



M215 Alterations to Cameron Parish Church, Fife

Introduction

Honeyman, Keppie & Mackintosh were involved in interior alterations to this small early-19th century church in rural Fife in 1902. The practice received a modest payment of £16 4s 6d from Rev. Dr Baxter of Cameron Church in December of that year. ¹ New seating and flooring, designed by St Andrews-based architects Gillespie & Scott, were installed at the same date. ²

Authorship: This is one of over 270 jobs carried out in the office of John Honeyman & Keppie (Honeyman, Keppie & Mackintosh from 1901) during Mackintosh's time there. Mackintosh undoubtedly worked on many of these, but there is no specific evidence for his involvement in this case.

Alternative names: Cameron Kirk.

Status: Standing building

Current use: Church (2014)

Listing category: B: Listed as 'Cameron Parish Church'

Historic Scotland/HB Number: 142

RCAHMS Site Number: NO41SE 13.00

Grid reference: NO 48452 11639

Chronology

1902

11 December: Honeyman, Keppie & Mackintosh receive a payment of £16 4s 6d from Rev. Dr Baxter, Cameron Church. ¹

Description

People

Clients:

- Rev. Dr Baxter

Job Book

The job books of Honeyman & Keppie (later Honeyman, Keppie & Mackintosh) are now held by The Hunterian, University of Glasgow and include four volumes related to the Mackintosh period. The books were used by the firm to keep a project-by-project, day-by-day record of contractors, suppliers and expenditure. The name of a project and/or client is usually at the top of the left-hand page, followed by information about tradesmen who tendered. The name of the measurer (quantity surveyor) is usually at the top of the right-hand page, followed by information about payments to contractors and suppliers. All of the data for M215 is entered in the tables below.

Page numbering is not consistent in the job books. Sometimes a single number refers to a double-page spread and sometimes each page is individually numbered. Here, each image of a double-page spread is identified by the number given at the top of the left-hand page. (Images of all of the pages from the four job books can be found at [Browse Job Books, Visit Book and Cash Book.](#))

The following information about M215 has been extracted from the job books:

Documents

Images



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Bibliography

Published

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Notes:

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