

# M014 Alterations to Free West Church, Greenock

## Introduction

John Honeyman & Keppie made additions and carried out alterations in connection with a new organ.

**Authorship:** This is one of over 270 jobs carried out in the office of John Honeyman & Keppie (Honeyman, Keppie & Mackintosh from 1901) during Mackintosh's time there. Mackintosh undoubtedly worked on many of these, but there is no specific evidence for his involvement in this case.

**Alternative names:** St Mark's Greenbank <sup>1</sup>.

**Alternative addresses:** Kelly Street

**Cost from job book:** £192 13s 4½d

**Status:** Demolished <sup>2</sup>

**RCAHMS Site Number:** NS27NE 106

**Grid reference:** NS 2729 7649

## Chronology

### 1889

14 May: Contractor tenders submitted. <sup>1</sup>

### 1890

5 February: Contractor paid. <sup>2</sup>

## Description

## People

### Contractors:

- James Agnew

### Other:

- Barr & Knox

## Job Book

The job books of Honeyman & Keppie (later Honeyman, Keppie & Mackintosh) are now held by The Hunterian, University of Glasgow and include four volumes related to the Mackintosh period. The books were used by the firm to keep a project-by-project, day-by-day record of contractors, suppliers and expenditure. The name of a project and/or client is usually at the top of the left-hand page, followed by information about tradesmen who tendered. The name of the measurer (quantity surveyor) is usually at the top of the right-hand page, followed by information about payments to contractors and suppliers. All of the data for M014 is entered in the tables below.

Page numbering is not consistent in the job books. Sometimes a single number refers to a double-page spread and sometimes each page is individually numbered. Here, each image of a double-page spread is identified by the number given at the top of the left-hand page. (Images of all of the pages from the four job books can be found at [Browse Job Books, Visit Book and Cash Book.](#))

The following information about M014 has been extracted from the job books:



Job book: 53059  
Page: 97

**Client:** no data in job book

**Measurer:** Barr & Knox

**Tenders:**

Contractor	Type	Address	Date	Value	Accepted
Williamson & Gray	no data in job book	51 Vennal	14 May 1889	£193 16 8½	no
James Agnew	no data in job book	32 Crawford Street	14 May 1889	£173 15s 0d	yes (no data in job book)
Denny & Crawford	no data in job book	54 Kelley Street	14 May 1889	no data in job book	no
G A Ramsey	no data in job book	16 Nicholson Street	14 May 1889	no data in job book	no
Crawford & Fulton	no data in job book	Terrace Road	14 May 1889	£200 14s 4d	no
R.W Jamieson	no data in job book	16 Nelson Street	14 May 1889	no data in job book	no
Smith & McCuaig	no data in job book	30 Charles Street	14 May 1889	£205 18s 9d	no
James Carnaghan	no data in job book	13 Regent Street	14 May 1889	£211 14s 7d	no

**Payments (trades):**

Name	Type	Payment out sum
James Agnew	no data in job book	<b>Payment date:</b> 5 February 1890 £192 13s 4½d <sup>1</sup>

## Documents

## Images

## Bibliography

### Published

#### Notes:

- 1: *Dictionary of Scottish Architects, 1840–1980*, [www.scottisharchitects.org.uk](http://www.scottisharchitects.org.uk) [accessed 16 April 2012].
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- 3: The Hunterian, University of Glasgow: John Honeyman & Keppie job book, GLAHA 53059, p. 98.
- 4: The Hunterian, University of Glasgow: John Honeyman & Keppie job book, GLAHA 53059, p. 98.
- 5: Includes £6 for 'extra cusped panels at ends of pul[pit]', and £3 12s 0d for 'concrete for organ engine.'

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