

**TCD MSS  
9320-9681**

**The Papers of Michael Davitt (1846-1906)**

**Presented by his son, Judge Cahir Davitt, June 1982**

- 9320-9681** Davitt, Michael 1846-1906  
Papers of Michael Davitt, with some family papers and later papers and papers collected by Davitt
- 9320-9526 Letters and papers
- 9527-9696 Diaries and notebooks 1877-1906
- 9633-4 Legal proceedings
- 9635/1-6 Dillon, Valentine Blake  
Legal papers prepared by VB Dillon & Co for the traversers in Queen V Parnell and others
- 9636-47 Davitt, Michael  
Further legal papers
- 9639-47 Autobiographical writings 1881-1904
- 9648 Published pamphlets by Davitt 1880-1902, and some others
- 9649 Photographs of Davitt; political associates and friends; tour snapshots, Italy and Holy Land (1885), Canada (1886), Australia, New Zealand, Samoa, Honolulu, Hawaii (1895), South Africa (1900), USA (1901), Russia (1903-4)
- 9650-9654**
- 9650 Further letters
- 9651 Miscellaneous writings for publication
- 9652 Correspondence with publishers 1898-1920
- 9653 Papers on Education controversy 1902-3, 1906
- 9654 Correspondence on the Colorado mortgage 1905-6
- 9655 Davitt, Eileen  
Letters to Eileen Davitt relating to the Davitt centenary 1946
- 9656 Davitt, Dr Michael d 1 Dec 1928, eldest son of Michael Davitt  
Press cuttings relating to his death,  
1 Dec 1928
- 9657-9** Davitt, Michael 1846-1906
- 9657 Notes and reports on the Boer War 1899-1902 and drafts of The Boer fight for freedom.

- 9658 Letters etc. on Davitt's death
- 9659 Presscuttings on Davitt's death and retrospectives on his life
- 9659a Addresses of welcome to Davitt (many in xerox)
- 9659b Miscellaneous papers and letters
- 9659c/1-131 Collins, James  
Correspondence with Michael Davitt c 1880-1906 and undated
- 9659c/132-141 Davitt, Michael  
Correspondence with James Collins and miscellanea
- 9659c/142-174 Collins, James  
Correspondence of James Collins, 1882-1913 and undated
- 9659d Stephens, James 1824/5-1901, organiser of the IRB, founder of 'The Irish People'  
Letters and papers of James Stephens, the organiser of the Irish Republican Brotherhood and the Fenians, 1848-1901-includes items from 1684 (2) and 1687 (1)  
496 items  
Davitt Papers. These were bought by James Collins after Stephens' death and came to Michael Davitt  
Presented by Davitt's daughter and grandson through Prof TW Moody, 16 Dec 1983
- 9659e Davitt, Michael  
Letters relating to the Davitt centenary 1946-48, and undated (44)
- 9659f Egan, Patrick  
Correspondence and papers relating to a fund for Patrick Egan (treasurer of the Land League), 1904 (28)
- 9659g Davitt, Michael  
Miscellanea
- 9660 Boer War diary vol 2 (see 9572/1-2, 9573).
- 9661-2 Scrapbooks
- 9663,9663a Used cheques and cheque stubs
- 9663b Excisions from Davitt's diaries made by his widow
- 9664-9679 Further presscutting books and other press matter
- 9680 The silver king [J W Mackay]: some reminiscences

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Visit to the Holy Land

The Davitt papers were in the hands of Prof TW Moody, Professor of Modern History TCD and biographer of Davitt, and they were arranged, numbered and listed by him. His arrangement and catalogue remain in use but aspects of his numbering have been superseded. Additional listing done in TCD. Deposited in TCD Library in parts, 31 March 1978 and 20 August 1980. Presented by Davitt's son, Judge Cahir Davitt, May 1982 and 17 June 1982 with additions later (Jan 1983)

**THE PAPERS OF MICHAEL DAVITT (1846-1906)**

A CATALOGUE

By T.W. Moody, Fellow Emeritus, Trinity College Dublin

THE PAPERS OF MICHAEL DAVITT (1946-1906)

PREFACE

The collection, as stated in p.1 below, was placed in the Manuscript room of the Library of Trinity College Dublin, in March 1978. Its contents are listed on pp 4-22 below. My book, Davitt and Irish Revolution 1846-82, published by Oxford University Press in 1981, is based on the Davitt papers, and has much to say about them. The owner of the collection, Judge Cahir Davitt, only surviving child of Michael Davitt, has now formally donated it to Trinity College. At the same time I have added to it materials that have been passed on to me by members of the Davitt family since I organised the collection; these I have listed below (pp23-7), classifying them as addenda to existing categories of the collection.

TW Moody

25 Trinity College, Dublin  
May 198

## THE PAPERS OF MICHAEL DAVITT

Preface, May 1982

Preface, March 1978

Organisation of the collection

- 9320-9526** Series I (DP): Letters from and to Davitt, 1870-1906 and papers including (including press cuttings) by and relating to him; and other letters and papers, 1863-1923
- 9527-9596** Series II (DN): Davitt's diaries and note books etc., 1877-1906
- 9597-9632** Series III (DPC): Davitt's press cutting books etc., 1878-1923
- 9633-9638** Series IV (DL): Material relating to legal proceedings 1878-92
- 9639-9647** Series V (DA): Autobiographical writings of Davitt, 1881-1904
- 9648** Series VI (DPA): Published pamphlets and articles by Davitt, 1880-1902, with a few by other writers
- 9649** Series VII (DPG): Photographs, mainly of Davitt, and miscellaneous, 1863-1906

### Addenda

- 9650** DP/Add I: D to his mother, to his Aunt Eileen, and to his sister Sabina, and other letters, 1876-1906
- 9651** DP/Add II: Miscellaneous writings of Davitt, intended for publication
- 9652** DP/Add III: Correspondence with publishers of Davitt's books, 1898-1920
- 9653** DP/Add IV: Education controversy, 1902-3, 1906
- 9654** DP/Add V: Correspondence relating to Colorado mortgage, 1905-6
- 9655** DP/Add VI: Letters to Eileen Davitt, 1946
- 9660-9663** DN/Add 1-4 Diary, 1900, and other material, 1883-1904
- 9664-9679** DPC/Add 1-16 Davitt's presscutting books, 1884-1906, and press material relating to Davitt. 1906. 1946
- 9680-9681** DPC/Add 1-2 Autobiographical fragments

**THE PAPERS OF MICHAEL DAVITT 1846-1906)**

By T.W. Moody  
40 Trinity College  
Dublin  
March 1978

The collection covers the period 1870-1906, with some related material before and after: it consists mainly of unpublished manuscripts, with a large element of presscuttings and other papers. It was lent to me by the late Eileen Davitt, daughter of Michael Davitt, for the purpose of a life of her father; and the loan has been continued by her brother, Judge Cahir Davitt. Having now almost completed a book on Davitt, I am placing the collection on deposit, for the time being, in the Manuscript Room of the College Library, by arrangement with Judge Davitt and subject to certain conditions stated in my letter of 20 Sept 1977 to Mr William O' Sullivan.

T.W. Moody

## DAVITT PAPERS

### Organisation of the Collection

The collection is organised in seven series as follows:

|     |           |   |
|-----|-----------|---|
| I   | DP/A1-AA6 | Letters and papers (boxes 1-55, 63,67)                            |
| II  | DN/1-62   | Diaries and note books (boxes 56-62, 68, 69, and part of 63)      |
| III | DPC/1-35  | Press cutting books etc. (35 vols)                                |
| IV  | DL/1-5    | Material relating to legal proceedings (2 boxes + 6 outsize vols) |
| V   | DA/1-8    | Autobiographical writings (2 boxes)                               |
| VI  | DPA       | Published pamphlets and articles (1 box)                          |
| VII | DPG       | Photographs and miscellanea (1 box)                               |

Particulars of the seven series are given below. The whole collection is contained in 72 cardboard boxes, 62 of which are green-covered and measure about 10.5" X 8.75" and 10 are buff coloured, 4 of them measuring 15" by 10" and the rest 12.5" X 10". The contents of each box on terms of the above is as follows:

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|-----------|------------------|-----------|-------------------|
| <b>1</b>  | <b>DP/A1-D5</b>  | <b>29</b> | <b>DP/A19</b>     |
| <b>2</b>  | <b>DP/E1-G3</b>  | <b>30</b> | <b>DP/A20</b>     |
| <b>3</b>  | <b>DP/H-M</b>    | <b>31</b> | <b>DP/A21-A24</b> |
| <b>4</b>  | <b>DP/N-T</b>    | <b>32</b> | <b>DP/A25</b>     |
| <b>5</b>  | <b>DP/U-X</b>    | <b>33</b> | <b>DP/A26</b>     |
| <b>6</b>  | <b>DP/Y-EE</b>   | <b>34</b> | <b>DP/A27-A32</b> |
| <b>7</b>  | <b>DP/FF-KK</b>  | <b>35</b> | <b>DP/A33-A36</b> |
| <b>8</b>  | <b>DP/LL-OO</b>  | <b>36</b> | <b>DP/A37</b>     |
| <b>9</b>  | <b>DP/PP-RR</b>  | <b>37</b> | <b>DP/A38-A40</b> |
| <b>10</b> | <b>DP/SS-VV</b>  | <b>38</b> | <b>DP/A41-A43</b> |
| <b>11</b> | <b>DP/WW-ZZ</b>  | <b>39</b> | <b>DP/A44-A45</b> |
| <b>12</b> | <b>DP/AB-AE</b>  | <b>40</b> | <b>DP/A46-A49</b> |
| <b>13</b> | <b>DP/AF-AI</b>  | <b>41</b> | <b>DP/A50-A51</b> |
| <b>14</b> | <b>DP/AJ-AM</b>  | <b>42</b> | <b>DP/A52-A54</b> |
| <b>15</b> | <b>DP/AN-AQ</b>  | <b>43</b> | <b>DP/A55-A57</b> |
| <b>16</b> | <b>DP/AR-AW</b>  | <b>44</b> | <b>DP/A58-A60</b> |
| <b>17</b> | <b>DP/AX-BD</b>  | <b>45</b> | <b>DP/A61-A66</b> |
| <b>18</b> | <b>DP/BK-BN</b>  | <b>46</b> | <b>DP/A67-A70</b> |
| <b>19</b> | <b>DP/BK-BN</b>  | <b>47</b> | <b>DP/A71-A76</b> |
| <b>20</b> | <b>DP/BO-BQ</b>  | <b>48</b> | <b>DP/A77</b>     |
| <b>21</b> | <b>DP/BR-BT</b>  | <b>49</b> | <b>DP/A78-A79</b> |
| <b>22</b> | <b>DP/BU-BY</b>  | <b>50</b> | <b>DP/A80-A83</b> |
| <b>23</b> | <b>DP/BZ-A4</b>  | <b>51</b> | <b>DP/A84-A86</b> |
| <b>24</b> | <b>DP/A5-A10</b> | <b>52</b> | <b>DP/A87-A90</b> |

**DAVITT PAPERS**

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| <b>26</b> | DP/A12                    | <b>54</b> | DP/A94-A95           |
| <b>27</b> | DP/A13-A15                | <b>55</b> | DP/A96-A97           |
| <b>28</b> | DP/A16-A18                | <b>56</b> | DN/1-4, 6-8, 12      |
| <b>57</b> | DN/13-15A, 17-18A, 19, 21 | <b>65</b> | DL/2                 |
| <b>58</b> | DN/22-23A, 24-25, 28-28A  | <b>66</b> | DA/1                 |
| <b>59</b> | DN/29-29A, 30-34          | <b>67</b> | DP/AA6               |
| <b>60</b> | DN/35-40, 43-46           | <b>68</b> | DN/9,11,16,20        |
| <b>61</b> | DN/47-53A, 54-56          | <b>69</b> | DN/26-27, 41-42, 43A |
| <b>62</b> | DN/57-62                  | <b>70</b> | DA/2-8               |
| <b>63</b> | DP/AA1-AA5                | <b>71</b> | DPA                  |
|           | DN/5 & 10                 | <b>72</b> | DPG and miscellanea  |
| <b>64</b> | DL/1,3-5                  |           |                      |

## DAVITT PAPERS

### Series 1

DP

Letters from and to Davitt, 1870-1906 and papers (including press cuttings) by and relating to him; and other letters and papers, 1863-1923

These papers, as I have received them, were roughly arranged in subject groups under very general descriptive headings. Partly this arrangement was D's own work, partly that of his widow Mary Davitt, who recovered many of his letters from correspondents and their relatives – for example from his sister Sabina, and from Richard McGhee, James Collins, and John Dillon, close friends of his later years. As a rule the materials were not in any order within their groups. Letters and papers have since been recovered by D's son, Judge Cahir Davitt, and by T.W. Moody.

The largest single element consists of letters to D; letters by D, both original and copies and drafts, of letters by him, form a substantial part of the whole. But it is seldom that both sides of a correspondence are presented. There are innumerable press-cuttings, both alone and in combination with MSS. The papers are now organised in uniform envelopes which so far as the original collection is concerned, correspond with the original subject groupings. The contents of each envelope are identified and arranged chronologically, with undated and miscellaneous material at the end of each batch.

The envelopes are numbered in six sequences as follow:

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|---|-------|---|---------|
| 1 | A/-Z  | 4 | BC-BZ   |
| 2 | AA-ZZ | 5 | A2-A97  |
| 3 | AB-Az | 6 | AA1-AA6 |

The locations of envelopes A1-A97 are identified in the margin of the following list by green numbers, referring to green boxes 1-55. Envelopes AA1-AA5 (outside) are located in box 63, and AA6 in box 67

## DAVITT PAPERS (SERIES I :DP)

|                     |        |   |
|---------------------|--------|---|
| <b>9320/1-4</b>     | A1-A4  | D's letters from prison, 1870-83 (copies) 1-4   |
| <b>9321/5-47</b>    | B      | D's letters from prison, 1870-83 (originals) 5-47   |
| <b>9322/48-60</b>   | C1     | From and to D: North City Milling Co. and Millers National Union, 1890-91   |
| <b>9323/61-70</b>   | C2     | To Dr N.M. O'Donnell, Melbourne, 1892-1903 (copies), with covering letter to Mrs D, 28 Oct. 1907, and letter from John Dillon (copy) to O'Donnell 15 Jan 1892 |
| <b>9324/72-82</b>   | C2     | To and from Joseph Winter, Melbourne Advocate, 1885-1906 (copies)   |
| <b>9325/83-113</b>  | D1-D5  | To Sabina Davitt, 1878-1906 (copies), and to Catherine Davitt, 1878: with two other letters, 1871   |
| <b>9326/114-169</b> | 2E1-E4 | To James Collins, 1890-1906 (copies)  |
| <b>9327/170-171</b> | F1-F2  | To James Collins, 1890-1905 (copies)  |
| <b>9328/172-181</b> | G1-G3  | To Richard McGhee, 1883-1906 (copies)   |
| <b>9329/182-186</b> | 3H     | From John J Louden, 1889-90   |
| <b>9330/187-211</b> | I      | From John Burns, James Keir Hardy, HH Hyndnam and JF Paterson 1893-1906   |
| <b>9331/212-221</b> | J      | Miscellaneous letters to D, 1905-5  |
| <b>9332/222-260</b> | K      | From Philip Callan (1884-92), Justin McCarthy (1892-5), AM Sullivan (1882), Abp Walsh (1890-94), miscellaneous (1883-92)                                      |
| <b>9333/261-269</b> | L      | Miscellaneous letters to D, undated, c. 1900  |
| <b>9334/270-314</b> | M      | From Abp Croke, 1883-91; Bp Duggan, 1884  |
| <b>9335/315-412</b> | 4N     | From John Morley, 1890-6  |
| <b>9336/343-363</b> | O1     | To Richard Kelly, 1889-1905   |
| <b>9337/364-383</b> | O2     | To TD O'Sullivan, 1888-1904; AM Sullivan to RA Cross, 1875-6  |
| <b>9338/384-398</b> | O3     | To Mr and Mrs Boyles, 1889-1904 (copies)  |
| <b>9339/399-419</b> | O4     | To James Doherty (1905), Sr Mary of the Visitation (1895), John Ryan (1877), T Taylor (1891), James C Willcocks (1890)  |

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| <b>9340/420-427</b>   | P  | Recollections of D by friends: Francis and Martin Haran and others (copies) 1907-10  |
| <b>9341/428-438</b>   | Q  | Letters and papers relating to the 'pen letter', 1870-1906   |
| <b>9342/439-447</b>   | R  | From John Wilson, 1878-9   |
| <b>?9343/448-459</b>  | S  | To D on Catholic education, 1896, 1905-7   |
| <b>?9344//458-463</b> | T  | Autobiographical material: entry in a 'confession book'; biographical sketch by Sabina Davitt, c 1906  |
| <b>9345/464-467</b>   | U  | Notes of speeches by D, 1878-1906: 9 Mar 1878- at St James' Hall; 3 Oct 1883 – Chairman's statement introducing Mrs Varian (Finola); 1906 – Socialism; c 1900-Ireland in Westminster |
| <b>9346/468-484</b>   | 5V | Miscellaneous letters to D, from D, other correspondents, 1879-93  |
| <b>9347/485-525a</b>  | W  | Miscellaneous letters to D, 18892-4:nd   |
| <b>9348/536-546</b>   | X  | Miscellaneous letters to D, 1885-1904  |
| <b>9349/547-554</b>   | Y  | Miscellaneous papers (printed and MS), 1882-1906   |
| <b>9350/555-556b</b>  | Z  | Verses on D, 1879-1906   |
| <b>9351/557-563</b>   | AA | Press cuttings, 1863-82  |
| <b>9352/564-579</b>   | BB | D on prison system, 1898; case of Dr Thomas Gallagher, 18896 (press cutting)   |
| <b>9353/580-588</b>   | CC | Papal pronouncements on national movement, 1882-1906 etc. : monograph on Irish question, inscribed to MGR Persico by an Irish catholic layman, [1887] (press cuttings and MS)        |
| <b>9354/589-615</b>   | DD | Miscellaneous 1870-1909, collected by J Loftus, wrexham, and sent to James Collins, with account of Chester Castle raid, 1867  |
| <b>9355/616-632</b>   | EE | Press cuttings, D in America, Aug-Dec 1878   |
| <b>9356/633-641</b>   | FF | Press cuttings, Land question, Feb-Aug, 1879   |
| <b>9357/641-657</b>   | GG | Press cuttings, Land League etc. Aug-Dec 1879  |
| <b>9358/658-665</b>   | HH | Press cuttings, Land League etc, Aug-Dec 1879  |
| <b>9359/666-668</b>   | II | Press cuttings, Home Rule Movement, 1878-9   |

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| <b>9360/669-678</b>   | JJ    | Press cuttings, Pigott, Devoy and the 'New Departure', 1878-84   |
| <b>9361/679-694</b>   | KK    | Press cuttings, Speeches of D in Scotland, England and Ulster, 1882-4; miscellaneous, 1879-84  |
| <b>9362/695-708</b>   | LL    | Galley proofs of Hansard, 11 Feb-21 Mar 1898   |
| <b>9363/709-726</b>   | MM    | Galley proofs of Hansard, 28 Mar-5 April 1898  |
| <b>9364/727-734</b>   | NN    | Galley proofs of Hansard, 9 May-9 Aug 1898   |
| <b>9365/735-751</b>   | OO    | <u>Times</u> – Parnell Commission (1889-90): miscellaneous notes and letters   |
| <b>9366/752a-780</b>  | PP    | <u>Times</u> – Parnell Commission (1889-90): D's vouchers and expenses   |
| <b>9367/781-808</b>   | QQ    | D, Justin McCarthy and John Redmond: Waterford election, Dec 1891; from RS Smythe 1892-3; from PA Chance, 1893-4; from 'Edna Lyall (AE Bayly) 1893-9   |
| <b>9368/809-844</b>   | RR(1) | Letters from, and relating to, Patrick Egan, and presscuttings, 1878-1905  |
| <b>?9369/845-863</b>  | RR(2) | Replies to Parnell's invitation to join committee on land question, Oct 79, acquired by TW Moody   |
| <b>9370/864-889</b>   | SS    | Ada Yeates and West of Ireland Cottage industries, 1883; AL Burtzell to Abp Gibbons of Baltimore, 1887; Bp Colenso to D, 1897; J O'Grady and John Redmond to D, Mar 1906   |
| <b>9371/890-947</b>   | TT    | To Lady Agatha Russell, 1887-1905; from Lady Agatha Russell and F Russell, 1887-1912   |
| <b>9372/948-980</b>   | UU    | From Abp Walsh, 1885-96; Sir W Harcourt and Mrs AM Sullivan: ...   |
| <b>9373/981-982</b>   | VV    | Education Controversy, 1906  |
| <b>9374/983-987</b>   | WW    | Correspondence with Joseph Chamberlain, 1885-6, 1903   |
| <b>9375/988-1025</b>  | XX    | To J Byrne (1880-93), J Ferguson (1884), Fr D Flannery (1884), GW Ostermoor (1885), S McGowan (1889), PJ Le Vesconte (1893), JD Fitzgerald (1893,1895), John Harris (1894), EL Richardson (1896), H McManus (1899), Rev JD Sinclair (1897), John Rea, Philadelphia (1899,1905), JFX O'Brien (1899), H McMahan (1903-5) (recovered by Mrs Davitt) |
| <b>9376/1026-1050</b> | YY    | To J Tierney (1901), T Oglivy (19091), R O'Ryan (1903), Fr P O'Grady (1904), Rev J Roche Ardill (1905), L Talbot Crosbie (1905), W McCormack (1905), Rev JO Hannay (1906), T Power (nd), J Birmingham (nd c 1901), (recovered by Mrs Davitt)   |

9377/1051-1065 ZZ To John O'Leary 1888-1906 and undated; to RB O'Brien, 1893; notes on O'Brien's Parnell, I (1899); Devoy on O'Brien's Parnell

9378/1066-1091 AB From Parnell, 1878-90; and from Anna and Fanny Parnell 1878-91

9379/1092-1137 AC Telegrams, mainly from Parnell, 1879-90

9380/1138-1156 AD Miscellaneous papers relating to Parnell, 1879-91

9381/1157-1170 AE Letters and papers relating to Red Jim McDermott, 1889-94

9382/1171-1176 AF From Maurice Davin, 1888-1890

9383/1177-1207 AG Letters from and letters and papers by and relating to ME O'Brien and Laura O'Brien, 1863-93

9384/1208-1241 AH Letters to ME O'Brien from Chamberlain, Labouchere, Soames and others from ME O'Brien to Soames and Dm 1889-1896, and from O'Brien to Soames, Jan 1893

9385/1242-1337 AI Letters to ME and Laura O'Brien from Joseph Soames, 1891-3

9386/1338-1358 AJ Miscellaneous letters to R Pigott 1882-9; from Pigott, 8 Feb 1889; and papers by D relating to Pigott, 1882-91

9387/1359-1363 AK Press cuttings, Jan-Apr 1880

9388/1364-1379 AL Press cuttings, June-Sept 1880

9389/1380-1389 AM Press cuttings, Nov-Dec 1880

9390/1390-1399 AN Press cuttings, Jan-Feb 1881

9391/1400-1410 AO Press cuttings, May 1882-Jan 1883

9392/1411-1414 AP Press cuttings, from Nation, Aug-Dec 1882

9393/1415-1420 AQ Press cuttings, from Irish World, 1906, 1908, 1911

9394/1421-1428 AR Press cuttings, relating to D (including Sheehy-Skeffington's Michael Davitt) Feb-Aug 1908

9395/1429-1440 AS Press cuttings etc. relating to Penrhyn dispute, Jan-Apr 1903

9396/1441-1481 AT Miscellaneous letters to D, 1883-1900: from ...

9397/1482-1498 AU Letters from America to D, 1885-92

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| <b>9398/1499-1500</b> | AV    | D's notes for constitution of Land League, 1879, 1881; D's draft of a National Land and Industrial Union of Ireland |
| <b>9399/1501-1502</b> | AW    | D to John Ferguson, 25 Mar [?18]883; D's account of interview with AJ Mundela, Jan [?18]86                          |
| <b>9400/1503-1508</b> | AX    | Testimonial to Patrick Henessy, 1896  |
| <b>9401/1509-1537</b> | AY    | Fund for Irish Parliamentary Party, Australia, Aug-Sep 1895   |
| <b>9402/1538-1553</b> | AZ    | Press cuttings, 1878-1902   |
| <b>9403/1554-1574</b> | BC    | To John Dillon, 1880-1892   |
| <b>9404/1575-1638</b> | BD    | To John Dillon, 1893  |
| <b>9405/1639-1690</b> | BE    | To John Dillon, 1894  |
| <b>9406/1691-1715</b> | BF    | To John Dillon, 1895  |
| <b>9407/1716-1737</b> | BG    | To John Dillon, 1896  |
| <b>9408/1738-1752</b> | BH    | To John Dillon, 1897  |
| <b>9409/1753-1772</b> | BI    | To John Dillon, 1898  |
| <b>9410/1773-1800</b> | BJ    | To John Dillon, 1899  |
| <b>9411/1801-1834</b> | BK    | To John Dillon, 1900  |
| <b>9412/1835-1886</b> | BL    | To John Dillon, 1901  |
| <b>9413/1887-1913</b> | BM    | To John Dillon, 1902  |
| <b>9414/1914-1917</b> | BM(A) | To John Dillon, undated   |
| <b>9415/1918-1934</b> | BN    | Press cuttings and other papers, 1886-1905  |
| <b>9416/1935-1945</b> | BO    | Papers relating to Old Age Pensions Committee, May-July 1899  |
| <b>9417/1946-1958</b> | BP    | Papers relating to Old Age Pensions Committee, May- July 1899   |
| <b>9418/1959-2007</b> | BQ    | Letters to D, on his withdrawal from Parliament, Oct-Dec 1899   |
| <b>9419/2008-2100</b> | BR    | Press cuttings and letters relating to D's withdrawal from Parliament, Oct-Dec [18]99                               |
| <b>9420/2101-2195</b> | BS-BT | Letters and papers relating to D's part in general election, 1906   |
| <b>9421/2196-2268</b> | BU-BV | Letters and papers relating to D's part in general election, 1906   |

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| 9422/2269-234  | BW-BY | Letters and papers relating to the <u>Labour World</u> , 1890-92  |
| 9423/2335-2349 | BZ    | Arbitration between Medelsons and Demski on the one side and Tchaykovsky Stepinak, Kelchevsky and Volkovsky on the other, 1892; arbitrators D, HH Hyndman and R Spence Watson |
| 9424/2350-2367 | A2    | Subscriptions for Thomas Walsh, June-Dec 1892   |
| 9425/2368-2400 | A3    | To D on his speech on second Home Rule Bill, 1893   |
| 9426/2401-2435 | A4    | Achill disaster, 1894; miscellaneous papers, mainly press cuttings, June-July 1894  |
| 9427/2436-2515 | A5    | Achill disaster: letters and papers, Jan 1894-June 1895   |
| 9428/2516-2525 | A6    | From JG Bigger and John Rea, 1879-81  |
| 9429/2526-2545 | A7    | American tour, 1880, notes and accounts; expenses, 1880, 1883. 1887   |
| 9430/2546-2573 | A8    | Telegrams received, May 1882  |
| 9431/2574-2582 | A9    | From William Redmond, 1882-4  |
| 9432/2583-2606 | A10   | From Alexander and Margaret Sullivan, 1882-93   |
| 9433/2607-2692 | A11   | Miscellaneous letters and papers 1878-98  |
| 9434/2693-2775 | A12   | Miscellaneous letters and papers, 1899-1906, and undated  |
| 9435/2776-2855 | A13   | Western relief fund, Dec 1885-Mar 1886  |
| 9436/2856-2926 | A14   | Western relief fund, Apr-July 1886  |
| 9437/2927-3004 | A15   | Western relief fund. July 1886-Dec 1888   |
| 9438/3005-3075 | A16   | Western relief fund, 1889-94, and undated   |
| 9439/3076-3119 | A17   | Bodyke fund, June-July 1887   |
| 9440/3120-3147 | A18   | Bodyke fund, July-Sept 1887, and account book, June 1887-Jan 1888   |
| 9441/3148-3290 | A19   | <u>Times</u> - Parnell Commission (1883-91) etc: miscellaneous letters and papers, 1888-91  |
| 9442/3291-3343 | A20   | <b><u>Times</u> - Parnell Commission (1883-91) etc: miscellaneous letters and papers, 1883-93</b>   |

- 9443/3344-3357 A21 D to PJ Ryan 1899-1906 (copies); William O'Brien to PJ Ryan, 1899-'905 (copies); with covering letters from Ryan and to Mrs Davitt, May 1909
- 9444/3358-3380 A22 Preparations for visit of John Redmond to US, Sept-Oct 1901
- 9445/3381-3448 A23 Subscriptions for widow of Philip Botha, May-Aug 1902
- 9446/3449-3490 A24 Land Act, 1903; press cuttings, Jan- Mar
- 9447/3491-3586 A25 Miscellaneous letters, July 1900-Mar 1906
- 9448/3587-3612 A26(1) From Dillon, [1886], 1901; P Kropotkin 1888; JJ Louden [1885],[1889], 1892; Sebastian Melmoth (Oscar Wilde) [1897]; JB O'Reilly, 1880, 1882; Shaw Taylor, 1903
- 9449/3613-3618 A26(2) To National Press, 1892 (not sent); Freeman's Journal, 1901. Papers relating to new board for Freeman's Journal, May 18892. Irish race convention, miscellanea, 1896
- 9450/3619-3623 A27 From WT Stead, 1889-1902
- 9451/3624-3636 A28 Land Act, 1903; press cuttings, Apr-May
- 9452/3637-3700 A29 William O'Brien, etc: press cuttings, Sept-Dec 1903
- 9453/3701-3704 A30 From Sir Thomas Lipton and Arthur Lynch, Dec 1903: intervention by D to obtain Lynch's release from prison
- 9454/3705-3710 A31 Correspondence with President Theodore Roosevelt, 1904-5
- 9455/3711-3713 A32 D on alleged persecution of W O'Brien, Oct 1905, and other papers
- 9456/3714-3722 A33 D on alleged persecution of W O'Brien, Oct 1905, and other papers
- 9457/3723-3742 A34 Henry, Bp of Down and Connor, the Belfast Catholic Association and the Irish Parliamentary fund, 1905-6 (press cuttings and MSS)
- 9458/3743-3751 A35 Correspondence about release of treason-felony prisoners, Oct-Nov 1892
- 9459/3752-3760 A36 D's opposition to proposed Anglo-American arbitration treaty, 1896-8: press cuttings and MSS
- 9460/3761-3869 A37 From William O'Brien, 1882-1903, and undated
- 9461/3870-3924 A38 United Irish League, letters and papers, 25 Oct-17 Dec 1899
- 9462/3925-3967 A39 United Irish League, letters and papers, 17 Dec 1899-19 Jan 1900

- 9463/3968-3997** A40 United Irish League, letters and papers, 22 Jan-14 Feb 1900, with receipt book stubs, 25 Aug 1899-10 Jan 1900, and undated letters
- 9464/3998-4033** A41 Controversy with Rev HJ Batts over alleged conversation at Pretoria (15 May 1900); letters and press cuttings, Sept 1900-Jan 1901, with press cuttings on controversy with Douglas Story, Oct 1900-Apr 1901, and undated papers
- 9465/4034-4067** A42 Reminiscences of D and other papers, with letters from D, 1899-1906, from JP Dunne, given to him by TW Moody, Aug 1941
- 9466/4068-4072** A43 Letters from D and related material, 1864-1903, acquired by TW Moody from National Museum, National Library, and Rev Patrick Rogers
- 9467/4073-4132** A44-A44a Collection by D entitled 'Cranks', 1880-98, and undated
- 9468/4133** A45 D's decision as arbitrator in dispute between United Trades Council of Dublin and Messrs Wm Connolly and Son, 30 Mar 1890
- 9469/4134-4180, 4180a-j** A46 Dynamite plots, etc, (Tynan, Jones, ME O'Brien): press cuttings, with a few other papers, July 1896-Jan 1897, and undated
- 9470/4181-4186** A47 Irish National Federation, 1891-3: printed papers
- 9471/4187-4210** A48 Waterford election: letters to D and papers relating to election expenses, Oct 1891-Apr 1892; D to Fr PF Flynn, Waterford, 15 Mar 1892
- 9472/4211-4265** A49 Paris funds, 1892-1900: MSS and press cuttings
- 9473/4266-4339** A50 Bankruptcy proceedings, June 1893-May 1894: MSS and press cuttings, with undated and misc. papers
- 9474/4340-4406** A51 Bankruptcy proceedings, June 1893-May 1894: MSS and press cuttings, with undated and misc papers
- 9475/4407-4414** A52 Evicted tenants fund, 1893-7: press cuttings and other papers
- 9476/4415-4422** A53 Claims on Paris funds, 1894-6: John McDonnell, Ambrose Mandebille, JJ Loudon etc. (letters and papers)
- 9477/4423-4466** A54 Australia and NZ, Apr-Nov [18]95
- 9478/4467-4492** A55 South African syndicate: letters from Charles Diamond, J Rock and others, and other papers, Mar-NOV 1896, and undated
- 9479/4493-4529** A56 Movement towards reunion of Irish Parliamentary party: letters and press cuttings, 1892-1900

- 9480/4530-4613** A57 Correspondence with newspaper editors etc. 1892-1900, 1898, 1900-4
- 9481/4614-4676** A58 Correspondence about relief of distress in West [?of Ireland], June-Oct 1898: letters from Catholic Press of Sydney, Ford, W O'Brien, parish priests etc
- 9482/4677-4734** A59 Miscellaneous letters etc. to D, Aug-Nov 1899 and undated, many relating to United Irish League
- 9483/4735-4748** A60 Letters from Patrick Ford, and a few other letters, Oct 1898-Aug 1900
- 9484/4749-4771** A61 Nicaragua canal, July-Dec 1898: mainly press cuttings
- 9485/4772-4778** A62 From Keir Hardie, Robert Smillie, and JF Patterson, Dec 1905 and undated
- 9486/4779-4911** A63 Miscellaneous letters from and to D, 1891-1904  
**(4781-80 blank)**
- 9487/4912-4917** A64 To Miss Nally, 5 Dec 1888; James Browne, 27 Dec 1891; Mre Redmond, 25 Aug 1900; Messrs Cogavin and Staunton, 13 Nov 1903, and undated
- 9488/4918-4938** A65 From Roland Mulkern and Sun Yat Sen, and a few other papers, 1898-9
- 9489/4939-4952** A66 To TP Gill, and other letters, 1890-1906
- 9490/4953-4986** A67 Alfred Webb, 1882-1906
- 9491/4987-5040** A68 Miscellaneous letters and press cuttings: from Arnold Toynbee, 1882-3; H Labouchere [1885-9]; Times-Parnell commission, 1888-90; Cronin murder, 1889-94
- 9492/5041-5061** A69 D and Samoa crisis: letters and press cuttings etc. Apr-May 1899
- 9493/5062-5116** A70 General election, Sept-Oct 1900: letters and papers
- 9494/5117-5148** A71 President Paul Kruger reception in France, Nov 1900
- 9495/5149-5182** A72 Miscellaneous letters to D, 1901
- 9496/5183-5188** A73 United Irish League, Aug 1902
- 9497/5189-5211** A74 Anglo-American relations, 1901-2; press cuttings and memoranda
- 9498/5212-5240** A75 Controversy with Clancy, Bp of Elphin; Aug-Oct 1902: press cuttings and letters to D
- 9499/5241-5255** A76 Irish section at World's Fair, St Louis (1904): correspondence

- 9500/5256-5295** A77 Letter's to Freeman's Journal from South Africa 1900 (Boer War): press cuttings and MS letters, telegrams and papers, with Times appreciation of Lord Milner, 4 July 1905
- 9501/5296-5342** A78 Kishineff mission, May 1903: letters and telegrams and other papers, and press cuttings, May-Aug 1903
- 9502/5343-5416** A79 Kishineff mission, May 1903: letters and telegrams and other papers, and press cuttings, May-Aug 1903
- 9503/5417-5430** A80 Kishineff mission, May 1903: letters and telegrams and other papers, and press cuttings, May-Aug 1903
- 9504/5431-5441** A81 Kishineff mission, May 1903
- 9505/5442-5453** A82 Kishineff mission, May 1903
- 9506/5454-5470** A83 Kishineff mission, May 1903
- 9507/5471-5495** A84 Russia, June 1904: letters and papers Apr-June [1904]
- 9508/5496-5545** A85 Russia, Jan-Feb 1905: reports and papers (including telegrams received by D in Moscow), with undated material
- 9509/5546-5591** A86 Press cuttings and other papers relating to Russia, Feb 1905-Jan 1906, and undated material; visiting cards ?1903/6
- 9510/5592-5598** A87 United Irish League, 1903-5: printed papers
- 9511/5599-5604** A88 William O'Brien and the United Irish League, Jan 1904-May 1905: press cuttings and one MS letter (GS Crowley to D, 16 Apr)
- 9512/5605-5650** A89 William O'Brien and the United Irish League, Jan 1904-May 1905: press cuttings and one Ms letter (GS Crowley to D, 16 Apr)
- 9513/5651-5702** A90 William O'Brien and the United Irish League, June-Oct 1905: press cuttings and drafts of two letters by D (Aug and Oct) and undated cuttings
- 9514/5703-5733** A91 Allen-O'Carroll fund, Oct 1905-Feb 1906: letters to D, from JU Burke, JP Dunne and others
- 9515/5734-5768** A92 Education question 1901-5: press cuttings, with two of 15 Sept [18]85 and 2 Apr 1897 (and draft letter, Aug 1905)
- 9516/5769-5788** A93 Education question Jan-Feb 1906: press cuttings
- 9517/5789-5808** A94 Education question Feb-Apr 1906 : press cuttings
- 9518/5809-5823** A95 Education question; undated press cuttings, 1901/6



## DAVITT PAPERS

### Series II

#### DN Davitt's diaries and notebooks etc., 1877-1906

- (a) Diaries and records of tours and other special occasions, 1877-1906 (DN1-DN53A)
- (b) Notes of letters for newspapers, 1883-95 (DN54-DN56)
- (c) Accounts, 1882-95 (DN57-DN63)

The locations of items in this series are indicated in the margin of the following list by green numbers , referring to green boxes 56-62. Items numbered 5, 9-11, 16, 20, 26-7, 41-2 are located in boxes 63, 68-9; in the list these numbers are ringed in red, and the corresponding box-numbers are shown in red figures within brackets at the end of each entry.

#### (a) Diaries and records of tours and other special occasions, 1877-1906

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| <b>9527 1</b>  | 1877-9   | Miscellaneous notes, Dec 77-78; entry dated 10 Mar '79         |
| <b>9528 2</b>  | 1878   | US tour; continued on two pages of DNS                         |
| <b>9529 3</b>  | 1879-80  | Tour in distressed districts etc.                              |
| <b>9530 4</b>  | 1879-80  | Numbers at land meetings                                       |
| <b>9531 5</b>  | 1880   | 1 Jan-17 Apr   |
| <b>9532 6</b>  | 9-18 May (pp3-18); begins with entry for 1878  pp1-2 (see DN2) |  |
| <b>9533 7</b>  | 1880   | 18 May-19 Dec  |
| <b>9534 8</b>  | 1880-81  | 31 Dec-2 Feb   |
| <b>9535 9</b>  | 1882   | From 6 May onwards   |
| <b>9636 10</b> | 1883   | 1 jan -1 Feb, 4 Junw-31 Dec                                    |
| <b>9537 11</b> | 1883   | Miscellaneous writings in Richmond prison, Dublin 8 Feb-4 June |
| <b>9538 12</b> | 1883   | Notes after release from Richmond prison                       |

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| <b>9539 13</b>   | 1883    | Notes: inspection of evicted tenants etc.                        |
| <b>9540 14</b>   | 1883-4  | Notes for lectures, press cuttings etc                           |
| <b>9541 15</b>   | 1884    |  |
| <b>9542 15A</b>  |         | Notes on Pembroke Estate agitation                               |
| <b>9543 16</b>   | 1885    | 1 Jan-20 May   |
| <b>9544 17</b>   | 1885    | Notes on Palestine etc.  |
| <b>9545 18</b>   | 1886    | 1-22 Jan, 1 Aug-30 Dec; with 6 loose leaves for 17 Jan-8 Feb     |
| <b>9546 18A</b>  | 1886    | Achill, Jan  |
| <b>9547 19</b>   | 1886-7  | Lecture tour in US, Aug 86-Jan 87                                |
| <b>9548 20</b>   | 1888    | 1 Jan-19 Mar., 10 May, 17, 20, 26 Aug                            |
| <b>9549 21</b>   | 1888-9  | Notes of proceedings before <u>Times</u> Parnell Commission      |
| <b>9550 22-3</b> | 1888-9  | Notes of proceedings before <u>Times</u> Parnell Commission      |
| <b>9551 23A</b>  | 1888-9  | 'Notes by an amateur detective': <u>Times</u> Parnell Commission |
| <b>9552 23B</b>  | 1889-92 | 'Whittaker Events'   |
| <b>9553 24</b>   | 1890    | Fragment for Jan   |
| <b>9554 25</b>   | 1893    |  |
| <b>9555 26</b>   | 1894    | Jan-June   |
| <b>9556 27</b>   | 1894    | June-Dec   |
| <b>9557 28</b>   | 1894    | 25 Jan-13 Dec  |
| <b>9558 28A</b>  | 1894    | Visit to Achill  |
| <b>9559 29</b>   | 1895    |  |
| <b>9560 29A</b>  | 1895    | 1 Jan-23 Feb   |
| <b>9561 30</b>   | 1895    | Australian tour  |
| <b>9562 31</b>   | 1895    | Australian tour June-July  |
| <b>9563 32</b>   | 1895    | Australian tour July-Aug   |

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| <b>9564 33</b>   | 1895   | Australian tour Aug-Sept                                       |
| <b>9565 34</b>   | 1895   | Australian tour Oct-Nov  |
| <b>9566 35</b>   | 1895   | Australian tour Nov-Dec  |
| <b>9567 36</b>   | 1896   |  |
| <b>9568 37</b>   | 1896-7 | Mining shares  |
| <b>9569 38</b>   | 1897   | Jan-Aug  |
| <b>9570 39</b>   | 1898   | Fragment, 16 Jan-15 Feb  |
| <b>9571 40</b>   | 18898  | Visit to prisons, Apr  |
| <b>9572 41-2</b> | 1900   | Boer War, Feb-June (2 vols numbered 1 and 3) see also DN/Add 1 |
| <b>9573 43</b>   | 1900   | Boer War, Feb-June (vol numbered ed 4)                         |
| <b>9574 43A</b>  | 1900   | General election, Oct 1900: telegrams to D                     |
| <b>9575 44</b>   | 1901   | US tour, Sept-Oct  |
| <b>9576 45</b>   | 1901   | New York-Tammany Hall, Oct-Nov; with notes dated 1903          |
| <b>9577 46</b>   | 1903   | Kishineff  |
| <b>9578 47</b>   | 1903   | Kishineff  |
| <b>9579 48</b>   | 1904   |  |
| <b>9580 49</b>   | 1904   | Russian tour, 24 May-29 June                                   |
| <b>9581 50</b>   | 1904   | Russian tour, June-July  |
| <b>9582 51</b>   | 1905   | Russia, Jan-Feb  |
| <b>9583 52</b>   | 1905   |  |
| <b>9584 53</b>   | 1906   | 30 Dec, 1 Jan-3 Mar  |
| <b>9585 53A</b>  |        | Misc notes for story of Land League                            |

(b) Newspaper letters

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| <b>9586 54</b> | 1883-4 | Notes by D of letters contributed to newspapers; and notes relating to <u>Times</u> – Parnell Commission 1888-9 |
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| <b>9587 55</b>  | 1885-90         | Notes by D of letters contributed to newspapers  |
| <b>9588 56</b>  | 1891-5          | Notes by D of letters contributed to newspapers  |
| (c)             | <u>Accounts</u> |  |
| <b>9589 57</b>  | 1882            | Account with Land League, May-July   |
| <b>9590 58</b>  | 1883-4          | Personal expenditure, July 1883-Mar 1884   |
| <b>9591 58A</b> | 1886-8          | Relief of distress in western islands  |
| <b>9592 59</b>  | 1886-1907       | Bank book of Michael Davitt and James Rourke: Western Islands Fishing Boat Fund        |
| <b>9593 59A</b> | 1887-94         | Bodyke Fund, 1887-8; and other relief funds. 1887-94                                   |
| <b>9594 60</b>  | 1888-9          | Expenses for political work, including <u>Times</u> -Parnell commission, Jan 88-Mar 89 |
| <b>9595 61</b>  | 1888-90         | <u>Times</u> Parnell Commission  |
| <b>9596 62</b>  | 1895            | General election fund for Irish Parliamentary Party raised by D in Australia           |

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### Series III

#### **DPC Davitt's press cutting books etc., 1878-1923**

There are many gaps in these books, partly accounted for by cuttings removed and separately preserved in DP.

Nos 25-28 and 30-32 were damaged as a result of flooding in the home of the late Eileen Davitt, and this flooding may also account for the absence of books for a number of years from 2891-1906.

A bound volume of the Irishman (1881-2) and of Davitt's Labour World (1890-91) are included here as being more closely related to this series than to any of the others.

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| <b>9597 1</b>  | 1878-9                     |
| <b>9598 2</b>  | 1880                       |
| <b>9599 3</b>  | 1880, 1881-2               |
| <b>9600 4</b>  | 1881-2                     |
| <b>9601 5</b>  | 1883                       |
| <b>9602 6</b>  | 1880-86 letters from D     |
| <b>9603 7</b>  | 1884                       |
| <b>9604 7a</b> | 1884                       |
| <b>9605 8</b>  | 1884-6                     |
| <b>9606 9</b>  | 1885-letters from D at end |
| <b>9607 10</b> | 1885-6-letters from D      |
| <b>9608 11</b> | 1886                       |
| <b>9609 12</b> | 1886                       |
| <b>9610 13</b> | 1886                       |
| <b>9611 14</b> | 1886                       |

- 9612 15** 1887
- 9613 16** 1887-99-letters from D to Melbourne Advocate, 1887-99
- 9614 17** 1888
- 9615 18** 1888
- 9616 19** 1890
- 9617 20** 1890
- 9618 21** 1890-91
- 9619 22** 1891
- 9620 23** 1891:1896-8
- 9621 24** 1891-3
- 9622 25** 1895 Oct-Nov
- 9623 26** 1899-1903 letters from D to Melbourne Advocate
- 9624 27** 1904 Feb-May
- 9625 28** 1904 May-July: reviews of Fall of Feudalism
- 9626-9 29-32** 1906 Obituary notices (4 vols)
- 9630 33** 1906-23 Obituary notices and miscellaneous, 1883-1904
- 9631 34** The Irishman, vol XXIII, no. 36-vol XXIV, no 37 (5 Mar 1881-11 Mar 1882; vol XXIV, nos 25-6, 28 missing)
- 9632 35**  
**MICROFILM**  
**ONLY** The Labour World, vol I, no 1-vol ii, no.36 (21 Sept 1890-23 May 1891)
- 9632a** The Irishman, vol XIII, no.4 (23 July 1870-fragile single sheet found loose in MS 9632). An account of MD's 'Fenian Trial' in London.

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Series IV

DL Material relating to legal proceedings, 1878-92

Box numbers are shown in red at the end of each entry

- 9633 1** Prosecution of Davitt for speech at Gurteen: Nov 1879-Jan 80
- 9634 2** Prosecution of Parnell and other Land Leaguers, 1880-81
- 9635** There are also six large bound volumes prepared by VB Dillon & Co., solicitors for traversers, as follows:
- Queen V Parnell and others: additional brief for the traversers (MS)  
\_\_\_\_\_: personal histories of the traversers (MS)  
\_\_\_\_\_: statistics of ejections, 1844-80 (MS)  
\_\_\_\_\_: report of arrest and prosecution of Messrs Davitt, Daly, Killen and of Thomas Brennan, extracted from Freeman's Journal, Nov and Dec 1879 (printed)  
\_\_\_\_\_: reports of meetings held by the Irish National Land League in Dublin, 21 Oct 1879-9, Nov 1880 (printed)  
\_\_\_\_\_: reports of meetings held in various parts of Ireland in connection with the Irish National Land League, 20 Apr 1879-2 Nov 1880 (printed)
- 9636 3** Prosecution of Davitt for speech at Navan, 1882-3
- 9637 4** The Times-Parnell Commission, 1888-90  
Material relating to the above is also DP/OO, PP, AG-AJ, A19, A20, A68, and in DN/21-23A, 54, 60-61
- 9638 5** Libel action by D against Irish Independent Printing and Publishing Co. 30 Dec 1891-24 Oct 1892, and related papers

For bankruptcy proceedings, 1892-4, see DP/A50-A51

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### Series V

#### DA      Autobiographical writings of Davitt

Box numbers are shown in red at the end of each entry

- 9639 1**      Jottings in solitary, written in Portland prison, 12 Sept 1881-22, Apr 1882 (MS, ff 358)
- 9640 2**      Autobiographical sketches of D's early life to his release from Dartmoor in 1877 (TS, pp1-69; opening section also in MS, pp1-18)
- 9641 3**      Recollections of Portland prison, 1881-2
- 9642 3A**      Visit to Dartmoor as member of prisons committee, 5 April 1898
- 9643 4**      From Ballybrack to Jericho, Dec 1884-May 1885 (Ts, pp70-209 master copy; many pages also in MS, in combination with duplicate pages of TS)
- 9644 5**      Visit to Samoa and Honolulu; Dec 1895 (TS. pp1-16)
- 9645 6**      Easter Sunday (15 Apr) 1900 in a Boer camp (TS, pp1-4); visit to Boer generals at the Hague, 23-6 Aug 1902 (TS, pp6-14)
- 9646 7**      Visit to Tammany Hall, and its 'boss' (Richard Croker) 15 Oct 1901 (TS, pp1-12)
- 9647 8**      Visit to Tolstoy at Yasnia, 22 June 1904 (TS, pp1-9)

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Series VI

**9648**            DPA            Published pamphlets and articles by Davitt, 1880-1902, with a few by other writers, 1881-1904

See Moody, Davitt and Irish Revolution 1846-82, pp586-7,588-9

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Series VII

9649                      DPG                      Photographs, mainly of Davitt, and miscellanea, 1863-1906



- /1-23 Studio portraits and photographs from drawings of Davitt, 1863/64: 1869/70: [1877]: 1878: 1882: 1884-5: 1887: 1895: 1902: 1904-5: 1906: nd  
Note: 9629/17 'To Sib'=Sabina, MD's youngest sister
- /24-39** Group photographs including Davitt, 1878: 1880: 1882: 1886: 1895: 1904: nd
- /24 Released political prisoners souvenir photograph 1878
- /25 Irish National League souvenir photograph, 1880
- /26 Davitt and William Redmond, [June/July 1882]
- /27 Davitt with J McKenna and DJ Power of the Emerald Snow Shoe Club, Quebec, 16 Dec 1886
- /28 Davitt and four unidentified men, Quebec, 1886
- /29 Davitt at scene of eviction of Widow Darcy, Coolgraney, Co Wexford, 1887
- /30 Davitt with reception committee, Adelaide, S Australia, May 1895
- /31 Davitt with group of supporters, Geelong, Victoria, Australia, May 1895
- /32 Davitt 'thanking the reception committee', Maryborough, Victoria, Australia, 3 June 1895
- /33 Davitt with some of the reception committee, Maryborough, Victoria. 4 June 1895
- /34-35 Davitt and John Flood (IRB), Gympie, Queensland, August 1895
- /36 Davitt with reception committee, Fremantle. W Australia, [Oct] 1895
- /37 Davitt and Tom Brennan (IRB), Nebraska, USA, 1904
- 38-39 Davitt with unidentified groups, nd
- /40-216 Photographs of other individuals 1871-1905: nd**
- /40 P Airey, Journalist, Queens;and, nd
- /41 Lhere Ali (photograph from an engraving) nd
- /42 Rev PJ Aylward, St Mary's, Melbourne, [before 1898]
- /43 Henry C Baird, Philadelphia, 8 June 1883

- /44 [William Boylan], nd
- /45 Tom Brennan (IRB), nd
- /46 John J Breslin, ex-warder, New York, 25 Nov 1878
- /47 Daniel Brophy, [Ottawa, Canada], nd
- /48 Col Thomas F Burke, Fenian, nd  
\*See Ryan Fenian Memories (c. 1940)
- /49 Thomas H Burke, nd
- /50 Fr T Burke nd
- /51 Isaac Butt, MP, ND
- /52 Lord Byron, (photograph from an engraving), nd
- /53 Sarsfield Casey, nd
- /54 [Sarfield Casey], nd
- /55 DB Cashman, [Boston], nd
- /56 T[homas] Chambers, prison friend of Davitt, nd
- /57 [Maria Luigi] Cherubini, [Italian musical composer], photograph from an engraving), nd
- /58 Patrick James Clancy, nd
- /59 HJ [Clovars], Montreal, 29 Oct 1888
- /60 [Gustave] Cluseret, [delegate for war of the Paris Commune], (photograph from an engraving), nd
- /61 Mr Henry Cockcroft, postmaster of Haslingden and employer of Davitt (1861-68), nd
- /62 Mrs Cockcroft, (see above), nd
- /63 Maurice Collins, London, nd
- /64 [Maurice Collins], nd
- /65 Patrick A Collins, [Boston], 1886
- /66 Augustine E Costello, (dedicated to 'Mr Pigott'), nd
- /67 A Contanseau, on board SS Pennland en route to US, 22 July 1882
- /68 Ludovic Contanseau, (as above), 22 July 1882
- /69 Thomas William Croke, archbishop of Cashel, nd
- /70 Monsignor Dannes, [France], nd
- /71 Duc D'Audiffret, [France], nd
- /72 John Davitt, cousin of Davitt, Port Richmond, Philadelphia, nd
- /73 Kathleen Davitt, daughter of Davitt, nd

/74 Mary Davitt, wife of Davitt, 1911  
/75 Charles Dawson, nd  
/76 Count de Chambord, nd  
/77 John Devoy, fenian, New York, nd  
/78 'Diedonne', [France], nd  
/79 John Dillon, MP., Dublin, nd  
/80 Benjamin Disraeli, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Beaconsfield, nd  
/81 Cuneo D'Ornano, souvenir photograph of, 21 May 1876  
/82 John Duddy, nd  
/83 Edward Duffy, nd  
/84 [Charles] Gavan Duffy, MP, nd  
/85 Fritz Duquenne, [?South Africa], 20 Sept 1902  
/86 Patrick Egan, New York, July 1901,  
/87 Patrick Egan, nd  
/88 Victor Ek, Helsingfors, Finland 7 Feb 1905  
/89-90 Robert Emmet (photographs from engravings), nd  
/91 John Ferguson, nd  
/92 Lord Edward Fitzgerald (photograph from a painting), nd  
/93 Lady Pamela Fitzgerald (photograph from a painting), nd  
/94 Thaddeus Flanagan, California, nd  
/95 T [Flattey], Boston], nd  
/96 Count Flavigny, nd,  
/97 John Flood, Brisbane, Australia, 1891  
/98 Ellen Ford, [sister of Patrick Ford, see below], Pennsylvania, nd  
/99 Patrick Ford, editor of the Irish World, nd  
/99a Arthur Forrester, Fenian, 1867  
/100 [William Edward Forster, Chief Secretary for Ireland]. Nd  
/101 William France, Crieff, 22 Dec 1891  
/102 General James A Garfield, US presidential candidate, 1880  
/103 [Giuseppe] Garibaldi, [Italian Patriot], nd  
/104 D Gavini, souvenir photograph of 14 May 1876  
/105 [AD Garveski], New Zealand, nd  
/106 William Ewart Gladstone, nd  
/107 Rev William Gleeson, East Oakland, California, [c 1890]  
/108 Henry Grattan, (photograph from an engraving), nd  
/109 Dr Grattan, nd  
/110 Dwyer Gray, nd  
/111 Sir John Gray, [editor of the Freeman's Journal], Dublin, nd  
/112 General Winfield S Hancock, Us presidential candidate, 1880  
/113 'Hanlon', [South Shields], nd  
/114 Matthew Harris, [fenian], nd  
/115 R[utherford] B Hayes, president of USA, (1877-81)  
/116 Tim Healy, MP, nd  
/117 [Sir Henry] Irving, [actor], nd  
/118 Dr Robert Dwyer Joyce, Boston, 1870  
/119 Dr JJ Kane, St Louis, Montana, [1880]  
/120 Annie M Kenny, Castlecomer, Co Kilkenny, nd  
/121 Dr [Joseph E] Kenny, nd  
/122 [Dr JE Kenny], nd  
/123 Charles Kinkham, novelist, nd

/124 'Kirby', the Times agent who tried to induce PJ Sheridan to give evidence  
 against the Land League' nd  
 /125 Peg Kirk, [Ladies' Land League], nd  
 /126 Rev [Patrick] Lavelle, nd  
 /127 Edmund Lea[my], nd  
 /128 [Major Henri] le Caron, (pseudonym of Thomas Billis Beach), nd  
 /129 'Depute Levert', nd  
 /130 Dr Leyds, Secretary of State for the South African Republic, [c 1901]  
 /131 John Lowden, nd  
 /132 'J McC', nd  
 /133 Captain [John] McCafferty, Sydney, [1890/91]  
 /134 Charles McCarthy, fellow prisoner of Davitt's [1878]  
 /135-7 Justin McCarthy, MP, 17 Sept 1905: nd  
 /138 'MrMcCready', nd  
 /139 Marshall McMahan, nd  
 /140 [?John Francis] Maguire, nd  
 /141 JP McMahan [The O'Gorman Mahon, MP] ,nd  
 /142 Cardinal [Henry Edward] Manning, nd  
 /143 Grace Georgina Tone Maxwell, grand-daughter of Wolf Tone, [before 1900]  
 /144 'Mr Middleton, Holliwod', nd  
 /145 John Mitchell, nd  
 /146 Denis Dowling Mulchay, New York, 15 April 1871  
 /147 [Denis Dowling Mulcahy], nd  
 /148 'Miss Murray', Cadiz, Spain, nd  
 /149 'Miss Murray', nd  
 /150 George Francis [Train], 1872  
 /151 Thomas Nulty, Bishop of Meath, nd  
 /152 William O'Brien, (editor of United Ireland), nd  
 /153 William Smith O'Brien, (Young Irelander) ,nd  
 /154 Daniel O'Connell (centenary souvenir)  
 /155 Daniel O'Connell (photograph from an engraving)  
 /156 Dr Nicholas O'Donnell, Melbourne, nd  
 /157 Thomas O'Flynn, Boston, nd  
 /158 Edward O'Kelly, [fenian prisoner], nd  
 /159 [John O'Leary, fenian], nd  
 /160 John O'Mahony, IRB, (memorial card), c1877  
 /161 'Count O' Neill' , nd  
 /162 Rev Charles o'Reilly, [Detroit] ,nd  
 /163-4 John Boyle O'Reilly, [editor of Boston Pilot], nd  
 /165 Kathy O'Reilly, friend of the Davitt family, nd  
 /166 TJ O'Reilly, [Cape Town, S Africa], nd  
 /167 Mrs Ellen O'Rorke, Wahsington DC, nd  
 /167a James Padden, nephew of Davitt  
 /167b Mary Agnes Davitt Padden, sister of Davitt  
 /168 Rev Dr Parker, nd  
 /169 Charles Stewart Parnell  
 /169a John O'Connor Power, 1868  
 /170 Richard Power, [MP], nd  
 /171 Sims Reeves, nd  
 /172 ME Reidy, Australia, nd

- /173 Leander Richardson, Imperial Hotel, Dublin, 1 Feb 1883
- /174 'Rigault', photograph from a drawing, nd
- /175 E[ugene] Rouher, [French Statesman], nd
- /176 'Royano', nd
- /177 Frances A M Russell of Kingston Russell, [after 1878]
- /178 John Ryan (IRB), Chelsea, nd
- /179 Rev Harold Rylett, unitarian minister of Moneyrea, nd
- /180 Mrs Rylett, (see above), nd
- /181 Albert Sarlande, (souvenir photograph of 28 Feb and 5 Mar 1875)
- /182 Thomas Sexton, [MP] nd
- /183 William Shakespeare, (photograph of an engraving of Shakespeare as a youth),  
nd
- /184 John B Sheerin, [Boston], nd
- /185 Rev Dr Spratt, nd
- /186 'Spurgan', nd
- /187 WT Stead, 1 Jan 1895
- /188 Sergius Stepniak, Russian Revolutionist (1852-1895), nd
- /189 Martinus Theunis Steyn, (last president of the Orange Free State, South Africa),  
nd
- /190 [Mrs Steyn (see above), nd
- /191 Alexander Sullivan, [Chigago lawyer], nd
- /192 Alexander Martin Sullivan, (MP and editor of the Nation) nd
- /193 'Countess Telfer', Rome, nd
- /194 'Thiers' nd
- /195 'Mr Tighe', Drogheda
- /196 Colonel Count Villebois-Mareuil (killed near Boshof, April  
1900), nd
- /197 John Walsh, [?Australia], nd
- /198 Rev J Walters, Wellington, New Zealand, nd
- /199 [Mr Wilson, Cork], nd
- /200-16a** Unidentified individuals, nd
- /216a Sabina Davitt
- 217-229** Group photographs of other individuals [1858]: 1878: 1883:  
1894: nd
- /217 Souvenir photograph of bishops of Versailles, [c 1858]
- /217a 'The Cuba Five'
- /218 Souvenir photograph of Peace Congress, Berlin, 1878
- /219 Thomas Brennan; [?] Mooney, president of American Land  
League; [?] Hynes, secretary of American Land League.,  
Niagara Falls, 1 Oct 1883
- /220 Fr Murphy and Fr Dawson, St Lawrence Mission, Greenock,  
Scotland, Dec 1894
- /221 Mary Davitt, wife of Davitt, and their children, Michael, Eileen  
Cahir and Robert Emmet, [1902 and 1904]
- /222 DD Mulcahy, Thomas Clarke Luby, John O'Leary, nd
- /223 William and John Redmond, nd
- /224 [John] Martin, [John] Mitchell, Rev J Kenyon, nd
- /225 Frank O'Connor and Don Rowe, nd
- /225a Eviction of Mrs Kileen, Straide, Co. Mayo, nd
- /226 Souvenir photograph of crowned heads of Europe, nd

- /227 Souvenir photograph of French Statesman, nd  
 /227a Convict labourers, Dartmoor Prison, nd  
 /228 Unidentified group, [?South Africa], nd  
**229-504** Tour snapshots, 1885-6; 1900-4: nd
- /229-234 Italy en route to the Holy Land-Rome, Pompeii, Tivoli, Naples [Feb-Mar] 1885  
 /235-254 Holy Land-Egypt, Jordan, Israel, including snapshot of Davitt with fellow travellers at foot of Mount of Olives (11 April 1885), [Mar-April] 1885  
 /255-306 Canada – Rocky Mountains, Alberta, British Columbia, Saskatchewan, Manitoba, Quebec, [Nov] 1886  
 /307-376 Australia-Victoria, Tasmania, Queensland, Western Australia, [May-Oct] 1895  
 /377-416 New Zealand- North and South Islands, [Nov] 1895  
 /417-449 Apia, Samoa-includes photograph of Robert Louis Stevenson, author and traveller, and of his house, [1894: Dec 1895]  
 /450-459 Honolulu, Hawaii-on homeward voyage via San Francisco, [Dec] 1895  
 /460-468 Boer War-Marseilles; Suez Canal; Djubtil, Abyssinia, en route to South Africa, Feb-Mar 1900  
 (see above, 9572/2)  
 /469-479 Boer War-Davitt and others in South Africa including General Louis Botha, Commander of the Boers; views of Pretoria and Lourenco Marques; Davitt and fellow passengers on board the ‘Bundesrath’ returning to Europe, [April]-June 1900  
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 480-497 Boer War-Boer Camps, forts and battle positions, Natal, [Nov]-Dec 1899 [1899 and 1902]  
 /498 USA-Davitt disembarking from the ‘Lucania’ on return from New York, 22 Oct 1901  
 /499-504 Russia-Davitt and groups of Russian Jews, 1903: [1903 and 1905]
- /505-515** Other photographs, [1880]: 1906: nd
- /505 Catherine Davitt’s grave (d 1880), mother of Davitt, Manayunk, Philadelphia, [c 1880],  
 505a Photocopy of an engraving of an eviction in Le Monde Illus Tre, 11 December 1880  
 /506 Residence of Captain Charles Botcott, Lough Mask House, Co Mayo, [c 1880]  
 /506a-b Photocopy of D’s ticket of leave from Portland Prison, 5<sup>th</sup> May 1892  
 /507 Christmas card with memorial photograph of Davitt, Dec 1906  
 /508 [Davitt Memorial, Straide, Co Mayo, [c 1906]  
 /508a Davitt’s home in Wilkinson Street, Haslingden (before 1930)  
 /508b Stellfoxe’s Victoria Mill, Baxenden, near Haslingden (before 1965)  
 /509 Davitt’s grave, Straide, Co Mayo, nd  
 /509a View of Dartmoor Prison (nd)  
 /510 Eviction scene, nd  
 /511 View of Castlebar, Co Mayo, nd  
 /511a Padden Hotel, Seranton, PA  
 /512 Round tower, Turlough, Co Mayo, nd  
 /512a-d 4137 & 4139 Main Street, Manajunk, PA (nd)  
 /513 Singalese household, Ceylon, nd  
 /514 Breadfruit tree, Sandwich Islands, nd  
 /515 Unidentified town, nd

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Miscellanea

Xeroxed sheets from The Universal News, 20 June 1863; 24 Dec 1864: 15  
April, 23 Dec 1865: 22 Dec 1866: 10, 17 Aug 1867

Xerox part of report and minutes of evidence of the Penal Servitude Acts  
Commission, 14 July 1879

Covering note from Philip J Doherty, Boston, 21 June 1882

Pen and ink caricature of [Davitt, William O'Brien, an Irish peasant, [?], by [Sir  
William Orpen], nd

Pen and ink caricature of [?] by [Sir William Orpen], nd

## DAVITT PAPERS

### ADDENDA

- 9650 DP/Add.I Davitt to his mother, to his Aunt Eileen, to his sister Sabina, and other letters, 1876-1906
- 1 /1-5 D to his mother, 2,23 July, 3 Dec 1876, 18 Jan 1878; D to his Aunt Eileen, 3 Feb 1882
- 2 /6-70 D to his sister Sabrina Davitt, [1882]-1906 (originals, for nearly all of which there are copies in DP/D1-D5 (above p.5)
- 3 /71-72 D to 'Sheela' [Sabina Davitt], [15 Dec 1884], [Dec 1884]
- 4 /73-74 Mary Gorman to Governor of Millbank prison, 6 Mar 1871; Governor of Millbank to Mary Gorman, 8 Mar 1871 (original, of which copies are in DP/D5
- 5 /75-77 D to his daughter, Kathleen, 16 Aug 1890: 16 Aug 1892: 28 Apr 1895
- 9651 DP/Add.II Miscellaneous writings of Davitt, intended for publication
- 1 'The Problem of the Russian Jew' (TS)
- 2 Draft of lecture on labour movement
- 3 'Glimpses of Ancient Ireland' (TS, pp1-73)
- 4 'The Canadian Cattle Question' (MS, pp1-12)
- 5 'Canadian Cattle' to the editor of the Irish Independent , 30 Mar 1906 (MS, pp1-7)
- 6 'Gaelic Sports and Pastimes' (MS and TS, pp1-9 [1903])
- 7 'The Irish National Assembly (session of 1910)' (MS pp1-24)
- 8 Reply to Father O'Flynn, 3 May 1905 (5 stanzas, MS)
- 9 'The Evicted Tenants Problem (Nineteenth century, [xxxv, no.206 (Apr 1894)], pp560-73
- 10 'The Wyndham-MacDonnell programme' to the editor of The Tribune (MS, pp1-6)
- 11 'The Schools Question' to the editor of the Freeman's Journal (MS, 7pp)
- 12 'England, Germany, English Perfidy'.

13 The Keison's Pilgrimage'

14 St John Bull

15 Notes

9652 DP/Add.III Correspondence with publishers of Davitt's Books, 1897-1920

1 Life and Progress in Australasia, Dec 1897, Jan 1898

2 Within the Pale, July, Sept, 1903, 1906-11

3 The Boer Fight For Freedom, Dec 1900-Feb 1901: Feb 1902-June 1904:  
Oct-Dec 1908: Jan-Mar 1910

4 The Fall of Feudalism in Ireland, July 1903-May 1904, Aug-Sept 1907, May-  
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- 9653 DP/Add.IV Education Controversy, 1902-3, 1906
- 1 Mar 1902, Oct 1902-Jan 1903 (press cuttings)
  - 2 Jan-May 1906: letters to D
  - 3 Feb-May 1906: letters and papers
- 9654 DP/Add.V Correspondence between Mary Davitt, John Dillon and William Dillon relating to Colorado mortgage, 1905-6
- 9655 DP/Add.VI Letters to Eileen Davitt relating to Davitt centenary celebrations, 1946
- 9656 DP/Add.VII Press cuttings relating to death of Davitt's eldest son, Dr Michael Davitt, 1 Dec 1928
- 9657 DP/Add.VIII Notes and reports on Boer War, 1899-1902, and drafts of chapters for The Boer Fight for Freedom
- 9658 DP/Add.IX Letters and resolutions of sympathy on death of Davitt
- 9659 DP/Add.X Press cuttings relating to death and funeral of Davitt, 1906, and other twentieth century cuttings relating to Davitt's life
- 9659a DP/Add.XI
- 1) Addresses of welcome to Davitt, 1878-95 (Xerox copies of originals presented to Michael Davitt Memorial Museum, Straide, Co Mayo, 1982-3)
  - 2) Addresses of welcome to Davitt, 1882-3, and undated (originals)
- 9659b DP/Add.XII Further batch of letters and papers, 1882-1967, received by TW Moody from Judge Cahir Davitt, Jan 19983; in envelope numbered A-R; each with list of contents. Neither envelopes nor their contents are in any subject or chronological order
- 9659c DP/Add.XIII Letters and papers formerly belonging to James Collins, a close personal friend of Davitt's from 1890. Xerox copies of the originals, which were presented to the Michael Davitt Memorial Museum, by Dr Michael Davitt, a grandson of Davitt. They have been arranged by TW Moody as follows.
- 1) Letters from D to Collins, c 1880-1906 and undated. Most of these were copied for Mr Davitt soon after D's death, the copies being in DP/E1-E4, F1-F2 (above p5)
  - 2) Letters from Collins to D, 1889-1906
  - 3) Addresses of welcome to D, 1885-7, and undated
  - 4) Collins correspondence (excluding letters from and to D), 1882-1913 and undated

9659d DP/Add.XIV Letters and papers of James Stephens (1824/5-1901), the Fenian Chief, bought for D by James Collins after Stephens' death. They are derived through Dr TW Moody, from (A) the late Eileen Davitt, Davitt's daughter and (B) Dr Michael Davitt, a grandson of Davitt's. Davitt found them disappointing, and they obviously amount to only a fraction of all Stephens' letters and papers. They have been arranged by Dr Moody as follows:

- 1) /1-43 Letters from Stephens, 1848-94 (A)
- 2) /44-170 Letters to Stephens, 1848-96 (B)
- 3) /171-206 Letters to Stephens, 1849-94 (A)
- 4) /207-9 Appointment of Stephens as chief executive of Irish revolutionary movement, New York, 28 Feb. and 9 Dec 1858; a telegram from Stephens from Paris 12 Mar 1866 (B)
- 5) /210-226 Miscellaneous papers relating to Fenianism, 1859-76 (A)
- 6) /227-248 TC Luby to Stephens, 1859-61
- 7) /249-264 Telegrams to Stephens, 1866-80
- 8) /265-324 Letters from John Brady (of Kingstown) to Stephens, 1871-8 (A)
- 9) /325 Letter book: copies in Stephens' hand of letters from him, Jan 1876-Apr 1879 (A)
- 10) /326-79 Undated letters by and to Stephens (A)
- 11) /380-419 Undated letters to Stephens (B)
- 12) /420-446 Miscellaneous writings by Stephens (A)
- 13) /447-457 Miscellaneous writings by Stephens; printed ch. XII and XIV of Stephens' reminiscences; and press cutting of interview with Stephens, Evening Telegraph, 16 Dec 1893 (B)
- 14) /458 Stephens to Davitt, 17 Mar ?1878 (B)
- 15) /459-61 Two letters from Sir James Oxinden to Sir John Temple, solicitor general for Ireland, 4 Aug 1684 and 23 May 1687; and one, unsigned, to Oxinden, 5 July 1684 (originals) (A)
- 16) /462-490 Letters and papers relating to Stephens' last days and the buying of his papers by Davitt, Jan-June 1901 (A)
- 17) /491-6 Press cuttings relating to Stephens' death (29 Mar 1901) (A)

9659c DP/Add. XIII Xerox copies of letters and papers formerly belonging to James Collins. A close personal friend of Davitt's from 1890. The originals were presented to the Michael Davitt Memorial Museum, by Dr Michael Davitt, a grandson of Davitt's. They have been arranged by Dr TW Moody as follows.

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| 1 | /1-131          | Letters from Davitt to Collins, 1886: [1888]-1906: nd  |
| 2 | <b>132-135</b>  | Letters to Davitt, 1899: [19]01-2: 1905  |
|   | /132            | James Cahill, Lawrence, Massachusetts, 23 Oct 1889   |
|   | /133            | Miss Mollie Hopper, [sister in law of James Stephens], Blackrock, Dublin, 23 Jan [19]01  |
|   | /134            | William Doyle, Portland Row, [Dublin] 23 Jan [19]01  |
|   | /135            | J Wyse Power, Gresham Hotel, Dublin<br>17 May 1905   |
| 3 | <b>/136-41</b>  | Addresses of welcome to Davitt, 1885-7, nd   |
|   | /136            | Mitchelstown branch of the Irish National League, 1885   |
|   | /137            | Charleville branch of the Irish National League, 1885  |
|   | /138            | Irishmen of Hull on the occasion of Davitt's visit, 7 April 1886   |
|   | 139             | English translation of address by the Montreal division of the National Alliance of the St Jean Baptiste societies of America [1886]           |
|   | /140            | Tralee (Michael Davitt branch) of the Young Ireland Society, Feb 1887  |
|   | 141             | Kilmore Branch of the Irish National League, Co Roscommon, nd  |
| 4 | <b>/142-174</b> | Collins correspondence (excluding letters from and to Davitt), 1882: 1887: [1893]: 1897-8: 1901-3: 1905: 1907-8:1912-13: nd                    |
|   | /142            | Ambrose Plunkett, Solicitor, Dublin, to Collins, 5 Dec 1882  |
|   | /143            | [?], Ancient Order of Forrestors, Detroit, Michigan to Collins, 3 May 1887   |
|   | /144            | Mary Davitt, wife of Davitt, Land League Cottage, Ballybrack to Collins, [1893]  |
|   | /145            | [?], <u>New York Journal</u> , to Collins (incomplete), 12 July 1897   |
|   | /146            | Joseph Whelan, 30 Bank Street, Belfast, to Collins, 30 July 1898   |
|   | /147            | Joseph Whelan, 4 Berry Street, Belfast, to Collins, 9 Aug 1898   |
|   | /148            | Copy of letter from Collins to 'Mr Farrell', endorsed by J Bermingham, 29 Mar 1901   |
|   | /149            | Alfred Webb, [politician, Irish Parliamentary Party,], United Irish Parliamentary Fund, 39 Upper O'Connell St, Dublin, to Collins, 30 May 1902 |
|   | /150            | Alfred Webb, (as above) to Collins, 15 June 1902   |
|   | /151            | Alfred Webb, Rathgar, Dublin, to Collins, 15 Oct 1903  |
|   | /152            | Charles Dawson, Dublin to Collins, 11 July 1905  |
|   | /153            | James P Fitzpatrick, Dublin, to Collins, 6 Jan 1907, with accompaning copy of Collins' reply, 7 Jan 1907                                       |
|   | /154            | Newspaper cuttings of article by James Collins relating to the eighteenth century Jewish community in Dublin, 7 Dec 1907                       |
|   | /155            | Collins to [Sabina] Davitt, sister of Davitt's, 3 April 1908   |

- /156 Michael Collins, Seamen's Church Institute, Philadelphia, PA, to his father, James, P July 1912
- /157 James Duffy and Co Ltd., Publishers, to Collins, 11 Sept 1912
- /158 Envelope addressed by [Michael Collins], New York, to his father, James, Drumcondra, Dublin, P 6 Oct 1912
- /159 WJ Burke, Christian Brothers' Past Pupils Union, Dublin, to Collins, 14 Oct 1912
- /160 J MacDougall [Grady], secretary of the Guardian Bank Ltd, Dublin to Collins, 14 Oct 1912
- /161 Samuel Skelton, treasurer of Roylea Liver Friendly Society, Liverpool to Collins, 15 Oct 1912
- /162 Charles Thompson, Thompson's Motor Car Co Ltd., Dublin to Collins, 23 Oct 1912
- /163 Envelop addressed to Collins, Drumcondra, Dublin, P Oct [19]12
- /164 [E] Simpson, [Formby, England] to Collins, 29 Oct 1912
- /165 [W Waunton], Liverpool to Collins, 18 Nov 1912
- /166 PL Hooper, Press Gallery, [House of Commons], to Collins, 2 Dec 1912
- /167 [?], The Weekly Freeman, Dublin, to Collins, 20 [Feb, Mar, Nov] 1913
- /168 JG Swift MacNeill, [House of Commons] to Collins, nd
- /169 Isaac Butt, Brixton, to Collins, nd
- /170 Mary Davitt, wife of Davitt, Land League College, to Collins, nd
- /171 [?] to [Collins], nd (illegible)
- /172 Memorandum from [?] to [Collins] concerning instructions for reading secret writing, nd
- /173 Envelope addressed to Collins, Drumcondra, Dublin, nd
- /174 Gaiety Theatre Dublin programme (incomplete) for performance by Mr and Mrs Hubert O' Grady and company, nd
- 5 /175-177 Other correspondents, 1906: 1912: nd
- /175 William Dillon, Attorney, Chicago, to Mary Davitt, wife of Davitt, 2 Jan 1906
- /176 J Gibson, cycle manufacturer and agent, Dublin, to Miss M Collins, [daughter of James Collins], 6 Nov 1912
- /177 Eugene Davis. [Fenian and Poet] to R[ichard] Pigott, nd
- 6 /178-192 Collins correspondence (originals), 1886: 1890-1: 1893: [1901]-3: 1908-9:1912:nd
- /178 Printed letter of recommendation from Davitt, Imperial Hotel, to Collins, 13 April 1886
- /179 Davitt, The Labour World, Offices, London, to Collins, 24 Nov 1909
- /180 Davitt, The Clarendon, Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada to Collins, 5 Aug 1891 (+env)
- /181 Davitt, Ballybrack, Dublin, to Collins [1893]
- /182 Fragment from Royal Liver Friendly Society subscription book containing entries for the Collins family, [c 1901] (+ env)
- /183 Envelope addressed [in Davitt's hand] to Collins, Convent View, Drumcondra, Dublin, P 31 Dec 1903
- /184 Envelope addressed to Collins (as above), P 23 July 1903
- /185 Mary Davitt, widow of Davitt, Glenageary, Dublin, to Collins, 2 Jan 1908

- /186 Collins, Drumcondra, Dublin, to [Sabina] davitt, [sister of Davitt's] 7 April 1908
- /187 JG Swift MacNeill, House of Commons to [Collins], 23 June 1909
- /188 Envelope addressed to Collins, Drumcondra
- /189 Envelope addressed to Collins (as above) from [his son, Michael], New York, P 6 Oct 1912
- /190 Envelope addressed to Collins (as above), P 23 Oct 1912
- /191 Mary Davitt, Silchester Road, Kingstown, 4 Dec 1912
- /192 Envelope addressed to Collins, nd

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- 2 **/44-179** Letters to Stephens, 1848-51: 1853-61:
- 3 **/171-206** Letters to Stephens
- 4 **207-9** Appointment of Stephens as chief executive of Irish Revolutionary movement, New York, 28 Feb and 9 Dec 1858; telegram from Stephens (alias James Edmunds), Paris, after his escape (24 Nov 1865) from Richmond Prison, Dublin, 18 Mar 1866 (B)

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- 5 **/210-226** Miscellaneous papers relating to Fenianism including copies of letters, subscription lists, organisation reports, addresses [by Stephen], rules for formation of a Fenian circle, 1859: 1865-6: 1873: 1876: 1878: nd (A)
- 6 **/227-48** Letters from TC Luby ('Mc Gucken') to Stephens, 1859-61: 1877: 1884: nd (A)
- 7 **/249-64** Telegrams to Stephens, 1866: 1873: 1880: telegrams to and from Colonel Thomas J Kelly (A)

- 8                    **/265-324** Letters from John Brady (of Kingstown) to Stephens, 1871-2: 1877-81: nd: other letters to [James Stephen], nd; John Brady to others, 1871; other letters to John Brady, 1877: nd (A)
- 9                    **/325**        Letter book: copies in Stephens' hand of (IRB) letters from him, 1876-9 (A)
- 10                  **/326-79** Letters from Stephens to his family and others, nd; letters to Stephens, nd; copies of Stephens' correspondence in his hand, 1850: 1859-60; nd other correspondents, nd (A)
- 11                  **380-419** Letters to James Stephens, nd; other correspondents, nd (B)
- 12                  **420-46** Miscellaneous writings by Stephens: autobiographical notes, 1856: nd; ms copy of cutting from NY Times relating to Stephens, 29 Oct 1876; drafts of newspaper articles, 1884: nd; copies and drafts of speeches, nd; miscellaneous notes and quotations, nd; fragments of letters from Stephens to [?], nd; fragment of letter to Stephens from James Fahy, nd; other correspondents, nd (A)
- 13                  **/447-457** Autobiographical writings of Stephens, [1848]: 1856: drafts of newspaper articles, 1884: 1886; cutting from the Evening Telegraph of interview with Stephens, 16 Dec 1893; chapters XII and XIV of Stephens; reminiscences (printed), nd (B)
- 14                  **/458**        Stephens to Michael Davitt, 17 Mar [1878]
- 15                  **459-61** Letter from Sir James Oxonden to Sir John Temple, 4 Aug 1684; [?] to Sir James Oxinden and E Moseley to Sir John Temple, 23 May 1687
- 16                  **/462-490** Letters and papers relating to Stephens' final months and his death, Jan-Apr 1901; letters and papers relating to purchase of the Stephens papers, April- June 1901 (A)
- 17                  **491-6**        Presscuttings relating to death of Stephens, March-April 1901 (A)

- 9659e /1-44 DP/Add.XV Letters relating to Davitt centenary, 1946
- 9659f /1-28 DP/Add.XVI Letters and papers relating to fund for Patrick Egan (treasurer of the Land League), 1904
- 9659g /1-32 DP/Add.XVII Davitt miscellanea including copies of Davitt's marriage certificate, will and funeral arrangements; copies of birth, marriage and death certificates for other Davitt family members inter alia Edward Crowley, James Davitt, Neil Padden and Mary Davitt; passenger lists to US (1865:1870); membership cards: family tree, 1853-1906

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DN/Add. 1-5 Diary 1900 etc

9660 1 Boer War, vol. 2, 28 Mar-c. 15 Nov 1900 (see above p.15, nos 41-2)

9661 2 Scrap book

9662 3 Scrapbook

9663 4 Used cheques etc. National Bank, 1883-1904

9663a 5 Cheque book stubs, National Bank, 1900,1901

9663b (see overleaf)

9663c Statements of my first years – cases and experiences of liberty  
(small notebook)

- 9663b                    DN/Add 6            /1-104 Extracts from Davitt's diaries, 1880: 1884:  
1886: 1893-98: 1901: 1905:  
(These excisions were made by Davitt's widow, Mary, c 1906.  
Diaries from which excisions were made are noted and those  
instances where abridged or complete copies of entries in Mary  
Davitt's hand were substituted).
- /1                        Sheet, 21-22 June 1880: copy of 21 June and abridged entry for 22  
June substituted
- /2                        Fragment, 7-8 July 1880
- /3                        Presscutting from The Pilot, Boston, 17 July 1880
- /4                        Fragment, [23-24 July 1880]
- /5                        Fragment, [25-26 July 1880] (1-5 above excised from MS 9533)
- /6                        Fragment, [16 April 1884]
- /7                        Fragment, 17-22 April 1884
- /8                        Fragment, 5-10 June 1884
- /9                        Fragment, 13, 16 June 1884 (6-9 excised from MS 9541)
- /10                      Sheet, 11-12 Jan 1886
- /11                      Sheet, 15-16 Aug 1886
- /12                      Fragment, [19-20 Aug 1886]: copy of entry for 19 Aug substituted
- /13                      Sheet, 21 -22 Aug 1886
- /14                      Fragment, [3 Sept 1886]
- /15                      Sheet, 6-7 Sept 1886
- /16                      Fragment, [28-29 Sept 1886]
- /17                      Fragment, [2-3 Oct 1886]
- /18                      Sheet, 4-5 Oct 1886
- /19                      Sheet, 6-7 Oct 1886
- /20                      Fragment, 8-9 Oct 1886
- /21                      Fragment, [20 Oct 1886]
- /22                      Sheet, 13 Dec 1886 (10-22 above excised from MS 9545)
- /23                      Sheet, 23-24 May 1893: copy of 24 May substituted
- /24                      Sheet, 9-10 Dec 1893
- /25                      Fragment, [11-12 Dec 1893]: copy of 11 Dec substituted
- /26                      Sheet, 25 Dec 1893 (23-26 excised from MS 9554)
- /27                      Fragment, 6-7 Jan 1894: copy of 6 Jan and abridged version of 7 Jan  
substituted
- /28                      Fragment, 9-10 Jan 1894
- /29                      Fragment, 10-11 Jan 1894: copy of 11 Jan substituted
- /30                      Sheet, 19-20 Jan 1894: abridged entries for both dates substituted
- /31                      Sheet, 20-23 Jan 1894: copy of entries for 21 and 23 Jan and  
abridged entry for 20 Jan substituted
- /32                      Fragment, [6 Feb 1894]: abridged entry substituted
- /33                      Presscutting , [6 Feb 1894]
- /34                      Fragment, 10 Feb [1894]: abridged entry substituted
- /35                      Sheet, 14 Feb, [1894]
- /36                      Fragment, [20 Feb 1894]: abridged entry substituted
- /37                      Fragment, [21 Feb 1894] abridged entry substituted
- /38                      Sheet, [28 Feb]-1 Mar [1894]: abridged entry for [28 Feb]  
substituted

- /39 Sheet, [1]-2 Mar [1894]
- /40 Fragment, [6 Mar 1894]: abridged entry substituted
- /41 Fragment, [6 Mar 1894]: abridged entry substituted
- /42 Fragment, [10]-12 Mar [1894]: copies of 10,12 Jan and abridged entry for 11 Jan substituted
- /43 Fragment, [11-12 Mar 1894]: abridged entry for 11 Jan and copy of 12 Jan substituted
- /44 Fragment, [13 Mar 1894]: abridged entry substituted
- /45 Sheet, [13 Mar 1894]: abridged entry substituted
- /46 Sheet, [13 Mar 1894]: copy of [13 Mar] and abridged entry for 14 Mar substituted
- /47 Sheet, [14]-18 Mar [1894]: abridged entry for 14 Mar, copies of 15-16 Mar substituted
- /48 Sheet, [16]-18 Mar [1894]: abridged entries substituted
- /49 Sheet, [18]-20 Mar [1894]: abridged entries for 18, 20 Mar and copy of 19 Mar substituted
- /50 Sheet [20]-25 Mar [1894]: copies of 21-23,25 Mar substituted
- /51 Sheet, [27]-29 Mar [1894]
- /52 Sheet, [29]-30 Mar [1894]
- /53 Sheet, [30] Mar-1 April [1894]
- /54 Sheet, [6]-9 April [1894]: copies of [6]-8 April and abridged entry for 9 April substituted
- /55 Sheet, [14]-16 April [1894]: copies of [14], 16 April substituted
- /56 Sheet, [23]-24 April [1894]: copy of 24 April substituted
- /57 Fragment, [24-25 April 1894]: copy of 25 April substituted
- /58 Fragment, 26-27 April 1894: copy of 26 April and abridged entry for 27 April substituted
- /59 Fragment, [30 April]- 1 May [1894]: copy of [30 April] and abridged entry for 1 May substituted
- /60 Sheet, [1]-3 May [1894]: copies of 2-3 May substituted
- /61 Sheet, [10]-11 May [1894]: abridged entries substituted
- /62 Sheet, [11]-12 May [1894]: abridged entries substituted
- /63 Sheet, [13]-14 May [1894]: abridged entry for 13 May and copy of 14 May substituted
- /64 Fragment, [14] May [1894]: abridged entry substituted (27-64 above excised from MS 9555)
- /65-84 Extracts (pp 1-38) from private diary 'Jottings on Journey Round The World', 5 April-[2 May] 1895
- /85 Fragment, 18 [Jan 1896]
- /86 Fragment, [29 Jan 1896]
- /87 Sheet, 13-18 Mar 1896
- /88 Fragment, [26, 30 Mar 1896]
- /89 Fragment, [27, 30 Mar 1896]
- /90 Fragment, 24 Sept 1896  
(85-90 excised from MS 9567)
- /91 Fragment, 12 [Aug 1897]  
(91 above excised from MS 9569)
- /92 Sheet, 10-11 Feb 1898: copy of 10 Feb substituted
- /93 Sheet, 26 Feb 1898: abridged version substituted  
(92-3 above excised from MS 9570)

- /94 Fragment, [31 Aug, 5 Sept 1901]
- /95 Fragment, [21-28 Sept, 9 Oct 1901]: abridged entry for 9 Oct substituted
- /96 Sheet, [15, 18], 19, 25 [Oct 1901]: abridged entry for 19 Oct substituted  
(94-96 above excised from MS 9575)
- /97 Sheet, (calendar for Jan-Feb 1905)
- /98 Sheet, 25 Feb 1905
- /99 Sheet, 14-15 April 1905
- /100 Sheet, 22-27 June 1905
- /101 Fragment, 31 Aug, 3 Sept 1905
- /102 Fragment, 1, 4, Sept [1905]
- /103 Fragment, 2 [Sept 1905]
- /104 Fragment, 21, 22, 24-25 Dec 1905  
(97-104 excised from 9583)
- /105-114 Envelopes labelled by Mary Davitt fro holding diary excisions

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DPC/Add 1-16 Davitt's press cutting books, 1884-1906, and other press material, 1906, 1946

- 9664 1 1884 Dec Leaves from a prison diary
- 9665 2 1894 Jan-Dec
- 9666 3 1895 Jan-Aug
- 9667 4 1898 May-1899 Mar
- 9668 5 1899 Mar-1901 Aug
- 9669 6 1901 Aug-1902 Nov
- 9670 7 1902 Sept-1903 September
- 9671 8 1902 Nov-1903 Apr
- 9672 9 1902-3 Reviews of The Boer Fight for Freedom (Jan-Dec 1902) and Within the Pale (Nov 1903-Feb 1904)
- 9673 10 1903 Feb-1905 Aug
- 9674 11 1903 July-1906 Apr
- 9675 12 1904 Feb-July
- 9676 13 1906 June-Aug. Obituaries of Davitt
- 9677 14 /1-3 1906 16, 23 June. Copies of Irish World carrying obituaries of Davitt
- 9678 15 1/1-11 946 Mar-Apr. Davitt centenary celebrations (loose papers)
- 9679 16 /1-9 1946 Apr-Aug. Davitt centenary celebrations (loose papers)

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DA/Add 1-2

9680 1 'The Silver King' [JW Mackay]: some reminscences' (TS fragment, pp1-3)

9681 2 Visit to the Holy Land (TS, pp 13-51)