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## James Bonar Papers

**Identity** code

**Bonar Papers** 

**Description level** 

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Sources Summary The collection has been re-catalogued onto Modesplus following the organisation into sections by an unidentified cataloguer sometime after 1976. The five letters from Foxwell to Bonar which make up section 1 were sent by Bonar to J.M. Keynes in 1938. He presumably presented them to the Marshall Library at a later date. The means of acquisition of the remainder of the collection is unknown. Section 5 was added in August 1998, having been previously uncatalogued and stored in the reception area of the Library.

Section 1 - correspondence re British Economic Association, later Royal Economic Society. Section 2 - papers relating to Indian Civil Service examinations in economics,

correspondence with J.N. Keynes, ICS publications. Section 3 - correspondence and papers re syllabus and funding of economics teaching at London University, fund for advanced university education and research at University College London. Section 4 - British Institute of International Affairs membership papers and press cutting concerning import of newsprint paper. Section 5 - translation of Chapter IV onwards of Knapp's "Staatliche Theorie des Geldes" annotated by Bonar for publication.

BIOGRAPHY James Bonar was born in Collace, Perthshire, Scotland on 27th September 1852. He was the son of Rev. Dr Andrew A Bonar and his wife Isabella (nee Dickson) of Edinburgh. He studied at Glasgow University and Balliol College Oxford. He began lecturing on Economics in East London in 1877 as a pioneer of the University Extension Movement, founding an Adam Smith discussion club. Bonar joined the Civil Service in 1881 as a Junior Examiner in the Civil Service Commission. He rose to Senior Examiner in 1895. In 1907 he was appointed Deputy Master of the Ottawa

1895. In 1907 he was appointed Deputy Master of the Ottawa branch of the Royal Mint, retiring in 1919 to his home in Hampstead.

Bonar was highly regarded for his work and publications on

Adam Smith, Malthus and Ricardo. He was a prolific writer and contributed more than 70 article to Palgrave's "Dictionary" and articles and reviews to the "Economic Journal". He was one of the founders of the Royal Economic Society, a Vice-President of both that society and the Royal Statistical

Society and an honorary member of the Political Economy
Club. President of Section F of the British Association in 1898,
he received several Honorary Degrees.

Bonar was well-liked by fellow economists and politicians, being a close friend of Edgeworth and Ramsey MacDonald. In 1883 he married Mary Mewburn Miller of Liverpool, who died in 1908. They had 2 sons and 2 daughters. Bonar died 18 January 1941 aged 88.

G F Shirras 'Obituary; James Bonar', "Economic Journal" vol 51, April 1941. Entry in "Who Was Who 1941-1950".

Identity code

Bonar 1

**Description level** 

2

Content Summary

Section 1 consists of letters from Herbert Somerton Foxwell to Bonar regarding the foundation of the British Economic Association and its activities until obtaining a Royal Charter in 1902 and thereby becoming the Royal Economic Society.

**Previous number** Bonar 1(1)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Person

writer **Role** 

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name** 

**Descriptor** Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

**Person** 

**Date** 

Role recipient

Bonar, James, Dr **Name** 

**Descriptor** Examiner for the Civil Service, London and writer on economic

subjects 19.4.1890

**Place** Cambridge, St John's College

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** 

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably presented by J.M.Keynes. See Bonar 1/6.

Content

Tuesday's meeting failed to decide whether to have learned Summary

society or association, but resolved to invite 60 "select persons" including Bonar to further meeting about 10 June. Deferred date was at Marshall's behest, perhaps to finish

book ['Principles of Economics'].

Criticizes [Sidney] Webb's 'Socialism in England' [1890]. "This **Summary** 

Fabian literature irritates me." Finds Webb's criticism of John

Morley as economic Pharisee "Iudicrous".

Topic for meetings was setting up "Economic Society", later Free field Royal Economic Society, of which Bonar a founding member.

Several pencilled annotations in Bonar's hand: In red pencil, "Keep" in upper right corner of first page, and several underlinings on first and third pages. In lead pencil, on first page, "On the Economic Society, on the Fabians generally and Webb in particular, on John Morley."

**Person** 

Name Marshall, Alfred & Webb, Sidney James & Morley, John

Royal Economic Society Subject keywords

Economic Society SEE Royal Economic Society Subject keywords

Subject keywords Fabians

**Physical descript** 

**Summary** 1 folded sheet; 4 pp. text

Condition Punch holes in upper corners; last page dirty.

**Previous number** Bonar 1(2)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Person

writer Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton Name

**Descriptor** Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

Person

Role recipient

Bonar, James, Dr **Name** 

Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer **Descriptor** 

on economic subjects

16.11.1890 **Date** 

**Place** Cambridge, St John's College

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** 

Specific type letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably presented by J.M.Keynes. See Bonar 1/6.

Content

Replies to guery from Bonar about "[Carl] Menger and Summary

[August] Oncken's scheme". "..it seems to me rather an impertinence for two foreigners to edit our economic classics"

and Foxwell had tactfully told Oncken so.

Reprinting old economic literature was main purpose he had **Summary** 

in view when drafting scheme for "an Economic Association" [later Royal Economic Society] at Southport meeting of British Association in 1883, also dictionary, translations and a review. [Robert Harry Inglis] Palgrave embarked on dictionary independently but Foxwell hopes all other projects will be controlled and directed by Association. Therefore opposes

"this foreign scheme."

**Summary** Believes Macmillan has agreed to publish 'Economic Journal',

wonders why Marshall preferred Macmillan to Cambridge University Press. Discussed reprints etc. with CUP who willing to undertake if conducted by competent editors under

auspices of an Association.

Told Oncken we hoped to bring out such a series ourselves. **Summary** Free field Pencilled annotation by Bonar on first page "The Foreigners

Scheme & F.in 1883 Economic Association.'

Person Menger, Carl & Oncken, August & Palgrave, Robert Harry Name

Inglis & Marshall, Alfred Other economists - Austrian

Subject keywords British Association for Advancement of Science Subject keywords

Royal Economic Society Subject keywords

Subject keywords Subject keywords Economic Association SEE Royal Economic Society

Palgrave's Dictionary of Economics

Subject keywords Macmillan publishers Subject keywords Cambridge University Press

Subject keywords Economic Journal

**Physical descript** 

Summary 1 folded sheet; 4 pp. text Condition

Punch holes in upper corners; small tear at bottom of

signature page.

**Identity** code Bonar 1/3/1

**Previous number** Bonar 1(3)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Person

writer Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name** 

**Descriptor** Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

**Person** 

Role recipient

Bonar, James, Dr Name

Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer **Descriptor** 

on economic subjects

30.9.1892 **Date** 

**Place** Cambridge, St John's College

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** 

Specific type letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably presented by J.M.Keynes. See Bonar 1/6.

Content

Summary

Cannot attend next meeting of Council of "B.E.Assn", at which Summary

he was to have reported on Reprints etc. Suggests small committee composed of Higgs, Bonar and himself to go over what he has prepared, so that one of them can present and

justify report.

**Summary** Two important pending issues: must insist on intelligible

financial report on ['Economic] Journal', and need a combined Secretary and Sub-Editor to help Edgeworth. Should be economist and based in London, now that Edgeworth is in Oxford. Proposes Higgs, describes his qualifications including excellent French, good in relations with foreign economists. Discusses other alternatives, asks Bonar's views. Has

discussed with Edgeworth but without mentioning names.

Edgeworth happy to be relieved of responsibility of

Secretaryship. Post could not command less than £50 a year. Free field Annotated at top of first page by Foxwell "Private [underlined].

No answer required." Annotated at top of third page by Bonar "p probably" above Foxwell's phrase "without any idea of

braising you.."

**Person** Name Higgs, Henry & Edgeworth, Francis Ysidro

**Place Locality name** Oxford

British Economic Association SEE Royal Economic Society

Subject keywords Subject keywords Royal Economic Society Subject keywords **Economic Journal** 

**Physical descript** 

Summary 2 folded sheets; 8 pp. text

Condition Sound, but top sheet somewhat smudged

Previous number None

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

**Person** 

Role writer

Name Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

**Descriptor** Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

**Person** 

Role recipient

Name Bonar, James, Dr

Descriptor Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer

on economic subjects

**Date** 30.9.1892

Place Cambridge (postmark)

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence
Specific type envelope
Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably presented by J.M.Keynes. See Bonar 1/6.

Content

Summary

Free field Annotated in ink, in Bonar's hand, "Foxwell, ICS and

Economic Assoc'n 1892"

Subject keywords Economic Association SEE Royal Economic Society

Physical descript Summary

Summary White envelope, 120 mm x 94 mm, with embossed pink

1-penny stamp

Condition Smudged, flap torn off

Previous number Bonar 1(4)

Description level

**Record creation** 

**Person** 

Role writer

Name Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

**Descriptor** Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

Person

Role recipient

Name Bonar, James, Dr

**Descriptor** Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer

on economic subjects

**Date** 6.10.1892

Place Cambridge, St John's College

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

**Summary** Probably presented by J.M.Keynes. See Bonar 1/6.

Content

**Summary** Responds to several points made by Bonar, including James

Mavor's appointment as Professor of Political Economy at University of Toronto and Harding's pricing of Malthus. Agrees to defer important questions connected with Econ[omic]

Ass[ociatio]n for decision next month.

Summary Was sorry to find movement for amalgamation [with Statistical

Society]. Economic Association has not had fair trial, Council only met once a quarter. Edgeworth said it was in rules, this

incorrect but explains good deal of failure.

**Summary** Foxwell had more to do with starting Association than anyone

else. First explored whether Statistical Society could have an

economic side, but decided this was hopeless.

**Summary** Thinks idea of amalgamation stems from "Edgeworth's feeling

of helplessness and unfitness for organizing work." Had long talk with him, will see him again. Important not to decide in a

hurry.

Free field Annotated in red pencil on first page by Bonar "NB Econ

Assocn"; also on first page "On Mavor. Also on the [?] essay of M[althus] also on the relation of the Statistical and the Economic". several words underlined in red pencil on various pages; In pencil on last page, in ? Bonar's hand, "Good

things"

Free field Economic Association became Royal Economic Society.

Person

Name Edgeworth, Francis Ysidro & Mavor, James & Harding, [-] &

Malthus, Thomas Robert

Place

Country name Canada Locality name Toronto

Subject keywords British Economic Association SEE Royal Economic Society

Subject keywordsRoyal Economic SocietySubject keywordsRoyal Statistical Society

**Physical descript** 

Summary 2 folded sheets; 6 pp. text

**Condition** Front of both sheets smudged and dirty.

Previous number Bonar 1(5)

Description level

**Record creation** 

Person

Role writer

Name Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

**Descriptor** Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

**Person** 

Role recipient

Name Bonar, James, Dr

**Descriptor** Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer

on economic subjects

**Date** 3.1.1903

Place Cambridge, 1 Harvey Road

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

**Summary** 

Summary Probably presented by J.M.Keynes. See Bonar 1/6.

Content

**Summary** Responds to Bonar's remarks about text book Bonar writing.

Expects it will smack more of Malthus than Ricardo. Discusses who should bear cost of charter [of Royal

Economic Society]. Higgs deserves well for his role in obtaining charter, should be given a dinner "which migh

obtaining charter, should be given a dinner "which might serve as a means of bringing the Society together, and advertising the Association."

Free field Charter of December 1902 converted British Economic

Association into Royal Economic Society.

Person
Name
Higgs, Henry & Ricardo, David & Malthus, Thomas Robert
Subject keywords
British Economic Association SEE Royal Economic Society

Subject keywords Royal Economic Society

Physical descript

Summary 1 folded sheet; 4 pp. text. In red pencil on first page "keep".

Red pencil underlining in several places, lead pencil writing on

first page erased.

**Condition** Somewhat rubbed and dirty.

Previous number None

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

Person

Role writer

Name Bonar, James, Dr

**Descriptor** Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer

in economic subjects

**Person** 

Role recipient

Name Keynes, John Maynard

**Descriptor** Fellow and Bursar of King's College, Cambridge

**Date** 12.6.1938

Place London N.W.3, Hampstead, 13 Redington Road

**Document form** 

Record type notes

Specific type notes on Foxwell letters

**Language** English

**Acquisition** 

Summary Probably presented by J.M. Keynes

Content

**Summary** Re-used envelope annotated by Bonar, in pencil "For

J.M.Keynes for history of the Economic Assocn and its relations to Statistical [?] etc 1892 seq" and in ink, partly superimposed on pencilled annotation, "From Foxwell's correspondence. Send to J.M.Keynes, when he is well again. J.B. 12-6-1938." Also in ink, "Add to his history of the origin of Brit. Econc. Assocn constituted 1892 if (as he once proposed) he shd write one when quite well again. J.B. 12-6-1938. The economic course of London Univy March 1902 might make an interesting pendant." Envelope presumably contained Bonar

1/1 to 1/5.

Subject keywords British Economic Association SEE Royal Economic Society

Subject keywords Royal Economic Society
Subject keywords Royal Statistical Society

**Physical descript** 

**Condition** 

Summary White envelope 252 mm x 183 mm addressed to J. Bonar

Esq., 13 Redington Road, Hampstead, London, N.W.3. Address of sender, John Grant, Wholesale Bookseller, Edinburgh, printed in upper left corner. Red 1-penny George VI stamp in upper right corner. Postmarked 7 June 1938.

Dirty, limp and torn.

**Identity code** 

Bonar 2

**Description level** 

2

Content Summary

Section 2 comprises papers relating to the Indian Civil Service examinations in Economics, for which Bonar was an examiner. It includes correspondence with John Neville Keynes about the syllabus.

Previous number Bonar 2(1)

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

Person

Role writer

Name Bonar, James, Dr

**Descriptor** Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer

on economic subjects

**Date** illegible

Place London inferred

**Document form** 

Record type notes

Specific type notes on content of letters

**Language** English

Acquisition

Summary Not known

Content

**Summary** Front of re-used envelope on which Bonar has briefly

summarized contents of letters from J.N.Keynes, Foxwell, Edgeworth, Phelps, Marshall, Cunningham, Nicholson, Langford Lovell F.R. Price and Sidgwick, now Bonar 2/2-2/16 [presumably once contained in envelope] commenting on

syllabus for Indian Civil Service examination.

Summary His final comment: "Parturient montes but something better

than a mouse came out."

Free field Annotated at right angles to other text, in ink, "ICS Pol. Ec.

Syllabus 1891 Correspondence" and in blue pencil, "I.C.S.

Pol. E."

Person

Name Keynes, John Neville & Foxwell, Herbert Somerton &

Edgeworth, Francis Ysidro & Phelps, Lancelot Ridley & Marshall, Alfred & Cunningham, William, Dr & Nicholson, Joseph Shield & Price, Langford Lovell F.R. & Sidgwick,

Henry

Place

Country name India

Subject keywords ICS examinations - political economy

**Physical descript** 

Condition

Summary Part of manila envelope originally 248 mm x 190 mm

addressed to Bonar from Cambridge University Press, bearing

red 1-penny George V stamp. No postmark date legible. Back of envelope missing, remainder torn, reinforced with

transparent plastic sheet.

Previous number Bonar 2(2)

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

Person

Role writer

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Person

Role recipient

Name Bonar, James, Dr

**Descriptor** Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer

on economic subjects

**Date** 21.3.1891

Place Cambridge, 6 Harvey Road

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

**Acquisition** 

Summary Not known

Content

Summary Has talked to [Henry] Sidgwick about syllabus for philosophy

and political economy. He is not in favour so unlikely to take action. Has Bonar discussed with [Alfred] Marshall? If not,

should Keynes?

**Summary** Could make it clearer if had copy of regulations for exams.

Person

Name Sidgwick, Henry & Marshall, Alfred

Place

Country name India (inferred)

Subject keywords ICS examinations - syllabus, political economy

**Physical descript** 

Summary 1 folded sheet; 2 pp. text

Condition Punch holes in upper left corner of both pages. Bottom of

second page torn off. Paper dirty at creases.

Previous number Bonar 2(3)A

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

**Person** 

Role writer

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Person

Role recipien

Name Bonar, James, Dr

**Descriptor** Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer

on economic subjects

ate 30.3.1891

Place Cambridge, 6 Harvey Road

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

**Acquisition** 

Summary Not known

Content

Summary Wrote to [Alfred] Marshall about syllabus in political economy

and saying he thought they would have Bonar's support if they

took any action, but not committing him further.

Summary Thinks he suggested Marshall write to Director of

Examinations, finds former wrote to Bonar but showed letter to Keynes who thinks Bonar could hand it straight on to Director. Thus, "The question is not raised on your initiative, while at the same time there may now be less danger of its being

entirely shelved."

Person Name Marshall, Alfred

Place
Country name India (inferred)

Subject keywords ICS examinations - syllabus, political economy

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 2 pp. text

Condition Punch hole in upper left corner of sheet; discoloured at edges

and along creases.

Previous number Bonar 2(3)B

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

Person

Role writer

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Person

Role recipient

Name Bonar, James, Dr

**Descriptor** Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer

on economic subjects

**Date** 3.4.1891

Place Cambridge, 6 Harvey Road

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Not known

Content

**Summary** Grateful for letter and enclosure [not identified] and glad Mr.

Courthope so favourable towards proposal. Clearly correct to communicate with Oxford. Will write to [Herbert Somerton]

Foxwell as Bonar suggested.

Person

Name Courthope, [-] & Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

**Place** 

Locality name Oxfor

Subject keywords ICS examinations - syllabus, political economy

**Physical descript** 

Summary 1 sheet; 1 p. text

**Condition** Punch hole in upper left corner. Discoloured at top edge and

along crease.

Previous number Bonar 2(4)

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

Person

Role writer

Name Price, Langford Lovell F.R.

**Descriptor** Fellow of Oriel College, Oxford and Reader in Economic

History, Oxford University

Person

Role recipient

Name Bonar, James, Dr

Descriptor Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer

on economic subjects

**Date** 3.4.1891

Place Oxford, Oriel College

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Not known

Content

**Summary** Suggests modification of Bonar's first paragraph, along lines

suggested on last page of Price's letter, and leaving second paragraph unchanged. What about mentioning books? Thinks

it best not to recommend particular authors.

**Summary** Draft intended to follow plan of any general treatise. Has sent

draft on to [L.R.] Phelps.

Summary [Last page] "The subject will embrace the general outlines of

economic theory, including the scope and methods of economic inquiry, the causes which affect the production, distribution, exchange and consumption of wealth, the division and efficiency of labour, the growth of population, the increase of capital, the theory of value, and of rent, interest, profits, and wages, and in particular, the theory of money, of international trade and of the foreign exchange, the incidence of taxation and its various forms, the economic functions of Government

and the limits of State-interference."

Free field Last page annotated in pencil by Bonar "L.L.Price".

Person

Name Phelps, Lancelot Ridley

Place
Country name India (inferred)

Subject keywords ICS examinations - syllabus, political economy

**Physical descript** 

Summary 1 folded sheet; 3 pp. text

Condition Punch hole in corner of last page. Fold line across top right of

first page

Previous number Bonar 2(5)

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

Person

Role writer

Name Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

**Descriptor** Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

Person

Role recipient

Name Bonar, James, Dr

Descriptor Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer

on economic subjects

**Date** 5.4.1891

Place Birmingham, Northfield

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Not known

Content

**Summary** Doesn't feel he can advise about schedule [of examination] by

post without knowing more of what is intended. Has not seen

notice of ICS competition.

Summary Dislikes description of P[olitical] E[conomy] after words

"economic theory", gives his reasons. Would prefer no schedule, so that examiners might have free hand. "Schedules play into the hands of crammers."

Summary As to Economic History, 17th century writers neglected

relative to 18th century ones.

**Summary** For the ordinary civilian [in the ICS], knowledge of

development of theory less important than history of economic policies. Better to cite books to indicate kind of study desired. But would prefer no schedule, either of books or subjects.

Free field Two red pencil marks in margins.

Place

Country name India

Subject keywords ICS examinations - syllabus, political economy

**Physical descript** 

Summary 2 folded sheets; 8 pp. text

Condition Both sheets torn at centre crease; discoloured at top edge of

second sheet.

Bonar 2/7 **Identity code** 

Bonar 2(6) **Previous number** 

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

**Person** 

writer Role

Phelps, Lancelot Ridley **Name Descriptor** Fellow of Oriel College, Oxford

Person

Role

Bonar, James, Dr **Name** 

Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer **Descriptor** 

on economic subjects

**Date** 7.4.1891

**Place** [Cornwall] Helston, Polunian House

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** 

Specific type Letter Language English

**Acquisition** 

Summary Not known

Content

**Summary** [Langford Lovell F.R.] Price has sent him Bonar's letter and

papers [about syllabus for ICS examination - see Bonar 2/5]. Attaches 2 pages of comments, the first editorial and second substantive. Is sending Bonar's papers to [E.C.K.] Gonner

who will send some remarks.

**Person** 

Price, Langford Lovell F.R. & Gonner, Edward Carter Kersey Name

Place

**Country name** 

ICS examinations - syllabus, political economy Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

Summary 1 sheet white paper, 2 larger sheets blue paper; 3 pp. text Condition

All sheets creased and somewhat discoloured. Small tear in

centre of last sheet.

Previous number Bonar 2(7)

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

Person

Role writer

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

**Role** recipient

Name Bonar, James, Dr

**Descriptor** Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer

on economic subjects

ate 12.4.1891

Place Cambridge, Balliol Croft

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Not known

Content

**Summary** Draft interpretation clause Bonar sent him has one great fault,

in that it puts (b) [Economic History] on equal footing with (a) [Theory]. If Commissioners insist, it must be, but he thinks (b) is not good "principal" subject for examination. Good as subordinate to economic analysis and study of modern economic conditions, but if made important by itself, will

probably become "cram" subject of low order.

Summary [John Neville] Keynes is collecting views on matter, so

Marshall sending Bonar's letter to him.

Summary Proposes new wording for (a)

Summary Thinks knowledge of facts and power of analysis should be of

about equal weight, but two-thirds of knowledge should be of existing conditions and only one third those of past times. Bonar appears to have removed part of letter irrelevant to ICS

examination, but copied onto top of final sheet Marshall's words introducing his redrafting of (a). Last paragraph of first sheet, which is incomplete and refers to Clark's article, heavily

deleted in blue pencil.

Person
Name
Keynes, John Neville & Clark, John Bates?

Country name India (inferred)

Subject keywords ICS examinations - syllabus, political economy

**Physical descript** 

Free field

Summary 2 sheets; 7 pp text

Condition Both sheets torn at central crease. Punch holes at corners of

both sheets.

**Publication record** 

Type Verbatim transcript

Reference Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred

Marshall Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.359

**Identity** code

Bonar 2/9

**Previous number** 

Bonar 2(8)

**Description level** 

4

**Record creation** 

Person

writer Role

Nicholson, Joseph Shield **Name** 

**Descriptor** Professor of Political Economy, Edinburgh University

Person

Role

Keynes, John Neville **Name** 

Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University **Descriptor** 

12.4.1891

Date Edinburgh, Newbattle Terrace, Eden Lodge **Place** 

**Document form** 

**Record type** correspondence

Specific type letter English Language

**Acquisition** 

**Summary** Not known

Content

Convinced that "a little accurate and thorough knowledge is **Summary** 

better than a superficial acquaintance with a wider range.' Competition for ICS about hardest there is and offers widest choice of subjects. Absurd to expect candidates to get up whole subject of Political Economy. Better to set definite books or parts of books to be studied critically e.g. parts of

Adam Smith, Ricardo, Sidgwick, Marshall.

**Summary** In Economic History one must be definite, ought to choose

subjects with bearing on Indian affairs, e.g. land tenure. Cites

examples of books.

Syllabus Bonar sent appears too general in relation to **Summary** 

examination concerned which differs from Tripos. Disagrees

with Foxwell's proposal.

Originally an enclosure to Bonar 2/11. Free field Person

Smith, Adam & Ricardo, David & Sidgwick, Henry & Marshall, Name

Alfred & Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

**Place** 

**Country name** 

ICS examinations - syllabus, political economy Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

1 sheet; 4 pp text Summary

Condition Punch holes in corners, paper discoloured along central

crease.

**Publication record** 

Type Reference

Previous number Bonar 2(9)

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

Person

**Role** writer

Name Cunningham, William, Dr

**Descriptor** Fellow of Trinity College and Lecturer in Economic History,

Cambridge University

Person

Role recipient

Name Bonar, James, Dr

Descriptor Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer

on economic subjects

Date 13.4.1891

Place Cambridge, 2 St Paul's Road

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Not known

Content

Summary Asks Bonar to dine with him to discuss syllabus for ICS

examination. Without knowing number of papers, it may be impossible to cover all points specified in it. Description should be more vague. Proposes rewording of section (b) on Economic History. Not necessary to read first-hand authorities on Economic History, but for Political Economy "I had rather they read [underlined] Adam Smith and got taught about subsequent developments, than tried to read Sidgwick's or Marshall's unfinished book without having any idea how the

doctrine has grown."

Annotated "Private" at top of first page. Red pencil mark

against proposed rewording.

Person
Name
Smith, Adam & Sidgwick, Henry & Marshall, Alfred

Place

Country name India

Subject keywords ICS examinations - syllabus, political economy

**Physical descript** 

Free field

Summary 2 sheets; 8 pp. text

Condition Punch holes in both sheets

**Publication record** 

Type Reference

Previous number Bonar 2(10)

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

Person

Role writer

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Person

Role recipient

Name Bonar, James, Dr

**Descriptor** Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer

on economic subjects

Date 14.4.1891
Place [Devon] Lynton

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter
Language English

Acquisition

**Summary** 

Summary Not known

Content

Summary Sent draft syllabus to Foxwell and Nicholson, and let

Nicholson see Foxwell's letter. Encloses both replies. [Nicholson's is Bonar 2/9]. Largely agrees with Nicholson. Favours very brief syllabus "such as suggested in your last

letter to Marshall" but has reservations about wording of (b) economic History. Would it be possible to state definitely that two-thirds of marks will be assigned to economic theory and

one-third to economic history?

Person
Name
Foxwell, Herbert Somerton & Nicholson, Joseph Shield &

Marshall, Alfred

Place
Country name India inferred

Subject keywords ICS examinations - syllabus, political economy

Physical descript

Summary 2 sheets; 4 pp. text
Condition Punch holes in both sheets

**Publication record** 

Type Reference

Bonar 2(11) **Previous number** 

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

**Person** 

writer Role

Cunningham, William, Dr Name

Fellow of Trinity College and Lecturer in Economic History, **Descriptor** 

Cambridge University

Person

Role recipient

Name

Bonar, James, Dr Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer **Descriptor** 

on economic subjects

**Date** 15.4.1891

Place Cambridge, 2 St Paul's Road

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** 

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

**Summary** Not known

Content

Regrets Bonar not free to dine with him [see Bonar 2/10], **Summary** 

hopes to arrange meeting in future.

**Subject keywords** 

**Physical descript** 

Summary Condition 1 sheet black-bordered paper; 2 pp. text

Sheet torn at central crease; punch holes in corners.

**Bonar 2/13 Identity code** 

Bonar 2(12) **Previous number** 

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

**Person** 

writer Role

Price, Langford Lovell F.R. Name

**Descriptor** Fellow of Oriel College, Oxford and Reader in Economic

History, Oxford University

Person

Role recipient

Bonar, James, Dr Name

Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer **Descriptor** 

on economic subjects

**Date** 17.4.1891

Place Oxford, Oriel College

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** 

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Not known

Content

Both [L.R.] Phelps and he agree to following text: "This **Summary** 

subject will include (a) economic theory as treated in the larger text books; (b) the history of property, contract, land-tenure, and industrial organisation - with special reference to the United Kingdom."

Person

Name Phelps, Lancelot Ridley

**Place** India (inferred) **Country name** 

Subject keywords ICS examinations - syllabus, political economy

**Physical descript** 

Summary 1 sheet; 2 pp. text Punch holes in corners Condition

Previous number Bonar 2(13)

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

Person

Role writer

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Person

**Role** recipient

Name Bonar, James, Dr

**Descriptor** Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer

on economic subjects

**Date** 18.4.1891

Place Cambridge, 6 Harvey Road

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Not known

Content

Summary Glad there will be brief interpretation clause. Evident that at

this stage detailed syllabus not feasible.

**Place** 

Country name India (inferred)

Subject keywords ICS examinations - syllabus, political economy

Physical descript Summary

Summary 1 sheet; 2 pp. text

Condition Torn at central crease. Punch holes in corners.

**Bonar 2/15 Identity code** 

Bonar 2(14) **Previous number** 

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Person

writer Role

Keynes, John Neville **Name** 

**Descriptor** Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Bonar, James, Dr **Name** 

Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer **Descriptor** 

on economic subjects

17.5.1891 **Place** Not given

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** 

Specific type letter Language English

**Acquisition** 

Summary Not known

Content

**Summary** Obliged for new ICS syllabus Bonar has sent. As much done

to define subjects as can be expected at this stage. Regrets that Logic and Psychology not made more independent of

History of Philosophy, but cannot be remedied.

Free field Last half-sheet of letter, of which first sheet[s] missing. Top 3

lines deleted in pencil. Annotated in Bonar's hand, in pencil above deleted lines, "at the same time J.N.Keynes I891" and below deleted lines "17th May I891"

**Place** 

**Country name** India

Subject keywords Subject keywords ICS examinations - syllabus, political economy ICS examinations - syllabus, history of philosophy

**Physical descript** 

Half-sheet of paper; 2 pp. text **Summary** Condition Punch hole in upper left corner

Previous number Bonar 2(15)

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

**Person** 

Role writer

Name Gonner, Edward Carter Kersey

**Descriptor** Brunner Professor of Economic Science, University College,

Liverpool

Person

Role recipient

Name Bonar, James, Dr

Descriptor Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer

on economic subjects

**Date** 22.4.1891

Place Liverpool, University College

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Not known

Content

Summary [L.R.] Phelps showed Bonar's letter to [Langford Lovell F.R.]

Price re Marshall's proposed definition of Political Economy "as put down for Indian Civil Examination" and suggested

Gonner write. Agrees with Phelps.

Summary Thinks Marshall's definition far too wide, criticises treatment of

economic history, proposes various deletions and

modifications.

Free field Gonner's suggested amendments originally on an attached

copy of the definition, now missing.

Person
Name
Phelps, Lancelot Ridley & Price, Langford Lovell F.R. &

Marshall, Alfred

Place

Country name India

Subject keywords ICS examinations - syllabus, political economy

**Physical descript** 

Summary 1 sheet; 4 pp. text

Condition Ink blots on first 2 pages, paper discoloured, torn at central

crease

**Bonar 2/17 Identity code** 

Bonar 2(16) **Previous number** 

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

**Person** 

writer Role

Bonar, James, Dr **Name** 

**Descriptor** Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer

on economic subjects

**Date** Not given **Place** Not given

**Document form** 

**Record type** exam syllabus

Specific type draft Language English

Acquisition

**Summary** Not known

Content

**Summary** Handwritten text of proposed syllabus for Indian Civil Service

examination, in Bonar's hand, with two fair copies in another hand attached. Headed "Political Economy & Economic

History."
Figure 3, in blue pencil, added before heading. Annotated in pencil, in Bonar's hand, at right angles to text, "Draft of JB(?) Free field

submitted to the corps economique with the result of a thorough overhauling. Marshall's suggestions adopted in the

main. 15-9-1924"

**Place** 

**Country name** 

Subject keywords ICS examinations - syllabus, political economy

Physical descript

Summary 3 sheets, last two of lined paper.

First sheet discoloured, creased, two tears. Last sheet very Condition

discoloured. Punch hole in upper left corner of each sheet.

**Bonar 2/18 Identity code** 

Bonar 2(17) **Previous number** 

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Organisation Role

publisher Civil Service Commission Name **Date** 1892 (attributed)

Place London

**Document form** 

printed document **Record type** Specific type examination syllabus

Language English

**Acquisition** 

Not known Summary

Title Examinations for the Civil Service of India: Syllabus, Showing

the extent of the Examination in certain subjects at the Open Competition for admission into the Indian Civil Service in 1892

Content

As well as specifying requirements in languages, various **Summary** 

fields of history, mathematics and philosophy, includes six line description of requirements in Political Economy and

Economic History.

Free field Red line in margin against section on Political Economy and

Economic History.

**Country name** 

Subject keywords ICS examinations - syllabus

**Physical descript** 

Summary Condition 1 double sheet foolscap, folded; 4 pp. printed text Discoloured, foxed, creased; punch holes in corners

Previous number Bonar 2(18)

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

Organisation Role

Role publisher

Name Civil Service Commission
Date 1892 (attributed)

Place London

**Document form** 

Record type printed document Specific type printed document examination regulations

Language English

**Acquisition** 

Summary Not known

Title Examinations for the Civil Service of India: Regulations for the

Open Competition of August, 1892

Content

**Summary** Gives regulations on eligibility of candidates for examinations

on 1 August 1892 and subsequent days; lists various

branches of knowledge and marks assigned to each subject,

whether compulsory or optional.

Free field Annotated by Bonar at top of first page in blue pencil "See

page 2"

Place

Country name India

Subject keywords ICS examinations - regulations

**Physical descript** 

Summary 1 double sheet foolscap, folded; 3 pp. printed text
Condition Discoloured, foxed, creased; punch holes in corners

Bonar 2(19) **Previous number** 

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Organisation Role

publisher Civil Service Commission Name

**Date** 6.1901 **Place** London

**Document form** 

printed document **Record type** examination Syllabus Specific type

Language English

**Acquisition** 

Not known Summary

Title Civil Service of India; Clerkships (Class I.) in the Home Civil

Service; and Eastern Cadetships

Content

Syllabus showing extent of examination in certain subjects; **Summary** 

contains same six line description of knowledge required for Political Economy and Economic History papers as that in

Bonar 2/18.

India

Country name Subject keywords ICS examinations - syllabus

**Physical descript** 

Summary 1 double sheet foolscap, folded; 3 pp. printed text

Fragile; torn at creases Condition

None **Previous number** 

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Organisation Role

publisher Civil Service Commission Name

**Date** 7.1901 Place London

**Document form** 

printed document **Record type** Specific type examination regulations

Language English

**Acquisition** 

Summary Not known

Title Examinations for the Civil Service of India: Regulations

Content

**Summary** 

Regulations for open Competitive Examinations commencing I August 1902, including eligibility of candidates, subjects covered by examination, both compulsory and optional, and

marks assigned to each.

Place

India **Country name** 

Subject keywords ICS examinations - regulations

**Physical descript** 

Summary 1 double sheet foolscap, folded; 4 pp. printed text.

Condition Foxed Identity code

Bonar 3

**Description level** 

2

Content Summary

Section 3 comprises papers relating to the funding and syllabus of Economics teaching at London University and also the funding of advanced teaching at University College, London.

**Identity code** 

Bonar 3/1

**Previous number** 

Bonar 3(1)

**Description level** 

4

**Record creation** 

Organisation

publisher Role

Royal Statistical Society Name

Person

writer Role

Ginsburg, Benedict W. Name

Secretary of Royal Statistical Society **Descriptor** 

Person

Role

recipient
Prime Warden of Goldsmiths' Company **Descriptor** 

Date 6.7.1901

**Place** London, W.C., Strand, 9 Adelphi Terrace

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** 

Specific type letter Secondary form printed copy English Language

Acquisition

**Summary** Free field

Not known Summary

Content

**Summary** Congratulates Goldsmiths' Company on purchase of Herbert

Somerton Foxwell's library of statistical and economic works, asks if they would grant Royal Statistical Society custody of it.
Explains terms on which Society would manage library.
Text of letter is preceded by "The following letter has been addressed to the Goldsmiths' Company in reference to their

purchase of the Foxwell Library:-" Probably a galley proof for

letter circulated to members.

Person Foxwell, Herbert Somerton Royal Statistical Society Name Subject keywords

Subject keywords Goldsmith's Company - Foxwell's library

**Physical descript** 

Summary 1 sheet; 1 p. text, printed

Condition Dog-eared; small tear at central crease

Bonar 3(2) **Previous number** 

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Organisation Role

publisher Name London University **Date** 21.12.1901

[London] London University **Place** 

**Document form** 

printed document **Record type** Specific type periodical Language . English

Acquisition

Not known Summary

Title London University Gazette

Content

**Summary** 

Inter alia, contains, pp. 23-24, text of Act of Senate on Curricula and Schemes of Examination of Internal Students in

Faculty of Economics.

Free field

Marginal annotations by Bonar in pencil on both pages. List of contents entry for curricula underlined in red ink. London University - economics teaching at London University - Senate of

Subject keywords Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

Summary 2 double foolscap sheets, stitched; 8 pp. text, printed

Condition Creased **Identity** code

Bonar 3/3

**Previous number** 

Bonar 3(3)

**Description level** 

4

**Record creation** 

Person

Role

writer

Bonar, James, Dr (and sixteen other signatories) **Name** 

**Descriptor** Economists and others Organisation

Role

London University, Senate of **Name** 

1902 (attributed) Date

[London] **Place** 

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** Specific type open letter, memorial printed copy

Secondary form English Language

**Acquisition** 

**Summary** Not known

Content

Protest against Economics Curricula and Schemes of **Summary** 

Examination as published in 'London University Gazette' of 21 December 1901 [see Bonar 3/2] on grounds of vagueness, excessive broadness and lack of information on scope and range of subjects covered. Signatories include economists at Cambridge, Oxford, London, Glasgow, Liverpool, statisticians and historians. Francis Ysidro Edgeworth, John Neville Keynes, Alfred Marshall and Joseph Shield Nicholson signed statement that they had read memorial, and "while we do not feel ourselves in a position to give an opinion on all its details, desire respectfully to express our concurrence in its general

Free field Annotated "1902" in pencil on first page, in Bonar's hand. Last

page has illegible pencilled note, followed by "H. Harvey,

Bookseller, The Broad" in Bonar's hand.

Person

Edgeworth, Francis Ysidro & Keynes, John Neville & Marshall, Name

Alfred & Nicholson, Joseph Shield

London University - economics teaching at London University - Senate of Subject keywords

Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

1 double sheet foolscap; 4 pp. text, printed Summary

Condition Small holes from insect damage on lower part of p. 3/4.

Bonar 3/4 **Identity code** 

Bonar 3(7) **Previous number** 

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Organisation

Role issuer

London University, The Economic Club Name

Person

writer Role

Collet, Clara Elizabeth Name

Fellow of University College, London, Labour Correspondent, **Descriptor** 

Board of Trade and Honorary Secretary, The Economic Club,

London University

Person

Role recipient

Bonar, James, Dr Name

Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer **Descriptor** 

on economic subjects

28.1.1902 (postmark) [London] Wimbledon, 90 Woodside **Place** 

**Document form** 

printed document **Record type** 

Specific type invitation Language English

**Acquisition** 

**Date** 

Summary Not known

Content

Printed card announcing meeting of Economic Club [of **Summary** 

London University] on 11 February [1902] and agenda. Annotated in ink by Clara Collet giving further detail London University - Economic Club of

Free field

**Subject keywords** 

**Physical descript** 

Printed postcard, 114 mm x 89 mm. **Summary** 

Condition Discoloured

Previous number Bonar 3(4)

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

Person

Role writer

Name Collet, Clara Elizabeth

**Descriptor** Fellow of University College, London, Labour Correspondent,

Board of Trade and Honorary Secretary, The Economic Club,

London University

recipient

Person Role

Name Bonar, James, Dr

**Descriptor** Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer

on economic subjects

**Date** 12.2.1902

Place [London] Wimbledon, 90 Woodside

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter
Language English

**Acquisition** 

Summary Not known

Content

Summary Asks Bonar to serve on sub-committee to report "on the merits

and demerits of the new Curricula and Schemes of

Examination of Internal Students in the Faculty of Economics

in the London University".

Summary Others nominated were [Alfred] Marshall to whom she is

writing and [Francis Ysidro] Edgeworth and [Herbert

Somerton] Foxwell, both of whom have agreed to serve, with

herself as secretary.

Free field Annotated in ink by Bonar "Yes 13.2.02".

Person
Name
Marshall, Alfred & Edgeworth, Francis Ysidro & Foxwell,

Herbert Somerton

Subject keywords London University - economics teaching at

**Physical descript** 

Summary 1 sheet; 2 pp. text
Condition Heavy vertical crease

Previous number Bonar 3(5)

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

Person

Role writer

Name Collet, Clara Elizabeth

**Descriptor** Fellow of University College, London, Labour Correspondent,

Board of Trade and Honorary Secretary, The Economic Club,

London University

Person

Role recipient

Name Bonar, James, Dr

**Descriptor** Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer

on economic subjects

**Date** 17.2.1902

Place London, S.W., 43 Parliament Street, Labour Department

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter
Language English

Acquisition

Summary Not known

Content

Summary Asks about convenient date and place for Bonar to meet

[Herbert Somerton] Foxwell and [Francis Ysidro] Edgeworth and then go to dinner with Mrs [Sophie] Bryant who is on

London University Senate.

Summary [Alfred] Marshall will help but not as a committee member [see

Bonar 3/5].

Person
Name
Foxwell, Herbert Somerton & Edgeworth, Francis Ysidro &

Bryant, Sophie, Mrs & Marshall, Alfred London University - economics teaching at

Subject keywords London University - economics Subject keywords London University - Senate of

**Physical descript** 

Summary 1 sheet black-bordered paper embossed "Board of Trade"; 2

pp. text

**Condition** Vertical crease

Previous number None

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

Person

Role writer

Name Collet, Clara Elizabeth

Descriptor Fellow of University College, London, Labour Correspondent,

Board of Trade and Honorary Secretary, The Economic Club,

London University

Person Role

Role recipient
Name Bonar, James, Dr

**Descriptor** Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer

on economic subjects

**Date** 19.2.1902

Place London, S.W., 43 Parliament Street, Labour Department

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Not known

Content

**Summary** Proposes Thursday or Friday of following week for

[sub-]committee meeting and subsequent dinner with Mrs.

[Sophie] Bryant.

Free field Annotated in blue pencil, in Bonar's hand "Yes 19.2.02".

Person

Name Bryant, Sophie, Mrs

Subject keywords London University - economics teaching at

**Physical descript** 

Summary 1 sheet embossed "Board of Trade"; 1 p. text

**Condition** Vertical crease

Bonar 3(7) **Previous number** 

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Organisation

Role issuer

London University, The Economic Club Name

Person

writer Role

Collet, Clara Elizabeth Name

Fellow of University College, London, Labour Correspondent, **Descriptor** 

Board of Trade and Honorary Secretary, The Economic Club,

London University

Person

Role recipient

Bonar, James, Dr Name

Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer **Descriptor** 

on economic subjects

4.3.1902 (postmark)
[London] Wimbledon, 90 Woodside **Place** 

**Document form** 

Date

printed document **Record type** 

Specific type invitation Language English

**Acquisition** 

Summary Not known

Content

Next meeting of Economic Club will be II March when report of **Summary** 

Sub-Committee [see Bonar 3/5] will be presented. Annotation by Clara Collet giving more detail London University - Economic Club of London University - economics teaching at Free field Subject keywords Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

Printed postcard, 141 mm x 89 mm. Summary

Condition Discoloured

Previous number Bonar 3(8)

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

Person

Role writer

Name Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

**Descriptor** Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

Person

Role recipient

Name Bonar, James, Dr

Descriptor Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer

on economic subjects

**Date** 8.3.1902

Place [London] E.C., 37a Finsbury Square

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Not known

Content

Summary Sends draft report [for meeting of Economic Club - see Bonar

3/9], wishes Bonar had written it. Has sent Miss [Clara Elizabeth] Collet another copy. Asks Bonar to send report to

him with corrections or bring it to meeting.

**Person** 

Name Collet, Clara Elizabeth

Subject keywords
London University - Economic Club of
London University - economics teaching at

**Physical descript** 

Summary 1 sheet; 1 p. text Condition Vertical crease

Bonar 3(9) **Previous number** 

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

**Person** 

writer Role

Name Bonar, James, Dr

**Descriptor** Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer

on economic subjects 1902 (attributed)

**Date Place** [London]

**Document form** 

**Record type** note Language English

Acquisition

Not known **Summary** 

Content

Note in Bonar's hand on requirements for matriculation. **Summary** Written on blank page, reversed, of printed change of address notification of Civil Service Commission examiners, dated Free field

April 1902.

**Subject keywords** Matriculation, requirements for

Physical descript Summary

1 sheet printed announcement; 1 p. handwritten text

Condition Sound

Previous number Bonar 3(10)

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

Person

Role writer

Name Collet, Clara Elizabeth

**Descriptor** Fellow of University College, London, Labour Correspondent,

Board of Trade and Honorary Secretary, The Economic Club,

London University

Person Role recipient

Name Bonar, James, Dr

**Descriptor** Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer

on economic subjects

**Date** 13.4.1902

Place [London] Wimbledon, 90 Woodside

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

**Acquisition** 

Summary Not known

Content

**Summary** Asks Bonar to sign document giving his titles and honours,

asks if he can think of anyone else who might be asked to

sign it.

Free field Annotated in red pencil by Bonar "done 16.4.02"

Subject keywords Bonar - academic titles and honours

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 1 p. text Condition Left margin torn off

**Bonar 3/13 Identity code** 

Bonar 3(11) **Previous number** 

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

**Person** 

writer Role

Collet, Clara Elizabeth Name

**Descriptor** Fellow of University College, London, Labour Correspondent,

Board of Trade and Honorary Secretary, The Economic Club,

London University

Person Role

recipient Bonar, James, Dr Name

Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer **Descriptor** 

on economic subjects

Date 17.4.1902

London, S.W., 43 Parliament Street, Labour Department **Place** 

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** 

Specific type letter English Language

**Acquisition** 

Not known **Summary** 

Content

**Summary** Is arranging small committee to consider best way to get

money guaranteed for 2 years for 4 additional lecturers in

economics at University College. Can Bonar join?
Annotated in ink by Bonar "Let me off, but tell me what you

agree to do 19.4.02".

Subject keywords London University - University College, economics funding at

**Physical descript** 

Free field

Summary 1 sheet; 1 p. text Condition Vertical crease

Bonar 3/14/1 **Identity code** 

Bonar 3(12) **Previous number** 

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Person

writer Role

Collet, Clara Elizabeth Name

**Descriptor** Fellow of University College, London, Labour Correspondent,

Board of Trade and Honorary Secretary the Economic Club,

London University

Person Role recipient

Bonar, James, Dr Name

Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer **Descriptor** 

on economic subjects

3.5.1902 **Date** 

[London] Wimbledon, 90 Woodside **Place** 

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter English Language

Acquisition

Not known Summary

Content

**Summary** Asks if she may put Bonar's name to appeal for funds to

extend teaching of economics at University College, London to be circulated privately. Thought that Senate will consider "our memorial...next Wednesday along with the scheme which is now recommended without alteration [last two words

underlined] for external students".

Free field

Annotated by Bonar in ink "Yes put down name to appeal.
Shall subscr. 2-2[guineas] to Two Year fund. 12.5.02". Also on

the appeal "Don't quite like middle of p.2".

London University - University College, economics funding at London University - Senate of Subject keywords

Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

1 sheet; 1 p. text Summary

Condition Creased, otherwise sound

Bonar 3/14/2 **Identity code** 

Bonar 3(12) **Previous number** 

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

**Person** 

writer Role

Collet, Clara Elizabeth Name

Fellow of University College, London, Labour Correspondent, **Descriptor** 

Board of Trade and Honorary Secretary, The Economic Club,

London University

**Person** 

recipient Role

Bonar, James, Dr Name

Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer **Descriptor** 

on economic subjects

Date 3.5.1902

[London] Wimbledon, 90 Woodside [assumed] **Place** 

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** Specific type envelope English Language

Acquisition

Not known **Summary** 

Content

**Summary** 

Envelope accompanying Bonar 3/14/1 Annotated in ink by Bonar "Miss Collet Ec.c Fac.y Univ.y Coll. Free field

5.02"

**Subject keywords** 

**Physical descript** 

**Summary** White envelope 118 mm x 93 mm

Condition Discoloured, flap and upper right corner torn off

Previous number Bonar 3(12)

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

Person

Role writer

Name Collet, Clara Elizabeth

**Descriptor** Fellow of University College, London, Labour Correspondent,

Board of Trade and Honorary Secretary, The Economic Club,

London University

Person Role recipient

Name Bonar, James, Dr

**Descriptor** Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer

on economic subjects

Date 5.1902 (attributed)

Place Not given

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence
Specific type note card
Language English

**Acquisition** 

Summary Not known

Content

**Summary** Thanks Bonar [for his reply to her letter of 3 May, see Bonar

3/14/1], sends amendments to page 2 of appeal for funds,

asks for comments.

Free field
Annotated in ink by Bonar "Answ.d 14.5.02"
Subject keywords
London, University College, economics funding at

Subject keywords

Physical descript
Summary
Note card, unheaded, 86 mm x 113 mm

**Condition** Sound

**Identity** code

Bonar 3/15/2

**Previous number** 

Bonar 3(12)

issuer

**Description level** 

4

**Record creation** 

Organisation

Role

London, University College **Name** 

Person

writer Role

Collet, Clara Elizabeth Name

Fellow of University College, London, Labour Correspondent, **Descriptor** 

Board of Trade and Honorary Secretary, The Economic Club,

London University

Person

**Date** 

Role recipient

Bonar, James, Dr Name

Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer **Descriptor** 

on economic subjects 5.1902 (attributed)

Not given **Place** 

**Document form** 

printed publication **Record type** Specific type financial appeal Secondary form printed draft . English Language

Acquisition

Not known **Summary** 

Content

**Summary** Printed appeal for funds to extend teaching in Economics and

Statistics at University College, London. Asks for £900 a year

for endowed Professorship of Political Economy and 4

Lectureships.

Free field

Annotated on first page, in ink in Miss Collet's hand "Unrevised draft", and on last page: "Already promised: Fund

for Appointing 3 Additional Lecturers for 2 years [all

underlined] - Miss Collet £25 per ann. for 2 yrs, Mrs. Yule and G. Udny Yule £10 per ann. for 2 yrs. Permanent Endowment Fund for Pol: Econ: Dept [all underlined], Conditionally on Two

Year Fund being raised - £1000".

Person

Yule, George Udney & Yule, George Udney, Mrs Name

**Subject keywords** London University - University College, economics funding at

**Physical descript** 

Summary 1 sheet; 4 pp. text printed Condition Small tear at top of page 3/4

Previous number Bonar 3(13)

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

Person

Role writer

Name Bryant, Sophie, Mrs

**Descriptor** Member of the Senate of University of London and

Headmistress of North London Collegiate School for Girls

Person

Role recipient

Name Bonar, James, Dr

Descriptor Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer

on economic subjects

**Date** 22.5.1902

Place [London] Hampstead, 6 Eldon Road, Brug-Na-Gael

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Not known

Content

Summary Hopes Bonar can come to University Saturday to discuss

Economics Syllabus. "The meeting will really turn on a debate between your side and Messrs Webb and Hewins", asks him to be well prepared. Asks him to come round tomorrow

evening to confer.

Free field Annotated by Bonar in ink, in ?Asian language. Only readable

words "Foxw[ell]...23.5.02".

Person
Name
Webb, Sidney James & Hewins, William Albert Samuel &

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

Subject keywords London University - economics teaching at

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 4 pp. text
Condition Stained from damp

Previous number Bonar 3(14)

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

**Person** 

Role writer

Name Edgeworth, Francis Ysidro

Descriptor Drummond Professor of Political Economy, Oxford University

Person

Date Place

Role recipient

Name Bonar, James, Dr

**Descriptor** Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer

on economic subjects 8.6.1902 (year attributed) Oxford, All Souls College

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter
Language English

Acquisition

Summary Not known

Content

Summary Asks Bonar to send him general regulations for exams in

Political Economy for Indian Civil Service. Wants to submit its curriculum to Council at Oxford who are thinking of forming

new school.

Free field Annotated in blue pencil by Bonar "Sent 9.6.02"

**Place** 

Locality name Oxford

Subject keywords ICS examinations - regulations

Physical descript Summary

Summary 1 sheet; 3 pp. text
Condition Stained on first page

Bonar 3(15) **Previous number** 

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Organisation Role

issuer

Name London University

**Person** 

recipient Role Bonar, James, Dr Name

Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer **Descriptor** 

on economic subjects

6.6.1902 **Date** 

**Place** London, University of London

**Document form** 

printed publication **Record type** Specific type notice of meeting

English Language

Acquisition

**Summary** Not known

Content

Partly printed, partly cyclostyled notice of meeting of Special Sub-Committee on Degrees in Economics to be held on June **Summary** 

12, 1902 to give further consideration to Schemes of

Examination.

Free field

Subject keywords London University - economics teaching at

Physical descript Summary

1 sheet; 1 p. text, partly printed

Condition Creased

**Bonar 3/19 Identity code** 

Bonar 3(16) **Previous number** 

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Organisation

issuer Role

London University Name

Person

writer Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton Name

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of **Descriptor** 

Political Economy, University College, London

Date 10.6.1902 **Place** London

**Document form** 

**Record type** printed publication examination schedule Specific type Secondary form mimeographed copy

Language English

Title University of London - Economics - Schedules proposed by

Prof. Foxwell

Content

**Summary** Gives general scheme and detailed schedules respectively for

Intermediate Examination and B.Sc. Final Pass Examination. Foxwell gives bracketed references to other schedules for comparison and on page 4 makes several personal criticisms

of the text.

Marginal comments by Bonar in several places, in blue pencil. On last page, where last line reads "25. 10/6/02 A.C.B.", Free field

Bonar completes surname as "Bastable?"

Subject keywords London University - economics teaching at

**Physical descript** 

4 sheets foolscap; 4 pp. typescript, mimeographed **Summary** 

All pages foxed, creased. Punch holes in upper left corners. Condition

Bonar 3(17) **Previous number** 

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Organisation

Role issuer

London, University College Name

Person

writer Role

Foster, J. Gregory Name

Secretary, Executive Committee of Fund for Advanced **Descriptor** 

University Education and Research, University College,

London

Person Role recipient Bonar, James, Dr Name

Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer **Descriptor** 

on economic subjects

Date 23.7.1902

London, University College **Place** 

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** 

Specific type letter Language English

**Acquisition** 

Summary Not known

Content

Summary

Asks Bonar to pay £2.2s as first of 2 instalments he had promised, through Miss [Clara Elizabeth] Collet, to subscribe to Fund for Advanced University Education and Research [see Bonar 3/14/1]. £78,000 more is needed before University

College can be incorporated in University of London.

Person Collet, Clara Elizabeth Name

**Subject keywords** London University - University College, economics funding at

**Physical descript** 

1 sheet; 1 p.mimeographed typescript, typed additions Summary

Condition Sound

Previous number Bonar 3(17)

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

Organisation

Role issuer

Name London, University College

Person

**Role** writer

Name Farrant, Richard, Sir

**Descriptor** Treasurer, Fund for Advanced University Education and

Research, University College, London

Person Role recipient

Name Bonar, James, Dr

**Descriptor** Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer

on economic subjects

Date 14.1.1903

Place London, University College

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter

Secondary form Mimeographed copy

Language English

Acquisition

Summary Not known

Content

**Summary** Asks Bonar's help in raising more money needed "for the

Incorporation of the College in the University as promptly as

possible." [See Bonar 3/14/1 and 3/20].

Subject keywords

London University - University College, economics funding at

**Physical descript** 

Summary 1 sheet; 1 p. typescript, mimeographed

**Condition** Creased

Bonar 3(18) **Previous number** 

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Organisation Role

publisher

Name London University, External Registrar

**Date** 7.1902

**Place** [London], University of London

**Document form** 

printed publication **Record type** examination regulations Specific type printer's proof Secondary form

Language English

Regulations relating to the B.Sc. degree in Faculty of Economics and Political Science including Commerce and Title

Industry for External Students

Content

**Summary** Printer's proof of cover page and first text page of above

regulations. [See Bonar 3/23 for complete text]. London University - economics teaching at **Subject keywords** 

**Physical descript** 

1 continuous sheet equivalent to about 2 sheets foolscap; 2 **Summary** 

pp. text, printed Foxed, worn at creases **Condition** 

Bonar 3(18) **Previous number** 

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Organisation Role

publisher

Name London University, External Registrar

**Date** 8.1902

[London] University of London **Place** 

**Document form** 

printed publication **Record type** examination regulations Specific type

Language English

University of London, Regulations relating to degrees in the **Title** 

Faculty of Economics and Political Science including

Commerce and Industry for External Students

Content

Covers regulations for B.Sc. Intermediate and Final **Summary** 

Examinations and Doctor of Science.

London University - economics teaching at **Subject keywords** 

Physical descript

12 pp. printed booklet, sewn, paginated 184-196, plus cover **Summary** 

sheet.

**Condition** Discoloured at edges

Bonar 3(19) **Previous number** 

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

**Person** 

writer Role

Name

Price, Langford Lovell F.R.
Fellow of Oriel College, Oxford and Reader in Economic **Descriptor** 

History, Oxford University

**Date** 14.1.1902

Oxford, Oriel College **Place** 

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** open letter Specific type Secondary form printed reproduction

Language English

Title The Present Position of Economic Study in Oxford; a Letter to

the Vice-Chancellor of the University

Content

Plea for greater prominence for economic studies at Oxford. **Summary** 

**Place** 

Locality name Subject keywords Oxford University - economics teaching at

**Physical descript** 

1 double sheet quarto paper; 4 pp. printed

Summary Condition Sound

Previous number Bonar 3(20)

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

**Person** 

Role writer

Name Price, Langford Lovell F.R.

**Descriptor** Fellow of Oriel College, Oxford and Reader in Economic

History, Oxford University

**Person** 

Role recipient

Name Bonar, James, Dr

Descriptor Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer

on economic subjects

**Date** 1.2.1902

Place Oxford, Oriel College

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Not known

Content

Summary Has received enclosed letter from Griffith [not attached], refers

to committee meeting he cannot attend.

Summary

Not hopeful about doing much for Economics at Oxford. Tried

hard but in vain to get [Francis Ysidro] Edgeworth to do letter to Vice-Chancellor [see Bonar 3/24] "and I really think that he is not seriously discontented with the present deplorable situation. At least he seems to have little enthusiasm for improvement, and I also am afraid that he carries little weight

here with those in authority".

Name Griffith, [-] & Edgeworth, Francis Ysidro

Place
Locality name
Oxfore

Subject keywords Oxford University - economics teaching at

**Physical descript** 

Person

Summary 1 sheet, embossed with shield of Oriel College, Oxford; 1 p.

typescript with inked corrections

**Condition** Discoloured along crease. Purple typewriter ink has

penetrated to reverse of paper.

Bonar 3(21) **Previous number** 

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Organisation Role

issuer

Name London University

**Date** 9.1902 Place London

**Document form** 

printed publication **Record type** examination curricula Specific type

Language English

Title Curricula and Schemes of Examination for Internal Students in

the Faculty of Economics, Session 1902-03

Content

First 13 pp. give regulations for degrees in general, remainder give curricula and syllabuses for Faculty of Economics. **Summary** 

**Subject keywords** London University - economics teaching at

**Physical descript** 

Summary 24 pp. booklet, sewn, 138 mm x 213 mm

Condition Discoloured, last pages dog-eared, black mark on final page

Previous number Bonar 3(22)

Description level 4

Record creation

Organisation

Role publisher

Name Birmingham University

Person

**Role** writer

Name Ashley, William James

**Descriptor** Professor of Commerce, University of Birmingham

Date 23.4.1902

Place Birmingham, University of Birmingham

**Document form** 

Record type printed publication Specific type printed publication information booklet

Language English

Title The Faculty of Commerce in the University of Birmingham, Its

Purpose and Programme

Content

Summary Describes Faculty of Commerce which will start October 1st,

1002

Free field Annotated on cover by Bonar in blue pencil "JB from WJA

[William James Ashley] 4.10.02"

**Place** 

Locality name Birmingham

Subject keywords Birmingham University - Faculty of Commerce

Physical descript Summary

Summary 16 pp. printed booklet, 122 mm x 182 mm; light blue paper

cover with coat of arms of University.

Condition All sheets discoloured by rusted staples

**Bonar 3/28 Identity code** 

Bonar 3(23) **Previous number** 

**Description level** 4

Record creation

Organisation Role

publisher

London, University College 12.1902 Name

**Date** Place London

**Document form** 

printed publication **Record type** 

Specific type report Language English

Fund for Advanced University Education and Research: **Title** 

Report of the Executive Committee

Content

**Summary** 

Fund's aim is incorporation of University College, London in University of London, and equipping and endowing it to carry out higher education and research. Identifies main objectives

and funds needed to accomplish each.

Contains table showing requirements of respective **Summary** 

departments, list of professorships and lectureships requiring

endowments, 2 lists of subscribers and list of Appeal

Committee members.

Subject keywords London University - University College, funding for

**Physical descript** 

**Summary** 3 double sheets quarto size; 12 pp. text, printed

Condition Somewhat creased **Identity code** 

**Bonar 3/29** 

**Previous number** 

Bonar 3(23) duplicated number

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Organisation

Role

publisher Name London, University College

**Date** 1902 (attributed)

Place [London]

**Document form** 

printed publication **Record type** subscription list Specific type

Language English

University College, London (University of London): Fund for **Title** 

Advanced University Education and Research: First List of

Subscriptions

Content

Apparently identical, except for pagination, with list of names **Summary** 

and amounts as published on pp. 8-10 of Bonar 3/28. Annotated by Bonar in red pencil on reverse of p. 3 "Research

Fund Subscrn list 1902".

London University - University College, funding for **Subject keywords** 

**Physical descript** 

Free field

Summary 1 double sheet quarto paper, folded; 3 pp. printed text Condition

Somewhat creased, second half discoloured, dog-eared, torn

at centre crease.

Bonar 3(23) duplicated number **Previous number** 

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Organisation Role

publisher

Name London, University College

**Date** 1902 (attributed) **Place** [London]

**Document form** 

printed publication **Record type** subscription list Specific type

Language English

University College, London (University of London): Fund for **Title** 

Advanced University Education and Research: Second List of

Subscriptions

Content

Apparently earlier and incomplete version of list as given on **Summary** 

p.ll of Bonar 3/28.

Annotated by Bonar in ink, against figures £4 4 0 for his subscription, "No £2-2/ 24.7.02" Free field

Subject keywords London University - University College, funding for

**Physical descript** 

Summary 1 sheet quarto; 1 p. printed text

Condition Sound

Previous number None

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

Organisation Role

Role publisher

Name London, University College

Date 1902 (attributed)
Place [London]

**Document form** 

Record type printed publication
Specific type list of committee members

Language English

Title Appeal for Funds for Advanced University Education and

Research in connection with University College, London:

Committee

Content

Summary List containing most of names given on p.12 of Bonar 3/28,

but with several additions and a few deletions.

Free field Appears to be a later revision of version included in Bonar

3/28.

Subject keywords London University - University College, funding for

**Physical descript** 

Summary 1 quarto sheet; 1 p. printed text

Condition Somewhat creased

Previous number Bonar 3(24)

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

**Organisation** 

**Role** publisher

Name Cambridge University

Date 10.3.1903 Place Cambridge

**Document form** 

Record type printed publication Specific type periodical English

Title Cambridge University Reporter

Content

**Summary** Miscellaneous announcements and reports, including on pp.

528-538 report of Economics and Political Science Syndicate dated 4 March 1903 recommending establishment of Economics Tripos and Special Board for Economics and Politics. Includes acquiescent resolutions of Special Board for Moral Science and Special Board for History and Archaeology, and proposed tripos regulations. Signatories: F.H.Chase (Vice-Chancellor), A.W.Ward, J. Westlake, J.N.Keynes, Alfred Marshall, W.R.Sorley, H.S.Foxwell, J.R.Tanner, Stanley

Leathes, G.Lowes Dickinson, Edmund H.Parker.

Free field Blue pencil mark on front page drawing attention to that item

in list of contents.

Person
Name
Chase, Frederick Henry & Ward, Adolphus William &

Westlake, John & Keynes, John Neville & Marshall, Alfred & Sorley, William Ritchie & Foxwell, Herbert Somerton & Tanner, Joseph Robson & Leathes, Stanley & Dickinson,

Goldsworthy Lowes & Parker, Edmund H.

Place

Locality name Cambridge

Subject keywords Cambridge University - economics teaching at

**Physical descript** 

**Summary** Largely uncut quarto-format document; 32 printed pages.

Condition Somewhat creased

None **Previous number** 

**Description level** 4

Record creation

Organisation Role

publisher

Royal Economic Society 1903 Name

**Date Place** Not given

**Document form** 

printed publication **Record type** periodical Specific type printer's proof Secondary form Language English

Title Econ. Journal

Content

**Summary** 

Proof sheet for entry in Economic Journal summarizing report of [Cambridge University] Economics and Political Science Syndicate [see Bonar 3/32]. Published in Volume 13, 1903,

pp. 155-6.

3 proof-reader's queries or corrections in margins, in ink in Free field

unidentified hand. **Economic Journal** 

Subject keywords Subject keywords Cambridge University - economics teaching at

**Physical descript** 

1 sheet; 1 p. printed text **Summary** 

Condition Extremely fragile and torn, reinforced with sellotape,

discoloured, top right corner missing.

Bonar 3/34/1 **Identity code** 

**Previous number** None

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Person

writer Role

Collet, Clara Elizabeth Name

**Descriptor** Fellow of University College, London, Labour Correspondent,

Board of Trade and Honorary Secretary, The Economic Club,

London University

Person Role

recipient Bonar, James, Dr Name

Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London and writer **Descriptor** 

on economic subjects

21.4.1903 **Date** 

[London] W.C., 36 Chenies Street Chambers **Place** 

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter English Language

Acquisition

Not known Summary

Content

**Summary** Asks Bonar to join correspondence in Westminster Gazette

about Economics Faculty [at London University - see Bonar 3/34/2]. Writes that she has referred to him by name in her

letter.

Free field Annotated by Bonar in red pencil "Answ'd 24.4.03".

Westminster Gazette

Subject keywords Subject keywords London University - economics teaching at

**Physical descript** 

1 sheet with embossed seal of Board of Trade and printed Summary

address of Labour Department; address deleted and another

inserted in ink.

Torn at upper left margin, dirty and dog-eared. Condition

Bonar 3/34/2 **Identity code** 

Bonar 3(26) **Previous number** 

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Organisation

publisher Role

Westminster Gazette Name

Person

writer Role

Collet, Clara Elizabeth Name

Fellow of University College, London, Labour Correspondent, **Descriptor** 

Board of Trade, and Honorary Secretary, The Economic Club,

London University 21.4.1903 (attributed)

**Date** 

**Place** London

**Document form** 

**Record type** newspaper Specific type cutting Secondary form

Language English

Title Letter to Editor of Westminster Gazette re London University

Faculty of Economics

Content

Refers to announcement printed in 'Economic Journal' of Summary

September 1900 about establishment, by Commissioners of London University, of "Faculty of Economics and Political Science", queries why London School of Economics given monopoly of teaching of economics at London University and

asks whether appropriate consultations carried out.

Free field Written by Miss Clara Collet, although signed merely "M.A.

(Lond.)". See Bonar 3/34/1

Westminster Gazette Subject keywords

London University - economics teaching at

Subject keywords Subject keywords London School of Economics - economics teaching at

**Physical descript** 

Newsprint cutting, 125mm x 222mm **Summary** 

Original extremely yellowed and fragile, edges crumbling Condition

Bonar 3(25) **Previous number** 

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Organisation Role

publisher

London, University College 1903 Name

**Date** 

Note Place London

**Document form** 

printed publication **Record type** 

poster Specific type English Language

Jevons Memorial Lectures, 1903 : Associations of Employers and Employed, Arbitration and Conciliation Title

Content

Lists titles of 8 lectures to be delivered weekly beginning 23 **Summary** 

April 1903 by A[rthur] C[ecil] Pigou at University College,

London.

**Person** Pigou, Arthur Cecil **Name** Jevons Memorial Lectures

Subject keywords Subject keywords London University - University College, lectures at

**Physical descript** 

1 sheet; 1 p. printed **Summary** 

Condition Mildewed along top and bottom margins

Previous number Bonar 3(27)

Description level 4

Record creation

Organisation Role

Role publisher

Name London, University College 1903

Date 1903 Place London

**Document form** 

Record type printed publication

Specific type poster
Language English

Title A Course of Lectures on Commercial Methods

Content

Summary Lists contents of 3-term lecture course to be delivered by A.

Kahn during academic year 1903/4.

Person Name Kahn, A.

Subject keywords London Univerdsity - University College, lectures at

Physical descript Summary

Summary 1 sheet; 1 p. printed

Condition Mildew stains along central crease

Bonar 3(29) **Previous number** 

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Organisation Role

publisher

Name London, University College

**Date** 1903 **Place** London

**Document form** 

printed publication **Record type** Specific type course programme

Language English

Title Programme of Courses of Study for Students in the Faculty of

Economics [Session 1903-4]

Content

Gives term dates for academic year I903/4, describes course content for economics and related disciplines including law, **Summary** 

and lists lecturers, lecture timetable and fees.

London University - University College, economics teaching at **Subject keywords** 

**Physical descript** 

3 sheets stitched, 12-page booklet, 140 mm x 203 mm Summary Condition

First page discoloured, all pages badly stained with mildew at

cental crease.

Identity code Bonar 3/38

Previous number Bonar 3(28)

Description level 4

Record creation

Organisation

Role publisher

Name John Hopkins University Press

Date 1902 (attributed)

Place [United States of America], Maryland, Baltimore

**Document form** 

Record type printed publication

Specific type circular Language English

Title Reprint of Econonic Tracts

Content

Summary Invites subscriptions to reprint of 4 19th century economic

tracts, viz. 3 letters by David Ricardo on "Price of Gold";
Thomas R. Malthus, "Inquiry into the Nature and Progress of Rent..."; Sir Edward West, "Essay on the Application of Capital to Land..."; Francis D. Longe "A Refutation of the Wage-Fund Theory of Modern Political Economy...".

Notice published in Economic Journal for March 1903.

Person Role writers

Name Ricardo, David & Malthus, Thomas Robert & West, Edward,

Sir & Longe, Francis D.

Subject keywords Economic tracts - 19th century

Physical descript Summary

Free field

Summary 2 sheets; 1 small printed order blank, 1 folded contains 3 pp.

printed text. Sound

**Condition** Sound

Bonar 4 **Identity code** 

**Description level** 2

Content

Section 4 comprises Bonar's membership papers of the British Institute of International Affairs and a newspaper cutting concerning imported newsprint. Summary

Identity code Bonar 4/1

Previous number Bonar 4(5)

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

Organisation

Role issuer

Name British Institute of International Affairs

Person

Role writer

Name Power, John Cecil

**Descriptor** Hon. Treasurer, British Institute of International Affairs

Person

Role recipient

Name Bonar, James, Dr

**Descriptor** Former Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London

and writer on economic subjects

**Date** 25.6.1923

Place London, W.C.1., Malet Street

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence
Specific type circular letter
Language English

Acquisition

Summary Not known

Content

Summary Reminder that Bonar's subscription to Institute is due.

Free field Annotated by Bonar in ink and pencil: "Cheque sent 28-6

[together with] note as to Wabana iron, Journal of the Institute May 1923 p. 113 'Nfld [Newfoundland] iron should not be

called Canadian".

Place

Country name Newfoundland & Canada

Subject keywords British Institute of International Affairs SEE Royal Institute of

International Affairs

Subject keywords Royal Institute of International Affairs

**Physical descript** 

Summary 1 sheet; 1 p. mimeographed typescript
Condition Much mildewed, tear in left margin

Bonar 4/2 **Identity code** 

Bonar 4(3) **Previous number** 

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

**Person** 

writer Role

Cleeve, Margaret E. Name

**Descriptor** Secretary, British Institute of International Affairs

Person

Role

Bonar, James, Dr **Name** 

**Descriptor** Former Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, London

and writer on economic subjects

**Date** 29.6.1923

**Place** London, W.C.1, Malet Street

**Document form** 

correspondence Record type

Specific type letter Language English

**Acquisition** 

Summary Not known

Content

**Summary** Acknowledges Bonar's letter enclosing subscription payment,

asks if they may print in Correspondence section of Journal of Institute that portion of his letter which comments on "Major

Clarke's paper".

Red pencil mark in margin against second paragraph. Annotated by Bonar in ink "Yes 30-6". See Bonar 4/1. Free field

Person

Name Clarke, Major

British Institute of International Affairs SEE Royal Institute of Subject keywords

International Affairs

**Subject keywords** Royal Institute of International Affairs

**Physical descript** 

1 sheet; 1 p. typed Discoloured, mildewed. Summary Condition

Identity code Bonar 4/3

Previous number Bonar 4(4)

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

Organisation Role

Role issuer

Name British Institute of International Affairs

Date 6.1923 (attributed)

Place London

**Document form** 

Record type agenda

Secondary form mimeograph typescript

Language English

Title Agenda of Annual General Meeting of British Institute of

International Affairs, July 10, 1923

Content

**Summary** 5 items, essentially of formal or administrative nature, for

discussion

Subject keywords British Institute of International Affairs SEE Royal Institute of

International Affairs

Subject keywords Royal Institute of International Affairs

**Physical descript** 

Summary
1 sheet; 1 p. typescript, mimeographed
Condition
Brownish black marks on upper part of page.

Identity code Bonar 4/4

Previous number Bonar 4(1)

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

Organisation Role

Role issuer

Name British Institute of International Affairs

Date 9.1923 (attributed)

Place London

**Document form** 

Record type printed document Specific type printed document membership card

Language English

Title British Institute of International Affairs

Content

Summary Membership card, autumn, 1923. Lists lectures October to

December.

Subject keywords British Institute of International Affairs SEE Royal Institute of

International Affairs

Subject keywords Royal Institute of International Affairs

**Physical descript** 

Summary Blue printed card 120mm x 94mm

Condition Discoloured, mildewed

**Identity code** Bonar 4/5

**Previous number** Bonar 4(2)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Organisation Role

publisher

The Times Newspaper 5.12.1923 Name

**Date** Place London

**Document form** 

newspaper **Record type** cutting **Specific type** Secondary form Language English

Title Election charge refuted: "The Times" and German paper

Content

Prints correspondence between Sir Percy FitzPatrick and John Walter as to country of origin of paper used to print The **Summary** 

**Person** FitzPatrick, Percy, Sir & Walter, John Name

Country name Subject keywords Germany Times newspaper - newsprint for

**Physical descript** 

Summary Condition Newspaper cutting 61 mm x 200 mm

Acidic

**Identity code** 

Bonar 5

**Description level** 

-

Content Summary

Section 5 consists of notebooks and loose sheets of the translation from German by Helen Lucas of Georg Friedrich Knapp's "Zur staatlichen Theorie des Geldes". The first 3 chapters were published by the Royal Economic Society in 1924, when Bonar was joint editor. According to annotations by Bonar on the wrapping paper, he returned the unpublished text to the RES in 1926.

Bonar 5/1/1-7 **Identity code** 

**Previous number** none

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Person writer/translator Role Name Lucas, Helen Mary

**Date** 

[London], Chelsea, 50 Oakley Street **Place** 

**Document form** 

notebooks **Record type** 

Specific type notebooks of translated text Secondary form

English Language

Acquisition

Apparently sent by Bonar to Royal Economic Society in 1926 **Summary** 

[see Bonar 5/1/8]. Means of deposit in Marshall Library

unknown

Content

6 notebooks and 1 tied bundle text of translation from German **Summary** 

of Chapter IV (paragraph 16 onwards) and Appendices and Supplements of Georg Friedrich Knapp's "Zur staatlichen Theorie des Geldes". Previous three chapters had been published under aegis of Royal Economic Society in 1924 as "The State Theory of Money", edited by Helen Mary Lucas and

James Bonar.

Annotated by Bonar 'This section was apparently not Free field

published'

Person

Knapp, Georg Friedrich & Bonar, James, Dr Name Subject keywords

Knapp's theory of money

Bonar publications - Knapp's "State Theory of Money" Subject keywords

Subject keywords Royal Economic Society

**Physical descript** 

Summary

6 ruled notebooks approx 182 mm x 234 mm, pale blue glazed-cloth over card covers. Each has 172 ruled pages plus 2 plain each end, text on right hand pages only. 1 bundle 96 pp foolscap typescript tied in top left corner with green cord

Condition sound **Identity code** Bonar 5/1/8

none **Previous number** 

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

**Person** 

writer Role

Bonar, James, Dr 1.11.1923 Name **Date** [London] **Place** 

**Document form** 

note **Record type** English Language

Acquisition Summary

Means of deposit in Marshall Library unknown

Content

First of 2 notes by Bonar contained with Bonar 5/1/1-7. "From Mrs. Lucas. 13 Stuck + 1 boxful 12. 1-11-1923". See also **Summary** 

Bonar 5/1/9 and 5/1/10.

Free field Written at right-angles, in pencil in Bonar's hand, across back

of printed invitation card from University College London. In the original, "Stuck" [German for item or piece] has an umlaut.

**Person** Name Lucas, Helen Mary

**Subject keywords** 

**Physical descript** 

Printed invitation card 205 mm x 124 mm **Summary** 

Condition Discoloured. **Identity code** 

Bonar 5/1/9

**Previous number** 

none

**Description level** 

4

**Record creation** 

**Person** 

Role

Name **Date** Place

writer

English

Bonar, James, Dr 29.1.1920 [London]

note [possibly draft letter]

**Document form** 

**Record type** Specific type

Secondary form

Language

Title

Content

**Summary** 

Second of 2 notes attached to Bonar 5/1/1-7. Apparently addressed to an official of Royal Economic Society it states that in December [?] 1923 Mrs Lucas had been paid £90 for translating the whole of Knapp, but published translation of 1924 had not used chapter IV and appendices, which he encloses. See also Bonar 5/1/8 and 5/1/10.

Free field **Person** 

Name Place

Subject keywords

Lucas, Helen M. & Knapp, Georg Friedrich

Physical descript Summary

**Condition** 

**Publication record** Type Reference

Torn lined sheet approx. 145 m x 176 mm with note written across lines. In ink in Bonar's hand, with red pencil underlining

of words "chap.IV and appendices are here."

Torn at left side, discoloured

**Identity code** 

Bonar 5/1/10

**Previous number** 

None

**Description level** 

4

**Record creation** 

**Person** 

Role

writer Name Bonar, James, Dr **Date** 29.4.1926 **Place** [London]

**Document form** 

**Record type** 

Specific type parcel wrappping

Secondary form Language

English

Title

Content

**Summary** 

"Property of Royal Economic Society, 9 Adelphi Terrace. MS of Mrs. Lucas' Translation of Knapp Part II 1923. Not yet printed. 29-4-1926. Covered by fee already paid. Returned by

J. Bonar 29-4-1926.

Free field That part of wrapping paper enclosing 5/1/1/-5/1/9 which

contains Bonar's annotations.

Lucas, Helen Mary, Mrs & Knapp, Georg Friedrich Name

**Person** 

Place **Subject keywords** 

**Physical descript** 

Summary Irregular piece of brown paper approx. 230 mm x 170 mm cut

from larger sheet. Outer surface very dirty

**Condition** Very dirty on outer surface

**Publication record** 

Type Reference