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To Wear or Not to Wear? That is the question under it all!



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DREAM TOUR

ONE BUS LOAD - AND A LOT OF LAUGHS

DREAMS CAME TRUE WHEN A GROUP of 32 people left Halifax, Nova Scotia for Scotland in August 1987. In the words of the organizer Don Jardine "The group was composed mainly of Jardines' but we had a sprinkling of others just to keep us honest".

Stopping only at Culzean Castle and Burns country they made their way to Dumprinsshire and were given a guided tour of Jardine country of Annandale by our genealogical secretary, Violet.

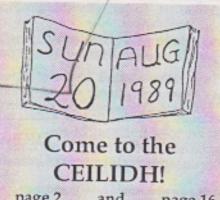
For some clan society members this and the Gathering turned out to be the highlight of the tour. At times it felt as though they were taking a step back into history. They were told the village school at Corrie, which had just closed, had served the community since the early 1700's so some of their ancestors would have done their lessons there.

Sheep and cattle could still be seen and heard in nearbyfields as they would have been all that time ago.

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New Tartan

Chief's Design ready to take



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the fashion world by storm

This issue marks the launch of the new Jardine tartan to go alongside the one we have been wearing for the past 12 years.

It has a strong pattern of green and red lightened by pale lines. Branch conveners are being sent a piece to circulate to members overseas. UK members may apply to the secretary.

Sir Alec designed it himself when he heard that dancers wearing the brown tartan were losing marks in competitions, not because their steps were imperfect but because their tartan did not stand out in a crowd.

"I worked out the design on a computer," he told CLANLINE. "It took a bit of time to get the hang of it but it is certainly quicker than the old way with coloured pencils and paper."

Clan society members can benefit from lower costs by placing their orders together. "It costs us more to cut and pack several four yard lengths for individual kilts than to send say 20 yards to a clan centre," explained Mr Mackie at Strathmore Woollen Mill in Forfar.

The first bolt is heavy weight worsted for kilts and tough skirts. This would be followed by a lightweight one for evening clothes, caps and ties if there is enough interest and demand.

Mr Mackie told CLANLINE that he would prefer to take individual orders for handsewn kilts. "We would send out forms for measurements from members who enquire," he said.

The tartan is on general sale. Sir Alec, as designer, gets a small commission which will be paid into the clan society account,

Sir William, our late chief, first became aware of our brown-based tartan in 1976 when someone asked if they could wear it. Sir William changed the black background to blue and added sky blue and red over-stripes before registering it at the Court of the Lord Lyon. Since then it has sold well to clan society members only.

Our new tartan is registered with the Lord Lyon and copyrighted in Forfar.

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PROGRAMME CLAN GATHERING 1989

Sunday, August 20

The programme will be roughly:

9.45 a.m. Bus leaves Hotel *
10.15 a.m. Church Service
11.15 a.m. Visit Spedlins

4.00 p.m. Assemble, Genealogy, etc. 5.30 p.m. Annual General Meeting 7.00 p.m. Lockerbie British Legion Pipe

Band

7.45 p.m. Dinner and Ceilidh

Midnight Close Down

on Saturday, August 19

you might like to take a MYSTERY TOUR of Dumfries and Galloway

Price up to £4.00 per person

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family and friends.

*The hotel has a limited number of bedrooms but we have been able to reserve them all for us. Please book directly with Mr Griffiths at the Kirkconnell Hall Hotel, Ecclefechan, Lockerbie, Dumfriesshire. Tel: Ecclefechan (05763) 277 or 265.

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ancestors who would have leased their land from the estate owner.

The group were even given a clue why these ancestors may have left such beautiful countryside by a young woman with two children who commented "I get very lonely up here. The winters are long and we don't get into town (Lockerbie) that much". Imagine how lonely it might have been in the days before the automobile.

Next day was the Gathering. One of the group takes up the story: "It was thrilling to meet so many clansmen from all areas of the world. The fun, fellowship, dancing, food, bagpipes, singing during the Gathering all set the mood for a fabulous time together.

"The Scottish people were so friendly and the countryside so clean and beautiful".

The group put this dream-come-true into verse in a poetic rendering not too far removed from the works of William McGonagall, Scotland's ultimate bad poet.

We gathered Clan from near and far Some came by plane and some by car In Halifax a splendid view The Jardine Clan and touring crew

We all cleared customs with no fuss And found John Bryan with the bus

A true Scotsman we heard exclaim Irish only in his name He proves to be a helpful lad Jokes of many, some quite bad

We had excellent weather Contrary to what Hazel would say The scenery was beautiful And made our hearts gay

With camera and his video too

Dr Philip stays in view We must behave and act just right And try to remain out of sight

On the way to Spedlins, the road was not so good When John first saw our young chief, he called him "Robin Hood" When we got to Spedlins, we told him not to make a peep So when he made a snide remark, Don locked him in the keep

The clan Jardine unfolded fame
The Campbells must defend their name
For at Culloden and defeat
The Scots were forced into retreat
But Arthur boasts their victory
And to their King their loyalty

We had a stop at Glencoe Where the Campbells had a fest They murdered all the MacDonalds And laid them all to rest

Single track roads, narrow streets, worries we put aside For with John there is trust, we sit back and enjoy the ride

May God give you real good health that some day again This happy gang will come your way to say "Hello" and hear that jolly "Aye", Amen

Oh Lordy, Lordy, Lordy, we're sad this tale is done
It's been a great experience for each and everyone.

Note: It was great to see you and hear how much you enjoyed touring Scotland as a group.

- Alec

FROM CHAIRPERSON TO CONVENER

At the moment the clan society has branch chairmen if they are male and chairpersons if they are female.

This seems a bit daft when there is a very good Scottish word, used already within some branches, to solve the problem.

The word is "convener". Sir Alec suggested it should be adopted and this was agreed at the 1988 annual general meeting.

AUSTRALIA

A gathering of clan society members was like one big family occasion, says Kathlyn Christie of Dingley Village, Australia.

Travelling many kilometres to Horsham, about 300 kilometres north west of Melbourne, 35 people felt they got to know each other very well in October 1987.

They are hoping to get together again in Melbourne towards the end of 1989.



'Robin Hood'

GREAT LOSS with John's death

John W. Jardine's death early in 1988 came as a stunning blow to the clan society in America.

John, of Brea, California, had just taken over as U.S. Commissioner. His aim was to help the society expand in the U.S. so that there was a large enough membership for exciting and worthwhile gatherings.

His first targets for new branches were the central states around Michigan, southern states around Louisiana and northern states around Utah.

Publicity was the key to attracting more members, he said, and he was busy working on this. He wanted people to enjoy belonging to our society and to find it a valuable source of information about their families.

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TOP AWARD FOR SOLDIER



Part-time soldier William Jardine was given VIP treatment in December 1987 when he received a certificate of meritorious service with the volunteer army catering corps.

He was the only one of his 600-strong unit to receive the award.

Watched by his wife, Elma, Sergeant Jardine received the award from the Queen's representative in Dumfries and Galloway, Captain John Milne-Home.

This was a wonderful end to a year that started with near-tragedy for Elma and William. Their daughter Julie, son-in-law Peter and their baby granddaughter Carly were feared drowned when the ry Herald of Free Enterprise capsized in the English Channel.

Elma and William waited anxiously for news and were overjoyed to hear the family was safe. Carly was the youngest survivor.

Now the certificate can hang in pride of place in their home in Dumfries and Carly, nearly two, lives close by with her parents. "Peter has come out of the army and is working near here," William told CLANLINE.

Clan together and put us to the test.

The subject of Scotland's clan heritage is a highly complex and specialised one.

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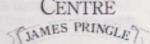
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JARDINE COLLECTION

The Ewart Library in Dumfries will be home to a new - and we hope growing - collection of printed material belonging to the Jardine Clan Society.

Following a suggestion at this year's Annual General Meeting, Arthur Jardine approached the Librarian about the idea. He was told that the Library authorities would be pleased to add to their reference section a number of the books and typescripts of family histories and historical notes at present in the care of Violet Jardine, the genealogical Secretary.

Other items could include typescripts or photocopies of lists of Jardine names extracted from records such as the Old Parochial Registers.

Violet said "The material which will be deposited in the Ewart will be items which have come from different sources. They would be used - for reference purposes, not for loan - by people researching Jardine families. I shall add material periodically as it becomes available.

"In the case of family histories supplied by members, I would check with the member concerned that he or she would be willing for the history to be placed in the Library."

The availability of the collection at the library will mean that members visiting the Dumfries area can use Clan Society sources in a convenient location.

MISSING LANCE

A Nova Scotian Jardine is looking for information about two Lancelot Jardines, one a Glaswegian stonecutter and the other his grandson who came to Canada in the 1850's and cannot be traced further.

William Jardine of 118, Skyridge Avenue, Lower Sackville, knows that Lancelot Sr was married to Annie Porter from England and in 1815 they had a son, Thomas.

Thomas worked as a stonemason, a licensed victualler and a contractor. He married Margaret Browdreth or Brandreth and they lived in Fleetwood, England where they had three children, Annie Sarah, Lance and Jane.

Margaret died and Thomas married Ellen Patterson of Glasgow on November 5, 1851 in Liverpool.

Some time between 1851 and 1858 the family moved to Canada and Thomas and Ellen had three children, Thomas, Ellen and William. Ellen died on August 30, 1874 and Thomas her husband died the following February. They are buried in lot #149, Riverside Cemetry, New Glasgow, Nova Scotia.

Lance is not listed as living with his father and stepmother in Halifax in the 1861 census. He witnessed his younger sister Jane's wedding in 1867 and this is where the information ends.

Lance is said to have died young and if anyone has further knowledge of him or his grandfather, William would be pleased to hear from you.

**Central States convener Suzanne Jardine-Orr may have some answers - see Violet's genealogical news

BIRTHS

Kaitlin Ann FARRELL born December 30, 1985, the daughter of Justin and Paula Jerris Farrell and granddaughter of Virginia Jerris, Massachussetts.

Kevin Andrew GULLIKSON, born February 24, 1987, son of Carol and Gary Gullikson and grandson of Vernon and Jeanne Tollefsrud, Maine, USA.

Jean Maule JARDINE, born January 30, 1988, daughter of Alec Maule and Mary Beatrice Jardine and granddaughter of Anne, Lady Jardine.

Eric Warren TOLLESFRUD, born October 14, 1986, son of Steve and Cindy Tollesfrud, another grandson of Vernon and Jeanne, of Maine (see GULLIKSON above)

MARRIAGES

It is with pleasure we record the marriage of Dr David Lewis Jardine, of New Zealand, to Ruth Andrews in Abington, Oxfordshire, England on September 19, 1987.

GOLD & SILVER WEDDINGS - see page 8

MEMBERS' NEWS

DEATHS

James A. GARNER, of Christchurch. Jim was a founder member of the New Zealand branch and was a popular figure at meetings.

Mrs M.E. HART, in 1988, of Dromore, County Down, Northern Ireland.

Noel Benjamin JARDEN suddenly on August 30, 1987, of Levin, New Zealand. He is survived by his wife, Beatrice.

Dr Alexander JARDINE, on August 30, 1987 in Sun City, Arizona - see obituary.

Mrs Alma JARDINE, wife of Mr James D. Jardine of Auckland, New Zealand, suddenly. Branch members enjoyed meeting her at a gathering in Hamilton.

Charles Jeffrey JARDINE on April 17, 1988, of East Sussex, England. He is survived by his wife Barbara.

Mrs Pretoria 'Cis' JARDINE, of Lacombe Alberta, Canada, on January 8, 1988 at the age of 86 years. She is survived by her husband William, one son, four daughters, 12 grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren and her sister, Margaret Kerr of Dumfries, Scotland.

Eldora JARDINE, on September 7, 1986, sister of Autice Jardine, of Maine, USA.

Henry JARDINE, on December 4, 1987, husband of Mrs Grace Jardine, of Auchtermuchty, Scotland, and father of Mrs Shona Gorrie, of Crieff, Scotland.

Mrs Ida M. JARDINE, of Red Deer, Alberta, Canada - see obituary.

Margaret Auld JARDINE, on December 15, 1987, formerly of Hanwell, England.

Marion JARDINE, on December 16, 1987, formerly of Stepps, Glasgow, mother of Mrs Jean C. Nelson, Penrith, England.

W.F. JARDINE, suddenly on October 23 1987, of South Dunedin, New Zealand - obituary.

Colonel Arthur JARDINE PATERSON, on February 8, 1988, of Dumfriesshire, Scotland - see obituary.

OBITUARY

Dr ALEXANDER JARDINE

Alex Jardine was our first US Commissioner and held the post until shortly before his death in August 1987.

He was born on September 25, 1904 in Scotland and was raised near Terre Haute, Indiana, where his father was a mining engineer.

He graduated from Indiana State University and received his doctoral degree from Columbia University. He was superintendent of the South Bend Community School corporation between 1955 and 1966 when it underwent a \$32 million expansion in facilities for handicapped people and in the vocational studies it offered.

He then taught in the graduate program at Colorado State College until he retired.

In 1978 he and his wife Margaret came to Concord, Massachussetts to support the efforts of Jardines' who wanted to form a family group. Due to this initial support the group was able to play host to our late chief, Sir William, when he and his wife visited the US, and the North Eastern States branch was formed.

He leaves his wife, a daughter Charlotte Barber of Denver, and a son William, of Springfield, Illinois, and five grandchildren. We hope the family will keep in touch with the clan society.



JOHN W. JARDINE

The untimely death of John W. Jardine on April 29, 1988 robbed the Jardine Clan Society of its second US Commissioner within a year of his taking up the post.

He succeeded his uncle, the late Dr Alexander Jardine, last year.

John was applying to the clan society in the US his considerable experience in business as a registered professional engineer.

He was born on February 28, 1937 in Rensselaer, Indiana, the son of William Crooks Jardine who came from Bothwellhaugh, Scotland. His grandfather, also William Jardine, was born in Carlisle, England and worked as a collier for the Duke of Hamilton.

In 1959 John gained his BSEE with high honours at Rose Polytechnic Institute, Indiana. He then worked as a principal engineer on test instrumentation electronics for military systems with the Interstate Electronics Corporation in California. He also served with the US Army Corps of Engineers in 1962.

In October 1979 John married Kathleen Irene, a descendant of the Walker family from Derbyshire, England.

His hobbies included collecting stamps, coins and antiques and he was happy working with stained glass and wood. He also enjoyed Scottish country dancing.

We send our warmest wishes to Kathleen with thanks for John's contribution to the clan society and hope she will keep up her attachment with us.

Mrs IDA M. JARDINE

Ida was 96 when she died and she was an accomplished musician. She first played in public at the age of 14 on the organ in the Presbyterian Church in Mansfield, Ontario.

She moved with her parents to Alberta in 1909 and spent the rest of her life there. Her son, Donald G. Jardine, was formerly chairman of the Alberta branch of the clan society. One of the proud moments of Ida's life was when she met our late chief, Sir William, and his wife at Donald's home in Ponoka.

Her other son, George Douglas Jardine, and daughter Vivian I. Jardine Benner both live in British Columbia. Our sympathies go to them all with a welcome to the clan society.

Obituary (Cont.)

LIEUTENANT COLONEL ARTHUR JARDINE PATERSON OBE, TD, JP

The death of Lieutenant Colonel Arthur Jardine Paterson on February 10, 1988 marked the end of an era for the clan society.

"Colonel Arthur" was the close and trusted friend who supported, advised and helped our late chief, Sir William, to set up the Clan Council when the society was first formed.

The loss of an arm while serving with the Kings Own Scottish Borderers during the Second World War earned him the affectionate title "One Armed Bandit". Apart from having difficulty tying a bow tie and carving the Sunday joint there was nothing he could not do.

This great ability to overcome handicap encouraged many who had to adapt to living without a limb.

After the war he farmed successfully at Skairfield, not far from Balgray, Lockerbie, where he was brought up in traditional Jardine country.

In a lifetime of goodhumoured service to the community he held many appointments in Dumfriesshire in general and in Lockerbie



in particular. For example he was president of the Dumfries and Lockerbie Agricultural Society from its formation in 1962 until 1987 and chaired the Justices Committee and Lockerbie Savings Bank.

He served on Dumfriesshire County Council and Dumfries and Galloway Regional Council for 22 years and maintained his links with the regiment, latterly serving as commanding officer of the 5th Battalion of the Territorial Army.

As Lord Lieutenant he was the Queen's representative in the region from 1982 and was responsible for two official visits by the British Royal Family.

Colonel Arthur leaves his wife, Fearne, and daughter Elizabeth to whom we send our sympathy and a welcome to all clan events.

The Kirk, the Name, the Parish

The day of our international gathering starts with a service in Applegarth parish church and members walk round the graveyard to find the names of ancestors who have been buried there.

This issue of CLANLINE seemed a good moment before the 1989 gathering to delve back in time to find out how long the church had been the centre of life and death for Jardines.

The oldest reference to a religious foundation near the present kirk comes on a map showing the field in front of Applegarthtown Farmhouse as the site of an old monastery. This suggests that the place was important when Christianity was first preached in Annandale.

A stone like an ornamental cross used in Roman Catholic churches was dug up in the manse garden in the 1950's but it has since vanished. The other possible link with a monastery is that it may have been called Brumescheyed, one of a number of small religious houses grouped round a main monastery at Hoddom.

FITTING

The exact site of Brumescheyed (brume being a tract of land covered by broom, scheyed being a place near a watershed or dividing) has never been identified. However it would be a fitting description for the site of the kirk we know.

The name Applegarth does not appear in a book commissioned by King David in 1120 but you can find it in records in 1190. The Anglian translation seems to be an 'orchard enclosure' or apple garden.

The old Celtic word 'aper' or 'aber' meaning the meeting of two rivers, in this case the Annan and the Kinnel or the Nethercleugh

Mr W.F. JARDINE

Mr Jardine, who died at the age of 89, was a retired engine driver with New Zealand Railways and a retired engineer with Dunedin Gasworks. He had a wonderful memory and walked upright even though he was half blind.

He was a keen gardener and sportsman, belonging to the St Kilda Bowling Club in Dunedin. When he partially lost his sight he was a member of the Royal New Zealand Foundation for the Blind until his death.

He leaves his daughter, Miss A.P. Jardine, of South Dunedin, New Zealand, to whom we send warm wishes and an invitation to the clan society. The Anglo-Norman Humphrey de Gardino was granted Applegarth by the Brus, (ancestors of Robert the Bruce), and in the Norman fashion he built a mote or stronghold, parts of which you can still see at the foot of the manse garden. Near this there would have been a wooden chapel for worship. Humphrey died in 1194.

SIEGE

It may have been a wooden building but around that time many chapels were built of twigs or branches woven or plaited into a hedge then plastered with clay. This was surrounded by a stone wall. The space between the walls was used as a burial ground.

King Edward 1 is believed to have stopped at Applegarth on his way to besiege Caerlavrock Castle in July 1300, and left an oblation of seven shillings. This was a lot of money but not enough to comply with a 13th century Church Councilordination that all parish churches were to be built of stone - if parishioners could afford it. Applegarth did not have a stone kirk for a very long time.

The parish appears to have become a focal point for Jardines by the 17th century. Parish tax records for 1691 list 23 Jardine surnames while there was only one in the adjoining parish. Land records for Dumfriesshire between 1703-32 show 45 Jardines holding land, all but four of them in Applegarth parish.

CARDS

Several Dumfriesshire parishes started keeping records of births, christenings, marriages and deaths around 1750 and Applegarth has a large number of Jardine entries.

Applegarth Church as we know it today was started in 1760 when it was probably low-roofed and dark and parishioners had to bring their own stools to sit on. It is said that the real Christian-minded folk sat as close to the pulpit as they could while others took their stools to the back corners and slept or played cards.

Victorian ideals and money changed all this in 1885. Sandstone from the Jardine quarry at Corncockle was used to add four feet to the height of the walls all round, the floor level was raised, and new wood panelling, two fashionable round windows and a heating system were put inside. It was topped out with a new roof and the congregation paid the £1200 bill.

Note - If you cannot find the name you are searching for in Applegarth it is worth looking in the records of neighbouring parishes such as Dryfesdale, Hoddom, Dumfries, Hutton and Corrie, Thundergarth, Eskdalemuir, Ruthwell, Lochmaben and Wamphray where Jardines also lived.

SCOTLAND ON HOLIDAY

An Indian playwright, Dallant Dargo, wrote in a visitors book at Aberfoyle, Perthshire

"I know Scotland through Shakespeare's Macbeth.

In spirit, in essence, in psyche, it is the same -

Mists, heather, mystery, power, beauty."

Whether you come to Scotland for a dreamy holiday in misty glens and ghost-filled castles or solely to research your family history the Jardine Clan Society can help you find the way.

The chances are that you'll find how much good modern music, art, comedy, sports and industry there is in Scotland developing energetically alongside the history.

SOUTH WEST

Small companies specializing in tailor-made holidays for groups or individuals are waiting to meet you off the aeroplane, give you the holiday you've always wanted and wave goodbye at the airport at the end of your stay.

They're called ground handlers and the ones we met were bursting with enthusiasm to plan holidays for people with a particular interest in genealogy and south-west Scotland.

Iain Slinn of Hospitality Scotland sent us an itinerary that might suit Jardines coming to Scotland for the International Clan Gathering in Inverness in May 1989 or our own Gathering in August. Iain has a soft spot for Dumfries and Galloway because he used to run the area for the Scottish Tourist Board.

His sample tour has been sent to each branch convener and the commissioners in case you want to think more about it.

In Edinburgh Anne McLachlan at Gaynor Travel said this family-operated business will match a programme to the budget and heritage interests of individuals or groups.

Destination Scotland from Greenock offer



you the chance to try sports ranging from curling on ice to gliding through the air. Sandra Boothman told us each group negotiates its own terms. The New York representative is Mary Gatherer.

Patricia Erskine-Hill at <u>See Scotland Tours</u> in Glasgow said they were delighted to deal with unusual requests - "we haven't been stumped yet!".

JAZZ

Scotland has much to offer visitors beyond the beaten track of well-known castles, lochs and battlegrounds but often people are so busy getting round them that there is no time to find out what is going on close by.

If good jazz is a treat then listen to <u>Dave</u> Batchelor and the <u>Batchelors</u> of Jazz,

For those who love gardens, the peace and tranquility of <u>Edzell Castle</u> with its beautiful walled gardens is unmatched anywhere in the country and it is only a short journey from Glamis.

You can get a different view of Scottish dress and heraldry at the <u>Clan Tartan Centre</u> at Leith, Edinburgh. With more than a quarter of a million visitors a year it must be the biggest "clan gathering" in the world.

It is worth visiting small galleries and exhibitions to see how artists and embroiderers are working in the different "schools" that are developing in Edinburgh, Glasgow, Perth, and Dundee. Some new techniques are being pioneered and some of the work is extremely funny so you do not need to know anything of the history of art to appreciate it.

QUALITY

These are some ideas you might suggest to a ground handler or take a look at yourselves. Here is a range of suggested places to stay if you are planning your own tour.

Gleneagles Hotel, lying deep in the Perthshire hills, cannot be beaten for high prices or for the sheer quality of what is on offer within easy reach of Edinburgh and Glasgow. Once there you have the finest Tay fishing, superb golf courses, the new Mark Phillips Equestrian Centre and the Jackie Stewart Clay Pigeon Shooting School, as well as the expected gym, pool, saunas, jogging tracks, tennis and squash.

At the other extreme Scotland's six universities offer single and double bedrooms throughout July and August for about £13 a head with Scottish breakfast. Only Strathclyde in Glasgow and Heriot Watt in Edinburgh have private bathrooms.

Herald House Hotel in Edinburgh has just been refurbished and already has a clan tour booked for 1989. It is situated opposite a leisure centre.



Ben Mhor Hotel in Grantown-on-Spey is well placed for skiers, golfers, fishers and the whisky trail, and you find the Balmacara Hotel beside Lochalsh with views of Skye and the Cuillin Hills.

Hospitality Inn manager Alastair McMurrich would be pleased to see you when you are in Glasgow.

In Dumfriesshire members have stayed in comfort at <u>Hetland Hall Hotel</u> by Carrutherstown and at the <u>Cairndale Hotel</u> in Dumfries where they have just installed a jacuzzi.

If you go to any of these places do mention that you heard about them here.

Whatever you do and wherever you stay please let CLANLINE know about your trip - and bon voyage!



LONG SERVICE AWARD

William Jardine, of Lacombe, Alberta, has been awarded a life membership in Eurika Masonic Lodge for his long service to that organisation.

Many members of his family attended the presentation by Lodge officers at his home. Sadly his wife 'Cis' died before that.

Bill was born in Dumfriesshire, Scotland. He joined the Masonic order in April 1934 and was awarded a 50-year jewel in 1984.

DID YOU KNOW?

Film star Doris Day was once married to AL JARDEN?

SPEDLINS TOWER

Yorkshireman, Mr. Nick Gray plans to move from London to Spedlins Tower as soon as the final work is completed - and he can get his furniture up the narrow spiral staircases!!

LETTER FROM THE EDITOR

Dear Readers,

THANKYOU for all the photographs and stories you have sent for inclusion in CLANLINE and for the excellent branch newsletters. It has been hard to select items for publication, and disappointing to have to leave some out.

With interesting material like this and more advertising CLAN-LINE is all set to expand next year. Please let me know what you would like to read about because the more members who are involved the better the magazine becomes.

Looking forward to hearing from you!

Mary

ROCKET!!

It has been brought to my notice that some members have not updated their standing orders from the original £2. Would the guilty parties please recognise this and do the necessary amendments before they get a letter from the treasurer and a rocket from the editor for not reading CLANLINE!!

PLEASE CHECK YOUR STANDING ORDER

SCOTS - LINE

The Flying Scotsman Steam locomotive arrived in Australia on October 12 for a seven month tour.



We specialise in the handling of groups coming to Scotland.

So, when next you and your friends wish to visit Scotland, contact us. We arrange ALL aspects of your tour and even your requirements in the territory of Sassenachs to the south!

Whether there are five or 50 of you; whether you wish a chamber orchestra serenading you at breakfast or just the sweet smell of a Loch Fyne kipper: we will oblige!

Ours is a detailed and personal service operating to very high standards. The more complicated the request the more we enjoy being of service to you.

Clan Gatherings in Scotland: why not form a small group? Drop us a line with your preferences and requirements and we will fire off an estimate and detailed Itinerary for your consideration. We have a number of ready-made packages, but our best tours are tailor-made to suit your specifications.

We know our Haggis: so 'mac siccar' and write, right now!

To: Iain Slinn, Hospitality Scotland Ltd, "Scotia House", 48 Glenburn Drive, Inverness IV2 4NE. Telephone 0463 23704 (24 hours), Telex 937400 (attn: Hosp Scot), Fax 0463 230869 (attn: Hosp Scot).

WHOLESOME HAGGIS

You hear the toast to it at Burns' suppers -

Great chieftain o' the pudden race -



so here's the recipe for a wholesome dish using the most nutritious bits of mutton, the basis of many Scottish recipes. (Beef is the other meat used often in Scots cooking, pork and pig are rarely found).

You will probably not be able to get a sheep's stomach to cook your haggis in but it is easier to use commercially made plastic bags because you can then make them the size you want.

This is taken from a traditional recipe and needs long cooking. It can be easily adapted for microwave or pressure cooker although I for one would be nervous of the bag exploding!

You need:

liver, lights and heart of a sheep
1 big cup oatmeal
2 onions
225 g (8oz) shredded mutton suet
salt and black pepper
herbs such as garlic, rosemary or thyme (optional)
1 bag or sheep's stomach

Put the protein-rich meat in a pan of cold water, bring to the boil and simmer for an hour and a half. Keep the water in case you need it.

Toast the oatmeal on a tray in the oven or under a grill then blend it roughly together with the meat, suet, salt, pepper and herbs. Keep the mixture slightly moist using the liquid the meat was boiled in.

Fill the bag a bit over half full leaving room for the mixture to swell. Close bag securely (you used to have to sew it), put it on a trivet or saucer in a large pot of hot water and as soon as your haggis begins to swell prick the bag with a skewer to prevent it bursting.

Boil it for three hours, making sure there is always water in the pan, then serve it with a gravy or any moist vegetable such as creamed potatoes and bashed turnip.

The quantities given here serve between six and eight people.

ADDED ADS FOR CLANLINE

THE IDEA that people might want to advertise in CLANLINE seemed strange at first, but it is a good way to help cover the costs of preparation and postage.

Then it dawned on us that the magazine circulates to 700 people with an active interest in Scotland past and present and all Scottish connections throughout the world.

Here are the rates in case you find someone in the hotel, heritage or tourism business who would like to take space:

half page £100 quarter page £55 70x80mm box £25 (add 15% VAT for UK only)

MEMBERS CAN ADVERTISE FREE

If any member would like to advertise in CLANLINE they can publish their message for free in up to 40 words - so long as it is legal, decent, honest and truthful!

GOLD AND SILVER WEDDING



Robert and Blanche JARDINE threw open the doors of their house in Freetown, Prince Edward Island, and welcomed guests to celebrate their Golden Wedding Anniversary in April 1988. The next day there was a special church service at the Freetown Presbyterian

Congratulations to Bob and Ursula JARDINE. They celebrated their Silver Wedding Anniversary on August 31 this year. Its been a year to remember for the family, with Bob's parents, Norman and Amy JARDINE of Wales, celebrating their Golden Wedding. (see tree on page 10)

Mr and Mrs Thomas Ramage JARDINE celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary on July 29, 1988. Thomas, of Motherwell, Scotland, sent CLANLINE this reminder of the importance of the family tree -

It hangs on the wall, and in wonder I gaze At this intricate tapestry. A panorama of people who go to make up My ancestral family tree, Portraying those kin whom I never met Yet whose blood and genes I share, Pioneers and soldiers and artisans Are all depicted there.

Some of them lie in a foreign land, Others 'neath their native sod, But all stood for right, against tyranny's might,

And freedom to worship God. Three hundred years plus are depicted there, Before my searching eyes. Ancestors of mine, both young and old, Confirming family ties.

Great great grandparents, grand uncles and

Other relatives by the score. Mostly unknown, yet ever dear, Now cherished even more. Pictures of families, families Linked by a common thread. Now in my heart and mind they live. No longer are they dead.

Those dates and names, so long obscure, So clearly now I see. Each one, - a milestone in my research, -Enriching my family tree One last name, mine, I now must add, Trusting that there will be Someone who will cherish the past and preserve Our ancestral family tree. TRJ

DUMFRIES & GALLOWAY FAMILY HISTORY SOCIETY (FHS)

This newly formed society (which is the "local" FHS for the Jardine homeland), already has 200 members, and has published two newsletters. If you are interested in joining, here are the details:

Subscriptions for 1988/9 (October to September) are £6.00 for ordinary members,

INCOME

£7.50 for family membership, and £5.00 for pensioners and students under 21.

The Treasurer of the FHS is Mrs Moira Aitken, Bridgepark, New Abbey, Dumfries DG2 8HH, and the Secretary is Mrs Eva Adamson, 39 Roberts Crescent, Dumfries DG2 7RS.

JARDINE CLAN SOCIETY BALANCE SHEET AS AT 1st AUGUST 1988



| INCOME | | EXPENDITURE | | |
|--|--------------|--------------------|----------------------------|-----------|
| The state of the s | | Postage | | 85.85 |
| Cash in hand | 5.74 | Newsletter & Me | lewsletter & Membership Li | |
| | | List | 171.00 |) |
| Balance at Bank | 1364.93 | Newsletter | 1118.25 | |
| | | Labels | 31.15 | |
| Subscriptions | 1244.81 | | | 1320.40 |
| | | Gathering | | |
| Sale of goods | 1208.73 | Hetland Hall | 875.00 | |
| | | Pipe band | 50.00 | |
| Gathering 1987 | 1170.88 | Dance Band | 95.00 | |
| | | Artistes | 30.00 | |
| | | | | 1050.00 |
| | | Stationery & Prin | ting | 62.10 |
| | | Refund | | 7.50 |
| | | Secretary | | 8.17 |
| | | Tartan (D. C. Dalg | gleish Ltd) | 708.38 |
| | | Bank | | |
| | | Current Account | | 513.59 |
| | Baltimus has | Deposit Account | a delete in | 1239.10 |
| | £ 4995.09 | | | £ 4995.09 |

CASH CRISIS MAY ROCK MEMBERSHIP

Clan society finances are in a disastrous state. Our dues must go UP - but this could mean membership going DOWN.

The grave financial news came from our treasurer, Tom Jardine, at a special executive meeting called by Sir Alec.

Tom said there were no reserves of cash in a deposit account to provide a sound financial base for the society's worldwide membership. There was an urgent need to bring in some money now, he said.

The meeting agreed that this year the dues for each member, including spouse and children under 18 will be £5. Life membership will be £60.

There are to be some changes to reduce the burden on members in future.

From now on:

- * All life membership dues will go on deposit -
- CLANLINE will have advertising -
- * A small percentage from sales of the new tartan designed by Sir Alec will go into clan society funds -
- * Members will have to pay for their own sightseeing trips at the Scottish gathering

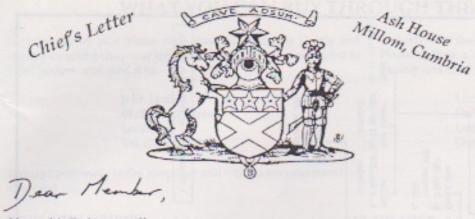
However CLANLINE can reveal that response from overseas branches is not fa-

Murray Jardine in Australia said "By the way, the fees increase could just have a dampening effect on membership here. Our current fee is \$10 which leaves us with a couple of dollars. Other clan societies charge \$10-\$12, but they are Australian-based with no governing body in Scotland so their fees remain here. It is a problem."

Ruth Hayward in Massachussetts registered her own complaint and said "It appears that the dues raise is related to the plans for a two-day meeting and I fail to see why the dues are used to subsidise to that extent."

Isabelle Henry in Los Angeles said they pay \$88 to advertise in the 'Highlander' and the 'Scottish American' but if they have to raise their own dues they may only get \$75 income. "We seem to be the only branch that advertises in the two journals but I think it is vital to let people know of our existence,"

Sir Alec replies - Chief's letter page 9



I hope this finds you well.

It's been a rocky year so I'll try and explain what's been happening.

Having been in charge for two years I asked for an executive meeting in April to discuss finance and future plans. It was then that Tom Jardine, our treasurer, gave the bad news. Our reserves had hit rock bottom and there had to be a big effort to raise money and cut expenses.

This confirmed the decision taken at the 1987 AGM that annual subscriptions have to be £5. However it was agreed at the 1988 AGM that life membership should be £60 rather than the decided in 1987.

Cutting expenses is the way to improve matters in the longer term. Mary and I have produced this CLANLINE largely on our new computer and we have been trying to attract advertisers. We were warned we'd be lucky to get 10 ads from 1,000 mail shots - this year we have got three ads from 200 shots which is encouraging.

The special meeting also agreed that tours of Dumfries and Galloway should not be funded by the society so that those who do attend are not subsidised by those who do not.

It is impossible to get the finances for this or any other organisation right in one year. I would like very much to reduce the dues when Tom feels the position is stable.

The death of our US Commissioner John Jardine was a great blow but I am sure his successor Bill Cook of California will be able to carry on the restructuring so that members can really enjoy belonging to the society. I hope Bill and I will meet other than on the phone in the near future. My grateful thanks to Isabelle Henry for coping in the meantime.

Now I come to the good news - the first bolt of the new tartan is ready to roll and lengths can be ordered from Strathmore Woollen Mill in North Street, Forfar, Scotland. Alan Jardine of bundee wore the first kilt made of it when he was best man at his brother's wedding in June I hope there will be more to be seen at the 1989 Gathering.

My mother at Little Dyke and Mary and I at Ash House are always happy to welcome members to our homes but please contact us before you arrive.

Best wishes for Christmas and the New Year and I hope to see you in August. We'll toast to absent friends too, for auld lang syne.

Yours till we meet, Alex M. Saroline of Applegioth.



BIG BOOK BIG PRICE!

An impressive volume called "Jardines of Australia" covers a wide field of interest for Australians. News from New Zealand is that it would be an expensive exercise to get it but they are keeping it in mind. Any other details like the name of the publisher would be useful.

WE WERE THERE IN 1987!

but some escaped the list.

Miss M. H. Snow Mrs Garn & friends Mr Tom Jardine Mr & Mrs Hewson Mr & Mrs J.A.L. Peck Misses Jardine Barnish Mrs B. Pontifex Rev David & Mrs Jardine Mr R. Jardine Mr J. & Mrs G. Jardine Mr & Mrs Arthur Jardine Mrs M. Hastings Mr & Mrs H. Cross Mr & Mrs J.W. Phillips Mr D. & Mrs M. Jardine Mr Don Jardine Mr J.H. & Mrs S. Jardine Dr C.K.H. Jardine Mr & Mrs H. Willis Mr K. & Mrs D. Jardine Mr & Mrs B. Jardine Mrs J. O'Bray Mr & Mrs McArthur Mr & Mrs Thompson Mrs M. Hayward Mr & Mrs A. Campbell + Danny Mrs M. McVeigh

Mr & Mrs D. Jardine Mr & Mrs R. Jardine Mr & Mrs W. Jardine + Carolyn Mr & Mrs D. Jardine Mr & Mrs D. lardine Mr & Mrs R. Holvoke Mr & Mrs C. Jardine Mr & Mrs E. Benner Mrs I. Henry Mr & Mrs J. Jardine Mr & Mrs P. Jardine Mrs H. Calbeck Miss K. Jardine John W. Jardine Mrs A. Jardine Mr & Mrs D. Jardine

Mr & Mrs A. Marion

David Jardine

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P.I.E., Canada
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Bill and Vera Jardine (left of picture), Deputy Mayor and Mayoress, are presented to His Royal Highness the Prince Edward on his arrival in Beccles, Suffolk.

WHAT YOU CAN BUY THROUGH THE CLAN SOCIETY

If you order by post please state your requirements clearly and enclose a sterling cheque or international money order made out to John Jardine, and send it to: You can order the Jardine clan society tartan (brown) from Sir Alec. Please enclose a sterling cheque made out to The Jardine Clan Society and send it Sir Alec at:

John Jardine 69/73 High Street Lockerbie Tel. (05762) 252 Little Dyke Dalton Lockerbie Dumfriesshire DG11 1DU

If you go personally to the shop they will want to see your membership card.

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|---|-------------|--------|---------------------|
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| Tartan Tie | £5.20 | £5.50 | £6.50 |
| Blue Tie with Crest | £4.40 | £4.90 | £6.00 |
| Tartan Headsquare | £5.80 | £6.55 | £8.00 |
| Tartan Scarf | £4.30 | £4.50 | £6.50 |
| T-Shirt with Clan Crest | | | |
| Childrens 24" - 30" | £4.40 | £4.70 | £5.50 |
| Adult's S, M, L, XL | £5.50 | £6.00 | £6.50 |
| XXL to special order | £7.70 | £8.20 | £8.70 |
| Pair of Candles, boxed (bottle green, red or white) | £2.20 | £2.70 | £3.25 |
| Tartan Cushion Cover 11"x11" | £5.60 | £7.90 | £7.90 |
| Tartan Cushion Cover 15"x15" | £7.70 | £11.90 | £11.90 |
| House Flags 5'x3' | £35.00 | £37.00 | £40.00 |
| Book Plates (pkts of 20) | £1.20 | £1.40 | £1.75 |
| Cassettes of pipe & fiddle music | £6.60 | £6.85 | £7,00 |
| For USA and Canada members from: | | | |
| Archie Jardine | \$9 + \$1 | | |
| 45 Magellan Bay | postage | | |
| Winnipeg, Man. R3K 0P7 | Lasmer | | |
| FROM SIR ALEC | | | |
| Clan Tartan by the yard 56" wide | £11.50 | £12.75 | £16.00 by sea |
| see page 12 for the new tartan | 211.50 | 21275 | £17.00 by air |

GENERAL MEETING FOR 1988

Here is a summary of matters discussed at the AGM at clan society headquarters, Little Dyke, on August 21, 1988. Little Dyke near Lockerbie is the home of our vice-president Ann, Lady Jardine.

APOLOGIES

Captain R. Cunningham-Jardine, Mr William Jardine, Sir Andrew Jardine Bt, the Rev. David Jardine and Mrs C. Anderson regretted they could not be at the meeting.

MONEY

Those present agreed yearly subscriptions should remain at £5 as decided at the previous AGM but life membership should be pegged at £60, not £75 proposed in 1987.

Treasurer Tom said he was receiving standing orders for varying amounts. He had £1239.10 on deposit and £513.59 on current account and last year CLANLINE, the membership list and address labels cost £1320.40.

ConvenerSir Alectold the meeting he would

produce CLANLINE himself this year to cut costs. He proposed that the magazine should carry advertisements.

RESEARCH

Violet, our genealogical secretary, suggested that the Ewart Library in Dumfries should be asked if clan society literature could be displayed there.

GATHERING

Arthur, executive committee convener, undertook to find out about bus trips to interesting places in and around Dumfries on Saturday, August 19, 1989, and to arrange the social evening the following day at Kirkconnell Hall Hotel, Ecclefechan.Sir Alec said he would ask the new owner of Spedlins if we could visit the Tower.

CONVENERS

Everyone agreed that the word "convener" was better than "chairperson".

The full minute will be available for inspection at the 1989 AGM or on request to our secretary, Mrs Hastings.

CORNY STORY FROM OKLAHOMA

Have you heard the one about the American Jardine from Oklahoma who got bitten by the genealogy bug?

"Pappy" he said, "I'm going home to Scotland to discover my roots".

"Son" said his pappy, "there's no need. I've already gone back till your ancestors were swinging in the trees",

"You mean right back to the apes?" asked his astonished but delighted son.

"Nope, cattle reivers!"

O.B.E.

The name of James Turnbull Jardine appeared in the New Year's Honours List for 1987/88. Congratulations to James, Head of the Physics Department at Moray House College of Education, Edinburgh, who is now an Officer of the Order of the British Empire.

Jardine Tartan Price List Overseas and U.K. Business effective until the 30th June 1989 or until further notice.

| Quality | Width | Weight (running) | Weight (M²) | 30yd/m and over | 16yd/m to 30yd/m | Up to 16yd/m |
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| £ per yard (U.K. inc. VAT) | 56" | 15oz | | C12.50 | 24.400 | MIND INC. |
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| - parameter (or cases) | | | | £13.40 | £13.94 | £14.49 |
| B. New T7 Boosted 100% worsted | d Skirting | | | | | |
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Clan Gathering 1987

We apologise to the Reverend David Jardine for errors in his poem printed in 1987 and

CAPTAIN Ronnie Cunningham-Jardine, an executive committee member of the clan society, has been appointed Vice-Lord Lieutenant of Dumfries and Galloway.

This means he is second in command to the new Lord Lieutenant who has succeeded another clan society member, the late Colonel Arthur Jardine Paterson.



"The Lord Lieutenant is the Queen's representative in the region so when he's away I stand in for him," said Captain Ronnie who sounded delighted with the commission.

As well as taking the salute and conferring medals on occasions when Her Majesty cannot attend, he will have to hand out Royal telegrams at hundredth birthday and diamond wedding celebrations.

He will have to wear uniform and gongs when there is a Royal visit. "It takes years and years to get someone, they're trying to get a Royal to open Dumfries bypass in three years' time but they'll have to find some other events to make it worthwhile," he said.

The appointment places some restrictions on the movements of Ronnie and his wife Theresa. "I am not allowed out of the country while the Lord Lieutenant is abroad. In fact he's away from December to April so if anything happened in that time I would have to stand in," he said.

"And I'm not allowed to be involved in anything political."

WE WERE THERE AS WELL IN 1987!

Mrs I. Jardine Lower Largo Mr M. Jardine Nova Scotia Mr & Mrs J. Meeke Mr & Mrs M. Jardine Nth. Ireland Paisley Sir Alec & Lady Mary Jardine Mr & Mrs Tom Jardine I Dumfries Mrs M. Burns P.I.E., Canada Mrs S. Frost Toronto Mr & Mrs P. Jardine Bristol Mr & Mrs Newport Mr & Mrs A. Jardine Mr & Mrs S. Jardine Bristol Winnipeg Winnipeg Mr Ian & Allan Jardine Miss V. & Mrs I. Jardine London Peebles Ann, Lady Jardine Mrs C. Anderson Isle of Mull

Was there a moment in that festive day to make it stand above the common run

are happy to present it as it should be -

to make it stand above the common run in corporate memory? a fleeting incident that would be talked about and wisely

in stately billiard halls and homely kitchens on sundry sides of earth embracing oceans?

Not, I suspect, the solemn sacred service in the old whitewashed church of Applegarth -

surrounded by its host of stately graves inscribed with worthy names of ancestors where the young Laird the ancient truth declaimed,

that help is not from mountains but the Lord;

and the bold minister set forth the day of grace

before the crowded gathered congregation.

Nor yet the visit to the ancestral home of towering rusty sandstone, springing tall from unsuspecting field and forest front; now saved from ruin by a craftsman's skill and, through the vision of an able owner, restored for habitation in a century far different from its stern and ghostly prime.

The business of the year - financial state, increasing costs, a sale of property; fresh genealogies; the chief's prerogative of a new tartan, heatedly discussed; greetings from distant branches of the clan, and presentation of a treasured book - these formed the necessary matter of the day.

Then into dinner on a lordly scale, with Highland pipers brave in rich array of bearskin, scarlet, tartan, going before to scare the foe and rally the wilting hearts of clansmen and their loyal families; followed in turn by flings and stately steps and melodies of a score of nation's songs, until all spirits flagged, and tested friends with those new-made protested auld lang syne.

But all is not yet done. For memory stays, to turn and re-turn every moment's turf and dig foundations for a treasure-store. Two incidents form a base, of women both: first was the caring of a Commonwealth clan member who, though sharing the chilly

of those awaiting entry to the Tower, gave up her outer garment to a young mother with child - the Lady of the Clan.

Another also met a need with grace, when news came through that he who should

have spoken
to the assembled gathering of the clan
was suddenly prevented by distress.
So to the platform stepped a Scottish lady
in azure dress with tartan shawl and clasp,
who for an untold time held all enthralled
with tales of ancestry and high adventure
stretching from homeland to the furthest

shores

to recreate a past with present involvement and future promise through a book to come.

Past, present, future met upon this day too vividly at once to fade away. DAVID JARDINE

| Dear Mrs Hastings, |
|---|
| Thank you for the invitation to the 1989 Gathering in Scotland on Sunday 20th August. |
| I can/cannot attend. |
| I shall be accompanied by |
| |
| and we shall be staying at |
| I/we would like to attend the Church Service, the AGM, the Ceilidh. |
| I enclose £ as contribution to the cost of the evening. (see page 16) |
| Yours sincerely, |
| Name (in block capitals): |
| Address (in block capitals): |
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VIOLET'S PAGE

HOW TO FIND COUSINS!

The family trees which are printed on pages 10 and 15 are the visible evidence of several years' hard work by two keen family hisorians, Clan member Bob Jardine of Stockport, Cheshire, and Renee Peck of Fareham, Hampshire. Renee, whose husband Alastair is a member and Bob have proved that the trees are linked together.

Bob's great-great-great grandfather William Alexander Jardine was the brother of two of Alastair's great-great grandparents James and Thomas. James's daughter Ann married Thomas's son William. Details known to Bob and Renee about their respective sides of the family pointed to a connection-but the proof had to be painstakingly sought.

The generation in question lived in the years before census records were compiled and before the introduction of statutory registration of births, marriages and deaths, which came in 1885. These trees are numbers 96 and 115 in the clan society records.

To prove that William was the brother of James and Thomas, Bob turned to lesserused records for his research -including the land records of Scotland (the Sasines). The following note about these records might be useful if you are searching for an ancestor thought to have owned property or to have been a tenant.

The details come from the Scottish Record Office leaflet No. 17 (<u>Early Family History</u>) which is available from HM General Register House, Princes Street, Edinburgh EH1 3YY. This leaflet lists other useful sources which help to identify earlier generations, including the Sasines "twin", the Register of Retours, also known as the Service of Heirs. One of the good things about these registers is that access to them is free at the Scottish Record Office.

The Register of Sasines (land register of Scotland).

This is a record of the transfer of heritable property, including quite small pieces, by inheritance, purchase or other means. The General Register of Sasines covers the whole country, the Particular Registers relate to the sheriffdoms and certain other local jurisdictions. In a few cases particular registers survive from a pilot scheme of 1599, but most of the others, and the General Register, date from 1617. Indexes are available for the General Register and for the Particular Registers for the period. The Register of Sasines takes account of the rights of proprietors only, but tenants are often mentioned as the occupants of the land in question.



Many thanks to the members who have kept meup-to-date with their family history news this year. I'd like to share some of their stories with you.......

 Mrs Betty Gardiner Harris, of Western Australia, has collected and collated a record of her family from 1656 - 1986, called "The Gardiner Saga". Betty has also written a centenary history of Midland (the town where the Gardiners settled in 1904). I am most grateful to her for sending copies of these works which are a fine record of her researches.

-Mrs Mary Jo Jardine, who is secretary of the Florida, USA branch, has written to tell me that her husband John William's mother, Mrs Christine Gillies Jardine, has reached the wonderful age of 104 years.

- Mrs Sue Jardine-Orr, newly-appointed Convener of Cenral States Branch, USA, sent in her family tree which bore the unusual name of Lancelot - and enabled me to link Sue's branch of the Jardines to Family Tree number 77 in our files. In No. 77, Lancelot was a family name amoung the ancestors of one of our Canadian Clan Society members, William Jardine in Nova Scotia.

IN NEXT YEAR'S CLANLINE

*Read the full story of the thrilling hike of Jessie, wife of our New Zealand convener Dickson Jardine, over some of New Zeal land's wildest territory. With packs on their backs she and two friends made their way roped together over an icefield. Then one of them slipped, Jessie almost lost her foothold but managed to recover her balance and pull her friend to safety again. "I glanced back down that slippery ice that could have taken us with such uncertain results all the way to the bush line".

We have the full story with maps, pictures of Jessie and her friends, and an extract from the account of the discovery of that tortuous pass in 1909.

*GHOSTLY - the true story of the ghost haunting Sir Alec.

*Life in 19th century England - the times of a cotton spinner and country gentleman -James Jardine, great great uncle of poetess Miss Nancy Jardine-Barnish.

*CURRY FLAT - Australian home of five generations of Jardines since 1841 when Dumfries born William Jardine took some bleak and barren land and began to transform it into one of the best run properties in the area today.

*Reports of clan society activities worldwide: *The Atlantic Provinces Branch Gathering over July 8-9, 1988

*The North Eastern States Branch banquet and Gathering in Maine on August 19 and 20, 1988

*The Santa Rosa Games where many members were hoping to meet up

PLUS stories about what you have been doing, pictures of you and your family, the impressions of Scotland you take home with you from the Scottish Gathering -

CLANLINE 1989.

What would you like to see or do at a future Gathering?

Here are a few ideas. Please tick your first and second choice in each column.

*Music

any other

Jazz Traditional Scottish Palm Court Pop/Disco Folk

*Activities

Competitions such as welly wanging youngest person present Have a go at the bagpipes any other

*Entertainment

Story telling Comedian Dance demonstration any other

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Even if you are not coming to the 1989 Gathering please let us know the sort of programme you would like to have or be part of using this form.



Welcome to all new members! WHO'S WHO IN THE JARDINE CLAN SOCIETY

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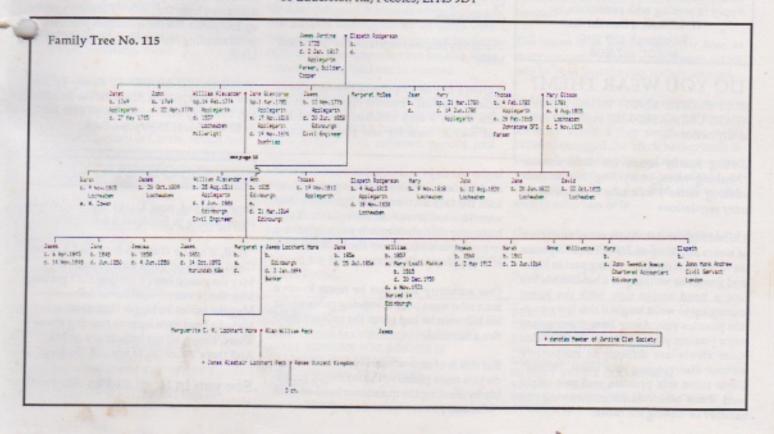
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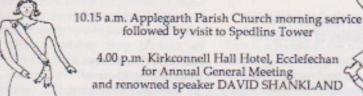
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in Dumfriesshire on Sunday 20th August 1989



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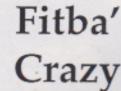
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Please reply on form on page 13 before August 1, 1989 Contribution to dinner and ceilidh £10 per person £8 per person for families of four or more

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SANDY JARDINE has been playing for top Scottish football clubs for more than 20 years and now he's managing the Edinburgh team, Heart of Midlothian.

While George Best and Jinxy Johnston have had their flashes of inspired playing and faded from the limelight, Sandy has been playing steady first class football chalking up full caps and more finals than there are clan societies.

The Sandy Jardine story is told in "Score and More".

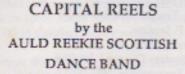
It gives a fine description of two decades of Scottish football - and the characters in it with Sandy's own conclusions about the best way to train for and play top grade date. He ended up winning the Scottic Football Writers' Player of the Year award for the second time and played "some not bad football" (his words). In 1988 it's back to the drawing board, with

Hearts trailing in the Premier Division having won only one of the first nine matches. Sandy now has no doubt that big, big money helps in the competition to buy ace players so the principles he sets out in the book are being tested.

He doesn't yet seem to have lost the appetite for the game and the urge to compete. All the training in the world would count for nothing without that, he says.

Sandy's not ready to start spending more time away from the pitch. "Football's got its up and down but the managers just have to go on scouting and training," he told CLAN-LINE.

"SCORE AND MORE" by Sandy Jardine and Michael Aitken, Mainstream Publishing, 7 Albany Street, Edinburgh EH1 3UG £9.95 hardback, £5.95 paperback



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DO YOU WEAR THEM?

MOST PEOPLE KNOW WHAT A MAN WEARS UNDER HIS KILT but many can hardly believe it.

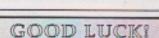
Skirting hastily round the stock answer ("Nothing worn, everything in first-class working order") let's take a cool look at army regulations.

A kilted highland soldier is out of uniform if he wears anything under it. The exceptions are when he is dancing, taking part in highland games or working as a bandsman. See how a band marks time with the knees coming up to waist height if this last exception puzzles you. Away from the sergeant major you can please yourself. I'm told that boxer shorts are difficult to manoeuvre without disarranging your outfit. "Bikini" shorts solve this problem and you might need them when dancing, throwing the hammer or tossing the caber.

In the old days underclothes were unheard of. Men wore their shirts long enough to knot the tails between their legs when they went into battle without their plaids. If you have your shirts tailormade you might want to get some with at least the back tail long enough for you to sit on.

One authority says that he never knew a man who went back towearing pants under his kilt once he had given the military practice a fair trial.

But this is of course hearsay. Whatever you do you must preserve the mystique, probably by meeting the questioner head on with "Madam, you are welcome to check".



New Zealand poet David McKee Wright wrote a song to finish with a flourish -

"Well, it's time that this song had a finish: Good night and good luck to you all! May they soon have a job that ain't got one, May the prices of wool never fall: May the tallies be bigger than ever, May the head-race keep on running strong-There, chaps, all the ballads are ended And there's nothing to say but "So long!".

See you in Scotland in August!



football. Money, he says, doesn't buy a winning team.

Although losing out on the League and the

Cup in 1985-6 was hard to swallow he found

the season the most enjoyable of his career to