

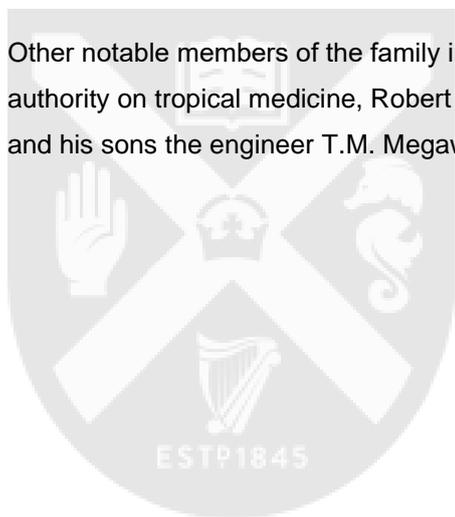
## MS 53 Megaw Collection

### About the collection:

A small collection of publications and papers relating to, and donated by the Megaw family.

The Megaw Reading Room in the Lynn Library was opened in 1952 and created through the generosity of the Megaw family. It was named after Judge Robert Dick Megaw (1867-1947). The room was extended to commemorate Alice K. Megaw, Judge Megaw's daughter. Alice Megaw was appointed Assistant Librarian at Queen's in 1941, Sub-Librarian in 1950 and Deputy Librarian in 1959. She retired in 1961. The extension to the Megaw Reading Room was opened in December 1996. Around this time the Megaw family deposited a number of publications and papers written by members of the family. The papers were held in the Megaw Reading Room until Special Collections moved to the McClay Library in July 2009.

Other notable members of the family include Judge Megaw's brother, Major-General Sir John Megaw (1874-1958) an authority on tropical medicine, Robert Dick Megaw's daughter the Crystallographer Helen Dick Megaw (1907-2002), and his sons the engineer T.M. Megaw (b. 1908) and Sir John Megaw (1909–1997) a Lord Justice of Appeal.



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**MS 53/1**      **Presentation copy of The Law of Partnership**

*The law of partnership*, by J. Andrew Strahan and Norman H. Oldham. 3rd ed by J.A. Strahan.  
London: Sweet & Maxwell Ltd. 1923.

Strahan's presentation copy to R.D. Megaw.

Inscription reads, "R.D. Megaw Esq<sup>re</sup> K.C., M.P., with the compliments & kind wishes of his old friend J.A. Strahan".

274pp. Hard bound.

**MS 53/2**      **Study by Major-General Sir John Megaw; together with 2 memoirs**

**MS 53/2/1**

*India heading for disaster: a study of the problem of overpopulation in India*, by Major-General Sir John Megaw, K.C.I.E., M.B., B.Ch., D.Sc., I.M.S., formerly Director-General, Indian Medical Service. Dated 1959, of a text written about 1946.

Typescript. 90pp. Binding loose.

**MS 53/2/2**

Memoir entitled, "A Great Medical Administrator and Scientist" by Major-General Sir Leonard Rogers, relating to the life and work of Major-General Sir John Megaw.

Typescript. 6pp.

**MS 53/2/3**

Memoir relating to Robert Dick M.D., F.R.C.S. (Eng). (1831-1913), uncle to Judge Robert Dick Megaw and Major-General Sir John Megaw.

Typescript. 1p. n.d.

**MS 53/3**      **Report on Inquiry into Civil Service Pay**

'Inquiry into Civil Service pay. Report of an inquiry into the principles and the system by which the remuneration of the non-industrial Civil Service should be determined. Vol. 1. The Inquiry's Findings'. Chairman: Rt. Hon. Sir John Megaw. C.B.E., T.D. London: 1982.

Typescript. 132pp. Soft bound.

**MS 53/4**      **The New University of Ulster: A Selection of Lectures**

*A selection of lectures given to Convocation*

Convocation lectures by Professor Ralf Dahrendorf, Sir Edward Britton, The Rt. Hon. Lord Justice Megaw. The New University of Ulster [Coleraine]. 1979.

51pp. Soft bound.

**MS 53/5**      **Marriage, Divorce and Inheritance by Winifred Brown**

**MS 53/5/1**      *Marriage, divorce and inheritance: the Uganda Council of Women's movement for legislative reform,*  
[by] Winifred Brown. Cambridge African Monographs 10. African Studies Centre. 1988.

Note on title: "(Annie Winifred Megaw)".

91pp. Soft bound.

With insert:

**MS 53/5/1/1**      Typed note entitled 'Comment on Winifred Brown'; handwritten note at end 'Extract from reader's report'.

1p.

**MS 53/5/2**      *Marriage, divorce and inheritance: the Uganda Council of Women's movement for legislative reform,*  
[by] Winifred Brown. Cambridge African Monographs 10. African Studies Centre. 1988.

Title page: "The position of women in Uganda. A report by Annie Winifred Megaw (Mrs. Leslie Brown) 1988. First published as a brochure by Cambridge University African Studies Centre and distributed at the Lambeth Conference 1988.

Copy of MS 53/2/1 with appendixes interspersed.

73pp. Bound.

With inserts:

**MS 53/5/2/1**      Order of Service

"A Service of Thanksgiving to God for the work of His grace in LESLIE WILFRID BROWN 1912-1999".

Dated 12 February 2000.

**MS 53/5/2/2**      Postcard

From Cambridge with image of King's College Chapel.

Addressed to Dr H.D. Megaw at Ballycastle address with greeting, "Dear Helen", signed, "Much love, Sheila".

Dated 15 February 2000.

**MS 53/5/2/3**      Letter

Greeting, "Dear Aunt Helen" signed, "Love Alise" sent from address in London.

Handwritten. 1p. Dated 16 February 2000.

**MS 53/6**      **Photograph albums**

Photograph album and 2 negative albums.

**MS 53/6/1**

Photograph album containing 211 images, most with date and caption, relating to construction of Craigavon Bridge, Londonderry; album inscribed "T.McE. Megaw 1930".

78pp. 300 x 165mm.

**MS 53/6/2**

Album containing 100 negatives, individually enveloped, for images numbered 1-100 in MS 53/6/1.

Note on album, marked "E", "Craigavon Bridge 1931- 34 1-100"

1300 x 800 x 300mm.

**MS 53/6/3**

Album containing 111 negatives, individually enveloped, for images numbered 101-211 in MS 53/6/1.

Note on album, marked "D", "Craigavon Bridge 1931- 34 101-211"

1300 x 800 x 300mm.

**MS 53/7**

**Material relating to Craigavon Bridge, Londonderry**

**MS 53/7/1**

Handwritten manuscript entitled, "Londonderry Bridge Weekly Summary of Work".

Date range: 21 February 1931- 24 February 1934.

68pp.

**MS 53/7/2**

Programme to mark the *Visit of The Right Hon. The Lord Mayor of London (Sir Percy Ward Greenaway) to Londonderry on Tuesday 18th July 1933* [to open the Craigavon Bridge].

64pp.

**MS 53/7/3**

*The Londonderry sentinel*, September 15, 1932, containing an article on Londonderry bridges.

**MS 53/7/4**

Folder containing article entitled, "Craigavon Bridge, Londonderry"; a brief statement of the improvements begun in 1967 and two plans.

**MS 53/8**      **Published work, Tunnelling**

*Tunnelling*, [by] T.M. Megaw. London: Thomas Telford, 1982 (ICE works construction guides).

44pp.

**MS 53/9**      **Published works, Tunnels**

MS 53/9/1 *Tunnels: planning, design, construction*, Volume 1 [by] T.M. Megaw and J.V. Bartlett. Chichester: Ellis Horwood, 1981.  
284pp.

MS 53/9/2 *Tunnels: planning, design, construction*, Volume 2 [by] T.M. Megaw and J.V. Bartlett. Chichester: Ellis Horwood, 1982.  
321pp.

MS 53/10 **Published work, Túneles**

*Túneles. Planeación, diseño y construcción*. Volumen 1, [by] T.M. Megaw y J.V. Bartlett. Mexico: Limusa, 1988.  
331pp.

MS 53/11 **Proceedings of The Institute of Civil Engineers**

*Mersey Kingsway tunnel: planning and design*, [by] T.M. Megaw [and] C.O. Brown. (Institution of Civil Engineers. Proceedings, papers 7480, 7418, 7492 and Discussion).

MS 53/12 **Offprint**

Biographical piece on the life and work of Sir Basil Mott (1859-1938), consulting civil engineer. Text, paged 355-359, by T.M. Megaw.

MS 53/13 **Miscellaneous papers by T.M. Megaw**

- MS 53/13/1 'History of Liverpool tunnels', *Tunnels and Tunnelling*. July 1972.
- MS 53/13/2 'Japan tunnel symposium '70 – a review', *Tunnels and Tunnelling*. November 1970.
- MS 53/13/3 'Road crossings of British estuaries – some tunnels and long span bridges', *International Road Federation Fifth World Meeting London*. September 1966.
- MS 53/13/4 'Road tunnel construction' (along with 'Introductory Remarks'), S.A. Tunnel Conference. 1970.
- MS 53/13/5 'Design of ventilation systems for road tunnels', *International Symposium on the aerodynamics and ventilation of vehicle tunnels*. April 1973.
- MS 53/13/6 'Foundations at Poole power station', *Geotechnique*. December 1951.
- MS 53/13/7 'Road tunnels in the UK', *Tunnels and Tunnelling*. May 1972.
- MS 53/13/8 Fragment, handwritten note, headed, [?] "Dr. Megaw", signed [?] "P.A.G.". n.d.



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MS 53/14      **Published works by Helen D. Megaw**

MS 53/14/1      *Ferroelectricity in crystals*, by Helen D. Megaw. London: Methuen. 1957.

MS 53/14/2      *Crystallographic book list*, edited by Helen D. Megaw. [Utrecht]: International Union of Crystallography, Commission on Crystallographic Teaching. 1965.

MS 53/14/3      *Crystal structures: a working approach*, by Helen D. Megaw. Philadelphia, London: Saunders. 1973.

MS 53/14/4      'Early work on ferroelectricity in Great Britain', by Helen D. Megaw. Pages 335-346 of *Chitabari wonder: new materials and new technologies of the century*, [Japan]: Marzan. 1990.

MS 53/15      **Scientific papers by Helen D. Megaw**

A box of scientific papers, MS and printed, by Helen D. Megaw.



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