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**Title:** Sir Henry Dobbs Collection

**Name of creator:** Unknown (the friends of Sir Henry Dobbs)

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**Biographical history:** Dobbs, Sir Henry Robert Conway (1871-1934)

Born 26 August 1871, son of Robert Dobbs. Educated Winchester College, Brasenose College, Oxford. Entered ICS, 1892; various positions mostly in NW Frontier Province; Political Officer with Mesopotamian Force supervising Civil Administration of Territories in British Occupation, Jan. 1915-Aug. 1916; Revenue & Judicial Commissioner, Baluchistan, April 1917; Agent to Governor-General and Chief Commissioner, Baluchistan, Dec. 1917; Foreign Sec. to Govt. Of India, 1919; Chief Representative Indo-Afghan Conference, Musoorie, 1920; Head of British Mission to Kabul, Dec. 1920-Nov. 1921; High Commissioner and Consul-General for Iraq, 1923-29; retired 1929. Married, 1907, Esmé Rivaz; 2 sons & 2 daughters. Died 30 May 1934.

**Scope and content:** TS text of a memorial to Sir Henry Dobbs by his friends, dedicating a window in the English church in Baghdad.

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