

MS 11 T. F. O’Rahilly Manuscripts

About the Collection

Collection of Irish manuscripts and printed books annotated by the distinguished Celtic Scholar, T.F. O’Rahilly (1883-1953). A relatively small assemblage of material, the books are extensively annotated by O’Rahilly and include a range of titles on Irish dialect, grammar and Irish Literature, dating from c 1849-1937. Among the authors featured are Brian Merriman (1749-1805), Joseph Henry Lloyd, Peter O’Leary (1839-1920), John O’Tuomy, Pierce Fitzgerald and John Clarach MacDonald. An annotated draft of the 1937 Constitution of Ireland is also to be found within the collection in addition to a manuscript inscription from Eamon DeValera thanking O’Rahilly for his assistance on it.

Linked to this collection are a miscellaneous series of other papers and correspondence – see [MS 95 O’Rahilly Correspondence](#)

Of the correspondence can be found 15 letters from D.J. O’Sullivan to O’Rahilly, 1926-28, regarding O’Sullivan’s edition of the Bunting Collection of Irish Music (QUB MS 4), and correspondence from George Russell (AE): 7 letters (6 typed; 1 holograph) to T.F O’Rahilly on Irish statesman notepaper 17/2/1925 – 19/8/1927. These deal with the question of state financial support for Gaelic scholarship and with the setting up by Judge H. B. Higgins of Melbourne of a fund for the promotion of Irish studies. Enclosure included is a MS 2pp. memorandum on the proposed administration of the fund signed by O. Bergin, T.F. O’Rahilly, R. Best, and E.J. Gwynn. Other correspondents include M. O’Cathain, A. Martin Freeman, Paul Grosjean, James Hogan and Liam Price.

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MS 11/1 Cúirt an Mheadhon Oidhche

Cúirt an Mheadhon Oidhche, by Brian Merriman Risteárd O Foghludha. 1. Fiachra Eilgeach do chuir in eagar. Aiste ann O Phiaras Béaslaí. Dublin, Hodges, Figgis, 1912. Interleaved with extensive manuscript annotations by T.F. O'Rahilly

MS 11/2-3 Dánta Phiaras Feiritéir Maille le Beathaidh an Fhilidh is Foclóir

Dánta Phiaras Feiritéir Maille le Beathaidh an Fhilidh is Foclóir by Piarais Feiritéir iar n-a gcuinniughadh agus a gcur i gcéad-eagar leis an Athair Pádraig Ua Duinnín. Baile Átha Cliath : Chonnradh na Gaedhilge, 1903. Interleaved with copious MS. notes by T.F. O'Rahilly

MS 11/4 Amhráin

Amhráin by Thaidg Gaedhealaigh Uí Súilleabháin iar n-a gcuinniughadh is a gcur i n-eagar leis an Athair Pádraig Ua Duinnín, Dublin 1903. With copious MS. annotations by T.F. O'Rahilly

MS 11/5 Dánta Shéafraidh Uí Dhonnchadha an Ghleanna

Dánta Shéafraidh Uí Dhonnchadha an ghleanna: maille le beathaidh an fhilidh is fóclóir by Geoffrey O'Donoghue iar n-a gcuinniughadh agus a gcur i bprimh –eagar leis an Athair Pádraig Ua Duinnín. Dublin : Chonnradh na Gaedhilge, 1902. Interleaved and with copious MS. annotations by T.F. O'Rahilly

MS 11/6 Filidhe na Máighe

Filidhe na Maighe: no amhrain Sheain Ui Thuama & Andreais Mhic Craith by Seán ó Tuama maille le comh-fhreagarthas agus míniughadh mion na gcur i n-eagar leis an Athair Pádarig Ua Duinnín. Dublin: M.H. Gill & a Mhac, Teor. 1906. Interleaved and with copious MS. notes by T.F. O'Rahilly

MS 11/7 Amhráin

Amhráin: príomh-ollamh na mumhan le n-a Linn; Maille le beathardh an Fhilidh agus Foclóir by Sheagháin Chláraigh Mhic Dhomhnaill iar n-a gcuinniughadh agus a gcur i bprímh-eagar leis an Athair Pádraig Ua Duinnín Dublin Chonnradh na Gaedhilge, 1908. With copious MS. notes by T.F. O'Rahilly

MS 11/8 Amhráin

Amhrain, maille le beathaidh au fhilidh agus focloir by Eoghain Ruaidh Ui Suilleabhain iar n-a gcuinniughadh agus a gcur i bprímh-eagar leis an Athair Pádraig Ua Duinnín. Dublin Connradh na Gaedhilge, 1901 With copious MS. notes by T.F. O'Rahilly.

MS 11/9 Sean-Chaint na nDéise.

Sean-chaint na nDéise: The Idiom of Living Irish by Reverend Michael Sheehan. Dublin: M.H. Gillm & Son, Ltd. 1906. Copious MS. annotations by T.F. O'Rahilly

MS 11/10 Dánta Grádha

Dánta Grádha: an anthology of Irish love poetry of the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries. Collected and edited by T.F. O'Rahilly ... With an introduction by Robin Flower. London: Browne & Nolan, 1916 Contains editor's MS. annotations for proposed reprint.

MS 11/11 Amhráin Chlainne Gaedheal

Amhráin Chlainne Gaedheal: (an chéad chuid) by Micheál & Tomás Ó Máille do chruinnigh & do chuir síos iad. Dublin Chonnradh na Gaedhilge 1905 Copious MS. annotations by T.F.O'Rahilly

MS 11/12 Eachtra Ghiolla an Amarain: and Other Poems

Eachtra ghiolla an Amarain: and Other Poems by Red Donough MacNamara. Ed. by Tomás ó Flannghaile, with life of Donnchadh Ruadh MacConmara by John Fleming. Dublin: Sealy, Bryers & Walker, [1897?] Copious MS. annotations by T.F.O'Rahilly

MS 11/13 Foclóir do Bheatha agus do Dhántaibh Dhonnchadha Ruaidh Mhic Conmara

Foclóir do Bheatha agus do Dhántaibh Dhonnchadha Ruaidh Mhic Conmara by Tomás Ó Flannghaile. Vocabulary to the Life and Poems of Donnchadh Ruadh Mac Conmara by Thomas Flannery Dublin: Sealy, Bryers and Walker, 1904.

MS 11/14 Dánta Séain Uí Murchada na Ráitíneac

Dánta Séain Uí Murchada na Ráitíneac by Seán Ó Murchada ar n-a dtiomrógadh agus ar n-a gcur i n-eagar do Tadhg Ó Donnchada .i. Tórna. Dublin Chonnradh na Gaedhilge, 1907. With copious MS annotations by T.F.O' Rahilly

MS 11/15 Foclóir do Séaona

Foclóir do Séaona by Peter O' Leary. Dublin Muintir na Leabar Gaedilge, 1908 Numerous MS. annotations by T.F. O'Rahilly

MS 11/16 Amhráin

Amhráin by John Clarach MacDonnell. Príomh-ollamh na Mumhan le n-a linn: maille le beathaidh an fhildh agus foclóir; iar n-a gcrúinniúghadh agus a gcur i bprímh-eagar leir an Athair Pádraig ua Duinnín. Dublin Chonnradh na Gaedhilge 1902. Interleaved with numerous MS. annotations by T.F.O'Rahilly

MS 11/17 Amhráin

Amhráin by Phiarais Mhic Gearailt, an té ba cheann comhairle ar chúirt na m-búrdún, maille le cunntas éigin ar bheathaidh, agus foclóir. Edited by Riséard Ó Foghludha. Dublin Chonnradh na Gaedhilge, 1905. With copious MS. annotations by T.F.O'Rahilly

MS 11/18 Duanaire na Midhe

Duanaire na Midhe by Seosamh Laoide Dublin: Clóðanna, ar n-a éur amach do Chonnradh na Gaedhilge, 1914. With copious MS. annotations by T.F. O'Rahilly

MS 11/19 Dánta

Dánta by Aonghus Fionn O' Dalaigh. Edited with translation, notes, &c., by Rev. L. M'Kenna. With preface by O.J. Bergin. Dublin; London: Maunsell & Co., 1919.

MS 11/20 Eachtra Mhacaoimh an Iolair

Eachtra mhacaoimh an Iolair : mhic ríogh na sorcha ; uirsgéal do deachtuigheadh sa chúigeadh ceannair déag by Brian O'Corcrán. Iorard de Teiltiún agus Seosamh Laoide do chuir i n-eagar. Dublin: Hodges, Figgis, 1912.

MS 11/21-22 Bunreacht na hÉireann (Dréacht).

Bunreacht na hÉireann (Dréacht). Eire. Constitution. Draft. Dublin: Published by the Stationery Office: Printed by Cahill & Co., [1937] Annotated by T.F. O'Rahilly. 2 copies

MS 11/23 Bunreacht na hÉireann (Dréacht).

Bunreacht na hÉireann (Dréacht). Eire. Constitution. Draft. Dublin: Published by the Stationery Office: Printed by Cahill & Co., [1937] Annotated by T.F. O'Rahilly. MS. inscription by Éamon de Valera thanking O'Rahilly for his assistance.

MS 11/24(i) Tóruigeacht Diarmuda agus Gráinne

Tóruigeacht Diarmuda agus Gráinne .The pursuit of Diarmuid and Grainne Part 1 re-edited by Richard J. O'Duffy for the Society for the Preservation of the Irish Language, with notes, and a complete vocabulary. Dublin: M.H. Gill, 1895. With annotations by T.F. O'Rahilly.

MS 11/24(ii) Tóruigeacht Diarmuda agus Gráinne

Tóruigeacht Diarmuda agus Gráinne .The pursuit of Diarmuid and Grainne Part 2 edited by S.H. O'Grady for the Society for the Preservation of the Irish Language, 1895. Dublin: Gill. With annotations by T.F. O'Rahilly. (Bound with the revised ed. of Part 1.

MS 11/25 Foclóir Gaoidhilge- sachs-Bearla, or, An Irish-English Dictionary

Foclóir Gaoidhilge-sachs-Bearla, or, An Irish-English Dictionary: intended for the use of students and teachers of Irish by Thomas De Vere Coneys. Dublin: Published for the Irish Society by Hodges & Smith, 1849. 382p With annotations by T.F. O'Rahilly.

MS 11/26 [Urlabhraidheacht agus Graimear na Gaedhilge](#)

Urlabhraidheacht agus Graimear na Gaedhilge, Cuid I. Dublin: Comhlucht oideachais na hÉireann, 1927. 195p. With annotations by T.F. O'Rahilly.

MS 11/27 [Filidheacht](#)

Filidheacht Seagháin Uí Neachtain (Cuid a hAon) by Úna Ní Fhaircheallaigh do bhailigh & do chuir i n-eagar. Dublin Chonradh na Gaedhilge, 1911. 35p. With MS. annotations by T.F. O'Rahilly

MS 11/28(i) [Targaireacht Bhriain Ruaidh Uí Chearbháin](#)

Targaireacht Bhriain Ruaidh Uí Chearbháin, agus stair-sheanchar le cois. An chead chuid by Mícheál Ó Tiománaidhe do chruinnigh agus do chuir i n-eagar = Red Brian Carabine's prophecy and other interesting historical matter. Part 1 / collected and edited by Michael Timony. Dublin: Gill & Son, 1906. 71p. With MS. annotations by T.F. O'Rahilly

MS 11/28(ii) [Amhráin Ghaeilge an Iarthair](#)

Amhráin Ghaeilge an Iarthair an chéad chuid by Mícheál Ó Tiománaidhe = Gaelic songs of the West Part 1 collected by Michael Timoney. Dublin: M.H. Gill & Son 1906. 97p. With MS. annotations by T.F. O'Rahilly. (Bound with Targaireacht Bhriain Ruaidh Uí Chearbháin)

MS 11/29 [Irish dialects past and present](#)

Irish Dialects Past and Present with Chapters on Scottish and Manx by Thomas F O'Rahilly Dublin: Browne and Nolan, 1932. 278p. With MS. annotations by T.F. O'Rahilly

MS 11/30 [A text book of Irish Literature](#)

A text book of Irish Literature Part II by Eleanor Hull Dublin: Gill & Son; London: David Nutt, 1908. 254p With MS. annotations by T.F. O'Rahilly

MS 11/31 [A Gaelic Grammar](#)

A Gaelic Grammar, containing the parts of speech and the general principles of phonology and etymology, with a chapter on proper and place names by George Calder Glasgow: A. MacLaren, [introd. 1923] 352p With annotations by T.F. O'Rahilly

MS 11/32 [Dunta](#)

Dunta by Eoghain Ruaidh Mhic an Bhaird. Tomás Ó Raghallaigh do chuir i n-eagar. Galway: Ó Gormáin, 1930. 511, (1), 20 p., (3) leaves of plates, map, facsim, coat of arms, 20 cm
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