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SC.54. SHERIFF COURT. Sheriffdom of Renfrew and Argyll at Inveraray.

SC.54/2/49. Sheriff Court of Inveraray. Processes, 1736.

Ex.SC.54/2/49/Bundle 1

The Oban Company Petitioner to the Vice Admiral of Argyllshire

1736 Jan 2. Petition by Robert Arthur for the Oban Company alleging that the company's ship Diamond with a cargo of tobacco was damaged in a storm through the negligent actions of the officers of a second vessel, and praying the Vice Admiral to apprehend them until caution is found as a surety for their defending themselves against charges. 1 document. 2 pages & endorsement.

1735 Dec 31. Letter, Archibald Campbell, Horseshoe (in Kerira), to Angus Campbell of Asknish, explaining that the Diamond and her cargo of tobacco belonging to the Oban Co. has been forced by a gale to put in at Horseshoe in course of a voyage from Virginia to Fort William. The parting of the anchor from the cable caused the vessel to ground, with what damage they are uncertain. 1 doc. 2 sides.

Inversregan agt. Debtors.

1736 Jul 23. Summons at the instance of Colin Campbell of Inversregan, principal partner of the Oban Company, against debtors, including some tobacco accounts. 1 doc. 2 sides.

James Campbell Cashier to the Crinan Company agt. Debtors

1735 Oct 1. Summons against debtors, chiefly in Islay and Jura, including some tobacco accounts (one of them against Archibald Campbell, tacksman of Lossit in Islay). 1 side and endorsement.

1736 May 11 and 28. Execution agt. John Simpson et al (Islay debtors). 1 side and endorsement.

1735 Oct 30. Execution agt. Jura debtors. 1 side and endorsement.

1735 Nov 6. Execution agt. Islay debtors. 1 side and endorsement.

1736 Jun 28-30. Execution agt. various debtors. 1 side.

1736 Jul 23. Scroll decret awarding judgment to the Crinan Co. 2 sides.

Ex.SC.54/2/49/Bundle 2

Daniel McNeill Brother to Taynish agt. Archibald Campbell Yr. of Ormsary

1736 May 1. Summons seeking to recover the amount of a bill of exchange dated 20 May 1734. 1 side and endorsement.

1736 May 2. Execution against Ormsary the Younger. 1 side & end.

Mrs. Florence Campbell relict of the dec'd Lachlan McLachlan of that Ilk & Dugald McTavish of Dunardry her factor agt. McLachlan's Tenants and himself for his interest.

1736 Jun 19. Summons requiring the defenders to show cause why rents arising from a marriage contract should not be paid. Recites her marriage contract of 30 Apr 1711 entered into with McLachlan of that Ilk with the consent of her father Patrick Campbell of Kilduskland. 2 sides.

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Mrs. Florence Campbell ... and another agt. McLachlan's Tenants etc.
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- 1736 Jul 31. Defences for Archd. McLachlan Uncle to McLachlan agt. Lady McLachlan & her factor. Including
- 1738 Dec 29. Allegation that the process cannot be wakened and argument that it cannot sleep. Also including
- 1739 Feb 28. Interloquitor that the process cannot be insisted on until it be wakened. 2 sides.
- 1736 Jun 22 and 23. Execution agt. McLachlan and his tenants. 1 side and endorsement.

Neil McNeill of Ardelay agt. James Campbell brother to Duncan Campbell in Knap.

- 1736 Jun 15. Summons alleging failure of an inland bill of 1734 payable by the defendant. 1 side and endorsement.
- 1736 Jul 3. Execution. 1 side and endorsement.
- 1736 Jul 27. Letter, Neil McNeill, Taynish, to Angus Campbell of Asknish, stating that a settlement has been reached concerning the protested bill. 1 side and address.

SC. 54/2/49/5/McNeill of Taynish (Curatory &c.). Roger McNeill of Taynish agt. the Nearest of Kin.

- SC. 54/2/49/5/1. 1738 Dec 26 (Endorsed, 1739). Edict of Curatory. Roger McNeill of Taynish agt. Nearest of Kin. Requiring attendance of Daniel McNeill brother to dec'd Hector McNeill of Taynish and Hector McNeill of Gallachelly as nearest of kin on the father's side so that the young Taynish can nominate his curators (being now past his age of pupillarity), the nearest of kin on the mother's side, Hugh Willoughby Montgomery and Capt. William Montgomery of Killough, being out of Scotland (resident in County Down, Ireland). 10 pages end endorsement.
- SC. 54/2/49/5/2. 1738 Jul 28 (Endorsed, 26 Dec 1738). Judicial Inventory of the income, rents, and value of the estate of Taynish, debts, bills, and accounts owing to the estate, etc. Debtors include Donald McNeill of Colonsay, Neil McNeill of Ardelay, McTavish of Dunardry, and so forth. (Document about 8 feet long, 1 side with text, endorsements on verso.)
- SC. 54/2/49/5/3a&b. 1739. Account. Taynish's Curators To The Clerk. Fees owing for the process of curatorie. 1 side & endorsement.
- SC. 54/2/49/5/4. 1738 Oct 12. Act of the Roup of Taynish's Cattell, sold by Daniel McNeill brother german to the dec'd Hector McNeill of Taynish, signed by the seller. 1 side and endorsement.
- SC. 54/2/49/5/5. 1738 Dec 6. Decreet of Curatorie on the estate of Taynish. 4 sides.
- SC. 54/2/49/5/6. 1738 Dec 26. (Scroll) Act of Curatorie for Roger McNeill of Taynish, confirming the curators for the estate. 20 pages.
- SC. 54/2/49/5/7. 1738 Oct 20. Execution of the Act of Curatory for Taynish agt. Daniel McNeill and Hector McNeill the nearest in kin on the father's side. 1 side and endorsement.

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- SC.54/2/49/5/8. 1738 Sep 14. Procuratory from Roger McNeill of Taynish to Daniel McNeill his uncle. (In the handwriting of Daniel McNeill, uncle to Taynish.) 2 pages and endorsement.
- SC.54/2/49/5/9. 1738 Sep 14. Nomination of Curators by Roger McNeill of Taynish. (Document in handwriting of Daniel McNeill, uncle of Taynish, who signs as witness. Including
1739 May 23. Acceptation by curators. 2 pages & end.
- SC.54/2/49/5/10. 1738. Petition, McNeill (borther to dec'd Taynish) and McDonald (of Lergy) to roup the cattle of Taynish. 2 sides.
- SC.54/2/49/5/11. 1738 Aug 31. Supplement, McNeill agt. Nearest of Kin, from Lords of Council, authorizing execution of the warrant by publication at the Market Cross of Edinburgh. Including
1738 Aug 31. Execution. 2 sides.
- SC.54/2/49/5/12. 1738 Oct 25. Execution of the Edict of Curatory by publication at the Market Cross of Inveraray. 1 side.
- SC.54/2/49/5/13. 1738 Aug 25. Edict of Curatory. Roger McNeill Son to the deceased Hector McNeill of Taynish agt. The nearest in kin. 1 side and endorsement.

Notes on the file SC.54/2/49/5/McNeill of Taynish (Curatory, &c)

Curators: On the father's side: John McDonald of Lergie, Donald McNeill of Colonsay, Neil McNeill of Uggadill, Donald McNeill of Kilchrist, Archibald Campbell of Denna.
On the mother's side: Hugh Willoughby Montgomery and Capt. William Montgomery of Killough.
The nomination was signed at Dunsaverick in Ireland 14 Sep 1735.

Lands Belonging to the Estate (without distinguishing 1 merk, 2 merk etc.)

In Gigha: Keanerrarock, Tarbert, Drimyeoinmore, Ardmeanish, Ardelay & miln, Gallachellies lands of Learn Drimyeonbegg & half of Drimechro, Keills & Chancerlock, Ardeglammie, Ardachie, South Drimachro.

In Knapdale: Bartormaid, Ardbegg, Kilmory & Drimnaguell, Barbea in Ross, Barbreck, Nether Fernoch, Upper Fernoch, Tantaynish and acre of Achiveintavill, Barnashalog, pendicles of acre of Achavronaig and Islandtrair and Island Barnashaleg and Islands of Ilanaconnen and acre of Barnabog, Turbeskill, Scotnish, Arinafadbegg, changehouse (i.e., inn where posthorses were changed) of Tayvellich, Barbea Downie, Taynish, Tontaynish, and Ardnackaig.

Persons named among debtors and creditors (among others)

Neil Og McNeill Yr. of Machriehanish (in conjunction with a draft drawn on Dr. Archibald McNeill of Belfast); Lachlan McNeill of Ardeglammie, merchant in Campbeltown; $\frac{1}{2}$ brig bought by deceased Hector McNeill of Taynish and sd. Lachlan of Ardeglammie from Daniel McNeill his brother; Neil McNeill son to Malcolm McNeill of Tarbert; Neil McNeill factor in Gigha to the deceased Hector McNeill of Taynish; Neil McNeill of Ardelay.

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SC.54/2/50. Sheriff Court of Inveraray. Processes, 1736-1737.

Ex.SC.54/2/50/Bundle 1

Donald White, Mercht. in Greenock agt. Debtors.

1736 May 8. Summons alleging debts against the defenders for merchant ware, including tobacco for retail. 1 side & end.

1736 May 27, 28, and 31. Execution. 1 side and endorsement.

1736 Jul 6. Execution against Alexr. Thompson in Kilmichael Glassary. 1 side and endorsement.

Ex.SC.54/2/50/Bundle 4

Archibald McCarbry in Kilmichael Inverlusky agt. Debtors.

1737 Sep 1. Summons alleging indebtedness for merchant goods furnished Margaret Campbell and her daughter in Kilduskland, Hector McNeill in Lergnakiln, John Clerk in Kames, and others. (The last two names coincide with names subsequently in N.C., the last of which may be connected with the estate of Kilduskland's brother James Campbell of Kames, though there are estates of a similar name reasonably nearby.) 1 side & end.

1737 (Sep 3 - Nov 26). Execution. 1 side and endorsement.

Florence McKenzie agt. Duncan Campbell of Kilduskland & Branchell for his interest.

1735 Feb 3. Summons at the instance of the widow of a Glasgow merchant brought to recover the value of a protested bill owing by George Branchell, merchant in Greenock, by arresting a debt owing to Branchell by Duncan Campbell of Kilduskland. 1 side and endorsement.

1735 May 15. Supplement summons for George Branchell to appear to defend the action. Including

1735 Jun 14. Execution. 2 sides.

1735 Feb 8. Execution against Kilduskland. 1 side & endorsement.

1735 Feb 8. Execution in arrestment agt. Kilduskland. 1 side & end.

1735 Jul 3. Defences for Kilduskland pleading a suspension. 1 side and endorsement.

1737 Jun 24. Scroll decret of furthcoming, requiring Kilduskland to pay to Mrs. McKenzie the debt originally owing to Branchell. 4 pages.

Inveresragan agt. Debtors.

1737 Feb 28 (Endorsed). Summons alleging indebtedness to the Oban Company, including tobacco accounts. 1 side and endorsement.

1736 Nov 23, 24. Execution, Colin Campbell of Inveresragan agt. Debtors. 1 side and endorsement.

1736 Nov 15-17. Execution, Inveresragan agt. Debtors. 1 side & end.

1736 Aug 12. Execution, Inveresragan agt. Debtors. 1 side & end.

1736 Oct 1-6. Execution, Inveresragan agt. Debtors. 1 side & end.

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Inveresragan agt. Debtors continued

- 1736 Dec 22-24. Execution, Inveresragan agt. Lesmore & Mull Debtors. 1 side and endorsement.
- 1736 Dec 1 and 2. Execution, Inveresragan agt. McIldonich and others in Glenorchy. 1 side and endorsement.
- 1737 Feb 28. Scroll decret awarding judgment to Inveresragan. 2 sides.

The Meal Company of Inveraray agt. Debtors.

- 1736 Dec 1. Summons alleging indebtedness by Kilduskland, Dunardry, the tenants of Craignish, Sir James Campbell of Auchinbreck, etc. 1 side (approx. 10 ft. long) & endorsement.
- 1737 Feb 18-23. Execution against numerous Argyll debtors including several family names common to the 1739 N.C. colony. 1 side and endorsement.
- 1738 Feb 28. Scroll decret awarding a verdict against Sir James Campbell of Auchinbreck to the Meal Company. 1 side & end.

Ex. SC. 54/2/50/Bundle 5

Archibald McLachlan merchant in Haddington agt. Grissell Campbell spouse to Neil McNeill of Ardelay and her sd. husband for his interest.

- 1736 Oct 25. Summons alleging that Grissell Campbell owes the pursuer a debt of £142/3 Scots. Including
- 1737 Feb 9-Apr 1. Summary of the process. 2 sides.
- 1736 Nov 8. Execution. 1 side and endorsement.
- 1736 Dec 17. Defences for Grissell Campbell setting forth that the debt was incurred when she was a minor, following the death of her father, Archibald Campbell (some years before the year 1712), and that the pursuer, her mother's brother, furnished her upon the credit of Grissell's uncle. Including
- 1736 Dec 22. Answers to the defences, arguing that a person is still liable for necessary clothing, maintenance, and education even though a minor and that the defender is a fixed debtor. 2 sides.
- 1736 Dec 24. Replies to the answers stating that Grissell's uncle, the dec'd Patrick Campbell of Kilduskland, should have been answerable for the debt. 2 sides.
- 1737 Feb 2. Triplies offering to prove by oath that the debt was incurred on the credit of Patrick Campbell of Kilduskland. Including
- 1737 Feb 4. Quadruples that the late Kilduskland was merely jointly bound in the debt, rather than principal debtor. 2 sides.
- 1737 Feb 9. Scroll decret, including the bill for the education at Edinburgh in 1712 of Grissell Campbell, eldest lawful dau. of the dec'd Arch. Campbell of Auchindarroch, finding for the pursuer. 3 pages and endorsement.

His Grace the Duke of Argyll agt. Alexr. Duncanson & others in Argyll.

- 1736 Dec 29-31 - 1737 Jan 1-7. Execution of a summons (NOT PRESENT) at the instance of the Duke of Argyll against several, including Duncan Campbell of Kilduskland, Hector McNeill of Taynish, Hector McNeill of Ardmeanish, Hector McNeill of Gallachellie, Dr. McAlester in Balinskill, etc. 1 side and endorsement.

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John Niccolson, Merchant in Oban, agt. Debtors.

- 1737 (Jul?) 1. Summons alleging indebtedness against several, one of whom owes for tobacco. 1 side and endorsement.
- 1737 Jul 5-7. Execution. 1 side and endorsement.
- 1735 Dec 10. Acct. agt. William Thompson, joiner, for buttons and thread. 1 side and endorsement.
- 1735 Aug-Sep. Acct. agt. John McKillip in Barranchallen for madder, alum, and cochineal. 1 side and endorsement.
- 1736 Jul-Sep. Acct. agt. Donald McCulman for madder, indigo & more. 1 side and endorsement.
- 1735 Jun 17. Acct. agt. Duncan McKillip in Barranchallen, now in Glencrullen hoe, for tartan and needles. 1 side and endors.
- 1734 Sep 23 - 1736 Dec 31. Acct. with Mr. Joseph Ferrier, debtor to the Oban Co., for double flooring, indigo, cloth, candles, etc. 1 side and endorsement.

Ex. SC, 54/2/50/Bundle 7

Archibald Clerk, Merchant in Stockvulline, agt. Oib Campbell and Dond. Taynish for his interest.

- 1737 Jul 7. Summons of furthcoming to recover a protested bill drawn on and accepted by Daniel McNeill, brother to Taynish. 1 side and endorsement.
- 1737 Jul 11. Executions against James Campbell of Oib, against whom value is to be arrested in order to recover the sum of McNeill's bill. 1 side and endorsement.
- 1737 Jul 11. Execution against Daniel McNeill, brother to Taynish. 1 side and endorsement.

Coll Forrester of Kilchraven agt. Dugald McNeill of Lossit.

- 1737 Jan 7. Scroll precept of furthcoming to recover money owing from the dec'd Hector McNeill of Lossit, father of the defender, owing since 1718. 1 side and endorsement.

Coll Forester of Kilchraven agt. Debtors.

- 1735 Nov 1. Summons alleging indebtedness by various, including Dugald McNeill of Lossit. Including
- 1736 Dec - 1737 Jan. Summary of the process. 2 sides.
- 1736 Jan 16. Confirmed testament dative of the dec'd James Muir of Kilchraven. 1 side and endorsement.
- 1735 Nov 5. Execution against Dugald McNeill of Lossit. 1 side. Enclosing
1736. Defences for Dugald McNeill of Lossit agt. Coll Foster, setting forth technical arguments in the claim for payment of a debt incurred by McNeill's father in 1718. Including
- 1736 Feb 20. Answers replying to the defences. 2 sides.
1735. Accompt. Robert Handry to Coll Forrester. 1 side & end.
- (1735). Accompt of labor on the lands of Kilchraven. 1 side & end.
- (1736). "List of damages done to my land." 1 side.
- 1735 Dec 24. Defences. Lossit and Love agt. Forrester (these are notes concerning the defences). 1 side and endorsement.

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Ex. SC. 54/2/51/Bundle 3

- 1736 Jul 1 (Endorsed 10 May 1737). Protested Bill (COPY), drawn by James Campbell of Oib against and accepted by Daniel McNeill brother of Tainish. 1 side & endorsement.
- 1736 Jul 17 (Endorsed 10 May 1737). Two Protested Bills (COPIES), drawn by Hector McNeill of Tainish against and accepted by Dugald McTavish Yr. of Dunardry and Daniel McNeill brother to Tainish. 1 side & endorsement.
- 1727 Nov 25 (Registered 24 May 1737). Assignation, Colin Campbell to Duncan Campbell of Kilduskland, his nephew, of monies due him from certain bonds. The assignor, now in Achanagearech, identifies himself as "late Tacksman of Castle Swine" as of 1719. 2 pages & endorsement.
- 1736 Mar 1 (Endorsed 24 Aug 1737). Protested Bill (COPY), drawn by James McLauchlan at Castle Lachlan, brother to the Laird of McLauchlan, against and accepted by Kenneth McLachlan of Killenuchachan and his son Donald. 1 side & endorsement.
- 1734 May 13 (Endorsed 22 Jul 1735). Protested Bill (COPY), drawn by Archibald Clark Merchant in Stockvilline against and accepted by Daniel McNeill, brother to Tainish. 1 side & end.
- 1737 Apr 16 (Endorsed 30 Jul 1737). 2 Protested Bills (COPY), one of which was drawn by Donald Murray & Co. of Inveraray against and accepted by Neil McNeill, merchant in Ardmearish in Gigha. 1 side and endorsement.

NOTE: The above appear to be estrays from SC.54/12/14 (Sheriff Court of Inveraray Register of Deeds and Protests, 1736-1739).

Ex. SC. 54/2/51/Bundle 4

- 1737 May 30 (Endorsed 3 Oct 1737). 4 Protested Bills (COPIES), one of which was drawn by John McLea and partners, Admiral Deputes, against and accepted by Duncan Campbell of Kilduskland. 1 side & endorsement.
- 1732 May 31 (Registered 13 Oct 1737). Disposition of the Miln of Oib and Kilmerie in Knapdale by Hector McNeill of Tainish to Archibald Campbell Sheriff Clerk of Argyll. Witnessed by (among others) Duncan Campbell of Kilduskland. 3 p. & end.
- 1735 Dec 1 (Endorsed 4 Feb 1737). Protested Bills (COPIES), the fourth of which was drawn at Clachan by Dugald Murray & Co., Inveraray, against and accepted by Coll McAlester of Ballynakill. 3 pages and endorsement.

NOTE: The above appear to be estrays from SC.54/12/14 (Sheriff Court of Inveraray Register of Deeds and Protests, 1736-1739).

Ex. SC. 54/2/51/Bundle 5

- Donald White Mercht. in Greenock agt. John Campbell in Tarbert et al.
- 1737 Jun __. Summons alleging indebtedness, incl. tobacco accounts. 1 side and endorsement.
- 1737 Oct 8. Execution. 1 side & endorsement. Enclosing
- 1737 Jul 21. Execution. 1 side and endorsement.

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Archibald Taylor in Barinlorigart agt. Debtors.

1738. Summons, alleging debts in Knapdale, including some small tobacco debts. Debtors include a Donald McKichan in Achdamillan. 1 side and endorsement.
- 1738 Sep 1-Oct 6. Execution. 1 side and endorsement.
- 1735 Feb 21-Dec. 1738. Accounts, including Archibald McPrinn, innkeeper in Achicosh, debtor to Alexander Taylor, for sundries, and various small amounts of tobacco. 2 sides.

Asknish agt. Debtors.

- 1738 Sep 29. Summons at the instance of Angus Campbell of Asknish, alleging indebtedness of various persons, including Neil McNeill tacksman of Scereblin Gorry, Hector McNeill formerly in Scereblin Gorry now in Darlochan, and Neil McNeill the Elder of Macrihanish. 1 side (2 ft. long) and endorsement.
- 1738 Oct 6-13. Execution. 1 side and endorsement.

John McLachlan in Daill agt. Debtors

- 1737 Jun 15. Summons alleging, among other matters, that Neil McNeill, changekeeper (i.e., keeper of an inn where changes of horses for carriages were available) in Ardmeanish in Gigha, purchased from John McPhoil alias McLachlan a horse that was actually the property of the pursuer. (John McPhoil, but not necessarily this one, signed the 2 Sep 1748 bond to support any minister coming from Scotland to Cape Fear.) Contains notes on and summary of the process. 2 sides.
- 1737 Jul 15. Scroll decret absolving and assoiling. 2 sides.
- 1737 Jun 27. Execution. 1 side.
- 1737 Jun 22, 23. Execution against McNeill. 1 side and endorsement.
- n.d. Wrapper for accounts, letter, and answers.
1737. Account. Allan McLachlan in Drumfinn to John McLachlan in Daill. 1 side and endorsement.
- (1737) Account. Donald McMillan in Daltote to John McLachlan in Daill. 1 side and endorsement.
- 1738 Jan 6. Letter, John McLachlan, Dail, to Mr. Duncan Fisher, writer in Inveraray, advising him that McLachlan and Mr. McNeill from Gigha have settled their differences. 2 sides.
1737. Answers for John McLauchlan in Daill agt. Neil McNeill in Ardmeanish in Gigha declaring that the horse purchased from McPhoil wasn't McPhoil's horse to sell. 1 side & endorsement.

Ex.SC.54/2/51/Bundle 7

James Campbell of Raschoillie agt. Debtors.

- 1738 Jan 2. Summons, alleging indebtedness against a number of defenders in Islay and Jura with surnames matching those in North Carolina; one debt is for tobacco. 1 side & endorsement.
- 1738 May 11. Execution agt. Alex. Montgomery in Teyindrome in Islay. 1 side and endorsement.
- 1738 Jan 20, 21. Execution agt. Jura Debtors. 1 side and end.
- 1738 Feb 1-7. Execution agt. Islay Debtors. 1 side and endorsement.

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Christian Campbell in Lergnahunshian agt. Debtors.

1738 Jan 5. Summons to recover tobacco and liquor debts owing to an innkeeper. 1 side and endorsement.

1738 Jan 6. Execution against debtors in Kilberry, Achadmillan, Tiriegatan, Lergnahunson, Gorton, Ardmeanish (in Gigha?). 1 side and endorsement.

John Campbell of Askamill (Yr.) agt. Daniel McNeill, Brother to Taynish.

1738 Jan 21. Summons to recover the value of a bill drawn by Neil Simpson, MG in Gigha, against and accepted by McNeill. 1 side and endorsement.

1738 Jan 31. Execution. 1 side and endorsement.

Colin Campbell of Inveresragan agt. Debtors.

1738 Jul 29 (Endorsed). Summons against debtors, some of them owing accounts for tobacco. 1 side and endorsement.

1738 Jun 22-23. Execution against Lockbuy Yr. 1 side & end.

1737 Dec 8 & 26. Execution against McLeary. 1 side & end.

1737 Dec 1 & 2. Execution against Debtors. 1 side & end.

1736 Apr 12. Execution against McDugalds. 1 side & end.

1737 Nov 3 & 4. Execution agt. Debtors. 1 side & end.

1738 Jan 3. Execution against Duncan McNokiard et al. 1 side & end.

Donald White Merchant in Greenock agt. Debtors.

1737. Summons against debtors owing for tobacco.

1737 Aug 17-1738 Jan 23. Four executions, glued as one continuous series of documents, and attached to the summons. (LOSS OF TEXT)

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SC.54/2/52/Campbell of Kilduskland agt. Lergie, Loup, Ormsary, Dunardry, Morydryens, et al.

- SC.54/2/52/1. 1734 Jul 8. Summons against debtors to the estate of Archibald McAlester of Tarbert, Kilduskland's uncle to whom he is also executor as chief creditor. Defenders are John McDonald of Lergie, Kilduskland's nephew, Hector McAlester of Loup (son of the deceased Alexander Loup), James Campbell of Ormsary, Archibald McTavish of Dunardry, Coll Lamont of Morydrain, and Sir James Campbell of Auchinbreck, Bart. Ormsary's debt dates from a bond executed by him in 1699. 1 side and endorsement.
- SC.54/2/52/2. 1734 Jul 5-15. Execution against Lergie et al. 1 side & end.
- SC.54/2/52/3. (1738 Jan 20). Scroll precept of poind (confirming award to the pursuer in the process), Kilduskland agt. Lergie et al. 2 sides.
- SC.54/2/52/4. 1735 Feb 7-Jun 18. Defences for Lergy, Loup, Auchinbreck, Dunardry, Ormsary, Tarbert, & Coll Lamont against Kilduskland. Allegations, variously, of the equivalent of "payment and set off." Includes notes on the process from Jan. and July 1738. 2 sides.
- SC.54/2/52/5. 1738 Jan 20. Scroll Decreet. Kilduskland agt. Lergie, Loup, Ormsary, Dunardry, and Morydryen. Absolves and assoilzies Loup in part, but generally finds for Kilduskland. 11 pages and endorsement.
- SC.54/2/52/6. 1735 Nov 26. Answers for Kilduskland to the defences given in for Coll Lamont (of Morydrain). Contains answers, replies, duplies, triplies, and quadruples concerning a 1705 debt, with a 6 July 1737 note that the pursuer repels the defender. 2 sides.
- SC.54/2/52/7. 1735 Jan 29. Act and Commission. Campbell against McMillan et al. (Relative to Kilduskland's effort to secure rents owing to the estate of Tarbert in which many of the tenants are identified by their fathers' names as well as their own.) 9 pages and endorsement.
- SC.54/2/52/8. 1701 Dec 22. Contract. Agreement betwixt Auchinbreck & Tarbert for one parcel of the park of Inverlusky (witnessed by Neil McNeill of Taynish). 1 page and endorsement.
- SC.54/2/52/9. 1703 Mar 27. Bond. Sir James Campbell of Auchinbreck to Tarbert. 1 side and endorsement.
- SC.54/2/52/10. 1735 Jan 29. Scroll Act and Commission for Tarbert's Tenants. 3 pages and endorsement.
- SC.54/2/52/11. 1735 Feb 14. Letter, Commissioners to the Sheriff of Argyle, Transmitting the Act & Commission of Jan 29, and a list of the tenants absent or dead. 1 side.
- SC.54/2/52/12. (1735 Feb 14). List of persons absent at a hearing by Duncan McMillan of Dunmore and Charles McAlester of Tarbert, commissioners in the executory process. Includes Robert Buchanan (i.e. Buchan), banished, Duncan Kerrach McAlester, abroad, and Donald Balloch McNeill, in Gigha. 1 side & end.

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James Campbell Merchant in the Salt Mercat of Glasgow agt. Daniel McNeill Brother to Taynish.

1737 Nov 8. Summons to recover a bill for £40/11/6 drawn on and accepted by Daniel McNeill. 1 side and endorsement.

1737 Nov 15. Execution. 1 side and endorsement.

Ardmeanish agt. Duncan McTavish in Morydryen.

1737 Oct 1. Summons at the instance of Hector McNeill of Ardmeanish in Gigha for recovery of a debt. 1 side and endorsement.

1737 Oct 7. Execution. 1 side and endorsement.

Dugald Campbell of Cruachan agt. Daniel McNeill Brother to Taynish and Kilduskland.

1738 Jun 1. Summons in a process to recover a debt in which Kilduskland is cautioner and McNeill is principal. 1 side and endorsement.

1738 Jun 28. Execution. 1 side and endorsement.

Ex.SC.54/2/52/Bundle 2

Neil Campbell of Duntroon agt. John Campbell Brother to Craignish.

1738 Nov 10. Summons to recover a bill drawn by Duntroon on and accepted by Charles Smith, student of philosophy in Craignish. Smith, prior to departing for one of "HM plantations in America in Spring last," deposited the bill with the brother of Craignish, from whom Duntroon seeks to recover it. 1 side and endorsement. Attaching

1738 Nov 17. Execution. 1 side. (MAY NOT BE POSSIBLE TO COPY THE ENDORSEMENT)

1738 Dec 13. Scroll decret, in absence. 3 pages and endorsement.

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Duncan Campbell of Kilduskland Creditor to Dec'd Archibald McAlester of Tarbert agt. Lachlan McLachlan of Inverneilbeg & Angus Shaw in Portaskog.

1735 Apr 15. Summons to recover two debts of £240 and 356 merks from Inverneilbeg who claims them as a legacy from Tarbert. Includes 1738 and 1739 notes on the process. 2 sides.

1735 Jun 2. Execution agt. Shaw. 1 side and endorsement.

1735 Apr 22. Execution agt. Inverneilbeg. 1 side and endorsement.

1735 Jul 11 (Endorsed). Defences. McLachlan and Shaw agt. Kilduskland. Alleges that the sums in question were a bequest to Inverneilbeg. 2 sides.

1735 Dec 10. Answers for Inverneilbeg. Including

1736 Jan 21. Interloquitor sustaining a defence of legacy and bequest. Also including

1736 Feb 6. Circumduction on failzie of defender to prove legacy. Also including

1738 Jan 20. Argument repelling the defence of legacy. 2 sides.

1738 Jan 20. Scroll Decreet. Kilduskland agt. Inverneilbeg & Shaw, ordaining a precept of poynding. 9 pages and endorsement.

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SC.54/2/52 ContinuedEx.SC.54/2/52/Bundle 3 continuedKilduskland Creditor of Tarbert agt. Inverneilbeg and Shaw continued

1738 Jan 20. (Extract.) Decree ordaining a precept of poynding.
10 pages and endorsement.

1735 Jun 2. Letter, A.S. (i.e. Angus Shaw), Portaskog, to Angus
Campbell of Asknish, empowering him to appear for Shaw in a
process brought by Kilduskland. 1 side and address/endorsement.
Enclosing

(1735). Summons to Shaw. 1 side.

John Niccolson & Co. Merchants in Oban agt. Debtors.

1737 Nov 1. Summons in an action to recover debts for indigo,
cochineal, tobacco, and general merchandize. 1 side & end.

1737 Dec 1-5. Execution. 1 side and endorsement.

1733-1737. Account of debtors resting to the Oban Company, including
accounts of tobacco sold to retailers at 7½d per pound.
2 pages and endorsement.

Archibald Campbell Brother to Elister agt. Debtors.

1737 Nov 1. Summons at the instance of Archibald Campbell tacksman
of Lossit in the Rinns of Islay against numerous debtors at
Octofad, Octomore, Killenallen, and other places in Islay;
surnames of McArthur, McMillan, McNeill, Clark, McFadden,
McGee, McIndore, McGrigor (although it had been forbidden to
bear the name of this clan in Scotland since 1602), Campbell,
and so forth. 1 side (4½ ft) and endorsement.

1737 Nov 2-4. Execution. 1 side and endorsement.

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Colin Campbell of Inveresragan agt. Debtors.

1738 Jul 1. Summons in an action to recover debts, including a
tobacco debt owing from Malcolm McLean, Merchant in Mariburgh.
1 side and endorsement.

1738 Jul 17. Execution. 1 side and endorsement.

Campbell agt. Campbell.

1738 Apr 5. Inhibition at the instance of Donald Campbell Merchant
at Kilmichael in Glassary forbidding Archibald Campbell brother
to Colin Campbell of Glenfalloch as principal and Duncan
Campbell of Kilduskland as cautioner to sell or otherwise
dispose of their lands and assets, to assume additional debts,
etc., so as to safeguard against possible fraud to the pursuer.
1 side and endorsement.

Campbell agt. Campbell.

1738 Mar 21. Registration of a 3000 merks bond of Archibald
Campbell brother german to Colin Campbell of Glenfalloch,
principal (Duncan Campbell of Kilduskland, cautioner).
3 pages and endorsement.

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John Niccolson & the Oban Co. agt. Debtors.

1738 Jun 1. Summons in an action to recover tobacco accounts.
1 side & endorsement.

1737 Oct.-Dec. Acctt. Resting by Sundries to ye Oban Company.
These accounts are for rolls of tobacco sold to retailers.
2 pages and endorsement.

1736-1737. (Accounts for tobacco owing from retailers to the
Oban Company.) 4 pages.

1736-1737. Acct. Lochbuy. Lachlan McLean of Lochbuy Debtor to
the Oban Co. for sundry merchandise. 1 page.

(1736 Sep-Dec). Accounts for tobacco owing to the Oban Co. 1 page.

(1737? Apr-Sep). accounts for tobacco owing to the Oban Co. 1 page.

1738 Jun 28-30. Execution. 1 page.

1738 Jun 20 & 21. Execution. 1 page.

Ex.SC.54/2/52/Bundle 7

1739 Dec 17. Petition. (Hector McNeill of) Ardmeanish (in Gigha)
to the Justice General Depute of Argyll, praying redress for
cattle stolen from the moors of Kilmanaig by Ian McLea in
Clenaig. 1 side and endorsement.

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SC.54. SHERIFF COURT. Sheriffdom of Renfrew and Argyll at Inveraray.

SC.54/2/53. Sheriff Court of Inveraray. Processes, 1739.

Ex.SC.54/2/53/Bundle 1

Bills. Arch'd. Campbell of Ormsary, No.3.

1739 Jun 15. Two bills of exchange, dated at Clachan, drawn by Dugald McNeill of Lossit on and accepted by Archibald Campbell the Younger of Ormsary. 1 side and endorsement.

Dunardry's Letter (anent) the Creel Chest & deals that lay in Taynish.

1739 Sep 7. Dugald McTavish (Yr.) of Dunardry to Mr. Adam Campbell Yr. of Danna (factor at Taynish) requesting the release to his servitor of a creel chest and deals at Taynish that are the property of Dunardry the Younger. Including a receipt for the personalty signed by Dunardry Younger's servitor. 2 pages and endorsement/address.

The Cashier of the Meal Company of Inveraray agt. Debtors in Islay.

1738 Jun 8. Summons against numerous debtors, including Campbell of Octomore, Campbell tacksman of Lossit in the Rinns, Charles McAlester in Torrebolls, Campbell tacksman of Duich, Campbell tacksman of Killechearon, and so forth. 1 side & endorsement.

1738 Jun 19-22. Execution. 1 side and endorsement.

1739 Feb 2 & 3. Execution. 1 side and endorsement.

1739. Scroll Bond of Liferent provision. Uggadill to His Lady. (Parties are Neal McNeal of Uggadill and his wife Margaret Crauford, eldest lawful daughter to the dec'd John Viscount Garnock. Liferent is 8000 merks from the lands of Uggadill, Earnagill, and Arenuan. The principal is brother to Hector McNeal of Boston, Mass., whose advice was sought by the 1739 Argyll Colony to North Carolina. 6 pages and endorsement.

1739. Scroll Disposition & Assingation. (INCOMPLETE). Doctor Archibald McNeill at Belfast to John MacDonald of Lergie. Lands involved are numerous tracts in northern Kintyre: Carnbeg and Merkill Corshellough, Branthein, Killmichael, Shedrall, Larigin Husheun, Ronnacherin, Shellag and Narrachan, Downasherrie, Ulladill, Ballachgarran, Beanechar, Beauch Mannock, Clachag, Blarie, Rummachin, Kallipwill, Gortenwauch; also the lands and isle of Card. 7 pages and endorsement.

Ex.SC.54/2/53/Bundle 2

Matthew Hunter mason in Kilmorie agt. Murdoch McInnish als. Smith in Taynaknock.

1737 Jun 1. Summons agt. McInnish als. Smith for recovery of a debt. Includes notes on the process to 28 Feb 1739. 2 sides.

1739 Feb 15. Report. Act & Commission. Hunter agt. Smith. Includes signed deposition by Coll McAlester of Ballinakeill living in Skerrols in Islay, aged 48 years or thereabouts, married, who swears that the original agreement between Hunter and Smith was made in his own house at Skerrols on 8 Nov 1735. (Coll McAlester was one of the 1739 emigrants to N.C.) 7 p. & end.

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Ex. SC. 54/2/53/Bund. 2 continuedHunter agt. McInnish et al. Smith continued

- 1739 Jan 10. Diligence. Hunter agt. Witnesses (to appear before Coll McAlester Baillie in Islay and Ferquhard Campbell writer in Islay, including Coll McAlester of Ballinakill). 1 page and endorsement. Enclosing
- 1739 Feb 13-15. Execution. 1 side.
- 1739 Feb 10. Scroll Act & Commission. Hunter agt. Smith. (Appointing McAlester and Campbell to take the oaths of witnesses in Islay). 6 pages.
- 1735 Nov 8. Letter, Murdoch McInnish, writing at Skerrols, to Mathew Hunter, mason at Lochhowside, obliging himself to deliver a quantity of meal. Letter witnessed by Coll McAlester of Ballinakill. 1 side and address.
- 1739 Feb 28. Objections for Murdoch Smith agt. the proof adduced by Matthew Hunter in his action against the said Murdoch. 4 pages.
1739. Debitor, Murdoch Smith to Matthew Hunter. 1 side & end.
1739. Scroll Precept, Hunter agt. Smith, awarding judgment to Hunter. 2 sides.
- 1737 Jun 13. Execution (of the summons) Matthew Hunter agt. Murdoch McInnish in Islay. 1 side and endorsement.
- 1739 Jan 10. Act & Commission. Hunter agt. Smith. (Appointing McAlester Baillie of Islay and Ferquhard Campbell writer in Islay, to take oaths of witnesses.) 7 pages and endorsement.

Ex. SC. 54/2/53/Bund. 3

The Duke of Argyll and Greenwich agt. Hector McNeill in Darlichen et al.

- 1739 Mar 31. Summons Removing, requiring various tenants in Kintyre to remove from the duke's lands.
- 1739 Mar 31. Execution against Hector McNeill in Darlarchan and Dorrie, William Montgomery in Crosebeg, Alexander McKillip in Balagrogan, and John Smith in Innimore, in South Kintyre, requiring them to flit with their wives, bairns, servants, etc. 1 side. Enclosing
- 1739 Mar 31. Execution against Andrew Wilson in Teangilegin, Kilblaan Parish, South Kintyre, requiring him to flit, etc. 1 page.
- 1739 Mar 31. Execution against Andrew Wilson in Kilhatton, requiring him to flit, etc. 1 side & end. Enclosing
- 1739 Mar 31. Execution against Hector McNeill in Darlarchan and Dorrie, William Montgomery in Crosibeg, Alexander McKillope in Balliegrogan, and John Smith in Innimore, requiring them to flit, etc. 1 page.
- 1739 Feb 17. Precept of Warning By the Duke of Argyll, requiring certain tenants to flit and remove themselves, their wives, bairns, and servants, etc. 1 side and endorsement.
- Petition. Angus McNeill son to the deceast Malcolm McNeill of Colonsay to the Sheriff Substitute of Argyll.
- (1739 Jun 6). Petition praying the arrest of the goods of the petitioner's uncle, Archibald McNeill, tacksman of Garvart (in Colonsay) who "hase lately sold off all his Effects in order to go to America," thereby defrauding his nephew. Including

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Petition. McNeill of Colonsay to the Sheriff Substitute continued

1739 Jun 6. Interloquitor granting the arrest. Including

1739 Jun 9. Execution of the order of arrest against £150 sterl. in the hands of Archibald Campbell of Knockbuie belonging to Archibald McNeill. 4 pages.

1739 Jun 9. Execution (original) against Knockbuy. 1 side & end.

Petition. Prince, Jones & Co., Merchants in Belfast in Ireland agt. Daniel McNeill Uncle to Tainish

1739 Jun 9. Petition to recover the value of a cargo of salt shipped aboard the Recovery of Tainish (Duncan Nilson alias McNeillage, master), belonging to Daniel McNeill Uncle of Tainish, by arresting the effects of McNeill who "has disposed of all his effects Intending in a few days to remove himself & family to some of his Majesty's plantations in America and take up his residence there," thereby defrauding the petitioner. Including

1739 Jun 9. Deposition of Duncan Fisher that the ship in which the emigrants are to sail to America is already arrived or soon expected at the Island of Gigha. Also including

1739 Jun 9. Interloquitor granting the warrant for arrest. 3 sides and endorsement.

Ex.SC.54/2/53/Bundle 4

Gilbert Cowan Mercht. in Tarbert agt. Kilduskland.

1736 Nov 16. Summons against Duncan Campbell of Kilduskland to recover debts and bills of the dec'd Archibald McAlester of Tarbert, assigned to the pursuer by the defender. 1 side and endorsement.

1736 Nov 16. Execution. 1 side and endorsement.

1736 (i.e., 1738) Jan 11. Information for Gilbert Cowan agt. Kilduskland setting forth Cowan's facts relating to the monies owed. 2 pages and endorsement. Enclosing

1738 Jan 18 (Endorsed). Answers for Kilduskland to Gilbert Cowan's Information, alleging that dispatch in settling Tarbert's affairs was occasioned in part by "the Importunity of some others of Tarbert's relations, and from the regard the Defender himself had for his Memory did think it his duty to use his best endeavours to recover what he could of any debts due to his Uncle Tarbert" before satisfying Cowan's claim. 3 pages.

1737 Jun 22. Defences, Kilduskland agt. Gilbert Cowan, setting forth technical arguments. Includes Cowan's replies to the defences. 2 sides.

1739 Jan 10. Scroll Decreet. Gilbert Cowan agt. Kilduskland, awarding judgment to Cowan upon Kilduskland's non-appearance. 11 pages and endorsement.

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SC.54. SHERIFF COURT. Sheriffdom of Renfrew and Argyll at Inveraray.

SC.54/2/54. Sheriff Court of Inveraray. Processes, 1740-1741.

SC.54/2/54/Angus McLachlan Mercht. in Inveraray agt. Tobacco Debtors.

SC.54/2/54/1. 1740 Jan 10. Summons against tobacco debtors. 1 side (3 ft. long) and endorsement.

SC.54/2/54/2. 1740 Feb 4-7. Execution. 1 side and endorsement.

SC.54/2/54/3. 1735 Jan 31. Bill drawn by Angus McLachlan, partner in the Inveraray Tobacco Co. on and accepted by Alex. McLachlan, wright at Lochgilphead. 1 side & end. Enclosing

SC.54/2/54/4. 1733 Jan 18. Letter, Charles Campbell in Barichibeane to Mr. James Fisher, Merchant in Inveraray, ordering two rolls of tobacco, endorsed with a receipt for it by Archibald McGilchrist in Garron in Craignish. 2 sides.

SC.54/2/54/5. 1733 Jul 31. Bill drawn by John Campbell, merchant in Inveraray, partner in the Inveraray Tobacco Co., on and accepted by Charles Campbell, merchant in Barichabayne; witnessed by John McBea, tobacconist in Inveraray. 1 side & end.

SC.54/2/54/6. 1733 Jul 31. Bill drawn by Angus McLachlan, partner in the Inveraray Tobacco Co., on and accepted by Charles Campbell, merchant in Barichibeane. 1 side & endorsement.

SC.54/2/54/7. 1731 Jun 16. Bill drawn by Angus McLachlan, partner in the Inveraray Tobacco Co., on and accepted by Alexander McLachlan, wright in Dunardry. 1 side and endorsement.

Ex.SC.54/2/54/Bundle 1

Colin Campbell of Inveresragan agt. Debtors.

1739 Nov 8. Summons against debtors to recover debts, including some for tobacco. 1 side and endorsement.

1739 Dec 8, 10, 12. Execution. 1 side and endorsement.

1739 Nov 8. Execution. 1 side and endorsement.

1739 Nov 15-17, 19. Execution. 1 side and endorsement.

John Niccolson & the Oban Company agt. Debtors.

1740 Jan 1. Summons against debtors to recover accounts, including some for tobacco. 1 side & endorsement.

1740 Feb 1, 2, 4, 5. Execution. 1 side. Enclosing

1738-1739. Tobacco accounts against 11 presumed retailers in Argyll. 2 sides.

Ex.SC.54/2/54/Bundle 2

Alexander Campbell Mercht. in Tarbert agt. Debtors.

1740 Jun 2. Summons against Charles McAlester of Loup, John McAlester, merchant in Clachan, Ronald McAlester. 2 sides.

1740 Jun 11. Execution. Challenged as false on Jul 18. 2 sides.

1740 Dec 4. Certification of the sickness of John McAlester, merchant in Clachan signed by John McAlester, chyrurgeon. 1 side.

1739 May. An account of some thing dew by John Dow McAlester. 1 side.

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SC.54/2/54 ContinuedEx.SC.54/2/54/Bundle 2 continuedCampbell Mercht. in Tarbert agt. Debtors continued

(n.d.) The Clause in the Tack betwixt Loup & Alexr. Campbell.
 (Loup is Hector McAlester of Loup.) 1 side
 (Note: When this file was examined, this document enclosed
 the three preceding documents.)

1741 Jan 21. Act & Commission. Campbell agt. McAlester. Authority
 for taking sworn deposition of John McAlester, merchant, lying
 ill at Clachan (including his deposition). 3 pages & end.

1741 Jan 21. Scroll Act & Commission. 2 pages.

Ex.SC.54/2/54/Bundle 3

Donald White Mercht. in Greenock agt. Debtors.

1740 Jun 2. Summons to recover tobacco accounts from debtors in
 Islay, Glassary, Inverlusky, Kilduskland, and Inveraray.
 1 side and endorsement.

1740 Jun 18-25. Execution. 1 side.

1740 Jun 21, 23. Execution Agt. Munroe et al. 2 sides.

1740 Jun 21. Execution agt. McDugald. 1 side and endorsement.

1740 Jun 24. Execution. Donald White agt. Dunardry (the Elder).
 1 side and endorsement.

1739 May 3. Summons. Donald White Merchant in Greenock agt.
 Duncan McTavish in Kilmorie. 1 side and endorsement.

1739 May 18. Execution. White agt. McTavish. 1 side & end.

Donald White agt. Neil McKay in Tayinrow in Ross of Knapdale.

1740 Nov 15. Summons against another merchant to collect a
 tobacco account. 1 side and endorsement.

1740 Nov 20. Execution. 1 side and endorsement.

Duncan Campbell in Kilduskland agt. Debtors.

1740 Jun 2. Summons brought in the name of Duncan Campbell in
 Kilduskland to collect past due grassrents of Kilduskland
 owing from five debtors. 1 side and endorsement.

1740 Jun 27. Execution. 1 side and endorsement.

Ex.SC.54/2/54/Bundle 4Lachlan, Elizabeth & Katherine McNeills agt. The nearest of Kin on
 the Fathers & Mothers Side.

1739 Nov 29. Edict of Curatorie, requiring the presence of Dugald
 McNeill of Lossit (then in N.C.) and John McNeill his brother,
 and Duncan Campbell of Kilduskland (then in N.C.) and James
 Campbell his brother (then in Jamaica) as nearest paternal
 and maternal kinsmen respectively.

1739 Dec 5. Supplement. Precept from the Lords of Council
 authorizing execution of the edict by publication at the
 market cross in Edinburgh and from the pier and shore of
 Leith (the nearest of kin being outside the sheriffdom of
 Argyll). Including

1739 Dec 8. Execution. 2 sides.

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Ex. SC.54/2/54/Bundle 4 continued

McNeills agt. The nearest of Kin continued

1740 Jun 23. Letter, Dugald McTavish (of Dunardry) to John Campbell Sheriff Clerk of Argyll at Inveraray asking for statement of costs in the curatory proceeding and asking for a copy of Lossit's marriage contract. 1 page and address.

1740 Jun 3. Nomination and Proctory by the three McNeill heirs. Their curators: John McDonald of Lergie, Donald McNeill of Kilchrist, Lachlan McNeill of Ardeglamry, and Dugald McTavish Yr. of Dunardry (or any two of them, but McDonald of Lergie always to be one of the two). Their proctor for the present: Archibald Campbell of Barnacarry. Witnesses: Col. Lamont of Morydrain, Alex. McTavish Officer in Kilmichael Glassary, and James Campbell of Rudill. 1 side and endorsement.

1740 Jun 4. Minutes of Court, Campbell of Barnacarry appearing for the heirs in the preceding proceedings in curatory. 4 pages.

1740 Jun 4. Scroll Act of Curatory in favor of Lachlan, Elizabeth and Catherine McNeill. 5 pages & endorsement.

1740 Jun 4. Judicial Inventory (there are 3 copies, the last being endorsed "Edict of Curatory"). Reports date of Lossit's marriage contract as 5 Aug 1723 and says it is with consent of Dugald his eldest son. Provides 10,000 merks to heirs male of the marriage, etc., and lands of Knockantymore. Total in the three copies, 9 pages and 3 endorsements

Ex. SC.54/2/54/Bundle 5

A List of Frauds from 11th Novr. 1741 To 14th July 1742.
(Includes illegal whiskey, and so forth; no tobacco.
COPIED AS AN EXAMPLE. 1 page and endorsement.

1741 Feb 26. Account of Charge & Discharge of the Stock & Crop of Tynish &c. Betwixt the Curators of Roger McNeill of Tynish Esq. and Adam Campbell (the Younger of Danna), writer. 6 pages.

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