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# Cavenagh family fonds

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## Summary information

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**Repository:** University of Victoria Special Collections and University Archives

**Title:** Cavenagh family fonds

**ID:** SC023

**Date:** 1790 - 1893 (date of creation)

**Physical description:** 60 cm of textual records

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## Administrative history / Biographical sketch

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### Note

Members of the Cavenagh family were British Army officers and officers of the East India Company serving primarily in the Straits Settlements, Malaya, Singapore, and Penang.

### Custodial history

Gift of Jill Kelly on behalf of the Cavenagh family, 1971.

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## Scope and content

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The Cavenagh Family fonds is comprised of documents relating primarily to army officer and colonial governor Sir William Orfeur Cavenagh (1820–1891), who served as the last India-appointed Governor of the Straits Settlements (now Singapore and Malaysia). The collection also contains material relating to two of his seven siblings, Gordon Cavenagh and Matthew Cavenagh (d. 1864), and their father James Gordon Cavenagh (1766–1844), who was an army surgeon.

Correspondence, commissions, letter books, diaries, printed material, certificates and other documents provide insight into Sir William Orfeur Cavenagh's military career in India and Nepal (1837 -1858) and his tenure as Governor of the Straits Settlements (1859-1867).

Material relating to Gordon Cavenagh (who served with the Bengal Infantry) and Matthew Cavenagh (who emigrated to Canada and died in 1864) can also be found in the fonds. Correspondence from 1864 to 1867 between the Cavenagh family and various correspondents (including R. Calvert) relate to Matthew Cavenagh's estate in Canada. The fonds also includes letter books of Henry William Dent dating from 1881 to 1893.

## Notes

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### Title notes

### Alternative form available

Early letterbooks of the Cavenagh family have been transcribed and are available through UVic Digital Collections: <http://www.uvic.ca/library/locations/home/spcoll/book/cavenagh.php>

### Finding aids

Item list available.

### Other notes

- **Publication status:** Published
- **Description identifier:** cavenagh-family-fonds-2

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## Access points

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- Cavenagh, Orfeur (subject)
- Cavenagh, James Gordon (subject)
- Cavenagh, Gordon (subject)
- Kinsey, Matthew Cavenagh (subject)
- Calvert, R. (subject)
- Dent, Henry William (subject)
- East India Company--History (subject)
- Great Britain. Army--History--19th century (subject)
- Great Britain. Army--Officers--Diaries (subject)
- Malaya--History (subject)
- Singapore--History (subject)
- Straits Settlements--History--19th century (subject)

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## Collection holdings

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### Series: SC023-1996-067 - Cavenagh Papers

Title: Cavenagh Papers

ID: SC023-1996-067

Date: 1790-1893 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

The fonds consists of commissions, certificates, orders, proclamations and other documents of Sir Orfeur Cavenagh, James Gordon Cavenagh, and Gordon Cavenagh; correspondence between Matthew Cavenagh Kinsey (Canada East) and R. Calvert (London), 1864-1867; letter books of Henry William Dent, 1881-1893, and Sir Orfeur Cavenagh; private letter books and diaries, 1837-1888; and printed material.

Physical description: 6 docs, 1 OS box.

Publication status:

Published

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**Subseries: SC023-1996-067-1 - "Grandfather's Papers" (James Gordon Cavenagh)**

Title: "Grandfather's Papers" (James Gordon Cavenagh)

ID: SC023-1996-067-1

Date: 1790-1836 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-1-1.1.1 - Certificate, Honourary Member, Royal Jennerian Society (cf. Box 7)**

Title: Certificate, Honourary Member, Royal Jennerian Society (cf. Box 7)

ID: SC023-1996-067-1-1.1.1

Date: 1836 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-1-1.1.2 - Commission as Surgeon , Royal Staff Corps**

Title: Commission as Surgeon , Royal Staff Corps

ID: SC023-1996-067-1-1.1.2

Date: 1800 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-1-1.1.3 - Certificate of service, 2nd Irish Brigade**

Title: Certificate of service, 2nd Irish Brigade

ID: SC023-1996-067-1-1.1.3

Date: 1790 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-1-1.1.4 - Active service order, 83rd Regiment**

Title: Active service order, 83rd Regiment

ID: SC023-1996-067-1-1.1.4

Date: 1797 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-1-1.1.5 - Certificate of service, 63rd Regiment**

Title: Certificate of service, 63rd Regiment

ID: SC023-1996-067-1-1.1.5

Date: 1800 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-1-1.1.6 - Order to rejoin regiment**

Title: Order to rejoin regiment

ID: SC023-1996-067-1-1.1.6



Date: 1804 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-1-1.1.7 - Certificate of service**

Title: Certificate of service

ID: SC023-1996-067-1-1.1.7

Date: 1818 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-1-1.1.8 - Map of Dr. Cavenagh's farm, Ham Street, Kent**

Title: Map of Dr. Cavenagh's farm, Ham Street, Kent

ID: SC023-1996-067-1-1.1.8

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-1-1.1.9 - Letter from Dr. Cavenagh to his wife**

Title: Letter from Dr. Cavenagh to his wife

ID: SC023-1996-067-1-1.1.9

Date: 1830 (date of creation)

Note [generalNote]:

November 26, 1830

Publication status:

Published

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**Subseries: SC023-1996-067-2 - "Father's Papers" Sir Orfeur Cavenagh**

Title: "Father's Papers" Sir Orfeur Cavenagh

ID: SC023-1996-067-2

Date: 1842-1885 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.1 - Commissions in Queen's and East India Company Services**

Title: Commissions in Queen's and East India Company Services

ID: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.1

Date: 1842-1884 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

- i. Lieutenant (E.I.C.), January, 1842
- ii. Lieutenant (Army), January, 1842
- iii. Lieutenant (Army), July, 1842
- iv. Captain (E.I.C.), August, 1850
- v. Captain (Army), August, 1850
- vi. Lieutenant -Colonel (E.I.C.), November, 1854
- vii. Lieutenant-Colonel (Army), November, 1854
- viii. Major, Bengal Staff Corps, November, 1861
- ix. Lieutenant-Colonel, Bengal Staff Corps, June, 1863
- x. Major-General (Army), September, 1866
- xi. Lieutenant-General (Army), September, 1874
- xii. Honourary Colonel (Volunteer Forces), June 1884

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.2 - Letter from War Office**

Title: Letter from War Office

ID: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.2

Date: 1885 (date of creation)

Note [generalNote]:

September 9, 1885

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.3 - Certificate of qualification as Interpreter**

Title: Certificate of qualification as Interpreter

ID: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.3

Date: 1840 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.4 - Surgeon's statement re wound to left arm**

Title: Surgeon's statement re wound to left arm

ID: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.4

Date: 1846 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.5 - Memorial to E.I.C. re brevet rank of major**

Title: Memorial to E.I.C. re brevet rank of major

ID: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.5

Date: 1851 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.6 - Certificate from Major Hill, 4th Cavalry**

Title: Certificate from Major Hill, 4th Cavalry

ID: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.6

Date: 1851 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.7 - Letters from Secretary to the Governor General**

Title: Letters from Secretary to the Governor General

ID: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.7

Date: 1854-1857 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

- i. November 7, 1854
- ii. March 31, 1857
- iii. March 31, 1857

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.8 - Proceedings of Medical Committee**

Title: Proceedings of Medical Committee

ID: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.8

Date: 1859 (date of creation)

Note [generalNote]:

March 14, 1859

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.9 - Medical certificate, Surgeon O'Dwyer**

Title: Medical certificate, Surgeon O'Dwyer

ID: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.9

Date: 1855 (date of creation)

Note [generalNote]:

February 19, 1855

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.10 - Medical certificate, Surgeon MacKinnon**

Title: Medical certificate, Surgeon MacKinnon

ID: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.10

Date: 1859 (date of creation)

Note [generalNote]:

February 18, 1859

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.11 - Proceedings, Committee re Mess Affairs**

Title: Proceedings, Committee re Mess Affairs

ID: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.11

Date: 1864 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.12 - Documents relating to award as Knight Commander, Star of India**

Title: Documents relating to award as Knight Commander, Star of India

ID: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.12

Date: 1881 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

- i. Warrant as Knight Commander
- ii. Proceedings of investment service
- iii. Letter from Garter King at Arms

## iv. Statutes of the Order

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.13 - Diploma as Knight Harbinger, Primrose League**Title: Diploma as Knight Harbinger, Primrose LeagueID: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.13Date: 1885 (date of creation)Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.14 - Letter to Earl of Kimberly on behalf of his eldest son**Title: Letter to Earl of Kimberly on behalf of his eldest sonID: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.14Date: 1881 (date of creation)Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.15 - Testimonial from the inhabitants of Penang (cf. O/S Roll 8)**Title: Testimonial from the inhabitants of Penang (cf. O/S Roll 8)ID: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.15Date: 1867 (date of creation)Publication status:

Published

**Item: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.16 - Certificates from Industrial Exhibition, London (cf. O/S Box 7)**

Title: Certificates from Industrial Exhibition, London (cf. O/S Box 7)

ID: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.16

Date: 1862 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

- i. Class IV (O/S)
- ii. Class XI (O/S)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.17 - Certificates from Nagpore Exhibition (cf. O/S Box 7)**

Title: Certificates from Nagpore Exhibition (cf. O/S Box 7)

ID: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.17

Date: 1866 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

- i. Certificate of thanks
- ii. Certificate of 2nd prize for coffee exhibit

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.18 - Picture of initiation ceremony, Chinese secret society. (cf. O/S Box 7)**

Title: Picture of initiation ceremony, Chinese secret society. (cf. O/S Box 7)

ID: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.18

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.19 - Plan of the battle of Maharajpore (cf. O/S Box 7)**

Title: Plan of the battle of Maharajpore (cf. O/S Box 7)

ID: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.19

Publication status:

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.20 - Letter in Urdu from the King of Ouda (cf. O/S Box 7 Scroll)**

Title: Letter in Urdu from the King of Ouda (cf. O/S Box 7 Scroll)

ID: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.20

Date: 1858 (date of creation)

Publication status:

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.21 - Queen Victoria's Proclamation to the people of India. (cf. O/S Box 7)**

Title: Queen Victoria's Proclamation to the people of India. (cf. O/S Box 7)

ID: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.21

Date: 1858 (date of creation)

Publication status:

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.22 - Manuscript of translation from the Koran**

Title: Manuscript of translation from the Koran

ID: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.22

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.23 - Manuscript concerning the Poor Law and private charity.**

Title: Manuscript concerning the Poor Law and private charity.

ID: SC023-1996-067-2-1.2.23

Publication status:

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**Subseries: SC023-1996-067-3 - "Uncle Gordon's Papers" (Gordon Cavenagh)**

Title: "Uncle Gordon's Papers" (Gordon Cavenagh)

ID: SC023-1996-067-3

Date: 1860-1876 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-3-1.3.1 - Commissions**

Title: Commissions

ID: SC023-1996-067-3-1.3.1

Date: 1860-1876 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

- i. Captain, January 1860
- ii. Captain, January 1862
- iii. Major, January 1865
- iv. Lieutenant Colonel, January 1871
- v. Colonel, January 1876

Publication status:

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**Subseries: SC023-1996-067-4 - Unlisted Items**

Title: Unlisted Items

ID: SC023-1996-067-4

Date: 1864-1893 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-4-1.5.1 - Record of service of Major-General Orfeur Cavenagh (3 printed & 1 typewritten copies)**

Title: Record of service of Major-General Orfeur Cavenagh (3 printed & 1 typewritten copies)

ID: SC023-1996-067-4-1.5.1

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-4-1.5.2 - Clan Kavanagh in the Imperial service (offprint from the Royal Society of Antiquaries of Ireland)**

Title: Clan Kavanagh in the Imperial service (offprint from the Royal Society of Antiquaries of Ireland)

ID: SC023-1996-067-4-1.5.2

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-4-1.5.3 - Letters to or relating to Matthew Cavenagh and his estate**

Title: Letters to or relating to Matthew Cavenagh and his estate

ID: SC023-1996-067-4-1.5.3

Date: 1864-1867 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

- i. Letter from R. Calvert to M. Cavenagh, February 22, 1864
- ii. Letter from R. Calvert to M. Cavenagh, February 25, 1864
- iii. Letter from R. Calvert to M. Cavenagh, April 28, 1864
- iv. Letter from R. Calvert to M. Cavenagh, July 18, 1864
- v. Letter from R. Calvert to M. Cavenagh, November 23, 1864

- vi. Letter from R. Calvert to Major General O. Cavenagh expressing regret at the news of the death of the General's brother Matthew, August 31, 1867
- vii. Letter from J. Millington to General Cavenagh re estate of M. Cavenagh, n.d.
- viii. Letter from Smith Leith to General Cavenagh re estate of M. Cavenagh, Sept. 17, 1867
- ix. Letter from Smith Leith to General Cavenagh, November 25, 1867
- x. Memorandum, signed by R. Calvert in Re Millington and Cavenagh, n.d.

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-4-1.5.4 - Letter book of H.M. Dent (much of it in-decipherable). Possibly H.W. Dent (Henry William Dent).**

Title: Letter book of H.M. Dent (much of it in-decipherable). Possibly H.W. Dent (Henry William Dent).

ID: SC023-1996-067-4-1.5.4

Date: 1887-1893 (date of creation)

Note [generalNote]:

Dec 1887-Oct 1893

Publication status:

Published

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**Subseries: SC023-1996-067-5 - Private Letter Books**

Title: Private Letter Books

ID: SC023-1996-067-5

Date: 1859-1874 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-5-2.1 - Regarding Straits Settlement. Eleven Volumes**

Title: Regarding Straits Settlement. Eleven Volumes

ID: SC023-1996-067-5-2.1

Date: 1859-1868 (date of creation)

Note [generalNote]:

Dec 5, 1859 -Oct 20, 1868

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-5-2.2.1 - Cavenagh Letterbook**

Title: Cavenagh Letterbook

ID: SC023-1996-067-5-2.2.1

Date: 1859-1860 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Transcribed copy of one volume of Sir Orfeur Cavenagh's private letterbooks from his time as Governor of the Straits Settlements (Singapore, Malaya and Penang). Major General Sir Orfeur Cavenagh KCSI (1820)

Physical description: 1 volume.

Note [generalNote]:

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Publication status:

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-5-2.2.2 - Cavenagh Letterbook**

Title: Cavenagh Letterbook

ID: SC023-1996-067-5-2.2.2

Date: 1860-1861 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Transcribed copy of one volume of Sir Orfeur Cavenagh's private letterbooks from his time as Governor of the Straits Settlements (Singapore, Malaya and Penang). Major General Sir Orfeur Cavenagh KCSI (1820)

Physical description: 1 volume.

Note [generalNote]:

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Publication status:

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-5-2.2.3 - Cavenagh Letterbook**

Title: Cavenagh Letterbook

ID: SC023-1996-067-5-2.2.3

Date: 1861-1862 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Transcribed copy of one volume of Sir Orfeur Cavenagh's private letterbooks from his time as Governor of the Straits Settlements (Singapore, Malaya and Penang). Major General Sir Orfeur Cavenagh KCSI (1820)

Physical description: 1 volume.

Note [generalNote]:

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Publication status:

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-5-2.2.4 - Cavenagh Letterbook**

Title: Cavenagh Letterbook

ID: SC023-1996-067-5-2.2.4

Date: 1862-1863 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Transcribed copy of one volume of Sir Orfeur Cavenagh's private letterbooks from his time as Governor of the Straits Settlements (Singapore, Malaya and Penang). Major General Sir Orfeur Cavenagh KCSI (1820)

Physical description: 1 volume.

Note [generalNote]:

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Publication status:

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-5-2.2.5 - Cavenagh Letterbook**

Title: Cavenagh Letterbook

ID: SC023-1996-067-5-2.2.5

Date: 1862-1863 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Transcribed copy of one volume of Sir Orfeur Cavenagh's private letterbooks from his time as Governor of the Straits Settlements (Singapore, Malaya and Penang). Major General Sir Orfeur Cavenagh KCSI (1820)

Physical description: 1 volume.

Note [generalNote]:

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Publication status:

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-5-2.2.6 - Cavenagh Letterbook**

Title: Cavenagh Letterbook

ID: SC023-1996-067-5-2.2.6

Date: 1863 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Transcribed copy of one volume of Sir Orfeur Cavenagh's private letterbooks from his time as Governor of the Straits Settlements (Singapore, Malaya and Penang). Major General Sir Orfeur Cavenagh KCSI (1820)

Physical description: 1 volume.

Note [generalNote]:

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Publication status:

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-5-2.2.7 - Cavenagh Letterbook**

Title: Cavenagh Letterbook

ID: SC023-1996-067-5-2.2.7

Date: 1863 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Transcribed copy of one volume of Sir Orfeur Cavenagh's private letterbooks from his time as Governor of the Straits Settlements (Singapore, Malaya and Penang). Major General Sir Orfeur Cavenagh KCSI (1820)

Physical description: 1 volume.

Note [generalNote]:

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Publication status:

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-5-2.2.8 - Cavenagh Letterbook**

Title: Cavenagh Letterbook

ID: SC023-1996-067-5-2.2.8

Date: 1864 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Transcribed copy of one volume of Sir Orfeur Cavenagh's private letterbooks from his time as Governor of the Straits Settlements (Singapore, Malaya and Penang). Major General Sir Orfeur Cavenagh KCSI (1820)

Physical description: 1 volume.

Note [generalNote]:

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Publication status:

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-5-2.2.9 - Cavenagh Letterbook**

Title: Cavenagh Letterbook

ID: SC023-1996-067-5-2.2.9

Date: 1864 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Transcribed copy of one volume of Sir Orfeur Cavenagh's private letterbooks from his time as Governor of the Straits Settlements (Singapore, Malaya and Penang). Major General Sir Orfeur Cavenagh KCSI (1820)

Physical description: 1 volume.

Note [generalNote]:

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Publication status:

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-5-2.2.10 - Cavenagh Letterbook**

Title: Cavenagh Letterbook

ID: SC023-1996-067-5-2.2.10

Date: 1864-1865 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Transcribed copy of one volume of Sir Orfeur Cavenagh's private letterbooks from his time as Governor of the Straits Settlements (Singapore, Malaya and Penang). Major General Sir Orfeur Cavenagh KCSI (1820)

Physical description: 1 volume.



Note [generalNote]:

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Publication status:

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-5-2.2.11 - Cavenagh Letterbook**

Title: Cavenagh Letterbook

ID: SC023-1996-067-5-2.2.11

Date: 1865-1868 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Transcribed copy of one volume of Sir Orfeur Cavenagh's private letterbooks from his time as Governor of the Straits Settlements (Singapore, Malaya and Penang). Major General Sir Orfeur Cavenagh KCSI (1820)

Physical description: 1 volume.

Note [generalNote]:

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Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-5-2.2 - Regarding current affairs. Three Volumes**

Title: Regarding current affairs. Three Volumes

ID: SC023-1996-067-5-2.2

Date: 1868-1874 (date of creation)

Note [generalNote]:

Apr 21, 1868 -Dec 1874

Publication status:

Published

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**Subseries: SC023-1996-067-6 - Private Diaries**

Title: Private Diaries

ID: SC023-1996-067-6

Date: 1837-1888 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-6-3.1 - Indian service - 5 volumes**

Title: Indian service - 5 volumes

ID: SC023-1996-067-6-3.1

Date: 1837-1859 (date of creation)

Note [generalNote]:

June 12, 1837 to April 26, 1859

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-6-4.1 - Straits service - 4 volumes**

Title: Straits service - 4 volumes

ID: SC023-1996-067-6-4.1

Date: 1859-1868 (date of creation)

Note [generalNote]:

April 27, 1859 to June 15, 1862

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-6-5.1 - Private life - 6 volumes**

Title: Private life - 6 volumes

ID: SC023-1996-067-6-5.1

Date: 1867-1888 (date of creation)

Note [generalNote]:

May 17, 1867 to June 30, 1888

Publication status:

Published

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**Subseries: SC023-1996-067-7 - Printed Books and Pamphlets**

Title: Printed Books and Pamphlets

ID: SC023-1996-067-7

Date: 1847-1864 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-7-6.1 - Abstract of general orders from 1840 to 1845**

Title: Abstract of general orders from 1840 to 1845

ID: SC023-1996-067-7-6.1

Date: 1847 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-7-6.2 - Abstract of general orders from 1847 to 1849**

Title: Abstract of general orders from 1847 to 1849

ID: SC023-1996-067-7-6.2

Date: 1851 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-7-6.3 - Abstract of general orders from 1852-1853**

Title: Abstract of general orders from 1852-1853

ID: SC023-1996-067-7-6.3

Date: 1855 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-7-6.4 - Evidence given before the Commission of Inquiry into the charges against Sir James Brooke**

Title: Evidence given before the Commission of Inquiry into the charges against Sir James Brooke

ID: SC023-1996-067-7-6.4

Date: 1854 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-7-6.5 - Returns connected with the proposed transfer of the Straits Settlement to the Colonial Office**

Title: Returns connected with the proposed transfer of the Straits Settlement to the Colonial Office

ID: SC023-1996-067-7-6.5

Date: 1864 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-7-6.6 - The British possession in the Straits of Malacca**

Title: The British possession in the Straits of Malacca

ID: SC023-1996-067-7-6.6

Date: 1861 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-7-6.7 - Protection of the Straits and formation of local forces**

Title: Protection of the Straits and formation of local forces

ID: SC023-1996-067-7-6.7

Date: 1863 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-7-6.8 - Proceedings of an investigation ...into charges preferred against the Police Force of Pinang**

Title: Proceedings of an investigation ...into charges preferred against the Police Force of Pinang

ID: SC023-1996-067-7-6.8

Date: 1859 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-7-6.9 - Report on the Straits transfer question by the Committee appointed at the Town Hall public meeting, December 11th, 1863.**

Title: Report on the Straits transfer question by the Committee appointed at the Town Hall public meeting, December 11th, 1863.

ID: SC023-1996-067-7-6.9

Date: 1864 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-7-6.10 - Correspondence between His Honour the Governor of the Straits Settlement, and His Highness the Rajah of Johore.**

Title: Correspondence between His Honour the Governor of the Straits Settlement, and His Highness the Rajah of Johore.

ID: SC023-1996-067-7-6.10

Date: 1865 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-7-6.11 - A statement regarding Sarawak by J. Brooke**

Title: A statement regarding Sarawak by J. Brooke

ID: SC023-1996-067-7-6.11

Date: 1862 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Subseries: SC023-1996-067-8 - Oversize Items**

Title: Oversize Items

ID: SC023-1996-067-8

Date: 1836-1866 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-8-7.1 - Certificate, Honourary Member, Royal Jennerian Society (cf. Box 1, a.)**

Title: Certificate, Honourary Member, Royal Jennerian Society (cf. Box 1, a.)

ID: SC023-1996-067-8-7.1

Date: 1836 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-8-7.2 - Certificates from Industrial Exhibition, London**

Title: Certificates from Industrial Exhibition, London

ID: SC023-1996-067-8-7.2

Date: 1862 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

- i. Class IV (cf. Box 1, p.)
- ii. Class XI (cf. Box 1, p.)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-8-7.3 - Certificates from Nagpore Exhibition**

Title: Certificates from Nagpore Exhibition

ID: SC023-1996-067-8-7.3

Date: 1866 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

- i. Certificate of thanks (cf. Box 1, q.)
- ii. Certificate of 2nd prize for coffee exhibit (cf. Box 1, q.)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-8-7.4 - Picture of initiation ceremony, Chinese secret society (cf. Box 1, r.)**

Title: Picture of initiation ceremony, Chinese secret society (cf. Box 1, r.)

ID: SC023-1996-067-8-7.4

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-8-7.5 - Plan of the battle of Maharajpore (cf. Box 1, s.)**Title: Plan of the battle of Maharajpore (cf. Box 1, s.)ID: SC023-1996-067-8-7.5Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-8-7.6 - Letter in Urdu from the King of Ouda (Scroll) (cf. Box 1, t.)**Title: Letter in Urdu from the King of Ouda (Scroll) (cf. Box 1, t.)ID: SC023-1996-067-8-7.6Date: 1858 (date of creation)Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-8-7.7 - Queen Victoria's Proclamation to the people of India. (cf. Box 1, u.)**Title: Queen Victoria's Proclamation to the people of India. (cf. Box 1, u.)ID: SC023-1996-067-8-7.7Date: 1858 (date of creation)Publication status:

Published

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**Subseries: SC023-1996-067-9 - Testimonial from the Inhabitants of Penang**Title: Testimonial from the Inhabitants of PenangID: SC023-1996-067-9



Date: 1899-1900 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-9-8.1 - Pamphlet, Honourable Artillery Company 1537-1937, n.d.**

Title: Pamphlet, Honourable Artillery Company 1537-1937, n.d.

ID: SC023-1996-067-9-8.1

Publication status:

Published

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**Item: SC023-1996-067-9-8.2 - The Illustrated London News Record of the Transvaal War, 1899-1900. Inscribed "Hugh Maurice", n.d.**

Title: The Illustrated London News Record of the Transvaal War, 1899-1900. Inscribed "Hugh Maurice", n.d.

ID: SC023-1996-067-9-8.2

Publication status:

Published

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