

P428 Caithness History Society

RECORDS' IDENTITY STATEMENT

Reference number: P428

Alternative reference number:

Title: Caithness History Society

Dates of creation: c.1880- 2001

Level of description: Fonds

Extent: 2 boxes

Format: Paper, photographs, negatives, plastic, wood, metal

RECORDS' CONTEXT

Name of creators: Caithness History Society

Administrative history:

Custodial history:

RECORDS' CONTENT

Description: Caithness History Society exhibition resources

Photographs, copies and originals of records and photographs used in exhibitions, particularly images of houses in Wick and bill heads from businesses the town

Appraisal:

Accruals:

RECORDS' CONDITION OF ACCESS AND USE

Access: Open

Closed until:

Access conditions: Available within the Archive searchroom

Copying: Copying permitted within standard Copyright Act parameters

Finding aids:

Available in Archive searchroom

ALLIED MATERIALS

Related material:

Publication:

Notes:

Consists of some original material but predominantly copies

Date of catalogue:

October 2019

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P428	Caithness History Society	c. 1880- 2001
P428/1	Black and White photographs of Wick's main streets and one colour copy of the Ensign Shop [1 bundle]	c. 1880- c. 1980
P428/2	Original Billheads from various Caithness businesses and shops [1bundle]	1910- 1957
P428/3	Black and white postcard of Keiss, Caithness, by R. Smellie and Son, Thurso. Inscription reads: 'How are you getting on? Everybody having rare times here. Jolly place for midnight rambles on the links especially when the minister is not about. Love to all, R. M. Addressed to Mrs Wares, Wares Buildings, Castletown, Thurso. Accompanying display note reads: 'A busy day in Keiss' on loan from John Wares [1 postcard].	C. 1920
P428/4	Copies of Adverts in John o' Groat Journal and Northern Ensign for local shops and businesses Date range 1896 –1940 [1 bundle]	c. 2000
P428/5	Copies of news article 'The Latheron Alimnt Case' from the Northern Ensign, Tuesday, February 2, 1892. A case where servant Christina Thomson of Latheronwheel sues the Rev. James McHardy, Latheron for alimony for an illegitimate child. [4 sheets]	c. 2000
P428/6	Copy of an emblem designed by Iain Sutherland for 'The Commissioners of the Burgh of Pulteneytown' [1 sheet]	2001

P428/7	Copy of an emblem designed by Iain Sutherland for 'The Town Council of the Burgh of Pulteneytown' [1 sheet]	2001
P428/8	Printed list of shop names, addresses and types of business in Wick in 1900 [9 sheets]	c. 2000
P428/9	Copies of John o' Groat Journal article on Wick shops of the past dated Friday, May 21, 1999 [2 sheets]	c. 2000
P428/10	Copy of John o' Groat Journal article and photograph of Bill Henderson of Matheson Bros. in High St., Wick on the occasion of his retirement. Dated March 4, 1983. [1 sheet]	c. 2000
P428/11	Promotional Material, Adverts, Paper Bag and nostalgic Postcards for brands and businesses [1 bundle]	c. 2000
P428/12	Handwritten list of Wick Shops and Businesses from 1900 on. [1 bundle]	c. 2000
P428/13	Handwritten list of Wick Shops c. 2000 [5 sheets]	c. 2000
P428/14	Copies of bills made out to Wick Harbour Trust from various local Businesses c. 1870- 1919 [1 bundle]	c. 2000
P428/15	Copies of recipes, cartoons and poetry [8 sheets]	c. 2000
P428/16	Copy of a letter giving notice of the Annual General Meeting of Caithness Voluntary Group dated 25 th August 2000 [2 sheets]	2000
P428/17	Information about North Highland Archive [14 sheets]	c. 2000
P428/18	Typed and Handwritten Transcripts of an oral history recording with Mrs Jessie Gordon on her childhood memories of Lower Pulteney in the 1920s and 1930s. Includes memories of children's games, shops and businesses in Lower Pulteney, her mother who was a herring gutter and her father who was a cooper [11 sheets]	c. 2000
P428/19	Copies of billheads from Caithness businesses 1907-1962 [1 bundle]	c. 2000
P428/20	Colour Photographs of various Wick Houses Black and White Copies of images of Wick Houses [1 bundle]	c. 2000
P428/21	Caithness Heritage Fair 2001	2001

	Programme, information for stall holders, visitors' book and a certificate of participation made out to 'Caithness History Society' [8 sheets, 1 notebook]	
P428/22	Colour Photographs, Negatives and copies of various archives to form part of an exhibition plus Captions for the display [1 bundle]	c. 2001
P428/23	Fabric badges Wick High School emblem [2 fabric badges]	c. 2001
P428/24	Counterfeit Coin Detector Accompanying display note reads 'A Counterfeit Coin Detector from the Commercial Bank, Lybster, 1926, Gifted by Louisa Gray (Malcolm), Edinburgh' [1 Coin detector, 1 sheet]	1926