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Catalogue of Fiche and Film

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1851 CENSUS INDEXES

County of Bute	Fiche BUT 1D - 3D
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1861 CENSUS

Bute Parishes in the 1861 Census held in the AIGS Library

Note that these items are microfilm of the original Census records and are filed in the Film cabinets under their County Abbreviation and Film Number.

Please note: example (999) number in brackets denotes Parish Number

Parish of Cumbraes (552) Village of Millport	Film BUT 552-558
Parish of Kilbride (553) (part thereof see under) Village of Corrie Farms of Kings Cross	District of North Brodick Village of Lamalash Film BUT 552-558
Parish of Kilmore or Kilmory (554) (part thereof see under) Tunderguy Hamlet of Orinbeg, Lochranzwa Hamlet of Caiillimore, Lochranza Clachorine Lochranza Hamlet of Pennick Hamlet of North Tunderguy or Lannimore	Hamlet of Catuocol Arrandale Ballinkin Hamlet of Whitefarlend Film BUT 552-558
Parish of Kingarth (555)	Film BUT 552-558
Parish of Lochranza (556)	Film BUT 52-558
Parish of North Bute (557) Landward Rothesay	Kamesburgh Film BUT 552-558
Parish of Rothesay (558) Rothesay	Royal Burgh of Rothesay Film BUT 552-558

Census of Merchant and Royal Navy Ships 1861 The film of 1861 Census of Merchant and Royal Navy Ships in Port covers all of Scotland. For Bute , ships are listed in the following Registration Districts: - Kingarth, Lochranza, North Bute and Rothesay.	Film 1861 Census " Ships in Port " 902
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1861 CENSUS INDEXES

Index to the Marine Returns for Scotland	Fiche SCT 1E
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1881 CENSUS TRANSCRIPT & INDEX

1881 Census Index for entire County of Buteshire in 6 sets of fiche.

(Surname Index, Birth Place Index, Census Place Index, As Enumerated, Misc. Notes, Institutions)

Also on CD (1881 British Census and Index)

1881 Census - Surname Index	Fiche BUT G1
1881 Census - Birth Place Index	Fiche BUT G2
1881 Census - Census Place Index	Fiche BUT G3
1881 Census - As Enumerated	Fiche BUT G4
1881 Census - Miscellaneous Notes	Fiche BUT G5
1881 Census - List of Institutions	Fiche BUT G6

1891 CENSUS INDEX

Parishes in the 1891 Census in the AIGS Library

We have a complete set of Indexes for all Buteshire Parishes for the 1891 Census on microfiche.

1891 Census Index	Fiche BUT 1H-2H
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DIRECTORIES

1837 Directory of Buteshire	Fiche BUT 6
1915 Directory of Scotland [Private Residents & Trades] <i>Part of The Nick Vine Hall Collection</i>	Fiche SCT 419-425

DEATH INDEXES

Bute , Analytical Index to the Statutory Registers of Deaths for Scotland, [McKirdy Index], Bute, 1855-1875.	Fiche BUT 1-5
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MAPS

<i>Note: The collection of Maps held in the library is in paper format, and will be found in the Map Cabinet.</i>	
Civil Parishes and Counties of Scotland showing Overall Dates of Old Parochial Records Held in Edinburgh and available Worldwide on microfilm - County of Bute & Argyll .	
Plan of Rothesay [from the actual survey 1822, Wood, John]	
Complete Set of Ordnance Survey Plans for Scotland	

MISCELLANEOUS

Story of the County of Bute , and families connected therewith. By John Eaton Reid.	Film BUT 2
Blain's History of Bute by John Blain - 6 Fiche	LDS Fiche 6035637

MONUMENTAL INSCRIPTIONS

Monumental Inscriptions for the following cemeteries: -	Film SCT 1
Rothesay Parish, Rothesay Cemetery 1745-1944	
Rothesay Parish, Croc-an-Raer Cemetery 1844-1956	

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PARISH REGISTERS

Abbreviations used: B. Burials, C. Christenings/Baptisms, D. Deaths, M. Marriages.

Please note: (999) number in brackets denotes Parish Number

Bute County Index to OPR's Christenings To 1855, Index to given name (3 fiche) Marriages To 1855, Index to given name (2 fiche) Christenings to 1855, Index to surname (3 fiche) Marriages To 1855, Index to surname (1 fiche)	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>LDS Fiche</u> 6025635</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>LDS Fiche</u> 6025637</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>LDS Fiche</u> 6025636 (2-4)</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>LDS Fiche</u> 6025638 (2)</p>
Kilbride Parish Register [Blotter] (523) Births & Baptisms 1819-1854	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Film</u> SCT 26 - <u>LDS Film</u> 1068242 [Item 10]</p>
Kilbride Blotter Registers, Church of Scotland, Parish Church of Kilbride (Buteshire), [Item 10] Births and Baptisms, 1819-1855	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>LDS Film</u> 1068242 [Item 10]</p>
Kilmory, Buteshire, Church of Scotland, Parish Church of Kilmory (Buteshire), Also has records for Lochranza (officially spelled Loch Ranza) and Shisken (officially spelled Shiskine). [Item 1-3] Vol. 1. Baptisms and marriages, 1701-1819 v. 2. Baptisms, 1785-1819 v. 2. Marriages, 1732-1820 v. 3. Baptisms, 1819-1855 v. 3. Marriages, 1819-1860.	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>LDS Film</u> 1041084 [Item 1-3]</p>
Kingarth, Buteshire, Church of Scotland, Parish Church of Kingarth (Buteshire) [Item 4] Vol. 1 Baptisms, 1727-1820 Vol. 1 Deaths, 1727-1820	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>LDS Film</u> 1041084 [Item 4]</p>
Kingarth Parish Register (555) Christenings 1727-1854 Marriages 1837-1854 Burials 1768-1786	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Film</u> BUT 1</p>
North Bute Parish Register (557) Christenings 1844-1854 Marriages 1844-1854	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Film</u> BUT 1</p>
Rothesay Parish Register (558) CH2 890/1 Births 1673-1694	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Film</u> BUT 1</p>
Rothesay Parish Register (558) Christenings 1691-1855 Marriages 1691-1854	
Rothesay Parish Register [Blotter] (558) Marriage Proclamation Fees 1817-1821	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Film</u> SCT 25</p>

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PROBATE RECORDS see also WILLS

Wills before 1875 were proved in Commissariat Courts.

The areas covered by Commissariat Courts pre 1800 in Scotland relate to Church jurisdiction and not county borders so more than one Court can cover a County.

The Commissariat Court of Edinburgh had jurisdiction for the whole of Scotland and abroad and should also be checked.

These Testaments are for personal property only.

The Library has a complete set of Indexes for pre 1800 Commissariat Court Wills.

The Commissariat of Edinburgh was the main court and covered all of Scotland and overseas as well as the local area and should always be checked.	Fiche T11-T23
The Commissariat of The Isles covers the County of Bute .	Fiche T33

British Probate Calendar 1858 - 1898	
Contains English and Welsh Wills and Administrations as well as some Irish and Scottish entries. Entries can also be found from around the world and from deaths many years earlier. (See <i>Guide</i>) Where a Scottish testator also held property in England , for the years listed below, wills were also proved in London and indexes to these are found at the end of the films listing English probate, on the last film for each year after the letter 'Z.' 1858 to 1866 inclusive. 1869 to 1876 inclusive.	<u>Film</u>
Register of Defuncts 1827 - 1865	
Index to the Inventories of the Personal Estates of Defuncts recorded in the Commissary Court Books of Edinburgh, Haddington and Linlithgow for 1827-1865 and Commissary Court Books of Lanark, Dunbarton, Renfrew, Bute and Argyll for 1846-1865.	<u>Film</u> SCT 4

TAXES

Hearth Tax - List of hearths (excepting Mull, Tiree, Coll & other parts then in rebellion) 1694.	<u>Film</u> SCT 20
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WILLS see also PROBATE RECORDS

Scottish Calendar of Confirmations [of wills] 1876 - 1936 - see "<u>Scotland General - WILLS</u>" for more information .	Fiche
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