



The Egypt Exploration Society

The Lucy Gura Archive:

The Correspondence (COR) sub-archive

In February 2000 the National Archives, on behalf of the Historical Manuscripts Commission, created a list of contents for the Society's early correspondence sub-archive (now known as COR, see *The Hierarchical Structure of the EES Lucy Gura Archive* for further details). In January 2014 a substantial archive project was begun by Dr Brigitte Balanda to scan, transcribe and catalogue all of the documents within these collections. With an estimated 6500 items, this project is ongoing but will eventually become a valuable resource for researchers around the world. Below is the list, as compiled for the Historical Manuscripts Commission, to allow a quick overview of the contents. The archival reference numbers have been amended here to adhere to the new referencing system, as this example indicates:

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Aylward Blackman

Ricardo A Caminos

Margaret

Drower/Hackforth Jones

Sir Alan Gardiner

Stephen Glanville

Mary Jonas

Francis Llewellyn Griffith

Battiscombe Gunn

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Sir Robert and Lady Mond

Thomas Eric Peet

John Pendlebury

(as well as many other

Egyptologists and

archaeologists)

Abydos

Amara West

Armant

Buto

Deir el-Bahari

Meir

Sesebi

Survey of Memphis

Tell el-Amarna

American Branch

Australian Branch

Graeco-Roman Branch