GENERAL

Macfarlane [1723] Descriptions of some Parishes in the Jurisdiction of Kyle in Ayrshire with what is worth notice remarked very exactlie May 1723.
St Quivox stands 2 short miles E of Air and 2 good miles south of Monktoun. The kirk stands on a pleasant rising ground and has some houses about it. The Lord Cathcarts house of Auchincroof half a mile to the southeast of the Kirk closs on the water of Air with large orchyards and a pleasant dray situation hansome avenues and vistoes on all sides of the house but this is not the ordinarie place of his residence.
The Castle of Newtoun belonging to Sir Thomas Wallace of Craigie advocat stands west of the kirk 2 short miles near the east end of the Bridge of Air; has hansome orchards with high stone walls and a park closs to the house with a stone dyk about it and a large handsome dovecoat. Alexander of Blackhouse has a house that stands one mile ½ west of the kirk near to the burgh of Air, has a salmond fishing.
Mr George Hutchison of Monkwood advocat has a house to the north of the kirk a short mile called Easter Qhar, but his place of residence is in Carrick. Wallace of Hollmstoun wryter oto the Signet has severall lands in this parioch, but his place of residence is not here. severall other gentlemen l=have lands here, but not having their place of abode in the parioch, have not troubled you furder.

Census, 1821, 497 'The parish of St Quivox has been enlarged, at the expense of the parish of Newton.'

FARMS

BARWHEYS
CO 3/12/1/5 BBC 7.4.1908 A&A, R A Oswald; George Smith, Auchincruive, factor.
CO 3/12/1/7 BBC 21.9.1915 Additions, R A Oswald; George Smith
BRAEHEAD
BRICKROW
AP 24.1.1936 Contractors wanted for 7 houses at Brickrow. Dept of Agriculture, Chief Surveyor, Edinburgh. [Cf Mainholm].
ACC Planning, A1326 July 1949. Electricity Supply, Brick Row.
GH, 2.7.2008 Estate agency advert, PHOTOCOPY herewith.
BROCKLEHILL, 401238
CO 3/12/1/5 BBC 2.3.1909 Additions, R A Oswald; George Smith, factor, Auchincruive.
CO 3/12/1/6 BBC 7.5.1912 Convert building to cothouse, R A Oswald, George Smith
BBC 7.5.1912 Additions, R A Oswald, George Smith
BBC 3.2.1914 Cottage, Auchincruive estate, George Smith
ACC, PHSC 5.5.1931 RW. A&A, Brocklehill Cottage, for Joseph Gibb.
CLUNE, 374253
CLUNE FARM COTTAGES, 376253
DALMILLING
EAST SANQUHAR, 367243
EAST SANQUHAR CITTAGE, 367243
FULSHAWWOOD, 368231
COTTAGE
ACC, PHDAC 7.7.1932 Subsidy 48. Cottage, Fulshawwood, for W B Strain.
BEECH GROVE, 370232
FULSHAW WOOD COTTAGE, 369232
On south side of B743, going eastwards
FULSHAWWOOD COTTAGES, 367233

LINWOOD, 367233

HIGH THORNYFLAT

HIGHFIELD, 371243

Hume — Horse Gin House. Early to Mid C19. A circular rubble structure, slate roofed, with large openings divided by cast-iron columns. Little altered.

KIRKHILL, 374238

CO 3/12/1/3 BBC 6.8.1907 — Additions, for Miss Thomson's Trustees; James Middleton, Estate Office, Kilmarnock.

AA, Th 13.6.1912, 5d — Sold by roup, last Tuesday, in the Station Hotel, Ayr. Ca.60 acres. Bought by R A Oswald for £3530.

KIRKLANDHOLM

CO 3/12/1/3 BBC 7.9.1903 — House, for R A Oswald. Alexander Ligertwood, factor, Auchincruive.

BBC 5.6.1906 — A&A, K Cothouse, for R A Oswald; Alexander Ligertwood.

ACC, PHSC 30.9.1930 — RWG. Alterations, cottage, K, for A Hewat.

ACC, PHSC 3.3.1932 — RW. Improvements, Kirklandholm Cothouses, for Andrew Howat

LAIGH THORNYFLAT

EG, F 1.1.1869, 13ab — John Neill, farmer, Laigh Thonryflatt. In sequestration.

COTTAGE

ACC Planning, 1890 — July 1939, cottage, [L]T, for David Drummond. Two cottages in VR 1940/41, not in 39/40.

COTTAGE

ACC Planning, A3699 — June 1951. 3A a.w. cottage, LT; Stevenson & Ferguson, for David Drummond.

CAMP

ACC, HC 5.11.1946 — Responsibility for management of the camp at LT has been taken on by Ayr Town Council.

MAINHOLM

BOTTOM ROAD (Mainholm to Gibbsyard)

CO 3/8/1/4, County Council 1898-1902, 123-125, County Council 20.12.1898 — Alleged as a right-of-way. Council take no action.

TILE WORKS

AA, Th 7.5.1840, 1g — Contractors wanted to build a cottage.

SMALLHOLDINGS

AP, 24.1.1936 — Contractors wanted for 17 houses at Mainholm: Dept of Agriculture, Chief Surveyor, Edinburgh. [Cf Brickrow]

ACC Planning, A3468 — April 1951. Electricity Supply.

AIRLSTONE NURSERY, 365214

MAINHOLM HOLDING 7, 367214 (w)

MAINHOLM HOLDING 8, 367214 (e)

MAINHOLM HOLDING 10, 371214

MAINHOLM HOLDING 11, 373215

MAINHOLM HOLDING 12, 374216

THE LODGE, 375218

MAINHOLM NURSERY, 375219

MID SANQUHAR

AA, Th 12.6.1890 — Contractors wanted for additions to steading, Mid Sanquhar. Allan Stevenson.

CO 3/12/1/3 BBC 2.2.1904 — Addns to cottage, for William Forbes; Thomas D Wallace, factor, Falkirk.

CO 3/12/1/12 BBC 29.7.1924 — Alterations, MS, for C H Forbes; J K Hunter.

MOSSBLOWN

CO 3/12/1/3 BBC 7.6.1904 — Dwho, for R A Oswald; Alexander Ligertwood, Auchincruive, factor.

SANDYFORD AND MAINSHEW

AA, Th 15.12.1881, 1c — S. Auchincruive estate. To let, 240 acres.

AA, Th 15.12.1881, 1c — S. Stock Sale, W 28.12.1881

CO 3/12/1/6 BBC 6.2.1912 Alterations, Sandyford Farm and Cottages, R A Oswald; George Smith, factor, Auchincruive.

POTATO DIGGERS ACCOMODATION

ACC Planning, 1799 July 1939, for Oswald Young.

SHAW, 368263

AP, F 25.2.1949, 4bcd Part (c 67 acres) included in Prestwick Airport CPO. Property of NCB, tenanted by James Dunlop.

SHAW COTTAGES, 366264

SHAW MONUMENT, 36772612

List [Ayr Landward] 5 Tall round tower, winding stair - built by the Laird of Shaw, an enthusiastic falconer, so that when too old to follow the sport, he might have this vantage point from which to watch his hawks make their kill. Ref: Carrick Days, Cuthbertson, 27-28. B.

Cuthbertson Has stood the test of time for fully a century and a half, and stands stark and straight some 50 odd feet in height.

SHAWHILL, 379264

AP, F 25.2.1949, 4bcd Part (c 15A in St Quivox and Monkton parishes) included in Prestwick Airport CPO. Prop, R.L. Angus, Ladykirk

SHIELDS, 374279

Typical Ayrshire Farms, VII, in AA, Th 6.3.1890, 4g

'The buildings, which occupy a fine position in the centre of the land, are both numerous and commodious, but it is evident that they have been enlarged or altered at intervals as necessity required. As some parts of the steading lacked convenience, numerous improvements have been effected by the proprietor [Oswald]; indeed, the tenant is well pleased with the alterations made by the landlord during the few years [i.e., since 1886] he has been in the farm. The byre, milkhouse and scullery were recently remodelled on a more suitable and convenient plan, and there is ample accommodation for the feeding of lean cattle or the breeding of stock.'

AP, F 25.2.1949, 4bcd Part (c 27 acres) included in Prestwick Airport CPO. Property of NCB, tenanted by John Smith & Son.

SLATEHALL, 379237 (Not in VR 1892/93: almost opposite Auchincruive West Lodge)

ACC, PHSC 5.1.1932 RW. Improvements to 4 houses, Slatehall, for HDRI.

ACC Planning, 4267 March 1947. Alterations, S, for Hannah DRI.

SOUTH SANQUHAR

THORNYFLAT

BRICK WORKS

AA, Th 9.7.1807, 4c Bricks for sale, 'burned by an experienced hand from Glasgow.'

WEST SANQUHAR

WHEATPARK, 369236

AA, Th 8.12.1881, 1c Auchuncruive estate. 70A. To let.

CO 3/12/1/5 BBC 1.2.1910 Dwho., W, for R A Oswald; George Smith, factor, Auchincruive.

WHEATPARK COTTAGE, 370235

WHITE GABLES, 370234

AP, F 11.7.1947, 11c Erected in 1936. For sale.

WHITLETTS

ST QUIVOX VILLAGE

Johnston St Quivox. This is the Irish saint, Caemhan, in his pet form, Mochaemhoc. He died c.750.

COLLIERS ROW, 370240 (off A77)

CO 3/12/1/5 BBC 1.12.1908 Houses, for R A Oswald; George Smith, Auchincruive, factor.

KEVOC COTTAGES

KIRKHILL BUNGALOWS
KIRKHILL COTTAGE

List [Ayr Landward] 3 — At one time an inn - 1 storey, harled and limewashed, bay fronted, 3 sash windows with square headed dripmoulds; 2 pointed gable ends to right - on a rear gable, the Oswald crest. C.

MANSE COTTAGE
MOUNT HAMILTON

List [Ayr Landward] 4 — Originally the factor's house of Auchincruive. Centre 2 storey projecting wing has flat bowed front, 3 sash windows, parapet, steep hipped slate roof, white harling, black painted stone dressings - T-shape on plan, older portion to rear having part pentice roof. B.

JAB Smith — Mount Hamilton was purchased by the [Hannah Research] Institute in September 1948. At one time the house had been the home of the factor of the Auchincruive estate but by 1948 was badly in need of repair. The decision was made to renovate it and convert it into three self-contained dwellinghouses for members of staff, and this was done by 1951.

ACC Planning, A1700 — November 1949. Subdivision (3 flats), for Hannah D.R.I.

AP, F 2.3.1951, 6dc — Report of finds during conversion work. Photocopy herewith.

nr — Part further modified to provide post-graduate flats, 1971-1972.

COTTAGES

ACC Planning, A4780 — June 1952. 2 semi-detached cottages, MH. D.S. McPhail, for Hannah D.R.I.

ACC Planning, A7455 — June 1954. 2 semi-detached cottages, MN. D Grant, for Hannah D.R.I..

A.C.C.

ACC Planning, A6618 — November 1953. 8 houses, St Quivox, for Ayr County Council.

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