ST ANDREW'S ROAD

3-5

ACC Planning, A8639 — May 1955. 2 4A cottage police houses, for Ardrossan T.C. [VR 57/58, prop ACC Constabulary]

SEAFIELD COURT

ASH, F 29.9.1972, 7. — Advertising puff for 16 luxury flats in course of erection by Daniel McLaughlin & Sons. Architects are Rennie & Watson, Saltcoats.

SEAFIELD DRIVE

1, 3 Blythswood, 5 Blairmore, 7 Garve, 9 and 2 all in *VR 1940/41. There is no number 6.

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ACC Planning, 4640 — August 1947. Bungalow, SD, for Thomas Dick

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ACC Planning, A3566 — May 1951. House, SD, for Jessie R. McKelvie. In VR 1952/53, McKelvie

4, Tipperlinn

ACC Planning 1171 — September 1938. Bungalow, Seafield Drive, for Thomas Grant. In *VR 1940/41

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ACC Planning, A7849 — October 1954. Bungalow, SD; Black & Shapley, for David Robertson

ACC Planning, A8166 — January 1955. Bungalow, SD; Black & Shapley, for David Robertson.

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ACC Planning, 3568 — June 1946. House, SD, for Robert McC Graham. In VR 48/49

10, Dalmaha

ACC Planning 1743 — June 1939. House, SD, for George Shotbolt. In VR 1940/41, part year

12, Lynwood

ACC Planning, 3835 — August 1946. House, SD, for Samuel Gracie. In VR 1948/49

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ACC Planning, 3812 — August 1946. House, SD, for J.Y. Docherty. In VR 1948/49. From VR 1948/49 owned/occupied by James H Moffat, who I assume is the A T Mays founder.

SETON STREET

10-12 — Letter, 28.10.1997. On-going rehabilitation, to form 12 flats: McMillan & Cronin, for Cunninghame HA.

SORBIE ROAD

ATC HUT

ACC Planning, A7658 — August 1954. Headquarters, 1138 Squadron, Air Training Corps, for Royal Air Force

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BI 17/196 July 1906 — 2 villas, Sorbie Road, for James Miller, junior, builder, Saltcoats.

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ACC Planning, A5561 — February 1953. Change of use to offices, for South West Scotland Electricity Board.

SOUTH BEACH ROAD

9/11 — Holmside - Lauriston. 1895 FDisp by Eglinton of 28.26P and 23.49P to Thomas, John and James Duncan, market gardeners. Sas Abr 2402

of 1895, 820.176. 23.49P Disp by Duncans to William and Janet [Currie] MacGowan. Then see 1900 VR.

SOUTH CRESCENT

Imp Gaz, I, 73 [1855/65] "Ardrossan possesses great attraction as a bathing-place, and is now one of the much-frequented summer resorts on the Firth of Clyde." In the crescent, "there are many handsome villas, varied in style, but all more or less tasteful."

ASH, Sa 17.7.1869, 4e Ornamental plantation behind has been cut down last week - apparently to improve sight lines on the new railway from the Signal House behind Pavilion.

SRC, WSC 22.5.1984, 518 SA. 10 houses, South Crescent, D Cook & Sons, Ardrossan.

SOUTH CRESCENT, 2-14

Old list 10 Pleasant crescent of 'handsome villas, uniform in line, but varied in style', erected during the early C19 when no.1, The Pavilion (demolished) was the occasional residence of Lord Eglinton. No.5, Ailsa House, is an interesting classical design; no.4 is worthy of mention as being faced with unusual marble-like white ashlar; others have been somewhat altered. ref: NSA, v, 202. B.

AA, Th 18.4.1822, 1b To let, for bathing season, house in Crescent, property of Lady Jane Montgomerie.

AA, Th 30.3.1837 Villa, South Crescent, to sell. Built in 1834 - proprietor, Reverend J Bryce, Saltcoats.

ASH, 30.1.1858 Mr Moffat has begun to build a large villa in the South Crescent; and we believe when completed it will be one of the finest in Ardrossan.

KWP, 16.7.1864, 2b The Crescent is 'extending still'.

CO 3/21/22 VRs 1855-1860 VRs suggest the following order, working Saltcoats-wards from the Pavilion:

- Pavilion
- Robert Young [1883/84, H.l. John Young. 1888/89, John Craig, harbour master]
- Rev John Glen, Margaret Glen and James Watson Glen - c.1858 Margaret Glen and Trustees of Mrs Napier. [1883/84 and 1888/89, Hugh Bickett, merchant]
- James Fraser - c.1858 Heirs of James Fraser. [1883/84 and 1888/89, Trustees of Rev William Buchan]
- Col John Dalziel. [1883/84 and 1888/89, John Galloway, coalmaster]
- James Ogilvie Mack - c.1858 Anthony Mack. [1883/84, Anthony Mack. 1888/89, David Ireland Mack] 6?
- William Graham, Glasgow - c.1856 Heirs of WG [1883/84 and 1888/89, Archibald Gray MacDonald, Redholm]. 7?
- NEW c.1856 - John Gairdner. [1883/84 Jane Smith or Gardner; 1888/89, Hugh Hogarth]
- NEW c.1857 - Thomas McDonnell. [1883/84 and 1888/89, 9SC, Robert Thomas Aitken]
- NEW c.1857 - Hugh McDonnell [1883/84 and 1888/89, 10 SC,Esther and Agnes MacDonald]
- NEW c.1858 - John Moffatt. [1883/84, T.l. John Moffat. 1888/89, Kilmeny, John Galloway, shipowner.]
- Rev John Bryce - c.1859 Mrs John Bryce. [1883/84 and 1888/89, Eliza Conn or Rowand]
- NEW c.1856. Manse (Rev John D McCall). [1883/84 and 1888/89, Manse, rev John Drennan McCall]

	- NEW 1856-1883. [1883/84 and 1888/89 Assessment Rolls, James Cook]
	- NEW c1884-1888 [1883/84 nf. 1888/89, Laurieston, George Ballantine, junior]
	- NEW c1884-1888 [1883/84 nf. 1888/89, Broompark, David Goodwin, ironfounder].
Glasgow Property Index 1897	'Beaumont', South Crescent, sold for £1400.

SOUTH CRESCENT, 2

List 9	Earlier C19 villa. 2 storeys, 3 bays. Pebble-dashed with painted dressings. central door with projecting porch, now blocked in shallow projection. Two canted windows to outer bays in ground floor. 3 windows in 1st floor. Entablature and blocking course. Piended slate roof. Gatepiers with slight batter. CS.
Sas Abr 7601/1879	1809 1809 Lease to Matthew Brown of Auchintorly.
ASH, Sa 19.3.1864, 4b	In existence by 1813. See full transcript at Ardrossan: General.
Sas Abr 7601/1879	Sucession. 1836, MB's Trustees. 1837, Robert Young. 1870, John Young. 1878, JY's Trustees.
AA, 25.8.1887	To sell, '2 Crescent'. [is this here?]
Sas Abr 4964/1888	1888 Assig to John Craig, manager of Ardrossan Harbour.
ACC Planning, A2097	March 1950. Subdivision (2 flats), for Emily Martin.

SOUTH CRESCENT, 3

List 9a	Earlier C19 villa. 2 storeys, 3 bays with narrow blind bay to west and later bay to east. Ashlar. Central projecting porch supported by Roman Doric columns (now blocked). 2 flanking windows, left with modern glazing. Three 1st floor windows. Modillion cornice, blocking course. Piended slate roof. later eastern bay with square shallow projecting tripartite at ground. CS.
Sas Abr 2850/1867	1809 1809 Lease to James Hamilton of Holmhead.
ASH, Sa 19.3.1864, 4b	In existence by 1813. See full transcript at Ardrossan: General.
ASH, Sa 20.2.1875, 1b	To be sold in Glasgow on 3.3.1875, dd+5; also a 3-stall stable, and coachhouse. Area: 3R 13F 9E.
GPI 1894	Not sold
GPI 1895	Not sold
Planning Aplication 8/1988	2 storey right hand rear addition, Abbey Design Consultants, Paisley.

SOUTH CRESCENT, 4

Cf Holy Isle. I wonder if this is the house built by 'Holmhead'. he may have changed name from Woddrop to Hamilton on inheriting Holmhead.

List 9b	Earlier C19 villa. 2 storeys, 3 windows. Ashlar. central door with central pilastered porch, now filled. Angle pilasters, cornice, blocking course. Piended slate roof. 2 centrally placed stacks. B.
Sas Abr 10.6.1865	1821 M1821 Lease for 999Y to James Hamilton.
Sas Abr 10.6.1865	Succession. 1823, James, Mary & Marion Hamilton. 1832, Mary and Marion Hamilton. 1845 Trustees of Mary Hamilton. 1846 Bethia Locke. 1847 James Fraser and h.spo Mary Park or Fraser. 1863, his nephew, James Fraser.
ASH, Sa 27.8.1859, 2a	Villa in the Crescent to let, property of late James Fraser. dd+5. Also 3-stall stable, &c.
ASH, Sa 6.6.1863, 2b	4 Crescent to sell - 3R 13F 9E on 999Y Lease from M1821. Presently property of John Galloway. dd+5.
ASH, Sa 8.8.1863, 1a	For sale, stable is 'recently erected'.

ASH, Sa 1.7.1865, 1b — For sale, upset £1000. presently occupied by William McNab, esq. Large and 'recently erected' stables and two coach houses.

SOUTH CRESCENT, 5 — AILSA HOUSE

List 9c — Earlier C19 villa, 2 storeys and attic, 3 bays. Ashlar. Central bay in shallow projection with door and pedimented portico supported on Roman Doric pilasters and fluted columns. Two flanking semi-circular bays to ground. Three windows in 1st floor. Panelled outer piers. Cornice with balustrade and central attic window under pediment, supported by 4 pilasters, 2 bays flanking the window, channelled ashlar. Piended slate roof and central stacks. B.

Sas Abr 4103/1860 — 1823 1823 Lease to Margaret Hunter or McLane, relict of Major Daniel McKane, EICo.

Sas Abr 4103/1860 — Succession. 1842, Trustees of Margaret Hunter/McLane. 1843, John Hunter. 1843, JH's Trustees. 1847, Jane Montgomerie Hunter or MacVicar.

Sas Abr 4553/1860 — Renunciation of Lease by Jane M Hunter/MacVicar.

ASH, 17.3. and 24.3.1860 — Colonel John Dalziel died at 5 Crescent, 15.3.1860, and his relict, Mary Boag, died 24.3.1860. He had lived in Ardrossan since 1841. See Ref.

ASH, Sa 4.3.1871, 1b — 5 SC to sell. ddp+6.

Sas Abr 7960/1889 — 1889, NI, T.l. John Galloway.

Sas Abr 8057/1889 — 1889, Disp to Alexander Robertson.

Sas Abr 1382/1898 — 1898, Disp to Lewis Porter.

Sas Abr 175/1909 — 1909, Disp to William David Hamilton.

SOUTH CRESCENT, 6 — CRAIGMHOR

List 9d — Earlier C19 villa. 2 storeys and attic, 3 bays, red sandstone. Central door in shallow projecting pedimented bay, with Roman Doric coilumns and pilasters supporting portico. 2 flanking canted bays. 3 windows to 1st floor. Cornice, blocking course, with stack at apex of pediment, 2 flanking dormers. End stacks, piended slate roof. B.

Sas Abr 3040/3041 of 1854 [1846] — 1846 tack to J O Mack. [RS14/378 f185-190. Martinmas 1846]

ASH, Sa 7.12.1867, 5f — Elizabeth Buchanan, relict of J O Mack, and eldest daughter of late Herbert Buchanan of Arden, Dunbartonshire, died at 6SC, nd.

SOUTH CRESCENT, 7 — SOUTH BEACH HOUSE

List 9e — Earlier C19 villa. 2 storeys, 3 bays with later addition to east. Painted masonry. Central door in shallow projecting pedimented bay with porch, supported by fluted Roman Doric columns. Flanking windows with entablatures. Architraved 1st floor windows. Cornice, blocking course. Piended slate roof. 2 stacks. B.

Sas Abr 2587/1853 — 1846 1853 Feu Con to William Graham, junior, merchant, Glasgow, by right of a lease of **1846**, originally to David Inglis of Kincaidfield House near Kirkintilloch.. [RS3/2662, fo33-40]

AA, Th 19.6.1851, 4e — David Inglis, Esq, aged 86, died at 7SC, 14.6.1851.

AA, Th 31.7.1851, 4f — For sale, remainder of 999Y Tack from M1846, with the house built and elegantly furnished about 4 years ago by late David Inglis. ddp+8.

Sas Abr 75 & 76/1856 — 1856, NI, William Graham, merchant, Glasgow, son of William Graham, junior.

AA, Th 2.10.1856 — To sell, 7 East Crescent, erected about 6 years ago. [= here?]

ASH, Sa 23.2.1861, 3a — South Crescent villa of Mrs Graham was sold, on Wednesday, for 'a trifle more than £2000' to Mrs Watson.

Sas Abr 427/1861 — 1861 Disp to MC T/ees of James Watson and Christina Givenap Ewing or Watson.

ASH, Sa 31.3.1866, 4e — 7SC, presently occupied by Warner of Ardeer, has been sold for £2250.

Sas Abr 3311/1873 — 1873 Disp by Ann M Gordon of Williamwood to Janet G Aitken, spouse of Archibald Gray Macdonald.

SRC, Social Work 4.10.1984 — Church of Scotland Home. Change in number of registered places from 51 to 52.

CONSERVATORIES

n.r. — The conservatories at Tollcross, Glasgow, were originally at Redholm, Ardrossan, and erected in 1870. Gifted to Glasgow in 1898 (Tollcross Park opened 1897) by Bailie A G MacDonald of Redholm - dismantled and re-erected. They were restored in 1998-2000, but badly storm-damaged in Dec 2010/Jan 2011.

SOUTH CRESCENT, 8

List 9f — Earlier C19 villa. 2 storeys, 3 bays. Red sandstone. Central door in shallow projecting bay with porch (now blocked). 2 flanking 2 storey canted bays. Cornice, blocking course. Piended slate roof, end stacks. B.

Sas Abr 639/640, 1861 1855 — 1855 Feu Con to John Gardner. 1861, NI, T/ees of John Gadrner.

Sas Abr 9271/1885 — 1885 Disp to Hugh Hogarth.

SOUTH CRESCENT, 9-10 — ST THERESA'S

List 9g — Post-1856 semi-detached pair. 3 storeys, 6 bays. Rendered. pair of pilastewred doorpieces (now masked by modern extension), 2 flanking windows. Cill course to 3 1st floor windows. 3 2nd floor windows. Angle and central pilasters, cornice, blocking course. Straught skews. Slate roof, 3 stacks with 4 or 5 octagonal flues. CS.

Sas Abr 3758-3759/1855 — 1855 F Con between Earl of Eglinton and Hugh and Thomas McDonnell, ship-owners. [RS 3/3037 f 102-114 - one witness to H&T<cD's signatures, Septr 1855, was John Moffat].

ASH, Sa 18.5.1867, 5f — Thomas McDonnell, senior, died at 3 South Crescent, 15.5.1867.

AA, 15.8.1867 — For sale. Built in 1856 for Thomas McDonnell.

ASH, Sa 17.8.1867, 1c — 10 SC for sale as p.occ by family of late Hugh McDonnell. ddp+6
9 SC for sale as p.occ by family of late Thomas McDonnell. Built and enclosed by Mr McDonnell in 1856.

ASH, Sa 15.2.1868, 4f — 9SC sold to J G Halkett, banker, Saltcoats, for £725.

Sas Abr 4981/1874 — 9SC. 1874, Disp to Robert Thomson Aitken.

Glasgow Property Index 1898 — 10SC. 769Y. Unsold: upset £900.

SOUTH CRESCENT, 11 — KILMENY

List 9h — c.1840. Tudor Villa. 2 storeys, 4 assymetrical bays. Unfortunate modern addition across ground floor, modern window in left centre advanced gabled bay with remains of hoodmould. Bipartites with pointed heads in outer bays, with wall-head gablets enclosing Scottish arms and fleur-de-lis (left only) finials. 1 windoe to right oft all gabled bay with wall-head gablet and thistle finial. Cornice, straight skews, slate roof. Octagonal piers with Gothic decoration at boundsries. CS.

See 1-14 SC refs c.1858.

ASH, Sa 15.8.1863, 4d — says that William Railton, Kilmarnock, was responsible for 'Mr Moffat's beautiful villa'.

ACC Planning, A5299 — November 1952. Tile roof to sun lounge, Kilmeny Hotel, for James Cameron.

ACC Planning, A6360 — August 1953. Addition to sun lounge, for James Cameron.

ASH, F 21.12.1962, 6ef — New lounge bar, &c., to be formally opened on Monday. Bar of Aro/Minstral blue beech, dye-injected wood from Austria. Wooden panels in ballroom by Gerald Slade School of Art, and from the 1st Class Dining Room of the SS *Britannic*, broken up at Inverkeithing.

c.1997 — Demolished.

SOUTH CRESCENT, 12

List 9i — c.1860 villa. 2 storeys and attic, 3 bays. Ashlar. Central door with 2 flanking hood-moulded windows. 3 windows to 1st floor. Simple cornice. Slate roof, modern box dormer. End stacks with 3 diamond flues. CS.

Sas Abr 497/1870 — 1834 1834 lease to Mary Ann Douglas or Bryce [RS 91/18, fo 156-163: April 1835 witnesses to Bryces' signatures are Robert Laurie and Alexander Anderson, masons in Ardrossan].

ASH, F 14.12.1888, 1c — 12 Crescent for sale.

ASH, 25.9.1903, 2d — [John Smith: Saltcoats 60 Years Ago]. Built in 1836 for the Rev John Bryce, † 1858. The builder was Peter King, Saltcoats. 'For many years the house stood alone among the whins ..'.

SOUTH CRESCENT, 13

List 9j — c.1860 asymmetrical villa. 2 storeys, 3 bays. Red sandstone with yellow dressings. Advanced bya to right; tripartite in shallow projection, tripartite in 1st floor with crest in stepped gable; fleur de lis finial. Central door with moulded architrave and bracketted hood. 1 window to left with hoodmould; 2 windows to 1st floor. Cornice. Slate roof, end stacks. CS.

Sas Abr 728/1861 — 1861 Feu. Former Manse. 428.104.

SOUTH CRESCENT, 14

List 9k — c.1860 asymmetrical villa. 2 storeys, 3 bays. Pebble-dash with painted dressings. Central door with porch supported on eleborate Corinthian columns, having stilted head. 5 light semi-circular bay to left divided by colonettes; tripartite above. 2 light window in shallow porjection to right. 2 bipartites in 1st floor. Shallow projecting bay on west, 5-light window as above, with tripartite on east. bracketted cornice, piended slate roof. B.

SOUTH CRESCENT, 15 - 16/17 - 18/19 - 20 - 21/22

ASH, F 14.10.1887, 4d — We understand Mr Thomas Miller, builder, has feued the whole of the vacant ground W of Ardrossan Academy. [May not equate with all properties between South Beach Road and old Academy]

ASH, F 17.2.1888, 5a — Understood that the 2 new half-villas in South Crescent have been sold by their builder, James Miller.

ASH, F 13.4.1888, 4g — Mr Thomas Miller, builder, Saltcoats, is erecting to order what promises to be a very beautiful villa on the South Crescent, Ardrossan.

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Glasgow Property Index 1898 — 17 South Crescent sold for £1600.

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ACC Planning, A8603 — May 1955. Subdivision (2 flats); Rennie & Bramble, for James Gossman.

STANLEY AVENUE

1, ARISTON

*VR 1943/44 — Howie

2, THE GABLE

*VR 1943/44 — Ritchie

3, AROS

*VR 1943/44 — Thomson

4, DUNELM

*VR 1943/44 — Campbell

5, BENVAREN

*VR 1943/44 — Hogarth

6, HIGHFIELD

*VR 1943/44 — Eaglesham

7, THE COVE

VR 1943/44 — Hopperton. VR 45/45 - 51/52, Ardrossan Harbour Co (harbourmaster, tenant)

8

*VR 1943/44 — McCall

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ACC Planning, 4340 — April 1947. Double bungalow, SA, for Hamilton and Richardson, (market gardeners). [ACC, TPC 10.6.1947, 760, **Black & Shapley**, architects]

VR 1949/50 — House, Hamilton & Richardson. Glasshouses here since *VR 1943/44, initially for Wilfred Lawson.

STANLEY DRIVE

1

ACC Planning, A6574 — October 1953. Bungalow, SD; **Black & Shapley**, for James McClymont.

3

*VR 1943/44 — Frood

5

VR 1949/50 — Wadsworth

7

ACC Planning, 3668 — May 1946. House, S Road, for Brent Manufacturing Co Ltd.

VR 1947/48 — Brent Manufacturing Co Ltd.

9

ACC Planning, A3936 — August 1951. 4A bungalow, SD; **Black & Shapley**, for William Millar.

11

ACC Planning, A6468 — October 1953. House, SD; **William A Hunter**, for Archibald Bannatyne.

13, TER-A-GRAM

ACC Planning, 4034 — November 1946. House, S Road, for George Rae.

VR 1948/49 — Rae

2

*VR 1943/44 — Anderson

4

*VR 1943/44 — Pae

6

*VR 1943/44 — Smyth

8

ACC Planning, A4877 — July 1952. Bungalow, Stanley Drive; Black & Shapley, for Alexander Morrison

10

ACC Planning, A4511 March 1952. Bungalow, SD, for Joseph Bale

12

ACC Planning, 4061 November 1946. Bungalow, SD, A, for J. Smith.
VR 1949/50

14, CARRADALE

*VR 1943/44 Cance

STANLEY ROAD

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VR 1947/48 House, William Loudon & Son

1-39

VR 1948/49 ATC, Temporary

2-32

VR 1949/50 ATC

34-60

VR 1948/49 ATC

WINTON STREET

Mostly good grey sandstone tenements of c.1890-1900

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sv 040406 A tenement, has good Gothick entrance.

WITCHES LINN

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ACC Planning, A8496 April 1955. Bungalow, WL; W A Hunter, for Daniel McLaughlin.

-, LINNFOOT

ACC Planning, A9979 May 1956. House, WL, for James Hendry.

1, BURNFOOT COTTAGE ex 88B Eglinton Road

ACC Planning, A6256 July 1953. Extension, Burnfoot Cottage; William A Hunter, for John Muir.

3

ACC Planning, 5220 April 1948. Bungalow, off ER, for Charles Scott. Licensed August 1950. Called 88A in first VR, VR 1952/53

2

ex 88 Eglinton Road, and in *VR 1948/49

4

ACC Planning, A3621 May 1951. 3A Bungalow, Chapelhill, for James C Cuthill.

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ACC Planning, A4611 April 1952. Bungalow, Chapelhill Road, for Robert Tulip.

8

ACC Planning, A4609 April 1952. Bungalow, CR, for John Robertson.

10

ACC Planning, A4610 April 1952. Bungalow, CR, for Douglas Stewart.

12

ACC Planning, A4992 August 1952. Bungalow, CR; **William A Hunter**, for Malcolm Nicolson.

14

ACC Planning, A5307 November 1952. Bungalow, WL; William A Hunter, for James Buchanan.

16

ACC Planning, A5458 December 1952. Bungalow, Burnfoot; William A Hunter, for John McLennan.

18

ACC Planning, A5720 March 1953. House, WL; William A Hunter, for George Gallacher.

22

ACC Planning, A5900 — April 1953. Bungalow, WL; William A Hunter, for Colin Crooks.

24

ACC Planning, A8844 — July 1955. 5A Bungalow, WL; Black & Shapley, for Alice Milne

YOUNG STREET

Street

TT, F 26.5.1899, 1b — Contractors wanted to form streets (1) between Park Road and Winton Street and (2) between Glasgow Street and Paisley Street. Details, **Allan Stevenson**. Is the second here?

CRESCENT BAR

RCAHMS, E45126 — Plans of c.1965 by **James Houston & Son** for new interiors. PHOTOCOPY herewith.

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ASH, 5.4.1901 — To let, 1 and 2 room and kitchen houses, Young Street. Apply to Allan Gilfillan, architect.

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