AUCHANS [OLD AUCHANS]

List 10 — Ruin of mansion erected by Sir William Cochrane, afterwards Earl of Dundonald. L-plan, with a square tower containing staircase in re-entering angle; western wing has been lengthened, but whole building appears to be about the same period and bears date 1644, a time when the provisions for defence were dropping into disuse. Entrance doorway a good example of Renaissance style then prevalent. Ref: C&DA, ii, 174-179. Scheduled Monument. A.

Reg Mag Sig, VIII, no.1917 — Charter granted by Charles I to Ronald Morray, merchant of Edinburgh, of lands of Auchanes. dated 11 Feb 1632. [earliest mention of lands of Auchans in RMS]

1SA, Vi, 175 — Long the residence of the Wallaces of Dundonald. The famous Auchans Pear grew here.

C&DA, II, 1886, 179 — estate acquired 1640 from Wallaces of Dundonald by Sir William Cochrane, later Earl of Dundonald. Bears date, 1644.

Reg Mag Sig, IX, no.1979 — Charter signed at Auchkanes. 16.6.1648.

RIASQ 24 Winter 1927 — Sketch by John Keppie.

Millar — R W Billings/Antiquities of Scotland. The square balustraded tower is in direct opposition to the cone covered staircase, which breaks the monotony of the main wallface of the mansion in its centre. But the picturesque is more particularly evinced in the arrangement of the crowstepped gables, and especially of the one surmounting the round tower to the R. The flank wall of this gable continues the line of the house, instead of being corbelled upon the tower, which is finished by being simply sloped off to the wall, leaving as a questionable feature what has evidently been a change from the original design.

Newer portion bears date 1644. In 1527 the Wallaces came to estate. In 1638 purchased by Cochrane of Coldoun who built 1644 addition. At Restoration, 1660, he was created Earl of Dundonald. In 1707 it was the jointure house of Susann Kennedy of Colzean, patroness of poets Allan Ramsay and William Hamilton of Bangour. She received Johnson and Boswell here in 1772.

Tranter — This formerly large and impressive mansion is now a complete ruin, and has deteriorated badly in recent years. It is picturesquely situated in wooded country, one mile west of Dundonald. It is said that stones from the much more ancient and famous Dundonald Castle were filched to build Auchans - in which case, history has caught up with it, for the same fate has now befallen this fine building.

Auchans dates from various periods, although the majority of it was built in 1644; almost certainly there was an earlier nucleus, for there were Wallaces of Auchans early in the C16. The house now consists of a long main block three storeys and an attic in height, running E & W, with a wing a storey lower projecting to the N. It is just possible that the western end of the main block, which is of slightly different construction to the rest, and is vaulted while the main house is not, represents the original fortalice, in which case it would be Z-planned, for a circular stair tower rises on the N side, and another tower, circular, but corbelled out to the square at the top, rises diagonally opposite at the SE angle. A tall square stair tower rises within the re-entrant angle of main house and wing, formerly provided with a balustraded top and a conical roofed caphouse. Still another circular stairtower rises on the E front of the N wing, and this also was corbelled out to the square to form a watch chamber at its head. The entrance, by a Renaissance doorway, is in the foot of the main stair tower. The wide stair rose only to 3rd floor level. Above this the tower

walling is slightly offset, and it contains two further storeys each containing a small chamber reached by a narrow turnpike stair constructed within the SW walling. This is the stair which terminates in the caphouse to the flat balustraded roof. The vaulted westernmost chamber was the kitchen, with its wide arched fireplace in the gable. Elsewhere unfortunately the floors have fallen in. The walls are sparsely provided with shotholes.

Auchans remained with the Wallace family until it was purchased from Col James Wallace, a noted Covenanter and leader in the Pentland Rising, in 1636 by Sir William Cochrane of Coldoun. He it was, therefore, who erected most of the house as we now see it. Sir William suffered much for the royal house during the Civil War, but at the restoration was rewarded for his services by being created Earl of Dundonald. Later Auchans came into the possession of the Earls of Eglinton, and here lived the beautiful and accomplished widow of the 9th Earl, formerly Susanna Kennedy of Culzean. She entertained here many of the most notable figures of her time, including Allan Ramsay the poet, and Samuel Johnson with the faithful Boswell. She was a confirmed Jacobite until her death, at the age of 91, in 1780, and kept a portrait of Prince Charles Edward hung in her bedroom so that his face should be the first sight that greeted her on waking. The property was recently reacquired by the Earl of Dundonald, the more modern mansion being nearby. It is unfortunate that this interesting and attractive building should be allowed to crumble away in neglect.

1SA, VI, 175		c.1640 acquired by Sir William Cochrane of Coldoun, later Earl of Dundonald.
2SA, 1845, 679	[12.1841]	Has date stone, 1644. "irregular and grotesque", "hopeless disrepair"; occupied by cottars.
C1861	590 - 2 - 36-38	Occupied by 3 labouring families. C&DA, II, 1886, 174 says "recently" subdivided for workers' houses. Partitions inserted and doorways made. Parts are unsafe.
VR 1892/93		Old Auchans. Prop, Eglinton. Occ, Janet Gilchrist

AUCHANS HOUSE

List 11		Mid C19. 2 storeys; ashlar; 2.1.2 sash window facade, slight centre projection; low parapet and moulded cornice, hipped slate roof; centre pilastered doorway, possibly inserted. L-shape, projecting wing to rear, bay windows; low office wing at other side. Ref: Millar. B
Colvin		Robert Wallace of London exhibited at 1819 RA designs for a mansion "proposed to be erected" for C Monteaulieu Burgess of Colesfield.
Millar		Italianate villa with projecting glazed porch. Extensive conservatory to left of main block. Prop is Eglinton, and occupied by his Commissioner, Hon Greville Richard Vernon. 5 bayed front, of polished ashlar, 2 storeys. Astylar with banded dressings at corners and cornice. Centre bay breaks forward slightly. No pediments
C1861	590 - 2 - 33	Staff only
AA, Th 17.2.1876, 5e		One room damaged by fire last Saturday morning.
C&DA, II, 1886, 174		Marble mantelpiece removed from what is now called dining-room on 1st floor of W wing of Auchans Castle.
VR 1892/93		Prop, Eglinton. Occ, Greville Richard Vernon.
VR 1900/01 - [VR 1939/40]		Prop: R.H. Lady Sophia Constance Allenby Montgomerie, spouse (c.1916 widow) of Samuel Hyndman Montgomerie, Southannan.

Tenants	1900/01 - 1906/07	Hon Greville Richard Vernon
	1909/10	R Logan Kidston, shipowner
	1915/16 - 1919/20	David MacFarlane Wilson, manufacturer

	1925/26 - 1929/30	Major John A Coats. He † 30.6.1932.
	1935/36 - 1939/40	Francis Beattie, manufacturer.
ACC Planning, A4935		July 1952. Re-erect gates/pillars, Auchans, for Earl of Dundonald.
RCAHMS cuttings anent demolition of Ochiltree House, 1952		
		Letters to Scotsman include one from A I Dibbin, Auchans.
Lost Houses		Demolished c.1970
CORRAITH, 366317		
AA, Th 29.3.1838, 1b		To let, as presently possessed by R Kirk, Esq.
AA, Th 28.2.1839, 1a		Mansion of Curreath, 'to let'.
AA, Th 20.2.1840, 1d		To let, as presently possessed by Major Hunter. [Still being advertised in AA, Th 2.4.1840, 1c]
AA, Th 24.9.1840, 4g		Robert Stewart, clothier (of Stewart Brothers), Kilmarnock, died here 23 September 1840.
NSA, 1845, 678		"Modern".
AA 16.3.1854		To let, "recently erected".
C1861	590 - 2 - 8	John D Campbell, W74, JP, b Lerwick, sister, &c.
VR 1892/93 - VR 1893/94		John Stephen Deans Campbell, Fort Meade, Florida. Tenant, Charles Ralph Dubs, gentleman.
VR 1894/95 - VR 1899/1900		J S D Campbell, Durban Place, Moffat. Tenant, Laurence Thomson, writer, Glasgow
VR 1900/01 - VR 1901/02		J S D Campbell, Moffat. Tenant, John Finlay Maclaren, ironfounder, Eglinton Foundry, Glasgow.
VR 1902/-3		Peter Jeffrey Mackie. Tenant, Maclaren.
VR 1903/04 - VR 1924/25		[Sir] P. J. Mackie.
VR 1925/26 - VR 1945/46		T.l. Sir Peter J Mackie. Tenant, Lady Mackie
notes		Peter J Mackie was tenant of Auchlochan in VR 1895, and at Glenfairn, Ayr, in C1901. C1901 he's distiller, m45, b Stirling; spo, Jessie A, 35; children: James Logan, 7, Glasgow; Jessie J, 4, Glasgow; Mary J, 2, Ayr. See Card Index. he died 22.9.1924, aged 69; Lady Mackie died at Westhaven, Lochend Road, Troon, 23..6.1945, aged 80
ACC Planning, 3225		November 1945. Alterations, C, for S.Y.H.A. Plans back from District Office March 1947.
VR 1946/47		S.Y.H.A.
AA, Th 22.7.1948, 4c		Final settlement of estate of Peter Jeffrey Mackie, died 22.9.1924. His wife died in 1945, and liferent passed to her daughter, Jessie Isobel Mackie-Campbell. She renounced liferent in 1947, and estate now goes to her three children: Peter Lorne Mackie-Campbell, 1st Batt., Rifle Brigade; Colena I Mackie-Campbell or Campbell, Glenholm, Monkton; Patricia Isobel Mackie-Campbell or McDiarmid, Brancha Lodge, Wishaw.
AP, F 28.1.1949, 10f		Burns Supper, 22.1.1949. John Fowler, Immortal Memory; W B Thomson, president.
ACC Planning, A4712		May 1952. Alterations to bathroom, for SYHA. J Munro, Master of Works.
3SA, 1955, 628		Occupied by military during war, and now property of SYHA.
ACC Planning, A9950		April 1956. Alterations; Scottish Aviation Ltd, Building & Contracting Division, for Leslie Walton.
SAC, ACC Planning Committee 14.11.1961		
		Is shortly to be converted into four houses." The outbuildings have already been converted into a house, and this reference relates to an enquiry about building a new house in the grounds.
AP 4.4.1969		Foundation stone found March 1969 by workmen working on stone from demolished Corraith House. Laid 9 June 1846 in presence of John Deans Campbell of Corraith and Hoey? Demolished c.1968.

BUNGALOW, THE, 367318
COTTAGES

CO3/12/3/35	NBC 5.9.1902	D Cottage, C, for P J Mackie
CO3/12/3/41	NBC 14.7.1922	Cottage, C, for Sir P Mackie

EAST LODGE, 367319
LODGE

CO3/12/3/35	NBC 12.6.1903	Gatelodge, C, for P J Mackie
CO3/12/3/39	NBC 10.7.1914	Gatelodge, C, for P J Mackie

WEST LODGE (= LODGE?), 364316

ACC Planning, 3331	January 1946. Alterations
ACC Planning, 4679	September 1947. Alterations, West Lodge. [**James Hay & Steel**]
ACC Planning, A2652	August 1950. Bay window and porch, Corraith, for Phyllis Whatmore.
GH 26.3.2008	Estate agency advert, PHOTOCOPY herewith.

WESTERCROFT, 362314

VR 1915/16	P.J. Mackie. **House in course of erection**.
VR 1916/17 - VR 1919/20	P.J. Mackie. Esther Bell, tenant.
VR 1920/21 - VR 1921/22	P.J. Mackie. William Lindsay Carlow, tenant
VR 1922.23 - VR 1924/25	P.J. Mackie. G.O.L. Campbell, tenant
VR 1925/26 - VR 1926/27	T.l. Sir P.J. Mackie. Hon Cecil Arthur, tenant
VR 1927/28 - VR 1944/45	T.l. Sir P.J. Mackie. Mary Kay Finlayson or Dubs
VR 1945/46	T.l. Sir P.J. Mackie. Empty.
VR 1946/47 - VR 1969/70	Adam M Hamilton (stepfather of Susannah York)
ACC Planning, A5861	April 1953. Additions and alterations; Stevenson & Ferguson, for A.M. Hamilton.
VR 1970/71	Mrs Jane Hamilton. Adam Hamilton, tenant
VR 1971/72 - [VR 1974/75]	Major Robert and Mrs beryl Scott

CHAUFFEUR'S HOUSE, WESTERCROFT

CO3/12/3/42	NBC 20.4.1923	CH, W, for G.O.L. Campbell.

GARDENERS HOUSE, WESTERCROFT

CO3/12/3/41	NBC 19.5.1922	Gardeners House, W, C, for Sir P Mackie; **J R Johnstone**, Troon.

CROSSBURN HOUSE
[See also Crossburn in Farms file]

List 25		Date 1832 on stone gate pier. White painted stucco; 2 storeys; 3 sash windows, splayed 2 storey bay; pedimented projecting porch; low parapet and cornice; slate roof. Wing extending to rear is probably C18. B
SRA[A] AGN 1143		Built by William Young, senior, builder, Troon.
C1861	590 - 2 - 18	Land Steward's House. William McClean, M50, land steward, b Girvan, and family.
AA 31.12.1896		Fire yesterday: only walls left standing. Property of Duke of Portland.
KS 2.1.1897		Fire here 30 12 1896.
BI 7/82	January 1897	mansion House destroyed by fire, 30.12.1896

DALLAM TOWER

CO3/12/3/39	NBC 17.3.1916	House, Loans, for Jean Gilmore
Sasine Minute 377 of 1978		Ist feu is 1916, recorded 30.10.1916. 1A 40P Disponed to Jean McAllister or Gilmour.
AA, CO 3/18/2/24A B7251		Additions and alterations, 1961, by **Francis B Dunbar** for John Haldane. Part PHOTOCOPY herewith
ACC, Y/74/139	March 1974	Conversion to hotel. **Hay Steel MacFarlane & Partners**, for Dunlop Westayr Ltd.
AP, F 30.9.1977, 43def		New licence application. Hotel - Ian Carmichael.
nr		1984-1986 extension, King Main & Ellison

DUNDONALD CASTLE

"CRADLE OF THE STEWARTS"

List 8	King Robert II rebuilt this castle which became his favourite residence. His chief work at Dundonald consists of a very large oblong tower-house, remarkable in itself and for the way in which it incorporates the remains of a C13 gatehouse. Most of this tower, and much of the barmkin wall survive. The castle stands on an isolated hill and is a notable landmark. Refs: C&DA, i, 167-175. Guardianship Monument. A.
1SA, VI, 175	"A large pile still remains. The walls are very thick, and built of whinstone ... The corners are of freestone, superior to any found in the parish. The Srewart arms are engrossed in different parts of the building, and the whole has much the form of those castles which were raised in many places of Britain during the C12 and C13. Gives alternate name of Kemplaw Castle.
2SA, 1854, 675	Entire storey removed to build House of Auchans. 2 storeys covered by rough arch. Walls of greenstone with freestone corners. 113' long by 40' wide. Keep at S end with 2 or 3 arched cells. Arms of Stewart and others on W wall - almost indistinguishable". Traces of outer fortifications. Contained pre-Reformation chapel of St Ninian - no trace now.
KWP, 11.8.1860	Article on Rowallan. Refers to Lady Marie's Chapel within Dundonald Castle as probable location of marriage of Robert II and Elizabeth Mure of Rowallan.
Groome, 1884, 427	Legend that it was built without a single wooden pin by Donald Din, or Din Donald. [Chambers, R, Popular Rhymes of Scotland, pp 236-238].
NMRS	1905 restoration, Dick Peddie & Mackay. Plans in MNRS Peddie & W Browne, Attic 2, Bin 19, Bag 2.
C&DA, 1886, I, 167	Robert II died here in 1390.
Reg Mag Sig, II, no.1530	Charter of James II confirming custody of the castle of Dundonald on Alan, Lord Cathcart. 13.12.1482.
Reg Mag Sig, III, no.367	Charter granted by James V to William Wallace, son of Hugh Wallace of Craigy of lands of Dundonald with the fortalice. Dated 15.8.1526.
Reg Mag Sig, III, no.1583	Charter granted by James V to Robert Boyd and Helen Somerville, his wife, of the lands of Dundonald with the fortalice. 20.5.1536.
Reg Mag Sig, III, no.3136	Charter granted by Queen Mary to John Wallace of lands of Dundonald with the castle, fortalice. Dated 10.7.1545.
C&DA, i, 167-175	Photocopy herewith
Historic Scotland Official Guide	c.1996. Copy herewith.

EARLIER STRUCTURES

AANHS, Feb 2011 talk	The previous (and first) stone castle is said to have similarities with the castle at Coucy le Chateau. Alexander II's wife was a de Coucy.

VISITOR CENTRE

AP, F 27.10.1995, 5a	Competition; won by a firm of architects from Dunblane.

SEE ALSO

Jules Verne, The Underground City, Edinburgh, Luath, 2005. First published in 1877 as Les Indes noires, and first translated as Child of the Cavern, London, 1877.

FAIRLIE HOUSE, 385359

List 13	Built c 1800 by Sir William Cuninghame Fairlie [succ 1781, d 1811]. A pleasant Regency mansion, rectangular on plan, basement area on all four sides; 2 principal storeys, attic dormers to rear; ashlar; 1.3.1 facade, slight centre projection; end panelled pilasters; low parapet, moulded cornice, triglyph frieze; hipped slate roof; 5 tall panelled chimneys placed in a line along ridge of roof. Recessed columned porch, inner door with fanlight, flight of entrance steps; main hall and

staircase lighted by Palladian window on half landing; some good interior decoration, mantelpieces, 4 circular rooms. Refs - Millar - NSA, v, 678 - NMRS. A.

NMRS — Plans, papers, C18. Papers in SRO re garden produce &c.

Raymond E M Harvey, The History of the Harvey Family, London, 1933, p.16

To John Harvie Wright at Newport near Halifax, to the care of William Allan merchant their.

Irvien, March 23rd 1782. Dear Brother ... this troubesm time is likely to stop all tread hear but I have reason to be thankful that I have as mouch ado as any of this pleas I have a gentlemans hous todo in Dendonald Mr Alexander Farlie of Farlie Esq which will take three thousand pounds sterling to finish it and I wrought the last year at it and this year and it will serve the next year too. I have contracted for the finishing of the house It is thought to be the best hous in this countrysid. I have 8 men and 2 sawers emploied at present ... Francis Harvie

Boswell, 19 January 1786 — Ref to dispute between Alexander Fairlie of Fairlie and **Thomas Clayton**, plasterer, for non-payment

nr — April 1984. David Walker suggested **David Hamilton** as architect. Reasons include broad pilasters at ends.

AA, Th 31.1.1828, 1b — To let, as presently possessed by Alexander Gordon, Esq. PHOTOCOPY herewith.

AO, Tu 12.3.1833, 1b — To let, 'modern and commodiously laid out'.

C1841 590-2-pp12/13 — servants only.

C1851 590-1-55 — Sir John Cunninghame Fairlie, M71, b Riccarton, wife, and 5 servants.

C1861 590-1-54 — Thomas Anderson, M49, Sheriff Substitute, b Edinburgh, family and staff.

ASH, Sa 14.9.1861, 1d — To let, unfurnished. Dining room - drawing room - 10 bedrooms.

[1869, estate being sold. — See Estates]

KS 4.6.1870 — Alterations and repairs, 1868. **Reid**, upholsterer, Kilmarnock.

AA, Th 23.2.1871, 1d — To let. [There appears to have been some dispute between Cunninghame and Anderson. See for instance AA, Th 23.3.1871, 6f.]

C1871 590-1-19 — Anderson, family and staff.

VR 1892/93 — Prop, W.C. Smith Cunningham of Caprington. Occupier, John Cross, gent.

ACC Planning, A1156 — June 1949. Alterations and repairs, for Norman Pillans. **Frank Burnet & Boston**, Glasgow. Approved July 1949.

ACC Planning, A2151 — April 1950. Electricity. (SWSEB)

SRC, P&D 6.2.1980, 270 — Grant of £5,000 offered by SRC for emergency repairs and restoration. Conditions include public access by arrangement.

GARDENER'S HOUSE

ACC Planning, A1261 — July 1949. Additions, Gardener's House, for Norman Pillans. **Frank Burnet & Boston**, Glasgow.

GLASSHOUSE

GD237/113/4 — Rough sketch of glasshouse inscribed verso, "Mr David Henderson's sketch of a Vine House 1783".

HAYSHED

ACC Planning, A1761 — November 1949. Frank Burnet & Boston, Glasgow, for Norman Pillans.

LODGE, 388356

List 16 — Pedimented; limewashed, black painted stone dressings; later additions at side and to rear. 2 detached round columned piers, ball finials. A.

ACC Planning, B1990 — November 1957. Alterations to lodge; Stevenson & Ferguson, for Norman Pillans. Reference to 'new agent', and many amendments to plans before and affair consent first granted.

STABLES [FAIRLIE MAINS]

List 15		Stable range, now private house. Centre pedimented arched opening topped by octagonal tower with spire. B.
ACC Planning, A4871		July 1952. Alterations to form garage; Alexander Dunlop, for Archibald Hendry.
	WALLED GARDEN	
List 14		Stone walled enclosure; stone on pentice gable of garden shed dated 1776. OSA, iii, 620. C.

HILLHOUSE

List 23		C18. Harled; 2 storeys and raised basement area; 3 sash windows, slight centre pedimented projection; moulded eaves; hipped slate roof, 2 hipped dormers; 2 tall chimneys placed symmetrically. Modern porch now obscures original doorway and recessed round arched panel with shell ornament. Victorian additions at side and to rear. Refs: Millar - NSA, v, 678. B.
Mackintosh, Old Troon, 1969, 69		Says 3rd mansion on site, dating rebuilds to 1671 and 1800.
AA, Th 7.3.1822, 1d		To let.
AO, Tu 17.7.1832, 1c		Hillhouse Farm is to let, including 51 acres called "Old Park and Pleasure Grounds".
AO, Tu 6.11.1832, 1b		To let. The house is 'well-furnished, capacious and delightfully situated'.
AO, Tu 19.2.1833, 1a		To let.
C1861	590 - 2 - 41	Staff only.
Millar, A H, C & M of Ayrs, 1885		Photograph, before additions.
Sas Min 8611 of 1885. 446.37		1885 DSpS. Passes from William McKerrell of Hillhouse to Robert Mure McKerrell of Hillhouse, as heir male of tailzie and provision. Relationship not specified.
VR 1892/93		Prop, Robert Mure McKerrell, London. Occupier, David Edward Johnstone.
AA 22.3.1894		Estate for sale.
RSA, 1896, no.459		Proposed additions, 1896, Leadbetter & Fairley
CO3/12/3/35	NBC 6.3.1903	Alterations, HIllhouse House, for Mr Thorneycroft
CO3/12/3/38	NBC 13.1.1911	Additions and alterations, H, for J B Thorneycroft
AA 18.5.1911		Extensive enlargement.
British Architect, lxxv, 360		Extensive enlargement being built, 1911: roughly doubling size of house. P & W Anderson, Glasgow, builders. Cost, inc new staff cottages, electricity house, lodge, garage and large 2A rose garden, c. £15,000.
Glenfield Ramblers vol 8/9, 1919, p.98		Visited by Glenfield Ramblers August 1913. References to stone over garden entrance, "J McK 1671"; to an old Moorish window from Seville forming a very pretty gateway, and to a gate by Miss Anderson of Barskimming.
	COTTAGES	
CO3/12/3/37	NBC 14.2.1908	Cottage, H, for Mr Logan
CO3/12/3/38	NBC 13.1.1911	Cottages, H, for J B Thorneycroft
	HOUSE	
CO3/12/3/38	NBC 13.1.1911	House, H, for J B Thorneycroft
	LODGE	
CO3/12/3/36	NBC 12.4.1907	Gatelodge, H, for J B Thorneycroft.
CO3/12/3/38	NBC 10.2.1911	Gatelodge, H, for J B Thorneycroft
	STABLES	
List 24		Early C19; courtyard; gables have Gothic finials. C.

NEWFIELD

Caledonian Mercury, M 26.8.1782, 3c

For sale in Edinburgh, 25.11.1782. £8000. Has 'an exceedingly good house upon the estate.'

1SA, vi, 176 "Modern" mansion; prop Major Crawford.

C1861 590-1-21 James Finnie, U38, landed proprietor, b Portugal.

Millar, A.H., 1885 Ancient name was Galrigs. The present mansion in Jacobean style is of recent date. Part erected c.1725.

VR 1892/93 Prop, William Finnie of Newfield, Welwyn. Occupier, William Henderson, shipbuilder, Glasgow

KS, Sa 23.2.1924, 5b Died, W 20.2.1924, 90th year, Miss Elizabeth Montgomerie of Newfield. daughter of William Eglinton Montgomerie of Annick Lodge, and at Newfield more than 30 years.

ACC Planning, A1839 December 1949. Electricity supply.

3SA, 1955, p 628 Purchased by mining company: plantations felled and gardens neglected.

EAST LODGE, 382350

LODGE (South end of estate), 383342. Well across road at 38273423

LODGE

CO3/12/3/35 NBC 8.7.1904 Lodge, N, for Miss Finnie

NEWFIELD MAINS, 377347

NORTH LODGE, 377354

ACC, Y/74/18 January 1974 Extension to North Lodge, for Hugh McPhee. **McLean Gibson & Associates**, Ayr.

NEWFIELD MAINS ROAD, and within the estate

CULNAUGHTY, 373347

SVR 1967-1968 1 September 1967, for Robert Kenneth

LOCHSIDE, 374343

THE MOUNT, 371347

WUNDRALEA, 377352

CREMATORIUM (PROPOSED)

SAC, ACC Health Committee 23.7.1962

Visits to proposed sites at Masonhill and Newfield (Dundonald)., and to Daldowie Crematorium at Uddingston. Masonhill preferred, and layout and preliminary plans, prepared by J Pollock, Depute County Architect, forwarded to Scottish Home & Health Department.

ROBERTLAND

ASH, F29.4.1887, 5a Burned down yesterday.

ROBERTLOAN HOUSE

VR 1892/93 Fullarton. Tenant, Crossburn farmer. Occupier, Edward Douglas Prothero, gent.

SHEWALTON

EG, 12608, F 17.10.1913, 1087a, a Portland entail notice, has 'Guthries and Boatstabs (now called Shewalton)'

NMRS Sheaf Catalogue Built 1806 - demolished between wars.

Cockburn 16 September 1844. We drove in the forenoon to Ayr, from whence George Maitland, Mark Napier the Advocate Depute, and I walked to Craigie House on a visit, after which Napier and I came on here to the Lord President Boyle's. We were in time for a two hours walk before dinner, and have passed an agreeable, though not a very merry, evening; for it is a heavy house. The only persons who have been here, besides the family, Napier and I, have been Alison, the historian, and his spouse [Archibald Alison, Sheriff of Lanarkshire]

Shewalton is a mere farm; but is a very good one. Quite flat, with good land, and much capable of being made so, all in excellent order, chiefly in clean, well laid down pasture, not unlike an English farm, except that

there are no decent trees, and which is worse, none that time will ever make decent. The President is an honest, kind gentleman; and it was very agreeable to find a Chief-Justice enjoying his vacation in check trousers, thick shoes and a grey jacket; with a weed-hook in his hand, health in his stomach, and jolly good humour in his face. The river Irvine gives little, if any, mere beauty to his place. But he partakes in common with all the coast of Ayrshire, of glorious Arran.

AA 18.4.1889 — House built by Colonel John Boyle, who †1834.

Imp Gaz, 1855, vi, 346 — Plain mansion of 2 storeys. 1806.

C1861 590 - 2 - 72 — Patrick Boyle, M55, landed proprietor and non-practising advocate, b Edinburgh, and family.

Millar, A.H., Cas & Man Ayrs, 1885

In C15 manor-place was a fortalice, which stood until present mansion was erected in 1806 for Colonel Boyle of Shewalton.

VR 1892/93 — Prop, Robert & James Kenneth, Buckredding. Occupier, William Weir of Kildonan.

3SA, 1955, p.628 — Demolished, as a result of mining subsidence.

WEST LODGE

ACC Planning, A7120 — April 1954. Bathroom, West Lodge, Shewalton; Robert Rennie, for A Kenneth & Son Ltd.

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