INGRAM PLACE

Kilmarnock TC, 10.7.1907	New street off south side of Dean Road to be called Ingram Place. Architects are Ingram & Brown.

IRVINE ROAD, ---

CO3/12/3/38	NBC 18.11.1910	Building, irvine Road, Kilmarnock, for A McCrone.
CO3/12/3/42	NBC 8.2.1924	4 houses, Irvine Road, Kilmarnock, for Caprington and Auchlochan Coal Co.
	FILLING STATION	
KTC, 28.10.1959		TP 59/134, for A.A. Cowan.
KTC, DoGC 25.1.1960		4116. Objections, continued.

IRVINE ROAD/DAVID ORR STREET

SRC, WDC 22.5.1984	NT. Barratt (Falkirk) Ltd.

JAMES LITTLE STREET
NEST UNITS

SRC, E&ID 27.6.1984, 624	Contract. John Moulds (Kilmarnock) Ltd., £401,102.

JOHN DICKIE STREET

KS, Sa 12.11.1870, 1dh	Roads proposed in new Kilmarnock Municipal Bill include one between Grange Street and improved Strand Street, which may be either Dunlop Street or John Dickie Street.
ASH, Sa 6.6.1874, 1a	Contractors wanted, for a new street from John Finnie Street to Cheapside. Plans at office of **Robert Blackwood**, CE, Kilmarnock.
KS, 23.6.1883	Contractors wanted for an extension of John Dickie Street from John Finnie Street to Grange Place. Plans, **William Railton**, CE, for Kilmarnock Town Council.

JOHN DICKIE STREET, c1-7

Sas Abr 5555 of 1883	1883 Disp by Allan Gilmour, ironmaster, Kilmarnock - to J M Pearson, architect & CE - of nearly Δar p.o.g of 222 sq yd, fronting new street now named John Dickie St, and also fronting Strand St. 19.11.1883. 401.134.

JOHN FINNIE STREET

Notes to LB 39	John Finnie Street was opened up by the Town Improvement Trustees in 1864. Funds were provided by John Finnie of Bowden Lodge, Manchester, a native of Kilmarnock. The street has an impressive number of good red sandstone commercial buildings and is an unusually complete example of street architecture of the 1870s-1900s. The whole street makes a B group. Archibald Adamson's Rambles Round Kilmarnock, 1875, says 'John Finnie Street is fast assuming importance and bids fair in an architectural point of view to be the finest thoroughfare in town'.
KWP, 6.4.1861, 5a	Proposed new street. Plans submitted - after close of business - to Police Commissioners by the Provost: 'The street, beginning at St Marnock Street, would strike through the site of Mr Steven's property in Bank Street - through the gardens - cross over Nelson Street, at the single storey old houses immediately below the well - through gardens - cross through College Wynd at late Mrs Davies' property - through gardens - touch Mr Crawford's house in Dunlop Street, and necessitate the demolition of Langlands House (Mr Thomson's)'. Commercial and sanitation advantages.

AA, Th 2.7.1863	Reference to proposed new street.
KWP, Sa 4.7.1863, 4c	Langlands has been bought by a Kilmarnock native resident in England, so that the new street can be progressed. Also editorial comment on 6ab. [The purchaser is, I assume, John Finnie of Manchester].
KWP, Sa 28.5.1864	Contractors wanted for new street in Kilmarnock. Plans with Mr **Railton** and Mr **Blackwood**, CEs.
KWP, Sa 18.6.1864	Building materials from properties taken down for John Finnie Street - including Langlands House - to be sold.
KWP, Sa 18.8.1864	Successful contractor is **Charles Reid**.
KS, 29.10.1864	Opened 26.10.1864.
KWP, Sa 29.10.1864, 3af	Report of formal opening on W 26.10.1864.
Directory 1868	Trustees for Improvement of Kilmarnock are: Provost, Eldest Bailie, Treasurer, F J Turner, Archibald Finnie of Springhill, William Fairlie of Holmes, Peter Sturrock, John Crooks, Flowerbank, James Donald, Abbey Villa, John Finnie, Bowden Lodge, Manchester.
JOHN FINNIE STREET, --	
AA, Th 1.2.1883	A British Workmen's Public House is to be built in John Finnie Street. Plans prepared by Mr Ingram.
AA, Th 7.6.1883	Adjoining Co-operative Buildings.
JOHN FINNIE STREET, --	
BI 1/9 Dec 1890	Alterations and additions to Stevenson's auction mart, [John] Finnie Street, are in progress.
JOHN FINNIE STREET, --	
KS, Sa 12.3.1904	Extension to Masonic Halls, John Finnie Street, formally opened last week.
JOHN FINNIE STREET, 3-9	KILMARNOCK CLUB
List 39	J & R S Ingram, 1899. Plain 2-storey 4-bay symmetrical block, with wide canted corner bays. Polished ashlar with rusticated piers flanking 2 central bays at 1st floor, supporting entablature, blocking course and central segmental pediment, enclosing arms of Kilmarnock Club; crowning stack and short supporting balustrade. Return elevation to Dunlop Street: brick, with off-centre pedimented doorpiece, the entrance to the club. Interior: hall with some original decoration.
KS, 4.5.1984	First AGM of Kilmarnock Club held 26.3.1884 in George Hotel, and in September 1884 took rooms in Green Street. In February 1898 agreed to acquire this site from the Misses Finnie, and building completed the following year at a cost of £6.065. The entrance hall, with its distinctive pillars and stained glass windows, leads to a beautiful oak staircase. Photo. Photocopy herewith.
Donnelly & Jones, 19	On site of old Parochial Board offices.
KS, Sa 18.6.1898	SKETCH of proposed new Club. **R S Ingram**. Ballochmyle stone, £3000+. **James Rome & Sons**, masons; Robert Stevenson, slater; **Galbraith & Winton**, Glasgow, mosaic tile work.
Donnelly & Jones, 20	Total tendered cost was £2684 8s 4d. Romes did mason and joiner work.
AA, Th 23.6.1898	The new Club premises which are to be erected in John Finnie Street will be 2 storeys in height, and have frontages also to Dunlop Street and John Dickie Street. 4 shops on ground floor; main entrance to club in Dunlop Street. Ballochmyle red stone. R S Ingram, architect.

Donnelly & Jones, 22 — Formally opened Monday 20th November 1899. Entrance hall with Corinthian columns; heraldic stained glass in stairway; Upper hall with Corinthian columns, and stained glass lantern in billiard room. Stained glass, Keir & Son, Glasgow.

AA, Th 23.11.1899 — Formally opened last Monday.

HISTORY

Donnelly & Jones, 15 — First AGM W26.3.1884 in George Hotel; Rooms in Green Street opened c. 24th September 1884.

JOHN FINNIE STREET, --

CENTRAL HALL

List 40 — c.1900. 2 storey 3 bay symmetrical hall with Italian Romanesque detail. Snecked and finely stugged ashlar with polished dressings. Central bay in shallow recess, under tall, semi-circular headed, keystoned arch, with door and fanlight at ground, heavily bracketed balcony to triple, round arched lights in 1st floor. 4 similarly detailed lights in outer 1st floor bays. Main cornice, balustraded parapet raised and solid to centre, with consoled brackets. Piended slate roof. CS.

KS, 2.12.1933 — Central Hall for Christian Brethren to be formally opened today. **W F Valentine**, architect.

JOHN FINNIE STREET, 25-29

List 41 — c.1885. 2 storeys, 3 bays. Ashlar with raised quoins to 1st floor. Central door with bracketted cornice, flanking shop fronts with outer pilasters and continuous cornice. 3 windows to 1st floor, with hoodmoulds. Cornice and blocking course. Slate roof. Refs: Directories. CS.

AA, Th 5.1.1888; ASH, F 6.1.1888, 8b — We understand that the Industrial Co-operative Society Ltd. have secured the feu adjoining the Laigh kirk Mission Hall and will proceed to erect handsome new premises in the course of the summer months. Shop, bakery, store, 7c.

AA, Th 1.3.1888 — Mr Ingram had been appointed architect and was preparing plans.

TT, F 28.7.1899, 1gh — Advert. William Bone, cycle agent, 29 John Finnie Street.

KS, Sa 19.4.1924, 2c — Advert. Caldwell's Pram House, 25 John Finnie Street

JOHN FINNIE STREET, 31-37

LAIGH KIRK MISSION HALL

List 42 — 1896. 2 storey, 3-bay symmetrical facade with Gothic detail, additional bay at right. Finely stugged coursers with ashlar dressings. Central doorpiece, with semi-octagonal piers rising into 1st floor with crenellated blind parapet between; nook shafts and stilted, pointed-arched head to door. Modern shops at ground. Mullion and transom windows in outer 1st floor, finialled and gabled bays with pointed hood-moulds enclosing carved panels. Slate roof with red ridge tiles. Ref: MoW Register 1893-98, no.239. CS.

AA, Th 30.8.1883 — Contracts have been arranged.

KS, Sa 16.2.1884 — Memorial stone laid last Wednesday. Architects: [J L] **Bruce and** [D] **Sturrock**, Glasgow. 63' frontage. Clerestory of 28 circular windows. back gable - 23 ' circular window. Frontage generally EE. Richly carved and arched central entrance, flanked by 2 octagonal piers, capped by a battlemented parapet. Flanking this doorway on either side are 3 moulded arches resting on circular piers with foliated caps. The upper storey is marked by 2 large gables, each containing a three-light mullioned and transomed window, with richly moulded arch over, containing a cinquefoil panel, flanked by carved spandrels and heavy portrait heads carved within the cinquefoils. Gables terminate by carved finials. Over the main doorway is a single window capped by a

smaller stone gable, and the main roof over this is enriched by a cusped and trabeated fleche or spirelet, terminated by an iron cross. Generally Ballochmyle stone.

AA, Th 21.2.1884 — Memorial stone laid last Wednesday week, 13.2.1884.

KS, Sa 18.10.1884 — Opened last Wednesday.

AA, Th 23.10.1884 — Was opened last week.

EAC, 10/0725/LB — Demolition of existing kitchen to rear and erection of new kitchen and wc. Advertised, August 2010. Plans: Munro Architects.

JOHN FINNIE STREET, 39-41

List 43 — c.1870, Gothic. 2 storeys, 3 bays. Ashlar. Ground floor with unfortunate modern shop fronts. 1st floor bays divided by pilaster strips rising to facetted finials. central mullion and transom, 4-light window with squared hoodmould, raised to star at centre. Triple lights with pointed heads in outer bays. Corbelling to cornice and central gable, with decorative crow-steps and finial. Slate roof. CS.

Hugh Watson — suggest 1888-89 for the breakaway Kilmarnock Industrial Co-operative Society (to 1898), and then used by masons until they moved to London Road.

JOHN FINNIE STREET, 43-49

List 44 — Probably post 1918. Long, 2-storey, 5-bay range using many of the details found in 51-53 JFS. Ashlar with channelled piers at ground floor single or paired, Corinthian engaged columns between 1st floor glazed bays, supporting entablature and blind parapet. Ground floor altered; wide pend at right. Shallow canted central 1st floor bay, marked by pedestals in parapet, the latter raised to centre. Slate roof. CS.

KTC, DOG 24.4.1972 — Plan 1082, alterations and extensions, for Longpark Hosiery Co Ltd., £12,000.

Ayrshire News, Oct/Nov 2012, 20 — FUNDING APPROVAL FOR NEXT PHASE OF KILMARNOCK'S REGENERATION. £45,000 THI award for repairs to Co-op Funeral Care building. See also 100-106 JFS.

JOHN FINNIE STREET, 51-53

List 45 — c.1870. Classical. 2-storey, 5-bay office building with channelled piers to ground floor; wide central door and 4 windows in rounded architraves. Dentilled cornice over ground floor. Semi-circular headed windows to 1st floor with blind balustrades and mask keystones. Bays divided by paired, engaged Corinthian columns with decorative lion heads in frieze above. Dentilled, modillion cornice, balustraded parapet. Woodstock Street elevation; 3 bays with central door similarly detailed. Lower additional bay to left. Piended slate roof. Ref: Adamson. Note: In 1875, offices of Archibald Finnie & Son, coalmasters. B.

AA, Th 14.8.1873 — Plans of offices for A Finnie & Son - Mr **Ingram**, architect - passed at Dean of Guild Court.

KS 2.8.1879 — Finnie's offices, John Finnie Street, attributed to James Ingram in his obituary.

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EG, Tu 20.12.1938 — Robert James Milligan, solicitor, here and of 12 London Road, in sequestration - final dividend.

JOHN FINNIE STREET, 55-57

List 46 — c.1890. 2 storeys and attic with 3 wide bays to both elevations. Ashlar. All ground floor openings with semi-circular heads; doors in outer bays flank 3 inner windows. 1st and 2nd floors with 2-storey canted oriels in outer bays on main elevation, with pedimented gable heads. Central attic window with similarly gabled head. Woodstock Street elevation: 4 semi-circular arched windows to ground floor and 3 pilastered and transomed windows in each floor above; pedimented gable heads to attic windows, with stack set behind central. Steeply pitched, piended, slated roof. Note: Former British Linen Bank. CS.

KS, Sa 31.5.1890 — We understand that Messrs Kinnear & Peddie, architects, Edinburgh, have been given instructions for the removal of the step projecting on to the footpath in John Finnie Street, Kilmarnock, according to the decision of the Council.

KS, Sa 10.1.1891, 3h — To be occupied on Monday. **Peddie & Kinnear**, architects. **Boyd & Forrest**, masons; **William McLetchie**, Cumnock, joiner.

AA, Th 15.1.1891 — The new building for the British Linen Company bank in John Finnie Street has now been finished and was opened for business on Monday last. It is situated at the corner of John Finnie Street and Grange Place, with frontages of 56' to John Finnie Street and 45' to Grange Place. The style adopted for the exterior is Renaissance. The windows and doors of the street floor have circular heads with archivolt mouldings. A frieze and cornice mark the level of the first floor, the windows of which have panelled pilasters, with moulded caps and base supporting an architrave and carried up through the frieze to the main cornice of the building. The whole is finished with a panelled parapet and steep pitched roof, in which the bedroom floor windows, flanked with pilasters and surmounted with high pitched panelled and moulded gables, form bold and effective features. Boyd & Forrest, masons. £3300. The building which is of a very massive and imposing character was designed and erected under the superintendence of the bank architects, Messrs Kinnear & Peddie, Edinburgh, upon whom all the arrangements reflect great credit.

1991 — Bradford and Bingley BS.

JOHN FINNIE STREET, 59-71 — HALIFAX B.S.

BI 80/943 October 1968 — Contracts have been let. **Hay Steel MacFarlane & Partners**, Kilmarnock, architects.

CO 3/9/3/325 SVR 1970-71 — Occupied 28.5.1970.

JOHN FINNIE STREET, 73 — POST OFFICE

See Public Buildings. 1907, W T Oldrieve

JOHN FINNIE STREET, 75-77

List 48 — 1894-95. 3 storeys, 4 bays. Red sandstone. Original shop front in central and right bays; attached Corinthian banded shafts flank entrance. Door with scrolled pediment and goods entrance to left. Ovolo moulded fascia. 2-storey canted bay to 1st and 2nd floor outer bays, the central light of the 2bd floor bays pedimented. 2 central windows with eared architraves, those to 1st floor with scrolled pediments. Cill courses to both storeys, string course above 1st. Straight skews, moulded skewputts, slate roof. Ref: Directories. CS.

JOHN FINNIE STREET, 2-4 — OSSINGTON With ----- WEST GEORGE STREET

KS, 4.10.1884 — To be opened next Saturday. Messrs **Ingram**, architects.

AA, Th 9.10.1884 — The Ossington Coffee Tavern - a temperance public house - will be opened on Saturday. Handsome block of buildings situated at the

corner of John Finnie Street, West George Street and the Strand. Queen Anne style of architecture, freely treated; 2 storeys in height. On 1st floor at corner, over the main bar, is a reading room, with oriel window to West George Street and balcony to John Finnie Street. The buildings have been arranged and carefully designed from instructions received from Mr F J Turner and his son, J H Turner, resident factor here to Lady Ossington, by Messrs Ingram, Kilmarnock.

KS, 6.12.1890; AA, Th 11.12.1890 The Ossington Coffee House is to be extended over the vacant ground between it and the Braehead Church. Mr Ingram is to prepare plans.

JOHN FINNIE STREET, 6-12 OPERETTA HOUSE

List 49 **J & R S Ingram**, 1874. 2 storey, 9 bay symmetrical range (former operetta house) with Italian Renaissance detail. Polished ashlar, channelled to ground floor. Modern shop in outer bays, central entrance with paired, engaged, Roman Doric doorpiece. 3 central, 1st floor Venetian windows, elaborately detailed with outer, paired Corinthian pilasters and inner engaged Corinthian columns. Bracketed cornices to 3 windows in outer bays, the central with pediment. Apron panels under all windows, except central, which has blind balustrade. Mutule cornice to central bays; blocking course, advanced over pilasters and columns. Piended slate roof. Notes: Joint Stock Company formed to provide funds. Cost £7000. Cont; **Andrew Calderwood**. Ref: BN, 17.4.1874, 433. B.

McKay Was built in 1874 and opened in March 1875. The style of the building is Italian, from a design by Messrs J & R S Ingram. It cost c. £7000. [KS 2.8.1879 credits it to James Ingram in his obituary]

ASH, Sa 3.5.1873, 8b Operetta House. Plans are being prepared for a commodious and handsome building, and it is intended that it will be ready for next winter.

AA 14.8.1873 Plans for an operetta house in John Finnie Street passed by Dean of Guild Court.

ASH, Sa 6.9.1873, 4a Operations have begun. Mason in **Calderwood**, Dunlop; joiner, **James Rome**. To cost c.£5000.

AA 16.4.1874 Memorial stone laid last Thursday. Has 100' frontage to John Finnie Street; 2 storey; Italian; J & R S Ingram.

AA 25.3.1875 Formally opened last Monday. Under storey is rusticated; upper storey treated in three bays, the centre bay divided by double Corinthian columns with semi-circular arch-headed windows, with effective cornice and balustrade over; the side bays having square headed windows, with trusses and pediments over. The whole executed of Ballochmyle stone. Messrs Ingram, architects. The first night featured the farce 'Box and Cox' and the operetta 'Guy Mannering'.

KS 4.4.1885 Braehead Church formally opened last Thursday in former Opera House in John Finnie Street.

AA 9.4.1885 The opening service in connection with Braehead Free Church - formerly the Opera House - took place on Thursday afternoon. The interior has undergone a complete transformation.

CO 3/9/3/301 SVR 1966-67 Sandriane, 10-14 John Finnie Street. George M Falconer. Occupied 15.8.1966.

ePlanning, EAC, 10/0234/LB and 10/0233/PP

Redevelopment behind retained façade. **Smith Design Associates**, Glasgow, for Klin Developments.

JOHN FINNIE STREET, 14-28

List 50 1880. French Renaissance. 3 storeys and attic, 8 bays. Polished red sandstone, with rusticated piers to outer bays. Modern shops at ground

with continuous cornice above, forming base for giant decorative pilasters. These frame 4 central bays and support round-arched heads to 2nd floor windows, with mask keystones. Shallow advanced, end pavilions with bipartites in each floor. Deep, bracketed main cornice. Round-arched heads to dormers and attic windows in mansard roofs of central and end bays. Slate roof, swept over eaves. Ref: McKay, 4th ed, 1880, 340. CS.

JOHN FINNIE STREET, 30-38
List 51

c.1885, Free Renaissance. Large 3-storey and attic asymmetrical block with 4-storey polygonal corner detail, returning to Dunlop Street. Squared rubble with polished ashlar dressings. Shops to ground floor, 1 pilastered doorpiece remains. Pilastered 1st and 2nd floors. Architraved tripartites and single-light windows with apron panels. Dentilled main cornice. Pedimented wallhead dormers (pediment in outer left bay missing). Facetted slate roof and slender cupola to corner block. Main roof slated. Ref: Directories. CS.

AA, Th 27.6.1895

The erection of an important structure in John Finnie Street., for shops and offices, has just been commenced. Continuation of the Opera Buildings as far as Dunlop Street. 90' frontage to John Finnie Street, 57' to Dunlop Street. 3 storeys with attics. Ballochmyle stone - John Finnie Street entrance to Portland Estate Office of Peterhead granite. **R S Ingram**, architect.

JOHN FINNIE STREET, --

COUNCIL OFFICES, NORTH BLOCK
See Public Buildings 1879-1880, Gabriel Andrew

JOHN FINNIE STREET, --

COUNCIL OFFICES, SOUTH BLOCK
See Public Buildings 1903-1904,

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EG, F 21.5.1915, 732b

fl May 1915. Robert Wylie, solicitor, and William Smith, clerk.

JOHN FINNIE STREET, 60-62
List 54

CLANSMAN
Dated 1889. Collegiate Gothic, 2-storey symmetrical 5-bay range with additional bay and octagonal angle turret at left. Polished ashlar. 5-bay section; central round-arched door. Ground floor bays divided by pilasters supporting console brackets. Stepped, buttress-piers in the upper floor, with decorative gabled details below corbelled parapet, crowning gabled finials. Shop fronts modern, in original haunched headed openings. Cornice and strings above. Cill course to tall upper hoodmoulded mullion and transomed, 3-light windows; central window 2-light with sculptured panel above, rising into gable head. Corner bays; angle turret, boldly canted above ground floor, rising to octagon above eaves line with narrow, blind, cusped slits set in panels below cornice and facetted and finialled slate roof. Main roof slate. Interior: original stair. Notes: left hand section built as the Portland Estate Office. Ref: Directories.

[nb
Was it really Portland E.O., cf 30-38]

AA, Th 16.8.1888

Loyal St Marnock Lodge of Oddfellows. Decision to erect a new hall. Site at corner of John Finnie Street and College Wynd. Plans prepared by **Gabriel Andrew**. Ground floor - 5 shops; hall above. 2 storeys, though equal in height to a three storey building.

KS, Sa 14.9.1889

Memorial stone laid last Saturday. Gothic, and at corner 'moulded and corbelled oriel window with tower roof'. Gabriel Andrew, architect.

AA, Th 19.9.1889 — Memorial stone laid last Saturday. 87' frontage to John Finnie Street, and 61' to College Wynd.

KS, 31.1.1891 — Cost £3500. Sketch.

JOHN FINNIE STREET, 66-70

List 55 — c.1880. Commercial building with Gothic details. 3 storeys, 5 bays. Polished ashlar. Ground floor modern. Moulded cill course to 1st floor, paired, pointed-arched windows (central window, single light), string at springing rising as hoodmould over windows. Cill course and bracketed cills to 2nd floor bipartites, central light again single light with cusped head and hoodmould. Blind arcaded parapet, with terminal finials, broken by central gable with decorative panel and apex stack. Slate roof. Note: Formerly known as Peden's Building. Ref: Directories. CS.

JOHN FINNIE STREET, 72-84

List 56 — 1879-1880, William Railton. In the style of Alexander Thomson. 3 storeys, 13 bays, 6-bay return to Bank Place. Polished red sandstone with channelled plinth and moulded band courses between floors. Original ground floor elevation remains to 80-84, with pilastered doors and windows, the latter with acanthus capitals. All 1st floor windows have broad cill bands with anthemion details set against architraves, block pediments with incised decoration and terminal anthemions. Pilastraded 2nd floor with anthemion panels between windows. Cornice. Piended slate roof. Note: Bank Place elevation with 2 eastern bays 2-storey and altered ground floor. Ref: McKay, 4th ed, 1880, 339. B.

McKay, 4th ed, 1880, 340 — The large handsome block of buildings, erected by Bailie Muir, from plans by Mr William Railton, in which are situated the new and commodious Post Office, the Town Chamberlain's Office and Constabulary Office. [= this?]

EG 21456, Tu 10.1.1984, 21b — LB application. Projecting box sign, 80 JFS.

JOHN FINNIE STREET, --- — ROYAL BANK

KTC, TPC 29.11.1972 — 72/96, amendments to plan.

KTC, DOG 26.3.1973 — Plans 1213-1215, demolitions in connection with new Royal Bank.

KTC, DOG 27.8.1973 — Plan 1272, 73/159, £450,000.

Project Scotland, 18.3.11976 — **Henry Dawes & Sons**, Kilmarnock. Double glazed units of reflecting toughened glass. External cladding materials are reduced to a minimum, merely of glass and aluminium, aggregate faced panels, facing brick and ceramic tiles. Main structure is an in situ concrete column and slab built on a concrete raft foundation. Natural fall of ground has been used to create a basement over the full area and is mainly used as a car park.

KS, F 5.3.1976, 7 — Opened this week.

AJ, 5.5.1976 — Recently completed in Kilmarnock is the Royal Bank of Scotland's latest branch office. Constructed of in situ concrete column and slab, the building is faced with precast aggregate faced panels on the upper office level, while the 5m high main floor is enclosed in double glazed units of solar glass. The total area of the building, which cost £500,000, is approximately 1000 m^2. The architects were **Henry Dawes & Sons** of Kilmarnock. The project architects were **George Dawes** and **Robert Gardiner**. Photograph.

JOHN FINNIE STREET, 100-106

List 57 — c.1890. Italianate, 3 storeys 4 bays. Red sandstone. Modern shops to ground, band course above. 2 shallow projecting central bays; pilaster strips to outer angles and to central projection. All windows bipartite, with curved angles and aprons to 1st floor, round-headed with aprons, above band course, to 2nd floor. Bracketed eaves course, cornice and blocking course. Slate roof, pienided to right. Ref: Directories. CS.

sv — Band Course is inscribed SMITH'S BUILDINGS ERECTED 1876.

Ayrshire News, Oct/Nov 2012, 20 — FUNDING APPROVAL FOR NEXT PHASE OF KILMARNOCK'S REGENERATION. £900,000 funding by THI for repairs, and conversion to 8 1-room flats and 3 shop units.

JOHN FINNIE STREET, 108 — KILMARNOCK ARMS

List 58 — c.1890. 3 storeys, 7 bays. Red sandstone, ground floor modern, with original cornice remaining. 1st floor windows architraved. String course above, supporting a band course. Pilasters at outer angles and to all windows, panels below string and windows. Eaves course. 2 wall-head stacks. Piended roof, modern tiles. Ref: Directories. CS.

JOHN LITTLE STREET, 2 — See 20-24 HIGH GLENCAIRN STREET

KAY PARK CRESCENT

KS, Sa 15.7.1882; AA, Th 20.7.1882 — Agreed by Kay Park Trustees to feu land bounded by Grassyards Road, and to make a new road, Kay Park Crescent, as a front entrance for the villas that will be built there.

KAY PARK CRESCENT, 32

RS 91/532, f.145 [7777-1889] — 1889, for John Haggo

KAY PARK CRESCENT, 33

RS 91/561, f.150 [6438-1889] — 1889, for David Walker

KAY PARK TERRACE, 11

RS 91/304, f.164 [9980-1880] — 1880, for Robert Irvine.

KENNEDY STREET

KTC, 13.1.1904 — Names Hood Street and Kennedy Street chosen for new streets formed by Lord Howard de Walden's Factor.

KING STREET

nr — c.1803-1804.

AA, Th 27.6.1805, 4b — Building plots being rouped on new road from New Bridge to Holmhead. Elevations by Robert Johnstone.

AA, Th 5.12.1805, 1c — Corner house, Foot of the Strand, to sell. The house opposite, lately occupied by Bailie Gregory, is to be taken down at Whitsunday 1806.

AA, Th 5.12.1805, 4b — Sites on both sides. Also most excellent corner steading on site of Gregory's house. Robert Johnstone.

AA, Th 13.2.1806 — Building plots, adjacent to Bryan's Coffee Room.

AA, Th 20.3.1806, 4b — Building plots on new streets, from Cross to Rackhead, and from Cross to Holmhead.

AA, Th 12.9.1822, 1e — Closure notice for part of Sandbed.

BURNS MALL, &c.

KTC, DOG 24.9.1973 — Plan 1293, 73/210, Phase I of Town Centre Redevelopment, for Ravenseft & Murrayfield Scottish Developments Ltd, at £1,200,000.

KTC, TPC 31.10.1973 — Ravenseft are due to begin work in January 1974. – see ref.

KTC, S&WC 29.1.1974 — Report of visit by Town Clerk and others to see security arrangements at the Butts Centre, Reading.

Project Scotland, 27.5.1976 — Kilmarnock Town centre Phase I, begun January 1974, completed, and Phase II due to be begun. Architects, Phase I, Hay Steel McFarlane & Partners.

PEDESTRIAN AREAS

Prospect, 49, Spring 1996, 15 — Recently undertaken work by **Page & Park** includes introduction of seats, and the erection of a sculpture, *The Four Twins*, by **Shona Kirkland**.

KING STREET, ---
BRUCE'S LAND
AA, Th 15.2.1821, 1cd — Advert for William McQueen, apothecary, Bruce's Land, King Street.
AA, Th 10.5.1821, 1d — Advert for J H Bruce, clothier, 'New Buildings, King Street'.
AA, Th 19.9.1822, 1a — J Stevenson, chemist, has opened in shop, formerly Mr McQueen's, King Street.

KING STREET, ---
AA, Th 6.11.1851 — To let, range of 5 new shops in King Street. 1st floor saloon of 7 bays.

KING STREET, ---
AA, Th 25.6.1840, 1f — Opening 'in Mr Fulton's premises, 1 Victoria Place, King Street' - J Cameron, watch and clock maker. [No guarantee that he was at same address in 1840 and 1856]
KWP, 27.12.1856 — Mr Cameron, watchmaker, has erected a 2-faced clock above his doorway in King Street.

KING STREET, ---
KH, F 15.4.1892, 2h — Reference to recent, mostly internal, alterations for W F Thomson, draper, King Street.

KING STREET, ---
KS, 20.5.1905 — Opposite the Town House a building has been entirely reconstructed in red stone. Occupied by Gebbie, boot merchant (a double shop), Mrs McGregor draper, and the Newcastle Tea Co.

KING STREET, --
TT, F 19.5.1899, 8a — Shoe shop just opened by William Morton. He is a native of Newmilns with a big shoe factory at Northampton, and about 100 retail shops. This is his first in Scotland.

KING STREEET, --
sv 1986-87 — New building, opposite BHS/Paige, is **Carl Fisher, Sibbald & Partners**, Edinburgh, architects.

KING STREET, --, LEWIS'S
KTC, TC 14.7.1971 — Closing due to imminent demolition. Reference by Provost Mrs Mackie to high standard of goods and personal service of Louis Isaacs.

KING STREET, 1 & 5
EG, Tu 16.2.1915, 283b — Dissolution of Sloan & Sloan, wine and spirit merchants. Agnes Sloan continues here on own account. See ref.

KING STREET, 3
AA, Th 20.9.1838, 4d — Advert for James Stevenson, saddler, 3 King Street

KING STREET, 23
AA, Th 18.10.1838, 1b — Advert for John and Andrew Stewart, clothiers, 23 King Street.

KING STREET, 25-33
E A Darley, Certificate Book, 1964-1974
E A Darley: certificates issued 1973: client Liverpool Victoria.

KING STREET, 33
KS, 14.4.1900, 5c — [? 27 in D 1846/47 and D 1855/56: 33 by 1868]
[Obituary of Robert Miller - in People file]. 'The premises at 33 King Street where the business is still carried on were occupied by Mr Miller for upwards of 60 years. It was in the ground floor of the same building facing King Street that the well-known Hugh Craig, clothier, politician, poet and sporting gentleman had his first 'gallery of grandeur' before the erection of Morris Place, and the building as a whole was at an earlier period an important commercial hotel'.

KING STREET, 37
VR 1913-1921 — Prop: James Young. T/t: Finnie and Young, ironmongers

KING STREET, 39

AO, Tu 19.11.1833, 1d — Advert for John Brown, auctioneer, 39KS.

KING STREET, 45-55 — LAUDERS

KS, 9.8.1879 — To be opened today (same day as Burns Monument). J & R S Ingram, architects.

KS, 21.5.1887; ASH, F 27.5.1887, 8a

Dean of Guild, approved. Warehouse, King Street (west), for Hugh Lauder & Co.

KS, 19.11.1887 — Sketch. Has been built, to plans of **R S Ingram**. 4 storey, Italianate.. 'scarcely been any new building ... erected in King Street for 50 years'.

ASH, F 25.11.1887, 8c — Nearing completion. 4 storeys. See ref, ASH file.

KS, Sa 17.2.1923, 6b-f — Lauder's Emporium was destroyed by fire last Saturday-Sunday. The adjacent Rogerson's building was also badly damaged.

Kilmarnock Master of Works Registers, no.1809

1923, **Frederick Sage & Co Ltd**., London, for Hugh Lauder & Co Ltd.

AP, F 5.10.1923 — Advertisement for new premises.

REAR PREMISES

KTC, DoGC 24.10.1960 — Buildimgs, Sandbed Street, and bridge to King Street, for Hugh Lauder & Co Ltd. [Continued: approved 28.11.1960; TP 60/225, approved 26.10.1960]

KING STREET, 57-65

BI 12/137 August 1901 — It is interesting to note the process of rebuilding for commercial and domestic purposes in towns and cities of old date, and particularly gratifying when it is found that worthy styles of architecture are being chosen for the replacements in large cities. Too many of these rebuilt buildings make themselves obnoxious by an overlaoding of ornamentation, resulting in a restlessness which is painful to the eye, for all the time that will be vouchsafed to them. The self-possessed restful facades are the ones that are welcome to the instructed maker of notes - alike steering clear of the baldness which affected as many of the early C19 blocks, and of the unhappy flashiness which stares out of the face of a good many that have been up-reared within the past decade. On p.73 we give an example of the desiderate juste milieu, an important block which is at present being erected in the progressive burgh of Kilmarnock. The King Street facade is here presented, with a glimpse of the elevation to Sandbed Lane; but Mr Robert Rogerson's new block when finished will extend back to Sandbed, a fine stretch of depth measuring to over 100'. The premises are intended for Mr Rogerson's increasing grocery business and it is reckoned that this will be quite the largest West of Scotland block of its kind, keeping Glasgow alone out of the calculation. The design and plans are those of Mr **Thomas Smellie**, architect, and the work [is] now progressing under his direction.

Kilmarnock Master of Works Registers, no.1813

1923, alterations for Robert Rogerson. **MacWhannell & Smellie**, 11 Jane Street, Blythswood Square, Glasgow, architects.

KS, Sa 17.2.1923, 6b-f — Lauder's Emporium was destroyed by fire last Saturday-Sunday. The adjacent Rogerson's building was also badly damaged.

KING STREET, 71-73

Registers, Dean Castle, seen 20.10.1992

c.1971. **Thomson McCrea & Sanders**, for Leeds Building Society.

KING STREET, 77

KS, Sa 15.12.1956, 7c-g — New Saxone shop at 77 King Street is now open. **Alex Dunlop**, architect; **James Melville & Sons**, Newmilns, builders. Frontage of silver-grey Southhook bricks.

KING STREET, 85

SVR 1967-68 — Occupied 14.8.1967. Gall & Co (Cash Drapers) Ltd.

KING STREET, 97-101

CO 3/9/3/301 SVR 1966-67 — Occupied 3.11.1966. Scottish Metropolitan - House of Clydesdale

CO 3/9/3/343 SVR 1973-74 — 97. Occupied 18.7.1973. Scottish Metropolitan - Abbey National BS

KING STREET, 113-119 and 1-7 ST MARNOCK STREET
KWP, 22.4.1865, 1cd Carried advert for W M Fraser, who is taking over Hugh McKenzie's clothiers business, and shows the property, looking much as it does today.
KH, F 20.4.1883, 1cde Illustrated advert for W M Fraser & Co., clothiers, &c., St Marnock Corner, showing this building.

KING STREET, 121-137
CO 3/9/3/313 SVR 1968-69 121. Occupied 26.7.1968. Ravenseft - Mothercare.
CO 3/9/3/325 SVR 1970-71 125. Occupied 15.6.1970. Ravenseft - Commercial Union
CO 3/9/3/319 SVR 1969-70 127. Occupied 24.10.1969. Ravenseft - Civic Stores.
CO 3/9/3/325 SVR 1970-71 129. Occupied 2.6.1970. Ravenseft - A T Mays.
CO 3/9/3/331 SVR 1971-72 133. Occupied 30.10.1971. Ravenseft - Robert Smith
CO 3/9/3/319 SVR 1969-70 135-137. Occupied 11.7.1969. Ravenseft/ Newday.

KING STREET, 2-20
KTC, DoGC 23.8.1971 Warrant 1001, demolition of 2-20 King Street, for KTC.
2
EG, F 6.5.1892, 614b Change in structure of D Brown & Co., printers, stationers, &c., witnessed by saleswoman, 2 King Street. So this may be their premises.
4
KS, Sa 22.3.1924, 4ab Advert. Opening today. New premises of Parkers Ltd., 4 King Street.
6
EG 5321, F 26.4.1844, 142b Office of Thomas Borland, writer, is at 6 King Street

KING STREET, 20
AO, Tu 31.12.1833, 1c Ad. John Orr, grocer, &c., Towns Buildings, 20KS.

KING STREET, 24
AA, Th 2.1.1902, 2d Advert. Greenlees & Sons, 24 KS. Boot repairs.

KING STREET, 26 NATIONAL BANK
KWP, 3.1.1857 National Bank has removed to new premises in King Street.
KS, x.x.1864 Contractor was Adam Loudon, Kilmarnock, who died in 1864. The architect was -- **Scott**, Edinburgh.
KS, sa 31.12.1870, 2e; AA, Th 5.1.1871, 5e
J & A Auld, builders, have secured the contract for large extension to the National Bank, Kilmarnock.
BN v.1, 1902 1902, T.P. Marwick. (National Bank, Kilmarnock)
VR 1940/41 National Bank, 26 King Street

KING STREET, 30-40
AA, DHP 1946, additions and alterations, Duncan McCulloch
KING STREET, 30-34
KTC, DoGC 22.2.1960 4120, alterations, 30-34 King Street, for Morrisons' Associated Companies Ltd.
KTC, DoGC 29.8.1960 4174, shop, 30-34 for Morrisons. [continued; approved 26.9.1960; TP 60/184]
KING STREET, 36-40
KS, 9.6.1888 [Local Architectural Improvements]. Demolition is in progress, to allow to be built for Robert Burns & Co., and Jackson & Co., a building, 'Italian of the Palladian School'. **Gabriel Andrew**, architect.
KING STREET, 42
AO, Tu 10.12.1833, 1e Kilmarnock Medical Establishment, 42KS, has been sold by Mr Hendry to Dr McLetchie.
AA, Th 18.7.1861, 1c Advert for Charles Gray, ironmonger, 42KS
KING STREET, 48
AA 17.2.1831 Advert for Bruce & Fisher, furriers, 48KS.
AO, Tu 19.3.1833, 1a Advert for Bruce & Fisher, drapers, 48 King Street.
KWP 7.5.1859 M.A. Levy, clothier, 'Cosmocapeleion'.

KING STREET, 48-50 COMMERCIAL BANK
[Branch opened 1821]

VR 1940/41 — Commercial Bank, 48-50 King Street.
KS 31.1.1942 — To be opened 2.2.1942. Begun about 3½ years ago.
BI 52/623 February 1942 — Photo/description. **Orphoot, Whiting & Lindsay**, Edinburgh, architects.

KING STREET, 52
AA, Th 2.6.1831, 1cd — On 24.5.1831 the business (surgeon, druggist, &c) at 52 KS passed from John Stevenson to J A Hendry.

KING STREET, 62-70
CO 3/9/3/313 SVR 1968/69 70 — Occupied 15.8.1968. Boots.
TT, F 28.7.1899, 4a — Robert Mushet (late of Rankin & Borland, and of Lewis & Burrows, London, has acquired manufacturing and dispensing chemist business of Thomas Young & Son, 70 King Street.

KING STREET, 72, MARKS & SPENCER
KTC, DoGC 24.8.1959 — 4067, alterations, for Marks & Spencer. Granted 28.9.1959.
KTC, 3.8.1960 — Invited to opening of extension, 25th August 1960.
KTC, DOG 28.5.1972 — Plan 1094, extension and alterations.
KTC, TPC 28.6.1972 — Due on site 3rd July 1972.

KING STREET, 82
AA, Th 7.6.1838, 1e — Commencing Business. J & J Robertson, glass merchants, 7c., Alloa Window Glass Warehouse, 82 King Street.

KING STREET, 92
KWP, 16.1.1864, 4d — 'The only erection of any importance going on in town is that of Messrs John Bicket & Son, Titchfield Street, which we observe has been roofed, and the chimney stalk almost entirely finished'. [Connection with 92 KS is due to ref in 1868 D)
KS, Sa 23.5.1903 — The completion of alterations and enlargement at the premises of Dale & Hunter, drapers, was celebrated last Friday. Thomas Smellie, architect.

KING STREET, 98
AA, Th 6.1.1842, 1g — Advert. H C Wilson & Co., wine merchants, &c., 98 High Street.
EG 12528, F 10.1.1913, 59b — In seq. James Stewart, restaurateur, 98 King Street.

KING STREET, 104
EG 12566, F 23.5.1913, 558b — James McLachlan, tailor.

KING STREET, 106
CO 3/9/3/331 SVR 1971-72 — Occupied 30.9.1971. Halfords.

KING STREET, 108
EG, 23.4.1915 — Hugh Lyon Smith, 108KS, fruiterer, in sequestration.

KING STREET, 128-138
CO 3/9/3/313 SVR 1968-69 — 128-130 Occupied 25.10. & 7.11.1968. British Bank of Commerce - Currys; Marley.
CO 3/9/3/319 SVR 1969-70 — 136-138. Occupied 29.8 & 4.10.1969. British Bank of Commerce - Kendall & Sons; Elena Mae.

KING STREET, 142-144
CO 3/9/3/277 SVR 1962-63 — Pearl Assurance. Occupied 28.5.1962
SVR 1967-1968 — 14 August 1967. 142-144. Pearl, props. Tenants: Eastern Carpets.
CO 3/9/3/307 SVR 1967-68 — Pearl Assurance. Occupied 1.10.1967.
CO 3/9/3/319 SVR 1969-70 — 144. Pearl Assurance/Morgenthaler. Occupied 1.11.1969.

KRKSTILE, Riccarton
AA, Th 20.6.1822, 1a — For sale. East half of those houses in Riccarton commonly called Old Farm & Yard of Kirkstile. Lately belonging to Thomas Shaw. Presently possessed by Robert Easton, Matthew Laird and others.

KIRKTONHOLM STREET

KWP, 29.12.1860 — Houses being built in North Hamilton Street, Bonnyton Road, Bentinck Street, Witch Road, Dean Street, Clark Street, Fowlds Street and Kirktonholm Street.

KIRKTONHOLM STREET, 29-31 — with 8-12 GILMOUR STREET
AA, Th 24.3.1887 — For sale - property of Kilmarnock Heritable Property Investment Co Ltd, in liquidation - three-storey range of buildings, 29-31 KS and 8-12 Gilmour Street.

KIRKTONHOLM STREET, 2-6
EG, F 1.10.1915, 1503b — Manufacturing confectionery business here sold by William Richmond to Henry l. McCulloch, who will trade as William Richmond.

KNOCKINLAW ROAD, --

CO3/12/3/38	NBC 27.12.1912	House, Knockinlaw Road, George Forrest
CO3/12/3/39	NBC 26.11.1915	D Cottage, Knockinlaw Road, Boyd & Forrest
CO3/12/3/41	NBC 2.7.1920	D Cottage, Knockinlaw Road, Boyd & Forrest

LADESIDE STREET
AA, Th 11.7.1878 — Model Lodging House formally opened last Wednesday. Gabriel Andrew, architect.

LANGLANDS HOUSE
GM, 10.10.1787, 321b — For sale, 'New house on the lands of Grange, near Langlands Fir's, which belonged to and was lately built by John McCrae and David Blair & Co.'

LANGLANDS STREET
AA, Th 12.3.1840, 1d — For sale, 2-storey house on north side of Langlands Street, the property formerly of Robert Barrie, wright, and now of George and Mrs Greenlees.
EAC, 10/0694/PP — Housing for MacTaggart & Mickel, flatted blocks to Langlands and West Langlands Streets. 2010, Carrick McCormack McIntyre (CMM Architects), Glasgow.

LARCH PLACE
KTC, DoGC 25.4.1960 — 4141. House, Larch Place, for William and Mrs Fulton
KTC, DoGC 26.9.1960 — 4181. House, LP, for Douglas Murphy.

LIME PLACE
KTC, DoGC 22.2.1960 — 4126, house, Lime Place, for Thomas Kirkland

LINDSAY STREET, 8 — and 19-35 WOODSTOCK STREET
Old List 18 — Domestic. C19. Terrace. Two storeys. C.

LINDSAY STREET, 24
nr — Dated 1890.

LOANFOOT AVENUE

CO3/12/3/36	NBC 28.4.1905	D Cottage, Loanfoot Avenue, Archibald McCrone
	NBC 5.1.1906	D Cottage, Loanfoot Avenue, Archibald McCrone.

LOANHEAD AVENUE

CO3/12/3/36	NBC 19.7.1907	Cottages, Loanhead Avenue, Archibald McCrone

LONDON ROAD
NEW MILN BRAE
AA, Th 29.3.1838, 1a — Contractors wanted for 680 yards of new road, at New Miln Brae, on the Kilmarnock Cumnock Road. **James Maxwell**, surveyor.

LONDON ROAD

Landsborough (Avenues, &c.), Kilmarnock Glenfield Ramblers Annals, vol III, 1901, 10-12
refers to avenue of trees from London Road to Laigh Kirk Manse, planted in 1842, and of which by 1901 the lime tree at 59 London Road alone survived.

Adamson — From Orchardhill to Newmill Burn there is a long row of elegant villas, all graceful and neat, on the whole very handsome residences. The last two are beautiful specimens of domestic architecture, equal to any of the merchant prince's houses in the West End of Glasgow: one the property of Gavin Anderson, coalmaster, the other of Alexander Walker, wine merchant.

SV 24.10.2000 — Brief notes on most of the houses in London Road.

AA, Th 19.2.1807, 4b — To let, a house at Margaret's Hill, 'a little above the East Toll of Kilmarnock'. Details: John Andrew, merchant, Kilmarnock.

LONDON ROAD, --, ROSEBANK HOUSE

AA, Th 9.5.1839, 1e — Rosebank House, Braehead. To let, as possessed by late Mr William Smith.

TANKERHA

KTC, TPC 28.9.1960 — 60/190, addition, for Church of Scotland Committee on Social services.

KTC, DoGC 24.10.1960 — 4196, for CoS General Trustees. Continued, to hear objections, and approved 28.11.1960.

LONDON ROAD, c 19-29

ASH, Sa 22.6.1861 — The one storey thatched houses at Braehead have been pulled down, and 2 storey slated houses erected in their stead. [Here?]

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KTC, DoGC 26.10.1959 — 4085, alterations for use as a pub, J & E McIntyre.

LONDON ROAD, 35 — TAM SAMSON'S HOUSE

Old List 27 — Domestic, C18. Two storeys.

AA, CO 3/10/5/25, GPC 17.9.1965 — Have acquired land at 43 (London Road S S (K/k) Ltd, £1000) and house at 31 London Road (Samson Ltd., £1450)

AA, CO 3/10/5/26, GPC 15.4.1966 — Decision of 17th April 1964 to acquire properties in London Road, and two so far have been acquired. Nos 33,35,37 & 41 are now being sold.

AA, CO 3/10/5/26, GPC 20.5.1966 — Acquisition approved: see ref for details. 35, TS's H, bought for £380, the two tenants are to be re-housed by KTC, and the house demolished.

AA, CO 3/10/5/31, GPC 19.7.1971 — Was demolished about eight years ago, when Kilmarnock Academy extension was being planned, but boundary never completed due to doubts over final line of London Road. Now resolved, and fencing, &c., to be done, at estimated cost of £14,000.

PLAQUE

Dick Folder 44A — The plaque to Tam Samson was unveiled 28.4.1928 (KS 5.5.1928). Aluminium, made by Stimur Manufacturing Co., Paisley, and paid for by Winsome Willie Burns Club.

AA, CO 3/10/5/26, GPC 20.5.1966 — KTC to be informed that "the plaque on the outside wall will be placed to mark the site of the house in the school boundary wall which will be formed."

LONDON ROAD, 43, FILLING STATION

Hay Steel 65/10 — 1965, proposed Service Station, &c., Braehead, London Road, for Shell-BP; James Hay & Steel, Kilmarnock.

CO 3/9/3/295 SVR 1965-66 — Occupied 4.12.1965. London Road Service Station (Kilmarnock) Ltd.

LONDON ROAD, 43

Old List 28 — Georgian, C18. 2 storeys.

LONDON ROAD, 45, MASONIC HALL

BI 37/433 April 1926 — Recently passed Dean of Guild.Court.
AA, Th 15.12.1927 — Consecrated last Saturday. **William F Valentine**, architect.
KS, Sa 31.12.1927, 7e — Formally opened 10.12.1927.
BI 38/456 March 1928 — Photo. Renaissance. W F Valentine.

LONDON ROAD, --, ELMBANK

nr — Opposite Burnside. The beautiful residence of John Gilmour, coalmaster.
nr — Demolished c.1897, to be replaced by Dick Institute.

LONDON ROAD, 47, THE ELMS

Sas Abr 55 of 1895 — 1895. RS91/782.181. FDisp, KTC to Dr William McAlister, Struan Villas, Kilmarnock. !R 17.42P, part of Elmbank
D 1901-03 — William McAlister
VR 1913 — Dr William McAlister

LONDON ROAD, 49, GLENDOWRAN (MONALTRIE) — 49-51 semi-detached pair

Sas Abr 1250 of 1896 — 1896. RS 91/843.145. FDisp, KTC to Mary Miller or Brown, widow, Kay Park Terrace. 24.68P, part of Elmbank.
D 1901-03 — James L Lawson
VR 1913 — Misses Cuthbertson
KS 12.1.1924, 1e — For sale. Monaltrie. 3 public and 5 bedrooms.

LONDON ROAD, 51, ELLERSLIE

Sas Abr 57 of 1896 — 1896. RS 91/825.35. FDisp, KTC to John Wilson Wallace, jeweller. 23P, part of Elmbank.
D 1901-03 — J Wilson Wallace
VR 1913 — J W Wallace, jeweller
KS, Sa 17.5.1924, 5b — J Wilson Wallace died 10.5.1924, aged 75.

LONDON ROAD, 53, OAKFIELD

D1887-1888 — John Wyllie
D 1901-03 — John Wyllie
VR 1913 — John Lawson, manufacturer

LONDON ROAD, 55, BALCARRES

Sas Abr 10294 of 1890 — 1890. RS91/621.8. Feu Ch by Minister wco Heritors to John Turner, bottler. 1R 1.89P.
D 1901-03 — John Turner, of Turner & Ewing
VR 1913 — John R Turner, CA

LONDON ROAD, 57, NAVARA, later BROOMHILL HOTEL

D 1892-1893 — John Borland
D 1901-03 — John Borland
VR 1913 — T.l. John Borland
KTC, DOG 23.10.1972 — Plan 1162, extension to Broomhill Hotel, for Andrew Andrews, £5,000.

LONDON ROAD, 59 - 61

nr — 1896-97, **Thomas Smellie**.
ex inf Rod Gooding — 1896, for Fraser brothers
D 1901-03 — Thomas D Fraser --
VR 1913 — Thomas D Fraser, manufacturer; William Fraser, manufacturer

59, LOVAT LODGE

Sas Abr 2328 of 1896. Feu Ch by Minister wco Heritors to Thomas David Fraser, hosiery merchant RS 91/861.46. 29½P

61, --

Sas Abr 637 of 1897. RS91/883.124. Feu Ch by Minister to Thomas Smellie, architect. 29½P. 1098/1897 (890.151), Disp by TS to John Gillespie Borland, coal merchant

See also general notes on London Road.

LONDON ROAD, 63, FREE MARTYRS MANSE 63-65, semi-detached pair

Sas Abridgment 469 of 1892 1892 Feu Ch by Minister to Rev William Clow. 31P 28¾Y, part of Glebe. RS91/668.128

D 1901-03 Rev William Clow

VR 1913 Rev William Clow

LONDON ROAD, 65, MENFORD

Sas Abridgement 395 of 1892 1892 Feu Ch by Minister to James Blackwood Wilson, carpet manufacturer. 31P 28¾Y, part of Glebe. RS91/667.104

D 1901-03 James B Wilson

VR 1913 James B Wilson, manufacturer

LONDON ROAD, 67 67-69, semi-detached pair

D 1898-1900 Peter Brown

D 1901-03 Hugh Barnett

VR 1913 Margaret Clark, widow

c.1924 Henry W Blackwood, of Blackwood Bros.

LONDON ROAD, 69, CARGILL

Sas Abridgement 1558 of 1897 1897 Feu Ch by Minister to William Fraser Thomson, draper. 38P 29Y, part of Glebe. RS91/897.147

D 1901-03 W F Thomson

VR 1913 Jessie Ramsay

LONDON ROAD, 71, HAWTHORNBANK, later HATTON LEA

List 65 Earlier C19 century classical villa. 2 storeys 3 bays. Painted ashlar to front elevation. Plinth, broad angle pilasters, supporting cornice, central door with Greek Doric portico, cill band to 1st floor windows. All windows now have plate glass. Brick and stacks; piended slate roof. B.

D 1855-56 [H/t/bank]. James Reed, MD

D1868 nf

KS, Sa 19.11.1870, 2a To sell, lately occupied by Mr Oliver, draper

D1872 unoccupied

D1879 - D1887-88 Miss Perman

Sas Abr 809 of 1891 RS91/639.49. Disp by Helen Aitken Perman wco hhh John George Perman to Charles and William Mitchell, architects.

D 1892/93 - 1898-1900 HL. John Lawson

D 1901-03 John Lawson

VR 1913 Thomas C Mill, spirit merchant

LONDON ROAD, 73, TORWOOD

D 1855-56 - 1884/85 Thomas Fulton, sheriff clerk depute

KH, F 10.8.1883, 3h Recently DoG approvals include additions and alterations to villa in London Road for Sheriff Clerk Depute Fulton. **[R S] Ingram**, architect.

D 1901-03 Mrs Thomas Fulton

VR 1913 Margaret Fulton, widow

LONDON ROAD, 75, ORCHARDTON

D1868 Thomas Hillhouse, ironmonger
D 1901-03 Mrs Hillhouse
VR 1913 Jeanie Hillhouse, widow

LONDON ROAD, 77, DEANMONT
List 66 Mid C19, asymmetrical villa. 2 storeys, 3 bays. Ashlar with polished dressings. Door in central bay with Roman Doric columned and balustraded portico. Advanced, gabled bay at right with canted window at ground, tripartite above with bracketed pediment to central light. Tripartite in shallow, balustraded, squared projection at left in ground floor. Plinth, band course, 1st floor cill course and bracketed cornice continue on remaining elevation. Corniced stacks; piended slate roofs. B.
RCAHMS A42051, A42052, A42064, A42605, &c
Details of ornate plasterwork: cornices and ceiling roses, &c.
nr Deaumont in **J Ingram**'s obituary is probably Deanmont, 77 London Road.
D1879 on James Craig, coalmaster
D 1901-03 James Craig, coalmaster
nr James Craig, coalmaster, D, LR, † 6.1.1907.
VR 1913 Thomas McLellan, retired

LONDON ROAD, 79, HUENDON
D1882-83 Hugh Wilson, carpet manufacturer [He died 8.4.1896: KS 11.4.1896]
D 1901-03 W Scott Robertson
VR 1913 Isabella Borland, widow
SV 24.10.2000 Large house: some Thomsonesque details in the window treatment.

LONDON ROAD, 81, CLAREMONT 81-83 Semi-Detached Pair
D 1882-83 D 1901-03 Thomas Smith
VR 1913 Reps late Thomas Smith
c.1924 James W Blackwood, of Blackwood Bros
LONDON ROAD, 83
D1882-83 Robert Blackwood
D 1901-03 W F Blackwood
VR 1913 William F Blackwood, carpet manufacturer

LONDON ROAD, 85
D 1901-03 William McLean

LONDON ROAD, 2-4 BRAEHEAD
Old List 7 Georgian, C18. Three storeys. [Demolished: see P/BL/1R/KM1]
Portland Factors
Died 21.6.1845 William Hamilton.

LONDON ROAD. 6, ORWELL 6-8 semi-detached pair, ANNBANK
D1868 Alex Finnie
D 1901-03 Mrs Mitchell
CO 3/9/5/1 VRs 1913-1921 Sarah Arbuckle, succeeded c.1919 by Jeanie Templeton, formerly tenant here.
CO 3/9/5/9 VR 1940/41 Marion H Torrance
LONDON ROAD, 8
D 1868 Matthew Arbuckle, tea merchant
D 1901-03 Matthew Arbuckle
CO 3/9/5/1 VRs 1913-1921 T.l. Matthew Arbuckle, succeeded c.1919 by Misses Railton, and tenanted by **J J Railton**.

CO 3/9/5/9	VR 1940/41	T.l. Mary Jane Railton

LONDON ROAD, 10, ALLANHILL

List 68		Earlier C19 with later additions. 2 storeys, originally 3 bays with 1 later 2-storey bay at left and single storey canted bay to right. Painted ashlar. Angle pilasters, supporting frieze and blocking course, flank original 3 bays. Central door, later projecting porch with banded, curved angles, architrave and pediment set against parapet. All windows 12-pane sashes, with architraves; entablatures to ground floor windows (except extreme left). Piended slate roof. CS.
D1868		Mrs and Misses Grants
D 1901-03		John Wyllie
CO 3/9/5/1	VRs 1913-1921	Dr John Aitken
CO 3/9/5/9	VR 1940/41	Dr James W Hamilton

LONDON ROAD, 12, MONKLAND LODGE, later FREE HIGH MANSE

List 69		Mid C19 with additions, 1875. 2 storey 3 bay house with flanking screen walls. Ashlar, chanelled to ground. Central recessed door with Doric engaged columned doorpiece. Eared architraves to 1st floor windows. Bracketed eaves, piended, slate platform roof with 2 symmetrically placed stacks. Segmental arched carriage entrances in screen walls with raised terminal bays beyond, each with blind window, cornice and blocking course. B.
D1868		Rev Patrick Robertson
D 1901-03		George Clark
CO 3/9/5/1	VRs 1913-1921	George Clark, boot manufacturer
CO 3/9/5/9	VR 1940-41	Alex F Cairns Smith, solicitor
SV 24.10.2000		Very wide bays.

LONDON ROAD, 14, ABBEY VILLA/COTTAGE

List 70		Mid C19. 2 storey. Asymmetrical Gothic villa with single storey wings. Painted, stugged ashlar. 2-storey block with advanced gabled bay at left, projecting porch with bracketed frieze and pediment in re-entrant angle. canted windows in ground floor outer bays with decorative parapets. 1st floor with hoodmoulded bipartite in left bay remaining windows, single light, that to outer bay with hoodmould and wallhead gable. Lying-pane glazing. Wing at left with tall tripartite in shallow advanced gabled bay. 3 lower bays to right with niches between windows, added in the later C19. All gables finialled. Corbelled, end stacks, slate roofs. 2 pairs of octagonal, moulded gatepiers. CS.
D1855-56		House, London Road. James Donald, ironmonger
D1868 - 1884/85		James Donald
D 1998/88		Mrs Donald
D 1901-03		John Baird
CO 3/9/5/1	VRs 1913-1921	T.l. John Baird, succeeded c.1920 by George A Innes, schoolmaster, and **David M Brown**, architect.
CO 3/9/5/9	VR 1940/41	**David M Brown**, architect.
AA, Th 25.8.1955, 6b		For sale. Corner site: walled garden. 4 public rooms on ground floor; 3 bed rooms on 1st floor and 2 attic bedrooms. Would suit a doctor or dentist.
ACC, Establishment & Organisation Sub-Cttee [EOSC], 31.5.1960		
		Has been acquired by ACC for £3000.
ACC, EOSC 2.12.1960		Occupied from 7th November 1960, replacing offices in Knockentiber and Wallace Chambers, Kilmarnock.

FRANKLIN & SLOANE

KS, 30.12.2016, 20		Pub name based on William Sloane, from Kilmarnock, who founded a rug, &c., import company in New York. Joined by brother John, 1852, in W & J Sloane. Took over Franklin Furniture Store on 5th Avenue, and became a leading furnishing business. Bankrupt, 1985.
LONDON ROAD, 16		
VR 1913		William Whyte, builder: 2 houses
SV 24.10.2000		No 16 LRd: this is site of Holehouse Road and public gardens.
LONDON ROAD, 18, BURNSIDE		
D1855-56		Thomas Samson, seedsman. Rev Landsborough here in D 1872; D1879 - John Baird, ironmonger
C1881		John Baird, ironmonger, m54
D 1901-03		James Finlay
CO 3/9/5/1	VRs 1913-1921	James Finlay, accountant.
CO 3/9/5/9	VR 1940-41	Agnes Tough
LONDON ROAD, 20		20-22, semi-detached pair
C1881		James Dickie, seed merchant, m36
D1882-83	D1901-03	James Dickie
CO 3/9/5/1	VRs 1913-1921	James Dickie, seed merchant
CO 3/9/5/9	VR 1940/41	Mrs Hugh F Willock, HFW being a colliery manager
LONDON ROAD, 22		
C1881		William Mitchell, tobacco manufacturer employing 10 men 23 boys and 15 girls, m57
D 1882-83	D1887/88	William Mitchell
D 1901-03		William Ramsay, junior
CO 3/9/5/1	VRs 1913-1921	Henry D Blackwood, manufacturer
CO 3/9/5/9	VR 1940/41	HDB, now living at 67 London Road. This house tenanted.
LONDON ROAD, 24		
D 1855-56		[House, London Road]. Peter Sturrock, CE.
D 1868 - 1901-03		Peter Sturrock, coalmaster. C1881: Peter Sturrock, colliery owner employing 100, m61.
CO 3/9/5/1	VRs 1913-1921	Elizabeth Taylor, wife of retired James Taylor
CO 3/9/5/9	VR 1940/41	Edwin P Whitaker, woollen yarn merchant
SV 24.10.2000		This is a very odd house, and certainly doesn't look 1855s. Is it a replacement: has mannered early C20 look.
LONDON ROAD, 26, ORCHARDHILL		
sv		Panelled pilasters. Ingram? Has odd detail to porch. [Evidence suggests too early for Ingram.]
KH, F 10.8.1883, 2g		Built in 1818 for John Carse, who died there 27.8.1823.
AA, Th 28.2.1828, 1b		For sale. Dp+k on ground floor, 4 rooms on first floor. Small stable, &c., and grounds of c. 50-60 falls. Details from George Paxton, brewer.
D 1855-56		Mrs Smith
D 1868 - D 1879		Residence of Frederick C Gross, PF.
C1881		Frederick C Gross, Procurator Fiscal, m63.
D 1901-03		W M Fraser
CO 3/9/5/1	VRs 1913-1921	James Middleton Bryce, manufacturer
CO 3/9/5/9	VR 1940/41	James M Bryce
AP, F 4.2.1949, 11e		For sale.
LONDON ROAD, 28, ROSEHILL		
D 1855-56		Hugh Reid, grocer
D 1868 - 1884/85		Alexander Brown, grocer. C1881: Alexander Brown, grocer, m65.

D 1901-03		J P Stevenson
CO 3/9/5/1	VRs 1913-1921	James P Stevenson, procurator fiscal, succeeded c.1920 by Dr James Clark.
CO 3/9/5/9	VR 1940/41	Margaret T Begg

LONDON ROAD, 30, EDGEHILL MANSE (LAUREL VILLAS), later SILVERDALE

Ex inf Rod Gooding		1838.
D1855-56		E.M. Rev Daniel V Thomson
C1881		William Dunnett, 2nd Charge Minister, m32
D 1901-03		Rev G S Yuille
CO 3/9/5/1	VRs 1913-1921	30: Rev Andrew Thomson, becoming c1916 Second Charge Manse.
CO 3/9/5/9	VR 1940/41	Prop: Church of Scotland. Tenant: ACC Education.

LONDON ROAD, 32, LAURELBANK

D1855-56		John Cuthbertson, carpet manufacturer
D1868 - 1887/88		Hugh Morton, seedsman. C1881: Hugh Morton, seed merchant, w69.
D 1901-03		Robert Lamont
CO 3/9/5/1	VRs 1913-1921	Alexander L Hood, cabinetmaker
CO 3/9/5/9	VR 1940/41	Mrs Charles D Baird. SDB is iron merchant.

LONDON ROAD, 34, GOWANBRAE, or GOWANBANK

sv		Excellent window.
D1855-56 - D 1872		George McLaren, carpet manufacturer, &c.
Sas Abr 5080-1874		42F 6E, bot S by turnpike passes to Trustee on Seq.Est of Brown, McLaren & Co. [William Brown: George McL]
Sas Abr 5090-1874		Sold by Trustees to Robert Beckett, merchant, Glasgow, and h.spo Ann Finnie.
D 1879 - 1892/93		Robert Beckett
C1881		Robert Bicket, retired manufacturer, m55.
D 1901-03		A I Wyllie
CO 3/9/5/1	VRs 1913-1921	Andrew I Wyllie, manufacturer
CO 3/9/5/9	VR 1940/41	Mrs Alfred M Laing. AML is Sheriff.

LONDON ROAD, 36-38, LESLIE VILLAS

List 71		Mid C19, semi-detached pair. Painted ashlar to front elevation, rubble to sides. 2 storeys, 4 bays, the end bays slightly advanced and flanked by giant pilasters rising from plinth and supporting cornice and blocking course. Ground floor windows with architraves, 1st floor with entablatures and recessed panel. String course between ground and 1st floors. Simple corniced door on west elevation, Ionic portico on east. Piended slate roof. B.
D 1855-56		William Taylor, of Cuthbertson & Taylor, carpet manufacturers: **William Railton**, CE & Architect.
C1881		36: Ann Taylor, w65. 38: Margaret Horne, w78, living on income; also her son, John R Horne, u45, colliery owner
D 1901-03		Mrs Taylor — John R Horne
CO 3/9/5/1	VRs 1913-1921	Margaret Taylor, spinster: — Elizabeth Ferguson
CO 3/9/5/9	VR 1940/41	Thomas C Stewart, surveyor: — Mrs Alfred B Ferguson

LONDON ROAD, 40, ELMSLIE

List 72		Mid C19. 2 storey, 3 bay classical villa. Finely stugged ashlar with polished dressings and quoins. Central door with projecting Doric porch. Architraves to all windows. Cornice and blocking course. Corniced end stacks. Piended slate roof. B.
D 1855-56		James H Rodgers
C1881		Andrew I Wylie, cloth manufacturer, son of head (absent), u30.

D 1901-03		Rev Alexander McNair
CO 3/9/5/1	VRs 1913-1921	Rev Alexander McNair, succeeded c.1918 by Stuart Park.
CO 3/9/5/9	VR 1940/41	T.l. Stuart Park

LONDON ROAD, 42, TREMOLESWORTH

List 73		Mid C19. Italianate villa. 2 storeys, 3 asymmetrical bays. Ashlar with polished dressings. Door in central bay with pedimented Ionic columned and pillared porch. Advanced bay to right with 2 storey canted window extension, windows in 1st floor pilastered, with recessed panels below. Shallow squared projection to left with tripartites to ground and 1st floors. All ground floor windows with flat heads, 1st floor with semi-circular heads. Dentilled and modillioned cornice, blocking course, continuing on remaining elevations. Panelled and corniced stacks; piended slate roof. Single storey L-plan wing to right. Gatepiers decorated with acroteria. B.
sv		Impressive pedimented porch, with shield and foliage. 2 Ionic and 2 square pillars.
KS 2.8.1879		Obituary of **James Ingram**. Tremolesworth among houses 'wholly designed or renovated and enlarged under his care'.
D1872		[Ho, LR] Gavin Anderson, coalmaster
D1879 - 1884/85		T. Gavin Anderson
C1881		Gavin Anderson, m62, coalmaster
D 1901-03		James Hamilton
CO 3/9/5/1	VRs 1913-1921	Hugh Barnett, writer
CO 3/9/5/9	VR 1940/41	Hugh Barnett, writer

LONDON ROAD, 44, appears to be CREEBANK, and then DUNBEITH

sv		Gothic. 2 narrow lancets over porch on Peterhead granite columns. Battlemented bay.
SV 24.10.2000		Porch like a medieval chimney-piece: cf 20-22 London Road
D1872 - D 1879		C. William Douglas, bonnet manufacturer
C1881		Creebank. William Douglas, woollen manufacturer, m53
D 1882/83 - 1901-03		D. David Carruthers.
CO 3/9/5/1	VRs 1913-1921	David Carruthers, writer
CO 3/9/5/9	VR 1940/41	Reps late David Carruthers

LONDON ROAD, 46, HAZELBANK

Sas Abr 1638-1866		1866 FD, Portland to John Cadzow, draper, of 41P 12Y on side of turnpike to Hurlford.
D 1868		Mrs John Cadzow
C1881		John Lawson, woollen manufacturer employing 2 men, 18 women and 4 girls, m51.
D 1901-03		Mrs Lawson
CO 3/9/5/1	VRs 1913-1921	Elizabeth M Lawson, widow, succeeded c 1917 by Miss Elizabeth Lawson.
CO 3/9/5/9	VR 1940/41	David Walls, grain merchant

LONDON ROAD, 48, NURSERYHILL

D 1855-56		N Tce. David Lamont, senior, overseer: David Lamont, junior, CE
[? Sasine 1935 of 1866		1845 Disp of Tankardhall to Robert Buntine. Is this this house?]
D1868 - D 1892/93		N Tce/Ho/-. James Bunten, draper. C1881: James Bunten, clothier, m75.
D 1901-03		Miss Bunten
CO 3/9/5/1	VRs 1913-1921	T.l. James Bunten, succeeded c.1916 by Agnes A Bunten.
CO 3/9/5/9	VR 1940/41	George H Wilson, spinner

LONDON ROAD, 50, VIEW VILLA

D 1855/56		Nurseryhall Terrace. Andrew D Stewart, clothier
D 1868 - 1887/88		Andrew D Stewart
D 1901-03		Mrs A D Stewart
CO 3/9/5/1	VRs 1913-1921	T.l. Andrew Stewart, succeeded c.1916 by John Campbell.
CO 3/9/5/9	VR 1940/41	John Campbell

LONDON ROAD, 52, HENDERSON MANSE 52-54, semi-detached pair

D1879 - 1884/85		House, LR. Rev David Landsborough
D 1887/88 - 1901/03		HM. Rev David Landsborough
CO 3/9/5/1	VRs 1913-1921	Henderson UF Church Manse
CO 3/9/5/9	VR 1940/41	Henderson Church Manse

LONDON ROAD, 54, ANNFIELD, later MONACHERRA

D1879		Mrs J Cadzow, formerly at 46LR
KS, 8.3.1884		To sell, comparatively new.
D 1901-03		John Hunter
CO 3/9/5/1	VRs 1913-1921	Edward Hunter, carpet manufacturer, and others.
CO 3/9/5/9	VR 1940/41	Edward Hunter and others
AP, F 28.1.1949, 11e		Monacherra. For sale. 3p+5b. Also stable accessed from Watson Street.

LONDON ROAD, 56, PIERSLAND, later CARLTON

D 1879 - D 1887/88		P. Alexander Walker
D 1892-93		P. Mrs Alexander Walker
D1898-1900		nf
D1901-1903		C. Hugh Paton
CO 3/9/5/1	VRs 1913-1921	Hugh Paton, seedsman
CO 3/9/5/9	VR 1940/41	T.l. Hugh Paton

LONDON ROAD, 58-60, MILLBURN 58-60, semi-detached pair

Sasine Abridgements		2 FDs by Portland, **1855**, to Peter Brown, shawl printer, and to Robert Brown, shawl printer. 4263 and 4264 of 1855. 387.17 and 387.19. Each is of '22¼F, 0.17735A, near Kilmarnock on north side of road to Mauchline'.
	58	
VR 1900-01	Ho, Millburn	T.l. Andrew Thomson, tenant: Jennings
D 1901-03		T S Jennings
CO3/12/3/37	NBC 15.7.1910	Studio, Millburn, for **Stuart Park**. Park here as tenant in VR 03/04 and 12/13, but gone by 1919/20 (he's at 40 L,Rd by c.1918)
	60	
VR 1900-01	Ho, Millburn	Exors l. Robert Brown, tenanted by widow
D 1901-03		Mrs Brown
VR 1903-04		Thomas Nisbet, contractor. He is still prop, but living in Wishaw, by 1919/20, by which time it has been divided.
CO3/12/3/35	NBC, 7.8.1903	A&A, 60 London Road, for Thomas Nisbet.

LONDON ROAD, 62-64, FOXBAR HOTEL

LONDON ROAD, 62

VR 1900-01	Ho, Millburn	Robert Stevenson, lace manufacturer
D 1901-03		Robert Stevenson

LONDON ROAD, 64, ARDEN

VR 1900-01	Ho, Millburn	Elizabeth Cooper Forrest, wife of tenant, Thomas S Forrest, bleacher.
D 1901-03		Thomas S Forrest
GRH		Thomas Scott Forrest died 30.1.1929; his widow, Elizabeth Cooper Thomson/Forrest, died 30.11.1934. She was a daughter of Alexander 'Greek' Thomson.

LOW GLENCAIRN STREET, --
AA, Th 25.5.1809, 4cd — Fire, Monday, in shop of Peter Millar, millwright, Nethertonholm. Destroyed his shop, and twelve single storey thatched houses adjoining.

LOW GLENCAIRN STREET, --
AA, Th 29.6.1809, 1c — For sale, steading at Bridge-end of Nethertonholm, with the stones and bricks thereon.

LOW GLENCAIRN STREET, ---
AA, Th 7.6.1821, 1b — For sale, subjects in Low Glencairn Street, sometime occupied by late George Milne as a brewery and dwelling-housess. P.p. by Alexander Meikle and others.

LOW GLENCAIRN STREET — ROLLER SKATING RINK
AA, Th 18.11.1909 — Roller Skating Rink, Low Glencairn Street, for William McHarg passed Dean of Guild Court on Monday.

LOW GLENCAIRN STREET, 11 — ROYAL BANK
nr — Opened in November 1969. The development was begun by the National Commercial Bank.

LOW GLENCAIRN STREET, 35-53
KS 7.2.1891 — refers to a new jam factory in course of erection for Messrs Gilmour & Smith - on back land of site adjoining Burns Inn. Single storey building; Gabriel Andrew, architect. Front buildings being retained meantime.

LOW GLENCAIRN STREET, 65
EG, 22.4.1938, 345a — Caldwell Brothers, aerated water manufacturers. Thomas Caldwell retires, Adam Caldwell continues, as Caldwell Brothers, on own account.

LOW GLENCAIRN STREET, --, BURNS TAVERN
AA, Th 12.9.1839, 1g — Piece of ground in Low Glencairn Street, for sale - 2 lands on the west side, the southmost formerly occupied as the Burns Tavern.

LOW GLENCAIRN STREET, 2-4 [with 22 &c GLENCAIRN SQUARE]
Dick Folder 7 — 1892, **Gabriel Andrew**, for KECS.
nr — In VR 1901-02, and D 1904-06. Built for K.E.C.S.

McLELLAND DRIVE
KS, Sa 3.11.1888 — McLelland Drive is a replacement for the Bullet Road, closed as a part of Lady Ossington's feuing plan, and named after current Provost of Kilmarnock.
AA, Th 1.11.1888 — Bridge and Drive opened last Monday, 29.10.1888

McLELLAND DRIVE, BRIDGE
AA, Th 17.5.1888 — Last Thursday the Town Council accepted the design of Messrs Grant, Ritchie & Co., Kilmarnock.
AA, Th 1.11.1888 — Bridge and Drive opened last Monday, 29.10.1888.

MANOR AVENUE
KTC, DoGC 28.11.1960 — 4199. House, MA, for Hugh McC Irvine.

MARKET LANE

KS, 23.8.1879 — Our Picturesque Lanes. Some history and description.
KS, 14.2.1920 — Some history and description.

MARKET LANE, --- — ANGEL HOTEL [BEGBIE'S]
KS, sa 13.8.1870 — Extension of 1870.

MARKET LANE, 11, MARKET HOTEL
KTC, TPC 27.9.1972 — Acquired from Drybrough & Co Ltd by KTC for £45,485.

MILL LANE, --- — PLAZA CINEMA
Kilmarnock Registers seen at Dean Castle, 20.10.1992
Building Warrant 964 lodged 12.3.1971 by Marks & Spencer, for demolition.

MILTON ROAD
CO 3/9/3/271, SVR 1961-62 — House, no name or number, Milton Road, for **Ian Dawes**.

MOORFIELD AVENUE
KTC, DoGC 29.8.1960 — 4165. House, MA; HdW/James Rome & Sons Ltd.

MORRIS STREET
AA, Th 5.6.1806, 4b — To sell, houses in Morrice Street, lately built by John Wyllie.

MORTON PLACE, --- — OBSERVATORY
McKay, 267 — Erected in 1818, at a cost of c.£1000, by Thomas Morton.
AA, Th 26.10.1826 — A visit is described. Mr Morton is the ingenious inventor of the machinery which has of late years greatly abridged the labour, and heightened the beauty, of the carpet manufacture in his native town, Kilmarnock, and in other parts of Scotland. Although the powers of his mind, and the dexterity of his hand, have been chiefly directed to the improvement of the carpet loom, he has contrived during a number of years to devote a portion of his time to the construction of that kind of telescopes which are known by the name of Gregorian. He has met with singular success in his attempts to improve and to perfect these instruments. From the extreme difficulty found in the adjustment of the rays of light on the speculum of this telescope, opticians had for a long time given up the attempt to render it tolerably useful. Mr Morton, with a thorough understanding of the reasons which prevented opticians from persevering in the construction of these telescopes, was not deterred by the indolence or the errors of his predecessors from the laborious task of once more bringing the Gregorian telescopes into notice. He has succeeded beyond his own most sanguine expectations in giving to his specula an accuracy and clearness of reflection which we have never witnessed in any optical instruments, except such as were of an immoderate high price, and of a very large size. In a visit which we lately paid to Kilmarnock, we took an opportunity of seeing Mr Morton's workmanship, and his observatory, and were at a loss whether to admire more the enthusiasm with which he speaks of his favourite machines and instruments, or the wonderful results to which these have carried him in his active pursuit of the useful arts. His observatory, which has been built by himself, stands on the most elevated ground in the town of Kilmarnock. It is sixty-six feet high, and from it there is seen a splendid panoramic view of all the richest and most beautiful portions of the county of Air. All visitors of the town ought to ascend the stairs of this tower, and if they are only half as much gratified as we were with what we saw and what we heard on

the top of it, we are sure that they will consider their time and labour very well spent. We had the greatest pleasure of telling the precise hour on a steeple seven miles off with one of Mr Morton's most ordinary instruments, which he values at about ten guineas. Captain Ross, of North Pole celebrity, had about a week before our visit, spent an entire night on the top of this tower, in company with Mr Morton, and on coming down expressed the highest satisfaction with the excellent instruments through which he had for so many hours been contemplating the celestial phenomena. And as a substantial proof of the pleasure which he had experienced, he immediately ordered one of the best telescopes which could be constructed, for his own observatory at Stranraer. We would beg leave to caution the worthies in and about Kilmarnock as to their conduct in and out of doors, wherever the tube of Mr Morton's Farkeeker (as the Dutchmen call the telescope) can be made to bear on them. We ourselves witnessed some queer transactions, which we are sure the parties, whom we could distinctly identify at a great distance, would not like to have recorded against them. More especially, we did actually see various antique dames dealing very freely with the dram bottle, in a place where we are certain they thought no mortal eye could see them. Let the gudewives of Kilmarnock, therefore, beware of this practice in future, or else in the beginning of their potations, try to screen themselves behind something more impervious to the power of the aforesaid farkeeker than gauze window curtains. The Duke of Portland, who is Lord of the Manor, might immortalise himself by paying some regard to the arts in this town of Kilmarnock. But we believe that His Grace is too much engrossed with the propagation of young oaks and the profits of his railway to pay much attention to even the progress of the sublimest of the sciences.

Kilmarnock Standard Annual 1957 — Pulled down in 1957. At the start of the present century, the tower assumed another name - Killie's Castle - by virtue of the fact that Mr James Kilmurray, known locally as Auld Killie, used it to gather information about the movement and behaviour of the celestial bodies. This information Auld killie employed in compiling the remarkable weather forecasts for which he was famous locally.

MOSSGIEL AVENUE
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KTC, DoGC 23.5.1960 — 4151. 2 houses, MA, for Howard de Walden Estates and James Rome & Sons Ltd.

MOUNT AVENUE

SA 1/4 November 1938 — Houses, Mount Avenue; James Rome & Sons, architects.

NELSON STREET

KWP, 28.11.1863, 5d — Report of collapse of old house in Nelson Street. Stated that this was the old Mauchline-Irvine road.

NELSON STREET, BRIDGE

ASH, Sa 9.11.1867, 8a — Iron Bridge at Nelson Street erected last week.

NELSON STREET, --

AA, 11.6.1903 — Recently approved at Dean of Guild. Shops/offices, Nelson Street/Bank Street, for Smith Brothers.

NELSON STREET, -- — SMITH'S PRINTI NG WORKS

Hume — Late C19. A 2 storey and attic, 4 by 5 bay, red brick building, with a Flemish gabled frontage and a smaller gable in similar style on the east side.

NELSON STREET, --

Hume — Seed Store. Late C19. A 2 storey and basement, 3 by 6 bay yellow brick building, with a Renaissance red sandstone street frontage. 427377.

AA, Th 24.5.1883 — [Buildings recently completed in Kilmarnock]: New seed stores for Messrs William Samson & Co in Nelson Street - 3 storeys in height with a handsome frontage.

NETHERTONHOLM

AA, Th 25.5.1809, 4cd — Fire, Monday, in shop of Peter Millar, millwright, Nethertonholm. Destroyed his shop, and twelve single storey thatched houses adjoining.

AA, Th 29.6.1809, 1c — For sale, steading at Bridge-end of Nethertonholm, with the stones and bricks thereon.

NEW BRIDGE

AA, Th 6.7.1809, 4b — Advert for Archibald Morris, china merchant. Shop in New Bridge, Kilmarnock.

AA, Th 13.7.1809, 4b — Advert for Nisbitt & Johnston, druggists, &c., Weaver's land, New Bridge.

NEW STREET, --

AA, Th 20.6.1822, 1a — For sale. Dwellinghouse, high and laigh, foot of the New Street., possessed by Robert Wallace and others.

NEW STREET, ---

KS, Sa 16.7.1904; AA, Th 21.7.1904 — Formally opened last Thursday, Lodging House at New Street/Soulis Street junction. Plans of Bailie **[J M] Pearson**. Sketch in KS - 3 storeys, fairly plain, with entrance and slight turret at the corner.

NEW STREET (or CROMPTON STREET), RICCARTON --

AA, Th 2.6.1808, 1a — House for sale in New or Crompton Street, property of Hugh Allan. A 2-storey house, of 6 fire-rooms, with a lately built house behind containing weaving looms, and a garden.

NEW MILL ROAD

AA, Th 23.5.1901 — New laundry opened in New Mill Road for Mr Wallace, Ayr. M Muir & Co., Kilmarnock, masons.

NEW MILL ROAD ALLOTMENTS

AA, Th 26.1.1888 — Allotments at Glebe Field presented by Lady Ossington.

NORTH HAMILTON STREET

KH, F 31.10.1845, 4d — 'Workmen have this week been busily engaged opening up, and laying, streets which are intended for feuing, from Langlands Street to the Irvine Road'.

KWP 29.12.1860 — Houses being built in North Hamilton Street, Bonnyton Road, Bentinck Street, Witch Road, Dean Street, Clark Street, Fowlds Street and Kirktonholm Street.

AA, Th 3.9.1889 — Lady Ossington is opening up North and South Hamilton Streets, and she is also extending Charles Street to that street, and extending Seaford Street to Portland Road.

NORTH HAMILTON STREET, --
KWP, 3.11.1860 — 3 blocks of tenements to be built near Kadikoi Place. See ref. =?
KWP, 24.5.1862 — Local Improvements. 2 new tenements, one fo 2 storeys and one of 3 storeys, in North Hamilton Street.

NORTH HAMILTON STREET, --
Sasine Abridgement of 1.3.1865 — 3R 26P, F Disp by Duke of Portland to Thomas McCulloch. On W side of North Hamilton Street.

NORTH HAMILTON STREET, [c.1-19]
KWP, 20.12.1856 — Shops and houses to let in 'new buildings erecting in Hamilton Street and Fardalehill Road'.

NORTH HAMILTON STREET, 21-29
List 71A — Late C19, 2 storey terrace built of white-glazed brick with contrasting red ashlar and terracotta dressings. 5 tenements, each containing 4 houses, these with 3-bay street elevations with central door in doorcase, central and outer tenements with central wall-head gables. Decorative eaves; end stacks; slate roofs. Curved rear forestairs with decorative cast-iron railings. Low boundary walls also glazed brick. B.
sv — Dated 1883.
AA, Th 20.9.1883 — To be sold, recently erected block of 5 tenements of dwelling houses in North Hamilton Street. 20 2 and 3 apartment houses.
AA, Th 11.10.1883 — To be sold, that block of 5 tenements of dwelling houses, having white enamelled brick fronts, recently erected in North Hamilton Street by Messrs John Gilmour & Co. 20 2 and 3 apartment houses.

NORTH HAMILTON STREET, 47-49
sv — dated 1885

NORTH HAMILTON STREET, 57-59 and 20 WOODSTOCK STREET — ARGYLE TERRACE
sv — Dated 1896. Timber gables, comparable with de Walden Terrace.

NURSERY STREET, --
AA, Th 15.9.1881 — New buildings to sell, Nursery Street, West Netherton. Property of Alexander McFadzean, joiner (now bankrupt). 1 cottage, 1 double cottage, 1 ho [Vine House], and a building plot.

OLD STREET, ---
Sas Abridgements 1942 and 1961, of 1872 — 1841 Feu Disp by John Deans of Kirkstyle to his son James Y Deans, solicitor, Kilmarnock - of House in Riccarton, bounded on the N by the High Street, commonly called Lord Marchmont's House, and 1872 Disp thereof by JYD to James Borland, plasterer.

[OLD STREET, 52-54] — WHEATSHEAF
BI 69/807 June 1957 — Tenders accepted. Wheatsheaf Inn, Riccarton, for Improved Public Houses [Scotland] Ltd., Edinburgh. **Alex Dunlop**, Kilmarnock, architect.

OLD IRVINE ROAD, ---
KS, 15.1.1876 — Smith & Wallace's advert includes 4 room-and-kitchen ground-floor and 3 room-and-kitchen upper-floor flats in 'buildings erecting in old Irvine Road'.

OLD IRVINE ROAD, 11-15 (and 18-22 LINDSAY STREET)
KTC, DoGC 23.8.1971 — Warrant 1004, workshops, shops, &c, for Walker & Templeton Ltd.
KTC, TPC 25.8.197` — Application 71/159 approved.

OLD MILL ROAD, 38-40
KTC, DOG 27.11.1972 — Plan 1180, alterations to form Spiritualist Church, for Kilmarnock T.C., £25,000.

OLIVE ROAD
KTC, DoGC 29.8.1960 — 4172. House, OR, for Alan Clark.

ORCHARD STREET, 8
AA, Th 13.12.1888 — 8 Orchard Street exposed for sale last Friday. Semi-detached house, 'recently built'

PARK STREET (GAS BRAE) and PARK LANE
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KTC, TPC 25.5.1960 — 60/121, Offices, &c., Park Lane/Gas Brae, for Thomas Dalgleish & Son.
KTC, DoGC 23.6.1960 — 4159.

PARK STREET, 21 (and 1-18 AILSA BUILDINGS)
KTC, DoGC 27.9.1971 — Warrant, 1019, demolition of 1-18 Ailsa Buildings and 21 Park Street, for KTC.

PAXTON STREET
AA, Th 25.11.1886 — Auctioned last Friday, 3 lots of recently erected dwelling-houses in Paxton Street and Richardland Road.

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KTC, HC 24.3.1960 — Vacated as dangerous.

PEACE & PLENTY
GARDEN CENTRE
KTC, DOG 28.5.1972 — Plan 1099, Garden Centre, for Thomas W Dalgleish & Sons.

PORTLAND ROAD, -- — [HILLHEAD VILLA]
KWP 29.12.1860 — refers, in review of year's building, to a new villa for Mr Gilmour. [Presumably John Gilmour, and Hillhead Villa]

PORTLAND ROAD, ---
KWP, 14.5.1859 — In course of erection: house for Dr Thomson. Stained glass heraldic window being prepared by Robert C Robertson, Kilmarnock.
ASH, 18.2.1860 — Eluizabeth style, with oriel &c. **William Railton**, architect. **William Scott**, builder.
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KWP 4.5.1861, 4e — Building Operations. In Portland Road a fine self-contained house has been built by Mr Scott, contractor, for Mr J A Thomson.

PORTLAND ROAD, 13
EAC, 11/0255/PP2 — storey rear extension to replace existing single storey. **Mosaic Architecture**, Hamilton.

PORTLAND ROAD, 21
E A Darley, Certificate Book, 1964-1974
E A Darley: certificates issued 1971-1972: client, Liverpool Victoria.

PORTLAND ROAD, 33-35
KTC, DoGC 30.6.1971 — Plan 998: demolition for Kilmarnock T.C.

PORTLAND ROAD, 37
List 76 — c.1870, with Italianate detail. Single storey, 3 bays with lower recessed flanking wings. Ashlar with rusticated quoins. Central door in shallow projection with round-arched, panelled door. Pilastered doorpiece with cornice,, scrolled panel with laurel wreath above. Steeply pitched gable with simple bargeboards and finials. Round-arched pilastered bipartities in outer bays, with deep eaves above. Wings each with 1 round-arched window and finialled gable heads. Pitched slate roof, brick stacks. CS.
KWP 29.12.1860 — Ref to cottage, Portland Road, for Mr Aitken, junior.
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D 1868 — Sunnybank Cottage; Andrew Aitken.

PORTLAND ROAD, 39 — FLOWERBANK
KS, 18.1.1890 — Built by Allan Faulds [sic], seedsman.
KWP, 19.7.1862 — For sale: presently occupied by Misses Foulds.
KWP 13.12.1862 — Sold for £850 to Provost Crooks.
D 1868 — John Crooks
D 1872 — John Crooks.
KS, Sa 16.2.1924, 1d — For sale. 3p+4b.

PORTLAND ROAD, 41 — ETRURIA BANK
List 77 — c.1870. Single storey, 3 bays with pilasters at outer angles; lower flanking wings. Painted stucco. Central entrance at head of short flight of steps, whose balustrade returns across front to meet canted bays. Recessed door with round-arched head. Pilastered architrave, flanking pilasters support bracketed cornice. 2 canted bays with chamfered reveals. Pierced balustrade above linking to parapet with decorative crest in raised central panel. Wings in shallow recesses with bipartite to each, cornice and blocking course with raised central panel. Piended slate roofs. CS.
KWP, 29.6.1861, 4f — Very superb cottage is to be erected in Portland Terrace for J T Smith, druggist, on feu between the houses of Robertson and Aitken. House with two wings. House is 40’ by 43’, the wings each 13’ by 43’, with a total frontage of 69’. Drawing and dining rooms, each 17’ by 18½’, with a ceiling of 12’9”. Elizabethan. Architect: [**James] Ingram**; builder, Wallace.
Sas Abr 998 of November 1861 — 1861 FDisp by Portland to James Taylor Smith, druggist, and spouse (Jane Taylor). 1R 12P 20Y on N side of Portland Road. 430.117.
KWP, 24.5.1862 — Local Improvements. Mr Smith’s ‘beautiful cottage’ in Portland Terrace.
D 1868 — James T Smith, Etruria Bank
D 1872 — James T Smith, Etruria Bank

PORTLAND ROAD, 43 — MORNINGSIDE
NAS, RS 14/388, fol 83 — 1856, for Robert C Robertson, master painter. Conform to elevation by John Wilson & Son. [Sasine Abridgement 132 of 1856]

D 1868 and D 1872 — R C Robertson

PORTLAND ROAD, 45
KS, Sa 9.2.1924, 1d — CALLIOPHANT
For sale. 3p+4b.

PORTLAND ROAD, 8-20
AA, Th 5.2.1891 — On Friday at auction, the 7 dwellinghouses 8-20 Portland Road, and the vacant feu adjoining to the east, bought for a client by R S Ingram for £2630.

PORTLAND ROAD, 28-30
D1913-1915 — Mrs William Ramsay - Thomas A Douglas MRCVS
VR 1989/90 — Martin & Mrs K Fun Chau - Margaret MacFadyen

PORTLAND ROAD, 38
KTC, SWC 30.5.1972 — Former Probation Office; sold to Ayr County council for £7,500.

PORTLAND ROAD, 40
PROPOSED HOUSE TO REAR
EAC, Planning PP/0340/PP — James W Mair, architectural technologist, Kilmarnock.

PORTLAND ROAD, 46 — [formerly 12 PORTLAND TERRACE]
1868 Directory — Shown on map therein
D 1868, D 1872 — 12PT. John Ferguson.
1879 Directory — 12PT. Mrs Sarah Edgar
Directories 1913/15 - 1036/39 — Occupied by Thomas Smellie, architect

PORTLAND ROAD, 48
n.r. — George Forrest, senior (draper: father of the plant hunter), died here in 1889. Moved from Falkirk sometime after 1881.

PORTLAND STREET
nr — Opened up after King Street, i.e. c.1805. It is the new road between Cross and Rackhead.
AA, Th 2.1.1806, 4c — The Improvement Commissioners have resolved to, this summer, open another spacious street, from the Cross to the Town Head, connecting with the new line of road to Glasgow.
AA, Th 2.3.1809, 1e — [House in Strand for sale}. "as one of the new streets intended to be opened through the town passes in the immediate vicinity … there is no doubt but the same will become very valuable."
AO, Tu 27.11.1832, 1a — Roup, 7.12., of remaining building plots along the line of road between Portland Street and Dean Street.

PORTLAND STREET, --
AA, Th 24.4.1806, 1c — To sell, 2 Building Plots on new road between the Cross and Rackhead. Advert also names houses to be taken down this summer, and material thereof sold.

PORTLAND STREET, -- (?low, even?)
AA, Th 13.12.1821, 1d — To let: double shop, &c., in Portland Street; also a bakehouse behind, which has a front onto Croft Street. Details: **Howie & Brown**, builders.

PORTLAND STREET, ---
AA, Th 20.12.1838, 1a — To let, cabinet works in Portland Street, p.p. by J & J Hood, cabinetmakers.

PORTLAND STREET, ---

AA, Th 29.10.1840, 4f — For sale, 2 tenements of shops and houses in Portland Street, on the east side. Property of Seq.Est of late James Murdoch, writer, Kilmarnock.

PORTLAND STREET, ---

Sas Abridgement 1091 of 11.9.1847 — Disp 23.8.1838 by Parliamentary Trustees for Opening Several New Streets in Kilmarnock, with consent of David Ramsay Andrews, writer - to James Paton, builder, Ayr - of areas of ground being Lots 96 97 98 107 108 109 110 113 on 114 on the plan of the said Trustees, marked number 1 in Portland Street, Kilmarnock. PR 336.145.

PORTLAND STREET, --

KP, 2.6.1860 — Thom the sculptor was apprenticed to Brown & Howie, masons. They built a house in Portland Street for Robert Thomson. Thom was allowed to carve a royal coat of arms. The house has an arch to lead to proposed, but unbuilt, factory.

PORTLAND STREET, --

KWP, 23.1.1864, 1c — To let, 'in New Buildings, Portland Street (opposite George Hotel)', shop and 2 houses. Details from, inter alia, Mr **Ingram**, architect.

PORTLAND STREET, --- with --- GEORGE STREET

KS, 21.2.1903 — Additions and alterations in course of erection for Messrs Ross & Co., including corner balcony. **James Hay**, architect.

PORTLAND STREET, --

KS, Sa 13.7.1889; AA, Th 18.7.1889 — We observed with pleasure the great improvements being effected in the property recently acquired by Mr M Scoular. His own shop, and that of Mr Wright, fishmonger, have undergone quite a transformation within the last few weeks. The frontage to Portland Street has now quite a modern aspect, the large window space surmounted by the deep frieze and enriched cornice having taken the place of the somewhat antiquated exterior of the original premises. Mr Andrew, architect.

[cf 56-60 PS]

PORTLAND STREET, --

KTC, DOGC 25.1.1960 — Shop, Portland Street, for Stylo Boot Co Ltd. £6,000.

PORTLAND STREET, --, BLACK BULL

AA, Th 12.9.1822, 1a — To let, presently possessed by Mrs Hay. Kitchen, bar room and larder on ground floor, with seven rooms on first floor. Stables, &c. In a yard, of which, "which is of material advantage, the whole can be closed in during the night."

EG, F 19.3.1869, 346a — Sequestrated: Adam McMurtrie, Black Bull Hotel, Kilmarnock, and formerly of the Elephant Hotel, Dunbarton (sic).

PORTLAND STREET, -- TONTINE BUILDINGS

McKay, 4th ed, 1880, 217 — Tontine Buildings, Portland Street/Fore Street, built 1814-1815.

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AA, Th 28.4.1814 — Contractors wanted for buildings for the Kilmarnock Exchange Co. Details: Robert Johnston, Kilmarnock, architect. [A large range, including a coffee house, shops and houses]

and cf also:

sas Min 11256 of 1813 — 1806 Feu Disp by Parliamentary Trustees to Andrew Aird, Kilmarnock, wright, Andrew Aitken, Kilmarnock, wright, and Hugh Barclay, Riccarton, mason, and 1812 Disp by AA, AA & HB to Union Society of Kilmarnock.

PORTLAND STREET, 1-9 — ROYAL BANK
? — On site of Tontine Buildings?
AP, F 23.4.1937 — Design by W J Walker Todd, of Dick Peddie, Todd & Jamieson, for Royal Bank, Kilmarnock, exhibited at 1937 RSA.
nr — Built of Heworth Burn stone, from Northumberland. The original floor was Hoptonwood (Derbyshire) marble, with a mosaic of a 1939 3d piece.

PORTLAND STREET, 15
EG, Tu 19.10.1915, 1591a — Walkers seek seq. of Alexander Mather, grain merchant, 15PS, whose present address is unknown.

PORTLAND STREET, 33 — SSEB
Dick, Folder 7 — 1964. **J W Gray**, SSEB, architect.
BI 76/895 October 1964 — Photograph of reconstructed showroom. SSEB HQ, Glasgow, architects.

PORTLAND STREET, 37 — BANK OF SCOTLAND
List 82 — c.1870, with later alterations to ground floor. 3 storey, 5 bay classical bank. Ashlar with rusticated quoins. Ground storey with early C20 facade; doors, with bracketed segmental pediments, in outer bay; 3 central windows, flanked by Roman Doric columns. 5 architraved windows to 1st floor with entablatures, the central with bracketed pediment. 2nd floor windows with eared architraves. Dentilled cornice, panelled parapet surmounted by urns. B.

PORTLAND STREET, 47-51
TT, F 28.7.1899, 1gh — Advert. Joseph Bent, hatter, established 1867, fo 47 & 53 Portland Street.
KS, Sa 6.2.1904 — Sketch of new building in Portland Street for John Craig & Son, cabinetmakers, and Joseph Bent, hatter. Andrew & Newlands, Kilmarnock, architects.
c.1979 — Occupied by Woodhouse, and Woolwich BS.

PORTLAND STREET, 57 (1840)
AA, Th 26.5.1831, 1e — Advert. John Smith, silk mercer, 57 Portland Street.
AA, Th 13.2.1840, 1c — Advert. John Wallace, silk mercer, 57 Portland Street.

PORTLAND STREET, 63 (1868) — BRITISH LINEN BANK
KS?, 25.8.1864 — In course of erection.
KWP, 15.10.1864, 1a — A branch of the British Linen Bank will open in Kilmarnock Sat 15.10.1864.
KS, Sa 2.8.1879 — Credited to **James Ingram** in his obituary.
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PORTLAND STREET, 61 — CLYDESDALE BANK
List 83 — Mid C19 with later alterations. 3 storey corner building with 3 bays to Portland Street, 3 to East George Street and shallow curved, recessed corner bay. Polished granite plinth, ashlar above, painted in upper storeys. Entrance at angle with engaged, polished granite Ionic columns supporting open pediment, with mongram CB in wreath. CIll band to ground floor windows which, on Portland Street elevations, supports 4

giant Corinthian pilasters, continuous entablature above. All 1st floor windows have architraves, apron panels and entablatures. Frieze main cornice and blocking course, raised in centre of Portland Street facade. Wallhead stacks, one brick, piended slate roof. Note; Empty by November 1979. B.

BI 24/283 October 1913 Reconstruction has just been completed. **Baird & Thomson**, Glasgow, architects. Sketch.

nr Demolished, winter 1981-82.

(and cf also
KWP, 9.4.1864, 1c 3A house to let in 'new building opposite George Hotel', Kilmarnock. Details: [James] Ingram, architect.

PORTLAND STREET, 63-67 LIBERAL CLUB
CO 3/9/5/1 VRs 1913-1921

PORTLAND STREET, 65
AA, Th 9.2.1871, 1e Sale of stock of sequestrated Wylie & McLean, coachbuilders.
AA, Th 2.3.1871, 8b Business has been acquired by James Wyllie

PORTLAND STREET, 12
EG 10249, F 24.4.1891, 463b James Bunten, draper, has sold his business to George Brownlie Campbell, who will trade as Bunten and Campbell.

PORTLAND STREET, 14-16 BURTON'S
AO, Tu 17.9.1833, 1d Advert. Archibald Percy, Black Bull, 16 Portland Street.
KWP, 1.1.1859 Reference to recent alterations to KWP offices, 14 Portland Street. Mr. Wallace, architect.
KH, 21.3.1929 Opened c. March 1929.

PORTLAND STREET, 20-24
List 85 Mid C19 corner building. 3 storeys, 3 bays with 1 additional angle bay. Painted ashlar. Cornice remains above modern shop fronts. 1st floor windows with shallow block pediments and acroteria. Pilastered angle bay. Cornice, slate roof. CS.

PORTLAND STREET, 28 (1840)
AA, Th 26.3.1840, 4f McMurray & Reyburn, silk mercers, &c., commencing business at 28 PS, lately occupied by C Brown.

PORTLAND STREET, 26-34
List 86 Late C19, Free Renaissance. 4 storeys, 3 bays. Polished ashlar. Poor modern shopfront. 1st and 2nd floor outer bays with tripartites in shallow projections, decorative mullions and moulded transoms; outer flanking pilasters. Sculptured panels above windows. Narrow central bay with round-headed window in 1st floor, bipartite above with curved balcony and Art Nouveau iron work, with bull's-eye window in decorated panel above. main modillioned cornice above 2nd floor. 5-light 3rd floor windows in outer bays, each recessed behind a Corinthian colonnade which supports a frieze and cornice. Above rises a shaped gable head with an allegorical figure in a central niche. B.

KS, 11.11.1905 To open today. Photograph.
AA, Th 16.11.1905 Opened last Saturday.
BI 16/189 December 1905 The new premises of the Kilmarnock Equitable Co-operative Society Ltd in Portland Street were opened last month. The street front, which is of Ballochmyle stone, is modern renaissance in style, specially designed to give ample light to the various floors. The northern and

larger portion of the street front is occupied as a groceries and provisions department, with ample storage space in basement. The southern portion gives access to the house furnishing warehouses, which occupy the whole of the 3 upper floors. From this entrance the various floors are reached by a handsome staircase. The building was erected from plans and under the superintendence of Andrew & Newlands, Kilmarnock, architects. Photograph, copied herewith.

PORTLAND STREET, 36 — ROYAL BANK

List 87 — 1858, **Peddie & Kinnear**. 3 storey 5 bays; former bank building. Polished ashlar with rusticated quoins. Ground floor spoilt. Cill course to 1st floor windows, which have round-arched heads, spandrels and entablatures. Cill course to 2nd floor, architraved windows. Heavily bracketted cornice. Slate roof. Notes: Peddie & Kinnear made alterations in 1901. Built for Royal Bank. ref: NMRS. B.

AA, Th 19.6.1856 — In course of erection, Bank, Portland Street. Mr Peddie, architect.

KWP, 12.12.1857 — Royal Bank moving to new premises 14.12.1857.

AA, Th 17.12.1857 — Opened last Monday.

KWP, 4.12.1858 — **Peddie**, Edinburgh, architect.

KS 1864 — The contractor was **Adam Loudon**, builder, Kilmarnock, who died in 1864.

PORTLAND STREET, 38-40

EG 7911, Tu 15.12.1868, 1567a — 1868, ref to DR & TB Andrews at 38 Portland Street

EG, Tu 5.1.1892, 16b — James Finlay, 38 Portland Street, Kilmarnock

EG, F 22.1.1892, 72a — Ref to Hugh Laird (of D R & T B Andrews), 38 Portland Street.

List 88 — 1910, Gabriel Andrew & Son. Edwardian free style. 4 storeys, 3 bays. Polished ashlar. Ground floor spoilt. 2 storey shallow canted central bay, 2nd floor central light pedimented. Diocletian window above in 3rd floor with keystone and swags. Shallow advanced outer bays with bipartites to each floor, pedimented at 2nd. Ogival headed, broken pediments with swags. Cornice and blocking course. Ref: BI, 16.12.1910, 131. CS.

BI 21/249 Dec 1910 — See photocopy, with illustration. For G McMurray, draper. William Pollock, mason; John Dickson, joiner. Other contractors listed.

PORTLAND STREET, 42

List 89 — Later C19. 2 storeys and attic. 4 bays with Renaissance detail. Ashlar with rusticated quoins. Modern ground floor under original cornice. Cill band to 1st floor architraved windows. Each window with decorative panel above and flanked by slim pilasters supporting consoles and the main dentilled cornice, Parapet; 2 central pilastered and segmentally pedimented windows in thw wide gabled dormer. Slate roof. B.

PORTLAND STREET, 56-60

KS, Sa 22.11.1902 — Sketch of new buildings in course of erection for G & M Scoular. **James Hay**, architect.

KTC, 10.12.1902 — 'Scoulars Property, Portland Street. Architect, James Hay'.

PORTLAND STREET, 66 — [1846]

EG 5523, F 27.3.1846, 116b — Ref to office of Thomas Fulton, writer, 66 Portland Street.

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KWP 5.1.1861 — William Dick, flesher, has re-opened shop at 72 PS.

PORTLAND STREET, 78-80 and 1 WEST GEORGE STREET

List 90 Mid C19. 3 storey building with 7 bays to Portland Street, curved angle bay at south-east, and 3 bays to West George Street. Modern shop to ground floor. Painted render above. 5 central bays flanked by giant Ionic pilasters supporting cornice and panelled parapet, raised to minature pediment over central bay, with terminal and apex fan-headed, caps.

AA, Th 5.12.1822 To architects. The Merchant Society of Kilmarnock, having resolved to erect a new Inn in Portland Street ... are anxious to procure a proper plan and specification for the building; and will pay £25 to the person whose plan shall be apprived of by the society.

West Country Advertiser, F 27.1.1826
George Inn and Hotel, Merchants' Buildings, Portland Street - Robert Gardner, later principal waiter at George Hotel, Glasgow, has 'opened' the above establishment.

AA, Th 27.6.1833 To let, 2 shops next George Inn, Portland Street. Apply to John Thomson, architect, 75 Buchanan Street, Glasgow.

AA, Th 13.9.1894 George Hotel. Erected c.1826. New bar opened last Friday. It is 'an extension on the corner ground', 3 storeys and basement. Architectural design corresponds with the original building but is of a more ornate character, the ground floor being rusticated, the 2nd and 3rd floors connected by three-quarter columns, and the whole surmounted by ornamental balustrade with, at the corner, a high pitched roof and flagstaff. Undoubtedly one of the finest examples of architecture in Kilmarnock. Design; **R S Ingram**.

AA, Th 24.11.1927, 3g Fire, last Sunday, at George Cinema, built about 5 years ago - has caused several thousand pounds-worth of damage to the interior.

KTC, DOG 26.2.1973 Plan 1206, alterations and extensions, Portland House, Portland Street, for Mason-Murphy, £40,000.

PRINCES STREET

ASH, Sa 20.9.1862, 3d New pavement of glazed bricks from Howie's, Hurlford.

PRINCES STREET, -- 'NEW ACADEMY'

ASH, F 2.12.1887, 8a Acquired by W A Reid, contractor, and in course of alteration and extension to make into a livery stable and posting establishment. **R S Ingram**, architect.

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