Transcripts

Early Italic Hand

Barony of Callendar, Judicial rental 1717 (NRS ref. RH11/10/01)

- [1] John Morison, writer in Falkirk Depons¹
- [2] that he pays of yearly few duty² for two aikers
- [3] of Land and some meadow Ground near Falkirk
- [4] Thirteen pound six shilling and Eight penies
- [5] scots and that he rests³ the same for three
- [6] years at and preceeding Martinmass⁴ One
- [7] thousand Seven hundred and Seventeen and
- [8] this is the truth as he shall answer to God
- [9] Jo[hn] Morisone
- [10] Alex[ande]r Watt C[ler]k
- [11] Jo[hn] Campbill C[ler]k

Worksheet 1A

OPR Marriage record, 1672, Aberdeen (NRS ref. O.P.R. Marriages 168-0A/0120/0545)

- [1] Mariagessis 1672 yeirs
- [2] Johne Leang and cristian
- [3] Hanton was mareit the 19th
- [4] day of nove[mbe]r 1672
- [5] James Johnstoun brother to the
- [6] Laird of craig and margret
- [7] alexander was mareit the
- [8] 23 of nove[mbe]r 1672 yeirs

¹ depons, meaning to make a formal or sworn statement; to declare or testify (<u>Dictionaries of the Scots</u> Language:: DOST :: depone (dsl.ac.uk))

² few or feu duty, rent paid by feu holders

³ rests, meaning owes

⁴ The feast of St Martin of Tours falls on 11 November

Worksheet 2

Wigtown Warrants of Testaments from 1736 (NRS ref: CC22/3/2a/51)

- [1] In the south Garret
- [2] Seventeen pewter dishes ane
- [3] old Broken Dish seven ashits⁵
- [4] six Dozen and Eight Pewter
- [5] Plates five sole plates⁶ three
- [6] Pewter Covers a Pewter server
- [7] four Rings six old plates two
- [8] Coolers a pewter Bed Pan seven
- [9] Chamber pots a Copper sauce
- [10] Pan A Bress Coffie pot two old
- [11] Candle sticks ane old Tea Kettle
- [12] ane old Little copperpot

Worksheet 3

Hearth tax roll for Aberdeenshire, compiled about 1692 (NRS ref: E69/1/9/2)

[1]	Kemnay parioch	ane hundreth fourty three hearths
[2]	Lesly [Leslie]	ane hundreth thretty on
[3]	Kintor [Kintore]	ane hundreth eighty fyv
[4]	Culsamond [Culsalmon	d] two hundreth & six
[5]	Bourty [Bourtie]	ane hundreth eighty on
[6]	Montkaigic	Ane hundreth thretty nyn
[7]	Monimusk [Monymusk] two hundreth nynty three

Worksheet 4

Dalmellington Kirk Session, 1706 (NRS ref: CH2/85/1/209)

- [1] Session Febr[uar]y 17th 1706
- [2] Prayers said pr[esen]t the minister Geo[rge] Sloan hew Cameron Jo[hn] Dun & Jo[hn]

⁵ ashit, meaning an oval, flat plate or dish, generally large, on which a joint or other food is served (<u>Dictionaries of the Scots Language:: SND :: ashett (dsl.ac.uk)</u>)

⁶ sole plates, meaning a flat plate such as is placed under a soup tureen or gravy-boat. (<u>Dictionaries of the Scots Language:: DOST :: sole plate (dsl.ac.uk)</u>)

[3]	Cathcart
[4]	The which ⁷ day the two elders that searched the Town upon tuesday
[5]	night delated ⁸ that they going in to Margaret Goods house & there
[6]	finding severall persons drinking after ten of clock at night they
[7]	discharged her to give them any more drink which she flately
[8]	refused to complay with, upon which the session appointed her to be
[9]	cited to appear before them the nixt sabbath

Additional worksheet 5

Kirkliston Heritors' poor relief accounts (NRS ref. HR770/1)

[1]	A list of the present poor in the paroch of Kirk	iston
[2]	October 26th 1699	
[3]	Kirkliston poor	Nidrie & Winchburgh
[4]	Jo[hn] Anderson a blind boy	Eliz[abeth] Park $w[i]t[h]$ 3 children
[5]	Janet Hendersone aged	Marion Marshall lame
[6]	Eliz[abeth] Frame aged	Jo[hn] Brisse aged
[7]	Marion Kerr a widow $w[i]t[h]$	Marion Aikman aged
[8]	three smal children	Ja[mes] Cairns
[9]	James Alexander aged	
[10]	Humbie	A list of labouring men
[11]	Elizabeth Johnstone	not able to endure such penury
[12]	Tuo fatherless children	& [th][e]rfor are a burthen to [th]e box
[13]	Agnes Johnstone aged	
[14]	Easter Bridges	Kirkliston
[15]	Eupham Richie lame & aged	Jo[hn] Andersone w[i]t[h] his family
[16]	Helen Fleeming	Tho[mas] Hamilton
[17]	Inglistone	Da[vid] Cleland $w[i]t[h]$ his family
[18]	James Girdwood's blind child	Rob[er]t Carmichaell
[19]	John Goger's 4 children	Nidrie & Winchburgh
[20]	James Shuttleton's 3 children	George Hariot w[i]t[h] 2 children
[21]	Marshals 2 fatherless children	James Bowman w[i]t[h] 2 children
[22]	Barbara Strathearn aged	Carlowrie

 $^{^{7}}$ note the cup mark over w, usually used to distinguish u from n 8 delated meaning to report (an offence or crime)

Additional worksheet 6

Marriage pawns in Rutherglen kirk session accounts 1675 (NRS ref. CH2/315/1)

[1]	Mariadge Pawns ⁹			
[2]	Johne Stephene Payed	0i ¹⁰	i0	00
[3]	W[illia]m Turnbull payed	0i	i0	00
[4]	john dyet payed	0i	i0	00
[5]	james dunnie payed	0i	i0	00
[6]	James Stronge payed	0i	i0	00
[7]	Thomas whyteheade	0i	i0	00

Additional worksheet 7

Rutherglen kirk session accounts, 1675 (NRS ref. CH2/315/1)

[1]	debursed to the Poore	lb	si	d^{11}
[2]	To david Pinkartone for a Creeple & foure blinde	0	80	0
[3]	To Patricke Muire and Laurence Marshall a poore Colledgiane	Oi	i6	08
[4]	To a poore distressed womane	0	04	0
[5]	To david for a Creeple and aught ¹² blinde	0	ii	0
[6]	To Pat[rick] Muire and Andrew Robesone a poore man	0	i4	0
[7]	To two germans and ane other distressed man	0	i0	0
[8]	To james Robesone and a poore souldier	0	i6	0
[9]	To david for a Creeple & nyne blinde	0	i2	0
[10]	To Pat[rick] Muire and Cudbert Mader	0	i0	0
[11]	To david for foure Creeples & foure blinde	0	i6	0
[12]	To Pat[rick] Muire and Cudbert Mader and a poore man Spens	0	i6	06

⁹ Marriage pawns – a sum of money deposited with the kirk session by a couple as a guarantee of their intention to marry within 40 days & of their chaste conduct in the interval (Concise Scots Dictionary)

¹⁰ Note use of Latin numeral i for arabic numeral 1

¹¹ lb = libres = £, si = shillings, d = pence

¹² meaning eight