.iii.20.Q(8) Mines and Quarries*

**MS 43,470/ 1** Letters and papers concerning the limestone quarry at Gillabbey, correspondents include Samuel Abbott, John Butler, George Crawford Feath, Paul MacHenry and Alexander Swanston, with a copy lease (16 Sep 1772), and a survey map by John Ryan, 16 items  
1820 & 1847-9

**MS 43,470/ 2** Letters to Francis E. Curry concerning coal and iron ore mining trials at Tallow and Lismore and a licence for the Mining Company of Ireland to search for minerals at Dungarvan, correspondents include Thomas Masterman, Thomas King, Richard Brown, Charles Rowcliffe, James Ray Eddy and William Hutton, with a copy agreement with Frederick Levick to search for iron ore at Reamanagh, 25 items  
1853-71

#### IV.iii.20.R Land Question

The papers in this section refer to the Irish land question between 1843 and 1885, with particular reference to the campaign to reform land tenure in Ireland. They include papers relating to landowner associations such as the Land Committee, established in November 1879 as a response to the Irish National Land League with the objective of supplying information on land tenure to the Royal Commission on Agriculture, the Property Defence Association, established in December 1880 to provide assistance to boycotted landowners, and the Land Corporation of Ireland, founded in 1883 by Arthur Kavanagh to purchase and re-let evicted farms.

- MS 43,471/ 1** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry, Benjamin Currey and the Land Commission Office concerning evidence submitted to the Devon Commission's inquiry into the law and practice of landholding in Ireland, with Alexander Swanston's return of lands re-let and allowances made on the Bandon estate, a list of the Commissioner's questions, and newspaper cuttings, 21 items  
1843-6
- MS 43,471/ 2** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry, William Cavendish, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire and Spencer Compton Cavendish, Marquis of Hartington, with letters from Frederick Hamilton-Temple-Blackwood, 5<sup>th</sup> Baron Dufferin, Henry Yates Thompson (private secretary to Lord Lieutenant of Ireland), J.R. Berwick, George Roberts, Richard Hudson, John Sproule and others concerning an inquiry into landlord tenant relations in Ireland and the subsequent Land Bill, with replies to inquiries about the wages of agricultural labourers, Ulster Tenant Right, and rules for the management of estates, 35 items  
1867-70
- MS 43,471/ 3** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry, D.F. Fortescue, John Blackett, the Hon. Frederick Ponsonby and John Payne concerning arrangements for county cess deductions when making new lettings to tenants under the Land Act (1870), 7 items  
1870 & 1873
- MS 43,471/ 4** Letters and petitions from tenants for requesting financial assistance and reductions of rent and correspondence regarding land court cases, correspondents include William Cavendish, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, Douglas Pyne, W. Ross Baldwin, Thomas Slattery and W.H. Parker, with a memorial from the County Waterford tenants, 23 items  
1878-82

- MS 43,471/ 5** Newspapers cuttings relating to the land agitation, Land League meetings, the Land Act and relations between the Duke of Devonshire and his tenants, 31 items  
1879-81
- MS 43,471/ 6** Letters concerning the Property Defence Association, Irish Land Committee and Land Corporation of Ireland, correspondents include William Cavendish, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, J.R. Berwick, R. Penrose Fitzgerald and Colonel W. Johnson, with circulars and lists of subscribers, 26 items  
1879-82
- MS 43,471/ 7** Letters from Sir R.J. Paul and Walter Gyles to Francis E. Curry, with circulars, and returns of acreage, rent, and tenement valuations of the Tallow and Lismore estates prepared in response to inquiries from the Irish Land Committee, 15 items  
1879-80
- MS 43,471/ 8** Returns of expenditure in buildings and improvements on farms, including money expended on drainage and timber supplied to tenants for repairs (1867-80) prepared in response to inquiries from the Irish Land Committee, 8 items  
1880
- MS 43,471/ 9** Abstracts from the Lismore and Tallow rentals listing tenants holdings not exceeding £10 poor law valuation, prepared in response to inquiries by the Irish Land Committee  
1880
- MS 43,471/ 10** Letters and papers concerning the Royal Commission on Agriculture in Great Britain and Ireland (Richmond Commission), correspondents include William Cavendish, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, J.R. Berwick, W.A. Peel and Neville Stewart, 8 items  
1880
- MS 43,471/ 11** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and William Cavendish, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire concerning the land question, the activities of the Irish National Land League and agrarian unrest, with letters from Spencer Compton Cavendish, Marquis of Hartington, J.R. Berwick, Richard Hudson, Thomas Crotty, J. Douglas Pyne, Finlay Dun and others, with a poster advertising a meeting of the Tallow Land League (14 Dec 1880), 30 items  
1880-1
- MS 43,471/ 12** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry, William Cavendish, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, Lord Edward Cavendish and Spencer

Compton Cavendish, Marquis of Hartington concerning the Compensation for Disturbance Bill and the Land Act, with letters from Frederick A. Currey and a confidential memorandum containing Lord Hartington's suggestions for the Land Bill, 11 items  
1880-1

**MS 43,471/ 13** Letters and papers relating to a claim for improvements made by W.H. Parker on his farm at Loughnasollis, with remarks by Francis E. Curry on the Tenants Improvement Compensation Bill, with letters from R. Penrose Fitzgerald on the operation of the Labourers Act, 10 items  
1881-4

**MS 43,471/ 14** Letters and papers concerning depositions and memorials of tenants for abatements of rent, correspondents include William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, Jasper Douglas Pyne, John Kirby and Rev. Thomas Walsh, with newspaper cuttings, 36 items  
1884-5 [*Includes a sealed envelope*]

#### IV.iii.20.S Church Affairs

**MS 43,472/ 1** Letters concerning the parish of Affane, correspondents include Rev. J. Mockler, Rev. George Gumbleton, Rev. Henry Fleury, Rev. Arthur Browne, Rev. William Fitzgerald, Henry Currey, Benjamin Currey and Francis E. Curry, 21 items  
1833, 1838-9 & 1869

**MS 43,472/ 2** Letters and papers concerning the parishes of Kilronan and Rathronan, correspondents include Rev. Walter Giles, Rev. J. Hewitt Wren, Thomas Bedford Jones, Rev. Joseph Armstrong, Rev. John Alcorn, the Bishop of Cashel, Rev. Hans Butler and Rev. Charles Fry, 34 items  
1839-67

**MS 43,472/ 3** Letters and papers concerning the parishes of Kinslabeg, Rossmire and Templemichael, correspondents include Rev. Richard Woods, the Archbishop of Dublin, Oswald Marriott, Rev. William Johnson Ardagh, James Bagge, John Ward and Francis E. Curry, 20 items  
1840 & 1849-54

**MS 43,472/ 4** Letters and papers concerning the parishes of Mothel, Ardmore, Grange and Tallow, correspondents include William Shield, George Howard, Viscount Morpeth (Chief Secretary for Ireland), Samuel Mason, James Lorenzo Hickey, the Bishop of Cashel, Rev. Richard Woods, Rev. J. Jackson and Francis E. Curry, with resolutions and memorials, 12 items



1840-57

- MS 43,472/ 5** Letters and papers concerning the parish of Dungarvan, correspondents include Rev. W.G. Giles, James Byrne, Richard Hudson, Louisa Rainsford, the Bishop of Cashel, William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, Sir Joseph Paxton and Francis E. Curry, with memoranda and valuations of the church living of Dungarvan in 1824 and 1849, 29 items  
1849
- MS 43,472/ 6** Letters from William Currey, Frederick A. Currey and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire concerning claims for compensation for the loss of advowsons from the Irish Church Temporalities Commission, 28 items  
1869-73 & 1876-8
- MS 43,472/ 7** Letters and papers concerning the affairs of the Church of Ireland and various church livings, including letters from the Office of the Commissioners of Church Temporalities in Ireland, Michael Bourke, Rev. Robert Gregg, Rev. H.C. Browne, Rev. James Alcock and others, with a 'Return showing the Population in 1861 of Parishes of which the Duke has the Advowson', 30 items  
1869
- MS 43,472/ 8** Letters and papers concerning the affairs of the Church of Ireland and various church livings, including letters from the Office of the Commissioners of Church Temporalities in Ireland, Rev. J.R. Millington, Rev. H.C. Browne, Rev. R. Woods, Rev. James Bagge, Rev. R.B. Neville, Rev E. Ridgway and others, with advowson compensation claim forms and return of the parishes concerned, the clerical occupant, gross annual value, deductions, net value, and observations, 50 items  
1870-1
- MS 43,472/ 9** Letters and papers concerning the affairs of the Church of Ireland and various church livings, including letters from the Irish Church Temporalities Commission, the Representative Body of the Church of Ireland, William Currey, Frederick A. Currey, Messrs. Reeves & Sons, the Bishop of Cork, Rev. J.J. Noble, Rev. C.E.S. Gregg and others, 39 items  
1872-4
- MS 43,472/ 10** Memorandum and legal judgement concerning advowsons, with a collection of advowson compensation awards issued by the Irish Church Temporalities Commission, and a return of the values of the advowsons, 16 items

1872-3

- MS 43,472/ 11** Letters from Sir R. J. Paul and C.E.S. Gregg concerning the diocese of Waterford and Lismore, with documents relating to the Waterford and Lismore Diocesan Synod (9 Nov 1871), printed minutes of the Council (27 Jan 1871), a list of 'Church of Ireland churches and church yards in the diocese of Waterford and Lismore which have been vested in the Representative Body', and an account of 'Proposed Parishes in Western part of the Diocese of Waterford & Lismore and statement of Parishes as they existed at time of passing of Irish Church Act (1870)', 29 items  
1870-1
- MS 43,472/ 12** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Sir R. J. Paul concerning the Waterford Diocesan financial scheme, with correspondence between Mr. Goulding M.P. and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, the Diocesan Treasurer's accounts, a report of Diocesan Synod's proceedings (10 Oct 1872), a copy of the order of proceedings for the election of bishops, and newspapers cuttings about diocesan matters, 48 items  
1872-9
- MS 43,472/ 13** Letters and papers relating to Church of Ireland affairs in County Cork, including the Cork Diocesan Finance Scheme and the purchase of Ahern and Ballynoe Glebes, correspondents include Rev. Mervyn Archdale, Rev. Robert Eccles, Rev. Richard Longfield, Rev. John Hopkins and W.J. Hancock, 29 items  
1871-3
- MS 43,472/ 14** Letters and papers relating to the enlargement of the church yard of Lismore Cathedral through the Duke of Devonshire's grant of 'Warren Land', correspondents include Henry Cotton (Dean of Lismore), Benjamin Currey, Thomas Parks and Archdeacon Power, 20 items  
1836-56
- MS 43,472/ 15** Letters and papers relating to repairs and improvements to Lismore Cathedral, correspondents include R.W. Baldwin, George Delany and Major Keane (Secretary of the Select Vestry), with an estimate for the new organ chamber and choir stalls and various specifications, invoices, receipts, and accounts, 45 items  
1872-4
- MS 43,472/ 16** Letters and papers relating to repairs and improvements to Lismore Cathedral, correspondents include William Fulwood, J.F. Fuller and Major Keane (Secretary of the Select Vestry), with various

- proposals, agreements, invoices, receipts, and accounts, 43 items  
1875-8
- MS 43,472/ 17** Letters and papers dealing with a proposed Ussher Memorial Window for Lismore Cathedral, correspondents include Richard Ussher and the Bishop of Cashel, with a copy of a petition, 8 items  
1879
- MS 43,472/ 18** Letters concerning the finances and administration of Lismore parish and the disposal of Ballyneligan Glebe, subjects include the sustenance fund, the Glebe House and the appointment of clergymen, correspondents include the Irish Church Temporalities Commission, the Representative Body of the Church of Ireland, Sir R.J. Paul, the Bishops of Cashel, Exeter and Peterborough, W.M. Woodroffe, Francis Tydd, Rev. R.B. Neville and Stephen Moore, 48 items  
1871-8 & 1883
- MS 43,472/ 19** Letters from Rev. Pakenham Walsh, the Bishops of Ossory, Killaloe and Waterford, Sir R. J. Paul and others concerning the appointment of Rev. H. Brougham to the parish of Lismore, including a list of clergymen considered for the position, 22 items  
Aug-Oct 1877
- MS 43,472/ 20** Letters and papers concerning the construction of a memorial to the Venerable Ambrose Power, late Archdeacon of Lismore, correspondents include O.C. Edwards, W.F. Coldbeck, Henry Currey, Henry Kennedy and Patrick Scannell, with tenders, estimates of costs, and a drawing of the monument, 36 items  
1870-7
- MS 43,472/ 21** Letters and papers concerning the union of the parishes of Stradbally and Ballylaneen in the Diocese of Lismore, correspondents include James Hickey (registrar of the Consistorial Office), William Villiers-Stuart, W.J. Hamilton, Rev. R.B. Neville and the Bishop of Cashel, with a plan, notice, and copy order for the union, 16 items  
1859
- MS 43,472/ 22** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Rev. R.B. Neville concerning the finances and administration of Stradbally parish, with letters from Rev. Denis Hanan, Richard Perceval, William Currey and the Archbishop of Cashel and Waterford, 29 items  
1870-6
- MS 43,472/ 23** Letters and papers relating to Youghal Church, correspondents

- include Benjamin Currey, Rev. John Aldworth, Rev. P.W. Drew, W. Gillespie, Thomas Burke and Rev. Richard Jones, 48 items  
1839-84
- MS 43,472/ 24** Letters from Rev. P.W. Drew concerning the restoration of the Earl of Cork's monument in Youghl Church, 10 items  
1846-7 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,472/ 25** Letters and papers concerning the establishment of a Church of Ireland church at Kilmurry and the granting of an endowment to a clergyman, correspondents include the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for Ireland, John Gibson, Henry Baldwin, Alexander Swanston, Benjamin Currey and Rev. Francis Craddock, with a copy of a memorial from the Protestant parishioners of Kilmurry, 36 items  
1839-Aug 1840
- MS 43,472/ 26** Letters and papers concerning the completion of the endowment of Kilmurray Church, correspondents include the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for Ireland, John Gibson, Joseph O'Leary, Benjamin Currey and Rev. Francis Craddock, with memoranda of various interviews, 54 items  
Sep 1840-1841
- MS 43,472/ 27** Letters and papers concerning the endowment and building of Kilmurray Church, correspondents include John Nolan, Messrs. McCausland and Featherstone, Benjamin Currey and Rev. Francis Craddock, with copy correspondence between Gibson, Craddock and the Privy Council Office, Dublin, and a draft indenture from the Duke of Devonshire, 38 items  
1842
- MS 43,472/ 28** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and the Bishop of Cork concerning the endowment of Kilmurray Church, with letters from David O'Keefe, Edward Callaghan, Messrs. McCausland and Featherstone, John Nolan, Alexander Swanston and Rev. Francis Craddock, with an application for funds from the Ecclesiastical Commissioners, and a statement of title of the Duke of Devonshire to the lay rectory of Kilmurry, 39 items  
1842-4
- MS 43,472/ 29** Letters and papers concerning the endowment of Kilmurray Church and the lease of Kilmurry Glebe, correspondents include Thomas Bushe (Secretary of the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for Ireland), Rev. Francis Craddock, John Nolan, Rev. Edward Jones and Rev. John Foley, 26 items  
1845-9 & 1864

- MS 43,472/ 30** Letters and papers concerning Villierstown Church, correspondents include Henry Villiers-Stuart, 1st Baron Stuart de Decies, B. Tilly and the Bishop of Cashel, 8 items  
1851-2
- MS 43,472/ 31** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Henry Boyle Bernard concerning Ballymodan Church, with letters from William Currey, Rev. J. Bleakley and letters from J.R. Berwick concerning houses adjoining the church and contributions to the church sustenation fund, with a report of the 'Committee for Rebuilding' said church (1848), 32 items  
1848-74
- MS 43,472/ 32** Letters and papers concerning Scariff Wesleyan Methodist Chapel on the Bandon estate, correspondents include Rev. E.C. Carroll, John Heron, J.R. Berwick, William Lindsay and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, with two memorials to the Duke and a questionnaire (with replies) about the Methodist congregation, 17 items  
1869-74
- MS 43,472/ 33** Letters from the Nuns of St. Mary's Presentation Convent, Lismore concerning the maintainance of the convent, with letters from Rev. Patrick Fogarty and Benjamin Currey, assorted notes and memoranda, and an estimate of the works to be carried out (1846), 32 items  
1838-63
- MS 43,472/ 34** Letters from the Nuns of St. Mary's Presentation Convent, Lismore concerning charitable donations and the maintainance of the convent and its school, 38 items  
1864-85
- MS 43,472/ 35** Letters and papers relating to Tallow Convent, correspondents include Mother Mary Joseph Condon and William O'Mahoney, 10 items  
1850-74 [*Most items damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,472/ 36** Letters concerning Kilronan parish, correspondents include Phillipa Grace, Rev. J. Mockler, Robert Sparrow, Rev. Charles Fry and Lord Stradbroke, with a memorial from the parishioners, 11 items  
1839 & 1851
- MS 43,472/ 37** Letters and papers concerning the parishes of Mocollop, Rossmire and Fews and Templemichael, correspondents include Rev. Richard

- Woods, Rev. Thomas Horneck, Rev. John Parker, Rev. James Bagge, the Hon. Charles Moore Smyth and Basil Orpin, 22 items  
1870-5
- MS 43,472/ 38** Letters concerning Dungarvan parish, correspondents include Rev. John Bain, Rev. H.C. Browne, George Fitzmaurice, John Franks and Frederick A. Currey, with a list of annual subscribers to the Church Fund, 12 items  
1870-7
- MS 43,472/ 39** Letters concerning Kilwatermoy and Tallow parish, correspondents include Rev. Nevile Parry, Robert Perceval Maxwell, Percy Smyth, Richard Perceval and Rebecca Hanlon, with lists of subscribers, reports of the select vestry, and a return of poor law valuation for the electoral division of Tallow, 17 items  
1870-8
- MS 43,472/ 40** Letters concerning contributions to the Irish Church Sustentation Fund and subscriptions and donations to Ardmore, Clashmore, Kinsalbeg and various other parishes, correspondents include Charles Carroll, N.D. Sheppard, J.R. Berwick, Frederick A. Currey and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, 22 items  
1870-2
- MS 43,472/ 41** Letters concerning Rathcormack and Curriglass Churches, correspondents include Rev. Thomas Matthews and Sands Bellis, 8 items  
1876
- MS 43,472/ 42** Letters concerning Athnaven and Ballyduff Glebes, correspondents include Rev. Robert St. Leger Aldworth and Rev. Patrick Slattery, 6 items  
1876-7
- MS 43,472/ 43** Letters and papers relating to Killowen Glebe and school site, correspondents include Rev. Richard J. Meade, Thomas Cronin, Rev. John Pratt, Rev. R.W. Delacour, Rev. Samuel Moore-Kyle (Archdeacon of Cork), J.R. Berwick, P.M. Swiney, Frederick A. Currey and Francis E. Curry, 59 items  
1841-80
- MS 43,472/ 44** Letters and papers concerning Enniskeane Chapel and Glebe and Kilronan Glebe, correspondents include Jeremiah Phelan, Mary Phelan, John B. Greene, J.R. Berwick, Frederick A. Currey and Francis E. Curry, with memoranda and trace maps, 28 items  
1843-51 & 1870-8

IV.iii.20.T Education

*IV.iii.20.T(1) Lismore Schools*

- MS 43,473/ 1** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and the Office of Education concerning Lismore Male and Female National and National Agricultural Schools, with references to the salaries, appointment and promotion of teachers, with circulars, rules for the Male School (1838), returns for the Males and Female Schools (1843), and newspaper cuttings, 37 items  
1837-43
- MS 43,473/ 2** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and the Office of Education concerning the administration of Lismore Male and Female National and National Agricultural Schools, with circulars and applications for grants, 39 items  
1845-64
- MS 43,473/ 3** Letters and circulars from the Office of Education concerning the administration of Lismore Male and Female National and National Agricultural Schools, 28 items  
1865-71
- MS 43,473/ 4** Returns of tabulated answers to the queries of the Education Commissioners concerning Lismore Male and Female National Schools, with headings relating to the operation, rules, average attendance and income of the school, and the experience and character of the teachers, 32 items  
1835-71
- MS 43,473/ 5** Letters concerning Lismore National Schools, correspondents include P. Quinlan, Dr. H. Newell, J.G. Fitzgerald, Frances Murphy, C. Mahony, Nicholas Hayes, John Lynch, Vincent Fitzsimon, H.L. D'Arcy and Rev. William Gill, 35 items  
1846-83
- MS 43,473/ 6** Letters from Eliza Bruce and H.F. Goblet concerning the purchase of lace patterns for use at Lismore Female School, 10 items  
1856-8
- MS 43,473/ 7** Letters concerning Lismore Endowed School, correspondents include Rev. W. Spedding, Joseph Fulton, William Sullivan, J.J. Noble, Rev. J. Mackeown, Rev. Thomas Patterson, J.E. Gillon, William Currey, Frederick A. Currey, C. Herbert Currey and

William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, 44 items  
1866-76

**MS 43,473/ 8** Letters concerning Lismore College, correspondents include J.E. Gillon, D. Munsey, M. Foster, Albert Honey and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, with a report on examinations held at Lismore College (Dec 1878), 32 items  
1877-83

**MS 43,473/ 9** Letters concerning Lismore Christian Brothers School, correspondents include M. Healy, Pierce Kelly, Rev. J.C. Frawley, Edward O'Donnell, William Currey and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, with newspaper cuttings, 27 items  
1870-7

**MS 43,473/ 10** Letters from William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, Lord Edward Cavendish and Basil Orpin concerning Lismore Parochial and Convent Schools, 16 items  
1871-4 & 1885

*IV.iii.20.T(2) Tallow Schools*

**MS 43,474** Letters and papers concerning the Erasmus Smith, National and Convent Schools in Tallow, correspondents include Rev. J. Jackson, F.B. Woodward, J.G. Fitzgerald and Archdeacon D.F. Ryland, with lists of subscribers, accounts, and annual reports of Tallow Infant School, 38 items  
1839-56 & 1867-75

*IV.iii.20.T(3) Bandon Schools*

**MS 43,475/ 1** Letters concerning various schools in Bandon and Ballymodan, including a site for a National Model School, the establishment of a Presbetyrian school and the convent school, correspondents include J.R. Berwick, Dr Stephen Browne, Rev. C.B. Bernard, Robert Reddy and Mary Gash, with a statement of the funds of the Boy's Free School of Ballymodan, 30 items  
1839-49, 1855-6 & 1864-85

**MS 43,475/ 2** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry, P. Riordan and Benjamin Currey concerning the mastership of Bandon School, with letters from Henry Stewart, William Sullivan, Earl Fitzwilliam, Robert Chaloner, Rev. Patrick Fogarty, Thomas Kearney, Stephen Browne and others, 45 items  
1842



- MS 43,475/ 3** Letters concerning Bandon Endowed School, correspondents include J.R. Berwick, George Sherlock, Dr. S. Brown, T.R. Tresilian, Rev. Henry Murphy, Rev. William Hechler, the Bishop of Cashel and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, with a memorial from the inhabitants of Bandon, and a list of boys eligible to attend the school, 42 items  
1878-80
- MS 43,475/ 4** Letters concerning Bandon Endowed School, correspondents include J.R. Berwick, Rev. Henry Murphy, George Shaw, Thomas Moffett, Rev. H.E. Townshend, Rev. William Hechler, George Sherlock, the Bishops of Tuam and Cashel and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, with memorials from the Roman Catholic inhabitants of Bandon, and a schedule of candidates for the mastership, 56 items  
1880
- MS 43,475/ 5** Letters concerning Ballymodan Protestant School, correspondents include J.R. Berwick, Rev. J.L. Darling, James Moriarty and Lord Hartington, with an appeal and memorial from the select vestry, and proposed alterations in tenure of land for school buildings, 18 items  
1878-81

*IV.iii.20.T(4) Youghal Schools*

- MS 43,476/ 1** Letters concerning Youghal Endowed School, correspondents include Rev. R. Smiddy, Rev. Thomas Wakeham, James Egan, George Shea, Henry Parley, Charles Compton Cavendish MP, William Villiers-Stuart, Robert Reddy and Benjamin Currey, 46 items  
1840-7
- MS 43,476/ 2** Letters concerning Youghal Endowed School, correspondents include William Sullivan, Rev. Patrick Fogarty, Rev. P.W. Drew, Henry Parley, John Browne, Rev. Samuel Hayman, Rev. W. Henry Halpin, John Scannell, Robert Baldwin and William Currey, 50 items  
1849-63
- MS 43,476/ 3** Letters concerning Youghal Endowed School, correspondents include Rev. W. Henry Halpin, George Ashe, Rev. Samuel Hayman, John Hawkes, Rev. William Shaw, J.J. Noble, Rev. P.W. Drew, William G. Fitzgerald, Rev. Richard Jones and Frederick A. Currey, 81 items  
1864-72

- MS 43,476/ 4** Letters concerning Youghal Endowed School, correspondents include F.D. Carr, Rev. Richard Jones, William H. Hamilton, John Fawcett, George Sherlock, Stephen Browne, T.P. Edwards, J.R. Berwick and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, 51 items 1873
- MS 43,476/ 5** Letters concerning Youghal Endowed School, correspondents include Rev. Richard Jones, Richard Doherty, James Weir, William H. Hamilton, John Fawcett, George Sherlock, John Booth, Stephen Browne, T.P. Edwards, J.R. Berwick and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, 52 items 1874
- MS 43,476/ 6** Letters concerning Youghal Endowed School, correspondents include Rev. Richard Jones, Frederic King, Thomas Thane, J. Bryson, Thomas Tweedy, J.C. Westwood, Rev. L. O'Sullivan, Dr. John Stubbs and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, 72 items 1875-84

*IV.iii.20.T(5) Glengarragh School*

- MS 43,477/ 1** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and the secretaries of the Office of National Education, regarding Glengarragh Male and Female National Schools, with letters from P. Quinlan and T. Sheehan and miscellaneous returns, maps and drawings, 50 items 1840-51 [*Some items damaged and very fragile*]
- MS 43,477/ 2** Letters concerning Glengarragh Male and Female National Schools, correspondents include the secretaries of the Office of National Education, Thomas Kirkpatrick, P. Quinlan and H.L. D'Arcy, with returns of answers to the queries of the Education Commissioners, 39 items 1852-69
- MS 43,477/ 3** Letters concerning Glengarragh Male and Female National Schools, correspondents include the secretaries of the Office of National Education, W.H. Newell, C. Mahony, Lewis Harkin and W.M. Weir, with returns of answers to the queries of the Education Commissioners, 23 items 1870-83

*IV.iii.20.T(6) Other Schools*

- MS 43,478/ 1** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Rev. Francis Brady concerning land for a school-house at Enniskeane, 15 items  
1838-42
- MS 43,478/ 2** Letters concerning regarding Ballinvelly National School, correspondents include the secretaries of the Office of National Education, John Whyte, J.R. Berwick, Ellen O'Donnell, W.M. Wier, J.G. Fitzgerald and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, with returns of answers to the queries of the Education Commissioners, 44 items  
1856-85
- MS 43,478/ 3** Letters concerning Mogeely School, correspondents include Rev. Pierce Green, Rev. James Greene, Thomas Rice, Frederick A. Currey and the Duke of Devonshire, with a draft grant of land, 17 items  
1868 & 1876
- MS 43,478/ 4** Letters concerning schools at Bishopstown, Conna and Ballynoe, Kilcalf, Kilmurry and various other places, correspondents include John O'Keefe and Rev. James Walsh, with correspondence with the Office of National Education, Dublin, a proposal for a school at Kilcalf Mountain and a plan of the proposed site drawn by Alex[ander] Anderson, 33 items  
1839-55
- MS 43,478/ 5** Letters concerning schools at Ahern, Brinny, Castlelack, Curryglass, Kilbrogan, Killowen, Templemartin, Tullyglass and other places, correspondents include Rev. J.W. Hopkins, Rev. J. Stevenson, Rev. Thomas Walsh, Alexander Swanston, J.R. Berwick and the secretaries of the Office of National Education, 40 items  
1853-83
- MS 43,478/ 6** Letters concerning schools at Aghigohill, Garranes and Mawbeg, correspondents include J.R. Berwick, Frederick A. Currey and the secretaries of the Office of National Education, 44 items  
1869-81

*IV.iii.20.T(7) Industrial and Agricultural Schools*

- MS 43,479/ 1** Letters concerning Templemoyle Seminary and Agricultural School, correspondents include Sir Robert Ferguson, John A. Smyth, Alexander Anderson, James Wall, Pitt Skipton and John Campbell, with an annual report (1838), statements of accounts, and newspaper cutting, 30 items  
1837-8

- MS 43,479/ 2** Letters concerning Templemoyle Seminary and Agricultural School, correspondents include Pitt Skipton, John A. Smyth, Miles O'Neill, James Wall, Philip Barry, Alexander Anderson, Stephen Bible, Samuel Patterson and John Campbell with a recommendation form for admission of a pupil, and reports of the committee, 46 items  
1839-49 & 1857
- MS 43,479/ 3** Letters and papers concerning Glengarragh Agricultural School, correspondents include William Hamill, James Macdonnell, Rev. Patrick Fogarty and the secretaries of the Office of Education, with circulars and a copy of rules and regulations issued by the Commissioners of National Education, 24 items  
1848-51
- MS 43,479/ 4** Letters and papers concerning Glengarragh Agricultural School, correspondents include Thomas Kirkpatrick, J.G. Fitzgerald, James Walsh, Lewis Harkin and the secretaries of the Office of Education, with a prospectus and various circulars, 40 items  
1853-81
- MS 43,479/ 5** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Richard Barter (Munster Agricultural School and Model Farm), Sir Robert Kane and Major N.L. Beamish, concerning Ballygaggin Model Farm and Agricultural School, with letters from Richard Dowden, Ellen Haynes and Thomas Tobin, newspaper cuttings, and a report of the committee, 27 items  
1850
- MS 43,479/ 6** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry, Richard Barter and Major N.L. Beamish concerning Ballygaggin Model Farm and Agricultural School, with letters from Alexander Swanston and the secretaries of the Office of Education and a newspaper cutting, 37 items  
1851-3
- MS 43,479/ 7** Letters and papers concerning Munster Model Farm and Dairy and Agricultural School, correspondents include W.H. Newell, Alexander Swanston, William Boyle, W.J. Hamilton, J.R. Berwick, William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire and the secretaries of the Office of Education, with a report from the County Cork Agricultural Society, a profit and loss account, and newspaper cuttings, 40 items  
1853-5 & 1877-85
- MS 43,479/ 8** Letters and circulars concerning County Waterford Industrial

Schools, correspondents include Dr. Lentaigne, Henry Villiers-Stuart MP and R.J. Ussher, with subscriptions lists and newspaper cuttings, 22 items  
1870-84

**MS 43,479/ 9** Letters from William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire concerning subscriptions for schools at Cappoquin, Youghal, Bandon, Tallow, Curryglass and other locations, with additional letters from Rev. D.F. Ryland, Sister Catherine Devereux, Margaret Stokes and J.R. Berwick, 30 items  
1870-85

*IV.iii.20.T(8) The Education Commission*

**MS 43,480/ 1** Letters and circulars from the National Education Commissioners, concerning the establishment of National Schools, the erection of school-houses and the appointment, attendance, examination and payment of National School teachers, 37 items  
1839-57

**MS 43,480/ 2** Letters and circulars from the National Education Commissioners concerning the payment and classification of teachers and plans and specifications for the erection of teachers' residencies, with a printed prospectus for Model National Agricultural Schools, and a notice about the purchase of harmoniums at a reduced rate, 36 items  
1862-76

**MS 43,480/ 3** Letters and circulars from the National Education Commissioners, concerning the payment and examination of teachers and monitors, teachers' associations and meetings and training colleges, with circulars relating to teacher's residences and the programme of examination in the Irish Language for pupils of 5th and 6th classes in National Schools (1878), 27 items  
1878-85 [*One item badly damaged and fragile*]

*IV.iii.20.T(9) Additional Papers*

**MS 43,481/ 1** Letters from W. Neilson Hancock (Secretary of the Endowed Schools [Ireland] Commission) concerning Bandon, Lismore and Youghal Endowed Schools, with circulars, a return and an extract from the will of Richard, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cork (24 Nov 1642) relating to endowed schools, 17 items  
1855

**MS 43,481/ 2** Memoranda of agreements between Francis E. Curry (in the

capacity of local manager) with teachers at Lismore, Glengarra and Ballinvella Agricultural and National Schools, 11 items  
1848 & 1872-85

- MS 43,481/ 3** Miscellaneous letters and papers relating to schools, colleges and education, including the Church Education Society for Ireland, the Society for Promoting Freedom of Education, St. Nicolas' School Building Fund, the Educational Endowment Commission and the establishment of a Provincial College for Munster, correspondents include Edmond Downing, George Webster, Margaret Walsh, James K. Walsh and J.R. Berwick, 41 items  
1838-85

#### IV.iii.20.U Fisheries

##### *IV.iii.20.U(1) River Blackwater: General Correspondence*

- MS 43,482/ 1** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Richard Power Ronayne concerning his weir on the River Blackwater, with a letter from George Howard, Viscount Morpeth (Chief Secretary for Ireland), 22 items  
1838-43
- MS 43,482/ 2** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Captain Charles Cox concerning the rental of the fourth fish on the River Blackwater, with letters from Benjamin Currey and John Thomas Ball, 42 items  
1842-55
- MS 43,482/ 3** Letters and papers concerning poor rate and income tax deductions on rent of the fourth fish on the River Blackwater, correspondents include Major Charles Cox, John B. Greene, W. Lawdon and Edward Hyde (General Superintendent, Income Tax Office, Dublin), with a draft and copy of the case by John Thomas Ball, 29 items  
1856-66
- MS 43,482/ 4** Letters and petitions from John Sheehan of Bridane concerning claims for payments for his services as water bailiff on the River Blackwater from Lismore to Youghal, 27 items  
1871-8

##### *IV.iii.20.U(2) River Blackwater: Administration*

- MS 43,483/ 1** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry, Benjamin Currey and J. Dillon Croker (Secretary, Blackwater Fishery Association)

- concerning Lismore Weir and the River Blackwater fishery, with letters from David Scott, Richard Jones, Sir Richard Musgrave, Patrick Foley and Robert McCall, public notices, a list of subscriptions, and newspaper cuttings, 26 items  
1838-45
- MS 43,483/ 2** Letters and papers concerning the Blackwater fisheries, with special reference to the erection and valuation of salmon weirs, correspondents include Matthew Keane, Patrick Foley, Benjamin Currey, Nelson T. Foley, George B. Jackson and Michael Kennedy, with newspaper cuttings and returns of the sale of salmon, 51 items  
1839-44
- MS 43,483/ 3** Letters and papers concerning the Blackwater fisheries, including requests for permission to fish, salmon weirs and the appointment of inspectors and the election of conservators, correspondents include William McCarthy, David Kiernan, Patrick Foley, Thomas Ronayne, Nelson T. Foley, Basil Orpin and the Inspectors of Fisheries, with public notices and circulars, 54 items  
1845-69
- MS 43,483/ 4** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Joseph Verling Carpenter (Honorary Secretary) concerning subscriptions to the Blackwater Fishery Protective Association, with circular and list of subscribers, 7 items  
1864
- MS 43,483/ 5** Miscellaneous letters and papers concerning the Blackwater fisheries, including the use of nets, granting of licences and the proceedings of the Boards of Conservators, correspondents include Basil Orpin, William Currey, Alan Hornsby, Maurice Power, James McCartney, Frederick A. Currey, William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, the Office of Inland Fisheries and the Direct Fish Supply Association, with public notices and a copy judgement (13 Mar 1878), 34 items  
1867-80
- MS 43,483/ 6** Miscellaneous letters and papers concerning the Blackwater fisheries, including the appointment of water bailiffs, the election of conservators and cases of trespass, correspondents include J.P. Furlong, Rev. Richard Jones, William Franks, W.P. Creagh, A.E. Ussher and J.R. Berwick, with public notices, newspaper cuttings, and papers relating to the Close Time Fisheries (Ireland) Amendment Bill, 35 items  
1881-5

*IV.iii.20.U(3) Legislation*

- MS 43,484/ 1** Report of the Select Committee on Salmon Fisheries, Scotland; with Minutes of Evidence, Appendix and Index, 1 item  
1836
- MS 43,484/ 2** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Benjamin Currey concerning a parliamentary bill to regulate the Irish fisheries, with letters from Henry Paine (secretary, Office of Public Works) and Patrick Foley, notes and observations on the provisions of the bill, petitions, and newspaper cuttings, 31 items  
1842-4
- MS 43,484/ 3** Select Committee on Fisheries (Ireland) Bill: Copies of the bill as introduced and as amended by committee and on report, 3 items  
1842
- MS 43,484/ 4** Letters and papers concerning the Fisheries (Ireland) Bill, correspondents include Richard Butler, 2nd Earl of Glengall, Henry Villiers-Stuart, 1st Baron Stuart de Decies, James Redmond Barry, Nelson T. Foley and Robert Casey, with a copy of the bill and various reports, pamphlets, circulars, and newspaper cuttings, 36 items  
1846-9
- MS 43,484/ 5** Letters and papers concerning the Fisheries (Ireland) Bill, including memoranda relating to the Blackwater fishery suits (1816-32) to establish and protect the rights of the Duke of Devonshire, and evidence and declarations of witnesses relative to Lismore weir, 20 items  
1849
- MS 43,484/ 6** Select Committee on Fisheries, Ireland: Copy of the evidence of Francis E. Curry, 2 items  
26 & 27 Apr 1849
- MS 43,484/ 7** Index to the Report from the Select Committee on Fisheries (Ireland), 1 item  
20 Jul 1849
- MS 43,484/ 8** Irish Fisheries: A Bill to consolidate and amend the Acts relating to Irish Fisheries (16 Feb 1850), with observations and a petition, 4 items  
1850
- MS 43,484/ 9** Irish Fisheries: A Bill to consolidate and amend the Acts relating to Irish Fisheries, 2 items



5 Feb 1850

- MS 43,484/ 10** Letters from Robert Worthington and Nelson Trafalgar Foley concerning meetings to discuss the Irish salmon fisheries, with copies of resolutions, circulars, and a newspaper cutting, 7 items 1850-1 & 1855
- MS 43,484/ 11** Letters and papers concerning the Fishery Bill (Ireland), correspondents include Henry Villiers-Stuart, 1st Baron Stuart de Decies, John Browne, W. Sinclair and E. Sinclair, with circulars from the Association for Amendment of the Irish Fishery Laws, pamphlets and observations on the bill, and newspaper cuttings, 16 items 1861-3
- MS 43,484/ 12** Letters and papers relating to inquiries by the Special Commissioners for Irish Fisheries, correspondents include Thomas Slattery, Thomas Brady, Frederick Eden, Sir Richard Musgrave, Nelson T. Foley and Randal McDonnell, with public notices and newspaper cuttings, 24 items 1851-67
- MS 43,484/ 13** Letters and papers concerning regulations and bye-laws issued by the Inspectors of Fisheries, correspondents include Thomas Brady, Alan Hornsby, Nelson T. Foley, Commander Philip Parker, Christopher Ussher and J.V. Carpenter, with reports, circulars, public notices and newspaper cuttings, 42 items 1870-80

*IV.iii.20.U(4) Rivers Lee, Bandon and Bride*

- MS 43,485/ 1** Letters and papers concerning the River Lee (Cork) and River Bandon fisheries, correspondents include Jacob and John Biggs, the Special Commissioners for Irish Fisheries, Philip Bass, John Carleton and Edward Bell, with trace maps, newspaper cuttings, a memorial from the Duke of Devonshire to the Lord Lieutenant (16 May 1866) and public notices, 40 items 1818, 1838-40, 1851 & 1865-8
- MS 43,485/ 2** Letters and papers concerning the River Lee (Cork) and River Bandon fisheries, correspondents include J.R. Berwick and Alan Hornsby (Secretary, Office of Irish Fisheries), with a copy of counsel's advice, a judge's certificate and a public notice, 27 items 1869-85
- MS 43,485/ 3** Letters and papers concerning the River Bride fishery,

correspondents include C. O'Brien, Edmond Barry, Patrick Foley, Major Edward Croker, Colonel G. Bushe, Robert Perceval Maxwell and J.R. Berwick, with reports and an account of new weirs on the river (1857), 26 items  
1841-61 & 1870

*IV.iii.20.U(5) Sea Fisheries*

**MS 43,486/ 1** Letters and papers concerning the river and sea fisheries at Youghal, correspondents include Francis E. Curry, Thomas Hodnett, Thomas McCarthy, John Browne, Thomas Stack, Thomas Brady, Maurice Power, William Franks, Henry Keily, Alan Hornsby, and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, with newspaper cuttings, public notices, and a memorial from the drift net fishermen, 39 items  
1839-85

**MS 43,486/ 2** Letters concerning the employment of trawl and trammel nets in Dungarvan sea fisheries, correspondents include James Byrne, Edmond Walsh, John Hudson and William Villiers-Stuart, with newspaper cuttings and memorials from the fishermen, 27 items  
1841-2

**MS 43,486/ 3** Letters concerning employment of trammel nets in Dungarvan sea fisheries, correspondents include James Byrne, Maurice O'Connell, James Redmond Barry, Rev. M. Crofton and John Hudson, with newspaper cuttings, public notices and a memorial from the fishermen, 24 items  
1844-5 & 1848

*IV.iii.20.U(6) Commissioners' Reports*

**MS 43,487/ 1** *Second Report of the Commissioners of Inquiry into the State of the Irish Fisheries, with Minutes of Evidence* (Dublin, 1836), 1 item  
1836

**MS 43,487/ 2** *Fourth Annual Report of the Commissioners of Public Works on the Fisheries of Ireland* (Dublin, 1846), with Commission pamphlets on the curing of fish (1846) and bait for sea fisheries (1847), 3 items

**MS 43,487/ 3** *Report of the Commissioners of Fisheries, Ireland for 1854* (Dublin, 1855), 1 item  
1855

**MS 43,487/ 4** *Report of the Special Commissioners for Irish Fisheries* (Dublin,

- 1864); *Report of the Special Commissioners for Irish Fisheries for 1864* (Dublin, 1865), 2 items  
1864-5
- MS 43,487/ 5**      *Report of the Special Commissioners for Irish Fisheries for 1865* (Dublin, 1866), 2 items  
1866
- MS 43,487/ 6**      *Report of the Special Commissioners for Irish Fisheries for 1866* (Dublin, 1867); *Report of the Special Commissioners for Irish Fisheries for 1867* (Dublin, 1868); *Report of the Special Commissioners for Irish Fisheries for 1868* (Dublin, 1869), 3 items  
1867-9
- MS 43,487/ 7**      *Report of the Deep Sea and Coast Fishery Commissioners, Ireland, for 1864* (Dublin, 1865); *Report of the Deep Sea and Coast Fishery Commissioners, Ireland, for 1866* (Dublin, 1867), 2 items  
1865-7
- MS 43,487/ 8**      *Report of the Deep Sea and Coast Fishery Commissioners, Ireland, for 1867* (Dublin, 1868), 2 items  
1868
- MS 43,487/ 9**      *Report of the Deep Sea and Coast Fishery Commissioners, Ireland, for 1868* (Dublin, 1869), 2 items  
1869
- MS 43,487/ 10**      *Report of the Deep Sea and Coast Fishery Commissioners, Ireland, for 1869* (Dublin, 1870), 1 item  
1870

#### IV.iii.20.V Railways

The papers in this section refer to various regional railway schemes for Ireland, some of which date from the 1830s. Amongst the papers are materials concerning early Irish railways such as the Cork and Youghal and Cork and Bandon Railways, and to lines which were largely funded by William Cavendish, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, such as the Fermoy and Lismore Railway which was completed in 1872. It should be noted that all papers relating to another of the Duke's investments - the Waterford, Lismore and Dungarvan Railway, which was completed in 1878, are held in Waterford County Archives.

##### *IV.iii.20.V(1) Various Lines (1835-67)*

- MS 43,488/ 1**      Letters and papers relating to various schemes for the construction of railways in Ireland, including the Eastern Counties Railway,

Kilkenny, Clonmel and Youghal Railway and Cork and Waterford Railway, correspondents include Richard Butler, 2nd Earl of Glengall, Daniel Meagher, Thomas Foley, Luke Duff, Henry Villiers-Stuart, 1st Baron Stuart de Decies, W.H. Green and William Hutchinson, with prospectuses, statements, reports and newspaper cuttings, 33 items  
1835-46

- MS 43,488/ 2** Letters and papers relating to various schemes for the construction of railways in Ireland, including the Waterford and Kilkenny Railway, Waterford and Limerick Railway, Carlow and Wicklow Railway and the Cork and Kinsale Railway, correspondents include Lord Glengall, Andrew Stewart, Henry Villiers-Stuart, 1st Baron Stuart de Decies, Cornelius O'Callaghan, 1st Viscount Lismore and Sir Gerald Fitzgerald with reports, newspaper cuttings and a copy of 'An Act for consolidating ... certain Provisions... authorizing the making of Railways' (8 May 1845), 19 items  
1845 & 1852-67

*IV.iii.20.V(2) Cork and Youghal Railway*

- MS 43,489/ 1** Letters and papers relating to the Cork and Youghal Railway, including letters to Francis E. Curry from Murdoch Green, Abraham Fisher, Thomas Connell and William Marks, and correspondence between Thomas Jameson, Thomas John, Isaac Butt MP, Sir Joseph Paxton, and Isambard Kingdom Brunel, with a prospectus, circulars, directors' reports, and newspaper cuttings, 37 items  
1844-5 & 1852-5

- MS 43,489/ 2** Letters and papers relating to the Cork and Youghal Railway, including letters to Francis E. Curry from Thomas John, Issac Butt MP, Thomas Jameson, John C. Browne and Thomas French, with reports of general meetings of shareholders and proprietors, pamphlets and circulars for shareholders, a statement of the present liabilities of the company and newspaper cuttings, 41 items  
1856-8

- MS 43,489/ 3** Letters and papers relating to the Cork and Youghal Railway, including letters to Francis E. Curry from Issac Butt MP, Murdoch Green, John C. Browne, Frederick A. Klein, J.J. Byrne and J.M. Green, with reports of general meetings of proprietors, circulars and a bond and draft conveyance between the Duke of Devonshire and the Cork and Youghal Railway Company, 38 items  
1859-63

*IV.iii.20.V(3) Cork and Bandon Railway*

- MS 43,490/ 1** Letters and papers relating to the Cork and Bandon Railway, correspondents include John Blacker Buchanan, H. Williams Wood, Alexander Swanston and J.C. Bernard, with the reports of directors and engineers, a memorandum on railway projects in County Cork (2 Jan 1846), accounts, a memorial to the Duke of Devonshire, and newspaper cuttings, 21 items  
1844-52 [*Some items badly damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,490/ 2** Letters and papers relating to the Cork and Bandon Railway, including a memorandum by John Orpin, a copy of 'An Act to enable the Cork and Bandon Railway Company to make a Branch Railway to Skibereen and to raise further Capital...' (3 Jul 1854), a report to the directors concerning railway communication to the eastern harbours of Ireland (1850), and newspaper cuttings, 12 items  
1850-59 & 1873-4 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,490/ 3** Letters from J.R. Berwick concerning the purchase of Cook's Meadow by the Cork and Bandon Railway Company, 14 items  
1871-6 & 1882

*IV.iii.20.V(4) Various Lines (1853-85)*

- MS 43,491/ 1** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Richard Muggeridge concerning a survey for a railway line between Clonmel and Youghal to pass through Lismore, with letters from W. Purdon and Richard Butler, 2nd Earl of Glengall, 8 items  
1853
- MS 43,491/ 2** Papers relating to the West Cork Railway, including 'An Act to incorporate a Company for making Railways in the West Part of the County of Cork...' (28 Aug 1860), and an agreement and draft conveyance from the Duke of Devonshire to the West Cork Railway Company, 3 items  
1860 & 1863
- MS 43,491/ 3** Letters and papers concerning the proposed construction of the Cork, Middleton and Fermoy Junction Railway, including a prospectus, applications for shares and legal opinion as to the liability of provisional directors of the railway, 7 items  
1861
- MS 43,491/ 4** Letter from J.S. Lyster concerning the Cork and Macroom Railway, with reports of directors, returns and a timetable, and letter and papers relating to the Clonmel and Thurles, Waterford and Fermoy,

and Waterford and Wexford Railways, 10 items  
1863 & 1870-5

- MS 43,491/ 5** Letters from James Dillon and S.G. Fraser concerning the proposed construction of the Cork and Fermoy Direct Railway, with a report of a meeting of directors, applications for shares, telegrams, and newspaper cuttings, 17 items  
1877-81 & 1884-5
- MS 43,491/ 6** Letters from Benjamin Franklin, F.M. Jennings and Sir James Ramsden concerning the Clonmel, Lismore and Dungarvan Railway and the Dublin, Wicklow and Wexford Railway, with a memorandum, proposal, and newspaper cutting, 11 items  
1880-1 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- IV.iii.20.V(5) Fermoy and Lismore Railway*
- MS 43,492/ 1** Letters and papers concerning the proposed construction of the Waterford to Fermoy Railway, correspondents include Sir Joseph Paxton, George Wythes, Joseph Fisher and Henry Villiers-Stuart, 1st Baron Stuart de Decies, with newspaper cuttings, and copies of the prospectus, 26 items  
1856-7
- MS 43,492/ 2** Letters and papers concerning the proposed construction of the Fermoy, Lismore and Dungarvan Railway, correspondents include H. Williams Wood, H. Conybeare, Sir John Keane, Sir Richard Musgrave and Henry Villiers-Stuart, 1st Baron Stuart de Decies, with guarantees of indemnity for provisional directors, and copies of the prospectus, 13 items  
1860-1
- MS 43,492/ 3** Letters and papers concerning the proposed construction of the Cork, Fermoy and Waterford Railway, correspondents include H. Williams Wood, Edmund Holland, John A. Smith and Basil Orpin, with copy of preliminary prospectus, and newspaper cuttings, 9 items  
1862-3
- MS 43,492/ 4** Letters and papers concerning the proposed construction of a railway line from Clonmel to Cork via Lismore and Fermoy, correspondents include H. Williams Wood, Henry Villiers-Stuart, 1st Baron Stuart de Decies, Charles Cotton, John Pollock and Edmond Power, with reports of meetings, 27 items  
1863-4

- MS 43,492/ 5** Letters and papers relating to the Fermoy and Lismore Railway, correspondents include O.C. Edwards, J.J. Byrne, W. Purdon, Charles Cotton, P.D. Jeffers, Henry Rounthwaite and Robert Williams, with 'Heds of a public act for the promotion of railway projects in Ireland...' by Edmond Power, estimates for the cost of the railway, a copy of the Fermoy and Lismore Railway Act, and newspaper cuttings, 35 items  
1868-9
- MS 43,492/ 6** Letters and papers relating to the Fermoy and Lismore Railway, correspondents include O.C. Edwards, W. Purdon, Rev. Joseph Donaldson, William Bowles, Messrs. Barrington & Jeffers, Messrs. Currey & Holland, John Bagwell and Robert White, with a schedule and valuation of land belonging to Sir Richard Musgrave, and an arbitrator's notice, 47 items  
1870
- MS 43,492/ 7** Letters and papers relating to the Fermoy and Lismore Railway, correspondents include O.C. Edwards, R.W. White, W. Purdon, George Dennehy, G.E. Ilbery, Messrs. Barrington & Jeffers and William Drennan, with proposals for and lists of passenger fares and goods rates, an abstract of expenditure, and newspaper cuttings, 54 items  
1871-2
- MS 43,492/ 8** Letters concerning the tithe rentcharge liabilities of the Fermoy and Lismore Railway, correspondents include John Barry, Colonel Arthur Lucas, Rev. Joseph Donaldson, James Corbet, John Fox, David Rice, Henry Mills and Major George Bowles, 31 items  
1871-2
- MS 43,492/ 9** Letters and papers concerning the tithe rentcharge liabilities of the Fermoy and Lismore Railway, correspondents include Rev. William Sherrard, Thomas Rice, Michael Bourke, Arthur Campbell, Henry P. Garde, Denis Foley and Colonel Gervase Bushe, with a tithe rentcharge schedule, and forms of proposal for the purchase of tithe rentcharge, 30 items  
1872-3 & 1885
- MS 43,492/ 10** Letters from G. Noble and J.W. Elwin, with accounts of clearing house expenses and general accounts for the Fermoy and Lismore Railway, 17 items  
1872-83
- MS 43,492/ 11** Letters and papers relating to the Fermoy and Lismore Railway, correspondents include G.E. Ilbery (Great Southern and Western

- Railway Co.), Daniel Molloy, Richard Keane, J. Banks and W. Purdon, with lists of goods rates, 48 items  
1873 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,492/ 12** Letters, circulars, returns and accounts from the Great Southern and Western Railway concerning the operation of the Fermoy and Lismore Railway, correspondents include R.J. Bulkeley, J. Jones, Daniel Molloy, William Scott and M. Foley, with a copy agreement, and an index to English railway stations, 40 items  
1873-4 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,492/ 13** Letters and papers relating to the Fermoy and Lismore Railway, including the payment of contractors, the accounts of the company, day excursions and tickets, correspondents include George Edward Ilbery, Daniel Molloy, W. Purdon, William Scott, John George MacCarthy, Richard F. Keane, John Allen and O.C. Edwards, 55 items  
1874
- MS 43,492/ 14** Letters and papers relating to the Fermoy and Lismore Railway, correspondents include G.E. Ilbery, Daniel Molloy, James Connell, William Scott, Basil Orpin, Thomas Cook & Son, O.C. Edwards, Edward Kendall and James Murray, with an account and list of works, 42 items  
1875
- MS 43,492/ 15** Letters, circulars and returns from the Great Southern and Western Railway concerning the operation of the Fermoy and Lismore Railway, correspondents include G.E. Ilbery, Richard Perceval, Robert Colhoun and F.B. Ormsby, with returns of ticket and goods rates, 29 items  
1875-84 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,492/ 16** Copy correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Kenneth Bayley (Great Southern and Western Railway Co.) relating to the Fermoy and Lismore Railway, with letters from Patrick Dwyer, Rev. Arundel Hill, G.E. Ilbery and James Murray, with accounts of expenditure, 23 items  
1876-81 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,492/ 17** Letters and papers relating to the Fermoy and Lismore Railway, correspondents include Sir James Ramsden, J.C. Colville, F.B. Ormsby, Messers. Barrington & Co. and Frederick A. Currey, with a copy of the case concerning the Great Southern and Western Railway Company and legal opinion of Piers White QC, 22 items  
1882



**MS 43,492/ 18** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and A. Oliver Lyons (County Surveyor) concerning repairs to bridge approaches on the Fermoy and Lismore Railway, with accounts of expenditure and copies of a working agreement between the Fermoy and Lismore Railway Company and the Great Southern and Western Railway Company, 12 items  
1883-5

IV.iii.20.W Town Affairs

*IV.iii.20.W(1) Bandon*

**MS 43,493/ 1** Letters and petitions concerning the establishment of a corn market in Bandon, correspondents include Somers Payne, Maskeleyne Alcock, Rev. A. Sealy and Alexander Swanston, with returns of butchers at Bandon Meat Market and a public notice (1840), 14 items  
1839-42

**MS 43,493/ 2** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry, James Gray (manager) and Robert Murray concerning premises for the Provincial Bank of Ireland in Bandon, with letters from J.R. Berwick and Frederick A. Currey concerning the branches of the Provincial and Munster Banks in Bandon, 32 items  
1842-3 & 1873-80

**MS 43,493/ 3** Letters concerning the deeds, lease and financial position of Bandon Town Hall, correspondents include R.L. Allman, W.C. Sullivan, George Goold, J.R. Berwick and William Currey, 37 items  
1843 & 1860-76

**MS 43,493/ 4** Letters and papers concerning Bandon Savings Bank, correspondents include Thomas Fuller (secretary), T.R. Tresilian, and Alexander Swanston, with general statements of funds (1843, 1844 & 1859), a copy of minutes of a meeting of the trustees (17 Oct 1848), a memorial from the trustees to the Duke of Devonshire concerning their lease (1858), and an application for a new lease (17 Jun 1879), 21 items  
1843-79

**MS 43,493/ 5** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry, Pitt Skipton, James Craig and Henry Wiggins concerning the engagement of James Craig as steward of Bandon estate, with letters from David Craig, 13 items

1847, 1861-74 & 1884

- MS 43,493/ 6** Letters and petitions regarding the reductions of rents on houses and the payment of 'street money' in Bandon, correspondents include William Sullivan and Alexander Swanston, 12 items  
1852-64
- MS 43,493/ 7** Letters and papers concerning donations to the Town Commissioners for the maintenance and improvement of Bandon gas works and the provision of gas lighting, correspondents include Alexander Swanston, Richard Tresilian, Thomas Fuller, J.R. Berwick, Frederick A. Currey and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, with memorials and accounts, 31 items  
1853-80
- MS 43,493/ 8** Letters concerning the letting of Enniskeane and Coolfadda Mills, Bandon, correspondents include Alexander Swanston, J.R. Berwick, Basil Orpin and Frederick A. Currey, 40 items  
1853-80
- MS 43,493/ 9** Letters from Alexander Swanston and J.R. Berwick concerning the accommodation and regulation of fairs held on the Bandon estate, and tree planting on Old Fair Hill, with answers to the queries of the Market Commission Office, 24 items  
1853-81
- MS 43,493/ 10** Letters concerning charges made against James Byrne by his wife Honora, and applications for the Bandon agency, correspondents include Rev. M. Mooney, Richard Hudson, James and Honora Byrne, Thomas Sherlock, John R. Berwick, R.L. Allman and George Sherlock, with newspaper cuttings, 27 items  
1856-68
- MS 43,493/ 11** Letters concerning the visit of the Duke of Devonshire to Bandon and the memorials to be presented to him by the townspeople, with copies of addresses concerning Bandon Town Hall, and newspaper cuttings, 15 items  
1859-63 & n.d.
- MS 43,493/ 12** Letters from J.R. Berwick and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire concerning contributions to the Bandon coal fund, 14 items  
1872-82
- MS 43,493/ 13** Letters from Robert Falvey, Alfred Davis, William Dawson and J.R. Berwick concerning the lease and the sale of interest in the

Devonshire Arms Hotel, Bandon, 25 items  
1838-40 & 1873-82

- MS 43,493/ 14** Letters concerning an application for a site for a masonic lodge at Bandon, with a list of the town's principal freemasons, 3 items  
1869
- MS 43,493/ 15** Letters from J.R. Berwick and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire concerning Bandon Young Mens' Association, 14 items  
1873-85
- MS 43,493/ 16** Letters and circulars concerning the South of Ireland Temperance League and the People's Refreshment Rooms, Bandon, with a pamphlet concerning Sunday closing in Ireland and annual reports for 1877 and 1878-9, 12 items  
1876-81
- MS 43,493/ 17** Letters from J.R. Berwick and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire concerning the water supply to Bandon and a proposed waterworks, 12 items  
1880-4

*IV.iii.20.W(2) Cork*

- MS 43,494/ 1** Letters and papers concerning Gillabbey weir and the pipe waterworks at Cork, correspondents include Alexander Swanston, William Currey, Francis Leahy, John Benson, James Adams, Messrs. Tracy & Nagle and J.R. Berwick with map and schedule of lettings, 40 items  
1853-60
- MS 43,494/ 2** Letters from Richard Hudson, W.E. Shaw, Edmund O'Sullivan and other concerning the appointment of a coroner for County Cork, 7 items  
1855-7 & 1867

*IV.iii.20.W(3) Enniskeane*

- MS 43,495** Letters from Henry Halyburton, Daniel Collins, Daniel Hurley, Alexander Swanston and others concerning the appointment of a pound keeper at Enniskeane, 9 items  
1842

*IV.iii.20.W(4) Youghal*

- MS 43,496/ 1** Letters concerning the Bonding Store at Youghal, correspondents include James Penrose, Vincent Russell, Joseph Dickinson (Comptroller of Customs), Robert McGowan, William Marks & Son and Messrs. Troy & Joyce, with a return of dutiable goods imported into Youghal (1844-5), 28 items  
1839-46 & 1853
- MS 43,496/ 2** Letters and memorials concerning Youghal Strand, correspondents include Sir Richard Keane, Sir Richard Musgrave, John Ward, Thomas Carew, John Hudson, Maurice Slattery, Percy Smyth and Michael Hyde, with returns of sand and gravel removed from Ferry Point, 63 items  
1841-5 & 1861-85
- MS 43,496/ 3** Letters concerning the holding of quarter sessions at Youghal courthouse, correspondents include Richard Pennefather, Thomas John, Judge R. Keating and Lord Lincoln, with a minute of the Privy Council, Dublin (23 Dec 1844), 13 items  
1844-6
- MS 43,496/ 4** Letters from James Higgins and Thomas John concerning an application for a site for a bridewell at Youghal, 5 items  
1844-7
- MS 43,496/ 5** Collection of public notices and placards concerning various events in the town of Youghal, c10 items  
c1840-70

*IV.iii.20.W(5) Dungarvan*

- MS 43,497/ 1** Letters and papers concerning Dungarvan Strands, correspondents include John R. Dower, Richard Hudson, Edward Roberts, Kate Fitzgerald, Richard Pope, Richard Hudson and Robert Longan, with maps and opinion of counsel, 27 items  
1842-9 & 1862-85
- MS 43,497/ 2** Letters and papers concerning the appointment of a butter taster at Dungarvan, correspondents include Richard Hudson, Andrew Carbery, Richard Byrne, James Dower and John Roderick, with a memorial and copies of the resolutions of the Town Commissioners, 25 items  
1854-6
- MS 43,497/ 3** Letters and petitions concerning the use of the Old Courthouse at

Dungarvan by the Temperance Society, correspondents include Benjamin Currey, John Hudson, James Byrne, Andrew Carbery, Lewis Fitzmaurice and Rev. W.G. Giles, 25 items  
1841-4 & 1854-5

*IV.iii.20.W(6) Lismore*

- MS 43,498/ 1** Letters, notices and programmes concerning public events held at Lismore and Tallow courthouses, including lectures, recitals, concerts, dancing classes and “electrical experiments”, correspondents include William Gregory, Abraham Fisher, W.W. Robinson, and Rev. Robert Best, 49 items  
1839-59
- MS 43,498/ 2** Letter from Rev. Samuel Hayman, with advertisements for a lecture on phrenology delivered by Mrs. Alexander Wilson at Lismore, 5 items  
1851
- MS 43,498/ 3** Letters, notices and programmes concerning public events held at Lismore and Tallow courthouses, including exhibitions, lectures, entertainments, public meetings, religious services and concerts, correspondents include Signor Bosco (“the greatest wonder of the age”), Rev. James Hickson, Simon Tomanzier, Louis Hayes and John O’Brien, 46 items  
1861-85
- MS 43,498/ 4** Letters from H.K. Hemming and J. Hallam concerning Lismore Gas, Coke & Coal Company, with share certificates, an indenture, an application for a certificate of incorporation, and a list of shareholders, 13 items  
1853-7

*IV.iii.20.W(7) Tallow*

- MS 43,499/ 1** General correspondence concerning Tallow and Youghal Newsrooms and subscriptions for newspapers including the Dublin Evening Post, Munster News and Waterford Chronicle, with a prospectus for a Waterford journal to be called The Freeman, a circular regarding the Dublin Monitor, and a prospectus for a weekly journal The Land and Water, 48 items  
Aug 1838-66
- MS 43,499/ 2** Letters and papers concerning the establishment of a butter market and the appointment of a butter taster at Tallow, correspondents

include Rev. J. Jackson, Charles Newport, Robert Anglim, Michael Mortimer and Robert Curtis, with newspaper cuttings, pamphlets, and public notices, 29 items  
1846-56

**MS 43,499/ 3** Letters and papers concerning the water supply to Tallow, correspondents include Thomas Eddington and James King, with reports and calculations, 9 items  
1863-73

IV.iii.20.X Town Tenants

*IV.iii.20.X(1) Bandon*

**MS 43,500/ 1** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and William George Allman concerning his premises in Bandon, with a memorandum of their conversation and letters from Thomas Bayly and Mary Allman, 12 items  
1840-2

**MS 43,500/ 2** Letters from J.R. Berwick concerning alterations to the house of George Sherlock in South Main Street, Bandon, 10 items  
1875-9

*IV.iii.20.X(2) Cork*

**MS 43,501** Letters from J.R. Berwick concerning the letting of Skiddies Castle, Cork, with a letter from William Gosnell to William S. Curry (5 Jan 1818), 8 items  
1859 & 1866

*IV.iii.20.X(3) Enniskeane*

**MS 43,502/ 1** Letters and papers concerning houses and holdings in and near Enniskeane, correspondents include Mary Sullivan, John Corcoran, James Keefe, John Ryan, Benjamin Horsford, John Driscoll, Cornelius Sullivan and Alexander Swanston, with reports and memorials, 26 items  
1838-9

**MS 43,502/ 2** Letters from J.R. Berwick, Rev. D. O'Donoghue and Patrick Hurley concerning the late Henry Hallyburton's land at Enniskeane, 3 items  
1867

*IV.iii.20.X(4) Youghal*

- MS 43,503/ 1** Applications for tenancies in Raheen Lane, Youghal, and letters concerning the premises of John Coleman, correspondents include James Murphy, Thomas Keane, F.J. Howard, John Ward and John Coleman, with a list naming the tenants on the south side of Raheen Lane (1841), 24 items  
1837-47
- MS 43,503/ 2** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry, Benjamin Currey, Henry Witham and John Pollock concerning the destruction by fire of the latter's store in Youghal, with a letter from Robert Dunkin and an estimate and specification for roofing the store, 19 items  
1838-44
- MS 43,503/ 3** Letters from Rev. P.W. Drew concerning the maintenance of Strand House, Youghal, and compensation for a house in South Abbey, with letters from John Ward and sketch plans and drawings of Strand House, 32 items  
1839-49
- MS 43,503/ 4** Letters and papers concerning Robert Allman's premises in South Main Street, Youghal, correspondents include Alexander Swanston and Robert Allman, with sketch plans, a drawing, and a memorandum of agreement, 24 items  
1839-43 & 1858-9
- MS 43,503/ 5** Letters from John Ward and Anne Brash of Quay Lane concerning the surrender of her property in return for assistance to emigrate to Canada or America, 6 items  
1840-1
- MS 43,503/ 6** Letters concerning the surrender of Edward Daly's house in South Main Street, Youghal, correspondents include Patrick Cronin, Thomas Flavin, John Ward, Patrick Mansfield, Charles Compton Cavendish MP, Dominick Ronayne and Edward Daly, 31 items  
1840-3
- MS 43,503/ 7** Letters from G.B. Heazley concerning applications for land and premises in Youghal, 13 items  
1840 & 1847-52
- MS 43,503/ 8** Letters and papers concerning the sluice gates at Clay Castle and Whitebog, adjacent to the town of Youghal, correspondents include Richard Taylor, Patrick Murray, W.R. Fitzmaurice, Alexander Anderson and Arthur Miller, with a specification and estimate for

- the repair of the gates, 12 items  
1840-3 & 1852-55
- MS 43,503/ 9** Letters concerning premises let to HM Customs in Youghal, tenements in Meat Shambles Lane, and the Hudson leasehold property in Quay Lane, correspondents include James Barrett, Messrs. Troy & Keily, Robert McGowan, James Biggins and Blessing Hudson, 16 items  
1840-3 & 1849-56
- MS 43,503/ 10** Letters concerning David Ahern's premises in North Main Street, Youghal, correspondents include John MacCarthy, Ellen Dwyer, John Pollock, Thomas Connell, John Ward and David Ahern, with memorials and petitions, 26 items  
1840-56
- MS 43,503/ 11** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and William Carbery concerning the latter's store in Youghal, with a letter from P. Kennedy and specifications for work to be carried out on the store, 21 items  
1840-57
- MS 43,503/ 12** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Thomas Ronayne concerning repairs to the latter's store in Browne Street, Youghal with letters from John Ward, and letters from Henry and William Parker concerning their house and store in Browne Street, 37 items  
1840-59
- MS 43,503/ 13** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Rev. M. Sheehan concerning the latter's house at Nelson Hill, Youghal, with letters from John Ward, 15 items  
1842-7
- MS 43,503/ 14** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Patrick Hurley concerning houses in North Main Street, Youghal with letters from Richard Lindsay, Margaret Lynch and Mary Connolly, 11 items  
1842-55
- MS 43,503/ 15** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Joseph W. Pim and Sons concerning premises in Cork Lane, Butcher's Park and other lands in and around Youghal, 21 items  
1842-56
- MS 43,503/ 16** Letters from Jasper and Henry Drury concerning their pottery in Youghal, with letters from Patrick Larkin and specifications for a house for grinding clay, 22 items



1842-58

- MS 43,503/ 17** Letters concerning John and Mary Campbell's premises in Meat Shambles Lane, Youghal, correspondents include Henry Bryen, Abraham Fisher, John Ward and John and Mary Campbell, with memorial, 22 items  
1842-7, 1856 & 1861
- MS 43,503/ 18** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Thomas Harvey concerning his house in Grattan Street and applications for other premises in Youghal, 11 items  
1843-4
- MS 43,503/ 19** Letters from concerning houses the Dartnell premises in Main Street, Youghal, correspondents include Rev. Barton Grey, Edward Dartnell, Richard Cox and Isabella Dartnell, 11 items  
1843 & 1856-8
- MS 43,503/ 20** Letters from Eliza Hudson concerning her leasehold property in Youghal, 4 items  
1857
- MS 43,503/ 21** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Reuben Harvey concerning the boundary between his property on North Main Street, Youghal and that of Major Peard, with a letter from John Pollock, 9 items  
1858-61

*IV.iii.20.X(5) Dungarvan*

- MS 43,504/ 1** Letters concerning R. Mortimer's property in Abbeyside and Michael Mahony's request to lease houses adjoining his property in Oven Lane, Dungarvan from occupiers emigrating to America, correspondents include Stephen Dickson, R. Mortimer and Michael Mahony, 29 items  
1839-55
- MS 43,504/ 2** Letters from Catherine Croker, Michael McCarthy and Anne Huddy concerning a house in Blackpool, Dungarvan, 6 items  
1842
- MS 43,504/ 3** Letters concerning the private sale of properties on the Duke of Devonshire's estate in Dungarvan, chiefly from occupiers expressing a desire to purchase their holdings, correspondents include Maurice Lucas, Rev. D. Halley, William Worrall, Michael

Mahony and Thomas McCarthy, with the Dungarvan Parish Tithe Composition adjustment for purposes of sale, 60 items  
1858-9

**MS 43,504/ 4** Letters concerning the private sale of properties on the Duke of Devonshire's estate in Dungarvan, chiefly from occupiers expressing a desire to purchase their holdings, correspondents include William Anderson, P. Newport Barron, Patrick Curran, John R. Dower, Thomas Dee, Patrick Fitzgerald and John Cleary, with a memorial and newspaper cutting, 62 items  
1859

**MS 43,504/ 5** Letters concerning the private sale of properties on the Duke of Devonshire's estate in Dungarvan, chiefly from occupiers expressing a desire to purchase their holdings, correspondents include Mary Tray, Patrick J. Power, Thomas Purcell, Honora Sheehan, Lord Stuart de Decies, John P. Smith and Patrick Dower Walsh, with a return of leaseholders and an extract from the minutes of the Dungarvan Board of Guardians, 61 items  
1859

**MS 43,504/ 6** Letters concerning the private sale of properties on the Duke of Devonshire's estate in Dungarvan, chiefly from occupiers expressing a desire to purchase their holdings, correspondents include Edward Galwey, Thomas Grady, Richard Hudson, Messrs. Hudson & Hunt, George Keily, Sir Nugent Humble and David Fitzgerald (clerk of the Dungarvan Union), 34 items  
1859

**MS 43,504/ 7** Letters and papers concerning the private sale of properties on the Duke of Devonshire's estate in Dungarvan, correspondents include Henry Villiers-Stuart, 1st Baron Stuart de Decies, Messrs. Hudson & Hunt, P.W. Fitzgerald, Thomas Hannigan and George Keily, with lists of purchasers and memoranda concerning the properties sold, 26 items  
1859-63, 1869 & 1871

*IV.iii.20.X(6) Lismore*

**MS 43,505/ 1** Letters from Catherine Wall and John C. Browne concerning Mrs. Wall's houses in the South Mall, Lismore, 7 items  
1839 & 1861

**MS 43,505/ 2** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and J.B. Gumbleton concerning properties on Lismore Townlands, with letters from Rev.

H. Butler, Ellen Dunn, Edmund Foley, Terence O'Reilly, Edward Welsh and J. Keatinge, 37 items  
1839-47, 1863 & 1871-8

*IV.iii.20.X(7) Tallow*

- MS 43,506/ 1** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and William O'Mahony (National Bank of Ireland) concerning improvements to holdings in Lime Kiln Close, Tallow, with letters from Thomas Boyce, William Day, Michael Anthony, Patrick Barry and Edmund Keresy, 23 items  
1839-47
- MS 43,506/ 2** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Rev. E. Condon concerning property in Bog Lane, Tallow, and Convent Fields in Tallow Townlands, with letters from William O'Mahony and an account of improvements to the farm and valuations of crops, 52 items  
1839-55
- MS 43,506/ 3** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and William O'Mahony concerning holdings in Tallow Townlands, with letters from Eliza Cranitch, Thomas Hayden, W.H. Parker, Timothy O'Connell and Susan Smyth, with a rental and memorandum, 28 items  
1840-55
- MS 43,506/ 4** Letters from Eliza and Anne Mellsop concerning arrears of rent for their house in Barrack Street, Tallow, 14 items  
1840-53 & 1863
- MS 43,506/ 5** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Robert Terry concerning the latter's stores in Barrack Street, Tallow, with letters from W.H. Baldwin and Thomas Glennon concerning the leasehold interest of the Glennon family in a house on the east side of Barrack St, Tallow, with a lease agreement (1825), 26 items  
1843-59 & 1865

*IV.iii.20.Y Rural Tenants*

*IV.iii.20.Y(1) Ballynoe and Connehy: Ahern*

- MS 43,507/ 1** Letters from Gwen and Mary O'Dwyer family of Glantrasna, with a petition from Michael Higgins of Glantrasna concerning the disposal of their farm, and letters from Rev. P. Greene, 19 items  
1843, 1861-63 & 1873-74

- MS 43,507/ 2** Letters and papers concerning the sale of Garrycaheragh and Killaverelly (see Knockmourne) and the case of Geary v. O'Neill, correspondents include Patrick Geary, Jeremiah Hodnett, John Barry, J.B. Johnson and William Benn, with a schedule of charges and sheriff's papers, 49 items  
1850-65
- MS 43,507/ 3** Letters concerning the lands of Knocknagapple, correspondents include Anne Patterson, Edward Barry, Rev. R.D. Campion, Rev. Henry Woodroffe, Rev. Thomas Walsh and S. Bowles, 8 items  
1847-61 & 1881
- MS 43,507/ 4** Letters to Francis E. Curry and Chetwode Curry from Rev. John W. Hopkins of Ahern Vicarage, Conna, regarding rent reductions and the subsequent sale of his interest in a farm at Knocknagapple, with letters from Messrs. Keily and Lloyd and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, and a memorandum regarding Hopkins's claims, 34 items  
1879-85

*IV.iii.20.Y(2) Ballynoe and Connehy: Ballynoe and Gurtroe*

- MS 43,508/ 1** Letters and papers concerning the leases of farms at Longaville, correspondents include H. Weldon, Timothy Kiniry and Rev. D.J. O'Callaghan, with memoranda, extracts from letting books, and a trace map, 9 items  
1869-84
- MS 43,508/ 2** Letters and papers concerning the lease of Rathoneigue, correspondents include Rev. Ludlow Tonson, Bishop of Killaloe, Robert Barry, James Barry, Patrick Leahy, James Nagle and Captain William Collis, with notes and memoranda, 23 items  
1839-40

*IV.iii.20.Y(3) Ballynoe and Connehy: Knockmourne*

- MS 43,509/ 1** Letters from Rev. E. Condon, Robert Terry, Patrick Knight, R.H. Gumbleton and others concerning the lands of Little Grace, with petitions, notes and a valuation, 15 items  
1839-40
- MS 43,509/ 2** Letters from tenants of Knockastickane, dealing with arrears due from the townland, subscriptions sought for a new parish school at Knockmourne, William Connell's conduct towards a Mr. Braddell,

and expenditure on a curate's house at Conna, correspondents include Richard Power, Thomas Foley, John Braddell, Rev. Robert Campion, Rev. J. Barry, John Nason and Rev. Thomas Walsh, 37 items  
1839-43 & 1864-85

**MS 43,509/ 3** Letters and papers concerning the lease of Cooladuragh, correspondents include James Perceval Graves and Thomas Carpenter, with a case on behalf of Rev. John Gwynne with the opinion of Edward Blackburne and a draft license to underlet, 24 items  
1841-50

**MS 43,509/ 4** Letters from tenants of Knockastickane regarding properties in this townland and repairs to the curate's cottage, correspondents include Captain Edward Croker, Richard Power, Thomas Foley, John Edgar, Stephen Moore, 3rd Earl of Mount Cashell, Thomas Walker and Robert Coppinger, with a memorial from Denis O'Callaghan, 30 items  
1844-45 & 1853-55

**MS 43,509/ 5** Letters and papers concerning the holding of Dr. John O'Neill at Killavareilly, correspondents include J.T. Sherlock, Joseph W. Pim, William Johnson, Dr. John O'Neill, Michael Bourke and James Gray, with notes and a case on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire, 57 items  
1844-62

**MS 43,509/ 6** Letters from tenants of Upper and Lower Kilclare seeking assistance with rents, leases and passage fees for a family to emigrate to America, correspondents include David O'Neill, George Bowles, Rev. William Coleman, Thomas Rice, James Barry and Michael Molony, with notes, memoranda, and extracts from application books, 43 items  
1853-85

*IV.iii.20.Y(4) Bandon: Ballymodan and Fanlobus*

**MS 43,510/ 1** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Colonel H.B. Bernard concerning East Gully, with a memorandum of agreement for purchase, 4 items  
1855-9

**MS 43,510/ 2** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry, Benjamin Currey and Arthur B. Bernard of Palace Anne, Bandon concerning his holding

at Moragh, with letters from Alexander Swanston, Murdoch Green, George Bernard, Rev. R.H. St. Lawrence and William Currey, assorted notes and memoranda, and extracts from letting books, 41 items  
1840-50

**MS 43,510/ 3** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry, Thomas Seward, Benjamin Popham, Rev. Robert K. Lawrence and Arthur B. Bernard concerning the latter's holdings at Moragh and Teadies, with letters from George Bernard and Captain Samuel Bernard and a search for acts affecting the lands of Teadies, 20 items  
1838-45

*IV.iii.20.Y(5) Bandon: Kinneigh*

**MS 43,511/ 1** Letters and papers concerning Teadies, correspondents include William Chambers, Benjamin Horsford, Francis Brady and George Bernard, with tenants' petitions and a memorandum of arrangements with tenants as to their continuing on their lands, 15 items  
1841-3

**MS 43,511/ 2** Letters from J.R. Berwick concerning the transfer of William Shorten's holding at Kilnecranagh to Rev. Jeremiah Cummins, with an account of money appropriated for the transaction, 12 items  
1876

*IV.iii.20.Y(6) Bandon: Kilbrogan*

**MS 43,512/ 1** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Major T.H. Shadwell Clerke concerning the lands of Mawmore, with a memorandum and answers to queries, 13 items  
1838-9

**MS 43,512/ 2** Letters and papers concerning the Gash holding at Little Silver, correspondents include A. Stewart, Sally Gash, Anne Roche Gash, Rev. Michael Field and Sub Inspector Brett, with the memorials of Thomas and Edmond Gash, 17 items  
1839-42 & 1850

**MS 43,512/ 3** Letters from Michael Wren, Thomas Sebury, Sophia Foulke, Alexander Swanston, John Regan, J.R. Berwick and Messrs. Keily and Lloyd concerning Michael Wren's holding at Tullyglass, with a memorandum and account, 27 items  
1839-41, 1872 & 1885

- MS 43,512/ 4** Letters from tenants concerning leases and the payment of rent for holdings at Callatrim, correspondents include Frederick Mayne, Thomas Barter and George Cooper, 13 items  
1841-3
- MS 43,512/ 5** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry, William Currey and James Bogue (Ardfert Abbey, Tralee) concerning the surrender of his lease for a farm at Laragh and his subsequent claim for compensation for a water wheel and threshing machine, 11 items  
1855 & 1861
- MS 43,512/ 6** Letters from George Bennett concerning the lease and insurance payments for Barrett's Hill House and matters relating to the election of poor law guardians, 9 items  
1868-9
- MS 43,512/ 7** Letters from J.R. Berwick, James Hobson and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire concerning Thomas Banfield's holding at Shinagh, 20 items  
1873-81
- MS 43,512/ 8** Letters from J.R. Berwick concerning Dr. Stephen Browne's holding at Coolfadda, with an account and copy judgement, 12 items  
1880-1

*IV.iii.20.Y(7) Bandon: Murragh*

- MS 43,513** Letters from J.R. Berwick to Francis E. Curry, Chetwode Curry and Robert Power concerning the lease of Thomas Wren's farm at Dromovane, 15 items  
1879-85

*IV.iii.20.Y(8) Bandon West: Brinny*

- MS 43,514/ 1** Letters and papers concerning the Popham holding at Kilmore and Castlenacht, correspondents include Robert H. Popham, William Popham, Maskelyne Alcock, Alexander Swanston, Julius Armstrong, Edward Wrixon, Margaretta Popham and Benjamin Currey, with memorials and extracts from accounts, 59 items  
1838-43
- MS 43,514/ 2** Letters and papers concerning the Popham holding at Kilmore and

Castlenacht, correspondents include Robert H. Popham, William Popham and Mrs. C.D. Popham, with a memorial and memorandum respecting R.H. Popham's farm, 13 items  
1849, 1857 & 1869

**MS 43,514/ 3** Letters and papers concerning holdings at Moskeagh, correspondents include Richard Popham, Timothy Halloran, John Halleran, Denis McCarthy and Alexander Swanston, with memoranda concerning rents, 9 items  
1841-3

**MS 43,514/ 4** Letters from J.R. Berwick concerning the sale of Thomas Tanner's interest in farms at Moskeagh and Gurranes, with a placard advertising the sale, 7 items  
1873

**MS 43,514/ 5** Letters from Walter Baldwin concerning his holding at Kilnecnady, with letters from David Scott and Alexander Swanston, and a memorial from Baldwin complaining of harsh treatment, 12 items  
1848-51

*IV.iii.20.Y(9) Bandon: Templemartin*

**MS 43,515/ 1** Letters and papers concerning Scariff and Kilbarry, correspondents include Benjamin Currey, James Good and James Bradfield, with tenants' petitions and memorials, memoranda, valuations of land (1839 & 1840), a schedule of all persons living on Scariff and Kilbarry with general descriptions of houses and lettings from the year 1840, and estimates for tenants' houses, 57 items  
1839-42

**MS 43,515/ 2** Correspondence between William Good and William Murphy with Francis E. Curry, with petitions, a valuation and memoranda concerning holdings on the lands of Kilbarry, 14 items  
1840-2

**MS 43,515/ 3** Letters from J.R. Berwick concerning Philip Splaine's holding at Gurranes, other correspondents include George Sherlock, Thomas K. Sullivan, Philip Splaine and James Splaine, 29 items  
1843, 1851 & 1871-6

**MS 43,515/ 4** Letters from J.R. Berwick concerning Richard Splaine's farm at Moneen, with memoranda and accounts, 14 items  
1871-2



**MS 43,515/ 5** Letters from J.R. Berwick concerning Richard Allman's lease of Woodlands, 13 items  
1871, 1876 & 1880-1

**MS 43,515/ 6** Letters and papers concerning Maskelyne Popham's holding at Scartnamuck and Gurrans, correspondents include J.R. Berwick, R.W. Doherty, George Sherlock, Thomas K. Sullivan, James Lane, T.R. Tresilian, David Craig, John Popham and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, with a copy mortgage agreement (1 Dec 1879), 56 items  
1878-85

*IV.iii.20.Y(10) Cork and Gillabbey*

**MS 43,516/ 1** Letters and papers concerning Alexander Swanston holding at Gillabbey and his subsequent ejectment, correspondents include Kilner Wood, Rev. Dominick Murphy, Basil Orpin, Edward O'Callaghan and Alexander Swanston, with summonses, rent accounts, and lists of houses on holdings at Gillabbey, 54 items  
1848-Apr 1857

**MS 43,516/ 2** Letters and papers concerning Alexander Swanston's ejectment from Gillabbey, correspondents include John Franklin, Rev. William O'Connor, Henry Maurice, Dr. George Wycherly, Edward O'Callaghan and Alexander Swanston, with notices, notes, and proposals for houses, 45 items  
May 1857-1858

**MS 43,516/ 3** Letters concerning the sale of Gillabbey lands, correspondents include J.R. Berwick, Basil Orpin, Messrs. Nobbett & Co., Alexander Swanston and William Currey, with a proposal from Francis M. Jennings and a consolidated final notice to tenants from the Landed Estates Court, 43 items  
1869-73

**MS 43,516/ 4** Letters concerning the sale of Gillabbey lands and fishery, correspondents include J.R. Berwick, Basil Orpin, Francis M. Jennings, Benjamin Franklin, P. McSwiney, William Currey and Frederick A. Currey, with an account of legal costs, 52 items  
1874-9 & 1885

**MS 43,516/ 5** Letters and papers concerning the sale of North and South Cloghane and fishery, correspondents include J.R. Berwick, Basil Orpin, Francis M. Jennings and Alexander Swanston, with a valuation and trace maps, 36 items  
1867-Apr 1872

**MS 43,516/ 6** Letters and papers concerning the sale of North and South Cloghane and fishery, correspondents include J.R. Berwick, Basil Orpin, Francis M. Jennings and D.F. Leahy, 31 items  
May 1872-1875

**MS 43,516/ 7** Letters relating to the Mardyke Walk and the purchase of part of Cloghane by Cork Corporation, correspondents include Edmund Holland, Alexander McCarthy, William Harris, R. Wickford and J.R. Berwick, 16 items  
1868-72

*IV.iii.20.Y(11) Mogeely*

**MS 43,517/ 1** Letters from George Bowles concerning his holding at Glasshouse, 17 items  
1847-70

**MS 43,517/ 2** Letters concerning the acquisition of Glebe Land for Mogeely parish at Kilmakoe and the subsequent ejection of Mr. McCarthy from the farm at Kilmakoe, correspondents include Rev. Richard Longfield, Messrs. William & R. Gregg, William Currey and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, 42 items  
1864-70

*IV.iii.20.Y(12) Youghal*

**MS 43,518** Letters concerning the Shanahan holding at Greencloyne, correspondents include Daniel and Catherine Shanahan, Tobias Ronayne, Richard Morgan, Charles Compton Cavendish MP and Rev. M. Sheehan, 21 items  
1841-3 [*Some items slightly fragile*]

*IV.iii.20.Y(13) Tipperary*

**MS 43,519/ 1** Letters concerning Spittal Lands, correspondents include John Massy, Christopher Realey, Ambrose Lane, John Clayton, Nicholas and James Sadleir, Patrick Keating and James Magrath, with a return of leaseholders and lettings (1844 & 1847), 53 items  
1838-47

**MS 43,519/ 2** Letters concerning Spittal Lands, correspondents include Thomas Dwyer, Ambrose Lane, Nicholas and James Sadleir, John Ryan,

Michael Caffery, Dr. R.P. Russell, James Godsell and Judith Stack,  
with rent accounts, valuations, and memorials, 49 items  
1848-53

**MS 43,519/ 3** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and George Bradshaw  
(Henry St, Tipperary) concerning Spittal Lands, Tipperary, with  
accounts of rents and arrears, a return of letting of Clover Field, and  
a return of ejectment processes served on tenants, 49 items  
1847-51

**MS 43,519/ 4** Letters from George Bradshaw concerning Spittal Lands, Tipperary,  
other correspondents include Nicholas Sadleir, Mary Scanalan,  
Ellen Gillis, John Ryan, Thomas Quirke and Simon Armstrong, with  
a rent account (1852), 42 items  
1852-61

*IV.iii.20.Y(14) Dungarvan*

**MS 43,520/ 1** Letters and papers concerning Ballymacart, correspondents include  
Sir Henry Winston Barron, Sir William Homan and James Byrne,  
with a trace map and a copy of an award between Henry Winston  
Barron and Henry Villers-Stuart as to the boundaries of Gourlane  
and Slievegrine (10 May 1830), 11 items  
1846-7

**MS 43,520/ 2** Letters from George Boate, William Veale, Edmond Corbet, Patrick  
O'Brien, Roger Baker and Henry Witham concerning houses and  
stangs of land at Duckspool, 12 items  
1841-55

**MS 43,520/ 3** Letters and papers concerning the Quinlan holding at  
Ballymodranagh, correspondents include Basil Orpin, Frederick A.  
Currey, William Currey and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of  
Devonshire, 16 items  
1870-4

*IV.iii.20.Y(15) Lismore*

**MS 43,521/ 1** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry, Sir Richard Keane, John  
Chaytor and William Jones concerning Ballyin and Ballyrafter  
Mountain boundary fence between the property of the Duke of  
Devonshire and the Earl of Glengall, with letters from A. Anderson  
and Edward Callaghan, reports, and memoranda, 27 items  
1837-41

- MS 43,521/ 2** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Thomas Garde concerning the lease of Glenmorrishineen, with memoranda of their conversations, and a letter and receipt from Henry Prendergast Garde, 9 items  
1841-3
- MS 43,521/ 3** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and William Poole concerning a passage from Ballyanchor to the Tallow Road, with memoranda of their conversations, 9 items  
1842-3
- MS 43,521/ 4** Letters and papers concerning Ballyin and Ballyrafter Mountain boundary fence, correspondents include John Chaytor, Thomas Fitzgerald, Christopher Tanner, Percy Gough, Leopold Keane, Alexander Swanston and William Currey, with a report and accounts, 27 items  
1842-50
- MS 43,521/ 5** Specification, article of agreement and map concerning a dispute over the boundary between the lands of Ballyin and Ballysaggart, with letter from Arthur Usher to Francis E. Curry, 4 items  
1850-2
- MS 43,521/ 6** Letters and papers concerning Ballyin and Ballyrafter Mountain, correspondents include Leopold Keane, Percy Gough, John Chaytor, Messrs. Stewart & Kincaid, Henry Grubb, Sir John Keane, Joshua Fennell and Denis O'Brien, with memoranda as to the cost of repairing the fence, 30 items  
1851-70
- MS 43,521/ 7** Letters and papers concerning Ballyin and Ballyrafter Mountain boundary fence, correspondents include Joshua Fennell, Percy Gough, Henry Grubb, Sir John Keane, Richard Rourke, John Walsh, and W.J. Verlin, with a copy of an award (in Heenan v. Walsh), an account of legal costs, and a list of parties whose cattle were impounded by Sir John Keane, 24 items  
1871-85
- MS 43,521/ 8** Letters and papers regarding the letting of Ballyin Twigs, correspondents include Sir Richard Keane, John O'Brien, Henry Naish, and John Ward, with proposals and notes for a lease with Patrick and John Quinlan of Bishopstown, 35 items  
1843-85
- MS 43,521/ 9** Letters from Edward Acres concerning Ballyin Mills, other correspondents include Chetwood Hamilton, George Argllis and

- Nelson T. Foley, 22 items  
1854-64
- MS 43,521/ 10** Letters from Thomas Foley to Francis E. Curry concerning the lease of a house at Tourtane and a passage through the land to Ballyanchor, with memoranda of their conversations, 6 items  
1857
- MS 43,521/ 11** Letters from John McGrath and Messrs. Hodnett & Verlin concerning McGrath's farm at Garrycloyne, with a detailed memorandum describing the holding, 6 items  
1881-3
- MS 43,521/ 12** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Richard Power concerning Carrigmore, Conna, with a statement of expenditure on the farm, 18 items  
1841-3
- MS 43,521/ 13** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry, Mary B. McCartney and R.L. Shiel concerning MacCartney's house at Ballymodranagh, with memoranda of arrears, 24 items  
1843-9
- MS 43,521/ 14** Letters concerning Garrybrittas and Coolygoody, correspondents include William O'Mahony, J.B. Gumbleton, J. Purcell and Georgina Gumbleton, 13 items  
1850-3 [*One item damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,521/ 15** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and J.B. Gumbleton concerning Deer Park, other correspondents include Ellen O'Donnell, W.H. Parker, Michael Byrne, Colonel R.B. Hawley, James Pope and William Currey, with accounts for repairs to the Deer Park wall and a report on the condition of dwelling houses and farm offices, 37 items  
1850-77
- MS 43,521/ 16** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Thomas Foley concerning his farm at Tourtane and Gurtalee, with an estimate for farm buildings, 8 items  
1855-6
- MS 43,521/ 17** Letters and papers concerning Ballysaggartmore, correspondents include R.H. Woodroffe, William Wooroofe and William Fisher, with estimates and accounts, 15 items  
1869-81

**MS 43,521/ 18** Letters and papers concerning the purchase of Ballineligan, correspondents include Basil Orpin, William Currey, Frederick A. Currey, P. McSwiney and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, 43 items  
1872-5

*IV.iii.20.Y(16) Tallow*

**MS 43,522/ 1** Letters and papers concerning the holding of Jasper Douglas Pyne MP at Lisfinny, correspondents include Fanny Croker, Jasper Douglas Pyne, Frederick A. Currey, Messrs. Keily and Lloyd, Richard Rice and William Cavendish, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, with accounts of rent, a county judge's report, and newspaper cuttings, 42 items  
1874-84

**MS 43,522/ 2** Letters and papers concerning the holding of Jasper Douglas Pyne MP at Lisfinny, correspondents include Jasper Douglas Pyne, Messrs. Keily and Lloyd, Richard Rice and William Cavendish, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, with a newspaper cutting, 44 items  
1885-6

**MS 43,522/ 3** Letters and papers concerning Loughnasollis, correspondents include Richard Perceval, W.H. Parker, Daniel Heffernan and Richard and Thomas Fowles, with notes and memoranda, 16 items  
1842-78

**MS 43,522/ 4** Letters from W.H. Parker, J.B. Gumbleton concerning tenants' holdings at Kilcalf, with a rental and valuation of stock, 8 items  
1853-65

**MS 43,522/ 5** Letters and telegrams from J. Charles Foott and Richard Rice, M. Bourke and C. Dennehy concerning Tallow Townlands, 8 items  
1876 & 1880

*IV.iii.20.Y(17) Applications for Farms*

**MS 43,523** Applications for farms on the Duke of Devonshire's Irish estate, correspondents include Timothy Daly, William Wren, George Cornwall and William Kemp, 10 items  
1841-2 & 1860-2

*IV.iii.20.Z Estate Management*

The letters in this section deal with various aspects of the management of the Lismore estate, including trade and commercial enterprises, activities at Lismore Castle, the employment of staff, and gamekeeping.

*IV.iii.20.Z(1) Hunting and Gamekeeping*

- MS 43,524/ 1** Letters concerning game and gamekeeping, chiefly hunting for game on Knockmealdown and other mountain land owned by the Duke of Devonshire, correspondents include Charles Welsh, Edmund Foley, Charles McManus, Dr. Henry Cotton and R.F. Peard, with list of County Waterford gamekeepers and persons who had obtained game certificates (1841), 55 items  
1839-43
- MS 43,524/ 2** Letters concerning game and gamekeeping, chiefly hunting on Knockmealdown and other mountain land owned by the Duke of Devonshire, correspondents include Charles Welsh, Captain Edward Croker, Rev. James Prendergast, Patrick Heffernan and Rev. William Power, 67 items  
1843-55
- MS 43,524/ 3** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Godfrey Baldwin concerning his requests for permission to hunt on the Bandon estate, with letters from Captain R. Tonson Rye, William Currey, Alexander Swanston and John R. Berwick, 24 items  
1845-64
- MS 43,524/ 4** Letters concerning game and gamekeeping, chiefly hunting on Knockmealdown and other mountain land owned by the Duke of Devonshire, correspondents include Dr. Henry Cotton, John Curtis, George Bowles, P.M. Walsh and Rev. John Ryan, with returns of game on the mountains (1856) and the result of prosecutions by the Lismore Game Protection Association (1861), 43 items  
1856-66
- MS 43,524/ 5** Letters concerning game and gamekeeping, chiefly hunting on Knockmealdown and other mountain land owned by the Duke of Devonshire, correspondents include Sir Richard Musgrave, Rev. James Prendergast, Christopher Ussher, Philip Pope, Captain Charles Warburton, Richard Geary and Francis Bernard, 3<sup>rd</sup> Earl of Bandon, 43 items  
1867-81

*IV.iii.20.Z(2) Commercial Enterprises*

- MS 43,525/ 1** Letters, papers and receipts concerning the sale of oak bark to

tanneries and wool merchants, including those of Peter Kennedy, Thomas Russell and James Myers, 51 items  
1858-71

**MS 43,525/ 2** Letters, telegrams and papers concerning the sale of timber from the estate woods for the production of railway sleepers, wagons and other purposes, correspondents include William Drennan, Richard F. Keane, John Buckley, Joseph Owen, Richard Farrell and J. Stewart Wallace, with tenders for purchase and specifications, 161 items  
1866-85

**MS 43,525/ 3** Letters, papers and receipts concerning the sale of oak bark to tanneries and wool merchants, including those of Benjamin Hayes, William Russell and James Myers, 47 items  
1873-84

*IV.iii.20.Z(3) Tradesmen*

**MS 43,526/ 1** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry, Benjamin Currey, Joseph Jopling and Captain S. Eddy (agents of the Burlington Slate Works, Ulverston, Lancashire), with letters from Henry Currey, P. Dower, Edward Coward and others concerning the purchase of slates, with price lists, 49 items  
1838-61

**MS 43,526/ 2** Letters and papers concerning the purchase of coal from the Haigh Coal and Cannell Office and the Wigan Coal and Iron Company Ltd (Liverpool), 30 items  
1856-85

**MS 43,526/ 3** Letters to Francis E. Curry from Messrs. Morris & French and James Swanton (agents of the Benduff & Froe Slate Company, Rosscarbery, Co. Cork), J.R. Berwick, William Mercer and others concerning the purchase of slates, with price lists, 44 items  
1862-77

*IV.iii.20.Z(4) Lismore Castle*

**MS 43,527/ 1** Letters concerning visitors to Lismore Castle, correspondents include Colonel C. Yorke (private secretary to Lord Lieutenant of Ireland), George Howard, Viscount Morpeth, Sir James Abercromby, 1st Baron Dunfermline, John Ponsonby, Viscount Duncannon, Henry Petty-Fitzmaurice, 3rd Marquess of Landsdowne, William Courtenay, 10th Earl of Devon, Stephen



- Moore, 2nd Earl of Mount Cashell, Frederick Ponsonby, 3rd Earl of Bessborough, Thomas Lister, 3rd Baron Ribblesdale, William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, Sir Joseph Paxton, Lieutenant Colonel Arthur Onslow and Benjamin Currey, 46 items  
1836-46
- MS 43,527/ 2** Letters concerning the restoration of the 1st Earl of Cork's family monuments in St. Patrick's Cathedral, Dublin and St. Mary's Church, Youghal, correspondents include J. Dawson (Dean of St. Patrick's), D.F. Leahy, Arthur Hill (architect), Rev. P.W. Drew and Lady Winnington, 31 items  
1838 & 1877-80
- MS 43,527/ 3** Letters concerning the Book of Lismore, correspondents include James H. Todd, W.G. Todd, Rev. Dr. Henry Cotton, Edward Clibborn (Royal Irish Academy), John O'Daly, J. Windale, Thomas Hewitt, L.J. Gilbert (Secretary of the Public Record Office of Ireland), William Sanders (Ordnance Survey Office), John Garstin (Treasurer of the Royal Irish Academy), and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, 52 items  
1839-74
- MS 43,527/ 4** Letters from Rev. Dr. Henry Cotton concerning extracts from 1st Earl of Cork's diary, and correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Rev. Alexander B. Grossart concerning his transcription and publication of the 'Lismore Papers', with lists of manuscripts loaned to Grossart and subsequently returned to Lismore, 7 items  
1846-50 & 1887-9
- MS 43,527/ 5** Letters concerning the visits of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire to his Irish estate, correspondents include Henry Villiers-Stuart, 1st Baron Stuart de Decies, Isaac Butt MP, Richard Hudson, Samuel Hayman, John Lawrence and Michael Mahony, with copies of addresses from town inhabitants and commissioners and replies from the Duke of Devonshire and the Earl of Carlisle (Lord Lieutenant of Ireland), programmes of events, public notices, and newspaper cuttings, 52 items  
1849-58
- MS 43,527/ 6** Letters concerning visitors to Lismore Castle, correspondents include Sir Augustus Clifford, Frederick Howard, Edward Horsman (Chief Secretary for Ireland), John Ponsonby, 5th Earl of Bessborough, Spencer Compton Cavendish, Marquis of Hartington, Lord Frederick Cavendish, Lord Edward Cavendish, Lady Louisa Egerton, William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, Sir Joseph Paxton, George Mackesy and William Currey, 35 items

1849-85

- MS 43,527/ 7** Letters offering paintings (including a portrait of Sir Joseph Paxton) for sale to the Duke of Devonshire, correspondents include G.W.M. Atkinson, John Segulier, James Denny and Robert Moseley, 9 items  
1850-1
- MS 43,527/ 8** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Richard Perrott of The Hive Ironworks concerning cast iron fittings supplied to Lismore Castle, with a report on the invoice by Sir Joseph Paxton and John Brown, 11 items  
1851
- MS 43,527/ 9** Letters concerning the loan of the bishop's crozier discovered in Lismore Castle to exhibitions in Dublin and Cork, correspondents include Dr. W. Stokes, John Shea, J.R. Berwick and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, 10 items  
1852, 1866 & 1872
- MS 43,527/ 10** Letters from George Drury concerning the provision of pedigree bulls from England to Castle Farm, Lismore and other parts of the Duke of Devonshire's Irish estates, with accounts and a petition from the tenantry at Tallow, 15 items  
1860-76
- MS 43,527/ 11** Letters from William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire concerning the timing of his visits to Lismore Castle, the persons accompanying him, the particulars of his intended movements, and the payment of expenses incurred during his visits, with a list of guests invited to a Ball given at Lismore Castle for HRH Prince Arthur (later 1st Duke of Connaught) in April 1869, 25 items  
1869-84
- MS 43,527/ 12** Letters and papers from William Stone, David Jack, and various seed merchants and nurseries concerning the employment of gardeners and the maintenance of Lismore Castle Gardens, with letters and a report by Dr. David Moore of the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin (25 Jul 1876), 30 items  
1872-84

*IV.iii.20.Z(5) Estate Employees*

- MS 43,528/ 1** Letters from W.H. Baldwin concerning his applications for increases in salary as a clerk at Lismore Castle, with memoranda, 7 items

1840 & 1855-6

- MS 43,528/ 2** Letters, memorials and petitions from Thomas Lowe, a former employee of the estate appealing for financial assistance, with replies from Francis E. Curry and a letter from Rev. Patrick Fogarty, 12 items  
1842-50
- MS 43,528/ 3** Letters from Robert Baldwin, former sub-agent, concerning his cottage in Lismore and his pension, correspondents include Messrs. Keily and Lloyd, J.J. Marsh, Charles D. Baldwin and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, 18 items  
1873-5 & 1881-2
- MS 43,528/ 4** Letters and papers concerning the resignation of William McMeekin as agriculturalist at Lismore Castle and his subsequent requests for testimonials and financial assistance, correspondents include William McMeekin, Maurice Healy (town clerk of Lismore) and Thomas Stuart, with estimates of improvements to property, 25 items  
1874-9
- MS 43,528/ 5** Letters from John A. Baldwin, a former accountant at Lismore Estate Office, concerning his claim to a temporary pension and subsequent requests for financial assistance, other correspondents include Annie Marsh, the Bishop of Limerick and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, 69 items  
1874-85
- MS 43,528/ 6** Letters concerning the employment of John Goode as a forester at Lismore, correspondents include G. Gentleman, Thomas McCarthy and John Goode, 11 items  
1875-83
- MS 43,528/ 7** Letters from Willaim B. Croly concerning his employment as a slater and plasterer at Lismore Castle, other correspondents include John M. Croly and William Currey, with a return of wages paid to W.B. Croly & Sons, 13 items  
1876-81
- MS 43,528/ 8** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and F.A. Mills concerning his applications for employment by the Duke of Devonshire, with a letter from R.H. Hobart, 9 items  
1878-81

#### IV.iii.20.Za Maps and Surveys

- MS 43,529/ 1** Letters and papers concerning the provision of maps, including a map of ancient Bandon, Hobson's map of Ireland and copies of ordnance survey maps of Bandon, Dungarvan, Lismore and Youghal, correspondents include officials of the Ordnance Survey Office, John Morrison, Robert Bloomfield, Messrs. Hodges & Smith and Alexander Swanston, with memoranda and a catalogue of atlases, maps, and globes by James Wyld, 45 items  
1838-44 & 1864
- MS 43,529/ 2** Letters concerning a survey of the Duke of Devonshire's Irish estates, correspondents include John B. Doyle, Edward Nagle, Frederick A. Klein, Charles Tarrant, John Murta, John Archer, William O'Neill, J. Ball Greene and Alexander Swanston, 29 items  
1855-9
- MS 43,529/ 3** Letters and papers concerning surveys of properties for sale in the towns of Dungarvan and Youghal, correspondents include J.J. Byrne, Frederick A. Klein, Charles Tarrant, Dr. John Whitty, William O'Neill, with copy correspondence between William Currey and William Cavendish, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire and proposals and specifications for the proposed survey, 40 items  
1858-9
- MS 43,529/ 4** Letters and a proposal from Robert Manning concerning a survey of the Duke of Devonshire's Irish estates north of the River Blackwater (see MSS 7219-7220), with letters from J.J. Byrne, Robert White and R.P. Maxwell, a list of tenants in Ballyin and Ballyrafter (Oct 1870), and a trace map of Lower Monalour, 21 items  
1869-74

#### IV.iii.20.Zb Land Transactions

- MS 43,530/ 1** Letters and papers concerning the sale of the late Lord Riversdale's estate in the baronies of Kinalmeaky, Muskerry and East & West Carbery, County Cork, correspondents include the Bishop of Killaloe (Ludlow Tonson), Neville Poole, Sir Augustus Warren and Alexander Swanston, with memoranda and a rental of the estate, 11 items  
1850-2
- MS 43,530/ 2** Letters and papers concerning quit rents, correspondents include Golding Bird, Edward Callaghan, Edward L'Estrange and G.I. Smith, with a schedule of payments in the baronies of Decies,

- Dungarvan and Coshmore, Co. Waterford (Dungarvan, Lismore, Stradbally, Tallow) and amounts of yearly rents and fees, and an extract from the Crown Rental of 1706 in respect of the rents held by the Earl of Cork in the barony of Imokilly, Co. Cork, 11 items 1858-61 & 1870-3
- MS 43,530/ 3** Letters and papers concerning the sale of the Spittal Lands near Tipperary, correspondents include George Bradshaw, James Reardon, Jeremiah Carew, Marianne Sadleir, George Taylor, William Heffernan and Leopold Cust, with a proposal, a rental, and maps, 47 items  
1859-60
- MS 43,530/ 4** Letters concerning the sale of Innislinga Island and Abbey to C.H. Fitzgibbon, correspondents include J.R. Berwick, Messrs. Keily and Lloyd, C.H. Fitzgibbon and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, with copy memoranda concerning the letting of Innislinga (1842 & 1874), 34 items  
1859 & 1872-85
- MS 43,530/ 5** Letters concerning the purchase of the chief rent of Killounteen, correspondents include Captain Robert Perceval Maxwell, Messrs. Reeves & Sons, Frederick A. Currey and William Currey, 14 items  
1871-2
- MS 43,530/ 6** Letters and papers concerning negotiations for a loan on the mortgage of the Duke of Devonshire's Irish estates, correspondents include Frederick A. Currey, Benjamin Whitney, Basil Orpin, P. McSwiney and John Berwick, 35 items  
Dec 1878-Apr 1879
- MS 43,530/ 7** Letters and papers concerning a loan on the mortgage of the Duke of Devonshire's Irish estates, correspondents include Frederick A. Currey, Benjamin Whitney and P. McSwiney, with legal opinion of the counsel for the Scottish Widows Fund and Life Assurance Society on the Duke's title, 24 items  
May-Dec 1879

*IV.iii.21 Chetwode H. Curry*

Chetwode Curry succeeded his father, Francis E. Curry, as head agent for Lismore but held the post only briefly between 1881 and 1883.

- MS 43,531/ 1** Letters from William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include the execution of various leases, the Irish estate accounts, weekly railway returns, and proposals for stationing troops at

- Lismore, 16 items  
1881
- MS 43,531/ 2** Correspondence with William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, Spencer Compton Cavendish, Marquis of Hartington, Francis E. Curry and Messrs. Keily and Lloyd concerning land law cases involving James O'Donnell and a Mrs. Flinter, 20 items  
1881-3
- MS 43,531/ 3** Correspondence with William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, Frederick A. Currey and J.R. Berwick, subjects include landlord associations, the election of poor law guardians, the assassination of Lord Frederick Cavendish, a fire at Castle Farm, and accounts and subscriptions, 27 items  
1882
- MS 43,531/ 4** Correspondence with William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, subjects include the Cork Exhibition, the River Blackwater fishery, Lismore Board of Guardians, and applications for charity and subscriptions, 19 items  
1883
- MS 43,531/ 5** Letters from William Currey and C. Herbert Currey, subjects include Bandon leases, the employment of staff, 'outrages' committed by fishermen on the River Lee, and proceedings against tithe rentcharge defaulters, 13 items  
1875-81
- MS 43,531/ 6** Letters from Frederick A. Currey, subjects include his appointment as resident agent in Ireland, tithe rentcharge arrears, insurance premiums, the management of the Blackwater fishery and Henry Villiers-Stuart's 'Bill of Peace', a fire at Castle Farm, and the receipt of remittances, 39 items  
1871-2 & 1881-3
- MS 43,531/ 7** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include Bandon courthouse, home manufacture, rent allowances, the sale of James Good's premises in South Main Street, the preparation of leases and notices to quit, receipts, accounts, and remittances, 24 items  
1881
- MS 43,531/ 8** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include presentments to the grand jury, subscriptions for Killowen Church, applications from Bandon tenants under the Arrears Act, the employment of 'Emergency Men', rent reductions, receipts, and remittances, 38 items

1882

- MS 43,531/ 9** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include the Cork Exhibition, Bandon Chapel. the appoinment of a postmaster at Bandon, Lord Bandon's rentcharge, Bandon waterworks, the system of management of the Bandon estate, subscriptions, and remittances, 25 items  
Jan-Apr 1883
- MS 43,531/ 10** Letters from John R. Berwick, subjects include applications for rent reductions, Bandon street money, Bandon water supply, cases to be heard before the Land Commission at Bandon, remittances, and expenditure, 22 items  
May-Jun 1883
- MS 43,531/ 11** Letters from Messrs. Keily and Lloyd, subjects include ejectments (Devonshire v. Michael Moloney and John Magrath) the bankruptcy and ejectment of Michael Flynn from Ballymartin, fishery costs, and remittances, 20 items  
1881
- MS 43,531/ 12** Letters from Messrs. Keily and Lloyd, subjects include the sale of H.G. Smith's estate, proceedings against various tenants for the non-payment of rent, the preparation of fishing net licences, and accounts of legal costs, 28 items  
1882
- MS 43,531/ 13** Letters from Messrs. Keily and Lloyd concerning the recovery of tithe rentcharge arrears, 10 items  
1882
- MS 43,531/ 14** Letters from Messrs. Keily and Lloyd, subjects include Henry Villiers-Stuart's 'Bill of Peace' over fishing rights on the River Blackwater, the Youghal fishery case, the Land Act, ejectments, and tithe rentcharges, 33 items  
Jan-Feb 1883
- MS 43,531/ 15** Letters from Messrs. Keily and Lloyd, subjects include the 'Bill of Peace' and other fishery cases, (Devonshire v. Attonrey General), the ejectment of Mrs. Cunningham from a farm at Mogeely, and various law costs, 24 items  
Mar-Jun 1883
- MS 43,531/ 16** Letters from J.T. Cornwall, John Walsh, William Hyde Perrott, John Henry de La Poer Beresford, 5th Marquess of Waterford, James Dunlea, Lizzie Hosford and others, including Captain H. Redmond

RM concerning the Land League activities of Jasper Douglas Pyne,  
41 items  
1875, 1880 & 1881-2

**MS 43,531/ 17** Letters from Wilhelmina Longfield, Ellen McBeth, James Budd,  
Monsignor Byrne and others, including J. Pedden Furlong, Francis  
Hodder and Captain W.J. Franks concerning the River Blackwater  
fishery, 21 items  
1883

#### *IV.iii.22 Agents' Letter Books (1869-1920)*

The materials in this section are available on microfilm only, the original documents being held at the Waterford County Archive. They largely deal with estate affairs in the period after the retirement of Francis E. Curry in 1885 up until 1920.

##### IV.iii.22.A Estate Correspondence (1869-1917)

This series of damp-press letter-books contains copies of letters sent out from the Lismore Estate Office concerning routine administrative matters such as the collection of rents, improvements to roads, and tenants' holdings, etc.

**POS 9618** Copy out-letter-book for the period 30 Nov 1869-28 Oct 1880

**POS 9619** Copy out-letter-book for the period 22 Oct 1880-27 May 1890

**POS 9620** Copy out-letter-book for the period 29 May 1890-15 Nov 1895  
Copy out-letter-book for the period 20 Nov 1895-30 May 1899

**POS 9621** Copy out-letter-book for the period 30 May 1899-6 Dec 1901

**POS 9622** Copy out-letter-book for the period 20 Dec 1901-7 Jul 1906

**POS 9623** Copy out-letter-book for the period 8 May 1906-20 Oct 1909

**POS 9624** Copy out-letter-book for the period 30 Oct 1909-21 Jan 1915

**POS 9625** Copy out-letter-book for the period 30 Mar 1915-10 Oct 1917

##### IV.iii.22.B Correspondence of James Penrose (1886-1916)

This series of damp-press letter-books contains copies of outgoing letters concerning the more important estate business handled by James Penrose (agent for the estate from 1895), along with two volumes of his private letters and legal correspondence.



- POS 9625** Copy out-letter-book for the period 21 Sep 1886-19 Dec 1888
- POS 9626** Copy out-letter-book for the period 19 Dec 1888-18 Apr 1890
- POS 9627** Copy out-letter-book for the period 19 Apr 1890-4 Nov 1891
- POS 9628** Copy out-letter-book for the period 3 Nov 1893-13 May 1900
- POS 9629** Copy out-letter-book for the period 17 Nov 1894-1 July 1914
- POS 9630** Copy out-letter-book for the period 5 Aug 1914-29 Dec 1916  
Copy out-letter-book of private letters, 17 Dec 1894-14 Jan 1920  
Copy out-letter-book of legal letters, 14 Apr 1910-14 July 1920

#### IV.iii.22.C Miscellaneous Correspondence (1860-1918)

This series of damp-press letter-books contains copies of the outgoing letters of various agents, including Francis E. Curry, Chetwode Curry, and Robert Power (agent for the Lismore estate from 1885-95)

- POS 9631** Letter-book containing copies of letters from Francis E. Curry to William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, 17 Apr 1871-2 Mar 1881
- POS 9632** Letter-book containing copies of letters from Francis E. Curry and Chetwode Curry, with replies from Robert Power, 9 Mar 1881-20 Jun 1889
- POS 9633** Letter-book containing copies of correspondence between Chetwode Curry, Basil Orpin, P. McSwiney and Messers. Keily and Lloyd, 3 May 1875-10 Nov 1894
- POS 9634** Letter-book containing copies of letters concerning rentals, sales, improvements to tenant holdings etc. from Robert Power to J.R. Berwick and R.E. Hodson, 23 Apr 1883-2 Jun 1898
- POS 9635** Letter-book containing copies of letters to tenants concerning tithes and rentcharges, 7 Feb 1888-13 Aug 1908
- Letter-book containing copies of correspondence dealing with business affairs in Youghal, 29 May 1860-23 Jan 1894
- Letter-book containing copies of letters concerning the estate woods and sawmills, 18 Sep 1911-4 Feb 1919

#### **IV.iv Estate Sub-Agents**

##### ***IV.iv.1 Thomas Lowe***

- MS 43,532/ 1** Fair copy letters to Thomas Lowe from Philip Splane concerning various estate matters, c75 items  
c1800-12 [*Damaged & very fragile*]
- MS 43,532/ 2** Letters to Thomas Lowe concerning various estate matters from John Hudson, William Atkinson, William Kelly and John Macbeth, 7 items  
1808-13

##### ***IV.iv.2 Philip Splane***

- MS 43,533** Letters to Philip Splane concerning various estate matters from Thomas Knowlton, Samuel Hayman, Thomas Baldwin and others, 7 items  
1806-7

##### ***IV.iv.3 John Hudson***

John Hudson was the Duke of Devonshire's bailiff at Youghal from the 1790s. He went on to serve as sub-agent for the Dungarvan estate and held the position of Seneschal of Dungarvan.

- MS 43,534/ 1** Fair copy letters to John Hudson concerning estate business and electoral politics (1806-7) from William Connor, Henry Bowman, Thomas Lowe, Thomas Garde and Thomas Knowlton, 60 items  
1791-1812
- MS 43,534/ 2** Fair copy letters to John Hudson concerning estate business and the Duke of Devonshire's campaign to wrest control of the borough of Youghal from the Earl of Shannon and Youghal Corporation from Thomas Knowlton, Thomas Lowe, William Ashby, Thomas Seward and Sir James Abercromby, 76 items  
1809-21

##### ***IV.iv.4 Henry Witham***

Henry Witham was under-agent for the Duke of Devonshire's Irish estate from 1819 to 1841, serving under both William S. Curry and Francis E. Curry.

###### **IV.iv.4.A Estate Auditors and Agents**

- MS 43,535/ 1** Letters from Sir James Abercromby and Benjamin Currey concerning and the visit of Lord William Bentick to Lismore and the arrest of Dominick Ronayne at the parliamentary election for Youghal, 4 items  
1823 & 1838
- MS 43,535/ 2** Letters from Colonel William S. Curry, subjects include the payment of solicitor's fees, a tenants' meeting with the Duke of Devonshire, and his movements in Ireland and England, 23 items  
1819-22
- MS 43,535/ 3** Letters from Colonel William S. Curry, subjects include freehold agreements, Dungarvan races, tithes leases, and Bandon New Road, 17 items  
1823 [*Some items quite fragile*]
- MS 43,535/ 4** Letters from Colonel William S. Curry, subjects include Ringnagowna parish, salmon fisheries, the ejectment against Robert Bible, and instructions on his departure for England, 27 items  
1824
- MS 43,535/ 5** Letters from Colonel William S. Curry, subjects include quit rents, the ejectment against Robert Bible, the Cork Mechanics Institute, and Bandon School, 22 items  
1825-6
- MS 43,535/ 6** Letters from Colonel William S. Curry, subjects include tithes, tolls, a meeting of the County Waterford electors, and his movements and activities in England, 29 items  
1827-9
- MS 43,535/ 7** Letters from Colonel William S. Curry, subjects include the exemplification of Lord Burlington's will, Dungarvan fisheries, and the tithe commissioners, 23 items  
1830-3 [*Some items damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,535/ 8** Letters from Colonel William S. Curry, subjects include the Dungarvan parliamentary election (1834), a Conservative political demonstration, tithe suits, and the Cork Pipe Water Company, 30 items  
1834-7 & n.d.
- MS 43,535/ 9** Letters from Francis E. Curry concerning various matters connected with the administration of the estate, 27 items  
Jul 1837-Feb 1838

**MS 43,535/ 10** Letters from Francis E. Curry concerning various matters connected with the administration of the estate, 14 items  
Mar-Apr 1838 & 1840

IV.iv.4.B Estate Sub-Agents

**MS 43,536/ 1** Letters from John Hudson, subjects include rent collection, Dungarvan Fair, subscriptions to Dungarvan Hospital, and the purchase of coal, 30 items  
1819-23 [*Some items damaged and fragile*]

**MS 43,536/ 2** Letters from John Hudson, subjects include tithe payments, estate maps, leases, seed potatoes, and wheat and William S. Curry's health, 26 items  
1824-5

**MS 43,536/ 3** Letters from John Hudson, subjects include Slievegrine Mountain, Dungarvan tolls, rent collection, the conduct of Mr. Nugent, and William S. Curry's health, 31 items  
1826-8

**MS 43,536/ 4** Letters from John Hudson, subjects include the sale of farm butter, tenants' houses and gardens, election expenses, and building work, 29 items  
1829-33

**MS 43,536/ 5** Letters from John Hudson, subjects include his house, repairs to Dungarvan causeway, the pump at Dungarvan town square, and the supply of Dungarvan oysters to Lady Dover, 28 items  
1835-40

**MS 43,536/ 6** Letters from John Swanston, subjects include receipts for money, notices to quit, a survey for minerals on the Bandon estate, and the planting of trees on tenants' holdings, 19 items  
1819-20

**MS 43,536/ 7** Letters from John Swanston, subjects include receipts for money, notices to quit, a sewer and road in Bandon, riots in Bandon and an attack upon Captain Corker, 27 items  
1821

**MS 43,536/ 8** Letters from John Swanston, subjects include receipts for money, unemployment and disturbances at Bandon, the 'insurgency' in Bantry and Macroom, and the collection of timber, 30 items  
1822

- MS 43,536/ 9** Letters from John Swanston, subjects include rent receipts, repairs to tenants' houses, Kilmurray Glebe, and Lord Bandon's correspondence, 19 items  
Jan-Apr 1823
- MS 43,536/ 10** Letters from John Swanston, subjects include receipts for money, tithes, roads, Bandon newsroom, tree plantation at Lismore, and John Popham's farm, 22 items  
May-Dec 1823 & 1824
- MS 43,536/ 11** Letters from John Swanston, subjects include receipts for money, building by tenants, notices to quit, the mines at Balldehob, Bandon School, and an Orange procession in Bandon, 28 items  
1825
- MS 43,536/ 12** Letters from John Swanston, subjects include ejectments, Bandon schoolroom, a fire at Carhoon wood, and applications for permission to graff on the Bandon estate, 16 items  
1826-8 & n.d.
- MS 43,536/ 13** Letters from John Swanston, subjects include the parliamentary election for Bandon, notices to quit Bandon market, rent receipts, Ballymodan tithes, a return of tenants at Laragh, and Lord Bandon's road, 34 items  
1830-2 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,536/ 14** Letters from John Swanston, subjects include the Bandon gas meeting, assaults on woodrangers, Ballymodan Church, and payments to tithe collectors, 19 items  
1833-5
- MS 43,536/ 15** Letters from John Swanston, subjects include notices to quit, ejected premises, roads and gas lighting in Bandon, and letters of credit, 30 items  
1836-8
- MS 43,536/ 16** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include proposed electoral divisions, Kilmichael and Ballymodan tithe composition, and sundry matters affecting the Bandon estate, 24 items  
1828-38
- MS 43,536/ 17** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include the tithes of Shangandan, maps of the Cork property, the lease of Barrett's Hill House, and sundry matters affecting the Bandon estate, 42 items  
1839-Jun 1840

**MS 43,536/ 18** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include the tithes of Shangandan, the boundaries of the parish of Kilmurray, and sundry matters affecting the Bandon estate, 26 items  
Jul- Dec 1840

IV.iv.4.C Law Agents

**MS 43,537/ 1** Letters from Benjamin Popham, subjects include the ejectment against William Halyburton, the preparation of leases, and the registration of freeholders, 18 items  
1819-25

**MS 43,537/ 2** Letters from Benjamin Popham, subjects include the preparation of leases and deeds, the payment of legal costs, and his dispute with Thomas Seward, 24 items  
1826-41

**MS 43,537/ 3** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include Dungarvan leases, ejectments at Foxhole, the newsroom at Lismore, and the case for the ejectments against Robert Bible and Richard Walsh, 27 items  
1819-24

**MS 43,537/ 4** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include the newsroom at Lismore, the ejectment of Robert Bible, fishery cases (Hodnett and Morrissey), Tallow tolls, and the Ballymodan tithe case, 28 items  
1825-9

**MS 43,537/ 5** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include the ejectment of John Newell, the case of O'Neill v. Merrick, Ballymodan tithes, and scotch weirs on the River Blackwater, 15 items  
1830-2

**MS 43,537/ 6** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include the Kilmichael and Inchegeelagh tithe suits, receipt stamps, Kilronan tithes, Dungarvan parliamentary election, and the appointment of church wardens for the parish of Kilmurry, 21 items  
1833-4

**MS 43,537/ 7** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include the preparation of leases and ejectments, legal costs against Richard Smyth (concerning the fishery at Ballinatra), Dungarvan voters, and the eviction of Ellen Bassett, 23 items  
1835

**MS 43,537/ 8** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include the protection of

Youghal Strand, the preparation of leases and conveyances, the settlement of legal and election costs, William S. Curry's health, and the death of John Swanston, 26 items  
1836-7

**MS 43,537/ 9** Letters from Thomas Seward, subjects include the preparation of leases, the case of Penrose v. Penrose (concerning Shandangan rentcharge), Mr. Townsend's rentcharge, the case of Maxwell v. Boate, and the sale of Ayreshire cattle, 29 items  
1838-41

#### IV.iv.4.D Principal Correspondents

**MS 43,538/ 1** Letters from William Nugent, subjects include the deaths of several Dungarvan freeholders, the maintenance of freehold properties, and a list of non-resident freeholders in Dungarvan, 22 items  
1820-4

**MS 43,538/ 2** Letters from William Nugent, subjects include drainage at Lacken, a meeting between Dungarvan freeholders and Lord George Beresford, unrest amongst Dungarvan fishermen, and the deaths of several freeholders, 26 items  
1825

**MS 43,538/ 3** Letters from William Nugent, subjects include his requests for money, the registration of Dungarvan freeholders, and the drowning of two Dungarvan fishermen while salvaging a wreck, 35 items  
1826-7 & 1830-40

**MS 43,538/ 4** Letters from Rodolphus Greene, subjects include receipts for money and the preparation of leases and ejectments for properties in Dungarvan, 24 items  
1819-28 [*One item damaged & fragile*]

**MS 43,538/ 5** Letters from Rodolphus Greene, subjects include the registration of freeholders, the Dungarvan parliamentary election (1829), an assault on bailiffs, and sundry affairs concerning Dungarvan, 26 items  
1829-32 [*Some items fragile*]

**MS 43,538/ 6** Letters from Rodolphus Greene, subjects include the sub sheriff of Dungarvan, a tithe meeting at Stradbally, poll books, the Dungarvan election (1834), the ejectment of James Keane from Lackenfune, and distress at Lackengarriffe, 24 items  
1833-4 & Mar-May 1836

- MS 43,538/ 7** Letters from Rodolphus Greene, subjects include politics in Dungarvan, the ejection of Michael Stewart, Dungarvan parliamentary election (1837), and the election of poor law guardians, 21 items  
Aug-Dec 1836 & 1837-41
- MS 43,538/ 8** Letters from James Byrne, subjects include Dungarvan freeholders, tenants and fisheries, and the boundaries of Ravanagh, 32 items  
1829-32
- MS 43,538/ 9** Letters from James Byrne, subjects include Dungarvan freeholders and paupers, notices to quit, houses at Ravanagh, and repairs to Dungarvan Chapel, 27 items  
1833-5 & Feb-Apr 1836
- MS 43,538/ 10** Letters from James Byrne, subjects include the affairs of Robert Browne, a meeting of Dungarvan electors, and Edmond Baldwin's house and land at Spring, 24 items  
May-Nov 1836 & 1837-42
- MS 43,538/ 11** Letters from John Ward (warden of the College of Youghal) chiefly concerning tenants and premises in the Town of Youghal, 27 items  
1831-6 [*Some items fragile*]
- MS 43,538/ 12** Letters from John Ward chiefly concerning tenants and premises in the Town of Youghal, 27 items  
1839-41
- MS 43,538/ 13** Letters from Henry Bagge (of Dungarvan), subjects include tenants at Lackenfune, the tithes of Kilgobinet and Colligan, and the purchase of Glebe lands at Lisgurnane [?], 16 items  
1825-32
- MS 43,538/ 14** Letters from Henry Bagge, subjects include the tithes of Clonlea, Tallow rates, Dungravan parliamentary election (1837), and the parish of Stradbally, 28 items  
1833, 1836-8 & 1841
- MS 43,538/ 15** Letters from Patrick Foley chiefly concerning salmon fishing on the River Blackwater, 26 items  
1823-8
- MS 43,538/ 16** Letters from Patrick Foley chiefly concerning salmon fishing on the River Blackwater, 30 items  
1829-32, 1840 & n.d.



- MS 43,538/ 17** Letters from James Denny (of Cork), subjects include his lease, tithes, flax seed, the receipt of a steamboat, and Cork politics and elections, 24 items  
1819-26
- MS 43,538/ 18** Letters from James Denny, subjects include Mardyke tithes, flax seed, and Beamish and Crawford's encroachments at Mardyke, 19 items  
1827-33
- MS 43,538/ 19** Letters from James Denny, subjects include the affairs of Messers. John and O'Driscoll, the sale of gunpowder, and the preparation of leases, 16 items  
1837-40
- MS 43,538/ 20** Letters from J.M. Galway, subjects include Dungarvan races, the purchase of butter, Dungarvan Post Office and Savings Bank, financial transactions, and his premises and rent, 31 items  
1820-31
- MS 43,538/ 21** Letters from Patrick Delandre (clerk of peace for Dungarvan), subjects include the registration of freeholders and householders and certificates for the registry of tolls, 23 items  
1821-40
- MS 43,538/ 22** Letters from Rev. P. Fogarty, subjects include a plan to place the proposed school at Glengarra under the Board of National Education, 10 items  
1836-7
- MS 43,538/ 23** Letters from James Tallon, subjects include his acquisition of various properties, Dungarvan savings bank, and the Dungarvan parliamentary election (1834), 29 items  
1821 & 1832-6
- MS 43,538/ 24** Letters from Sir Richard Musgrave, William Waggert and George Roche, subjects include the tithes of Grange, freehold rents, and the Manor of Lismore, 15 items  
1823-9 & 1837
- MS 43,538/ 25** Letters from James Crawford and Abraham Fisher, subjects include Daniel O'Connell's meeting at the Roman Catholic Chapel in Youghal (1830), the arrest and rescue of James Hodnett, and the widening of Church Lane in Youghal, 41 items  
1828-32 & 1836-41

- MS 43,538/ 26** Letters from Robert Stawell Ball, Henry Parker and Mr. Harley, subjects include William S. Curry's health, Mr. Harley's land, and Bandon affairs, 29 items  
1821-31 & 1837-41
- MS 43,538/ 27** Correspondence between Henry Witham, Captain G. Newell and Lysaght P. Buller concerning the payment of rent, and land at Mardyke, Co. Cork, 11 items  
1834-9
- MS 43,538/ 28** Letters from Thomas Hill, Benjamin Currey, William S. Curry and John Swanston concerning the erection of a mill on the lands of Kilpatrick and the construction of watercourses from the Bandon and Brinny rivers, 19 items  
1835-6

#### IV.iv.4.E General Correspondence

- MS 43,539/ 1** Letters from various tenants, solicitors and other persons, including Gilbert Wilson, Andrew Roche, Richard McGrath, and Messrs. Edwards & Savage, 29 items  
1819 & Jan-Mar 1820
- MS 43,539/ 2** Letters from various tenants, local officials and other persons, including John Newell, Andrew Roche, Richard McGrath, Frederick Cradock and Jeremiah Phelan, Captain Walter Croker and Abraham Skeys, 25 items  
Mar-Sep 1820
- MS 43,539/ 3** Letters from various tenants, solicitors and other persons, including Thomas Biggs, Richard Walsh, Charles Christie, Jonathan Tanner, Charles Maunsell, John Lawlor and John Newell, 26 items  
Oct-Dec 1820 & 1821
- MS 43,539/ 4** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Mark Hudson, Richard Tresilian, Thomas Whelan, Edward Dartnell, Andrew Carbery, Griffith Jones, Abraham Skeys, John Flannery and Thomas Lowe, 30 items  
1822
- MS 43,539/ 5** Letters from various tenants, clergymen and other persons, including John Flannery, Ambrose Burrowes, Thomas Parks, M. Hayman, Rev. J. Jackson David Mulcahy and Rev. Rowland Gray, 24 items  
Jan-Apr 1823

- MS 43,539/ 6** Letters from various tenants, officials and other persons, including John Flannery, Robert Bible, Richard Walsh, Jonathan Hickey (Registrar for the Archbishop of Cashel), Elizabeth Teape and Michael Keating, 19 items  
May-Aug 1823 [*Some items fragile*]
- MS 43,539/ 7** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Thomas Biggs, Mary Wood, John Keily, William Woodley, Mary Downing, John Newell and Francis Browne, 25 items  
Sep-Dec 1823 [*Some items fragile*]
- MS 43,539/ 8** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Dr. Thomas Campion, David Ahern, Mary McGrath, Richard Perrott, William Teape, Samuel Bryen, Thomas Foley, Roger Hudson, Dr. Lovett and Denis O'Donnell, 34 items  
Jan-Mar 1824
- MS 43,539/ 9** Letters from various tenants, officials and other persons, including Richard Dodd, John Flannery, Francis Huddy, Edmond Curreen, Richard Gumbleton, Patrick Murphy, Patrick Foley, Charles Thompson, John Bennett and Michael Foley, 28 items  
Apr-Aug 1824
- MS 43,539/ 10** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Charles Ambrose, Thomas Nugent, Andrew Roche, Mathew McGrath, Samuel Croker, John O'Neill, P. O'Meagher and Catherine Walsh, 29 items  
Sep-Dec 1824 [*Two items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,539/ 11** Letters from various tenants, officials and other persons, including John Ahern, Mary Keily, Arthur Quinn, Elizabeth Jones, Richard Power Ronayne, John Boyce, Robert Eagan and Dr. Thomas Campion, 36 items  
Jan-Apr 1825 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,539/ 12** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Thomas Biggs, John Flannery, John Lee, Pierce Barron, Ellen Coghlan, Michael Mahony, John O'Neill, Barry Drew and Jonathan Tanner, 30 items  
May-Jul 1825 [*One item damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,539/ 13** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Richard Gumbleton, Robert Crawford, Denis O'Donnell, William Delany, Richard Power, William Longan, Thomas Biggs and Stephen Roche, 34 items  
Aug-Dec 1825 [*One item damaged & fragile*]

- MS 43,539/ 14** Letters from various tenants, solicitors and other persons, including John Whelan, John O'Neill, John Colbert, Thomas Biggs, Eliza Teap, William Veale, Edwards & Savage, Jasper Grant and George Ridgway, 29 items  
Jan-Mar 1826
- MS 43,539/ 15** Letters from various tenants, solicitors and other persons, including Thomas Foley, Denis O'Donnell, Richard Power, Edwards & Savage, William Compton, Edward Ireton, Stephen Roche and John Musgrave, 28 items  
Apr-Jul 1826
- MS 43,539/ 16** Letters from various tenants, officials and other persons, including Mary McGrath, Thomas Biggs, Patrick Fogarty, Anne Barry, Thomas Parks, Henry Welsh, Honora Murry, Samuel Morewood and James Splaine, 28 items  
Aug-Dec 1826
- MS 43,539/ 17** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Stephen Moore, George Gumbleton, Mary Dwyer, Thomas Foley, Samuel Bryen, Catherine Hennessy, R.F. Peard, Richard Taylor and Edmond Curreen, 28 items  
Jan-Jul 1827
- MS 43,539/ 18** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including John O'Neill, Charles Welsh, Richard Power Ronayne, Samuel Cooke, Michael Duggan, Johanna Fitzgerald, Thomas Scott and Anne Delany, 31 items  
Aug-Dec 1827
- MS 43,539/ 19** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Thomas Tobin, Michael Dee, Henry Welsh, Maurice Mallowney, Michael Stuart, Richard Walsh, George Cornwall and Mary McGrath, 25 items  
1828 [*Some items fragile*]
- MS 43,539/ 20** Letters from various tenants, officials and other persons, including William Verlin, Edmond Curreen, Joseph Woodley, George Gregg, Mark Hudson, James Kirby, John Swiney and Daniel Foley, 29 items  
Jan-May 1829
- MS 43,539/ 21** Letters from various tenants, officials and other persons, including John Fetnam, Jonathan Jenkins, Thomas Shanahan, John Baker, John Bull, John Leamy, Pierce Stafford, Ruben Harvey Eustace and

- James Fitzgerald, 25 items  
Jun-Aug 1829 [*Two items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,539/ 22** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including John O'Neill, Denis O'Donnell, George Gumbleton, J.A. Sadleir, Richard Farrell and Thomas Foley, 22 items  
Sep-Dec 1829 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,539/ 23** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including James Barry, Denis Mahony, Samuel Merrick, John Newell, Edward Mulcahy, John O'Neill, John Baldwin and William Warde, 18 items  
1830 [*Some items damaged*]
- MS 43,539/ 24** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including James Kirby, Samuel Merrick, Richard Nugent, Anne Delaney, James Sullivan, Edmond Curreen, Richard Fowles, Jonathan Browne and John Carty, 27 items  
Jan-Apr 1831 [*Some items fragile*]
- MS 43,539/ 25** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Richard Devereaux, Patrick Snowe, Bradshaw Popham, Patrick Dower, Stephen Roche, Richard Power, William Budd, Edmond Foley and Michael Duggan, 22 items  
May-Dec 1831
- MS 43,539/ 26** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Michael O'Brien, Mary Cahil, John O'Connell, Henry Hudson, Mary McGrath, Richard Mullen and Thomas Foley, 38 items  
1832 [*Many items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,539/ 27** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including John Hammond, Thomas Lowe, Roger Adfams, Sarah Foulke, Richard Talbot, John Baldwin, John Slattery, Reuben Harvey Eustace and Mary McGrath, 24 items  
Jan-Mar 1833
- MS 43,539/ 28** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Richard Walsh, Thomas Foley, A.B. Bernard, P. O'Meagher, John Long, Henry Prendergast Garde, and John Pollock, 27 items  
Apr- May 1833
- MS 43,539/ 29** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Samuel Smith, William Mackesy, Thomas Hennessy, W.H. Baldwin, Stephen Roche, Abraham Lane, P. O'Meagher, Thomas Ryan and Richard Power, 31 items  
Jun-Aug 1833

- MS 43,539/ 30** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including James Husham, Michael Wren David Keefe, William Mackesy, Peggy Carbery, William Keating, Catherine Kirwan, Michael Murphy and Jasper Grant, 20 items  
Sep-Dec 1833
- MS 43,539/ 31** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including John Baldwin, John Bluet, Daniel Riordan, Thomas Ryan, Maurice Kennedy, Grace Dwyer, Bradshaw Popham, William Downing and James Kirby, 25 items  
Jan-Jul 1834
- MS 43,539/ 32** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including William Croneen, Patrick Coman, Anastacia Whelan, John O'Neill, Mathew Godkin, Henry Stanistreet, William Jenkins and Michael O'Brien, 25 items  
Aug-Dec 1834
- MS 43,539/ 33** Letters from various tenants, officials and other persons, including William Jenkins, John Long, William Gosnell, John Cleary, Catherine Harney, John Ryan (Collector of Excise, Cork), Stephen Roche, Anne Whelan and Thomas Moran, 39 items  
1835 [*Two items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,539/ 34** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Patrick Dower, Patrick Connors, R.F. Peard, John Fitzgerald, George Keily, James Morris, Arthur Quin, Garrett Redmond and William Murray, 25 items  
Jan-Apr 1836
- MS 43,539/ 35** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Margaret Power, Samuel Croker, Richard Power, Mary Walshe, Jane Keane, Rev. J. Dickson, William Foley and Stephen Roche, 24 items  
May-Jun 1836
- MS 43,539/ 36** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including William Barron, Patrick Dower, Michael Keating, Thomas Higgins, Robert Campion, Michael Connelly, Keefe O'Keefe, Stephen Dickson and John Nason, 31 items  
Jul-Sep 1836
- MS 43,539/ 37** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Stephen Moore, Michael White, Jane Keane, Grace Dwyer, John Hogan, R.F. Peard, Thomas Power, James Dower and B. Boate, 22 items  
Oct-Dec 1836

- MS 43,539/ 38** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including E. Condon, Michael Haynes, James Barry, Michael Mortimer, R.F. Peard, John Baldwin, Henry Parker, W.H. Baldwin, James Robert Day and Thomas Foley, 27 items  
Jan-Jul 1837
- MS 43,539/ 39** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Mary Roper, Robert Rogers, J. MacDonald, Richard McGrath, William A. Lamb, Thomas Foley and James Scannell, 25 items  
Aug-Dec 1837
- MS 43,539/ 40** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Samuel Smith, James Richard Day, Richard Gibbons, Daniel Reardan, Thomas Foley, John Markham, Henry Roderick and Samuel Dorritt, 24 items  
Jan-Feb 1838
- MS 43,539/ 41** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Maurice Dolan, John Baldwin, Charles Curry, John Canny, Daniel Buckley and J. Jackson, 23 items  
Feb-Apr 1838
- MS 43,539/ 42** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including George Rogers, James Egan, Michael Treacy, John Scanlan, E. Condon, Patrick Lawney, Edward Dartnell, George Stanley, Henry Parker and Richard Ussher, 27 items  
May-Dec 1838
- MS 43,539/ 43** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Joseph Spillane, Thomas Dee, Ellen Carter, Michael O'Brien, Maurice Coghlan, Michael Mahony, Francis Kennedy and Matthew Godkin, 19 items  
Jan-Mar 1839
- MS 43,539/ 44** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Anne Walsh, Thomas Hayden, John Keane, Joseph Eustace, David Keefe, Thomas Doolan, Henry Bryen, Zorobel Robinett and E. Condon, 20 items  
Apr-Dec 1839
- MS 43,539/ 45** Letters from various tenants, solicitors and other persons, including Thomas Harvey, Nicholas Bowen, Anthony & Terry, Patrick Higgins, Grace Dwyer, William Marks, Richard Woods and Cornelius Ryan, 29 items  
Jan-Apr 1840

- MS 43,539/ 46** Letters from various tenants, clergymen and other persons, including Robert Burrowes (Dean of Cork), Richard Power, John Fitzgerald, Simon Bagge, Thomas Condon, George Burrowes and David Keefe, 29 items  
May-Aug 1840
- MS 43,539/ 47** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including George Grigg, W.H. Baldwin, William Jones, James Robinett, John Fitzgerald, Thomas Bayly and E. Condon, 18 items  
Sep-Dec 1840
- MS 43,539/ 48** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Thomas Biggs, Mary Griffith, John Fitzgerald, John Coleman, James Burk, Thomas Foley, John Pollock, Mary O'Sullivan, and Hull S. Browning, 29 items  
1841-3
- MS 43,539/ 49** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including Richard Power, Eliza Greene, John Hulbert, Margaret Moran, W. Poole, Michael Gorman, Barry Drew, Rev. J. Jackson, Thomas Biggs and Rev. Ludlow Tonson, 24 items  
n.d. [*Some items fragile*]
- MS 43,539/ 50** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including George Rogers, William Hanan, Maurice Walsh, Thomas Parks, Denis O'Donnell, Thomas Mulcahy, Matthew Quinlan, Francis Crotty, W. Poole and William Teape, 23 items  
n.d.
- MS 43,539/ 51** Letters from various tenants and other persons, including William Walshe, Richard Power, Thomas Austen, George Gumbleton, Thomas Ryan, Simon Clifford, John Holeran, Robert Browne, P.C. Perry and Andrew Carbery, 30 items  
n.d.

IV.iv.4.F Memorials, Official and Copy Letters

- MS 43,540/ 1** Memorials and petitions from various tenants, including John O'Daniel, John Collins, Augustine Foley, Elizabeth McNamara, Maurice McGuire, Mathias Regan, Andrew Keefe and Thomas Cunningham, 24 items  
1820-33
- MS 43,540/ 2** Memorials and petitions from various tenants, including William



- Crotty, Margaret Power, Honora Marks, Maurice Brien, Anastasia O'Neil, William Higgins, William Walsh, Joanna Power and Henry Smyth, 22 items  
1834-7 & n.d.
- MS 43,540/ 3** Letters from official bodies, including the General Post Office, the Excise Office (Fermoy), the Consistorial Office (Waterford), the Office of the Inspectors General of Prisons, and the Quit Rent Office, 11 items  
1825 & 1833-7
- MS 43,540/ 4** Letters from the Royal Exchange Assurance Office, the Bank of Ireland, and various educational institutions, 15 items  
1824-32
- MS 43,540/ 5** Letters to Henry Witham in his capacity as Senechal of Lismore from Robert Barry and others, with drafts of an address to the Earl of Musgrave (Lord Lieutenant of Ireland) from the inhabitants of Lismore, 14 items  
1835
- MS 43,540/ 6** Draft and copy letters from Henry Witham to various persons, including William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, the editor of the *Waterford Chronicle*, R. Sharpe, Alexander Steward RN, and Thomas J. Hornibrook, 16 items  
1818-40
- MS 7181** Letter book containing copies of the letters of Henry Witham, mainly to tenants on the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1 item  
1820-30

*IV.iv.5 Alexander Swanston*

- MS 43,541/ 1** Letters from Henry Witham, Benjamin Popham, Thomas Seward and Edward Callaghan, subjects include Shangandan tithes (Penrose v. Penrose), gas lighting at Bandon, and tithe applotment books, 32 items  
1837-44
- MS 43,541/ 2** Letters from Francis E. Curry, subjects include Gillabbey mills and fishery, Bernard Scalé's maps of Bandon, and a site for a college at Gillabbey, 24 items  
1841-57

- MS 43,541/ 3** Letters from Joseph Conroy (Chief Boundary Surveyor, Ordnance Survey of Ireland), Philip Ryan, John English and Peter Blake concerning the boundaries of Kilmurry, Kilmichael, Inchnegeelagh and various other townlands and parishes in County Cork, 16 items 1840-2
- MS 43,541/ 4** Letters from John B. Warren, John Holland, Francis Murphy, Robert Warren, Thomas Cooper, Bryan Gallwey, Michael Haynes, John Dale and others, subjects include tithes composition, Bandon potato market, Shangandan tithes (*Penrose v. Penrose*), and the road through Ballygaggin, 29 items 1838-44
- MS 43,541/ 5** Letters from William Caufield, John Walsh, Daniel Clifford, Samuel Moore Kyle (Archdeacon of Cork) and others, subjects include the boundaries of Teadies and Cloghane, the lease of Gillabbey, proposals for Skiddies Castle, and Bandon potato market, 38 items 1845-58 & n.d.

#### **IV.v Law Agents**

##### ***IV.v.1 Messers. Collier and Graham***

- MS 43,542** Letters from the Estate Commissioners (John Walker, Thomas Baker and Richard Bagge), John Hoare and William Lapp and Reginald Sexton, concerning the valuation of woods and other matters relating to the administration of the Irish estates of Richard, 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington, 9 items 1723-4 [*Most items damaged & fragile*]

##### ***IV.v.2 Benjamin Popham***

Benjamin Popham (1780-1847) succeeded Thomas Garde as law agent for the Irish estates of the Duke of Devonshire in 1807. After 1817 he served as law agent for the Bandon and County Cork properties until his death in 1847.

- MS 43,543/ 1** Letters from Thomas Knowlton and William Ashby, with copy correspondence between William Jenkins, Benjamin Popham, William Ashby and Thomas Knowlton concerning the Duke of Devonshire's purchase of the property of Mr. Jenkins in Dungarvan, 23 items 1810-7 [*One item damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,543/ 2** Letters from William S. Curry, Francis E. Curry, Henry Witham,

William Halyburton and others, subjects include building land for a Methodist chapel in Bandon, proposals for Gillabbey fishery, tithe suits, and proceedings against rentcharge defaulters, 18 items  
1816-42

**MS 43,543/ 3** Letters from Thomas Seward, with copy correspondence between Seward and Benjamin Popham, subjects include Ballymodan tithes, the ejectments of Messrs. Halyburton and Gounell, and the Duke of Devonshire's claim to tithes in the district of Bandon, 9 items  
1816-47

#### *IV.v.3 Thomas Seward*

Thomas Seward served as an additional law agent from 1817 to 1849 and was responsible for business emanating from the Duke of Devonshire's estates in County Waterford and for conducting the tithe disputes. The latter duty was to become a matter of dispute between Seward and Benjamin Popham during 1839-47.

##### IV.v.3.A Estate Auditors

**MS 43,544/ 1** Letters from Sir James Abercromby, subjects include the suits against the Corporation of Youghal and Corporation affairs, the Cork and Youghal parliamentary elections (1817), and a new road through the Duke of Devonshire's estate, 21 items  
1814-9

**MS 43,544/ 2** Letters from Sir James Abercromby, subjects include the suits against the Corporation of Youghal and Corporation affairs, with three draft letters from Seward to Abercromby, and copy correspondence between Abercromby and James Ellis Green (Mayor of Youghal), 20 items  
1820-6

**MS 43,544/ 3** Letters from Benjamin Currey, subjects include the suits against Youghal Corporation, the recovery of the College of Youghal, powers of attorney, and the preparation of leases and deeds, with a letter from William S. Curry (13 Oct 1837), 19 items  
1818-40

##### IV.v.3.B Estate Agents

**MS 43,545/ 1** Letters from Thomas Knowlton, subjects include the suits against the Corporation of Youghal, and the College of Youghal, 8 items  
1812-6

- MS 43,545/ 2** Letters from William Ashby, subjects include the suits against the Corporation of Youghal, barrack rents, stamp duties, the inspection of deeds, and the drafting of leases, 13 items  
1815
- MS 43,545/ 3** Letters from William Ashby, subjects include the suits against the Corporation of Youghal, the affairs of the Corporation, and searches for documents relating to this matter, 18 items  
Jan-Jun 1816
- MS 43,545/ 4** Letters from William Ashby, subjects include the suits against the Corporation of Youghal, the affairs of the Corporation, Dungarvan tolls, the River Blackwater fisheries, and his commission of the peace, 20 items  
Jul-Dec 1816
- MS 43,545/ 5** Letters from William Ashby, subjects include the affairs of the Corporation of Youghal, title leases, Sir Thomas Osbourne's title to properties in Dungarvan, the vicarage of Tallow, and Dungarvan charities, 17 items  
Feb-May 1817
- MS 43,545/ 6** Letters from William Ashby, subjects include the affairs of the Corporation of Youghal, the preparation of leases, Mr. Bernard's annuity, and George Ponsonby's candidature for the parliamentary seat of Youghal, 21 items  
Jun-Dec 1817
- MS 43,545/ 7** Letters from William Ashby, subjects include the suits against the Corporation of Youghal, the affairs of the Corporation, and his movements in Ireland and England, 18 items  
1818-9
- MS 43,545/ 8** Letters from William Ashby, subjects include the suits against the Corporation of Youghal and Corporation affairs, Stradbally tithes, and personal inquiries, 14 items  
1820-1 & 1830
- MS 43,545/ 9** Letters from William S. Curry, subjects include leases for Loughnasollis and Gurntalour, the sale of Rathanigue, the distraint of tenants' property, and compensation for the ferry owner at Dungarvan, 13 items  
Nov 1817-Apr 1818
- MS 43,545/ 10** Letters from William S. Curry, subjects include Youghal Chapel of Ease, Tallow Fever Hospital, the issuing of commissions of the

- peace, and the suits against the Corporation of Youghal, 17 items  
May-Dec 1818
- MS 43,545/ 11** Letters from William S. Curry, subjects include Neville Restorick's business, the sale of the barracks at Tallow, the payment of tolls in Dungarvan, and the sale of stock (includes a copy letter from Sir James Abercromby to William S. Curry), 18 items  
Jan-Apr 1819
- MS 43,545/ 12** Letters from William S. Curry, subjects include compensation for Reuben Harvey, the construction of a convent at Dungarvan and a school at Tallow, trespass on Youghal Strand, the preparation of leases, and investments in stock, 24 items  
May-Dec 1819
- MS 43,545/ 13** Letters from William S. Curry, subjects include the trial of the suits against the Corporation of Youghal, tithes in County Cork, a parcel of leases sent to London, and trespass on Slievegrine Mountain, 20 items  
Feb-Jun 1820
- MS 43,545/ 14** Letters from William S. Curry, subjects include the Corporation of Youghal, the registration of leases, the sale of stock, and a case respecting the advowsons of Clonpriest and Ardagh, 18 items  
Jul-Dec 1820
- MS 43,545/ 15** Letters from William S. Curry, subjects include the affairs of the Corporation of Youghal, the vicarage of Colligan, the Glebe of Ahern, and documents relating to the College of Youghal, 21 items  
Jan-May 1821
- MS 43,545/ 16** Letters from William S. Curry, subjects include the affairs of the Corporation of Youghal (including a copy letter from Sir James Abercromby to James Ellis Green, Mayor of Youghal), weirs on the River Blackwater, the preparation of leases, and a search for conveyances to the Heathcote family, 24 items  
Jun-Dec 1821
- MS 43,545/ 17** Letters from William S. Curry, subjects include valuations of property in Youghal and the tithes and leases held by the Corporation, the ejectment against Robert Bible, Gillabbey leases, and the exchange of the Glebe lands of Dungarvan and Lismore, 34 items  
1822 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,545/ 18** Letters from William S. Curry, subjects include the exchange of

- Glebe lands, Youghal tolls, Linen Board orders, an attack on Lismore weir, the election of Youghal magistrates, and Dungarvan affairs, 14 items  
1823 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,545/ 19** Letters from William S. Curry, subjects include Dungarvan magistrates, the purchase of barracks at Dungarvan and Tallow, investments in stock, and James Phelan's debt for Kilonan tithes, 29 items  
Jan-Jul 1824 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,545/ 20** Letters from William S. Curry, subjects include the Independent Meeting House in Youghal, Dungarvan tolls, the registration of freeholders, and Mr. P. Murphy's insurance policy, 16 items  
Aug-Dec 1824
- MS 43,545/ 21** Letters from William S. Curry, subjects include the tithes of Kinsalbeg, the Irish Mining Company, fishery suits (John Hodnett's weir), and the conveyance of Knockmourne Glebe, 20 items  
Jan-Jun 1825
- MS 43,545/ 22** Letters from William S. Curry, subjects include stamp duties, quit and crown rents, the execution of leases and notices to quit, the medical superintendence of Cork South Infirmary, and the progress of various toll, tithe and fishery suits, 21 items  
Jul-Dec 1825
- MS 43,545/ 23** Letters from William S. Curry, subjects include the suppression of weirs on the River Blackwater, the Salmon Fishery Bill, leases for Youghal school, and the Youghal toll case, 15 items  
Jan-Apr 1826
- MS 43,545/ 24** Letters from William S. Curry, subjects include the Cork and Waterford parliamentary elections, the Hodnett weir case, the Heathcote purchase, and quit rents and tithes of Gillabbey, 25 items  
May-Dec 1826
- MS 43,545/ 25** Letters from William S. Curry, subjects include fishery suits (Hodnett and Kiely), the Heathcote purchase, weights and measures, lists of patents, inquisitions and leases, and Linen Board certificates, 25 items  
Jan-Mar 1827
- MS 43,545/ 26** Letters from William S. Curry, subjects include the Heathcote purchase, ejectments proposed by John Uniacke, the recovery of church property, the quit rent of Ahaglashin, and the purchase of

- Garrycloyne, 21 items  
Apr-Dec 1827
- MS 43,545/ 27** Letters from William S. Curry, subjects include weirs on the River Blackwater (Hodnett, Smyth and Kiely), Ballymodan tithes, the dock at Youghal, and the execution of tithe leases, 22 items  
1828
- MS 43,545/ 28** Letters from William S. Curry, subjects include tithe and fishery suits, instructions for leases, bank deposits, and Dungarvan tolls, 15 items  
Jan-May 1829
- MS 43,545/ 29** Letters from William S. Curry, subjects include rent owed by Messrs. Kissane and Maunsell, the lease of the Glebe of Ahern, and the tolls of Tallow fair, 16 items  
Jun-Dec 1829
- MS 43,545/ 30** Letters from William S. Curry, subjects include fishing rights (Kiely), the ejection of Mr. Kissane, the Dungarvan and Youghal parliamentary elections, toll cases, Mr. Maunsell's claim for costs, and Ballymodan tithes, 22 items  
1830
- MS 43,545/ 31** Letters from William S. Curry, subjects include the sale of the College of Youghal, Bandon parliamentary election, and Youghal Gas Works, 18 items  
1831
- MS 43,545/ 32** Letters from William S. Curry, subjects include Tallow almshouses, the Mall of Lismore, the registration of leases, Youghal College, and the Kilmurry tithe suit, 20 items  
1832
- MS 43,545/ 33** Letters from William S. Curry, subjects include Youghal College, Robert Venn's position as butter weighmaster, the tolls of Youghal, savings banks, and the Kilmurry tithe suit, 19 items  
1833
- MS 43,545/ 34** Letters from William S. Curry, subjects include the valuation and sale of Youghal College, tithe relief, the renewal of Miss A. Lander's leases, and the Kilmurry tithe suit, 13 items  
1834
- MS 43,545/ 35** Letters from William S. Curry, subjects include weirs on the River Blackwater (John Kiely), the preparation of leases and conveyances,

and purchase money for land holdings, 14 items  
1835

- MS 43,545/ 36** Letters from William S. Curry, subjects include fishery papers, proposals for leases, the Earl of Cork's deed of settlement (14 May 1636), and Mr. Fogarty's bonds, 8 items  
1836, 1838 & n.d.
- MS 43,545/ 37** Letters from Francis E. Curry, subjects include the sale of William S. Curry's stock, the adjustment of Benjamin Popham's claims, the conveyance of rentcharge to Lord Crenmorne, and the recovery of costs from the Poor Law Commissioners, 21 items  
1838-41
- MS 43,545/ 38** Letters from Francis E. Curry, subjects include the payment of compensation to the Browne family, the Shandangan tithe case, the preparation of leases, trespass on mountain land, tithe applotments, and payments of rentcharge, 15 items  
1842-Apr 1843
- MS 43,545/ 39** Letters from Francis E. Curry, subjects include tithe applotment books, harbour dues at Dungarvan, preparation of leases, the deed of endowment of Kilmurry Glebe, and proceedings against Jeffrey Browning for rentcharge arrears 17 items  
May 1843-1844

#### IV.v.3.C Estate Sub-Agents

- MS 43,546/ 1** Letters from John Hudson, subjects include Youghal tenants served with notices to quit, encroachments on Youghal Strand, the Youghal Corporation suits, the holding of a court leet at Dungarvan, and his appointment to the Seneschalship of Dungarvan, 19 items  
1815-7
- MS 43,546/ 2** Letters from John Hudson, subjects include the parish of West Dungarvan, the Youghal Corporation suits, trespass on Youghal Strand, Slievegrine Mountain, the billeting troops in Dungarvan, the wreck of a sloop in Dungravan Bay, and the magistrates and tolls of Dungarvan, 23 items  
1818-25 & 1829 [*Some items fragile*]
- MS 43,546/ 3** Letters from Henry Witham, subjects include the preparation of leases, the stamping of receipt books, the ejectment of Robert Bible, the tithes of Kilronan, importing cattle from Scotland, and newspaper subscriptions, 38 items  
1818-24 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]



- MS 43,546/ 4** Letters from Henry Witham, subjects include the proposals for leases, the tithes of Kilmichael and Inchegeelagh, the Glebe of Knockmorne, an inquiry into wiers on the River Blackwater, the ejectment of Robert Bible, Linen Board certificates, and the Manor of Dungarvan, 26 items  
1825-8
- MS 43,546/ 5** Letters from Henry Witham, subjects include notice to quit served on Mr. Kissane, Ballymodan tithes, Bandon leases, the ejectment of John Newell, J.M. Galwey's lease for Abbeyside, and the Dungarvan parliamentary election, 27 items  
1829-30 [*Some items fragile*]
- MS 43,546/ 6** Letters from Henry Witham, subjects include church livings, the preparation of leases, the registration and entertainment of electors, tithe composition, financial transactions, the College of Youghal, Ballymodan tithes, and the Kilmurry tithe suit, 32 items  
1831-4 [*Some items very fragile*]
- MS 43,546/ 7** Letters from Henry Witham, subjects include tithe leases, the ejectment of Richard Curry, maps of Gillabbey, costs for preparing leases, compensation for Robert Venn, letters patent, and trespass on Youghal Strand, 37 items  
1835-Feb 1836 [*Some items fragile*]
- MS 43,546/ 8** Letters from Henry Witham, subjects include the proposals for and preparation of leases, rent arrears, the Foulke family's holding, and interest on government stock, 36 items  
Apr 1836-1839 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,546/ 9** Letters from Henry Witham, subjects include the recovery of rentcharges, the death of William S. Curry, the removal of sand from Youghal Strand, Shandangan tithes, and instructions for the preparation of leases, 36 items  
1839-41
- MS 43,546/ 10** Letters from Alexander Swanston, subjects include a fictitious letter from the Lord Chancellor's secretary, 2 items  
1840-2

#### IV.v.3.D Law Agents and Solicitors

- MS 43,547/ 1** Letters from Benjamin Popham, subjects include the Youghal Corporation suits, the cases of Devonshire v. Gounell, Loane, and Thomas Banfield, the composition of juries, and an ejectment

against Lord Bandon, 22 items  
1816-40

**MS 43,547/ 2** Letters from Charles Maunsell, subjects include the preparation of the deed of conveyance of the Heathcote Estates, ejectments, the recovery of legal costs (*Devonshire v. Maunsell*), and his rent arrears, 14 items  
1821, 1826 & 1829-30

**MS 43,547/ 3** Letters from William Waggert, Edward Pennefather, William Kemmis, Edward Callaghan, H.K. Hemming and Messrs. Edwards & Savage, subjects include the preparation of printed leases, Mr. Pyne's ejectment, the recovery of legal costs from the Poor Law Commissioners, the Heathcote purchase, and the Youghal Corporation suit, 26 items  
1818-29 & 1835-44

#### IV.v.3.E Principal Correspondents

**MS 43,548/ 1** Letters from George Roche concerning affairs in the town of Youghal, with particular reference to the business of the Corporation and the Duke of Devonshire's legal suit against its members, 28 items  
1816-8

**MS 43,548/ 2** Letters from George Roche concerning affairs in the town of Youghal, with particular reference to the Corporation and the Duke of Devonshire's legal suit against its members, and the preservation of the Strand, 25 items  
1819

**MS 43,548/ 3** Letters from George Roche concerning affairs in the town of Youghal, with particular reference to the Corporation and the Duke of Devonshire's legal suit against its members, and recent bank failures, 22 items  
1820 [*One item damaged & fragile*]

**MS 43,548/ 4** Letters from George Roche largely concerning affairs in the town of Youghal, with particular reference to the business of the Corporation, the payment of compensation to leaseholders, the election of magistrates, and a survey of Ballinatray, 35 items  
1821-2 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]

**MS 43,548/ 5** Letters from John Dartnell, subjects include rentals and receipt books, the land and tenements of Knockasticane and Carrigmore, affidavits of witnesses, and ejectments, 12 items

1816-7

- MS 43,548/ 6** Letters from John Newell and Rodolphus Greene, subjects include the payment of fees and costs for preparing and serving civil bill ejectments, 21 items  
1816-20, 1826 & 1832
- MS 43,548/ 7** Edmond Scully, Thomas Kift and Rowley Heyland, subjects include the lands of Greencloyne, the Heathcote purchase, Youghal Corporation, and rent and costs for the lands of Gortnalour, 20 items  
1816-21 & 1827-9

IV.v.3.F General Correspondence

- MS 43,549/ 1** Letters from various persons, correspondents include Charles Bushe, Richard Exham, Samuel Sprigg, Joshua Eustace, Richard McGrath, Thomas Mannix, Samuel Merrick, John Lawlor, Patrick Delandre, Reuben Harvey, Ann Restorick and James Johnson, 25 items  
1816-Mar 1819
- MS 43,549/ 2** Letters from various persons, correspondents include Rev. George Smithwick, Robert Reeves & Sons, John Garde, George Gregg, George Baggs, J.M. Galwey, Michael Hackett, John Eustace, Thomasina Morris, James Ellis Green, Francis Browne and Charles Burton, 30 items  
May 1819-1823
- MS 43,549/ 3** Letters from various persons, correspondents include Bryan Phelan, John Lock, William Caldwell, George Hines, Joseph Harvey, William Charles, W.J. McCausland, George Giles, John Litton, James Dwyer, Richard F. Peard and George Ponsonby, 21 items  
1824-6
- MS 43,549/ 4** Letters from various persons, correspondents include David Babington, James Murphy, Samuel Cooke, James Ricketts Daltera, William Neilson, Michael Hartnett, Henry Browne, Ellen Browne and Noble Johnson, 22 items  
1827-8
- MS 43,549/ 5** Letters from various persons, correspondents include Joshua Eustace, James Keenan, Nicholas Sadleir, John Pollock, Rev. John O'Meara, Daniel Foley, Robert Maddock, Denham Franklin, Rev. Benjamin Gash, Edward Sandeford, Henry Dennehy and W.H. Baldwin, 24 items  
1829-34

**MS 43,549/ 6** Letters from various persons, correspondents include Richard McGrath, Benjamin Booker, Murdock Green, William Bassett, Richard Donovan, John Courtney, John O'Hea, Rev. Ludlow Tonson, Charles E. Trevelyan (Assistant Secretary of the Treasury), Captain J. Armstrong and John Chadwick, 22 items  
1835-45

*IV.v.4 Edward Callaghan*

**MS 43,550** Letters from Francis E. Curry, Thomas Seward, William A. Currey, Alexander Swanston and Henry Witham, subjects include Dungarvan harbour dues, tithing applotment books, Killowen deeds, William S. Curry's commission of the peace, and instructions for leases, 25 items  
1838-45

*IV.v.5 Basil Orpin*

Basil Orpin (1801-82) was Thomas Seward's legal partner and was law agent for the Duke of Devonshire's Irish estate between 1849 and 1879, after which the legal business was taken over by Messrs. Keily and Lloyd, a Dublin-based firm of solicitors.

**MS 43,551** Letters from Francis E. Curry, Alexander Swanston, Edward Callaghan, H.K. Hemming, Edmond Dunne and Thomas Foley, subjects include the deeds for Killowen and the almshouses at Youghal, the case of Devonshire v. Jackson, Thomas Seward's legal costs, and the Bandon railway, with a copy of the Dublin Gazette (26 Sep 1854), 33 items  
1845-55 & 1875

*IV.v.6 Henry Keene Hemming*

**MS 43,552/ 1** Letters from Basil Orpin, Garrett Foley and John C. Browne, subjects include the cases of Devonshire v. Dower and Davis, Mr. O'Neill's ejectment, the estates of Messrs. Walsh, Wyse and Ronayne, and Mr. Mitchell's rentcharge, 45 items  
1846-51

**MS 43,552/ 2** Letters from Basil Orpin, subjects include the cases of Devonshire v. Mitchell and Kirby, Lord Shannon's estate, Mr. Clement's rentcharge, and the estates of Messrs. Pyne and Ronayne, 55 items  
1852-3

- MS 43,552/ 3** Letters from Basil Orpin and George Lacey, subjects include the cases of Devonshire v. O'Neill, Gumbleton v. Mahony, Devonshire v. Leahy, and Reidy & Co. v. Currey, the estates of Messrs. Usher and Carew, and Mr. Fennel's grant, 50 items  
1854
- MS 43,552/ 4** Letters from Basil Orpin, subjects include the cases of Devonshire v. Jackson, and Denny v. Devonshire, the estates of William Baldwin and John Kiely, Dungarvan parish, and Clonlea rentcharges, 50 items  
1855-8
- MS 43,552/ 5** Letters from Edward Callaghan, subjects include, the cases of Devonshire v. Dennehy, Walsh and Bolton, Mr. Carew's estate, Mr. Dower's rentcharges, Mr. Slattery's minors, the parishes of Fews and Rossmire, and improvements at Lismore, 46 items  
1851-8

#### **IV.vi Other Persons**

- MS 43,553/ 1** Letters to Thomas Oliver Plunkett, 11<sup>th</sup> Baron Louth, John Gibbons, William Popham, George Lamb MP, John Bennett, Frederick Howard, Robert Gumbleton, Rodolphus Greene, Dominick Ronayne and others from various persons including Thomas Seward, William Popham, Maurice Gibbons, James Hallahan and Thomasina Morris, 32 items  
1798-1842
- MS 43,553/ 2** Letters to John Hudson, John Swanston, William H. Baldwin, John Berwick, Nelson T. Foley, William Popham, William Holland, Thomas Lowe and James Yates from various persons including Samuel Upton, Basil Orpin, George Cornwall, Patrick Delandre, Maurice Power and William Kirby, 35 items  
1811-79

### **V LEGAL PAPERS**

The documents in this category consist largely of legal briefs and proofs, lawyer's opinions, court papers, legal searches, bills of costs and associated papers. They were generated in the course of legal disputes concerning the properties of the Boyle and Cavendish families in Ireland during the mid-seventeenth to the late nineteenth centuries. The documents are arranged according to the type of legal dispute for which they were created – fisheries, tithes, tolls, properties etc. – and then listed according to each individual case in chronological order. The bulk of the documents were accumulated in the course of the almost continuous litigation which marked the nineteenth century, the main cause being disputes over fishery rights on the River Blackwater and the payment of

impropriate tithes. In both of these types of case it was necessary to depend on rights deriving from much earlier times with the result that some of the innumerable legal documents relating to these cases contain certified copies of important ancient documents, a collection of which can be found in the first section of this category.

## **V.i Ancient Manuscripts**

Although mostly copies, the documents in this section form a very valuable part of the collection, almost all the originals being no longer extant. They provide valuable information on the origins of the Lismore estate and consist largely of certified copies from the Vice Treasurer's Office and Chief Remembrancer's Office (1820-30s), and the Public Record Office of Ireland (1860-70s).

### ***V.i.1 Extracts from Rolls***

- MS 43,580/ 1** Certified copy of a portion of the Magna Carta, Ireland (12 Nov 1216), copy of a portion of the Memorandum Roll of the Court of Exchequer, Ireland, 9 Ed. III (1335, Latin with translation), and an extract from the Close Roll of the Court of Chancery, 33 Ed. III (1359, Latin), 4 items  
1871-4
- MS 43,580/ 2** Translation of an extract from a roll of the possessions of the Monastery of St. Finbars, alias Gillabbey (1547), copy of a roll showing the possessions of the Monastery of Antro. St. Finbarry, alias Gillabbey (1549, Latin with translation), and a translation of an extract from a roll of the possessions of the Monastery of St. Finbar, alias Gillabbey, 3 & 4 Ed. VI (1549-50), 4 items  
1824 & 1833
- MS 43,580/ 3** Copy petition of Sir Maurice FitzGerald of Dromany against the exactions of the Earl of Desmond (July 1565), taken from State Papers Ireland, vol. 14, no. 34, translation of order and fine touching Bennett's lands in Youghal with extracts from documents (1567), copy letter of Queen Elizabeth I in favour of Garret Fitz James Fitz Garrett with regard to the baronies of Affane and Cappoquin (9 Apr 1590), and copy from the Memorandum Roll of the Court of Exchequer concerning the enrolment of information against Maurice Male regarding the baronies of Affane and Cappoquin (1591, Latin with translation), 7 items  
1820 & 1871

### ***V.i.2 Inquisitions***

- MS 43,581/ 1** Copy inquisitions post mortem in the Court of Chancery on John

FitzMaurice finding him seized of lands in the Decies, 10 Ed. I, no. 21 (1282, Latin), and translation of writs with inquisitions annexed touching the lands held by John Fitz Thomas in divers counties of Ireland (1282), 2 items  
1864 & 1872

**MS 43,581/ 2**

Copies of inquisitions in the Court of Exchequer, County Waterford finding Gerald Fitz John Fitz Gerald seized of the Barony of Affane (31 Jul 1567) and the Barony of Aughmean (25 May 1575, Latin with translations), 4 items  
1871

**MS 43,581/ 3**

Copies of inquisitions taken at Le Magdalens, County Waterford (28 Aug 1576) and finding the Bishop of Waterford and Lismore seized of the Manor of Lismore (26 Apr 1579, Latin with translations), 6 items  
1819, 1830 & 1869

**MS 43,581/ 4**

Copies of inquisitions in the Court of Exchequer, County Waterford on the death of James Fitz Gerald (26 Jan 1584, Latin with translation), and finding James Fitz John Garrett seized of Strongcally (17 Nov 1585, Latin), 3 items  
1871

**MS 43,581/ 5**

Copy of mittimus accompanying an inquisition in the Court of Exchequer, (26 Nov 1605, Latin), copy of inquisition taken at Carrickbeg, Co. Waterford (2 Apr 1608), exemplification of the inquisition touching the Manor of Dungarvan (c1610, Latin), copy inquisition concerning Roger Dalton (6 Apr 1624), translation of inquisition post mortem concerning the properties of Donatt McTeige Carty (10 Jun 1625), constat copy of inquisition concerning lands in County Waterford (4 Jul 1626, Latin), abstracts of inquisitions concerning the forfeiture of Cormac McDonagh Carty (1641), copy inquisition taken at Dungarvan, Co. Waterford (9 Oct 1656) and an inquisition concerning Ballynamuck and other lands (3 Jun 1697), 9 items  
1697, 1830, 1872

### *V.i.3 Attainder of the 15<sup>th</sup> Earl of Desmond*

**MS 43,582/ 1**

Copy of a portion of the Survey of the Honours, Manors, and Lordships in the province of Munster forfeited by Gerald FitzGerald, 15th Earl of Desmond and others (22 Aug 1584, Latin), 1 item  
1871)

- MS 43,582/ 2** Copy extract of a portion of the Survey of the Honours, Manors, and Lordships in the province of Munster forfeited by Gerald FitzGerald, 15th Earl of Desmond and others (22 Aug 1584, Latin with translations), 6 items  
1871-6
- MS 43,582/ 3** Copy of the attainder of Gerald FitzGerald, 15th Earl of Desmond (1585), copy of an inquisition in the Court of Chancery, County of Waterford finding the Earl of Desmond and others seized of Strongcally and other lands (28 Sep 1586, Latin with translation), and a pardon granted to Fynyn McDonagh McCarthy (9 Apr 1586), 5 items  
1586 & 1856 & 1869-76 [*One item damaged*]
- MS 43,582/ 4** Book of old copies of inquisitions taken at Dungarvan upon the attainder of the Earl of Desmond, finding Gerald FitzGerald, 15th Earl of Desmond seized of Strongcally (28 Sep 1586), James FitzMaurice seized of Grange and Modelog (22 Sep 1586), and Gerald FitzGerald, late Earl of Desmond seized of Inchiquin (6 Oct 1586), 1 item  
n.d.
- MS 43,582/ 5** Copy of letter of John FitzEdmond Gerald to Sir Francis Wallsingham (15 Nov 1588, taken from State Papers Ireland), and examinations and depositions relating to lands in the Counties of Cork and Waterford forfeited by several persons in rebellion (1593), 2 items  
1871
- MS 43,582/ 6** Exemplification of the record of the attainder of Donalious Mc Cragh and others at Limerick (29 Apr 1601), 1 item  
1601 [*Seal requires housing*]

#### ***V.i.4 Inquisition of Sir John Fitzgerald of Dromana***

- MS 43,583/ 1** Copy inquisition in the Court of Exchequer concerning John Fitzgerald of Dromana (16 Oct 1605, Latin), copy petition of Sir John Fitzgerald of Dromany, Co. Waterford, to King James I and certificates with His Majesty's pleasure (22 Aug 1613), copies of Whitehall documents reciting the conveyance of the Decies from the Desmond to the Geraldine, consisting of letters from the Privy Council to King James I in favour of John Fitzgerald (13 Aug 1613), and to the Attorney General directing a bill to be prepared to pass new letter patent to Sir John Fitzgerald (19 Sep 1613), copies of crown rentals of the land of Sir John Fitzgerald (1614 & 1618, Latin), a copy commission to hold inquisition



post mortem of the estate of Sir John Fitzgerald (27 Jul 1620, Latin) and a copy of an inquisition post mortem of the estate of Sir John Fitzgerald (28 Oct 1620, Latin), 10 items  
1828 & 1872-6

**MS 43,583/ 2** Copies of an inquisition post mortem in the Court of Chancery of the estate of Sir John Fitzgerald (28 Oct 1620, Latin with translations), 8 items  
1825-7 & 1869

**MS 43,583/ 3** Copies of an inquisition in the Court of Chancery, County Waterford, concerning Sir John Fitzgerald (7 Jun 1627, Latin), copy inquisition post mortem taken at Tallow, Co. Waterford of Gerald alias Garrett Fitzgerald of Dromany, Co. Waterford (7 Nov 1643, Latin with translations) and extracts from inquisitions held in 1620, 1625, and 1639, 9 items  
1869 & n.d. [*One item fragile*]

#### ***V.i.5 Attainder of Sir Walter Raleigh***

**MS 43,584/ 1** Copy of the inquisition finding the attainder of Sir Walter Raleigh (21 Sep 1603, Latin), copy of the indictment of Sir Walter Raleigh, copies of the inquisitions in the Court of Exchequer finding his possessions in County Cork at the time of his attainder, taken at the City of Cork (31 Mar 1604, Latin with translation), and finding his possessions in County Waterford, taken at Tallow, Co. Waterford (2 Apr 1604, Latin with translations), 7 items  
1827 & 1869-72

**MS 43,584/ 2** Copy of the exemplification of the inquisitions taken in the counties of Cork and Waterford after the attainder of Sir Walter Raleigh (31 Mar 1604, Latin with translation), and a copy of an inquisition in the Court of Chancery, County Waterford on the attainder of Sir Walter Raleigh (26 Apr 1604, Latin, translation), 4 items  
1636 & 1869

#### **V.ii Fisheries**

This section deals with litigation arising from encroachments on various fisheries on the property of the Earls of Cork and Dukes of Devonshire in counties Cork and Waterford, and from disputes over the ownership of the bed and soil of the River Blackwater. The earliest disputes date from late seventeenth century, although the bulk of the cases were

contested between 1820 and 1880 over the erection of weirs and the employment of drift nets on the River Blackwater.

*V.ii.1 Cork v. Edward and Catherine Fitzgerald (Villiers)*

The case concerns a dispute over ownership of the bed and soil of the River Blackwater on the border between the properties of the Earl of Cork and Burlington and the Fitzgeralds of Dromana (see also sections III.ii.16 and III.ii.28). This case and a counter-case was contested between Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington and Lady Catherine Fitzgerald and her husband Brigadier-General Edward Villiers between 1680 and 1687.

**MS 43,585/ 1** Cork v. Fitzgerald: Copy bill (2 Jul 1680), and letter to Richard, 1st Earl of Cork from Lord Chancellor Hyde and others (3 Aug 1680), Gorstelane v. Fitzgerald: Copy answer (29 Jan 1683), Cork v. Fitzgerald: Order for an injunction for the plaintiff to be granted possession until the defendant answers the plaintiff's bill (31 Jan 1683), copy indictment against Thomas Downs for fishing in the River Blackwater (14 Sep 1683), copy of entry in Bill Book of the Court of Chancery (9 Nov 1683), and the clerk of the crown's certificate that the indictments preferred against Roger Carew and others were not found (10 Nov 1683), 7 items 1680-3, 1817 & 1869

**MS 43,585/ 2** Cork v. Fitzgerald: Copies of bill (15 Nov 1683), affidavit of Edmond Fling (19 Nov 1683), copy of notes (21 Nov 1683), and copies of orders (24 Nov 1683, 17 Jan 1684 & 31 Jan 1684), 16 items 1683, 1817 & 1864-6

**MS 43,585/ 3** Cork v. Fitzgerald: Clerk of the crown's certificate of the proceedings at the assizes at Waterford (23 Apr 1684), and attested copies of answer (12 May 1684), Fitzgerald v. Cork: Copies of answers of Thomas Downes, John White, Garret Fitzgerald and others in Chancery (26 & 31 May 1684), Fitzgerald v. Gorstelane: Order refusing to dissolve injunction obtained by the Earl of Cork against Edward Fitzgerald to quit said Earl in his possession of the fishery of the River Blackwater (7 Jun 1684), and letter from William Comyn to Roger Carew, sheriff of County Waterford (15 Aug 1684), Cork v. Fitzgerald: Copy of indictments at Waterford, and the clerk of the crown's certificate about indictments at Waterford (21 Aug 1684), 10 items 1684, 1817 & 1866

**MS 43,585/ 4** Cork v. Fitzgerald: Copies of the depositions of witnesses on behalf of the defendant and cross examined on the part of the

- plaintiff, taken at Lismore (26 Sep 1684), 4 items  
c1800
- MS 43,585/ 5** Cork v. Fitzgerald: Copies of the depositions of witnesses on behalf of the defendant and cross examined on the part of the plaintiff, taken at Lismore (26 Sep 1684), 4 items  
1866-9
- MS 43,585/ 6** Cork v. Fitzgerald: Copy of order (24 Oct 1684), affidavit of Roger Power (14 Nov 1684), commissioner's certificate and an affidavit thereon (14 Nov 1684), copy of notes (19 Nov 1684), copies of orders (19 & 22 Nov 1684), list of witnesses examined about the Blackwater fishery (1684), short account of the proceedings in this cause at the Court of Chancery from September 1683 to January 1685, and Fitzgerald v. Gorstelane and others: Copy deposition of witnesses on behalf of the defendant taken at Dromana (20 Apr 1685), 15 items  
1684, 1866-71
- MS 43,585/ 7** Fitzgerald v. Gorstelane: Affidavit of Rodagh Kelley (8 May 1685), commissioner's certificate (8 May 1685), Cork v. Fitzgerald: Orders for hearing the cause (15 & 25 Jun 1685), copies of orders (27 Jun & 4 Jul 1685), Fitzgerald v. Cork: Copies of bill (2 Sep 1685), Cork v. Fitzgerald: Copy of order (21 Feb 1686), certificate of pleading (22 Feb 1686), order (23 Feb 1686), Fitzgerald v. Cork: Copies of answer (31 Aug 1686), Cork v. Fitzgerald: Copy of depositions (21 Sep 1686), and an order for a commission to cross-examine for the defendant (16 Nov 1686), 19 items  
1684, 1866-77
- MS 7136** Volume of interrogatories of a commission of the Irish Court of Chancery and replies of witnesses in the case of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork v. Edward Fitzgerald, als. Villiers, his wife Katherine and others concerning fishery rights on the River Blackwater, 1 item  
1686
- MS 7137** Volume of interrogatories of a commission of the Irish Court of Chancery and replies of witnesses in the case of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork v. Edward Fitzgerald, als. Villiers, his wife Katherine and others concerning fishery rights on the River Blackwater, 1 item  
1686
- MS 7138** Volume of interrogatories of a commission of the Irish Court of

- Chancery and replies of witnesses in the case of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork v. Edward Fitzgerald, als. Villiers, his wife Katherine and others concerning fishery rights on the River Blackwater, 1 item  
1686
- MS 7139** Volume of interrogatories of a commission of the Irish Court of Chancery and replies of witnesses in the case of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork v. Edward Fitzgerald, als. Villiers, his wife Katherine and others concerning fishery rights on the River Blackwater, 1 item  
1686
- MS 43,585/ 8** Cork v. Fitzgerald: Copies of the brief for the hearing of depositions (1687), 3 items  
n.d.
- MS 43,585/ 9** Fitzgerald v. Cork: Copies of a decree on order of the Lord Chancellor relative to the fishery on the River Blackwater (6 May 1687), order of Lord Chancellor relative to the Blackwater fishery and copy of petition to have the order amended (6 & 19 May 1687), copies of notes of decree of the Lord Chancellor (6 May 1687), and a copy order (9 May 1687), 14 items
- MS 43,585/ 10** Cork v. Fitzgerald: Copies of a short brief for the plaintiff, a short précis for the plaintiff to show cause why the defendant should not have a commission to hand, and a brief of the bill, 5 items  
n.d.
- MS 43,585/ 11** Cork v. Fitzgerald: Copies of interrogatories and depositions, and cross interrogatories on behalf of the plaintiff  
1875
- MS 43,585/ 12** Fitzgerald v. Gorstelane, Roger Carew, and Tristram Eager: Brief for hearing in Chancery, copies of the brief on behalf of defendants of the plaintiff's bill, and interrogatories to be administered to witnesses on behalf of the defendants, 4 items  
n.d.
- MS 43,585/ 13** Common Pleas: Translation of a fine from Villiers and his wife concerning lands of the County of Waterford (1677), 2 items  
c1820

***V.ii.2 Bandon Fishery***

**MS 43,586** Deposition of Anthony Carty concerning the fishery at Bandon (6 Nov 1726), affidavits from Thomas Rusle of Ballymodan concerning two pools in the River Bandon and from William Rusle, William Coughlan and Samuel Browne, fishermen employed by Abraham Davis, a statement of Abraham Davis's case concerning the fishery (11 Oct 1726), and statements concerning weirs at Gillabbey and Cork, 6 items  
1716-26 [*One item very fragile*]

### ***V.ii.3 Cork v. Richard Musgrave***

This case concerned Richard Musgrave's long-standing tenancy of the River Blackwater fishery at Ballyin.

**MS 43,587** Case and observations concerning Richard Musgrave's lease of the fishery at Ballyin for 41 years from 1719, with accounts and a surrender of lease, 6 items  
1729-35

### ***V.ii.4 Lismore Fishery***

These cases illustrate the often violent nature of the struggle over the lucrative fishing rights on the River Blackwater between Christopher Musgrave, his sub-tenants and bailiffs, and the operators of illegal weirs during the late eighteenth century.

**MS 43,588/ 1** Opinion of Theobald Wolfe concerning encroachments (through the construction of salmon weirs) on the fishing rights of Christopher Musgrave on the River Blackwater as held under the terms of his lease from the Earl of Cork and Burlington dated 20 September 1752 (12 Feb 1770), 1 item  
1770

**MS 43,588/ 2** Copies of a case arising out of an affray which took place on 28 August 1773 when Christopher Musgrave's son and a party seized cotts and nets on the River Blackwater. On being attacked they fired in self defence. One person was shot dead and three others wounded, all of whom afterwards died of their wounds, with the opinion of Counsellor George Barrett (28 Sep 1773), 2 items  
1773

**MS 43,588/ 3** Copies of a case arising out of an attempt made by Sir John Keane to draw nets in the River Blackwater at Cappoquin contrary to the terms of Christopher Musgrave's lease, with the opinion of Mr Carleton (3 Aug 1783), 5 items  
c1820

### *V.ii.5 Devonshire v. Tobias Ronayne and Others*

This case was the first of a number of actions brought against the Duke of Devonshire's tenants for erecting 'Scotch' weirs on the River Blackwater around Lismore to the prejudice of the Duke of Devonshire's right of salmon fishing. The suit was commenced in 1816, but various difficulties having occurred in the prosecution of it, it was decided to discontinue with the proceedings. In all the cases (with the exception of Tobias Ronayne) interlocutory judgements were marked. The other defendants in this case were Dominick Ronayne, John Cotter, and Thomas Connolly. The case also incorporated the case of Christopher Musgrave v. John McCarthy.

#### V.ii.5.A Cases and Instructions

- MS 43,589/ 1** Case and further case (with drafts and copies) respecting the Blackwater fishery, with the opinion and directions of Charles Burton, counsel to the plaintiff (5 Jun 1814 & 9 Apr 1815), 12 items  
1814-5
- MS 43,589/ 2** Draft of observations sent with brief to apply for time to reply (17 Jun 1816), draft further case respecting the Blackwater fishery, instructions to Charles Burton to apply for time to reply to defendants plea (Nov 1816), draft further case respecting the Blackwater fishery for the advice of Mr Charles Burton (Dec 1816), further case respecting the Blackwater fishery with the opinion and directions of Mr Charles Burton (24 Dec 1816), copies of the opinion and directions of Charles Burton (24 Dec 1816), and copy instructions laid before counsel to draw plea to declaration and of said plea as filed at the Court of Law Exchequer, 8 items  
1816
- MS 43,589/ 3** Copies of the opinions of Mr. Waggert and Sergeant Thomas Gould, counsel to the plaintiff (6 Jan 1817), 5 items  
1817
- MS 43,589/ 4** Duke of Devonshire v. Tobias Ronayne: Draft case for the consideration of Charles Burton (3 Mar 1817) instructions on behalf of plaintiff for the advice and directions of Charles Burton (3 Mar 1817), further case (and copies) on behalf of plaintiff with the opinions of Richard B. Warren (7 Mar 1817) and Sergeant Joy (10 Mar 1817), 5 items  
1817

#### V.ii.5.B Preliminary Papers

- MS 43,590/ 1** Duke of Devonshire v. Tobias Ronayne: Copy declaration, rule of judgement, and affidavits of service of writs, and Duke of Devonshire v. Dominick Ronayne: Writ of inquiry, instructions to draw declaration, draft declaration, rule of judgement, and affidavits of service of writs, 16 items  
1815-6
- MS 43,590/ 2** Duke of Devonshire v. Thomas Connolly: Writ of inquiry, instructions to draw declaration, draft declaration, rule of judgement, and affidavits of service of writs, Duke of Devonshire v. John Cotter: Writ of inquiry, instructions to draw declaration, draft declaration, rule of judgement, and affidavits of service of writs, and Christopher Musgrave v. John McCarthy: Writ of inquiry, instructions to draw declaration, draft declaration, rule of judgement, and affidavit of service of writs, 26 items  
1815-6

#### V.ii.5.C Briefs

- MS 43,591** Law Exchequer. Duke of Devonshire v. Tobias Ronayne: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff of declarations and pleas (31 Jan 1816), and brief on behalf of the plaintiff for time to apply for time to reply to defendant's pleas (17 Jun 1816), Duke of Devonshire v. John Cotter and Dominick Ronayne: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff to oppose annexed notice (Feb 1817), and Duke of Devonshire v. Tobias Ronayne, Dominick Ronayne, and John Cotter: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff to move pursuant to the annexed notice (May 1817), 5 items  
1816-7

#### V.ii.5.D Court Papers

- MS 43,592/ 1** Affidavits of Thomas Seward and Charles Maunsell, 5 items  
1816-7
- MS 43,592/ 2** Orders and notices, 19 items  
1816-7
- MS 43,592/ 3** Rules and summonses to tax costs, with labels, 15 items  
1819-7

V.ii.5.E Correspondence, Costs and Associated papers

- MS 43,593/ 1** Letters to Thomas Seward from William Ashby, Benjamin Popham, Edmond Barrett and Messrs. Maunsell and Green, and from Edward Pennefather and Matthew Walsh to Benjamin Popham concerning the fishery suits, 25 items  
1816-7
- MS 43,593/ 2** Plaintiff's costs as between attorney and client and copy costs of defendant as furnished for taxation between parties, 4 items  
1817
- MS 43,593/ 3** Reports and lists of weirs erected on the River Blackwater with a schedule of persons against whom actions were taken, a legal search concerning the lands of Dromana, Co. Waterford, and a list of witnesses and the heads of evidence respecting the Blackwater fishery given by Martin Power of Cappoquin, 11 items  
1814-7

***V.ii.6 Devonshire v. John and James Morrissey***

This case was commenced in 1825 for trespass for entering the Duke of Devonshire's fishery on the River Blackwater after a Scotch weir was erected at Strongcally. A judgement was allowed to go by default against the defendants, and an enquiry for damages was issued. A judgement on the inquisition was entered on 9 May 1826.

V.ii.6.A Legal Documents

- MS 43,594/ 1** Draft case on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire respecting the fishery of the River Blackwater (1823), case on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire with the advice and opinion of Sergeant Thomas Gould (3 Mar 1824), and a copy of the opinion with an accompanying letter from William Waggett to Thomas Seward (22 Jan 1824), 4 items  
1823-4
- MS 43,594/ 2** Case on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire with the advice and opinion of N.C. Tindal, (10 Jan 1825), containing a full exposition of the legal dispute between Catherine Fitzgerald (Villiers) and the Earl of Cork and Burlington (see section III.ii.1), 2 items  
1825
- MS 43,594/ 3** Court of King's Bench. Duke of Devonshire v. John and James Morrissey: Draft instructions for counsel to prepare draft of



declaration in this cause (9 Jun 1825), and instructions for counsel to prepare declaration in this cause with the opinion of Edward Pennefather (28 Jan 1826), 3 items  
1825-6

**MS 43,594/ 4** Court of King's Bench. Duke of Devonshire v. John and James Morrissey: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff on inquiry to be held at Dungarvan pursuant to the annexed notice (19 Apr 1826), instructions to prepare suggestion of death of defendant John Morrissey (2 May 1826), and attested copies of judgement (9 May 1826), 7 items  
1826

#### V.ii.6.B Costs and Associated Papers

**MS 43,595/ 1** Court of King's Bench. Duke of Devonshire v. James Morrissey: Affidavit expenses of witnesses and draft costs of speeding inquiry, and sheriff's account of James Morrissey's sale (22 & 23 May 1826), 3 items  
1826

**MS 43,595/ 2** Letters from Thomas Seward to Henry Witham, with memoranda and reports, lists of deeds, and a certificate of search from the Registry Office, 14 items  
1823-5 & n.d.

#### V.ii.7 *River Blackwater Weirs*

This section deals with legal disputes arising over access allowed to tenants of the Duke of Devonshire to the River Blackwater salmon fishery.

**MS 43,596/ 1** Cases (including that against James Connery and others for assault) prepared on behalf of Patrick Foley, William Cliffe, Richard Cliffe, Richard Walsh and Nelson T. Foley, with opinions of counsel, an account of legal costs, a warrant to seize boats and nets, a letter from Benjamin Currey to William S. Curry, and a translation of the case respecting the Royal Fishery of the Bann, 20 items  
1824-31, 1844 & 1866

**MS 43,596/ 2** Case prepared by William S. Curry against Michael Crotty for taking possession of weirs on the River Blackwater, with associated papers, 5 items  
1825-6 [*Very fragile and damaged condition*]

**MS 43,596/ 3** Notebooks, memoranda, papers and extracts from documents relating to weirs on the River Blackwater and the Fishery Acts, 15 items  
1821-37

***V.ii.8 Devonshire v. John Hodnett***

This action for trespass was commenced in 1825 after John Hodnett had erected a Scotch weir on the River Blackwater at Foxhole, near Youghal.

V.ii.8.A Legal Documents

- MS 43,597/ 1** Court of King's Bench: Draft of plaintiff's case, and case on behalf of plaintiff on conference with Sergeant Gould and George Bennett for further opinion (Jan 1826), 3 items  
1826
- MS 43,597/ 2** Court of King's Bench: Draft and copy of declaration (Jan 1826), 2 items  
1826
- MS 43,597/ 3** Court of King's Bench: Brief on behalf of plaintiff for counsel and inquiry pursuant to annexed notice (15 Apr 1826), briefs on behalf of plaintiff to oppose motion pursuant to annexed notice (18 Apr 1826 & Jun 1826), and attested copies of judgement (5 Feb 1827), 7 items  
1826-7
- MS 43,597/ 4** Court of King's Bench: Brief on behalf of plaintiff of additional proofs (Apr 1827), 5 items  
1827
- MS 43,597/ 5** Court of King's Bench: Brief on behalf of plaintiff oppose conditional order to set aside verdict (May 1827), 4 items  
1827
- MS 43,597/ 6** Court of King's Bench: Draft declaration (May 1827), brief on behalf of plaintiff to oppose the within notice (14 Feb 1828), and brief on behalf of plaintiff to oppose the insolvents discharge (21 Oct 1829), 3 items

V.ii.8.B Counsel Papers

**MS 43,598/ 1** Instructions for and opinions of counsel, 9 items  
1825-7

**MS 43,598/ 2** Reports and notes of trial (April-May 1827), 4 items  
1827

V.ii.8.C Court Papers

**MS 43,599/ 1** Affidavits, 15 items  
1826-7

**MS 43,599/ 2** Notices, 24 items  
1826-8

**MS 43,599/ 3** Rules, orders, consents and inquiries, 13 items  
1826-8

**MS 43,599/ 4** Summonses, subpoenas and sheriff's warrants, 17 items  
1827-8

V.ii.8.D Correspondence, Costs and Associated Papers

**MS 43,600/ 1** Letters and correspondence between Thomas Seward, William S. Curry, Henry Witham, Rodolphus Greene, and others, 24 items  
1826-9

**MS 43,600/ 2** Court of King's Bench: Plaintiff's costs as between attorney and client: Duke of Devonshire to Thomas Seward for period 1825-7, inventory and schedule of sheriff's fees regarding defendant's insolvency, costs of judgment of motion and assorted receipts, 9 items  
1826-9

**MS 43,600/ 3** Court of King's Bench: Copy of the grand panel of freeholders of the County Cork, 1 item  
1827

**MS 43,600/ 4** Certificate of search of Registry Office, heads of evidence of witnesses, schedule of weirs on the River Blackwater, draft of proofs and lists of patents, deeds and leases to be proved at trial, 12 items  
1826-8

***V.ii.9 Devonshire v. Richard Power Ronayne and Townsend Richard Kiely***

This case arose over the erection of Scotch weirs on the River Blackwater by two tenants of the Duke of Devonshire. Townsend Richard Keily withdrew from the case in July 1827.

V.ii.9.A Legal Documents

- MS 43,601/ 1** Court of King's Bench: Draft declarations against Richard Power Ronayne and Townsend Richard Kiely (3 Jan 1826), County of Waterford Summer Assizes, 1826: Brief declaration and plea against Townsend Richard Kiely, 4 items  
1826
- MS 43,601/ 2** Court of King's Bench: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff to oppose annexed notice (5 Jul 1827), statement showing the origin and descent of title of the Duke of Devonshire to the fishing, soil and bottom of the River Blackwater (Jul 1826), and attested copy of defendant's pleas (18 Jul 1827), 4 items
- MS 43,601/ 3** Court of King's Bench: Case of the plaintiff as instruction for counsel to advise (10 Nov 1827), 3 items
- MS 43,601/ 4** Court of King's Bench: Draft statement for advice of counsel (Nov 1827), and draft replication of case for revision and amendment (Feb 1828), 3 items  
1827
- MS 43,601/ 5** Court of King's Bench: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff to oppose annexed notice and to support the demurrers (30 Apr 1828), 2 items  
1828
- MS 43,601/ 6** Court of King's Bench: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff to oppose annexed notice of application for further time to plead (5 Jun 1828), brief on behalf of the plaintiff to move pursuant to within notice (7 Jun 1828), and state of the pleadings (8 Jul 1828), 5 items  
1828
- MS 43,601/ 7** County of Waterford Summer Assizes, 1828: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff of proofs, 4 items  
1828
- MS 43,601/ 8** County of Waterford Summer Assizes, 1828: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff on a trial by Nisi Prius, 1 item  
1828
- MS 43,601/ 9** County of Waterford Summer Assizes, 1828: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff on a trial by Nisi Prius, 1 item

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- MS 43,601/ 10** County of Waterford Summer Assizes, 1828: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff on a trial by Nisi Prius, 1 item  
1828
- MS 43,601/ 11** County of Waterford Summer Assizes, 1828: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff on a trial by Nisi Prius, 1 item  
1828
- MS 43,601/ 12** County of Waterford Summer Assizes, 1828: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff on a trial by Nisi Prius, 1 item  
1828
- MS 43,601/ 13** Draft brief of statement for brief on trial, 1 item  
1828

V.ii.9.B Counsel Papers

- MS 43,602/ 1** Instructions for counsel, with a copy of the opinion of Sergeant John Lloyd (11 May 1825), 6 items  
1825-7
- MS 43,602/ 2** Instructions for counsel, 7 items  
1827-8
- MS 43,603/ 3** Notes of evidence and advice and directions of counsel, 7 items  
1826-8

V.ii.9.C Court Papers

- MS 43,603/ 1** Affidavits, 7 items  
1827-8
- MS 43,603/ 2** Orders, consents and notices, 69 items  
1826-8
- MS 43,603/ 3** Summonses, subpoenas, rules and pleas, 15 items  
1826-8

V.ii.9.D Correspondence, Costs and Associated Papers

- MS 43,604/ 1** Correspondence between Thomas Seward and William S. Curry, with further letters from Henry Witham, Townsend Richard

- Kiely, Edward Pennefather, and Rodolphus Greene, 50 items  
1826-30
- MS 43,604/ 2** Court of King's Bench. Plaintiff's costs as between attorney and client: Duke of Devonshire to Thomas Seward for period 1826-8, defendant's costs, and a sheriff's receipt, 3 items  
1826-8
- MS 43,604/ 3** Copy of the grand panel of freeholders of the County Waterford Summer Assizes, July 1827, and a list of special jury members as struck on 18 July 1828, 2 items  
1827-8
- MS 43,604/ 4** Certificates of searches of the Registry Office, lists and abstracts of patents, deeds and leases to be proved at trial, and notes of evidence of witnesses, 18 items  
1824 & 1827-8
- MS 7140** Notes and memoranda of William S. Curry, with notebook containing details of weirs and the case against Richard Power Ronayne, 5 items  
1827-8

***V.ii.10 Devonshire v. Richard Smyth***

This extensive legal contest arose over the erection of Scotch weirs on the River Blackwater by Richard Smyth, a tenant of the Duke of Devonshire at Ballynatra, Co. Waterford.

V.ii.10.A Legal Documents

- MS 43,605/ 1** Court of Kings Bench. Devonshire v. Smyth: Draft case on behalf of the plaintiff as to trespass on the River Blackwater fishery (May 1827), case on behalf of the plaintiff as to trespass on the River Blackwater fishery (Jun 1827), draft case on behalf of the plaintiff as instructions for counsel to prepare declaration (Dec 1827), copy draft declaration (22 Dec 1827), draft declaration for trespass (Jan 1828), and brief on behalf of plaintiff to oppose the within notice (5 May 1828), 7 items  
1827-8
- MS 43,605/ 2** Court of King's Bench. County Waterford Summer Assizes, 1828: Brief of declaration and brief of plaintiff's proofs, 5 items  
1828
- MS 43,605/ 3** Court of King's Bench. County Waterford Summer Assizes, 1828: Brief of on behalf of plaintiff on a trial by Nisi Prius, 1

- item  
1828
- MS 43,605/ 4** Court of King's Bench. County Waterford Summer Assizes, 1828: Brief of on behalf of plaintiff on a trial by Nisi Prius, 1 item  
1828
- MS 43,605/ 5** Court of King's Bench. County Waterford Summer Assizes, 1828: Brief of on behalf of plaintiff on a trial by Nisi Prius, 1 item  
1828
- MS 43,605/ 6** Court of King's Bench. County Waterford Summer Assizes, 1828: Brief of on behalf of plaintiff on a trial by Nisi Prius, 1 item  
1828
- MS 43,605/ 7** Court of King's Bench. Devonshire v. Smyth: Copy of judge's report, and brief on behalf of plaintiff to oppose the within conditional orders, 5 items  
1828
- MS 43,605/ 8** Court of Kings Bench: Copy judgement (12 Nov 1829), and County Waterford Spring Assizes, 1830: Brief of plaintiff's proofs (Mar 1830), 5 items  
1829-30
- MS 43,605/ 9** Court of Kings Bench: Brief on behalf of plaintiff on a trial by Nisi Prius (17 Mar 1830), 3 items  
1830
- MS 43,605/ 10** Court of Kings Bench: Brief on behalf of plaintiff on a trial by Nisi Prius (17 Mar 1830), 2 items  
1830
- MS 43,605/ 11** Court of King's Bench. Devonshire v. Smyth: Draft bill of exceptions on behalf of plaintiff (13 & 24 May 1830), and dominical of exceptions, 5 items  
1830
- MS 43,605/ 12** Court of King's Bench. Devonshire v. Smyth: Defendant's answer to exceptions (12 Jun 1830), brief on behalf of plaintiff to move pursuant to the annexed notice (16 Jul 1830), and brief on behalf of plaintiff to move as within (27 Sep 1830), 3 items  
1830

- MS 43,605/ 13** Court of King's Bench. Devonshire v. Smyth: Draft and fair copy of bill of exceptions (Nov 1830), 2 items  
1830
- MS 43,605/ 14** Court of King's Bench. Devonshire v. Smyth: Brief on behalf of plaintiff on argument of bill of exceptions (Nov 1830), Court of Equity Exchequer. Smyth v. Devonshire: Bill to examine witnesses and perpetuate their testimony respecting acts of ownership by the Smyth family over part of their possessions connected with weirs on the River Blackwater, copy affidavit of plaintiff's attorney to verify bill and ground motion for commission, and copy interrogatories filed by plaintiff for the examination of witnesses (15 Mar 1831), 10 items  
1830-1
- MS 43,605/ 15** Court of Equity Exchequer. Smyth v. Devonshire: Cross interrogatories on behalf of defendant (Apr 1831), Court of King's Bench. Devonshire v. Smyth: Copy judgement of the court, and copy judgement on bill of exceptions (31 Jan 1832), 4 items  
1831-2
- MS 43,605/ 16** Court of King's Bench. County Waterford Spring Assizes, 1832: Brief on behalf of plaintiff on a trial by Nisi Prius (12 Mar 1832), 2 items  
1832
- MS 43,605/ 17** Court of King's Bench. County Waterford Spring Assizes, 1832: Brief on behalf of plaintiff on a trial by Nisi Prius (12 Mar 1832), 2 items  
1832
- MS 43,605/ 18** Court of King's Bench. County Waterford Spring Assizes, 1832: Brief on behalf of plaintiff on a trial by Nisi Prius (12 Mar 1832), 1 item  
1832
- MS 43,605/ 19** Court of King's Bench. Devonshire v. Smyth: Draft bill of exceptions (Apr 1832), brief on behalf of plaintiff to oppose the motion to be made pursuant to the within notice (May 1832), copy bill of exceptions (12 May 1832), and draft and copy dominical of bill of exceptions (May 1832), 6 items  
1832
- MS 43,605/ 20** Court of King's Bench. Devonshire v. Smyth: Brief on behalf of



- plaintiff on the argument of the exceptions taken on the part of the defendant (19 Oct 1832), 2 items  
1832
- MS 43,605/ 21** Court of King's Bench. Devonshire v. Smyth: Brief on behalf of plaintiff on the argument of the exceptions taken on the part of the defendant (19 Oct 1832), 2 items  
1832
- MS 43,605/ 22** Court of King's Bench. Devonshire v. Smyth: Brief on behalf of plaintiff on the argument of the exceptions taken on the part of the defendant (19 Oct 1832), 2 items  
1832
- MS 43,605/ 23** Court of King's Bench. Devonshire v. Smyth: Brief on behalf of plaintiff for counsel to attend on motion mentioned in annexed notice and to state the facts to the court so as nothing prejudicial to the interests of the plaintiff may be obtained through the sanction of the court (Nov 1832), 1 item  
1832
- MS 43,605/ 24** Court of King's Bench. Devonshire v. Smyth: Copy judgement pronounced by the Court of Kings Bench (31 May 1833), 4 items  
1833
- MS 43,605/ 25** Court of King's Bench. Devonshire v. Smyth: Copies, abstracts and certificates of judgement pronounced by the Court of Kings Bench (31 May 1833), 5 items  
1833
- MS 43,605/ 26** Court of King's Bench. Devonshire v. Smyth: Copy record and bill of exceptions, 2 items  
n.d.
- MS 43,605/ 27** Devonshire v. Smyth: Rough brief of proofs, and plaintiff's additional proofs, 2 items  
n.d.

V.ii.10.B Counsel Papers

- MS 43,606/ 1** Instructions for and opinions and directions of counsel, 15 items  
1827-32
- MS 43,606/ 2** Notes and reports of counsel, 12 items  
1827-32

**MS 43,606/ 3** Copies of counsel's certificates and refreshers (18 May 1829), 9 items  
1829

V.ii.10.C Court Papers

**MS 43,607/ 1** Orders, 41 items  
1828-32

**MS 43,607/ 2** Affidavits, 13 items  
1828-35

**MS 43,607/ 3** Notices, 27 items  
1827-9

**MS 43,607/ 4** Notices, 69 items  
1830-2 & 1835

**MS 43,607/ 5** Consents, rules and associated papers, 19 items  
1828-32

**MS 43,607/ 6** Summonses and subpoenas, 20 items  
1828-32

V.ii.10.D Correspondence

**MS 43,608/ 1** Letters to Thomas Seward and William S. Curry, correspondents include Henry Witham, Henry Jardine, Benjamin Currey, Edward Callaghan, and Charles Maunsell, 15 items  
1827

**MS 43,608/ 2** Correspondence between Thomas Seward, William S. Curry, and Richard Smyth, and letters to Thomas Seward from Henry Witham, Rodolphus Greene, and Charles Maunsell, 50 items  
1828

**MS 43,608/ 3** Correspondence between Thomas Seward, Henry Witham, and James Keenan, and letters from William S. Curry, Edward Pennefather, Charles Maunsell, and others to Thomas Seward, 43 items  
1829-30

**MS 43,608/ 4** Letters to Thomas Seward from William S. Curry, Henry Witham, and Charles Maunsell, 13 items

1831 [*One item fragile*]

**MS 43,608/ 5** Correspondence between Thomas Seward, William S. Curry, and Benjamin Currey, and letters from Edward Pennefather, Charles Maunsell, Henry Witham, Robert Shaw, and others to Thomas Seward, 40 items  
1832

**MS 43,608/ 6** Correspondence between Thomas Seward and William S. Curry, and letters from Henry Witham and Edward Callaghan to Thomas Seward, 14 items  
1833-5

V.ii.10.E Costs and Accounts

**MS 43,609/ 1** Court of King's Bench. Plaintiff's costs as between party and party for period 1827-33, and between attorney and client: Duke of Devonshire to Thomas Seward for period 1827-35, 1 item  
1836

**MS 43,609/ 2** Accounts of plaintiff's costs and receipts, 11 items  
1827-33

V.ii.10.F Associated Papers

**MS 43,610/ 1** Memoranda of evidence and for the cross examination of the defendant's witnesses, including notebooks containing accounts of trials, 19 items  
1827-32

**MS 43,610/ 2** Memoranda containing particulars of witness evidence and a description of Ballynatra, with lists, extracts from and copies of leases, documents relating to premises situated on the River Blackwater, and assorted labels, 36 items  
1829-32

**MS 43,610/ 3** Lists of jurors on the Grand Panel of Freeholders of the County Waterford and of special juries as struck at trial, 12 items  
1828-32

**MS 43,610/ 4** Maps, plans, and schedules of Scotch weirs on the River Blackwater, 6 items  
1828-31

**MS 43,610/ 5** Documents relating to the case of William Dalglish of

Scotsraig v. John, Duke of Atholl heard at the Bar of the House of Lords (1813), and related cases concerning the legality of Scotch weirs on the River Tay, with a memorandum by Henry Witham (4 Jun 1831), 13 items  
1813-31

**MS 43,610/ 6** Documents relating to Dalgliesh v. Duke of Atholl, the Report of Select Committee on the Salmon Fisheries (1825), copies of a fishery bill (1825), and legal opinion relative to salmon weirs (1774) and proposed alterations in the salmon fishery laws (1825), with a schedule of papers (1837), 12 items  
1825-37

**MS 43,610/ 7** Copies of a recovery suffered by Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington of lands in County Waterford, including Affane, Ballynatra and Cappoquin (Easter 1747), 3 items  
n.d.

#### *V.ii.11 Devonshire v. John Kiely*

This case concerned John Kiely's claims to fishing rights on the River Blackwater. For further details of this case, see *Devonshire v. Henry Villiers-Stuart* (section III.ii.28).

**MS 43,611/ 1** Court of King's Bench: Draft deed of submission to arbitration, and instructions for counsel to amend draft deed of submission to arbitration with draft instructions (Feb 1829), 3 items  
1829

**MS 43,611/ 2** Case on behalf of the plaintiff for the advice and opinion of Richard Moore (22 May 1830), opinions of Richard Moore and Edward Pennefather respecting John Kiely's claim on the River Blackwater (19 Jun 1830 & 7 Mar 1835), Court of King's Bench: Copy draft deed of submission to arbitration of the rights of the parties in relation to the weirs and fishery of the River Blackwater (7 Mar 1835), 4 items  
1830-5

**MS 43,611/ 3** Correspondence between Thomas Seward, William S. Curry, Charles Maunsell, and John Keily, with memoranda by William S. Curry and copies of a draft indenture between the Duke of Devonshire and John Keily (May 1835), 21 items  
1825-36

*V.ii.12 Devonshire v. Dominick Ronayne*

V.ii.12.A Legal Documents

- MS 43,612/ 1** Case on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire as to the Blackwater Scotch weirs (18 Jun 1833), Court of Law Exchequer: Draft declaration (22 Nov 1833) and brief of declaration to oppose defendant's motion (14 Jan 1834), and Court of Kings Bench: Draft bill against defendant as having privilege of Parliament (28 Jan 1834), 5 items  
1833-4
- MS 43,612/ 2** Court of Kings Bench: Brief on behalf of plaintiff for counsel to oppose cause shown on behalf of the sheriff at the sitting of the court ... and to apply for attachment against said sheriff (11 Jun 1834), brief on behalf of plaintiff for counsel to move the court to order that the sheriff of the County Waterford do bring up the issues into court returned by him on his amended return to the writ of Plivius Distingas in this cause, and for the costs of the application to compel said sheriff to amend his return (11 Jun 1834), brief on behalf of plaintiff to move pursuant to the annexed notice (Nov 1834), 4 items  
1834
- MS 43,612/ 3** Court of Kings Bench: Brief on behalf of plaintiff for counsel to move at the sitting of the court to make conditional order absolute, and to apply for an attachment against the sheriff of the County Waterford for not bringing issues into court (13 Nov 1834), brief on behalf of plaintiff to oppose the motion mentioned in annexed notice (17 Nov 1834), and brief on behalf of plaintiff for counsel to move to show cause against conditional order pursuant to the annexed notice (8 Jan 1835), 4 items  
1834-5

V.ii.12.B Counsel and Court Papers

- MS 43,613/ 1** Instructions for and opinions of counsel, 6 items  
1827 & 1833-4
- MS 43,613/ 2** Affidavits, 11 items  
1832-5
- MS 43,613/ 3** Attested copies of writs of Distingas, returns and summonses, 7 items  
1834

**MS 43,613/ 4** Copies of a declaration and an information, summons and conviction before magistrates, 5 items  
1826 & 1834

**MS 43,613/ 5** Notices orders and rules, 15 items  
1833-5

V.ii.12.C Correspondence, Costs and Associated Papers

**MS 43,614/ 1** Correspondence between Thomas Seward, William S. Curry, Edward Callaghan, and Dominick Ronayne, 13 items  
1830-5

**MS 43,614/ 2** Law Exchequer. Plaintiff's costs as between attorney and client: Duke of Devonshire to Thomas Seward for period 1832-4 with account of cost of original writ and certificate of lodgement, 4 items  
1834

**MS 43,614/ 3** Memoranda concerning fishing rights on the River Blackwater and public notices concerning the decision of the Court of King's Bench on the legality of Scotch weirs, 10 items  
1830 & 1833

***V.ii.13 Trespass***

**MS 43,615** Case on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire regarding trespasses on the River Blackwater fishery, with the opinion of Richard Greene (31 Aug 1850), instructions regarding the employment of seine nets (3 Jul 1850), and letters to Francis E. Curry from William Currey, 5 items  
1850 & 1856

***V.ii.14 Lismore Fishery Inquiry***

Many of the legal disputes over the fisheries in the following sections concern the employment of weirs and drift nets on the River Blackwater. Before the Fishery Commissioners' inquiry into the opening of a free gap in the Lismore weir in August 1864 there were 31 weirs on the River Blackwater. During the course of the inquiry some of them were declared to be illegal. In 1868, the Duke took action against Richard Cuffe and Nelson T. Foley forcing them to surrender their fishing rights. A number of subsequent actions were taken against persons using drift nets on the river including John

Ronayne, Michael White, Edward Magrath, Joseph Pim, William Neil and Michael Fenton.

V.ii.14.A Legal Documents and Reports

- MS 43,616/ 1** Abstract of title of the Duke of Devonshire's title to the bed and soil of, and several fishery in the River Blackwater (23 Dec 1863), 1 item  
1863
- MS 43,616/ 2** Copies of an abstract of title of the Duke of Devonshire's title to the bed and soil of, and several fishery in the River Blackwater (23 Dec 1863), 2 items  
1863
- MS 43,616/ 3** Report of the Special Commissioners for Irish Fisheries (27 Jan 1864), copy of 'An Act to Amend the Laws relating to Fisheries in Ireland' (28 Jul 1863), *Coghlan v. Lord Lismore: Arguments and judgements of the Queens Bench in Ireland in the fishery appeals under 26 & 27 Vic., c.114* (Feb 1864), copy opinion regarding the fishery of the Duke of Devonshire at Lismore (2 Feb 1864), 6 items
- MS 43,616/ 4** Report of the Special Commissioners for Irish Fisheries (*Saunders Newsletter*, 14 Feb 1864) and report of the proceedings of the Lismore Inquiry (*Cork Constitution*, 15 & 19 Aug 1864), 3 items  
1864
- MS 43,616/ 5** List of fishery deeds received from Francis E. Curry at the Castle Lismore (24 Jun 1864), Fishery Commissioners. Court of Enquiry: Brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire for R.W. McDonnell (12 Aug 1864), briefs of evidence of witnesses, including James and John Sheehan, Patrick Murphy, John O'Brien, and Patrick Killigrew (12 Aug 1864), 11 items  
1864
- MS 43,616/ 6** Special Commission of Fisheries: Brief containing copy report of all weirs from Lismore to Youghal (12 Aug 1864), additional brief of evidence (15 Aug 1864), Court of Inquiry: Brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire to oppose the weirs (16 Aug 1864), Scotch Weirs: Evidence of Mr Slade, John Burns, and Michael Geary as to those weirs being an obstruction on the River Blackwater, with court notes (Aug 1864), 7 items  
1864

V.ii.14.B Correspondence, Costs and Associated Papers

- MS 43,617/ 1** Costs of abstract of title as between solicitor and client: Duke of Devonshire to Basil Orpin (1863-4), costs of Lismore and Youghal Inquiry as between solicitor and client, Duke of Devonshire to Basil Orpin (1864 & 1867), and costs of the Lismore Inquiry before the Special Commissioners as between solicitor and client, Duke of Devonshire to Basil Orpin (1864-5), 4 items  
1863-7
- MS 43,617/ 2** Letters to Francis E. Curry from Basil Orpin regarding the Lismore inquiry and the hearing of subsequent appeals, copy letter from Frederick Eden, Commissioner of Fisheries to the Board of Conservators for the Lismore District (Nov 1864), a direction of proofs regarding Lismore Weir, a report by James Redmond Barry on weirs on the Rivers Blackwater and Bride (1 Nov 1860), and an account of costs, 38 items  
1864-7

***V.ii.15 Cork Fishery Inquiry***

The Special Commissioners of Fisheries met at the Court House, Cork on 5 August 1864 and 29 June 1865 to inquire into the prohibition of the use of drift nets on the River Lee between the fishery weir in the City of Cork and Wellington Bridge, and the further prohibition of the use of nets in the tidal and fresh water portions of the Bandon River.

V.ii.15.A Legal Documents and Reports

- MS 43,618/ 1** Notice of meeting of the Commissioners (5 Jul 1864), notice to Secretary of the Commissioners of Fisheries for Ireland (18 Jul 1864), brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire (5 Aug 1864), notes of transactions (5-7 Aug 1864), reports of the Commission of Inquiry (*Cork Daily Herald* and *Cork Constitution*, 6 Aug 1864), and costs of the Commission of Inquiry (1864), 8 items  
1864
- MS 43,618/ 2** Brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire, additional brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire pursuant to the within notice (Jun 1865), and copy of counsel's direction of proofs concerning Cork Weir (21 Jun 1865), 4 items  
1865
- MS 43,618/ 3** Case on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire relative to his title to the Gill Abbey weir on the River Lee in the County of Cork (21 Jun 1865), reports of the meetings of the Commissioners of



- Fisheries (*Cork Examiner* and *Cork Constitution*, 30 Jun 1865), and notice of bye-law concerning the Bandon River by the Special Commissioners of Fisheries (12 Jul 1865), 4 items  
1865
- MS 43,618/ 4** Case on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire relative to the weirs and fishery of Bandon Bridge (19 Sep 1865), and relative to his title to several fisheries on the River Blackwater, with supplemental case (22 Sep 1865), 3 items  
1865
- MS 43,618/ 5** Costs of Inquiry before Commissioners as to the title of the Duke of Devonshire to the weirs and fishery of Bandon Bridge River for period June-December 1865 (6 Feb 1867), instructions for counsel on petition of appeal against bye-law concerning the Bandon River (6 May 1866), copies of memorial and petition of the Duke of Devonshire to the Lord Lieutenant-General of Ireland (18 May 1866), return of the Bandon River fishing holes between the Bridge at Bandon and the Bridge at Innishannon (15 Jun 1866), Privy Council. Appeal on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire and others against Bandon River bye-law: Report of Mr Eden, and evidence given before Special Commissioners for Irish Fisheries (26 Sep 1866), letter from the Commissioners sending their report and evidence (20 Oct 1866), and Privy Council: Original measurement of the Bandon River as prepared by A. Bernard on 2 June 1866 (29 Nov 1866), 15 items  
1866-7
- MS 43,618/ 6** Privy Council Chamber, Dublin Castle: Brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire pursuant to the within notice for 1 December 1866, costs of Bandon River fishery appeal for period May 1866-February 1867 (6 Feb 1867), and costs of deducing the title of the Duke of Devonshire to the Cork and Lee weirs for period June- August 1865 and March 1867 (7 Nov 1867), 4 items  
1867
- MS 43,618/ 7** Draft case on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire relating to the right of watercourse and weirs on the Bandon River and Brinny River (c1814), case with Robert Wilmot's opinion respecting the Bandon fishery (5 Mar 1814), and memoranda as to Bandon Fishery (1831), 5 items  
1814-31

- MS 43,619/ 1** Letters to Francis E. Curry from Basil Orpin and J.R. Berwick concerning the inquiries into the fisheries of the Rivers Lee and Bandon, 26 items  
1864
- MS 43,619/ 2** Letters to Francis E. Curry from Basil Orpin and J.R. Berwick concerning the Cork fishery inquiries and a by-law concerning net fishing on the River Bandon, 24 items  
1865
- MS 43,619/ 3** Letters to Francis E. Curry from Basil Orpin and J.R. Berwick concerning appeals against the by-law concerning net fishing on the River Bandon, with a public notice and newspaper cutting, 22 items  
1865-6

***V.ii.16 Devonshire v. Lord Stuart de Decies***

This case concerns a settlement negotiated during 1865-70 between William Cavendish, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire and Henry Villiers-Stuart, 1<sup>st</sup> Baron Stuart de Decies over rights to the bed and soil of the River Blackwater on the borders of their estates in County Waterford. The documents contain information relating to earlier title deeds and legal disputes over the river, including that of the Earl of Cork and Burlington v. Catherine Fitzgerald (see section III.ii.1).

V.ii.16.A Legal Documents

- MS 43,620/ 1** Blackwater Fishery: Case on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire, 1 item  
c1866
- MS 43,620/ 2** Duke of Devonshire and Lord Stuart de Decies: Brief on behalf of the Rt. Hon. Lord Stuart de Decies of the Duke of Devonshire's statement of title and observations of Lord Stuart's solicitor, 1 item  
c1866
- MS 43,620/ 3** Duke of Devonshire and Lord Stuart de Decies: Wide line copy draft submission to arbitration (3 Dec 1866), copy deed of submission to arbitration (23 Mar 1867), brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire on the first meeting of arbitrators (20 Apr 1867), copy minutes of meetings of arbitrators (1867-8), and dagger case by way of supplemental and preparatory instructions for consultation (11 Jul 1868), 6 items  
1866-8
- MS 43,620/ 4** Arbitration between the Duke of Devonshire and Lord Stuart de

Decies: Statement of title on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire (19 Jul 1869), 1 item  
1869

**MS 43,620/ 5** Duke of Devonshire and Lord Stuart de Decies: Schedule of original patents and leases returned to Francis E. Curry (Aug 1868), draft grant of liberty to take seaweed (19 Aug 1870), 2 items  
1868-70

V.ii.16.B Counsel Papers and Costs

**MS 43,621/ 1** Copy opinions of Charles Shaw QC and R.W. McDonnell on case (22 Sep 1865 & 13 Jul 1867) and explanations, observations, and reference letters (12 Jun 1868), instructions for counsel to prepare statement of title and draft deed of submission to arbitration, and a special notice and statement from Lord Stuart de Decies with copy consent, 9 items  
1864-8

**MS 43,621/ 2** Costs of deed of submission to arbitration and proceedings thereunder for period August 1866-September 1868 (10 Mar 1869), 1 items  
1869

V.ii.16.C Correspondence

**MS 43,622/ 1** Letters to Francis E. Curry from Basil Orpin and P. McSwiney concerning the claim of Lord Stuart de Decies to the bed and soil of the River Blackwater, 21 items  
1864-6

**MS 43,622/ 2** Letters to Basil Orpin from Francis E. Curry and James Morris concerning the claim of Lord Stuart de Decies to the bed and soil of the River Blackwater with copy correspondence between William Curry, Benjamin Curry and Sir William Homan (1823-30), 8 items  
1865-9

**MS 43,622/ 3** Letters to Francis E. Curry from Basil Orpin concerning the claim of Lord Stuart de Decies to the bed and soil of the River Blackwater, with a copy extract from a letter patent (4 James I), 30 items  
1867

**MS 43,622/ 4** Letters to Francis E. Curry from Basil Orpin, William Currey and P. McSwiney concerning the claim of Lord Stuart de Decies to the bed and soil of the River Blackwater, 16 items  
1869-71

**MS 43,622/ 5** Copy correspondence between Basil Orpin and L. Dennehy (solicitors) on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire and Lord Stuart de Decies for the period November 1869-April 1870, 2 items  
1870

***V.ii.17 Foley and Cliffe v. Neill and Hennessy***

This case concerned a legal dispute over the Scart weir contested during 1865-1868.

**MS 43,623/ 1** Queen's Bench. Nelson T. Foley and Richard Cliffe (appellants) v. John Neill and William Hennessy (respondents): Special case (27 Jan 1865), and brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire (11 Apr 1865), Lismore Inquiry. Nelson T. Foley and Richard Cliffe (appellants) v. John Neill and William Hennessy (respondents): Brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire (11 May 1867), brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire pursuant to within notice (16 Dec 1867), brief of correspondence on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire (1 Jan 1868), and orders, 7 items  
1865-8

**MS 43,623/ 2** Costs for the period October 1866-February 1868, 2 items  
1869

**MS 43,623/ 3** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and the Special Commissioners for Fisheries concerning the Scart weir, with letters to Francis E. Curry from Basil Orpin concerning an appeal, 13 items  
1865 & 1867

**MS 43,623/ 4** Reports of hearing and notes of evidence given by witnesses, and public notices announcing meetings of the Special Commissioners of Fisheries at the Court House, Lismore (19 Feb & 23 Apr 1867), 5 items  
1867

***V.ii.18 Devonshire v. Edmond McSwiney***

This case concerned a legal dispute over the Stael weir contested during 1865-1870.

**MS 43,624/ 1** Queen's Bench. Edward McSwiney (appellant) against Fishery

Acts: Special case (27 Jan 1865), judgement of the court (May 1866), Lismore Inquiry. Edward McSwiney (appellant): Brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire pursuant to within notice (11 May 1867), brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire pursuant to within notice (16 Dec 1867), and Queen's Bench. Edward McSwiney (appellant): Copy further report of the Fishery Commissioners (27 Feb 1868), 6 items  
1865-8

- MS 43,624/ 2** Queen's Bench. Edward McSwiney (appellant) v. Duke of Devonshire (respondent): Brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire pursuant to within notice (2 Jun 1868), case as instructions for counsel and counsel's direction of proofs (1866-7), and copy affidavit of James and John McCarthy Barry with orders and notices, 11 items  
1866-70
- MS 43,624/ 3** Costs for the period October 1866-January 1869 and April 1869-June 1870, 2 items  
1869 & 1871
- MS 43,624/ 4** Letters to Francis E. Curry from Basil Orpin concerning the Stael weir and Edward McSwiney's appeal, with a letter from Charles Shaw to Francis E. Curry regarding the measurement of Stael weir (15 Jun 1867), copy evidence of Lightermen taken in 1864 (6 Dec 1866), and a final notice to tenants of sale of the estate of Edward McSwiney by the Landed Estates Court (5 Jun 1870), 16 items  
1866-70

*V.ii.19 Devonshire v. William Collins*

This case concerned a legal dispute over the Dromore weir contested during 1865-1870.

- MS 43,625/ 1** Queen's Bench. William Collins (appellant) against Fishery Acts: Special case (27 Jan 1865), Judgement of the court (12 Feb 1867), Lismore Inquiry. William Collins (appellant): Brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire pursuant to within notice (11 May 1867), Lismore Inquiry. Dromore, Scart and Stael weirs: Brief evidence of witnesses in these cases on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire and brief newspaper report of inquiry in May 1867 on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire (16 Dec 1867), Queen's Bench. William Collins (appellant): Copy report of the Fishery Commissioners (6 Jun 1868), and brief further report of the Fishery Commissioners on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire (26 May 1869), 9 items

1865-9

- MS 43,625/ 2** Orders and costs for the period October 1866-January 1868 and May 1869-June 1870, 5 items  
1867-71
- MS 43,625/ 3** Letters to Francis E. Curry from Basil Orpin concerning the Dromore weir and William Collins's appeal, 7 items  
1867-9

### ***V.ii.20 Youghal Fishery***

This case concerned trespass and illegal drift-net fishing on the River Blackwater at Youghal.

- MS 43,626/ 1** Letters to Francis E. Curry from Basil Orpin concerning a dispute over fishing rights at Youghal, with an account of legal costs for the petty sessions inquiry in to the Duke of Devonshire's fishery on the River Blackwater at Youghal, 10 items  
1866
- MS 43,626/ 2** Papers concerning trespass and illegal drift-net fishing at Youghal, including reports of water bailiffs, reporter's shorthand notes of judgments, correspondence between Francis E. Curry, Richard Parker, Basil Orpin, Sir Richard Musgrave, W. Hutton, Maurice Slattery and J.W. Pim, 18 items  
1871-6 & 1882-3

### ***V.ii.21 Devonshire v. Richard Cliffe and Nelson T. Foley***

These papers refer to an inquiry held at Lismore on 3 February 1868 into the use of drift nets on the River Blackwater by Richard Cliffe and Nelson Trafalgar Foley, two tenants of the Duke of Devonshire. The papers include the subsequent surrender of the fishery by Cliffe and Foley.

#### **V.ii.21.A Legal Documents and Counsel Papers**

- MS 43,627/ 1** Lismore Inquiry: Brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire pursuant to within notice and brief evidence of witnesses on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire (3 Jan 1868), 2 items
- MS 43,627/ 2** Direction and advice of proofs for Lismore inquiry by Charles Shaw QC (28 Dec 1867), notes of Francis E. Curry on consultation with counsel (20 Jul 1868), instructions on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire for counsel to prepare summons and

plaint (12 Nov 1868), copy opinion of Charles Shaw QC (12 Nov 1868), instructions on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire for counsel to prepare draft surrender of tenancy to the fishery and also to prepare draft license to fish (13 Jan 1869), and copy queries on case and opinion of counsel thereon (15 Jan 1869), 8 items  
1867-9

V.ii.21.B Court Papers, Costs and Correspondence

- MS 43,628/ 1** Notice and summons, costs for Salmon Fishery Acts for period December 1867-January 1868 (20 Feb 1869), and costs of consultation for period June-Nov 1868 (6 Mar 1869), 4 items  
1867-9
- MS 43,628/ 2** Letters to Francis E. Curry from Richard Cliffe and Nelson Trafalgar Foley concerning Scart weir and correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Basil Orpin and the surrender of the weir, 11 items  
1866 & 1868-9
- MS 43,628/ 3** List of weirs on the River Blackwater in the year 1821, schedule of names of parties claiming and exercising a right of fishing, modes of fishing, and denominations of land bounding the River Blackwater where rights of fishing are exercised (16 Jul 1866), and the Report of the Special Commissioners for Irish Fisheries for 1866 (8 Mar 1867), 3 items  
1866-7

***V.ii.22 Devonshire v. John Ronayne and Patrick White***

This case concerns a violation of the Duke of Devonshire's fishery rights on the River Blackwater involving the employment of drift nets.

V.ii.22.A Legal Documents

- MS 43,629/ 1** Court of Exchequer (in chamber): Brief on behalf of the plaintiff to oppose the motion to change venue and brief on behalf of the plaintiff pursuant to the within notice of motion to set aside defences (25 Jun 1869), 6 items  
1869
- MS 43,629/ 2** Court of Exchequer. Clonmel Summer Assizes, 1869: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff, 3 items  
1869

**MS 43,629/ 3** Court of Exchequer. Clonmel Summer Assizes: Brief summary of the plaintiff's case for approaching trial, brief on behalf of the plaintiff containing the pleadings, copy of defence (16 Jun 1869), and abstract of issues (3 Jul 1869), 5 items  
1869

V.ii.22.B Counsel and Court Papers

**MS 43,630/ 1** Instructions for and orders of counsel, with direction of proofs and docket of retainer, 4 items  
1869

**MS 43,630/ 2** Affidavits of Basil Orpin, Francis E. Curry and John Ronayne, with summonses, orders and notices, 13 items  
1869

V.ii.22.C Associated Papers

**MS 43,631** Copy of list of weirs on the River Blackwater taken in 1821, a hand-drawn map of the River Blackwater, a list of books, rentals, deeds and patents etc. taken to Clonmel Summer Assizes on 24 Aug 1869, a letter from Maurice Slattery to Francis E. Curry dated 13 Jul 1869, and a copy of a placard announcing a public meeting at the Court House, Youghal on 17 Jul 1869, 4 items  
1869 & n.d.

***V.ii.23 Devonshire v. Michael White and Edward McGrath***

This case concerns a further violation of fishery rights on the River Blackwater involving the employment of drift nets and was conducted in 1869. Some of the legal documents contain valuable information concerning title deeds to the fisheries dating back to the early thirteenth century.

V.ii.23.A Legal Documents

**MS 7141** "Dagger Brief No. 1" of prosecuting Counsel for the case of the Duke of Devonshire v. Michael White and Edward McGrath for violation of fishery rights on the River Blackwater, 1 item  
1869

**MS 7142** "Dagger Brief No. 2" of prosecuting Counsel for the case of the Duke of Devonshire v. Michael White and Edward McGrath for violation of fishery rights on the River Blackwater, 1 item  
1869



- MS 7143** “Dagger Brief No. 3” of prosecuting Counsel for the case of the Duke of Devonshire v. Michael White and Edward McGrath for violation of fishery rights on the River Blackwater, 1 item  
1869
- MS 43,632/ 1** Court of Exchequer: Copy of defence (16 Jun 1869), and brief on behalf of the plaintiff to oppose motion to change venue (25 Jun 1869), 4 items  
1869
- MS 43,632/ 2** Court of Exchequer: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff pursuant to the within notice of motion to set aside defences (25 Jun 1869), and brief supplemental abstract for the plaintiff for further advice of proofs and directions for the trials (13 Aug 1869), 4 items  
1869
- MS 43,632/ 3** County Tipperary (South Riding) Adjourned Summer Assizes, 1869: Report of trial, with judge’s instructions to and findings of the jury, 3 items  
1869
- MS 7145** Report of the trial at Clonmel Summer Assizes, 1869, of the case of the Duke of Devonshire v. Michael White and Edward McGrath for the violation of fishery rights on the River Blackwater, 1 item  
1869
- MS 7146** Report of the trial at Clonmel Summer Assizes, 1869, of the case of the Duke of Devonshire v. Michael White and Edward McGrath for the violation of fishery rights on the River Blackwater, 1 item  
1869
- MS 43,632/ 4** County Tipperary (South Riding) Adjourned Summer Assizes, 1869: Report of trial (24 Aug-11 Sep 1869), 1 item  
1869
- MS 43,632/ 5** County Tipperary (South Riding) Adjourned Summer Assizes, 1869: Report of trial (24 Aug-11 Sep 1869), 1 item  
1869
- MS 7144** Charge of the Lord Chief Baron for the case of the Duke of Devonshire v. Michael White and Edward McGrath for violation of fishery rights on the River Blackwater, Clonmel Summer Assizes, 1 item

1869

- MS 43,632/ 6** County Tipperary (South Riding) Adjourned Summer Assizes, 1869: Charge of the Lord Chief Baron (13 Sep 1869), 2 items  
1869
- MS 43,632/ 7** County Tipperary (South Riding) Adjourned Summer Assizes, 1869: Charge of the Lord Chief Baron (13 Sep 1869), 2 items  
1869
- MS 43,632/ 8** Index of plaintiffs proofs, consisting of a list of patents and deeds dated between 1215 and 1869, 8 items  
1869
- MS 43,632/ 9** Court of Exchequer: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff on argument to make absolute conditional order for new trial (12 Nov 1870), copy draft judgement of the Rt. Hon Mr Baron Deasy on new trial motion (1870), Blackwater Fishery. Duke of Devonshire v. White: Title Deeds relating to Affane and Cappelquin (May 1871), and Court of Exchequer: Dagger instructions to arrange and direct proofs for plaintiff and for preliminary consultation (15 Jun 1871), 4 items  
1870-1

V.ii.23.B Counsel Papers

- MS 43,633/ 1** Instructions for consultation with counsel and memoranda of evidence, 5 items  
1869 & 1871
- MS 43,633/ 2** Objections and requisitions of plaintiff's counsel, abstract of issues, special questions and findings and counsel's certificate, 7 items  
1869-70

V.ii.23.C Court Papers

- MS 43,634/ 1** Affidavits, 6 items  
1869
- MS 43,634/ 2** Orders and notices, 6 items  
1869

V.ii.23.D Correspondence

- MS 43,635/ 1** Letters to Francis E. Curry from Basil Orpin concerning the prosecution of drift net cases, principally the Duke of Devonshire *v.* White and Magrath but also referring to the cases against Ronayne and White, and Pim and Neil, 61 items  
Jan-Jul 1869
- MS 43,635/ 2** Letters to Francis E. Curry from Basil Orpin and William Currey concerning the Duke of Devonshire *v.* White and Magrath, 54 items  
Jul-Sep 1869
- MS 43,635/ 3** Letters to Francis E. Curry from Basil Orpin and William Currey concerning the Duke of Devonshire *v.* White and Magrath, 57 items  
Oct 1869-Jan 1871
- MS 43,635/ 4** Letters and telegrams to Basil Orpin from Chief Baron Pigott, J.W. Pim, Michael White and John Ronayne concerning the Duke of Devonshire *v.* White and Magrath, 11 items  
1869
- MS 43,635/ 5** Letters and memoranda from Francis E. Curry, William S. Curry, Patrick Foley, Nelson T. Foley, John Ronayne, Sir Richard Musgrave and others concerning the River Blackwater fishery, produced in evidence in July 1869, 41 items  
1830-69
- MS 43,635/ 6** Reports of John Sheehan (water bailiff), 10 items  
Apr-Jul 1869

V.ii.23.E Costs and Associated Papers

- MS 43,636/ 1** Account of costs (including the cases of Devonshire *v.* Pim & Neil, and Neill & Fenton) and costs of legal searches, 2 items  
1869 & 1881
- MS 43,636/ 2** Statements of witnesses relative to weirs and drift net fishing on the River Blackwater, 10 items  
Apr-Sep 1869
- MS 43,636/ 3** List of exhibits for trial, schedule of deeds, abstracts from patents and rentals, and a pedigree of William, 7th Duke of Devonshire, 7 items  
1869

- MS 43,636/ 4** Lists of townlands on the banks of the River Blackwater and of weirs mentioned in patents and inquisitions and existent in 1864 (Sep 1869), receipts for payments by Messrs. Cliffe, Walsh and Foley for the fishery of the River Blackwater (1818-61), consents of the Duke of Devonshire to slips being built at Campfire (25 May 1850) and Villierstown (8 May 1850), and a ferry at Ferrypoint (22 Feb 1862), and his certificate appointing John Sheehan as water bailiff of the River Blackwater (8 Aug 1868), 16 items  
1818-68
- MS 43,636/ 5** Copies of documents from the Public Record Office of Ireland comprising extracts from crown rentals for Munster (1613 & 1643) and the district of Youghal (1692), 'twopenny' books for the district of Youghal (1698 & 1702) and Close Rolls, 2 Hen. III, part 2, m.2d, and 8 Hen. III, part 1, m.17, 7 items  
1869

***V.ii.24 Devonshire v. Joseph Pim and William Neil***

This case relates to illegal fishing on the River Blackwater with drift nets within the Manor of Lismore, and was conducted between 1869 and 1874. As with the previous case, some of the legal documents contain valuable information concerning early title deeds to the fisheries.

V.ii.24.A Legal Documents

- MS 7148** Brief of pleadings and evidences from Public Record Office documents (1217-1869), for trial in the case of the Duke of Devonshire v. J.W. Pim and W. Neil for violation of fishery rights on the River Blackwater, 1869.
- MS 43,637/ 1** Court of Exchequer: Copy of defence (6 Jun 1869), brief on behalf of the plaintiff pursuant to the within notice of motion to set aside defences (25 Jun 1869), and brief on behalf of the plaintiff pursuant to within notice of trial (15 Aug 1871), 5 items  
1869-71
- MS 43,637/ 2** Court of Exchequer. Clonmel Summer Assizes, 1871: Brief with supplemental titles, including transcripts of deeds transacted between 1292 and 1759 (Aug 1871), 1 item  
1871
- MS 7149** Court of Exchequer. Duke of Devonshire v. M. White and another: Copy judgement of Baron Fitzgerald (2 Jun 1871), Duke

- of Devonshire v. Pim and Neil: Direction of proofs (7 Aug 1871), Clonmel Spring Assizes, 1872. Duke of Devonshire v. J.W. Pim and W. Neil: Judge's charge, and Duke of Devonshire v. Pim and Neil: Judgement granting a new trial (16 Jun 1873), 5 items  
1871-3
- MS 43,637/ 3** Court of Exchequer. Clonmel Spring Assizes, 1872: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff pursuant to within notice of trial (27 Feb 1872), 4 items  
1872
- MS 43,637/ 4** Court of Exchequer: Brief of pleadings and evidences, including transcripts of deeds transacted between 1292 and 1759, 1 item  
1872
- MS 7150** Brief documents and report of trial in the case of the Duke of Devonshire v. J.W. Pim and W. Neil, held at Clonmel Spring Assizes, 1872, arising out of fishery rights on the River Blackwater, 1 item  
1872
- MS 7151** Brief documents and report of trial in the case of the Duke of Devonshire v. J.W. Pim and W. Neil, held at Clonmel Spring Assizes, 1872, arising out of fishery rights on the River Blackwater, 1 item  
1872
- MS 43,637/ 5** Court of Exchequer. Tipperary (South Riding) Spring Assizes, 1872: Report of trial (7-11 Mar 1872), 1 item  
1872
- MS 43,637/ 6** Court of Exchequer. Tipperary (South Riding) Spring Assizes, 1872: Report of trial (7-11 Mar 1872), 1 item  
1872
- MS 43,637/ 7** Court of Exchequer. Tipperary (South Riding) Spring Assizes, 1872: Report of trial (7-11 Mar 1872), 1 item  
1872
- MS 43,637/ 8** Court of Exchequer. Tipperary (South Riding) Spring Assizes, 1872: Enlarged list of documentary proofs dating from 1215 to 1869, judge's charge (12 Mar 1872), and judge's charge as reproduced in the Clonmel Chronicle (13 Mar 1872), 13 items  
1872
- MS 43,637/ 9** Court of Exchequer: Clonmel Summer Assizes, 1872: Case on

- behalf of the plaintiff for further directions with opinion of counsel (8 Jul 1872), 1 item  
1872
- MS 43,637/ 10** Court of Exchequer: Clonmel Summer Assizes, 1872: Brief documents, directed by counsel on consultation in Keily's Estate, including transcriptions of leases and conveyances concerning the Heathcote and Keily estates from the 1740s (6 Jul 1872), 1 item  
1872
- MS 43,637/ 11** Court of Exchequer: Clonmel Summer Assizes, 1872: Brief documents, directed by counsel on consultation in Keily's Estate, including transcriptions of leases and conveyances concerning the Heathcote and Keily estates from the 1740s (6 Jul 1872), 1 item  
1872
- MS 43,637/ 12** Court of Exchequer. Clonmel Spring Assizes, 1873: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff pursuant to within notice of trial (28 Jan 1873), 3 items  
1873
- MS 43,637/ 13** Court of Exchequer. Clonmel Spring Assize, 1873: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff (1 Mar 1873), 3 items  
1873
- MS 43,637/ 14** Court of Exchequer. Clonmel Spring Assizes, 1873: Plaintiff's evidence (6-7 Mar 1873), 1 item  
1873
- MS 7152** Report of trial at Clonmel Spring Assizes, 1873, in the case of the Duke of Devonshire v. J.W. Pim and W. Neil, for trespass on the fishery of the River Blackwater, 1 item  
1873
- MS 43,637/ 15** Court of Exchequer. Clonmel Spring Assizes, 1873: Report of trial with judge's charge (and copy) and judge's report (6-8 Mar 1873), 2 items  
1873
- MS 43,637/ 16** Court of Exchequer. Clonmel Spring Assizes, 1873: Report of the Hon. Baron Fitzgerald (8 Mar 1873), Court of Exchequer: Draft certificate of counsel for a new trial (28 Mar 1873), wide line copy draft certificate of counsel for a new trial (28 Mar 1873), brief on behalf of the plaintiff on consultation (4 Nov 1873), and brief on behalf of the plaintiff pursuant to within notice of motion (11 Nov 1873), 7 items

1873

- MS 7160** Report of trial at Nenagh Summer Assizes, 1874, in the case of the Duke of Devonshire v. J.W. Pim and W. Neil, for trespass on the fishery on the River Blackwater, 1 item  
1874
- MS 43,637/ 17** County Tipperary (North Riding). Nenagh Spring Assizes, 1874: Report of trial (7-10 Jul 1874), 1 item  
1874
- MS 43,637/ 18** County Tipperary (North Riding). Nenagh Spring Assizes, 1875: Draft copy of special panel of jurors (29 Jan 1875), brief minute of consultation by counsel (21 Nov 1874) and counsel's opinion (30 Jan 1875), and instructions on behalf of plaintiff as regards particular evidence (13 Feb 1875), 3 items  
1874-5
- MS 43,637/ 19** Court of Exchequer. Nenagh Spring Assizes, 1875: List of documentary proofs given by plaintiff dating from 1215 to 1869, and brief on behalf of the plaintiff as to title prior to 1600, 5 items  
c1875
- MS 43,637/ 20** Dagger Brief, or succinct statement of title relative to the Manor of Lismore and the fishery of the River Blackwater between Mocollop and Comonkildroneigh, 1 item  
c1875
- MS 43,637/ 21** Dagger Brief of evidence (or succinct statement of title). Lismore and its fishery (No. 1), Affane and Cappoquin and their fishery (No. 2), and Strongcally, Ballinatra, and other manors with their fishery (No. 3), 6 items  
c1875 [*Bindings damaged*]
- MS 43,637/ 22** Dagger Brief of evidence (or succinct statement of title). Lismore and its fishery (No. 1), Affane and Cappoquin and their fishery (No. 2), and Strongcally, Ballinatra, and other manors with their fishery (No. 3), 6 items  
c1875 [*Bindings badly deteriorated*]

V.ii.24.B Counsel and Court Papers

- MS 43,638/ 1** Instructions to prepare summons and complaints for a trespass on a several fishery in the River Blackwater in the counties Cork and Waterford (7 & 13 May 1869), abstract of issues for trial by Nisi

Prius at the Court of Exchequer (8 Jul 1869), and an abstract of issues (8 Jul 1871), 5 items  
1869-71

**MS 43,638/ 2** Direction of proofs with accompanying letters from Issac Butt QC (7 & 8 Aug 1871), further direction of proofs (29 Jan 1872), and minutes of consultations by counsel, with notes on trials and the instructions, opinions, and directions of counsel (1872-5), 21 items  
1871-5

**MS 43,638/ 3** Affidavits, orders, notices, rules, summons, and a replication, 40 items  
1869-75

#### V.ii.24.C Correspondence

**MS 43,639/ 1** Letters to Francis E. Curry from James Morris and Henry Lover, reports of John Sheehan as to drift net fishing in the River Blackwater, and letters to Basil Orpin from Isaac Butt, Gerald Fitzgibbon, and Edward L'Estrange, 20 items  
1871-9

**MS 43,639/ 2** Letters to Francis E. Curry from Basil Orpin, H.C. Hamilton, and William Currey concerning the prosecution of the Duke of Devonshire v. Pim and Neil, with copy correspondence between Basil Orpin, Sergeant R. Armstrong, and Messrs. Barry and Hodnett, 49 items  
1871

**MS 43,639/ 3** Letters to Francis E. Curry from Basil Orpin, P. McSwiney, F.A. Curry, and William Currey concerning the prosecution of the Duke of Devonshire v. Pim and Neil, with copy correspondence between Basil Orpin and Isaac Butt, newspaper cuttings, and a list of the special jurors for County Tipperary (South Riding), 58 items  
Jan-Jun 1872

**MS 43,639/ 4** Letters to Francis E. Curry from Basil Orpin, James Morrin, Gerald Fitzgerald, and William Currey concerning the prosecution of the Duke of Devonshire v. Pim and Neil, with copy correspondence between Basil Orpin, Sergeant R. Armstrong, Issac Butt, and Theodore Ryland, 50 items  
Jul 1872-Jun 1873

**MS 43,639/ 5** Letters to Francis E. Curry from Basil Orpin and William Currey



concerning the prosecution of the Duke of Devonshire v. Pim and Neil, with copy correspondence between Basil Orpin, Sir Richard Musgrave, and Issac Butt, 55 items  
Jul 1873-Jun 1874

- MS 43,639/ 6** Letters to Francis E. Curry and Chetwode Curry from Basil Orpin, C. Herbert Currey, Gerald Fitzgibbon, Lord Stuart de Decies, and William Currey concerning the prosecution of the Duke of Devonshire v. Pim and Neil, 54 items  
Jul 1874-Feb 1875
- MS 43,639/ 7** Letters to Francis E. Curry and Chetwode Curry from Basil Orpin, Lord Stuart de Decies, and William Currey concerning the prosecution of the Duke of Devonshire v. Pim and Neil, with copy correspondence between Basil Orpin and Isaac Butt, 50 items  
Mar-Nov 1875
- MS 43,639/ 8** Correspondence between John Keily, William Currey, and Francis E. Curry, letters to Henry Witham from Patrick Foley, and a letter from William S. Curry to Thomas Seward (and copy), all produced in evidence in 1871-2, 16 items  
1829-56

V.ii.24.D Associated Papers

- MS 43,640/ 1** Lists of witnesses and jurors and a memorandum concerning fishing in the River Blackwater, 6 items  
1872-5
- MS 43,640/ 2** Extracts from rentals and cash books of the payment of rent for the Blackwater Fishery between 1631 and 1860 (22 Jul 1869), and marked by the Registrar at Clonmel Spring Assizes (April 1873), 9 items  
1869-73
- MS 43,640/ 3** Draft pedigrees of the Decies, Dromana or Affane Branch of the 'Desmond' (29 Jan 1872), 2 items  
1872
- MS 43,640/ 4** Court of Exchequer: Account of weirs on the Rivers Blackwater and Bride (7 Jul 1733), with attested copies of judgments in the cases of John Crotty v. Matthew Walsh (8 Jun 1803), John Crotty v. Sir William Jackson Homan (4 Jan 1824), and William Murray v. John Crotty (25 Nov 1824), said documents being produced as evidence in the case of the Duke of Devonshire v. Pim and Neil,

10 items  
1876

***V.ii.25 Devonshire v. Edward O'Callaghan Foott***

This case concerned the 'Queen's Gap' at Lismore weir and was known as the 'Iron Bars' case. It was contested between 1868 and 1872.

V.ii.25.A Legal Documents

- MS 43,641/ 1** Lismore Petty Sessions. Lismore Weir: Briefs on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire on consultation (29 Nov 1867 & 14 Dec 1867), and brief evidence of witnesses on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire (14 Dec 1867), 3 items  
1867
- MS 43,641/ 2** Lismore Petty Sessions. Lismore Weir: Supplemental brief and report of case (14 Dec 1867), 1 item  
1867
- MS 43,641/ 3** Lismore Petty Sessions. Lismore Weir: Supplemental brief and report of case (14 Dec 1867), 1 item  
1867
- MS 43,641/ 4** Lismore Petty Sessions. Lismore Weir: Report of case (14 Dec 1867), 1 item  
1867
- MS 43,641/ 5** Lismore Petty Sessions. Lismore Weir: Statement of evidence on summons (14 Dec 1867), 1 item  
1867
- MS 43,641/ 6** Lismore Petty Sessions. Edward O'Callaghan Foott v. Duke of Devonshire: Copy of proceedings from Lismore Petty Sessions book for 14, 16 & 17 Dec 1867 (12 Jan 1875), copy of short-hand report of evidence for 14, 16 & 17 Dec 1867, copy certificate of order, 19 Dec 1867), and Queen's Bench. Duke of Devonshire v. Edward O'Callaghan Foott: Copy of draft case (7 Jan 1868), 4 items  
1867-8
- MS 43,641/ 7** Lismore Petty Sessions. Lismore Weir: Report on "Iron Bars" case (23 Jan 1868), 1 item  
1868
- MS 43,641/ 8** Case and instructions on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire for the

- advise and opinion of counsel (23 Jan 1868), Queen's Bench. Duke of Devonshire v. Edward O'Callaghan Foot: Copy draft case as settled by counsel for both parties (30 Jan 1868), copy draft case as stated and settled by counsel on both sides (8 Feb 1868), and Queen's Bench. Cliffe & Foley (appellants) v. Edward O'Callaghan Foot (respondent): Special case (17 Mar 1868), 4 items  
1868
- MS 43,641/ 9** Queen's Bench. Duke of Devonshire (appellant) v. Edward O'Callaghan Foot (respondent): Copy special case (20 Mar 1868), 6 items  
1868
- MS 43,641/ 10** Queen's Bench. Duke of Devonshire (appellant) v. Edward O'Callaghan Foot (respondent): Book of argument of special case (21 Mar 1868), judgements of Queen's Bench and of the late and present Lord Chancellor (28 Apr 1868), and the Judges' Book (30 Apr 1868), 8 items
- MS 43,641/ 11** Queen's Bench. Cliffe & Foley (appellants) v. Edward O'Callaghan Foot (respondent): Copy judgement (12 Jun 1868), Queen's Bench. Duke of Devonshire (appellant) v. Edward O'Callaghan Foot (respondent): Brief on behalf of appellant on consultation with counsel (23 Jun 1868), Court of Chancery: Brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire to apply for prohibition and move prayer of petition (27 Jun 1868), Court of Chancery (Lord Chancellor): Brief on behalf of Duke of Devonshire (4 Jul 1868), and brief on motion for a writ of prohibition and Lord Chancellor's judgement on granting a conditional order (4 Jul 1868), and Queen's Bench. Cliffe & Foley (appellants) v. Edward O'Callaghan Foot (respondent): Draft special case (Jul 1868), 7 items  
1868
- MS 43,641/ 12** Blackwater Fishery: Brief case and instructions for consultation (20 Jul 1868), 2 items  
1868
- MS 43,641/ 13** Court of Chancery (Lord Chancellor). In the matter of seeking a writ of prohibition: Brief on behalf of Duke of Devonshire pursuant to within notice of motion (31 Oct 1868), copy directions of Special Commissioners (6 Nov 1868), additional brief on behalf of Duke of Devonshire pending motion (7 Nov 1868), Court of Chancery, Petty Bag Side. Duke of Devonshire v. Edward O'Callaghan Foot: Demurrer Book for the Court (16 Jun

1869), and brief on behalf of Duke of Devonshire on argument of Demurrer (20 Nov 1869), 7 items

- MS 43,641/ 14** Court of Chancery, Petty Bag Side. Duke of Devonshire v. Edward O'Callaghan Foot: Demurrer Book (24 Nov 1870), judgement of the Rt. Hon. Lord Thomas O'Hagan, Lord Chancellor (12 Jan 1871), Court of Chancery (Lord Chancellor). In the matter of the Duke of Devonshire seeking a writ of prohibition: Brief on behalf of Duke of Devonshire pursuant to within notice of motion (26 Jan 1871), Duke of Devonshire v. Edward O'Callaghan Foot: Original writ of prohibition (8 Feb 1871), and attested copy of enrolment of judgement (1 Mar 1871), 10 items  
1870-1
- MS 43,641/ 15** Court of Exchequer Chamber. Duke of Devonshire v. Edward O'Callaghan Foot: Copy record and proceedings in error (16 Nov 1871), and judgement of the court (23 Nov 1872), 6 items  
1871-2
- MS 43,641/ 16** Queen's Bench. Duke of Devonshire v. Edward O'Callaghan Foot: Brief and additional brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire to oppose motion for certiorari (6 Dec 1872), 6 items  
1872
- MS 43,641/ 17** Court of Chancery: Brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire to oppose motion for certiorari (14 Dec 1872), Court of Chancery (Petty Bag Side) Duke of Devonshire v. Edward O'Callaghan Foot. In the matter of seeking a writ of prohibition: Additional brief on behalf of the plaintiff to oppose motion mentioned in within notice (19 Dec 1872), Court of Exchequer Chamber. Duke of Devonshire v. Edward O'Callaghan Foot: Copy judgement of 22 Jan 1873 (21 Apr 1875), and Lismore Weir Gap: Case on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire by way of instructions for consultation with Francis E. Curry (4 Oct 1873), 5 items  
1872-5
- MS 43,641/ 18** Queen's Bench. Duke of Devonshire v. Justices of the Peace for County Waterford: Original conditional order (17 Jan 1873), original notice of motion, with copy affidavit of service of notice of motion (3 & 5 Apr 1873), brief on behalf the Duke of Devonshire pursuant to within notice of motion to make conditional order absolute (16 Apr 1873), brief on behalf the Duke of Devonshire pursuant to oppose within notice of motion, with original notice of motion (26 & 28 Nov 1873), original absolute order, with copies (12 Dec 1874 & 25 Apr 1875),

duplicate writ of certiorari, with attested copy (12 Dec 1874), attested copy of judge's books for argument on concilium of 15 April 1875 (5 Feb 1875), original order for concilium and set down cause for argument, with attested copy of affidavit of service of order (15 & 21 Apr 1875), and brief on behalf the Duke of Devonshire on argument on concilium (3 copies), with attested copy of affidavit of P.M. McSwiney (6 & 7 May 1875), 26 items  
1873-5

- MS 43,641/ 19** Court of Chancery (Petty Bag Side). Duke of Devonshire v. Edward O'Callaghan Foot: In the matter of seeking a writ of prohibition and case on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire (24 Apr 1875), Court of Exchequer Chamber. Duke of Devonshire v. Edward O'Callaghan Foot: Briefs on behalf of the plaintiff pursuant to within notices of motion (5 Jan 1876 & 11 Jan 1876), 4 items  
1875-6

#### V.ii.25.B Counsel and Court Papers

- MS 43,642/ 1** Instructions to and opinions of counsel, notes of consultation, and counsel's directions of proofs, with a solicitor's report of the case, and notes from the fishery acts, 9 items  
1865-8
- MS 43,642/ 2** Affidavits of Francis E. Curry, Edward O'Callaghan Foot, John Neill, and M. Mitchell (29 Sep & 21 Oct 1868) and others, 8 items  
1868-73
- MS 43,642/ 3** Orders, notices, summonses, certificate to dismiss, and a certificate of conviction, 19 items  
1867-72

#### V.ii.25.C Correspondence

- MS 43,643/ 1** Letters to Francis E. Curry from Frederick Eden, Thomas Brady, Major Lucas (Special Commission of Fisheries), Randal McDonnell, Basil Orpin, H.B. Julian, and Charles Shaw, concerning Lismore Weir, 26 items  
1864-7
- MS 43,643/ 2** Letters to Francis E. Curry from Basil Orpin and William Currey concerning the Lismore Weir gap and the prosecution of the case

of Duke of Devonshire v. Edward O'Callaghan Foot, 44 items  
1867-71

- MS 43,643/ 3** Correspondence between Basil Orpin, Sir Thomas Larcom (Under Secretary for Ireland), Issac Butt, the Special Commissioners for Fisheries, and Edward O'Callaghan Foot, concerning Lismore Weir, 12 items  
1867-73
- MS 43,643/ 4** Letters to Francis E. Curry from Thomas Brady, A. Newton Brady and Alan Hornsby (Special Commission of Fisheries), Randal McDonnell, Basil Orpin, Major Joseph Hayes, Edward O'Callaghan Foot, Gerald Fitzgibbon, and Sir D. Jephson Norrey, concerning Lismore Weir, 21 items  
1868-73
- MS 43,643/ 5** Letters to Francis E. Curry from Basil Orpin, P. McSwiney, Gervase Bushe, William Currey, and the Duke of Devonshire concerning the Lismore Weir gap and the prosecution of the case of Duke of Devonshire v. Edward O'Callaghan Foot, 60 items  
1872-5

V.ii.25.D Costs and Associated Papers

- MS 43,644/ 1** Lismore Petty Sessions Inquiry and Queen's Bench. Foot v. Devonshire: Costs for period October 1867 to August 1868, 25 Feb 1871
- MS 43,644/ 2** Lismore Petty Sessions Inquiry and Queen's Bench. Foot v. Devonshire: Costs for period December 1867 to June 1868 (8 Feb 1871), Foot v. Cliffe & Foley: Costs for period December 1867 to June 1868 (8 Feb 1871), with summary of costs, and Chancery, Exchequer Chamber and Queen's Bench: Costs for period June 1868 to April 1873 (29 Dec 1873), 4 items  
1871-3
- MS 43,644/ 3** Lismore Petty Sessions. Foot v. Devonshire: Shorthand report of the evidence given in the case (Dec 1867), notice of meeting of Special Commissioners of Fisheries at the Court House, Lismore (27 Jun 1865), and extracts from 18 deeds and documents dating between 1606 and 1759 as used in the Lismore weir gap case, with list of documents, and labels, 7 items  
1865-7
- MS 43,644/ 4** Pamphlets and newspaper cuttings regarding inquiries into the 'Queen's Gap' on the River Blackwater at Lismore, taken from

the Cork Constitution, Cork Daily Reporter, Irish Daily Telegraph and Cork Examiner, 20 items  
1861-78

***V.ii.26 Queen v. Inspectors of Irish Fisheries and  
Hon. Charles Moore Smyth v. Devonshire***

This dispute concerned an inquiry by the Inspectors of Irish Fisheries into Charles Moore Smyth's application for a certificate to reconstruct Ballynatray weir, which had been abated by the Fishery Commissioners at the Lismore inquiry of August 1864 as an obstacle to navigation.

V.ii.26.A Legal Documents

- MS 43,645/ 1** Queen's Bench. The Queen at the prosecution of the Hon. Charles Moore Smyth v. The Inspectors of Irish Fisheries acting in execution of the Fisheries (Ireland) Act, 1869: Brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire (10 Jun 1870), Lismore Inquiry. Hon. C.M. Smyth, re. Ballynatray Weir: Brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire pursuant to within notice, and brief of Engineer's report (10 Jan 1871), 3 items  
1870-1
- MS 43,645/ 2** Lismore Inquiry. Hon. C.M. Smyth, re. Ballynatray Weir: Report of Inquiry (10-11 Jan 1871), 3 items  
1871
- Lismore Inquiry. Hon. C.M. Smyth, re. Ballynatray Weir: Report of Inquiry (10-11 Jan 1871), 2 items  
1871
- MS 43,645/ 3** Queen's Bench. Hon. C.M. Smyth v. Duke of Devonshire: Wide line copy of draft of special case (24 Jan 1871), special case (27 Feb 1871), and brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire pursuant to within order (17 Apr 1871), 4 items  
1871
- MS 43,645/ 4** Queen's Bench. Hon. C.M. Smyth v. Duke of Devonshire: Brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire pursuant to within notices (18 Apr 1871), Lismore Inquiry. Hon. C.M. Smyth, re. Ballynatray Weir: Brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire pursuant to within notice (18 May 1871), brief of Queen's Bench orders (18 May 1871), and brief of evidence against the weir (18 May 1871), 6 items  
1871

- MS 43,645/ 5** Ballynatray Weir Inquiry: Transcript of proceedings (18 May 1871), 1 item  
1871
- MS 43,645/ 6** Queen's Bench. Hon. C.M. Smyth v. Duke of Devonshire: Brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire on consultation with Mr. Gerald Fitzgibbon QC (2 Jun 1871), Queen's Bench. The Queen at the prosecution of the Hon. Charles Moore Smyth v. The Inspectors of Irish Fisheries acting in execution of the Fisheries (Ireland) Act, 1869: Brief and additional brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire (5 Jun 1871), Queen's Bench. Hon. C.M. Smyth v. Duke of Devonshire: Brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire pursuant to within notice (6 Jun 1871), Queen's Bench. The Queen at the prosecution of the Hon. Charles Moore Smyth v. The Inspectors of Irish Fisheries acting in execution of the Fisheries (Ireland) Act, 1869: Brief on behalf of the conservators (10 Jun 1871), 9 items  
1871
- MS 43,645/ 7** Lismore Inquiry. Ballynatray Weir: Report of Inquiry (10 Nov 1871) concerning the application by the Hon. C.W. Moore-Smyth, heard at the Courthouse, Lismore, for permission to net salmon in the River Blackwater, off Ballynatray, Co. Waterford, the application being opposed by the Duke of Devonshire, with enclosed copy of the judgement delivered on 11 January 1871, 2 items  
1871

V.ii.26.B Counsel and Court Papers

- MS 43,646/ 1** Copy of the opinion of Mr. E.J. Bewley QC, Solicitor General (21 Oct 1884), 1 item  
1884
- MS 43,646/ 2** Copy report and order of the Inspectors of Irish Fisheries with their instruction to grant a certificate to Mr. Smyth, and affidavits of the Hon. Charles Moore Smyth and E. O'Connor, attorney for the Conservators (20 Jan & 6 Jun 1871), 5 items  
1871
- MS 43,646/ 3** Orders and summonses for witnesses to attend the Lismore inquiry (12 May 1871), 28 items  
1864-71



V.ii.26.C Costs

- MS 43,647** Devonshire *v.* Smyth: Costs of summons and plaint for period June 1869-January 1870 (8 Feb 1871), Queen *v.* Inspectors of Fisheries: Costs for period May-December 1870 (8 Feb 1871), and Smyth *v.* Devonshire: Costs for period December 1870-June 1871 (9 Jun 1874), 3 items  
1871-4

V.ii.26.D Correspondence

- MS 43,648/ 1** Letters to Francis E. Curry from Basil Orpin, William Currey, and the Duke of Devonshire concerning Ballynatray Weir and the case of the Hon. Charles William Moore-Smyth *v.* Duke of Devonshire, with a copy letter from Montague Guest to Lord Hartington, 60 items  
1867-74
- MS 43,648/ 2** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Charles Moore Smyth, 4 items  
May-Jun 1884

V.ii.26.E Associated Papers

- MS 43,649/ 1** Book of newspaper reports of the evidence given at the fishery inquiries held at Lismore on 11 August 1864 and 10 January 1871, with a copy of *Saunders's News-Letter and Daily Advertiser*, (9 May 1870), 2 items  
1864-71
- MS 43,649/ 2** Public notices advertising the inquiry of the Inspectors of Irish Fisheries at Lismore Court House (10 May 1871), memoranda from papers relating to proceedings in fishery suit against Richard Smyth of Ballynatray, and list of documents regarding Charles Moore Smyth's claim to the fishery at Ballynatray (Jun 1884), 5 items  
1871-84

***V.ii.27 Devonshire v. William Neill and Michael Fenton, and  
Devonshire v. Attorney General***

This case was to be the last in a series of disputes over fishing rights on the River Blackwater within the property boundaries of the Duke of Devonshire. Having begun in 1876, the case was appealed to the House of Lords in 1880. It was finally decided in

favour of the Duke on the basis that the Crown grant made to Sir Walter Raleigh in 1586 conveyed to the Duke an absolute right of salmon fishing in the tidal waters of the River Blackwater at Youghal.

V.ii.27.A Legal Documents

- MS 43,650/ 1** Court of Exchequer. The Duke of Devonshire v. William Neill and Michael Fenton: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff to oppose motion to change venue (17 Jan 1876), and additional brief on behalf of the plaintiff to oppose motion to change venue (24 Jan 1876), 4 items  
1876
- MS 7158 (2)** Charge of the Lord Chief Baron before the Court of Exchequer, Dublin, in the case of the Duke of Devonshire v. William Neill and Michael Fenton for trespass on the fishery of the River Blackwater, Hilary Term After Sittings, 1876, 1 item  
1876
- MS 43,650/ 2** Court of Exchequer. The Duke of Devonshire v. William Neill and Michael Fenton: Charge of the Rt. Hon. Lord Chief Baron, Hilary Term After Sittings, 1876, with list of witnesses and enlarged list of documentary proofs, 3 items  
1876
- MS 7158 (1)** Report of the Lord Chief Baron before the Court of Exchequer, Dublin, in the case of the Duke of Devonshire v. William Neill and Michael Fenton for trespass on the fishery of the River Blackwater, Hilary Term After Sittings, 1876, 1 item  
1876
- MS 7159** Report of the trial before the Court of Exchequer, Dublin, in the case of the Duke of Devonshire v. William Neill and Michael Fenton for trespass on the fishery of the River Blackwater, Hilary Term After Sittings, 1876, 1 item  
1876
- MS 43,650/ 3** Court of Exchequer: Report of trial (2-10 Feb 1876), 1 item  
1876
- MS 43,650/ 4** Court of Exchequer: Report of trial (2-10 Feb 1876), 1 item  
1876
- MS 43,650/ 5** Court of Exchequer: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff on argument pursuant to within notice (22 May 1876), 2 items  
1876

- MS 43,650/ 5** House of Commons: Brief case as instructions for House of Commons (29 Jun 1876), and Court of Exchequer: Judgement granting new trial (27 Jun 1877), 3 items  
1876-7
- MS 7155** Court of Exchequer: Judgement granting a new trial, in the case of the Duke of Devonshire v. William Neill and Michael Fenton for trespass on the fishery of the River Blackwater (26 Jun 1877), 1 item  
1877
- MS 43,650/ 6** Court of Exchequer. The Duke of Devonshire v. Neill and Fenton: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff pursuant to motion notice of trial (17 Nov 1877), 1 item  
1877
- MS 43,650/ 7** Court of Exchequer: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff to oppose motion to change venue (22 Nov 1877), 3 items  
1877
- MS 43,650/ 8** Court of Exchequer: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff pursuant to within notice of trial (27 Nov 1877), 2 items  
1877
- MS 7154** Court of Exchequer: Report of trial and judge's charge in the case of the Duke of Devonshire v. William Neill and Michael Fenton for trespass on the fishery of the River Blackwater, 1 item  
1877
- MS 43,650/ 9** Court of Exchequer: Report of trial and judge's charge (4-13 Dec 1877), 1 item  
1877
- MS 43,650/ 10** Court of Exchequer: Report of trial and judge's charge (4-13 Dec 1877), 1 item  
1877
- MS 43,650/ 11** Exchequer Division: Brief and additional brief on behalf of the plaintiff pursuant to within notice of trial (18 Feb 1878), 5 items  
1878
- MS 7156** Court of Exchequer: Report of trial in the case of the Duke of Devonshire v. William Neill and Michael Fenton before the Court of Exchequer, Dublin, for trespass on the fishery of the River Blackwater (19-28 Feb 1878), 1 item  
1878

- MS 43,650/ 12** Court of Exchequer: Report of trial (19 Feb 1878), 2 items  
1878
- MS 43,650/ 13** Court of Exchequer: Report of trial (19 Feb 1878), 1 item  
1878
- MS 43,650/ 14** Court of Exchequer: Report of trial (19 Feb 1878), 1 item  
1878
- MS 43,650/ 15** Court of Exchequer: Report of trial (19 Feb 1878), 1 item  
1878
- MS 43,650/ 16** Court of Exchequer: Report of trial (19 Feb 1878), 1 item  
1878
- MS 7157** Court of Exchequer: Charge of Rt. Hon. James Anthony Lawson  
in the case of the Duke of Devonshire v. William Neill and  
Michael Fenton before the Court of Exchequer, Dublin, for  
trespass on the fishery of the River Blackwater (28 Feb 1878), 1  
item  
1878
- MS 43,650/ 17** Court of Exchequer: Proof and charge of Judge Lawson as  
revised by Mr. Lover (28 Feb 1878), and book of documents  
containing copies of patents and deeds etc. dating from 1215 to  
1869 (16 Apr 1878), 4 items  
1878
- MS 43,650/ 18** Exchequer Division: Certificate of defendant's counsel (18 Apr  
1878) and copy of Judge Lawson's report of the trial, Hilary  
Sittings, 1878 (18 May 1878), 3 items  
1878
- MS 43,650/ 19** Exchequer Division: Brief certificate of defendant's counsel on  
behalf of the plaintiff on argument pursuant to within notice  
against making absolute conditional order (3 Jun 1878), 2 items  
1878
- MS 43,650/ 20** Exchequer Division: Argument of new trial motion and  
judgement of the court (24 & 26 Jun 1878), 1 item  
1878
- MS 43,650/ 21** Court of Appeal (Ireland): Summary statement of case for the  
plaintiff or instructions for counsel on argument of appeal (27  
Dec 1878), 3 items

1878

- MS 7153** Appeal in the House of Lords, 1880-82, by William Neill and Michael Fenton, against a decision of the Court of Appeal in Ireland, 1879, in favour of the Duke of Devonshire, arising out of fishery rights on the River Blackwater, 1 item  
1882
- MS 43,650/ 22** House of Lords. On appeal from Her Majesty's Court of Appeal in Ireland. William Neill and Michael Fenton: Case of the Respondent, 1 item  
c1882
- MS 43,650/ 23** House of Lords. Neill and Another v. Duke of Devonshire: Judgement (14 Nov 1882), and additional documents lodged by respondent, 2 items  
1882
- MS 43,650/ 24** High Court of Justice (Ireland), Chancery Division. Duke of Devonshire v. Attorney-General, William Neill, Michael Fenton and John Ronayne: Writ of summons (23 Jan 1883), statement of claim (31 Jan 1883), statement of defence (1 Mar 1883) and an injunction (6 Aug 1883), with public notices of injunction (25 Mar 1884), 12 items  
1883-4

V.ii.27.B Counsel and Court Papers

- MS 43,651/ 1** Copy directions of proofs (7 Jan 1876), abstract of issues (17 Jan 1876), opinions, points, and directions of counsel, and copies of minutes of consultation, instructions, refreshers, and exceptions of counsel, 22 items  
1875-9
- MS 43,651/ 2** Affidavits, orders, subpoenas, notices, consents, and replications, 23 items  
1875-9

V.ii.27.C Correspondence

- MS 43,652/ 1** Letters to Francis E. Curry and Chetwode Curry from Basil Orpin, Michael Mulcahy, P. McSwiney, William Currey, and William 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire concerning the case of the Duke of Devonshire v. William Neill and Michael Fenton, with a copy letter from Judge Christopher Palles to H.W. Lover, 73 items

Nov 1875-May 1876

- MS 43,652/ 2** Letters to Francis E. Curry and Chetwode Curry from Basil Orpin, P. McSwiney, F.A. Currey, and William Currey concerning the case of the Duke of Devonshire v. William Neill and Michael Fenton, with copy letters from Issac Butt QC and Gerald Fitzgibbon (Solicitor-General for Ireland) to Basil Orpin, 53 items  
Jun 1876-Sep 1877
- MS 43,652/ 3** Letters to Francis E. Curry from Basil Orpin, P. McSwiney, and William 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire concerning the case of the Duke of Devonshire v. William Neill and Michael Fenton, with copy letters from Issac Butt QC and Gerald Fitzgibbon (Solicitor-General for Ireland) to Basil Orpin, 54 items  
Oct 1877-Jun 1878
- MS 43,652/ 4** Letters to Francis E. Curry and Chetwode Curry from Basil Orpin, Henry Keily, P. McSwiney, Frederick A. Currey, and William, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire concerning the case of the Duke of Devonshire v. William Neill and Michael Fenton, 54 items  
Jul 1878-1880
- MS 43,652/ 5** Letters to Francis E. Curry from Messrs. Keily & Lloyd, P. McSwiney, and Frederick A. Currey concerning the case of the Duke of Devonshire v. William Neill and Michael Fenton, with copy letters from Messrs. Currey, Holland & Curry to Messrs. Keily & Lloyd, 49 items  
1881
- MS 43,652/ 6** Letters to Francis E. Curry and Chetwode Curry from Messrs. Keily & Lloyd, Frederick A. Currey, and C. Herbert Currey concerning the case of the Duke of Devonshire v. William Neill and Michael Fenton, with copy letters from Thomas Slattery to Messrs. Keily & Lloyd, 39 items  
1882-6
- MS 43,652/ 7** Letters to Francis E. Curry from Basil Orpin, Isaac Butt, Gerald Fitzgibbon, Elizabeth and Robert Butt, Theodore Ryland, Henry Lover, and J.V. Carpenter, and letters from Chetwode Curry to Sergeant Richard Armstrong and Basil Orpin, 19 items  
1876-9

V.ii.27.D Associated Papers

- MS 43,653/ 1** Attested copies of presentments at Waterford Assizes (1850 &

1862) for building slips at Campfire and Villierstown and a quay at Ferrypoint on the River Blackwater (15 Feb 1875), and public notices for trespassers served on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire with notice in answer from defendants (16, 24 Feb 1876 & 5 Feb 1877), 30 items  
1875-7

**MS 43,653/ 2** Public notices for conservators (16 Feb 1876), a list of witnesses for the plaintiff and of Dublin jury members (Feb 1876), press reports of case from *Cork Daily Herald* (1 Jun 1876), and *Freeman's Journal* (24 Jan 1877), 20 items  
1876-7

**MS 43,653/ 3** Lists of deeds, abstracts from leases, note of searches for leases at Dromana Castle, extracts from rentals, lists of cash books, rentals and trial reports and Chancery proceedings (1684-7), a pedigree of Lord Stuart de Decies (1878), a schedule of documents (21 Jan 1881), a notice to trespassers (3 Jan 1883), and list of documents sent to solicitors, 17 items  
1876-84

#### ***V.ii.28 Devonshire v. Henry Villiers-Stuart***

This case concerned further negotiation conducted between 1878 and 1884 over fishing rights on the River Blackwater at Dromana (see also *Devonshire v. Lord Stuart de Decies*, section III.ii.16).

##### V.ii.28.A Legal Documents

**MS 43,654/ 1** Bill of Peace: Opinion of counsel on the case and the draft bill and agreement, with a memorandum respecting Dromana fishery rights on the River Blackwater, 3 items  
1878-9

**MS 43,654/ 2** Blackwater Fishery: Proposal on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire and remarks thereon, with schedule of deeds and documents relating to Affane, Bewley and Cappelquin and a public notice of judgement, 4 items  
1883-4

##### V.ii.28.B Correspondence

**MS 43,655/ 1** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Lord Stuart de Decies and between Chetwode Curry and Basil Orpin, concerning the case of the Duke of Devonshire *v.* Henry Villiers-

Stuart, with letters to Francis E. Curry from Sergeant Richard Armstrong and William, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, 25 items  
1875-6

**MS 43,655/ 2** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Henry Villiers-Stuart concerning the case of the Duke of Devonshire v. Henry Villiers-Stuart, with letters to Francis E. Curry and Chetwode Curry from Basil Orpin, Frederick A. Currey, and William, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire and a copy letter from Issac Butt QC to Basil Orpin, 46 items  
1878

**MS 43,655/ 3** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Chetwode Curry and Henry Villiers-Stuart, with letters from Messrs. Keily & Lloyd, P. McSwiney, J. Atkinson, and Frederick A. Currey concerning the case of the Duke of Devonshire v. Henry Villiers-Stuart, with a copy letter from Spencer Compton Cavendish, Marquis of Hartington to Henry Villiers-Stuart and a proposal and memorandum concerning the Blackwater fishery, 54 items  
1879-May 1883

**MS 43,655/ 4** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry, Henry Villiers-Stuart, Spencer Compton Cavendish, Marquis of Hartington, Robert Power, and Messrs. Keily & Lloyd concerning the case of the Duke of Devonshire v. Henry Villiers-Stuart, with letters and memoranda from E. Foley and William, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, and newspaper cuttings, 49 items  
Aug 1883-Jan 1885 & Jan 1887

#### V.ii.28.C Associated Papers

**MS 43,656/ 1** Copy draft terms and articles of agreement, with draft lease of the River Blackwater fishery from Henry Villiers-Stuart to William, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, 4 items  
1879 & 1883-4

**MS 43,656/ 2** Schedule of patents, deeds, and fines relating to the River Blackwater fishery handed over by John Orpin, solicitor, 1 item  
1884

#### V.ii.29 *Miscellaneous Cases*

**MS 43,657** Pamphlets containing reports on the trial of legal cases connected with river fisheries in Ireland, 4 items  
1841-61



### V.iii Tithe Cases

The Duke of Devonshire was the owner of the impropriate tithes of 26 parishes in counties Cork and Waterford. In 1814, the first of a series of legal suits were instigated against various tenants in order to recover the impropriate tithes of the parishes of Kilmichael, Killmurry, Inchegeelagh and Ballymodan in County Cork, the payment of which had been withheld since the 1790s under a claim of a defect in the Duke's title. Some of these cases were not resolved until the mid-1830s.

**MS 43,658** Cases with legal opinion regarding the tithes of Decies and Glanahiry (1698) and Lismore Castle lands (1708), with an account and opinion on the Leeds (England) tithes (1729), the Oeconomy tithes of the parish of Lismore (1738), and the summary tithe laws (1786), 5 items  
1698-1786 [*Two items damaged and fragile*]

#### V.iii.1 *Cork v. Robert Warren*

**MS 43,659/ 1** Letter from Robert Warren to Thomas Baker with list of denominations that paid tithe to the Rectory of Kilmurray (4 Jun 1720), valuation of the tithes at and about Bandon (being the parishes of Kilmurray, Kilmichael, Inchegeelagh and Ballymodan; 8 Jun 1720), with copies, and copy of Thomas Wallis's discharge and release of all pretensions to a lease of the tithes of Kilmurray (17 Sep 1729), 11 items  
1720 & 1833

**MS 43,659/ 2** Case on behalf of Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington with the opinion of Thomas Lutwycke (4 Jul 1726), with copies of memoranda relating the state of the cases of Captain Robert Warren and Thomas Wallis in relation to the tithes of Kilmurray, with opinion of counsel (22 May 1724 & 1 Jan 1726), and receipt from Thomas Baker for fine for the tithes of Kilmurray (31 Oct 1720), 7 items  
1726 & n.d.

#### V.iii.2 *Devonshire v. William Donegan and Others*

**MS 43,660/ 1** Attested copies of proceedings in Consistorial Court, Diocese of Cork and Ross regarding the tithes of Ballymodane (22 May 1793), 2 items  
1829

**MS 43,660/ 2** Case with opinion of counsel, with copy interrogatories and

depositions of witnesses and letter to Philip Splane from Francis Cassidy concerning the recovery of the tithes of Ballymodan (20 Sep 1800), 3 items  
1793-c1825

***V.iii.3 John Maher v. Rev. Peter Foley***

- MS 43,661/ 1** Brief of proceedings between John Maher and Rev. Peter Foley (farmer of inappropriate tithes of Kilmurray), cross interrogatories, extracts from Registry of the Diocese of Cork and Ross concerning proceedings between Foley, William Shorten, and John Good (1794), and between Timothy Mahony and David Chugly (1785), with associated papers, 12 items  
1794 & n.d.
- MS 43,661/ 2** Statement of Rev. Peter Foley respecting the opposition to the collection of the tithes of Kilmurray in 1792-3, with copy correspondence between Foley and Thomas Garde (Oct 1792), memoranda concerning searches of the Down Survey, and extracts of deeds concerning the parishes of Kilmurray, Kilmichael and Inchnegeelagh, 7 items  
1804

***V.iii.4 Devonshire v. Francis Clear (Ballymodan)***

This case concerns a dispute regarding the title to the recovery of the tithes of the inappropriate rectory of the parish of Ballymodan in the baronies of Muskerry and Kinalmeaky.

**V.iii.4.A Legal Documents**

- MS 43,662/ 1** Case (and copies) and further case respecting Ballymodan tithes with the opinion of John White Esq. (20 Oct 1814 & 10 Jun 1815), 6 items  
1814-5
- MS 43,662/ 2** Court of Equity Exchequer: Draft and copy bills for recovery of the tithes of Ballymodan, copy answer of defendant, brief on behalf of the plaintiff to oppose the annexed notice (16 June 1815), and brief on behalf of the plaintiff on a hearing as a short cause on sequestration (1816), 6 items  
1815-6
- MS 43,662/ 3** Court of Equity Exchequer: Decree (and draft) on sequestration (18 May 1816), brief on behalf of the plaintiff to oppose the

within notice (5 Dec 1816), attested copy (and draft) charge of plaintiff under decree (17 Jun 1817), covers of a brief on behalf of the plaintiff for the hearing of this cause on report and merits (Nov 1817), and draft and final decrees (4 Dec 1817), 11 items 1816-7

**MS 43,662/ 4** Court of Equity Exchequer: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff to oppose the within notice for Thursday 22 June (14 Jun 1820), 3 items  
1820

**MS 43,662/ 5** Orders, affidavits of service of orders, reports, notices and consents, subpoenas, and summonses, 21 items  
1817-20

#### V.iii.4.B Correspondence

**MS 43,663** Letters and instructions from Benjamin Popham to Thomas Seward, and lists of papers supplied to Thomas Seward, 9 items  
1816-20

#### *V.iii.5 Devonshire v. Thomas Poole and Others*

This case concerns a further dispute regarding the title to the tithes of Ballymodan. The Duke sought payment of arrears from the defendants from the year 1818 to the year 1824. The other defendants in the case were John Sealy, Owen Keefe, Francis Sweeny, Josias Dunne, John Burchill, Cornelius Keohane, Thomas Herrick, Patrick Roche, James Deasy, John Mahony, Patrick Mahony and Daniel Murphy (all farmers). Before the case was decided the names of Josias Dunne, Patrick Roche, Cornelius Keohane, Patrick Mahoney had been replaced by that of Rev. Arthur Knox.

#### V.iii.5.A Legal Documents

**MS 43,664/ 1** Court of Equity Exchequer. Duke of Devonshire v. John Mahony, Patrick Mahony, Roger Coombs, Francis Sweeny, William Murphy Snr, William Murphy Jnr and Owen Keefe: Draft Bill against the parishoners of Ballymodan, draft brief for subtraction of tithes (30 Dec 1824), and copy bill for subtraction of tithes (25 Jan 1825), 4 items  
1824-5

**MS 43,664/ 2** Court of Equity Exchequer: Answers of Thomas Poole, John Sealy, Francis Sweeny, Owen Keefe, John Mahony, James Deasy, Daniel Murphy, Thomas Herrick, and John Burchill (30 Jul 1825), and the answer of Josias Dunne (6 Dec 1825), 2 items  
1825

- MS 43,664/ 3** Court of Equity Exchequer: Answer of Josias Dunne (6 Dec 1825), draft of suits for counsel to advise (25 Dec 1825), and instructions to advise plaintiff and to direct his proceedings (30 Dec 1825), 3 items  
1825
- MS 43,664/ 4** Court of Equity Exchequer: Case (1825), draft (May 1826), and copy draft of amended bill (23 Jun 1827), 3 items  
1825-7
- MS 43,664/ 5** Court of Equity Exchequer: Fair copy of amended bill (23 Jun 1827), brief on behalf of the plaintiff to oppose (4 Feb 1828), answer of the defendants Owen Keefe, Francis Sweeny, John Mahony, and John Burchill to the amended bill (22 May 1828), and answer of the defendants Thomas Poole, John Sealy, Owen Keefe, Francis Sweeny, John Mahony, and John Burchill to the amended bill (31 May 1828), 4 items  
1827-8
- MS 43,664/ 6** Court of Equity Exchequer: Answer of the defendants Thomas Poole and John Sealy to the amended bill (23 Aug 1828), answer of the defendant Thomas, Lord Bishop of Cork and Ross (3 Feb 1829), and answer of the defendant Rev. Arthur Knox (13 Feb 1829), 4 items  
1828-9
- MS 43,664/ 7** Examiner's Office, Equity Exchequer: Commission to England (11 Apr 1829), further commission (21 Apr 1829), plaintiff's proofs (22 Apr 1829), plaintiff's cross proofs (29 Apr 1829), and defendants' proofs (29 Apr 1829), 5 items  
1829
- MS 43,664/ 8** Examiner's Office, Equity Exchequer: Defendants' cross proofs (30 Apr 1829), Court of Equity Exchequer: Case (and draft) on behalf of the plaintiff, with additional notes by Edward Pennefather, plaintiff's counsel (1 Oct 1829), 3 items  
1829
- MS 43,664/ 9** Court of Equity Exchequer: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff for hearing on pleadings and proofs the first hearing day in Hilary term 1830, containing the original bill (filed 25 January 1825), the defendants' answers and the brief of proofs and documents proved on behalf of the plaintiff, consisting of copies and extracts from 29 deeds and documents dating from 1614 to 1829, with a table of contents (8 Dec 1829), 1 item

1829

**MS 43,664/ 10** Court of Equity Exchequer: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff for hearing on pleadings and proofs the first hearing day in Hilary term 1830, containing the original bill (filed 25 January 1825), the defendants' answers and the brief of proofs and documents proved on behalf of the plaintiff, consisting of copies and extracts from 29 deeds and documents dating from 1614 to 1829, with a table of contents (8 Dec 1829), 1 item  
1829

**MS 43,664/ 11** Court of Equity Exchequer: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff for hearing on pleadings and proofs the first hearing day in Hilary term 1830, containing the original bill (filed 25 January 1825), the defendants' answers and the brief of proofs and documents proved on behalf of the plaintiff, consisting of copies and extracts from 29 deeds and documents dating from 1614 to 1829, with a table of contents (8 Dec 1829), 1 item  
1829

**MS 43,664/ 12** Court of Equity Exchequer: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff for hearing on pleadings and proofs the first hearing day in Hilary term 1830, containing the original bill (filed 25 January 1825), the defendants' answers and the brief of proofs and documents proved on behalf of the plaintiff, consisting of copies and extracts from 29 deeds and documents dating from 1614 to 1829, with a table of contents (8 Dec 1829), 1 item  
1829

**MS 43,664/ 13** Court of Equity Exchequer: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff for hearing on pleadings and proofs the first hearing day in Hilary term 1830, containing the original bill (filed 25 January 1825), the defendants' answers and the brief of proofs and documents proved on behalf of the plaintiff, consisting of copies and extracts from 29 deeds and documents dating from 1614 to 1829, with a table of contents (8 Dec 1829), 1 item  
1829

**MS 43,664/ 14** Court of Equity Exchequer: Brief of documents relating to but not proved in this cause to be referred to on the hearing if necessary, consisting of copies and extracts from 14 deeds and documents dating from 1636 to 1784, with a table of contents, 2 items  
c1829

**MS 43,664/ 15** Court of Equity Exchequer: Brief of documents relating to but

- not proved in this cause to be referred to on the hearing if necessary, consisting of copies and extracts from 14 deeds and documents dating from 1636 to 1784, with a table of contents, 2 items  
c1829
- MS 43,664/ 16** Court of Equity Exchequer: Brief of documents relating to but not proved in this cause to be referred to on the hearing if necessary, consisting of copies and extracts from 14 deeds and documents dating from 1636 to 1784, with a table of contents, 1 item  
c1829
- MS 43,664/ 17** Court of Equity Exchequer: Draft decree to account (3 Feb 1830), attested copy of decree to account (5 Feb 1830), and report of the hearing of the case (5 Feb 1830), 3 items  
1830
- MS 43,664/ 18** Court of Equity Exchequer: Draft charge (6 Feb 1830), attested copy of plaintiff's charge (27 Jul 1830), draft of charge (6 Dec 1830), plaintiffs' depositions in aid of account (26 Jan 1831), 4 items  
1830-1
- MS 43,664/ 19** Court of Equity Exchequer: Draft report by Thomas Seward (14 Feb 1831), attested copy of report by Thomas Seward (22 Apr 1831), and brief on behalf of the plaintiff on report and merits by A.R. Blake (22 Apr 1831), 5 items  
1831
- MS 43,664/ 20** Court of Equity Exchequer: Draft of final decree (30 Apr 1831), 1 item  
1831
- MS 43,664/ 21** Court of Equity Exchequer: Attested copy of final decree (30 Apr 1831), 1 item  
1831
- MS 43,664/ 22** Court of Equity Exchequer: Attested copy of Bill, 1 item  
n.d.

#### V.iii.5.B Counsel Papers

- MS 43,665/ 1** Instructions for counsel, 12 items  
1824-31

- MS 43,665/ 2** Counsel's notes of hearing, pleadings, proofs, and final decree, 5 items  
1829-31
- MS 43,665/ 3** Opinions of Edward Pennefather, plaintiff's counsel, 6 items  
1825 & 1829
- MS 43,665/ 4** Interrogatories and cross-interrogatories (with drafts) for the examination of witnesses, with instructions of counsel, 10 items  
1828-9
- MS 43,665/ 5** Schedules of documents, lists of plaintiff's proofs briefed to counsel and to be proved at the hearing of the cause, and extracts from proofs taken in case, 12 items  
1829-30
- MS 43,665/ 6** Draft power of attorney, statement of case, and answers to original bill, 3 items  
1825, 1829 & 1832

#### V.iii.5.C Court Papers

- MS 43,666/ 1** Affidavits (and drafts) of Thomas Herrick, Benjamin Popham, Edward Doherty, Richard Orpin, and Thomas Seward, 6 items  
1827-8 & 1833
- MS 43,666/ 2** Affidavits of service of orders, subpoenas, and summonses, 11 items  
1825-7
- MS 43,666/ 3** Affidavits of service of orders, subpoenas, and summonses, 14 items  
1829-30
- MS 43,666/ 4** Affidavits of service of orders, subpoenas, and summonses, 9 items  
1831-2
- MS 43,666/ 5** Affidavits of service of orders, subpoenas, and summonses, 6 items  
1833
- MS 43,666/ 6** Orders, 27 items  
1825-31
- MS 43,666/ 7** Notices, 54 items

1825-31

**MS 43,666/ 8** Consents, discharges, and docket, 9 items  
1825-31

**MS 43,666/ 9** Summonses and subpoenas, 34 items  
1825 & 1830-2

#### V.iii.5.D Correspondence

**MS 43,667/ 1** Letters to Thomas Seward from Benjamin Popham, Basil Orpin, William S. Curry, Thomas Poole, Samuel Cooke, and Josias Dunne, 25 items  
1825-7

**MS 43,667/ 2** Correspondence between Thomas Seward and William S. Curry and John Swiney, and letters to Thomas Seward from Benjamin Popham, Basil Orpin, Benjamin Currey, and J.C. Keenan, 24 items  
1828-9

**MS 43,667/ 3** Correspondence between Thomas Seward and John Swiney (Sweeny) and letters to Thomas Seward from William S. Curry, Benjamin Popham, Benjamin Currey, and Henry Witham, 31 items  
1829

**MS 43,667/ 4** Correspondence between Thomas Seward and William S. Curry and Henry Witham and letters to Thomas Seward from Richard Orpin, Benjamin Popham, and Benjamin Currey, 21 items  
1830-1

**MS 43,667/ 5** Correspondence between Thomas Seward, William S. Curry, Benjamin Currey, Benjamin Popham, John Swanston, and Thomas Herrick concerning Herrick's legal costs, 8 items  
1831-3

**MS 43,667/ 6** Correspondence between Thomas Seward and Benjamin Currey and letters to Thomas Seward from Thomas Poole, Benjamin Popham, Francis Sweeny, Richard Orpin, John Sweete, and William S. Curry, 28 items  
1832-5

#### V.iii.5.E Costs and Accounts



**MS 43,668/ 1** Court of Equity Exchequer. Plaintiff's costs as between attorney and client: Duke of Devonshire to Thomas Seward for the period 8 November 1820 to 2 March 1835, and Duke of Devonshire to Benjamin Popham for the period 1825 to 1833, 3 items  
c1835

**MS 43,668/ 2** Accounts of commissioner's fees and defendant's costs in account under decree, solicitor's costs for examining witnesses, Vice Treasurer's account with assorted accounts, and receipts for legal costs, 20 items  
1823-33

V.iii.5.F Associated Papers

**MS 43,669/ 1** Instructions for and results of searches made in the Registry Office for deeds, and leases and other documents relating to Ballymodan tithes, 17 items  
1826 & 1829

**MS 43,669/ 2** Extracts from the visitation book of the Diocese of Cork, rental books, royal visitation books, copy of patent letter granting lands to the Earl of Cork (8 Jun 1630), and pedigrees of the Duke of Devonshire, 10 items  
n.d.

**MS 43,669/ 3** Assorted notes and memoranda respecting the possessions of the tithes of Ballymodan, documents relating thereto, and lists of tithe payments, 15 items  
1829 & n.d.

**MS 43,669/ 4** Extracts from the valuations of the tithes of the parish of Ballymodan, lists of tithes subtracted by defendants at harvest, accounts of defendant's tithes, and schedule of persons to be made defendant's in the bills to be filed, 17 items  
1824-31

***V.iii.6 Devonshire v. Parishoners of Kilmurray, Kilmichael and Inchigeelagh***

This prosecution was initially mounted against Henry Healy, John Grainger, and 43 other parishoners of the above named parishes in County Cork.

V.iii.6.A Legal Documents

**MS 43,670/ 1** Case on behalf the Duke of Devonshire for the advice and opinion of Charles Burton (3 Mar 1811), fair copy of case on

behalf the Duke of Devonshire for the advice and opinion of John White (10 Jun 1811), draft case respecting the tithes of the parishes of Kilmurray, Kilmichael, and Inchigeelagh (18 Sep 1811), Court of Equity Exchequer: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff to oppose motion to be made on the within notice (6 Nov 1814), and draft Bill for recovery of tithes (c1815), 9 items  
1811-5

**MS 43,670/ 2** Court of Equity Exchequer: Fair copy of bill as amended by counsel for recovery of tithes, and fair copy of bill (against Christopher Wood) for recovery of tithes of the parish of Inchigeelagh, 2 items  
c1815

**MS 43,670/ 3** Court of Equity Exchequer: Bills for the recovery of tithes payable out of the parish of Kilmurray against Michael Murphy, John and James Long, Bartholomew Twomey, Parker Roche, Denis Nyham, Jonathan Murphy, John and Cornelius Crowley, and others, 8 items  
c1815

**MS 43,670/ 4** Court of Equity Exchequer: Bills for the recovery of tithes payable out of the parish of Kilmichael against Timothy Sullivan, Batholemew Roche, Cornelius Murphy, Cornelius Leary, and John and James Hourihan, bills for the recovery of tithes payable out of the parish of Inchigeelagh against Sylvester and Barry Leary, 7 items  
c1815

#### V.iii.6.B Counsel and Court Papers

**MS 43,671/ 1** Cases for the advice of counsel on behalf of the plaintiff and instructions to peruse and draw bill, Mr. Burton's opinion respecting certain tithes, and instructions for and extracts from searches made for grants of tithes and recoveries, 9 items  
c1814-5

**MS 43,671/ 2** Court of Equity Exchequer: Extracts from tithe bill against the parishioners of Inchegeelagh, being William Cotter, Darby Leary, Michael Riordan and Timothy Cronin, Mary and Christopher Wood, Sylvester and Barry Leary, and Kilmichael, being Michael Hanahan and John Murphy, John and James Hannihan, Timothy Sullivan, Bartholomew Roche, Cornelius Murphy and Cornelius Leary), 10 items  
c1815

- MS 43,671/ 3** Court of Equity Exchequer: Extracts from tithes bill against the parishioners of Kilmurray, being Darby and Denis Mahony, William Murrihy, Peter Good, John and James Long, James Good, William Quarry, Parker Roche, Patrick Gallanan, Thomas Wiseman, John Murphy, John Good, Bartholemew Twomey, and John Crowley, 15 items  
c1815
- MS 43,671/ 4** Affidavits of Benjamin Popham, Andrew Daly, Henry Haly, and John Kift (Nov 1814), 9 items  
1814
- MS 43,671/ 5** Subpoenas and affidavits of service of writs against defendants, 35 items  
1814 [*Some items damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,671/ 6** Subpoenas and affidavits of service of writs against defendants, 30 items  
1814 [*Some items fragile*]

V.iii.6.C Associated Papers

- MS 43,672** Lists of names of persons against whom bills were filed, returns of tithes for the parishes of Kilmurray and Kilmichael for the years 1806-12, instructions for searches, and extracts from Smith's History of Cork and Lodge's Peerage, 14 items  
1814 [*One item damaged*]

**V.iii.7 *Devonshire v. John Barrett, Timothy Sullivan and Others (Kilmichael)***

V.iii.7.A Legal Documents

- MS 43,673/ 1** Court of Equity Exchequer: Draft and copy bills for recovery of the tithes of the parish of Kilmichael (Apr 1815), and brief on behalf of the plaintiff on a hearing as a short cause (Feb 1816), 3 items  
1815-6
- MS 43,673/ 2** Court of Equity Exchequer: Draft decree on sequestration against an account of the tithes of the parish of Kilmichael (19 Feb 1816), draft charge of plaintiff under the decree in this cause (17 Jun 1817), attested copy of charge of plaintiff under the decree in this cause (17 Jun 1817), decree on sequestration against an account of the tithes of the parish of Kilmichael (5 Mar 1817),

brief on behalf of the plaintiff for the hearing of this cause on report and merits (Nov 1817), draft final decree against defendants for the value of the tithes due by them in the parish of Kilmichael (4 Dec 1817), final decree against defendants for the value of the tithes due by them in the parish of Kilmichael (4 Dec 1817), and brief on behalf of the plaintiff to apply for attachments against defendants for non performance of the decree in these causes (Feb 1820), 8 items  
1816-20

**MS 43,673/ 3** Court of Equity Exchequer: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff to oppose the annexed notice for Tuesday 22 Feb 1820 (19 Feb 1820), draft case on behalf of plaintiff (26 Apr 1820), and case on behalf of plaintiff, with opinion of counsel, (13 May 1820), 5 items  
1820

V.iii.7.B Counsel and Court Papers and Correspondence

**MS 43,674/ 1** Orders, affidavits of service of orders, and powers of attorney, 22 items  
1816-20

**MS 43,674/ 2** Reports and opinions of counsel, subpoenas, summonses, and correspondence, including a copy of letter from John Barrett to Colonel William Curry offering to pay in future the tithes of Kilmichael (16 Apr 1820), 30 items  
1815-20

**V.iii.8 *Devonshire v. Rev. Somers Payne, Sylvester Leary and Others (Inchigeelagh)***

V.iii.8.A Legal Documents

**MS 43,675/ 1** Court of Equity Exchequer: Draft and copy bills for recovery of the tithes of the parish of Inchigeelagh, brief of bill for recovery of the tithes of the parish of Inchigeelagh, copies of answer of defendants, and brief on behalf of the plaintiff on a hearing as a short cause (Feb 1816), 8 items  
c1815-6

**MS 43,675/ 2** Court of Equity Exchequer: Decree (and draft) on sequestration (19 Feb 1816), decree on sequestration to an account of the tithes of the parish of Inchegeelagh (19 Feb 1816), attested copy (and draft) charge of plaintiff under the decree (17 Jun 1817), attested

copy (and draft) of report (18 Jul 1817), and brief on behalf of the plaintiff for the hearing of this cause on report and merits (17 Nov 1817), 9 items  
1816-7

**MS 43,675/ 3** Court of Equity Exchequer: Final decree (with copy and draft) for the value of the recovery of the tithes held by the defendants in the parish of Inchegeelagh (4 Dec 1817), 4 items  
1817

#### V.iii.8.B Court Papers

**MS 43,676/ 1** Orders, affidavits of service of orders, and decrees, 15 items  
1816-20

**MS 43,676/ 2** Notices, injunctions, subpoenas, and summonses, 30 items  
1814-20

#### V.iii.8.C Correspondence and Costs

**MS 43,677/ 1** Letters from Benjamin Popham and John White, return of tithes for the parish of Inchegeelagh, and list of papers sent to Thomas Seward, 8 items  
1816-20

**MS 43,677/ 2** Plaintiff's costs in account with Thomas Seward, 2 items  
1816

#### *V.iii.9 Devonshire v. Denis Mahony, John Good and Others (Kilmurray)*

The original bill in this case was filed on 25 April 1815 and an amended bill was filed on 27 November 1829 (see section V.iii.11). John Good was the only defendant to the suit after June 1830.

**MS 43,678/ 1** Court of Equity Exchequer: Copy (and draft) bill for recovery of the tithes of the parish of Kilmurray (25 Apr 1815), 6 items  
1815

**MS 43,678/ 2** Court of Equity Exchequer: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff on a hearing and sequestration (Feb 1816), draft decree (19 Feb 1816), copy of the joint and several answers of the defendants to the plaintiff's bill of complaint (4 Jan 1817), case on behalf of plaintiff to claim exceptions and prepare amended bill for the advice and opinion of Richard Pennefather Esq. (3 Jun 1819),

further case (and draft) for the advice and opinion of Richard Pennefather Esq. (13 & 15 Dec 1819), and fair copy of further case for the advice and opinion of Richard Pennefather Esq. (3 Jul 1820), 11 items  
1816-20

**MS 43,678/ 3** Instructions for counsel, orders, notices, affidavits, subpoenas, and summonses, 16 items  
1815-20

**V.iii.10 *Devonshire v. Parishoners of Kilmichael, Kilmurray and Inchnegeelagh***

V.iii.10.A Legal Documents

**MS 43,679/ 1** Draft case and observations and opinions of counsel regarding the tithes of the parishes of Kilmurray, Kilmichael, and Inchnegeelagh, 5 items  
1822-4

**MS 43,679/ 2** Draft case on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire, with instructions for and observations of counsel respecting the tithes of Kilmurray, Kilmichael, and Inchnegeelagh, 4 items  
1825

**MS 43,679/ 3** Further additional instructions, memorandum and observations of counsel respecting the Duke of Devonshire's title to the impropriate tithes of Kilmurray, Kilmichael, and Inchnegeelagh, and summaries of case, 9 items  
1827-30

**MS 43,679/ 4** Legal searches respecting the tithes of Kilmurray, Kilmichael, and Inchegeelagh, with receipt, 9 items  
1820-1

V.iii.10.B Associated Papers

**MS 43,680/ 1** Cutting from *Ramsey's Waterford Chronicle* (21 Mar 1822) containing a statement by the Duke of Devonshire to the House of Lords on the subject of tithes in Ireland, with copies of the statement as reported in the *Morning Chronicle* (15 Mar 1822), 5 items  
1822 & n.d.

**MS 43,680/ 2** Schedules and lists of leases, deeds, and papers relating to the Duke of Devonshire's title to the tithes of the parishes of

Kilmurray, Kilmichael, and Inchnegeelagh, a letter from the Auditor General's Office (5 Apr 1805), abstracts of deeds and Acts of Parliament, and extracts from rentals, cash books, diocesan registries, rent rolls, royal visitation books, and from Charles Smith's *History Of Cork* and Sir James Ware's *History of Ireland*, 33 items  
1805 & 1820-9

**MS 43,680/ 3** Memoranda, notes, and correspondence between William S. Curry, Henry Witham, Benjamin Currey, Thomas Seward, Benjamin Popham, and Augustus Warren, with letters and papers relating to the tithes of Inniscarra, 24 items  
1819-29

**MS 43,680/ 4** Cases (with drafts) on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire respecting proceedings under the Tithe Composition Acts for the parishes of Inchnegeelagh and Kilmichael (13 Jan 1831), and two notebooks referring to the tithes of Kilmurray, Kilmichael, and Inchnegeelagh, 5 items  
1831 & n.d. [*One document damaged & fragile*]

### ***V.iii.11 Devonshire v. John Good and Denis Mahony (Kilmurray)***

See also section V.iii.9 above

#### V.iii.11.A Legal Documents

**MS 43,681/ 1** Fair copy of additional case on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire respecting his title to the Rectories of Kilmurray, Ballymodane, Inchigeelagh, and Kilmichael, with the opinion thereon of Edward Pennefather Esq., (6 Jun 1822), and draft case respecting the tithes of Kilmurray (1825), 2 items  
1822-5

**MS 43,681/ 2** Brief on behalf of the plaintiff to move pursuant to within notice (4 Dec 1828), and Court of Equity Exchequer: Draft additional statement of the title of the plaintiff to the tithes of Kilmurry, Kilmichael, and Inchigeelagh, 3 items  
1828

**MS 43,681/ 3** Court of Equity Exchequer: Further additional instructions as to the title of the plaintiff to the tithes of Kilmurry, Kilmichael, and Inchigeelagh (6 Apr 1829), draft case on behalf of the plaintiff (18 Aug 1829), copy case and Mr. Stock's opinion thereon (7 Sep 1829), draft amended bill (29 Sep 1829), and copy amended bill (27 Nov 1829), 9 items

1829

- MS 43,681/ 4** Court of Equity Exchequer: Attested copy (and draft) amended bill for recovery of tithes (27 Nov 1829), brief on behalf of the plaintiff to move pursuant to the annexed notice (25 May 1830), and brief on behalf of the plaintiff to oppose the annexed notice (15 Jun 1830), 5 items  
1829-30
- MS 43,681/ 5** Court of Equity Exchequer: Attested copy of proofs for plaintiff (2 Jul 1830), abstract of depositions of Andrew Daly (22 Jul 1830), attested copy of answer of defendant to the amended bill (4 Nov 1830), draft case with pleadings to be advised if cause should be set down on Bill & Answer (12 Nov 1830), and case with pleadings to be advised if cause should be set down on Bill & Answer (16 Nov 1830), 6 items  
1830
- MS 43,681/ 6** Court of Equity Exchequer: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff on hearing on Bill and Answer (24 Nov 1830), 2 items  
1830
- MS 43,681/ 7** Court of Equity Exchequer: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff on hearing on Bill and Answer (24 Nov 1830), 1 item  
1830
- MS 43,681/ 8** Court of Equity Exchequer: Draft and copy decree to account (6 Dec 1830), draft of plaintiff's charge (6 Dec 1830), and attested copy of plaintiff's charge under the decree to account (29 Jan 1831), 5 items  
1830-1
- MS 43,681/ 9** Court of Equity Exchequer: Draft report (9 Feb 1831), brief on behalf of the plaintiff on report and merits (14 Feb 1831), and attested copy of report (14 Feb 1831), 5 items  
1831
- MS 43,681/ 10** Court of Equity Exchequer: Attested copy (and draft) final decree (19 Feb 1831), 2 items  
1831

V.iii.11.B Counsel Papers

- MS 43,682/ 1** Instructions for counsel to amend bill and settle interrogatories, with notes and draft report on hearing of the cause, 8 items  
1829-31



- MS 43,682/ 2** Opinions and observations of counsel, including those of Dr. Joseph Stock, Edward Pennefather, and Philip Cecil Crampton (Solicitor-General for Ireland), 7 items  
1829-30
- MS 43,682/ 3** Interrogatories on behalf of the plaintiff to be exhibited to witnesses, with drafts for the perusal and amendment by counsel, 6 items  
1830

V.iii.11.C Court Papers

- MS 43,683/ 1** Orders, 9 items  
1830-1
- MS 43,683/ 2** Affidavits, 18 items  
1828-31
- MS 43,683/ 3** Notices, summonses, and subpoenas, 19 items  
1828-31
- MS 43,683/ 4** Warrant and discharge of the Sergeant-at-Arms, and copy of discharge of the defendant (John Good) to the charge of the plaintiff and certificate of pleadings, 5 items  
1830-1

V.iii.11.D Correspondence

- MS 43,684/ 1** Letters to Thomas Seward from William S. Curry, Henry Witham, Joseph Stock, Joseph Curtis, Benjamin Popham, and John Colburne, 21 items  
1829-30
- MS 43,684/ 2** Correspondence between William S. Curry, John Good, and Joseph Lindsay Curtis, 11 items  
1830-1
- MS 43,684/ 3** Correspondence between Thomas Seward and William S. Curry, with letters to William S. Curry from Henry Witham and Joseph Curtis, and letters to Thomas Seward from Henry Witham, John Colburne, William Daltera, and John Swanston, 24 items  
1831-3

V.iii.11.E Costs and Associated Papers

- MS 43,685/ 1** Court of Equity Exchequer: Plaintiff's costs as between attorney and client (Duke of Devonshire to Thomas Seward) for the period 10 June 1816 to 9 September 1831, and examiner's bill of fees and power of attorney to demand costs, 5 items  
1831-3
- MS 43,685/ 2** Returns of John Good's tithes for 1829, list of ploughlands in Kilmurray, lists of persons against whom bills were filed, two proposals for the payment of tithes from Nathaniel Burchill (1793), a receipt for attested copies of various documents, and assorted memoranda, 10 items  
1793 & 1829-34

***V.iii.12 Devonshire v. Thomas Gollock, John Warren and others  
(Kilmurray)***

The Duke of Devonshire instituted this cause in order to establish his title to receive the impropriate tithes of the parish of Kilmurry, Co. Cork, which had been withheld since the year 1794. The other parishioners named in the case were Benjamin Gash, Benjamin Sweete, Bartholomew Toomey and Jeremiah Keefe. The original bill was filed on 19 July 1830 and an amended bill was filed on 23 December 1831. Benjamin Gash's name was removed from the case in August 1832.

V.iii.12.A Legal Documents

- MS 43,686/ 1** Court of Equity Exchequer: Copy (and drafts) of original bill (19 Jul 1830), 3 items  
1830
- MS 43,686/ 2** Court of Equity Exchequer: Answer to original bill from defendants John B. Warren and others, 2 items  
1830
- MS 43,686/ 3** Court of Equity Exchequer: Answer to original bill from defendants John B. Warren and others, 2 items  
1830
- MS 43,686/ 4** Court of Equity Exchequer: Attested and fair copies of answer to original bill from defendant Benjamin Gash (28 Jan 1831) and from John B. Warren and other defendants (8 Mar 1831), 4 items  
1831
- MS 43,686/ 5** Court of Equity Exchequer: Attested copy of answer to original bill from John B. Warren and other defendants (8 Mar 1831), and

- rough draft of amended bill (Dec 1831), 2 items  
1830
- MS 43,686/ 6** Court of Equity Exchequer: Copy (and draft) of amended bill (23 Dec 1831), 2 items  
1831
- MS 43,686/ 7** Court of Equity Exchequer: Brief of amended bill (23 Dec 1831), 2 items  
1831
- MS 43,686/ 8** Court of Equity Exchequer: Brief of amended bill (23 Dec 1831), 2 items  
1831
- MS 43,686/ 9** Court of Equity Exchequer: Answer to amended bill from defendants Gash, Gollock, and others (16 Apr & 1 Aug 1832), and answer to amended bill from defendant Gash (8 May 1832), 4 items  
1832
- MS 43,686/ 10** Court of Equity Exchequer: Fair copy of answer to amended bill from defendant Gash (8 May 1832), 1 item  
1832
- MS 43,686/ 11** Court of Equity Exchequer: Attested copies of answers to amended bill from defendant Gash (8 May 1832) and Gollock (6 Aug 1832), 2 items  
1832
- MS 43,686/ 12** Court of Common Pleas: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff for counsel to apply to the court to have the within mentioned ancient documents received and placed on record in the proper office (28 Apr 1834), Court of Equity Exchequer: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff to move pursuant to annexed notice (5 Jun 1834) and brief on behalf of the plaintiff to move for liberty to amend the amended bill in this cause on the file pursuant to annexed notice (9 Jun 1834), 5 items  
1834
- MS 43,686/ 13** Court of Equity Exchequer: Part brief of documentary proofs comprising copies of various documents, letters, leases and deeds etc., 1 item  
1834
- MS 43,686/ 14** Court of Equity Exchequer: Part brief of documentary proofs

comprising copies of various documents, letters, leases and deeds etc., 1 item  
1834

**MS 43,686/ 15** Court of Equity Exchequer: Part brief of documentary proofs comprising copies of various documents, letters, leases and deeds etc., 1 item  
1834

**MS 43,686/ 16** Court of Equity Exchequer: Part brief of documentary proofs comprising copies of various documents, letters, leases and deeds etc., 1 item  
1834

#### V.iii.12.B Counsel Papers

**MS 43,687/ 1** Court of Equity Exchequer: Instructions for counsel to prepare, peruse, and amend bills, instructions to counsel with the defendant Gash's answer to advise proceedings on same on behalf of the plaintiff (May 1832), instructions for counsel to advise if consent should be entered into giving defendants further time to answer (6 Jun 1832), draft instructions for counsel with pleadings in this cause to advise proofs and amended drafts of interrogatories (Aug 1832), 9 items  
1832

**MS 43,687/ 2** Private Case: Instructions on behalf of the plaintiff for the advice and directions of Mr. Sergeant Pennefather (Sep 1832), with copy of resolutions of the parishioners of Kilmurry (8 Apr 1832) transmitted to the Duke of Devonshire with the relevant correspondence, Court of Equity Exchequer: Draft instructions for counsel to advise as to proposing terms to the defendants on the part of the plaintiff (Sep 1832), instructions for counsel to advise as to proposing terms to the defendants on the part of the plaintiff, with opinion (19 Oct 1832), 4 items  
1832

**MS 43,687/ 3** Court of Equity Exchequer: Instructions for counsel to peruse pleadings, advise thereon, and to direct proofs for plaintiff and to amend drafts of interrogatories herewith sent, with opinion (19 Oct 1832), instructions on behalf of the plaintiff for counsel to draw draft interrogatories for proof of the Down Survey (5 Oct 1833), Court of Common Pleas: Draft of instructions for counsel to amend draft affidavit as to the finding of the old fines (28 Feb 1834), case as instructions on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire for counsel to regulate draft affidavit and advise thereon as within

requested (28 Feb 1834), Court of Equity Exchequer: Instructions on behalf of the plaintiff for counsel to peruse and amend draft interrogatory in this cause (Jul 1834), draft instructions by way of case on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire for the advice and opinion of counsel for the guidance and directions of his Grace's agents under the circumstances within detailed (Nov 1834), instructions by way of case on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire for the advice and opinion of counsel for the guidance and directions of his Grace's agents under the circumstances within detailed (14 Nov 1834), draft case for the advice of counsel (4 Dec 1834), instructions on behalf of the plaintiff with the advice and directions of counsel in relation to the tithes of the parish of Kilmurry (6 Dec 1834), and instructions on behalf of the plaintiff with the advice and directions of Dr. Joseph Stock thereon (n.d.), 10 items  
1832-4

**MS 43,687/ 4** Court of Equity Exchequer: List of documents referred to by the amended bill with observations of counsel on the same (Aug 1832), 2 items  
1832

**MS 43,687/ 5** Court of Equity Exchequer: Draft of direct interrogatories for plaintiff, continuation of draft direct interrogatories for plaintiff, draft of cross interrogatories, continuation of draft cross interrogatories for plaintiff (Aug 1832), draft of additional statement to proofs, draft of cross interrogatories (Sep 1832), and draft of direct interrogatories on behalf of the plaintiff (Oct 1832), 7 items  
1832

**MS 43,687/ 6** Interrogatories (and drafts) to be submitted to defendants and witnesses and to prove "old will" and search for deeds of 1623, 6 items  
1832-4

#### V.iii.12.C Court Papers

**MS 43,688/ 1** Affidavits of Thomas Seward and Rev. Benjamin Gash, 7 items  
1830-4

**MS 43,688/ 2** Affidavits of finding of original fines and dedimus of 1623 at the Castle of Lismore, and to ground motion for liberty to amend bill, 2 items  
1834

- MS 43,688/ 3** Affidavits of service of notices and subpoenas, 7 items  
1830-4
- MS 43,688/ 4** Orders, 8 items  
1831-3
- MS 43,688/ 5** Notices, 39 items  
1830-4
- MS 43,688/ 6** Consents, summonses, and subpoenas, 22 items  
1831-4

V.iii.12.D Correspondence

- MS 43,689/ 1** Letters to Thomas Seward from William S. Curry, John Swanston, Benjamin Popham, Thomas Baker, Joseph Stock, Edward Pennefather, and Jonathan Tanner, and letters to William S. Curry from Henry Witham, Sir Augustus Warren, and Rev. Benjamin Gash, 26 items  
1830-1
- MS 43,689/ 2** Letters to Thomas Seward from Thomas Gollock, Benjamin Popham, Michael McNamara, William S. Curry, Benjamin Curry, Edward Pennefather, John Ward, Henry Witham, Sir Augustus Warren, and Rev. Benjamin Gash, with letters from Jonathan Tanner to Henry Witham and Andrew Daly, 44 items  
1832
- MS 43,689/ 3** Correspondence between Thomas Seward, Henry Witham, William S. Curry, John Orpin, Robert Warren Gumbleton, Benjamin Popham, Francis Herrick, Sir William Gossett (Under Secretary for Ireland), and Sir Augustus Warren, 37 items  
1833
- MS 43,689/ 4** Correspondence between Thomas Seward, Henry Witham, William S. Curry, Francis Herrick, Rev. Benjamin Gash, and Francis E. Curry, 20 items  
1834-40

V.iii.12.E Costs and Accounts

- MS 43,690** Court of Equity Exchequer. Plaintiff's costs as between attorney and client: Duke of Devonshire to Thomas Seward for the period 12 February 1830 to 1 February 1835, with assorted accounts and receipts, 11 items

1833-5

V.iii.12.F Associated Papers

- MS 43,691/ 1** Extracts from the Registries of the Dioceses of Cork and Ross and Cashel concerning the cases of Rev. Peter Foley v. William Shorten, Cornelius Murphy, and Maurice Gallanan for the tithes of Kilmurry (1793-4), 12 items  
1833
- MS 43,691/ 2** Search in Chirographer's Office for fines levied by the Earl of Middlesex to Sir George Horsey of Gillabbey, extracts from Surveyor General's Office records and rental, tithe valuation and visitation books including abstracts from Lismore Castle documents, and extracts from the Registries of the Dioceses of Cork and Ross and Cashel (1729 & 1785), 19 items  
1833
- MS 43,691/ 3** Extracts from Regal Visitation Book, Diocese of Cork and Munster, regarding the parishes of Kilmichael, Kilmurry, and Inchegeelagh for the years 1615, 1634 and 1639, 6 items  
1830-3
- MS 43,691/ 4** List of ploughlands and accounts of tithes in the parish of Kilmurry with assorted notes, memoranda and sketch map, with return of Kilmurry tithe tickets, 14 items  
1830 & n.d.
- MS 43,691/ 5** Notebooks, lists of evidence and documents to be proved before the Commission, and list of witnesses in the Kilmurry cause, 11 items  
1833

***V.iii.13 Appeal of the Duke of Devonshire to the Privy Council of Ireland against the Tithe Composition of 1826 (Kilmichael and Inchegeelagh)***

V.iii.13.A Legal Documents

- MS 43,692/ 1** Privy Council, Ireland: Copy appeal of the Duke of Devonshire (brought under 2 & 3 Will. IV, C. 119, Sec. 32) against the Tithe Composition Certificate made and signed 29 April 1826 (under 4 Geo. IV, C. 99) for the Parish of Kilmichael, Co. Cork (13 Feb 1833), draft case on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire for the opinion and advice of counsel (2 Mar 1833), cases on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire for the opinion and advice of counsel,

- with opinions of Richard Moore and J. Jackson (24 & 29 Apr 1833, and Aug 1833), 5 items  
1833
- MS 43,692/ 2** Privy Council Chamber, Dublin Castle: Brief on behalf of appellant for counsel to attend hearing concerning Kilmichael (4 Oct 1833), 4 items  
1833
- MS 43,692/ 3** Privy Council Chamber, Dublin Castle: Brief on behalf of appellant for counsel to attend in support of the appeal concerning Inchegeelagh (4 Oct 1833), 4 items  
1833
- MS 43,692/ 4** Privy Council Chamber, Dublin Castle: Decree of dismissal of appeal of the Duke of Devonshire against the Tithe Composition Certificate of 29 April 1826 for the Parish of Kilmichael, Co. Cork (26 Oct 1833), case laid before the Law Officers of the Crown by John Kidd on the subject of the Duke of Devonshire's right to the Improprate Tithes of the Parish of Kilmichael and Inchegeelagh, with opinion (5 Feb 1834), and Privy Council, Ireland: Statement of appellant's claim to the Improprate Tithes of the Parish of Kilmichael (Feb 1834), 4 items  
1833-4
- MS 43,692/ 5** Privy Council, Ireland: Appendix to statement containing an abstract of the appellant's title to the Rectory and Improprate Tithes of the Parish of Kilmichael (Feb 1834), 4 items  
1834
- MS 43,692/ 6** Privy Council, Ireland: Statement of appellant's claim to the Improprate Tithes of the Parish of Inchegeelagh (Feb 1834), 5 items  
1834
- MS 43,692/ 7** Privy Council, Ireland: Appendix to statement containing an abstract of the appellant's title to the Rectory and Improprate Tithes of the Parish of Inchegeelagh (Feb 1834), 4 items  
1834

V.iii.13.B Counsel and Court Papers

- MS 43,693/ 1** Instructions for and opinions of counsel, 11 items  
1833-4
- MS 43,693/ 2** Draft statements and summaries of the case, with memoranda of documents to be proved before the Tithe Commissioners, 4 items



1833-4

- MS 43,693/ 3** Affidavits, draft petitions of appeal, decrees, notices, and orders for hearings, 21 items  
1833

V.iii.13.C Correspondence and Costs

- MS 43,694/ 1** Letters to Thomas Seward from Henry Witham, correspondence between Thomas Seward and William S. Curry and Edward Callaghan, and letter to William S. Curry from John Kidd (Tithe Commissioner), 23 items  
1833-4

- MS 43,694/ 2** Costs of proceeding before Privy Council, as between solicitor and client: Duke of Devonshire to Thomas Seward (1833-4), Privy Council, Ireland: Appellant's costs as between solicitor and client: Duke of Devonshire to Thomas Seward (1833-5), and assorted receipts and accounts of legal costs, 10 items  
1833-5

V.iii.13.D Associated Papers

- MS 43,695/ 1** Lists of and extracts from documents produced at the hearing of the Duke of Devonshire's appeal (October 1833), and of documents exhibited to the Tithe Commissioner at Macroom on 18 Jan 1834, 12 items  
1833-4

- MS 43,695/ 2** Notebook, notes, and memoranda containing evidence given before the Tithe Commissioner, with a report of proceedings at Macroom on 18 Jan 1834, 20 items  
1833-5

- MS 43,695/ 3** Copy proposals for tithes and valuations of the parishes of Kilmichael and Inchnegeelagh for the years 1824-30, extracts from rental, valuation, applotment, visitation, and vestry books, and a trace map of County Cork taken from *The Civil and Ecclesiastical Map of Ireland* by the Rev. Daniel Augustus Beaufort (London, 1824), 17 items  
1826 & 1834

- MS 43,695/ 4** Extracts from the registry of the Dioceses of Cork and Ross for the parishes of Kilmichael and Inchnegeelagh, 16 items  
1833-4

- MS 43,695/ 5** Copies of the Tithes Composition Bill and Acts (2 & 3 Will. IV, C. 119 and 3 & 4 Will. IV, C. 100) and a copy of *The Dublin Gazette* (19 Feb 1833), 5 items  
1832-3
- MS 43,695/ 6** Copy of instructions for Tithe Commissioners under Act of 1833 and Commissioners Certificate for Composition of impropriate tithes for the parishes of Kilmichael and Inchnegeelagh (29 April & 14 June 1826, and 11 Apr 1834), and extracts from the Applotment Books and Commissioner's Certificates of Composition for the Kilmichael (30 Aug 1826) and Inchnegeelagh (29 Jun 1827), 9 items  
1826-7 & 1833-4

***V.iii.14 Appeal of the Duke of Devonshire to the Privy Council of Ireland against the Tithe Composition of 1826 (Kilmurray)***

V.iii.14.A Legal Documents

- MS 43,696/ 1** Privy Council Office: Attested copy of the appeal of the parishioners of Kilmurry against the Certificate of Composition for tithes (Nov 1834), and drafts and copies of memorial and response in the matter of the appeal of the parishioners of Kilmurry to the Duke of Devonshire, with decree (Jan-Feb 1835), 6 items  
1834-5
- MS 43,696/ 2** Instructions for and opinions of counsel (Dr Joseph Stock), affidavit of Benjamin Popham to postpone inquiry (Sep 1834), an order for hearing, and a consent reducing the Commissioner's Certificate of Composition for tithes and fixing same permanently at £40 per annum (31 Jan 1835), 10 items  
1833-5

V.iii.14.B Correspondence

- MS 43,697/ 1** Letters to Thomas Seward from Henry Witham and William S. Curry, letter from Thomas Seward to Sir William Gossett (Under Secretary for Ireland), and letters to Henry Witham from John Kidd (Tithe Commissioner), John Swanston, and Jonathan Tanner, 24 items  
1833
- MS 43,697/ 2** Letters to Thomas Seward from Henry Witham, William S.

Curry, and letters to Henry Witham from John Kidd (Tithe Commissioner), John Swanston, John Buckley, and others, 30 items  
Jan-Sep 1834

**MS 43,697/ 3** Correspondence between Thomas Seward and Henry Witham, copy correspondence between Henry Witham and Francis Herrick, letters to Henry Witham from John Kidd (Tithe Commissioner) and John Buckley, and letters to Thomas Seward from William S. Curry, 38 items  
Oct-Dec 1834

**MS 43,697/ 4** Letters to Thomas Seward from John Ebbs, letters to Henry Witham from Francis Herrick, correspondence between Thomas Seward, Henry Witham, William S. Curry, and Benjamin Currey, 11 items  
1835

V.iii.14.C Costs and Associated Papers

**MS 43,698/ 1** Costs of proceeding before Privy Council, as between solicitor and client: Duke of Devonshire to Thomas Seward for the period July 1833 to March 1835, with list of fees paid to clerk of the council, 2 items  
1835

**MS 43,698/ 2** Draft and copy of warrant appointing John Kidd to be a Commissioner under the Act of 2 & 3 Wm IV for the parish of Kilmurry, with drafts and copy of the Tithe Commissioner's Certificate for the parish (14 Mar & 27 Oct 1834), and extracts from the registry of the Dioceses of Cork and Ross for the parish of Kilmurry, 12 items  
1833-4

***V.iii.15 Appeal of the Duke of Devonshire to the Privy Council of Ireland against the Tithe Composition of 1826 (Stradbally)***

V.iii.15.A Legal Documents

**MS 43,699/ 1** Privy Council Chamber: Draft response to appeal (Sep 1833), draft case for counsel to draw response and advise proofs (24 Sep 1833), copy of the case of the respondent, being the Duke of Devonshire (2 Oct 1833), 3 items  
1833

- MS 43,699/ 2** Privy Council Chamber, Dublin Castle. Brief on behalf of the respondent for counsel to attend the hearing in this case and oppose appeal (25 Oct 1833), 2 items  
1833
- MS 43,699/ 3** Privy Council Chamber, Dublin Castle. Brief on behalf of the respondent for counsel to attend the hearing in this case and oppose appeal (25 Oct 1833), 2 items  
1833
- MS 43,699/ 4** Instructions for and directions of counsel, and orders for hearing, 6 items  
1833

V.iii.15.B Correspondence, Costs and Associated Papers

- MS 43,700/ 1** Correspondence between Thomas Seward, William S. Curry, and Edward Callaghan, and letters to Thomas Seward from Henry Witham, H. Bagge, George Roche, and James Byrne, 8 items  
1833
- MS 43,700/ 2** Account of solicitor's costs, 1 item  
1833
- MS 43,700/ 3** Copies of memorial of the landowners and parishioners of Stradbally in vestry assembled, the appeal of the parishioners with Council Office order for hearing of the appeal against the Tithe Commissioner's certificate and the Stradbally tithe lease (8 Jul 1828), memorandum and statements of evidence laid before the Tithe Commissioner, and copies of the decree of the Privy Council, and a map of Clonea Glebe and Stradbally Union (1804), 13 items  
1828-33

***V.iii.16 Appeal of the Duke of Devonshire to the Privy Council of Ireland against the Tithe Composition of 1826 (Rossmire)***

V.iii.16.A Legal Documents

- MS 43,701/ 1** Privy Council Chamber, Dublin Castle. Brief on behalf of the appellant for counsel to attend the hearing of appeal (25 Oct 1834), 2 items  
1834
- MS 43,701/ 2** Privy Council Chamber, Dublin Castle. Brief on behalf of the

appellant for counsel to attend the hearing of appeal (25 Oct 1834), 2 items  
1834

**MS 43,701/ 3** Instructions for counsel, 5 items  
1833

**MS 43,701/ 4** Cases, statements, and opinions of counsel, 6 items  
1833-4

V.iii.16.B Correspondence, Costs and Associated Papers

**MS 43,702/ 1** Correspondence between Thomas Seward, William S. Curry, and Edward Callaghan, and letter to Thomas Seward from Henry Witham, 25 items  
1833

**MS 43,702/ 2** Account of solicitor's costs, 1 item  
1833

**MS 43,702/ 3** Draft notice and petition of appeal with Council Office orders for hearing of the appeal against the Tithe Commissioner's certificate, copies of the Tithe Commissioner's certificate and the Rossmire tithe lease (23 Jul 1829), notice to surrender tithes, and decree of Privy Council made on the hearing of the appeals against the Tithe Commissioner's certificate for the parishes of Rossmire and Stradbally, 16 items  
1833

*V.iii.17 Appeal of the Duke of Devonshire to the Privy Council of Ireland against the Tithe Composition of 1826 (Kilronan and Moragh)*

V.iii.17.A Legal Documents

**MS 43,703/ 1** Privy Council Chamber, Dublin Castle. Brief on behalf of the appellant for counsel to attend the hearing of appeal pursuant to within adjourned order (7 Apr 1834), 3 items  
1834

**MS 43,703/ 2** Draft and copy of appeal of the Duke of Devonshire against the Tithe Composition Certificate for the parish of Kilronan, Co. Waterford, and instructions for counsel, 3 items  
1833-4

**MS 43,703/ 3** Orders, consents, notices, summonses, and affidavits of service of

summonses and appeals, 11 items  
1833-4

V.iii.17.B Correspondence, Costs and Associated Papers

- MS 43,704/ 1** Correspondence between Thomas Seward, William S. Curry, and Edward Callaghan, and letters to Thomas Seward from H. Bagge, George Roche, and James Byrne, 28 items  
1833-4
- MS 43,704/ 2** Account of the costs of the clerk of counsel, 2 items  
1834
- MS 43,704/ 3** Memorandum of agreement entered into by the parishioners for the tithes of the parish of Kilronan for the harvest of 1826 (6 Oct 1826), copy of Kilronan tithe lease (8 Jul 1828), and memoranda and statements of evidence laid before the Tithe Commissioner (1833-4), 5 items  
1826-34
- MS 43,704/ 4** Cases on behalf of the parishioners of Moragh concerning tithe composition, a copy petition, and correspondence between Francis E. Curry, Sir Augustus Warren, W. Ware, and Joseph Lindsay Curtis, 18 items  
1833-40

***V.iii.18 Devonshire v. James Baron, Richard Duckett and Others  
(Rossnire, Stradbally and Ballinroad)***

V.iii.18.A Legal Documents

- MS 43,705/ 1** Copy (and draft) declaration for breach of covenant for payment of rentcharge under tithe leases for the parish of Rossnire, Co. Waterford (Nov 1834), and instructions for counsel, 5 items  
1834
- MS 43,705/ 2** Notices, rules, and pleas, 23 items  
1834-5
- MS 43,705/ 3** Summonses, subpoenas, and affidavits of service of writs, 14 items  
1834

V.iii.18.B Correspondence, Costs and Associated Papers

**MS 43,706/ 1** Correspondence between Thomas Seward, William S. Curry, and Edward Callaghan, 10 items  
1834-5

**MS 43,706/ 2** Account of solicitor's costs, list of the names of the jury to try case at County Cork Spring Assizes, 1835, and bill in the case of Sherlock and Ronayne v. Duckett concerning a judgement made Trinity Term, 1834 (1849), 5 items  
1835-49

***V.iii.19 Tithe Rentcharge Cases (1835-8)***

**MS 43,707/ 1** Law Exchequer. Duke of Devonshire v. John O'Dell, Anthony Fitzgerald, Daniel Leamy and Denis Foley: Action for recovery of rent upon a breach of covenant under lease of the impropriate tithes of the parish of West Dungarvan, Co. Waterford, comprising declarations, summonses, notices, consents, letters, and costs, 28 items  
1835-8

**MS 43,707/ 2** Law Exchequer. Duke of Devonshire v. Beresford Boate and William Henry Barron: Action for recovery of rent upon a breach of covenant under lease of the impropriate tithes of the parish of Dungarvan (Abbeyside), Co. Waterford, comprising declarations, affidavits, summonses, orders, letters, and costs, 14 items  
1835-8

**MS 43,707/ 3** Law Exchequer. Duke of Devonshire v. Thomas Murray and Robert Longan: Action for recovery of rent upon a breach of covenant under lease of the impropriate tithes of the parish of Ballinroad, Co. Waterford, comprising declarations, affidavits, summonses, and costs, 14 items  
1835-8

**MS 43,707/ 4** Law Exchequer. Duke of Devonshire v. Robert Uniacke and Pierce George Barron: Action for recovery of rent upon a breach of covenant under lease of the impropriate tithes of the parish of Stradbally, Co. Waterford, comprising case, declarations, affidavit, summonses, letters, and costs, 22 items  
1835-8

**MS 43,707/ 5** Law Exchequer. Duke of Devonshire v. John Walsh: Action for recovery of rent upon a breach of covenant under lease of the impropriate tithes of the parish of Lawcoram, Co. Waterford, comprising declarations, instructions, memorandum, affidavit, and summonses, 10 items

1835-8

*V.iii.20 Tithe Rentcharge: Daniel Connor v. Devonshire*

This case concerned the Duke of Devonshire's claim to the rectorial rentcharge for the parish of Kilmichael under Tithe Act of 1838 (1 & 2 Vic. c. 109) and Daniel Connor's petition to contest the claim.

V.iii.20.A Legal Documents

- MS 43,708/ 1** Draft case on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire in relation to rentcharge claimed by him under the Act of 1 & 2 Vic., c.109 out of certain land in the parish of Kilmichael, Co. Cork for the opinion and advice of counsel (26 Jan 1839), Equity Exchequer. Daniel Connor (petitioner): Attested copy of affidavit of petitioner, parish of Kilmichael (28 Jan 1839), and draft and attested copy of petition, parish of Kilmichael (26 & 29 Jan 1839), 6 items  
1839
- MS 43,708/ 2** Equity Exchequer. Daniel Connor (petitioner) and Duke of Devonshire (respondent): Brief on behalf of respondent for counsel to oppose motion pursuant to within notice (1 Feb 1839), and case (and copy) on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire regarding the parish of Kilmichael and the petition of Daniel Connor under 1 & 2 Vic., c.109, with the opinion (and copies) of Joseph O'Leary (2 Feb 1839), 6 items  
1839
- MS 43,708/ 3** Case (with copy and abstract) on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire respecting rentcharge under 1 & 2 Vic., c.109 claimable out of certain land in the parish of Kilmichael, with the opinion (and copies) of Mr. Sergeant Greene (16 Apr 1839), 5 items
- MS 43,708/ 4** Equity Exchequer. Daniel Connor (petitioner): Further brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire on motion pending (18 Apr 1839), case on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire respecting the parish of Kilmichael with the opinion (and copy) of Richard Moore (14 May 1839), and notices of motion, schedule of papers with instructions, and memorandum respecting the case by Henry Witham (Jan-Mar 1839), 8 items  
1839



V.iii.20.B Correspondence, Costs and Associated Papers

- MS 43,709/ 1** Letters from Henry Witham and Francis E. Curry to Thomas Seward, correspondence between Henry Witham, Francis E. Curry, Alexander Swanston, Benjamin Popham, Jonathan Kidd, Daniel Connor, and others, 32 items  
1838-40
- MS 43,709/ 2** Memoranda and notes concerning tenants and their liabilities for tithe rentcharge in the parish of Kilmichael, 9 items  
1839 & n.d.

***V.iii.21 Tithe Rentcharge: Devonshire v. Parishoners of Ballymodan***

- MS 43,710** Case on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire in relation to tithe rentcharge on the parish of Ballymodane for the opinion of Joseph O'Leary (5 Feb 1839), with a notice respecting exemptions and letters to Francis E. Curry from Thomas Cronin, Edward Mathews and Thomas Seward, 14 items  
1839

***V.iii.22 Tithe Rentcharge: Jacob v. Carleton and Carleton v. Devonshire***

These cases concerned the Duke of Devonshire's claim to the rectorial rentcharge for the parish of Inchegeelagh under the Tithe Act of 1838 (1&2 Vic. C. 109) and includes Carleton's subsequent petition to contest the claim.

V.iii.22.A Legal Documents

- MS 43,711/ 1** Equity Exchequer. Joshua Jacob (executor of Mary White) v. Rev. Edward M. Carleton and others: Attested copies of statements of claim on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire, a third person and claimant in this cause (18 Apr 1840 & 31 May 1844), 2 items  
1840-4
- MS 43,711/ 2** Equity Exchequer. Joshua Jacob v. Rev. Edward M. Carleton and others: Copy order of reference to enquire and report respecting rentcharge on lands sold (5 Feb 1844), draft charge on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire (May 1844), and copy of report compiled under the order (6 Jun 1845), 3 items  
1844-5

- MS 43,711/ 3** Equity Exchequer. Christopher Carleton and others v. Duke of Devonshire: Brief on behalf of respondent on the hearing of this matter (3 Feb 1843), 3 items  
1843
- MS 43,711/ 4** Equity Exchequer. Joshua Jacob v. Rev. Edward M. Carleton and others: Affidavit, order, notices, summons, and receipt, 9 items  
1840-5
- MS 43,711/ 5** Equity Exchequer. Christopher Carleton and others v. Duke of Devonshire: Instructions, observations, and statements for the advice and directions of counsel, 7 items  
1842-3
- MS 43,711/ 6** Equity Exchequer. Christopher Carleton and others v. Duke of Devonshire: Copies of Carleton's petition, orders for its hearing, and affidavits, including that of Francis E. Curry (Dec 1842-Feb 1843), 10 items  
1842-3
- MS 43,711/ 7** Equity Exchequer. Christopher Carleton v. Duke of Devonshire: Respondent's costs as between solicitor and client: Duke of Devonshire to Thomas Seward for the period 1842 to 1843, 1 item  
1842-3

V.iii.23.B Correspondence and Associated Papers

- MS 43,712/ 1** Letters from Francis E. Curry to Thomas Seward and Basil Orpin concerning the above cases, with correspondence between Alexander Swanston, Stephen Hayes, Henry Osborne, Major Edward Broderick, and Francis E. Curry, 25 items  
1842-5
- MS 43,712/ 2** Schedules of lands in the parish of Inchegeelagh and rent charge due, instructions of agent, list of documents sent to solicitor, extracts from the Registry of the Dioceses of Cork and Ross, copies of the office rental, certificate of tithe composition (1826), and extracts from the tithe applotment book for the parish of Inchegeelagh, 14 items  
1839-45

***V.iii.23 Tithe Rentcharge: Devonshire v. Thomas Frewen***

This case concerned the lands of Ballylangly and Carricannon in Ballymodan, Co. Cork.

**MS 43,713** Draft case (with instructions from Henry Witham) on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire in relation to rentcharge under the Act of 1 & 2 Vic., c.109 in the parish of Ballymodan, Co. Cork for the advice and opinion of counsel (4 Feb 1839), case on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire in relation to rentcharge (under 1 & 2 Vic., c.109) in the parish of Ballymodan, Co. Cork, with the opinion of Mr. Sergeant Greene (25 Apr 1839), copy opinions of Mr, Sergeant Green (25 Apr 1839) and Joseph O'Leary (7 Feb 1839), and accompanying letters from Francis E. Curry, Thomas Seward, and Thomas Cronin, 9 items  
1839

***V.iii.24 Tithe Rentcharge: Sir J. N. Humble v. Dame Mary Humble***

This case concerned the lands of Dungarvan and Kilgobinet, Co. Waterford.

**MS 43,714** Court of Chancery. Sir J. N. Humble v. Dame Mary Humble: Draft statement of claim on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire for rectorial rentcharge under general orders of court (5 Mar 1839), with a certificate, summons, letter, memoranda, and extract from applotment books of the parish of Dungarvan and Kilgobinet, 9 items  
1839

***V.iii.25 Tithe Rentcharge: John Green v. Lunatic***

This case concerned the lands of Dungarvan and Affane, Co. Waterford.

**MS 43,715** Court of Chancery. John Green v. Lunatic: Draft statement of claim on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire for rectorial rentcharge under general orders of court (5 Mar 1839), with a certificate, notices, summonses, memoranda, and letters to Thomas Seward and Francis E. Curry from Edward Callaghan, W.H. Coppinger, and Richard McGrath, 13 items  
1839-44

***V.iii.26 Tithe Rentcharge: John Dower v. Olivia Ronayne***

This case concerned the lands of Kinsalbeg, Co. Waterford.

**MS 43,716** Court of Chancery. John Dower v. Olivia Ronayne: Draft statement of claim on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire for rectorial rentcharge under general orders of court (11 May 1839), with a certificate, summonses, notices for service on receiver, and

accounts of costs, 15 items  
1839-45

***V.iii.27 Tithe Rentcharge: Caroline Maxwell v. George Boate***

This case concerned the lands of Dungarvan and Whitechurch, Co. Waterford.

**MS 43,717** Court of Chancery. Caroline Maxwell v. George Boate: Draft statement of claim on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire for rectorial rentcharge under general orders of court (5 Mar 1839), with a certificate, an extract from applotment books of the parishes of Dungarvan and Whitechurch, and correspondence between Francis E. Curry and John Stephens, 12 items  
1838-9

***V.iii.28 Tithe Rentcharge: Henry Bagge v. Richard Barron and Barron v. Barrn***

This case concerned the lands of Stradbally, Co. Waterford.

**MS 43,718** Equity Exchequer. Henry Bagge v. Richard Barron: Draft statement of claim on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire for rectorial rentcharge under 1 & 2 Vic., c.109 (10 Aug 1839), with instructions, certificate of rentcharge, and associated papers, and Henry Barron v. William Barron: Draft statement of claim on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire for rectorial rentcharge under general orders of court (11 May 1839), with certificate of rentcharge and associated papers, 4 items  
1839

***V.iii.29 Tithe Rentcharge: Devonshire v. Thomas Teige***

This case concerned the lands of Kinsalbeg, Co. Waterford.

**MS 43,719/ 1** In Chancery: Petition (with draft) to appoint receiver over Upper Kilmeedy and West Drumgillan in the parish of Kinsalbeg, Co. Waterford, affidavit of service of notice of intention to apply by petition to the court of receiver, draft affidavit to verify petition for receiver, and affidavit of Henry Witham (Jan 1840), 6 items  
1840

**MS 43,719/ 2** In Chancery: Costs of petitioner with draft (Mar 1840), 3 items  
1840

**MS 43,719/ 3** Notice of intended application for receiver, particulars of Thomas Teige's rentcharge, correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Thomas Teige, letters to Thomas Seward from Thomas Teige, and letters from George Roche to Henry Witham, 16 items  
1839

***V.iii.30 Tithe Rentcharge: Devonshire to Richard, Lord Baron Cremorne***

This case concerned the lands of Kilgobnet, Colligan, Fewes and Dungarvan, Co. Waterford.

**MS 43,720/ 1** Draft abstract of title of William Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire to rectorial impropriate rentcharge in the several parishes of Kilgobnet, Colligan, Fewes and Dungarvan (Feb 1840), Duke of Devonshire to the Rt. Hon. Richard Dawson, 3<sup>rd</sup> Baron Cremorne: Instructions for counsel on perusing and settling draft deed of conveyance of rectorial impropriate rentcharges in the County of Waterford (20 May 1840), and draft conveyances of rentcharge (with Henry Witham's amendment) of rectorial impropriate tithe composition charged upon certain lands in the parishes of Kilgobnet, Colligan, and others in County Waterford, 5 items  
1840

**MS 43,720/ 2** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry, J.M. Galway, Thomas Seward, and Robert Smith & Son, with extracts from tithe applotment books, 31 items  
1839-40

**MS 43,720/ 3** Letters to Thomas Seward from Benjamin Currey, Robert Smith, Francis E. Curry, and Edward Callaghan, with memoranda regarding title to rentcharge in Kilgobnet, Colligan, Fewes, and Dungarvan, 9 items  
1840

***V.iii.31 Tithe Rentcharge: Penrose v. Penrose***

This case concerned tithe rentcharge on the lands of Shandangan, Co. Waterford.

**V.iii.31.A Legal Documents**

**MS 43,721/ 1** Court of Chancery: Draft statement of claim on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire for payment of rentcharge under general orders (27 May 1839), copy statement of claim on behalf of the

Duke of Devonshire to rentcharge on the lands of Shandangan (26 Jun 1839), attested copy of discharge of Mr. Warren to the statement of facts filed on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire (7 Sep 1839), copy of Receiver's discharge to the Duke of Devonshire's claim for rentcharge on Shandangan (9 Sep 1839), brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire, a claimant under the Act of 1 & 2 Vic., Cap. 109, for argument pursuant to annexed summons (Dec 1839), and brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire for argument pursuant to annexed summons (Feb 1840), 6 items  
1839-40

**MS 43,721/ 2** Court of Chancery: Draft case as instructions for counsel to direct proofs and prepare interrogatories on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire (Jun 1840), summary of case, and case as instructions for counsel to direct proofs and prepare interrogatories on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire (29 Jun 1840), 3 items  
1840

**MS 43,721/ 3** Court of Chancery: Draft and copy draft of interrogatories to be administered to witnesses on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire under the Commission to examine issued in this matter and cause (Jul 1840), draft of direct interrogatories to be exhibited to witnesses on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire under the Commission-in-aid issued for the examination of witnesses in this matter and cause (Sep 1840), copy (and draft) of cross interrogatories to be exhibited to witnesses on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire as settled and signed by Mr Sergeant Greene (Sep 1840), and copy of direct interrogatories to be exhibited to witnesses on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire (Oct 1840), 6 items  
1840

**MS 43,721/ 4** Court of Chancery: Office copy of proofs per commission-in-aid (May 1841), 1 item  
1841

**MS 43,721/ 5** Court of Chancery: Briefs on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire containing proofs under commission (15 Jun 1841), on meeting pursuant to summonses (30 Jun 1841), and pursuant to annexed summons (26 Oct 1841), draft brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire on summons (4 Nov 1841), and briefs on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire pursuant to adjourned summons (Jan 1842), and on attendance pursuant to adjournment of summons (30 Apr 1842), 6 items  
1841-2

**MS 43,721/ 6** Court of Chancery: Draft and copies of a Master's certificate approving of the payment of rectorial rentcharge under general order (29 Jan & 25 May 1842), 3 items  
1842

V.iii.31.B Counsel and Court Papers

**MS 43,722/ 1** Instructions, opinions, directions, and memoranda of interviews with counsel and agents, 12 items  
1839-42

**MS 43,722/ 2** Notices and consents, 40 items  
1840-2

**MS 43,722/ 3** Summonses and subpoenas, 42 items  
1840-2

V.iii.31.C Correspondence

**MS 43,723/ 1** Correspondence between William S. Curry and Major-General Sir Henry Hardinge (Chief Secretary for Ireland), and letters to Thomas Seward and Edward Callaghan from Francis E. Curry and Henry Witham, 12 items  
1835 & 1839

**MS 43,723/ 2** Correspondence between Thomas Seward and Edward Callaghan, and Francis E. Curry and Henry Witham, and letters to Henry Witham from Alexander Swanston and Francis Herrick, 26 items  
Jan 1840-Jun 1840

**MS 43,723/ 3** Correspondence between Thomas Seward and John Conroy, and Edward Callaghan, Francis E. Curry, and Henry Witham, and letters to Thomas Seward from Francis Herrick and W.J. Cooper, and to Henry Witham from Alexander Swanston, 36 items  
Jul 1840-Sep 1840

**MS 43,723/ 4** Correspondence between Thomas Seward, Edward Callaghan, and Henry Witham, and letters to Thomas Seward from Francis Herrick and Alexander Swanston, 35 items  
Oct 1840

**MS 43,723/ 5** Correspondence between Thomas Seward, Edward Callaghan, Henry Witham, and Alexander Swanston, and letters to Henry Witham from Francis Herrick, 35 items

Oct-Dec 1840

**MS 43,723/ 6** Letters to Thomas Seward and Edward Callaghan from Alexander Swanston, Alexander McCarthy, Henry Witham, Benjamin Popham, Francis E. Curry, and Richard Orpin, 39 items  
1841-2

V.iii.31.D Costs, Accounts and Associated Papers

**MS 43,724/ 1** Court of Chancery. Plaintiff's costs as between solicitor and client: Duke of Devonshire to Thomas Seward for the period 1839 to 1842, with sundry accounts of costs and receipts, 8 items  
1839-42

**MS 43,724/ 2** Memoranda containing lists of the names of witnesses, statements, notes, and abstracts of their evidence, 25 items  
1839-42

**MS 43,724/ 3** Lists of leases, deeds and documents relating to tenants liable to pay rentcharge with extracts from rentals, and notes on a search of the Registry Office of Deeds, 5 items  
1840

**MS 43,724/ 4** Trace maps from the Down Survey of the lands of Shangandan in the parish of Kanaboy (Canaway), Co. Cork, 6 items  
1840

**MS 43,724/ 5** Returns of townlands by the Ordnance Survey of Ireland, correspondence with the District Boundary Surveyors, and a copy of the report of the parliamentary select committee on the survey and valuation of Ireland, 10 items  
1827 & 1839-40

**MS 43,724/ 6** Copies of the certificates of composition for the parishes of Canaway and Shangandan, extracts from the applotment book for Shangandan under the certificate of 1834, a Tithe Commissioner's certificate and applotment of composition for tithes payable to the Duke of Devonshire as lay impropiator, a copy lease from William Warren to Nicholas and Benjamin White of the tithes of the parish of Kilmurry (30 Jul 1761), and a list of tenants, 12 items  
1825-39



***V.iii.32 Tithe Rentcharge: Henry Denny v. Devonshire***

This case involved the lands of Stradbally, Co. Waterford. The other petitioners were Joshua Strangman, John Power and William Power.

V.iii.32.A Legal Documents

- MS 43,725/ 1** Case on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire with reference to a petition presented to the Court of Chancery by Henry Denny and others under the 1 & 2 Vic., Cap. 109 claiming exemption from tithe rent charge for the lands of Ballyvoile in the parish of Stradbally, Co. Waterford for the directions of the Solicitor General (22 Dec 1842), Court of Chancery: Further statement for the advice and directions of the Solicitor General (6 Oct 1843), brief on behalf of the respondent for counsel to oppose motion as within or put petitioners under terms to proceed officially (Jan 1845), and abstract of charge of petitioners (11 Apr 1845), 5 items  
1842-5
- MS 43,725/ 2** Court of Chancery: Attested copy charge of petitioners under orders of reference (12 Apr 1845), attested copy discharge of the respondent to the charges of petitioners under orders of reference on summary petition under 16th Sec of 1 & 2 Vic., Cap. 109 (24 Jun 1845), brief on behalf of the respondent on consultation at the Rolls Chamber (11 Nov 1850), copy draft report as lodged (19 Oct 1850), and abstract of case (31 Oct 1850), 6 items  
1845-50
- MS 43,725/ 3** Chancery. Rolls Court: Brief on behalf of the respondent to oppose motion and uphold the report as within (24 Apr 1851), Master of the Rolls: Judgement of the Master of the Rolls in this case (6 May 1851), and Court of Chancery: Copy petition of appeal to the Lord Chancellor against an order of the Master of the Rolls (4 Jun 1851), 3 items  
1851
- MS 43,725/ 4** Court of Chancery: Further case as instructions for advice of counsel on behalf of the respondent (22 May 1854), brief on behalf of the respondent on motion by way of rehearing pursuant to within notice (22 May 1855), and case of tithe rentcharge in the parish of Stradbally for the advice and directions of counsel (5 Jul 1856), 4 items  
1854-6

V.iii.32.B Counsel Papers

- MS 43,726/ 1** Instructions for counsel, 10 items  
1844-54
- MS 43,726/ 2** Opinions and directions of counsel, 11 items  
1843-56

V.iii.32.C Court Papers

- MS 43,727/ 1** Attested copies of Master's reports and notes, 8 items  
1850-2
- MS 43,727/ 2** Draft and copy affidavits of Francis E. Curry, Thomas Keily, Rev. William J. Ardagh, Edward Elliot, Henry Denny, and Edward Denny, 9 items  
1842-55
- MS 43,727/ 3** Copy petitions claiming exemption from payment of tithe rentcharge (14 Jun 1843), 3 items  
1843
- MS 43,727/ 4** Notices, orders, consents, and summonses, 22 items  
1842-56

V.iii.32.D Correspondence

- MS 43,728/ 1** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry, Thomas Seward, Edward Callaghan, Henry Witham, Pierce George Barron, Rev. George Roche, James Byrne, William Power, Henry Denny, H. Bagge, Rev. W.J. Ardagh, Thomas Keily, Edward Elliot, and others, 48 items  
1836-45
- MS 43,728/ 2** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry, Thomas Seward, Edward Callaghan, H. Bagge, James Napier, Rev. W.J. Ardagh, Basil Orpin, William Currey, William Power, Thomas E. Keily, and others, 29 items  
1845-58

V.iii.32.E Costs, Accounts and Associated Papers

- MS 43,729/ 1** Court of Chancery. Respondent's costs as between solicitor and client: Duke of Devonshire to Thomas Seward for the period 1842 to 1844, and account of costs for January to July 1851, 2

items  
c1844-51

- MS 43,729/ 2** Copies of documents relating to the lands of Ballyvoile, Parish of Stradbally from the Vice Treasurer's Office, consisting of patent grant to Archer and Coppinger, trustees for Sir Nicholas Walsh (30 May 1608), inquisition taken at Le Magdalens, Co. Waterford (28 Aug 1576), patent grant to George Moore (8 Mar 1577), rental of King Charles I (1642-3), extract from Books of Survey and Distribution (1643), inquisition (28 Aug 1576), grant (8 Mar 1577), inquisition (2 Apr 1608), grant (30 May 1608), rental of King Charles I (1642-3), inquisition (9 Oct 1656), extract from Books of Survey and Distribution (1643), and translation of rental of Charles I, "Momonía Provincia" (1642 & 1643), 3 items  
24 Jul 1830
- MS 43,729/ 3** List of documents, copy certificate of tithe composition for the parish of Kilrossanty, Co. Waterford, extracts from leases and applotment books, and labels, 7 items  
1827-50

### *V.iii.33 Tithe Rentcharge Arrears Cases*

This section contains collections of legal and related papers concerning legal actions for the recovery of tithe rentcharge arrears under the Tithe Composition Act of 1838 (1 & 2 Vic., c.109). The documents include cases, statements of claim, reports, instructions for counsel, affidavits, decrees, notices, orders, consents, summonses, memoranda, legal searches, accounts of costs, extracts from registries and tithe applotment books, copies of certificates of tithe composition, and the correspondence of solicitors and agents, including Benjamin Popham, Basil Orpin, Francis E. Curry, Alexander Swanston.

- MS 43,730/ 1** William Salter v. Anne Cavanagh for the lands of Ballycurreen, parish of Ballymacart, Co. Waterford (1840), Anthony Fitzgerald and Thomas Power v. Richard Power Ronayne for the lands of D'Loughtane, parish of Kinsalbeg, Co. Waterford (1841), and Rev. George Roche v. Pierce Richard Barron for the lands of Garryaleish and Ballyhinch in the parish of Stradbally, Co. Waterford (1841-3), 16 items  
1840-3
- MS 43,730/ 2** Denis and John Keefe v. Patrick Keefe for the lands of Parkeenaclough, parishes of Rossmire and Whitechurch, Co. Waterford (1841-3), and Rev. James Bagge v. Pierce Newport Barron for the lands of Ballymacart, parish of Ballymacart, Co. Waterford (1842-3 & 1847-8), 18 items  
1841-8

- MS 43,730/ 3** Mary O’Connell v. Richard and Peter Bayly for the lands of Shannacoole, parish of Clashmore, Co. Waterford, 32 items  
1842-3
- MS 43,730/ 4** John Walsh v. Matthew Keane for the Rectory of the parish of Clashmore, Co. Waterford (1842-3), and Duke of Devonshire v. Thomas Cleary for the lands of Shannacoole, parish of Clashmore, Co. Waterford (1842-4), 26 items  
1842-4
- MS 43,730/ 5** Duke of Devonshire v. Henry Dennehy for the lands of Blanahouree, Parish of Affane and Ballyvooney, Parish of Stradbally, Co. Waterford, 36 items  
1842-55
- MS 43,730/ 6** Richard Thomas Barron v. Henry O’Brien for the lands of Littlebridge, parish of Affane, Co. Waterford, John Linehan v. Philip Barron for the Rectory of the parish of Dungarvan, Co. Waterford, and Thomas Tighe v. Thomas Welsh, Rectory of the parish of Dungarvan, Co. Waterford, 11 items  
1843
- MS 43,730/ 7** Duke of Devonshire v. Jeffrey Browning for the lands of Greenane, parish of Rossmire, Co. Waterford, Duke of Devonshire v. Matthew Mitchell, Patrick Whelan and others for the lands of Ballycullane East, and Patrick Smith and others for the lands of Ballyguiry and Ballycullane West, parish of Dungarvan, Co. Waterford, Duke of Devonshire v. Eliza Hearn and Richard Crotty for the lands of Canty, parish of Whitechurch, Co. Waterford (1843-4), and Duke of Devonshire v. Pierce Newport Barron for the lands of Stradbally, Co. Waterford (1843-4 & 1856), 35 items  
1843-56
- MS 43,730/ 8** Duke of Devonshire v. John Barrett for the lands of Carrickboy, parish of Kilmichael, Co. Cork, 29 items  
1843-8
- MS 43,730/ 9** Equity Exchequer. Duke of Devonshire v. Richard Duckett and others for the lands of Ballyhossa, parish of Rossmire, Co. Waterford: Copy bills for service on judgement, 2 items  
1845
- MS 43,730/ 10** Duke of Devonshire v. Richard Duckett: Report, copy decree and certificate of tithe composition, affidavits of service of orders,

- and conditional order for receiver, 9 items  
1848-9
- MS 43,730/ 11** Duke of Devonshire v. Richard Duckett: Orders, notices, summonses, and report of fees, 34 items  
1848-50
- MS 43,730/ 12** Duke of Devonshire v. Richard Duckett: Correspondence between Basil Orpin, Francis E. Curry, Richard Duckett, William Kemmis, Michael Butler, H.K. Hemming, Thomas Seward, William Barker, Leonard Morrogh, and others, 38 items  
1842-50
- MS 43,730/ 13** Duke of Devonshire v. Robert Edward Dower for the lands of Inniscart, parish of Aglish, Co. Waterford, 12 items  
1851-2
- MS 43,730/ 14** Duke of Devonshire v. Julia and Albert Hickson for the lands of Clashbrideen, parish of Kilmichael, Co. Cork, 29 items  
1851-3
- MS 43,730/ 15** Devonshire v. William Walsh respecting arrears of rent-charge for the lands of Kilmurry, Co. Cork: Affidavits of H.K. Hemming, James Byrne, and Richard Byrne, with notices, summons, report and ruling, order for the appointment of a receiver, and copy of receiver's account, 12 items  
1855
- MS 43,730/ 16** Copy of case concerning an application for the reduction of the tithe rent charge of the parish of Templequinland, Co. Cork, with the opinion of H.H. Dodgson, calculation of reduction of tithe rentcharge, extract from Registry of the Diocese of Cork and Ross, and correspondence between Alexander Swanston, Thomas Bushe and Causland & Fetherstone (Secretary and solicitors to the Ecclesiastical Commissioners), 19 items  
1855-6
- MS 43,730/ 17** Correspondence concerning the reduction of the tithe rent charge of the parish of Templequinland, Co. Cork between Alexander Swanston, Francis E. Curry, William Currey, Honora O'Shea, John Madras, Sampson Beamish, and Thomas Sherlock, 26 items  
1855-6
- MS 43,730/ 18** Letters to Francis E. Curry from Basil Orpin concerning the Duke of Devonshire v. Henry Gee Smyth for arrears of tithe rentcharge out of the parish of Dungarvan, 22 items

1871-7

***V.iii.34 Tithe Rentcharge Arrears Papers***

- MS 43,731/ 1** Memoranda, notes, and correspondence between William Kemmis (Crown Solicitor), Francis E. Curry, Alexander Swanston, and John Browne concerning liability for tithe rentcharge, arrears under the tithe schedules, and the institution of proceedings against defaulters, 30 items  
1841-2
- MS 43,731/ 2** Legal papers and correspondence between William Kemmis, Alexander Swanston, and Francis E. Curry concerning the proceedings of the Attorney General against tithe schedule defaulters under the Tithe Composition Act (1 & 2 Vic., c.109), 24 items  
1841-4 [*Some items fragile*]
- MS 43,731/ 3** Miscellaneous correspondence between Henry Witham, Francis E. Curry, Alexander Swanston, Edward Callaghan, and Thomas Seward concerning tithe rentcharge arrears and proceedings against defaulters, 17 items  
1841-4
- MS 43,731/ 4** Miscellaneous papers and correspondence between Francis E. Curry, James Fitzpatrick, W.J. Ardagh, Richard Tresilian, and others concerning tithe rentcharge, 11 items  
1849-61

**V.iv Tolls and Customs**

***V.iv.1 Dominick Ronayne v. Robert Venn***

The case concerns the seizure of cattle and pigs belonging to Dominick Ronayne by Robert Venn (bailiff to the Duke of Devonshire and weighmaster of Tallow) on 15 June 1829. The stock was impounded as surety for Ronayne's payment of the tolls of Tallow market.

- MS 43,732/ 1** Ronayne v. Venn: Case respecting the tolls of Tallow payable to the Duke of Devonshire (27 Jun 1829), Court of Common Pleas. Ronayne v. Venn: Copy declaration (21 Jul 1829), and draft case (8 Oct 1829), 5 items  
1829
- MS 43,732/ 2** Court of Common Pleas. Ronayne v. Venn: Case on behalf of the defendant, with opinion of counsel (Oct 1829), case on behalf of

the Duke of Devonshire, with opinion of counsel (4 Dec 1829), draft avowries for the perusal and amendment of counsel (Jan 1830), 3 items  
1829-30

**MS 43,732/ 3** Court of Common Pleas. Ronayne v. Venn: First part of brief for trial (Feb 1830), 3 items

**MS 43,732/ 4** Court of Common Pleas. Ronayne v. Venn: Second part of brief for trial (Feb 1830), 3 items  
1830

**MS 43,732/ 5** Instructions to, and opinions of counsel (Oct-Nov 1829 & Jan-Feb 1830), notices, consents, and rules, 9 items  
1829-30

**MS 43,732/ 6** Correspondence between Thomas Seward and James Keenan, with letters to Thomas Seward from William S. Curry, Henry Witham, and William Waggert, 11 items  
1829-30

#### *V.iv.2 Tallow*

**MS 43,889/ 1** Case on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire and opinion of Charles Burton, counsel for plaintiff, respecting the tolls of Tallow and Lisfinny, County Waterford (29 Oct 1819), with an account of Lyons v. Corporation of Limerick, tried at Cork Assizes in 1824 (17 Sep 1824), 3 items  
1819-24

**MS 43,889/ 2** Memoranda concerning tolls and customs of Tallow, with schedule and docket of fees taken by the Clerk of the Market, copy of grant to William 5<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire of two additional yearly fairs in Tallow (13 Aug 1782), and copy counterpart of lease from Richard, 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington to Thomas Robinet for a tenement near Tallow and the customs of the market and fairs (4 Feb 1737), 7 items  
1829

**MS 43,889/ 3** Letters from W.H. Parker and Matthew Parker concerning legal proceedings against George Jones in connection with Tallow market, 18 items  
1865

#### *V.iv.3 Bandon*

- MS 43,890/ 1** Cases on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire relative to the tolls and customs of the Town of Bandon prepared for Philip Splane (agent), with the legal opinion of John White, 5 items  
1806
- MS 43,890/ 2** Copy of instructions for search for grants of tolls and customs of fairs and markets of Bandon, notes and an extract from the charter of 1614, list of grants concerning tolls, deputation from the Duke of Devonshire to Philip Splane of the Office of Clerk of the Market of Coolfadda on the north side of Bandon (23 Apr 1806), copy letters from Philip Splaine to Rev. Samuel Beamish, and instructions for legal search, 10 items  
1806
- MS 43,890/ 3** Case on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire relative to the tolls and customs of the Town of Bandon prepared for Benjamin Popham with the opinions of William Waggert, Anthony Connell, Charles Burton, and John Lens, and a schedule of documents, 8 items  
1812-14
- MS 43,890/ 4** Cases on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire relative to the tolls and customs of the Town of Bandon for the opinion of Anthony Connell, 5 items  
c1817
- MS 43,890/ 5** Cases on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire relative to the tolls and customs of the Town of Bandon, with a conveyance (11 Mar 1817), copy constats of grants (20 Feb 1609 & 8 Jul 1612), and schedules and accounts of tolls, 13 items  
1817
- MS 43,890/ 6** Memorials from the market jurors of Bandon concerning the weighmaster of Bandon Potato Market, with schedules of tolls and customs payable out of Bandon Markets (1826, 1829 & n.d.), accounts of tolls paid for period 1822-5, and a letter from William S. Curry to Henry Witham, 10 items  
1826-30

#### *V.iv.4 Dungarvan*

- MS 43,891** Depositions of witnesses in the King v. Sheridan concerning the tolls of Dungarvan, with correspondence between John Ussher, Sir William Abdy, Richard Ryland, John Keily, and Thomas Barbon, and returns of customs and tolls taken in Dungarvan, 14 items  
1738-47



*V.iv.5 Devonshire v. Dominick Ronayne*

This case was brought against Dominick Ronayne who was accused of having incited the people of the counties Cork and Waterford to resist the payment of tolls at fairs and markets. At a fair at Tallow on 15 June 1829 precautions were taken to collect tolls but, notwithstanding such efforts, a considerable tumult was said to have arisen due to Ronayne's harangues. A considerable mob forced their way through and took away their cattle without paying the toll usually received by the Duke of Devonshire. Ronayne and others obtained summonses against the toll collectors to appear at the Petty Sessions at Tallow on 24 June 1829 for taking excessive tolls at Tallow.

- MS 43,892/ 1** Instructions to prepare a case respecting the tolls at Dungarvan and Tallow (Feb 1819), draft cases on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire respecting the tolls of Dungarvan, Tallow and Lisfinny (1819) and respecting the tolls of Dungarvan with opinion of Charles Burton (27 Oct 1819), copy grant to the Duke of Devonshire of fairs and markets in Dungarvan (22 Mar 1810), and an extract "from an Act of Henry VIII respecting Dungarvan Manorial Rights" (1819), 6 items  
1819
- MS 43,892/ 2** Memorandum by Henry Witham respecting tolls and the law of distress (1820), with abstract of argument on trial of Lyons v. Corporation of Limerick, and writs and applications concerning fairs at Dungarvan and Kilrush (1806 & 1809), 5 items  
1806-20
- MS 43,892/ 3** Correspondence between William Ashby, William S. Curry, and John Hudson, with memoranda, accounts, and returns of tolls, 13 items  
1817-9
- MS 43,892/ 4** Dungarvan Sessions. The King v. Conway and others: Brief (1829), Dominick Ronayne v. John Hudson (Seneschal of Dungarvan) and others: Brief on behalf of the defendant (1830), and memoranda and extract from summons, 5 items  
1827-30
- MS 43,892/ 5** Dominick Ronayne v. William Lonegan (Harbour Master of Dungarvan): Cases on behalf of the defendant, with copy of Mr Moore's opinion (Jan 1830), brief for the appellant (Apr 1830), memoranda, and copy summonses, 9 items  
1830
- MS 43,892/ 6** Correspondence between Thomas Seward, William S. Curry, Benjamin Currey, and John Hudson, 12 items

1822-5 & 1829-30

- MS 43,892/ 7** Memoranda, accounts, and returns of tolls, including a printed list of 'Customs and Tolls', a hand-drawn sketch 'showing the position of toll boards', and a copy of Trial at Bar. Port Duties. Corporation of Dublin against William Thomas (Dublin 1828), 17 items  
1824-30

#### ***V.iv.6 Youghal***

- MS 43,893/ 1** Case on the part of the Corporation of Youghal respecting a claim to be entitled to various dues tolls and customs, with the opinion of William Kidd (31 Dec 1825), 1 item  
1825
- MS 43,893/ 2** Correspondence concerning the claim of the Corporation of Youghal to tolls and customs in Youghal, correspondents include George Roche, J.C. Bernard, William Waggert, R.S. Ball, and William S. Curry, 16 items  
1823-6
- MS 43,893/ 3** Memoranda and notes concerning the claim of the Corporation of Youghal to tolls and customs in Youghal, including a request for legal advise and orders for toll collectors, 12 items  
c1823-6
- MS 43,893/ 4** Letters to William S. Curry from Benjamin Currey, George Roche, R.S. Ball, and William Waggert, concerning the legal dispute over tolls in Youghal and the impending parliamentary bill to reform tolls in Ireland, with notes and memoranda, 16 items  
1830
- MS 43,893/ 5** Observations, notes, and memoranda concerning a parliamentary bill to consolidate and reform laws respecting tolls, customs, and duties taken by local authorities in fairs, markets, and seaports in Ireland, with two copies of said bill (25 Mar 1830), 9 items  
1829-30

#### **V.v Properties**

This section contains papers relating to legal disputes over properties on the estates of the Earls of Cork and Burlington and the Dukes of Devonshire in counties Cork and Waterford. A large proportion of the material relates to the town of Youghal and includes

a large number of legal documents relating to the dispute between William Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire and the Corporation of Youghal which took place between 1812 and 1828 (see sections III.v.9 and III.v.10).

***V.v.1 Miscellaneous Cases (1702-49)***

These papers deal largely with disputes over the limits of the boundaries and access to the Commons of the Manor of Dungarvan.

- MS 43,894/ 1** Earl of Cork and Burlington v. John Silver & others: Statements of case, with affidavits of witnesses and a copy letter from John Longan to Roger Power concerning cattle taken from the commons of the mountain at Carranscoghy and impounded by the servants of John Silver (15 May 1702), 14 items  
1702 & 1708
- MS 43,894/ 2** Depositions and examinations of witnesses concerning disputes over boundaries between the lands of Ballyduffbeg and Ballygaggin, Baldecane and Glenmorrishen, and other lands on the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington in counties Cork and Waterford, 13 items  
1705-41 [*Some items damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,894/ 3** Copies of inquisitions taken in 1637 and 1692 concerning the Commons of Dungarvan, 4 items  
1707 & 1710 [*Two items damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,894/ 4** Cases on behalf of Lady Lanesborough concerning payment of the quit rent of Buttevant, with a letter from Richard Musgrave and Thomas Baker to Juliana, Countess of Cork and Burlington (15 Sep 1711), 4 items  
1711
- MS 43,894/ 5** Bills and answers in the case of John Walker v. Owen Roche concerning the lands of Kilmore, with a letter from Edward Bolton to John Walker, 4 items  
1717-24
- MS 43,894/ 6** Informations and affidavits filed in the Courts of King's Bench in the Crown v. Terence and Teige Brien concerning Spittal Land in County Tipperary, with a brief, bills, and answers filed in the Court of Exchequer in case of the Earl of Cork and Burlington v. John Damer, and an account of lands discoverable by Solomon Newsom, 11 items  
1724 & 1739-42
- MS 43,894/ 7** Affidavit of Henry Ruge in the case of the Crown v. Gregory

- Salter, with the pleadings and legal opinions of Robert Jocelyn and John Rogerson (Attorney General) concerning the constitution of the Corporation of Youghal, 4 items  
1726
- MS 43,894/ 8**      Answers of Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington to a bill of complaint concerning commons and mountain land near Cappoquin, 1 item  
1729
- MS 43,894/ 9**      Depositions of witnesses in the case of Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington v. Charles Abbott, Thomas Owen, and Thomas Lehane concerning the lands of Clonurbane, Co. Cork, 15 items  
1730
- MS 43,894/ 10**    Cases and memorials in the case of Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington v. Benjamin Green concerning the lands of Cappoquin, with valuations of the Town of Cappoquin (1737), and correspondence between Jeremy Coughlan and Benjamin Green, 10 items  
1732 & 1737
- MS 43,894/ 11**    Earl of Cork and Burlington v. John Osbourne and Elizabeth Boate: Brief (and draft) of case in ejectment brought upon a double demise to be tried at Waterford (23 Aug 1732), and depositions of witnesses taken for the defendant with their cross-examinations, 3 items  
1732-3 [*Some documents fragile*]
- MS 43,894/ 12**    Earl of Cork and Burlington v. John Osbourne and Elizabeth Boate: Deposition of Eleanor Gallahan and other witnesses taken for the plaintiff with their cross-examinations, 2 items  
1733-4 [*Some documents fragile*]
- MS 43,894/ 13**    Earl of Cork and Burlington v. John Osbourne and Elizabeth Boate: Case, with abstracts of inquisitions concerning the limits of the Manor and Commons of Dungarvan, a list of evidence, an account of lands held by Elizabeth Boate, and a copy of an award made to the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 6 items  
1733-4 [*Some documents damaged and very fragile*]
- MS 43,894/ 14**    Cases, abstracts of deeds, and depositions concerning legal disputes over the commons of Slievegrine Mountain, with a copy of the title of freeholders and commoners, and correspondence between Jeremy Coughlan, John Villiers, 1st Earl of Grandison, and John Ussher, 10 items

1733-49

- MS 43,894/ 15** Case and abstract concerning the title of Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington to his Irish estates and the mortgages, settlements, and recoveries thereon, with a schedule of deeds and papers deposited with Governor James Macrae, and the legal opinions of N. Fazakerely, 5 items  
1737 & 1743

***V.v.2 Cork and Richard Webb v. Joseph Freeman and Others***

The case was brought against Joseph Freeman, the Mayor of Youghal, along with the bailiffs, burgesses and commonality of the town.

- MS 43,895/ 1** Court of Chancery: Copy proofs of defendant and plaintiff, with copy depositions and cross proofs of witnesses on behalf of defendant and plaintiff (23 Apr 1754), 8 items  
1820
- MS 43,895/ 2** Court of Chancery: Copy bills, interrogatories, decrees, answers of the defendants, and bill of legal costs (1753 & 1756-7), 10 items  
1753 & 1869
- MS 43,895/ 3** Copy affidavits of witnesses Hugh Bryan and Richard Webb, Abraham Dykes, Alexander Banks, Samuel Allen, and James Cliffe (1753), 10 items  
c1820
- MS 43,895/ 4** Certified copies of extracts from Chancery Orders and Motions Books, 4 items  
1869

***V.v.3 Devonshire v. Lord Cahir***

This case concerns a dispute between William Cavendish, 5th Duke of Devonshire and James Butler, 9th Baron Cahir over the boundary between the Ballyen and Ballyrafter mountains in the Manor of Lismore, County Waterford. Lord Cahir claimed title to 1,611 acres of mountain on both mountains in 1773. The case lasted for six years being first dismissed in 1777 before, after a retrial, the case was found in favour of the Duke of Devonshire and the land returned to his estate. For full account of the case see Henry Witham's memorandum of 1839 (section III.v.3.D).

**V.v.3.A Legal Documents**

- MS 43,896/ 1** Court of Chancery. Duke of Devonshire v. Rt. Hon. James, Lord Baron Cahir: Copy of bill to be corrected by counsel (15 Nov 1773), Duke of Devonshire v. Rt. Hon. James, Lord Baron Cahir and John Baldwin, his agent: Brief on behalf of plaintiff to move to inj. to the party, containing the affidavits of William Connor (22 Jan 1774) and Thomas Sherrard, land surveyor (12 Oct 1773), 5 items  
1773-4
- MS 43,896/ 2** Duke of Devonshire v. Rt. Hon. James, Lord Baron Cahir and John Baldwin, his agent: Brief on behalf of plaintiff for an injunction to restore possession (1 Feb 1774), 3 items  
1774
- MS 43,896/ 3** Duke of Devonshire v. Rt. Hon. James, Lord Baron Cahir and John Baldwin, his agent: Interrogatories of 18 deponents examined on the part of the plaintiff, 1 item  
c1775
- MS 43,896/ 4** Duke of Devonshire v. Rt. Hon. James, Lord Baron Cahir and John Baldwin, his agent: Interrogatories of 13 deponents examined on the part of the plaintiff and cross examined on the part of the defendants, 1 item  
c1775
- MS 43,896/ 5** Duke of Devonshire v. Rt. Hon. James, Lord Baron Cahir and John Baldwin, his agent: Interrogatories of 11 deponents examined on the part of the defendants, 1 item  
c1775
- MS 43,896/ 6** Duke of Devonshire v. Rt. Hon. James, Lord Baron Cahir and John Baldwin, his agent: Interrogatories of 11 deponents examined on the part of the defendants, 1 item  
c1775
- MS 43,896/ 7** Duke of Devonshire v. Rt. Hon. James, Lord Baron Cahir and John Baldwin, his agent: Draft brief containing interrogatories, 1 item  
c1775
- MS 43,896/ 8** Duke of Devonshire v. Rt. Hon. James, Lord Baron Cahir and John Baldwin, his agent: Answer of Lord Cahir to personal interrogatories (14 Jul 1775), 1 item  
1775
- MS 43,896/ 9** Duke of Devonshire v. Rt. Hon. James, Lord Baron Cahir and

- John Baldwin, his agent: Answer of John Baldwin, agent to Lord Cahir, to personal interrogatories (14 Jul 1775) 1 item  
1775
- MS 43,896/ 10** Duke of Devonshire v. Rt. Hon. James, Lord Baron Cahir and John Baldwin, his agent: Deposition of Thomas Prendergast, defendant's agent (27 Nov 1775) 1 item  
1775
- MS 43,896/ 11** Court of Kings Bench. Lessee (John White) of Duke of Devonshire v. Lord Cahir: Brief on behalf of plaintiff to oppose annexed notice, containing the affidavits of Thomas Prendergast, law agent (6 Feb 1778), Thomas Garde, law agent, and William Connor (10 Feb 1778), and additional brief on behalf of plaintiff containing the affidavit of Christopher Musgrave (4 May 1778), 9 items  
1778
- MS 43,896/ 12** Court of Kings Bench. Lessee (John White) of Duke of Devonshire v. Lord Cahir: Brief on behalf of plaintiff to oppose the within notice (9 Nov 1778), brief on behalf of plaintiff, containing the affidavit of Thomas Prendergast, law agent (21 Nov 1778), and additional brief on behalf of plaintiff (28 Jan 1779), 9 items  
1778-9
- MS 43,896/ 13** Court of Chancery. Lord Cahir v. Duke of Devonshire, Baron Hotham, and Christopher Musgrave: Copy bill (2 Mar 1779), and brief on behalf of the defendant to move pursuant to the within notice (4 Mar 1779), 4 items  
1779
- MS 43,896/ 14** County of Cork: Additional brief on behalf of the plaintiff on a trial by Nisi Prius, Spring Assizes at the King's Old Castle, Cork on Thursday 5 April 1779, including two maps of the disputed boundary by Thomas Sherrard (1773), 3 items  
1773-9

#### V.v.3.B Counsel Papers

- MS 43,897/ 1** Notes of Mr. Lyster's argument, and refresher fees, 6 items  
n.d.
- MS 43,897/ 2** Instructions to counsel (2 Jun 1777), two draft cases, and case on behalf of the plaintiff concerning a declaration of ejectment for the recovery of land, with opinion of Thomas Walker (10 Feb

1779), 6 items  
1777-9

- MS 43,897/ 3** Report of trial by Nisi Prius of ejectment on the title at County Cork Spring Assizes (1 Apr 1779), copy of Judge Henn's report on trial by Nisi Prius at County Cork Summer Assizes (28 Aug 1778), and his notes taken at County Cork Lent Assizes (9 May 1779), 3 items  
1778-9

#### V.v.3.C Court Papers

- MS 43,898/ 1** Copies of personal interrogatories administered to witnesses on behalf of the plaintiff, answers to interrogatories, and cross-interrogatories for the perusal of counsel, 13 items  
1775 & n.d.
- MS 43,898/ 2** Depositions, lists of witnesses and deponents, and notes on evidence, 17 items  
n.d.
- MS 43,898/ 3** Orders, consents, notices, and motions, 12 items  
1774-9
- MS 43,898/ 4** Affidavits of Thomas Sherrard, Thomas Garde, John Power, William Conner, and Michael Brown, and summonses, 10 items  
1774-9

#### V.v.3.D Costs, Correspondence and Associated Papers

- MS 43,899/ 1** Assorted receipts and accounts of legal costs, 13 items  
1769, 1775, 1778-9
- MS 43,899/ 2** Letters from Sir Beaumont Hotham (20 Feb 1779) and James Hewitt, 1st Viscount Lifford (Lord Chancellor of Ireland) to William, 5th Duke of Devonshire (1 Mar 1779), notes on Christopher Musgrave's lease of Ballyin (dated 17 Sep 1752), maps of Ballyin Mountain (1773), and an ejectment notice for the part of Ballrafter Mountain claimed by Lord Cahir (22 Sep 1777), 6 items  
1773-9
- MS 43,899/ 3** Notes, letters, and memoranda concerning the case of the Duke of Devonshire v. Lord Cahir compiled by Henry Witham, 4 items



1839

*V.v.4 William Conner v. Jephson Busted*

- MS 43,900** Case and order to pay rents for Knocklea, Co. Cork to the plaintiff in the case of William Conner v. Jephson Busted, with letters from Thomas Garde to William Conner, a notebook, and list of expenses, 10 items  
1781-5

*V.v.5 Devonshire v. Prudence Gardner and Others*

This case concerned the lands of Green Cloyne, near the North Mill in Youghal which had been leased by Samuel Gardner on 9 July 1749.

- MS 43,901/ 1** Court of Chancery: Bill (23 Dec 1803), and draft bill for injunction in the nature of a writ (22 Dec 1813), 2 items  
1803-13
- MS 43,901/ 2** Affidavits of Thomas Garde (1803) and John Hudson (1814), 3 items  
1803-14
- MS 43,901/ 3** Certificate of bill being filed in 1813, orders to stay waste, bills of costs, a letter from Mrs. Gardner to William S. Curry, and a copy of Samuel Gardner's will (dated 14 Dec 1751), 8 items  
1814-8

*V.v.6 The Osbourne Purchase*

These manuscripts relate to the sale of land in the Town of Dungarvan by Sir Thomas Osbourne to the Duke of Devonshire in 1809. The property was purchased on the advice of the Duke's agent, Thomas Knowlton, in order to facilitate intended improvements to the Duke of Devonshire's part of the town. These works were carried out between 1801 and 1818 at a cost of £70,000.

- MS 43,902/ 1** Draft case on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire, draft bond of indemnity from Sir Thomas Osbourne to the Duke of Devonshire, and letters from Thomas Lowe to Philip Splane (13 Mar & 13 Apr 1809), 6 items  
1809
- MS 43,902/ 2** Searches for judgments against Sir William Osbourne (for years 1750 to 1783) and Sir Thomas Osbourne (for years 1780 to

1809), abstract of fines and recoveries suffered by Sir Thomas Osbourne (1784), attested copy of the will of Sir William Osbourne (14 May 1774), and extracts from the wills of Sir Thomas Osbourne (16 Oct 1713) and Dame Elizabeth Osbourne (7 Dec 1792), 9 items  
1809

**MS 43,902/ 3** Draft and copy deed of conveyance from Sir Thomas Osbourne to the Duke of Devonshire, copy memorial of deed of release (27/28 Sep 1809), and copy memorial of deed of lease and release from Sir William Osbourne to John Jephson (19/20 Mar 1749), 4 items  
1809 & 1858

**MS 43,902/ 4** Schedules of leases of premises in Dungarvan purchased from Sir Thomas Osbourne by the Duke of Devonshire, 4 items  
n.d.

**MS 43,902/ 5** Leases granted by Sir William Osbourne and Sir Thomas Osbourne of their properties in Dungarvan, 16 items  
1765-85

#### *V.v.7 Clancy's Lot, Dungarvan*

**MS 43,903** Papers relating to the sale of Clancy's Lot, Dungarvan, comprising correspondence between William Ashby, William Jenkins (Treasury Chambers, Dublin Castle), Philip Splaine, William S. Curry, Benjamin Popham, and John Hudson, searches for judgement, and sketch maps of Ballygalane and Salterbridge (1710 & 1801), 20 items  
1710 & 1801-21

#### *V.v.8 Hartington v. William Jackson*

This case was initiated by William Spencer Cavendish, then Marquis of Hartington, and concerned waste committed on premises in the Town of Bandon.

**MS 43,904** Copies of case, opinion of counsel, and copy lease of house and premises in Bandon from the Duke of Devonshire to Arthur Bernard (7 Mar 1783), 6 items  
1811-2

#### *V.v.9 Devonshire v. The Corporation of Youghal*

This long-running legal dispute arose over the question of ownership of land that had been reclaimed from the River Blackwater in the town of Youghal. This land, claimed by Duke of Devonshire as within the boundaries of his property had been encroached upon by the Corporation since the 1770s. First mooted in 1802, the legal case was initiated in 1811 and prosecuted actively from 1814. After the Duke's title to the land was proven in 1822, the Corporation appealed to the House of Lords. The struggle formed a part of the Devonshire's attempt to regain political control of the borough of Youghal from the Earls of Shannon, and the Duke therefore waived his claim for legal costs and, in return for favourable political concessions, agreed to compensate all those corporation tenants who had lost title to their property to him with half its current market value. It should be noted that the lessees (plaintiffs) names were "feigned". The Mearsmen appointed on behalf of the Corporation (defendants) in this case were John Studdy, Richard Cox, James Collins and John Wigmore.

#### V.v.9.A Legal Documents

- MS 43,905/ 1** The Duke of Devonshire v. the Corporation of Youghal: Case for the perusal and amendment of Anthony Connell (13 Nov 1812), draft case and supplemental case relative to the Strand at Youghal (c1812), 3 items  
1812
- MS 43,905/ 2** The Duke of Devonshire v. the Corporation of Youghal: Copy case with Mr. Dampier's opinion and a copy of opinion (8 Feb 1813), and case for the advice and directions of Mr. Sergeant Ball (10 Jul 1813), 2 items  
1813
- MS 43,905/ 3** The Duke of Devonshire v. the Corporation of Youghal: Case for the advice and directions of Charles Burton (28 Jul 1813 & 13 Feb 1814), and Henry Joy (16 Dec 1813), 3 items  
1813-4
- MS 43,905/ 4** The Duke of Devonshire v. the Corporation of Youghal: Case for the advice and directions of Henry Joy (9 Mar 1814) and Charles Burton (11 Mar 1814), and draft of case (1814), 3 items  
1814
- MS 43,905/ 5** The Duke of Devonshire v. the Corporation of Youghal: Case (1814), and case to advise and for consultation for Henry Joy (18 Mar 1816), Charles Burton (20 Mar 1816), and the Rt. Hon. William Plunkett (3 May 1816), 4 items  
1814-6
- MS 43,905/ 6** Court of King's Bench. Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire v. Ejector: Attested copies of judgements (28 Jun 1817), 12 items  
1817

- MS 43,905/ 7** The Duke of Devonshire v. Bob Stawell Ball (Mayor of Youghal): Case on behalf of the lessor of the plaintiff for the advice and opinion of Charles Burton (13 Aug 1817) and Henry Joy (13 Aug 1817), 2 items  
1817
- MS 43,905/ 8** Court of King's Bench: Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire v. Ejector: Attested copies of judgements (11 Feb 1818), 14 items  
1818
- MS 43,905/ 9** County of Cork. Spring Assizes, 1818 (King's Bench): Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire (Richard Roe), Lord Frederick, Earl of Bessborough, and the Rt. Hon. George Howard (Lord Viscount Morpeth) v. The Corporation of Youghal: Draft brief on behalf of plaintiff containing description of the Town of Youghal and of the respective premises for which ejectments were brought, 1 item  
1818
- MS 43,905/ 10** County of Cork. Spring Assizes, 1818 (King's Bench): Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire ... v. The Corporation of Youghal: Case brief containing description of the Town of Youghal and the plaintiff's case at large with full abstracts of the deeds which are briefly described and referred to in the brief of declarations, 1 item  
1818
- MS 43,905/ 11** County of Cork. Spring Assizes, 1818 (King's Bench): Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire ... v. The Corporation of Youghal: Case brief containing description of the Town of Youghal and the plaintiff's case at large with full abstracts of the deeds which are briefly described and referred to in the brief of declarations, 1 item  
1818
- MS 43,905/ 12** County of Cork. Spring Assizes, 1818 (King's Bench): Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire ... v. The Corporation of Youghal: Case brief containing description of the Town of Youghal and the plaintiff's case at large with full abstracts of the deeds which are briefly described and referred to in the brief of declarations, 1 item  
1818
- MS 43,905/ 13** County of Cork. Spring Assizes, 1818 (King's Bench): Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire ... v. The Corporation of Youghal: Case

- brief containing description of the Town of Youghal and the plaintiff's case at large with full abstracts of the deeds which are briefly described and referred to in the brief of declarations, 1 item  
1818
- MS 43,905/ 14** County of Cork. Spring Assizes, 1818 (King's Bench): Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire ... v. The Corporation of Youghal: Compressed brief on behalf of plaintiff containing one declaration in ejectment, an abstract of deeds, general observations and general proofs, 1 item  
1818
- MS 43,905/ 15** County of Cork. Spring Assizes, 1818 (King's Bench): Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire ... v. The Corporation of Youghal: Compressed brief on behalf of plaintiff containing one declaration in ejectment, an abstract of deeds, general observations and general proofs, with a list of the Mearsmen appointed on behalf of the defendants in the several causes (6 Mar 1818), 2 items  
1818
- MS 43,905/ 16** County of Cork. Spring Assizes, 1818 (King's Bench): Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire ... v. The Corporation of Youghal: Pedigree brief, 1 item  
1818
- MS 43,905/ 17** County of Cork. Spring Assizes, 1818 (King's Bench): Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire ... v. The Corporation of Youghal: Pedigree brief, 1 item  
1818
- MS 43,905/ 18** County of Cork. Spring Assizes, 1818 (King's Bench): Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire ... v. The Corporation of Youghal: Pedigree brief, 1 item  
1818
- MS 43,905/ 19** County of Cork. Spring Assizes, 1818 (King's Bench): Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire ... v. The Corporation of Youghal: Pedigree brief, 1 item  
1818
- MS 43,905/ 20** County of Cork. Spring Assizes, 1818 (King's Bench): Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire ... v. The Corporation of Youghal: Pedigree brief, 1 item  
1818

- MS 43,905/ 21** County of Cork. Spring Assizes, 1818 (King's Bench): Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire ... v. The Corporation of Youghal: Pedigree brief, 1 item  
1818
- MS 43,905/ 22** County of Cork. Spring Assizes, 1818 (King's Bench): Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire ... v. The Corporation of Youghal: Pedigree brief, 1 item  
1818
- MS 43,905/ 23** County of Cork. Spring Assizes, 1818 (King's Bench): Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire ... v. The Corporation of Youghal: Brief on behalf of plaintiff containing two declarations in ejectment with their accompanying observations and proofs, an abstract of deeds with references, general observations and general proofs, 1 item  
1818
- MS 43,905/ 24** County of Cork. Spring Assizes, 1818 (King's Bench): Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire ... v. The Corporation of Youghal: Brief on behalf of plaintiff containing two declarations in ejectment with their accompanying observations and proofs, an abstract of deeds with references, general observations and general proofs, 1 item  
1818
- MS 43,905/ 25** County of Cork. Spring Assizes, 1818 (King's Bench): Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire ... v. The Corporation of Youghal: Brief on behalf of plaintiff containing two declarations in ejectment with their accompanying observations and proofs, an abstract of deeds with references, general observations and general proofs, 1 item  
1818
- MS 43,905/ 26** County of Cork. Spring Assizes, 1818 (King's Bench): Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire ... v. The Corporation of Youghal: Brief on behalf of plaintiff containing two declarations in ejectment with their accompanying observations and proofs, an abstract of deeds with references, general observations and general proofs, 1 item  
1818
- MS 43,905/ 27** County of Cork. Spring Assizes, 1818 (King's Bench): Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire ... v. The Corporation of Youghal: Brief on behalf of plaintiff containing six declarations in ejectment to

which defences are taken with observations and proofs  
applicable to each, 1 item  
1818

**MS 43,905/ 28** County of Cork. Spring Assizes, 1818 (King's Bench): Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire ... v. The Corporation of Youghal: Brief on behalf of plaintiff containing six declarations in ejectment to which defences are taken with observations and proofs applicable to each, 1 item  
1818

**MS 43,905/ 29** County of Cork. Spring Assizes, 1818 (King's Bench): Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire ... v. The Corporation of Youghal: Brief on behalf of plaintiff on a trial by Nisi Prius on Tuesday 24 March 1818 called the 'Case', containing a description of the Town of Youghal and abstracts of several patents, charters, and deeds referred to in the compressed brief, 2 items  
1818

**MS 43,905/ 30** County of Cork. Spring Assizes, 1818 (King's Bench): Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire ... v. The Corporation of Youghal: Brief on behalf of plaintiff for trial by Nisi Prius at the Kings Old Castle, Cork on Tuesday 24 March 1818, 4 items  
1818

**MS 43,905/ 31** County of Cork. Spring Assizes, 1818 (King's Bench): Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire ... v. The Corporation of Youghal: Brief on behalf of plaintiff for trial by Nisi Prius at the Kings Old Castle, Cork on Tuesday 24 March 1818, 4 items  
1818

**MS 43,905/ 32** County of Cork. Summer Assizes, 1818: Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire (Richard Roe), Lord Frederick, Earl of Bessborough, and the Rt. Hon. George Howard (Lord Viscount Morpeth) v. The Corporation of Youghal: Additional brief on behalf of plaintiff by Nisi Prius at the Kings Old Castle, Cork on 29 July 1818, 2 items  
1818

**MS 43,905/ 33** County of Cork. Summer Assizes, 1818: Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire (Richard Roe), Lord Frederick, Earl of Bessborough, and the Rt. Hon. George Howard (Lord Viscount Morpeth) v. The Corporation of Youghal: Additional brief on behalf of plaintiff by Nisi Prius at the Kings Old Castle, Cork on 29 July 1818, 2 items  
1818

- MS 43,905/ 34** County of Cork. Summer Assizes, 1818: Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire (Richard Roe), Lord Frederick, Earl of Bessborough, and the Rt. Hon. George Howard (Lord Viscount Morpeth) v. The Corporation of Youghal: Additional brief on behalf of plaintiff by Nisi Prius at the Kings Old Castle, Cork on 29 July 1818, 1 item  
1818
- MS 43,905/ 35** County of Cork. Summer Assizes, 1818: Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire ... v. The Corporation of Youghal: Judge's charge as taken by Mr. Green (7 Aug 1818), 2 items  
1818
- MS 43,905/ 36** Court of King's Bench: Brief of Judge Mayne's report and affidavit of John Thomas, defendant's attorney (Nov 1818), 3 items  
1818
- MS 43,905/ 37** Court of King's Bench: Brief of Judge Mayne's report and affidavit of John Thomas, defendant's attorney (Nov 1818), 3 items  
1818
- MS 43,905/ 38** Court of King's Bench: Copy of Judge Mayne's report (Nov 1818), 2 items  
1818
- MS 43,905/ 39** Court of King's Bench: Brief on behalf of plaintiff containing evidence produced on behalf of plaintiff on a trial by Nisi Prius at the King's Old Castle, Cork at Summer Assizes, 1818 (Nov 1818), 1 item  
1818
- MS 43,905/ 40** Court of King's Bench: Brief on behalf of plaintiff containing evidence produced on behalf of plaintiff on a trial by Nisi Prius at the King's Old Castle, Cork at Summer Assizes, 1818 (Nov 1818), 1 item  
1818
- MS 43,905/ 41** Court of King's Bench: Brief on behalf of plaintiff containing evidence produced on behalf of plaintiff on a trial by Nisi Prius at the King's Old Castle, Cork at Summer Assizes, 1818 (Nov 1818), 1 item  
1818



- MS 43,905/ 42** Court of King's Bench: Brief on behalf of plaintiff containing evidence produced on behalf of plaintiff on a trial by Nisi Prius at the King's Old Castle, Cork at Summer Assizes, 1818 (Nov 1818), 1 item  
1818
- MS 43,905/ 43** Court of King's Bench: Brief on behalf of plaintiff to move pursuant to the annexed notice to set aside verdict (Nov 1818), 2 items  
1818
- MS 43,905/ 44** Court of King's Bench: Brief on behalf of plaintiff to move pursuant to the annexed notice to set aside verdict (Nov 1818), 2 items  
1818
- MS 43,905/ 45** Court of King's Bench: Brief on behalf of plaintiff to move pursuant to the annexed notice to set aside verdict (Nov 1818), 2 items  
1818
- MS 43,905/ 46** Court of King's Bench: Brief on behalf of plaintiff to move pursuant to the annexed notice to set aside verdict (Nov 1818), 1 item  
1818
- MS 43,905/ 47** Court of King's Bench: Brief on behalf of plaintiff to show cause why conditional order should be made absolute, 1 item  
c1818
- MS 43,905/ 48** Court of King's Bench: Draft exceptions to the judge's report (22 Jun 1819), draft bill of exceptions as prepared by Richard Pennefather (25 Jun 1819), draft dominical of exceptions (28 Jun 1819), brief on behalf of plaintiff to move pursuant to the within notice (29 Jun 1819), and copy of judgement pronounced by the court of the motion for a new trial (25 Nov 1819), 7 items  
1819
- MS 43,905/ 49** Court of King's Bench: Abstract brief on behalf of plaintiff by way of index to the plaintiff's case as contained at length in the enlarged brief (14 Jan 1820), 1 item  
1820
- MS 43,905/ 50** County of Cork. Spring Assizes, 1820. Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire, Lord Frederick, Earl of Bessborough, and the Rt. Hon. George Howard, Lord Viscount Morpeth v. The

- Corporation of Youghal: Brief on behalf of plaintiff containing an abstract of the plaintiff's case by way of index to the enlarged brief, with a copy of the judgement of the Court of King's Bench on motion to set aside the verdict of Summer Assizes, 1818, 2 items  
1820
- MS 43,905/ 51** County of Cork. Spring Assizes, 1820. Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire, Lord Frederick, Earl of Bessborough, and the Rt. Hon. George Howard, Lord Viscount Morpeth v. The Corporation of Youghal: Brief on behalf of plaintiff containing an abstract of the plaintiff's case by way of index to the enlarged brief, with a copy of the judgement of the Court of King's Bench on motion to set aside the verdict of Summer Assizes, 1818, 2 items  
1820
- MS 43,905/ 52** County of Cork. Spring Assizes, 1820. Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire, Lord Frederick, Earl of Bessborough, and the Rt. Hon. George Howard, Lord Viscount Morpeth v. The Corporation of Youghal: Brief on behalf of plaintiff containing an abstract of the plaintiff's case by way of index to the enlarged brief, with a copy of the judgement of the Court of King's Bench on motion to set aside the verdict of Summer Assizes, 1818, 1 item  
1820
- MS 43,905/ 53** County of Cork. Spring Assizes, 1820: Brief on behalf of plaintiff for trial by Nisi Prius at the King's Old Castle, Cork on Wednesday 29 March 1820, 2 items  
1820
- MS 43,905/ 54** County of Cork. Spring Assizes, 1820: Brief on behalf of plaintiff for trial by Nisi Prius at the King's Old Castle, Cork on Wednesday 29 March 1820, 2 items  
1820
- MS 43,905/ 55** County of Cork. Spring Assizes, 1820: Brief on behalf of plaintiff for trial by Nisi Prius at the King's Old Castle, Cork on Wednesday 29 March 1820, 1 item  
1820
- MS 43,905/ 56** County of Cork. Spring Assizes, 1820: Draft bill of exceptions as altered by defendant's counsel with Richard Pennefather's observations thereon (29 Mar 1820), and County of Cork. Lent Assizes, 1820: Copy of judge's notes on trial (6 Apr 1820), 3

- items  
1820
- MS 43,905/ 57** Duke of Devonshire v. The Corporation of Youghal. Draft case on behalf of plaintiff to peruse and amend Bill of exceptions and documentary evidence accompanying same (30 May 1820), Court of King's Bench: Brief on behalf of plaintiff to oppose the within notice for Tuesday 20 June 1820 (19 Jun 1820), 4 items  
1820
- MS 43,905/ 58** Court of King's Bench: Draft bill of exceptions as prepared by Richard Pennefather (29 June 1820), and further draft bills of exceptions (3 & 11 Jul 1820 & Aug 1820), 4 items  
1820
- MS 43,905/ 59** Court of King's Bench: Record for trial (1820), and draft briefs prepared on behalf of William Honor, lessee of the Duke of Devonshire, 6 items  
1818-20
- MS 43,905/ 60** Court of King's Bench: Copy of plaintiff's evidence as reported by the Judge and as stated by the defendants in the draft of the exceptions (c1820), draft bill of exceptions as altered by defendant's counsel (30 Jan 1821), drafts of judgement (13 Jun 1821 & Feb 1822), 4 items  
1820-1
- MS 43,905/ 61** Court of Error: The Mayor and Bailiffs, Burgesses and Commonality of the Town of Youghal v. Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire (Richard Roe), Lord Frederick, Earl of Bessborough, and the Rt. Hon. George Howard (Lord Viscount Morpeth): Brief on behalf of the defendants for arguing Bill of Exceptions in this cause in the Hilary Term, 1 item  
1822
- MS 43,905/ 62** Court of Error: The Mayor and Bailiffs, Burgesses and Commonality of the Town of Youghal v. Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire (Richard Roe), Lord Frederick, Earl of Bessborough, and the Rt. Hon. George Howard (Lord Viscount Morpeth): Brief on behalf of the defendants for arguing Bill of Exceptions in this cause in the Hilary Term, 1 item  
1822
- MS 43,905/ 63** Court of Error: The Mayor and Bailiffs, Burgesses and Commonality of the Town of Youghal v. Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire (Richard Roe), Lord Frederick, Earl of Bessborough,

- and the Rt. Hon. George Howard (Lord Viscount Morpeth):  
Brief on behalf of the defendants for arguing Bill of Exceptions  
in this cause in the Hilary Term, 1 item  
1822
- MS 43,905/ 64** Court of Error: The Mayor and Bailiffs, Burgesses and  
Commonality of the Town of Youghal v. Lessee of the Duke of  
Devonshire (Richard Roe), Lord Frederick, Earl of Bessborough,  
and the Rt. Hon. George Howard (Lord Viscount Morpeth):  
Brief on behalf of the defendants for arguing Bill of Exceptions  
in this cause in the Hilary Term, 1 item  
1822
- MS 43,905/ 65** Court of King's Bench: Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire, Lord  
Frederick, Earl of Bessborough, and the Rt. Hon. George  
Howard (Lord Viscount Morpeth) v. The Corporation of  
Youghal: Attested copies of judgements made against the  
Corporation of Youghal (8 May 1822), 12 items
- MS 43,905/ 66** Court of King's Bench: Copies of judgement (8 May 1822), 6  
items  
1822
- MS 43,905/ 67** Court of King's Bench: Attested copies of haberes against the  
Corporation of Youghal (23 Jul 1828), 22 items  
1828
- MS 43,905/ 68** Court of King's Bench: Attested copies of haberes against the  
Corporation of Youghal (23 Jul 1828), 13 items  
1878
- MS 43,905/ 69** Draft and abstract briefs, and Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire  
and others v. The Mayor and Bailiffs, Burgesses and  
Commonality of the Town of Youghal: Case, 3 items  
n.d.
- MS 43,905/ 70** Case on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire for the advice and  
opinion of Richard Pennefather, and case containing the  
statement of the Duke of Devonshire's title to his estates in the  
Town and vicinity of Youghal from the year 1614, 2 items  
n.d.

#### V.v.9.B Counsel Papers

- MS 43,906/ 1** Instructions for counsel, 17 items  
1813-21

**MS 43,906/ 2** Notes and opinions of counsel, 16 items  
1813-19

**MS 43,906/ 3** Reports and speeches of counsel, including Sergeants Charles  
Burton and Henry Joy, Mr. Hitchcock, Mr. Townsend, and Mr.  
Pennefather, 9 items  
1818-19

#### V.v.9.C Court Papers

**MS 43,907/ 1** Orders and consents, including an order to produce Bernard  
Scalé's map of Youghal at trial, 30 items  
1818-21

**MS 43,907/ 2** Affidavits, 16 items  
1817-20

**MS 43,907/ 3** Notices, 96 items  
1818-20

**MS 43,907/ 4** Summonses and subpoenas, 42 items  
1818-20

#### V.v.9.D Correspondence

**MS 43,908/ 1** Copies of letters from Thomas Lowten to John Heaton, and from  
George Giles and Thomas Seward to Thomas Knowlton  
concerning business of the Borough of Youghal and proceedings  
taken by the Corporation after possession was taken of part of  
the Strand by the Duke of Devonshire, 3 items  
1812-4

**MS 43,908/ 2** Letters to Thomas Seward from George Roche, 25 items  
1818

**MS 43,908/ 3** Letters to Thomas Seward from William Ashby, 18 items  
1818-20

**MS 43,908/ 4** Letters to Thomas Seward from Henry Witham and others, 9  
items  
1818-21

**MS 43,908/ 5** Letters to Thomas Seward from William S. Curry and John  
Hudson, 17 items

1818-22

- MS 43,908/ 6** Letters to Thomas Seward from Benjamin Currey, Sir James Abercrombie, and W. Ponsonby, 24 items  
1818-26

V.v.9.E Costs, Accounts and Receipts

- MS 43,909/ 1** Thomas Seward's returns of legal costs incurred between agent, attorney, and client between 1817 and 1822, 1 item  
1822
- MS 43,909/ 2** Thomas Seward's returns of legal costs incurred between agent, attorney, and client between 1817 and 1822, 7 items  
1822
- MS 43,909/ 3** Returns of taxed legal costs, 3 items  
1818-9
- MS 43,909/ 4** Miscellaneous letters, receipts and accounts of legal costs, 20 items  
1818-21

V.v.9.F Associated Papers

- MS 43,910/ 1** Legal searches in the Registry of Deeds and Rolls Office for leases and conveyances of premises in Youghal, 5 items  
1814-17
- MS 7162** Contemporary notes of a trial concerning a dispute between William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, and the Corporation of Youghal concerning title to lands in the town, 1 item  
1815
- MS 43,910/ 2** Lists of witnesses on behalf of the plaintiff, with notes of their evidence, 13 items  
c1818-20
- MS 43,910/ 3** Copies of deeds and leases relating to evidence of the possessions of the Earl of Cork in Youghal, with a list of copies (1603-1774), 15 items  
c1818-20
- MS 43,910/ 4** Copies of deeds and leases relating to evidence of the

- possessions of the Earl of Cork in Youghal, 17 items  
c1818-20
- MS 43,910/ 5** Schedules, copies, and abstracts of deeds and documents to be produced at trial on behalf of the plaintiff, 18 items  
c1818-20
- MS 43,910/ 6** Copies of leases and articles read in evidence by defendants (23 May 1820), 1 item  
1820
- MS 43,910/ 7** Instructions, cases, and statements to prove the pedigree of the Duke of Devonshire, 14 items  
1818
- MS 43,910/ 8** Orders for the return of the grand panel of freeholders of the County of Cork, with returns of the names of jurors and lists of special jurors struck by the parties, 13 items  
1818
- MS 43,910/ 9** Attested copies of ejectments and affidavits of service issued on 7 June 1815, 8 items  
1815
- MS 43,910/ 10** Attested copies of ejectments and affidavits of service issued on 9 June 1817, 8 items  
1817
- MS 43,910/ 11** Attested copies of ejectments and affidavits of service issued on 28 January 1818, 8 items  
1818
- MS 43,910/ 12** Copies of ejectments brought by the Duke of Devonshire with affidavits of their service on properties in the Town of Youghal, and a report extracted from the Youghal Town Book concerning ejectments brought against the Corporation, 14 items  
1818 & 1822
- MS 43,910/ 13** Lists of occupiers and tenants of properties on Youghal Strand, with valuations and a list of premises for which compensation was to be paid to tenants by the Duke of Devonshire, 8 items  
n.d.
- MS 43,910/ 14** Rolls Office copies of the letters of Queen Elizabeth I (20 Jun 1584) and the Privy Council on behalf of the Corporation of Youghal, 8 items

1820

- MS 43,910/ 15** Lists of Freeman of the Corporation of Youghal, with the names of the Freeman of the Corporation and minutes of their admission in 1808, 20 items  
1812-26
- MS 43,910/ 16** Memoranda and notes concerning the constitution and powers of the Corporation of Youghal, the admission of Freeman, and the bye-laws of the town, with a list of the mayors of Youghal (1542-1795), 18 items  
n.d.
- MS 43,910/ 17** Report presented to the Court of D'Oyer Hundred of the Town of Youghal concerning the Strand (4 Sep 1802), with notes and memoranda concerning the records, powers, rules, and by-laws of the court, 10 items  
1802, 1816 & n.d.
- MS 43,910/ 18** Cases, legal opinion and correspondence concerning the valuation of premises recovered in Youghal and the payment of compensation to James Ellis Green and other former occupiers of properties on the Strand, correspondents include Henry Richardson, Thomas Seward, Thomas Harvey, Robert Snow and James Ellis Green, 22 items  
1822-4
- MS 43,910/ 19** Memoranda, accounts, notes and valuations relating to premises recovered in Youghal and the payment of compensation to James Ellis Green and other former occupiers of properties on the Strand, and concerning the issue of leases and collection of rent, 26 items  
1822-5 & 1869
- MS 43,910/ 20** Cases, letters, and papers relating to the valuation of premises recovered in Youghal, the payment of compensation to John Browne, and to the pensions of Miss Browne and Mrs. Carter, 15 items  
1827-49
- MS 43,910/ 21** Assorted labels for legal briefs and bills of costs etc., with a note by Francis E. Curry (19 Nov 1842), 17 items  
1818-42



***V.v.10 Devonshire v. Edward Green and Benjamin Murdoch  
Jackson***

This case concerned two of the members of the Corporation of Youghal then in dispute with the Duke of Devonshire (see section III.v.9). Twenty acres of land on the Strand were reclaimed by the Duke of Devonshire on 3 January 1814, and as a result of this case eviction orders were subsequently issued to Green and Jackson.

V.v.10.A Legal Documents

- MS 43,911/ 1** Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire v. Edward Green: Case on behalf of the plaintiff containing a description of the Town of Youghal and of the respective premises for which the ejectments are brought to recover, with the evidence in support thereof (3 Jan 1814), 1 item  
1814
- MS 43,911/ 2** County of Cork Summer Assizes, 1816. Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire (John Jones), Lord Frederick, Earl of Bessborough, and the Rt. Hon. George Howard (Lord Viscount Morpeth) v. Edward Green: Brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire in a trial at Nisi Prius (24 Aug 1816), 2 items  
1816
- MS 43,911/ 3** County of Cork Summer Assizes, 1816. Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire (John Jones), Lord Frederick, Earl of Bessborough, and the Rt. Hon. George Howard (Lord Viscount Morpeth) v. Edward Green: Brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire in a trial at Nisi Prius (24 Aug 1816), 2 items  
1816
- MS 43,911/ 4** County of Cork Summer Assizes, 1816. Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire (John Jones), Lord Frederick, Earl of Bessborough, and the Rt. Hon. George Howard (Lord Viscount Morpeth) v. Edward Green: Brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire in a trial at Nisi Prius (24 Aug 1816), 1 item  
1816
- MS 43,911/ 5** County of Cork Summer Assizes, 1816. The same v. Benjamin Murdoch Jackson: Brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire in a trial at Nisi Prius (24 Aug 1816), 2 items  
1816
- MS 43,911/ 6** County of Cork Summer Assizes, 1816. The same v. Benjamin Murdoch Jackson: Brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire in a trial at Nisi Prius (24 Aug 1816), 2 items  
1816

- MS 43,911/ 7** County of Cork, Summer Assizes, 1816. The same v. Edward Green: Additional brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire containing a description of the town of Youghal and the plaintiff's proofs, 1 item  
1816
- MS 43,911/ 8** County of Cork Summer Assizes, 1816. The same v. Benjamin Murdoch Jackson: Additional brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire containing a description of the town of Youghal and the plaintiff's proofs, 2 items  
1816
- MS 43,911/ 9** County of Cork Summer Assizes, 1816. The same v. Benjamin Murdoch Jackson: Additional brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire containing a description of the town of Youghal and the plaintiff's proofs, 1 item  
1816
- MS 43,911/ 10** Court of King's Bench. The same v. Edward Green and Benjamin Murdoch Jackson: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff of affidavits on motion for new trial (Nov 1816), 1 item  
1816
- MS 43,911/ 11** Court of Kings Bench. The same v. Edward Green and Benjamin Murdoch Jackson: Copy affidavit of Richard Exham (7 Nov 1816), draft affidavit of Robert Humphreys (Nov 1816), attested copy affidavit of Robert Humphreys (25 Nov 1816), 3 items  
1816
- MS 43,911/ 12** Court of Kings Bench. The same v. Edward Green and Benjamin Murdoch Jackson: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff showing cause why the conditional order to set aside verdict of 9 November 1816 should not be made absolute (13 Jan 1817), 2 items  
1817
- MS 43,911/ 13** Court of Kings Bench. The same v. Edward Green and Benjamin Murdoch Jackson: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff showing cause why the conditional order to set aside verdict of 9 November 1816 should not be made absolute (13 Jan 1817), 1 item  
1817
- MS 43,911/ 14** Court of Kings Bench. The same v. Edward Green and Benjamin Murdoch Jackson: Copy of judge's report (13 Jan 1817), 2 items  
1817

- MS 43,911/ 15** Court of Kings Bench. The same v. Edward Green and Benjamin Murdoch Jackson: Copy of judge's report (13 Jan 1817), 1 item 1817
- MS 43,911/ 16** Court of Kings Bench. The same v. Edward Green and Benjamin Murdoch Jackson: Attested copies of judgements made against Green and Murdoch (12 May 1817), 12 items 1878
- MS 43,911/ 17** Court of Kings Bench. The same v. Edward Green and Benjamin Murdoch Jackson: Attested copies of haberes against Green and Murdoch (12 May 1817 & 23 Jul 1828), 8 items 1817 & 1878

V.v.10.B Counsel Papers

- MS 43,912/ 1** Court of Kings Bench. The same v. Edward Green and Benjamin Murdoch Jackson: Instructions on behalf of plaintiff to advise and direct proofs for trial in these causes (19 Jan 1815), instructions on behalf of plaintiff to advise and direct proofs for trial in these causes (21 Jan 1815), additional instructions to advise proofs on the part of plaintiffs and for general advice (17 Jan 1816), and additional instructions to advise proofs on the part of plaintiffs and for general advice (June 1816), 4 items 1815-6
- MS 43,912/ 2** Instructions for further conferences on the part of the Duke of Devonshire and for the proof of his pedigree, 6 items 1816-8
- MS 43,912/ 3** Rough notes taken on the trial of indictments brought by Edward Green for attack on building house on 5 January 1814 on the Strand of Youghal (8 Apr 1814), notes taken respecting charges of assault and riot on building house on the Strand of Youghal (8 Apr 1814), and County of Cork Summer Assizes, 1816: Lessee of the Duke of Devonshire (John Jones), Lord Frederick, Earl of Bessborough, and the Rt. Hon. George Howard (Lord Viscount Morpeth) v. Edward Green and Benjamin Murdoch Jackson: Notes taken on trial (24 Aug 1816), 3 items 1814-6
- MS 43,912/ 4** Opinions of counsel (including Sergeant Ball, Henry Joy, and Charles Burton) and copies of Sergeant William Johnson's report on the case against Green and Murdoch before the King's Bench, 8 items 1816-8

V.v.10.C Court Papers

- MS 43,913/ 1** Notices and consents, 21 items  
1814-7
- MS 43,913/ 2** Summonses, subpoenas, and orders, 27 items  
1815-6

V.v.10.D Correspondence

- MS 43,914/ 1** Letters and papers of Thomas Seward relating to the Duke of Devonshire's payment of compensation to Edward Green, with instructions for purchasers of properties on Youghal Strand, correspondents include George Roche and Edward Green, 15 items  
1818-20
- MS 43,914/ 2** Letters from Edward Green and Sir James Abercromby to William S. Curry concerning payment of compensation to Edward Green, 12 items  
1822-6

V.v.10.E Costs, Accounts and Associated Papers

- MS 43,915/ 1** Account of plaintiff's costs for the attendance of Thomas Seward at proceedings for the recovery of the strand and waste ground at Youghal from Edward Green and Benjamin Murdoch Jackson, with case respecting expenses incurred by the sheriff of County Cork in recovering premises from Edward Green, 7 items  
1813-24
- MS 43,915/ 2** Report of an Ejectment Cause, before Serjeant Johnson and a Special Jury, at the August Assizes 1816, held in the City of Cork, wherein the Duke of Devonshire was Plaintiff – and Edward Green & Benjamin M. Jackson were Defendants (Cork, 1816), 1 item  
1816
- MS 43,915/ 3** Copies of ejectments and affidavits of their service on Edward Green and Benjamin Murdoch Jackson, 9 items  
1814-5
- MS 43,915/ 4** Returns of the names of jurors on the grand panel of freeholders

of the County of Cork, and lists of special jurors struck against Edward Green and Benjamin Murdoch Jackson, 6 items  
1816

*V.v.11 Miscellaneous Cases (1815-7)*

- MS 43,916/ 1** Instructions to draw declaration concerning tenancy of fields adjoining Mardyke Walk, City of Cork, with correspondence between Daniel Satterford and William S. Curry, letters from Benjamin Popham to Thomas Seward, memorials of Daniel Satterford to Christopher Hely Hutchison, notes, receipts, and account of costs, 20 items  
1815-8
- MS 43,916/ 2** Duke of Devonshire v. Attiwell Wood: Cases (with draft) on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire concerning waste committed by Attiwell Wood and the lease of his premises at Gillabbey, with opinion of Edward Pennefather, 4 items  
1816
- MS 43,916/ 3** Case concerning the Mills of Coolfadda and weirs on the Rivers Brinny and Bandon, 1 item  
c1816
- MS 43,916/ 4** Cases (with draft) on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire concerning the holding of Edward Cotter at Ballymodan, for the opinion of counsel, 3 items  
c1817

*V.v.12 Devonshire v. Benjamin Wilson*

This case concerned the tenancy of Skiddy's Castle, North Main Street, Cork, which had been acquired Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork in 1628.

- MS 43,917/ 1** Law Exchequer: Draft and copy cases on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire, 6 items  
1818-9
- MS 43,917/ 2** Cork Spring Assizes: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff on a trial by Nisi Prius (29 Mar 1819), 3 items  
1819
- MS 43,917/ 3** Opinion and directions of counsel, with proofs for trial, and notices, orders, receipts, and a draft declaration, 12 items  
1818-9

- MS 43,917/ 4** Copies of Benjamin Wilson's proposal for Skiddy's Castle (3 Sep 1816) and record of plea of trespass between Duke of Devonshire and Benjamin Wilson (29 Mar 1819), 2 items
- MS 43,917/ 5** Letters to Thomas Seward from Benjamin Popham, and letter to William Ashby from Thomas Gosnell, 6 items  
1816-19

***V.v.13 Devonshire v. Cork Pipe Water Company***

This case concerned premises at Sunday's Well, near to the City of Cork, which had been leased by the Duke of Devonshire to the Corporation of Cork in trust for the Cork Pipe Water Company in 1792.

- MS 43,918/ 1** Case (with draft) and instructions for counsel to peruse lease, with statement of title, extracts from leases, copy receipt (1755), and notices from Cork Corporation respecting payments for Gillabbey Mills, 7 items  
1819
- MS 43,918/ 2** Letters from Richard Garde and William Lumley to Henry Bowman, Thomas Knowlton, and Benjamin Popham, and letters from Jasper Lucas and Luke Forman to John Heaton, 9 items  
1792-5
- MS 43,918/ 3** Letters from William Lumley to Thomas Knowlton (1809), William Ashby, and Benjamin Popham (1816), and correspondence between Benjamin Popham, William S. Curry, Benjamin Curry, Sir Anthony Perrier (Mayor of Cork), and Robert Travers (1819-21 & 1828), 26 items  
1809-28
- MS 43,918/ 4** Correspondence between William S. Curry and Benjamin Popham, Attiwell Hayes, William Jameson, James Denny, Osbourne Barber, Thomas Walker, and Samuel Perrott concerning the lease of Gill Abbey fishery to Attiwell Hayes, with ejectment notices, 23 items  
1819-24

***V.v.14 Devonshire v. Arthur Keily***

This case concerned a boundary dispute over mountain land at Ballyin and Ballysaggartmore, Co. Waterford.

#### V.v.14.A Legal Documents

- MS 43,919/ 1** Court of Equity Exchequer. The Rt. Hon. Cornelius, Lord Viscount Lismore v. Arthur Kiely and Arthur Gethin Creagh: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff (1819), Court of Equity Exchequer. The Duke of Devonshire v. Arthur Keily: Draft deed of submission to arbitration (1819), and copy deeds of submission to arbitration (3 May 1820 & 11 Sep 1820), 4 items 1819-20
- MS 43,919/ 2** Court of Equity Exchequer. The Duke of Devonshire v. Arthur Keily: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff to be used on the arbitration to be proceeded in on 25 October 1820, 2 items 1820
- MS 43,919/ 3** Court of Equity Exchequer. The Duke of Devonshire v. Arthur Keily: Award (and draft) of arbitrators for perusal and amendment (15 Jan 1821), 2 items 1821

#### V.v.14.B Counsel and Court Papers

- MS 43,920** Instructions concerning Ballysaggartmore furnished by William S. Curry (2 Sep 1819), draft instructions to peruse and amend deed of submission to arbitration and for general advice (8 Dec 1819), notices, subpoenas, and rules, 10 items 1820-1

#### V.v.14.C Correspondence, Costs and Associated Papers

- MS 43,921/ 1** Letters to Thomas Seward from Charles Maunsell, William S. Curry, and Arthur Kiely, 7 items 1819-30
- MS 43,921/ 2** Costs to be taxed pursuant to the terms of the deed of submission, 1 item 1819-22
- MS 43,921/ 3** Information from Matthew Walsh of Arthur Kiely's encroachments on Ballyin mountain (1803), list of persons employed to ascertain the boundaries of the Duke of Devonshire's mountains in the parish of Lismore in 1817, and a certificate of search at the Registry of Deeds (1820), 3 items 1803-20

**MS 43,921/ 4** Memoranda containing lists of the names of witnesses and abstracts of their evidence, with notes and extracts from documents, 10 items  
1819-20

*V.v.15 Devonshire v. George Giles and Edward Hoare v. Giles*

This case concerned a dispute over the tenancy of the College of Youghal, then held by George Giles. The other defendants in the case were Walter Giles, William Stewart Hamilton and Sir William Jackson Homan.

V.v.15.A Legal Documents

**MS 43,922/ 1** Copy case on behalf of Duke of Devonshire respecting premises called the College of Youghal submitted to Mr. Blackburne with his opinion thereon (Aug 1824), Court of Chancery. Duke of Devonshire v. George Giles and others: Draft of bill (5 Jan 1825), fair copy bill (5 Jan 1825), 3 items  
1824-5

**MS 43,922/ 2** Duke of Devonshire v. George Giles and others: Brief on behalf of plaintiff, 3 items  
1825

**MS 43,922/ 3** Duke of Devonshire v. George Giles and others: Copy answers of defendants George and Walter Giles (6 Dec 1825), and William Stewart Hamilton (9 Jun 1826), 6 items  
1825-6

**MS 43,922/ 4** Court of Chancery. Edward Wallis Hoare v. George Giles and others: Copy report of Roderick Connor under order of 26 July 1832 (5 Nov 1832), and Court of Chancery. Walter Giles and others v. Duke of Devonshire: Copy bill for discovery of evidence as to the house called the College of Youghal (11 Mar 1833), 3 items  
1832-3

**MS 43,922/ 5** Court of Chancery. Walter Giles and others v. Duke of Devonshire: Draft answer of defendant (May 1833), In Chancery, Rolls Court. Edward Wallis Hoare (executor of John and Anne Bolton) v. George Giles and others: Brief on behalf of Duke of Devonshire for counsel to appear on the motion mentioned in the within notice (28 Jan 1834), and Hoare v. Giles/Giles v. Duke of Devonshire: Draft deed of compromise and conveyance (Feb 1834), 5 items  
1833-4



V.v.15.B Counsel and Court Papers

- MS 43,923/ 1** Instructions for counsel, 6 items  
1824 & 1833-4
- MS 43,923/ 2** Affidavits, orders, consents, and reports, 13 items  
1825 & 1833-4
- MS 43,923/ 3** Notices and summonses, 24 items  
1824-6 & 1832-3

V.v.15.C Correspondence and Costs

- MS 43,924/ 1** Letters to Thomas Seward, correspondents include William S. Curry, Mr. Furlong, John Dillon, Charles Bushe, and Benjamin Popham, 10 items  
1831-5
- MS 43,924/ 2** Account of legal costs incurred between solicitor and client in several proceedings respecting the mansion house and demesne called the College of Youghal: Duke of Devonshire to Thomas Seward for period 1824-35, with accounts of clerk's costs, 5 items  
1833-5

V.v.15.D Associated Papers

- MS 43,925/ 1** Copy memorial of agreement for sale of the College of Youghal, and searches in the Registry Office for acts by George Giles relating to premises in or near Youghal since 1740, 5 items  
1812-3
- MS 43,925/ 2** Court of Chancery. John Bolton and others v. George Giles and others: Affidavit, charge and discharge, summonses and receipts, 15 items  
1816-23
- MS 43,925/ 3** Case and state of evidence relative to the church livings and rectories of Clonpriest and Ardagh in the Diocese of Cloyne and County of Cork, with the legal opinion of Rt. Hon. John Radcliffe, Judge to the Right Court of Prerogative, 4 items  
1820

**MS 43,925/ 4** Schedules of deeds and leases relating to the College of Youghal, extracts from the Earl of Cork's answer to the information exhibited against him respecting the College, and from the Earl of Cork's diary (27 Jun 1637), a short history of the College, and a letter from Sir James Abercromby to Thomas Seward, 11 items 1820-7

**MS 43,925/ 5** Court of King's Bench: Copies of ejectment brought for recovery of possession of the College of Youghal (15 Jan 1833) and certificate for transfer of stock and a petition and proposal concerning the College of Youghal, 6 items 1833-4

***V.v.16 Devonshire v. Henry Villiers-Stuart***

This case concerned a dispute over ownership of parts of the mountain of Slievegrine, situated between the towns of Youghal and Dungarvan in the barony of Decies within Drum, Co. Waterford, and which constituted the greater part of the parish of Ardmore.

**MS 43,926/ 1** Case for the opinion and advice of Richard Moore (Jun 1826), memoranda of the opinion of counsel (Mr. Waggert) about Slievegrine mountain (31 Aug 1820), the mountain boundary between the lands of the Duke of Devonshire and Mr Chearnley, and respecting the manors of Dungarvan, Affane, Kilmolask, and Bewley as relating to Slievegrine mountain, with a letter from Henry Witham to William S. Curry (20 Aug 1824), 7 items 1820-6

**MS 43,926/ 2** Search in Registry for Acts appearing to recognize or to be in contravention of the right of commonage on Slievegrine mountain (18 Nov 1825), notes of the trial of Mr. Thomas regarding Slievegrine mountain, copy of the Clonmel Advertiser (March 22 1826) containing a report of the trial of Fairclaim v. Curren and Farrell at Waterford Assizes, translation of part of Michael Fitzwilliam's survey of the Manor of Dungarvan (1566), copy list of proprietors of Ardmore parish from the Book of Survey and Distribution, and maps of Slievegrine from the records of the Surveyor General's Office and from Sir William Petty's Map of County Waterford (1683), 8 items 1819-25

**MS 7130** Volumes of entries of leases given out and returned, with memoranda relative to the claim of Viscount Grandison to Slievegrine and Garrynagree, Co. Waterford, 1824, together with particulars of deeds and leases (1611-1820) relating to fishery disputes, and letters and receipts concerning the estates of

William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1825-98.

*V.v.17 The Heathcote Estate*

This case concerned the Duke of Devonshire's purchase of the lands of Garrycloyne, a part of the estate of the late Sir Thomas Heathcote Bt.

- MS 43,927/ 1** Case (with draft) on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire, with further case and observations on title to the Heathcote estates on behalf of his trustees, and an abstract of title with the opinion of Edward Pennefather (20 May 1826), 4 items  
1826
- MS 43,927/ 2** Instructions for counsel to amend draft deeds and instructions on behalf of purchasers (Duke of Devonshire), with opinion of Edward Pennefather, 7 items  
1826
- MS 43,927/ 3** Copy searches in the Registry Office for judgements against Sir William Heathcote and others, memorial of deed of lease and release from William McGuire to Sir William Heathcote (3 & 4 May 1745), and copy assignment of lands in Waterford in trust for Sir William Heathcote from George Heathcote to Marcus Beresford, 1st Earl of Tyrone and others (28 Sep 1743), 3 items  
1826

*V.v.18 Gillabbey Quit Rents*

- MS 43,928/ 1** Case (with draft) and opinion of Edward Pennefather, with memoranda as to quit rent payable out of Gillabbey, schedule of possessions and certificate of payment of rent under the leases of Gillabbey, instructions of William S. Curry to Thomas Seward, and copy order respecting the discharge of Crown rent for Gillabbey, 9 items  
1826
- MS 43,928/ 2** Copy pardon of alienation for Dungarvan (1637), with extracts from the diary of Josuah Boyle (1639), *Monasticon Hibernicum* by Mervyn Archdale, *The History of Ireland* by Sir James Ware, a private Act of Parliament obtained by the Earl of Cork and Burlington (1730), and memoranda and abstract of grants respecting the possessions of Gillabbey, 13 items  
n.d.

***V.v.19 Devonshire v. Richard, Bishop of Waterford and Lismore***

This case concerned the churches of the vicarage and rectories of Kilgobinet and Clashmore in the Diocese of Waterford and Lismore.

**MS 43,929** Copy precept with draft statement of title, abstract of grant of James I, sheriff's writ of *Quare Impedit*, and notices, 8 items  
1827

***V.v.20 Ellen O'Neill v. Samuel Merrick***

This case concerned a boundary dispute over premises on the west side of Main Street, Youghal.

***V.v.20.A Legal Documents***

**MS 43,930/ 1** County of Cork Summer Assizes, 1830. Ellen O'Neill v. Samuel Merrick: Brief on behalf of the defendant on a trial by Nisi Prius pursuant to the annexed notice (26 Jul 1830), 3 items  
1830

**MS 43,930/ 2** Court of King's Bench. Ellen O'Neill v. Samuel Merrick: Brief on behalf of the defendant to direct proofs (Aug 1830), attested copy of judgement (17 Nov 1830), 2 items  
1830

**MS 43,930/ 3** Court of King's Bench. Ellen O'Neill v. Samuel Merrick: Brief on behalf of the defendant to move pursuant to the annexed notices (23 Apr 1831) and brief on behalf of the defendant to oppose the annexed notice and make conditional order absolute (2 May 1831), 4 items  
1831

**MS 43,930/ 4** Court of King's Bench. Ellen O'Neill v. Samuel Merrick: Draft case on behalf of defendant, forming part of draft brief for trial at summer assizes (1831), and County of Cork Summer Assizes, 1831. Ellen O'Neill v. Samuel Merrick: Brief on behalf of the defendant on a trial by Nisi Prius (3 Aug 1831), 4 items  
1831

**MS 43,930/ 5** Court of King's Bench. Ellen O'Neill v. Samuel Merrick: Brief on behalf of Elizabeth Merrick, widow and relict of deceased defendant to move to show case against the conditional order in this cause, pursuant to the annexed notice (8 May 1832), 2 items  
1832

V.v.20.B Counsel and Court Papers

- MS 43,931/ 1** Instructions to counsel, 8 items  
1830-3
- MS 43,931/ 2** Drafts and attested copies of affidavits, 13 items  
1830-3
- MS 43,931/ 3** Drafts and attested copies of affidavits, 15 items  
1830-3
- MS 43,931/ 4** Notices, 42 items  
1830-3
- MS 43,931/ 5** Orders, consents, rules, summonses, memoranda of cross examinations of witnesses, a draft plea, and the award with fair copy, 18 items  
1830-2 [*One item badly damaged and fragile*]

V.v.20.C Correspondence

- MS 43,932/ 1** Correspondence concerning the property and matters arising from the legal proceedings, correspondents include Thomas Seward, William S. Curry, Henry Witham, Samuel Merrick, Denis Bruce, and Patrick Lawler, 26 items  
1828-30 [*Some items damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,932/ 2** Correspondence concerning matters arising from the legal case, correspondents include Thomas Seward, William S. Curry, Henry Witham, Samuel Merrick, John Donovan, and G.R. Paine, 32 items  
Mar-Jul 1831 [*Some items damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,932/ 3** Correspondence concerning matters arising from the legal case, correspondents include Thomas Seward, William S. Curry, Henry Witham, Robert Bennett, Eliza Merrick, John Pollock, Alexander Deane, and G.R. Paine, 26 items  
Aug 1831-1832 [*Some items damaged and fragile*]

V.v.20.D Costs, Accounts and Associated Papers

- MS 43,933/ 1** Accounts of costs under order and of the defendant's costs, with receipts and a summons to tax costs, 16 items  
1830-3

**MS 43,933/ 2** Samuel Merrick's proposal for premises in Youghal, a sketch and ground plan of the premises, a memorandum regarding the lease, and a list of members of jury panel at County of Cork summer assizes of 1830, 4 items  
1829-30

***V.v.21 Thomas Usher v. John Scanlan and Others***

This case concerned a dispute over the lands of South Cloghane, Co. Cork.

**MS 43,934/ 1** Briefs on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire for counsel, with draft and copy affidavits by Alexander Swanston, 4 items  
1843

**MS 43,934/ 2** Instructions, notices, memoranda, extracts from rent accounts, and correspondence between Francis E. Curry, Thomas Seward, Edward Callaghan, and Henry Witham, 24 items  
1839-43

***V.v.22 Miscellaneous Cases (1864-80)***

**MS 43,935/ 1** Copy opinion of counsel regarding Coolfadda Mills, with letters to Francis E. Curry and J.R. Berwick from William Shaw and Edward Bell, 6 items  
1864-6

**MS 43,935/ 2** Letters to Francis E. Curry from J.R. Berwick and William, 6th Duke of Devonshire concerning a legal dispute over the lands of Carhue (Sarah Barter v. John B. Barter), with newspaper cutting, 10 items  
1880

**V.vi Trespass**

***V.vi.1 Miscellaneous Cases (1722-1807)***

**MS 43,936/ 1** Affidavits, informations and accounts of trespass committed in the Earl of Cork & Burlington's woods, with a report by Jeremy Coughlan, a valuation and letters from William Dalton and Richard Power, 22 items  
1722-37

**MS 43,936/ 2** Depositions of witnesses and legal opinion concerning the removal of timber from the woods of the Earl of Cork and

Burlington, 4 items  
1729-33

**MS 43,936/ 3** Deposition of John Maunsell in case of Thomas Magrath v. John Smith concerning trespass at a fishery at Templemichael (27 Apr 1798), 1 item  
1798

**MS 43,936/ 4** Richard Lynch v. Daniel Lyons and others: Cases on behalf of plaintiff concerning concerning trespass and damage of grass on Scour Island demised to Richard Lynch, tavern keeper at Sunday's Well, Cork, with order, notices, draft and copy declaration, account of costs, receipt, and copy proposal and lease, 12 items  
1806-7

### ***V.vi.2 William Kilmartin v. Joseph Pigot Rogers***

This case involved the illegal removal of sand and gravel from the Strand at Youghal. It was brought against Joseph Rogers by William Kilmartin, as Superintendent of the Strand, on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire.

**MS 43,937/ 1** County of Cork, Middleton Sessions. The King at the prosecution of William Kilmartin v. Joseph P. Rogers: Brief on behalf of the prosecutor with copy of information (31 Jul & 4 Oct 1819), 2 items  
1819

**MS 43,937/ 2** Cases on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire for conference with Sergeant Charles Burton (12 & 22 Nov 1819), and instructions for and opinions of counsel, 4 items  
1819

**MS 43,937/ 3** Affidavits of William Kilmartin and Thomas Seward, 6 items  
1819

### ***V.vi.3 Youghal Strand***

This case also concerned offences against the rights of the Duke of Devonshire in the property of the Strand of Youghal.

**MS 43,938/ 1** Drafts of statements on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire regarding powers vested in magistrates under the Act of 9 Geo. IV, c. 56, s. 30 as to trespasses on the Strand of Youghal, statement by way of case on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire

on the subject of the powers vested in magistrates for the punishment of offenders against his rights in the property of the Strand of Youghal, copy of the opinion and advice of counsel thereon, and various notes and memoranda, 9 items  
1835-6

**MS 43,938/ 2** Correspondence between Thomas Seward, William S. Curry, Henry Witham, Robert Lamb, and J. Cartwright, 11 items  
1831 & 1835-6

## **V.vii Miscellaneous Legal Cases**

### ***V.vii.1 Acts of Settlement and Explanation***

For additional information on this topic, see section I.v.11.A.

**MS 43,939/ 1** Copy of the report of the Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork to the Commissioners appointed for executing the Acts of Settlement and Explanation respecting his claims to lands in Munster and Connaught, 1 item  
c1654

**MS 43,939/ 2** Copies of orders issued by the Commissioners for the adjudication of claims concerning the claim of Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork to the lands of Camphire and O'Kill (7 Oct 1654), and Pilltown and Dungarvan (10 Oct 1654), 2 items  
1654

**MS 43,939/ 3** Copies of decrees issued by the Commissioners for the adjudication of claims concerning the claims of Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Charles Walley (7 & 10 Oct 1654), 2 items  
1654

**MS 43,939/ 4** Copy of the interrogatories to be administered to witnesses produced on behalf of Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork (complainant) against William Basill (Attorney General) concerning his claim to lands in County Waterford, 1 item  
16 Nov 1657

**MS 43,939/ 5** Copy of an address to the Lord Chancellor and Baron of the Court of Exchequer concerning the claims of Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork to lands in County Waterford, with depositions of witnesses, 2 items  
c1657 [*One item damaged & fragile*]

**MS 43,939/ 6** Papers relating to the Acts of Settlement and Explanation,



including the examination of John Nugent (8 Sep 1669) and the Commissioners' orders and reports concerning the Earl of Cork's mortgages and lands, 6 items  
1666-9

**MS 43,939/ 7** The claim of Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington for £287.0.3 out of the estates of Dononghoe Brien (31 Jul 1686), 1 item  
1686

### *V.vii.1 Richard Bagge v. Cork*

Richard Bagge was an agent of the Earl of Cork and Burlington at Lismore (see sections V.iii.4 and VI.ii.1). He was accused of corruption and dismissed in 1700 and a law case was pursued against him over many years to recover arrears he was said to have owed to the estate. Bagge duly retaliated by suing the Earl of Cork and Burlington for unpaid salary.

**MS 43,940/ 1** Cases and legal opinion of Richard Turner, with a bill, order, affidavit and account of costs concerning Richard Bagge's demands for the retrospective payment of his salary as agent to the Earl of Cork and Burlington and Countess Burlington, 9 items  
1703-31 [*Some items damaged and fragile*]

**MS 43,940/ 2** Letter from William Congreve to Charles Boyle, 3rd Earl of Cork and Burlington (8 Jun 1700) concerning the claims of Richard Bagge, with accounts of rents, arrears, debts, and articles claimed, 19 items  
1700-31 [*Some items damaged and fragile*]

### *V.vii.2 Miscellaneous Cases (1719-76)*

**MS 43,941/ 1** Cases, instructions, depositions, affidavits, and a judgement respecting various cases, including Clonakilty market and fair (1720), duty on goods landed at Tallowbridge wharf (1723), Athy Turnpike (1745), Bandon Manor Mill (1771), and the Freemen of Youghal (1772), 9 items  
1719-72

**MS 43,941/ 2** Declarations concerning a legal dispute between Zorobabel Robinet and John Connell, 2 items  
1735

**MS 43,941/ 3** Case, answers and opinions concerning bills of complaint against

William Conner, Jonathan Burward, and Francis Carleton  
concerning the collection of rents, 5 items  
1736-76 [*Some items damaged and fragile*]

***V.vii.3 Hamilton Knox Grogan v. Devonshire***

This case concerned a payment of compensation for the loss of tolls from the Ferry of Dungarvan (granted to James Roche in 1695), following the erection of a bridge in Dungarvan by the Duke of Devonshire.

**MS 43,942/ 1** Cases on behalf of Hamilton Knox Grogan (a minor), with draft case and opinions of counsel (William Waggert and Henry Joy), and draft deed of submission between Hamilton Knox Grogan and the Duke of Devonshire, 6 items  
1817

**MS 43,942/ 2** Court of Chancery: Instructions for counsel, statement on behalf of the defendant, copy of Master's report and a summons, and letters to Thomas Seward from William Ashby, John Hudson, and Charles Ormsby, 12 items  
1817-8

***V.vii.4 Dungarvan Cases (1820-43)***

**MS 43,943/ 1** Cases on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire and the Harbour Master of Dungarvan respecting the right of the Duke of Devonshire to wrecks of the sea, with affidavit, statement, evidence, and memorandum, 6 items  
1820-1

**MS 43,943/ 2** Devonshire v. Billet Master of Dungarvan: Draft cases on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire respecting the right of billeting troops at Dungarvan, with draft notices to be served on Samuel Croker, Chief Constable of Police, 9 items  
1823-4 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]

**MS 43,943/ 3** Devonshire v. Billet Master of Dungarvan: Case on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire, 1 item  
1824

**MS 43,943/ 4** Draft case on behalf of John Hudson, with memoranda, letters from Richard Greene and Henry Witham to Thomas Seward, and a statement by John Hudson of the difficulties in executing the duties of Senechal of Dungarvan, with copy opinion of the Solicitor General on case on behalf of John Hudson respecting

Dungarvan Harbour (5 Oct 1843), 6 items  
1827 & 1843

**MS 43,943/ 5** Presentment (with copy) at a Court Leet or view of Frankpledge in and for the Manor of Dungarvan (22 Jul 1825), 1 item  
1825

***V.vii.6 Devonshire v. Charles Maunsell***

This case concerned a bill of costs furnished to the Duke of Devonshire by Charles Maunsell in the matter of the purchase of the Heathcote estate in 1826.

**MS 43,944** Observations on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire, with opinion of Josias Dunne, notice, bills of costs, and correspondence between Charles Maunsell, William S. Curry, Josias Dunne, and Thomas Seward, 21 items  
1831 [*Some items very fragile*]

***V.vii.7 Tallow Almshouses***

**MS 43,945** Case concerning the construction of Tallow Almshouses in accordance with the will of John Boyce, with instructions for preparation of leases, memorandum, letter from William S. Curry and Rev. John O'Meara to Thomas Seward, and extract from the probate of the will granted to Thomas Boyce (20 Oct 1829), 7 items  
1832-3 [*Some fragile items*]

***V.viii.8 Embankment of Youghal Slob***

This case concerned the Duke of Devonshire's liability for the expense of work on the enclosure and embankment of the Slob at Youghal, which was executed by the Board of Works under the provisions of the Irish Drainage Acts.

**MS 43,946/ 1** Case and opinion of Francis E. Curry and H.H. Dodgson in the matter of the Irish Drainage Acts (12 Jun 1851), with covering letter from Francis E. Curry to Basil Orpin (27 Jun 1851), 3 items  
1851

**MS 43,946/ 2** Case and opinion of W.F. Channell and Percival Pickering (21 Feb 1852), and of Francis E. Curry and Roundell Palmer (26 & 31 Jan 1857) in respect of the Duke of Devonshire's liability for the expense of works for the embankment of the Slob at Youghal executed under the provisions of the Irish Drainage Acts, with notice of Commissioners of Public Works (18 Feb 1857), and

correspondence between William S. Curry, Francis E. Curry, and Alexander Stewart (26 Mar-2 May 1857), 11 items  
1852-7

***V.vii.9 James Reidy and Richard Jones v. Francis E. Curry***

This case was pursued against Francis E. Curry in his capacity as Chairman of the Lismore Gas, Coal and Coke Company and concerned a dispute over the patent for Hydro Carbon Gas.

**MS 43,947** Brief on behalf of the defendant for counsel to draw pleas and advise proofs, with opinion of counsel (23 Feb 1854), notice of filing petition, copy demurrer, and copy of contract from James Reidy to Francis E. Curry (9 Sep 1852), 7 items  
1852-4

***V.vii.10 Devonshire v. Attorney General***

This case concerned a dispute over the trusteeship of the Tallow Refuge Charity.

**MS 43,948/ 1** Chancery. Trinity Term 1856: Briefs on behalf of the respondent (Rev. John O'Meara) and the petitioner (Duke of Devonshire) on the hearing of general cause petition, with cause petition and copy (with draft) of scheme submitted by respondent, 8 items  
1856

**MS 43,948/ 2** Case and instructions on behalf of the respondent, with copy reports (and covering letters), affidavits, general orders in Chancery, consent, ruling, summons, and certificate of transfer of trust fund to new trustees, 16 items  
1856

***V.vii.11 Ballydehob Manor***

This case concerned the right of the Duke of Devonshire to unclaimed wrecks in the Manor of Ballydehob, Co. Cork.

**MS 43,949/ 1** Abstracts of title of the Duke of Devonshire to wrecks of the sea &c. within the Manor of Ballydehob, the Barony of Imokilly, Co. Cork, and the Manor of Dungarvan, Co. Waterford (18 Oct 1862), 2 items  
1862

**MS 43,949/ 2** Inland Revenue: Briefs on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire as to wrecks of the sea in the Manor of Ballydehob (18 Oct & 25

Nov 1862), 3 items  
1862

**MS 43,949/ 3** Memoranda taken on hearing of case with search in the Landed Estates Record Office and a copy of the Daily Express (11 Nov 1862), 3 items  
1862

#### ***V.vii.12 Youghal Bridge***

**MS 43,950** Case concerning a legal dispute (Duke of Devonshire v. Neill & others) over the construction of Youghal Bridge, with the opinion of counsel, a notice to occupiers, and letters to Francis E. Curry from J. Hodnett and the Office of Public Works, 6 items  
1875-9

### **V.viii Incumbered Estates Court**

The manuscripts in this section concern the sale of various properties in the counties Cork and Waterford under the auspices of the Incumbered Estates Court. The court was established in 1849 to deal with the huge number of foreclosures that resulted from the Great Famine by expediting the sale of land in Ireland.

#### ***V.viii.1 George B. Jackson***

The estates of George Bennett Jackson consisted of the mansion house and demesne lands of Glanbeg and West Ballygally on the southern bank of the River Blackwater, Co. Waterford.

**MS 43,951** Rental and particulars of the estate of George B. Jackson to be sold by public auction by the Commissioners for the Sale of Incumbered Estates (18 Jun 1850), with a brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire (24 Oct 1850), orders, notices, draft conveyances, and letters from Francis E. Curry and Thomas Foley to Basil Orpin, 15 items  
1850-3

#### ***V.viii.2 Thomas P. Carew***

The estate of Thomas P. Carew consisted of premises in the town and manor of Dungarvan, Co. Waterford.

**MS 43,952/ 1** Briefs on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire (10 Jan, 22 May & 22 Dec 1851), 3 items  
1851

- MS 43,952/ 2** Case and affidavits, 7 items  
1851-3
- MS 43,952/ 3** Commissioner's conveyance to the Duke of Devonshire (3 Mar 1854), with certificate of quit rents, and final notice to tenants, 4 items  
1851-4

***V.viii.3 Robert P. Ronayne***

The estate of Robert Power Ronayne consisted of Pike Park in the town of Youghal, Co. Cork and the lands of D'Loughtane in the Barony of Decies Within Drum, Co. Waterford.

- MS 43,953/ 1** Rental and particulars of the estate of Robert P. Ronayne to be sold by public auction by the Commissioners for the Sale of Incumbered Estates (20 Jun 1851 & 15 Oct 1851), 4 items  
1851
- MS 43,953/ 2** Brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire (3 May 1851), with affidavits, orders, and rulings, 8 items  
1850-1
- MS 43,953/ 3** Commissioner's conveyance (and draft) of rent charge out of Magnier's Hill to the Duke of Devonshire (5 Aug 1851), and letter from Henry Hemming to Basil Orpin (23 Mar 1852), 3 items  
1851-2

***V.viii.4 Arthur Bernard***

The estate of Arthur Beamish Bernard consisted of Teadies and other townlands in County Cork.

- MS 43,954** Rental and particulars of the estate of Arthur Bernard to be sold by public auction by the Commissioners for the Sale of Incumbered Estates (26 Jun 1851), with a brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire (Aug 1850), and a legal search, 3 items  
1850-1

***V.viii.5 Daniel Connor***

The estates of Daniel Connor consisted of lands in the Baronies of East and West Muskerry and East Carbery, Co. Cork.

- MS 43,955/ 1** Rental and particulars of the estate of Daniel Connor to be sold by public auction by the Commissioners for the Sale of Incumbered Estates (9 Jul 1852), 1 item  
1852
- MS 43,955/ 2** Brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire with orders, notices, and memoranda, 6 items  
1850

***V.viii.6 Henry Parker***

The estate of Captain Henry Parker consisted of Old and New Connehy, Cherrymount and other townlands in Gillabbey, Co. Cork.

- MS 43,956/ 1** Rental and particulars of the estate of Henry Parker and others to be sold by public auction by the Commissioners for the Sale of Incumbered Estates (11 Jul 1851), 1 item  
1851
- MS 43,956/ 2** Instructions for counsel, affidavits, and notices, 18 items  
1851-3
- MS 43,956/ 3** Copies of the Commissioner's conveyance of the lands of Gill Abbey to the Duke of Devonshire (16 Aug 1851), 5 items  
1851
- MS 43,956/ 4** Miscellaneous papers, including an abstract of proposals for purchase, copies and extracts of deeds and leases (1739 & 1827), claims, searches, receipts, and a summons and ruling of the Commissioners, 15 items  
1851-3
- MS 43,956/ 5** Correspondence between Basil Orpin, Francis E. Curry, and Alexander Swanston, and correspondence with Thomas Connell regarding Henry Parker's proposal for Green Park boundary wall (1847), 30 items  
1847-52

***V.viii.7 Richard, Earl of Shannon***

The estate of Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Shannon consisted of lands in the counties Cork and Waterford.

- MS 43,957/ 1** Rental and particulars of the estate of the Earl of Shannon to be

sold by public auction by the Commissioners for the Sale of Incumbered Estates (13 Jul 1852), 1 item  
1852

- MS 43,957/ 2** Briefs on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire, Alexander Swanston, and E.C. Munns, with brief abstract of deeds (30 Mar 1745 & 20 Jan 1827), and draft deeds of attornment, 7 items  
1851-3
- MS 43,957/ 3** Affidavits, objections, notices, and rulings, 10 items  
1852
- MS 43,957/ 4** Copies of the Commissioner's conveyances to Alexander Swanston, E.C. Munns and others, with letter from Basil Orpin to Henry Hemming, 9 items  
1852-4
- MS 43,957/ 5** Correspondence between Alexander Swanston and Basil Orpin, with notes and memoranda, abstracts from leases of the purchases of Alexander Swanston and E.C. Munns, statements of rent charge, and a list of purchasers situated in the parish of Ballymodan, Co. Cork, 12 items  
1852-4

#### ***V.viii.8 Lord Audley***

The estate of the Rt. Hon. George Edward Thicknesse-Touchet, 21st Baron Audley consisted of English Island, Ardagh East, Lislinane and various other townlands in the baronies of East and West Carberry, Bere and Bantry, Co. Cork.

- MS 43,958/ 1** Rental and particulars of the estate of Lord Baron Audley to be sold by public auction by the Commissioners for the Sale of Incumbered Estates (9 Nov 1852), 1 item  
1852
- MS 43,958/ 2** Abstracts of proceedings, draft affidavits, orders, and notices, 14 items  
1849-54
- MS 43,958/ 3** Correspondence between Charles Woodward, Basil Orpin, Francis E. Curry, and Alexander Swanston, with notes, a copy of the Commissioner's conveyance to Alexander Swanston, and final notice to claimants, 11 items  
1852-4



*V.viii.9 George Wyse*

The estate of George Wyse consisted of lands in County Waterford.

- MS 43,959** Rental and particulars of the estate of George Wyse to be sold by public auction by the Commissioners for the Sale of Incumbered Estates (10 Dec 1852), with affidavits, notices, and extracts from the Applotment Book for the parish of AGLISH, 7 items  
1852

*V.viii.10 Robert Tresilian*

The estate of Robert Tresilian consisted of the lands of South Cahir and part of the lands of North Cahir, Co. Cork.

- MS 43,960** Rental and particulars of the estate of Robert Tresilian to be sold by public auction by the Commissioners for the Sale of Incumbered Estates (12 Apr 1853), with orders, notices, memoranda of proceedings, a draft conveyance to Mary Longfield, and letters to Basil Orpin from Alexander Swanston and Thomas Sullivan, 15 items  
1852-3

*V.viii.11 Earl of Bantry*

This estate of the Rt. Hon. Richard White, 2nd Earl of Bantry consisted of a part of the Bantry Estate situated in the baronies of East Carbery, Bere, and Bantry, Co. Cork

- MS 43,961** Rental and particulars of the estate of the Earl of Bantry to be sold by public auction by the Commissioners for the Sale of Incumbered Estates (25 Nov 1853), 1 item  
1853

*V.viii.12 Arthur and John Ussher*

The estate of Arthur and John Ussher consisted of lands in counties Cork, Waterford and Tipperary.

- MS 43,962/ 1** Rental and particulars of the estate of Arthur and John Ussher to be sold by public auction by the Commissioners for the Sale of Incumbered Estates (19 May 1854), 2 items  
1854
- MS 43,962/ 2** Rental and particulars of the estate of Arthur and John Ussher to be sold by public auction by the Commissioners for the Sale of Incumbered Estates (19 May 1854), with brief on behalf of the

Duke of Devonshire, and preliminary notice of the Duke of Devonshire's rights (4 May 1854), 3 items  
1854

***V.viii.13 Richard H. Gumbleton***

**MS 43,963** Rulings and orders of Commissioners (May-Jul 1854), and copy conveyances, 5 items  
1854 & 1868

***V.viii.14 Richard Evanson***

The estate of Richard Tonson Evanson consisted of the lands of Drumreagh and Ardoginane in the barony of West Carbery, Co. Cork.

**MS 43,964** Brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire, with copy memorial of lease (12/13 Apr 1738), affidavit, order, and notice, 5 items  
1854

***V.viii.15 Anne Giles***

The estate of Anne Croker Giles consisted of a part of the Clonlea Estate, Co. Waterford, and a part of the lands of Muckridge, Co. Cork.

**MS 43,965/ 1** Rental and particulars of the estate of Anne Giles to be sold by public auction by the Commissioners for the Sale of Incumbered Estates (28 Nov 1854) 2 items

**MS 43,965/ 2** Rental and particulars of the estate of Anne Giles to be sold by public auction by the Commissioners for the Sale of Incumbered Estates (27 Nov 1855 & 17 Jun 1856), 3 items

**MS 43,965/ 3** Briefs on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire, with copy affidavits, 4 items  
1856 [*Damaged and fragile*]

**MS 43,965/ 4** Orders, report and schedule of rent charges pertaining to the parish of Clonlea, copy of tithe applotment for parish (14 Jan 1834), and accompanying letter, 6 items  
1855-7

***V.viii.16 Sir Richard Keane***

**MS 43,966** Copies of the Commissioner's conveyances to Sir John Henry

Keane, E. Musgrave, and others, with order directing one part of the bed of the River Blackwater to be conveyed to purchasers, 8 items  
1855-6

*V.viii.17 William Baldwin*

The estate of William Baldwin consisted of lands in County Cork.

**MS 43,967** Rental and particulars of the estate of William Baldwin to be sold by public auction by the Commissioners for the Sale of Incumbered Estates (26 Nov 1855), with notices and receipts of conveyances, and a letter from Alexander Swanston to Basil Orpin, 8 items  
1855-6

*V.viii.18 Edward Foot*

The estate of Edward Foot consisted of a part of the lands of Lireathalure, Co. Cork.

**MS 43,968/ 1** Rental and particulars of the estate of Edward Foot to be sold by public auction by the Commissioners for the Sale of Incumbered Estates (18 Oct 1856), with affidavits, orders, and notices, 14 items  
1856-7

**MS 43,968/ 2** Correspondence between Basil Orpin, Edward Callaghan, Francis E. Curry, Alexander Swanston, and H. Noblett, 15 items  
1856-7

*V.viii.19 John Keily*

The estate of John Keily consisted of lands situated in the barony of Coshmore and Coshbride and the Town of Dungarvan, Co. Waterford.

**MS 43,969/ 1** Rental and particulars of the estate of John Keily to be sold by public auction by the Commissioners for the Sale of Incumbered Estates (25 Nov 1856) and rental and particulars of the adjourned lots of the estate of John Keily to be sold by public auction by the Commissioners for the Sale of Incumbered Estates (31 Mar 1857), 3 items  
1856-7

**MS 43,969/ 2** Briefs on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire on adjourned motion (7 & 14 Nov 1856), 2 items  
1856

- MS 43,969/ 3** Further briefs on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire, 6 items  
1856-7
- MS 43,969/ 4** Instructions for counsel with draft of counsel's costs, affidavits, orders, and notices, 15 items  
1856-7
- MS 43,969/ 5** Rental of the Kilcockan and Dungarvan estates of John Kiely, map of part of Clougherkane in the tenancy of the Poor Law Commissioners, schedules and apportionments of rent-charge on sale properties, and instructions and memoranda concerning their calculation, 19 items  
1856
- MS 43,969/ 6** Copies of Commissioners conveyances to various persons, 16 items  
1856-8
- MS 43,969/ 7** Copy leases: John Kiely to Poor Law Commissioners for land in Dungarvan Union (13 Feb 1855), John Kiely to Mathew Hurley for part of lands of East Newport (25 Mar 1831), John Kiely to James Hiney for part of lands of East Newport (11 Jun 1825), and copy memorials from Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington to Mr. Kiely (18 Sep 1738 & 21 Jul 1743), and from Commissioners of Incumbered Estates to Mr. Kiely (5 May 1858), 6 items  
1856-8
- MS 43,969/ 8** Correspondence between Basil Orpin, Francis E. Curry, H.K. Hemming, and A. Durdin, 10 items  
1856

***V.viii.20 Cornelius Mair***

The estate of Cornelius Mair consisted of lands in the Bandon district, Co. Cork.

- MS 43,970/ 1** Briefs on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire (20 Jan & 26 Feb 1858), with affidavits, notice, and ruling, 9 items  
1858 [*Two documents damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,970/ 2** Miscellaneous papers relating to land transactions carried out under the Incumbered Estates Court, including a rental of the estate of Henry Dennehy at Ballyvooney, copies of conveyances of the estate of Richard Henry Beecher, letters and papers concerning the Levinge estate, and a memorial of conveyance of fee farm rent for part of Abbeyside to Roger Baker, 14 items

1850-7

- MS 43,970/ 3** Accounts of miscellaneous legal costs incurred by the Duke of Devonshire in the Incumbered Estates Court for the periods 1851-4, 1855-6 and 1856-8, 3 items  
1854-8

### **V.ix Landed Estates Court**

The manuscripts in this section concern the sale of various properties in the counties Cork and Waterford under the auspices of the Landed Estates Court, which was established in 1858 to deal with unincumbered as well as incumbered estates.

#### ***V.ix.1 The Old Barracks, Youghal***

- MS 43,971** Rental of house and premises in South Great George's St., Dublin, premises known as The Old Barrack Lands at Youghal, and part of the lands of Crinkhill near Birr, King's Co., to be sold at the Landed Estates Court, Dublin (11 May 1860), with copy petition for sale of the Old Barracks, Youghal furnished by the principal secretary of state for the War Department (9 Jun 1859), 2 items  
1859-60

#### ***V.ix.2 Duke of Devonshire's Estate in Youghal Town***

This sale concerned the estate of the Duke of Devonshire situated in and adjacent to the town of Youghal. Being one of the two most expensive and contentious parts of the estate to manage, a decision to sell the Duke's holdings in the town was taken in 1858. The estate was disposed of as one lot to David Leopold Lewis for £60,000. The purchase agreement was signed in November 1860 and the deal was completed two years later. For further information on the sale, see sections I.v.2, III.xvii.2, VI.vi.3 and in various parts of section V.

- MS 43,972/ 1** Briefs and a statement (12 Aug 1860) on behalf of the owner and petitioner, instructions for counsel, observations and instructions of counsel, summary of questions, and judge's directions, 13 items  
1860-1 [Some items in very poor condition]
- MS 43,972/ 2** Affidavits and declarations, 6 items  
1861
- MS 43,972/ 3** Orders and notices, 18 items  
1860-2
- MS 43,972/ 4** Schedules of leases, premises, and occupiers of Youghal

- properties, 4 items  
c1861
- MS 43,972/ 5** Final notice to tenants, with copies of conditions of sale and deed of indemnity from the Duke of Devonshire to Lord Frederick Charles Cavendish respecting schoolhouses and almshouses at Youghal, Lismore and Bandon, 7 items  
1861
- MS 43,972/ 6** Copies (and drafts) of conveyance from Landed Estate Court to David Leopold Lewis of premises in Youghal (2 Aug 1861), with objection and petition and accompanying papers, 9 items
- MS 43,972/ 7** Abstract of title of owner and petitioner (1 Dec 1860), copy certificate of Court of Claims, and copy warrant of Lord Deputy for letters patent to issue for houses and lands at Youghal to Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington (10 Jul & 28 Dec 1668), 3 items  
1860
- MS 43,972/ 8** Copies of a grant of probate of the will of William, 5th Duke of Devonshire (15 Aug 1811), memorials of Sutherland to Hartley and Hartley to Groom (27 & 28 Mar 1838), conveyance from Landed Estates Court to William Carbury (28 Jul 1853), and the burial certificate of Louisa Vigoureaux (17 Apr 1860), 6 items
- MS 43,972/ 9** Certificates, receipts, an acknowledgement, and an account, 6 items  
1861-2

### ***V.ix.3 Duke of Devonshire's Estate in Dungarvan Town***

This sale concerned the estate of the Duke of Devonshire situated in and adjacent to the town of Dungarvan. The Duke's scattered holdings at Dungarvan were sold off piecemeal during 1859-61, first on liberal terms to occupying tenants, with the remainder being disposed of through the Landed Estates Court. The sales realized a total of £29,500. For further information on the sale, see sections I.v.2, III.xvii.2, VI.vi.3 and in various parts of section V.

- MS 43,973/ 1** Rental and particulars of sale of the freehold estates of the Duke of Devonshire situated in and adjacent to the Town of Dungarvan, Co. Waterford to be sold at the Landed Estates Court, Dublin (20 Jul 1861), 1 item  
1861
- MS 43,973/ 2** Abstract of title by way of case for counsel regarding Lot 17

(‘Clancy’s Lot), with counsel’s opinion in reference to deed of covenant to be annexed to conveyance of Lot 17, and briefs on behalf of the owner and petitioner to apply for appeal and to move motion for a conversion order (11 & 20 Apr 1861), 5 items  
1861

- MS 43,973/ 3** Affidavits of service of final notice on tenants, 5 items  
1861
- MS 43,973/ 4** Affidavits, orders, and consents, 15 items  
1861-2
- MS 43,973/ 5** Notices of settling rental and final notice to tenants (6 Dec 1860), 12 items  
1860-1
- MS 43,973/ 6** Copy conveyances from Landed Estates Court to various persons, 34 items  
1861-2
- MS 43,973/ 7** Searches for judgements and names, judge’s directions on title and searches, certificates of existence and registry, and memoranda respecting the Dungarvan property purchased from Sir Thomas Osbourne in 1809, 10 items  
1860-1
- MS 43,973/ 8** Schedules and receipts for leases and deeds, with copy account of owner and petitioner, 8 items  
1860-2 [*Account in poor condition*]

#### ***V.ix.4 Arthur Ussher***

The estate of Arthur Ussher consisted of the lands of Ballysaggartmore and Coolishall, and of Ballyharrahan and Tercullen, Co. Waterford.

- MS 43,974/ 1** Rental and particulars of the estate of Arthur Ussher to be sold by public auction by the Commissioners for the Sale of Incumbered Estates (13 Mar 1864), 3 items  
1864
- MS 43,974/ 2** Rental and particulars of the estate of Arthur Ussher to be sold by public auction by the Commissioners for the Sale of Incumbered Estates (13 Mar & 13 Nov 1864), 7 items  
1864
- MS 43,974/ 3** Rental and particulars of the estate of Arthur Ussher to be sold

- by public auction by the Commissioners for the Sale of Incumbered Estates (27 May 1864), with brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire pursuant to the within notices (6 Nov 1863), 2 items  
1863-4
- MS 43,974/ 4** Rental and particulars of the estate of Arthur Ussher to be sold by public auction by the Commissioners for the Sale of Incumbered Estates (27 May 1864), with amended maps, list of purchasers, and supposed prices of the lots, 6 items  
1864
- MS 43,974/ 5** Instructions to counsel, with reports and queries, 7 items  
1863-4
- MS 43,974/ 6** Copy affidavits of Arthur Usher, Charles Maunsell, and Basil Orpin, 8 items  
1863 [*Three items damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,974/ 7** Orders and notices, 11 items  
1863-4 [*One item damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,974/ 8** Conveyances of portions of the estate of Arthur Ussher to John Ussher, William Morton Woodroffe, and the Duke of Devonshire, 10 items  
1863-4
- MS 43,974/ 9** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry, Basil Orpin, C. Langley, and Joseph Higgins, valuations of Lots 2 & 4, an abstract from a letter patent of 3 Mar 1613, and accounts of the costs of the sale of estate, 9 items  
1862-4

#### ***V.ix.5 Thomas Foley***

The estate of Thomas Foley consisted of the lands of Garrawnbawn, Co. Waterford and of Friarsgrange, Co. Tipperary.

- MS 43,975** Rental and particulars of sale of the estate of Thomas Foley to be sold at the Landed Estates Court, Dublin (10 May 1864), 1 item  
1864

#### ***V.ix.6 David Leopold Lewis***



The estate of David Leopold Lewis consisted of land and premises situated in and adjacent to the town of Youghal, Co. Cork, which he had purchased from the Duke of Devonshire in 1860-2 (see section III.ix.2). In 1868, he sold the property to the Town Commissioners of Youghal.

**MS 43,976/ 1** Rental and particulars of sale of the estate of David Leopold Lewis to be sold at the Landed Estates Court, Dublin (5 May 1868), with a map of Youghal, 2 items  
1868

**MS 43,976/ 2** Conveyance (and draft) of the estate of David Leopold Lewis to the Town Commissioners of Youghal, with notices, instructions for counsel thereon, and costs of conveyance, 7 items  
1869-70 [*Items in fragile condition*]

#### ***V.ix.7 John O'Keefe***

The estate of John O'Keefe consisted of the lands called Ballyphilip East, Co. Waterford.

**MS 43,977** Rental and particulars of sale of the estate of John O'Keefe to be sold at the Landed Estates Court, Dublin (9 Jun 1868), copies of conveyances to Mary O'Keefe (1857) and James O'Brien (1868), with notices, and correspondence between Francis E. Curry, Basil Orpin, and Matthew Parker, 9 items  
1868

#### ***V.ix.8 Catherine and Ellen Dower***

The estate of Catherine and Ellen Dower consisted of part of the lands of Tiniscart, Co. Waterford.

**MS 43,978** Rental and particulars of sale of the estate of lands of Catherine and Ellen Dower to be sold at the Landed Estates Court, Dublin (23 Jun 1868), with order and notices, 5 items  
1868

#### ***V.ix.9 William Bayley***

The estate of William Bayley consisted of parts of the lands of Shanacoole, Co. Waterford.

**MS 43,979/ 1** Rental and particulars of sale of the estate of William Bayley to be sold at the Landed Estates Court, Dublin (20 Apr 1869), with instructions for counsel, 3 items  
1869

**MS 43,979/ 2** Orders, notices, abstract of divisions of lands and list of purchasers, draft conveyance, account of costs, and covering letters, 14 items  
1869

*V.ix.10 Miscellaneous Papers*

**MS 43,980** Returns of lands sold in the Incumbered Estates and Landed Estates Courts between 1850 and 1868, with a conveyance of the estate of David Power to Captain John Croly, consolidated final notices to tenants at Newport East and Dungarvan, and an account of legal costs incurred by the Duke of Devonshire in the Landed Estates Court, 6 items  
1863-9

**V.x Ejectment Cases**

The manuscripts in the following sections concern ejectments brought against tenants on the Irish estates of the Earls of Cork and Burlington and Dukes of Devonshire between 1727 and 1870.

*V.x.1 Miscellaneous Cases (1808-16)*

**MS 43,981/ 1** Affidavit, consent, warrant and legal opinion of Charles Burton concerning the ejectment of John and Susanna Seymour and other tenants at Coolfadda, 5 items  
1808

**MS 43,981/ 2** Case concerning the premises at Sunday's Well let by the Duke of Devonshire to the Corporation of Cork in trust for the Cork Pipe Water Company, and legal opinion of William Waggert concerning the overholding of Gillabbey Mills by Mrs. Gounell, with habere and ejectment, affidavits, notes, and letters from William Lumley to Philip Splane and William Ashby, 21 items  
1811-6

**MS 43,981/ 3** Ejectments of Philip Craddock, George Mannix and Henry Ball from tenements in and near the Town of Youghal, with proposal for lease from John Coleman, 9 items  
1813

**MS 43,981/ 4** Devonshire, Bessborough, and Morpeth v. David Foley: County Cork Spring Assizes, 1816: Brief on behalf of the plaintiffs at a trial by Nisi Prius, case concerning the repossession of Foley's

- property in the Town of Youghal, with draft instructions on behalf of plaintiff, affidavit, notices, and a draft ejectment, 12 items  
1814-6
- MS 43,981/ 5** Devonshire, Bessborough, and Morpeth v. David Foley: County Cork Spring Assizes, 1816: Brief on behalf of the plaintiffs at a trial by Nisi Prius, 2 items  
1816
- MS 43,981/ 6** Charles Maunsell v. Richard Power: Affidavit, notice of motion, legal searches concerning the ejectment of Richard Power from the lands of Carrigmore, Co. Cork, 4 items  
1816
- MS 43,981/ 7** Case (and draft) and legal opinion of Edward Pennefather against the representatives of Janes and Agnes Taylor respecting the possession of premises in Waterford, 2 items  
1816
- MS 43,981/ 8** Draft case against James Lambert, with abstract of lease and special notice to quit a dwelling house in Main Street, Lismore, instructions to draw declaration against Thomas Banfield with affidavit and draft declaration for his ejectment from the lands of East Carhoon, Co. Cork, and affidavits, writ, and letter from Benjamin Popham to Thomas Seward concerning the service of a process on Richard Newsom, 13 items  
1816-9
- MS 43,981/ 9** Case against Samuel Hobson and others, with answers, affidavits, copy lease, map, searches of Registry Office and ejectment concerning Muckridge, Foxhole, and other lands on or near Youghal Strand, Co. Cork, 12 items  
1817-23
- MS 43,981/ 10** Ejectments of tenants from the lands of Mallowgeaton and Ahaglassin, Co. Cork and Lohgnatowse and Loughnasollis, Co. Waterford, with affidavits of service, associated papers, and letters from Benjamin Popham to Thomas Seward, 19 items  
1818-9
- MS 43,981/ 11** Cases against William Hallyburton with notice to quit, ejectments and haberes for the Mill and lands of Enniskeane and the lands of Teadies, Co. Cork, with agreements for leases (1797 & 1809), extracts from rentals, memoranda, and letters from Benjamin Popham to Thomas Seward, 27 items

1819

- MS 43,981/ 12** Case (with drafts) against William Maule, with associated letters from Benjamin Popham to Thomas Seward, extracts from rentals, list of tenants, notes of costs, a copy lease, and searches of Registry Office, 17 items  
1821
- MS 43,981/ 13** Notice to quit, with ejectments, habere, and affidavits of service against the tenants of William Maule on the lands of Tullyglass, Co. Cork, 28 items  
1821
- MS 43,981/ 14** Brief in case of Richard Brassington and Duke of Devonshire v. Robert Welsh, with letters and notice concerning the appointment of a receiver, accounts of costs, legal search in Registry Office, ejectment, and affidavit of service against the lands of Lower Mogeely, Co. Cork, 19 items  
1821-2 & 1836
- MS 43,981/ 15** Civil bills and ejectment decree against Rev. A. Sealy and others, with abstract of proceedings, legal search in Registry Office, memorandum, and letters and plan of the Brewery concerns of James Sealy in South Main Street, Bandon, 15 items  
1822 & 1851

***V.x.2 Devonshire v. Robert Stephen Bible***

This case concerns the Duke of Devonshire's repossession of the lands of Monatrim, Co. Waterford.

- MS 43,982/ 1** County Waterford Summer Assizes, 1824: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff for a trial by Nisi Prius (9 Aug 1824) 2 items  
1824
- MS 43,982/ 2** Draft case, instructions for counsel, affidavits, notices, and memoranda, 10 items  
1824-5
- MS 43,982/ 3** Record for Waterford Assizes, writ, ejectment notice, and accounts of costs, 5 items  
1824-5

***V.x.3 Devonshire v. Hannah Harding and Others***

This case concerns the Duke of Devonshire's repossession of premises in the town of Bandon from Hannah Harding, Elizabeth Beecher, and the executors of Eliza Loane.

- MS 43,983/ 1** County Cork Summer Assizes, 1824: Brief on behalf of the plaintiff for a trial by Nisi Prius (18 Aug 1824), 3 items  
1824
- MS 43,983/ 2** Instructions for counsel, declarations, replications, and affidavits of service of writs, 14 items  
1824
- MS 43,983/ 3** Notices, rules, accounts, and a letter from Benjamin Popham to Thomas Seward, with copy articles for premises in the Town of Bandon (1 Jan 1812), 15 items  
1824-5

*V.x.4 Miscellaneous Cases (1824-8)*

- MS 43,984/ 1** Case (and draft) and instructions against Richard Walsh, with letters, account of costs, notices, declaration, inquisition, writs, affidavits of service, and ejectment against the lands of Killahally, Co. Waterford, 19 items  
1824-5
- MS 43,984/ 2** Letters from Benjamin Popham and Samuel Lane to Thomas Seward, with accounts of costs, and ejectment against Attiwell Hayes for the weir at Sunday's Well in the County of the City of Cork, and brief, conditional order, and affidavit of service against John Uniacke for the lands of Knockrour, Co. Waterford, 12 items  
1824 & 1828
- MS 43,984/ 3** Letters to Thomas Seward from Benjamin Popham concerning the ejectment of John Hawkes and other tenants on the lands of Ballygaggin, City of Cork, with a notice, warrant, and search of Registry Office, 6 items  
1826-7
- MS 43,984/ 4** Affidavits, declarations, and a notice of defence in the case of Duke of Devonshire v. Uniacke concerning the ejectment of John Uniacke, 6 items  
1827-8 [*Damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,984/ 5** Notices to quit and ejectments against Francis and Eleanor Browne and Jeremiah Foley for premises in the Town of Youghal, with correspondence between Jeremiah Foley, William

S. Curry, Henry Witham, Thomas John, Noblett Johnson, and  
Thomas Seward, 25 items  
1828

*V.x.5 Devonshire v. Captain John Newell*

This case concerns the Duke of Devonshire's repossession of tenements held by John Newell in Tallowbridge Street, Tallow.

- MS 43,985/ 1** Case, instructions for counsel, affidavits, writs, and ejectment notices, 10 items  
1829-30
- MS 43,985/ 2** Correspondence between Thomas Seward, Henry Witham, William S. Curry, James Keenan, John Newell, and Rodolphus Greene, 17 items  
1827-9 and 1835-7
- MS 43,985/ 3** Proposals and memoranda of agreement by John Newell, with powers of attorney from William Ashby to John Newell, and from John Newell to William Barnidge, 7 items  
1815-6 & 1828
- MS 43,985/ 4** Memoranda, accounts of rents and arrears, and schedules of tenants on the holdings of John Newell in Tallow, 16 items  
1829

*V.x.6 Miscellaneous Cases (1830-4)*

- MS 43,986/ 1** Brief on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire in the case of Daniel Hogan & others v. William Kissane & others, with order, instructions, summons, affidavits, notices to quit, ejectments, and affidavits of service against the tenants of William Kissane on the Hospital Lands called Brodeen, Co. Tipperary, 17 items  
1830
- MS 43,986/ 2** Instructions, notices and consents for ejectment against Sarah Foulke for the lands of Bishopstown, Co. Waterford, with account of costs and letters from Henry Witham, R.F. Peard and Roger Hudson to Thomas Seward, and habere and affidavits of service of ejectments against Henry Hudson for the lands of Monatrim, Co. Waterford, with letters from Henry Witham to Thomas Seward, 19 items  
1830 & 1831

- MS 43,986/ 3** Notice to quit (with draft) against Charles Maunsell for premises in Tallow, with memorandum and letters from Charles Maunsell, William S. Curry and Henry Witham to Thomas Seward, with correspondence concerning Maunsell's holding at Roseville (1825-9), 17 items  
1831 [*Some items fragile*]
- MS 43,986/ 4** Letter from Benjamin Popham to Thomas Seward, with account of costs, affidavit, habere, and ejectments against the tenants of the late Samuel Townsend for the lands of Laragh and Shinagh, Co. Cork, and instructions, letters, habere, and ejectments against Denis Hogan for the lands of Curryheen, Co. Cork, 11 items  
1831 & 1833-4

***V.x.7 Devonshire v. Richard Curry***

This case concerns the Duke of Devonshire's repossession of premises held by Richard Curry in Main Street, Youghal.

- MS 43,987/ 1** County Cork Spring Assizes 1835: Brief on behalf of the lessor of the plaintiff on a trial by Nisi Prius (18 Mar 1835), 3 items
- MS 43,987/ 2** Affidavits, notices, rule, summons, account of taxed costs, and letters to Thomas Seward from Henry Witham and Edward Callaghan, 15 items  
1835

***V.x.8 Devonshire v. O'Donnell and Cahill***

This case concerns the Duke of Devonshire's repossession of the lands of Ballynoe, Co. Waterford held by Bridget O'Donnell and John Cahill.

- MS 43,988/ 1** Brief on behalf of the plaintiff for counsel to apply to judge in chamber to have defences in this case consolidated with instructions for counsel (13 & 20 Feb 1835), 2 items  
1835
- MS 43,988/ 2** Affidavits, orders, consents, and notices, 18 items  
1835
- MS 43,988/ 3** Letters and memoranda Thomas Seward from Henry Witham, with ejectment notice, copies of articles of marriage between John and Ellen Cahill, and lease of Ballynoe from Duke of Devonshire to Bridget O'Donnell and John Cahill (1 Jan 1820), 9 items  
1835

*V.x.9 William Love Peard v. Thomas Foulke*

This case concerns arrears of rent owed on holdings in and near the Town of Youghal.

- MS 43,989/ 1** Briefs on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire (16 May & 20 Jun 1835), with draft affidavits and affidavits of service of orders, 9 items  
1835
- MS 43,989/ 2** Instructions to bring ejectments, orders, notices, certificate of appointment of receiver, and calculation of renewal fines, with search of Registry Office (5 Mar 1829) and letters to Thomas Seward from George Gregor, Richard McGrath, and William S. Curry, 20 items  
1829, 1835 & 1838

*V.x.10 Miscellaneous Cases (1835-51)*

- MS 43,990/ 1** Letters from Henry Witham to Thomas Seward, with abstract of lease, ejectments and affidavits of service against Ellen Bassett for premises in the Town of Youghal, and letter from Benjamin Popham to Thomas Seward, with account of costs, habere, ejectment, and affidavit of service against Sarah Baldwin for part of the lands of Tullyglass, Co. Cork, 20 items  
1835 & 1840
- MS 43,990/ 2** Case with instructions, account of costs, habere, ejectment, and affidavit of service against Mary Harris for the lands of Cullinagh, Co. Cork, and brief, affidavits, notices, and habere against Richard Power for the lands of Knockasticane, Co. Cork, 15 items  
1843 & 1844
- MS 43,990/ 3** Letters and papers concerning the ejectment of Thomas Bennett from a holding near Ballymodan, correspondents include Francis E. Curry, Alexander Swanston, Edward Hickey, and Thomas Bennett, with notes, memoranda, and a statement, 11 items  
1848-52
- MS 43,990/ 4** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry, Alexander Swanston, George Pope, and Thomas Sherlock, with notes, memoranda, sketches, statement, instructions, notice, and ejectment against Abraham Loane, John Pope, and others for holdings in Bridge Street and Castle Street, Bandon, 38 items



1849-51

*V.x.11 Devonshire v. Edmund and Daniel Colbert*

This case concerns the lands of Killphillipeen, Co. Cork.

- MS 43,991/ 1** Queens Bench. County Cork Spring Assizes: Brief on behalf of the lessor of the plaintiff for trial of the action in ejectment on the title in this cause pursuant to annexed notice (19 Mar 1850) 3 items  
1850
- MS 43,991/ 2** Notices, opinion of counsel, advice of proofs, instructions to draw declaration in ejectment, notice to quit and ejectment, and correspondence between Basil Orpin, H.K. Hemming, and Thomas Seward, 16 items  
1849-50 & 1855

*V.x.12 Catherine Hales v. James Kirby*

This case concerns the lands of Knockroe, Co. Waterford.

- MS 43,992/ 1** Briefs on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire, 3 items  
1849 & 1852
- MS 43,992/ 2** Affidavits of H.K. Hemming to obtain leave to bring ejectments and affidavit of service of notice of motion, 12 items  
1849 & 1852
- MS 43,992/ 3** Orders, notices, letters to Basil Orpin from H.K. Hemming, instructions for ejectment with writ, ejectment, search in registry, and list of services of writs, 32 items  
1849-52

*V.x.13 Devonshire v. Goggin and Jones*

- MS 43,993** Brief, with affidavit, deed of acknowledgement and habere against John Goggin and Daniel Whooley for the lands of Little Silver, Co. Cork, and opinion, affidavit, and account of costs of action against George Wilson Jones for the recovery of the Market Place, Tallow, 9 items  
1850 & 1865

***V.x.14 Devonshire v. Eugene O'Neill***

This case concerns the farm of Garricahiragh, Co. Cork.

- MS 43,994/ 1** Brief on behalf of the plaintiff, with instructions for counsel and affidavits, 9 items  
1852 & 1859
- MS 43,994/ 2** Memoranda, accounts of costs, search in Registry of Deeds, summonses, and writs, with part copy of *The Jurist*, and copy of lease from Duke of Devonshire to Eugene O'Neill of the farm of Garricahiragh, Co. Cork (13 Sep 1854), 17 items  
1852-60
- MS 43,994/ 3** Letters to Basil Orpin from H.K. Hemming, correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Basil Orpin, and letters from John O'Neill, A. Duggan, and others, 37 items  
1852-60

***V.x.15 Devonshire v. Maria Clayton Mitchell***

- MS 43,995** Briefs on behalf of the plaintiff (16 & 26 Feb 1856), with affidavits of Henry Keane Hemming and of service of orders and notices, 7 items  
1852 & 1855

***V.x.16 Georgina Gumbleton v. William O'Mahony and Others***

This case concerns the lands of Garrybrittas, Co. Waterford.

- MS 43,996/ 1** Case and brief on behalf of the defendant for advice of proofs for trial, 2 items  
1854
- MS 43,996/ 2** Notices, rules, summonses, copy of defendant's plea, counsel's opinion and certificate for a special jury, memorandum of agreement, ejectment notices, and account of defendant's costs, 18 items  
1852-3
- MS 43,996/ 3** Correspondence between Basil Orpin and H.K. Hemming, with letters from Georgina Gumbleton, William O'Mahony, and Charles Tandy, 25 items  
1852-4

***V.x.17 Devonshire v. Rev. William Nelson Jackson***

This case concerns premises in the town of Youghal, Co. Cork.

- MS 43,997/ 1** Brief and case with opinion of counsel on behalf of the plaintiff for counsel to prepare summons and serve ejectment, with affidavits of service of orders, notices, writs, orders, writs of summons, plaint in ejectment for non-payment of rent, and habere, 23 items  
1855
- MS 43,997/ 2** Correspondence between Basil Orpin and H.K. Hemming, copies of memorial from Rev. William Jackson to Mary Jackson concerning a mortgage for £700 of premises in Youghal (31 Mar 1843) and a counterpart lease from Duke of Devonshire to Benjamin Murdoch Jackson of premises in Youghal, and extracts from Registry of Deeds Office, 7 items  
1855

***V.x.18 Devonshire v. Alexander Swanston***

This case concerns properties held by a former agent of the Duke of Devonshire at Gillabbey, Co. Cork.

- MS 43,998/ 1** Common Pleas: Briefs on behalf of the plaintiff for counsel to advise and for motion to renew habere, with instructions to prepare ejectment, and order extending time for return of habere, 4 items  
1857
- MS 43,998/ 2** Correspondence between Basil Orpin and Alexander Swanston, copies of writ with summons and plaint in ejectment, schedule of Gillabbey tenants, copy conveyance from Kilner Richard Wood to Alexander Swanston of the lands of Gillabbey (25 Mar 1850), copy lease from Duke of Devonshire to Attiwell Wood of the lands of Gillabbey (16 Sep 1772), search of Registry of Deeds Office, and accounts of costs of plaintiff, 34 items  
1856-7

***V.x.19 Devonshire v. Michael Higgins***

This case concerns the lands of Ballylegane, Co. Cork.

- MS 43,999** Instructions on behalf of the plaintiff, with correspondence between

Francis E. Curry, W.H. Baldwin, George Lacey, and Basil Orpin, summons of plaint and ejectment, habere, certificates of costs, search in Registry Office, and copy demise from Duke of Devonshire to Michael Higgins of the lands of Ballylegane (12 Feb 1839), 18 items  
1860

*V.x.20 Devonshire v. Denis MacDonald*

This case concerns the lands of Curryheen and Ballyrafter, Co. Waterford.

- MS 44,000/ 1** Case on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire as instructions for advice of counsel, instructions to prepare summons and pliant in ejectment, copy charge, notices, and search in Registry Office, 9 items  
1868
- MS 44,000/ 2** Copy claim, summons, pliant in ejectment, affidavit of service of writ, agreement of surrender, notices to quit, and accounts of costs, 14 items  
1868-9
- MS 44,000/ 3** Letters to Francis E. Curry from Basil Orpin, Spencer Compton Cavendish, Marquis of Hartington and William, 7th Duke of Devonshire concerning the legal case against Denis MacDonald, 26 items  
1870

*V.x.21 Miscellaneous Cases (1873-81)*

- MS 44,001/ 1** Letters to Francis E. Curry from Basil Orpin concerning the bankruptcy of P. Keniry and his ejectment from a farm at Garrycloyne, 17 items  
1873-4
- MS 44,001/ 2** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Basil Orpin, with letters from Messrs. Keily & Lloyd, Charles Herbert Currey, and the Duke of Devonshire concerning the ejectment of James Good from a farm at Ballygalane, 19 items  
1874-81

*V.x.22 Miscellaneous Ejectment Papers*

- MS 44,002/ 1** Depositions, affidavits, audits, letters, and accounts of law costs

- concerning ejectments, including an award of arrears on the lands of Cappoquin, 14 items  
1727-34 [*One item damaged & fragile*]
- MS 44,002/ 2** Lists of gratuities paid to tenants for giving up possession of their farms, and of tenants to whom notices were served and possession of premises demanded, 14 items  
1794-1837
- MS 44,002/ 3** Instructions for the preparation of ejectments, orders, notices, memoranda, and searches in the Registry Office for acts affecting various lands and premises, 21 items  
1803-43
- MS 44,002/ 4** Affidavits of service of ejectments and attached ejectments for the recovery of various lands and premises in the counties Cork and Waterford, 23 items  
1814-18
- MS 44,002/ 5** Affidavits of service of ejectments, some with attached ejectments, for the recovery of various lands and premises in the counties Cork and Waterford, 19 items  
1821-50
- MS 44,002/ 6** Affidavits of service of writs with attached writs or processes of *capias ad respondendum* served on various persons in County Waterford (16 Nov 1832), 29 items  
1832
- MS 44,002/ 7** Copies of writs of habere and haberes for possession of various premises in counties Cork and Waterford, 14 items  
1803-60
- MS 44,002/ 8** Copies of haberes for possession of various premises in counties Cork and Waterford, with attached affidavits of service, ejectments, notices, covering letters, accounts of costs, and a deed of attornment, 29 items  
1816-50
- MS 44,002/ 9** Writs and warrants for the recovery of debts, land, and premises etc. in the counties Cork and Waterford, 23 items  
1816-49
- MS 44,002/ 10** Notices to quit and yield up various premises and lands to the Duke of Devonshire in the counties Cork and Waterford, 41 items

- 1806-58
- MS 44,002/ 11** Ejectments for the recovery of various lands and premises in the counties Cork and Waterford, with attached notices, writs and covering letters, 19 items  
1814-35
- MS 44,002/ 12** Ejectments for the recovery of various lands and premises in the counties Cork and Waterford, 41 items  
1815-43
- MS 44,002/ 13** Ejectment decrees where civil bill is grounded on the overholding of premises by the tenant, some with covering letters, 19 items  
1827-35
- MS 44,002/ 14** Ejectment decrees where civil bill is grounded on non-payment of rent, 24 items  
1827-38
- MS 44,002/ 15** Ejectment decrees where the tenant's interest is determined, 12 items  
1828-40
- MS 44,002/ 16** Ejectment decrees where civil bill is grounded on non-payment of rent, 27 items  
1839-67
- MS 44,002/ 17** Civil bills to be used where a year's rent is in arrear, some with decrees for recovery of land, 20 items  
1817-37
- MS 44,002/ 18** Civil bills where the tenant's interest is determined, and possession has been demanded by a bailiff or receiver, 27 items  
1820-37
- MS 44,002/ 19** Civil bills to be used where a year's rent is in arrear, 10 items  
1852
- MS 44,002/ 20** Accounts of costs of various ejectments, 26 items  
1802-18 & 1830-52
- MS 44,002/ 21** Accounts of costs of sundry ejectments of the Duke of Devonshire for the period 1814-40, with costs of eight actions of ejectment brought during 1849-50, 4 items  
c1850

- MS 44,002/ 22**      Miscellaneous correspondence between Thomas Seward, Henry Witham, Benjamin Popham, Samuel Merrick, and others, miscellaneous cases, notices, legal opinion concerning ejectments, and lists of deeds for presentation as evidence on the trial of ejectments, 18 items  
1812-43
- MS 44,002/ 23**      Miscellaneous notes, memoranda, plans etc. concerning the ejectment of tenants from Bruce's holding in South Main Street, Bandon, and various other premises in the counties Cork and Waterford, 26 items  
1817-54 & 1848-52

### **V.xi Distress Papers**

The manuscripts in this section concern the distress and sale of the goods and stock of tenants on the Irish estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington and Duke of Devonshire to finance the payment of debts.

- MS 44,003/ 1**      Accounts of the value of goods distrained, 24 items  
1704-21
- MS 44,003/ 2**      Accounts of the value of goods distrained, 19 items  
1722-5
- MS 44,003/ 3**      Cases, depositions, and orders for the distraint of goods, 19 items  
1707-46
- MS 44,003/ 4**      Bonds and engagements to deliver distrained goods, 27 items  
1707-31
- MS 44,003/ 5**      Distress books providing accounts of the value of goods distrained, 2 items  
1708 & 1714
- MS 44,003/ 6**      Statements, memorials, orders, and warrants concerning the distraint of the goods of Anthony O'Neill, William Hallyburton, and others, 7 items  
1815-9 & 1832
- MS 44,003/ 7**      Summonses with decrees and renewals of decrees for recovery of costs by distress and sale, and promissory notes, 50 items  
1817-9 & 1823-7
- MS 44,003/ 8**      Case, with draft instructions, notices, and writs in the case of

Duke of Devonshire v. Henry Worth Newenham concerning the actions of the Sheriff of County Cork during the distress of the stock of James Guiry on the lands of Ballylusky and Ballylegane for non-payment of rent, 7 items  
1823-4

**MS 44,003/ 9** Letters and papers concerning the distress of the property of Abraham Fisher for non-payment of tithe rentcharge, correspondents include John Ward, John C. Browne, Francis E. Curry, and Abraham Fisher, with notes and a printed circular entitled *Brief Statement of Reasons for Objecting to the Payment of Tithes* (1833), 20 items  
1833-44

**MS 44,003/ 10** Letters and papers concerning the distress and sale of the property of William Henry Barron for non-payment of rent for Francis Field, Garryglass and Scahrine, correspondents include Dominick Tallon, D.C. Wall, James Byrne, Francis E. Curry, Rodolphus Greene, and William Henry Barron, with a case, statement, notices, placards, and memoranda, 25 items  
1842-3

**MS 44,003/ 11** Papers concerning the distress and sale of the goods of Rodolphus and Eliza Greene for non-payment of rent for the lands of Hermitage and Parknoe, and of George Powell of Ballyclough, and William Caulfield of North Main Street, Cork, 6 items  
1842-3 & 1847 [*One item damaged & fragile*]

### **V.xii Legal Papers: Leases and Deeds**

The manuscripts in this section concern legal disputes arising over the terms of leases and deeds for land on the Irish estates of the Earls of Cork and Burlington and Dukes of Devonshire.

**MS 44,004/ 1** Cases, depositions, affidavits, answers and legal opinion concerning disputes over deeds and leases, including Tristram Thornton v. Earl of Cork and Burlington concerning the lease of the Abbey of Moyne, and concerning the lands of Cauty and of Cappoquin, Affane, and Tallowbridge, 11 items  
1692-1708 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]

**MS 44,004/ 2** Cases and bills concerning disputes over deeds and leases, including the Earl of Cork and Burlington v. Uniacke concerning the lands of Glanbally, and the Earl of Grandison's contract on behalf of Arthur Ussher with the Earl of Cork and Burlington for



- the lands of Ballynatray, 10 items  
1719-25 [*Some items badly damaged & very fragile*]
- MS 44,004/ 3** Cases, bill and affidavit, depositions, submissions, and examinations concerning disputes over deeds and leases, including Jackson v. Earl of Cork and Burlington concerning the lands of Glanmorishineen, and Earl of Cork and Burlington v. John Croker concerning the lands of Glanaboy, 8 items  
1733-58 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 44,004/ 4** Bill of complaint, interrogatories, and affidavits concerning disputes over deeds and leases, including James Bernard v. Lord Mansfield concerning Coolfadda Mills, and R. Jackson v. J. Keily concerning the lands of Coolishall, 6 items  
1771-93 [*One item damaged & fragile*]
- MS 44,004/ 5** Instructions for counsel to peruse and amend draft general leases, papers and correspondence relating to the payment of stamp duty on leases under the Stamp Act (5 & 6 Vic., c.82), ‘An Act to repeal certain Stamp Duties...’ (13 & 14 Vic., c.97), letters from Francis E. Curry to Basil Orpin, and a case with legal opinion, 24 items  
1811-8 & 1842-50
- MS 44,004/ 6** Instructions for and opinions of counsel regarding the renewal of a lease between the Earl of Cork and Orrery and the Duke of Devonshire (1814), leases for the lands of Coolfadda (1812), Youghal Chapel of Ease (1818), and the Convent at Dungarvan (1826), and drafts of special covenants to be inserted in several leases (1827), 10 items  
1812-27
- MS 44,004/ 7** Case concerning the lease of the lands of Tourtane to James Lambert, with instructions, and answers to queries concerning the value of annuities on leases, 3 items  
1816-7 [*One item fragile & damaged*]
- MS 44,004/ 8** Instructions for leases from the Duke of Devonshire to various persons for individual properties on his estates in the counties Cork and Waterford, 23 items  
1818-43
- MS 44,004/ 9** Lists of instructions for leases to be made out for premises on the Duke of Devonshire’s estates in County Waterford  
1819

- MS 44,004/ 10** Lists of instructions for leases to be made out for premises in the Town of Dungarvan, 23 items  
1819
- MS 44,004/ 11** Lists of instructions for leases to be made out for premises in the Towns of Lismore and Tallow (1820 & 1821), and for the farms of Curryheen, Clashnegariffe, and Ballyin, Co. Waterford (1819), 9 items  
1819-24
- MS 44,004/ 12** Receipts and accounts of solicitor's costs in the preparation of leases, 27 items  
1825-42
- MS 44,004/ 13** Lists of instructions for leases to be made out for premises on the Duke of Devonshire's estates in counties Cork and Waterford, with correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Thomas Seward, 16 items  
1829 & 1840-3
- MS 44,004/ 14** Instructions for renewal of leases for premises in Youghal, abstract of title of the representatives of Garrett Mervyn, letters from Francis E. Curry to Mrs. Armstrong, and from Henry Witham to Thomas Seward, memoranda, a copy will of Samuel Freeman (5 Feb 1824), and draft renewal of lease, 13 items  
1838-41
- MS 44,004/ 15** Letters and papers concerning leases granted to Samuel Green for premises in Strand Street, Youghal and to John Robert Parker for White Horse and Rowley's Land, correspondents include Henry Witham, Francis E. Curry, William S. Curry, Thomas Seward, Murdock Green, and Samuel Green, with instructions and an abstract from a schedule, 15 items  
1838-45
- MS 6198** Volume of instructions in respect of leases from the Duke of Devonshire in the towns of Tallow, Lismore, Dungarvan, and elsewhere in County Waterford and Youghal, Co. Cork, 1843-48.
- MS 44,004/ 16** Letters, papers and legal opinion regarding leases granted by the Duke of Devonshire to Edward Smyth (1853-6), Edward Preston (1858), Hannah and Anna Grubb (1859), and William Hanan (1866), 23 items  
1853-66

### V.xiii Fee Farm Grants

These grants were made by the Duke of Devonshire to leaseholders in the towns of Dungarvan and Youghal pursuant to the provisions of the Renewable Leasehold Conversion Act of 1849.

#### *V.xiii.1 Devonshire to Sobieski Kildahl*

This grant was made for premises in the town of Youghal.

- MS 44,005/ 1** Draft grant in perpetuity, with abstracts of title and observations of counsel thereon, 5 items  
1850 & 1852
- MS 44,005/ 2** Declarations, opinions, notes, memoranda, requisitions, calculation of renewable fines, copy articles, and certificates of marriage, 15 items  
1851-4
- MS 44,005/ 3** Letters to Basil Orpin from Francis E. Curry, William Currey, H.K. Hemming, and Murdoch Green, and copy correspondence between Basil Orpin and Charles Perrott, 14 items  
1844-53
- MS 44,005/ 4** Letters to Basil Orpin from Charles Perrott, Francis E. Curry, William Currey, H.K. Hemming, J. Channey and Samuel Hayman, 36 items  
1854

#### *V.xiii.2 Devonshire to John Green*

This grant was made for Chopping Knife House, Youghal.

- MS 44,006/ 1** Draft grant for approval of counsel, with case (and draft) as instructions for notarial valuation and opinion of Samuel Page, copy of receipts for payment of renewal fines, and letters to Basil Orpin from Thomas White and H.K. Hemming, 10 items  
1854-5
- MS 44,006/ 2** Copy of lease and renewal of Chopping Knife House, Youghal from Duke of Devonshire to Edward Green and Roger Edward Green (9 Jul 1749 & 1 May 1827), and copy wills of the aforesaid (1825 & 1833), 5 items  
n.d.

*V.xiii.3 Devonshire to William Henry Fennell*

This grant was made for premises in Youghal.

- MS 44,007** Case as instructions for notarial valuation and opinion of Samuel Page, with affirmation of Susanna Fennell, calculation of renewable fines, letters to Basil Orpin from Alexander McCully and H.K. Hemming, correspondence between Basil Orpin and Francis E. Curry, and draft fee farm grant, 22 items  
1854-5

*V.xiii.4 Devonshire to Edward Smyth and Patrick Hayes*

This grant was made for premises in Youghal.

- MS 44,008/ 1** Cases (and copy) as instructions for notarial valuation and opinion of Samuel Page, with case on behalf of grantees, evidence as to parties entitled, statement on behalf of Edward Smyth, copy marriage settlement and will of Margaret Brown (1821 & 1836), and assorted papers, 13 items  
1855
- MS 44,008/ 2** Letters to Basil Orpin from Francis E. Curry, Edward Smyth, H.K. Hemming, and Robert Baldwin, and correspondence between Basil Orpin and Matthew Parker, 40 items  
1853-9
- MS 44,008/ 3** Drafts of fee farm grant to Edward Smyth and others, 4 items  
1852-9

*V.xiii.5 Devonshire to Susanna Faunt*

This grant was made for premises in Youghal.

- MS 44,009** Draft fee farm grant to Susanna Faunt, with abstract of title, and extracts from wills and leases, 4 items  
1855

*V.xiii.6 Earl of Cork and Orrey to Devonshire*

This grant was made for a tenement near to the City of Cork which was returned to the Duke of Devonshire by Richard Boyle, 9<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork and Orrery.

- MS 44,010/ 1** Drafts of grant for approval of counsel, with query and case as instructions for notarial valuation, and opinion of Samuel Page, 5

items  
1857

- MS 44,010/ 2** Calculations of renewable fines, receipt for deeds and letter from Francis E. Curry to Basil Orpin, with copies of renewals from the Earl of Cork and Orrery to the Duke of Devonshire of a tenement and garden situated near the weirs of Cork (8 Jun 1798 & 23 Jun 1835), 6 items  
1857-8

***V.xiii.7 Eliza Green and Thomas Power to Devonshire***

This grant was made for Clancy's Lot in the town of Dungarvan.

- MS 44,011** Statement by way of case for notarial valuation and opinion of Samuel Page, calculation of renewable fines, memorandum as to representatives of Peregrine Butler, and draft grant in perpetuity, 5 items  
1859 & n.d.

***V.xiii.8 Devonshire to James Freeman***

This grant was made for premises in Youghal.

- MS 44,012/ 1** Cases by way of instruction to and for the opinion of counsel, with declaration, certificate, list of copies of deeds, and draft fee farm grant, 7 items  
1860
- MS 44,012/ 2** Letters to Basil Orpin from Francis E. Curry, William Currey, and A.J. Chatterton, with copy correspondence between Basil Orpin and Francis E. Curry, 30 items  
1859-60

***V.xiii.9 Devonshire to Thomas Quinlan***

This grant was made for premises in Dungarvan.

- MS 44,013** Notices to tenants to pay fines and to take out a fee farm grant, with correspondence between Basil Orpin, Francis E. Curry and J.B. Hearne, schedule of papers, calculation of renewable fines, and extracts from report and decree in case of Carbery v. Cox (1849 & 1852) and from discharge of respondent in case of Hayes v. Hudson, 12 items

1860-1

#### **V.xiv Statements of Title**

- MS 44,014/ 1** Abstracts and case on behalf of the Duke of Devonshire respecting the title of William Jenkins to 'Clancy's Lot' in the town of Dungarvan, Co. Waterford, 3 items  
1810-8
- MS 44,014/ 2** Statements of title of the Earls of Cork and Burlington to Cappoquin, Affane, and Salterbridge, Co. Waterford of Mr. John Garde to the lands of Killaster, Co. Waterford, and of Thomas Garde to Castle Lands, Lismore, 6 items  
1815-6
- MS 44,014/ 3** Statement (with draft) of title of the Dukes of Devonshire to the lands of Gillabbey and Ballygaggin in the liberties of the City of Cork, the Glebe lands at Curryheen and the lands of Knocknagappel, Co. Cork, and the Manor of Dungarvan, Co. Waterford, 6 items  
1821-c1860
- MS 44,014/ 4** Draft statement of title of the Duke of Devonshire to the lands in the parish of Lismore, Co. Waterford, with memorandum respecting the Manor of Lismore and case respecting the courts incident thereto, 4 items  
1824-5 & 1839
- MS 44,014/ 5** Statements of title: Duke of Devonshire to Representatives of Edward Jones for premises in and near Youghal, and Representatives of Elizabeth Boate to Duke of Devonshire for lands of Knockboy, Co. Waterford, 2 items  
1853 & 1859

#### **V.xv Powers of Attorney**

- MS 44,015/ 1** Letter of attorney from Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington granting power to set rents and let part of his estate in County Cork (14 Aug 1729), with letter for effecting conveyances and leases and granting discharges (13 Nov 1729, with Rolls Office copy, 10 Mar 1827), and power to execute leases and contracts (22 Dec 1730) granted to Henry Boyle (later 1st Earl of Shannon), Jeremy Coughlan, and Andrew Crotty, 4 items  
1729-30

**MS 44,015/ 2** Powers of attorney to Mrs. Francis Power to execute renewals (18 Oct 1793 & 25 Oct 1810), her affidavit verifying her authority to execute deeds and act as general agent for the representatives of Peregrine Butler (3 Mar 1819), and copy and extract from her letter to William Jenkins (15 Oct 1818), 3 items 1793-1819

**MS 44,015/ 3** Powers of attorney from William 6th Duke of Devonshire to the Hon. James Abercromby, Michael Wren, John Swanston, William S. Curry, and Francis Curry to act as his agents in Ireland, and from Thomas Knowlton to Jonathan and Walter Tanner to enter lands on his behalf, with a letter of attorney to Davies Tuckey and John Tresilian to receive possession of Gillabbey, 11 items 1811-39

#### **V.xvi Legal Costs**

**MS 44,016/ 1** Accounts of law costs as between the Earls of Cork and Burlington and Roger Power, John Ussher, William Conner, and others for the preparation of indictments, warrants, writs, ejectments, fines, and recoveries, with receipts for the entertainment of witnesses at the Clonmel and Waterford Summer Assizes (1739), 28 items 1702-87 [*Some damaged and fragile*]

**MS 44,016/ 2** Accounts of miscellaneous law costs incurred by the Duke of Devonshire for various businesses, not included amongst costs of law and equity causes conducted contemporaneously, as between attorney (Thomas Seward) and client: Parts 1 – 3 (1812-21, 1822-9, 1830-4), 3 items 1812-34

**MS 44,016/ 3** Accounts of costs of Benjamin Popham with the Duke of Devonshire, 13 items 1814-39

**MS 44,016/ 4** Miscellaneous bills, accounts, notes, and papers of Benjamin Popham, 24 items 1814-49

**MS 44,016/ 5** Solicitor's bills for law costs, receipts, and envelopes, 44 items 1815-8

**MS 44,016/ 6** General account book of Thomas Seward with the Duke of Devonshire on foot of cash and other transactions connected with

the law agency of the Irish estates for the period 1816 to 1846, 1  
item  
c1846

- MS 44,016/ 7** Accounts of costs of Thomas Seward with the Duke of Devonshire, with schedules of charges and memorandum respecting Seward's bills of costs for fishery, tithe, and other suits, 17 items  
1816-49
- MS 44,016/ 8** Accounts of law costs incurred by the Duke of Devonshire for sundry law proceedings (1816-30), for proceedings in the Courts of Chancery (1816-30) and Equity Exchequer (1816-35), with further miscellaneous costs (1844-9 & 1846-8), as between attorney (Thomas Seward) and client, and summaries of costs furnished to Francis E. Curry through Thomas Seward (1845-8 & 1851), 12 items  
1816-51
- MS 44,016/ 9** Miscellaneous bills, accounts, notes, and labels from Thomas Seward, 27 items  
1818-48
- MS 44,016/ 10** Accounts of law costs incurred by the Dukes of Devonshire in sundry cases involving David Barry, Margaret and John Keniry, John Flynn, John Carey (ejectments), the Ballast Board, the Poor Law Commissioners (Unions of Lismore and Dungarvan), Captain Thomas Armstrong, and William Stewart Hamilton, 11 items  
1825-70
- MS 44,016/ 11** Abstract taken general account book of Thomas Seward (Apr 1843), and two further account books detailing law costs for periods 1812-44 and 1816-49, 3 items  
1843-49
- MS 44,016/ 12** Accounts of miscellaneous law costs incurred by the Duke of Devonshire, as between attorney (John Conroy Browne) and client, for the periods 1848-9, 1849-50, 1850-1, and 1851-2, 4 items  
1848-52
- MS 44,016/ 13** Accounts of miscellaneous law costs incurred by the Duke of Devonshire, as between attorney (Basil Orpin) and client, for the periods 1851-4 and 1854, 4 items  
1851-4



- MS 44,016/ 14** Accounts of miscellaneous law costs incurred by the Duke of Devonshire, as between attorney (John Conroy Browne) and client, for the periods 1853-4, 1854-5, 1855-6 and 1857, 4 items 1853-7
- MS 44,016/ 15** Accounts of miscellaneous law costs incurred by the Dukes of Devonshire, as between attorney (Basil Orpin) and client, for the periods 1855-6, 1857 and 1858-61, 4 items 1855-61
- MS 44,016/ 16** Accounts of miscellaneous law costs incurred by the Duke of Devonshire, as between attorney (John Conroy Browne) and client, for the periods 1859, 1859-60, 1860-1, 1861-2, 1863-4, 1865-8, 1868-9, and 1869, 8 items 1859-69
- MS 44,016/ 17** Accounts of miscellaneous law costs incurred by the Duke of Devonshire, as between attorney (Basil Orpin) and client, for the periods 1863-5, 1866-8, 1867-9, and 1869, 4 items 1863-9
- MS 44,016/ 18** Account and summary of law costs incurred by the Duke of Devonshire, as between attorney (W.H. Parker and M. Parker) and client, for the years 1865 and 1866, 2 items 1865-6

## V.xvii Miscellaneous Legal Papers

### V.xvii.1 *Legal Opinion*

- MS 44,017/ 1** The legal opinions of Richard Turner (mainly submitted to the Earls of Cork and Burlington and Anthony Spurrett) concerning, amongst others, the cases of the lands of Killicorane and Canty, the tithes of Glyn, the quit rents of Buttevant, Lismore, and Youghal schools, Lady Beaufoy's mortgage, Lord Kingston's estate, James Bengier's debt, and the leases of Ahern and Curryglass, 31 items 1697-1711 [*Some fragile and damaged*]
- MS 44,017/ 2** Copy of letter from Richard Turner to Joseph Waite (21 Nov 1718) containing his legal opinion on the Earl of Cork and Burlington's claim on the manor of Skelton in Cumberland, 1 item n.d.

**MS 44,017/ 3** Legal opinions of Alan Broderick concerning Curryglass woods, and of Francis Bernard concerning the park of Lismore and other matters, 5 items  
1703-7 & n.d. [*Fragile and damaged*]

***V.xvii.2 Assorted Papers***

**MS 44,018/ 1** Assorted legal papers, including a letter of attorney from Joan Hill to Leonard Gorsteloe (14 Nov 1662), legal opinion, orders, judgements, awards, affidavits, depositions, and interrogations, including the examination of John Dawly (27 Oct 1696), and a statement of a case between Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington and Denis Faly and others concerning a coppice of 2 acres at Ardkile, part of Dromartin, barony of Tullaghand, Co Clare held by Edward Nagle (Jan-Aug 1697), 16 items  
1652-99 [*Some items damaged & very fragile*]

**MS 44,018/ 2** Assorted cases, certificates, depositions, and informations of witnesses, cases include John Gold v. John Murphy, John Giles v. John Price, and the Earl of Bessborough v. Francis Bernard, 19 items  
1701-59 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]

**MS 44,018/ 3** Assorted cases, bills, and legal opinion concerning bonds, fines, quit rents, wills and discoveries, including the Earl of Cork and Burlington v. Eeles and others and the Earl of Cork and Burlington v. Philip Castleton, 9 items  
1709-63 & n.d. [*Some items damaged and fragile*]

**MS 44,018/ 4** Assorted cases, informations, memoranda, petitions, bills of discovery, and statements of witnesses, including The King and Edmund Barrett v. John Kerby, and the case of Mary Nicholas, widow of Youghal, 13 items [*Some items damaged and fragile*]  
1711-47

**MS 44,018/ 5** Assorted writs, summonses, notices, and certificates, 16 items  
1711-50 [*Some items fragile*]

**MS 44,018/ 6** Assorted judgements and orders in the cases of Earl of Cork and Burlington v. Owen Daniel, Richard Gagin and others, with a petition, bill of costs, and a letter from William Dalton to John Keane, 11 items  
1736-7

**MS 44,018/ 7** Warrants for the detention of debtors served on various persons, 5 items

1805, 1808 & 1818

- MS 44,018/ 8** Assorted documents relating to various legal actions taken by the Duke of Devonshire, including proceedings against Bryan Phelan, Anthony Chearnley, and John Lawler, 20 items  
1806-25
- MS 44,018/ 9** Miscellaneous cases prepared on behalf of the Dukes of Devonshire for the advice and opinion of counsel regarding Curmigar Oyster Beds and several other cases, including proceedings against John Pollock and Mary Ward, 8 items  
1807-65
- MS 44,018/ 10** Assorted documents relating to legal disputes between various parties, including John Jackson v. Attorney General, The Queen v. Bartholemew Mullins and Robert Dower & James Sweeny v. Maurice O'Brien, 33 items  
1808-58
- MS 44,018/ 11** Assorted legal documents, including copy notes of evidence taken at the inquest on the bodies of Maurice Carberry and Patrick Fitzgerald, a case on behalf of Francis Browne, the affidavit of Catherine Farrell concerning Thomas O'Neill, and letters from Charles Maunsell concerning legal costs, 13 items  
1816-23
- MS 44,018/ 12** Justice of the Peace papers, including a list of indictable offences under 14 & 15 Vic., c.XCIII, with (blank) magistrate's warrants to search, seize goods and effects, and convict offenders, and letters and papers relating to various criminal cases, 16 items  
1820-1852
- MS 44,018/ 13** List of names of jurors on the grand panels of the counties Cork and Waterford, 4 items  
1824-5 & n.d.
- MS 44,018/ 14** Assorted cases, affidavits, statements, legal opinion, and letters concerning various cases, including security for Youghal Ferry, the discontinuance of savings banks, the incorporation of almshouses in Youghal, and a deed for Killowen Glebe, 26 items  
1828-48 & n.d.
- MS 44,018/ 15** List of proceedings held for the Manor of Lismore, Co. Waterford commencing 27 Jan 1834, 1 item  
1834

- MS 7204** Volume of cases brought before the Manor Court of Lismore, 1 item  
1837-41
- MS 44,018/ 16** Report of the proceedings of the Privy Council on the removal of the county assizes from Waterford to Dungarvan (13 May 1837), with associated correspondence between William S. Curry, Francis E. Curry, and B. Boate, 10 items  
1835-7
- MS 44,018/ 17** Copies of the Legal Reporter, vol. i, no. xxxvi & xxxvii (July 10 & 17 1841), 2 items  
1841
- MS 44,018/ 18** Letters concerning applications for the Duke of Devonshire's law agency, correspondents include Richard Hudson, J. Bagge Hearne, Walter Berwick, Thomas Sherlock, Sir John Keane, Samuel Adair, and John C. Browne, 10 items  
1854-64
- MS 44,018/ 19** Volume of legal searches in the Registry Office of Deeds, Dublin for Acts affecting the Duke of Devonshire's estates at Dungarvan and Youghal, 1 item  
1859-60

## VI ESTATE PAPERS

The papers listed in this category relate to the administration, maintenance, revenues and sale of the properties acquired by the Boyle and Cavendish families in several counties of Ireland between the 1644 and 1870 (for earlier papers of this kind see sections VI.vi.iii-v). The efficient management of such a large estate required detailed knowledge of the estate and its tenants, which in turn generated a wide variety of records covering every aspect of land ownership. The groups of document contained within this division consist of materials relating to the running of the estate, including rentals, accounts, tithe papers, surveys and maps. These records are largely complete and constitute a substantial and valuable record of the administration of the properties and the tenants who occupied them. These documents provide a diverse and detailed source of evidence on patterns of landholding, land values, rents, and estate practice between 1650 and 1870. They therefore represent an invaluable source of information on the social and economic development of the region over a period of two centuries as well as providing useful material for genealogists. Accompanying the rentals are various useful volumes and loose papers giving in the form of agents reports etc. much detailed information about tenants, their living conditions, the state of their land and, in the case of the towns, their houses. This division of the collection has been arranged into eight sections, consisting of (1) rentals and rent accounts, (2) general accounts (3) financial papers, (4) estate records, (5)

tithe papers, (6) surveys and valuations, (7) maps, and (8) drawings. Some of these groups are further subdivided according to either the location to which they refer, or to the format or function of the document concerned.

## **VI.i Rentals and Rent Papers**

This section contains a very fine series of rentals, with few serious hiatuses, covering all parts of the estate from 1644 to 1870 (for earlier rentals see section IV.v.2). The main divisions of the estate for rental purposes are the Lismore, Bandon, Youghal, Dungarvan and Tallow areas. There are approximately 400 volumes in this category and they contain much detailed information about tenants and their holdings and rents, along with summaries of income from different parts of the estate held by the Boyle and Cavendish families in counties Cork, Waterford and Tipperary. The rentals are supplemented by accounts of rent, disbursements and arrears, and papers relating to the sale of estate lands.

### ***VI.i.1 Rentals and Rent Rolls***

The manuscripts listed in this section are single volumes unless otherwise stated. The majority of them record rent payments from all parts of the estate. Other are specific to a particular part of the estate and have been arranged according to the location to which they refer and then listed in chronological order.

#### **VI.i.1.A General Estate**

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| <b>MS 6253</b> | Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford, Cork, Kildare, Tipperary, Kerry, Clare, Limerick and Dublin, 1644 |
| <b>MS 6254</b> | Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1649   |
| <b>MS 6255</b> | Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1651-53  |
| <b>MS 6256</b> | Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1655   |
| <b>MS 6257</b> | Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1656   |
| <b>MS 6258</b> | Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1657   |
| <b>MS 6259</b> | Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1658   |
| <b>MS 6260</b> | Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and  |

- Burlington, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1660
- MS 6261** Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1662
- MS 6262** Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1664
- MS 6263** Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1664
- MS 6264** Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1665
- MS 6265** Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1667
- MS 6266** Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1669
- MS 6287** Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford, Cork, Galway and in and near the city of Dublin, 1670
- MS 6270** Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford and Cork and in and near the city of Dublin, 1671
- MS 6271** Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford and Cork and in and near the city of Dublin, 1672
- MS 6272** Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford and Cork and in and near the city of Dublin, 1672
- MS 6275** Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford, Cork and Galway, 1673
- MS 6276** Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford, Cork and Galway, 1673
- MS 6277** Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford, Cork and Galway, 1674
- MS 6278** Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and

- Burlington, in counties Waterford, Cork and Galway, 1674
- MS 6279** Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford, Cork and Galway, 1675
- MS 6280** Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford, Cork, Galway and in and near the city of Dublin, 1675
- MS 6281** Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford, Cork, Galway and in and near the city of Dublin, 1676
- MS 6282** Rental of the estates of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford, Cork, Galway and in and near the city of Dublin, 1676
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- MS 6705** Rental, including Poor Law rates payable, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in County Waterford, 1845
- MS 6869** Rental, including impropriate tithes and chief rents, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford, Tipperary and Cork, 1845
- MS 6706** Rental, including Poor Law rates payable, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in County Waterford, 1846
- MS 6870** Rental, including impropriate tithes and chief rents, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford, Tipperary and Cork, 1846

- MS 6707** Rental, including Poor Law rates payable, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in County Waterford, 1847
- MS 6871** Rental, including impropriate tithes and chief rents, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford, Tipperary and Cork, 1847
- MS 6708** Rental, including Poor Law rates payable, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in County Waterford, 1848
- MS 6872** Rental, including impropriate tithes and chief rents, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford, Tipperary and Cork, 1848
- MS 6709** Rental, including Poor Law rates payable, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in County Waterford, 1849
- MS 6710** Rental, including Poor Law rates payable, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in County Waterford, 1849
- MS 6873** Rental, including impropriate tithes and chief rents, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford, Tipperary and Cork, 1849
- MS 6874** Rental, including impropriate tithes and chief rents, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford, Tipperary and Cork, 1850
- MS 6711** Rental, including Poor Law rates payable, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in County Waterford, 1851
- MS 6712** Rental, including Poor Law rates payable, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in County Waterford, 1852
- MS 6713** Rental, including Poor Law rates payable, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in County Waterford, 1852
- MS 6714** Rental, including Poor Law rates payable, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in County Waterford,

1853

- MS 6716** Rental, including Poor Law rates and Income Tax payments, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in County Waterford, 1856
- MS 6715** Rental, including Poor Law rates and Income Tax payments, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in County Waterford, 1857
- MS 6717** Rental, including Poor Law rates and Income Tax payments, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in County Waterford, 1857
- MS 6718** Rental, including Poor Law rates and Income Tax payments, of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in County Waterford, 1858
- MS 6719** Rental, including Poor Law rates and Income Tax payments, of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in County Waterford, 1859
- MS 6720** Rental, including Poor Law rates and Income Tax payments, of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in County Waterford, 1860
- MS 6721** Rental, including Poor Law rates and Income Tax payments, of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in County Waterford, 1861
- MS 6722** Rental, including Poor Law rates and Income Tax payments, of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in County Waterford, 1862
- MS 6723** Rental, including Poor Law rates and Income Tax payments, of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in County Waterford, 1863
- MS 6724** Rental, including Poor Law rates and Income Tax payments, of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in County Waterford, 1864
- MS 6725** Rental, including Poor Law rates and Income Tax payments, of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in County Waterford, 1865

- MS 6726** Rental, including Poor Law rates and Income Tax payments, of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in County Waterford, 1866
- MS 6727** Rental, including Poor Law rates and Income Tax payments, of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in County Waterford, 1867
- MS 6728** Rental, including Poor Law rates and Income Tax payments, of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in County Waterford, 1868
- MS 6729** Rental, including Poor Law rates and Income Tax payments, of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in County Waterford, 1869

VI.i.1.B Lismore, Cappoquin and Tallow

- MS 43,734/ 1** Rentroll for the Town of Cappoquin for the years 1715 to 1717, 1 item  
1717 [*Damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,734/ 2** Rentroll for the Lismore District at Michaelmas 1728, 1 item  
1728
- MS 43,734/ 3** Rentroll for the Lismore District at Michaelmas 1729, with an account of receipts and arrears and an abstract of the rentroll, 2 items  
1729 [*One item damaged & fragile - folded*]
- MS 43,734/ 4** Rentroll for the Lismore District at Ladyday 1730, with an account of arrears, 1 item  
1730 [*Damaged & fragile - folded*]
- MS 43,734/ 5** Rentroll for the Lismore District at Michaelmas 1730, 1 item  
1730
- MS 43,734/ 6** Rentroll for the Lismore and Youghal Districts at Michaelmas 1730, 1 item  
1730
- MS 43,734/ 7** Rentroll of the Castle Land, 1 item  
c1730 [*Damaged & fragile - folded*]
- MS 43,734/ 8** Rentrolls for the Lismore District at Ladyday 1732 and Ladyday 1733, 2 items  
1732-3 [*One item damaged & fragile*]

- MS 43,734/ 9** Rentals for Cappoquin at Ladyday 1733 and Ladyday 1734, 2 items  
1733-4
- MS 43,734/ 10** List of the denominations of the Town of Tallow, 1 item  
1736
- MS 43,734/ 11** Rental of the property of William Kirby of Tallow, situated at  
Tallow, Knockroe and Kilclare, and proposed for sale, 1 item  
1817
- MS 6875** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of  
Devonshire, at Lismore, Co. Waterford, and arrears of rent, 1850
- MS 6876** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of  
Devonshire, at Lismore, Co. Waterford, and arrears of rent, 1851
- MS 6877** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of  
Devonshire, at Lismore, Co. Waterford, and arrears of rent, 1852
- MS 6878** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of  
Devonshire, at Lismore, Co. Waterford, and arrears of rent, 1853
- MS 6879** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of  
Devonshire, at Lismore, Co. Waterford, and arrears of rent, 1854
- MS 6880** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of  
Devonshire, at Lismore, Co. Waterford, and arrears of rent, 1855
- MS 6881** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of  
Devonshire, at Lismore, Co. Waterford, and arrears of rent, 1856
- MS 6882** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of  
Devonshire, at Lismore, Co. Waterford, and arrears of rent, 1857
- MS 6883** Rental of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of  
Devonshire, at Lismore, Co. Waterford, and arrears of rent, 1858
- MS 6884** Rental of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of  
Devonshire, at Lismore, Co. Waterford, and arrears of rent, 1859
- MS 6885** Rental of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of  
Devonshire, at Lismore, Co. Waterford, and arrears of rent, 1860
- MS 43,734/ 12** Rental containing avschedule of total annual receipts for the  
Lismore Union, 3 items  
c1860



- MS 6745** Rental of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Lismore, Co. Waterford, 1861
- MS 6886** Rental of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Lismore, Co. Waterford, and arrears of rent, 1862
- MS 43,734/ 13** Cattle Book containing account of tenants taking mountain grazing in Lismore, with details of their stock for the period 25 October 1862 to 27 August 1897, 1 item  
1862-97
- MS 6887** Rental of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Lismore, Co. Waterford, and arrears of rent, 1863
- MS 6888** Rental of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Lismore, Co. Waterford, and arrears of rent, 1864
- MS 6889** Rental of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Lismore, Co. Waterford, and arrears of rent, 1865
- MS 6890** Rental of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Lismore, Co. Waterford, and arrears of rent, 1866
- MS 6891** Rental of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Lismore, Co. Waterford, and arrears of rent, 1867
- MS 6892** Rental of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Lismore, Co. Waterford, and arrears of rent, 1868
- MS 6894** Weekly rents payable to William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in the towns of Lismore and Tallow, Co. Waterford, 1 item  
1868-78
- MS 6893** Rental of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Lismore, Co. Waterford, and arrears of rent, 1869

VI.i.1.C Tallow and Kinnataloon

- MS 43,735/ 1** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Tallow, Co. Waterford, and in Kinnatalloon barony, Co. Cork, 1843
- MS 43,735/ 2** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Tallow, Co. Waterford, and in Kinnatalloon barony,

Co. Cork, 1844

- MS 6826** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Tallow, Co. Waterford, and in Kinnatalloon barony, Co. Cork, and arrears of rent, 1845
- MS 6818** Rental, including sums allowed for Poor Law rates, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Tallow, Co. Waterford, and the barony of Kinnatalloon, Co. Cork, 1846
- MS 6819** Rental, including sums allowed for Poor Law rates, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Tallow, Co. Waterford, and the barony of Kinnatalloon, Co. Cork, 1847
- MS 6820** Rental, including sums allowed for Poor Law rates, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Tallow, Co. Waterford, and the barony of Kinnatalloon, Co. Cork, 1847
- MS 6821** Rental, including sums allowed for Poor Law rates, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Tallow, Co. Waterford, and the barony of Kinnatalloon, Co. Cork, 1849
- MS 6822** Rental, including sums allowed for Poor Law rates, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Tallow, Co. Waterford, and the barony of Kinnatalloon, Co. Cork, 1849-50
- MS 6823** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Tallow, Co. Waterford, and in Kinnatalloon barony, Co. Cork, and arrears of rent, 1850
- MS 6835** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Tallow, Co. Waterford, and in Kinnatalloon barony, Co. Cork, and arrears of rent, 1851
- MS 6824** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Tallow, Co. Waterford, and in Kinnatalloon barony, Co. Cork, and arrears of rent, 1852
- MS 6825** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Tallow, Co. Waterford, and in Kinnatalloon barony, Co. Cork, and arrears of rent, 1853
- MS 6827** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Tallow, Co. Waterford, and in Kinnatalloon barony, Co. Cork, and arrears of rent, 1854

- MS 6828** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Tallow, Co. Waterford, and in Kinnatalloon barony, Co. Cork, and arrears of rent, 1855
- MS 6829** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Tallow, Co. Waterford, and in Kinnatalloon barony, Co. Cork, and arrears of rent, 1856
- MS 6830** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Tallow, Co. Waterford, and in Kinnatalloon barony, Co. Cork, and arrears of rent, 1857
- MS 6831** Rental of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Tallow, Co. Waterford, and in Kinnatalloon barony, Co. Cork, and arrears of rent, 1858
- MS 6832** Rental of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Tallow, Co. Waterford, and in Kinnatalloon barony, Co. Cork, and arrears of rent, 1859
- MS 6834** Rental of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Tallow, Co. Waterford, and in Kinnatalloon barony, Co. Cork, and arrears of rent, 1860
- MS 43,735/ 3** Rental of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Tallow, Co. Waterford, and in Kinnatalloon barony, Co. Cork, 1861
- MS 6836** Rental of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Tallow, Co. Waterford, and in Kinnatalloon barony, Co. Cork, and arrears of rent, 1863
- MS 6837** Rental of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Tallow, Co. Waterford, and in Kinnatalloon barony, Co. Cork, and arrears of rent, 1864
- MS 6842** Rental of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Tallow, Co. Waterford, and in Kinnatalloon barony, Co. Cork, and arrears of rent, 1864
- MS 6841** Rental of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Tallow, Co. Waterford, and in Kinnatalloon barony, Co. Cork, and arrears of rent, 1866
- MS 6840** Rental of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Tallow, Co. Waterford, and in Kinnatalloon barony,

Co. Cork, and arrears of rent, 1867

- MS 6838** Rental of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Tallow, Co. Waterford, and in Kinnatalloon barony, Co. Cork, and arrears of rent, 1868
- MS 6839** Rental of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Tallow, Co. Waterford, and in Kinnatalloon barony, Co. Cork, and arrears of rent, 1869
- MS 6833** Rental of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Tallow, Co. Waterford, and in Kinnatalloon barony, Co. Cork, and arrears of rent, 1870

VI.i.1.D Youghal

- MS 43,736/ 1** Rentroll for Youghal at Ladyday 1672, 1 item  
1672
- MS 43,736/ 2** Rental for the Youghal District at Ladyday 1722, with an account of arrears, 1 item  
1722
- MS 43,736/ 3** Abstract of the rentroll for the Youghal District at Michaelmas 1729, 1 item  
1729
- MS 43,736/ 4** Rentroll of the Youghal District at Ladyday 1730, 1 item  
1730 [*Damaged & fragile - folded*]
- MS 43,736/ 5** Rental for the Youghal District, 1 item  
c1730 [*Incomplete*]
- MS 43,736/ 6** Rentrolls for the Youghal District, 2 items  
1755-6
- MS 6685** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Youghal, Co. Cork, 1814-15
- MS 6792** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Youghal, Co. Cork, 1815
- MS 6793** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Youghal, Co. Cork, 1826
- MS 6794** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of

- Devonshire, at Youghal, Co. Cork, 1827
- MS 6795** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Youghal, Co. Cork, 1828
- MS 6796** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Youghal, Co. Cork, 1829
- MS 6797** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Youghal, Co. Cork, 1830
- MS 6798** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Youghal, Co. Cork, 1831
- MS 6799** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Youghal, Co. Cork, 1843
- MS 6800** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Youghal, Co. Cork, 1844
- MS 6801** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Youghal, Co. Cork, 1845
- MS 6802** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Youghal, Co. Cork, 1846
- MS 6803** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Youghal, Co. Cork, 1847
- MS 6804** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Youghal, Co. Cork, 1848
- MS 6805** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Youghal, Co. Cork, 1849
- MS 6806** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Youghal, Co. Cork, 1850
- MS 6807** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Youghal, Co. Cork, 1851
- MS 6808** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Youghal, Co. Cork, 1852
- MS 6809** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Youghal, Co. Cork, 1853

- MS 6810** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Youghal, Co. Cork, 1854
- MS 6811** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Youghal, Co. Cork, 1855
- MS 6812** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Youghal, Co. Cork, 1856
- MS 6813** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Youghal, Co. Cork, 1857
- MS 6814** Rental of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Youghal, Co. Cork, 1858
- MS 6815** Rental of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Youghal, Co. Cork, 1859
- MS 6816** Rental of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Youghal, Co. Cork, 1860
- MS 6817** Rental of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Youghal, Co. Cork, 1860

VI.i.1.E Bandon and Western Districts

- MS 43,737/ 1** Rental for a half year for the town of Bandon at Lady Day, 1650
- MS 43,737/ 2** Rentroll for Bandon, Cloghnakilty, and Carbery, with account of jointure rents, 1694
- MS 43,737/ 3** Rentroll for Kinalmeaky, Kilbrogan, Knockbrogan, Kilbeg, East Carbery, and Cloghnakilty, 1696
- MS 43,737/ 4** Rentrolls for Kilbrogan, Knockboy and Killbeg at Ladyday 1706 and for the Western District at Ladyday 1707, 2 items 1706-7
- MS 43,737/ 5** Rental for Bandon for Michaelmas, 1716, [*Damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,737/ 6** Rentroll for the Town of Bandon, c1720 [*Damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,737/ 7** Rental for the Bandon District for Ladyday 1722, with accounts of

arrears

- MS 43,737/ 8** Rental for the Bandon District, August 1725  
[*Badly damaged & fragile - folded*]
- MS 43,737/ 9** Rental for Bandon for Michaelmas, 1730
- MS 43,737/ 10** Rentroll for the Western District (Cloghnikilty, East Carbery, and Inniskeane) for Michaelmas, 1730
- MS 43,737/ 11** Rentrolls for the Western District (Cloghnikilty, East Carbery and Inniskeane) for Ladyday and Michaelmas 1731, with account of fines contracted for and produce of lands sold, 2 items  
1731 [*One item badly damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,737/ 12** Rentrolls for the Bandon and Western Districts for the years 1731, 1735, 1741-4, 1758, and 1762, 10 items  
1731-62
- MS 43,737/ 13** Rentroll for the Bandon District for Michaelmas, 1735
- MS 43,737/ 14** Rentrolls for the Bandon District for Ladyday 1735 and 1736, with the accounts of Daniel Conner, 2 items  
1735-6
- MS 43,737/ 15** Rental of the lands of Scartnamuck and Kilnegnady held by the representatives of the late James Popham, 1801
- MS 43,737/ 16** Rental for Bandon for the year 1817
- MS 7043** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, Co. Cork, 1819
- MS 6731** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, Co. Cork, 1821-23
- MS 6158** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, Cork, and Gillabbey, Co. Cork, 1826-35
- MS 6732** Rental, including Poor Law rates payable, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, County Cork, 1843
- MS 6733** Rental, including Poor Law rates payable, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, County Cork, 1845

- MS 6734** Rental, including Poor Law rates payable, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, County Cork, 1846
- MS 6735** Rental, including Poor Law rates payable, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, County Cork, 1847
- MS 6737** Rent receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, County Cork, 1848
- MS 6738** Rent receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, County Cork, 1850
- MS 6739** Rental, including Poor Law rates payable, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, County Cork, 1852
- MS 6740** Rental, including Poor Law rates payable, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, County Cork, 1853
- MS 6741** Rental, including Poor Law rates payable, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, County Cork, 1854
- MS 6744** Rental, including Poor Law rates payable, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, County Cork, 1855
- MS 43,737/ 17** Rental containing a schedule of total annual receipts for the Bandon, Fermoy, and Youghal Unions, 3 items  
c1860
- MS 6746** Rental, including Poor Law rates and Income Tax payments, of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, Co. Cork, 1862
- MS 6747** Rental, including Poor Law rates and Income Tax payments, of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, Co. Cork, 1862-63
- MS 6748** Rental, including Poor Law rates and Income Tax payments, of the



estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, Co. Cork, 1864

- MS 6749** Rental, including Poor Law rates and Income Tax payments, of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, Co. Cork, 1865
- MS 6750** Rental, including Poor Law rates and Income Tax payments, of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, Co. Cork, 1866
- MS 6751** Rental, including Poor Law rates and Income Tax payments, of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, Co. Cork, 1866-67
- MS 6752** Rental, including Poor Law rates and Income Tax payments, of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, Co. Cork, 1867-68
- MS 6753** Rental, including Poor Law rates and Income Tax payments, of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, Co. Cork, 1868-69

VI.i.1.F Dungarvan, Youghal and Tipperary

- MS 43,738/ 1** Rentroll for holdings in and near the Manor of Dungarvan, 1653  
[*Incomplete*]
- MS 43,738/ 2** Copy rentals for Tipperary, Dungarvan, and Waterford, and for Youghal for the years 1752 and 1777, 3 items  
c1850
- MS 43,738/ 3** Copy rental for Dungarvan and Tipperary for the year 1812, 1 item  
c1850
- MS 43,738/ 4** Rentals for Dungarvan rental for the years 1813 and 1817, 2 items  
1813-7
- MS 43,738/ 5** Rentals of Dungarvan freeholders for the years 1818, 1820, 1821, and 1823, 4 items  
1818-23
- MS 6778** Rental, including Poor Law rates and Income Tax payments, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan and Youghal, 1820

- MS 6779** Rental, including Poor Law rates and Income Tax payments, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan and Youghal, 1821
- MS 6780** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan and Youghal, 1823
- MS 43,738/ 6** Rental of the Commons and lands of Dungarvan, lately in the possession of Percy S. Smyth, 1823
- MS 6781** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan and Youghal, 1825
- MS 6755** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan, 1826
- MS 6756** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan, 1827
- MS 43,738/ 7** Rentals of Dungarvan freeholders for the years 1827, 1837, and 1844, 3 items  
1827-44
- MS 6757** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan, 1828
- MS 6758** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan, 1829
- MS 6782** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan and Youghal, 1832-33
- MS 6759** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan and Youghal, 1834
- MS 6783** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan and Youghal, 1835
- MS 6784** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan and Youghal, 1836
- MS 6785** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan and Youghal, 1837
- MS 6786** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan and Youghal, 1838

- MS 6787** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan and Youghal, 1839
- MS 6788** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan and Youghal, 1840
- MS 6789** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan and Youghal, 1841
- MS 6790** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan and Youghal, 1842
- MS 6760** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan, 1843
- MS 6761** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan, 1844
- MS 6178** Freeholders' rental of the Parish of Dungarvan, Co. Waterford, 1844-59
- MS 6762** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan, 1845
- MS 6763** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan, 1846
- MS 6764** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan, 1847
- MS 6765** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan, 1848
- MS 6766** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan, 1849
- MS 6767** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan, 1849-50
- MS 43,738/ 8** Rental of Spittal Land, Co. Tipperary for one year ending 28 September 1850, 1 item  
1850
- MS 6768** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan, 1851

- MS 6769** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan, 1852
- MS 6770** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan, 1853
- MS 6771** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan, 1854
- MS 6772** Rental of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan, 1855
- MS 6773** Rental, including Poor Law rates and Income Tax payments, of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan, 1857
- MS 6774** Rental, including Poor Law rates and Income Tax payments, of the estates of William Cavendish, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan, 1858
- MS 6775** Rental, including Poor Law rates and Income Tax payments, of the estates of William Cavendish, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan, 1858-9
- MS 6776** Rental, including Poor Law rates and Income Tax payments, of the estates of William Cavendish, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan, 1859
- MS 6777** Rental, including Poor Law rates and Income Tax payments, of the estates of William Cavendish, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan, 1860
- MS 43,738/ 9** Rental containing schedule of total annual receipts for the Dungarvan Union and the Tipperary Estate, and a summary of the Cork, Waterford, and Tipperary Estates, 3 items  
c1860
- MS 6754** Rental, including Poor Law rates and Income Tax payments, of the estates of William Cavendish, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan, 1869-70

#### VI.i.1.G Other Rentals

- MS 43,739/ 1** Rental of the Hon. Charles Boyle, 2nd Baron Clifford for the years 1686 and 1687, with an account of arrears for the years 1674 to

- 1685  
[*Damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,739/ 2** Rentroll for the Manor of Topsham collected by John Smith Rosse for the year 1721
- MS 43,739/ 3** Rent rolls for the estate of Henry Boyle (later 1st Earl of Shannon) at Cloghnakilty, 10 items  
1739-45 & 1760 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,739/ 4** Copy of the rental of the Rt. Hon. William Tonson, 2nd Baron Riversdale returned by Robert Sealy on 23 May 1810
- Ms 6701** Rent ledger of the estates of the Penrose family in counties Waterford and Cork, 1815-47, together with a declaration by James Penrose concerning the will of his father, Cooper Penrose, 1815
- MS 43,739/ 5** Fragments of rentals, 12 items  
c1720-50

### ***VI.i.2 Rent Receipts and Disbursements***

The accounts of rent receipts and disbursements relate largely to the same tenants and holdings as the rentals. They also deal with estate expenditure on the castle, demesne, and fisheries etc., with which the tenants were not concerned. They are not quite so continuous as the rentals but cover the greater part of the period 1645 to 1870 in approximately 100 volumes. They are arranged in four classes – (1) ledgers and books, (2) draft ledgers, (3) cash books, and (4) account books for Bandon

#### **VI.i.2.A Ledgers and Books**

The manuscripts listed in this section are single volumes unless otherwise stated. They refer to various parts of the Cork and Devonshire estates in Ireland and are arranged in chronological order.

- MS 43,740/ 1** Account of receipts and disbursements for the the Earl of Cork's house in Dublin during the period 14 November 1645 to 1 February 1647/8
- MS 43,740/ 2** Book of rent receipts, arrears and disbursements for Bandonbridge for the year 1650  
[*Damaged & fragile*]
- MS 6901** Rent receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1662

- MS 6267** Rent receipts and disbursements by Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, 1669
- MS 6268** Rent receipts and disbursements by Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, 1669
- MS 6269** Rent receipts and disbursements by Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, 1671
- MS 6273** Rent receipts and disbursements by Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, 1672
- MS 6274** Rent receipts and disbursements by Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, 1673
- MS 43,740/ 3** Book of receipts and disbursements for the period 1 April to 31 October 1676, with an account of disbursements for Knocknigananagh between 1664 and 1671, 2 items 1673-6
- MS 6902** Rent receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1677-82
- MS 6300** Rent receipts and disbursements by Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, 1684-88
- MS 6303** Rent receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1686
- MS 6304** Rent receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1686
- MS 43,740/ 4** Assorted accounts of receipts and disbursements, 4 items 1689-90 [*Damaged & fragile*]
- MS 6903** Rent receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1690-97
- MS 6904** Rent receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of Richard Boyle, 2nd Earl and Charles Boyle, 3rd Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1697-1702

- MS 43,740/ 5** Assorted accounts of rent and accidental receipts and disbursements, 7 items  
1700-8 [*Most damaged and fragile*]
- MS 6905** Rent receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of Charles Boyle, 3rd Earl and Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1703-07
- MS 6386** General rent receipts and disbursements of the estates of Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, 1704
- MS 6907** Rent receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1704-08
- MS 6906** Rent receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1704-11
- MS 6908/1** Rent receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1708-14
- MS 6908/2** Rent receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1708-14
- MS 6435** Rent ledger of the estates of Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, in county Waterford, 1712-13
- MS 6475** General rent receipts and disbursements of Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, 1716-17
- MS 6478** Rent receipts and disbursements in respect of the estate of Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, at Youghal, Co. Cork, 1717
- MS 43,740/ 6** Abstract of receipts and disbursements in the Lismore, Youghal, Bandon and Western districts (1735-6), with assorted accounts of rent and accidental receipts and disbursements for the Bandon, Cappoquin and Lismore districts, 12 items  
1717-38
- MS 6909** Rent receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1724-33

- MS 43,740/ 7** Account book containing accidental receipts for the Lismore district, 1 item  
1725
- MS 6555** Rent receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, at Youghal, Co. Cork, 1725-33
- MS 6533** Rent receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1725-34
- MS 6530** Rent receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, at Lismore, Co. Waterford, 1725-36
- MS 43,740/ 8** Assorted accounts of rent and accidental receipts for the Bandon, Lismore, and Youghal districts, 14 items  
1726-51
- MS 6910** Rent receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1730-33
- MS 6911** Rent receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 4th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1754-57
- MS 6912** Rent receipts and disbursements (William Conner's account) in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 4th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1757
- MS 6913** Rent receipts and disbursements (William Conner's account) in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 5th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1780-1
- MS 43,740/ 9** Accounts of rent and incidental receipts for the Bandon, Lismore, Tallow and Youghal districts, 28 items  
1793-1804
- MS 6914** Rent receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 5th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1798
- MS 43,740/ 10** Receipt and disbursement book for the year 1809



- MS 6931** Cash books showing rent receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, 1813-14
- MS 6925** Ledgers containing accounts of disbursements on the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1813-15
- MS 6692** Rent receipts and disbursements of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Lismore, Co. Waterford, 1815
- MS 6926** Ledgers containing accounts of disbursements on the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1815-16
- MS 6927** Cash books of rent receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in County Waterford, 1815-16
- MS 6691** Rent receipts of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, Co. Cork, 1815-6
- MS 43,740/ 11** Receipt and disbursement book for Bandon for the years 1815 and 1816
- MS 6915** Ledgers containing rent receipts and disbursements of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1815-7
- MS 6928** Draft ledger of disbursements on account of the Irish estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, commencing 20 March 1816 and ending 25 March 1817
- MS 43,740/ 12** Receipt and disbursement books for Lismore for the period 1816 to 1818, 2 items  
1816-8
- MS 6930** Cash books showing rent receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, 1818
- MS 6932** Cash books showing rent receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, 1818-19

- MS 43,740/ 13** Receipt and disbursement book for the period 1818 to 1820, 1 item 1818-20
- MS 6929** Summary of rent receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke and William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in County Waterford, 1818-90
- MS 6916** Ledgers containing rent receipts and disbursements of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1821
- MS 6923** Ledgers containing rent receipts and disbursements of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1821-8
- MS 6917** Ledgers containing rent receipts and disbursements of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1822
- MS 6918** Ledgers containing rent receipts and disbursements of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1823
- MS 6919** Ledgers containing rent receipts and disbursements of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1824
- MS 6920** Ledgers containing rent receipts and disbursements of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1825
- MS 6921** Ledgers containing rent receipts and disbursements of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1826
- MS 6922** Ledgers containing rent receipts and disbursements of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1827
- MS 6933** Ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1839
- MS 6934** Ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1840

- MS 6935** Ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1841
- MS 6936** Ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1842
- MS 43,740/ 14** Receipt and disbursement book for Bandon for the years 1842 and 1843, 1 item  
1842-3
- MS 6937** Ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1843
- MS 6938** Ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1844
- MS 6939** Ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1845
- MS 6940** Ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1846
- MS 6941** Ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1847
- MS 6736** Rent receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, County Cork, 1847
- MS 6942** Ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1848
- MS 6943** Ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1849-50
- MS 6944** Ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the

estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1850-51

- MS 6945** Ledgers containing rent receipts and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1857
- MS 6946** Ledgers containing rent receipts and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1858
- MS 6947** Ledgers containing rent receipts and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1859
- MS 6948** Ledgers containing rent receipts and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1860
- MS 6949** Ledgers containing rent receipts and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1861
- MS 6950** Ledgers containing rent receipts and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1862
- MS 6951** Ledgers containing rent receipts and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1863
- MS 6952** Ledgers containing rent receipts and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1864-5
- MS 6953** Ledgers containing rent receipts and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1865-6
- MS 6954** Ledgers containing rent receipts and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1866-7
- MS 6955** Ledgers containing rent receipts and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1867-8

**MS 6956** Ledgers containing rent receipts and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1868

**MS 6957** Ledgers containing rent receipts and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1869-70

#### VI.i.2.B Draft Ledgers

The manuscripts listed in this section refer to the estates of the Duke of Devonshire's estates in counties Cork and Waterford. They are single volumes and are listed in chronological order.

**MS 6958** Draft ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1817-9

**MS 6959** Draft ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1827-8

**MS 6960** Draft ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1828-9

**MS 6961** Draft ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1830

**MS 6962** Draft ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1830-1

**MS 6963** Draft ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1831

**MS 6964** Draft ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1832

**MS 6965** Draft ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1833

- MS 6966** Draft ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1834
- MS 6967** Draft ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1835
- MS 6968** Draft ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1836
- MS 6969** Draft ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1837-8
- MS 6978** Draft ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1838
- MS 6970** Draft ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1851-2
- MS 6971** Draft ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1852-3
- MS 6972** Draft ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1853-4
- MS 6973** Draft ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1854
- MS 6974** Draft ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1855
- MS 6975** Draft ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1856
- MS 6976** Draft ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect

of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1857

- MS 6977** Draft ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1858
- MS 6979** Draft ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1859
- MS 6980** Draft ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1860
- MS 6981** Draft ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1861
- MS 6982** Draft ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1862
- MS 6983** Draft ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1863
- MS 6984** Draft ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1864-5
- MS 6985** Draft ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1865-6
- MS 6986** Draft ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1866-7
- MS 6987** Draft ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1867-8
- MS 6988** Draft ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1868-9

**MS 6989** Draft ledger containing rent and disbursements accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1869-70

#### VI.i.2.C Cash Books

The manuscripts listed in this section refer to the Duke of Devonshire's estates in counties Cork and Waterford. They are single volumes and are in chronological order.

**MS 7062** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1817-8

**MS 7063** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1819-20

**MS 7064** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1820-1

**MS 7065** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1821-2

**MS 7066** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1822-3

**MS 7067** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1823-4

**MS 7068** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1824-5

**MS 7069** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1825-6

**MS 7070** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1826-7



- MS 7071** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1827-8
- MS 7072** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1828-9
- MS 7073** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1829-30
- MS 7074** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1830-1
- MS 7075** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1831-2
- MS 7076** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1832-3
- MS 7077** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1833-4
- MS 7078** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1834-5
- MS 7079** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1835-6
- MS 7080** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1836-7
- MS 7081** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1837-8
- MS 7082** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in

- counties Waterford and Cork, 1838-9
- MS 7083** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1839-40
- MS 7084** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1840-1
- MS 7085** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1841-2
- MS 7086** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1842-3
- MS 7087** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1843-4
- MS 7088** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1843-4
- MS 7089** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1844-5
- MS 7090** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1845-6
- MS 7091** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1846-7
- MS 7092** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1847-8
- MS 7093** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1848-9

- MS 7094** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1849-50
- MS 7095** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1850-1
- MS 7096** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1851-2
- MS 7097** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1852-3
- MS 7098** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1853-4
- MS 7099** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1854-5
- MS 7100** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1855-6
- MS 7101** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1856-7
- MS 7102** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1857-8
- MS 7103** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1858-9
- MS 7104** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1859-60
- MS 7105** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties

Waterford and Cork, 1860-1

- MS 7106** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1861-2
- MS 7107** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1862-3
- MS 7108** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1863-4
- MS 7109** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1864-5
- MS 7110** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1865-6
- MS 7111** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1866-7
- MS 7112** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1867-8
- MS 7113** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1868-9
- MS 7114** Cash book, containing receipts and disbursements in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1869-70

#### VI.i.2.D Account Books (Bandon)

The manuscripts listed in this section refer specifically to the Duke of Devonshire's estate at Bandon. They are single volumes and are listed in chronological order.

- MS 7044** Rent and disbursements accounts of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, Co. Cork, 1843

- MS 7045** Rent and disbursements accounts of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, Co. Cork, 1845
- MS 7046** Rent and disbursements accounts of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, Co. Cork, 1851
- MS 7047** Rent and disbursements accounts of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, Co. Cork, 1853
- MS 7048** Rent and disbursements accounts of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, Co. Cork, 1854
- MS 6742** Cash books containing rent receipts and disbursement of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, County Cork, 1854
- MS 6743** Cash books containing rent receipts and disbursement of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, County Cork, 1855
- MS 7049** Rent and disbursements accounts of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, Co. Cork, 1856
- MS 7050** Rent and disbursements accounts of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, Co. Cork, 1858
- MS 7051** Rent and disbursements accounts of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, Co. Cork, 1859
- MS 7052** Rent and disbursements accounts of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, Co. Cork, 1860
- MS 7053** Rent and disbursements accounts of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, Co. Cork, 1861
- MS 7054** Rent and disbursements accounts of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, Co. Cork, 1862
- MS 7060** Rent and disbursements accounts of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, Co. Cork, 1863-4
- MS 7055** Rent and disbursements accounts of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, Co. Cork, 1864-5
- MS 7056** Rent and disbursements accounts of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, Co. Cork, 1865-6

- MS 7057** Rent and disbursements accounts of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, Co. Cork, 1866-7
- MS 7058** Rent and disbursements accounts of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, Co. Cork, 1867-8
- MS 7059** Rent and disbursements accounts of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, Co. Cork, 1868-9
- MS 7061** Rent and disbursements accounts of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, Co. Cork, 1870-1

### ***VI.i.3 Rent Receipt and Account Books***

The manuscripts listed in this section refer to the whole or to specific parts of the Cork and Devonshire estates in Ireland. They are single volumes (unless otherwise stated) and are listed in chronological order.

- MS 43,741/ 1** Receipt book for payments of rent and arrears collected on behalf of Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington by his agent Richard Bagge, c1696
- MS 43,741/ 2** Counterpart receipt books for payments of rent and arrears collected on behalf of Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington for the periods 1710-1, 1713-4, 1730-1, 1733-4, and 1738-42, 7 items 1710-42
- MS 6517** Rent account book of the estates of Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1723-4
- MS 6152** Account book of rents, crown-rents, and current estate expenses of the estates of Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, at Enniskeane and Clonakilty, Co. Cork, 1733-5
- MS 43,741/ 3** Rent collectors' account books for the periods 1735-7, 1738-40, 1740-1, and 1741-2, 4 items 1735-42
- MS 43,741/ 4** Rent account book for the Bandon and Western Districts for Michaelmas 1737 and Ladyday 1738, with the account of William Conner, 2 items 1737-8
- MS 43,741/ 5** Rent collectors' account books for the periods 1743-4, 1743-6, 1744-6, 1746-7, and 1749-51, 5 items

1743-51

- MS 43,741/ 6** Rent receipt book for Lismore for the year 1815
- MS 6694** Rent receipt account book for the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1816
- MS 6695** Rent receipt account book for the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1816
- MS 6696** Rent receipt account book for the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1816
- MS 6697** Rent receipt account book for the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1817
- MS 6698** Rent receipt account book for the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1817
- MS 6700** Rent receipt account book for the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1817
- MS 43,741/ 7** Rent account books for Lismore, Bandon, Dungarvan and Youghal, for the period 27 March 1819 to 22 June 1819, 2 items
- MS 43,741/ 8** Rent account books for Lismore, Bandon, Dungarvan and Youghal, for the period 26 June 1819 to 6 November 1819, 2 items
- MS 43,741/ 9** Rent account books for Lismore, Bandon, Dungarvan and Youghal, for the period 8 Novemeber 1819 to 3 December 1819, 2 items
- MS 43,741/ 10** Rent account books for Lismore, Bandon, Dungarvan and Youghal, for the period 29 Decmeber 1819 to 2 June 1821, 2 items
- MS 43,741/ 11** Rent account books for the lands of Ballyin, Glengarra and Monatrive for the years 1820-8, 9 items  
1828
- MS 43,741/ 12** Rent notebooks recording tenant's payments at bi-annual rent-collecting sessions for the Dungarvan, Youghal, Tallow, Bandon,

- and Lismore estates, 6 items  
1831-3 & 1837-9
- MS 43,741/ 13** Rent notebooks recording tenant's payments at bi-annual rent-collecting sessions for the Dungarvan, Youghal, Tallow, Bandon, and Lismore estates, 5 items  
1840-4
- MS 43,741/ 14** Rent notebooks recording tenant's payments at bi-annual rent-collecting sessions for the Dungarvan, Youghal, Tallow, Bandon, and Lismore estates, 5 items  
1845-9
- MS 43,741/ 15** Rent notebooks recording tenant's payments at bi-annual rent-collecting sessions for the Dungarvan, Youghal, Tallow, Bandon, and Lismore estates, 3 items  
1851-57
- MS 7040** Rent receipts, with a portion of the entries in shorthand, of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1857-76
- MS 43,741/ 16** Rent account books for Lismore for the years 1842 and 1843, 2 items  
1842-3
- MS 43,741/ 17** Miscellaneous rent account books, 4 items  
n.d.

#### ***VI.i.4 Rent Accounts***

The manuscripts listed in this section consist of an assortment of accounts, calculations, and notes concerning rents and arrears compiled by agents and sub-agents between 1700 and 1870. They refer to tenancies on different parts of the Cork and Devonshire estates in Ireland. They are largely loose bound volumes or single sheets and each of the five sections is listed in chronological order.

##### **VI.i.4.A Agents' Rent Accounts**

- MS 43,742/ 1** Accounts of rent and arrears for the Western District by William Snowe, 5 items  
1725-9 [*Damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,742/ 2** Accounts of rent and arrears for the Western District and the estate of the late Lord Carleton by William Snowe, 3 items  
1729-30 [*Damaged and fragile*]



- MS 43,742/ 3** Accounts of rent and arrears for the Western District by William Snowe, 3 items  
1730-2 [*Damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,742/ 4** Accounts of rent and arrears for the Western District by William Snowe, 3 items  
1732-5 [*Damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,742/ 5** Book of the accounts of John Ussher, William Snowe and Daniel Conner with the Earl of Cork and Burlington for the Lismore, Bandon and Western Districts, with details of rent receipts, arrears, and disbursements, 1 item  
1733-4
- MS 43,742/ 6** Accounts of John Ussher with the Earl of Cork and Burlington for the Districts of Lismore, Youghal and the seignory of Inchiquin, containing details of rent receipts, arrears, disbursements, wood sales, and chief rents, with notes and queries, 8 items  
1737-8
- MS 43,742/ 7** Accounts of John Ussher with the Earl of Cork and Burlington for the Districts of Lismore and Youghal, with details of rent receipts, arrears, disbursements, wood sales, and chief rents, 1 item  
1738
- MS 43,742/ 8** Accounts of John Ussher with the Earl of Cork and Burlington for the Districts of Lismore and Youghal, with details of rent receipts, arrears, disbursements, wood sales, and chief rents, 2 items  
1739-40
- MS 43,742/ 9** Accounts of John Ussher with the Earl of Cork and Burlington for the Districts of Lismore and Youghal, with details of rent receipts, arrears, disbursements, wood sales, and chief rents, 1 item  
1740
- MS 43,742/ 10** Accounts of John Ussher with the Earl of Cork and Burlington for the Districts of Lismore and Youghal, with details of rent receipts, arrears, disbursements, wood sales, and chief rents, 1 item  
1741
- MS 43,742/ 11** Accounts of John Ussher with the Earl of Cork and Burlington for the Districts of Lismore and Youghal, containing details of rent receipts, arrears, disbursements, wood sales, and chief rents, with observations from Sir William Abdy, 3 items  
1742
- MS 43,742/ 12** Accounts of John Ussher with the Earl of Cork and Burlington for

- the Districts of Lismore and Youghal, with details of rent receipts, arrears, disbursements, wood sales, and chief rents, 1 item  
1742-3
- MS 43,742/ 13** Accounts of John Ussher with the Earl of Cork and Burlington for the Districts of Lismore and Youghal, with details of rent receipts, arrears, disbursements, wood sales, and chief rents, 1 item  
1743
- MS 43,742/ 14** Accounts of John Ussher with the Earl of Cork and Burlington for the Districts of Lismore and Youghal, with details of rent receipts, arrears, disbursements, wood sales, and chief rents, 2 items  
1744
- MS 43,742/ 15** Accounts of John Ussher with the Earl of Cork and Burlington for the Districts of Lismore and Youghal, with details of rent receipts, arrears, disbursements, wood sales, and chief rents, 2 items  
1745
- MS 43,742/ 16** Accounts of John Ussher with the Earl of Cork and Burlington for the Districts of Lismore and Youghal, with details of rent receipts, arrears, disbursements, wood sales, and chief rents, 1 item  
1746
- MS 43,742/ 17** Accounts of John Ussher with the Earl of Cork and Burlington for the Districts of Lismore and Youghal, with details of rent receipts, arrears, disbursements, wood sales, and chief rents, 1 item  
1747-8
- MS 6153** Accounts of John Ussher for the half years' rent (Lady Day) of the estates of Richard Boyle, 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington, at Lismore, Dungarvan, Tallow, and Curriheen, Co. Waterford, and at Youghal, Co. Cork, 2 items  
1747-8
- MS 43,742/ 18** Miscellaneous accounts, bills, and receipts of William Conner in account with various persons, 21 items  
1748-52
- MS 6154** Accounts of William Conner for the half years' rent (Lady Day, 1748) and disbursements in respect of the estates of Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, at Lismore, Co. Waterford, and Bandon and Youghal, Co. Cork (1749-56 & 1760-69), 1 item  
1748-69
- MS 43,742/ 19** Accounts for rent and arrears between Philip Splane, Henry Bowman, and Thomas Knowlton, 4 items  
1796-7 & 1805-6

#### VI.i.4.B Miscellaneous Rent Accounts

- MS 43,743/ 1** Abstract of rents taken out of the Earl of Cork and Burlington's rentals at Burlington House, London between 1633 and 1673, 1 item  
1673
- MS 43,743/ 2** Assorted accounts of rent and arrears from the Lismore, Youghal, Bandon, and Dungarvan districts, 15 items  
1711-51
- MS 43,743/ 3** Assorted accounts of rent, arrears and disbursements for the town and lands of Cappoquin for the period 1718-32, 13 items  
1720-32
- MS 43,743/ 4** Particulars of rents payments made out of the lands of Bridanes and Ballyhauraghane for the period 1719-30, 4 items  
1722-30
- MS 43,743/ 5** Abstracts of rent and arrears due to the Earl of Cork and Burlington from the Lismore, Youghal, Bandon and Western districts, with short statement of his rents, arrears, receipts, expenses, and debts in England and Ireland (1728), 14 items  
1725-36
- MS 43,743/ 6** Schedule of rent and arrears for the Youghal District at Ladyday 1732, with accounts of rent and arrears due at Michaelmas 1731, 1 item  
1732 [*Damaged & fragile - folded*]
- MS 43,743/ 7** Account of rent received from Dungarvan on 11 April 1732, 1 item  
1732
- MS 43,743/ 8** Account of yearly rent charge issuing out of the ploughland of Ryney and half ploughland of Bullivant (1696-1719), entries concerning the setting of ploughlands and commons (1659-1719), the Manor of Ballynecourt (1637-1711), and lands and tenants at Abbeyside, Dungarvan (1637-1719), 4 items  
1733 & n.d.
- MS 43,743/ 9** Particulars of the half years rents due for the Lismore District at Ladyday 1733, with accounts of receipts and arrears, 4 items  
24 Oct 1733 [*Damaged & fragile - folded*]
- MS 43,743/ 10** Accounts of rents due for the Lismore District at Ladyday and Michaelmas 1733, 4 items

- 1734 [*Damaged & fragile - folded*]
- MS 43,743/ 11** Accounts of rent and arrears due from the under-tenants of the ploughlands of Castledermod, Castletowne, and West Derrykeaveen for the period 1732-4, 15 items  
1734-5
- MS 43,743/ 12** Account of rent and arrears for the Western District due half yearly from Michaelmas 1725 to Ladyday 1735, 1 item  
1735 [*Damaged & fragile - folded*]
- MS 43,743/ 13** Account of Youghal rents, 1 item  
1738
- MS 43,743/ 14** Accounts of Lismore rent receipts and variations in the Lismore rental, with accounts of arrears payments from the tenants of Bishopstown, 11 items  
1807-14
- MS 43,743/ 15** Lists of tenants in counties Cork and Waterford with the rents set according to Benjamin Popham's valuation, and who were to have freehold leases of their houses (with drafts), 5 items  
1814
- MS 43,743/ 16** Accounts of rent and arrears in the Bandon district, with list of rents of houses out of lease and account of the payment of 'street money' in the Town of Bandon, 12 items  
1815-29
- MS 43,743/ 17** Accounts of rents for Lismore Town and townlands (including Castle Land), Tallow, lands in County Tipperary, Mogeely, and the ploughland of Lisabrother, Co. Cork, 14 items  
1816-29
- MS 43,743/ 18** Memoranda and returns concerning rent and arrears of tenants and freeholders in the towns of Dungarvan, Lismore, and Tallow, with a list of receipts for Barrack rents for Bandon, Dungarvan, and Tallow, 11 items  
1817-36
- MS 43,743/ 19** Accounts of rent and arrears for the lands of Killpatrick, Killowen, and Enniskeen, 6 items  
1825-41
- MS 43,743/ 20** Schedules classifying tenants of land according to rent for the Bandon, Lismore, Tallow, and Kinnataloon districts, 9 items

1843, 1851 & 1868

**MS 43,743/ 21** Account of income out of the several parishes of the Bandon estate,  
1 item  
c1850

VI.i.4.C Tenants' Rent Accounts

**MS 43,744/ 1** Accounts and proposals concerning payments of rent by the Rev.  
Dean Prendergast Davies for the lands of Gillabbey, 11 items  
1702-7 & 1714-6

**MS 43,744/ 2** Accounts of rent and arrears due from various tenants, including  
Zorobabel Robnett, Nicholas Power and John Damer for Mogeely,  
Knockroe, Kilpatrick and other lands, 13 items  
1705-46

**MS 43,744/ 3** Accounts of rents and arrears due from James Benger for holdings  
at Loughnasollis and Killaster for the periods 1702-7 and 1708-10, 2  
items  
1707 & 1717

**MS 43,744/ 4** Accounts of James Green, Benjamin Green and Colonel James  
Roche for the lands of Cappoquin, Bridanes and other properties in  
the Lismore District for the period 1719-37, 11 items  
1722-37

**MS 43,744/ 5** Accounts of Benjamin Green and partners with the Earl of Cork and  
Burlington relating to the ploughlands of Kilpatrick, Bandon  
District, including a memorial concerning the lands of Teadies,  
Kilpatrick, Mawbeg and Mawmore and a return of Green's property  
in Dungarvan (1748), 12 items  
1722-25, 1732-3 & 1748 [*Four items damaged & fragile*]

**MS 43,744/ 6** Accounts of rents and arrears between Joseph Cooke and the tenants  
of Mocollop Mountain, 5 items  
1731

**MS 43,744/ 7** Account of the half year's rent due at Michaelmas 1731 to Francis  
Bernard out of the several lands taken from the Earl of Cork and  
Burlington on lives renewable, 1 item  
1731

**MS 43,744/ 8** Account of rents and arrears for Hill's tenement in Sugar Lane,  
Bandon, 12 items  
1804-13

- MS 43,744/ 9** List of new tenants to be entered in the Lismore rental commencing Lady Day 1808, with lists of tenants on various holdings in Lismore and an account concerning the holdings of Charles and James Whitings, 6 items  
1805-8
- MS 43,744/ 10** Accounts and papers of Thomas and Hannah Foley for the rents of Barrett's Land, Castle Land and other parts of the Lismore townlands, including rent receipts (1820 & 1831-9), agreements, and proposals, 55 items  
1815-39
- MS 43,744/ 11** Lists of entries extracted from rentals (1641-1818) concerning the holdings of Robert Bateman and others, 4 items  
c1820
- MS 43,744/ 12** Memoranda respecting the freeholders of Cork Lane, Youghal, with returns and particulars of tenants on the holdings of Messrs. Maunsell and Robinett in Tallow, 3 items  
1826, 1831 & 1861

#### VI.i.4.D Rent Account Papers

- MS 43,745/ 1** Miscellaneous rent accounts and calculations for various parts of the Irish estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 14 items  
1703-20
- MS 43,745/ 2** Miscellaneous rent accounts and calculations for various parts of the Irish estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 25 items  
1722-40 & n.d.
- MS 43,745/ 3** Accounts and calculations of rents from the Bandon, Western, Youghal, and Lismore Districts, 18 items  
1728-37
- MS 43,745/ 4** Accounts and calculations of rents from the Bandon, Western, Youghal, and Lismore Districts, 22 items  
1728-37
- MS 43,745/ 5** Accounts and calculations of rents from the Bandon, Western, Youghal, and Lismore Districts for the period 1725 to 1736, 16 items  
1737
- MS 43,745/ 6** Accounts and calculations of rents from the Bandon, Western, Youghal, and Lismore Districts for the period 1725 to 1736, 15

- items  
1737
- MS 43,745/ 7** Calculations of rents from the Bandon, Western, Youghal, and Lismore Districts for the period 1725 to 1736, 9 items  
1737
- MS 43,745/8** Miscellaneous rent accounts and calculations for various parts of the Irish estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 18 items  
1740-57 & 1773
- MS 43,745/ 9** Calculations of average rents on the estate of the Duke of Devonshire with notebook containing measurements and full rental values of each townland exclusive of the towns of Bandon, Lismore and Tallow and a comparison of the rentals of 1840 and 1867, 6 items  
1869

#### VI.i.4.E Tenant Books

- MS 43,746/ 1** Book containing an account of tenants of the Earl of Cork and Burlington in the Bandon District, 1 item  
1725
- MS 43,746/ 2** Tenant book for Bandon, 1 item  
c1730
- MS 43,746/ 3** Tenant book for Enniskeane, West Carbery, and Beerhaven, 1 item  
c1730
- MS 43,746/ 4** Tenant books, 4 items  
c1730 [*One damaged*]
- MS 43,746/ 5** Tenant index books for the Lismore, Tallow, and Dungarvan estates, 2 items  
1827 & n.d.

#### VI.i.5 Rent Arrears

The manuscripts listed in this section refer to arrears of rent accumulated by tenants on the Cork and Devonshire estates in Ireland. They were generated between 1644 and 1869, although most of them date from between 1700 and 1740. They consist of two types of document - loose bound volumes and single sheets of accounts - the manuscripts being arranged according to the location to which they refer and then in chronological order.

VI.i.5.A Rent Arrears Books

*VI.i.5.A(1) General Estate*

- MS 43,747/ 1** Books of arrears taken from the Lady Day rental and brought into the Michaelmas rental for the years 1705, 1707, 1712, and 1713, 4 items  
1705-13
- MS 43,747/ 2** Book of arrears and rents remaining at Ladyday 1706, for rents due to the Countess of Burlington at Michealmas 1703, 1 item  
1706
- MS 43,747/ 3** Books of arrears taken from the Michaelmas rental and brought into the Lady Day rental for the periods 1711-2, 1716-7, 1718-9, and 1722-3, 4 items  
1711-23
- MS 43,747/ 4** Books of arrears taken from the Lady Day rental and brought into the Michaelmas rental for the years 1714, 1717, 1720, and 1723, 4 items  
1714-23
- MS 43,747/ 5** Books of arrears taken from the Lady Day rental and brought into the Michaelmas rental for the years 1724, 1725, and 1726, 4 items  
1724-6
- MS 43,747/ 6** Books of arrears taken from the Michaelmas rental and brought into the Lady Day rental for the periods 1724-5, 1725-6, and 1728-9, 4 items  
1724-9
- MS 6592** Arrears of rent due to Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, in respect of his estates in counties Cork and Waterford, together with bond debts due to him, 1 item  
1729-35
- MS 6593** Arrears of rent due to Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, in respect of his estates in counties Cork and Waterford, together with bond debts due to him, 1 item  
1729-35
- MS 43,747/ 7** Books of arrears taken from the Lady Day rental and brought into the Michaelmas rental for the years 1729, 1731, 1732, and 1735, 4 items  
1729-35



- MS 43,747/ 8** Books of arrears taken from the Michaelmas rental and brought into the Lady Day rental for the periods 1729-30, 1730-1, and 1731-2, 3 items  
1729-32
- MS 43,747/ 9** Arrears book for tenants removed in the Lismore, Youghal, Bandon, and Western Districts, 1 item  
c1730
- MS 43,747/ 10** Arrears book for tenants removed in the Lismore, Youghal, Bandon and Western Districts, 1 item  
c1730

*VI.i.5.A(2) Lismore and Tallow*

- MS 43,748/ 1** Arrears book for the Lismore District, 1 item  
c1721 [*Damaged & fragile - folded*]
- MS 43,748/ 2** Arrears book for the Lismore District, 4 items  
1729-34 [*One badly damaged & very fragile*]
- MS 43,748/ 3** Arrears book for the Lismore and Youghal Districts, 1 item  
c1735
- MS 6730** Arrears book for the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Lismore and Tallow, Co. Waterford, 1 item  
1857-70
- MS 43,748/ 4** Arrears books for the Lismore and Tallow estates, 6 items  
1862-9

*VI.i.5.A(3) Dungarvan*

- MS 6686** Arrears of rent in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan, Co. Waterford, 1814

*VI.i.5.A(4) Youghal*

- MS 6557** Arrears of rent due from tenants removed at Youghal, Co. Cork, and Lismore, Co. Waterford, 1 item  
1729
- MS 43,749/ 1** Arrears book for the Youghal District, 1 item

c1730

**MS 43,749/ 2** Arrears books for the Youghal District, 2 items  
c1730

**MS 43,749/ 3** Arrears books for the Youghal District, 4 items  
1733-5

*VI.i.5.A(5) Bandon and Western Districts*

**MS 43,750** Arrears books and accounts of William Conner with the Earl of  
Cork and Burlington for the Western District, 4 items  
1736-7

*VI.i.5.B Rent Arrears Accounts*

*VI.i.5.B(1) General Estate*

**MS 43,751/ 1** List of rents mitigated unpaid at Michaelmas 1644, 1 item  
1644

**MS 43,751/ 2** Lists of tenants summoned to pay arrears of rent, 13 items  
1703-25

**MS 43,751/ 3** Abstracts of and comments on arrears for the Earl of Cork and  
Burlington's Irish estates, 10 items  
1704-10 & 1729-34

**MS 43,751/ 4** Accounts of arrears of individual tenants and various townlands, 15  
items  
1704-49

**MS 43,751/ 5** Accounts of arrears brought into the Michaelmas and Lady Day  
rentals, 7 items  
1712-32

**MS 43,751/ 6** Account of arrears, 2 items  
c1730

**MS 43,751/ 7** Miscellaneous lists of arrears on the Duke of Devonshire's Irish  
estates, 8 items  
1799-1857

*VI.i.5.B(2) Bandon and Dungarvan*

- MS 43,752/ 1** Accounts of arrears of present and removed tenants in the Bandon district, 9 items  
1728-33
- MS 43,752/ 2** Lists of arrears in the Bandon and Dungarvan districts for the years 1806, 1810, 1812-3, and 1817, 6 items  
1806-17

*VI.i.5.B(3) Lismore and Cappoquin*

- MS 43,753/ 1** Accounts of arrears for Cappoquin, 4 items  
1717-21
- MS 43,753/ 2** Accounts of arrears of present and removed tenants in the Lismore District, 11 items  
1725-34
- MS 43,753/ 3** Account of arrears due from tenants removed from the Lismore District at Michaelmas 1729, 1 item  
1729
- MS 43,753/ 4** Account of arrears for the Lismore District, 1 item  
c1730
- MS 43,753/ 5** Account of Lismore arrears for the Ladyday rents 1733, with an account of monies received at 1 June 1733, 2 items  
1733 [*Damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,753/ 6** Account of Lismore arrears for the Michaelmas rents 1733, 1 item  
1733 [*Damaged & fragile - folded*]
- MS 43,753/ 7** Account of Lismore arrears for the Ladyday and Michaelmas rents 1733, and the Ladyday rents 1734, 1 item  
1734 [*Damaged & fragile - folded*]

*VI.i.5.B(4) Youghal*

- MS 43,754/ 1** Accounts of arrears for the districts of Youghal and Inchiquin and for chief rents, 1 item  
c1720
- MS 43,754/ 2** Accounts of arrears of present and removed tenants in the Youghal district, 10 items

1729 [*Most badly damaged & fragile*]

- MS 43,754/ 3** Accounts of arrears in the Youghal district, 11 items  
1729-36
- MS 43,754/ 4** Account of Youghal arrears outstanding on 1 June 1732, 1 item  
1732 [*Damaged & fragile - folded*]

### ***VI.i.6 Chief Rents***

The manuscripts in this section refer to the payment of chief rents. These rents were paid to a variety of individuals for properties that the Earls of Cork and Burlington and Dukes of Devonshire held as leasehold.

- MS 43,755/ 1** Accounts and memoranda concerning chief rents, including a copy of an account of the chief rents confirmed to Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington by the Commissioners of Adjudication of Claims on 23 October 1654, 5 items  
1705-32 & n.d.
- MS 43,755/ 2** Accounts of the chief rents of Dungarvan for the years 1710, 1732, and 1738, 4 items  
1710-38
- MS 43,755/ 3** Receipts for chief rents from John Roche and others, 38 items  
1737-50
- MS 43,755/ 4** Memoranda, returns, receipts and extracts from rentals and leases concerning the chief rents of Curryglass, 19 items  
1820
- MS 43,755/ 5** Chief rents tenure book, 1 item  
1868

### ***VI.i.7 Quit Rents***

The manuscripts in this section refer to the payment of quit rents. These rents were paid to the Crown for lands that originally had been leased by Sir Walter Raleigh as part of the Munster plantation.

#### **VI.i.7.A Memoranda and Schedules**

- MS 43,756/ 1** Instructions of Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington concerning abatements of quit rent in the baronies of Coshmore and Coshbride and Carbery, 1 item

1667

- MS 43,756/ 2** Receipts for quit rents for the Commons of Dungarvan and other properties from Thomas Hyde, Florence MacCarthy and others, 16 items  
1699 & 1745-56
- MS 43,756/ 3** Agent's memoranda, papers and accounts concerning quit rents on the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 9 items  
1701-46
- MS 43,756/ 4** Apportionments, accounts, receipts and abstracts from Auditor General's Office relating to quit rents on the estates of the Duke of Devonshire, with the petition of the Duke of Devonshire to discharge quit rents payable out of Garrynoe, Co. Cork (13 Jun 1806), 16 items  
1792-1813
- MS 43,756/ 5** Schedules, notices, receipts, notes and a letter from Richard Townsend to William S. Curry relating to quit rents on the estates of the Duke of Devonshire, 16 items  
1820-5
- MS 43,756/ 6** Schedules, notes and memoranda relating to quit rents on the estates of the Duke of Devonshire, and correspondence between John Ryan, Henry Witham, and William S. Curry concerning the quit rents of Keilnacranagh, Co. Cork, 15 items  
1835-7

#### VI.i.7.B Accounts

- MS 43,757/ 1** Accounts of receipts for quit rents for various lands on the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 10 items  
1703-7 & 1733-9
- MS 43,757/ 2** Accounts of receipts for quit rents for mills on the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 15 items  
1740-6
- MS 43,757/ 3** Accounts of receipts for quit rents for mills on the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 13 items  
1747-53
- MS 43,757/ 4** Receipts for quit rents for mills on the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 33 items  
1705 & 1736-56

### ***VI.i.8 Rent Audits***

- MS 43,758/ 1** General audits for the Bandon, Lismore and Youghal estates, 7 items  
1722-4
- MS 43,758/ 2** Audits for the Bandon and Lismore estates, 8 items  
1725-32
- MS 43,758/ 3** Audits for the Youghal estate, 17 items  
1720-37

### ***VI.i.9 Land Sales***

The manuscripts in this section largely refer to the sale of lands in County Cork owned by the Earl of Cork and Burlington in 1729, and to the sale of the Dukes of Devonshire's holdings at Dungarvan and Youghal in 1859-61.

- MS 43,759/ 1** Cant books containing particulars of the lands of the Western District to be sold by public cant by the Commissioners of Richard, 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington, 4 copies  
1729
- MS 43,759/ 2** Printed return of the part of the estate of Richard, 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington in County Cork to be sold by public cant at the General Assizes at Cork (24 Jun 1729), 1 item  
1729
- MS 43,759/ 3** Returns of lands sold at public cant by the Commissioners of Richard, 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington on 28 August 1729, with instructions for making out conveyances and references to allowances made for quit rent and terms in being, and allowances for terms in being, and for quit rent deductions out of the value of the lands sold on the first cant, with an account of the produce of the lands sold, 4 items  
1729
- MS 43,759/ 4** Lists of lands sold at public cant at Cork on 28 August 1729, with the conditions of sale, an account of receipts and outstanding debts, returns of purchasers, receipts, and an account of deficiencies and allowances in the Cant Book, 7 items  
1729 [*Damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,759/ 5** Cant book containing particulars of lands in the Barony of East

- Carbery and the Manor of Inniskeane to be sold by public cant on 21, 22 and 23 October 1729, and conditions to be performed on the cant for setting the part of the estate of the Earl of Cork and Burlington formerly owned by the late Lord Carleton (21 Oct 1729), 3 items  
1729
- MS 43,759/ 6** State of the account of the lands sold by public cant at Cork on 28 August and 21 October 1729, with particulars of money received and how remitted, paid or allowed, 1 item  
1729
- MS 43,759/ 7** Public notices advertising the sale of lands at Tallow, Mogeely, Youghal, Templemichael, and other locations in the counties Cork and Waterford, with a copy of *Hodges, Smith, and Co.'s Estate Circular* (1 Oct 1860), 6 items  
1817-60
- MS 43,759/ 8** Returns and notes concerning lands sold by the Earl of Cork and Burlington in 1729, 9 items  
c1840
- MS 6180** Memoranda, including agreements with purchasers, on the private sale of lands and houses in the Parish of Dungarvan, Co. Waterford, the property of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, 1 item  
1859
- MS 6791** Particulars of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in and near the town of Youghal, Co. Cork, offered for sale by private contract, 1 item  
1860
- MS 43,759/ 9** Return of lots of the Duke of Devonshire's estate in Dungarvan offered for sale, containing names of tenants, descriptions of premises, rents, valuations, and observations, with a general summary of rental of the town and district of Dungarvan, with conditions of sale, 4 items  
Apr 1861
- MS 43,759/ 10** Return of lands purchased by Richard Smyth of Ballynatray, Andrew Poole of Kilrush, and Francis Bernard, 1st Earl of Bandon, 1 item  
n.d.

## VI.ii General Accounts

This section consists of accounts, receipts and vouchers covering a variety of transactions pertaining to the administration of the Cork and Devonshire estates in Ireland between 1644 and 1870. The documents are arranged according to the type of account that they represent – agents, household, building, cash and miscellaneous – followed by an extensive collection of receipts and vouchers relating those accounts. Within each section the manuscripts are listed in chronological order.

### *VI.ii.1 Agents' General Accounts*

The agents' accounts provide details of the services performed by the agents and the expenses thus incurred. They also show amounts of rent received and arrears due. With the exception of one bound volume, the accounts are drawn up on paper sheets, some of which are lightly bound together. They are arranged wherever possible by individual agent and listed in chronological order.

- MS 43,760/ 1**      Accounts of receipts and disbursements made by Thomas Forster with observations on his accounts, 9 items  
1700-10 [*Some items damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,760/ 2**      Accounts between Richard Bagge and the Earls and Countess of Cork and Burlington, 17 items  
1700-33
- MS 43,760/ 3**      Accounts between Roger Power and the Earls and Countess of Cork and Burlington, 3 items  
1702-14 [*Some items damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,760/ 4**      Accounts of disbursements made by Richard Musgrave for the Countess of Burlington, principally for the improvement of Lismore Park including the rebuilding of its wall and his accounts the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 7 items  
1708-20
- MS 43,760/ 5**      Accounts of money received for the Earl of Cork and Burlington by William Snowe in the Bandon district, 9 items  
1717 & 1725-8 [*Many badly damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,760/ 6**      Accounts of John Walker containing receipts and disbursements for the Youghal estate, 31 items  
1718-20
- MS 43,760/ 7**      Accounts of John Walker containing receipts and disbursements for the Youghal estate, 25 items  
1720-2
- MS 43,760/ 8**      Accounts of John Walker containing receipts and disbursements for the Youghal estate, with general account (1717-24) and statement of



- account between John Walker and Digby Walker, 24 items  
1723-5 & 1735
- MS 43,760/ 9** Accounts of money received for the Earl of Cork and Burlington by William Snowe in the Bandon district, 8 items  
1728-32 [*Many badly damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,760/ 10** Account book of Andrew Crotty containing details of the rent, profits and produce of the Lismore, Bandon and Youghal estates for the period 1725-9, 2 copies  
1729 [*One copy badly damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,760/ 11** Account of bills drawn by the Earl of Cork and Burlington on his agents in Ireland for the period October 1728 to October 1732, 1 item  
1732
- MS 43,760/ 12** Accounts between William Conner (Snr) and the Earl of Cork and Burlington and between William Conner (Jr) and Sir Anthony Thomas Abdy for the Trust Estate, 5 items  
1732 & 1756-62
- MS 43,760/ 13** Accounts of money received for the Earl of Cork and Burlington by William Snowe in the Bandon district, 7 items  
1733-5
- MS 43,760/ 14** Statement of Andrew Crotty's account by Jonathan Burward for the period 1725-35, with Crotty's answers to Burward's remarks, a list of his grievances to John Ussher and other assorted accounts, 10 items  
1735-41 [*Some items damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,760/ 15** Second statement Andrew Crotty's account by Jonathan Burward for the period 1725-35, 2 copies  
1735
- MS 43,760/ 16** Bills and receipts in account with John Ussher and Jonathan Burward for disbursements made on the Irish estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 59 items  
1736-8
- MS 43,760/ 17** Bills and receipts in account with John Ussher and Jonathan Burward for disbursements made on the Irish estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 30 items  
1738-48

- MS 43,760/ 18** Accounts of Thomas Knowlton and William Ashby with John Panton, Benjamin Popham and the Duke of Devonshire for income and expenditure on his Irish estates, with assorted accounts and papers, 24 items  
1798-1817
- MS 43,760/ 19** Account of Thomas Knowlton with the Duke of Devonshire for the year 1803, 1 item  
1803
- MS 43,760/ 20** Accounts and papers of Benjamin Popham for the Bandon, Lismore and Kinnataloon districts, 23 items  
1808-27
- MS 43,760/ 21** Bills and receipts in account with Thomas Knowlton for general expenditure on the Duke of Devonshire's Irish estates, 48 items  
1813-4
- MS 43,760/ 22** Bills and receipts in account with Thomas Knowlton for labour costs and the maintenance of Lismore Castle, gardens and estate, 16 items  
1814
- MS 43,760/ 23** Sundry accounts, returns and papers of Benjamin Popham for the Lismore and Kinnataloon districts, 36 items  
1818-25
- MS 43,760/ 24** Personal account book of William S. Curry, 1 item  
1819-22
- MS 43,760/ 25** Account of William S. Curry with the Duke of Devonshire for the year 1820, 1 item  
1820
- MS 43,760/ 26** Account of William S. Curry with the Duke of Devonshire for the year 1821, 1 item  
1821
- MS 43,760/ 27** Account of William S. Curry with the Duke of Devonshire for the year 1822, 1 item  
1822
- MS 43,760/ 28** Account of William S. Curry with the Duke of Devonshire for the year 1823, 1 item  
1823

- MS 43,760/ 29** Account of William S. Curry with the Duke of Devonshire for the year 1824, 1 item  
1824
- MS 43,760/ 30** Account of William S. Curry with the Duke of Devonshire for the year 1825, 1 item  
1825
- MS 6924 (1)** Expenses book of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in respect of his estates in counties Waterford and Cork, 1 item  
1832-40
- MS 43,760/ 31** Bills and receipts in account with Francis E. Curry for expenditure on the Duke of Devonshire's Irish estates, with returns of labourers' wages, 53 items  
1850-1
- MS 43,760/ 32** Bills and receipts in account with Francis E. Curry for expenditure on the Duke of Devonshire's Irish estates, with returns of labourers' wages, 51 items  
1850-1
- MS 43,760/ 33** Accounts of Francis E. Curry with George Bradshaw for the period 1852-3, with letter from Bradshaw to Curry (3 Jun 1853), 3 items  
1853

### *VI.ii.2 Petty Ledgers*

The manuscripts listed in this section are single volumes.

- MS 6990** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1815-7
- MS 6991** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1817-20
- MS 6992** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1820-3
- MS 6993** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in

- counties Waterford and Cork, 1822-4
- MS 6994** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1824-5
- MS 6995** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1825-6
- MS 6996** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1826-7
- MS 6997** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1827-8
- MS 6998** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1828-9
- MS 6999** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1829-30
- MS 7000** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1830-1
- MS 7001** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1831-2
- MS 7002** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1832-3
- MS 7003** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1833-4
- MS 7004** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1834-5

- MS 7005** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1835-6
- MS 7006** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1836-7
- MS 7007** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1837-8
- MS 7008** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1838-9
- MS 7009** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1839-40
- MS 7010** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1840-1
- MS 7011** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1841-2
- MS 7012** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1842-3
- MS 7013** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1843-4
- MS 7014** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1844-5
- MS 7015** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1845-6
- MS 7016** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in

counties Waterford and Cork, 1846-7

- MS 7017** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1847-8
- MS 7018** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1848-9
- MS 7019** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1849-50
- MS 7020** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1850-1
- MS 7021** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1851-2
- MS 7022** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1852-3
- MS 7023** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1853-4
- MS 7024** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1854-5
- MS 7025** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1855-6
- MS 7026** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1856-7
- MS 7027** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1857-8

- MS 7028** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1858-9
- MS 7029** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1859-60
- MS 7030** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1860-1
- MS 7031** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1861-2
- MS 7032** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1862-3
- MS 7033** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1863-4
- MS 7034** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1864-5
- MS 7035** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1865-6
- MS 7036** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1866-7
- MS 7037** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1867-8
- MS 7038** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1868-9
- MS 7039** Petty ledger, containing mainly expenses accounts in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in counties

Waterford and Cork, 1869-70

### ***VI.ii.3 Household Accounts***

#### VI.ii.3.A Accounts

- MS 43,761/ 1** Account book for the purchase of butter for 1679, 1 item  
1679
- MS 43,761/ 2** Accounts, bills and receipts for items of food and drink, 16 items  
1711-1824
- MS 43,761/ 3** Accounts, bills and receipts for items of hardware, cloth, coal and  
other household goods, 23 items  
1733-1824

#### VI.ii.3.B Inventories

For an inventory of the possessions of Richard Boyle, 1st Earl of Cork taken in 1634, see section I.iv.8.

- MS 43,762** Inventory of goods belonging to the Earl of Cork and Burlington (c1700), account of books and papers belonging to the Earl of Cork and Burlington left in the closet of his house (10 Jun 1717), account of his household goods left in the care of Wick Ahern (12 Jul 1732), a list of plate, gold lockets, linen, and other items 'my mother died possessed of the 1st December 1727', note of pictures of the Burlington family at Hardwick Hall, pedigree of the Cavendish family, list of the belongings of William Walsh of Youghal, 'An acct. of what my wife got from my Brother', and an inventory of furniture at Youghal (c1820), 8 items  
c1700-1820 [*One item damaged and fragile*]

### ***VI.ii.4 Building Accounts***

#### VI.ii.4.A Returns and Books

- MS 43,763/ 1** Fortnightly returns of tradesmen employed by the Duke of Devonshire at Lismore Castle, 12 items  
Mar-Sep 1816
- MS 43,763/ 2** Fortnightly returns of tradesmen employed by the Duke of Devonshire at Lismore Castle, 14 items  
Sep 1816-Feb 1817



- MS 43,763/ 3** Fortnightly returns of tradesmen employed by the Duke of Devonshire at Lismore Castle, 10 items  
Feb-Nov 1817
- MS 43,763/ 4** Fortnightly returns of tradesmen employed by the Duke of Devonshire at Lismore Castle, 8 items  
Dec 1817-Mar 1818
- MS 43,763/ 5** Fortnightly returns of labourers employed by the Duke of Devonshire at Lismore Castle, 19 items  
Mar-Dec 1816
- MS 43,763/ 6** Fortnightly returns of labourers employed by the Duke of Devonshire at Lismore Castle, 19 items  
Dec 1816-Mar 1818
- MS 43,763/ 7** Building Book No. 1: Applications from tenants for building on farms for the period 5 October 1839 to 23 April 1842, 1 item  
1839-42
- MS 43,763/ 8** Building Book No. 2: Applications from tenants for building on farms for the period 25 June 1842 to 14 January 1856, 1 item  
1842-56
- MS 43,763/ 9** Returns of expenditure in buildings and improvements on farms, including returns of doors and windows supplied to tenants for repairs (1857-67), 6 items  
1867

#### VI.ii.4.B Accounts

- MS 43,764/ 1** Account of money paid by Richard Musgrave and supplied towards the building of a wall and other improvements to Deerpark, Co. Waterford for the period 1707-13, 4 items  
1717
- MS 43,764/ 2** Account of the Rev. Richard Davis with the Earl of Cork and Burlington for work done at the North Weir during the period April-October 1718, 1 item  
1718 [*Fragile*]
- MS 43,764/ 3** Miscellaneous accounts, bills, and receipts for building materials, and for repair and building work carried out by tradesmen and labourers on the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 57 items  
1717-44 [*Some items damaged and fragile*]

- MS 43,764/ 4** Accounts of houses that were standing, and of houses that were built after Captain Green took possession of Cappoquin, with details of houses that had fallen down since Lady Day 1719, of timber taken away, and repairs made to houses, 2 items  
c1732
- MS 43,764/ 5** Account of the repairs viewed and valued in the Town and Liberties of Cappoquin (4 Aug 1732), with an account of repairs and building work carried out on the houses of tenants and the charges demanded of the Earl of Cork and Burlington (9 Aug 1732), 2 items  
1732
- MS 43,764/ 6** Particulars of the buildings and repairs made on Edward Butler's house in Cappoquin since the year 1719 as valued and returned by James Barrett, William Tobin and Nicholas Gillee, with an invoice of new houses built after the year 1719 in Cappoquin, 1 item  
1732
- MS 43,764/ 7** Account book containing details of work done and disbursements made on the house of Arthur Oakley beginning 16 July 1734, 1 item  
1735
- MS 43,764/ 8** Accounts of and receipts for repairs made to the mills of Tallow by Richard Hallahan, 17 items  
1739
- MS 43,764/ 9** Bills and receipts for building and repair work carried out on Youghal Meeting House, with an accompanying letter from James Box to John Ussher (29 Jan 1744/5), 27 items  
1744-5
- MS 43,764/ 10** Account of men and horses employed by the Earl of Cork and Burlington for the repair and construction of breaches on the banks of Ballyhaspig Bog from 16 May to 13 Sep 1745, 1 item  
1745
- MS 43,764/ 11** Miscellaneous accounts, bills and receipts for building materials, and for repair and building work carried out by trademen and labourers on the Lismore almshouses and school house and to various other properties on the Irish estates of Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, 53 items  
1745-56 [*Many items damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,764/ 12** Bills and receipts for building and repair work carried out on Lismore Castle, with particular reference to the Dining Room, 23

- items  
1747-8
- MS 43,764/ 13** Estimates and accounts of costs for repairing the Earl of Cork and Burlington's monuments in St. Patrick's Cathedral, Dublin and in Youghal Church, and for repairs, additions, and alterations carried out on Lismore Castle, 4 items  
c1750-90
- MS 43,764/ 14** Miscellaneous estimates, bills, and receipts for building materials and building work carried out by trademen and labourers on the Irish estates of the Dukes of Devonshire, 19 items  
1780-1844
- MS 43,764/ 15** Account of expense of replacing the pavement from the west end of Main Street to the Castle Gate in Lismore (24 Jun 1793), with account of improvements to Lismore streets (1793-7) and associated bills and receipts, 8 items  
1793-7
- MS 43,764/ 16** Memoranda concerning building works at Bandon and Ballylusky, with letters, proposals and estimates for the construction of the Market House and session room in Lismore and for repairs to various other properties, 17 items  
1794-1801
- MS 43,764/ 17** Estimates of work unfinished at the Inn of Lismore (23 Jun 1795), and of damage done to the Inn by the Officers of the 41st Regiment (6 Sep 1798), 2 items  
1795-8
- MS 43,764/ 18** Proposals and estimates for the building of farmhouses and offices (1802), with assorted accounts with tradesmen and building suppliers for work carried out in Dungarvan and other places, 69 items  
1802-13
- MS 43,764/ 19** Fortnightly accounts of payments made to tradesmen for work done for the Duke of Devonshire at Lismore Castle, 37 items  
Nov 1812-Feb 1813
- MS 43,764/ 20** Fortnightly accounts of payments made to tradesmen for work done for the Duke of Devonshire at Lismore Castle, 12 items  
Mar-Aug 1813
- MS 43,764/ 21** Estimates, plans and memoranda concerning the construction of the

- Meat Shambles, and a road and bridge over the River Bridewell at Bandon, with accompanying letters from Jesse Hartley to William Ashby, 19 items  
1813-6
- MS 43,764/ 22** Bills and receipts for building and repair work on Lismore Castle, 14 items  
1814
- MS 43,764/ 23** Bills and receipts for building and repair work at Lismore, including the Sessions House, the Inn, and the Canal Lock, 9 items  
1814
- MS 43,764/ 24** Bills and receipts for sundry expenses incurred in carrying out building work in Dungarvan, with notes and sketches concerning Dungarvan Bridge, 13 items  
1814-6
- MS 43,764/ 25** Bills and receipts for building and repair work carried out on dwellings in the town of Dungarvan, and for the construction of Dungarvan Bridge, 200 items in 8 parcels  
1815-6 [*Readers wishing to consult these items should first seek the permission of the Keeper of Manuscripts*]
- MS 43,764/ 26** Bills and receipts for building and repair work carried out on dwellings in the town of Dungarvan, and for the construction of Dungarvan Bridge, 200 items in 8 parcels  
1815-6 [*Readers wishing to consult these items should first seek the permission of the Keeper of Manuscripts*]
- MS 43,764/ 27** Abstracts of contractors' accounts for work carried out in Dungarvan, with assorted accounts, bills and receipts from building suppliers and tradesmen, 15 items  
1815-6
- MS 43,764/ 28** Assorted bills and receipts from building suppliers and tradesmen, 35 items  
1816-7
- MS 43,764/ 29** Assorted receipts from building suppliers and tradesmen, 52 items  
1816-8
- MS 43,764/ 30** Assorted bills and receipts from building suppliers and tradesmen, 43 items  
1817-8

- MS 43,764/ 31** Assorted accounts, with bills and receipts from building suppliers and tradesmen, 30 items  
1817-8
- MS 43,764/ 32** Accounts of labourers, with bills and receipts from building suppliers and tradesmen for work done on Lismore Canal, 15 items  
1817-8
- MS 43,764/ 33** Bills and receipts for repairs made to Lismore Free School, with specifications for masonry work on an un-named National School, 9 items  
1818
- MS 43,764/ 34** Assorted accounts, estimates, letters, and notes concerning building and repair work to Ballylin House, dwellings in Dungarvan, and various other properties, 53 items  
1819-35
- MS 43,764/ 35** Report on the condition of farm houses and offices on various parts of the estate of the Duke of Devonshire in County Cork, with accounts of the expense of building the Sessions House at Dungravan, 6 items  
1825 & 1828-9
- MS 43,764/ 36** Accounts, bills, bond and letters concerning building and repair work carried out by John Lenane on the New Inn at Youghal and other properties, with two letters to W.S. Curry concerning the occupancy of his house in Dungarvan, 35 items  
1825-9
- MS 43,764/ 37** Cash book with bills and receipts concerning building and repair work carried out by John Lenane on the New Inn at Youghal and other properties, 82 items  
1826-9
- MS 43,764/ 38** Assorted estimates, specifications, memoranda, and returns concerning road construction, building work, and repairs, including copies of consents to build piers at Camphire and Villierstown (1850), and Tinnabinna (1862), 49 items  
1832-68
- MS 43,764/ 39** Account and letter from James Thomas, with a private licence and covenants from the Anti Dry-Rot Company to the Duke of Devonshire, 4 items  
1839

**MS 43,764/ 40** Awards from the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland to the Duke of Devonshire for drainage work in counties Cork and Waterford under the provisions of 10 Vic., c.10 and 11 & 12 Vic., c.106, with accompanying letters from Joseph Walker (Secretary of the Office of Public Works), 24 items  
2 Dec 1848

**MS 43,764/ 41** Account of money expended in additions and alterations at Lismore Castle between 1850 and 1858 and the cost of new furniture, with a letter from J. Hallam to Francis E. Curry, 4 items  
1858

### ***VI.ii.5 Cash Accounts***

#### **VI.ii.5.A Account Books**

**MS 43,765/ 1** Account book containing details of bills and bonds for the period 1633-87, 1 item  
1687

**MS 43,765/ 2** Account book containing details of bills and bonds for the period 1683-89, 1 item  
1689

**MS 43,765/ 3** Account book containing details of bonds pledged to Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington between 1678 and 1697, 1 item  
c1698 [*Damaged*]

**MS 43,765/ 4** Cash book (1717), account book of Dr. Robert Roberts with the Earl of Cork and Burlington (1735-6), and cash account book of William Conner (1754-8), 3 items  
1717-58

**MS 43,765/ 5** Account books of bonds and notes due, delivered and received (including those for Lord Carleton's tithes), 2 items  
1727 & 1731

**MS 43,765/ 6** Cash account book for the Lismore and Western districts for the period 1725-34, 1 item  
1734

**MS 43,765/ 7** Cash account book for the period 1735 to 1736, 1 item  
1736

**MS 43,765/ 8** Cash account ledger, containing accounts of mortgages, bonds, and bank and government stock for the period 1815-36, 1 item

1836

- MS 43,765/ 9** Cash account book containing statement of Thomas Murphy's affairs, 1 item  
1846

#### VI.ii.5.B Accounts

- MS 43,766/ 1** Assorted accounts concerning the financial engagements of Richard, 2nd Earl of Cork and Burlington, including mortgages, bonds, discharges of debt, and the payment of salaries, with particulars of the lands assigned by the Earl for the payment of Lord Clifford's debts, 24 items  
1644-97 [*Some items damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,766/ 2** Accounts and memoranda of bonds, bills, allowances, debts, and cash remitted to Charles, 3rd Earl and the Countess of Cork and Burlington, 22 items  
1702-37
- MS 43,766/ 3** Assorted accounts, decrees, renewals, orders, and calculations, including an account of Henry Eales with Robert Roberts (1735), and an account of the Youghal Trust (1725), 22 items  
1706-52 [*Some items damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,766/ 4** Accounts of checks, bonds, and promissory notes, including an account of Messrs. Lynch, Roberts and Woodward with J.P. Panton (1798), 11 items  
1797-1858

#### VI.ii.6 *Miscellaneous Accounts*

- MS 43,767/ 1** Assorted accounts, including those for the sale of cattle, the payment of salaries, haymaking and laundry costs, and funeral expenses, 18 items  
1715-54
- MS 43,767/ 2** Assorted accounts, including those for the sale of cattle, the purchase of hay, and for postal charges, 11 items  
1802-20
- MS 43,767/ 3** Assorted accounts, including those for the purchase of spinning wheels and flax, and for various subscriptions, 18 items  
1821-57

### VI.ii.7 Receipts

- MS 43,768/ 1** Miscellaneous receipts for disbursements on the Irish estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 27 items  
1705-15 [*Some damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,768/ 2** Miscellaneous receipts for disbursements on the Irish estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 26 items  
1727-36 [*Some damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,768/ 3** Receipts from Henry Boyle and William Conner for payments of rent, 36 items  
1739-45 [*Some damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,768/ 4** Receipts for disbursements made by John Ussher as agent for the Irish estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 25 items  
Feb-Oct 1738 [*Many damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,768/ 5** Receipts for disbursements made by John Ussher as agent for the Irish estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 30 items  
Oct 1738-Mar 1739 [*Many damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,768/ 6** Receipts for disbursements made by John Ussher as agent for the Irish estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 45 items  
Mar-Oct 1739 [*Many damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,768/ 7** Receipts for disbursements made by John Ussher as agent for the Irish estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 16 items  
Oct 1739-Mar 1740 [*Many damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,768/ 8** Receipts for disbursements made by John Ussher as agent for the Irish estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 25 items  
Mar-Oct 1740 [*Many damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,768/ 9** Receipts for disbursements made by John Ussher as agent for the Irish estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 24 items  
Oct 1740-Mar 1741 [*Many damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,768/ 10** Receipts for disbursements made by John Ussher as agent for the Irish estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 24 items  
Mar-Oct 1742 [*Many damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,768/ 11** Receipts for disbursements made by John Ussher as agent for the Irish estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 25 items  
Oct 1743-Mar 1744 [*Many damaged and fragile*]



- MS 43,768/ 12** Receipts for disbursements made by John Ussher as agent for the Irish estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 22 items  
Mar-Oct 1744 [*Many damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,768/ 13** Receipts for disbursements made by John Ussher as agent for the Irish estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 23 items  
Oct 1744-Mar 1745 [*Many damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,768/ 14** Miscellaneous receipts for disbursements on the Irish estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 40 items  
Mar 1745-1746 [*Many damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,768/ 15** Receipts for disbursements made by John Ussher as agent for the Irish estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 30 items  
Mar-Oct 1748 [*Many damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,768/ 16** Miscellaneous receipts for disbursements on the Irish estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 24 items  
1749-53 [*Many damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,768/ 17** Miscellaneous receipts for disbursements on the Irish estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 37 items  
1749-53 [*Many damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,768/ 18** Miscellaneous receipts for disbursements on the Irish estates of the Duke of Devonshire, 33 items  
1755-7 [*Many damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,768/ 19** Miscellaneous receipts for expenditure on the Irish estates of the Duke of Devonshire, 39 items  
1805 & 1814-9
- MS 43,768/ 20** Miscellaneous receipts for expenditure on the Irish estates of the Duke of Devonshire, 23 items  
1819
- MS 43,768/ 21** Miscellaneous receipts for expenditure on the Irish estates of the Duke of Devonshire, 31 items  
1819-20
- MS 43,768/ 22** Miscellaneous receipts for expenditure on the Irish estates of the Duke of Devonshire, including receipts for agents' salaries, 37 items  
1820-7
- MS 43,768/ 23** Receipts for payments to Thomas Seward, and from Mr. Anderson to Henry Witham and Alexander Swanston, 37 items

1824-35

- MS 43,768/ 24** Miscellaneous receipts for expenditure on the Irish estates of the Duke of Devonshire, 32 items  
1830-43 & 1867

#### *VI.ii.8 Vouchers*

Readers wishing to consult these items should first seek the permission of the Keeper of Manuscripts

- MS 43,769/ 1** Vouchers for expenditure on the Irish estates of the Duke of Devonshire, arranged as follows: Works at Lismore (tradesmen, labourers etc.), Lismore Castle (household expenses), Lismore Castle (household furniture), Lismore Castle (gardens), Lismore (stewards and woodrangers), Lismore (incidental disbursements), Dungarvan vouchers, Dungarvan borough, Dungarvan (incidental disbursements), Bandon vouchers, Youghal vouchers, Quit rents and Chiefries, Taxes, Grand Jury and Church rates, Compensation, Schools and Charities, Building expenses (John Newell, Tallow), and Management, 17 packets  
1815-6

- MS 43,769/ 2** Vouchers for expenditure on the Irish estates of the Duke of Devonshire, arranged as follows: Lismore (woods), Lismore (building work), Plantation (Ballyrafter), Lismore Canal, Lismore (stewards and woodrangers), Lismore Castle (household furniture), Lismore Castle (household expenses), Lismore Castle (gardens), Lismore (incidental disbursements), Dungarvan (works), Dungarvan (incidental disbursements), County Cork freeholders, County Waterford freeholders, Bandon (incidental disbursements), Bandon (works), Youghal College, Quit rents and chiefries, Taxes, Grand Jury and Church rates, Compensation, Schools and Charities, Donations and Subscriptions, and Management, 23 packets  
1817

- MS 43,769/ 3** Vouchers for expenditure on the Irish estates of the Duke of Devonshire, arranged as follows: Lismore (William S. Curry's vouchers since 17 August 1817), Lismore (woods), Lismore (stewards and woodrangers), Lismore (Castle, household, and gardens), Lismore (incidental disbursements), Tallow (Market house and jail), Dungarvan (works), Freeholders, Bandon (works and incidental disbursements), Youghal (College and works), Quit rents and Chiefries, Taxes, Grand Jury and Church rates, Compensation, Schools and Charities, Remittances, and Management, 16 packets

### VI.iii Financial Papers

These manuscripts consist of a large number of bonds chiefly generated between 1686 and 1748, and a smaller number of nineteenth-century papers relating to taxation, insurance and banking. Each class of papers is listed in chronological order.

#### VI.iii.1 Bonds

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| <b>MS 43,770/ 1</b> | Bonds for the repayment of loans, and other financial engagements of Richard, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington, 30 items<br>1649 & 1666-86 [ <i>Some items damaged &amp; fragile</i> ] |
| <b>MS 43,770/ 2</b> | Bonds for the repayment of loans from Richard Langley of Tallow to Richard, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington, with an abstract of the bonds released to Langley, 35 items<br>1686-8    |
| <b>MS 43,770/ 3</b> | Bonds bonds for the repayment of loans, and other financial engagements of Richard, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Earl of Cork and Burlington, 42 items<br>1690-9   |
| <b>MS 43,770/ 4</b> | Assorted bonds for repayment of loans, and other financial engagements, 22 items<br>1702-5  |
| <b>MS 43,770/ 5</b> | Assorted bonds for repayment of loans, and other financial engagements, 29 items<br>1706-8  |
| <b>MS 43,770/ 6</b> | Assorted bonds for repayment of loans, and other financial engagements, 30 items<br>1709-12   |
| <b>MS 43,770/ 7</b> | Assorted bonds for repayment of loans, and other financial engagements, 33 items<br>1713  |
| <b>MS 43,770/ 8</b> | Assorted bonds for repayment of loans, and other financial engagements, 25 items<br>1714-7  |
| <b>MS 43,770/ 9</b> | Assorted bonds for repayment of loans, and other financial engagements, 35 items<br>1718-20   |

<b>MS 43,770/ 10</b>	Assorted bonds for repayment of loans, and other financial engagements, 42 items 1721-2
<b>MS 43,770/ 11</b>	Assorted bonds for repayment of loans, and other financial engagements, 34 items 1723-4
<b>MS 43,770/ 12</b>	Assorted bonds for repayment of loans, and other financial engagements, 60 items 1725-31
<b>MS 43,770/ 13</b>	Assorted bonds for repayment of loans, and other financial engagements, 53 items 1732-5
<b>MS 43,770/ 14</b>	Assorted bonds for repayment of loans, and other financial engagements, 47 items 1736-8
<b>MS 43,770/ 15</b>	Assorted bonds for repayment of loans, and other financial engagements, 35 items 1738
<b>MS 43,770/ 16</b>	Assorted bonds for repayment of loans, and other financial engagements, 33 items 1738
<b>MS 43,770/ 17</b>	Assorted bonds for repayment of loans, and other financial engagements, 19 items 1740-54
<b>MS 43,770/ 18</b>	Assorted bonds with warrants for repayment of loans, and other financial engagements, 11 items 1803-20
<b>MS 43,770/ 19</b>	Assorted bonds with warrants for repayment of loans, and other financial engagements, 12 items 1821
<b>MS 43,770/ 20</b>	Assorted bonds with warrants for repayment of loans, and other financial engagements, 13 items 1823-8 & 1838
<b>MS 6702</b>	List of promissory notes to William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke

of Devonshire, 1 item  
1839-48

### ***VI.iii.2 Taxation and Duties***

**MS 43,771/ 1** Accounts of income tax valuation compared with rents and allowances to tenants and letters to Francis E. Curry from Alexander Swanston concerning income tax and receipt stamps for the Bandon estate, 9 items  
1853-8

**MS 43,771/ 2** Statements, valuations, schedules of accounts, Inland Revenue forms and letters from Basil Orpin, J.R. Berwick and Edward Roberts to Francis E. Curry concerning the payment of succession duty upon the death of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, 18 items  
1858-61

### ***VI.iii.3 Banking and Insurance***

**MS 43,773/ 1** Account and rule books of Dungarvan Savings Bank, with accounts, memoranda and letters from J. Dickson to William S. Curry and William S. Curry to Thomas Seward, and copy of 'An Act to encourage the Establishment of Banks for Savings in Ireland' [9 Geo. IV, c. 9 (11 Jul 1817)], 15 items  
1817-37

**MS 43,773/ 2** Draft assignments and renewal of Royal Exchange Assurance (London) policy from Samuel Whittle to Duke of Devonshire, with insurance certificate held by Henry Cole Bowen with the Britannia Life Assurance Company, 4 items  
1819, 1823 & 1850

**MS 43,773/ 3** Broker's certificates of sale and transfer of bank stock (Bank of Ireland), with valuations of stock, and Thomas Seward's accounts of stock and cash held by William S. Curry, 10 items  
1820-56

**MS 43,773/ 4** Assorted cheques, receipts, vouchers and acknowledgments of payment from Thomas Seward, Henry Witham, Alexander Swanston and others to William S. Curry, 43 items  
1828-57

**MS 43,773/ 5** Annual reports from Youghal Savings Bank, 5 items  
1842-55 [*Some damaged & fragile*]

- MS 43,773/ 6** Letters and papers concerning various financial matters, the financial institutions corresponded with include the National Bank of Ireland (Lismore and Tallow), the Provincial Bank of Ireland (Bandon), the Munster Bank Ltd., and the Inland Revenue Office, Dublin, 49 items  
1847-81
- MS 43,773/ 7** Rule books of Bandon Savings Bank, with memorial of the trustees of the bank to the Duke of Devonshire, 3 items  
1857-8

#### **VI.iv Estate Records**

The manuscripts listed in this section record various aspects of life on the Cork and Devonshire estates in Ireland between 1700 and 1870. They contain much valuable information about the holdings and activities of tenants and the administration of estate businesses.

##### ***VI.iv.1 Tenant Records***

###### **VI.iv.1.A Letting Books**

The manuscripts in this section are single volumes unless otherwise stated. They refer to various parts of the Cork and Devonshire estates in Ireland and are listed in chronological order.

- MS 6430** A small number of short-term lettings in Lismore, Youghal and elsewhere in counties Waterford and Cork, of property belonging to Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, 1711-24
- MS 6150** Volume of particulars of lands in counties Waterford and Cork, forming part of the estate of Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, and Lord Mansfield as trustee of his estates, 1719-1802  
c1805
- MS 6526** Yearly tenancies granted by Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford, Cork and Tipperary, 1720-27
- MS 6618** Particulars of leases appertaining to the estates of Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, in County Cork, 1720-50
- MS 6528** Tenancies granted on the estates of Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, at Lismore, Co. Waterford, together with workmen's accounts on the same estates, 1724

- MS 6151** Volumes of particulars of rent in respect of the estates of Richard Boyle, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, in counties Waterford and Cork, 3 items  
1730 [*Damaged – requires re-housing*]
- MS 6157** Particulars, including valuations, of tenancies of the estate of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in County Waterford, 1820
- MS 7121** Letting book, containing particulars of lettings and other details appertaining to the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1836
- MS 6164** Particulars of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan, Co. Waterford, 1838
- MS 6165** Particulars of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in County Cork, 1838
- MS 6166** Particulars of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan, Co. Waterford, 1838
- MS 7122** Letting book, containing particulars of lettings and other details appertaining to the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1839
- MS 7127** Letting book, containing particulars of tenancies and other details concerning the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Bandon, Co. Cork, 1839-43
- MS 7124** Letting book, containing particulars of tenancies of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Lismore and Tallow, Co. Waterford, 1839-46
- MS 7129** Letting Book, containing particulars of tenancies and other details appertaining to the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, at Youghal, Co. Cork, 1844-60
- MS 6169** Particulars of tenures of the town of Bandon, Co. Cork, 1845
- MS 7128** Letting book, containing particulars of tenancies and other details concerning the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Dungarvan, Co. Waterford, 1846-59
- MS 7126** Letting book, containing particulars of tenancies and other details concerning the estates of the Dukes of Devonshire, at Lismore and

Tallow, Co. Waterford, 1846-1904

- MS 7123** Letting book, containing particulars of lettings and other details appertaining to the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1856
- MS 7125** Letting book, containing particulars of lettings and other details, in respect of the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, at Lismore and Tallow, Co. Waterford, 1856-73
- MS 6182** Town tenure book, including valuations of the estate of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in the parish and town of Youghal, Co. Cork, 1859-60
- MS 6183** Town tenure book, containing particulars of tenures in the town of Youghal, Co. Cork, 1860
- MS 6186** Particulars of land tenures in the Lismore district, north of the River Blackwater, Co. Waterford, c1870
- MS 6187** Particulars of land tenures in the Lismore district, north of the River Blackwater, Co. Waterford, c1870

#### VI.iv.1.B Tenant Fines

- MS 43,774/ 1** Returns, accounts and receipts for tenants' fines paid to agents, 16 items  
1714-28
- MS 43,774/ 2** Returns and accounts of tenants' fines paid to agents, 15 items  
1730-5
- MS 43,774/ 3** Returns, accounts and receipts for tenants' fines paid to agents, 13 items  
c1725-45
- MS 43,774/ 4** Calculation of fines payable for renewal of lease, with receipts and a return of receipts for tenants' fines and heriots, 8 items  
1808 & 1838

#### VI.iv.1.C Tenant Application Books

- MS 43,775/ 1** Petition book of the tenants of Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington, heard by the Rt. Hon. Henry Boyle, 1 item  
1733



- POS 10158** Tenant Application Book for the period 1815-35  
 Tenant Application Book for the period 2 May-30 Oct 1840  
 Tenant Application Book for the period 7 Nov 1840-10 Apr 1841  
 Tenant Application Book for the period 7 Nov 1840-10 Apr 1841  
 Tenant Application Book for the period 14 Dec 1841-3 Apr 1842  
 Tenant Application Book for the period 19 Nov 1842-21 Aug 1843  
 Tenant Application Book for the period 4 Sep 1843-15 Apr 1844  
 Tenant Application Book for the period 3 Feb 1845-27 Jun 1845  
 Tenant Application Book for the period 28 Jun 1845-7 Feb 1846  
 Tenant Application Book for the period 10 Oct 1846-29 Mar 1847  
 Tenant Application Book for the period 11 Mar 1847-31 Dec 1847  
 Tenant Application Book for the period 12 Jan 1849-16 Sep 1849
- MS 43,775/ 2** Tenant application book for the year 1839, 1 item  
 1839
- MS 43,775/ 3** Tenant application book for the year 1839, 1 item  
 1839
- MS 43,775/ 4** Tenant application book for the year 1839-40, 1 item  
 1839-40
- POS 10161** Tenant Application Book for the period 28 Mar 1898-20 Dec 1913  
 Tenant Application Book for the period 30 Jun 1840-30 Jun 1856  
 Tenant Application Book for the period 30 Jun 1840-Apr 1843  
 Tenant Application Book for the period Apr 1843-31 Jul 1846  
 Tenant Application Book for the period 1 Jan 1847-30 May 1856  
 Tenant Application Book for the period 1 May 1857-30 May 1861
- MS 43,775/ 5** Tenant application book for the year 1844-5, 1 item  
 1844-5
- MS 43,775/ 6** Tenant application book for the year 1846, 1 item  
 1846
- MS 43,775/ 7** Tenant application book for the year 1847-9, 1 item  
 1847-9
- POS 10159** Tenant Application Book for the period 17 Sep 1849-24 Jul 1850  
 Tenant Application Book for the period 14 Jul 1850-10 Apr 1851  
 Tenant Application Book for the period 11 Apr 1851-8 Mar 1852  
 Tenant Application Book for the period 3 Jan 1853-7 Aug 1854  
 Tenant Application Book for the period 26 Jan 1856-4 May 1869  
 Tenant Application Book for the period 4 May 1869-2 Oct 1879  
 Tenant Application Book for the period 12 Jan 1858-2 Aug 1859

- Tenant Application Book for the period 4 Aug 1863-18 Feb 1865  
 Tenant Application Book for the period 6 Aug 1867-17 Aug 1868  
 Tenant Application Book for the period 19 Aug 1868-6 Apr 1869  
 Tenant Application Book for the period 4 Jul 1872-6 Oct 1874  
 Tenant Application Book for the period 24 Dec 1874-30 Jun 1876
- MS 43,775/ 8** Tenant application book for the year 1852, 1 item  
 1852
- MS 43,775/ 9** Tenant application book for the year 1854-6, 1 item  
 1854-6
- MS 43,775/ 10** Tenant application book for the year 1856-7, 1 item  
 1856-7
- MS 7193** Tenants' application book, containing a record of requests for alterations or improvements to property within the estates of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in County Waterford, 1861-63.
- MS 43,775/ 11** Tenant application book for the year 1865-6, 1 item  
 1865-6
- MS 43,775/ 12** Tenant application book for the year 1866-7, 1 item  
 1866-7
- POS 10160** Tenant Application Book for the period 4 Jul 1876-28 Dec 1878  
 Tenant Application Book for the period 4 Feb 1879-19 Sep 1882  
 Tenant Application Book for the period 25 Mar 1890-31 Dec 1893  
 Tenant Application Book for the period 28 Jan 1894-25 Mar 1898

#### VI.iv.1.D Town Tenancies

- MS 43,776/ 1** Agent's notes and memoranda concerning tenants and premises in Bandon, Coolfadda, Gillabbey and Cork, with correspondence between Alexander Swanston and Julius Gildrings (1850) and trace maps, 29 items  
 1816-47
- MS 43,776/ 2** Agent's notes and memoranda concerning tenants and premises in the town of Youghal, 23 items  
 c1760-1820
- MS 43,776/ 3** Agent's notes and memoranda concerning tenants and premises in the town of Youghal, 31 items  
 1827-41

- MS 43,776/ 4** Agent's notes and memoranda concerning tenants and premises in the town of Youghal, 17 items  
c1820-40
- MS 43,776/ 5** Agent's notes and memoranda concerning tenants and premises in the towns of Lismore and Tallow, 26 items  
1821-48
- MS 43,776/ 6** Agent's notes and memoranda concerning tenants and premises in the town of Dungarvan, 20 items  
1818-39

#### VI.iv.1.E Rural Tenancies

- MS 43,777/ 1** Agent's notes, memoranda and returns concerning holdings in various townlands, including Ahenboy, Bouladurragh, and Greencloyne, 37 items  
1817-29
- MS 43,777/ 2** Agent's notes, memoranda and returns concerning holdings at Killowen, Monatrim, and Tipperary, 18 items  
1820-35
- MS 43,777/ 3** Allotments of farms to tenants made out for new letting in the Bandon district, 4 items  
c1820
- MS 43,777/ 4** Agent's notes, memoranda and returns concerning holdings in various townlands, including Ballinroad and Mawmore, 48 items  
c1820-40
- MS 43,777/ 5** Agent's notes, memoranda and returns concerning holdings in various townlands, including Ballynealy, Bishopstown, and Cauty, 22 items  
1830-69
- MS 43,777/ 6** Agent's notes, memoranda and returns concerning holdings in various townlands, including Ballygaggin, Ballyin, Scartnamuck, and Templevally, 26 items  
1836-45, 1867 & n.d.

#### VI.v.2 *Graffing*

The manuscripts in this section relate to the efforts made by the agents of the Duke of Devonshire to suppress the practice of ‘graffing’ (the burning of heath and furze in order to prepare land for tillage) by tenants on his estates in Ireland during the early nineteenth century.

#### VI.v.2.A Surveys and Returns

- MS 43,778/ 1** Surveys and returns of lands burned on the estates of the Duke of Devonshire, 16 items  
1794-1802
- MS 43,778/ 2** Surveys and returns of lands burned on the estates of the Duke of Devonshire, 11 items  
1803-8
- MS 43,778/ 3** Surveys and returns of lands burned on the estates of the Duke of Devonshire, 8 items  
1811-5
- MS 43,778/ 4** Books containing returns of lands burned on the estates of the Duke of Devonshire, 2 items  
1819 & 1839

#### VI.v.2.B Prosecutions

- MS 43,779/ 1** Accounts concerning persons convicted for burning land, with returns of fines levied on tenants and accounts of arrears, 9 items  
1794-1812
- MS 43,779/ 2** Accounts of and receipts for the payment of penalties for the malicious burning of land, 11 items  
1794-1811
- MS 43,779/ 3** Informations of witnesses, and summonses to appear before magistrates to answer charges of burning land, with associated papers 21 items  
1794-1812
- MS 43,779/ 4** Forms of conviction served for burning of land, with lists of persons served, 14 items  
1801-11
- MS 43,779/ 5** Notices from magistrates to levy fines on tenants for burning land, 10 items  
1804-6 & n.d.

- MS 43,779/ 6** Returns of tenant applications for grassing, with a list of graff notes, a return of the rotation of crops taken by tenants granted permission to graff for the years 1820-4 and associated public notices, notes, and letters, 8 items  
1820-3

### ***VI.iv.3 Agents' Memoranda***

#### **VI.iv.3.A Memorandum Books**

The manuscripts in this section are single volumes unless otherwise stated. For a published version of the reports of Henry Bowman, the estate agent, to John Heaton, the estate auditor, compiled during 1794-7 (MS 7198), see *Annalecta Hibernica*, 22 (1960).

- MS 7115** Memorandum book of Henry Bowman (agent) relating to the estates of William Cavendish, 5th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1794-5
- MS 7198** Volume of reports from Henry Bowman (manager) to John Heaton on to the estates of William Cavendish, 5th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford, Cork and Tipperary, 1794-7
- MS 7194** Memorandum Book, relating to the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in County Waterford, 1816-17
- MS 7120** Memorandum book of Henry Witham (agent) containing notes relating to the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1823-29 and 1839, 2 items
- MS 7116** Memorandum book of Henry Witham (agent) relating to the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1825
- MS 7117** Memorandum book of Henry Witham (agent) relating to the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1827
- MS 7118** Memorandum book of William S. Curry (agent) relating to the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1829
- MS 7119** Diary of William S. Curry (agent) recording the affairs of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1831

VI.iv.3.B Notes and Papers

- MS 43,780/ 1** Miscellaneous notes, memoranda and returns concerning the Irish estates of the Earls of Cork and Burlington, subjects include Portingall's lands, turnpike roads, William Jones's proceedings in Ireland, Dungarvan tenants and lands mortgaged to Mr. Henry, 19 items  
1665-1741 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,780/ 2** List of lands concealed by Elizabeth Boate at Abbeyside and Dungarvan Common since the 25 March 1719, and the value of same, and of lands set by Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington to Matthew Laffitte and Benjamin Green, 4 items  
1733
- MS 43,780/ 3** Returns of Dungarvan tenants that attorned to the Duke of Devonshire, with accounts of their respective rents, 1 item  
1795-6
- MS 43,780/ 4** Agent's notebooks containing names of tenants and notes thereon, 5 items  
c1800-30
- MS 43,780/ 5** Miscellaneous licences and certificates, including a licence to J.W. Nason to work the quarry at Knockasticane and a certificate from the Inspector of Seamen's Wills concerning Thomas Farrell, 8 items  
1802-53
- MS 43,780/ 6** Notes, memoranda, returns and receipts concerning the holding of markets and the levying of tolls at Bandon, Youghal, Lismore, Dungarvan, and Cork, 24 items  
1816-49
- MS 43,780/ 7** Miscellaneous notes, memoranda and returns concerning the Irish estates of the Duke of Devonshire, subjects include treatments for cholera, Lismore Temperance Band, entertainments at Lismore Castle and the Duke's advowson claims, 26 items  
1818-73
- MS 43,780/ 8** Memoranda concerning the employment of porters at Lismore Castle, with copies of instructions, rules, and regulations, 11 items  
1829-77
- MS 43,780/ 9** Memoranda concerning the Duke of Devonshire's right to search for minerals in West Carbery and the water supply to Lismore, 6 items  
1846, 1863 & 1884

#### ***VI.iv.4 Estate Businesses***

##### **VI.iv.4.A Farm**

- MS 43,781/ 1** Weekly accounts for work performed by farm labourers, c40 items  
1785-6
- MS 43,781/ 2** Farm labourers' account book for the period 1 January 1801 to 29  
January 1802, 1 item  
1801-2
- MS 43,781/ 3** Farm account books for the years 1841-3 and 1844-7, with  
labourer's account and return of wages for farm labour, 4 items  
1841-7, 1851 & 1860
- MS 43,781/ 4** Farm account book for the period 18 October 1856 to 13 June 1860,  
1 item  
1860

##### **VI.iv.4.B Woods**

- MS 43,782/ 1** Valuations of various woods on the estates of the Earl of Cork and  
Burlington, with valuers' certificates, 24 items  
1711-34 [*Some damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,782/ 2** Memoranda concerning the sale of woods and receipts for  
woodsmen's wages, 21 items  
1711-56 [*Some damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,782/ 3** Accounts of timber cut in the Earl of Cork and Burlington's woods,  
with a book of observations made on the woods and accounts of  
trespass and timber taken from woods on the lands of Ballysaggart,  
and other parts of the estate, 8 items  
1723-30
- MS 7200** Books of trespasses committed on the woods of Richard Boyle, 4th  
Earl of Cork and Burlington, in County Waterford, 1725-1727
- MS 43,782/ 4** Surveys of woods on the lands of Jeremy Coghlan and Richard  
Bagge at Deerpark and of others parts of the estate of the Earl of  
Cork and Burlington, 3 items  
1729-31 & n.d.
- MS 43,782/ 5** Accounts of fencing, ditching and other work for maintaining the

- woods on the estate of the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 14 items  
1729-33 [*Most items badly damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,782/ 5** Petitions and complaints concerning the purchase of the Earl of Cork and Burlington's old and decayed woods in counties Cork and Waterford, and concerning work carried on other woods on the estates, 9 items  
1733-8 & n.d. [*Most items damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,782/ 6** Timber book (1801), with accounts of timber sold at Lismore Castle and woodranger's salaries, and memoranda concerning trees cut and left at Lismore and Killmore, 6 items  
1791-1818
- MS 7201** Volume containing an account of woods and tree plantations on the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, with enclosed notices and memoranda, 1801-60
- MS 43,782/ 7** Returns of woods and plantations in Lismore parish, of acreage of woods and mountains on the Duke of Devonshire's estates and of woodranger's salaries, with parliamentary return of the prices of oak timber and bark at each of the Royal Forests from 1830-46, returns relative to trees cut at Glenmorrisheneen, and a letter from John Haycroft to Francis E. Curry (26 Jan 1844), 13 items  
1840-69
- MS 43,782/ 8** Foresters' returns for the period 20 March 1858 to 4 September 1858, with assorted bills and receipts, 29 items  
1858
- MS 43,782/ 9** Foresters' returns for the period 4 September 1858 to 12 March 1859, with assorted accounts, 34 items  
1858-9

#### VI.iv.4.C Fishing and Game

- MS 43,783/ 1** Papers relating to the distribution of deer from Lismore Park to agents and tenants, including the order of Juliana, Countess of Cork & Burlington (10 Jan 1706/7) and engagements and receipts from Lord Barrymore, Ralph Freke, and Thomas Prendergast, 8 items  
1704-7 & 1714
- MS 43,783/ 2** Accounts of payments to the Earl of Cork and Burlington for the farm and fishing at Ballyin, 6 items



1709 & 1716-9

- MS 43,783/ 3** Accounts of fish taken from the River Blackwater, and of money received for their sale for the period 1712-8, 14 items  
1716-8
- MS 43,783/ 4** Accounts of fish taken by anglers from the River Blackwater and an account from John Hoare to Earl of Cork and Burlington for the mills and fishing of Bandon for the period 1705 to 1716, 5 items  
1716 & 1730 [*One item damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,783/ 5** Salmon fishery accounts, 1 item  
1717

VI.iv.4.D Turf Mould

- MS 7202** Turf mould book, containing lists of persons given permission to take turf mould from the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in County Waterford, 1835
- MS 7203** Turf mould book, containing lists of persons given permission to take turf mould from the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in County Waterford, 1841

VI.iv.4.E Sand and Seaweed

*VI.iv.4.E(1) Returns*

- MS 43,784/ 1** Returns of lighter men who paid for taking sand from the Duke of Devonshire's Strand at Youghal, 33 items  
May-Aug 1820
- MS 43,784/ 2** Returns of lighter men who paid for taking sand from the Duke of Devonshire's Strand at Youghal, 30 items  
Sep 1820-Oct 1821
- MS 43,784/ 3** Returns of sand and seaweed drawn from the North and South Strand at Youghal, 15 items  
1832-49

*VI.iv.4.E(2) Accounts and Receipts*

- MS 43,785/ 1** Accounts and receipts for money paid for sand taken from the Duke of Devonshire's strands, 89 items

1818-44

**MS 43,785/ 2** Accounts of farmers and horses taking sand and seaweed from the strand at Ferrypoint, Co. Waterford, 21 items  
1819-48

***VI.iv.4.F Lismore Canal***

**MS 6681** Canal tolls, payable to William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, 1 item  
1812-14

**MS 43,786/ 1** Account for the Lismore Canal with Samuel Kenah & Co. (1816-9), returns of lockage received (1828-49), and return of proceeds of lockage from the Lismore Canal (1855-7), 6 items  
1819-57

**MS 43,786/ 2** Lockage account book for the years 1828 to 1840, 1 item  
1828-40

**POS 10164** Lockage account books, containing the names of the owners of vessels and of the goods being carried, the type of cargo, and the amount of lockage charged (37 vols.) covering the periods:  
29 March 1851-18 March 1854  
26 March 1862-1 September 1864  
26 March 1864-25 March 1865  
27 March 1865-25 March 1866  
28 March 1866-25 March 1867  
28 March 1867-25 March 1868  
28 March 1868-25 March 1869  
28 March 1869-25 March 1870  
29 March 1870-25 March 1871  
29 March 1871-25 March 1872  
28 March 1872-25 March 1873  
27 March 1873-25 March 1874  
18 April 1874-25 March 1875  
11 April 1875-25 March 1876  
28 March 1877-25 March 1878  
30 March 1878-25 March 1879  
26 March 1879-25 March 1880  
29 March 1880-25 March 1881  
28 March 1881-25 March 1882  
28 March 1882-25 March 1883  
28 March 1883-25 March 1884  
28 March 1884-25 March 1885  
28 March 1886-25 March 1887

28 March 1887-25 March 1888  
 28 March 1888-25 March 1889  
 28 March 1889-25 March 1890  
 3 April 1890-25 March 1891  
 26 March 1891-21 December 1891  
 2 January 1892-21 December 1892  
 6 January 1893-15 December 1893  
 21 January 1894-12 December 1894  
 18 December 1894-12 December 1895  
 January 1896-December 1897  
 4 January 1897-1 November 1898  
 14 January 1899-21 November 1899  
 8 December 1899-27 September 1900  
 5 December 1900-16 November 1901

#### VI.iv.4.G Lismore Gas, Coke and Coal Company

- POS 10162** Ledger of the Lismore Gas, Coke and Coal Company for 1855-71  
 Ledger of the Lismore Gas, Coke and Coal Company for 23 June 1868  
 Ledger of the Lismore Gas, Coke and Coal Company for 1895-1918  
 Meter Book of the Lismore Gas, Coke and Coal Company for 1853
- POS 10163** Correspondence relating to the Lismore Gas, Coke and Coal Company, 1853-1934
- MS 7212** Volume of accounts of gas supplied by the Lismore Gas, Coke and Coal Company, 1853-4
- MS 7213** Dividend ledger of the Lismore Gas, Coke and Coal Company, 1855-64

#### VI.iv.4.H Lismore Castle

- MSS 7209-7211** Visitor's books at Lismore Castle, Co. Waterford covering the period 1829 to 1875, 3 volumes  
 1829-75

#### VI.iv.4.I Lismore Farming Society

- MS 7207** Minute book, finance accounts and lists of subscribers of the Lismore Farming Society for the years 1863 to 1881

## VI.v Tithe Papers

The Duke of Devonshire was the owner of the impropriate tithes of 26 parishes in counties Cork and Waterford. The manuscripts in this section refer to the collection of these tithes and consist largely of account books, schedules, valuations, tithe applotment books and associated correspondence. They are arranged according to the type of document concerned and then either by location or chronological order. These documents contain a great deal of valuable information about tenants on the Duke of Devonshire's Irish estates. For further information concerning tithes, see sections III.iii and VI.vi.2.

### VI.v.1 *Tithe Account Books*

These volumes contain records of tenants' liabilities for tithes.

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| <b>MS 43,787/ 1</b> | Account of tithe arrears for the period 1709-30, 1 item<br>1730  |
| <b>MS 43,787/ 2</b> | Account of tithe arrears and account of tithe bonds for the<br>Kilwatermoy, Knockmorne, and Oeconomy tithes, 1 item<br>1736  |
| <b>MS 43,787/ 3</b> | Account of tithe debtors for the period 1717 to 1736, 1 item<br>1736   |
| <b>MS 43,787/ 4</b> | Accounts for the parishes of Inchegeelagh, Kilmichael, and<br>Kilmurray, 35 items<br>1794-1829   |
| <b>MS 43,787/ 5</b> | Account for the parish of Canaway, with details of arrears, 31 items<br>1796-9 & 1813-20   |
| <b>MS 43,787/ 6</b> | Accounts for the parishes of Shangandan (1825) and Ballymodan<br>for the years 1831 to 1833, 2 items<br>1825-33  |
| <b>MS 7132</b>      | Rent ledger, containing lists of payments, tenants names, townland<br>denominations relating to the impropriate tithes of the estates of<br>William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties<br>Waterford and Cork, 1 item<br>1841 |

### VI.v.2 *Tithe Note Books*

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| <b>MS 43,788/ 1</b> | Note book containing lists of tithe payers for the parishes of Affane<br>and Aglish, Dungarvan, Grange, Rossmire, Stradbally, and<br>Whitechurch, 8 items |
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c1833

- MS 43,788/ 2** Agent's notebooks (compiled by Henry Witham) containing information about the tithes of Dungarvan, Stradbally, Kilronan, Kinslabeg, and various other parishes, and details of the parish of Kilmurry for the years 1824 to 1830, 3 items  
1833
- MS 43,788/ 3** Copies of tithe composition certificates and appeals from them to the Privy Council for the Dioceses of Cork and Ross and Waterford and Lismore (1824-34), and a survey and estimate of the parish of Kilmurray pursuant to the Tithe Composition Act (2 & 3 Wm. IV, c.119), 2 items  
1834

### ***VI.v.3 Tithe Composition (Applotment) Books***

The volumes in this section contain returns of lands and occupiers within the parishes of the Duke of Devonshire's property in counties Cork and Waterford. Each parish was valued and apportioned according to the provisions of the Tithe Composition (Ireland) Act of 1823. The Act, which replaced payment in kind with payment in cash, required that a survey be made of every civil parish in Ireland to determine the value of the tithe payable by each occupier. The applotment books were compiled between 1823 and 1837 and have been arranged in alphabetical order.

- MS 43,789/ 1** Applotment books for the parish of Affane, 2 items  
c1825 & Nov 1837
- MS 43,789/ 2** Applotment book for the parish of Ahern, 1 item  
c1830
- MS 43,789/ 3** Applotment books for the parish of AGLISH, 2 items  
Oct 1829 & Nov 1837
- MS 43,789/ 4** Applotment book for the parish of Ballymacart, 2 items  
May 1826 & Nov 1837
- MS 43,789/ 5** Applotment book for the parish of Ballynoe, 1 item  
n.d.
- MS 43,789/ 6** Applotment book for the parish of Colligan, 2 items  
Nov 1827 & Nov 1837
- MS 43,789/ 7** Applotment book for the barony of Coshmore and Coshbride, 1 item  
n.d.

- MS 43,789/ 8**      Applotment book for the parish of Clashmore, 2 items  
n.d. & Nov 1837
- MS 43,789/ 9**      Applotment book for the parish of Clonlea, 1 item  
Nov 1837
- MS 43,789/ 10**      Applotment book for the parish of Dungarvan, 2 items  
n.d. & Nov 1837
- MS 43,789/ 11**      Applotment book for the parish of Fewes, 2 items  
May 1827 & Nov 1837
- MS 43,789/ 12**      Applotment book for the parish of Grange, 2 items  
c1835
- MS 43,789/ 13**      Applotment book for the parish of Kilcockin, 2 items  
n.d. & Nov 1837
- MS 43,789/ 14**      Applotment book for the parish of Kilgobinet, 2 items  
May 1829 & Nov 1837
- MS 43,789/ 15**      Applotment book for the parish of Kilronan, 2 items  
May 1834 & Nov 1837
- MS 43,789/ 16**      Applotment book for the parish of Kilrossanty, 1 item  
Apr 1828
- MS 43,789/ 17**      Applotment book for the parish of Kilwatermoy, 2 items  
May 1826 & Nov 1837
- MS 43,789/ 18**      Applotment book for the parish of Kinsalbeg, 2 items  
c1825 & Nov 1837
- MS 43,789/ 19**      Applotment book for the parish of Knockmorne and Knockmeal, 2  
items  
c1833-4
- MS 43,789/ 20**      Applotment book for the parish of Lawcoran, 2 items  
1834 & c1830s
- MS 43,789/ 21**      Applotment book for Lismore and the Dean's part of the parish of  
Lismore, 3 items  
c1825, 1829 & c1835
- MS 43,789/ 22**      Applotment book for the parish of Mogeely, 1 item  
April 1830

- MS 43,789/ 23** Applotment book for the parish of Rathronan, 1 item  
May 1827
- MS 43,789/ 24** Applotment book for the parish of Ringagoonagh, 1 item  
Nov 1837
- MS 43,789/ 25** Applotment book for the parish of Rossmire, 2 items  
c1834 & Nov 1837
- MS 7135** Applotment book for the parish of Stradbally, Co. Waterford, 1 item  
1833
- MS 43,789/ 26** Applotment book for the parish of Stradbally, 2 items  
Nov 1837 & Dec 1856
- MS 7134** Applotment book for the parish of Stradbally, Co. Waterford, 1 item  
1856
- MS 43,789/ 27** Applotment book for the parish of Templemichael, 1 item  
n.d.
- MS 43,789/ 28** Applotment book for the parish of Whitechurch, 2 items  
Oct 1831 & Nov 1837
- MS 43,789/ 29** Applotment book for the parish of Youghal, 2 items  
c1830s
- MS 7133** Tithe applotment and rent charges book for the estates of William  
Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in County Waterford,  
1 item  
1838

#### ***VI.v.4 Applotment Schedules***

- MS 43,790/ 1** Schedules of applotments of tithes within the parishes of Affane,  
with notes and letters from Samuel Smith and John Daniel to Henry  
Witham and William S. Curry, and schedule of the valuations of the  
whole tithes belonging to the Duke of Devonshire in County  
Waterford (1824-8), 23 items  
1828-38
- MS 43,790/ 2** Schedules of applotments of tithes within the parishes of Aglish,  
with notes and letters from Sir William Homan and Francis Drew to  
William S. Curry, 26 items  
1834-7

- MS 43,790/ 3** Schedules of applotments of tithes within the parishes of Ballymodan, Kilmurray, Kilmichael, and Inchygeelagh, 12 items  
1838
- MS 43,790/ 4** Notes and letters concerning the applotment of tithes within the parishes of Ballymodan, Kilmurray, Kilmichael, and Inchygeelagh from Alexander Swanston, Benjamin Stock, Sir Augustus Warren, and others to Henry Witham and William S. Curry, 30 items  
1834-8
- MS 43,790/ 5** Schedules of applotments of tithes within the parish of Clashmore, with notes and letters from Francis Kennedy and D. Kiely to Henry Witham and William S. Curry, 15 items  
1832-8
- MS 43,790/ 6** Schedules of applotments of tithes within the parishes of Clonea and Colligan, with notes, lists of ratepayers, and letters from J.M. Galwey to William S. Curry (12 Dec 1837 & 30 Aug 1838), 13 items  
1829-38
- MS 43,790/ 7** Schedules of applotments of tithes within the parish of Dungarvan, 28 items  
1838-9
- MS 43,790/ 8** Returns, notes and letters concerning the applotment of tithes within the parish of Dungarvan from Barton Anderson, Stephen Dickson, H. Bagge, and others to Henry Witham and William S. Curry, 15 items  
1835-8
- MS 43,790/ 9** Schedules of applotments of tithes within the parishes of Fews and Stradbally, with notes and letters from Thomas Walsh, Neal O'Donnell, and J.R. Smith to William S. Curry, 17 items  
1834-8
- MS 43,790/ 10** Schedules of applotments of tithes within the parish of Grange, with letter from H. Bagge to William S. Curry, 5 items  
1838
- MS 43,790/ 11** Schedule of applotment of tithes within the parish of Killgobinet, with notes and letters from M. O'Brien, and H. Bagge to Henry Witham (28 Nov 1837 & n.d.), 6 items  
1837-8



- MS 43,790/ 12** Schedule of applotment of tithes within the parish of Kilonane, with notes and letters from Wiliam Welland, Charles Broderick, and others to William S. Curry and Henry Witham, 11 items  
1826-38
- MS 43,790/ 13** Schedules of applotments of tithes within the parish of Kilwatemoy, with notes and letters from John Cranitch and others to Henry Witham, 13 items  
1837-8
- MS 43,790/ 14** Schedules of applotments of tithes within the parish of Kinsalbeg, with letters from P.S. Smyth to William S. Curry (21 Mar 1836 & 27 Sep 1838), 23 items  
1836-8
- MS 43,790/ 15** Schedules of applotments of tithes within the parish of Lawcoran, 4 items  
1837
- MS 43,790/ 16** Schedule of applotment of tithes within the parish of Ringagowna, with letters from Edward Roberts and James Alcock to Henry Witham, 5 items  
1837-8
- MS 43,790/ 17** Schedule of applotment of tithes within the parish of Rossmire, with notes and correspondence between Michael Dobbyn and William S. Curry, 12 items  
1837
- MS 43,790/ 18** Schedules of applotments of tithes within the parish of Whitechurch, with notes and copy of additional clause to petition for relief, 12 items  
1833-8

#### *VI.v.5 Valuations*

- MS 43,791/ 1** Valuations of the tithes of the parishes of Dungarvan, Kilwatemoy and Lismore, 5 items  
1690-6
- MS 43,791/ 2** Valuations of the tithes of the parishes of Kilwatemoy, Knockmorne and Kilcocken and of Lord Carleton's tithes in West Carbery, 14 items  
1704-34
- MS 43,791/ 3** Valuations of the Oeconmy Tithes, 10 items

1724-36

- MS 43,791/ 4** Valuations and settings of the Earl of Cork and Burlington's tithes for the years 1730, 1733 and 1735, 3 items  
1730-5 [*1735 badly damaged*]
- MS 43,791/ 5** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Ballymodan, Co. Cork and the Duke of Devonshire's parishes in County Waterford, 2 items  
1799-1801
- MS 43,791/ 6** Valuations of the tithes of the parishes of Affane, Liscouran, Lisegnan, Grange, Kinsalbeg and Clashmore (1807), and of Ringagowna (1808 & 1813), AGLISH (1814), and Kilcocken (1815), 6 items  
1807-15

#### ***VI.v.6 Valuations Under Tithe Act, 1823***

These valuations books were compiled according to the provisions of the Tithe Composition (Ireland) Act, 1823 (4 Geo. IV, c. 99). They are arranged by parish in alphabetical order.

- MS 43,792/ 1** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Abbeyside for the harvests of 1823, 1824, and 1825, 4 items  
1823-5
- MS 43,792/ 2** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Abbeyside for the harvests of 1826, 1827, 1828, and 1830, 4 items  
1826-30
- MS 43,792/ 3** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Affane for the harvests of 1823 and 1824, 2 items  
1823-4
- MS 43,792/ 4** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Affane for the harvests of 1825 and 1826, with accompanying letter from John Power to William S. Curry (10 May 1825), 4 items  
1825-6
- MS 43,792/ 5** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of AGLISH for the harvests of 1824 and 1825, 2 items  
1824-5
- MS 43,792/ 6** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of AGLISH for the harvests of 1826 and 1827, 2 items  
1826-7

- MS 43,792/ 7** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Aglish for the harvests of 1828 and 1829, 2 items  
1828-9
- MS 43,792/ 8** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Ballinroad for the harvests of 1824, 1825, and 1826, 4 items  
1824-6
- MS 43,792/ 9** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Ballinroad for the harvests of 1827, 1829, 1830, and 1831, 4 items  
1827-31
- MS 43,792/ 10** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Clashmore for the harvests of 1823 and 1824, with certificate of the value of these tithes for 1824, 1825, and 1826 (9 Oct 1833), 4 items  
1823-33
- MS 43,792/ 11** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Clashmore for the harvests of 1825 and 1826, 4 items  
1825-6
- MS 43,792/ 12** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Clashmore for the harvests of 1827, 1828, 1829, and 1830, with accompanying letter from W. Mulcahy to Henry Witham (18 Jan 1828), 6 items  
1827-30
- MS 43,792/ 13** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Clonea for the harvests of 1824 and 1825, with accompanying letter from William McGuire to William S. Curry (13 Dec 1825), 5 items  
1824-5
- MS 43,792/ 14** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Clonea for the harvests of 1826 and 1827, 5 items  
1826-7
- MS 43,792/ 15** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Colligan for the harvests of 1824 and 1825, 3 items  
1824-5
- MS 43,792/ 16** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Colligan for the harvests of 1826 and 1827, with account of tithes for 1831-3, 6 items  
1826-33
- MS 43,792/ 17** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Dungarvan (West) for the harvest of 1825, 2 items

- 1825
- MS 43,792/ 18** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Dungarvan (West) for the harvest of 1826, 2 items  
1826
- MS 43,792/ 19** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Dungarvan (West) for the harvest of 1827, 2 items  
1827
- MS 43,792/ 20** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Dungarvan (West) for the harvests of 1828, 1829, and 1830, 3 items  
1828-30
- MS 43,792/ 21** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Fews for the harvests of 1824 and 1825, 2 items  
1824-5
- MS 43,792/ 22** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Grange for the harvests of 1824, 1825, and 1826, 3 items  
1824-6
- MS 43,792/ 23** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Grange for the harvests of 1827, 1828, and 1829, 3 items  
1827-9
- MS 43,792/ 24** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Kilcronan for the harvests of 1820 and 1824, 2 items  
1820-4
- MS 43,792/ 25** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Kilcronan for the harvest of 1825, 2 items  
1825
- MS 43,792/ 26** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Kilcronan for the harvest of 1826, 2 items  
1826
- MS 43,792/ 27** Valuations of the tithes of the parishes of Kilcronan and Kiolcocken for the harvests of 1827, 1830, and 1831, 3 items  
1827-31
- MS 43,792/ 28** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Kilgobinet for the harvests of 1823, 1824, and 1825, 4 items  
1823-5

- MS 43,792/ 29** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Kilgobinet for the harvests of 1826 and 1827, 5 items  
1826-7
- MS 43,792/ 30** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Kilwatermoy & Knockmourne for the harvests of 1823, 1824, and 1825, 3 items  
1823-5
- MS 43,792/ 31** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Kinsalbeg for the harvests of 1824 and 1825, 2 items  
1824-5
- MS 43,792/ 32** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Kinsalbeg for the harvests of 1825 and 1826, 3 items  
1825-6
- MS 43,792/ 33** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Kinsalbeg for the harvests of 1827, 1828, 1829, 1830, and 1831, 5 items  
1827-31
- MS 43,792/ 34** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Lawcoran for the harvests of 1823, 1824, 1825, and 1826, 8 items  
1823-6
- MS 43,792/ 35** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Lawcoran for the harvests of 1827, 1828, 1829, and 1831, 7 items  
1827-31
- MS 43,792/ 36** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Rossmire for the harvests of 1825 and 1826, 3 items  
1825-6
- MS 43,792/ 37** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Rossmire for the harvests of 1826 and 1827, 3 items  
1826-7
- MS 43,792/ 38** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Rossmire for the harvests of 1828, 1829, and 1831, 4 items  
1828-31
- MS 43,792/ 39** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Russellstown, 1 item  
c1825
- MS 43,792/ 40** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Stradbally for the harvests of 1824 and 1825, 3 items  
1824-5

- MS 43,792/ 41** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Stradbally for the harvest of 1826, 2 items  
1826
- MS 43,792/ 42** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Stradbally for the harvests of 1827, 2 items  
1827
- MS 43,792/ 43** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Tallow for the harvests of 1820, 1821, 1824, and 1825, 4 items  
1820-5
- MS 43,792/ 44** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Whitechurch for the harvests of 1820 and 1824, 3 items  
1820-4
- MS 43,792/ 45** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Whitechurch for the harvest of 1825, 2 items  
1825
- MS 43,792/ 46** Valuations of the tithes of the parish of Whitechurch for the harvests of 1826, 1827, and 1828, 3 items  
1826-8

***VI.v.7 Valuations (1833-37)***

- MS 43,793/ 1** Valuations of the tithes of the parishes of Affane, Aglish, Colligan, and Fews for the years 1831-3, 5 items  
1833
- MS 43,793/ 2** Valuations of the tithes of the parishes of Grange, Kilgobinet, Ringagowna, and Whitechurch for the years 1831-3, 4 items  
1833
- MS 43,793/ 3** Valuations of the tithes of the parishes of Affane, Aglish, Ballymacart, Clashmore, Clonlea, and Colligan for the years 1834-7, 10 items  
1837
- MS 43,793/ 4** Valuations of the tithes of the parishes of Ballymodan, Inchegeelagh, Kilmichael, and Kilmurry for the years 1834-7, 4 items  
1837
- MS 43,793/ 5** Valuations of the tithes of the parishes of Fews, Grange, Kilgobinet,

Kilrornan, Kilwatermoy, and Kinsalbeg for the years 1834-7, 6 items  
1837

**MS 43,793/ 6** Valuations of the tithes of the parishes of Ringagowna, Rossmire, Stradbally, and Whitechurch for the years 1834-7, 4 items  
1837

#### ***VI.v.8 Agreements***

**MS 43,794/ 1** Agreements for the impropriate tithes of lands within the parish of Affane, 8 items  
1823-9

**MS 43,794/ 2** Agreements for the impropriate tithes of lands within the parishes of Aglish, Ballymacart, Clashmore, Clonlea and Colligan, 16 items  
1822-31

**MS 43,794/ 3** Agreements for the impropriate tithes of lands within the parish of Dungarvan, 9 items  
1822-7

**MS 43,794/ 4** Agreements for the impropriate tithes of lands within the parish of Fews and Grange, 8 items  
1824-31

**MS 43,794/ 5** Agreements for the impropriate tithes of lands within the parishes of Kilgobinet, Kilronan, and Kinsalbeg, 9 items  
1824-8

**MS 43,794/ 6** Agreements for the impropriate tithes of lands within the parishes of Kilwatermoy and Lawcoran, 13 items  
1823-31

**MS 43,794/ 7** Agreements for the impropriate tithes of lands within the parishes of Ringnagowna, Rossmire, and Whitechurch, 13 items  
1824-31

#### ***VI.v.9 Tithe Composition Certificates***

**MS 43,795/ 1** Tithe composition certificates for the parishes of Affane, Aglish, Dungarvan, Guileagh, Kilwatermoy, Whitechurch, and other parishes in counties Cork and Waterford, 22 items  
1824-31

- MS 43,795/ 2** Tithe composition certificates with maps of lands and returns of occupying tenants for the parishes of Ballymacart, Clashmore, Dungarvan, Kilgobinet, and other parishes in counties Cork and Waterford, 26 items  
1833
- MS 43,795/ 3** Tithe composition certificates for the parishes of Cannaway, Clashmore, Dungarvan, Kinslabeg, Templemichael, and other parishes in counties Cork and Waterford, 14 items  
1833-4

### *VI.v.10 Correspondence*

This section contains a large volume of correspondence generated by the agents and tenants of the Duke of Devonshire and various public officials concerning tithes in various parishes in counties Cork and Waterford. The letters refer to tithe composition, tithe rentcharge, and the various pieces of legislation concerning tithes passed between 1822 and the introduction of the Tithe Rentcharge (Ireland) Act (1 & 2 Vict., c. 109) in 1838. Later correspondence and papers refers largely to arrears of tithe rentcharge accumulated by the Duke of Devonshire's tenants between 1838 and 1885.

#### VI.v.10.A General Estate

- MS 43,796/ 1** Letters to William Ashby and William S. Curry concerning tithes, correspondents include Rev. W.L. Beaufort, John Hudson, Robert Sharpe, Henry Stanistreet, Patrick Foley and R.B. Uniacke, 9 items  
1817 & 1823-9
- MS 43,796/ 2** Memoranda, notes, accounts, returns, valuations and calculations compiled by William S. Curry concerning tithe composition, tithe relief and the collection of impropriate tithes from various parishes in counties Cork and Waterford, 46 items  
1822-33
- MS 43,796/ 3** Correspondence and papers concerning the Tithe Composition Bill and the implementation of the subsequent Act, with particular reference to the parishes of Lismore and Mocollop, correspondents include Henry Witham, John Musgrave, William Gregory (Under Secretary for Ireland), R. Mortimer, Captain Hoare, and Rev. V. Lovett, with the notes and memoranda of William S. Curry, 27 items  
1823-4
- MS 43,796/ 4** Circulars from Henry Goulburn (Chief Secretary for Ireland) to the incumbents of the parishes of Lismore and Mocollop, with his letters concerning a special vestry to be held at Lismore under the



- Tithe Composition Act and a list of persons entitled to vote at the vestry of the parish of Lismore, 10 items  
1824
- MS 43,796/ 5** Memoranda, notes, accounts, returns, valuations and calculations compiled by William S. Curry concerning tithe composition, tithe agreements and the rental and valuation of impropriate tithes, with a list of parishes in the counties of Waterford and Cork for which compensation was sought (1838), 45 items  
1824-38
- MS 43,796/ 6** Copy letter books from William S. Curry to various local clergymen, parishoners and tithe lessees concerning the collection of impropriate tithes from various parishes in counties Cork and Waterford, 3 items  
1825
- MS 43,796/ 7** Draft letters from William S. Curry to various local clergymen, parishoners and tithe lessees concerning the collection of impropriate tithes from various parishes in counties Cork and Waterford, with notes and memoranda, 47 items  
1825-35
- MS 43,796/ 8** Letters to William S. Curry and Henry Witham concerning tithe composition, correspondents include Thomas Seward, Henry Witham, John Kidd, John Balwis, Patrick Delandre and John Musgrave, with an anti-tithe notice and government notices concerning the Tithe Relief Act (taken from the *Waterford Mail*, 18 & 25 Jan 1834), 22 items  
1832-3 & Jan-Mar 1834
- MS 43,796/ 9** Letters to William S. Curry concerning political aspects of tithe composition and reform, including the establishment of local landowners and tithe-owners associations, the operation of a relief fund, the interpretation of legislation and the anti-tithe agitation, correspondents include Benjamin Currey, John Hudson, Joseph Brown Ryder, Stephen Dickson, Walter Giles, and Sir William Gossett (Under Secretary for Ireland), 14 items  
1832-5
- MS 43,796/ 10** Memoranda, minutes and notes concerning political aspects of tithe composition and reform, with particular reference to meetings of land agents and tithe-owners to discuss tithe legislation, with newspaper cuttings, 22 items  
1832-5

- MS 43,796/ 11** Correspondence concerning the Irish Tithes Bill and tithe composition, correspondents include William S. Curry, Henry Witham, Elizabeth Bible, William Browning, John Kidd, Samuel Smith, Rev. W.L. Beaufort, Henry Bagge, George Gregg, Rev. Ludlow Tonson, Rev. John Stewart, Rev. Robert St. Lawrence, John Swanston, and Thomas Seward, 27 items  
Apr-Dec 1834
- MS 43,796/ 12** Letters and papers concerning the tithe owner's relief fund and tithe composition, correspondents include James Popham, Henry Bagge, R.B. Uniacke, John Kidd, Frederick Greene, Benjamin Currey, Sir Richard Keane, George Howard, Viscount Morpeth (Chief Secretary for Ireland) and Sir William Gossett and F. Baring (Treasury Chambers), with notes, memoranda, returns, and an anti-tithe notice, 32 items  
1835-8
- MS 43,796/ 13** Correspondence between William S. Curry and George Mathews (Dublin Castle) concerning the Tithe Owners Relief Fund (1 & 2 Vic., c.109), with Treasury circulars, memoranda, and notes, schedules, and returns concerning the relevant parishes, 16 items  
1838-9

VI.v.10.B County Cork

- MS 43,797/ 1** Letters to William S. Curry and Henry Witham concerning the tithes of the parishes of Ahern and Brinny, correspondents include Rev. W.L. Beaufort, Rev. Robert St. Lawrence, Rev Ludlow Tonson, John Swanston, Benjamin Popham and Frederick Green, with an account of tithe payments and a report on the proceedings of the vestry at Ahern, 27 items  
1823-4 & 1833-4
- MS 43,797/ 2** Correspondence concerning the tithes of the parish of Ballymodan, correspondents include John Swanston, Michael Wren, George Burchill, Isaac Draper, John Swete, and William S. Curry, with memoranda, notes, and accounts, 34 items  
1827-31
- MS 43,797/ 3** Memoranda and accounts concerning the tithes of the parish of Ballymodan, including extracts from valuations for the years 1827-9 and 1831-3, 33 items  
1831-9
- MS 43,797/ 4** Correspondence concerning the tithes of the parish of Ballymodan,

- correspondents include Michael Wren, Henry Witham, Benjamin Popham, Thomas Falvey, Edward Scott, Sir William Gossett, Alexander Swanston, Jacob Biggs, and William S. Curry, with memoranda, notes, and accounts, 39 items  
1832-4 & 1838-40
- MS 43,797/ 5** Letters, accounts and notes concerning the tithes of the lands of East Gully, parish of Ballymodan, with particular reference to the liabilities of Lord Bandon and Arthur B. Bernard, 14 items  
1837-40
- MS 43,797/ 6** Proposals concerning the tithes of Kilmurray, Inchnegelagh, and Kilmichael presented to Henry Bowman and Thomas Garde by Benjamin Shorten (19 & 26 Oct 1793), by Robert Boyle Warren (20 Oct 1793), by Nathaniel Burchill (28 Oct 1793 & 14 Jan 1794), by John Galway (23 Dec 1793), by William Barry (15 Jan 1794), by Michael Gallwey (25 Feb 1794), and by Rev. Robert Warren (14 Jul 1795), with a letter from Patrick Halyburton to William Cavendish, 5th Duke of Devonshire (25 Dec 1793), copies of some of the proposals, and a copy extract from the Hibernian Chronicle (17 Oct 1793), 14 items  
1793-5
- MS 43,797/ 7** Correspondence concerning the tithes of the parishes of Kilmichael and Inchigeelagh, correspondents include John Barrett, Daniel Mahony, W.L. Shulldham, Carden Terry, Richard Pope, James Barry, Henry Pope, John Kidd, Henry Witham, William S. Curry, and Francis E. Curry, with notes, accounts, and a public notice, 36 items  
1820 & 1833-40
- MS 43,797/ 8** Correspondence concerning concerning the tithes of the parish of Kilmurray, correspondents include John Swanston, Samuel Penrose, Henry Witham and William S. Curry, with notes and accounts, 17 items  
1830-3
- MS 43,797/ 9** Correspondence concerning concerning the tithes of the parish of Kilmurray, correspondents include John Kidd, John Buckley, Thomas Seward, Benjamin Popham, Henry Witham, and William S. Curry, 25 items  
1834
- MS 43,797/ 10** Correspondence concerning concerning the tithes of the parish of Kilmurray, correspondents include John Kidd, J.B. Warren, Benjamin Swete, Henry Good, the Hon H.B. Bernard and Alexander

Swanston, with newspaper cuttings, a report of a meeting of parishioners, and a memorial presented to the Duke of Devonshire, 32 items  
1835-9

**MS 43,797/ 11** Letters to Francis E. Curry from John Buckley concerning his claims for services rendered in respect of Kilmurry tithes, with a letter from Benjamin Currey, and a memorial from Andrew Daly, 9 items  
1839-44

**MS 43,797/ 12** Correspondence concerning the tithes of the parishes of Templemartin and Templequinlan, correspondents include John Evans Lucas, Benjamin Popham, John Kidd, John Swanston, Robert Burrowes (Dean of Cork), W.C. Bennett, Alexander Swanston, William Currey, and Francis E. Curry, with memoranda and legal opinion, 30 items  
1822, 1825, 1832-8 & 1856

#### VI.v.10.C County Waterford

**MS 43,798/ 1** Letters to William Ashby and William S. Curry concerning the tithes of the parish of Clonlea, correspondents include Walter McGuire, Garrett Redmond, Redmond Power, Thomas McGuire, with notes and memoranda, a memorial from the principal farmers of the parish (Jan 1817), an account of parishioners' payments (1824), and a valuation of the parish (1831), 27 items  
1815-7 & 1825-35

**MS 43,798/ 2** Letters to William S. Curry concerning the tithes of the parishes of Kilcocken and Templemichael, correspondents include Rev. G. Roche, John Hudson, George Roche, Samuel Smith, J.M. Galwey, and Thomas Hudson, with notes, memoranda, and a schedule of persons whose vicarial tithes amounted to £3 in 1821 and 1822, 27 items  
1823-37

**MS 43,798/ 3** Letters to William A. Ashby and William S. Curry concerning the tithes of the parish of Ballinroad, correspondents include John Nugent Humble, Stephen Dickson, Andrew Carbery, John Hudson, Robert Longan, Henry Bagge, and Edward Barron, with a copy of the defendant's answers in Robert Longan v. Edward Barron, 35 items  
1816-35

- MS 43,798/ 4** Correspondence concerning the tithes of the parish of Dungarvan West, correspondents include Pierce Welsh, Thomas Seward, John Odell, Stephen Dickson, John Hudson, Thomas Spratt, and William S. Curry, with notes and memorials from Richard Devereaux, 30 items  
1816-30
- MS 43,798/ 5** Correspondence concerning the tithes of the parish of Dungarvan West, correspondents include John Odell, Samuel Smith, Stephen Dickson, Edward Odell, Henry Bagge, and William S. Curry, with a notice of surrender of the tithe lease, a newspaper cutting, and notices to parishioners, 32 items  
1832-6
- MS 43,798/ 6** Correspondence concerning the tithes of the parish of Dungarvan, correspondents include Walter Giles, Thomas Garde, R.C. Welsh, Barton Anderson, Rev. Stephen Dickson, James Byrne, Walter John Carew, Rodolphus Green, Henry Bagge, John Quinlan, Francis E. Curry and Henry Witham, with memoranda, information as liability for tithe rent charge, and accounts, 53 items  
1836-44
- MS 43,798/ 7** Letters to Francis E. Curry from Rev. H.C. Browne and James L. Hickey, with legal and privy council papers concerning the proposed union of the parishes of Dungarvan and Clonlea (under 11 & 12 Vic., c. 41), 16 items  
1859-61
- MS 43,798/ 8** Correspondence between William Ashby, William S. Curry, and George Giles concerning the tithes of the parish of Ravanagh and of the lease of the tithes of Affane, Liscoran and Whitechurch, with a letter from Sir Richard Musgrave and notes, 37 items  
1817-27
- MS 43,798/ 9** Correspondence and papers concerning the tithes of the parish of Stradbally, correspondents include Edward Barron, Piers George Barron, John Devereaux, Henry Bagge, Robert Uniacke, and William S. Curry, with a return of the harvest (1826), 26 items  
1817-29
- MS 43,798/ 10** Correspondence and papers concerning the tithes of the parish of Stradbally, correspondents include John Devereaux, Robert Uniacke, Thomas Keily, Henry Bagge, John Hudson, and William S. Curry, with a return of payments and a notice to parishioners, 24 items  
1830-4

- MS 43,798/ 11** Correspondence and papers concerning the tithes of the parish of Affane, correspondents include John Power, Sir Richard Musgrave, George Gumbleton, William Gregory (Under Secretary for Ireland), Henry Villiers Stuart, Rev. Archdale Hobson, Sir William Homan, Sir William Gossert (Chief Secretary for Ireland), Henry Witham and William S. Curry, with a memorial from the inhabitants of the parish (1822), a valuation of the harvest (1824), and returns of tithe payments, 29 items  
1822-35
- MS 43,798/ 12** Correspondence and papers concerning the tithes of the parish of AGLISH, correspondents include Edmund Dower, Samuel Grigg, James Nagle, B.B. Johnson, and William S. Curry, with a case and statements concerning the impropriate tithes of the parish since 1814, 23 items  
1816-21
- MS 43,798/ 13** Correspondence and papers concerning the tithes of the parish of AGLISH, correspondents include Thomas Stanton, Andrew Carbery, Edmund Dower, Sir William Homan, Peter Dwyer, Henry Witham, and William S. Curry, with a statement concerning threatening notices and a copy of the Southern Reporter and Cork Commercial Courier (2 Feb 1822), 27 items  
1822-4
- MS 43,798/ 14** Correspondence and papers concerning the tithes of the parish of AGLISH, correspondents include Sir William Homan, Maurice Mallowney, Robert Warren Gumbleton, E. Graves, Thomas J. Fitzgerald, Sir William Gossett and William S. Curry, with tithe composition agreements and a warrant for tithe relief, 37 items  
1825-35
- MS 43,798/ 15** Correspondence and papers concerning the tithes of the parish of Colligan, correspondents include Rev. Francis Newport, Richard Ussher, Robert James O'Brien, Thomas McGuire, Henry Bagge, J.M. Galwey and Sir William Gossett, with notices for reclaiming land and a return of tithe payments (1815-22), 33 items  
1820-35
- MS 43,798/ 16** Correspondence and papers concerning the tithes of the parish of KILRONAN, correspondents include Jeremiah Phelan, Lord Hutchinson, Richard Hely-Hutchinson, 1st Earl of Donoughmore, Robert Sheehan and William S. Curry, with affidavits, a return of warrants and convictions, an inventory of payments, and the petition of Martin Phelan (1794), 24 items

1794 & 1818-9

- MS 43,798/ 17** Correspondence and papers concerning the tithes of the parish of Kilronan, correspondents include Jeremiah Phelan, the Bishop of Waterford, Thomas Seward, Robert Sharpe, Rev. D. Sullivan, James Hill, Richard Hely-Hutchinson, 1st Earl of Donoughmore, Robert Holmes and William S. Curry, with notes, petitions, and answers to queries concerning the union of the parishes of Kilronan and Rathronan, 38 items  
1820-3
- MS 43,798/ 18** Correspondence and papers concerning the tithes of the parish of Kilronan (and Rathronan), correspondents include John Hely-Hutchinson, 2nd Earl of Donoughmore, Jeremiah Phelan, Colonel Michael Greene, Richard Lowe, Rev. Walter Giles, Edmund Mulcahy, Thomas Ryan, and William S. Curry, with notes, accounts, a tithe agreement and a list of defaulters, 33 items  
1824-7
- MS 43,798/ 19** Correspondence and papers concerning the tithes of the parish of Kilronan, correspondents include Edmund Mulcahy, Rev. D. Sullivan, Colonel Michael Greene, Henry Langley, Thomas Ryan, Henry Bagge, and William S. Curry, with notes, memoranda, valuations (1824-31), lists of debtors and persons subpoenaed, answers to queries, and extracts from the Registry of the Diocese of Waterford and Lismore, 39 items  
1828-35
- MS 43,798/ 20** Correspondence concerning the tithes of the parish of Kilronan, correspondents include William Welland, R. Bray, Colonel Michael Greene, Benjamin Currey, Francis E. Curry, and William S. Curry, 17 items  
1838-9
- MS 43,798/ 21** Correspondence and papers concerning the tithes of the parish of Clashmore, correspondents include William Hudson, John Lawlor, John Hudson, William Adams, Richard Power, Robert J. O'Brien, Henry Archdale, Robert Power, Francis Kennedy, Robert Ronayne and William S. Curry, with notes, memoranda, memorials, accounts, and threatening notices, 45 items  
1818-25
- MS 43,798/ 22** Correspondence and papers concerning the tithes of the parish of Clashmore, correspondents include Francis Kennedy, Robert Power, John Hudson, Rev. William Mackesy, and William S. Curry, with notes, memoranda, valuations, a list of townlands, and return of the

- harvest, 35 items  
1826-30
- MS 43,798/ 23** Correspondence and papers concerning the tithes of the parish of Clashmore, correspondents include Francis Kennedy, Rev. William Mackesy, Martin Mulcahy, Samuel Smith, and William S. Curry, with memoranda, a notebook, and extracts from deeds, 29 items  
1831-7
- MS 43,798/ 24** Correspondence and papers concerning the tithes of the parish of Ringagonagh, correspondents include Michael O'Brien, the Bishop of Waterford, Thomas Anthony, Henry Bagge, Henry Witham, and William S. Curry, with notes, memoranda and a return of tithes for the years 1813 and 1814, 26 items  
1821-4
- MS 43,798/ 25** Correspondence and papers concerning the tithes of the parish of Ringagonagh, correspondents include Michael O'Brien, Thomas Anthony, John Hudson, Shapland Graves, the Bishop of Waterford, and William S. Curry, with notes and accounts of payments, 27 items  
1825-7
- MS 43,798/ 26** Correspondence and papers concerning the tithes of the parish of Ringagonagh, correspondents include Thomas Anthony, A. Fitzgerald, Arthur Anthony, Thomas Dennehy, Michael Purcell, John Ponsonby MP, Viscount Duncannon, Rev. R.J. Hobson, Shapland Graves, Rev. James Alcock, Sir William Gossett, and William S. Curry, with notes and accounts of payments, 30 items  
1828-35
- MS 43,798/ 27** Correspondence and papers concerning the tithes of the parish of Kinsalbeg, correspondents include John Lawlor, Richard Power Ronayne, Sir Richard Musgrave, Henry Witham, and William S. Curry, with notes, accounts, memoranda, and a letter of attorney from John Lawlor to Henry Witham (1824), 28 items  
1818-25
- MS 43,798/ 28** Correspondence and papers concerning the tithes of the parish of Kinsalbeg, correspondents include Richard Power Ronayne, George Roche, John Lawlor, Philip Lowe, Robert Power Ronayne, James Fitzgerald, Rev. R.J. Hobson, and William S. Curry, with notes, accounts, memoranda, a return of the harvest, and a warrant for tithe relief, 32 items  
1826-35



- MS 43,798/ 29** Correspondence and papers concerning the tithes of the parish of Kilwatermoy, correspondents include John Corbally, Rev. Richard Ponsonby (Dean of St. Patrick's Cathedral, Dublin), Stephen Moore, George Smithwick, William Smith, Henry Bagge and William S. Curry, with memoranda, a valuation (1824), and a notice concerning the tithe composition of the parish (1826), 30 items  
1817-29 & 1835
- MS 43,798/ 30** Correspondence and papers concerning the tithes of the parish of Ballymacart, correspondents include Rev. Walter Carew, John Hudson, Robert Sharpe (Consistorial Office), Henry Bagge, Henry Thomas Gee, Darby Brien, John Ward and Sir William Gossett, with a tithe agreement (1826), and a list of defaulters, 22 items  
1825-35
- MS 43,798/ 31** Correspondence concerning the tithes of the parish of Ballymacart, correspondents include Henry Witham, John Dower, John Greene, Rodolphus Green, Anthony Fitzgerald, Patrick Smith, Andrew Carbery and Francis E. Curry, with a statement and memorandum, 24 items  
1839-43
- MS 43,798/ 32** Correspondence concerning the tithes of the parish of Ballynoe and Knockmourne, correspondents include Edward Creed, Thomas Champion, Captain Gumbleton, George Smithwick, Christopher Stokes, John Ross, Miles O'Neill, Cornelius O'Brien, with notes, memoranda, petitions, and a list of chief tithe payers (1823), 45 items  
1823-33
- MS 43,798/ 33** Correspondence and papers concerning the tithes of the parish of Rossmire, correspondents include Pierce George Barron, Richard Power O'Shea, Mary McGrath, James Barron, Rev. W.J. Ardagh, Rev. J. Hewitson, and William S. Curry, with notes, memoranda, an applotment, and a return of the wheat and potato harvest, 19 items  
1817 & 1824-7
- MS 43,798/ 34** Correspondence and papers concerning the tithes of the parish of Rossmire, correspondents include Henry Winston Barron, Thomas Shanahan, James Barron, Julia Jacob, Pierce Barron Stafford, Robert Uniacke, James Frazer, Edward Callaghan, and William S. Curry, with memoranda and answers to queries, 27 items  
1828-34
- MS 43,798/ 35** Correspondence and papers concerning the tithes of the parish of Abbeyside, correspondents include Patrick O'Bryen, J.M. Galwey,

- and B. Boate, with a valuation of the tithes (1823) and a return of the wheat and potato crop for the parish (1826), 25 items  
1825-34
- MS 43,798/ 36** Correspondence and papers concerning the tithes of the parish of Whitechurch, correspondents include J. Dartnell, John Hudson, Matthew Walsh, Sir Richard Musgrave, Rev. Francis Newport, John Musgrave, Henry Witham, and William S. Curry, 24 items  
1816 & 1823-6
- MS 43,798/ 37** Correspondence and papers concerning the tithes of the parish of Whitechurch, correspondents include Rev. Francis Newport, John Musgrave, Samuel Smith, Richard Ussher, Sir William Gossett, and William S. Curry, with a warrant for tithe relief, 23 items  
1827-35
- MS 43,798/ 38** Correspondence and papers concerning the tithes of the parish of Grange, correspondents include Sir Richard Musgrave, William Feuge, William Mulcahy, Percy Scott Smyth, Henry Witham, and William S. Curry, with notes, memoranda, a return of the wheat and potato crop (1826), a petition, an applotment, and a newspaper cutting, 43 items  
1824-34
- MS 43,798/ 39** Correspondence and papers concerning the tithes of the parish of Kilgobinett, correspondents include George Giles, John Hudson, Henry Bagge, John Nugent Humble, Michael O'Brien, Pierce George Barron, Stephen Dickson, Arthur Keily, and Sir William Gossert (Dublin Castle), with a memorandum, an abstract of deeds, and a copy notice of intention to file a petition, 29 items  
1815, 1827-35 & 1841
- MS 43,798/ 40** Letters to William S. Curry from Thomas Newbold and Rev. Henry Fleury concerning the tithes of the parish of Guileagh, with petitions, memoranda, and notes, 12 items  
1827-31
- MS 43,798/ 41** Correspondence and papers concerning the tithes of the parishes of Fews, Lawcoran, Tallow and Robertstown, correspondents include Thomas Dunn, William Nugent, James Barron, Thomas Dee, Thomas Tobin, John Walsh, Rev. Francis Newport, the Bishop of Waterford, William Ronayne and William S. Curry, with notes, memoranda, and accounts, 13 items  
1824-37
- MS 43,798/ 42** Correspondence and papers concerning the tithes of various

parishes, including Clontide, Kilbrogan, Shandangan, Ballylaneen, Lismore and Mocollop and Movidy, correspondents include Sir William Gossert, James Tallon, Rev. H. Newman, John Swanston, Richard Donovan, James Denny, John Smith, Thomas Hudson, John Aldworth, Simon Bagge and William S. Curry, with memoranda and a tithe agreement, 19 items  
1825-6 & 1833-7

VI.v.10.D Tithe Arrears

- MS 43,799/ 1** Correspondence between William S. Curry and various tenants concerning tithe composition and the payment of tithe rentcharge arrears, correspondents include Abraham Fisher, Rev. W.A. Beaufort, Benjamin Popham, A. McGuire, J.M. Galwey, Rev. W.J. Ardagh, Stephen Dickson, John Stephens, Thomas Dougall, and Robert Courtnay, 40 items  
1838
- MS 43,799/ 2** Correspondence between William S. Curry and various tenants concerning tithe composition and the payment of tithe rent charge arrears, correspondents include Edward Netherville Barron, Henry Dennehy, Thomas Carew, James Perceval Graves, Alexander Swanston, T.M. Green, John O'Reilly, John P. O'Shea, Christopher Lodge, and Thomas McGuire, 36 items  
1838
- MS 43,799/ 3** Correspondence between William S. Curry and various tenants concerning tithe composition and the payment of tithe rent charge arrears, correspondents include Sir Richard Keane, Edward O'Ferrall, Maurice Kennedy, James Kearney, Thomas Keily, Rev. Joseph Jervois, Francis Hastings, 13<sup>th</sup> Earl of Huntingdon, James Hill, Sir William Homan, and John Hickson, 10 items  
1838
- MS 43,799/ 4** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and tenants concerning tithe composition, liability for and payment of tithe rent charge, correspondents include Patrick Smith, Stephen Baker, H.B. Bernard, James Byrne, William Jones, Richard Bermingham, Alexander Swanston, Robert C. Welsh, John C. Browne, Samuel Smith, Henry Bagge, Daniel Mahony, Captain William Gallway, and Thomas Cooper, 46 items  
1839-40
- MS 43,799/ 5** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and tenants concerning tithe composition and the payment of tithe rent charge arrears,

correspondents include Thomas Foley, Benjamin Curry, Richard Feuge, Nathaniel Reynett, Henry Witham, Charles Cox, James Byrne, Samuel Smith, Henry Bagge, Benjamin Ropham, Andrew Carbery, Henry McGrath, Rev. P. J. Smyth, and John Flynn, 53 items  
1841-3

- MS 43,799/ 6** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and tenants concerning the sale and payment of tithe rent charge, correspondents include Richard Ussher, Rev. W.J. Ardagh, William Hamilton, Richard Jubb, Henry Bagge, Captain Charles Cox, Rev. James Elliott, Thomas Fuge, Michael Power, William Callaghan, Anthony Fitzgerald, Robert Dower, and R.B. Uniacke, 61 items  
1844-7
- MS 43,799/ 7** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and tenants concerning the payment of tithe rent charge, correspondents include Henry Dennehy, John C. Browne, Mary Johnson, Richard Russell, Philippa Grace, Thomas Carmichael, Thomas Welsh, Robert Dower, Mary Barron, Margaret Power, George Wyse, Abraham Fisher, Thomas P. Carew, John B. Healy, and R.B. Uniacke, 44 items  
1848
- MS 43,799/ 8** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and tenants concerning the payment of tithe rent charge, correspondents include Philippa Grace, William Callaghan, John B. Healy, Richard Russell, John Looney, William Moore, Luke Duff, Thomas Power, Sir H. Winston Barron, Louisa Dickson, Thomas Mitchell, Mary Barron, and R.B. Uniacke, 56 items  
1849-50
- MS 43,799/ 9** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and tenants concerning the payment of tithe rent charge, correspondents include Edward Roberts, A. Coates, Philippa Grace, P. Netherville Barron, Charles Newport, John Pyne, Abraham Fisher, Michael Bourke, James Welsh, Thomas Mitchell, R. Howell, B. Boate, Sir H. Winston Barron, and Robert Longan, 40 items  
1850 [*Some items damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,799/ 10** Letters to Francis E. Curry concerning the sale and payment of tithe rent charge, correspondents include Alexander Swanston, T.M. Green, Rev. James Elliott, William Walsh, Rev. W.J. Ardagh, Charles Newport, Patrick Cody, Patrick Power, Rev. William Hughes, Frederick Dennehy, Henry Fitzgerald, Rev. John Quarry, and James Farrell, 52 items  
1852 & 1855-8

- MS 43,799/ 11** Letters to Francis E. Curry concerning the sale, payment and increase of tithe rent charge, correspondents include Murdock Green, Edward Quin, William Anderson, Rev. W.J. Ardagh, Maurice Lenihan, John Green, James Fitzpatrick, Eliza Hay, William Verlin Gregg, Messrs. W. & J. Sherlock, John C. Browne, William Agar, Patrick Smith, and John Prendergast, 37 items 1859-63
- MS 43,799/ 12** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and tenants concerning liability for and payment of tithe rent charge, correspondents include Emily Glascott, Patrick Smith, G.W. Shannon, John P. Smith, James Gill, Messrs. Martin & Carton, Benjamin Deane, Rev. Thomas O'Brien, George V. Malley, James Byrne, Pierce Kelly, David Power, Southwell Fitzgerald, and George Fitzmaurice, 57 items 1864-9
- MS 43,799/ 13** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and tenants concerning the sale and payment of tithe rent charge, correspondents include Piers Kelly, Rev. J. Jackson, Rev. R.B. Neville, Abraham Coates, Edward Roberts, Robert Murdock, William Anderson, Southwell Fitzgerald, John Ussher, Joseph Howard, and James Carbery, 37 items 1870-8
- MS 43,799/ 14** Correspondence concerning tithe rentcharge defaulters, including John Rous, 2<sup>nd</sup> Earl of Stradbroke, Francis Bernard, 3<sup>rd</sup> Earl of Bandon, Francis Hastings, 13<sup>th</sup> Earl of Huntingdon and John R. Lucas, correspondents include J.R. Berwick, William Currey, Messrs. Keily & Lloyd, and William, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, 23 items 1871-2 & 1882
- MS 43,799/ 15** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and tenants concerning the sale and payment of tithe rent charge, correspondents include John Hunt, R.J. Ussher, Messrs. Barrington & Co., R.J. Longan, Thomas Stephenson, Dr. M. Cahill, William Uniacke Townsend, P.F. Little, and William, 7<sup>th</sup> Duke of Devonshire, 18 items 1880-5

#### ***VI.v.11 Associated Papers***

This section contains an assortment of accounts, bonds, memoranda, notes and various other types of document relative to the tithes of various parishes on the Irish estates of the Earls of Cork and Burlington and the Dukes of Devonshire. They were generated between 1688 and 1880 and are arranged in chronological order.

- MS 43,800/ 1** Accounts of tithe arrears and appraisers' fees, with accounts of the Oeconomy tithes (Barony of Decies, Counties Cork and Tipperary) and the tithes of the parish of Kilronan, with a valuation of the tithes of County Tipperary and Wallace Warren's bond for the performance of covenants in his lease of Kilmurry tithes (12 Aug 1698), 8 items  
1688-98
- MS 43,800/ 2** Tithe bonds for the parish of Kilwatermoy, a copy presentation of the parish of Rathronan to Rev. Francis Pennefather, William Warren's resignation of the tithe of Kilmurry, Kilmichael and Inchnegeelagh (4 May 1753) and assorted promissory notes, bills, and receipts for the payment of tithes for various parishes in counties Cork and Waterford, 27 items  
1720-99 [*Some damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,800/ 3** Accounts of tithe receipts and arrears for various parishes in counties Cork and Waterford, 17 items  
1729-35 [*Some damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,800/ 4** Declarations of tenancy for the rectorial tithes of the parishes of Kilwatermoy and Kilcocken and of Fewes, Rossmire, Stradbally, and AGLISHVENAN issued by Thomas Knowlton to William Ahern and Michael Barron, 2 items  
1806
- MS 43,800/ 5** Accounts of tithe receipts and arrears for various parishes in counties Cork and Waterford, with instructions for tithe bonds, schedules of tenants, and receipts, 26 items  
1813-43
- MS 43,800/ 6** Assorted notes, bills, and receipts for tithe payments in various parishes in counties Cork and Waterford, 33 items  
1814-20
- MS 43,800/ 7** Copy of power of attorney to value and set the tithes of Ballymodan, Kilmichael and Inchnegeelagh from William, 6th Duke of Devonshire to Michael Wren (21 Aug 1818), with extracts from tithe valuations for various parishes in counties Cork and Waterford, including Colligan, Inchegeelagh, Stradbally, and Youghal, 18 items  
1818-40
- MS 43,800/ 8** Petitions, proposals, requisitions, notes, and memoranda concerning the tithes of various parishes in counties Cork and Waterford, with copy of an 'Act for the Relief of the Owners of Tithes in Ireland' under 3 & 4 Wm. IV, c.100 (29 Aug 1833), 22 items

- 1822-42
- MS 43,800/ 9** Memoranda, notes, and notebooks concerning tithes for various parishes in counties Cork and Waterford, including Affane, Ahern, Inchegeelagh, Kilmurry, and Ringagowa, 21 items  
1824-40
- MS 43,800/ 10** Assorted notes and calculations of accounts for the payment of tithes and rentcharge in various parishes in counties Cork and Waterford, including a table of average prices of wheat and oats for the period 1 November 1823 to 1 November 1830, 43 items  
1829-41 & n.d.
- MS 43,800/ 11** Notices to quit demanding the surrender of the tithe leases of Lawcoran, Abbeyside, Stradbally, and other parishes in County Waterford, 9 items  
1831-3
- MS 43,800/ 12** Trace maps and references for various townlands on the Lismore and Tallow estates, including Castle Land, Bishopstown, Tallow Bridge Land, Mogeely, East and West Shrug, and Monalour, 30 items  
1841-2
- MS 43,800/ 13** Assorted papers concerning the payment of tithe rentcharge, including a statement concerning Tallow Bridge and of the Union of Kinsalbeg, an order to increase tithe rentcharge on the parish of Kilcocken, and schedules of rentcharge payable by Lord Waterford and to the Vicars Choral of the Cathedral Church of Lismore, 16 items  
1844-80
- MS 43,800/ 14** Returns and certificates of applotment concerning adjustments to the tithe composition of the parishes of Kilrush, Stradbally, and Templequinland, 7 items  
1854-60
- MS 43,800/ 15** Annual rental of tithe rent charges for the Duke of Devonshire's estates in County Waterford (Schedule III of the Succession Duty Account), 1 item  
c1860

## VI.vi Surveys and Valuations

The manuscripts in this section relate to various surveys and valuations of properties on the Boyle and Cavendish family estates in Ireland made between the 1690s and 1870.

### VI.vi.1 Surveys

This section consists of surveys made of the estates from the 1690s and include the survey by Josias Bateman, a native of Youghal and a tenant of the Earl of Cork and Burlington. He trained as accountant and was employed as an agent and surveyor of the Lismore estate from the 1690s. His comprehensive survey of the estates in 1716-7 appeared to conflict with the designs of the agents Jeremy Coughlan and Andrew Crotty. He was subsequently denied the tenancy of his farm, had his livestock impounded was imprisoned jailed for a time in Tallow gaol. For Bateman's account of the affair, see A just and true relation of J. Bateman's concern, under the Right Hon. Richard Earl of Burlington, ever since the year 1713, the time all accounts were settled with him... (1734) [NLI ref. J 32341]. The survey maps themselves (NLI MSS 6148-9) can be found in section VI.vii.1.

- MS 43,801/ 1** Report of survey of the plowlands of Enniskeane, Co. Cork made by John Austin (Dec 1697), with a survey map of Ballyculane (15 Aug 1693) and a report of a survey of Gurteen Wood by Henry Austen (25 Sep 1711), 3 items  
1693-1711
- MS 6145** Volume of surveys of lands in counties Cork and Waterford made by order of the Earl of Cork and Burlington in the years 1674, 1694, and 1698, 1 item  
c1700 [*Very damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,801/ 2** Instructions from Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington to his commissioners and agents for surveying and estimating his estates in Ireland (12 May 1716) and a survey, explanation, and table of reference to the map of the lands of Coolfadda and the Town of Bandon describing the size and condition of each particular tenement (with later copy), 3 items  
1716-7
- MS 43,801/ 3** Account of lands surveyed for the Earl of Cork and Burlington lying in the Baronies of Kinalmeaky and East Carbery and of the lands of Farrinduffe, Innisling and Gilabbey, Co. Cork, an account of costs for survey and map of Coolfadda and Bandon (see above), and an account of payments to Dr. John Keefe for surveys of Kilwatermoy and Ballycollane between 1716 and 1720 (19 Feb 1720/1), 4 items  
1717-21 [*Some items damaged*]
- MS 43,801/ 4** Schedule of lands, survey, and rental of the estate of the Earl of Cork and Burlington in the counties of Cork and Waterford in 64 denominations, acreage 49,262 (Irish), including chief rents, rental £3,294, surveyed by Josias Bateman, 1 item  
1717



- MS 43,801/ 5** References to the survey of part of the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington in the counties Cork and Waterford, lists of holdings within the town and townlands of Tallow as measured by Josias Bateman and providing the name of each tenant and the size of holding, and an extract from the Book of Surveys made by Josias Bateman in 1716 concerning the lands of Strancally, Co. Waterford, 5 items  
1717 & c1830 [See MS 6148-9]
- MS 43,801/ 6** Accounts of Josias Bateman for rent and arrears for the lands of Killmore (1703-29), and for surveys carried out on the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington in 1716-7, 20 items  
1717-29 [*Some items damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,801/ 7** Letters from Josias Bateman to the Earl of Cork and Burlington, Andrew Crotty, Jeremy Coghlan, and Henry Simson concerning his surveys of the estate, with his account for the years 1713-24 and two petitions addressed to the Earl of Cork and Burlington, 14 items  
1719-31 [*Some items damaged and quite fragile*]
- MS 43,801/ 8** Surveys of Spittal Lands, County Tipperary including those by John Kent (30 Mar 1739) and J.J. Byrne (Apr 1859), 3 items  
1719, 1739 & 1859
- MS 43,801/ 9** Attested copy of 'The Survey of the Ancient Estates of the Right Hon.ble Earl of Cork and Burlington situate within the County Cork according to the Books of the Down Survey' by Thomas Harrison, Registrar of the Books of Survey and Plantation, with copy, 2 items  
c1720 [*One item badly damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,801/ 10** Survey of lands in County Sligo indicating profitable and non-profitable land, 1 item  
c1720
- MS 43,801/ 11** List of lands in East Carbery surveyed for the Earl of Cork and Burlington by Robert Colvill (7 Feb 1727/8), list of lands to be drawn from the Down Survey with note from William Molesworth, Surveyor General (28 Feb 1728/9), survey of holdings in Knockaporory[?] (Jan 1732/3), and sketch of lands surveyed by John Kent (Apr 1742), 5 items  
1728-42
- MS 43,801/ 12** Surveys of properties in the Town and Manor of Cappoquin and the Seigniorship of Inchiquin, 4 items  
c1735

- MS 43,801/ 13** Survey of Portingall in Youghal by John Brien (2 Jul 1771), with sketches and dimensions of houses in Bandon, and lists of references to the plans of the boroughs of Lismore and Tallow, and the town and townlands of Tallow, 4 items  
1771, 1794 & 1800-1
- MS 6201** Copy survey book with remarks and observations by Bernard Scalé on the manor of Lismore, Co. Waterford, the estate of the Duke of Devonshire, 1 item  
1773
- MS 6202** Copy survey book containing a survey by Bernard Scalé of the estates of the Duke of Devonshire in the baronies of Coshmore and Coshbride, Co. Waterford, and Kinnataloon, Co. Cork, 1 item  
c1835
- MS 43,801/ 14** Copies of survey books of the Manors of Tallow and Lisfinny, Co. Waterford and Curryglass and Mogeely, Co. Cork, and of Connehy and Knockmorn, Co. Cork, made by Bernard Scalé in 1774, with valuations, remarks, and observations, 2 items  
n.d.
- MS 43,801/ 15** Schedules of the Irish estates of the Duke of Devonshire providing the acreage of each townland, details of impropriate tithes and chief rents, and observations, with schedules of his lands in the counties Cork, Waterford, and Tipperary, 5 items  
c1800-30
- MS 43,801/ 16** Survey book for the lands of Ballyin, 1 item  
c1810
- MS 43,801/ 17** Blue book on gaol returns into which have been pasted 35 pages of small verbal surveys of various parts of the Devonshire estate in Counties Cork and Waterford, 1 item  
1816-36
- MS 7041** Survey of the estates of the Duke of Devonshire in the North Bandon district, Co. Cork, 1 item  
c1819
- MS 7042** Survey of the estates of the Duke of Devonshire in the West Bandon district, Co. Cork, 1 item  
c1819
- MS 43,801/ 18** Surveys of ground and roads at Coologesween, Youghal, and

- Abbeyside, with ground plans for a barrack at Bandon, a convent and schoolhouse at Tallow, and premises in Lismore, 9 items  
1821-39
- MS 6924 (2)** Survey book providing acreage of the estate of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in Co. Cork, 1 item  
1832-40
- MS 43,801/ 19** Booklets and papers containing surveys of various parts of the Devonshire estate in Counties Cork and Waterford, c40 items  
1841-7
- MS 43,801/ 20** Copies of a report from Stephen Eddy concerning his survey of minerals on the Duke of Devonshire's lands in County Cork (16 Nov 1850), with a copy lease and licence to explore and search for mines and minerals, 4 items  
1850
- MS 43,801/ 21** Survey of estate lands, comparing their content according to old maps (1728 & 1774) and the Ordnance Survey, with details of estate lands sold between 1729 and 1739, 8 items  
1857
- MS 6162** Survey of lands and tenements in the counties Cork and Waterford, 1 item  
1860

#### ***VI.vi.2 Field Books***

The parish survey books in this section were compiled in preparation for the Tithe Commutation Act (Ireland) of 1838. The manuscripts listed below are single volumes.

- MS 6203** Field book containing a survey by Smith and Russell of the parishes of Grainge and Kinsalebeg, Co. Waterford, 1838
- MS 6204** Field book containing a survey of the parishes of St. Mary's, Clonmel, Co. Tipperary, 1838
- MS 6205** Field book containing a survey by Richard Russell of the parish of Ardmore, Co. Waterford, c1838
- MS 6206** Field book containing a survey of the parishes of Mothel, Guilcagh and Rossmire, Co. Waterford, c1838
- MS 6207** Field book containing a survey of the parish of Clashmore, Co. Waterford, c1838

- MS 6208** Field book containing a survey of the parishes of Rossmire, Fews, Kilrossanty, Clonea and Kilgobnet, Co. Waterford, c1838
- MS 6209** Field book containing a survey of the parish of Lismore, Co. Waterford, c1838
- MS 6210** Field book containing a survey of the parishes of Ringnagowna, Ballymacart and Ardmore, Co. Waterford, c1838
- MS 6211** Field book containing a survey of the parish of Leskinane, Co. Waterford, c1838
- MS 6212** Field book containing a survey of the parishes of Affane and Whitechurch, Co. Waterford, c1838
- MS 6213** Field book containing a survey of the parishes of Trinity Without, St. John's and Kilbarry, Co. Waterford, c1838
- MS 6214** Field book containing a survey of the parishes of Rathgormuck and Mothel, Co. Waterford, c1838
- MS 6215** Field book containing a survey of the parish of Limore, Co. Waterford, c1838
- MS 6216** Field book containing a survey of the parishes of Tallow and Kilwatermoy, Co. Waterford, c1838
- MS 6217** Field book containing a survey of the parishes of Stradbally and Killgobinet, Co. Waterford, c1838
- MS 6218** Field book containing a survey of the parish of Kinalmeaky, Co. Cork, c1838
- MS 6219** Field book containing a survey of the parishes of Moncksland and Kilbarrymeaden, Co. Waterford, c1838
- MS 6220** Field book containing a survey of the parishes of Kilcockin and Temple Michael, Co. Waterford, c1838
- MS 6221** Field book containing a survey of the parishes of Kilronan, Abbey and St. Mary's, Co. Waterford, c1838
- MS 6222** Field book containing a survey of the parishes of Aglish and Kilmalash, Co. Waterford, c1838

- MS 6223** Field book containing a survey of the parishes of Newcastle, Island Kean, Reisk and Dunhill, Co. Waterford, c1838
- MS 6224** Field book containing a survey of the parish of Ballylaneen, Co. Waterford, c1838
- MS 6225** Field book containing a survey of the parishes of Modeligo, Lickoran and Colligan, Co. Waterford, c1838
- MS 6226** Field book containing a survey of the parish of Lismore, Co. Waterford, c1838
- MS 6227** Field book containing a survey of the parishes of Kilbride, Kilbourne, Lisnakill, Kilneadan and Newcastle, Co. Waterford, c1838
- MS 6228** Field book containing a survey of the parishes of Killea, Kilmacomb, Crooke, Passage and Kill St. Nicholas, Co. Waterford, c1838
- MS 6229** Field book containing a survey of the parish of Drumcurran, Co. Waterford, c1838
- MS 6230** Field book containing a survey of the parishes of Lismore and Mocollop, Co. Waterford, c1838
- MS 6231** Field book containing a survey of the parishes of Desart, Kilsheelan, Killaloan and St. Mary's, Co. Waterford, c1838
- MS 6232** Field book containing a survey of the parishes of Kilneadan, Clonegan, Fenagh and Kilmoleran, Co. Waterford, c1838
- MS 6233** Field book containing a survey of the parishes of Dungarvan, Kilrush and Colligan, Co. Waterford, c1838
- MS 6234** Field book containing a survey of the parishes of Aghern, Knockmourne and Ballynoe, Co. Cork, and Lismore and Dungarvan, Co. Waterford, c1838
- MS 6235** Field book containing a survey of the parishes of Lismore and Dungarvan, Co. Waterford, c1838
- MS 6236** Field book containing a survey of the parish of Youghal and the barony of Kinnatalloon, Co. Cork, c1838
- MS 6237** Field book containing a survey of some townlands in the barony of

Carbery East, Co. Cork, c1838

**MS 6238** Field book containing a survey of the parish of Ardmore, Co. Waterford, c1838

### *VI.vi.3 Valuations*

The earliest valuations in this section date from the 1720s. Those dating from the mid-nineteenth century refer largely to the General Valuation of Ireland (Griffith's valuation), poor law unions, and to the sale of the Duke of Devonshire's holdings at Dungarvan and Youghal in 1859-62. The manuscripts are listed in chronological order.

- MS 43,802/ 1** Valuation of the yearly rents of the Earl of Cork and Burlington's property in the Town of Youghal, with descriptions of each of the plots of land and premises, 1 item  
c1720
- MS 43,802/ 2** Description and valuation of part of the estate of the Earl of Cork and Burlington lying in the baronies of East and West Carbery, Beer and Bantry, Kinnelea, and Barryroe, Co. Cork, being the former estate of the Rt. Hon. Henry Boyle, 1st Baron Carleton (deceased), 1 item  
c1728
- MS 43,802/ 3** Valuation of Drumphea, Lisniquinny, and various other ploughlands, 1 item  
c1730
- MS 43,802/ 4** Calculation of the value of one third of the reserved rents of the lands within the marriage settlement, and of the clear value of the rents having been fined off for the terms in being of said lands at 20 years' purchase, and related papers, 6 items  
1736 [*Damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,802/ 5** Valuations of the Castle Lands (1 Jan 1736) and of various other parts of the estates of the Earl of Cork and Burlington in Ireland, including a scheme for putting the Youghal, Bandon and Western estates in trust for eleven years from 1737, 15 items  
1736-7 & n.d.
- MS 43,802/ 6** Valuations of the rents of houses out of lease in the Town of Bandon (1813), and of several farms at Deerpark, 4 items  
1793 & 1811-3
- MS 43,802/ 7** Valuation notebooks for Ballylegane, Bishopstown, Lower Mogeely, Glanreigh, and various other townlands, 8 items

c1820-40

- MS 43,802/ 8** Public notices giving the valuations of denominations of lands within the Barony of the Western Division of East Carbery, and the Baronies of East and West Muskery, 3 items  
1826
- MS 43,802/ 9** Valuations of the the Town of Youghal by the Gas Commissioners, and of the potato grounds of Scariff and Kilbarry and the lands of Monalour, Moneen, Killowen, West Mawmore, Monatarive, and various mountain townlands, 13 items  
1826-68
- MS 43,802/ 10** Valuations of the Town of Youghal for the Vestry Act (1828-30), with associated notes, map and extract from the applotment of the church rate in the parish of St. Mary's, Youghal for 1829, 11 items  
1829-34
- MS 43,802/ 11** Valuations and related papers for Ballyerin, Ballymacsimon, Curryheen, Ballylegane, and various other townlands, 16 items  
1832-46
- MS 43,802/ 12** Volume containing valuations of various townlands of the Duke of Devonshire Irish estates (copied into the Valuation Book, 16 Jun 1879), 1 item  
1835-44
- MS 43,802/ 13** "Act for the Uniform Valuation of Lands and Tenements in the County of Waterford...", with instructions for valuers acting on behalf of the Commissioners at Waterford for the valuation of the towns and town-lands of Carrickbeg, and the southern suburbs of Clonmel, Tramore, Dungarvan, Tallow, Lismore, and Cappoquin, 3 items  
1837
- MS 43,802/ 14** "Matrix Roll of Parishes", containing acreage and valuation particulars (including value of property built) of various parishes in County Waterford, 1 item  
c1837
- MS 43,802/ 15** "Contents of Baronies" containing aggregate rolls of the acreage and valuation particulars (including buildings and rateable values) of parishes in various baronies in County Waterford, 1 item  
c1837
- MS 6163** Valuations of the town of Youghal, Co. Cork, 1832 and 1835-36

- and of the towns of Lismore and Tallow, Co. Waterford, 1 item  
1837
- MS 6167** Valuation of the town of Youghal, Co. Cork, 1 item  
1838
- MS 43,802/ 16** Valuation notebooks for Lackengariffe, Lime Kiln Close, Bishopstown, Lower Mogeely, Cullinagh, Monatrim, Ballyin, Ballyrafter, Curryheen, and various other townlands, 18 items  
1840-8
- MS 6168** Valuation rate book of the town of Youghal, Co. Cork, 1 item  
1842
- MS 43,802/ 17** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Sir Richard Griffiths, John Kelly and John B. Greene, and R. Frederick Shaw (General Survey and Valuation of Ireland), with returns, sketch maps, circulars, and newspaper cuttings, 41 items  
1844-59 & 1869
- MS 43,802/ 18** Copies of Griffith's primary valuation of tenements on various townlands on the Duke of Devonshire's Irish estates, 7 items  
1849-52
- MS 43,802/ 19** Schedule of Bandon property comparing Poor Law and Griffith's valuations with rent receipts, with valuations for the Ballyin and Lismore electoral divisions and for plantation and mountain land in Co. Waterford, 9 items  
1853-5
- MS 43,802/ 20** Tenement valuation of Stradbally parish, 1 item  
1856
- MS 6172** General valuation of Stradbally Parish, Co. Waterford, omitting the townland of Ballyvoile, 1 item  
1856
- MS 6173** Valuation by J. Byrne of the estate of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in the town of Dungarvan, Co. Waterford, 1 item  
1859
- MS 6174** Valuation by J. Byrne of the estate of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, in and near the town of Youghal, Co. Cork, 1 item  
1859
- MS 6175** Valuation by J. Byrne of the estate of William Cavendish, 7th Duke



- of Devonshire, in and near the town of Dungarvan, Co. Waterford, 1  
item  
1859
- MS 6199** Valuation of the estate of the Duke of Devonshire in County  
Tipperary, 1859, together with a list of leases of his estates at  
Youghal town and district, Co. Cork, and in Dungarvan town and  
district, Co. Waterford (1749-1859), 1 item  
1859
- MS 6175A** Valuation of the estate of Richard E. Boyle, 9th Earl of Cork and  
Burlington and Orrery, in and near the town of Dungarvan, Co.  
Waterford, 1860
- MS 43,802/ 21** Tenement valuation of Bandon Town and Lands, 1 item  
c1860
- MS 6181** Poor law valuation of the Parish of Youghal, Co. Cork, 1 item  
c1860
- MS 6188** Poor law valuation of the Parish of Dungarvan, Co. Waterford, 1  
item  
c1860
- MS 6161** Poor law valuation of the barony of Kinnatalloon, Co. Cork, and a  
portion of the barony of Coshmore and Coshbride, Co. Waterford, 1  
item  
c1860
- MS 6193** Poor law valuation of the parish of Lismore, Co. Waterford, 1 item  
c1860
- MS 6194** Poor law valuation of Ballyinn electoral division, Co. Waterford, 1  
item  
c1860
- MS 6195** Poor law valuation of Ballyinn, Lismore, Tallow, Ballynoe, Aghern  
and Knockmourne electoral divisions, Co. Waterford, 1 item  
c1860
- MS 6196** Poor law valuation of Ballyinn electoral division, Co. Waterford, 1  
item  
c1860
- MS 6197** Poor law valuation of the Parish of Youghal, Co. Cork, 1 item  
c1860

## VI.vii Maps

Closely related to the foregoing surveys are the estate maps. They include a number of large bound volumes listing tenants' holdings on large parts of the estates, which were made in 1716-7, 1773-5 and 1870. Complementing these volumes is a larger collection of individual hand-drawn (some executed in colour) and printed maps, including small plans of fields etc., made largely between 1694 and 1870, but including the ancient map of Mogeely made in 1598 (see section VI.vi.4.D).

### VI.vii.1 Josias Bateman Survey

For further information on Bateman's survey, see section VI.vi.1.

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| <b>MS Map 366</b> | Map of the lands of Dontahe, Co. Cork, in the possession of Walter Huchens, surveyed by Josias Bateman, 1 Aug 1694 (310 mm x 440 mm)  |
| <b>MS Map 367</b> | Map of the lands of Lusnabrone, Co. Cork, surveyed by Josias Bateman, 2 Aug 1694 (220 mm x 310 mm)  |
| <b>MS Map 368</b> | Copy map of the lands of Killenemelly (als. Ballynounge), Co. Cork, indicating the road from Bandon, surveyed for the Earl of Cork and Burlington by Josias Bateman, 8 Sep 1694 (360 mm x 460 mm)         |
| <b>MS Map 369</b> | Map of a bog bordering the north-west corner of Ballygellane, surveyed by Josias Bateman, 21 Oct 1694 (280 mm x 380 mm)   |
| <b>MS Map 370</b> | Map of the woodlands of Ballyrafter, surveyed by Josias Bateman, 6 Feb 1704 (210 mm x 320 mm)   |
| <b>MS Map 371</b> | Map of Couleowen lands, Lismore, Co. Waterford, surveyed by Josias Bateman, 6 Feb 1706 (260 mm x 360 mm)  |
| <b>MS Map 372</b> | Map of the lands of Ballynatra with its mountains and commons, indicating the course of the River Blackwater, by Josias Bateman, 28 Aug 1716 (690 mm x 1120 mm) [ <i>Torn and damaged</i> ]               |
| <b>MS Map 373</b> | Map of the lands of Ballynatra with its mountains and commons, indicating the course of the River Blackwater, by Josias Bateman, 28 Aug 1716 (460 mm x 580 mm)  |
| <b>Ms 6148</b>    | Volume of mapped surveys of that part of the estate of Richard Boyle, 4 <sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork, on the south side of the River Bride in counties Waterford and Cork, surveyed by Josias Bateman, 1716 |

- Ms 6149** Index to mapped surveys of that part of the estate of Richard Boyle, 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of Cork, on the south side of the River Bride in counties Waterford and Cork, providing details of each tenant's holdings, rents and valuations, as surveyed by Josias Bateman, 1717
- MS Map 374** Map of the lands of Loughnasollis adjoining Talloughland, indicating its subdivisions with references to tenancies, surveyed by Josias Bateman, n.d. (300 mm x 410 mm)

### *VI.vii.2 Bernard Scalé Survey*

For further information on the Scalé survey, see section VI.vi.1.

- MS 7216** Volume of 25 maps, being surveys by Bernard Scalé of the estate of the Duke of Devonshire in the manor of Connehy & Knockmorn, barony of Kinnataloon, Co. Cork, 1771  
(Map classification 21 F 131)
- MS 7217** Volume of 45 maps, being surveys by Bernard Scalé of estate of the Duke of Devonshire in the Manor of Lismore, Co. Waterford, with names of tenants, 1773  
(Map classification 21 F 132)
- MS 7218** Volume of 27 maps, being surveys by Bernard Scalé of the estate of the Duke of Devonshire in the manors of Curraglas Mogeely, barony of Kinnataloon, Co. Cork, and Tallow and Lisfinny, barony of Coshmore and Coshbride, Co. Waterford, with names of tenants, 1774  
(Map classification 21 F 133)

### *VI.vii.3 Other Surveys*

#### *VI.vii.3.A Counties Cork and Waterford*

This section consists of five large survey maps of various parts of the estate of the Duke of Devonshire in counties Cork and Waterford produced circa 1800.

- MS Map 375** Estate map including the town and the townparks of Tallow, also Kilcalf, Loughnasollis, Limekiln Close, Kilmackoe, and Upper and Lower Mogeely (700 mm x 940 mm)
- MS Map 376** Estate map including Ballyin, Ballynoe, Monatharieve, Gloungarragh, and Ballyin Mountain (390 mm x 1410 mm)
- MS Map 377** Estate map including Ballyrafter, East and West Shruggh,

Cooldelane, and Ballygalane and Ballyrafter Mountains (700 mm x 1420 mm)

**MS Map 378** Estate map including the town and the townparks of Lismore, also Deer Park, Upper and Lower Bridane, Curraheen, Garrycloyne, and Coolygoody (760 mm x 1420 mm)

**MS Map 379** Estate map including Knockasticane, Upper and Lower Kilclares, Cullinagh, Ballymacsimon, Glantrasna, Ballyknock, Killaseragh and Rathoneigue (830 mm x 1630 mm)

#### VI.vii.3.B Lismore North

**MS 7219-20** Two copies of a survey of part of the Lismore estate of the Duke of Devonshire lying north of the River Blackwater in the barony of Coshmore and Coshbride, Co. Waterford, comprising 38 maps by R. Manning, 1870-71.  
(Map classification 21 F 134-5)

#### *VI.vi.4 Estate Maps*

##### VI.vi.4.A Ballynoe and Connehy

**MS Map 380** Map of the new and old roads linking Fermoy and Conna, prepared for Thomas Lowe, c1800 (180 mm x 290 mm)

**MS Map 381** Map of Ballyknock Mountain, with reference to tenancies, by Alexander Anderson, Jul 1843 (650 mm x 980 mm)

**MS Map 382** Trace map, taken from the survey map of 1774, of Garrycaheragh, with crop valuations, c1845 (340 mm x 490 mm)

**MS Map 383** Ordnance Survey map sheet 54 (Templebodan, Britway, Co. Cork), indicating the sub-divisions of townlands of Glentrasna, Rathdrum, Kilaseragh and Glentane, 17 Jan 1846 (650 mm x 950 mm)

**MS Map 384** Trace map, taken from the survey map of 1774, of part of Glanreigh farm, owned by John Barry, with crop valuations, 19 Nov 1847 (300 mm x 310 mm)

##### VI.vi.4.B Bandon

**MS Map 385** Map of the plowland of Knockskagh, Kilgarrif, East Carbery, Co. Cork, surveyed by John Austen, Jan 1696 (360 mm x 460 mm)

- MS Map386** Map of East and West Ardkitt, Co. Cork, c.1700 (29 cm x 46 cm) [*Damaged & incomplete*]
- MS Map 387** Copy map of the parish of Clondolane, Condons, Co. Cork, reproduced from the Down Survey by Peter Guerin, Deputy Surveyor General, 16 Dec 1706 (230 mm x 290 mm)
- MS Map 388** Map of the plowland of Fearcull, Kilgarrif, East Carbery, Co. Cork, part of the estate of the Hon. Henry Boyle tenanted by Alexander Arundell, surveyed by Henry Austen, 26 May 1711, with attached lease (310 mm x 400 mm) [*Damaged and fragile*]
- MS Map 389** Map of the Impropriated Glebe-land of Kilronan, surveyed by J. Chaloner, Sep 1812 (190 mm x 240 mm)
- MS Map 390 (a-c)** Three maps and surveys of lots of the lands of Morragh, East Carbery, Co. Cork, surveyed by George Sullivan, Oct 1818 (240 mm x 300 mm)
- MS Map 391** Map and survey, with references, of part of the lands of East Gully, being the property of W.H. Kingston, situated in the vicinity of Bandon, Co. Cork, by William Sullivan, May 1848 (670 mm x 980 mm) [*Damaged*]
- MS Map 392** Map, with references, of the lands of Ahaglashin, Co. Cork, with observations by Mr. Swanston, c1830 (220 mm x 220 mm)
- MS Map 393** Trace map of Kilmo[r]e, Carbury, Co. Cork, traced from the Down Survey by George Lacy and endorsed by the Keeper of Landed Estates Record Office, 1 Nov 1862 (460 mm x 750 mm) [*Damaged*]
- MS Map 394** Trace map and survey of the estate of the Earl of Cork and Burlington lying in the baronies of East Carbery, Kinalmeaky, Kinnelea etc., containing the manors of Inneskean, Clonakilty, Coolfaddo and Kilpatrick, n.d.
- MS Map 395** Map of land in Lord Bandon's park on the north side of the River Bandon belonging to the Duke of Devonshire, n.d. (180 mm x 300 mm)

#### VI.vi.4.C City of Cork

- MS Map 396** Map, with references, of Clohane, Gillabbey, Balligaggin, and the ground on which the waterworks of the City of Cork stand, surveyed by Philip Donovan, 20 Jun 1770 (380 mm x 470 mm) [*Badly torn*]

- MS Map 397** (a-b) Two sketch maps of a proposed plan for the western entrance into the city of Cork, indicating the path of a proposed road through the property of the Duke of Devonshire, 3 Jun 1816 (250 mm x 440 mm & 300 mm x 490 mm)
- MS Map 398** Map, with references, of part of the estate of the Duke of Devonshire situated between the north and south channels of the Mardyke Walk, Cork, surveyed by William Gutteridge, 30 Oct 1822 (370 mm x 470 mm)
- MS Map 399** Map and survey of part of the lands of Clohane, situated near the dyke parade of the city of Cork, surveyed by George Sullivan, Apr 1826 (310 mm x 480 mm) [*Damaged*]
- MS Map 400** Copy map of the lands of the West Liberties of the city of Cork, surveyed for Joseph Splaine by William Loune, 12 Feb 1836 (370 mm x 450 mm)
- MS Map 401** Map of a part of the lands of Gilabbey in the possession of B. Gibbings, n.d. (450 mm x 450 mm)
- MS Map 402** Section of Ordnance Survey map of Cork City, indicating the commencement and route of Railway no. 12, n.d. (490 mm x 690 mm) [*Torn*]

#### VI.vi.4.D Mogeely

MS 22,068, the earliest known Irish estate map, is currently attributed to John White. See Kim Sloan, *A New World: Britain's First View of America, 'England's First Plantation: Ireland,'* (British Museum, 2007), pages 46-48. See also Noel Kissane (ed.), *Treasures From the National Library of Ireland* (1994), pp. 184-5.

- MS 22,068** Manuscript estate map of Sir Walter Raleigh's estate at Mogeely, Co. Cork: "A topographical lineament of all such enclosed lands as are holden by Henrye Pyne, Esquire, from the Right Honourable Sir Walter Raley, Knight [...] as parcel of a seignorie graunted by Her Majestie to the said Sir Walter, late the lands of Sir John of Desmond, attained." 1598. Attributed to John White. (540 mm x 480 mm)
- MS Map 403** Map and survey of Lower Mogeely, Shannakill, Inchyhallow, Lackennabehy, and part of Lismore, surveyed for the Commissioners of the Earl of Cork and Burlington by Edmund Kent, 20 Mar 1701/2 (320 mm x 410 mm) [*Fragile*]

- MS Map 404** Map and survey of Lower Mogeely, a park adjacent to the fishpond at Curryglass, and two parks west of Tallow, surveyed for Richard Bagg by John Kent, 6 Mar 1723/4 (320 mm x 390 mm)
- MS Map 405** Map and survey of the town and lands of Kilmackow, c1730 (390 mm x 520 mm)
- MS Map 406** Map of Mogeely, with references to tenancies, surveyed for Thomas Welsh by Jonathan Brien, 2 Oct 1767 (270 mm x 280 mm)  
[*Damaged*]
- MS Map 407** Trace map of part of Kilmacoe, incorporating J.W. Day's farm, with crop valuations, 1844 (290 mm x 490 mm)
- MS Map 408 (a-b)** Two copy maps taken from the General Surveys of the Manors of Curriglas and Mogeely, and Connehy and Knockmorn, n.d. (100 mm x 150 mm)
- MS Map 409** Map, with references, of part of Lower Mogeely, n.d. (260 mm x 260 mm)
- MS Map 410** Trace map of Kilmacoe, with crop valuations, n.d. (410 mm x 510 mm)

#### VI.vi.4.E Youghal

- MS Map 411** Map of the town and gardens of Youghal, 1776 (600 mm x 940 mm)  
[*Damp damage*]
- MS Map 412 (a)** Map of the townparks and lands of Youghal, 1776 (600 mm x 1060 mm) [*Damp damage*]
- MS Map 412 (b)** References to tenancies indicated on the above map (520 mm x 800 mm)
- MS Map 413** Map and survey of a part of the townland of White Bog, Co. Cork, with lines marked for an intended New Road from the Town of Youghal to Killea, by William Higgins, 24 Aug 1816 (250 mm x 390 mm)
- MS Map 414** Map of the town and gardens of Youghal, indicating land built on by the Corporation, c1820 (410 mm x 510 mm) [*Incomplete*]
- MS Map 415 (a-b)** The Bay and Harbour of Youghal, exhibiting the proposed bridge, surveyed under the direction of Alexander Nimmo (lithograph by

Allens, Dame Street, Dublin), c.1825 (550 mm x 730 mm; two copies)

- MS Map 416** Map of the Slob at Youghal embanked from the tide, part of the bed and soil of the River Blackwater, by Alexander Anderson, Sep 1851 (580 mm x 730 mm) [*Torn*]
- MS Map 417** Street map of Youghal Town (Sheet No. 1), c1859 (620 mm x 900 mm)
- MS Map 418** Map of Youghal lands, c1859 (510 mm x 560 mm)
- MS Map 419** Map of the town of Youghal, showing the estate of the Duke of Devonshire, surveyed by J.J. Byrne (Dublin), Feb 1859 (Large format) [*Damaged & fragile*]
- MS Map 420** Map of part of the boundary between the townlands of Foxhole and Muckridge and the reclaimed slob at Youghal, surveyed by Patrick Dea, Jun 1861 (390 mm x 550 mm)
- MS Map 421** Ordnance Survey map sheet 67 (Co. Cork) of the town of Youghal and surrounding lands (issued 1845), indicating lots in various townlands, n.d. (660 mm x 960 mm)
- MS Map 422** Ordnance Survey map sheet 67 (Co. Cork) of the town of Youghal and surrounding lands (issued 1845), indicating land reclaimed from the sea and the sub-divisions of various townlands, n.d. (660 mm x 960 mm)

#### VI.vi.4.F Dungarvan

- MS Map 423** Map of a part of Dungarvan, showing the quay, bridge and harbour, copied from an original survey by William Johnson, c1840 (530 mm x 670 mm)
- MS Map 424** Ordnance Survey map sheet 31 (Dungarvan Bay, Co. Waterford), indicating various islands and townland boundaries (1841 survey), n.d. (650 mm x 950 mm) [*Torn*]
- MS Map 425** Map of Dungarvan Harbour, surveyed by Commander G.A. Frazer, 1849 (500 mm x 640 mm)
- MS Map 426** Map of Dungarvan Town, indicating the property of the Duke of Devonshire, by M. Logan, Dublin, 1851 (980 mm x 1290 mm)



- MS Map 427** Map of part of Dungarvan Town (Sheet No. 2), c1859 (720 mm x 1480 mm)
- MS Map 428 (a-b)** Two street plans of Dungarvan Town (Sheets 1 & 2), c1859 (660 mm x 930 mm)
- MS Map 429 (a-b)** Map of the Town of Dungarvan (Sheet 1), showing the estate of the Duke of Devonshire, J.J. Byrne, Dublin, 1859 (770 mm x 1470 mm; 2 copies)
- MS Map 430** Map of the Town of Dungarvan (Sheet 2), indicating various lots, J.J. Byrne, 1859 (730 mm x 760 mm)
- MS Map 431** Map of lands at Dungarvan, part of the estate of the Duke of Devonshire, indicating various lots, J.J. Byrne, 1860 (520 mm x 750 mm)
- MS Map 432** Map of townlands adjacent to Dungarvan Town, indicating lots held by leaseholders, J.J. Byrne, 1860 (550 mm x 760 mm)
- MS Map 433 (a-b)** Two maps of Abbeyside and Monkeal, indicating lots held by leaseholders, J.J. Byrne, 1860 (210 mm x 240 mm, 160 mm x 270 mm)
- MS Map 434** Map of the barony of Decies, Co. Waterford, taken from the Vallancey copy of the Down Survey map by Francis Cooper (1657), supplied by the Assistant Deputy Keeper of the Records, 18 Jul 1871 (670 mm x 760 mm)
- MS Map 435** Sketch map of mountain land north of Ballymacart, n.d. (490 mm x 750 mm)
- MS Map 436** Trace map of Ballygaggin, indicating acreage of subdivisions, n.d. (190 mm x 260 mm)
- MS Map 437** Map of Slievegrine and townlands between Youghal and Dungarvan, n.d. (560 mm x 670 mm)

#### VI.vi.4.G Lismore

- MS Map 438** Map of the lands Ahanboy and Towreennamallavoye, Coshmore and Coshbride, Co. Waterford, surveyed by John Keefe, 1717 (290 mm x 460 mm)
- MS Map 439** Map of Knockroe and other parcels of land near Tallowbridge, c1720 (290 mm x 470 mm)

- MS Map 440** Map of part of the estate of the Duke of Devonshire in the parish of Lismore through which it was intended to make a navigable canal from the River Blackwater to Lismore Bridge, surveyed by Thomas Lowe, May 1793 (440 mm x 720 mm)
- MS Map 441** Map of Lismore, indicating the route of the new road from Tallagh to Lismore Bridge, c1800 (230 mm x 300m m) [*Torn*]
- MS Map 442** Map of Ballyinn, surveyed and delineated by James O'Brien, Jun 1818 (760 mm x 140 mm) [*Torn*]
- MS Map 443** Map of a part of Bayllin Mountain, with tenant references, by W.H.B., 30 Aug 1832 (800 mm x 1070 mm)
- MS Map 444** Trace map of a part of Ballysaggartbeg, taken from the survey map of 1773, with crop valuations, c1840 (390 mm x 830 mm)
- MS Map 445** Copy map of West Cooldrishogue and East and West Shruh, a part of Ballyrafter, taken from the Scalé survey of 1773, c1840 (370 mm x 480 mm) [*Badly torn*]
- MS Map 446** Ordnance Survey map sheet 20 (Ballysaggartmore, Co. Waterford), indicating the boundary of Ballysaggartmore Demesne, 21 Oct 1845 (660 mm x 980 mm) [*Incomplete*]
- MS Map 447** Ordnance Survey map sheet 29 (Kilwatermoy, Affane, Co. Waterford), indicating various townland boundaries and subdivisions, 19 Feb 1846 (660 mm x 980 mm)
- MS Map 448** Map of Lismore Castle Land, Ballyin, and Glenmourishmeen Farm, Co. Waterford, surveyed by G. Ferguson, 1846 (550 mm x 730 mm)
- MS Map 449** Map of Lismore Town, by M. Logan, Dublin, c1851 (970 mm x 1300 mm)
- MS Map 450** Map of the townland of Deerpark, with its subdivisions, by Edward Nagle, Limerick, 1857 (1250 mm x 1250 mm)
- MS Map 451** Map of Dr. Currey's farm, Lismore, including references to crops, Feb 1859 (450 mm x 580 mm)
- MS Map 452** Trace map of Lismore towns park, with crop valuations, c. 1840s (150 mm x 560 mm)
- MS Map 453** Trace map of part of Ballysaggartbeg, with crop valuations, 1863

(250 mm x 410 mm)

- MS Map 454 (a-d)** Four maps of various townlands, including the woods at Ballyrafter, East and West Shrough, Ballyin Mountain, Ballysaggartbeg and Curroreigh, n.d. (560 mm x 760 mm)
- MS Map 455** Map of Glenshaskmore and surrounding townlands, indicating subdivisions, n.d. (700 mm x 1000 mm) [*Badly torn*]
- MS Map 456** Trace map of Glenshaskmore, indicating subdivisions, n.d. (500 mm x 600 mm) [*Badly torn & damaged*]

#### VI.vi.4.H Tallow

- MS Map 457** Trace map of Lime Kiln Close, taken from the survey map of 1774, with crop valuations, c1845 (260 mm x 400 mm)
- MS Map 458** Trace map of Killcalf, taken from the survey map of 1774, with crop valuations, c1845 (490 mm x 740 mm)
- MS Map 459** Ordnance Survey map sheet 33 (Co. Waterford), indicating the boundaries of Killcalf East and West and Killcalf Mountain, 14 Apr 1846 (660 mm x 960 mm)
- MS Map 460** Map of Killcalf Mountain, with references to tenancies by Alexander Anderson, 1855 (600 mm x 700 mm)
- MS Map 461** Map of Tallow and Tallow Bridge, Sanitary Act, 29 & 30 Vict., c. 30, by Charles Tarrant, 2 Aug 1869 (660 mm x 970 mm)
- MS Map 462** Ordnance Survey map sheet 28 (Tallow, Co. Waterford), indicating spar net limit on the River Blackwater (1841 survey), n.d. (690 mm x 1020 mm) [*Incomplete*]

#### VI.vii.5 Ordnance Survey

- MS Map 463 (a-o)** Set of 15 Ordnance Survey maps (Major-General Sir Henry James and Lt. Colonel Wilkinson surveys) indicating townland boundaries and their sub-divisions (55 cm x 70 cm) consisting of:
- MS Map 463 (a)** Ordnance Survey map sheet 36 (Ballymurphy, Ballydorgan, Co. Cork: James survey)
- MS Map 463 (b)** Ordnance Survey map sheet 37 (Little Grace, Limekiln Close, Co. Cork: James survey)

- MS Map 463 (c)** Ordnance Survey map sheet 37 (Mocollop, Mourne, Co. Cork: Wilkinson survey)
- MS Map 463 (d)** Ordnance Survey map sheet 45 (Castlelyons, Co. Cork: James survey)
- MS Map 463 (e)** Ordnance Survey map sheet 45 (Knockmore, Castlelyons, and Aghern, Co. Cork: Wilkinson survey)
- MS Map 463 (f)** Ordnance Survey map sheet 46 (Mogeely and Ballynoe, Co. Cork: James survey)
- MS Map 463 (g)** Ordnance Survey map sheet 46 (Templevally, Lackbrack, Co. Cork: Wilkinson survey)
- MS Map 463 (h)** Ordnance Survey map sheet 54 (Templebrodan, Caherdesert, Co. Cork: Wilkinson survey)
- MS Map 463 (i)** Ordnance Survey map sheet 55 (Ballyknock, Condonstown, Co. Cork: Wilkinson survey)
- MS Map 463 (j)** Ordnance Survey map sheet 11 (Knockdoonlea, Co. Waterford: James survey)
- MS Map 463 (k)** Ordnance Survey map sheet 11 (Knockateelish, Co. Waterford: Wilkinson survey)
- MS Map 463 (l)** Ordnance Survey map sheet 12 (Knockmealdown, Co. Waterford: James survey)
- MS Map 463 (m)** Ordnance Survey map sheet 12 (Knocknanask, Co. Waterford: Wilkinson survey)
- MS Map 463 (n)** Ordnance Survey map sheet 20 (Ballysaggartmore Desmene, Co. Waterford: James survey)
- MS Map 463 (o)** Ordnance Survey map sheet 33 (Kilbeg, Glennaclogh, Kilwatermoy, Co. Waterford: James survey)
- MS Map 464 (a-d)** Ordnance Survey map fragments of various parts of County Waterford, including Deer Park, Monalour, and the town of Lismore, (1841 survey), 4 items

***VI.vii.6 Fisheries***

- MS Map 465** Map of the weirs and hatches etc., from the Lock River at Sunday's Well to Mr. Clark's and Mr. Fitton's mills, 1776 (300 mm x 480 mm)
- MS Map 466** Map of the River Blackwater between Dromana and Cappoquin, c1800 (500 mm x 1580 mm)
- MS Map 467 (a-** Sketch maps of sections of the River Blackwater, with notes, by Mr. Jardine, c1800, 4 sheets (450 mm x 600 mm)
- MS Map 468** Plan of fishing nets off the North Strand of Youghal, by James Dwyer, c1825 (520 mm x 670 mm)
- MS Map 469 (a-** Two maps of the River Blackwater at the Broad of Youghal, by James Harding, 1827 (970 mm x 1300 mm, 750 mm x 1300 mm) **b)** [*One torn*]
- MS Map 470** Map of part of the River Blackwater situated in County Waterford between Clashmore and Ballynatray, by James Harding, 1828 (660 mm x 980 mm) [*Torn*]
- MS Map 471** Map of part of the River Blackwater situated in County Waterford between Ballynatray and Templemichael, by James Harding, 1828 (660 mm x 980 mm) [*Torn*]
- MS Map 472 (a-** Three sketch maps of the River Blackwater between Lismore and Youghal showing the positions of various weirs, c1830 (230 mm x 360 mm, 250 mm x 760 mm, 360 mm x 460 mm) **c)**
- MS Map 473 (a-** Five maps, plans and elevations of the River Lee and Gillabbeey Weir, taken from Appendix 12 of the Report of the Select Committee on Fisheries (Ireland), 20 Jul 1849 [*Torn and incomplete*] **e)**
- MS Map 474 (a-** Eight maps prepared for the inquiry of the Salmon Fishery Commission into Lismore Weir (26 & 27 Vict., c. 114), 1864 consisting of: **h)**
- MS Map 474 (a-** Map of Lismore Weir (plan and section), 18 Jun 1864 (680 mm x 960 mm; three copies) **c)**
- MS Map 474 (d-** Design for Lismore free Pass (plan and elevation), with notes, n.d. (680 mm x 960 mm; three copies) **f)**
- MS Map 474 (e)** Trace map of a portion of the River Blackwater showing Lismore Bridge and salmon weirs, 11 Aug 1864 (430 mm x 630 mm)

- MS Map 474 (f)** Plans of the mouths of the Rivers Blackwater and Womagh, and their estuaries, in the District of Lismore, Counties of Cork and Waterford, prepared by the Special Commissioners of Fisheries, 8 Feb 1864 (440 mm x 670 mm)
- MS Map 475 (a-b)** Two plans of John Neill's weir on the River Blackwater at Scart (19 Aug 1864), proven at the fishery inquiry at Lismore by M.G. Slade on 13 May 1867 & 3 Jan 1868 (500 mm x 690 mm, 500 mm x 730 mm)
- MS Map 476** Ordnance Survey map sheet 177 (Lismore), indicating the course of the River Blackwater between Youghal and Cappoquin, 23 Nov 1868 (53 cm x 68 cm)
- MS Map 477 (a-g)** Seven maps of parts of the River Blackwater showing where drifts nets were used during 1869-76, consisting of:
- MS Map 477 (a-b)** Map of the River Blackwater between Dromore and Finnascart, 1 Feb 1876 (590 mm x 750 mm; two copies)
- MS Map 477 (c-e)** Map of the River Blackwater between Dromore and Rincrew, with references to fishing rights (590 mm x 1000 mm; three copies, one being produced for *Devonshire v. Pim & Neill* in 1872)
- MS Map 477 (f)** Sketch map of the River Blackwater between Dromore and Templemichael, n.d. (460 mm x 850 mm)
- MS Map 477 (g)** Trace map of the River Blackwater between Dromore and Templemichael, prepared for B. Orpin, 5 & 6 Apr 1869 (760 mm x 940 mm)
- MS Map 478** Ordnance Survey map sheet 175 (Mallow), with details of riverside tenancies and valuations on the River Blackwater between Fort Grady and Carrig Bridge, c. 1870 (54 cm x 70 cm)
- MS Map 479** Composite O.S. Maps (incorporating Co. Waterford Sheet 20) of the River Blackwater between Camphire and Lismore, produced for the plaintiff at the Tipperary Spring Assizes, 1874 (Large format)
- MS Map 480 (a-c)** 'Map of the River Blackwater shewing the Ancient Manors, &c.', prepared for B. Orpin, Solicitors, c1875 (380 mm x 450 mm; three copies)
- MS Map 481** Composite Ordnance Survey maps indicating the division of the bed and soil of the River Blackwater, produced for *Devonshire v. Neill*

and Devonshire *v.* Attorney General, 6 Jun 1883 (94 cm x 119 cm)

- MS Map 482** Composite Ordnance Survey maps of Lismore and Cappoquin, indicating the course of the River Blackwater (1841 survey) (63 cm x 108 cm)
- MS Map 483** Plan of the River Tay salmon fishery from the confluence of the River Earn to Button-ness, engraved by John Ainslie from a survey by John Bell, n.d. (500 mm x 1000 mm)
- MS Map 484** Plan showing the legal and illegal methods of fishing with drift nets, n.d. (570 mm x 740 mm)

#### *VI.vii.7 Published Maps*

- MS Map 485 (a-i)** Nine survey maps of Irish harbours consisting of:
- MS Map 485 (a)** Carlingford Lough, surveyed for the Commissioners of Irish Fisheries by Alexander Nimmo, 1821 (440 mm x 570 mm)
- MS Map 485 (b)** The Bay and Harbour of Sligo, surveyed for the Commissioners of that port by Alexander Nimmo, and published for the use of the Irish Fisheries, 1821 (440 mm x 570 mm)
- MS Map 485 (c)** Part of the Coast of Dublin from Howth to Ballbriggan, surveyed for the Commissioners of Irish Fisheries by Alexander Nimmo, 1822 (450 mm x 600 mm)
- MS Map 485 (d)** The Harbours of Newport and Westport from the survey of County Mayo by William Bald, with soundings etc. taken for the Commissioners of Irish Fisheries under the supervision of Alexander Nimmo, 1822 (540 mm x 760 mm)
- MS Map 485 (e)** Costello and Greatmans Bays, surveyed for the Commissioners of Irish Fisheries by Alexander Nimmo, 1823 (550 mm x 770 mm)
- MS Map 485 (f)** Killala Bay and the River Moy, surveyed for the Commissioners of Irish Fisheries by Alexander Nimmo, 1823 (420 mm x 670 mm)
- MS Map 485 (g)** Strangford River, or entrance into Lough Cone, surveyed for the Commissioners of Irish Fisheries by Alexander Nimmo, 1823 (450 mm x 600 mm)
- MS Map 485 (h)** The coast of Down from the Lee Stone to St. John's Point, surveyed for the Commissioners of Irish Fisheries by Alexander Nimmo, n.d.

(440 mm x 570 mm)

- MS Map 485 (i)** Map of Wexford Harbour, exhibiting the same at low water, surveyed by Robert McCall, lithograph by W. Clowes & Sons, Charing Cross, London, n.d. (430 mm x 550 mm)
- MS Map 486** 'Ireland. Civil and Ecclesiastical' by Rev. Daniel Augustus Beaufort (1792), published by James Wyld, Charing Cross, London, 1 Jan 1824 (920 mm x 1300 mm) [*Damaged & fragile*]
- MS Map 487 (a-f)** Atlas to accompany the second report of the Railway Commissioners of Ireland, consisting of six maps, 1838 (50 cm x 66 cm)
- MS Map 488** Chart of the North, West and South Coasts of Ireland, from Bengore Head to the Saltee Islands, with enlarged plans of the principal harbours, roadsteads &c., by J.S. Hobbs, published by Charles Wilson, London, 11 Jan 1847 (700 mm x 970 mm)
- MS Map 489** 'The Hibernian Travellers' Companion, and Excursive Guide Through Ireland', comprising Slater's New Map of Ireland, route and distance tables, and population statistics etc., published by Isaac Slater, Manchester, 1853 (90 cm x 120 cm) [*Damaged & fragile*]
- MS Map 490 (a-b)** Ordnance Survey map sheet 177 (Lismore), published by the Geological Survey of Ireland, Oct 1857 (46 cm x 56 cm; two copies)
- MS Map 491** Ordnance Survey map sheet 163 (Newmarket), published by the Geological Survey of Ireland, Feb 1859 (46 cm x 56 cm)

## **VI.viii Prints and Drawings**

This section contains architectural plans and designs for various building and engineering projects proposed for the Devonshire estates in Lismore, Tallow, Dungarvan, Youghal and Bandon between 1770 and 1870. It contains numerous fine hand-coloured drawings as well as some smaller rudimentary sketches.

### ***VI.viii.1 Architectural Drawings***

#### **VI.viii.1.A Ballynoe and Connehy**

- AD 3594/ 1** Architectural items relating to lands in Ballynoe and Connehy: Eight elevations and plans of farmhouses and offices to be built for Dr. Walsh and David Higgins at Longaville, and for James Whiting at Kilpatrick. Jul 1795-Nov 1796 (24 cm x 38 cm)  
Elevation and plan of a cottage for Thomas Neill of Killavareilly,



c1800 (38 cm x 48 cm) [*Damaged & fragile*]  
Plan of a proposed yard and buildings for John Kinery of  
Ballylusky, c1830 (15 cm x 25 cm)  
10 items

#### VI.viii.1.B Bandon

**AD 3594/ 2** Architectural items relating to lands in Bandon, Co Cork:  
Sketch of a proposed bridge over the mouth of the River Bridewell  
for the convenience of the Presbyterian Chapel at Bandon, with a  
written description (2 Oct 1813), Mar 1815 (42 cm x 59 cm)  
Sketch of an addition intended for the Irishtown Bridge, Bandon,  
with an estimate of building costs, Edward Hickey, 4 Jul 1820 (26  
cm x 42 cm)  
Elevations and plans for a cottage for Robert Popham, Bandon, by  
Edward Hickey, Aug 1835 (19 cm x 28 cm) [*Damaged*]  
5 items

#### VI.viii.1.C City of Cork

**AD 3594/ 3** Design for a Court House and Bridewell to be built in the different  
sessions towns in the County of Cork, by James and George R. Pain,  
Cork, 6 May 1824 (37 cm x 52 cm)  
1 item

#### VI.viii.1.D Youghal

**AD 3594/ 4** Architectural items relating to lands in Youghal, Co Cork, including  
Plan of a tenement in Cork Lane, Youghal, in the holding of  
Thomas Harvey 1796 (25 cm x 39 cm)  
Elevations and plans for house a corn market at Youghal, by Charles  
Curry, c1818 (37 cm x 80 cm)  
Ground plan of the Catholic Free School, Youghal, by Charles  
Curry, c1820 (27 cm x 36 cm)  
Plan of the quays at Youghal, with references to houses in  
Batchelor's Walk, by Charles Curry, c1820 (35 cm x 42 cm)  
Ground plan of some premises in Youghal occupied by Messrs.  
Brown, Curry, Shepard, and Moalton, c1820 (23 cm x 38 cm)  
Plan and elevation of an inn to be built by the Duke of Devonshire  
at Youghal, by William Lehan, 1826 (53 cm x 59 cm)  
Elevation and plan of a cottage for Thomas Murry of Garrycloyne,  
c1830 (34 cm x 40 cm)  
Sketch of an iron palisade designed for Youghal Inn, by Thomas

Heyden, c1830 (16 cm x 26 cm)  
 Elevation and plan of a Protestant Almshouse to be erected at Youghal, by W. Tinsley, Dec 1836 (33 cm x 53 cm)  
 Elevations of a warehouse to be erected for Messrs. Wigmore and Blackall in Catherine Street, Youghal, by E. Fitzgerald, 25 May 1837 (32 cm x 54 cm)  
 Plans and elevation of two houses to be erected at Youghal for Samuel Green, by E. Fitzgerald, Oct 1838 (41 cm x 52 cm)  
 Plan and elevation of Mr. Verlin's dwelling house, North Main Street, Youghal, 1854 (29 cm x 46 cm)  
 Elevation and plan of houses intended to be built for Patrick Horgan in Brown Street, Youghal, n.d. (35 cm x 44 cm)  
 13 items

#### VI.viii.1.E Dungarvan

**AD 3594/ 5** Architectural items relating to lands in Dungarvan, Co Waterford:  
 Elevation of a house to be built by Mr. Keating in the square of Dungarvan, 25 Feb 1824 (38 cm x 47 cm)  
 Elevations for houses on the North Side of Blackpool, Dungarvan, William Lehan, 2 Feb 1825 (39 cm x 45 cm)  
 Plan for the Bridewell, Dungarvan, c1825 (57 cm x 68 cm)  
 Section of roof and plan of the front wall and gateway of the Shambles, Dungarvan, c1830 (45 cm x 54 cm)  
 Plan of a dwelling house intended for Dr. Finn adjoining the Shambles, Dungarvan, c1830 (30 cm x 38 cm)  
 Plans for the improvement of Mr. O'Donnel's house, Dungarvan, by M. McGrath, 12 Feb 1839 (26 cm x 42 cm)  
 Plan and sections describing the proposed work on Dungarvan Harbour Embankment, by P.R. Roddy, Cork, 13 Nov 1858 (52 cm x 65 cm)  
 8 items

#### VI.viii.1.F Lismore

The drawings in this section include late eighteenth-century designs for a stone bridge and an inn at Lismore. The Cavendish Bridge over the River Blackwater at Lismore, which contained a main arch span of 102 feet, was designed in 1773 and is a rare example of urban estate improvement during this period. The plans presented by Thomas Ivory underwent a number of revisions and when the bridge was completed in March 1779 the final cost of £8,400 far exceeded the original estimate of £5,300. The bridge collapsed during a severe flood in 1853 and was subsequently reconstructed.

**AD 3594/ 6** Design of a Bridge for the Town of Lismore and a section of the bridge (Thomas Ivory, Architect, Nov 1773), with articles of

agreement with builders (George Darley and William Stokes, 7 Mar 1774), and associated papers, 1773-4 & 1796 (30 cm x 160 cm & 19 cm x 190 cm)

6 items

**AD 3594/ 7**

Architectural items relating to the town of Lismore:

Five elevations, sections, and plans for Lismore Inn, by John Roberts and John White, 5 Apr & 19 Jun 1793 (33 cm x 46 cm)

Elevation of six Alms Houses at Lismore, by John White, 5 Apr 1793 (28 cm x 45 cm)

Plan of the Deanery House and Garden in Lismore, 9 Jul 1805 (19 cm x 24 cm)

Sketch of Lismore Hotel, designed to show the effect of an iron palisade, by E. Heyden, c1817 (26 cm x 33 cm)

Plan for a school room and master's apartments at Lismore, Jan 1819 (31 cm x 36 cm)

Elevation and plan of Mr. Anderson's House, Lismore, by James Dwyer, 1823 (33 cm x 40 cm)

Two plans of court house gaoals, Lismore, by James Dwyer, c1825 (32 cm x 41 cm)

Three elevations (west end, west aisle, and east side) of Lismore Cathedral, by James Dwyer, c1825 (19 cm x 30 cm, 30 cm x 37 cm)

Six elevations of terrace houses, Lismore, by James Dwyer, c1825

Designs for houses in Chapel Road, Lismore, by James Dwyer, c1825 (23 cm x 53 cm)

East elevation of Lismore Court House, with plan and sections, and Dec 1837 [*Badly damaged*]

Elevation and plan of a building to be erected at Lismore, by John Slatery, Oct 1839 (24 cm x 34 cm)

Designs for Lismore School, consisting of: Front elevation, 5 Dec 1840 (31 cm x 46 cm)

Plan of bed chamber and architectural details, 16 Jun 1841 (47 cm x 64 cm)

Partial front and side elevations and architectural details, 16 Jun 1841 (47 cm x 64 cm)

Ground plan, 16 Jun 1841 (47 cm x 64 cm)

Drawing of proposed new Organ Chamber and Choir Seats for the Cathedral Church of St. Carthage, Lismore, by J.F. Fuller, Dublin, n.d. (48 cm x 63 cm)

30 items

VI.viii.1.G Tallow

**AD 3594/ 8**

Architectural items relating to Tallow:

Five elevations, plans, and sections of a Market or Town-House to be erected in Tallow, with a letter from John Morrison (architect) to

Sir Beaumont Hotham, 14 Feb 1785 (33 cm x 47 cm)  
Elevation of two houses intended to be built by Cornelius Keeffe in West Street, Tallow, 1824 (33 cm x 46 cm)  
Elevation of the front of Tallow Church, with a sketch of the windows, n.d. (19 cm x 30 cm)  
Plan for a school house proposed to be built in Bog Lane, Tallow, n.d. (24 cm x 38 cm)  
Elevation and plan of almshouses at Bog Lane, Tallow, and plan of the holding there formerly occupied by Thomas Vennable and Widow Ahern, n.d. (24 cm x 38 cm)  
10 items

#### VI.viii.1.H Other Locations

##### **AD 3594/ 9**

Plans and elevations of various properties, including  
Plan for a court house and bridewell at Thomastown, c1818 (41 cm x 51 cm)  
Plan and elevation of Newcastle School House, c1830s (35 cm x 51 cm)  
Elevation and plan for Tubbernabrone School, with building estimate, 15 Jan 1835 (20 cm x 23 cm)  
Elevation of a dwelling house and the new and old work shops of the Heyden Iron Works, n.d. (19 cm x 30 cm)  
Four lithographs (Day & Haghe) of the North Euston Hotel, Fleetwood on Wyre consisting of:  
View of the North Euston Hotel, Fleetwood, designer Decimus Burton, c1841 (45 cm x 60 cm)  
General plan of the North Euston Hotel, 1840 (39 cm x 47 cm)  
Design for the east side of St. Peter's Place, Fleetwood, c1840 (24 cm x 60 cm)  
Building plan for Fleetwood on Wyre, Jan 1841 (39 cm x 47 cm)  
10 items

#### VI.viii.1.I Fisheries

##### **AD 3594/ 10**

Architectural items relating to fisheries:  
Drawing of a weir, c1820 (48 cm x 60 cm)  
Plan of "An old Tyde Weare", by James Dwyer, 1825 (an exhibit in *Devonshire v. Richard Power Ronayne*, 2 Aug 1828), consisting of a sketch and two drawings (48 cm x 60 cm, 34 cm x 57 cm)  
4 items

#### VI.viii.1.J Education Office

**AD 3594/ 11** Education Office designs for model houses and offices for farms of 8-10, 20, and 30 acres, Frederick Darley (Architect), Dublin, c1860, consisting of ground plans, designs and elevations.  
9 items

VI.viii.1.K Miscellaneous

**AD 3594/ 12** Various miscellaneous architectural drawings and elevations for commercial and residential properties, including  
Elevations and plans of three small farm houses, by Samuel Ward, Jun 1794 (24 cm x 38 cm)  
Front and end elevations of a Store House, by W. Atkinson, c1815 (20 cm x 25 cm)  
Elevations and plans of a farmhouse, with offices, stables, cowsheds and carthouse, c1820 (28 cm x 48 cm)  
Elevation and plan of a school house, c1820 (26 cm x 38 cm)  
Elevation and plan of unidentified towers, 2 items c1820 (19 cm x 24 cm)  
Elevation and plan of a house for Charles Fitzgerald, by James Dwyer, 12 May 1825 (35 cm x 57 cm)  
Elevation and plan of a farmhouse, by James Dwyer, 23 Jan 1825 (35 cm x 56 cm)  
Elevation and plans of chimney shafts, by James Dwyer, c1825 (19 cm x 30 cm, 24 cm x 30 cm)  
Elevation of a large house, by James Dwyer, c1825 (30 cm x 36 cm)  
Elevations, plans and a section of a farmhouse, by James Dwyer, c1825 (39 cm x 47 cm)  
Elevation of a school house, with details of windows, by James Dwyer, c1825 (27 cm x 45 cm)  
Elevation and plan of the North House, by James Dwyer, May 1826 (37 cm x 45 cm)  
Elevations and plan of a farmhouse and yard, c1830 (49 cm x 57 cm)  
Elevation and plan of a school house for boys and girls, c1830 (38 cm x 50 cm)  
Elevations and plans for dwelling houses, c1830 (30 cm x 41 cm)  
Working and finished elevations and plans of a 'respectable farmhouse', with an estimate of costs, by James Dwyer, 2 Jun 1832 (33 cm x 41 cm)  
Design for improving Mr. Foley's House, 24 Dec 1840 (35 cm x 47 cm) [*Damaged*]  
Elevations and plans of an extension to a dwelling house, c1840 (28 cm x 33 cm)  
Designs for chimney stacks for cottages, Aug 1843  
Elevation of a house with two bays, c1850 (21 cm x 32 cm)

Drawings of a poultry house and two thatched cottages, n.d. (22 cm x 28 cm)

Assorted elevations, sections, and plans for cottages and dwelling houses, and sketches of architectural features,  
c1820-40  
c70items

### ***VI.viii.2 Prints***

- AD 3594/ 13** Folder containing miscellaneous prints, including a view of the new Roman Catholic Church at Cork (Holy Trinity Church), signed by Father Theobald Mathew to William S. Curry, c1830 (76 cm x 55 cm), St. Leonard's on the Sea, Sussex, printed by C. Hallmandel, published by C.H. Southall, c1836 (20 cm x 26 cm), Churchill's Calverley Hotel, with the Park and Pleasure Grounds, Tunbridge Wells, drawn by C.J. Dodd, engraved by J.J. Wedgwood, printed by Jones & Causton, c1840 (20 cm x 26 cm), Five frontispieces for surveys of the manors of Connehy and Knockmorn, Killinmakey and East Carbery, Dungarvan, Lismore, and Tallow and Lisfinny, George Dartnell, Jul-Aug 1815 (21 cm x 27 cm), Design for a lease heading ('This Indenture'), Richard & William Copinger, solicitors, Cork, c1830 (23 cm x 38 cm)  
9 items

## **VII PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION AND ELECTIONS**

### **VII.i Grand Jury and Public Bodies**

- MS 43,803/ 1** Presentments to Courts Leet held at Ballynatra, Enniskeane, Lisfinny and Tallow, Kilpatrick, and Lismore, 10 items  
1715-25 & 1750-1 [*Most items damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,803/ 2** Regulations of the committee for managing the public coal yard established at Bandon, with list of subscribers, 2 items  
1793
- MS 43,803/ 3** Schedule of presentments of the Grand Jury granted at County Cork Spring Assizes, with a charge from Mr. Justice Torrens to the Grand Jury of County Cork concerning Bandon Dispensary, and associated accounts, 4 items  
1817, 1824 & 1829
- MS 43,803/ 4** Parliamentary bills and acts concerning the punishment of mutiny and desertion, the improvement of ports and harbours, and the

- extension of railways, 4 items  
1823-68 [*One item damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,803/ 5** Application for a presentment for repair of bridge near Youghal, with the statement of Rev. A. Keily concerning the course of the road from Youghal to Cork through Bellevue and Clifton, 2 items  
1831 & n.d. [*One item damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,803/ 6** Tender and specification prepared by the justices and cess payers of the barony of Coshmore for the execution of work measured and specified by the County Surveyor (1834), resolution of the Grand Jury concerning presentments made at County Waterford Spring Assizes for the Barony of Coshmore (1849), and report of the County Surveyor to the Grand Jury of Waterford (1879), with comparative returns of the expense of contracts for the maintenance of roads for the years 1854, 1867, 1869, 1874 and 1884, 7 items  
1834-84
- MS 7206** Drainage ledger of the estates of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in counties Waterford and Cork, 1 item  
1845-50
- MS 43,803/ 7** Notice to the chairman of presentment sessions at Dungarvan (1846), letter from Thomas Larcom (Under Secretary for Ireland) to the secretary of the County Waterford Grand Jury concerning weights and measures, and a schedule of applications and presentments to the County Waterford Summer Assizes (1871), 3 items  
1846-71
- MS 43,803/ 8** Preliminary report on the works of improvement proposed to be executed in the Barony of Coshmore and Coshbride, Co. Waterford by A.M. Roberts (Board of Works), concerning drainage on the lands of Kilcalf, Ballysaggartbeg, and Deerpark, 2 items  
1848
- MS 43,803/ 9** Bandon Town Commissioners Gas Accounts for the years 1845 to 1853, 9 items  
1853

#### **VII.ii Poor Relief**

- MS 43,804/ 1** Account of subscriptions to the House of Industry for County Waterford, list of the poor inhabitants of the town of Lismore and the quantity of coals donated to each by the Duke of Devonshire, resolutions entered into at meetings of the principal inhabitants of

- the town of Lismore and the parishes of Tallow and Kilwatermoy for the relief of the poor, and accounts of subscriptions and amounts of oatmeal given out to the poor, 10 items  
1794, 1798 & 1801
- MS 43,804/ 2** Returns of clothing and spinning wheels distributed to the poor of Lismore, with plan and regulations of repository proposed for the improvement of the state of the poor at Fenagh, 5 items  
1819-27
- MS 43,804/ 3** Schedules of rates for the relief of the poor set for Bandon, Fermoy, Lismore, Tallow, and Youghal, with receipts, 20 items  
1844-6
- MS 43,804/ 4** Schedules of rates for the relief of the poor set for Bandon, Dungarvan, Lismore, and Youghal, with receipts, c50 items  
1847
- MS 43,804/ 5** Account book with the National Bank, Tallow containing entries pertaining to the Famine Relief Commission, 1 item  
1847
- MS 43,804/ 6** Schedules of rates for the relief of the poor set for Dungarvan, Fermoy, Lismore and Tallow, receipts, and a proposal for the arrangement of electoral divisions for Lismore Union as approved by the Board of Guardians, 21 items  
1848
- MS 43,804/ 7** Schedules of rates for the relief of the poor and for labour rate set for Bandon, Dungarvan and Kinalmeaky, with receipts and a letter from Richard Byrne to H.K. Hemming (2 Mar 1849), c.50 items  
1849
- MS 43,804/ 8** Schedule of rate for the relief of the poor set for Bandon, Kinalmeaky and Lismore, with receipts and a proposal for salaries of relieving officers and correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Archdeacon Power (2 Oct 1850), 23 items  
1850
- MS 43,804/ 9** Accounts of subscriptions to the Patriotic Fund for the relief of widows and orphans of soldiers, sailors, and marines serving in the Crimean War, with account books and letters from Nicholas Wall and others to Francis E. Curry, 11 items  
1854-5
- MS 43,804/ 10** Notebook containing subscriptions to provide temporary relief for



indigent householders and Poor Law valuations for the Unions of Cork and Lismore, 3 items  
1855 & n.d.

**MS 43,804/ 11** Memoranda detailing the changes in occupation at Glengarragh and a return of charges given to Poor Law Union (1856), a return of the Duke of Devonshire's tenants within the Lismore Union having leases, and notes concerning poor law guardians, 6 items  
1856 & n.d.

### **VII.iii Appointments**

**MS 43,805/ 1** Warrants and appointments including the letter of attorney of Charles, 3rd Earl of Cork and Burlington appointing his commissioners in Ireland (9 Jul 1700), the warrant of Juliana, Countess of Cork and Burlington authorizing her bailiffs to distrain tenants (20 Mar 1703/4), the appointment by Richard, 4th Earl of Cork and Burlington of Daniel Connor as agent for Bandon (12 Aug 1726), and of William Connor to the same position (12 Mar 1738/9), 6 items  
1704-38 & 1792 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]

**MS 7205** Volume of deputations to William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, in respect of the appointments of schoolmasters, gamekeepers and seneschals on his estates in counties Waterford and Cork, 1 item  
1811-31

**MS 43,805/ 2** Certificate of appointment of William S. Curry as steward and receiver of the Irish Estates (26 Nov 1817), with various other certificates appointing schoolmasters, water keepers, and gamekeepers, and the granting of church livings by the Duke of Devonshire, 10 items  
1814-50

**MS 43,805/ 3** Copy book containing details about the appointment of agents, seneschals, gamekeepers, and schoolmasters, with powers of attorney, and other memoranda concerning the maintenance of the Duke of Devonshire's estates in Ireland, 1 item  
1817-81

### **VII.iv Elections**

The letters and papers in this section cover a wide period of time (1692-1879). Most of the papers, however, relate to the years 1818-37 covering the period of the Cavendish

family's most intense involvement in the municipal and parliamentary politics of Bandon, Dungarvan and Youghal. They cover the General Elections of July 1818, March 1820, July 1826, January 1828, August 1830, May 1831, December 1832, January 1835, August 1837, July 1841, August 1847, July 1852, April 1857 and April 1859, as well as parliamentary by-elections in 1822 (Dungarvan), 1826 (Bandon), 1830 (Youghal) and 1831 (Bandon). It should be noted that a large number of the letters listed below have been transcribed in NLI Special List 336 (2). Readers seeking contextual information on this subject are directed to Lindsay J. Proudfoot, *Urban Patronage and Social Authority. The Management of the Duke of Devonshire's Towns in Ireland, 1764-1891* (Washington D.C., 1995), pp. 159-166, 184-213, 228-236 and 280-293.

#### ***VII.iv.1 Corporate Elections***

- MS 13254 (1)** Letters to Digby Foulke from Joseph Waite, John Lucas, and Abraham Killgrove, regarding the election of magistrates to the Corporation of Youghal, 5 items  
1707-8
- MS 13254 (2)** Correspondence between Digby Foulke and Joseph Waite regarding the Mayor of Youghal and other political matters, 4 items  
1707-8 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 13254 (5)** Letters to Thomas Baker and Richard Musgrave from Digby Foulke regarding the the Earl of Cork and Burlington's privileges in the North and South Abbeys of Youghal, and concerning the College of Youghal, with affidavits, 11 items  
1707-8
- MS 13254 (3)** Letters to Digby Foulke from Joseph Waite regarding political rivalries and the Corporation of Youghal, 4 items  
1709-12 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 13254 (4)** Letters to Digby Foulke, Thomas Boyce, William Conner, and Thomas Baker from Anthony Spurrett, Henry Rugge, Jeremy Coughlan, Thomas Croker, and Richard Giles, regarding the Corporation of Youghal and elections, 7 items  
1715-32
- MS 43,806/ 1** Papers relating to the election of freemen and burgesses to the Corporation of Youghal, including voting lists for Sir Robert Deane (65 entries) and Joseph Lysaght (40 entries) containing voters' names, pot wallopers, freeholders' names and places of residence and observations, with memoranda, certificates, and accounts, 7 items  
1716, 1738 & 1822

**MS 43,806/ 2** Indenture for the election of freemen and burgesses to the Corporation of Dungarvan, 1 item  
1758

***VII.iv.2 Parliamentary Elections***

**VII.iv.2.A Dungarvan**

- MS 43,807/ 1** Letters and papers concerning parliamentary elections for the borough of Dungarvan, correspondents include Robert Carew, Walter Harney, and Roger Power, with certificates, indentures, mandates for the election of a Member of Parliament, lists of electors, and statements and notes respecting the parliamentary election of 1703, 21 items  
1692, 1695 & 1703
- MS 43,807/ 2** Papers relating to parliamentary elections for the borough of Dungarvan, including lists of Protestant inhabitants and electors, statements of cases, answers of defendants, and mandates for the election of a Member of Parliament, 18 items  
1711-21 [*Some items damaged & fragile*]
- MS 43,807/ 3** Poll book for the parliamentary borough of Dungarvan, containing the names and status of voters for the Hon. Robert Boyle and for Sir William Osbourne, with observations, 1 item  
1750
- MS 43,807/ 4** Letter from Philip Splane to Thomas Knowlton, with cases and legal opinion concerning the Dungarvan parliamentary election, 4 items  
1807 [*All items damaged and fragile*]
- MS 43,807/ 5** Letters to Thomas Seward and William S. Curry from John Hudson, William Ashby, Richard McGrath, General George Walpole, and Edward Dartnell concerning the Dungarvan parliamentary election, with associated papers, 26 items  
1818
- MS 43,807/ 6** Letters to William S. Curry and Thomas Seward from Richard McGrath, J.M. Galwey, and Captain Augustus Clifford concerning the Dungarvan parliamentary election, with election notices and proclamations and addresses to electors, 19 items  
1820
- MS 43,807/ 7** Letters to Thomas Seward and William S. Curry from John Hudson, Henry Witham, William Gardner, J.M. Galwey, and the Hon.

- George Lamb concerning the Dungarvan parliamentary election, with addresses to electors, 22 items  
1822
- MS 43,807/ 8** Letters to William S. Curry from George Lamb, John Hudson, Rev. Garrett Connolly, and John Odell concerning the Dungarvan parliamentary election and Lord George Beresford's interference in the borough, with lists of voters and a letter from Lord Beresford to John Futnam, 32 items  
1824-6
- MS 43,807/ 9** Letters to Henry Witham and Thomas Seward concerning the Dungarvan parliamentary election, correspondents include John Hudson, William S. Curry, J.A. Baldwin, William Nugent, and Nicholas Purcell O'Gorman, with lists of freeholders, 15 items  
1826
- MS 43,807/ 10** Letters to William S. Curry and Thomas Seward from George Lamb, John Hudson, Benjamin Currey, Henry Witham, Noble Johnson, John Colbourne, and John Pollock concerning the Dungarvan parliamentary election, with a Repeal poster and an indenture for the election, 35 items  
1829-30
- MS 43,807/ 11** Letters to William S. Curry from George Lamb, Daniel O'Connell, John Hudson, Edward G. Stanley (Chief Secretary for Ireland), John Keily, and Nicholas Purcell O'Gorman concerning the re-election of George Lamb as MP for Dungarvan, 22 items  
1831
- MS 43,807/ 12** Letters to Thomas Seward from John Hudson, William S. Curry, and Henry Witham concerning the Dungarvan and Youghal parliamentary elections, with an indenture for the election and returns of Dungarvan householders, 9 items  
1831
- MS 43,807/ 13** Letters to William S. Curry concerning the new boundaries of the parliamentary borough of Dungarvan under the Reform Act, correspondents include John Hudson, George Gipps (Irish Office, London), and Henry Witham, with notes, memoranda, and newspaper cuttings, 25 items  
1831-2
- MS 43,807/ 14** A case concerning voting rights under the Reform Act with a list of notices for Dungarvan registry, a return of the population of Dungarvan borough and cases with the legal opinion of Richard

- Moore respecting the effect of the Reform Act (2 & 3 Wm IV, c.88) upon voting procedures at parliamentary elections, 6 items  
1832
- MS 43,807/ 15** Letters to William S. Curry concerning the registration of voters under the new franchise and the Dungarvan parliamentary election, correspondents include George Lamb, Thomas Keily, B. Boate, J.M. Galwey, and William Cooney, 16 items  
Jun-Oct 1832
- MS 43,807/ 16** Letters to William S. Curry concerning the Dungarvan parliamentary election, correspondents include George Lamb, Thomas Keily, John Hudson, Rev. Patrick Fogarty, Matthew Godkin, Stephen Baker, Thomas Towel, and Sir Nugent Humble, with notes and a list of voters, 24 items  
Nov 1832
- MS 43,807/ 17** Letters to W.S. Curry and Thomas Seward concerning the Dungarvan parliamentary election, correspondents include George Lamb, John Keily, John Hudson, Henry Parker, Rev. Patrick Fogarty, Sir Nugent Humble, J.F. Burgoyne and Dungarvan electors seeking favours for supporting George Lamb and to solicit medical assistance for injuries incurred during the Dungarvan election, with medical certificates and lists of wounded persons and damaged property, 37 items  
Dec 1832
- MS 43,807/ 18** Petitions to George Lamb MP from his electors, with an account of legal costs for the elections of Dungarvan, Youghal and Waterford (1818-32) and a note book containing a list of the names of persons “employed as a rabble &c.” at the Dungarvan election with sums paid to each, and remarks on the election, 14 items  
1832
- MS 43,807/ 19** Letters to William S. Curry from George Lamb, George Grigg, Henry Bagge, Michael O’Brien, and William Moore concerning the recently contested Dungarvan parliamentary election, with notes and a list of “Persons who took part violently against Lamb at Dungarvan; who hold advantageously yearly tenants under the Duke of Devonshire”, 15 items  
1833
- MS 43,807/ 20** Letters to William S. Curry from John Ponsonby MP, Viscount Duncannon (Home Secretary), Benjamin Currey, Rodolphus Greene, Rev. Patrick Fogarty, James Paul Gee, H. Littleton, Nicholas Purcell O’Gorman, James Tallon, John Hudson, and Henry

- Bagge concerning the selection of a candidate for the borough of Dungarvan at the by-election consequent upon the death of George Lamb and considering the strength of the Repeal cause, with a copy of the Waterford Chronicle (16 Jan 1834), 35 items  
1834
- MS 43,807/ 21** Letters to William S. Curry from Pierce George Barron, Rev. Patrick Fogarty, John Hudson, William Henry Barron, Henry Bagge, James Tallon, James Byrne, John Ponsonby MP, Viscount Duncannon (Lord Privy Seal), Henry Witham, and Dominick Tallon concerning the parliamentary election for Dungarvan, with an election poster and a report on the election from the Waterford Mail (6 May 1835), 32 items  
1835
- MS 43,807/ 22** Certificates of registration of rent-chargers, freeholders, or leaseholders and householders as voters for the borough of Dungarvan and the County Waterford, 40 items  
Oct 1839
- MS 43,807/ 23** Certificates of registration of resident forty-shilling freeholders as voters for the borough of Dungarvan, 111 items  
Oct 1839
- MS 43,807/ 24** Letters to Francis E. Curry concerning the Dungarvan parliamentary election, correspondents include Laurence Power, Rodolphus Greene, Rev J. Halley, Maurice Sweeny, Patrick Cahill, and Michael Carroll with an analysis of the registry list, 19 items  
1840-1
- MS 43,807/ 25** Letters to Francis E. Curry concerning the Dungarvan parliamentary election, correspondents include John Ponsonby, 4th Earl of Bessborough (Lord Lieutenant of Ireland), John Hudson, Henry Bagge, Thomas Quinlan, David O'Keefe, Michael Dee, Roger Baker, John Greene, and James Byrne, with a newspaper cutting, 31 items  
1846
- MS 43,807/ 26** Letters to Francis E. Curry concerning the Dungarvan parliamentary election, correspondents include George Howard, Viscount Morpeth (Chief Secretary for Ireland), Benjamin Currey, John Hudson, R.L. Shiel, Patrick Vincent, Patrick Snow, and James Byrne, with newspaper cuttings, and a list of registry notices (26 Oct 1847), 28 items  
1847-9

- MS 43,807/ 27** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry, James Galwey and Sir W. Somerville concerning the Dungarvan parliamentary election, with letters from Thomas Oakley, William Villiers Stuart, John Keily, Henry Bagge, James Byrne, A. Brennan and W.G. Hayter, with a memorial from David O'Keefe, 52 items  
1850-1
- MS 43,807/ 28** Printed copies of registers of persons entitled to vote in parliamentary elections for the borough of Dungarvan, 7 items  
1850-1 & 1856-7
- MS 43,807/ 29** Newspaper cuttings concerning the Dungarvan parliamentary election, with copies of the Cork Examiner (21 & 24 Mar 1851), 14 items  
1850-2 & 1857
- MS 43,807/ 30** Letters to Francis E. Curry concerning the Dungarvan parliamentary election, correspondents include Edmund O'Flaherty, James Byrne, David O'Keefe, Charles Ponsonby MP, Thomas Fitzgerald, Richard Hudson, James Galwey, Rev. J. Halley, and Granville Leveson-Gower, 2nd Earl Granville, with two election posters, 37 items  
1852-3
- MS 43,807/ 31** Letters to Francis E. Curry concerning Dungarvan parliamentary elections, correspondents include James Byrne, Arthur Ussher, Richard Hudson, J. Bagge Hearne, James Galwey, Sir Nugent Humble, and Earl Granville, with a list of elector tenants and a copy poll book for the borough of Dungarvan (1857), 44 items  
1855-9

#### VII.iv.2.B Tallow

- MS 43,808/ 1** Mandates from the Sheriff of County Waterford to the Senechals of Tallow, Lismore and the barony of Coshmore and Coshbride to select burgesses to serve as parliamentary representatives, 3 items  
1695
- MS 43,808/ 2** Indentures between the High Sheriff of County Waterford and the Senechal and voters of the borough of Tallow for the selection of a burgess to serve as parliamentary representative for the borough, 7 items  
1703, 1756 & 1757
- MS 43,808/ 3** Letters and papers concerning parliamentary elections for the borough of Tallow, correspondents include Samuel Alleyn and Sir

Robert Deane, with lists of Protestant inhabitants of the manor of Tallow and of persons who voted for Sir Robert Deane, and the petition of Edward Hoar complaining of an undue election (5 Dec 1727), 13 items  
1727, 1735, 1757 & n.d.

**MS 43,808/ 4** Certificates of registration of freeholders and forty-shilling freeholders for Tallow, Lisfinny, and Coolygoody, with letter from H. Brougham, 7 items  
1821-9

VII.iv.2.C County Waterford

**MS 43,809/ 1** Letters to William S. Curry from Lord George Beresford, John Hudson, Robert Warren Gumbleton, Robert Power, J.M. Galwey, and Rodolphus Greene concerning County Waterford parliamentary election, with a copy letter from Sir James Abercromby to Lord Bute and an address from the Roman Catholic freeholders of County Waterford to the Duke of Devonshire, 20 items  
Mar-Aug 1825

**MS 43,809/ 2** Letters to William S. Curry from William 6th Duke of Devonshire, Hugh Fortescue Ebrington, Viscount Ebrington, Benjamin Currey, John Hudson, Robert Warren Gumbleton, and Patrick Foley concerning County Waterford parliamentary election, with an address from the landed proprietors of County Waterford to the Duke of Devonshire, 21 items  
Sep-Oct 1825

**MS 43,809/ 3** Letters to William S. Curry from John Hudson, William Nugent, Rev. Patrick Fogarty, Rodolphus Greene, John Swanston, David Hayes, and James Baggs concerning the preliminaries to the County Waterford parliamentary election, with handbills, memoranda, and other associated papers, 42 items  
Feb-May 1826

**MS 43,809/ 4** Letters to William S. Curry from General Sir George Bingham, John Swanston, John Hudson, Henry Witham, John Keily, Robert Warren Gumbleton, G.W. Wilgress, Stephen Roche, John Uniacke, Rodolphus Greene, and William Nugent concerning the County Waterford parliamentary election, with notes and memoranda, 37 items  
Jun 1826

**MS 43,809/ 5** Correspondence and papers concerning the conveyance of



- freeholders on the City of Cork stream packet from stations on the River Blackwater to the city of Waterford, correspondents include John Swanston, Patrick Delandre, Rodolphus Greene, William S. Curry, and Henry Witham, with notebooks, accounts, and a list of freeholders, 19 items  
1826
- MS 43,809/ 6** Letters to William S. Curry from Sir James Abercromby, Benjamin Currey, Patrick Delandre, John A. Baldwin, Robert Warren Gumbleton, and J.M. Galwey concerning the political situation in County Waterford following Catholic emancipation and the registration of freeholders, 14 items  
Apr-Jun 1829
- MS 43,809/ 7** Letters to William S. Curry from Sir James Abercromby, Benjamin Currey, B. Keily and Stephen Dickson concerning the parliamentary by-election in County Waterford consequent upon Henry Villiers-Stuart's resignation of his seat, and the Beresford family's attempted reconciliation with the Roman Catholic interest, with newspaper cuttings, 18 items  
Jul 1829
- MS 43,809/ 8** Letters to William S. Curry from Benjamin Currey, Henry Witham, Robert Warren Gumbleton, James Byrne, John Hudson, Rodolphus Greene, and Francis Newport concerning the parliamentary by-election in County Waterford and the neutrality to be observed by the Duke of Devonshire, with a copy of the Duke's instructions to William S. Curry, 20 items  
Aug-Dec 1829
- MS 43,809/ 9** Letters to William S. Curry from Benjamin Currey, James Fitzgerald, Rodolphus Greene, Mark Hudson, Robert Power, John Barron, Robert Warren Gumbleton, and John Hudson concerning the parliamentary election in County Waterford, with a petition from the people of Cappoquin, 12 items  
Jan 1830
- MS 43,809/ 10** Letters to William S. Curry concerning the canvassing of electors in County Waterford by Daniel O'Connell, correspondents include John Ponsonby MP, John Ponsonby MP, Viscount Duncannon, Rodolphus Greene, George Lamb, Benjamin Currey, Nicholas Purcell O'Gorman, Rev. Patrick Fogarty, Henry Witham, and William, 6th Duke of Devonshire, 19 items  
1830
- MS 43,809/ 11** Copy correspondence between Daniel O'Connell, Sir James

Abercromby, William, 6th Duke of Devonshire, John Ponsonby MP, Viscount Duncannon, William S. Curry, Benjamin Currey and others concerning the general direction of the Devonshire electoral influence in Ireland and the need to retain its distinctiveness from Daniel O'Connell's party, with letters to William S. Curry from Benjamin Currey, Nicholas Purcell O'Gorman, John Hely-Hutchinson, 3rd Earl of Donoughmore, and Daniel O'Connell, 27 items  
1830-7

**MS 43,809/ 12** Letters to William S. Curry from John Hudson, Patrick Power, Benjamin Currey, Henry Witham, R. Uniacke, Henry Villiers Stuart, John Pollock, Henry Bagge, John Ponsonby MP, Viscount Duncannon, and Sir Nugent Humble concerning Waterford County politics and parliamentary elections, with notes, posters, and newspaper cuttings, 40 items  
1831-6

**MS 43,809/ 13** Letters to Francis E. Curry concerning parliamentary elections for County Waterford, correspondents include John Ponsonby MP, Viscount Duncannon, Robert Carew, 1st Baron Carew of Castleboro, Lord Stuart de Decies, Benjamin Currey, Francis Cradock, Walter Talbot, James Galwey, Arthur Smith Barry, and William, 6th Duke of Devonshire, with circulars and newspaper cuttings, 44 items  
1838-68

**MS 43,809/ 14** Letters to Francis E. Curry concerning parliamentary elections for County Waterford, correspondents include Frederick Lehmann, James Galwey, Charles Beresford, Spencer Compton Cavendish, Marquis of Hartington and William, 6th Duke of Devonshire, with circulars, newspaper cuttings and a copy of the Waterford News (18 Jan 1877), 32 items  
1872-80

#### VII.iv.2.D Bandon

**MS 43,810/ 1** Letters to William S. Curry from Benjamin Currey, Benjamin Popham, John Swanston, and Jonathan Swete concerning the return of Francis Bernard (son of 2nd Earl of Bandon) in opposition to the Devonshire candidate (Capt. Sir Augustus Clifford) at the Bandon parliamentary election, and the consequent election petition heard by the House of Commons, with memoranda and legal opinion, 26 items  
Jan 1830-May 1831

- MS 43,810/ 2** Letters to William S. Curry from Benjamin Currey, Jonathan Swete, George Lamb, and Wilmer Gossip concerning the Bandon parliamentary election and the consequent election petition heard by the House of Commons, with memoranda and a legal case, 21 items Jun-Aug 1831
- MS 43,810/ 3** Letters to William S. Curry from Benjamin Currey, John Swanston, Benjamin Popham, James Ludlow Stawell, and Robert Popham concerning parliamentary elections for Bandon, with a list of tenants of Lord Bandon who held land without leases (Dec 1834), 11 items 1832-5
- MS 43,810/ 4** Correspondence between William S. Curry, Benjamin Currey, and Francis E. Curry concerning the unsuccessful attempt of William Cavendish to oust Joseph Devonsher Jackson, the sitting Conservative member, at the Bandon parliamentary election, with letters from John Ponsonby MP, Viscount Duncannon, William Cavendish, Cornelius O'Callaghan, 1st Viscount Lismore, D.R. Pigot, Henry Witham, John Swanston, and William Conner, with memoranda on the strength of the parties and a notebook containing the names of voters, 47 items 1837
- MS 43,810/ 5** Letters to Francis E. Curry concerning parliamentary elections for Bandon, correspondents include Arthur Helps, George Howard, Viscount Morpeth (Chief Secretary for Ireland), William Hare, 2nd Earl of Listowel, Benjamin Currey, Alexander Swanston, John Fawcett, Stephen Barry, Samuel Beamish, Charles Frewen, J.R. Berwick, and William Shaw, with lists of electors and newspaper cuttings, 39 items 1841-59
- MS 43,810/ 6** Letters to Francis E. Curry concerning political matters, the registration of voters and parliamentary elections for Bandon, correspondents include Thomas Kingston Sullivan, George Fuller, J.R. Berwick, and James Roche, with circulars and lists of voters, 32 items 1863-6
- MS 43,810/ 7** Letters to Francis E. Curry concerning the parliamentary election for Bandon, correspondents include George Sherlock, William Shaw, Thomas Kingston Sullivan, David Craig, J.R. Berwick, William Currey, Frederick A. Currey, Spencer Compton Cavendish, Marquis of Hartington and William, 7th Duke of Devonshire, with a letter from the Liberal Registration Committee to William Shaw MP (27 Apr 1869) and a circular from the Boundary Commission (1885), 34

items  
1868-85 [*One item damaged & fragile*]

VII.iv.2.E Youghal

- MS 43,811/ 1** Letters and papers concerning elections for the parliamentary borough of Youghal and other political matters, including an inquiry into the disenfranchisement of freemen, correspondents include George Giles and Abraham ffrench, with lists of the mayors, bailiffs and freemen of Youghal, with remarks as to their political allegiances, 27 items  
1716-22 & 1727
- MS 43,811/ 2** Letters to William S. Curry and Thomas Seward from John Jenkins, George Roche, and George Ponsonby, concerning political matters and parliamentary elections for Youghal, with indentures for the return of a Member of Parliament, newspaper cuttings, and lists of voters, 18 items  
1826-9
- MS 43,811/ 3** Invitations from friends of the Hon. George Ponsonby to attend a dinner at the Mall-House, Youghal on 17 August 1830 and replies, respondents include Henry Bryen, Thomas Hudson, William Marks, George Torbuck, Richard Taylor, Thomas Murdock, Mark Hudson, Thomas John, William Brown, and James Ellis Green, 75 items  
1830
- MS 43,811/ 4** Replies to invitations from friends of the Hon. George Ponsonby to attend a dinner at the Mall-House, Youghal on 17 August 1830, respondents include Sir William Homan, Joseph Hanks, R.S. Ball, Christopher Musgrave, Thomas Harvey, Richard Cox, John Eustace, Abraham Fisher, Samuel Hayman, Benjamin Roche, and Francis Browne, 46 items  
1830
- MS 43,811/ 5** Letters to William S. Curry from Walter Croker, Captain Thomas Armstrong, George Roche, George Ponsonby, Colonel R. Uniacke, Michael Stout, Thomas John, and John Ryan concerning political matters, including the granting of the freedom of the borough and the re-election of George Ponsonby as MP for Youghal, with indentures for the return of a Member of Parliament and lists of mayors and freemen, 30 items  
1830-1
- MS 43,811/ 6** Replies to invitations from friends of the Hon. George Ponsonby to attend a dinner at the Mall-House, Youghal in May 1831,

respondents include Henry Bryen, Abraham Fisher, Rev. Pierce Drew, Richard Taylor, Christopher Musgrave, Walter Giles, George Roche, Mark Hudson, William Verlins, and James Ellis Green, 107 items  
1831

- MS 43,811/ 7** Letters to William S. Curry from James Ellis Green, R.S. Ball, George Roche, William Feuge, and George Ponsonby concerning the Irish Reform Bill and local reaction to the changes to the boundaries and the franchise in Youghal, with notes, memoranda, and lists of electors, 18 items  
Jan-Jul 1832
- MS 43,811/ 8** Letters to William S. Curry from George Roche, R.S. Ball, William Feuge, Henry Witham, Joshua Eustace, and John Ward concerning the appointment of freemen and the registration of electors at Youghal, with notes, memoranda, and lists of electors, 29 items  
Sep 1832
- MS 43,811/ 9** Letters to William S. Curry from George Roche, Edward Dartnell, Benjamin Jackson, and R.S. Ball, and letters to Thomas Seward from William S. Curry concerning the registration of householders as electors in Youghal and Daniel O'Connell's visit to the town, 13 items  
Oct 1832
- MS 43,811/ 10** Return by the Clerk of the Peace of persons claiming the elective franchise in the Borough of Youghal, 2 copies  
Oct 1832
- MS 43,811/ 11** 'A List of notice servers, whose Right to Register is Doubtful', with further alphabetical lists of electors and observations, 8 items  
Oct 1832
- MS 43,811/ 12** Letters to William S. Curry and Thomas Seward from Sir James Abercromby, John Pollock, Thomas John, Richard Giles, George Roche, George Ponsonby, James Ellis Green, Benjamin Jackson, and Benjamin Currey concerning the retirement of George Ponsonby as MP for Youghal, 29 items  
Nov 1832
- MS 43,811/ 13** Letters to William S. Curry and Thomas Seward from James Ellis Green, George Ponsonby, Benjamin Jackson, William Feuge, George Roche, Henry Bryen, and Thomas John concerning and the Youghal parliamentary election, with an election address from Roger Green Davis (5 Dec 1832) and a printed copy of a letter from

- Daniel O'Connell to Rev. J. Russell (21 Dec 1832), 28 items  
Dec 1832
- MS 43,811/ 14** Letters to William S. Curry from George Roche, John Pollock, George Rogers, Mark Hudson, Matthew Hayman, and A. Brewster concerning the parliamentary election for Youghal, with a petition to Matthew Hayman (Mayor) from the Protestant inhabitants of Youghal (31 Jan 1835), 29 items  
Dec 1834-Jan 1835
- MS 43,811/ 15** Letters to William S. Curry from George Howard, Viscount Morpeth (Chief Secretary for Ireland), Frederick Ponsonby, William Nichol, and Henry Parker concerning the parliamentary election for Youghal, with memoranda, lists of freeholders and an election address from William Nichol (22 Oct 1835), 13 items  
Apr 1835-1836
- MS 43,811/ 16** Letters to William S. Curry and Thomas Seward from Frederick J. Howard, John Ponsonby MP, Viscount Duncannon, Rev. Patrick Fogarty, Henry Parker, and Rev. John Aldworth concerning the registration of voters, the arrest of Dominick P. Ronayne, and the parliamentary election for Youghal, with election addresses from William Nichol and Frederick J. Howard (1 & 8 Jul 1837) and 'Instructions for Gentlemen acting as Valuators', 22 items  
Jul 1837
- MS 43,811/ 17** Letters to William S. Curry, Thomas Seward, and Henry Witham from John Windell, Benjamin Currey, Thomas Drummond (Under Secretary for Ireland), John Pollock, Colonel R. Uniacke, Francis E. Curry, Rev. John B. Grey, and Christopher Musgrave concerning the parliamentary election for Youghal, with an election address from Frederick J. Howard (8 Aug 1837), a list of subscribers to the Youghal election petition, and the statement of a witness, 29 items  
Aug 1837
- MS 43,811/ 18** Letters to William S. Curry and Thomas Seward from W. MacDonald (Dublin Castle), Henry Parker, R.S. Ball, Francis E. Curry, and Ellen Pontchue concerning the to the Youghal election petition, with 'Instructions for Parochial Inquiry respecting Voters', a copy of the petition against Frederick Howard, and lists of voters in the borough of Youghal, 28 items  
Sep-Nov 1837
- MS 43,811/ 19** Election posters, an address to the electors of Youghal (8 May 1852), and a return of male persons entitled to vote in the Borough of Youghal (Oct 1856), 9 items

1837-57

- MS 43,811/ 20** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry and Henry Witham, Messrs. Dolan & Potter, Henry Parker, Richard Ronayne, George Ponsonby, Robert Pontchue, and Henry Bryen concerning the parliamentary election for Youghal, an election petition and voters' requests for assistance, with statements, memoranda, a verse, and a Conservative party election placard (May 1839), 29 items  
1838-9
- MS 43,811/ 21** Correspondence between Francis E. Curry, Benjamin Currey, and Lord Boyle concerning the parliamentary election for Youghal, with letters from Dominick Ronayne, Patrick Brien, John Couche, the Hon. F.J. Howard, Lady F. Parker, Standish O'Grady, Sir Richard Musgrave, Charles Compton Cavendish, Henry Bryen, Henry Witham, Alexander Swanston, and others, newspaper cuttings, memorials, and memoranda, 53 items  
1840-1
- MS 43,811/ 22** Letters to Francis E. Curry from Benjamin Currey, Thomas Foley, Charles Compton Cavendish, John Couche, John Hudson Jr., and John C. Browne concerning parliamentary elections for Youghal, with memorials and memoranda, 27 items  
1842-6
- MS 43,811/ 23** Letters to Francis E. Curry concerning the parliamentary election for Youghal, correspondents include Benjamin Currey, Charles Compton Cavendish, Thomas John, Thomas Ronayne, Edmund Holland, John C. Browne, Joseph W. Pim, Sir Richard Musgrave, the Hon. C. Ponsonby, and Thomas Seward, with an analysis of the Youghal Registry, election addresses, circulars, memoranda, and newspaper cuttings, 46 items  
Jun-Jul 1847
- MS 43,811/ 24** Letters to Francis E. Curry concerning the parliamentary election for Youghal, correspondents include John Ward, Charles Shaw, Major-General R. Uniacke, Henry Bryen, Richard Barrett, John H. O'Reilly, the Hon. C. Ponsonby, John Couche, John C. Browne, and Francis E. Roderick, with an address to the Protestant electors of the 'Youghal Protestant Operative Association and Reformation Society' and newspaper cuttings, 20 items  
Aug-Oct 1847
- MS 43,811/ 25** Letters to Francis E. Curry concerning party politics and the registration of freemen in Youghal, correspondents include Catherine Connors, Thomas John, Sir Thomas Redington (Under

Secretary for Ireland), Thomas Gimlett, Henry McGrath, Henry Bryen, John C. Browne, and William Carbery, with a printed notice issued by Thomas John concerning the Freemans Roll of the Borough of Youghal (May 1848), 30 items  
1848-51

- MS 43,811/ 26** Letters to Francis E. Curry concerning the parliamentary election for Youghal, correspondents include John C. Browne, Thomas John, Henry Parker, Sir Ralph Howard, Henry Bryen, Robert Hudson, Thomas Walker, William Currey, and Thomas Seward, with newspaper cuttings, 30 items  
Jan-May 1852
- MS 43,811/ 27** Letters to Francis E. Curry concerning the parliamentary election for Youghal, correspondents include J.W. Fortescue, John C. Browne, Henry Bryen, Thomas Seward, Richard Frye, Lord Stuart de Decies, James Bagge, and Major-General R. Uniacke, 32 items  
Jun-Oct 1852
- MS 43,811/ 28** Letters to Francis E. Curry concerning the parliamentary election for Youghal, correspondents include Issac Butt, John Campbell, John C. Browne, Henry Bryen, James Barry, William Shaw, and Denis McDonald, with a printed copy of the register of persons entitled to vote in parliamentary elections for the borough of Youghal (1856), 20 items  
1856-9 & 1868-9

#### VII.iv.2.F Cork County and City

- MS 43,812/ 1** Copy correspondence between George Ponsonby, Sir James Abercromby, and William, 6th Duke of Devonshire, with letters to William S. Curry from Benjamin Popham, John Hyde, Henry Witham, Sir Nicholas Colhurst, John Hely-Hutchinson, and Gerard Callaghan concerning County Cork politics and the parliamentary election for Cork City, with lists of voters and an address to the Roman Catholic electors of the City of Cork (19 Mar 1820), 14 items  
1817 & 1820
- MS 43,812/ 2** Letters to William S. Curry from John Hely-Hutchinson, 2nd Earl of Donoughmore, William Feuge, Benjamin Popham, James Denny, Walter Croker, Jonathan Swete, James Ellis Green, R.S. Ball, Thomas Seward, John Hely-Hutchinson, and others concerning the parliamentary election for Cork City, and the Duke's wish to support John Hely-Hutchinson, 37 items



Sep-Oct 1826

**MS 43,812/ 3** Letters to William S. Curry from Benjamin Popham, Robert Warren Gumbleton, William Gosnell, George Roche, John Hely-Hutchinson, 2nd Earl of Donoughmore, John Hely-Hutchinson, John T. Hornibrook, William Feuge, R.S. Ball, and James Denny concerning the parliamentary election for Cork City, with associated notes and lists of voters, 26 items  
Nov-Dec 1826

**MS 43,812/ 4** Letters to William S. Curry from Richard Boyle, 3rd Earl of Shannon, George Gumbleton, Robert Warren Gumbleton Benjamin Popham, James Denny, John Boyle, William Feuge, William, 6th Duke of Devonshire, and others concerning political matters and the parliamentary election for Cork City, with circulars and lists of potential freeholders, 21 items  
1829-31

**MS 43,812/ 5** Letters to William S. Curry from Sir William Becher, John Hyde, John Swanston, Robert King, Mark Hudson, and John O'Neill concerning political matters and parliamentary elections for County Cork, with notes, circulars, a memorandum and memorial from the Irish Registry Association, and a list of freeholders in the barony of Kinnataloon, 18 items  
1832-6

**MS 43,812/ 6** Letters to Francis E. Curry concerning parliamentary elections for County Cork, correspondents include George Howard, 7th Earl of Carlisle (Lord Lieutenant of Ireland), Captain James Barry, William Fagan, Vincent Scully, G.R. Barry, J.R. Berwick, Sir George Colhurst, and Spencer Compton Cavendish, Marquis of Hartington, 23 items  
1857-79

VII.iv.2.G Trinity College, Dublin

**MS 43,813** Letters to William S. Curry from Rev. Walter Giles, Rev. Francis Newport, Rev. George Gumbleton, Rev. J. Jackson, and Rev. Percy Scott Smyth in response to his efforts to induce them to support George Ponsonby in the parliamentary election for Trinity College, Dublin, 6 items  
Dec 1832

## VIII MISCELLANEA

### VIII.i Pedigrees

- MS 43,814/ 1** Pedigree of James Butler, 12th Earl and 1st Duke of Ormonde, 1 item  
c1630
- MS 43,814/ 2** Pedigree of William Spencer Cavendish, 6th Duke of Devonshire, traced from the 1st Earl of Cork, 2 items  
1 Mar 1807
- MS 43,814/ 3** Pedigree of the Family of Malones of Baronstown and Ballinahown, 1 item  
c1842 [*Damaged*]
- MS 43,814/ 4** Pedigree of William Cavendish, 7th Duke of Devonshire, 3 copies  
Jun 1869
- MS 43,814/ 5** Pedigree of the “Desmond”, 7 copies  
c1870
- MS 43,814/ 6** Pedigree of the Earls of Desmond, 1 item  
c1870
- MS 43,814/ 7** Pedigree of the Decies, Dromana or Affane Branch of the “Desmond”, 2 copies  
c1870
- MS 43,814/ 8** Pedigree of the Right Hon. Henry Windsor Villiers-Stuart, Lord Stuart de Decies, 10 copies  
c1870

### VIII.ii Personal papers

- MS 7208** Geometrical treatise by Robert Boyle, 1 item  
c1660
- MS 43,815/ 1** Anonymous verses entitled “The Alarm”, and “Poor Wally’s Lamentation”, 2 items  
c1820
- MS 43,815/ 2** Collection of press cuttings and notes concerning Earl Granville, Sir Charles Napier, and Heinrich Heine, 1 item  
1849