

# Hall of Clestrain

## Archival Training Workshop

Summary Report

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Figure 1: Newhouse, Stenness Screenshot from CANMORE

An Archival Training Workshop was held in the Orkney Archive on Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> April 2019. The training was specifically tailored to be a hands-on introduction to researching rural buildings and properties and in particular the Hall of Clestrain.

Special thanks are extended to the Orkney Archive staff who supported this workshop.



Figure 2: Some of the 17 workshop attendees (ORCA)

The workshop was attended by 17 individuals all keen to help research the Hall of Clestrain. Due to the nature of the workshop, two ORCA staff were present to give those in attendance personal guidance with their research. Attendees' interests ranged from a general desire to learning more about the Hall of Clestrain to researching specific time periods within the property's history.



Figure 3: Excerpt from Dundas map of Barony, 1760 (OA:D8/W/20)

The day began with Sarah Jane introducing the team, the plan for the workshop and the user rules of the archive search room and Orkney Room (local studies collection).

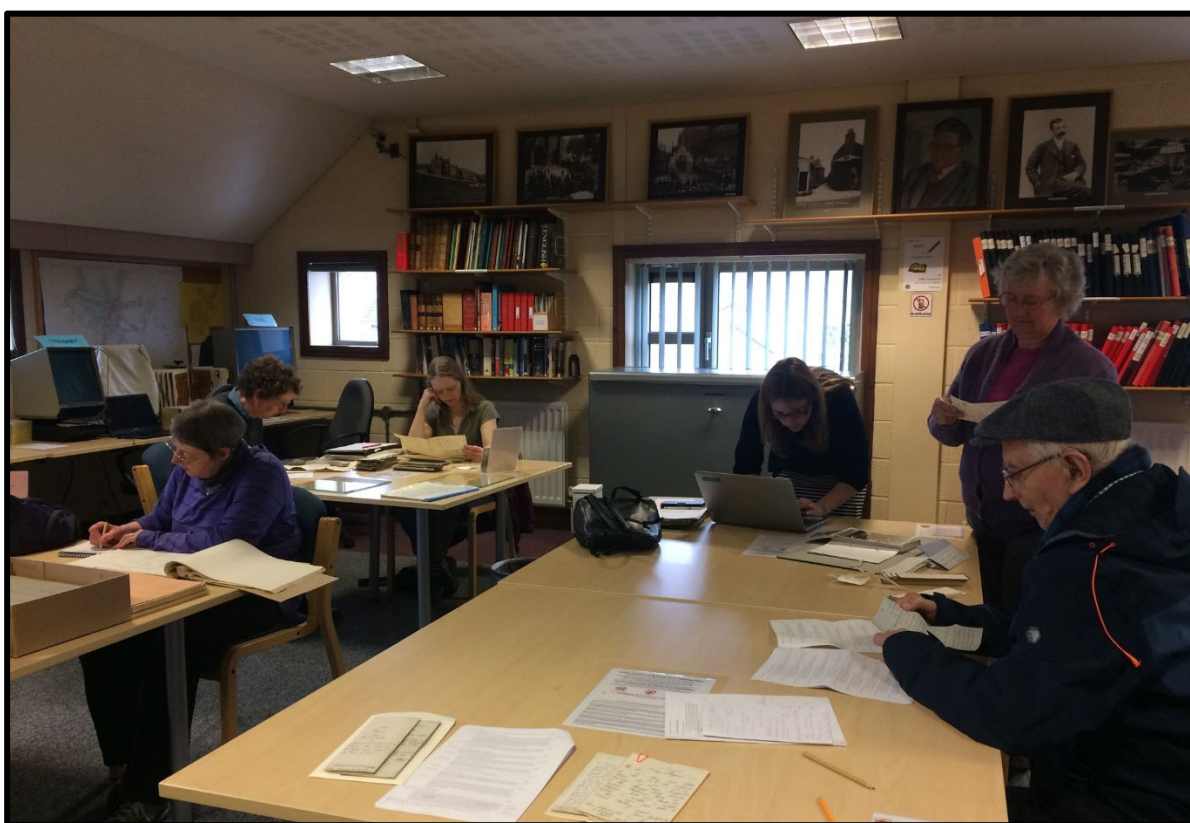


Figure 4: Inspection of archive sources relating to the Hall of Clestrain (ORCA)

After this Sarah Jane gave a thirty-minute introductory presentation on rural-property archive resources. This presentation introduced the relevant online materials and explained the rationale behind Orkney's omission from some of the key National sources (i.e. not part of Mainland Scotland). After looking at online sources, map regression as a useful initial research skill was outlined and demonstrated using rural examples (

& Figure 3). Following on from this, the Orkney Archive catalogue was introduced. The various ways in which to access and search it were shown and tips given on how to best use the catalogue. Archive maps and charts, statutory sources, relevant private gifts and deposits and the value of these various evidence types were outlined using rural Orkney examples, before

some interesting unexpected finds which can shed light on property history were discussed. Sarah Jane had made a preparatory search of 'Clestrain' items in the archive catalogue which was offered out as a printout and a research starting point for the remainder of the day (and any future visits any of the participants wish to make).



Figure 5: Hall of Clestrain by Tom Kent courtesy of Orkney Library and Archive

After the presentation and an opportunity for questions, the attendees were shown a range of Hall of Clestrain specific archive and published resources that had been looked out in advance (Figure 4). These included some plans of buildings on the Clestrain estate; First Edition OS maps (Figure 1); census returns; sasines; archive photographs from early 1900s; Sheriff Court Records; published books featuring Clestrain and two maps showing the lands of Clestrain. People were shown how to access and navigate the National Monuments of Scotland Database – canmore – through the pastmap portal, how to access the National Library of Scotland Maps website, how to undertake georeferenced searches and where to find the Ordnance Survey Namebooks whilst others were shown how to use the Archive catalogue.

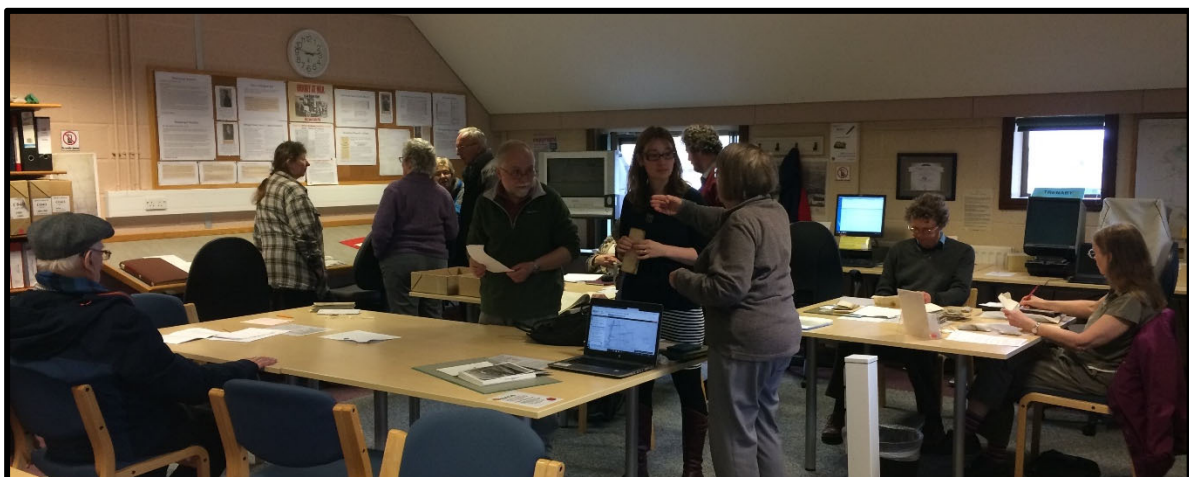


Figure 6: An excellent turn out

Sarah Jane and Andy worked alongside the participants to explore aspects of the history of the Hall of Clestrain with the aim of combining the information to create a timeline for the property with respect to the estate on which it is built.

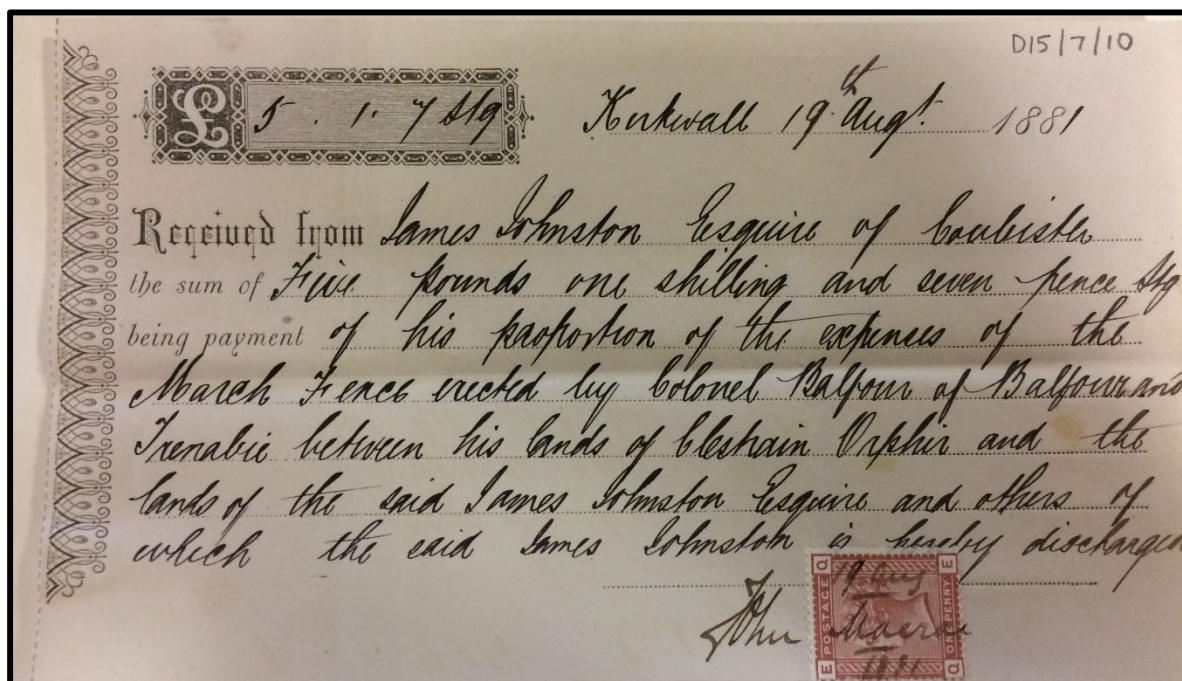


Figure 7: D15/7/10 Receipt for march fence

The aim of the workshop was to prepare the attendees for undertaking rural property research with specific attention to the Hall of Clestrain and to encourage and enable people to undertake their own research in the Orkney Archive. The workshop achieved this and more, with several of the attendees determined to return to continue their research having gained confidence from the training offered.

## APPENDIX 1: Hall of Clestrain Timeline

From information gathered during the workshop

**1633** Clestrain, Quoylingue, Bull of Orphir & Mill of Kirbister were valued at £223 (D34/D/3/1).

**1811**, Sir Wm Honeyman petitioned the Commissioners of Supply of the Stewartry for the County of Orkney. He wanted to be freed from liability for lands now allocated to the minister. The commissioners reply was that Clestrain, north and south, Quoylinga, Bull of Orphir, ?Gernoon, Mill of Kirbister valued at £233. Sir Wm not liable. County to make good. As bishop has land he has liability (D34/D/3/1).

**1816**, Petition of the Trustees of Sir Wm Honeyman. Mentions Mill of Clestrain, land north of burn and Bull of Clestrain with manor and principle house. Alexander Dallas acquired land from the Trustees in 1813. Ask commissioners to assess land and separate into parcels for purposes of assessing cess and other public burdens (D34/D/3/1).

**6 May 1816** warrant for John Rae senior and Magnus Yorston to appear with proof in the division of the valued rent of the lands of Clestrain (D34/D/3/1).

**7 May 1816 & 14<sup>th</sup> May 1816** Meeting of commissioners held. John Rae employed as factor by Sir Wm for upwards of 18 years reported income for 1813 (last year made up) of £186 19s 6d. Record checked by Magnus Yorston, long employed by Patrick Honeyman as overseer and manager. He concurred with figures (D34/D/3/1).

**1816** Scheme of division. The valued rent of the land of Clestrain in 1816

Clestrain north and south of Burn	£136 16s 6d		
1/3 of Bull of Orphir possessed by ?(H)ary Gray	£8 14s 2d		Valuation
	Total	£145 10s 8	£174 ]
Second parcel	£41 8s 10d		£49 ] £223

Rental of lands of Clestrain, north and south of burn and lands on Graemsay belonging to the Trustees of Sir Wm Honeyman

Clestrain	24 Miels Malt at 10/6p	£12 12s	]
	½ barrel Butter at £7	£3 10s	]
	Money	£118 14s 6d	]
	60 Poultry at 8d	£2	]
			£136 16s 6d ] (D34/D/3/1)

**1817** Petition: Alexander Dallas, John Honeyman and John Rae to the commissioners asking them to investigate and allocate rents appropriately between Dallas and J Honeyman, Mr Rae acting for Mr Honeyman. Mr Dallas – writer to the Signet (D34/D/3/1).

**1821. Census. Claistron.**

John Rae	factor/farmer	M 40-50
Margaret Rae	wife	F 30-40
James Rae	son	M 15-20
Jess Rae	daughter	F 10-15
Marion Rae	daughter	F 10-15
William Rae	son	M 10-15
Richard Rae	son	M 5-10
John Rae	son	M 5-10
Thomas Rae	son	M 1 (under 5)
Sinclair Gunn	servant	M 20-30
Jane Gunn	wife	F 20-30
Jane Carmichael	Governess	F20-30
Magnus Mackay	servant	M 30-40
Catherine Mackay	his wife	F 30-40
Andrew Mackay	son	M 10-15
Margaret Mackay	daughter	F 1 (under 5)
Gilbert GARrioch	servant	M 15-20
William Flett	servant	M 10-15
Janet Wallace	servant	F 40-50
Mina Anderson	servant	F 30-40
Betty Campbell	servant	F 20-30
Betty Sutherland	servant	F 20-30

15 black cattle, 17 sheep, 12 lambs, 30 geese, 1 boat, 5 carts, 3 ploughs, 1 (breck) harrows

**1824** Sir Wm is still petitioning. Says he never owned land, it belonged first to the bishop and then the crown and he wants relief from land tax (D34/D/3/1).

**1826** Sir Wm has died and his son Sir Richard writes to the commissioners as report still hasn't been presented so he requests permission to take up petition. Commissioners finally report in favour of petitioner in 1826 (D34/D/3/1).

**1831** commissioners still assessing liability. Minister of Orphir has benefit of land previously charged to Sir Wm Honeyman (D34/D/3/1).

**1841. Census. Clestrain**

Magnus Mackay	M 55	Agriculture
Catherine Mackay	F 55	wife
Richard Mackay	M 15	son
Mina Mackay	F 14	daughter
Joan Mackay	F 12	daughter
Catharin Mackay	F 20	daughter

**1851.** Census Return. Hall of Clestrain. 269 acres. Employing 3 labourers.

Name	sex/age			born
William Mackay	head	M 42	farmer	Halkirk, Caithness
Francis Mackay	wife	F 43		Orphir
Isabella Mackay	daughter	F 15	scholar	Orphir
William Mackay	son	M 13	scholar	Orphir
Margaret Mackay	daughter	F 11	scholar	Orphir
John Mackay	son	M 9	scholar	Orphir
Betsy Mackay	daughter	F 6	scholar	Orphir
Francis Mackay	daughter	F 4	scholar	Orphir
Margaret Goudie	visitor	F 66	widow	Orphir
Helen Knarston	servant		F 22	Stenness
Jean Leask	servant	F 20		Stenness
Morison Gunn	servant	M 23	Agricultural Labourer	Orphir
James Tait	servant	M 22	Agricultural Labourer	Orphir
Thomas Tait	servant	M 20	Agricultural Labourer	Orphir

**1861.** Census Return. Hall of Clestrain.

Name	sex/age			born
William Mackay	head	M 53	farmer	Halkirk
Francis Mackay	wife	F 54		Orphir
William Mackay	son	M 23		Orphir
Elizabeth Mackay	daughter	F 17		Orphir
Francis Mackay	daughter	F 14	scholar	Orphir
Jessie Knight	servant	F 17	gen dom servant	Stromness
Betsy Knight	servant	F 20	dairy maid	Stromness
Margaret Knight	servant	F 15	dairy maid	Stromness
John Garrioch	servant	M 28	ploughman	Orphir
John Heddle	servant	M 31	ploughman	St Andrews
Richard Mackay	head	M 36	farm servant	Orphir
Christina Mackay	wife	F 37		Orphir
Richard Mackay	son	M 7		Orphir
John Mackay	son	M 5		Orphir
Frances Mackay	son	M 2		Orphir
Jane Robina Mackay	daughter	F 5 weeks		Orphir

**1871.** Census Return. Hall of Clestrain. 266 Acres.

Name	sex/age			born
William Mackay	head	M 62	farmer	Halkirk
Francis Mackay	wife	F 67		Orphir
John Mackay	son	M 28		Orphir
Francis Mackay	daughter	F 23		Orphir
Sybella Archibald	servant	F 15	gen dom servant	Stromness
James Reid	Head	M 30	farm servant	Stromness
Thomas Scott	Servant	M 20	farm servant	Eday
John Firth	Servant	M 17	farm servant	Stromness

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p59 ORPHIR PARISH – property nos. 1-41 in Orphir owned by Balfour estate

7 | a Farm and house | Hall of Clestrain | *Proprietor* Col. W.E.L. Balfour of Balfour and Trenabie, per James Johnston | *Tenant* Jno. Wishart, sen., Jno. Wishart, jr., and Jas. Wishart | *Yearly rent* £110-8-3

8 | House | Hall of Clestrain | *prop as above* | *no tenant listed* | *Inhabitant occupier not rated* John Wishart jun. | *Annual value* £1-10-0

9 | House | Hall of Clestrain | *prop as above* | *no tenant* | *Inhabitant occupier* Vacant | *Annual value* £1-0-0

10 | House | Roadside, Ireland, Clestrain | *prop as above* | *Occupier* Vacant | *no value listed*

34 | a Farm and house | South Clestrain | *prop as above* | *Tenant* Robert Work | *Yearly rent* £100-7-10

35 | House | South Clestrain | *prop as above* | *Inhabitant occupier* Robt. Work, jr. £2

36 | House | South Clestrain | *prop as above* | *Inhabitant occupier* William C. Work | *Annual value* £2-0-0

41 | Shootings | Clestrain and Kirbuster | *prop as above* | *Occupier* Proprietor | *Yearly rent/value* £35- -

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8 | House | Hall of Clestrain | *prop as above* | *no tenant listed* | *Inhabitant occupier not rated* John Thomson | *Annual value* £1-10-0

9 | House | Hall of Clestrain | *prop as above* | *no tenant* | *Inhabitant occupier* Vacant | *Annual value* £1-0-0

10 | House | Roadside, Ireland, Clestrain | *prop as above* | *Occupier* Vacant | *no value listed*

34 | a Farm and house | South Clestrain | *prop as above* | *Tenant* Robert Work | *Yearly rent* £100-7-10

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36 | House | South Clestrain | *prop as above* | *Inhabitant occupier* William C. Work | *Annual value* £2-0-0

41 | Shootings | Clestrain and Kirbuster | *prop as above* | *Occupier* Proprietor | *Yearly rent/value* £35- -



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8 | House | Hall of Clestrain | *prop as above* | *no tenant listed* | *Inhabitant occupier* John Thomson | *Annual value* £1-10-0

9 | House | Hall of Clestrain | *prop as above* | *no tenant* | *Inhabitant occupier* Vacant | *Annual value* £1-0-0

10 | House | Roadside, Ireland, Clestrain | *prop as above* | *Occupier* Vacant | *no value listed*

34 | a Farm and house | South Clestrain | *prop as above* | *Tenant* Robert Work | *Yearly rent* £100-7-10

35 | House | South Clestrain | *prop as above* | *Inhabitant occupier* Robt. Work, jr. £2

36 | House | South Clestrain | *prop as above* | *Inhabitant occupier* William C. Work | *Annual value* £2-0-0

41 | Shootings | Clestrain and Kirbuster | *prop as above* | *Occupier* Unlet | *Yearly rent/value* £35- -

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8 | House | Hall of Clestrain | *prop as above* | *no tenant listed* | *Inhabitant occupier* John Laird | *Annual value* £1-10-0

9 | House | Hall of Clestrain | *prop as above* | *no tenant* | *Inhabitant occupier* Vacant | *Annual value* £1-0-0

10 | House | Roadside, Ireland, Clestrain | *prop as above* | *Occupier* Vacant | *no value listed*

34 | a Farm and house | South Clestrain | *prop as above* | *Tenant* Robert Work | *Yearly rent* £100-7-10

35 | House | South Clestrain | *prop as above* | *Inhabitant occupier* Robt. Work, jr. £2

36 | House | South Clestrain | *prop as above* | *Inhabitant occupier* William C. Work | *Annual value* £2-0-0

41 | Shootings | Clestrain and Kirbuster | *prop as above* | *Occupier* Unlet | *Yearly rent/value* £35- -

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8 | House | Hall of Clestrain | *prop as above* | *no tenant listed* | *Inhabitant occupier* John Laird | *Annual value* £1-10-0

9 | House | Hall of Clestrain | *prop as above* | *no tenant* | *Inhabitant occupier* Vacant | *Annual value* £1-0-0

10 | House | Roadside, Ireland, Clestrain | *prop as above* | *Occupier* Vacant | *Annual value* £1-0-0

34 | a Farm and house | South Clestrain | *prop as above* | *Tenant* Robert Work | *Yearly rent* £95-4-5

35 | House | South Clestrain | *prop as above* | *Inhabitant occupier* Robt. Work, jr. | *Annual value* £2-0-0

36 | House | South Clestrain | *prop as above* | *Inhabitant occupier* William C. Work | *Annual value* £2-0-0

41 | Shootings | Clestrain and Kirbuster | *prop as above* | *Occupier* Unlet | *Yearly rent/value* £35- -

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3 | a Farm and house | Hall of Clestrain | *Proprietor* Col. W.E.L. Balfour of Balfour and Trenabie, per James Johnston | *Tenant* John and Jas. Wishart | *Yearly rent* £110-8-3

4 | House | Hall of Clestrain | *prop as above* | *no tenant listed* | *Inhabitant occupier* John Laird | *Annual value* £1-10-0

5 | House | Hall of Clestrain | *prop as above* | *no tenant* | *Inhabitant occupier* Vacant | *Annual value* £1-0-0

6 | House | Roadside, Ireland, Clestrain | *prop as above* | *Inhabitant occupier* Vacant | *Annual value* £1-0-0

26 | a Farm and house | South Clestrain | *prop as above* | *Tenant* Robert Work | *Yearly rent* £95-4-5

27 | House | South Clestrain | *prop as above* | *Inhabitant occupier* Robt. Work, jr. | *Annual value* £2-0-0

28 | House | South Clestrain | *prop as above* | *Inhabitant occupier* William C. Work | *Annual value* £2-0-0

32 | Shootings | Clestrain and Kirbuster | *prop as above* | *Occupier* Unlet | *Yearly rent/value* £35- -

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18 | a Farm and house | South Clestrain | *Proprietor* Col. W.E.L. Balfour of Balfour and Trenabie, per James Johnston | *Tenant* Robert Work | *Yearly rent/value* £95-4-5

19 | House | South Clestrain | *prop as above* | *Inhabitant occupier* Robt. Work, jr. | *Annual value* £2-0-0

20 | House | South Clestrain | *prop as above* | *Inhabitant occupier* Vacant | *Annual value* £2-0-0

22 | Shootings | Clestrain and Kirbuster | *prop as above* | *Occupier* Unlet | *Yearly rent/value* £35- -

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155 | a Farm and house | Hall of Clestrain | *Proprietor* James W. Craigie | *Occupier* Proprietor | *Yearly rent/value* £110 - -

156 | House | Hall of Clestrain | *Proprietor* James W. Craigie | *Inhabitant occupier* David Swanney | *Annual value* £3-0-0

157 | House | Hall of Clestrain | *Proprietor* James W. Craigie | *Inhabitant occupier* Thomas Leslie | *Annual value* £3-0-0

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10 | Shootings | Clestrain and Kirbuster | *Proprietor* Col. W.E.L. Balfour of Balfour and Trenabie, per James Johnston | *Occupier* Unlet | *Yearly rent/value* £35- -

19 | a Farm and house | South Clestrain | *Proprietor* John Matches, teacher, Dounby | *Tenant* Robert Work | *Occupier* John and James Matches | *Yearly rent/value* £95 - -

20 | House | South Clestrain | *Proprietor* John Matches, teacher, Dounby | *Inhabitant occupier* Robt. Work, jr. | *Annual value* £2-0-0

21 | House | South Clestrain | *Proprietor* John Matches, teacher, Dounby | *Inhabitant occupier* Vacant | *Annual value* £2-0-0

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151 | a Farm and house | Hall of Clestrain | *Proprietor* James W. Craigie | *Occupier* Proprietor | *Yearly rent/value* £110 - -

152 | House | Hall of Clestrain | *Proprietor* James W. Craigie | *Inhabitant occupier* Edward Miller | *Annual value* £3-0-0

153 | House | Hall of Clestrain | *Proprietor James W. Craigie | Inhabitant occupier Duncan Manson | Annual value £3-0-0*

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10 | Shootings | Clestrain and Kirbuster | *Proprietor Col. W.E.L. Balfour of Balfour and Trenabie | Tenant and occupier Unlet | Gross annual value £10 - - | Owners’ rateable value £10 - -*

19 | a Farm and house | South Clestrain | *Proprietor John Matches, teacher, Dounby | Tenant and occupier John and James Matches | Gross annual value £95 - - | Deduction from gross annual value class no. 13 | percentage 25 | amount £23-1-5 | Owners’ rateable value £71-5-1 | Deduction from agricultural subjects £ 71-5-1 | Tenants’ or occupiers’ rateable value £23-1-5*

20 | House | South Clestrain | *Proprietor John Matches, teacher, Dounby | Inhabitant occupier Vanant*

21 | House | South Clestrain | *Proprietor John Matches, teacher, Dounby | Inhabitant occupier Vacant*

155 | a Farm and house | Hall of Clestrain | *Proprietor James W. Craigie | Tenant and occupier Proprietor | Gross annual value £110 - - | 13 | 25 | £27-1-0 | Owners’ rateable value £32-10- | Deduction £82-10- | Tenants’ or occupiers’ rateable value £27-10-*

156 | House | Hall of Clestrain | *Proprietor James W. Craigie | Inhabitant or occupier Edward Miller*

157 | House | Hall of Clestrain | *Proprietor James W. Craigie | Inhabitant occupier Duncan Manson*

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No mention of Balfour Cottage, Clestrain.

Langie and Upper Sowar Clestrain. Farm and house. Proprietor Thomas Liddle (p.84)

Quarryhouse. Clestrain. Proprietor Colonel WEL Balfour of Balfour and Trenabie per DL Kemp, Shapensay (p.86).

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No mention of Balfour Cottage, Clestrain.

Langie and Upper Sowar Clestrain. Farm and house. Proprietor Thomas Liddle (p.84)

Quarryhouse. Clestrain. Proprietor Colonel WEL Balfour of Balfour and Trenabie per DL Kemp, Shapensay (p.86).

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New Howar, Clestrain. House and land. Proprietor Francis S and Margaret W Mackay (p.85)

No mention of Balfour Cottage, Clestrain.

Langie and Upper Sowar Clestrain. Farm and house. Proprietor Thomas Liddle (p.86)

No mention of Quarryhouse. Clestrain.

Shootings, Clestrain and Kirbuster. Trustees of the late Colonel WEL Balfour of Balfour and Trenabie per DL Kemp, Shapensay (p.88).