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The accompanying list of the 8th Earl of Elgin's diplomatic papers has been extracted from the main catalogue of the archive of the Earls of Elgin, a copy of which is held by the National Register of Archives for Scotland. The Elgin archive, which is still held by the family, dates from the 15th century and comprises the personal and legal papers of the Earls of Elgin and papers relating to the running of the Broomhall estate. The archive includes correspondence and other personal papers relating to the 8th Earl's first wife, Elizabeth Mary (Elma) Cumming-Bruce (1822-1843), his second wife, Mary Louisa Lambton (c.1819-1898), as well as of close family including his brothers Sir Frederick Bruce (1814-1867), General Robert Bruce (1813-1862) and Thomas Bruce (1825-1890), and sister Lady Augusta Bruce (1822-1876).

The catalogue of (ref: NRAS3955) is made available to researchers on the National Register of Archives for Scotland's Online Register: <http://www.nas.gov.uk/onlineRegister/> .

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