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Ravel Society of Darvel. Xerox copy of the membership, minute, and account book of the Ravel Society of weavers of Darvel, Ayrshire, 1865-72. The alphabetical list of members of the Society (including many women), gives details of the number of looms possessed by each weaver; each weaver was assessed $\frac{1}{2}$ per year on each loom for the purpose of new ravels, and the repair of old ones. In 1872 the Society merged with the similar local Beaming Machine Society.

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