ANGUS ARCHIVE ACCESSIONS 1998

Fourteen separate accessions of manuscripts have been received into the Angus Library since January 1998. They include:

Typed copy of the Sierra Leone diary of Sir Herbert Janes, 1954, donated by his grandson, Peter White. This diary was written while Janes visited Sierra Leone for the Baptist Commonwealth & Colonial Society, to investigate the state of Baptist churches.

The originals of 35 Pearce and Carey letters, 1790-1828, and typed transcripts, deposed by Sue Peters of Australia.

Birthday prayers and other verses by Joseph Kinghorn, 1782-1832, donated by Kenneth Hipper of St Mary’s Baptist Church, Norwich.

Additional papers of the Angus archive donated by Tony Spring on behalf of the executors of the late Barbara Angus. These include photographs and lantern slides (all identified!), books and other papers, relating to BMS work in China and India in particular.

Original manuscripts collected by, and research papers of, the late Graham Hughes, relating mainly to Dan Taylor’s work and the New Connexion of General Baptists. The papers, which have been given by his widow, Jean Hughes, include original correspondence between Dan Taylor (who published under the pen names of Philalethes and Philanthropus) and George Birley of St Ives, on matters theological and to do with the religious books trade, letters of William Thompson of Boston (Lincs) and of other leading members of the New Connexion, some early minutes and resolutions of the New Connexion; papers relating to the Baptist church at Boston; and Hughes’ own research notes on the Lincolnshire Baptists and the Welsh Baptists. A calendar of this important collection is being prepared by JT.

Deeds and associated documents relating to Salem Chapel, in Dover, deposited by Geoffrey Breed.

Church minutes of Burford Baptist Church, 1829-1901, 1930-1967 (2 volumes), deposited by Dr John Packer.

Moulscoomh Way Baptist Church Forward Movement minutes 1950-1956, deposited by Mrs Sue Aldridge, Sussex Baptist Association.

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WHITLEY LECTURE 1999

A SHARED MEAL AND A COMMON TABLE
Some reflections on the Lord’s Supper and Baptists

The Revd Keith G. Jones, Rector of the International Baptist Theological Seminary, Prague, will deliver the lecture on 3 May at Regent’s Park College, Oxford (4pm) and 4 May at Northern Baptist College, Manchester (2pm). In print it is available from the Whitley Secretary, Mrs Faith Bowers, 89 Brockenhurst Avenue, Worcester Park, Surrey KT4 7RH, price £2.50.