

COUNTY COUNCIL OF DUNBARTON

Cardross Park Home,

CARDROSS.

..... *Feb 9<sup>th</sup>* ..... 19 *52* .....

Dear Sir,

I have to inform you that ..... *John v Robert Beltham*  
..... ~~was~~ <sup>*was*</sup> admitted/discharged to/from  
Cardross Park Home on ..... *Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> Feb* ..... 19 *52* .....

Yours faithfully,

*b. Mitchell*  
Matron.

The Children's Officer,  
88 College Street,  
DUMBARTON.

Reason for discharge .....

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Address to which child sent .....

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*Entered in  
Roll Jan*

COUNTY DUNBARTON  
~~BURGH~~

Intimation to be sent to ~~Scottish~~ Home Department when  
a Child is placed in an Institution

To The Secretary,  
Scottish Home Department,  
13, Carlton Terrace,  
EDINBURGH, 7.

Sir,

I hereby inform you that Robert Letham  
was on 9th February, 19 52 placed by this  
Authority in\* Cardross Park Home, Cardross.

I have entered the requisite particulars in the statement  
overleaf.

I am, Sir,  
Your obedient Servant,

(Signature) \_\_\_\_\_  
Children's Officer

Date 16th February, 1952.

\*Insert name of Institution.

(Over)

## STATEMENT OF PARTICULARS

|                                                                                                                               |                                                                                  |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1. Full name of child                                                                                                         | Robert Letham                                                                    |
| 2. (a) Date and place of birth<br>(b) Religion of child                                                                       | (a) 10.10.49. Kirkintilloch<br>(b) Protestant                                    |
| 3. Date of being received into care                                                                                           | 9th February, 1952.                                                              |
| 4. Circumstances in which child came into care. A short account of the family history should be given.                        | Mother admitted to hospital. Father unable to provide proper care and attention. |
| 5. (a) Was child resident in the Institution before coming into care? If so -<br>(b) From what date<br>(c) By whom maintained | (a) -----<br>(b) -----<br>(c) -----                                              |
| 6. Has child been boarded-out before? If so, give particulars                                                                 | -----                                                                            |
| 7. Summary of Medical Officer's report as to child's bodily health and mental condition                                       | Child in good health.                                                            |
| 8. What is known about parents? If a parent is dead, state cause of death, if known                                           | -----                                                                            |
| 9. If child has any brothers or sisters, how have they been dealt with?                                                       | See accompanying form.                                                           |
| 10. Amount paid weekly for maintenance of child in Institution                                                                | 105/-                                                                            |
| 11. (a) Address of Institution<br>(b) Religious Denomination                                                                  | (a) Cardross Park Home,<br>Cardross.<br>(b) Undenominational                     |

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Children's Officer.

**COUNTY COUNCIL OF DUNBARTON**  
**APPLICATION UNDER THE CHILDREN ACT, 1948**

Name Robert Keith Religion Protestant  
Date of Birth 10/10/49 Place and Regn. Dist. of Birth Hirkintulloch  
Birth Entry No. .... If Roman Catholic. Date and Parish of Baptism.....  
\*Orphan/Separated/Deceased \*Legitimate/Illegitimate N.R. No. ....

Reg. No.

512

Roll No.

66

Sect. of Act

1

Area

If removed to an Institution:

Name and Address of Institution

Bandrass Park Home,  
Bandrass.

Date of Admission

9.2.52

Rate of Board

105/-

If Boarded out:

Name of Guardian

Date of Birth

Address

Occupation

Apartments

Name of Husband/Wife

No. of Beds

Date of Birth

Occupation

Relationship to child \*H/W

Other Members of Household (including other B.O.C.):

Religion

| Name | Age | Relationship to Guardian | Occupation, &c. |
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Allowance

Date Boarded out

Pocket Money

School

Church

Doctor

Youth Organisations

Date of Application

7/2/52.

By Whom Made

Mother: Jean Craig of Letham

Address of Child at Application

88 Hirkintulloch Road, Hirkintulloch

Ordinary Residence (if different from above)

Claim Made Against

Date

\* Delete as appropriate

Particulars as to Child:

Father's Name John Letham Age 35yrs Occupation Joiner  
 Address 88 Middlehill Road, Kirkintilloch (X.Y. - . -)

Name and Address of employer.....  
 Check No..... Wage.....

If Father Dead—Date and Cause of Death..... Place of Death.....

Mother's Name Jean Craig or Letham Age 24 Occupation Housewife

Address 88 Middlehill Road, Kirkintilloch

Name and Address of Employer.....

Check No..... Wage.....

If Mother Dead—Date and Cause of Death..... Place of Death.....

OTHER MEMBERS OF FAMILY

| Name               | Relationship to Child | Date of Birth   | Address                   | Employment, etc. |
|--------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|------------------|
| <u>John Letham</u> | <u>Brother</u>        | <u>24/10/30</u> | <u>Anderson Road Home</u> |                  |
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Statement of Case

Mother of children has to be admitted to Annan Castle as soon as possible ~~(from hospital)~~ There is no one available to care for the children — mother-in-law, who is householder, is unfit & there are no other relatives who can help.

School last attended.....

If Committed by Court—Date of Committal Order..... No.....

Disposal of Case 9/2/1952 Anderson Road Home Date 7/2/1952

Submitted to Committee 26/2/52 Children's Officer W. Chackin

Decision Approved

Date

## Record of Visits and History of Case

|          |                                                                                                                 |
|----------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 9.2.52   | Child admitted to Leamington Park Home.                                                                         |
| 16.2.52  | Form 77A sent to S.H.D.                                                                                         |
| 20.2.52  | Agreement to pay £1.0.0 per week sent to father.                                                                |
|          | minute 10 FEB 1952                                                                                              |
| 23.2.52  | Agreement returned.                                                                                             |
| 11.3.52  | Letter from father stating that he will call at Leamington Park for the children on Saturday to take them home. |
| 13.3.52  | Letter to father informing him that it will be in order for the children to be taken home on Saturday.          |
| do       | Walsby notified.                                                                                                |
| 24.3.52  | Child discharged from Leamington Park.                                                                          |
| 1.4.52   | Yours Y9 to S.H.D.                                                                                              |
| do.      | Intimation to County Clerk re cessation of contributions.                                                       |
|          | minute 28 APR 1952                                                                                              |
| 24.9.56  | Admitted to King's Lock Park Home.                                                                              |
| 23.11.56 | Discharged from " "                                                                                             |
| 1/5/57   | Miss W.C. Pined 4/9/56 to 22/11/56 11.25-12.2 days<br>£2 per week £22.11.5                                      |

COUNTY  
~~OF~~

DUNBARTON

Intimation to be sent to the Scottish  
Home Department when a child ceases to  
be in the care of the local authority.

To

The Secretary,  
Scottish Home Department,  
13, Carlton Terrace,  
Edinburgh, 7.

Name of child **Robert and John Letham**

A child boarded-out by this Authority, and who  
resided ~~at~~ **Cardross Park Home,**  
in

in the ~~burgh~~ of **Cardross** County of  
Parish

**Dunbarton** ceased to be in the care of this  
Authority on: **29th March,** 19 **52.**

Particulars have been entered in the statement  
overleaf.

Signature

Children's Officer.

Date

**17.3.52.**

If in the area of a large Burgh, state name of Burgh.  
If in a County area, state name of civil Parish.

DE 2548 DL

/Circumstances

Circumstances under which the child ceased to be in care.

In the case of a child who has died, a report by the Medical Officer as to the cause of death should be forwarded.

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The mother of these children has now been discharged from hospital and, accordingly, they were returned to her care.

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Signature

Children's Officer

DE 2548/A DL

COUNTY COUNCIL OF DUNBARTON

Cardross Park Home,

CARDROSS.

..... 29<sup>th</sup> March ..... 1902..

Dear Sir,

I have to inform you that *Robert & John Letham*  
*88 Freiklehill Rd., Kirkintilloch* <sup>WERE</sup> admitted/discharged to/from  
Cardross Park Home on ..... 29<sup>th</sup> March ..... 1902.....

Yours faithfully,

*b. Mitchell*

Matron.

The Children's Officer,  
88 College Street,  
DUNBARTON.

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Reason for discharge .. *Taken home by parents*

Address to which child sent .....

JM.

R.511/4

13th March, 1952.

Dear Sir,

Robert and John Letham

I have received your letter of 11th instant stating that your wife is now out of hospital and I have to say that it will be in order for you to call for the children on Saturday at approximately 4 p.m.

Yours faithfully,

Children's Officer.

Mr. J. Letham,  
88 Meiklehill Road,  
KIRKINTILLOCH.