

BR 148	Correspondence concerning Sligo estates of Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston and his heirs 1837-1937	
<b>BR148/1</b>	<b><i>Monthly progress reports from John Lynch, resident agriculturalist on Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston's Sligo estates:</i></b>	<b>1845</b>
BR148/1/1	Abstract of John Lynch's income and expenditure for the year of 1845, 1 page	1845
BR148/1/2 /1-3	Monthly return of expenses incurred on works on Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston's Sligo estate, for the period between 13 Dec 1844 and 9 Jan 1845, including lists of work men, invoices from Hugh Gilmartin, builder and Thomas McGarigle, smith	17 Jan 1845
BR148/1/3 /1-3	Monthly return of expenses incurred on works on Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston's Sligo estate, for the period between 10 Jan and 6 Feb 1845, including lists of work men, invoices from Patrick O'Connor, carpenter and Thomas McGarigle, smith	17 Feb 1845
BR148/1/4 /1-3	Monthly return of expenses incurred on works on Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston's Sligo estate, for the period between 7 Feb and 6 Mar 1845, including lists of work men, invoices from Patrick O'Connor, carpenter and Martin Hannon, smith	17 Mar 1845
BR148/1/5 /1-2	Monthly return of expenses incurred on works on Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston's Sligo estate, for the period between 7 Mar and 3 Apr 1845, including lists of work men, copy invoice from Thomas MacGarracle and Martin Hannon and Edward Black, blacksmiths	3 Apr 1845
BR148/1/6 /1-2	Monthly return of expenses incurred on works on Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston's Sligo estate, for the period between 4 Apr and 1 May 1845, including lists of work men, copy invoice from Thomas MacGarracle and Martin Hannon, blacksmiths	1 May 1845
BR148/1/7 /1-3	Monthly return of expenses incurred on works on Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston's Sligo estate, for the period between 2 May and 29 May 1845, including lists of work men, copy invoices from Patrick O'Connor, carpenter and Thomas MacGarracle and Martin Hannon, blacksmiths	7 Jun 1845
BR148/1/8 /1-3	Monthly return of expenses incurred on works on Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston's Sligo estate, for the period between 30 May and 26 Jun 1845, including lists of work men, copy invoices from Thomas MacGarracle, blacksmith, Hugh Gilmartin, sundries and Martin Connor	5 Jul 1845
BR148/1/9 /1-2	Monthly return of expenses incurred on works on Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston's Sligo estate, for the period between 30 Jun and 24 Jul 1845, including lists of work men, copy invoice from Thomas MacGarracle and Martin Hannon and Edward Black carpenter	3 Aug 1845
BR148/1/10 /1-3	Monthly return of expenses incurred on works on Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston's Sligo estate, for the period	21 Aug 1845

	between 25 Jul and 21 Aug 1845, including lists of work men, copy invoice from James MacGarracle, Thomas MaGarricle and Martin Hannon	
BR148/1/11	Monthly return of expenses incurred on works on Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston's Sligo estate, for the period between 22 Aug and 18 Aug 1845, including lists of work men and wages	30 Oct 1845
BR148/1/12 /1-2	Monthly return of expenses incurred on works on Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston's Sligo estate, for the period between 19 Sep and 16 Oct 1845, including lists of work men and wages, copy invoice from Thomas and James McGarrigle, blacksmith	20 Nov 1845
BR148/1/13 /1-3	Monthly return of expenses incurred on works on Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston's Sligo estate, for the period between 17 Oct and 13 Nov 1845, including lists of work men and wages, copy invoice from James McGarrigle, blacksmith and Patrick Little, carpenter	n.d. c.14 Nov 1845
BR148/1/14 /1-5	Monthly return of expenses incurred on works on Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston's Sligo estate, for the period between 14 Nov and 11 Dec 1845, including lists of work men and wages, copy invoices from Patrick O'Connor, carpenter, Martin Connor, carpenter, Martin Hannon, blacksmith and Hugh Gilmartin for sundries	24 Dec 1845
<b>BR148/2</b>	<b><i>Monthly progress reports from John Lynch, resident agriculturalist on Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston's Sligo estates:</i></b>	<b>1846</b>
BR148/2/1	Abstract of John Lynch's expenditure for the year of 1846, 1 page	1846
BR148/2/2 /1-3	Monthly return of expenses incurred on works on Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston's Sligo estate, for the period between 1 Jan and 5 Dec 1846, including lists of work men and wages, copy invoices from Martin and Patrick Hannon, blacksmiths	17 Feb 1846
BR148/2/3 /1-4	Monthly return of expenses incurred on works on Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston's Sligo estate, for the period between 6 Feb and 5 Mar 1846, including lists of work men and wages, copy invoices from Patrick and Martin Hannon, James McGarragle, blacksmiths	13 Mar 1846
BR148/2/4 /1-3	Monthly return of expenses incurred on works on Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston's Sligo estate, for the period between 6 Mar and 2 Apr 1846, including lists of work men and wages, copy invoices from Patrick Hannon, blacksmith and receipt from Frank Connors	26 Apr 1846
BR148/2/5 /1-2	Monthly return of expenses incurred on works on Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston's Sligo estate, for the period between 3 Apr and 30 Apr 1846, including lists of work men and wages, copy invoices from Patrick Hannon and James McGarragle, blacksmiths and Hugh Gilmartin, sundries, Catherine Garrigle, Patrick O'Connor	8 May 1846
BR148/2/6 /1-2	Monthly return of expenses incurred on works on Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston's Sligo estate, for the period	8 Jun 1846

between 1 May and 28 May 1846, including lists of work men and wages, copy invoices from Patrick and Martin Hannon, Edward Black, blacksmiths

- BR148/3**      ***Bundle of correspondence mostly from Joseph Kincaid, agent to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning Sligo estates:***      **1837-49**
- BR148/3/1  
/1-2      Letter from Henry Livesly of Dublin to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, enclosing a prospectus and questionnaire for a proposed topographical atlas of Ireland and asking Palmerston to be a patron of the project      12 Sep 1837
- BR148/3/2      Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning designs for house to be built at Mount Temple, progress of harbour, 4 pages      25 Jul 1840
- BR148/3/3      Contemporary copy list of equipment remaining at Mullaghmore harbour, drawn up by John Hannon and John Lynch, 2 pages      Apr 1843
- BR148/3/4      Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning number of protestants in Aghamlish in connection with allotment of land near the church for the use of the vicar, salary of Mr Leonard, Cliffony schoolmaster, repairs to Benbulben schoolhouse, 3 pages      10 Jan 1845
- BR148/3/5  
/1-2      Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning enclosing letter from Mr Tottenham who is trying to raise a subscription to reduce the cost of Grand Jury rate, failure of potato crops in Sligo for the second year "I fear the mass of the people are not prepared for the loss of their principle article of food for a second year. There is considerable distress in the town of Sligo and immediate neighbourhood". Palmerston should be prepared for appeals to help the distressed      27 Jul 1846 - 6 Aug 1846
- BR148/3/6      Letter from John Lynch, agent to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning potato famine, which has seriously affected the late and early crops turning the stalks black, soon there will be no potatoes to eat which are not diseased. The people are very distressed as there are no old potatoes left, no time should be lost in making arrangement for feeding the people. Most people in the area will be affected as the main crop is potatoes. The government should reclaim all the waste lands and bogs, and send stores to those in remote areas. Surveyor has been looking at the Drumfad to Derrylehane road, he sent some wheat to Mr Kincaid [agent in Dublin] to show him how it is also diseased" some of it is black and some very white", 3 pages      7 Aug 1846
- BR148/3/7      Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning complaint in Sligo that Palmerston had not subscribed to the relief committee, probably the increase of public duties made Palmerston forget to answer the appeal from the town secretary. Kincaid will carry out any instructions Palmerston has on the subject. The Sligo relief committee has merged with the committee for the whole barony with Mr Wynne as chairman. There is much distress and a lot of money has been subscribed, men are already employed in levelling barrack hill on the Eniskillen road. The potato crop has entirely gone, Lynch says that there are no disease free potatoes in the parish. Kincaid visited the Ballymote estate and all the stalks have withered before potatoes could grow. The situation in Dublin is just as bad. The situation

will make it very difficult to collect rents, 4 pages

- BR148/3/8 /1-2 Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning Sligo and Eniskillen railway bill, encloses a letter from Thomas Jay on the subject, Mr McFadden advises the Palmerston ignore the application for the railway 10 Sep 1846 - 22 Sept 1846
- BR148/3/9 /1-2 Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning distress in Sligo, he enclosed a cutting from a Sligo newspaper detailing the proceedings of the Sligo relief committee which described John Lynch described people "as bordering on despair - they were daily surrounded by swarms of distressed persons imploring relief", the improvement in the fishing facilities set up by Palmerston were of no use as even fish was very scarce. Soup shops were suggested based around police stations. Mr Brennan reported that there was 1200 destitute families in his parish. The crops in the sand at Mullaghmore were suffering less. Mr Patterson said that the people were quiet and law abiding "so exempt were they from crime of any sort, that not one person had been sent to jail for a long time.", Sir Robert Gore was trying to give employment to his people; Kincaid says that there is no exaggeration in the reports, the crops are a complete failure, there will be little rent collected and a big call on the pockets of the wealthy to find food. The wheat crop had looked well and the prices were very high. The tenants had been occupied in building new houses on their squared plots, Kincaid has been giving them window frames to encourage the houses to be higher, although it seems impossible to find doors higher than six foot and wall s even foot. The pine trees are growing well on the sand banks, 1 Sep 1846 - 9 Sep 1846
- BR148/3/10 Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning failure of potato crop in Sligo which they would have written more about earlier but there were no practical measures for remedy, but representations on the subject from Sligo have been insistent. A large proportion of the tenants on Palmerston estates in Sligo have no land , at most just a potato garden and depended on potatoes for food, there is very little alternative employment except for fishing. Magistrates are now allowed to authorise building of roads and other public work, the money for these projects will be raised by government loans, repayment half by the landlord and half by the tenants through the poor rate. Special sessions have already been held in Carbury, Sligo and approval of the Board of Works is awaited from several projects. Kincaid thinks this idea will put people under a serious future burden of debt, they will have to raise a £1000 loan, it will probably mean £500 tax a year to be paid for the Sligo estate projects, and only still only gives them £4000 to support a population of over 6000. There is also a £1,000,000 loan from the government for drainage of bogs in Ireland at a rate of 6%, it is very important for Palmerston to decide whether to apply for some of this money to improve the Aghamlish estates, which would cost £135 a year for the 22 years to will need to repay it, but would improve the productivity of the estate. Kincaid would recommend an experienced drainer to work on the estate. The plan for the improvements to Mullaghmore harbour has been put to the Board of Works, if it goes through it could employ many people. A new road through the newly squared plots would be a useful project and also clearing the streams at Grange; plan for new canal through Bunduff marsh, Prompt and benevolent decisions on these matters are essential, 8 pages 24 Sep 1846

- BR148/3/11 Letter from Lieutenant Colonel Barton, The Waterfront, Pettiger, to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning unsuitability of Mullaghmore harbour as a fishing bay as opposed to Tullaghan, 6 pages 30 Sep 1846
- BR148/3/12 Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning Colonel Barton's letter about fishing harbours, application from Board of Works for money for Mullaghmore harbour, Palmerston should write a letter to Colonel Jones, chairman of the Board of Works about Mullaghmore emphasising the employment prospects that it offers and suggesting that he visit the site; the conditions in Roscommon are very bad, relief measures have not yet come into force and the people cannot afford to buy what little food there is and are kept alive by sea biscuits sent by the naval department. £15,000 has been granted for new road projects in Roscommon, with the same amount in Sligo, which are awaiting approval of the Board of Works. "I have no doubt that to render thus the principal landed proprietors must endeavour to provide more profitable employment for their tenants on their own farms and in their own localities and I hope and trust that by this means the national calamity may prove in its results and consequences a national blessing.", 7 pages 6 Oct 1846
- BR148/3/13 Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning difficulty of collecting Inishmurray island cess, which Kincaid recommends Palmerston pays and adds to the rent of the tenants; Mr Kelly's plans for a waterway between Castlegall and Bunduff, have told Mr Walker [Sligo agent] of Palmerston's orders to give meal and rice to the Aghamlish tenants. News is very bad on the condition of the South and West of Ireland. John Lynch says Cliffony is very bad he has got four tons of Indian meal from the Sligo relief fund. Improvement projects to give employment of the poor are awaiting final approval, 6 pages 13 Oct 1846
- BR148/3/14 Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning visit of Colonel Jones [chairman of the Boyne Board of Works] to Mullaghmore harbour, employment is needed as the poor are in a state of great distress with no provisions and no money to buy any, depot for the sale of Indian meal in Cliffony has only a limited supply of food, there is not enough food to feed the population of the estate [5400 individuals] for as much as three months. Kincaid drawn up a report on the situation which he has sent to Dublin, to speed up the approval of improvement projects. There is little chance of rent being collected, the land owners in Sligo have sent to America for 700 tons of corn Palmerston has his name down for 50 tons, 8 pages 21 Oct 1846
- BR148/3/15 Letter from Father Malachi Brennan, priest of Aghamlish to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning distress of Palmerston's tenants in the parish, nearly all the fertile land was planted with potatoes which have gone except for a little grain. the 720 people in Mullaghmore have only 6 acres of grain, although many are in a state of starvation they are still quiet and peaceful. Of the 100 people in Aghamlish only 248 are employed on public works, only full employment will save the people from death by starvation. He has put off making this appeal until this moment, 5 pages 24 Oct 1846
- BR148/3/16 Return of the population on Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston's Sligo estates, with amounts of cattle and corn in their possession, 2 pages 31 Oct 1846

- BR148/3/17 /1-2 Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning favourable opinion of Colonel Jones of the Board of Works on Mullaghmore harbour improvements but unfortunately they have no money left to grant but are asking the government for more money, Mr Gibbens, the engineer thinks the pier will cost much more than estimated, encloses cutting from a Sligo newspaper *Frightful Destitution*, on the situation in Aghamlish and Mullaghmore, Drumcliffe; one of Kincaid's assistants is going to Cliffony to help Mr Walker collect rents there and he will report on what he finds there 7 Nov 1846
- BR148/3/18 Memorial from *Sligo Relief Committee* to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, asserting that of the 9700 distressed people in the parish of Aghamlish 5800 are Palmerston's tenants, also there is an "absence of the valuable help afforded elsewhere by many resident gentlemen among the poor", the government is unable to give them enough help the other landlords have established a relief fund and are using it to sell food to the people, helping emigration. They are only able to give employment to six hundred people, leaving nine hundred really distressed families. The committee appeal for landlords to help emigration, set up drainage projects and give money towards the relief fund to buy more food, 3 pages 10 Nov 1846
- BR148/3/19 /1-2 Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning report of Mr Maxwell, his assistant on the state of Sligo estates, he has been completely unsuccessful in collecting rent, the tenants have no money, Kincaid's clients in Sligo, Leitrim, Roscommon and Mayo have the same problem, although Leinster and Ulster are paying rents as usual. Many of Palmerston's tenants are in great distress, as was shown in a return recently sent to Palmerston showing the amount of grain left in the county. Aghamlish is in the worst condition although finding food in Sligo is not easy. The relief committee is very active, although they do not have enough food, six hundred people are employed on public works projects: a road near Aghagad to Ardnaglass and Gortnaleck, repair of the road from Mullaghmore to Bunduff, flattening a hill near Carnduff, a road through Ennismurray "where the population are in the greatest destitution"; but 4000 of Palmerston's tenants have been referred to the relief committee as being in need of aid. Presentments are about to go through for some drainage projects, employment is needed, although the government will expect the landlords to repay the money loaned to pay for these projects, it is important that the projects should be the sort to improve the income from the land in the long run. Palmerston should apply for £100 together with Mr Wynne to improve the land. Palmerston can also apply for money under the *Million act* to drain and improve the estate and this might be cheaper than under the *Relief Act*. Most of the tenants will need to be supported by their landlord for at least the next nine months. Enclosed is an application form to apply for money under the *Million act* 21 Nov 1846
- BR148/3/20 /1-2 Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, he is hoping to get a reply from Palmerston on the subject of the distress in Sligo, the situation is getting worse especially in Aghamlish and people are dying of hunger. It is impossible to calculate how much money is needed to feed the people but it will not be less than five times the annual income. A presentment is coming up soon in Sligo and Kincaid asks for permission to apply for money the electoral register of Cliffony to 9 Dec 1846

be used for draining and subsoiling rather than building roads, enclosed is a newspaper cutting reporting deaths from starvation of some of Palmerston's tenants in Aghamlish

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| BR148/3/21<br>/1-2 | Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning proposal by Mr Kelly for land for a corn mill and store at John's Lane, Sligo, he enclose a sketch of the plot in question  | 30 Dec 1846                  |
| BR148/3/22         | Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning Palmerston's letter to John Lynch that expenditure on the Aghamlish estates should be reduced; the poor of the estates are still in great distress, the tenants have tried to plant a good crop but "the smaller tenants, colliers and labourers are almost in a starving condition and we are pressed beyond measure to put on further works under the <i>Land Improvement Act</i> in order to give them employment. They have prepared estimates for more public works, the original £2000 loan for these works has been spent, 4 pages | 1 Jun 1849                   |
| <b>BR148/4</b>     | <b><i>Bundle of correspondence mostly from Joseph Kincaid, agent and John Hannon, agriculturalist to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning Sligo and Dublin estates:</i></b>  | <b>1850-65</b>               |
| BR148/4/1          | Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning petition of Charles Kelgallen on clearing houses near Sligo abbey so that they could be knocked down, 4 pages   | 14 May 1850                  |
| BR148/4/2<br>/1-2  | Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning plans by Mr Symes for houses at Mullaghmore, request for abatement of Mr Black of Sligo, appointment of poor law guardians in Sligo, encloses sketch of the outlet of Bunduff marsh, plans for opening up the pier at Mullaghmore. The emigrants to Australia have been passed by the government emigration officer   | 9 Feb 1853                   |
| BR148/4/3          | Letter from P.Malone, civil engineer to Stewart and Kincaid, giving an estimate for the work draining Bunduff and Mullaghmore marshes, 1 page  | 5 Jun 1855                   |
| BR148/4/4<br>/1-2  | Letter from John Hannon to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, enclosing a return of crops and stock on Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston's Aghamlish estate in 1858, the crops are quite good, the herring fishery has been disastrous, work on the breakwater is progressing  | 15 Oct 1858 - 16<br>Oct 1858 |
| BR148/4/5          | Letter from Thomas Leverton Donaldson, architect, to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning a pedestal for a bust which can be obtained from Mr McDonald of Euston road, London, 2 pages   | 13 Nov 1858                  |
| BR148/4/6          | Letter from Thomas Leverton Donaldson, architect, to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning price of granite and marble pedestals for a bust of Palmerston. He is to keep to the existing plan for Cliffony lodge, although the staircase needs changing, the window in the drawing room should be larger, needs study for Palmerston and moved the stewards hall, rearranged the kitchen, arrangement of bedrooms, placing of cellar; converting servant room over the portico at Broadlands; complains that the George Gilbert Scott's plans for a gothic foreign office are                             | 22 Nov 1858                  |

deplorable, "break faith with the public and the profession ..... the principle of the competition to be ignored by not employing the successful competitor No.1 Sir Benjamin Hall would never have allowed this, he well fought the battle for maintaining the right principle", 4 pages

BR148/4/7	Monthly return of expenses incurred on works on Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston's Sligo estate, for the period between 26 Nov and 23 Dec 1858, including lists of work men and wages, for bent planting, Mullaghmore harbour, plantation, 3 pages	23 Dec 1858
BR148/4/8 /1-2	Letter from James Stewart [of Stewart and Kincaid] to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning enclosed letter from Mr Scott of Bordeaux to Palmerston, about sending pine tree seeds to Ireland, the seeds have arrived and been sent to Sligo	18 Feb 1859 - 1 Mar 1859
BR148/4/9 /1-3	Letter from Stewart and Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning enclosed proposal from Francis Dunleavy of Thomas Street, Sligo, candidates for the election for Sligo borough, Mr Wynne is likely to win as Mr Somers and Mr Treston will divide the liberal vote, encloses printed results of poll	2 May 1859 - 6 May 1859
BR148/4/10	Letter from Stewart and Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning results of Palmerston's memoranda on his estates [BR149/8/35], little has been done on new opening at end of Mullaghmore pier as the engineer of the Board of Works was strongly against the idea, they were also advised against draining the marsh, Captain Saunder's letter on enlarging pier; twenty men from Palmerston's Sligo estates have sailed for New York on the <i>Orient</i> , 3 pages	2 Jun 1859
BR148/4/11	List of Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston's tenants sent to America and Canada at Palmerston's expense on the 2 May 1859 drawn up by his agents Stewart and Kincaid, 1 page	16 Jun 1859
BR148/4/12	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning request of Palmerston's employees, such as those working on the harbour, school teachers, bailiff at Cliffony for a doctor. Apart from the labourers they are not covered by the new medical charities which have replace the old dispensaries and so have to pay for medical attention themselves, many of the tenants are in the same situation; other estates which Kincaid manages pay for a doctor for his employees who also charges a reduced rate for small farmers, 4 pages	2 Nov 1859
BR148/4/13	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning Mr Somers not standing against Mr McDonagh in the election; changes suggested by Mr Carroll, architect to Cliffony lodge, including tower, a well has been sunk, 2 pages	9 Aug 1860
BR148/4/14	Contemporary copy of a letter from John Hannon to Stewart and Kincaid, concerning harvest, potato stalks are black but the tubers are not diseased and the quality of the potatoes are not very good but continued fine weather should improve them, wheat is doing very well, bad weather caused the harbour works to be stopped for three days, pine trees plants growing, new roads at Rathue and Derrylehane affected by weather, pipes across road at Cloonarko, interior work on Mullaghmore houses nearly completed, census nearly finished, 2 pages	28 Aug 1860



BR148/4/15	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning plans and estimates for building Cliffony Lodge, the estimate are £3,200 to £3,400 plus £250 for the tower, the architect, Mr Carroll thinks it will take eighteen months to build, 3 pages	21 Sep 1860
BR148/4/16 /1-2	Letter from David McBinney to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, enclosing prospectus for the <i>Enniskillen and Bundoran Railway</i> , he hopes that the railway will go as far as Bundoran and Beleek, where he has a factory, he hopes for Palmerston's support, includes copy reply from Palmerston to McBinney, explaining that the railway will not be advantageous to Palmerston unless it is extended to Mullaghmore and Sligo	4 Oct 1860
BR148/4/17	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning a meeting with Mr McBinney about extending the proposed railway from Eniskillen to Bundoran and perhaps as to Cliffony and Sligo	8 Nov 1860
BR148/4/18	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning land required by Mr Corballer for school on Donnybrook Road, Dublin, 3 pages	24 Jan 1861
BR148/4/19	Letter from John Hannon to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning costs of works on the Sligo estates, grants to offset cost of repairing roads, grant from cutting down hills and drainage of bogs, Mullaghmore harbour breakwater, Doctor Hayer has left Cliffony and so it is a good time to improve his farm, weather is bad and the people have little fuel, 12 pages	10 Dec 1861
BR148/4/20	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning memorial from Mullaghmore fisherman, stating their destitute condition and asking for help, they have enquired of the local agents of the truth of the assertions by the fishermen, Mr Hannon confirms the situation is very bad, the fisherman are not fit for ordinary manual labour or agriculture but something must be done for them "the unfortunate people are destitute of food, fuel and clothing. "We wish that ten or a dozen families among them could be induced to emigrate to Canada ..... there are not more than 12 or 15 young people on the estate who avail themselves of your Lordship's liberal offer of emigrating them to Canada this season", 4 pages	29 Mar 1862
BR148/4/21	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning lack of reply to letter about distress of Mullaghmore fishermen, he recommends that employment be found for these men on the pine and bent plantations, they could not wait any longer for a reply so that have authorised John Hannon to find work for the most destitute, and have set up a joint project with Mr Wynne for draining at Aughagad; drainage is going on at Lyle; Mullaghmore breakwater is nearly finished and has stopped the storms affecting the harbour, hope for a reply to this letter very soon, 4 pages	12 Apr 1861
BR148/4/22	Agricultural statistics for Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston's Aghamlish estate for the year ending Oct 1862, drawn up by John Hannon, resident agriculturalist	17 Oct 1862
BR148/4/23	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning proposal from Mr Vivian, an iron manufacturer to prospect for lead ore at Palmerston, Dublin, 4	31 Jan 1863

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BR148/4/24	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning opinion of solicitor general on the rights to mines at Palmerston, Dublin, 3 pages	2 Apr 1863
BR148/4/25	Addition opinion of Irish solicitor general concerning rights to lead mines at Palmerston, 3 pages	9 Apr 1863
BR148/4/26	Part of letter from Stewart and Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning paying costs of Mr Warren, in case against illegal tenancies, chancery suit with Dublin corporation against the Stewart and Kincaid	1 May 1863
BR148/4/27 /1-2	Letter from James Stewart to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning licence for Mr Vivian to prospect for ore at Palmerston, encloses copy of opinion sought by Mrs Layard of Mr Sergeant Sullivan on rights to prospect for minerals on the land	29 Aug 1863
BR148/4/28 /1-2	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning offering to buy the rights to mine at Palmerston from Mrs Layard, encloses reply to this request from Mrs Layard's solicitor, John Barton	26 Sep 1863 - 3 Oct 1863
BR148/4/29 /1-4	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning subscriptions to fund to improve St Mary's church, Dublin, includes printed resolution of the church wardens on this matter and letter from committee of church wardens to Palmerston asking for subscriptions	6 Oct 1863
BR148/4/30	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning specimen of lead taken by Mrs Layard at Palmerston, royalty issues from the mine, 4 pages	8 Oct 1863
BR148/4/31	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning letter from Michael Cryan of Knocknaskagh complaining against his threatened ejection, Mr Gilmartin of Gortnaleck wants her plot divided between his sons, Darly Conemour [enclosed] asking to be allowed to keep his plot which is close to the proposed site of Cliffony lodge, he has been offered another plot in Mullaghmore but his wife [she is 60 years old] wants to emigrate to Nova Scotia and they do not want to give him [he is twenty years old] the Mullaghmore plots if his wife emigrates if she goes to Nova Scotia we well most likely leave him behind and if he gets the holding in Mullaghmore he cares not what becomes of her", complaint of Robert Stokes over access to a passage in Sligo town	11 Nov 1863
BR148/4/32	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, enclosing letter from Rawson Carroll, architect, concerning progress on Mullaghmore bathing lodges	11 Nov 1863 - 12 Nov 1863
BR148/4/33	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning discovery of lead ore at Palmerston, Dublin, 2 pages	17 Feb 1863
BR148/4/34	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning Mrs Layard's interest in the land at Palmerston with lead deposits, 5 pages	26 Dec 1863
BR148/4/35	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount	20 Jan 1864

	Palmerston, concerning proposed railway in Dublin going through Palmerston's property, 4 pages	
BR148/4/36 /1-2	Letter from J.Rawson Carroll, architect to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning designs for houses at Mullaghmore, includes contractors estimates	Nov 1864
BR148/4/37	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning house to be built at Mullaghmore, 3 pages	31 Oct 1864
BR148/4/38	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning a plan for a church at Rathmines, Dublin	14 Nov 1864
BR148/4/39 /1-2	Part of letter from Stewart and Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning letter from Revd Malachi Brennan to Palmerston, about schools at Carns [Mount Temple] and Enismurray, Kincaid complains that Brennan considers himself to be manager of the school in Sligo whereas Stewart and Kincaid administer the schools on behalf of Palmerston, Roman Catholic bishops have instructed their priests to be managers of National Schools in their parishes or to boycott them altogether, a compromise was reached in an estate they manage in Galway when Mr Kincaid was jointly appointed manager with the parish priest	14 Dec 1864 - Feb 20 1865
BR148/4/40 /1-2	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, enclosing an appeal for a subscription to the Tobercurry agricultural Union	24 Feb 1865
BR148/4/41	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning Revd O'Hara's letter, few of the tenants wish to emigrate to Canada but some wish to go to Australia, colonial assistance will subsidise children passages there, condition of Mrs Lynch's farm at Creevymore which is to ne set to Mr Hannon, 4 pages	13 Mar 1865
BR148/4/42	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning map of Mullaghmore with new houses and harbour marked, plan should be changed for four new houses at Mullaghmore instead of three, sewer, 3 pages	13 Mar 1865
BR148/4/43	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning Mr Brewster's opinion on Palmerston's title to Swords, County Dublin property, 2 pages	29 Jul 1865
BR148/4/44 /1-2	Letter from Stewart and Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning proposals for plots on Temple Road, Rathmines, Dublin, includes sketch amp of the plots	8 Jul 1865
BR148/4/45	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning proposal from Mr Crothy for a plots on Kings Bridge, Dublin, 4 pages	12 Sep 1865
BR148/4/46	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning letter from Colonel Barton about lease of fishing of salmon and trout in Bunduff river, 4 pages	23 Sep 1865
BR148/4/47	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning Robert Stokes's request for an extension of his lease of a plot on the corner of Castle Street and Thomas Street, Sligo, 3 pages	6 Oct 1865

BR148/4/48	Letter to Emily, Viscountess Palmerston from the Sligo tenants of the late Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, expressing condolences on the death of her husband, 3 pages	1 Nov 1865
<b>BR148/5</b>	<b><i>Bundle of letters concerning the Sligo and Dublin estates of Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston and his heirs:</i></b>	<b>1865-80</b>
BR148/5/1	Letter from John Hannon to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning slating of new houses at Mullaghmore, letting of completed houses at Mullaghmore, 3 pages	25 Aug 1865
BR148/5/2	Letter from John Hannon, agriculturalist to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning state of stock and crops, crops are doing well, meadow is thin, cattle fine but pig disease is prevalent, weather is calm with little rain, 5 pages	19 Aug 1865
BR148/5/3	Letter from the tenants of the late Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, to Emily, Viscountess Palmerston commiserating on the death of her husband	7 Nov 1865
BR148/5/4	List of trees ready for planting on the Aghamlish estates drawn up by John Hannon, 2 pages	26 Jan 1866
BR148/5/5 /1-2	Draft letter from William Francis Cowper Temple, later first Baron Mount Temple, to ? Stewart & Kincaid, concerning situation of Grange school, enclosing a receipt for £1000 from Drummonds bank	Jan 1866
BR148/5/6	Petition from James Gilmartin of New Town Ward to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, asking to sublet his plot to Mr Gillen so he can use the money to emigrate to America, 3 pages	n.d. c.1866
BR148/5/7	Letter from John Pratt of Abingdon Street, Westminster to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning Sligo rents and accounts, 2 pages	19 Feb 1866
BR148/5/8	Contemporary copy of a letter from Stewart and Kincaid to the tenants of William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple at Aghamlish, County Sligo, concerning a memorial the tenants have written complaining about rent increases, Stewart and Kincaid claim that the rents were adjusted in accordance with a valuation of the estate made in 1863 in an effort to rid the estate of middlemen and subletting, they disagree with the assertion in the memorial that misery and wretchedness is widespread upon the estate, in fact it is "a source of much pleasure to us to observe the most striking improvement in the personal appearance and domestic character of all the tenants", the memorial although it purports to come from the whole tenantry actually appears to come from the larger farmers, 8 pages	1 Aug 1866
BR148/5/9 /1-3	Correspondence between from Revd John Evelyn Greene and William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple about a loan for building a glebe at Grange	28 Sep 1866 - 13 Oct 1866
BR148/5/10	Petition by Cliffony tenants of William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, appealing against rent increases, crops have been bad, 2 pages	14 Oct 1867

BR148/5/11 /1-2	Letter from Dr John Doake to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, appealing against ejection from a plot in Manor Street, Grange Gorman, Dublin, includes summons	7 Jan 1867 - 14 Jan 1867
BR148/5/12	Accounts for rents and arrears of the late Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston's Sligo estates for the year ending Sep 1865, drawn up by Stewart and Kincaid for the executors of the estate	26 Jul 1867
BR148/5/13	Memorial from Aghamlish estate tenants of William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, complaining about rent increases "now many calamities threaten us - the failure of the potato crop has already made it's appearances amongst us - the disorder in swine the greatest portion in our neighbourhood being already carried away within the last month - we are in daily terror of the cattle disease reaching us"	n.d. c.1866-7
BR148/5/14	Letter from James Currid, Grange school, to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning bad state of Grange school, 3 pages	n.d. c.1867
BR148/5/15	Letter from Hester Cullen to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, telling him that her son has some land in Grange adjoining Cowper Temple's and wishes to sell it, 3 pages	18 Jun 1867
BR148/5/16 /1-3	Correspondence between William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, John Kincaid [agent], J Rawson Carroll [architect] and Revd Dr Steele [of Royal school, Eniskillen], concerning building a house for Dr Steele at Mullaghmore	14 May 1867 - 27 May 1867
BR148/5/17	Letter from J. Rawson Carroll , architect, to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning plans for lodge at Mullaghmore, 2 pages	29 Oct 1867
BR148/5/18	Letter from Mary Canning to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning her salary as assistant school teacher, 3 pages	17 Dec 1867
BR148/5/19	Letter from John Hannon, steward to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning purchases of oak logs, fine weather has enabled the tenants to store their potatoes successfully, there have been sightings of herring which means that fishermen at Mullaghmore should have a good catch, 2 pages	25 Nov 1867
BR148/5/20	Letter from W.Howe to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple. concerning Revd Malachi stopping people reading "outlines of farming" and other books from Cliffony library, he threatens to expose those borrowing the books in church "which in this country is considered the highest disgrace" and discovers at the confession of Howe's servant the names of those borrowing books, "it is a pity that the poor people do not dare to be free. No person but an Irishman living amongst Romanists can have an idea of the tyranny exercised by their priests in temporal as well as spiritual matters", 4 pages	14 Jan 1868
BR148/5/21	Letter from Revd Malachi Brennan to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning urgency of need for new Grange school, he bishops allow libraries unless the book come via the protestant clergy, Mrs McAnnon's ejection notice, 4 pages	8 Jan 1868

BR148/5/22	Part of letter from Revd Malachi Breenan to ?William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning adverse effects of using guano on the soil, ejections could have been avoided if rents were collected in the spring, widow McAnnon's ejection notice is unfair as she is able to pay her rent	n.d.c. Jan 1868
BR148/5/23 /1-2	Draft letter from William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple to ? Revd Brennan, concerning enclosed petition to Emily Temple, Viscountess Palmerston from her tenants at Cloontyproclish, complaining about the condition of Grange schoolhouse	26 Feb 1868
BR148/5/24	Letter from ?Mr Fox to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning validity of losses claimed by Mullaghmore fisherman; problems of Ireland come down to lack of employment and investment, 4 pages	16 Mar 1868
BR148/5/25	Letter from John Hannon, steward to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning accounts of men employed on the Sligo estates, planting pasture, gazebo, bad weather hindering crops, tenants at Mullaghmore, fishing for salmon, 4 pages	8 Jun 1868
BR148/5/26	Letter from Mr Kincaid to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning sale of part of Dublin estates including grazing rights in Phoenix Park, Dublin for £17,685.15. Kincaid recommends that the money is used to pay off some of the securities and mortgages on the estate, £12,000 has been agreed to be paid off which leaves part of the £18384.12.4 which the remaining £4000 or so could be used for, 3 pages	17 Jun 1868
BR148/5/27	Petition from James Gardiner, school master to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, complaining about the condition of his house and the school house, which are drafty and let in the rain, 1 page	28 Aug 1868
BR148/5/28	Letter from John Hannon, steward, to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple concerning labour accounts, Classybawn hill, weather is good and the crop is the best for many years, 1 page	26 Sep 1868
BR148/5/29	Letter from Thomas Conolly, schoolmaster of Castlegal Middle school to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning mending the gable of the schoolhouse before the winter, 3 pages	29 Aug 1868
BR148/5/30	Letter from John Hannon, steward to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning complaint by Mrs Lockhart that estate cattle were eating her crops, in fact it is her own sheep and turkeys which are doing the damage, 3 pages	4 Dec 1868
BR148/5/31	Note on Captain Palmer's daughter life interest in land at Grange, 4 pages	4 Dec 1868
BR148/5/32	Letter from Stewart and Kincaid, agents to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning proposal from Stanhope Street, Dublin nunnery for a plot on Manor Street, application from Mr Macken, a miller from his rent of Palmerston mills, Rathmines, Dublin, 3 pages	23 Jan 1869
	Letter from Revd Malaci Brennan to William Francis Cowper	12 Mar 1869

BR148/5/33	Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning the suitability of Mrs Nye to look after the McGowan girls, new site for Grange school, 3 pages	
BR148/5/34	Petition from Thomas Higgins, bailiff to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, asking for help in slating a house he has built, 1 page	n.d. c. 1869
BR148/5/35 /1-14	Invoice and receipts for food consumed by William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple during a visit to his Sligo estates	24 Aug 1869 - 10 Sep 1869
BR148/5/36	Letter from John Kilfeather, school master of Castlegal school, to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, asking to be paid the £12 which he had to pay to the brother of his predecessor to get the keys to the school, leaky condition of the roof of his accommodation, pupils unable to pay fees due to poverty, 4 pages	n.d.c. 1869
BR148/5/37	Petition from Thomas M. Lean, to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning flooding of his land at Barnadarig, 2 pages	7 Sep 1869
BR148/5/38	Petition from Michael Harrison, shoemaker, to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, asking for help to build a workshop to carry out his trade as he is currently forced to operate out of his kitchen, 1 page	n.d. c. Aug 1869
BR148/5/39 /1-2	Letter from John Hannon to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning payment for provisions bought by Cowper Temple, whilst visiting the estate	10 Dec 1869
BR148/5/40	Letter from John Kincaid to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning arrears of Mr Gilmartin of Gortnaleck, general state of arrears on the estate, repair of Mrs Tate's houses at Mullagmore, garden for police barracks, fishing going well, rents being paid, 4 pages	7 Dec 1869
BR148/5/41	Petition from Patrick McGowan to be allowed to cultivate a reclaimed piece of bog at Bunduff, 1 page	5 Sep 1870
BR148/5/42	Letter from J.H. Williams of Sligo to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, recommending James Lockhart as a tenant at Mullagmore, 2 pages	5 Sep 1870
BR148/5/43	Petition from James Rourke to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning losing his farm at Mullagmore, 4 pages	n.d. c. 1870
BR148/5/44	Petition from Michael McSharry to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, complaining that he lost land at Grange to build a new school and when he applied for some more land at Rathugh he did not get it, 2 pages	2 Sep 1870
BR148/5/45	Letter from William Lowe to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, enclosing account and expenses of reclaiming bogs in Rathugh and Gortaderry, includes plan of area concerned showing drains, 8 pages	12 Jan 1871
BR148/5/46	Letter from Stewart and Kincaid to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning the obnoxious and	20 Apr 1871

	offensive trades clause in Mr McKenzie's lease of a plot at King's Bridge, Dublin, 2 pages	
BR148/5/47	Return of crops and stock on the Aghamlish estate of William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, drawn up by John Hannon, 1 page	2 Sep 1872
BR148/5/48	Letter from Professor J.Emerson Reynolds, Professor of analytical chemistry to the Royal Dublin Society, to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning analysis of mineral water from Mullaghmore, 4 pages	6 Oct 1873
BR148/5/49	Return of crops and stock on the Aghamlish estate of William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, drawn up by John Hannon, 1 page	2 Oct 1875
BR148/5/50 /1-2	Return of cess payable on Evelyn Ashley's Aghamlish estate for spring and summer 1879, drawn up by Jeremiah Rogers	20 Jun 1879
BR148/5/51 /1-7	Poor law rate for Evelyn Ashley's estate for the year ending Oct 1879, includes receipts, lists of tenants and rateable value of plots	9 Dec 1879 - 10 Dec 1879
BR148/5/52 /1-5	Letter from Dr. James Tucker, medical officer and registrar of Sligo to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, asking for money to build a turkish bath, includes cutting on mortality in Sligo, advertisements for turkish baths	2 Sep 1870
BR148/5/53	Rough notes of accounts of income and expenditure on the Sligo estate 1878-80, drawn up by John Hannon, 1 page	Sep 1880
BR148/5/54 /1-9	Correspondence between James Chrystal and Evelyn Ashley, concerning rent of building plots in John Street, Sligo	11 Oct 1879 - 7 Sep 1880
<b>BR148/6</b>	<b><i>Bundle of letters from Stewart and Kincaid, agents for the Dublin and Sligo estates of the late Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, to Palmerston's heirs William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, succeeded by the Right Honourable Evelyn Ashley</i></b>	<b>1866-1903</b>
BR148/6/1	Letter from Stewart and Kincaid to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning impossibility of drawing up a final account for the late Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston's executors as they are still collecting arrears of rent, 2 pages	20 Jan 1866
BR148/6/2	Letter from Stewart and Kincaid, agents to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning submitting accounts to an accountant, paying for emigration of families of Sligo tenants, application from two girls whose friends have paid for their passage to America but need money to travel to Liverpool and to buy clothing, 4 pages	24 Feb 1866
BR148/6/3	Letter from Mr Kincaid to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning Mr Crothy's lease at Kings Bridge, Dublin, building plots at Rathmines, Dublin, memorial from Miss McHugh of Mullaghmore "he is certainly 100 years old", 4 pages	24 Apr 1866
BR148/6/4	Part of letter from Stewart and Kincaid to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning Mr Crothy's lease	27 Apr 1866



of King's Bridge, Dublin, pension for Miss McHugh of Mullaghmore - whose brother was parish priest at Cliffony for 40 years and has been dead for 30 or 40 years, the Dublin trunk connecting railway wish to buy some land at Grange Gorman, Dublin, but they have doubts about the financial stability of the railway company, 4 pages

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| BR148/6/5          | Contemporary copy of a letter from Stewart and Kincaid to Jonathan Pratt, accountant, concerning visit of Pratt to Dublin to examine accounts of the late Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston's Irish estates, 6 pages   | 22 May 1866                 |
| BR148/6/6          | Letter from J.R.Stewart to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning revision of rents of Sligo tenants, selling some of the Dublin estate to pay for building houses at Mullaghmore may not be easy as the Dublin estate has about £30,000 owing on it from mortgages and other settlements, glad that Cowper and his wife, Georgiana found their stay at Mullaghmore comfortable, 3 pages | 17 Sep 1866                 |
| BR148/6/7          | Letter from Stewart and Kincaid to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning negotiation of sale of grazing rights at Phoenix Park, Dublin to the Board of Works, 3 pages   | 6 Feb 1867                  |
| BR148/6/8<br>/1-3  | Two letters from Thomas Connolly, schoolmaster at Castlegal, to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, complaining at being evicted from his farm, asking for help in emigrating to America, includes letter on this subject from Stewart and Kincaid, agents to Cowper Temple, suggesting that when Connolly goes to America his schoolhouse be used by Mrs McIntyre for her school                | Feb 1867 - Apr<br>1867      |
| BR148/6/9          | Letter from Mr Kincaid to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning legal implications ejection notice of Chrystal, salary of Miss Chrystal, for teaching at Mount Temple school of £10 is only half of the salary of the Benbulbin schoolmistress and two thirds of the salary of Inishmurray school mistress, 6 pages   | 27 Jan 1868                 |
| BR148/6/10<br>/1-2 | Letter from Mr Kincaid to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning fishing rights at Mullaghmore and Bunduff, includes letter from Reeves and sons, solicitors to Stewart and Kincaid, concerning this subject   | 8 May 1868 - 11<br>May 1868 |
| BR148/6/11         | Letter from Mr Kincaid to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning dividend from investment in breeding thoroughbred horses in Palmerstown, county Kildare, 4 pages  | 10 Sep 1868                 |
| BR148/6/12<br>/1-2 | Letter from Mr Kincaid to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning Representative Body of the Church of Ireland  | 19 Sep 1870                 |
| BR148/6/13         | Letter from Mr Kincaid to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning a proposal for a building plot on Victoria Road, Sligo, 2 pages   | 8 Aug 1867                  |
| BR148/6/14         | Letter from Mr Kincaid to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, asking for Emily, Lady Palmerston's signature on the deed selling two lots of Palmerston estate to James   | 9 Mar 1869                  |

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BR148/6/15 /1-2	Letter from Mr Kincaid to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning lay representative being appointed trustee to new Grange school, includes copy of letter from Stewart and Kincaid to Revd Brennan and his reply, concerning arrangements for the new school	1 Apr 1869 - 8 Apr 1869
BR148/6/16	Letter from Mr Kincaid to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning signing deeds for sale of parts of the Palmerston estate at Chapelizod, lease of butter market, Sligo with Owen Wynne, 2 pages	20 May 1870
BR148/6/17 /1-3	Letter from Joseph Kincaid to John Kincaid, concerning possibility of Mrs Leonard succeeding Mrs Tomlinson as schoolmistress at Cliffony, includes copy of a reference for Mrs Leonard from P.J.Keegan of the Office of National Educational, Dublin	19 Jul 1870 - 25 Jul 1870
BR148/6/18	Letter from J.W.Kincaid to Evelyn Ashley, concerning giving a grant to Mr Sweeny to improve a house in Albert Street, Sligo	13 Oct 1870
BR148/6/19	Letter from Mr Kincaid to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning land at Victoria quay, Dublin, army wish to expand their holding at Arbour Hill, Dublin, 4 pages	18 Mar 1872
BR148/6/20	Letter from Mr Kincaid to William Francis Cowper Temple, later Baron Mount Temple, concerning negotiating with Mr Plunkett for access to land to build houses for decayed ladies, 4 pages	16 Mar 1872
BR148/6/21 /1-3	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Evelyn Ashley, concerning enclosed letter from Edward Gilmartin to Ashley, asking if he can let a house on his plot at Creevykeel to a man wishing to sell eggs and butter from it, William Lowe's report on the Gilmartin's request, problem of Mr Brennan, keeper of inn at Cliffony who does not have a lease	2 May 1879 - 10 May 1879
BR148/6/22 /1-3	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Evelyn Ashley, concerning correspondence with Mr Davys, lawyer [copies enclosed] over the rights of tenants to sea wrack [remnants of wrecks] at Classibawn, all the tenants served with ejections have paid except for a dozen of the poorest, Lockhart's rent, accounts from store which as the opposition is no longer operating is being heavily used by the poor on a strict cash only basis	22 Jan 1882 - 23 Jan 1882
BR148/6/23	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Evelyn Ashley, concerning applications for fair rents from Sligo tenants, which have been referred to the Land Commission court, 3 pages	8 Mar 1883
BR148/6/24 /1-6	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Evelyn Ashley, enclosing reports from William Lowe, agent petition and newspaper cuttings on a dispute between fisherman and tenants as the rights to dig for bait and the rights to collect sea weed at Mount Temple and Mullaghmore, the dispute is so bitter that the agent, William Lowe had difficulty in stopping the two sides attacking one another with spades; emigration application for Mr Gilmartin, Abbey house	12 Nov 1884 - 16 Feb 1885
BR148/6/25	Part of letter from Mr Kincaid to Evelyn Ashley, concerning butter of butter market near Cadger's Field, Sligo, 2 pages	4 Mar 1886

BR148/6/26	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Evelyn Ashley, concerning net fishing at Bunduff, Mr LeFanu's advice into having Mullaghmore harbour included in government commission into West coast piers, application for extension of the Mullaghmore breakwater to enable larger vessels to use the harbour, transferring harbour to the county, 4 pages	31 Aug 1886
BR148/6/27	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Evelyn Ashley, concerning Mr Tottenham, whether to evict Mr Commons from Cliffony, Mr Phillips of Sligo, 3 pages	8 Apr 1888
BR148/6/28	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Evelyn Ashley, concerning appeal against ejection by Mr McGovern [of ?Carrowmadow], 4 pages	7 Jan 1891
BR148/6/29	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Evelyn Ashley, concerning Mr McNulty's request for a reduction in rent of the field next to ?Sligo County infirmary, 1 page	14 Feb 1882
BR148/6/30	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Evelyn Ashley, concerning letter from Friar Crofton on behalf of Sligo tenants, 4 pages	5 Nov 1891
BR148/6/31	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Evelyn Ashley, concerning Friar Crofton and lease of Castlegal school, question of whether public money will pay for repairs to Cliffony and Benbulbin schools, 3 pages	19 Dec 1893
BR148/6/32	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Evelyn Ashley, concerning applications to the Poor Law Guardians for labourers dwellings, Colonel Cooper thinks they should act together against this trend, 3 pages	16 Dec 1893
BR148/6/33	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Evelyn Ashley, concerning applications from Denis Leyden and Hugh Curneen for labourers dwellings, Leyden was offered a vacant holding at Creevykeel but a possibly fraudulent claim has been made for it from America, 3 pages	7 Jun 1894
BR148/6/34	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Evelyn Ashley, concerning buying tenant right to a house at Castlegal, 3 pages	20 Jun 1894
BR148/6/35	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Evelyn Ashley, concerning Colonel Cooper's suggestion that money might be granted by the Congested Districts Board to repair the wall at Mullaghmore and then the council might be willing to take over Mullaghmore harbour, it would depend on the opinion of the county surveyor, 3 pages	19 Oct 1894
BR148/6/36	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Evelyn Ashley concerning Congested Districts Board application to enable Mullaghmore harbour to be taken over by Sligo council, 3 pages	27 Oct 1894
BR148/6/37	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Evelyn Ashley, concerning Mrs McCarthy's abatement of plot in Sligo, 3 pages	29 Apr 1896
BR148/6/38	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Evelyn Ashley, concerning abatement for Mr Flanagan to enable him to carry out repairs, 2 pages	3 Jun 1896
BR148/6/39 /1-3	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Evelyn Ashley, concerning enclosed letters from Father Crofton of Cliffony church about building new Castlegal school	12 Jun 1896 - 2 Dec 1896
BR148/6/40 /1-2	Letter from Mr Kincaid to Evelyn Ashley, concerning dispute with between the Moores and the Walshes over possession of land [county Sligo], moving Mullaghmore tenants to Newtown Ward,	1 Mar 1897 - 5 Mar 1897

request to sell division of Mrs Gilmartin's Creevykeel plot

BR148/6/41	Part of letter from Mr Kincaid to Evelyn Ashley, concerning finding a tenant for Classibawn, lease of house in Radcliffe Street, Sligo, Keenan exchange for Temple Street plot to one near Gallows Hill, Imperial hotel on Cocoran's Mall, Sligo, 6 pages	8 Sep 1897
BR148/6/42	Petition from Bridget Gilmartin of Creevykeel to Evelyn Ashley, asking whether she can sell some of her plot to pay her rents arrears, 3 pages	16 Jan 1896
BR148/6/43	Part of a letter from Mr Kincaid to Evelyn Ashley, concerning P.Sweeny of Bunduff selling his farm to pay his debts, Bridget Gilmartin's sale of a plot at Creevykeel did not raise enough to pay off her debts, 2 pages	21 Jan 1897
BR148/6/44	Part of a letter from Mr Kincaid, agent to Evelyn Ashley, concerning the rent owed by D.O'Connor, sale of part of Patrick Miller's land at Creevykeel to Murphy, 2 pages	11 Feb 1897
BR148/6/45	Letter from J.H.Kincaid, agent to Evelyn Ashley, concerning the debts owing on the land at Cliffony which W.Higgins sold to H.Brennan, petition from the Lissadell parson, 3 pages	1 Apr 1897
BR148/6/46	Letter from J.H.Kincaid, agent to Evelyn Ashley, concerning Parkes [?sale of land at Cliffony see 1890] agreement, Castlegal boys school teacher's house, purchase from Dickson's executors [?Ballyshannon], 4 pages	17 Apr 1900
BR148/6/47 /1-2	Letter from J.H.Kincaid, agent to Evelyn Ashley, concerning purchase price of holdings of James Feeney and of James McClean at Castlegarron, which includes a mill, includes is a note of rental and arrears on the two properties	10 Jul 1900
BR148/6/48	Letter from J.H.Kincaid, agent to Evelyn Ashley, concerning correspondence with Father Crofton over Castlegal school building, 3 pages	23 Jul 1900
BR148/6/49	Letter from J.H.Kincaid, agent to Evelyn Ashley, concerning building ground at Old Pound Street or Gallows Hill, Sligo, 2 pages	18 Sept 1903
<b>BR148/7</b>	<b><i>Bundle of letters, accounts and receipts concerning Sligo estates of the late Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, mostly from the estates agents Stewart and Kincaid, later J.H.Kincaid, to the inheritors of the estate the Right Honourable Evelyn Ashley:</i></b>	<b>1881-1907</b>
BR148/7/1	Letter from John Hannon, Sligo agent to Evelyn Ashley, concerning local trespassing cases for driving horse and carts across Ashley's land between Moffit's Road and the sea, which are have been up at the local bench, the defendants feel that they have been badly treated and are supported by Land League. Hannon recommends that Ashley settle the case as no damage has been done as £700 worth of seaweed has been collected from the area in the past three weeks. Sir H.Gore Booth has recently settled with 36 men trespassing on his land, the crops are looking healthy, 5 pages	23 May 1881

BR148/7/2	Letter from John Hannon, Sligo agent to Evelyn Ashley, concerning trespassing and seaweed spreading dispute with tenants at Blackrock, Grange, horsing eating pasture during seaweed collecting, the plantation at Carnduff is doing well although he will ask Mr Barker to come and shoot the birds who are eating the pine seeds, the crops are doing well especially the pasture, 2 pages	31 May 1881
BR148/7/3	Letter from John Hannon, Sligo agent to Evelyn Ashley, concerning the sowing of pine seeds near McDermotts stream and on the road to Mullaghmore, and at Gortnaleck, reports very cold winter, estimates for ? varnishing and whitewashing, loan and inspection from the Board of Works, injuries to dry wall between Classibawn and Parkes Field, repairs to fences at Bunduff "the people here are very annoying they prefer crossing walls and fields to walking on the roads, which are made for their accommodation", plumber to repair lead pipes at Classibawn, drains blocking with sand, need to sell May Boy [a ?horse] at Enniskillen, 4 pages	26 Mar 1881
BR148/7/4	Notes of income and expenses relating to the sale of cattle by John Hannon, Sligo agent to Evelyn Ashley, 1 page	Aug 1881
BR148/7/5	Report by John Hannon, Sligo agent, to Evelyn Ashley, of damage caused by gale on the Sligo estates which caused the worst flooding for thirty years, planting of evergreen oaks at Classibawn, 3 pages	25 Nov 1881
BR148/7/6	Counsel opinion of John Rocke [?Roche] on the title of Evelyn Ashley to land at Moneygold which is to be sold to Gerald Eccles, 2 pages	9 Jan 1882
BR148/7/7	Letter from John Hannon, Sligo agent to Evelyn Ashley, concerning a boycott of Mr Barker by Peter Leydon and ? Kindry. The storm damage at Classibawn is repaired, the blown down timber is being used to mend fences. He asked some men to collect the fallen tree at Cloontabawn but they refused to work under Barker, 5 pages	22 Oct 1882
BR148/7/8	Statement of costs involved in Evelyn Ashley selling some land at Moneygold to Gerald Eccles, 7 pages	Nov 1882 - May 1883
BR148/7/9	Letter from John Hannon, agent to Evelyn Ashley, concerning sale of fallen timber, use of some wood needed for fencing and roofing, repair of storm damage at Mullaghmore, planting firs and larch at Carnduff, Grellagh, Glengaragh, Classibawn, Clontabawn and Laghta, 3 pages	12 Dec 1882
BR148/7/10 /1-3	Cattle accounts of John Hannon, Sligo agent to Evelyn Ashley for the years 1882-83	5 Sep 1883 - 10 Dec 1883
BR148/7/11	Printed letter from Stewart and Kincaid, land agents to Evelyn Ashley, announcing the dissolution of their partnership, 1 page	4 Jan 1883
BR148/7/12 /1-3	Petition from Martin Healy to Evelyn Ashley, concerning a dispute with Edward Moffat over alleged trespassing along Drumfad pass, includes a covering note on this dispute from William Lowe and a diagram of disputed area	May 1882
BR148/7/13 /1-2	Accounts for work done on lodges at Mullaghmore 1881-3, also includes a note on money needed to refurbish the lodges in 1894	1881-94

BR148/7/14 /1-3	Letter from John Hannon, Sligo agent to Evelyn Ashley, enclosing accounts and receipt for coal, reporting on good state of crops and cattle	5 May 1883
BR148/7/15	Letter from John Hannon, Sligo agent to Evelyn Ashley concerning fencing at Creevymore, he does not think the plantation at Creevykeel is a good idea, deepening the Cartron river, crops are good and free from disease, 2 pages	5 Sep 1883
BR148/7/16 /1-5	Documents relating to attempt to get Sligo abbey placed under the care of the Board of Works under the <i>Ancient Monuments Protection Act 1882</i>	10 Aug 1883 - 29 Sep 1883
BR148/7/17	Letter from John Hannon, Sligo agent to Evelyn Ashley concerning the costs of the new plantation at Castlegal, 1 page	5 Feb 1884
BR148/7/18	Letter from John Hannon, Sligo agent to Evelyn Ashley, concerning damage caused by a storm at Sligo, includes loss of slates at Classibawn and at Mullaghmore store, little damage at Cliffony apart from roof of doctor's house, trees blown down at Bunduff and Clontabawn, bridge blown down on sea road, 2 pages	28 Jan 1884
BR148/7/19 /1-5	Notifications of judaical rents decided by the <i>Land Commission</i> sitting at Sligo, for lands owned by Evelyn Ashley	16 Jan 1884 - 29 Apr 1885
BR148/7/20 /1-2	Printed <i>memorandum supplementary to evidence given on behalf of Sligo harbour before Select Committee of House of Commons on Harbour Accommodation setting forth grounds of claim of ports situated on Western coast of Ireland upon the public funds for financial assistance in the form of free grants</i> , includes printed covering letter from William Lalor to S.M.Cherry, secretary of the Sligo harbour commissioners	3 Sep 1884
BR148/7/21	Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, concerning the tenants paying a sum towards the costs of valuers used for assessing the level of rent. "It is most essential that the whole tenantry of the estate should be soon settled down contentedly on their holdings, with a view in the future to get rents from them. There appears a growing disposition on the part of the loyal and disloyal in Ireland to pay as little as they can.", 4 pages	18 Dec 1884
BR148/7/22	Cattle accounts of John Hannon, Sligo agent to Evelyn Ashley for the year 1884	15 Dec 1884
BR148/7/23 /1-2	Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, concerning proposed sale of two houses in Distillery Lane [or Abbey Street], to a Mr Connally, includes part of another letter from Lowe to Ashley on the same subject	9 Mar 1885 - 15 Mar 1885
BR148/7/24	Letter from John Hannon, Sligo agent to Evelyn Ashley, concerning reclamation of bogland at Bunduff, choosing a site for a pump at Cliffony, drainage to be put in around the houses of Kindry and John ? Comen, a carpenters at Cliffony as "their gardens in a most filthy state", 2 pages	14 Feb 1885
BR148/7/25	Cattle accounts of John Hannon, Sligo agent to Evelyn Ashley for the year 1885	10 Feb 1886
BR148/7/26	Cattle accounts of John Hannon, Sligo agent to Evelyn Ashley for the years 1885-6	1 Aug 1886

BR148/7/27 /1-12	Lists of judaical rents fixed, includes names of tenants, landlords and holdings	Jan 1886 - Oct 1888
BR148/7/28 /1-4	Memorial from the Sligo tenants of Evelyn Ashley asking for an abatement of their rent because of the effects of the fall in the price of cattle, failure of the potato crops and stormy weather, it is signed by all the tenants who attended mass at Cliffony on 10 October organised by Henry Brennan	10 Oct 1886 - 12 Oct 1886
BR148/7/29	Cattle accounts of John Hannon, Sligo agent to Evelyn Ashley for the years 1886-7, 1 page	19 Sep 1887
BR148/7/30	Agreement between Christopher Bracken and Evelyn Ashley for Bracken to become gamekeeper on Ashley's Sligo estates, 1 page	22 Jan 1887
BR148/7/31 /1-2	Accounts for building a house for Patrick Bruen on Mullaghmore hill, includes proposal by the builder Patrick Cummings	7 Nov 1887 - May 1888
BR148/7/32	Letter from Mary Waters of Cartronmore, to Evelyn Ashley asking that her late mother in laws lease is assigned to her as her husband left her three years previously to live in America and she is without support, 3 pages <sup>1</sup>	11 Jun 1887
BR148/7/33	Rental of Captain Heppisley's estate [or Sullivan townlands] in Sligo, 1 page <sup>2</sup>	1888
BR148/7/34 /1-2	Cattle accounts of John Hannon, Sligo agent to Evelyn Ashley for the years 1886-7 up until April 1888	Jan 1888 - Apr 1888
BR148/7/35	Draft conveyance between Evelyn Ashley and John Cummins of Limerick for a house in Ballinphul, 5 pages	1888
BR148/7/36	Grazing lists for Evelyn Ashley's Sligo estates drawn up by John Hannon his agent, 7 pages	13 May 1889
BR148/7/37 /1-2	Copy of agreement and draft for Evelyn Ashley to let twelve Irish acres of land at Cliffony to Edward Parkes	27 Oct 1890
BR148/7/38	Valuation of land at Cloonerco and Castlegowan. Castlegowan lands let to Elizabeth Hipplesley and Charlotte Sullivan and occupied by Waters family. Cloonerco lands let to Revd H.W.Sullivan and occupied by Hipplesley, Sullivan and Connolly families, 2 pages <sup>3</sup>	11 Nov 1892
BR148/7/39	Letter from J.H.Kincaid, agent to Evelyn Ashley, concerning problems with Mistress Harte, a tenant of a property in Radcliffe Street, sligo, the house is so badly in need of repairs that the contractor says it must be entirely rebuilt and Mistress Harte refuses to move out or repair the house. Kincaid has the advice of W.R.Fenton ?barrister in Sligo, [enclosed] but Kincaid thinks it would be best for the Sligo Corporation to condemn the property	30 Mar 1892 - 31 Mar 1892
BR148/7/40 /1-2	Copy of accounts of Mrs Jessie Spencer Cowper's Mountjoy, County Tyrone estates, managed by J.Stewart Kincaid	30 Jun 1892 - Jan 1893
BR148/7/41 /1-2	Grazing lists and accounts drawn up by John Hannon for 1893	9 May 1893 - 22 Feb 1894
BR148/7/42	Printed letter from <i>Congested Districts Board for Ireland</i> to Evelyn Ashley asking whether their employees can cure herrings at	3 Sep 1894

	Mullaghmore pier, 1 page	
BR148/7/43 /1-4	Correspondence, petition and papers concerning the claim of Mary Gilmartin, cook for Cliffony police barracks, to have a house built for her at Edenrevah, under the <i>Labourers (Ireland) Act, 1883 &amp; 1885</i>	5 Nov 1894 - 14 Jan 1895
BR148/7/44 /1-3	Mimeographed letter from George D.Fottrell & Sons to ? Evelyn Ashley, asking whether he wishes to sell his purchase guarantee deposits or his mortgages, includes application form and business card	May 1895
BR148/7/45 /1-2	List of Mullaghmore boats and fishermen, together with types of fish usually caught, together with part of covering note from ? John Hannon, Sligo agent to Evelyn Ashley	18 Jun 1894
BR148/7/46	Letter from M.R.Rawlings, Office of Irish Fisheries, to Evelyn Ashley, informing him that he cannot swop his fixed net certificate for Mullaghmore for another certificate in another area close to Mullaghmore, 1 page	3 Jun 1896
BR148/7/47	Report by W.F.Gilcrest, civil engineer of Sligo of a proposed drainage plan for Bunduff marsh at Mullaghmore for the landowner Evelyn Ashley, 4 pages	Mar 1896
BR148/7/48	Copies of correspondence between J.Clancy, Bishop of Elphin and John Henry Kincaid, agent to Evelyn Ashley, concerning sale of property at Temple Street [?Sligo] in exchange for some land at Fair Green	16 Jul 1898 - 28 Aug 1898: Contemporary copy
BR148/7/49	Form from the <i>Irish Land Commission</i> stating that £184.18.11 of a guarantee deposit will be paid to Evelyn Ashley in respect of lands at Mount Temple and Moneygold being purchased by their tenants Catherine M.Sharry and Edward Parke	20 Dec 1898
BR148/7/50	Receipts from poor law rates paid by Evelyn Ashley on his land at Caltragh and Abbey South, Sligo	25 Oct 1898
BR148/7/51 /1-2	Letter from Mary Jane Haraghy to Evelyn Ashley, concerning a lease of a shop and grocery store in Radcliffe Street, Sligo, includes a letter to Evelyn Ashley from W.Russell Fenton, Crown solicitor for Sligo on this matter	28 Jun 1899 - 12 Sep 1899
BR148/7/52	Printed <i>Suggestions for a land bill</i> , giving reasons for the need for a Land Purchase bill, by Dr Walsh, annotated in purple pencil, 8 pages	n.d. c.1888
BR148/7/53	Receipt for twenty pounds sterling paid by Evelyn Ashley to Thomas Hannon, for work upon Mullaghmore Lodges and stables, 1 page	16 Jan 1900
BR148/7/54 /1-11	Invoices from James Galloway & Sons, plumbers for work at Classibawn for Evelyn Ashley	15 Oct 1900 - 1 Jan 1901
BR148/7/55	Draft agreement for lease of pasture land at Cliffony to Edward Parke, with pencil annotation that agreement was declined by Parke	Apr 1901
BR148/7/56	Invoice from John Hannon for carpentry work done at Mullaghmore and Classibawn, 4 pages	14 Dec 1901



BR148/7/57 /1-6	Correspondence and petitions concerning dispute over the right to cut bog at Drumfad and Coonarco leased to Moore family	May 1900 - Jan 1901
BR148/7/58 /1-3	Petition from Evelyn Ashley's tenants at Cloyragh mountain or Ardnaglass, asking for fencing to be put up to stop animals roaming onto their land	Sep 1902
BR148/7/59 /1-4	Letters from S.S.&E. Reeves, solicitors, Dublin, concerning cost of the sale of land to the widow of John Hannon, includes copy of will of John Hannon	Oct 1900 - Sep 1902
BR148/7/60	Receipt of twenty nine pounds and fifteen shillings paid by Evelyn Ashley to the Office of Works for drainage work at Mullaghmore coast guard station, 1 page	15 Jul 1903
BR148/7/61	Report of the <i>Sligo Saw Mills &amp; Joinery Company Limited</i> , 2 pages	10 Nov 1903
BR148/7/62	Balance sheet and report of the <i>Sligo Saw Mills &amp; Joinery Company Limited</i> , 2 pages	19 Apr 1905
BR148/7/63	Draft agreement between Evelyn Ashley and John Gilmartin over tenancy of lands at Mullaghmore	1905
BR148/7/64 /1-2	Invoice and receipt of costs incurred by Evelyn Ashley due to sale of land at Cliffoney	Apr 1906 - Jun 1906
BR148/7/65 /1-2	Schedule of "unsatisfactory" work carried out on Mullaghmore lodges, and letter from W.F.Gilcrest, civil engineer of Sligo to Major Eccles, Moneygold, concerning paying John Clarence for work upon Mullaghmore lodges	22 Sep 1906 - Feb 1907
BR148/7/66	Two letters from Thomas Flanagan, shopkeeper, High Street, Sligo to Evelyn Ashley, asking for an abatement of rent in return for repairs and improvements he has carried out on the shop	2 Feb 1907 - 13 Feb 1907
BR148/7/67	Invoice from William F. Gilcriest, civil engineer for works performed in 1898 for Evelyn Ashley, 2 pages	25 Mar 1899
<b>BR148/8</b>	<b><i>Bundle of letters most from William Lowe, Sligo agent, to Evelyn Ashley, concerning Ashley's Sligo estates:</i></b>	<b>1880-83</b>
BR148/8/1	Letter from William Lowe, Sligo agent to Evelyn Ashley, concerning income and valuation of the Sligo estates, 3 pages	16 Nov 1880
BR148/8/2	Letter from William Lowe, to Evelyn Ashley, concerning allowance for a horse, Cliffony barracks, ways of selling Barker food at the shop in which he is banned, lease for Mr Anderson, agreement of Mr Calleary and Miss Dowds. Lavin has agreed to take the plot at Abbey Garden. Roll at Miss Derry's school is down. Miss Dolan has received Ashley's note - she is a perfectionist, 5 pages	2 Oct 1881
BR148/8/3	Arrears of rents due on Sligo estates of Evelyn Ashley up to May 1880. Postscript: the names of those tenants who had paid by 17 Feb 1882, 5 pages	9 Nov 1881 - 17 Feb 1882
BR148/8/4	Part of letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, concerning his disquiet at Ashley issuing writs to tenants who do not pay their rents as they cannot pay even if they wish to "it will also leave a ranking bitterness behind not soon forgotten....."	14 Dec 1881

BR148/8/5	Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, concerning the tenants threatening to resist any attempts to evict them. The tenants have sent Ashley a telegram to ask for negotiations, many of the tenants simply cannot pay and will be ejected "how can you come amongst them afterwards? Not for a generation will this revenge die?" The tenants could be offered a three shilling abatement and time to pay as Sir Henry's tenants are. The Land league say they will pay for counsel to defend the writs, 6 pages	15 Dec 1881
BR148/8/6	Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, concerning payment of arrears by tenants, only a few are refusing to pay, 4 pages	20 Dec 1881
BR148/8/7	Part of letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, concerning proposal for Gallows Hill by Burnes previously held by Robert Boyd, 2 pages	16 Oct 1881
BR148/8/8	Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, concerning rent paid by Mr Parke's for Mount Temple and Mullaghmore. The ejectments are not being collected from the post and it is rumoured that the Land League will defend those who fight against the ejectments, rental of Charles Higgins, 4 pages	1 Jan 1882
BR148/8/9	Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, concerning the difficult conditions of the tenants at Bunduff, Mr Collery's lease of Cadgers field, Cawley's application for a plot at Pound Street, Sligo, 3 pages	24 Feb 1882
BR148/8/10	Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, concerning abatement of rents at ?Bunduff lake, 4 pages	6 Jun 1882
BR148/8/11	Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, concerning the high level of crime in Ireland "If we had a Cromwell in place of W.Gladstone or some one who could not be duped by the Irish, the rats would soon hide themselves. so long as silly English M.P.'s sympathise with those lazy poverty - the whining beggary and false pretences of the Irish and those who go over to represent them in the house matters cannot improve. It is painful to see the session running to waste and nothing being down for the empire."	12 Jun 1882
BR148/8/12	Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, concerning proposal for field in Sligo near Union Street perhaps for building upon. "All is calm here. In other parts, when the police have no criminals to catch, they are in mutiny among themselves.", 3 pages	2 Sep [1882]
BR148/8/13	Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, concerning information given to Mr Davies, agreement with John McGowan to build an extension to his house, trading at Cliffony, signing leases, article in the <i>Irish Times</i> about O'Donnell school "seeing the Irish people are so open to such teachings it is an ugly continuance of the agitation". Henry Brennan tried to organise a meeting for tenants who wished to take their grievances to the Land Court but not many came and do not see how he has spent the previous two years subscriptions. Marriage of Susan [?maid] she could be replaced by the daughter of Michael Gilmartin of Creevykeel. Arrears act. Widow Feeny of Barnadarig is taking her case to court. Patrick McIntire has obtained a reduction of his rent in the courts. Refusal of Ashley's offer to Edward Parke, 6 pages	23 Sep [?1882]
BR148/8/14	Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, concerning the sale of Edward Parkes house, police barracks, tactics for settling tenants rent, the tenants are reluctant to use the Land	18 Jul 1882

Act, but they are going to call a meeting. The "people are trembling for fate of the potato crop ..... if the wet continues the consequence will be most serious.", 3 pages

- BR148/8/15 /1-2 Proposal by Thomas Cawley for the old waste house in Pound Street, Sligo, includes a note from William Lowe to Ashley concerning Cawley and also a proposal for Temple Street, whose previous tenant absconded to Glasgow 4 Feb 1882 - 4 Oct 1882
- BR148/8/16 /1-2 Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley enclosing a list of tenants arrears of rents due on Sligo estates of Evelyn Ashley up to May 1880, he points out those who cannot pay, Mr and Mrs Lyster have left Classibawn, tidying up avenue near the Gale Lodge. The country is quiet and the potato crop is not good although others are not bad 29 Aug 1882
- BR148/8/17 Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, concerning Chrystal building a house for his family, Meara might not want the lodge, McGlover supplying liquor to kelp carters "they generally loiter about and are not quiet when they drink". Boycott at Mullaghmore from John McGovern, mason whose son was supported by the Land League when he was ejected from a site in County Leitrim, reply to Hugh McIntire on fishery dispute, 4 pages 28 Jun 1882
- BR148/8/18 Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, concerning renting house at Classibawn possibility to use it as police house, the tenants do not want to fair rents fixed, the Bunduff tenants are reliant on Henry Brennan and think they may not have to pay rent at all. Lowe is emphasising the powers of the Arrears Act and the Prevention of Crime bill. The crops are doing well but the potatoes will be adversely affected by the wet weather, 4 pages 12 Jul 1882
- BR148/8/19 Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, concerning division of tenants, who "had a sort of mutiny last week", as to whether fair rents should be adjudicated, there is no progress with Parke, Lockhand's solicitor is encouraging him to go back to Classibawn say he was forced to leave, anonymous letter deterring bathers at Mullaghmore "it is a Cliffony production I believe - in the hand of a female, with attempt to disguise. It is extremely shabby and treacherous but it is in character with the few who pull the wires here". 4 pages 30 Jul 1882
- BR148/8/20 /1-2 Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, concerning Ashley's letter to Mr Kearan, who is acting on behalf of the tenants. "[the tenants'] minds have been hitherto unsettled by the agitation for the last 3 years, and ought now to settle down.....", negotiations with Edward Parke over agreement for him to give up house and land at Mullaghmore [Classibawn], [copy of a letter from Lowe to Parke on this subject is enclosed] 8 Aug 1882
- BR148/8/21 Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, concerning bog cabin occupied by Leyden near Bunduff, people in ?Tabbs case thankful to Ashley, list of arrears, effect of arrears act which Lowe does not think will affect many of the tenants, Parke is not being nice and is insinuating that Lowe has his own interests in the negotiations with him, bad treatment of Laughlin's cow but he was too timid to apply for compensation, the fenians may make an attempt on Judge Lawson's life. "It is evident that nihilism has spread" 8 pages 21 Aug 1882
- BR148/8/22 Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, concerning Scott, 12 Sep 1882

John James Leek and Barker, examining the avenue [Mullaghmore], Susan [maid] is to marry a policeman and will be replaced by Bridget Gilmartin. Mr Wynn is staying with Lady Gore, people are pleased that Miss Kelly has left Sligo, the Arrears act: legal advice should be sought, perhaps from Messrs Reeves of Dublin. Some tenants wish to pay rent according to the poor law valuation which would be in their favour but might enable arrears to be paid but it would not be fair to those tenants who have paid in full, 7 pages

- BR148/8/23 Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, concerning Hall leaving and the police now in situ in the lodge which the county inspector approves of. Mr Parkes has offered his house if needed for a gate keeper. Gilmartin is helping Barker, Lowe is not sure about Gilmartin "but the fact of his braving the threats and opposition about may tend to weaken and divide the enemy." Dunleavy managed to cut his hay albeit at night: "he no doubt suffers some inconvenience and feels not having the smiles and good wishes of the people, as he always had, being a 'ribbonsman' of some influence. But there is no danger of him as he pretends". Dunleavy's daughter is monitress at the infant school which is doing very well but she suffers for her father. "There is no necessity to notice by a reply any of those peoples alleged grievances - very few grains of truth is what they represent." change in teachers income making it results dependent, dispute over Barker "it was with the view of frightening you to get rid of him that the article was put into the *Champion*". The rent situations may break the tenants into factions but Lowe will not imply that any abatement is forthcoming. It is not known where Dunleavy's body is, maybe in the channel of Milk Harbour or in the sand hills. The weather is mild and the potatoes safe, 8 pages 28 Sep [?1882]
- BR148/8/24 Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, concerning survey of Parke's Classibawn holding, protest band marched by Barkers house, Cliffony and to Brennan's where it dies out "people have grown tired of this sort of thing, as they are beginning to look out for the profits and find none". Susan has not got married after all as her fiancée has left without her. Lady Gore has gone home well pleased. Barker is happy with his assistant [Gilmartin]. "A secret notice is put up occasionally, asking to have a certain person boycotted, giving his name. The last person so treated is Roger Finnegan of Edinrevah, because he worked for Pat Connors of Mount Temple. this sort of thing will also wear out by leaving it quite between themselves because every person about is able to work up a resistance which will tell in time. It is only where a man like Barker is that a deadly set can be made for the reason that he is not one of them and has no connections. At present there is nothing like outrage on the estate." It would be a good thing if Ashley was to visit the estate, 5 pages 28 Sep 1882
- BR148/8/25 Part of letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, concerning terms with Mr Lyster, proceedings Mr Leyden of Bunduff who built a hut where he was supposed to be planting potatoes, Lowe is prosecuting Harrison and McSharry for similar offenses, negotiations with Mr Parke, Patrick Laughlan's cow is nearly well, Classibawn barracks, spoke to Mrs Tate about lodges 18 Sep 1882
- BR148/8/26 Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley concerning effect of the storm on the harvest, roof of Classibawn damaged, trees especially near Benbulbin school, Mrs Tate's chimney fell through and she was so scared she hid under her bed, 4 Oct 1882

Mrs Kelly's daughter does not want to go to England to be laundress to Lady Mount Temple but to stay at Mullaghmore, proposal for house in Sligo, some tenants wish to take advantage of the new act - Lockhard has entered for the Land Court but claims that he cannot get his case on, the tenants wish to know whether Ashley will apply under the act for arrears to be paid, potatoes will be scarce this year and indian meal sparse and expensive, people are still unwilling to deliver hay to Barker but Lowe has discovered that John McGovern of Bunduff, the mason whose family is boycotted, will send one of his sons to Barker, if no one will drive him there then Hannon should sack them, survey of Parke's land at Mullaghmore, 8 pages

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| BR148/8/27 | Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, concerning court case over rent of Pat McIntire [?Bunduff fishery], abatement of rent for the Widow O'Neill and Widow Feeny of Barnadarig and Widow Gallagher of Cloysparrow "They are bad cases, and it is lamentable to hear the constant whine of the poor at the loss of their provisions. I cannot see how they can live through the year". If public money for the destitute is available could Ashley help those in that part of Sligo, even though the people themselves do not deserve help "if they did I would go from house to house and make their poverty and sufferings known," 3 pages   | 22 Nov 1882 |
| BR148/8/28 | Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, proposing Thomas Chrystal's son at a policeman, Charles Higgins's farm is too big for him to run it and Higgins wishes to reduce the rent to less than the poor law valuation, Lowe thinks Higgins should get a grant from the Board of Works to improve the land. Higgins is intelligent but has no family left to help him as they are prone to consumption. There are assizes in Sligo. some of the tenants have paid their rents after receiving writs, 4 pages  | 12 Dec 1882 |
| BR148/8/29 | Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, concerning a building plot for Denis McLynn in Pound Street, 2 pages   | 13 Dec 1882 |
| BR148/8/30 | Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, concerning payment of the Mount Temple and Classibawn rent by Mr Park. Park wants a third party to arbitrate on the question of the house and land at Classibawn, 3 pages  | 20 Dec 1882 |
| BR148/8/31 | Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley concerning James Mc Gowan replacing Dominick Feeny as tenant. Martin Gilmartin, the kelpman is very unwell, his brother, James and sister in law are dead. Lockhard is also sick and very many have died on sections of the estate. He has heard that Mr Parnell is to ask a question [in the House of Commons] about the poor in Cliffony. The people are not complaining but Lowe knows that they are in a bad state not because of any oppression but because the climate is bad and their holdings are too small to support them. Could Ashley offer any employment on the estate, unfortunately even that would only be seasonal. The people do not want to emigrate or leave. Lowe has not heard of any cases of starvation amongst Ashley's tenants. The relieving officers visit [Cliffony] each week. Parnell may mention the two people who died on Ennismurray of consumption but they were not Ashley tenants. the Ennismurray tenants have paid no rent and will not leave. "There is nothing like want at present [at Ennismurray] ..... there has been much falsehood and misrepresentation connected with the island and the shore district opposite". The poor law officials are monitoring matters closely, 4 pages | 7 Mar 1883  |

- BR148/8/32 Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, concerning ?Moffalls agreement, damage to holding by the tenant Gillespie, a tailor who intended other to be blamed for it, loan request by E.McGloin, Alex Hood tried to negotiate his rent prior to appearing before the Commissioners court, the tenant regret their losses during the agitations and are thankful for Ashley's forbearance during that time, 4 pages 14 Mar 1883
- BR148/8/33 /1-3 Letter from William Lowe to Sybella Ashley [wife of Evelyn Ashley], concerning money she sent to Lowe to be distributed amongst the needy "It has afforded temporary aid to the recipients but excited a great many to beg and become angry when they could not be helped. The tenants need help until the next potato harvest and will suffer much if it fails next year. The parish priest has asked the Poor Law Guardians for help but he will not let his parishioners emigrate (they have been offered free passage). The many local deaths have not been through starvation but from lack of adequate clothing, bedding and fuel combined with a bad diet. Mrs Everett seems satisfied with Classibawn, Lowe's wife is in the care of doctors in Dublin and his daughter has moved into a new house, encloses list of those helped with Mrs Ashley's money either with seeds or money 30 Apr 1883
- BR148/8/34 Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley concerning a house at Cartron Killerdo which Clancy agrees to take and pull down when the present tenant Owen Laughlin emigrates to America as he is starving, 1 page 7 May 1883
- BR148/8/35 Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, concerning applications to let the rent offices include Mr Crawford who wants it for a loan fund office and a police constable called O'Donnell. Thomas Duffy has left for America, Pat Calry, a fisherman would be a suitable tenant for Duffy's plot [later in the letter he says that Pat Barry would be a better tenant than Calry]. The police at Mullagmore will leave very soon, they did not pay rent to Mr Parke and it remains to be seen whether any lodger go to Mullaghmore. Mr Collery's right of way [?Cadgers Field], building plot to be advertised in Sligo papers, proposal by Daniel O'Connor for tumble down wall in Pound Street, arrears, Miss Derry, the schoolmistress is leaving, 4 pages 18 May 1883
- BR148/8/36 Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, concerning cases to be heard before Land Commissioners including those of Edward Parke and Thomas Siggins, he is trying to discover from Mr Kincaid how much the estate has paid on draining and fencing the holdings concerning, valuations, 4 pages 24 May 1883
- BR148/8/37 Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, concerning John Gilmartin's debts, plot for McHugh, application by John Chrystal to build labourers cottager at Gortaderry in an area without need of such thing, 4 pages 8 Jun 1883
- BR148/8/38 Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, concerning the valuation of Edward Parke's farm at Mount Temple which is not advantageous to Parke's case, Thomas Siggins has given up his [fair rent] case, Pat McMorrow of Clontybawn has a good case for an abatement, the Land Commissioners should meet at Grange, 3 pages 8 Jun 1883
- BR148/8/39 /1-2 Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, concerning the marital difficulties of John and Mary Waters of Clysparra, includes n.d. c.1883

statement on the subject signed by Mr Gore Booth

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| BR148/8/40         | Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, he reports that the tenants believe that the new act means they will have houses built for them but the local government board actually say they will apply for funds to repair existing houses. Those who have farms are worried that they will be overrun with squatters calling themselves labourers. Rent of Thomas Hannon, Bridget Gilmartin is now in the work house, gate at the new burial ground, Charles Anderson's houses in Holborn Street, Sligo, 3 pages  | 18 Nov 1883                  |
| BR148/8/41         | Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, concerning measurement standards used by the Land Commissioners, marsh tenants, payment of half years rent to avoid the Arrears Act, Rochford's house in Sligo, notice to quit of Mr Middleton's holding on Pound Street<br>which could be taken a Mr Bray who is in trade with Chrystal, Gallagher has got possession of the house next to his own in Temple Street, Sam Williams wants another lease for John Street, John Lavin of Abbey Street has asked for an abatement on account of building work, 4 pages  | 25 Dec 1883                  |
| BR148/8/42<br>/1-2 | Letter from William Lowe to Evelyn Ashley, concerning request for abatement for plot in Kilkullogue from James McGloin, McGloin is determined to go to court over and has declined Ashley's offer, includes note from Patrick Conway, surveyor that James McGloin's plot at Mullaghmore is two Irish acres   | 10 Sep 1888 - 21<br>Dec 1888 |
| BR148/8/43         | Amount of poor rate and cess liable on Evelyn Ashley's Cliffony estates, 1 page  | 1879                         |
| BR148/8/44         | Fragment of letter from William Lowe to [Evelyn Ashley] concerning Cawley and a house in Temple Street, Fenian encouragement for outrages "people are tiring of mere talk. The disposition to outrage keeps amongst the Fenians, and the farming and working class wish to be let alone but the ?sporter cannot do without an occupation, so long as they are subsidised, Lavin's lease  | n.d.c.1882                   |
| <b>BR148/9</b>     | <b><i>Bundle of letters and papers mostly concerning Sligo estate of Honourable Evelyn Ashley:</i></b>   | <b>1883-99</b>               |
| BR148/9/1          | Letter from George F.Barker, [?Clerk of Works] to Evelyn Ashley, concerning<br>his accounts, timber being illegally cut by Mr Gilaspie, tailor of Cliffony, and others "it is a great difficulty for us to take care of the timber as the people as no firing and they are starving for want so where is Mr Brennan and is land league". He thinks it is not a good idea for Mr Ashley to go to Sligo and he overheard someone say something "non very pleasant" after the time Sir H.Gore advised Ashley not to visit, letter of James McGlone, pheasants, partridges and woodcocks sent to Mrs Ashley, 7 pages | 22 Feb 1883                  |
| BR148/9/2          | Letter from George F.Barker, to Evelyn Ashley, concerning selling McNeill timber at Mullaghmore, he awaits payment from some of the tenants for timber, he would like to talk to Ashley: "I think if you popped over to Lissadell on the quite and let no one know it would be quite safe but it is my opinion that things is very queer though I hear a great deal more now then what I did and there is a great break amongst them." 3 pages   | 21 Mar 1883                  |

BR148/9/3	Letter from J.H.Kincaid, agent to Evelyn Ashley, concerning cutting costs of labour, question of proof of title in a plot in Sligo, sending five hundred pounds to Ashley's account, 2 pages	21 May 1883
BR148/9/4	Receipt of forty five pounds sterling given by Evelyn Ashley to Edward Gillespy for his tenants rights in house, offices and land at Newtown, Cliffony, 1 page	9 Apr 1885
BR148/9/5	Note of sheep accounts 1883-6	n.d. c.1886
BR148/9/6	Receipt for ten pounds given by Evelyn Ashley to ?Patrick Moine in compensation for surrendering three acres of bog at Cloontybawn, 1 page	25 Jan 1888
BR148/9/7 /1-7	Receipts for poor law rates paid by Evelyn Ashley on his Sligo estates	11 Feb 1891 - 25 Jan 1892
BR148/9/8 /1-5	Letters from W.R.Fenton to Evelyn Ashley, concerning ejection and use of land in Sligo previously occupied by Margaret and Maurice McNulty and which a claim has been made by the widow [second husband] of Mrs McNulty, Thomas Douglas, in the mean time Margaret McNulty has been ejected for non payment of rent and the plot has been temporary leased to Henry Clancy, the land is actually designated as a town park	19 Dec 1892 - 11 Jan 1893
BR148/9/9 /1-14	Correspondence between John Clancy, Bishop of Elphin and Evelyn Ashley, concerning sale or exchange of land on Temple Street currently used as a fair green	8 Apr 1898 - 26 Jan 1899
BR148/9/10 /1-5	Correspondence between W.Higgins, St Helens, Sligo, and Evelyn Ashley, concerning purchase of a plot on Temple Street, includes a letter on this subject from J.H.Kincaid to Evelyn Ashley	2 May 1899 - 27 May 1899
BR148/9/11	Receipt from Henry Lyons & Company limited, New British Woollen Mart and Fancy Millinery Establishment, for seven pounds, sixteen shillings and six pence paid by Evelyn Ashley, 1 page	1 Oct 1899
BR148/9/12	Agreement between Bridget Chrystal and John McGarraghy, that Chrystal can cut on McGarraghy's land in Lysle, one hundred barrels of turf a year, in return for McGarraghy having access to road past her door, 1 page	Sep 1899
<b>BR148/10</b>	<b><i>Bundle of letters relating to Sligo estates of Evelyn and of Wilfred William Ashley</i></b>	<b>1905-13</b>
BR149/10/1	Letter from J.H.Kincaid to Wilfred Ashley, concerning insurance claim [on lodge at Mullaghmore], 2 pages	14 Aug 1905
BR149/10/2	Letter from J.H.Kincaid to Wilfred Ashley, concerning insurance claim [on burnt lodge at Mullaghmore], 1 page	22 Aug 1905
BR149/10/3 /1-2	Letter from John Hyman Kincaid to Evelyn Ashley, concerning a grant of fifty pounds given by Sligo district council for Ashley's tenants to build a road into Gortnaleck bog, includes letter on this subject from Kincaid to Patrick Gilmartin of Gortnaleck	3 Nov 1905
BR148/10/4 /1-2	Copy letter and draft letter from Evelyn Ashley, to Thomas Flanagan, concerning Flanagan's request for an abatement in return for improvement to his shop in High Street, Sligo	6 Feb 1907: contemporary copy



BR148/10/5	Report by John Webster, St Mary's hospital on the water in Bunduff lake, 1 page	18 May 1911
BR148/10/6 /1-4	Copies of letters from Messrs. Reeves & Sons, to the Quit Rent office and to Wilfred Ashley, and to the Board of Trade (Harbour Department) concerning Ashley's claim to a wreck in Mullaghmore harbour	25 Oct 1913 - 2 Jan 1914
BR148/10/7 /1-9	Letters, statements and a plan, all relating to the claim of Daniel Wymb to a right of way between Cloonkeen and Creevymore	Aug 1913
<b>BR148/11</b>	<b><i>Bundle of letters relating to Mullaghmore harbour project:</i></b>	<b>1858-1914</b>
BR148/11/1	Notes of costs of new breakwater at Mullaghmore harbour, 1 page	13 Aug 1858
BR148/11/2	Part of letter from John Hannon, to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning blasting the sunken rocks at the mouth of Mullaghmore harbour, occupation of lodges, bog plantation, 2 pages	15 Oct 1858
BR148/11/3 /1-2	Letter from J.Kincaid, to Henry John Temple enclosing copy report from Joseph Kincaid [his son], civil engineer, on progress on the new breakwater at Mullaghmore	15 Dec 1860
BR148/11/4	Letter from John Hannon to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, reporting that work has finished on the Mullaghmore breakwater, he is going to Edinburgh to buy seedlings for the nursery, 6 pages	11 Jan 1861
BR148/11/5	Letter from Mr Pacton, 7 Devonshire Place, London, to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning the suitability of Robert Escombe to replace Mr Barwis on the ?committee, 4 pages	7 Jan 1861
BR148/11/6 /1-2	Letter from Stewart & Kincaid, to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, enclosing a copy of a letter from John Hannon to them announcing the completion of the breakwater at Mullaghmore	11 Jan 1861 - 12 Jan 1861
BR148/11/7 /1-2	Letter from John Hannon to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning keeping down the expenditure on estate works, deepening the harbour, finishing the breakwater wall, need to remove the railway between the quarries and the old pier, building new houses in Mullaghmore, Bundoran is full, crops are looking very good, includes plan of the harbour	15 Aug 1863
BR148/11/8	Letter from John Hannon to Henry John Temple, third Viscount Palmerston, concerning removing rocks from the mouth of Mullaghmore harbour and deepening the basin, severe storms have not affected the harbour within the new breakwater, six months work with twenty men will greatly improve the harbour, schooners have arrived to collect kelp, Mr Fenton bought 600 tons of kelp and received three hundred pounds sterling for it, Mullaghmore has the potential to be a successful harbour - masters of vessels like it a lot, 11 pages	17 Nov 1863
BR148/11/9 /1-3	Two letters from Stewart & Kincaid to Evelyn Ashley, concerning fishing rights at Mullaghmore and Bunduff, includes letter from Reeves & Son, solicitors to Stewart & Kincaid on this subject	25 Mar 1867 - 27 May 1867

BR148/11/10	Letters between the Office of Irish Fisheries, Stewart & Kincaid, Evelyn Ashley and the Office of Public Works, concerning the responsibility for trawlers blocking the slipway at Mullaghmore and whether the Office of Works will take over the responsibility for Mullaghmore harbour	31 Jan 1883 - 4 May 1883
BR148/11/11 /1-4	Copy of questions and answers asked by the Harbour authorities and answered by Evelyn Ashley on Mullaghmore harbour, also printed schedule of tolls, rules for fish licenses, wharfage or quayage laid down by the Office of Public Works	Aug 1883
BR148/11/12	Letter from Mr Hamilton of the office of the Chief Secretary to Evelyn Ashley, confirming that Ashley's letter to the Chief Secretary, about Mullaghmore harbour will be passed on to the Secretary of the Royal Commission, 1 page	16 Oct 1886
BR148/11/13	Letter from the Office of Public Works to Evelyn Ashley concerning procedure for applying for funds for works on Mullaghmore harbour, 1 page	13 Sep 1889
BR148/11/14	Letter from Congested Districts Board for Ireland, to Evelyn Ashley, agreeing to contribute three hundred pounds towards repairing Mullaghmore harbour, 1 page	22 Oct 1894
BR148/11/15 /1-3	Letter from Congested Districts Board, to Evelyn Ashley, concerning report by an engineer of the Board on the proposed works at Mullaghmore harbour, includes a copy of a report and specification by F.G.Townsend Gahan, on the work needed at the harbour	6 Dec 1894 - 19 Dec 1894
BR148/11/16 /1-2	Letter from J.O'Brien, Congested Districts Board, to Evelyn Ashley, concerning a tender by Patrick Cummings to improve Mullaghmore harbour, 1 page	16 Feb 1895
BR148/11/17	Letter from congested Districts Board, to Evelyn Ashley, concerning the costs involved in repairing Mullaghmore harbour, on the back of this letter Evelyn Ashley has in ink estimated that the repairs will need four hundred pounds, 2 pages	12 Aug 1894
BR148/11/18	Draft letter from Evelyn Ashley to congested Districts Board, explaining how essential it is that money is granted to repair Mullaghmore harbour before the oncoming winter causes further damage, 4 pages	7 Sep 1894
BR148/11/19	Letter from Congested Districts Board to Evelyn Ashley, concerning Ashley's request for money for immediate repairs to Mullaghmore harbour in relation to the need for future maintenance. [this letter has the "unofficial" in red and underlined twice written across it], 1 page	11 Sep 1894
BR148/11/20	Letter from Congested Districts Board to Kincaid & Matthews, concerning Wilfred Francis Ashley [paying one third of the cost of work at Mullaghmore harbour, 1 page	16 Apr 1914
<b>BR148/12</b>	<b><i>Bundle of Irish newspapers and a cutting:</i></b>	<b><i>27 Dec 1890 - 30 May 1896</i></b>
BR148/12/1	<i>Notes From Ireland: A record of the sayings and doings of the Parnellite Party in the furtherance of their "separatist" policy for Ireland, published by the Irish Loyal and Patriotic Union, number 24, volume 4, 6 pages</i>	27 Dec 1890

- BR148/12/2 *Notes From Ireland*: A record of the sayings and doings of the Parnellite Party in the furtherance of their "separatist" policy for Ireland, published by the *Irish Loyal and Patriotic Union*, number 29, volume 4, 4 pages 7 Mar 1891
- BR148/12/3 *Notes From Ireland*: A record of the sayings and doings of the Parnellite Party in the furtherance of their "separatist" policy for Ireland, published by the *Irish Loyal and Patriotic Union*, number 30, volume 4, 4 pages 21 Mar 1891
- BR148/12/4 *Notes From Ireland*: A record of the sayings and doings of the Parnellite Party in the furtherance of their "separatist" policy for Ireland, published by the *Irish Loyal and Patriotic Union*, number 31, volume 4, includes report from *National Press* of Parnell speaking at Sligo election meeting, 4 pages 4 Apr 1891
- BR148/12/5 *Notes From Ireland*: A record of the sayings and doings of the Parnellite Party in the furtherance of their "separatist" policy for Ireland, published by the *Irish Loyal and Patriotic Union*, number 32, volume 4, includes reports on the Sligo election particularly with reference to the number of voters declared illiterate so that their votes were know, and also influence of Catholic clergy armed with blackthorn sticks encouraging their parishioners to vote, reports from *Daily Express*, *Freeman's Journal*, *Freeman*, *National Press*, 4 pages 18 Apr 1891
- BR148/12/6 *Notes From Ireland*: A record of the sayings and doings of the Parnellite Party in the furtherance of their "separatist" policy for Ireland, published by the *Irish Loyal and Patriotic Union*, number 33, volume 4, includes report of question in the House of Commons on the number of illiterates voting in the recent Sligo election, 4 pages 2 May 1891
- BR148/12/7 *Notes From Ireland*: A record of the sayings and doings of the Home Rule Parties in the furtherance of their "separatist" policy for Ireland, published by the *Irish Unionist Alliance*, number 11, volume 4, new series 2 May 1891
- BR148/12/8 Cutting from the *The Donegal Independent* reporting on a presentation of an address to Evelyn Ashley and his wife at Mullaghmore, and Ashley's reply, mentions earlier criticism of the tenants for making such a gesture and it was denied that intimidation was brought, 2 pages 4 Sep 1891
- BR148/13** ***Bundle of material relating to excavations of Burial mound, Creevykeel*** **1935**
- BR148/13/1 Newspapers cuttings from the *Irish Times*, *Irish Press* and the *Irish Independent*, concerning finds by the Harvard Archaeological Expedition, in a pre Celtic burial mound at Creevykeel 7 Oct 1835 - 10 Oct 1835
- BR148/13/2 Letters from A.Mahr, director of the National Museum of Ireland, to Wilfred Francis Cowper Temple, first Baron Mount Temple, concerning depositing the artifacts found in the Creevykeel burial mound in the museum 9 Sep 1935 - 8 Oct 1935
- BR148/13/3 Report on the fourth Harvard archaeological expedition in Ireland, written on the paper of the national Museum of Ireland, amended in red ink, probably by Wilfred Francis Cowper Temple, first Baron Mount Temple, 2 pages n.d c.Oct 1935

BR148/13/4 Photographs of burial mound at Creevykeel  
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n.d c.Sep 1935

1. See BR148/7/38 11 Nov 1892
2. See Br148/7/38 11 Nov 1892
3. See BR148/7/33-4 1888