

THE LEWIN FAMILY PAPERS

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## INTRODUCTION

The Lewin Family Papers were deposited at the University of London Library in 1973 by Mrs E.U. Currie and consist largely of the papers of Mrs Currie's grandfather, Thomas Herbert Lewin (1839-1916), an army officer and administrator in India in the mid-nineteenth century and author of several books mostly on India and Indian languages. T.H. Lewin's papers cover the years 1856-1915, spanning his time at Addiscombe Military College, his career in India (1857-1879), and his later life in England, and they reflect his interest in India and in his family's history, as well as revealing something of his social and family life in his later years and his political and religious views. The collection also contains a small amount of material from the late eighteenth and early nineteenth centuries relating to T.H. Lewin's immediate forbears - his grandfather, Thomas Lewin of the Hollies, near Bexley, Kent, and the latter's children - and there are also papers of T.H. Lewin's wife Margaret and of their elder daughter Everest, mother of Mrs Currie.

### Arrangement of the collection

Soon after deposit the Lewin Family Papers were roughly sorted into twenty-one boxes and a summary interim list was made, it being realised at that stage, that further sorting and perhaps considerable rearranging would be necessary before more detailed listing could be undertaken. This task was begun in the summer of

1984 when it quickly became apparent that much of the collection, especially the correspondence, was in a very muddled state with, for instance, sequences of letters broken and clearly unrelated material brought together. Nevertheless, certain clear subject areas did begin to emerge and, on re-sorting and in devising the catalogue, we have kept to them.

First there is the small amount of rather miscellaneous material relating to T.H. Lewin's immediate ancestors (Ms 811/I). These papers, though many of them were used by T.H. Lewin in The Lewin Letters, (see p.vii ) have not been listed with his genealogical notes as they are in a proper sense 'family papers'. This distinction has led, for instance, to the separation in the catalogue of an original diary of Thomas Lewin of the Hollies (Ms 811/I/1) and later transcripts of his diaries (Ms 811/III/23-26).

The papers of T.H. Lewin, which form the bulk of the collection have been divided into sections corresponding roughly with the different phases of his life and career. The first (Ms 811/II) contains material relating to his time in India, 1857-1879, though since his interest in the country persisted long after his return to England, later related papers have also been included. The second and third sections concern his later life in England, the second containing papers relating to his researches into his family's history (Ms 811/III), researches which were begun in c1882 and culminated in the publication of The Lewin Letters

in 1909. The third section (Ms 811/IV), a rather amorphous one, contains T.H. Lewin's later diaries and accounts, his notebooks and writings on subjects other than India and genealogy, and personal letters written by him and addressed to him. It also however includes papers of T.H. Lewin's wife Margaret and of their elder daughter Everest, and these continue after Lewin's death in 1916.

The final section of the Lewin Family Papers (Ms 811/V) consists entirely of published material - copies of T.H. Lewin's own works, other books from his collection, mainly on India and Indian languages, and various pamphlets and articles from journals. Newspaper cuttings have not been included here (for newspaper reviews of T.H. Lewin's works on India see Ms 811/II/58-65).

Within the first four sections the papers have generally been listed according to the type of document (e.g. volumes, letters, photographs, etc.), though there are exceptions where material relating to a particular subject has been kept together. The papers concerning the Lungleh Mission and the Lewin Memorial in Ms 811/IV, are an example of this.

In listing the correspondence in the collection various methods have been used, depending on the nature of the correspondence concerned. Thus letters forming no part of a series have been described individually, with names of author and recipient, date and a brief summary of subject matter given. With a series of letters, names of author and recipient are given (if there

is more than one author, names have generally been listed alphabetically), but only covering dates and a broad description of the subject matter of the series as a whole, with perhaps a note of any enclosures or especially interesting letters. Occasionally a certain amount of rearrangement or reconstruction of a letter series has had to take place since often obviously related items had become separated or were in no particular order. Where this has been the case either chronological or alphabetical order has been imposed depending on the nature of the series.

#### Thomas Lewin of the Hollies and his immediate family

In 1909 Thomas Herbert Lewin's selection from the correspondence and diaries of his family, The Lewin Letters, was published in two volumes, the result of over twenty years research. This work, using a wealth of material now presumably scattered among descendants or lost,<sup>1</sup> provides a full and fascinating account of the family between 1756 and 1885 centred around Thomas Lewin of the Hollies and his children, and copies of it are included in the collection (Ms 811/V/6-8). It has however been thought fit to give here a brief outline of the history of the family in order to place the small amount of earlier material in the collection in context.

The family came from Bexley and Eltham in Kent and can be traced back to the 17th century. Thomas Lewin's grandfather, a yeoman farmer, had owned a farm between Bexley and Eltham. Thomas's

father, Richard (1719-1810), sent to sea at a young age, became the commander of an East India Company ship, and thus started the connection with the Company and India which was to continue in the family through several generations. He married well and, with influential friends, managed to obtain a writership in the Company's service at Madras for his eldest son, Thomas, commencing in 1770. Thomas seems to have been quite a substantial figure in the service. T.H. Lewin quotes a favourable account of his career there from H.E. Busteed's Echoes of Old Calcutta and in a more recent work on the British in India, Philip Woodruff's The Men Who Ruled India (1953), there are several references to him. (A full account of his career, taken from India Office, Personal Records Vol V p.845 (1802) is included by T.H. Lewin in The Lewin Letters, Vol I pp.86-88).

Thomas Lewin returned to England in 1783, apparently becoming intimate with ~~Madame~~ Grand, later Princess Talleyrand, on the voyage home. (He certainly settled an annuity on her which she drew until her death in 1835.) Soon after his return, however, he married Mary Hale, daughter of General John Hale of the Plantation, Guisborough, Yorkshire, and his wife Mary (née Chaloner) (for an account of the Hale and Chaloner families see Ms 811/III/35,36 and the introduction to The Lewin Letters); they were to have twelve children, eleven living until maturity (see the Lewin Family Pedigree p.XXV) and some of their papers are included in



the collection. Thomas returned to India with Mary in 1784 and stayed until 1788 (see Ms 811/I/9). He returned again in 1793, this time without his wife, but was in England by late 1795 and never went back, retiring officially in 1800 after a dispute over furlough. In England the family lived first at a house in Southampton called the Ridgeway, moving to the Hollies, Halford Street, near Bexley in 1814, after the death, in 1810, of Thomas's father whose house it had been. Thomas lived there until his death in 1843 (for his will and executors' accounts see Ms 811/I/5-7). He seems to have been an interesting figure; he was a member of the Beefsteak Club and was, according to his diaries, acquainted with well-known figures of the day. He was also a fine musician - his diaries are full of references to music-making with his daughters - and was familiar with some European languages and French literature. He appears not to have been on very good terms with his wife (for his diaries see Ms 811/I/1 and Ms 811/III/23-26).

Of his children, Harriet is perhaps the most interesting figure. In 1820 she married the politician and historian of Greece, George Grote and was herself well-known in the political, literary and musical society of mid-nineteenth century London. According to one writer she was "the semi-official hostess of the Philosophical Radicals" (see the article about her by J. Fyvie, Ms 811/V/39). The Lewin Letters contain many of her letters and extracts from

her diaries, and her own work The Life of George Grote provides an interesting account of their lives. Unfortunately however the present collection only contains two letters by her (Ms 811/I/14,37) and a few watercolour sketches (Ms 811/I/19,22,23,25,26). Of Thomas's other children two, Frederick Mortimer and William C.J., followed their father into East India Company service, the latter dying in India in 1846 aged only 40. A daughter, Frances Eliza, married Nils von Koch, a Swede, and the collection contains letters and photographs from their son, Fabian (Ms 811/IV/56,58).

#### Thomas Herbert Lewin

Thomas Herbert Lewin was born in London on April 1st 1839. His father, George Herbert Lewin, the tenth child of Thomas and Mary Lewin of the Hollies, was a solicitor; but, of a romantic and restless nature, he found this profession, according to his son, "very distasteful". Indeed, T.H. Lewin later claimed that his father's lack of success in life "caused low spirits and finally the failure of his health and intellect". He died in 1856 aged 47. (The collection contains three letters written by him to his parents (Ms 811/I/12,16,17)). In February 1837 George Herbert Lewin had married Mary Friend and they had five children, Thomas Herbert being the eldest. Mary Lewin lived until 1890, her eightieth year. She was, according to her son, "an anxious woman" and in 1845 Harriet Grote wrote of her that she was "a good woman" but "incapable of disciplining her children".

We know little of T.H. Lewin's early years and education. In notes on his own life in the Record of Family Faculties completed in 1884 for Francis Galton's research into heredity (Ms 811/III/1,2), he claims vaguely to have been educated "at the seaside". His cadet papers in the India Office (L/MIL/9/234/632-38) shed more light. From 1850-1854 he attended Mr Grix's School in Littlehampton and between January 1854 and April 1855, Mr Thomas Hopkirk's Preparatory Military Academy, Eltham, Kent. His education, according to these papers, was both "classical and mathematical". In 1855 he was nominated by Sir James Weir Hogg Bart. M.P., a director of the East India Company, to be a cadet at Addiscombe Military College in preparation for a career in India. His mother had recommended him for nomination and his uncle, Thomas Lewin Esq., J.P., of Eltham, acted as referee. The only record of his time at Addiscombe in this collection, however, is some photographs in a scrapbook (Ms 811/II/67) and two drawings (Ms 811/IV/82(i), 84).

In September 1857 T.H. Lewin left England for India, arriving in Calcutta, a young lieutenant of 18, at the time of the Indian Mutiny. He returned finally to England in April 1879 on a colonel's pension after a distinguished but little rewarded career. His book A Fly on the Wheel (1884) gives a full, if rather anecdotal, account of the years 1857-1873, and there are also official papers, diaries, letters, essays, sketches and photographs and his

notes on Indian languages relating to this period in the collection; there is less material ( some official papers, watercolours and photographs) relating to his work in the Cooch Behar and Darjeeling districts from 1875 to 1879. Ms 811, however, only includes a small proportion of the letters written by T.H. Lewin from India. The vast majority of them, many of which he used in the writing of A Fly on the Wheel, were collected together in five bound volumes by Mrs Margaret Lewin, his wife, and these remain in the hands of the family. They cover the years 1855-1879 and therefore can fill in several of the gaps in the present collection. For instance, they contain letters written from Addiscombe to his cousin Jenny, his diary kept while in Cooch Behar, May 1875 - February 1876, and a large number of letters written to his mother from Darjeeling, 1878-1879.<sup>2</sup>

From his arrival in India until early in 1859 T.H. Lewin, attached at first to H.M.'s 34th Regiment 'C' Company and then to the 31st Bengal Native Infantry, was involved in several of the campaigns to put down the Mutiny. For instance in January and February 1858 he was at Lucknow and witnessed the city's relief and capture and in 1859 took part in the pursuit of the rebel, Tatia Topee, and the Gwalior Contingent. He had no desire to continue in regimental service however, and worked hard at Hindustani, passing an exam to make him eligible for staff employ. Then in February 1861, on his return to India, after a year's furlough in England, though still attached to a regiment (now the

104th Regiment of Bengal Fusiliers) he was transferred to the 2nd Battalion of Military Police as second-in-command, stationed at Rampur Banleah and later Pubna. During 1861 however the military police force was disbanded and a new civil force established; and this T.H. Lewin joined, being appointed District Superintendent of Police at Rampur Banleah in April 1862. In July of the same year he was appointed District Superintendent of the non-regulation district of Hazaribagh and remained there until late 1863 acquiring an accurate knowledge of Persian, the language in which his reports had to be made. Then from January 1864 he held the same office but in Noacolly, in South Bengal, and thus had to acquire a knowledge of yet another language, Bengali.

In October 1864 Lewin was transferred to the larger, more important district of Chittagong, as District Superintendent of Police there. He still remained attached to his regiment however and in December 1864 took the exam for promotion to captain. 1865 was largely taken up with tours of inspection in the Chittagong District; for instance in November going, without official sanction, into the previously unexplored hill country of Chandraguna among the little known Shendu, Kuki and Lushai tribes, an expedition which resulted in a serious wound in the leg. While recovering at Akyab he encountered Col. Arthur Phayre, Chief Commissioner of British Burma, and in January 1866 they ventured together into the hills, making contact with a Shendu

embassy, but were prevented from going further by hostile tribes. T.H. Lewin's interest in the Chittagong Hill area was growing as was his appetite for exploration. For instance, in A Fly on the Wheel, commenting on a tour of inspection in 1865, he confesses to having spent "a most delightful time in the jungle", marching on foot with just a Mugh interpreter, so that he could see the country for himself and "not through the dirty spectacles of the native officials".

In March 1866 T.H. Lewin was promoted to Captain (Ms 811/II/6) and in the following April was appointed Temporary Superintendent of the Hill Tracts of Chittagong with his headquarters at Chandraguna. In May 1866 Phayre offered him a permanent appointment as Superintendent of the Hill Tribes of the Aracan, but the Bengal Government refused to let him go and in August of that year appointed him Deputy Commissioner and Political Agent of the Hill Tracts on a permanent basis, a position he was to hold until 1875. The Hill Tracts at this time was a non-regulation district so that Lewin had complete authority in the area. His first months in the new post were largely spent in trying to obtain influence over the troublesome and hostile tribes and in this he was to some extent successful, forming an offensive and defensive pact with one chief, Rutton Poia (which he was advised by the Commissioner of Chittagong, Gordon Young, not to reveal to the authorities) and gaining the respect of several others. He also set about reforming the fiscal and political administration

of the area and spent his spare time acquiring a knowledge of the different hill dialects. Late in 1867 reports of further raids by Lushai tribes prompted him to move his headquarters to Rangamati, nearer the troublesome area, and frontier police patrols were established. (For an official comment on T.H. Lewin's work in the Chittagong Hill Tracts 1867-1868, see Ms 811/II/8).

Early in 1869, T.H. Lewin due to ill health left for England on furlough. His first book, The Hill Tracts of Chittagong and the Dwellers therein, was published in Calcutta in that year, and another The Wild Races of South-Eastern India in England in 1870. References in The Lewin Letters (Vol II pp 278,281, 286-7), letters still with Mrs Currie and the survival of a scrap of diary (Ms 811/II/28) reveal that, during his two years leave, Thomas Herbert spent time with his aunt, Harriet Grote, whose favourite he seems to have been, travelled to Sweden with his cousin Fred Dealtry Lewin and returned to India via Europe, "on tour" with a friend James Wise.

He returned to India in January 1871 to learn that the frontier was again troubled by raids from Shendu and Lushai tribes. In his absence the Cachar tea gardens had been attacked, Europeans killed and an English girl, Mary Winchester, taken into captivity. The Bengal Government was planning a punitive expedition, and this commenced in October 1871 with T.H. Lewin appointed as political officer of its right-hand column under the command of Major-

General C.H. Brownlow. Lewin's alliance with Chief Rutton Poia still remained firm and was in fact to prove crucial in the expedition's eventual success (by February 1872 Mary Winchester had been released and the surrender of a number of hostile chiefs obtained). T.H. Lewin's diary of the expedition survives in the collection (Ms 811/II/29), and there is also a very full account in A Fly on the Wheel pp.383-432. Moreover there are various official minutes and reports which reveal the importance of T.H. Lewin's effort in the campaign (Ms 811/II/11,12,14). He always remained bitter, however, that he received praise only in words and that no official commendation was made. General Brownlow and others tried to secure official recognition for him, but with no success (the Star of India was awarded to the political officer of the left-hand column, a Bengal civilian) (see Ms 811/II/42-45). Even as late as 1897 Alexander Mackenzie the Lieutenant Governor of Bengal was pleading his cause, considering "that Captain Lewin's services were by far the greater and that the successful result of the expedition in its southern column was almost entirely due to his personal influence with the tribes..." (Ms 811/II/25).<sup>3</sup>

After the campaign T.H. Lewin's work continued in the area, despite his failing health. In the summer of 1871 he had completed his collection of Hill Proverbs and in December 1872 was occupied in preparing a handbook of the Lushai dialect published in 1874, (Progressive Colloquial Exercises ). A new



frontier post had been established at Demagree and in December 1872 he took up residence there, the Superintendent of Police remaining based at Rangamati. In 1873, as perhaps the best evidence of his influence over the hill tribes, he managed to take seven Lushai chiefs with some of their followers to Calcutta to visit the Lieutenant Governor (there are photographs of T.H. Lewin with the chiefs in the collection, Ms 811/II/66(iv)-(vi)).

In January 1874 Lewin returned home on leave due to illhealth; it was at this time that he was made an honorary Lieutenant Colonel on a pension of £190 per annum. Little is known concerning this period of furlough except what we can gather from a few references in The Lewin Letters. For instance, in July 1874 he went with his mother to Kissinger to take the waters for his liver, and in January 1874 Harriet Grote wrote in her journal "Tom Herbert is about to sail for India... He is now quite restored to health and will I trust resume active duty under favourable conditions on reaching Calcutta. The Marquis of Salisbury has consented to recommend him for a more salubrious situation." I can find no reference to this recommendation in the collection, but on 19 March 1875 he was appointed Deputy Commissioner of Cooch Behar, a less troubled area.

Another period of furlough followed - from April 1876 until November 1877 and it was during this time, on 24 July 1876, that he married Margaret Elliot [née McClean] whom he had presumably first met during his previous furlough (their letters to each

other begin in 1875). She had been married before and had three young daughters Anne, Margaret (Daisy) and Mabel. T.H. Lewin at this time was anxious to ensure that his sick leave, taken in 1873-4 after the Lushai Expedition should count as service in the calculation of his pension, and in pursuing his claim, became involved in correspondence with the India Office and various concerned individuals, for instance Sir George Campbell and John Strachey (see Ms 811/II/17-20,46,47). In August 1877 his request was granted.

T.H. Lewin returned to India in October 1877, accompanied by his wife, and in February 1878 took up the post of Deputy Commissioner of Darjeeling, remaining there until he received permission to retire in March 1879. Unfortunately there is little in the present collection to indicate the sort of work he was involved in at this time, although the publication in 1879 of his Manual of Tibetan is evidence of his continuing interest in Asian languages. (See also the watercolours of the area, by both Thomas Herbert and Margaret Lewin, Ms 811/II/70). In October 1878 their first child, Everest Harriet Grote Lewin, was born.

On their return to England in April 1879 the family seem first to have lived, or stayed, at Mitcham in Surrey, though by August 1881 they had moved to Lyme Regis, Dorset. In 1880 their son, Charles McClean Lewin, was born and in 1883, their second daughter Audrey. Then in 1885 T.H. Lewin bought Parkhurst, a large country

house in the village of Abinger, near Dorking, Surrey. He was to live there until his death in 1916, and his widow remained there for some years after that.

In 1884 T.H. Lewin's book A Fly on the Wheel, an account of his time in India from 1857 until 1873, was published and, as can be seen from the letters and reviews in the collection it was very well received, a second edition appearing in 1912 (see Ms 811/II/51-57, 62-65). He remained interested in India until his death, continuing, for instance, to collect and read books and pamphlets on Indian subjects (see Ms 811/V/32-38) and also in later years, re-establishing contact with the Lushai area and people through correspondence with Colonel John Shakespear and J.H. Lorrain, a Baptist missionary. After her husband's death, Margaret Lewin maintained these contacts corresponding regularly with Lorrain (Ms 811/IV/65-66) and initiating and managing a scheme for the building of a memorial to T.H. Lewin in the Lushai Hills (for correspondence and papers concerning the memorial see Ms 811/IV/75-77).

T.H. Lewin also developed other interests after his return to England. In 1882 he embarked on the research into his family's history which was eventually to result in the publication of The Lewin Letters in 1909, and in 1884 took part in the competition, devised by Francis Galton in order to obtain data for his researches into heredity, by entering details of the Lewin and McClean families into Galton's Record of Family Faculties (see

Ms 811/III/1-3).<sup>4</sup> His entries are rather unscientific and anecdotal but do provide some interesting character sketches of the members of his family (Ms 811/III/1-3). The present collection also contains letters written and notes made in the course of T.H. Lewin's research, and large numbers of photographs and illustrations, many of which were used in The Lewin Letters.

His mind was also much occupied in his later years with questions of religion and philosophy, and he kept numerous notebooks and wrote several essays on themes such as love, and life and death (for instance see Ms 811/IV/1). He does not appear to have been an orthodox Christian, possibly due to the influence of the time he spent in India. Certainly while in the Lushai Hills he had discouraged missionary activity and had had Buddha's Dhammapada translated into Burmese for use in Lushai schools. In 1884 he wrote of himself in the Record of Family Faculties, "Not a Christian but interpenetrated by the intuitive sense of the great supreme God... A believer in the direct guidance and protection of the almighty in all particulars, careless of dogma and not oppressed by terror of the future"; and in his last book entitled Life and Death, being an authentic account of the deaths of one hundred celebrated men and women, which was published in 1910, he treats of Christians and non-Christians equally, turning finally to the Hindu Vedas for a definition of God.

In 1884, again in the Record of Family Faculties, T.H. Lewin

had claimed that he was "an advanced liberal in politics and of independent judgement in matters social, religious or political" and certainly in India his views were liberal in nature (see, for instance, his introduction to Wild Races of South-Eastern India). Moreover in his collection of pamphlets are included several works on electoral reform as well as Fabian Essays in Socialism edited by George Bernard Shaw. He did not, however, support women's suffrage and in 1910 attended a Unionist dinner suggesting perhaps that in his later years his views had altered.

Among his friends and acquaintances were several well known literary, artistic and scientific figures. The author George Meredith lived, with his wife, at Box Hill near Dorking and a friendship appears to have developed between the two families (see George Meredith's letters, Ms 811/IV/27). Meredith's son ~~Tom~~ <sup>William Maxse</sup> married Margaret (Daisy) Elliot, daughter of Margaret Lewin by her first marriage, and working for the publishers, Archibald Constable and Co. Ltd, was involved in the publication of The Lewin Letters, Life and Death and the second edition of A Fly on the Wheel, (see Ms 811/II/52 and Ms 811/III/6). Sir Edward Burne-Jones, the artist, was also, it appears, a friend and wrote T.H. Lewin several quite personal letters (Ms 811/IV/30); and both Sir Arthur Lister and George Bidder were acquaintances. The collection contains one letter from Sir Reginald Wingate, thanking T.H. Lewin for a copy of Life and Death but its formal nature implies no friendship.

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In 1901 T.H. Lewin's elder daughter Everest became engaged to Tom M. MacDonald and they were soon after married at Parkhurst. In October 1903 Everest with her first child Ursula joined her husband in India and the family remained there until the spring of 1905 (Everest's second child Neil was born in India in April 1904). Tom MacDonald was not in the civil service or army but was a business man with a sugar cane factory at Purtabpore, and the collection contains an excellent series of letters home, giving details of the business's progress as well as describing social and family life there (Ms 811/IV/36-39). The family after their return from India made their home in Scotland at Barguilean, Taynuilt, Argyllshire, though visits were still made to Parkhurst. Thomas Herbert and especially Margaret Lewin wrote frequently to the elder daughter until their deaths, but Everest herself does not appear to have been a particularly regular correspondent, something her father frequently criticized her for.

In his last years T.H. Lewin due to failing health spent most of his time at Parkhurst receiving fewer and fewer visitors (in May 1914 in a letter to Everest he refers to himself as the "lone hermit of Parkhurst"). He died early in 1916 at the age of 74.

#### Notes

1. A note in the introduction to the interim summary list of Ms 811 refers to letters of Harriet Grote which were used in the 1960s by Dr Eva Gruenwald of the Department of French, University College London. At that time the letters were in the possession of Miss Diana MacDonald, sister of Mrs Currie. She has since died however and their present whereabouts are unknown.

2. Mrs Currie has given permission for the first three volumes of T.H. Lewin's letters to be consulted.

(i) Volume I, containing:-

9 letters to Jenny (T.H. Lewin's cousin) written from Eltham and Addiscombe, 1855-6.

c70 letters mainly to his mother written from various places in India including Rampur, Hazaribagh and Noacolly, 1858, 1861-64.

(ii) Volume II, containing:-

c65 letters mainly to his mother written mainly from Chittagong and Chandraguna, 1865-1867.

Extracts from his diary, August 1866 concerning the Lushais.

(iii) Volume III, containing:-

c70 letters mainly to his mother written from Chittagong and the Chittagong Hill Tracts (also 3 letters from European tour of November-December 1870), January-December 1868; September 1869 (1 letter); November 1870-November 1873 and February-December 1875.

3. The following works, available at S.O.A.S., also give accounts of the Lushai Expedition:-

Despatches of Brigadier General C.H. Brownlow...commanding the Chittagong column of the Lushai Expeditionary Force, 1871-2 (1872)

R.G. Woodthorpe, The Lushai Expedition 1871-1872 (1873)

The following are of more general interest concerning the Lushai Hills and Chittagong Hill Tracts (also available at S.O.A.S.):-

Assam District Gazeteers; Vol I Cachar, Vol II Sylhet, Vol X The Lushai Hills.

A.G. McCall, Lushai Chrysalis (1949)

A. Mackenzie, History of the Relations of the Government with the Hill Tribes of the North-East Frontier of Bengal (1884)

N.E. Parry, The Lakhers (1932)

John Shakespear The Lushai-Kuki Clans (1912) (Ms 811/V/22)

4. The Galton Papers are in the Manuscripts Department, University College, London

Works by Thomas Herbert Lewin

(short titles, as used for reference in catalogue, and full titles given)

The Hill Tracts..., The Hill Tracts of Chittagong and the Dwellers therein with comparative vocabularies of the Hill Dialects (Calcutta 1869)

Wild Races..., Wild Races of South-Eastern India (Allen, London 1870)

Hill Proverbs..., Hill Proverbs of the Inhabitants of the Chittagong Hill Tracts (Calcutta 1873)

Progressive Colloquial Exercises..., Progressive Colloquial Exercises in the Lushai Dialect of the "Dzo" or Kuki Language, with vocabularies and popular tales (Calcutta 1874)

Manual of Tibetan..., A Manual of Tibetan, being a guide to the colloquial speech of Tibet in a series of progressive exercises prepared with the assistance of Yapa Ugyen Gyatsho a learned lama of the monastery of Pemiongehi (Calcutta 1879)

A Fly on the Wheel..., A Fly on the Wheel or How I Helped to Govern India (London 1884)

The Lewin Letters..., The Lewin Letters, a selection from the correspondence and diaries of an English family 1756-1855 (London 1909)

Life and Death..., Life and Death, being an authentic account of the deaths of one hundred men and women with their portraits (London 1910)





THE LEWIN FAMILY PAPERS

MS 811/I Papers relating to Thomas Lewin of the Hollies and his immediate family 1788-1876

Diaries, account books and legal papers

- 1 Diary of Thomas Lewin, partly in code, 8 Apr 1789 - 24 Jan 1790.  
(for transcripts of other later diaries see MS 811/III/23-26)
- 2 Account book and diary of Mrs Mary Lewin, entitled "Journal", 4 May 1793 - 31 Dec 1793.
- 3 Account book entitled "Hollies Rents", 9 Nov 1814 - 30 Oct 1818, 1831, 1836, 1837.
- 4 Material concerning the administration of the estates of Fanny Lewin, spinster 1779 - 1809:-
  - (i) Grant of administration of her estates to Charlotte Stoneham, administratrix of Robert Lewin (father of Fanny Lewin) made in the Prerogative Court of Canterbury, 19 Nov 1808.
  - (ii) Administration accounts, 13 Dec 1803 (3 copies); 13 Apr 1809 (1 copy).
  - (iii) Extract will of Thomas Brookes gent., 2 June 1779.
  - (iv) Receipt from James and Rebecca Tupper for their share of the legacy of Fanny Lewin (Fanny was Rebecca's sister), 13 Dec 1808.
- 5 Copy will of Thomas Lewin, 11 Aug 1840.
- 6 Abstract will of Thomas Lewin, as above.
- 7 Residuary account of Thomas Lewin, exhibited by his executors George Grote and Rev. Charles Lloyd, at the Prerogative Court of Canterbury, 24 June 1843; declared a true account, 5 Feb 1845.
- 8 Draft agreement between Edward B.H. Lewin and Frederick Mortimer Lewin, (F.M. Lewin agrees to buy E.B.H. Lewin's share in the Hollies Estate), 31 Oct 1861.

Letters

- 9 Archibald Campbell [Governor of Madras, 1786-9] to Thomas Lewin concerning the latter's departure from India, 4 Mar 1788.
- 10 Richard Lewin to Thomas Lewin; brief note, 7 Mar 1800.
- 11 Mr [William ] Cobbett to Mrs [Mary] Lewin, returning papers sent to him by Mrs Lewin and expressing views on "poor clubs" and insurance, 9 Aug 1808.
- 12 George Herbert Lewin to his mother [Mrs Mary Lewin]; formal letter written from school, 2 Dec 1816.
- 13 Edward B. Lewin to Thomas Lewin; brief note concerning a tenancy, 21 May 1818.
- 14 Harriet Lewin to her sister [Charlotte?], concerning her feelings for George Grote and her father's disapproval of their relationship, 25 May 1818.
- 15 Captain Charles Morris to Thomas Lewin giving reasons for his withdrawal from social and public life, 10 Dec 1819.
- 16 George Herbert Lewin to his father [Thomas Lewin]; formal school letter in Latin, 12 Dec 1821.
- 17 George Herbert Lewin to his mother [Mary Lewin]; formal school letter, 10 Dec 1823.
- 18 Emilius Lewin to Harriet Grote [née Lewin] concerning his studies, 13 June 1828.

Watercolours, sketches etc.

- 19 Sketch book of Harriet Lewin. Watercolour, wash, pencil and pen and ink sketches of English scenes and people, c1810-c1814. (Contains note by T.H. Lewin explaining connections between Lewin, Hale, Chaloner and Lascelles families, March 1901.)
- 20 Sketch book of Charlotte Lewin. Watercolour, wash, pencil and pen and ink sketches of scenes in England and Europe; also some of people, with notes and verse extracts, Sept 1821-c1824.
- 21-26, loose watercolour sketches:-
- 21 George Herbert Lewin as a boy, mounted watercolour by Charlotte Lewin.

- 22 "Our mother Mrs Lewin - at Ridgeway", pencil and watercolour by "H.L." [Harriet Lewin] 1807.
- 23 "Mr George Tate 1814" by "H.L." [Harriet Lewin].
- 24 Humorous sketches entitled "Symptoms of being very hot" and "Symptoms of being very wet" by "C.L." [Charlotte Lewin], 1820.
- 25 "W.Plumer Esq. M.P. Gilston Park, 1822" [by Harriet Grote].
- 26 "Lord W.C. Bentinck, 1827" by "H.G." [Harriet Grote].
- 27-30, Four crayon and pencil portraits:-
- 27 "Mrs Thomas Lewin 1832 (Aunt Charlotte)", signed Joseph Slater London 1832. (Title in T.H. Lewin's hand.)
- 28 "Mrs Marsh (née Mary Lewin) 1832", artist unknown. (Title in T.H. Lewin's hand.)
- 29 Mrs Mary Lewin (née Hale), signed Frederick Tatham, Sept 1835.
- 30 "Mrs Mary Friend and her sister Elizabeth Friend", artist unknown. (Title in T.H. Lewin's hand.)
- 31 Four watercolour studies of Fanny Ellsler, the dancer "in Ballo", by Harriet Grote, 1840.
- 32 Watercolour, "Frederick Mortimer Lewin on his grey arab"; artist and date unknown.
- 33 Lithograph "The Revd. Richard Hale M.A. vicar of Harewood" by S.O. Bailey, Bradford, (with note by T.H. Lewin that the Revd. Hale was a brother of Mrs Lewin of the Hollies).

Miscellaneous

- 34 Calligraphy practice of Frances Eliza Lewin (1 folio with motto), 21 December 1810.
- 35 "Mrs Lewin's reasons for objecting to live at the Hollies", note sent to her husband, 12 June 1812.
- 36 Inscription for a monument to Captain Bernard Hale RN from the officers of HMS Castor (1 folio, no date).

- 37 . Two memoranda by Harriet Grote sent to T.H. Lewin "to accompany the miniatures of Mr and Mrs Lewin" [of the Hollies].
- (i) Dec 1875.
  - (ii) 1 March 1876.

Semi-official papers of T.H. Lewin

(all communications addressed to T.H. Lewin, unless otherwise stated)

- 1 Certificate confirming his commission as Lieutenant in "the 104th foot" from 18 May 1858, dated 18 Sept 1862.
- 2 Certificate confirming his commission as Lieutenant in the Bengal Infantry from 18 May 1858, dated 1 Mar 1864.
- 3 Certificate confirming his commission as Captain in the Bengal Staff Corps from 2 Mar 1866, dated 15 Aug 1867.
- 4 Statement of his service in the 104th Regiment of Bengal Fusiliers Oct 1857 - Apr 1862, made by Lieut.Col. Walter Birch, Commandant of the same regiment (Ms, no date); together with printed form [W.O. form 360] entitled "Statement of Services" completed, dated 1 Apr 1865.
- 5 Communication from the officiating junior secretary to the Government of Bengal, informing him of his appointment to the post of Temporary Superintendent of the Hill Tracts of Chittagong, 6 Apr 1866.
- 6 Telegram from Lieut. G.B. Johonstone [sic], informing him of his promotion to Captain, 3 Apr 1866; with manuscript extract from General Orders, quoting the announcement of the promotion in the London Gazette, sent by Lieut. H.M. Evans, Adjutant, 104th Regiment of Bengal Fusiliers, 11 May 1866.
- 7 Communication from A.Mackenzie, officiating under-secretary to the Government of Bengal, informing him of his appointment as Deputy Commissioner of the Hill Tracts of Chittagong, 17 Aug 1866.
- 8 Judicial resolution concerning the administration of the Chittagong Hill Tracts, by H.L. Dampier, officiating secretary to the Government of Bengal, written after submission of an annual report by T.H. Lewin. Refers to and praises T.H. Lewin's work; copy to be forwarded to him, 14 Oct 1868 (printed).
- 9 Record of his service in India, made in connection with his request for a two year furlough to Europe for medical reasons, 28 July 1869. Sheet of calculations by T.H. Lewin attached.

- 10 Memorandum for Bengal Officers proceeding on leave, from the Accountant General's Office Calcutta, 22 Oct 1873 (printed).
- 11 Extract from despatch of the Secretary of State for India [Lord Salisbury] of 30 Apr 1873 concerning the Lushai expedition, 3 Feb 1874 (printed).
- 12 Extract from letter from the Secretary of State for India [Lord Salisbury] to the Government of India of 19 Mar 1874, praising T.H. Lewin's efforts to secure the confidence of the hill tribes, 12 June 1874 (printed).
- 13 Notification of appointment of T.H. Lewin as Deputy Commissioner of Cooch Behar, signed Rivers Thompson, secretary to the Lieutenant Governor of Bengal; with note that a copy is to be forwarded to T.H. Lewin, signed Col Macaulay, officiating under-secretary to the Government of Bengal, 19 Mar 1875.
- 14 Evidence collected in support of his application for sick leave of 1873-4 to count as service for the purposes of calculating pension. Comprises copies of three letters written by him to the Secretary to the Government of India, military department, 14 Nov 1875, to the Commander of Cooch Behar Division, 14 Nov 1875, and to the Secretary to the Government of Bengal, 3 Feb 1876; extracts of reports concerning his actions during the Lushai Expedition; copies of two letters from F.J. Allen (18 Jan 1876) and J.W. Meadows (24 Jan 1876), surgeons to the Lushai Expedition, concerning his poor state of health.
- 15 Confidential report by Major C. Money, Deputy Commissioner of Julpigori, of information obtained from the Deb Rajah of Bhutan at private interviews held 25-30 Oct 1875; dated 9 Nov 1875 (printed).
- 16 Communication from Major General Th[omas] Pears, Military Secretary, India Office informing T.H. Lewin that his leave is to be extended six months because of his ill health, 17 June 1876.
- 17 Communication from Col. Allen B. Johnson, Military Secretary, India Office, informing him that his application for his leave to count as service has been referred to the Government of India, 22 Mar 1877.
- 18 Communication as above, further service still required, 27 Mar 1877.  
Enclosed, letter from Col. Johnson, 12 Apr 1877 .
- 19 Communication as above, leave extended two months, 9 Aug 1877.

- 20 Communication as above, granting permission for his sick leave to count as service for purposes of calculating pension, 31 Aug 1877.
- 21 Notification of his promotion, while Deputy Commissioner of Darjeeling, to the second grade of Deputy Commissioner, by order of Horace A. Cockrell, officiating secretary to the Government of Bengal, signed C. Macaulay, under-secretary to the Government of Bengal, 26 Mar 1878.
- 22 Notification, allowing him subsidiary leave of one month, signed Horace A. Cockrell, secretary to the Government of Bengal, 30 Jan 1879.
- 23 Extract from Government General Order of 28 Mar 1879, giving him permission to retire from 24 Mar 1879, by order of Lt.Col. F. Eteson, officiating Adjutant General, 4 Apr 1879 (2 copies).
- 24 Memorandum from Lt.Col. F. Eteson, enclosing parchment retirement certificate, 8 Apr 1879.
- 25 Minute by A. Mackenzie, Lieut.Governor of Bengal concerning T.H. Lewin's career in India, especially his service in the Lushai Expedition 1871-2, and the lack of official recognition for this service, 9 Mar 1897 (printed).
- 26 Three typescript copies of the above, produced probably by Margaret Lewin.

(See also Ms 811/II/ 39-50 on T.H. Lewin's pension claims and service in India.)

Diaries, scrapbooks and philological and literary manuscripts of T.H. Lewin

- 27 Bound volume entitled "Scraps THL", containing poems, many written under the pseudonym Newell Herbert, composed mainly at Chittagong, 1863-5; 13 photographs of natives of the Chittagong Hill Tracts; and a diary kept intermittently from May 1866 to Nov 1873 (includes photographs, sketches and verse).
- 28 Diary written during travels in Europe to Munich, Rome and Naples with his companion James Wise, Nov-Dec 1870 (5 loose folios).



MS 811/II/ The career of T.H. Lewin in India; his diaries, scrapbooks and manuscripts.

- 29 Diary kept during the Lushai Expedition of 1871-2, consisting of loose-leaf pages, and newspaper cuttings mainly from the Indian Observer.
- 30 Bound volume containing 100 exercises in the Burmese language, completed to no.61, and also vocabulary lists in English, some with Burmese equivalents filled in.  
Enclosed, rough draft of "A grammar of the Aracanese dialect of Burmese for use by Government officers among the Hill Tribes of the South-East Frontier of India", not dated .
- 31 Vocabulary and phrase lists:-  
(i) Phrase list - English, "M" and "T"[ipperah].  
(ii) Vocabulary book - English and [ ? ].  
(iii) Word and phrase list - Tipperah dialect.  
(iv) Word and phrase list - Muneeporee dialect.  
(v) Word and phrase list - Ghurka (Thappa) dialect.  
(vi) Word list-"M" and "T"[ipperah].  
(vii) "List of words and phrases to be noted and used as testwords for the discovery of radical affinities of languages...", printed sheet with words in Ghurka (Subah) dialect added.
- 32 Manuscript of "Sentences from Buddhas Dhammapada or the Path of Virtue translated from the Pāli by F. Max Müller M.A., Professor of Comparative Philology at Oxford..., selected and compiled by Capt. T.H. Lewin, Deputy Commissioner, for the instruction of the people of the Chittagong Hills, and arranged and written by Moug Matii Head Master, Government School, Rangamatee, Chittagong Hills 16 Feb 1873", Burmese script with English translation in T.H. Lewin's hand.
- 33 Manuscript of "The Constable's Manual", a manual for native constables written in English in question and answer form [possibly 1862, see letter Ms 811/II/38(ii)].  
Has note that purchased by the Indian Government.
- 34 Manuscript of short story "The Queen of the Rubies" by Newell Herbert" [T.H. Lewin], dated Bhowanyange 28 July 1864.  
Has note, dated 4 July 1871, that end of story "altered slightly on publication in Once a Week".
- 35 Manuscript of short story "Buffaloe Hunting in India by A. Skrimly C.S." signed Newell Herbert [T.H. Lewin], Hattea 26 Feb 1864.
- 36 Writings from Chota Haziree, not dated.
- 37 Writings from Sweden, including rendering of the Ixna Saga [1870].

Letters

- 38(i)- Eighteen letters sent by T.H. Lewin to his mother from various  
(xviii) places in India including Hazaribagh, Chittagong, the Chittagong Hill Tracts and Darjeeling describing his daily life, work and thoughts, 6 Aug 1862 - 6 Apr 1878.
- Letters to T.H. Lewin concerning his career in India from various correspondents including Major General C.H. Brownlow, Sir George Campbell, Colonel Arthur Phayre, John Strachey and Horace Walpole, 1864-1884 (arranged chronologically):-
- 39 [Klay?] Moun Noun Doc, Head Constable, hoping for T.H. Lewin's return, 9 June 1864 (in broken English).
- 40 Colonel Arthur Phayre, notifying him that he had recommended him to be Superintendent of the Hill Tribes of the Aracan Hills, 21 May 1866.
- 41 Fuzla Ali Khan, Zimindar Dohuzan to "Cuptan Mastar Lewin, Sahab" [T.H. Lewin] dated Ur Zee, 30 July 1867 [in Bengali?].
- 42 Major General C.H. Brownlow, concerning the lack of official recognition shown him for his services in the Lushai Expedition, 29 May [1872 or 1873].
- 43 Brownlow, thanking him for a copy of Hill Proverbs . , and explaining his failure to obtain justice for him, 25 July [1872 or 1873].
- 44 Horace G. Walpole, explaining why Lewin was not awarded the Star of India, 16 Apr 1874.
- 45 Sir George Campbell, congratulating him on his marriage and commiserating at the lack of official recognition shown him, 12 Jan 1877.
- 46 Campbell, supporting his claim for sick leave to count as service, 25 Jan 1877.
- 47 John Strachey, concerning his pension claim, 1 Sept 1879.
- 48 A.D. Roxario, short covering letter with news of people and events in India, 15 Dec 1884; enclosing longer letter describing the situation in the Chittagong Hill Tracts in 1884 and giving personal news, 1 Aug 1884.

Two letters to Margaret Lewin concerning her husband's career in India:-

- 49 Maj.Gen. C.H. Brownlow, concerning Brownlow's godson Charles Lewin; also refers to T.H. Lewin's intention to write of his work in India and to Mary Winchester and the Lushais, 25 Sept 1881.
- 50 Brownlow, regretting his failure to obtain justice for T.H. Lewin (no date).
- 51 13 letters of congratulation received by T.H. Lewin after the first publication of A Fly on the Wheel (1884); 31 Dec 1884 - 30 Jan 1885 from, in alphabetical order:-

Richard Bangay  
Dorothea Beale [Lady Principal, Cheltenham  
Ladies College.]  
[Major Gen] C.H. Brownlow  
[Sir] George Campbell  
Robert Cust  
[Sir] A[shley] Eden  
A[rthur] Grote  
Jane E. Lewin  
Arthur Lister  
[Prof] F. Max Müller  
W.R.S. Ralston  
Edward B. Tylor  
W.S.W. Vaux

(see also Ms 811/IV/ 30, 63, 87.)

Letters all written to T.H. Lewin, unless stated otherwise, concerning A Fly on the Wheel and India generally, 1897-1916 (arranged chronologically):-

- 52 Tom M. Meredith, concerning purchase of copyright of A Fly on the Wheel 20 Apr 1897; enclosed receipt from W.H. Allen, 23 Apr 1897.
- 53 John Shakespear, on Shakespear's book, The Lushei-Kuki Clans and the new edition of A Fly on the Wheel, dated Imphal [Assam], 6 Oct 1912.
- 54 Mary Innes Howie [née Winchester] concerning A Fly on the Wheel, her experiences among the Lushai as a child and her later life, 22 Oct 1912.
- 55 [ ? ] to "Thangliena" [T.H. Lewin] concerning A Fly on the Wheel and the Lushai Expedition of 1871-2, 18 June 1913.

- 56 F.W. Thomas, Librarian at the India Office to Margaret Lewin, thanking her for a copy of A Fly on the Wheel, 21 Oct 1916.
- 57 John Shakespear, discussing T.H. Lewin's criticisms of his book The Lushei-kuki Clans, and giving news of the Lushai people and country, 15 Nov [1912 or 1913].

Articles and reviews from newspapers and journals

- 58 Various loose cuttings:-
- (i) Article entitled "Children of Nature" a review of The Hill Tracts, from the Friend of India 21 May 1869 (Ms copy).
  - (ii) Review of The Hill Tracts from the Calcutta Englishman, 1869.
  - (iii) Article on the Lushais from the Observer, (Calcutta), 11 Feb 1871, (with another article attached.)
  - (iv) Article entitled "Lewin's Proverbial Philosophy" a review of Hill Proverbs from the Pioneer, 23 Apr 1873.
- 59 Newspaper cuttings mounted on brown cards numbered 1-6, 8, 9.
- (i) Card 1; Review of Progressive Colloquial Exercises entitled "The Lushai Dialect" (no date or source given).  
Article entitled "Justice to North Eastern India, I - The Looshais" from the Friend of India, 13 Apr 1869.  
Article entitled "The Kookies" from The Pall Mall Gazette, 16 Nov 1869.  
Review of The Hill Tracts from the Contemporary Review, (no date.)
  - (ii) Card 2; Article on T.H. Lewin's work from The Englishman, 27 July 1869.  
Article on T.H. Lewin from The Times 10 May 1869.  
Article entitled "An Indian Official in Savage Society", a review of The Wild Races from The Guardian, 22 Oct 1870.

- 59 (ii) contd Note on T.H. Lewin's paper "Diary of a Hill Trip on the Borders of Arracan" from Proceedings of the Royal Geographical Society, 10 Apr 1867.  
Four short cuttings concerning T.H. Lewin, including two on the Lushai Expedition.
- (iii) Card 3: Article entitled "The Hill Tribes of Chittagong", a review of The Hill Tracts, 11 Aug 1869 (no source given). Continues on card 4.
- (iv) Card 4; End of article from card 3.  
Two articles from the Friend of India, 20 Apr 1869 (second entitled "Justice to North Eastern India, II").  
Three short articles on the Lushai Expedition 1871-2, including one from the Times of India.  
Article on an earthquake in lower Bengal from Allen's Indian Mail, 17 Feb 1869.
- (v) Card 5; Review of The Hill Tracts..., from the Calcutta Englishman, 1869 as Ms 811/II/58(ii). Continues on card 6.
- (vi) Card 6; End of article from card 5.  
Article entitled "India" mentioning the Lushai Expedition from the Times, 24 Oct 1871.  
Review of Hill Proverbs entitled "The Proverbs of the Khiongthas" (no date or source given).
- (vii) Card 8; Six short cuttings on the Lushai Expedition (dates and sources not given).  
Article on the visit of the Lushai chiefs to Calcutta, from the Morning Post, 27 Jan 1874.  
Article entitled "The Lushai Dialect", a review of Progressive Colloquial Exercises, from the Friend of India (no date given).
- (viii) Card 9; Article entitled "The Looshai expedition and the Looshai country" from the Standard, 2 Jan 1872.  
Short article on the situation in the Chittagong Hill Tracts after T.H. Lewin's departure (no date or source given).  
"Conjugal Valentine to Tom Lewin from C[harlotte Lewin]" 1872 (manuscript).  
Article on the death of Thomas Lewin Esq J.P. of Eltham, [1872?] (no source given).  
Article on the death of the Hon. and Revd Baptist Noel (no date or source given).

- 60 Chamber's Journal of Popular Literature, Science and Art, 4th Series no.304, Oct 1869. Contains review of The Hill Tracts.
- 61 Marbled notebook containing newspaper cuttings referring to the British Association Meeting, Sheffield, Aug 1879 at which T.H. Lewin read a paper on "The Trade Routes from Bengal to Tibet".
- 62 Reviews of A Fly on the Wheel (1st edition, 1884); nineteen loose newspaper cuttings, Jan-June 1885.
- Allens Indian Mail, 28 Jan  
Birmingham Daily Post, 28 Jan  
Homeward Mail, 2 Feb  
Guardian, 18 Feb  
Pall Mall Gazette, 23 Feb  
Literary World, 27 Feb  
Academy, 7 Mar  
Athenaeum, 7 Mar  
St James Gazette, 10 Mar  
Field, 14 Mar  
Scotsman, 3 Apr  
Graphic, 11 Apr  
Morning Post, 16 Apr  
Contemporary Review, Apr 1885 (Ms)  
British Quarterly Review, Apr [1885]  
Saturday Review, 23 May  
Lady, 4 June  
Two reviews with no source or date given.
- 63 Journal of the National Indian Association no.171 March 1885, containing review of A Fly on the Wheel, pp 122-128.
- 64 Memo from W.H. Allen and Co. London, sent to T.H. Lewin with cuttings of reviews from the Times 22 Sept 1885, and the Daily News 22 Sept 1885.
- 65 Reviews of A Fly on the Wheel (2nd edition, 1912); three loose newspaper cuttings, June-Oct 1912:-
- Pioneer Mail, 7 June  
Academy, 20 July  
"Supplement" to the Spectator, 5 Oct.

Photographs and Sketches

66 Photographs of people and places in India c1866 - 1878/9 (9 items):-

- (i) "My house at Chittagong", mounted on white card.
- (ii) "The house of Adoopah, Chundragoona", mounted.
- (iii) "Gordon Young, commissioner of Chittagong".
- (iv) T.H. Lewin with the seven Lushai chiefs who accompanied him to Calcutta, 1873.
- (v) Smaller copy of above, 1873.
- (vi) Group of seventeen hill men with rifles - including the seven Lushai chiefs, 1873.
- (vii) "Dorju Lebbay, the chief Llama of Sikhim with four of the principal Kazees", 1876.
- (viii) T.H. Lewin with his wife Margaret and daughter Everest, surrounded by their servants, Darjeeling, c1878-9.
- (ix) Indian scene (no date or title).

67 Sketchbook entitled "My Depredations and Concoctions" dated Jounpore 17 Aug 1858, containing pen and ink sketches by T.H. Lewin, many humorous; also seven photographs:-

- "Lewisham 1852" - view of three houses.
- Sculpture of the three graces.
- H. Pye, an Addiscombe cadet.
- Group of Addiscombe cadets, 1857.
- Addiscombe cadets with key to names; with enclosed, list of cadets.
- E.P. Pakenham, an Addiscombe cadet.
- Mr Bowles, Professor of Hindustani, Addiscombe.

Enclosed in the volume, programme for exhibition at the Royal Academy of Arts 1868, where one of the exhibits was a marble sculpture of Mrs Grote's hand by T. Butler.

68 Folder with twenty five sketches by T.H. Lewin intended for A Fly on the Wheel, (not all were eventually used in the book). Wash, pen and ink with white highlights, on pale blue or white paper.  
(The sketches are copies of original found in Ms 811/II/69(v))

- (i) "The oath at Jeynweys village on the Koladyne."
- (ii) "My house on Sirthay Tlang above Demagree on the Kurnapooler river, Chittagong Hill Tracts."
- (iii) "The slaughter house and well at Cawnpore 1857, with well"; inset "Interior Court."
- (iv) "Bathing ghaut on the lake, Saugur."

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- (v) "Mending my watch, Jounpore."
  - (vi) "My bungalow on the hill at Chandraguna, Chittagong Hill Tracts."
  - (vii) "Reaping figure of the corn dance among the Sonthals, Hazareebagh District."
  - (viii) "The fruit of the tree, in pursuit of the Nana Sahib 1857."
  - (ix) "My quarters in the Kaisa Bagh - Palace of the King of Oude at Lucknow 1858."
  - (x) "My moonshee, Shahjehanpore."
  - (xi) "My orderly 31st N.I. Saugor."
  - (xii) "Police station on the island of Sundeeep in the Megna, Noacolly District; my bed and dog Whisky."
  - (xiii) "Throw him down, Cawnpore 1857."
  - (xiv) "Sonarutton's house at Chandragoona."
  - (xv) "My bungalow at Chittagong."
  - (xvi) "My house at Rangamati."
  - (xvii) "Study of date palm."
  - (xviii) "On the road to the relief of Lucknow."
  - (xix) "My bungalow at Noakhali."
  - (xx) "Enter the Darogah, Hameerpore 1859."
  - (xxi) "View from the guard room window Saugur Fort, 1859."
  - (xxii) "The fort at Jounpore."
  - (xxiii) "Hungerford Boddam, Distr. Commr. Hazareebagh and Lieutenant Lewin, District Superintendent of Police, starting on their cold weather tour of inspection."
  - (xxiv) "My boat and the cookboat, Noakhali District in the Dhumnia Munnia Creek."
  - (xxv) "Gateway at Jounpore."

69 File containing:-

- (i) Hand drawn map of area north of Darjeeling.
- (ii) Six small pencil drawings on card of scenes mostly unnamed, artist unknown.
- (iii) Watercolour by T.H. Lewin "My bungalow at Chittagong."
- (iv) Photograph of "Shwaytha's house looking down from my bungalow at Chandragoona", with note that Shwaytha was the Burmese court interpreter.
- (v) Large collection of Indian sketches by T.H. Lewin, loose in the file and in paper folder entitled "Doubtful sketches" within the file. Many have been cut from his diaries or letters; most are pen and ink, some are coloured. Collection includes most of the originals of the sketches in Ms 811/II/68.



- 70 Series of eleven watercolours of the Darjeeling district by T.H. Lewin and his wife Margaret, Oct 1878 - Feb 1879.

<u>Original Title</u>	<u>No. and title added by T.H. Lewin, on reverse</u>
(i) "Kinchingjunga from the Birch Hill Road, Darjeeling, Oct 1878"	1. "Kinchingjunga"
(ii) "Study of Tree Fern at Sureil, Darjeeling Distr. 19 Feb 1879"	2. "Serail"
(iii) "View from Kalimpong, Nov 1878"	3. "Kalimpong"
(iv) "Bungalow at Tongloo, 1878"	5. "Bungalow"
(v) "The Dhobies Hut, Darjeeling Oct 1878"	6. "Sunrise"
(vi) "Beechwood, Darjeeling 1878 ML"	7. "Beechwood"
(vii) -	8. "St. Paul's"
(viii) "Our camp, Kalimpong, Nov 1878"	9. "Tents"
(ix) "Mt. Everest, Dec 1878 ML"	10. "Everest"
(x) "Sureil, Feb 1879 ML"	11. "Tree ferns"
(xi) "Buddhist University, Darjeeling, 1878"	-

- 71 Four smaller watercolours of Indian scenes, untitled.

Miscellaneous

- 72 Translation of a letter from the Deb Rajah of Bhutan in T.H. Lewin's hand, together with letter in [Turki?] script, possibly original letter from the Deb Rajah.
- 73 Draft letter of T.H. Lewin to the Secretary of State for India concerning his pension, 23 Mar 1877.
- 74 Newspaper cutting, announcing appointment of T.H. Lewin as Deputy Commissioner of the Chittagong Hill Tracts, 9 Oct 1866 [from the London Gazette?].
- 75 Folder containing humorous pen and ink sketch "Indian Society" by T.H. Lewin; photograph of "Boissonas, Genève"; page from T.H. Lewin's diary dated Kassalong 23 Dec 1867; pen and ink sketch "Chundraguna" and photograph of young [Lushai?] couple.

- 76 Five poems or hymns in English, for Bhootea Boarding School, 12 June 1878 (printed sheet).
- 77 Extract from Beaman's Twenty Years in the Near East pp111-16, on the theory of gambling, copied by T.H. Lewin (1 fo.).
- 78 Two sides of writing "contributed to the Englishman" by T.H. Lewin, Noacolly 29 June 1864; writing crossed out and newspaper cutting on the Schleswig-Holstein question, stuck on.
- 79 Lists made by Margaret Lewin, of letters written by T.H. Lewin from India to various people, 1866, 1867 and 1873.
- 80 Pencil notes on Indian life, with sketch (2 ff, author unknown).
- 81 Pen and ink sketch of bats hanging from tree, used originally to keep newspaper cuttings Ms 811/II/62 together.

Relating to the researches of Francis Galton

- 1 Francis Galton, Record of Family Faculties, consisting of tabular forms and directions for entering data with an explanatory preface (London 1884) with data, often of an unusual and unscientific nature, entered by T.H. Lewin concerning the Lewin and McClean families.  
Contains, stuck inside front cover, two letters from T.H. Lewin to Francis Galton concerning the Record of Family Faculties, 25 Apr 1884 and 19 Sept 1884; also empty envelope addressed to Francis Galton.
- 2 Second copy, Record of Family Faculties, again with data entered by T.H. Lewin. Contains, loose inside front cover:-
  - (i) "Note of award of prizes for Records of Family Faculties", printed letter from Galton.
  - (ii) Cutting from The Times of letter from Galton giving prizewinners' names.
  - (iii) Letter, Galton to T.H. Lewin, 18 Sept 1884.
  - (iv) Letter, Messrs. Evison and Budge to T.H. Lewin, concerning cost of printing the Record of Family Faculties, 14 July 1884.
  - (v) Letter, John E. Reilly to T.H. Lewin concerning Hale family portraits.
- 3 Letter, T.H. Lewin to Galton enclosing eleven miniature photographs and copies of family portraits, 6 June 1884:-

T.H. Lewin aged 15; T.H. Lewin aged 17; William C.J. Lewin (T.H. Lewin's brother); Harriet Grote aged 80; Mary Lewin (née Friend); Edward B.H. Lewin aged 60; James Friend aged 30; Anna McClean (née Newsam), John Robinson McClean (Margaret Lewin's mother and father); Isabella Lewin aged 9 (T.H. Lewin's sister); Harriet Tomlin aged 35 (T.H. Lewin's sister).

Letters

- 4 (i)-- Letters sent to T.H. Lewin, relating to his researches into  
(xxx) Lewin family history, 1882-1886:-  
(Arranged alphabetically by author)
  - (i) Lewin B. Bowring, concerning his family history, 20 Aug 1884.
  - (ii)-(iv) Herbert Clifford, discussing the deciphering of the diaries of Thomas Lewin of the Hollies, Apr - Oct 1882 (3 letters).

4 contd

- (v)-(viii) Henry J. Day, on the occurrence of the name Lewin in Cheshunt parish registers, Sept-Dec 1884 (4 letters).
- (ix) H.A. Drake, concerning parish register entries and record office searches, 2 July 1883.
- (x)-(xiii) J.H. Greenstreet, concerning searches made of Chancery records at the Public Record Office, Sept 1884 - Apr 1885 (4 letters).
- (xiv) Reginald Hanson, giving information extracted from will of John Lowen 1559 in Somerset House, 8 June 1883.
- (xv) Robert Hovenden, discussing possibility of searching City Livery Companies and marriage licences issued at Canterbury, 18 Feb 1885.
- (xvi)-(xviii) Charles Sutton Lewin, concerning his family's history, Sept 1884 - Jan 1885 (3 letters).
- (xix) [Mrs] Mary Lewin, concerning her husband's family, 8 Aug 1884.
- (xx) [Captain] Martin Budd Lewin, concerning his family's history, 7 Oct 1884.
- (xxi) Walter Lewin, as above, 11 Oct 1886.
- (xxii)-(xxiv) W.J. Mortis, parish clerk Eltham, Kent, concerning extracts from Eltham Registers, Dec 1882 - July 1883 (3 letters).
- (xxv) Rev. Lewis Newcomen Prance, on parish register entries, 7 Oct [1885].
- (xxvi) M.H. Quayle, on searches made at the Rolls Office, Isle of Man [n.d.].
- (xxvii) H.E. Rivers, on searches made in Kent records, 13 Mar 1883.
- (xxviii) Alfred Side, genealogical research, 6 May 1884.
- (xxix)-(xxx) J.Wood, parish clerk Bromley, Kent, on Bromley parish registers Dec 1883 (2 letters).

- 5 (i) Printed circular of Alfred Side, unclaimed property office and genealogical research, used by T.H. Lewin as scrap-paper for drafts of two letters.
- (ii) Draft letter of T.H. Lewin to be sent to clergy to request assistance in his genealogical researches.
- 6 Two letters, Tom Meredith to T.H. Lewin concerning preparation of The Lewin Letters for publication, 28 Nov 1908, 5 Oct 1908.

Notes on family history made by T.H. Lewin

- 7 Envelope entitled "1st Period, Ancient" containing notes on the derivation of the name Lewin, its occurrence in Anglo-Saxon and Medieval England etc.
- 8 Envelope entitled "2nd Period, Elizabethan - Herald's Visitations" containing notes on William Lewin LLD (died 1597), Sir Justinian Lewin (died 1673) and other Lewins of 16th and 17th centuries.
- 9 Envelope entitled "Miscellaneous" containing notes, jottings, newspaper cuttings etc., mostly concerning Lewin family history.
- 10 "Notes on the lives of Mr and Mrs Thomas Lewin of the Hollies" near Bexley, Kent, 1753-1843 (6 ff.).
- 11 Abstracts of wills and notes relating to Lewins from Broxbourne (Herts) and London (various parishes), 1631-1755 (6 ff.).
- 12 Pedigrees, abstracts of wills and notes relating to Lewins from Cuffley (Herts), Otterden (Kent) and London (various parishes) of mid 16th century to late 17th century (6 ff.).
- 13 Various pedigrees, notes, parish register extracts etc. concerning Lewins from:-
- Kent (2 ff.)
  - Kent (7 ff.)
  - Bishop's Hatfield (Herts) (1 fo.)
  - Cheshunt (3 ff.)
  - London parishes (1 fo.)
  - Hatfield, Hadenham and Bushey (Herts); Ifield (Sussex) (1 fo.)
  - Erith (Kent) (1 fo.)
  - Dorset and Wiltshire (3 ff.)
  - Cuffley (Herts) and Essex (2 ff.)
  - St Olaves, Southwark (Surrey) (1 fo.)
  - London (1 fo.)

14 Other miscellaneous genealogical notes:-

Pedigree of descendants of Sir Bernard Hale (died 1729) and Ann Thursby (died 1768) (1 fo.).

Friend family - pedigrees and notes (2 ff. and 1 card).

Occurrences of name Lewin 1585-1784 (1 large piece of card).

McClelland and Newsam families - pedigree and notes (2 ff.).

Notes made at Office of Crown Lands (1 fo.).

Notes "Work pending in Record Office, British Museum and London Library" (8 ff.).

List of ancestors and relatives of T.H. Lewin (with page references to ?) (1 fo.).

Plan for a work on the Lewin family (1 fo.).

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- 15 References to Lewins in Chancery Proceedings, Orders and Decrees, Inquisitions Post Mortem and Exchequer Originalia Rolls, extracted from Public Records by J.H. Greenstreet. (22 ff.)
- 16 Extracts from parish registers of Cheshunt 1559-1812, made by H.J. Day. (10 ff.)
- 17 Extracts from parish registers of Eltham, Kent 1647-1767, made by W.J. Mortis, parish clerk. (1 fo.)
- 18 Extracts from parish registers of St. Margaret's Lee, Kent, 1690-1730 made by W.J. Riley, 1883. (5 ff.)
- 19 Extracts from parish registers of various London churches, 17th century with sketches of pedigrees. (7 ff.)
- 20 Copy of two Lewin marriage certificates of 1718-19, from the Vicar General's Office. (1 fo.)
- 21 Small notebook entitled "Burials in Burchington Church of the Friend family".
- 22 Note on "The noble family of Makeleer, No.513, extinct" (1 fo.)

- 23-26, Transcripts of the diaries of Thomas Lewin Esq. of the Hollies, (written 1790-1837), made by Herbert Clifford, 1882; with annotations and indexes by T.H. Lewin; four bound volumes.
- 23 Transcript diary, 25 Jan 1790 - 29 Apr 1806.
- 24 Transcript diaries, 2 May 1806 - 22 Aug 1807; 11 Jan 1818 - 28 Dec 1835.
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- 28 Envelope containing five miniature-size photographs of portraits of Mrs Mary Lewin, Thomas Lewin junior, Mrs Charlotte Lewin, Richard John Lewin and George Herbert Lewin.
- 29 Miniature silhouettes of Mr and Mrs Newsam, grandparents of Margaret Lewin (in envelope).
- 30 Paper folder entitled "Pictures to illustrate the Lewin Letters" containing:-
- (i) photograph of Edward B.H. Lewin.
  - (ii)-(x) photographs of portraits of:-
    - (ii) Richard Lewin of Eltham, by Oliver.
    - (iii) Hendrina Aletta Lewin [née Van der Poel], by Oliver.
    - (iv) Fanny Elssler (2 copies).
    - (v) Richard Hale of King's Walden, by Holbein (2 copies small, mounted; 5 copies large unmounted).
    - (vi) Francis Hale.
    - (vii) Mr Thomas Lewin of Eltham.
    - (viii) Mrs Kane formerly Friend, mother of Mary Lewin [née Friend].
    - (ix) Thomas Lewin of the Hollies (snr.) "When young" from miniature by Smart and "in advanced age" from oil painting, reproduced as for page in The Lewin Letters.
    - (x) Thomas Herbert Lewin, 1890 (2 copies).
  - (xi) Photograph of pencil sketch "Old House at "The Hollies", Kent".
  - (xii) Engraving "Kilravock Castle, Nairn", engraved by J. Godfrey from drawing by R.W. Billings.
  - (xiii) Engraving "John Lowin, 1640", Nugent "sculpt.", from original picture in the Ashmole Museum, Oxford.
- 31 Envelope containing photographs of portrait of Sir Matthew Hale by an unknown artist, and letter from James Rimmell and Son, dealers in old books and engravings, on obtaining photographs of portraits in the National Portrait Gallery, 16 April 1909.
- 32 Scrap of paper, on which mounted pictures (cuttings from newspaper or magazine) of Jenny Lind and her husband Otto Goldschmidt; on reverse notes by T.H. Lewin on the death of his father.
- 33 Postcard of "Gisboro' Hall".
- 34 Two photographs mounted on white card "The Tombs of the Macleans Iona" and "Maclean's Cross, Iona".

Miscellaneous

- 35 Outline histories of Hale family of King's Walden (Herts), and Chaloner family of Guisborough Priory (Yorks) (2 ff, printed).
- 36 As above (1 fo, printed on both sides).

Essays, notebooks, diaries and accounts of T.H. Lewin

1 - 2, Essays and notes.

1 Various essays and notes, originally in file entitled in Margaret Lewin's hand, "Fragments manuscript, not autobiography":-

(i) Essay, "The Passim of Human Life - Life, Love and Death" (12 ff.).

(ii) Second copy of above.

(iii) Essay, "Man and Woman" (10 ff.).

(iv) "1898", notes on the deaths of Epicurus and Montaigne, and his own reflections on death (2 ff.).

(v) Notes and extracts; including his account of visit of James Forbes to Parkhurst, 29 Sept 1896, extracts from "De Imitatione", Seneca, Epictetus and Michelet, and his own notes and reflections on subjects such as jealousy, love, habit, women and marriage (16 ff.).

2 File entitled "For Life and Death" containing:-

Pictures and articles from newspapers and magazines, assembled during research for Life and Death.

Part of (draft?) manuscript of, and notes for Life and Death.

Additions and corrections for The Lewin Letters, Vol I (2 copies of printed page) and Vol II (2 copies of printed page).

Extract from Life and Death, No.85 The Death of Balzac, pp 187-8 (7 copies of printed page).

3 - 9, Series of small black notebooks (covering dates given where known) containing:-

3 Notes on financial affairs, stocks and shares, 1886 - 1913.

4 Extracts from various authors on subjects such as language, history and the derivation of names, and T.H. Lewin's own notes on these subjects.

- 5 T.H. Lewin's notes on love, women etc., and extracts from authors on these subjects.
- 6 T.H. Lewin's notes on jealousy, women and marriage, love etc.
- 7 Extracts from the Bible, especially Psalms, and from poetry and prose, mostly on human existence and death, 1887 - 1909.
- 8 Notes on genealogy (front to back) and on language (back to front).
- 9 Notes on politics (e.g. Home Rule for Ireland, foreign policy free trade, women's suffrage) and genealogy.
- 10 Alphabetical notebook, "Where is it" with names and addresses and notes on wide-ranging subjects arranged alphabetically.
- 11 - 15, diaries:-
  - 11 1911, with accounts for 1910-11 enclosed.
  - 12 1912, with accounts for 1911-12 enclosed.
  - 13 1913, with accounts for 1912-13 enclosed.
  - 14 1914, with accounts for 1913-14 enclosed.
  - 15 1915, with enclosed account by Margaret Lewin of last weeks and death of T.H. Lewin.
  - 16 Folder labelled "Parkhurst Accounts", containing miscellaneous accounts of investments, income and expenditure, 1895-1912.
  - 17 Motor expenses, 1903 - 1908 (1 fo.); with letter from Alex H.W. Kennedy to T.H. Lewin giving details of car prices, 11 Sept 1908.
  - 18 Printed booklet, "General Rules for Parkhurst Household 1890" (4 copies).

Other notebooks and diaries, and papers relating to William C.J. Lewin (William Terriss)

- 19 Red leather volume entitled "Maggie" containing poems by Margaret Lewin [née McClean], 1872 - 1924; also some poems by T.H. Lewin. In back, "Thoughts" of Margaret Lewin, 1891. Enclosed inside front cover, photograph of Margaret Lewin as an elderly woman in the garden at Parkhurst.
- 20 - 22, three diaries of Everest Lewin:-
- 20 "Diary of my stay at Hyères", (France); includes some pen and ink sketches, 25 Dec 1892 - Aug 1893.
- 21 "Diary and account book"; includes some pen and ink sketches and a newspaper cutting, 1 Jan 1894 - 6 May 1897.
- 22 Diary; includes three photographs, 11 Sept 1897 - 25 Feb 1900.
- 23 Bundle of material relating to the actor William Terriss, and his murder in 1897; (William Terriss was the stage-name of T.H. Lewin's brother, William C.J. Lewin).
- (i) Journal, The Theatre - a monthly review of the drama, music and fine arts, May 1893. Contains article, on pp 243-254, by Hartley Aspden entitled "Stars of the Stage; No.1 - Mr William Terriss".
- (ii) Envelope containing:-  
Photograph of sketch of William C.J. Lewin, uncle to the actor.  
9 photographs of William Terriss: as a boy (3); as a young man in various poses (3); as Mercutio in 1883; as Malcolm Greene and as King Henry VIII.  
Photograph of Ellaline Lewin alias Terriss, daughter of Terriss, sent to T.H. Lewin, 1887.  
Newspaper cutting "Bonnie Prince Charlie" referring to acting debut of Terriss's son Tom Herbert Terriss.  
Newspaper cutting of letter written to "Judy's Letter Box" by Ellaline Terriss, 10 Aug 1888 on "How I became an actress".
- (iii) Envelope containing newspaper cuttings referring to the murder of Terriss on 16 Dec 1897.

- 23 contd
- (iv) "In Memoriam" card given to Everest Lewin by T.H. Lewin in memory of Terriss.
  - (v) Page from Journal of the Society for Psychical Research Feb 1898, containing letters concerning Terriss's death.
  - (vi) Article from the Times, "Times Diary" concerning William and Ellaline Terriss, early-mid 1970s.  
(Ellaline Terriss died aged 100 in the 1970s.)

Letters to and from T.H. Lewin, Margaret Lewin, their family and their friends

- 24 Letter, T.H. Lewin to "my dear grandther" [?], written on his return from India, refers to Harriet Grote's death, 22 Apr 1879.
- 25 Letter, T.H. Lewin to "dear old Fred" [F.D. Lewin], discusses building lifts and family life, 24 Aug 1881.
- 26 19 letters, T.H. Lewin to Everest Lewin, while she was away at school at Roderick House, Cheltenham, then Craven Hill House, London, giving advice and encouragement (e.g. on violin playing, coping with teasing, spelling) and family news, 12 Dec 1885, Jan 1889 - June 1891.
- 27 15 letters, George Meredith to Margaret Lewin (12) and T.H. Lewin (3); personal, illustrating the friendship between the two families. Aug 1887 - June 1892; 5 Oct 1898, 25 May 1901.
- 28 8 school letters, Everest Lewin to T.H. Lewin (7) and Mabel Elliot [Everest's half sister] (1), c1889-c1891. Also note in Everest's hand "How I should like to spend Saturday evening", (no date).
- 29 Letter, Charles Daws to T.H. Lewin discussing arrangements of music for piano and other instruments, 7 Jan 1889.
- 30 5 letters Edward Burne-Jones to T.H. Lewin, giving personal news especially concerning the birth of his child c1893-c1897. Also, letter from Burne-Jones to Mrs Harriet Tomlin [née Lewin] giving his reactions to T.H. Lewin's book A Fly on the Wheel, and personal news, (no date).

- 31 Letter, Charles Lewin to "dear old Speff" [Everest Lewin], written from school [c1890-95].
- 32 Letter, William J. Down of Down, Scott, Down, Solicitors, Dorking to T.H. Lewin concerning his qualification as a magistrate, 25 Oct 1897.
- 33 c150 letters from Margaret Lewin, mainly to Everest MacDonald [née Lewin] of personal nature. Include 5 letters to Tom MacDonald and 3 to Audrey Waterhouse [née Lewin]; 2 Sept 1897, July-Oct 1905, Aug 1910 - May 1913, Oct 1916 - July 1926.
- 34 Letter, Harriet Tomlin [née Lewin] to "Effie" [Everest Lewin] congratulating her on her engagement to Tom MacDonald, 5 May 1901.  
Attached, note by Mrs Currie concerning her memories of Aunt Harriet.
- 35 13 letters of congratulation sent to Tom MacDonald on his engagement to Everest Lewin, May-June 1901, from:-
- C. Alington
  - H. Bull
  - P.A. Edmonton
  - F. Griffin
  - K.R. MacDonald (his uncle)
  - Mrs MacDonald (his mother)
  - Maurice [McLauclan?] (2)
  - Alan Murray
  - "Proby"
  - Margaret Robertson (cousin)
  - [His sister?]
- Also one unknown correspondent
- 36 70 letters, Everest MacDonald [née Lewin] to Margaret Lewin and T.H. Lewin written aboard the "S.S. Moldavia" and from various places in India (Bombay, Purtabpore, Lucknow, Mussorie, Mozufferpur) describing in detail her family and social life in India, her impressions, the progress of her husband's business etc., Oct 1903 - Feb 1905.  
Some letters have pen and ink sketches.  
Letter of 17-19 Jan 1905 includes three photographs of Neil and Ursula, her children.

- 37 Letter, Charles Lewin to Margaret Lewin; describes meeting his sister, Everest MacDonald off the boat in Bombay and gives personal news, 18 Oct 1903.
- 38 5 letters, Tom MacDonald to T.H. Lewin and Margaret Lewin describing progress of his business in Purtabpore and giving personal news, Dec 1903 - Mar 1905.
- 39 3 letters to T.H. Lewin and Margaret Lewin concerning birth of Everest's second child Neil, 26-27 Apr 1904, from:-
- Everest MacDonald  
Tom MacDonald  
Flora Robertson (cousin of Tom MacDonald)
- 40 47 personal letters, Everest MacDonald to Tom MacDonald written while he was absent from Mussoorie on business, May - Nov 1904.  
(Daily letters between 11 May and 3 June, 2 Aug and 15 Aug.)
- 41 4 photographs sent from India, 12 Oct 1904 (letter missing?):
- (i) Two European men on road.  
(ii) Everest MacDonald with Neil and Ursula, her children, and another woman with small child.  
(iii) Ursula MacDonald with another small child.  
(iv) Everest MacDonald with Neil in chair carried by natives
- 42 Letter from Evelyn C. Harris to Everest MacDonald, 10 Jan 1905, and copy of Everest's reply, both sent to Margaret Lewin by Everest, (postmark, 19 Jan 1905).
- 43 24 letters, T.H. Lewin to Everest MacDonald, mostly containing family news; also talks of his grandchildren and his feelings for Everest, June 1905 - May 1914.
- Note especially:-  
Letter describing his impressions on meeting Neville Chamberlain, 29 June 1905.  
2 letters referring to his book Life and Death, the second also discussing the political situation in Britain, 3 Nov 1910, 5 Dec 1910.  
Letter consisting largely of extract from Sir William Hamilton's "Discussion on Philosophy", 10 June 1912.  
Letter describing visit of Mary Innes Howie [née Winchester] to Parkhurst and discussing religion, 7 Nov 1912.



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- 43 contd Letter containing T.H. Lewin's views on women's suffrage with two newspaper cuttings on the subject, enclosed; 24-26 Jan 1913.  
Bundle also includes 1 letter to Tom MacDonald [2 or ??] Apr 1911.
- 44 Letter, Everest MacDonald to T.H. Lewin discussing her views on religion, her doubts about Christianity and the change in her beliefs effected by her visit to India, 21 Aug 1906.
- 45 Letter, Everest MacDonald to Tom MacDonald written at Parkhurst during her pregnancy; talks of life at Parkhurst, their children and T.H. Lewin's reaction to them, 1-2 Apr 1908.
- 46 Letter, Audrey [Waterhouse, née Lewin] to Margaret Lewin, giving personal news, 18 May 1911.
- 47 Letter A. Croft to T.H. Lewin, talking of coming coronation and giving personal news, 15 June 1911.
- 48 Letter, Reginald Wingate, Khartoum to T.H. Lewin, thanking him for a copy of Life and Death, 20 Feb 1913.  
(N.B. Wingate erroneously assumes Harry Lewin to be T.H. Lewin's son.)
- 49 3 personal letters, Tom MacDonald to Everest MacDonald, 17, 18 and 24 June 1913.  
Letter of 18 June 1913 also discusses Lloyd George and British politics.
- 50 Letter from "Lorenzo"[?] to "My dear Fastidia" [Everest MacDonald], 29 Dec 1913.
- 51 Letter, Anna [Young, née Elliot] to her mother [Margaret Lewin]; talks of a wedding and gives other family news, 1 Mar 1918.
- 52 Letter, George Bayntun, City Bookbinding Works, 18 Walcot St., Bath, to Margaret Lewin, 19 Aug 1918.  
Enclosed, typescript copies of extracts from T.H. Lewin's letters from India to his mother.
- 53 Letter, Josephine [?] to her mother [?], describing Armistice celebrations and her feelings at the end of the war, [Nov 1918].
- 54 Letter, Madeleine M. Macleod to Margaret Lewin describing her relief at the end of the war; also gives family news, 30 Dec 1918.

- 55 Letter, Tom MacDonald to Everest MacDonald concerning illness of their son Neil at boarding school, 2 Feb 1919.
- 56 Letter, Fabian von Koch to Margaret Lewin; refers to family, and common acquaintances, also describes situation in post-war Sweden and his state of health, 14 Apr 1920.  
Enclosed, photograph of Fabian Von Koch taken 1914.
- 57 Letter, "Sandy" [Canon William Macleod of Wakefield] to "My dear hostess" [Margaret Lewin?] giving personal news, 12 Aug 1920.
- 58 Letter, Fabian von Koch to Margaret Lewin concerning death of F.D. Lewin; also talks of the state of his Swedish estates and gives family news, 12 Dec 1920.
- 59 Letter, Everest MacDonald to Tom MacDonald, written from Parkhurst on her birthday; gives news of their children and of Margaret Lewin, 1 Oct 1925.
- 60 Letter, [Nearey?] A. Wilson to "Madame"[?] concerning a cook, Mrs Gale, 28 November [-] [late 19th century?].
- 61 Letter, Harriet Tomlin to T.H. Lewin; refers to a visit to Frankfurt, 15 May[?] (pre-1914).
- 62 Letter, Queenie [Lewin] to "Grandma" [Margaret Lewin] (no date, but written after death of Queenie's husband, Charlie Lewin 1919).  
Has note added from Margaret Lewin to Everest MacDonald.

Letters and papers concerning the mission at Lungleh in the South Lushai Hills, and the building of the memorial to T.H. Lewin, 1915-1926

63 - 66, from J.H. Lorrain, missionary at Lungleh:-

- 63 Letter to T.H. Lewin, thanking him for a copy of A Fly on the Wheel and writing of people and places in the Lushai Hills, 16 Oct 1915.  
Enclosed, 5 photographs of scenes in the Chittagong Hill Tracts, mounted for stereoscopic viewing and described in the letter:-
- (i) Utan Chatra Rapids, Chittagong Hill Tracts
  - (ii) Demagri, South Lushai Hills
  - (iii) Road between Demagri and Lungleh
  - (iv) Lungleh, South Lushai Hills
  - (v) Early morning

Also enclosed, letter from Saihnuna, a Lushai chief, with translation by J.H. Lorrain, 12 Sept 1915.

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- 64 Letter to T.H. Lewin thanking him for his letter and photographs, 29 Jan 1916.  
Enclosed, copy of B.M.S. Mission South Lushai Hills, Report for 1915, (printed).
- 65 ~~14~~ letters to Margaret Lewin written from London, France "on active service with the British Expeditionary Force" and "Aboard the S.S. Nagoya", Aug 1916 - Mar 1918.  
Letters concern the visit of J.H. Lorrain to meet Margaret Lewin, 1916; the proposed memorial to T.H. Lewin; the Lushai Labour Corps in France, 1917-18 and Margaret Lewin's interest in them; the possibility of a visit by Lushai men to Parkhurst to meet Margaret Lewin, 1918.
- 66 9 letters to Margaret Lewin written from Lungleh, July 1918-Apr 1921.  
Letters report on the progress of the Lewin Memorial and give news of the Lushai people and Lungleh Mission; also refer to Margaret Lewin's donation to the hospital at Lungleh and the building of a new ward there. Some contain enclosures, viz:-  
Letter, 27 Aug 1921, encloses letters from Lalhula Sailo and Saihnuna, two Lushai men, with translations.  
Letter, 22 Nov 1922, encloses letter from Sangkhuma, chief of Belkhai village, with translation, dated 3 July 1922.  
Letter, 29 Jan 1924, encloses letter from Sangkhuma, as above, with translation, dated 15 Dec 1923.  
Letter 21 Apr 1926, encloses Mission Report for 1925 (printed).
- 67 - 74, other letters and papers concerning the Lungleh Mission:-
- 67 Letter, E.W. Lorrain, manager, Norbury Branch of London and South Western Bank to Messrs. Beale and Co., solicitors to T.H. Lewin requesting payment of the £10 promised to J.H. Lorrain by T.H. Lewin as a gift, but not paid because of the latter's death, 2 Mar 1916.  
Attached, cheque for £10.
- 68 Letter, R. Fletcher-Moorhead, secretary, Medical Mission Auxiliary at Baptist Mission House, London, to Margaret Lewin thanking her for her donation to the hospital at Lungleh, 7 June 1917.
- 69 2 letters from Mabel Lorrain [wife of J.H. Lorrain] to Margaret Lewin; 20 Jan 1919, 3 Aug 1919.

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- 70 2 photographs, in envelope dated 10 Nov 1923:-  
(i) "Lushai Missionary Group"  
(ii) "A Group of Evangelists and Pastors [all native]... supported by the Lushai Church"
- 71 Letter, K.W. Blinkworth, civil surgeon, to Margaret Lewin, thanking her for her gift to the Lewin Memorial Ward at Lungleh Hospital; describes wards and nursing arrangements, 5 May 1924.
- 72 B.M.S. Mission, South Lushai Hills, reports for 1915, 1921 and 1922 (printed).
- 73 Empty envelope addressed to Margaret Lewin by J.H. Lorrain, postmark 16 Feb 1917. ✓
- 74 Foreign and Colonial Parcel Post certificate of parcel sent to Sangkhuma at Lungleh with list of items sent, 9 Feb 1923.
- 75 - 77 letters and papers relating to the building of the Lewin Memorial in the Lushai Hills:-
- 75 Correspondence concerning the Memorial, discussing proposals for its design and reporting on its progress and the difficulties encountered, Apr 1917 - May 1921. Consists of c30 letters written mainly to Margaret Lewin; also several of her draft replies and copies made by her of letters received. Some letters contain enclosures. Correspondents include:-  
Colonel John Shakespear  
Henry Francis Brown of Kilburn Brown and Co., London  
Major A. Playfair, Superintendent of the Lushai Hills until 1917  
H.A. Colquhoun, Superintendent of the Lushai Hills 1917-1919  
Sir Charles Lyall at the India Office  
Auchdale Earle - official in Assam  
Tom M. MacDonald  
W.L. Scott, Superintendent of the Lushai Hills from 1919  
Sir R.P. Ashton of Kilburn, Brown and Co.  
N.D. Bealston Bell - official in Lushai area  
(items arranged in chronological order)

- 76 Drafts, sketches and rough notes for the memorial and its inscription, by Margaret Lewin, consisting of:-
- (i) Three drafts of inscription for the memorial.
  - (ii) Draft summary of T.H. Lewin's life and achievements, especially relating to his work in India.
  - (iii) As above, with wording slightly altered.
  - (iv) Three pencil and pen and ink sketches for the proposed memorial.
  - (v) Ink sketch of memorial with draft address, "Men of the Hills Greeting..." by Margaret Lewin.
  - (vi) Draft dedications to be written in copies of A Fly on the Wheel and Life and Death sent to J.H. Lorrain.
  - (vii) Page of rough notes.
  - (viii) Four empty envelopes some with jottings by Margaret Lewin.
- 77 Photographs of the Lewin Memorial:-
- (i) Plaque and inscription for the memorial (photographs mounted on card, 2 copies).
  - (ii) The memorial from a distance (large, 3 copies; smaller 7 copies).
  - (iii) The memorial from close-up (large, 6 copies).

Paintings, photographs and illustrations

78 - 81, four watercolours:-

- 78 "Tanhurst" by T.H. Lewin, 1879.
- 79 "Lyme Regis Cobb" by T.H. Lewin; 1883.
- 80 "The bottom of the High Street, Lyme Regis before the Old Caps [?] Hotel was burnt down" [by T.H. Lewin, according to Mrs U. Currie].
- 81 "View from Wancleff House near Lyme Regis"; artist not named, but possibly T.H. Lewin or Margaret Lewin (title in Margaret Lewin's hand?).
- 82 Miscellaneous drawings and sketches in folder labelled by Mrs Currie "Whimble Whambles by T.H.L.", containing:-

- 82 contd
- (i) Pencil sketch of two horses by T.H. Lewin, 1856.
  - (ii) Pen and ink, and wash sketch in black and red of Temple Grove School badge [?], with various mottoes and Charles Lewin's name written on, 1891.
  - (iii) Pen and ink and wash picture of fish and spiders, for Charles Lewin, dated Parkhurst, 7 Oct 1894.
  - (iv) Pen and ink, and wash picture of grotesque faces with rhyme.
  - (v) Trigonometry problem [worked out by T.H. Lewin for son Charles?] with humorous sketch (in pencil).
- 83 Lewin family and other photographs of the 19th century:-
- (i) Burleigh House, Acre Lane, Clapham 1856, with T.H. Lewin's mother and sister Bella [Isabella] sitting in the garden.  
Has note by T.H. Lewin that house was "where my father died".
  - (ii) Mrs W. [C.J.] Lewin and two of her children F.D. Lewin and Jeanie [Jane] Lewin.
  - (iii) Fanny Elssler and her daughter Theresa, afterwards Mme. Von Webenau.
  - (iv) Harriet Grote [née Lewin] as an elderly woman.
  - (v) Frances Von Koch [née Lewin] as an elderly woman.
  - (vi) "Aunt Frances's tomb in Sweden" [Frances Von Koch].
  - (vii) Edward Bernard Hale Lewin (enlargement of photo taken c1871).
  - (viii) Bankes Tomlin [husband of Harriet, T.H. Lewin's sister]
  - (ix) Rev. W. Ward Jackson, M.A., J.P., of Normanby Hale [son of R.W. Jackson and Mary Lewin], taken 1861.
  - (x) The Friend family ready for riding.
  - (xi) George Burton ("Taddy") Friend, born 1879.
  - (xii) Fabian Von Koch, his wife Isabella and their children, taken at Falun, Sweden, July 1892.
  - (xiii) Charles Williams, 1888.
  - (xiv) George Herbert [not George Herbert Lewin] and his Dover musical party, 1888; with concert programme.
  - (xv) Lieut. [Francis Hutchinson] Lewin R.N. son of F.D. and Christina Lewin, taken 1900.
  - (xvi) Photographs of girls' school production of "The Antigone" with Everest Lewin in centre; with programme for the production dated 20 May 1879.  
(see letter from T.H. Lewin to Everest, 3 July 1889, in Ms 811/IV/26.)

- 84 Large green card file labelled "Parkhurst Photographs", containing photographs of Parkhurst and the family of T.H. Lewin, and other miscellaneous items.

Photographs:-

Views of Parkhurst and Abinger, Surrey, and its gardens (2 postcards and 9 photographs).

Margaret Lewin as a young woman (reproduction of painting); with her children by her first marriage Anne, Daisy and Mabel Elliot; with Daisy; as a young woman; as an older woman and in the garden at Parkhurst (6 items).

T.H. Lewin and his family making music at Parkhurst, 1892.

Everest Lewin as a girl with dog and cat.

Family group at marriage of Everest Lewin to Tom MacDonald.

Outside Abinger Church at wedding, as above.

Audrey Lewin and Nicholas Waterhouse at their wedding at Parkhurst.

Everest MacDonald as a woman, reading.

Audrey Lewin as a woman.

Margaret Lewin, Everest and Queenie at Parkhurst.

Group with bicycles at Parkhurst.

Charlie Lewin in military uniform.

Charlie Lewin.

Queenie Lewin [née Barlow-Webb], (photograph of painting).

Sir William Lister and his wife at Lyme Regis.

Mrs Margaret Meredith [née Elliot, (Daisy)] (photograph from magazine).

Prints of 19th century French paintings:-

"Francesca d'après le tableau de M. Zezzos".

"L'heure de la rentrée", watercolour of J. Geoffroy.

"La fête de la grandmère après le tableau de M. Pinchart".

Prints of military figures from "Supplements" to the Graphic:-

"The 6th (Inniskilling) Dragoons - a serjeant in marching order" by Charles Green, R.I.; 19 July 1890.

"The Royal Engineers - a sapper in marching order" by Frank Dodd, R.I. 16 Aug 1890.

"Chasseurs à pied" - from painting by A. de Neville.

Also:-

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contd
- Pencil drawing of horse's head and shoulders; "Prize drawing T.H. Lewin, Addiscombe 1856".  
Sheet of music "The Mother's Andante" composed by T.H. Lewin, 12 Apr 1862.  
Pen and ink sketch, "Fashions to be seen in polite society", artist not known.  
Rhyme by "Wm W", written on Parkhurst notepaper.
- 85
- Smaller green card file of photographs of Parkhurst, and T.H. Lewin and his family; also contains a letter:-
- Margaret Lewin at Everest's wedding at Parkhurst (2 views, 3 items).  
Outside Abinger Church at Everest's wedding.  
Family group at Everest's wedding.  
Parkhurst garden with visitors, at wedding of Audrey Lewin.  
Parkhurst entrance drive at a family wedding.  
T.H. Lewin and his family making music at Parkhurst (3 copies, 1 mounted and with note by Mrs U. Currie on Margaret Lewin's children by her two marriages), 1892.  
Everest as a young woman (2 photographs).  
Audrey as a young woman.  
Charlie Lewin as a boy.  
Charlie Lewin and another in a car.  
T.H. Lewin as an elderly man.  
T.H. Lewin and Margaret Lewin with Ursula MacDonald.  
Margaret Lewin (4 photographs).  
Parkhurst, various views (1 postcard, 2 photographs).  
Pedestal and dial at Parkhurst.  
John McClean - father of Margaret Lewin (2 copies).  
Aunt [Muriel?] Bidder.  
George Bidder.  
Photograph of portrait of a woman, possibly Mrs Mary Lewin [née Friend].  
Letter from Henry Browne to T.H. Lewin, 18 Sept 1911; with enclosed two photographs:-  
    "Henry Francis Browne, 1 Aug 1909"  
    "The Lodge, Devonshire Place North, N.W"  
(Henry Browne was a friend of T.H. Lewin and uncle of Tom MacDonald.)
- 86
- Box labelled "Old Prints" containing c150 engravings, prints, photographs etc., assembled by T.H. Lewin to be used as illustrations for his book Life and Death.



Miscellaneous

- 87 Copies made by T.H. Lewin of four letters to him from Lady Eastlake (31 Dec 1884, 19 Jan 1885) and John Ruskin (27 Jan 1885, 12 Feb 1885) concerning A Fly on the Wheel, and of two poems by Margaret Lewin (1 fo.).
- 88 Four pages from a notebook of T.H. Lewin.
- 89 Extract from Benjamin Jowitt "Regarding prayer...", made by T.H. Lewin.
- 90 Note by T.H. Lewin that "Thomas Lewin and his wife sought guidance", dated 17 Oct 1906.
- 91 Note by T.H. Lewin on his brother's comments on religion.
- 92 Poem by G. [K.] Chesterton, copied by T.H. Lewin.
- 93 Note by T.H. Lewin on love.
- 94 Drawing of wheel of fortune, with predictions in an unknown hand; with note by T.H. Lewin of events of 1890.
- 95 Copies made by Margaret Lewin of two letters from Sir Corbet Woodall:-  
(i) to T.H. Lewin, on Woodall's work and the war; 3 Dec 1915.  
(ii) to Margaret Lewin, on the death of T.H. Lewin, 17 Feb 1916.  
Woodall's signatures have been cut out and stuck on the copies by Margaret Lewin.
- 96 List of T.H. Lewin's poems and stories, made by Margaret Lewin.
- 97 List made by Margaret Lewin of sketches by T.H. Lewin and herself; with envelope labelled "Our sketches in bedroom".
- 98 List made by Margaret Lewin of some of contents of T.H. Lewin's papers.
- 99 Copy made by Fabian Von Koch of letter from Count Sparre, Swedish ambassador at Paris, to his wife concerning the death of Louis XIV, 2 Sept 1715; copy included in letter to T.H. Lewin, dated 2 Feb 1912.

- 100 Envelope containing:-
- (i) Pencil sketch of a man and a woman in Edwardian dress.
  - (ii) Watercolour of an English garden.
  - (iii) Notice of new voting regulations, 1918 (printed).
- 101 Printed sales particular for the Hollies, Halfway St., Bexley, Kent, due to be sold 22 June 1891.  
Refers to members of the Lewin family and includes two photographs and a plan.
- 102 Various newspaper cuttings:-
- (i) Concerning sale of various Kent estates, Sept 1884 (source not given).
  - (ii) from the Athenaeum, 21 Aug 1897.
  - (iii) from the London Gazette, 30 Jan 1900, containing despatches from Lord Kitchener and Sir Reginald Wingate on the death of Khalifa Abdulla el Taaishi.
  - (iv) Concerning retirement of Sir Alexander Mackenzie as Liberal Candidate for Plymouth (no date or source given).
  - (v) On early career of General Stevenson (no date or source given).
  - (vi) Several cuttings with serialization of autobiography of Mrs Asquith, from the Sunday Times 1920.
- 103 Notebook containing poems of M.H. McClean, c1854-c1894.  
These are possibly of Margaret Lewin [née McClean], although the writing is unlike hers.
- 104 Two empty envelopes labelled by Margaret Lewin "Poems and Manuscripts" and "T.H.L. pencil drawings".
- 105 Page from Abinger parish magazine, May 1919 (refers to cross in Charles Lewin's name).
- 106 Burial service book for Ellen McClean, wife of Francis McClean, 7 July 1909.  
Enclosed photograph of John McClean [father of Margaret Lewin].
- 107 Two pairs of spurs.
- 108 Two [Indian seal matrices?].
- 109 Drawing of insect by A.Lister, 4 Nov.1884 'Acarus Campestris or Leptus Autumnalis'.

Books

Works by T.H. Lewin

- 1 The Hill Tracts of Chittagong and the Dwellers therein with comparative vocabularies of the Hill Dialects (Calcutta 1869).
- 2 Wild Races of South-Eastern India (Allen, London 1870).
- 3 Hill Proverbs of the Inhabitants of the Chittagong Hill Tracts (Calcutta, 1873).  
6 copies, including proof. 3(vi) is bound with An Account of the Koch Bihar State (1876).
- 4 Progressive Colloquial Exercises in the Lushai Dialect of the "Dzo" or Kuki Language, with vocabularies and popular tales (Calcutta, 1874).  
2 copies, one containing two photographs loose inside back-cover, "Kuma fighting force, line attention" and "Barrack and cook sheds".
- 5 A Manual of Tibetan, being a guide to the colloquial speech of Tibet in a series of progressive exercises prepared with the assistance of Yapa Ugyen Gyatsho a learned lama of the monastery of Pemiongehi (Calcutta, 1879). 2 copies.
- 6 The Lewin Letters, a selection from the correspondence and diaries of an English family 1756-1855, Vol II (London 1909).
- 7 The Lewin Letters..., Vol I, third author's proof, 17 Mar 1909.
- 8 The Lewin Letters..., Vol II, third author's proof, 24 Mar 1909.

Works by other authors on India and Indian languages.

- 9 J. Beames, Outlines of Indian Philology, with a map showing the distribution of Indian languages (Calcutta 1867).
- 10 M.W. Carr, A Collection of Telugu Proverbs and Sanskrit Proverbs, printed in the Devanagan and Telugu characters Madras, 1868).
- 11 M.W. Carr, A Supplement to the Collection of Telugu Proverbs containing additional proverbs, an index verborum and an index to the European proverbs quoted in illustration (Madras, 1868).

- 12 H.T. Colebrook (transl.) Daya Bhaga of Jimuta Vahana, a new edition with an appendix by Girish Chundra Turkalankar (Calcutta, 1868).
- 13 J.N. Cushing, Grammar of the Shan language (American Mission Press, Calcutta 1871), with dedication "Col T.H. Lewin from Robert Cust 18/2/80".
- 14 J.S. Gamble, List of the trees, shrubs and large climbers found in the Darjeeling district, Bengal (Calcutta, 1878).
- 15 B.H. Hodgson, Essays on the languages, literature and religion of Nepal and Tibet together with further papers on the geography, ethnology and commerce (London 1874).
- 16 W.W. Hunter, A Comparative Dictionary of the Non-Aryan languages of India and High Asia with a dissertation (London 1868).
- 17 H.A. Jaeschke, Romanized Tibetan and English Dictionary (Kyelong, 1866).
- 18 E.H. Man, The Lords Prayer translated into the Bojingijida or South Andaman (Elakabeāda) language, with preface, introduction and notes by Lieut R.C. Temple (Calcutta, 1877).
- 19 F.Max Müller, Max Müller's Handbooks for the Study of Sanskrit; a Sanskrit grammar for beginners (London, 1866).
- 20 Brojo Nath Shaha, A grammar of the Lushai Language (Calcutta, 1884).
- 21 John Shakespear, The Lushei-Kuki Clans (London, 1912).
- 22 R.B. Shaw, A Sketch of the Turki Language as spoken in Eastern Turkistan, Kashgar and Yarkand, Part I (in two parts) (Calcutta, 1878).
- 23 Colonel G.B. Mainwaring. A Grammer of the Rong (Lepcha) Language, as it exists in the Dorjeling and Sikim Hills (Calcutta, 1876).  
Other works in T.H. Lewin's collection.
- 24 Choderos De Laclos, Les Liaisons Dangereuses ou lettres recueillies dans une société et publié pour l'instruction de quelques autres (London, 1797).
- 25 E. Fitzgerald, Euphranor, a dialogue on youth (London, 1903).
- 26 Homer, The Iliad, Vol I, books 1-12 (Greek and Latin) (Glasgow, 1819).

- 27 . George Meredith, The Shaving of Shagpat, an Arabian Entertainment (London 1903).

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- 28 Bound volume of pamphlets and articles entitled "Parkhurst Pamphlets 1905" containing:-

Fabian Essays in Socialism ed. George Bernard Shaw (1889).

E.R. Russell, "Minority Representation" - paper read at the Parliamentary Reform Conference, 1883.

Proportional Representation Society, various papers 1885, 1888 and 1872.

W.E.A. Axon, "John Ruskin, a bibliographical biography" reprinted from Papers of the Manchester Library Club, Vol V (1879).

William Molesworth, "Materials for a speech in defence of the policy of abandoning the Orange River Territory", 1854.

J. Westlake, "International Law, an introductory lecture" delivered in the University of Cambridge, 1888.

G.P. Bidder, "On Mental Calculation" reprinted in 1866, from the Proceedings of the Institution of Civil Engineers, 1855-6.

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J.Y. Buchanan, F.R.S., "Historical remarks on some problems and methods of oceanic research", paper read at meeting of the Royal Institution of Great Britain, 1903.

J.R. McClean, "The true meaning of  $\phi$  on the coinage of Magna Graecia", reprinted from the Numismatic Chronicle, 1907.

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31 Dr A. Campbell, Superintendent of Darjeeling "Notes on Eastern Thibet" with sketch map of route to Lhasa (no date or source given).

32 Julian James Cotton, Madras Civil Service, "Tranquebar" from the Calcutta Review, April 1898 with on back cover, notes by T.H. Lewin on Danes in India.

33 As above, "His Majesty's Regiment de Meuron" reprinted from the Calcutta Review, 1903.

34 As above, "Anjengo" (no date or source given).

- 35 R.K.D., "Tibet" (pp 154-168 from unknown journal, no date).
- 36 Lieut.Gen. Sir Arthur P. Phayre, "Coins of Arakan, of Pegu and of Burma" The International Numismata Orientalia, III part 1 (1882).
- 37 "Chandernagore" from the Calcutta Review, Oct 1899 (incomplete and author not known).
- 38 3 "Supplements" to the Sphere, 5 Dec 1903, 30 Jan 1904, 9 Apr 1904; articles on the British in Tibet.

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- 39 J. Fyvie, "A Radical Lady of the Last Generation" from the Temple Bar Magazine Dec 1900, an article on Mrs George Grote, 2 copies.
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- 45 The Times Broadshets, nos. 139-144 (short articles on various subjects, no date).
- 46 E.A. Reynolds Ball, "Shelleys Italian Villa, Casa Magri, and its neighbourhood" (pp 121-124 of unknown journal).
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