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53 boxes, photographs

#### INTRODUCTION

T.C. Robertson was horn in 1907 in Middelburg. Transvaal, where he grew up and matriculated at the Middelburg High School in 1923. He then completed two years of a law degree at the University of the Witwatersrand before entering the profession of journalism. In 1926 he was the Johannesburg correspondent of "Ons Vaderland and the following year became editor of the "Livingstone Mail" in Northern Rhodesia and a correspondent of the "London Times". He then travelled to the Far East, working, in Ceylon and Australia. On his return in 1931 he was parliamentary correspondent of the "Cape Times" and in 1934 on the editorial staff of the "Rand Daily Mail" and "Sunday Times". He covered the 6th Imperial Press Conference in 1935 and was the author of a book on it. In 1937 he edited "Forward", a labour party newspaper.

In 1938 Robertson stood unsuccessfully as labour candidate for Fordsburg and in 1939 became parliamentary correspondent for "Rand Daily Mail" and "Sunday Times" visiting East Africa as a war correspondent. During, the war years he was director of the Union Unity Truth Service, a propaganda machine for General Smuts, supporting the war effort and editor of its journal "Libertas". He was given occasional assignments in North Africa and reported the whole of the Madagascar Campaign. There is a small amount of material in this collection on the Union Unity Truth Service but the bulk of it is in a separate collection, A883.

In 1945 he returned to his original love, nature, and sat at the feet of Dr. Hugh Bennett, the father of soil conservation, who arranged a two year course for him in the USA. On his return General Smuts persuaded him to stand as a United Party candidate for Witbank but was unsucessful. In 1948 he became Director of the National Veld Trust and remained in this position until his retirement in 1966. He served on several committees connected with conservation and was the author of books and articles: Grond is Lewe (soil is life), 1968; Water, 1970; Big Game, 1970; South African Mosaic, 1978. This last was his major work, incorporating some extremely good illustrations. He was a speaker at many conferences and spearheaded the publicity campaign to make people aware of the environment and dangers facing it. He was truly the pioneer of South African Conservation, having a great influence on conservationists like Ian Player and James Clarke.

He received several honours, a doctorate from the University of the Witwaters and in 1979; the Decoration for Meritorious Service in 1983, was nominated for the Tyler Award and given the gold medal by the National Veldtrust in 1978.

T.C. Robertson spent his retirement years in Scottburgh, actively pursuing his conservation aims despite increasingly poor health due to diabetes. He was a man of great humanity and lover of life. He died on 11 January 1989 in Durban.

His papers amount to 52 boxes relating to his careers as journalist, propagandist and conservationist. Among his correspondents was Laurens van der Post, a boyhood friend. There are personal papers including correspondence, notebooks, diaries and records relating to organisations with which he was associated. There is interesting information on the Broederbond and a fine collection of negatives for "Libertas", the journal he edited during the war.

# CLASSIFICATION

C1

Broederbond

Α	PERSONAL
Aa	Personal and family documents
Ab	Testimonials and awards
Ac	Diaries and notebooks
Ad	Financial and business
Ae	Correspondence
Ae1	Family
Ae2	Friends
Ae3	Conservation
Ae4	Journalism
Ae5	Broadcasting and films
Ae6	Politics
Ae7	Research
Ae8	Freemasons
Af	Publications
Ag	Press clippings
Ah	Photographs (Separately stored in room 27, Slides stored with Papers)
В	ORGANISATIONS WITH WHICH TCR ASSOCIATED
B1	Action Trust
2	African Institute
3	Alexandra Antiquities Trust
4	Council for the Habitat
5	Game Conservation International
6	Game Rangers Association of Africa
7	International Wilderness Leadership Foundation
8	Natal Cripples Care Association
9	Hunters and Game Conservation Association
10	National Veld Trust
11	Pretoria Onderwyskollege
12	SAGA
13	South Africa Foundation
14	South African Institute of International Affairs
15	South African Nature Union
16	South Africa Society For Agricultural Extension
17	SARCCUS
18	Suid-Afrikaanse Akademie vir Wetenskap en Kuns
19	Umgeni River Catchment Association
20	Union Unity Truth Service
21	Vaal River Catchment Association.
22	Wilderness Leadership School
23	Wildlife Society of Southern Africa
24	World Wilderness Congress
С	Miscellaneous

2	Elephants
3	Geography
4	Heidelberg
5	Indians in S. Africa
6	Orange River
7	South Africa
8	Transkei
9	Trees
10	Vaal River murder
11	Water
12	Zululand

### **COLLECTION**

## A PERSONAL

Aa Personal and family documents
Aa1 Persona I5 Items 1923-1924

Includes school certificate, shorthand certificate, Ned Herv, of Geref. Kerk certificate, arms and ammunition permit, passports, war correspondent insignia; curriculum vitae; last will and testament; first flight certificate for travelling on Comet, 1950.

Aa2 Family 1 file 1944-1967

Legal documents re his parents estate. Includes copy of his mother's death certificate and father's last testament. Also press clippings on the Du Toit family; notice of farewell function to Sister Robertson, 1967, and account of Rev William Robertson. D.D. (1805-1879).

Ab Testimonials and awards

Abl Testimonial from the proprietor of the "Livingstone Mail", 1930.

Ab2 Nomination for the Tyler Award in USA 1 file 1974-1975.

Press clippings, tributes of the National Veld Trust, correspondence and supporting papers for the nomination.

Ab3 Ph.D.from the University of the Witwatersrand 1 file 1970

Letters of congratulations, copy of the "Wits Reporter" Special graduation number and photographs and proposal.

Ab4 Award of the decoration for Meritorious Service 1 file 1983

Government Gazette notice, press clippings and letters of congratulations including Anton Rupert, Magnus Malan, Alan Paton.

Ac Diaries and notebooks

Ac1 Diaries 10 vol, 1954, 1958,1966-1967, 1974, 1977, 1979, 1983,1988.

Notebooks 66 vols. Ac2 Ac2.1 Angola 1 vol. 2.2 Astronomy 1 vol. 2.3-7 Birds 5 vols. 2.8 Bosman, H.C. 1 vol. 2.9 Botany 1 vol. 2.10-13 Conservation 1 vol. 2.14 Earthworms 1 vol.

General 1 vol.

2.15

2.16- 25	Heidelberg 10 vols.
2.26- 26	History: chronology 2 vols.
2.28	History: notes 1 vol.
2.29	Kruger Park 1 vol.
2.3	Land 1 vol.
2.31	Marais E. 1 vol.
2.32	Northern Rhodesia 1 vol.
2.33	Oppermansdrif Dam 1vol.
2.34	People's Book from Libertas 1 vol.
2.35	People's Book from Veldtrust 1 vol.
2.36-37	Politics 2 vols.
2.38	Recreation areas: Natal South Coast 1 vol.
2.39-41	SARCCUS 3 vols.
2.42	Scientific American
2.43	Scotburgh 1 vol
2.44-45	Soil 2 vol
2.46	Stock 1 vol
2.47	SANU 1 vol. (Includes VAALCO & Veldtrust)
2.48	Trees 1 vol
2.49	Tugela 1 vol
2.5	Union Unity Truth Movement 1 vol
2.51-52	USA 2 vols
2.53-56	Vaal 4 vols.
2.57 -58	Vaalco 2 vols
2.59-60	Veldtrust 2 vols
2.61	Veld Road and Zulu Peasant Power 1 vol.
2.62-64	Water 3 vols
2.65	Wilderness School 1 vol.
2.66	Zululand 1 vol.
2.00	
Ad	Financial and Business.
Ad1	Accounts: General 1 file 1956-1988
	Notebook re investments 1956-67, loan to Wendy Christopher 1984 income tax returns 1985,
	1987-88
Ad2	Farm Welderdiend 1 file 1959-1981
	Correspondence and accounts.
Ad3	Macassar Beach Property 1 file 1960-1976
	Correspondence and accounts:
Ael	Family
Ae1.1	Letters from his mother 9 items 1930. In Afrikaans
Ae1.2	Letters from his mother to his brother Gerrie 11 items, in Afrikaans.
Ae1.3	Letters from brother Gerrie 4 items 1931. In Afrikaans.
Ae1.4	Letters to his wife, Sylvia 25 items 1934-1935 written before their marriage, addressed to Miss
	Sylvia Rabie. Includes a few written by Sylvia to him; there are interesting comments on
	personalities and events.
Ae1.5	Letters of condolence on her death 55 items 1942
<del>-</del>	Includes statement by T.C. Robertson and farewell letter from his wife.
Ae1.6	Letters to Mary Jane Mercer, who became his wife 27 items 1943.
Ae1.7	Correspondence re divorce from his wife, Mary Jane 3 items 1952
Ae1.8	Letters of sympathy on death of his wife Gwen 3 items 1982.
	Included are letters from Chief Buthelezi and Enos Mabuza.
	mental and recording the control of

Ae2 Friends

Ae2.1 Friends: general 5 files 1930-1988

Ae2.2 Friends: individual (Arranged alphabetically)

Alcock, Neil and Creina (nee Bond) 4 files 1971-1990. Includes quarterly report sent by the Alcocks from Mdukutshani, Weenen and Tugela Ferry, 1975-1988: confidential report on the conflict on Black-White boundary between Kwazulu and the Weenen district by N. Alcock, Managing Director, Church Agricultural Projects, Mar 1980; Thoughts on KwaZulu's agricultural future by N.L. Alcock, press clippings re Alcocks: Women in the public eye - first lady of Natal, Mrs Martha Gerdener by C. Bond. (Published in Homestead, Supplement to Farmers Weekly. Oct 31, 1962); tribute to C. Bond in African Wildlife, Sep/Oct 1979: "Bringing back the body: an examination into the ideology of vengeance in the Msinga and Mpofana rural locations". 1979 Jonathan Clegg.

Bromfield, Louis 1 item Undated.

Clarke, James; 1 file 1972-1975,.1984.

Cleaves, Robert N 1 file 1975-1976

Hancoch, E.C. 1 file 1967

Hoernle, B.F.A. 1 file 1931, 1939

Hofmeyr, J.H. 21 items 1939

Koornhof, Johan and intgrid 1 file 1980-1988

Koornhof, Piet and Lulu 1 file 1968-1988.

Larrabee, Constance Stuart 1 item 1988.

Livingstone. Goodhue I rile 1951-1978

Mabuza, Enos 2 items; 1981-1982

Marais. Anna-mi 1 file 1986-1987

Michie, Colin 1 file 1983-1988

Motsenvane, Sam 1 file 1982-1983

Palmer, Eve 1 file 1968-1985

Piroeff, Soski 1 file 1972-1983

Player, Ian 1 file 1965-1988

Sutherland, John 1 file 1968 1987

Van der Post, Sir Laurens 1 file 1931-1987

Worrall, Denis 1 item 1988.

Ae3 Conservation

Ae3.1 Conservation: general 3 files 1947, 1956,1988

Subjects

1947 Niele Imigration project.

1958 Bushmen in South west Africa.

1467 Reply to Molly Reinhardt article "Survival course for the concrete .jungle"

1969-71 Application by TCR for the Bleksley Medal.

1970-71 Future of the Scottburgh Golf Course and protection of flora.

1972 Invitation to become member of Advisory Council of ecological Board of Southern Africa.

1973 "Green Heritage" competition.

1973 Environmental code of the Progressive Party.

1973 Appointment of TCR as Honorary Forest Officer.

1974 Hydroelectric scheme on Tshnilempisi Nature Reserve.

1974 Tour of Natal South Coast by Town and Regional Planning Commission.

1975 National hiking way system.

1980 Evaluation of tourist potential of Natal and Kwazulu.

1981 Rainfall and effects of pollution on it

1983 Speculative builders spoiling coast line

#### Ae3.2 Individuals

Buthelezi; Chief Gatsha 1 file, 1974-1981. (Includes item on Chief Buthelezi and Zululand and conservation of natural resources).

Cowles, Raymond B 5 files, 1965—1977

Midgley, D.C. 1 file 1972—1977

Penzhorn, Dick 1 file, 1968-1983

Potgietor, E.J. 1 file. 1972-1987

Te Water, C.T. 1 file. 1955-1962.

Van Rensburg, C.J.J. 1 file 1946-47

Venter, Era 1 file, 1977 1983

Whyte, Sandy 1986

# Ae3.3 Conservation: Special Topics

## Ae3.3.1 Botswana 1 file. 1962-69

Correspondence with Director of Agriculture, annual reports of the Department Magazine of Botswana Agricultural College and Veldtrust issue.

Ae3.3.2 Games 1 file, 1976-1977

Correspondence with Natal Park's Board and articles on game.

Ae3.3.3 Mapelane 1 file, 1968-1976

Correspondence with Ministry of Planning and of Statistics and Mines. Wildlife Society of SA, Dr. P.G.J. Koornhof. Senator J.L. Horak; reports; Veldtrust article, memorandum presented to Government Commission; 1972 press clippings and photographs; minutes of Executive Committee of Zululand Regional Association.

The subject was the danger to Mapelane dunes by the proximity of mining operations.

Ae3.3.4 Rainmaking 2 filess. 1971-1977

Correspondence with Gerard du Leeuw, academics need the world. Ministry of water Affairs; minutes of discussion with J. Clarke and T.C.R., article in Veldtrust; reports in the press, reports on reported rainmaking, photographs.

Ae3.3.5 Suikerbosrand 1 file, 1963-1974

Correspondence with Councillor J.F. Oberholzer and Nature Conservation Division of Transvaal Provincial Administeration brochures.

Ae3.3.6 Zululand 1 file, 1967 -1978

Correspondence with Dr. C.T. Nilsen; preliminary report on soil erosion and overstocking in the farming and Bantu areas of Southern Zululand.

Ae4 Journalism

Ae4.1 Rand Daily Mail 1 file. 1929-1945

With editor Lewis Rose Macleod and managers. Also I letter from Alfred Trollip. 5 Jan 1943.

Ae4.2 Other newspapers: Cape Times, Livingstone Mail, Natal Witness, Star 1 file. 1930-1932.

Correspondents. P.K. Long, George Aschman, F.R. Paver. Sydney Barnett Potter, L. P. Moore

Ae4.3 Springbok Record 1 file, 1945-1947

Correspondents: Lt.Col. A.R. Kinkead - Weekes (S.A Legion), H. Klein, J. Sutherland.

Ae4.4 Price Process 1 file. 1947-48.

Correspondence with Raymond Price, the new printing process.

Ae4. 5 Perry-Higgins Printing Press and visit to Ford Co. 1 file. 1947 -1948.

Correspondence with Robert S. Strother.

Ae4.6 Saturday Post 1 file 1947-1948

Correspondence with John Sutherland.

Ae4.7 Libertas 1 file, 1947 -1948

Correspondence re the future of Libertas.

Ae4.8 Post of press attache 1 file. 1949

Application by Robertson with examples of his journalism.

Ae4.9 Commission of Inquiry into the Mass Media 1 file. 1980-81.

Memorandum from TCR to Commission and press clippings.

# Ae5 Broadcasting and films

Ae5.1 S.A.B.C. 6 files, 1941-1979

Copies of radio talks in English and Afrikaans 1941.

Correspondence with programme organisers and copies of the script "Water at Work", 1970. a T.V. documentary on Smuts 1975. Includes script for "Veldtrust", "Our good earth", "Spore van Jer Wiel" 1979, "The Plough", "Herds and Flocks" 1979. Includes Dewar McCormack.

## Ae5.2 Tape recordings 4 reels

Ian Player and Robertson 1970, Talk with Dewar McCormack: Laurence Morgan on Bantu economy, Robertson on various aspects of Natal. Jim Feely, Ian Player; Press conference. Robertson and Peter Kenyatta.

#### Ae6 Politics

Ae6.1 General 1 file, 1927-1933

Cheque signed by Oswald Pirow for £3.30 in favour of P.G.V. van der Byl, Hon Sec, SAUAB 1927; notes on coalition, 1933.

Ae6.2 Election campaign. 1938, 1 file

Correspondence with Returning Officer Fordsburg, where Robertson was a candidate; leaflets and press clippings. He stood for the Labour Party.

Ae6.3 Election campaign. 1948 1 file.

Correspondence with Arthur Barlow, J.H. Hofmeyr and officials of the United Party, propaganda leaflets issued by the National Party and Springbok Legion, election photographs and an original Bob

Connolly Cartoon. Robertson stood as a United Party candidate for Witbank.

Ae6.4 Election Campaign 1952-53 1 file,

Correspondence with J. Sutherland: copy of a letter from H. Oppenheimer: vote of no confidence by Mr Strauss, "The choice before the people at the 1953 General Election"; Ts on propaganda.

Ae6.5 Black spot removals 1 file 1981

Correspondence re Fairview Mission and copies of fact sheets issued by Association for Rural Advancement.

Ae6.6 Notes on the doctrine of a white South Africa and the return to Parliament of Mr Fourie as a nominated senator, 2 items undated.

Ae6.7 SACP Directive: discussion document, 1986, 17p. Ts.

## Ae7 Research 1 file 1982-1985

Correspondence with Murray Schoonraad re "Forward" cartoon 1982. with the Director of the Institute for Contemporary History, University of OFS re biography of J.B.M. Hertzog 1982, with Professor H. Carson re Robertson's papers 1985, with A. Williams re G.F. Stone, 1969.

## Ae8 Freemasons 1 file 1947

Application by TCR and article on freemasons.

Af Publications and speeches by T.C. Robertson
Af 1 Pamphlets
Af1.1 Die riviere van Suid Afrika. SAUK 1961 (24p)
Af1.2 Die mens en ons bodem. SAUK n.d. (37p)

Af2 Books
Af2.1 Grond is Lewe (soil is life), Cape Town. 1968 (56p).
Includes copies in English and Afrikaans: of the printed work, draft English Ts, Afrikaans Ts, illustrations, correspondence with Caltex Oil (SA) Ltd.
Sponsored by Caltex.

Af2.2 Water, Cape Town, 1970 (pp171-232).

Copy of the printed item, sponsored by Caltex; correspondence with Caltex 1969-1970.

Af2.3 The story of water; strip in 40 parts. In English and Afrikaans, 1970, Correspondence with coauthor F.J. Potgieter 1969-1970: incomplete set of parts from newspaper.

Af2.4 Big game, Cape Town 1970 and "Our Game". 1971 (pp235-296)
Copy of the printed item; also Ms and correspondence of Our Game with Caltex and Ian Player, 1971.

Af2.5 South African Mosaic, Cape Town, Struik 1978.

Correspondence with Caltex, Human and Rousseau and Struik re publication of the book originally called "Human Mosaic" 1969-1978: letter's of congratulation 1978" including one from Leif Egeland; Ms notebook, 2 chapters not included in book, copy of final edited text: transparencies; photographs, correspondence re reprint with Walter B. Wilson. 1986, and corrected text.

Af3 Unpublished manuscripts

Af3.1 Smuts 277pp. Ts with corrections.

Af3.2 Re Boer War and its aftermath up to the Peace of Versailles, 27p. Ts, (2 versions).

Af3.3 African Quest. a trek into the dawn. 2 Ms notebooks. 1987.

Af3.4 His own medicine, 27p Ts undated.

Af3.5 The Krugers become Republicans, 17p Ts, undated.

### Af4 Articles

Af4.1 Dated

Notes on some of the more important recent developments in the High Commission territories. May 1944, 13p, Ts.

Conservation in Natal: the need for a master regional plan. 1954 3p Ptd.

Man and the landscape, 1966, 5p. Ts. for "The Lantern".

Natal: the water rich province, 1969, 14p T. (correspondence with Frans Venter).

The role of water in Natal's future, 1969, 6p Ts.

Ecology and political ideas 4p ptd. In "Inyala News", No. 32. 1976.

South Africa's biggest dam - the topsoil. 1970. 6p Ts.

South Africa's most valuable recreational resource, the Natal South Coast - where beauty beckons, the tourist dollar, 1971. 4p Ts.

The vision of a verdant South Africa, 1972, 5p Ts.

The great game herds: threads in the web of soil fertility, 1977, 5p Ts.

"Ek kyk ekologies tien jaar vorentoe deur 'n natuurbril" April 1981, 9p Ptd.

A niche for the millions. 1986, 6p Ts.

A triad of landscapes, 1987 5p Ts.

Af4.2 Die ekologiese gevolge van bevolkingstoename, 4p Ptd.

Our vanishing landscape 5p Ts.

The water resources of South Africa 5p Ts.

Soil erosion 5p is For Fighting Talk.

Vanishing spoors; 5p Ts.

Zululand 2p Ts.

The great green highway 5p Ts.

Natal South Coast rivers 5p Ts.

Commentary: South Africa: The King's Republicans. 5p Ts.

Pioneers all: the Langhan Hotel.

Church 9p Ts.

The last empire builders 3p Ms.

Dorothea Malan beknopte lewensskets. 2p Ts.

Tho "donkey post" 1p Ts.

T C's summing up of events in Africa, 1p Ts.

Smuts 1p Ts.

Af4.3 Romance of Lady Juana Smith, the beautiful Spanish girl who gave her name to the Natal town: South Africa's greatest love story, by Sylvia Robertson 10p Ts (with press clippings and notes).

Af5 Reminiscences (incomplete) 27p Ts.

Af6 Poetry, 1969-1971 16p Ts:.

Af7 Correspondence re articles. 1 file 1950-1986

Af8 Speeches

Af8.1 Lunch-hour address to the Transvaal Press Club on "Our potential wealth of natural resources" Johannesburg. 26 April 1950.

Scientists busy drafting "Plan 20-20"- working blueprint to balance huge food and water budgets. Address to annual meeting of Zululand zone of Wildlife Protection and Conservation Society, 15 February 1968

The civil engineer and the conservationist: address to the S.A. Institution of Civil Engineers. 20 August 1971

Some Zululand game reserves and related masters. Address to the Scottburgh Garden Club. 20 November 1975.

The role of Chief Buthelezi in the formulation of a basic conservation strategy for Zululand. 1981

A place for wildlife: new land capability map and future food needs will determine the pattern. undated.

Address to schoolgirls, undated.

The Republic of South Africa: toast. undated.

Af8.2 Correspondence re speeches 1 file 1970-1070.

Af9 Periodicals

Af9.1 In "Die Brandwag". 15 items 1948-1950.

Ag Press clippings

Ag1 Scrapbooks 3 vols.

Ag1.1 1909-1917 re farming. Boers. Some items from the "Heidelberg News".

Ag1.2 1934-35. Re Sekonela's rebellion, diamonds, murder of B.R. Hattingh, Zulus. Includes articles by T.C. Robertson such as "Kruger's Coachman and the millions".

Ag2 Articles by T.C. Robertson.

Ag2.1 Articles on Vegkop, written from Heidelberg 1927, and in "The Southern Transvaaler". 1934.

Ag2.2 Articles by T.C.R. From "R.D.M." 8 files 1938-1942. re war.

Ag2.3 Articles by TCR from "Sunday Times" and "R.D.M." 1 file 1954-59. Re General Botha. political scene in 1906, animal conservation, animal treks, Highveld, D.F. Malan. Ag3 References to TCR in the press 3 files 1940.1987. Ag4 Press: personal 1 file 1956-1979. Ag5 Paul Kruger 1 file 1925-1934. Ah Photographs (Ah1-Ah3.All stored with photo collections in room 27) See inventory of photographs for detail list. Ah1 Albums 3 vols. Ah1.1 Views of school teams, fanning, social activities, undated. Johannesburg boxing team in Rhodesia, Lourenco Marques 1930 Ah1.2 Ah1.3 Veld scenes. undated. Ah1.4 Canada and USA. Missing? Ah2 Framed 5 items (Taken out of the frames) Ah2.1-2 T.C.R as a child. (Stored with original collection) Ah2.3 T.C.R's first wife, Sylvia. (Stored with original collection) Ah2.4 T.C.R. in battle dress, with group, taken during the war of 1939-1945. (Stored in filing Cabinet with photo collection) Ah2.5 T.C.R. with General Smuts Ah3 Loose (Most of the photographs Ah3.1-3.4 have been left with the original collection: of interest to the family. A few are with the Photo Collection, see inventory) Ah3.1 Family. Parents. Brother, graves, house Ah3.2 Wives Ah3.3 T.C.R. As a young man Ah3.4 T.C.R in his later years. Sometimes on his own, sometimes with friends. Ah3.5 Groups including T.C.R Taken at Veldtrust and publication of TCR's books: one with Lister at Transvaal Press Club, one with A. Paton and Ian Player and one with A. Paton. Ah3.6 Libertas photographs with T.C.R. in them. Includes some taken with J.C. Smuts and some not submitted to censor. Ah3.7 Libertas photographs: .J.C. Smuts during the war 1939-1945. Portraits of Smuts, early photos of Smuts, North Africa Libertas photographs: artistic (Maud Summer, Irma Stern, Lipschitz) Ah3.8 Ah3.9 Libertas: general Scenes of life in S. Africa, Zulus, North Africa during the war 1938-1945 (with Ah3.7). North Africa during the War; San; Knysna woodcutters. Ah3.10 Miscellanous Crowd beside early aeroplane (with negative), Robert Broome, C.J. Rhodes, copies of photographs by Elliott and Fry and others of Boer generals and leaders, British leaders, reform committee. Ah3.11 **Negatives** 

Re James Clark's visits, Veldtrust, bushmen drawings.

Also Robert Broom, minin, Johannesburg in 1940s, squatter camps, hospital conditions, etc. (See Inventory of Photographs)

Ah4 Slides 1 box. (Stored with collection of papers)

Ah4.1 Identified 1960's.

Angola, Bushveld, Cape, E. Province, Karoo, Kruger Park, Highveld, Namaqualand, OFS, Drakensberg, Sani Pass, South Coast, Northern Transvaal Vaalco tour, St. Lucia, SARCCUS tour of Botswana, Van der Riet's Limpopo slides, rivers. (Stored with original collection)

### B ORGANISATIONS WITH WHICH ROBERTSON WAS ASSOCIATED

B1 Action Trust 1 file 1972-1973

Correspondence with T.J.A. Gerdener. speech by Gerdener at an informal discussion on the need to accelerate cooperation between South Africa and the rest of Southern Africa, printed item ASASA: Action South and Southern Africa.

B2 Africa Institute 1 file 1985

Address to annual conference by C.C. Ooosthnizen on "Africa's social and cultural heritage in a new era".

B3 Alexandra Antiquities Trust 1 file. undated.

Constitution and statements.

B4 Council for the Habitat 1 file 1975

Papers relating to the Caostal Areas Conference. 3-4 April 1975. Durban, including agenda, resolutions and report.

B5 Game Conservation International 1 file 1970-1971

Correspondence, notes, programme, paper by TCR "Ecological problems of Africa South of the Sahara as a hunter sees them", delivered to the 3rd International Big Game Hunters and Fishermans Conference.

B6 Game Rangers Association of Africa 1 file 1975

Minutes, reports, address by TCR "Africa's quiet revolution: the invasion of wildlife habitat by agriculture", press clippings: "Wildboerdery vir die winsjagter" by Paul Kruger 174p.

B7 International Wilderness Leadership Foundation 1 file 1975-1986

Policy statements, address and letters.

B8 Natal Cripples Care Association 1 file 1988

Constitution and correspondence

B9 Natal Hunters and Game Conservation Association 1 file 1972-1977

Papers relating to the Congress of 1976 including TCR's paper "The great game herds: threads in the web of soil fertility" and correspondence.

B10 National Veld Trust

B10.1 Memorandum of Association 1 item Feb 1949

B10.2 Chairman's Annual Reports 4 items 1965, 1967-68, 1974, 1982.

B10.3 Minutes, reports etc. 6 tapes and 6 files 1966-1982

Tapes of AGM 1966, minutes and reports 1968-1982. Includes resolutions and addresses.

B10.4 Memoranda .1 files

On soil erosion, conservation of natural resources, coordination of effort, 20th anniversary review in 1963, radio talks for soil festival, MS, articles by TCR for Veldtrust, discussion between Roelf Botha and TCR.

B10.5	Correspondence 3 files and 5 letter tapes 1943, 1952-1978. Includes text of broadcast on soil erosion by Louis Esselen, 1943, article and photographs on Elim 1977, award for conservation to TCR 1978.
B11	Pretoria Onderwyskollege 1 file 1974
	Correspondence with the rector re the unveiling of a bust in honour of his mother. His
B12	grandfather Natie du 'l'oit was regarded as the founder of the college. SAGA 1 item undated.
	Very rough design for SAGA by Marliese Steyn.
B13	South Africa Foundation
B13.1	Minutes, reports and newsletters 1 file 1968-1973.
B13.2	Correspondence 1 file 1971-1979
B13.3	South Africa International v8 No 1 July 1977
	Contains article by TCR "Owners of the blue triangle"
B14	South African Institute of International Affairs 1 file 1970
	Correspondence and papers for the Conference on "The impact on international relations of
	the population explosion".
B15	South African Nature Union
B15.1	Constitution 1 file undated
B15.2	Report: papers read and discussions at a special meeting held in Pretoria in July 1961.
B15.3	National Conference on Public Recreation 2 files 1968
	Correspondence, programme, papers and report,
B15.4	Papers 1 file 1973
	Correspondence, minutes, reports and addresses for the coordination conference.
B16	South African Society for Agricultural Extension 1 file 1980
	Papers.
B17	Southern African Regional Commission for the Conservation and Utilization of the Soil (SARCCUS) 1 file 1966-1868
	Report of 10th ordinary meeting, paper by TCR "Teaching urban minds nature's ways" to
	Regional Symposium on Conservation and Education 1967, minutes of Working Party 1967 and correspondence 1968.
B18	Suid Afrikaanse Akademie vir Wetenskap en Kuns 1 file 1969-1970
D10	Correspondence and paper by TCR "Die ekologiese Gevolge van bevolkingstoename".
B19	Umgeni River Catchment Association 1 file 1966-1973
D13	Constitution, Correspondence, minutes and reports.
B20	Union Unity Truth Service
B20.1	Constitution 1 item undated
B20.2	Minutes of Propaganda Advisory Committee 2 vols. 1940-1942.
B20.2	Press reports 127-382 + Index 3 vols 1939-1944.
B20.4	Correspondence 2 files 1939-1949, 1975
B20.4	Correspondents include Louis Esselen, D.E. McCausland and B.W. Thwaites (Director of
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