

Shirley Jackson Papers

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Collection Summary

Title: Shirley Jackson Papers

Span Dates: 1932-1991

Bulk Dates: (bulk 1932-1965)

ID No.: MSS52522

Creator: Jackson, Shirley, 1916-1965

Extent: 7,500 items; 52 containers; 20.6 linear feet

Language: Collection material in English

Repository: Manuscript Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

Abstract: Author. Correspondence, diaries, journals, and other papers pertaining primarily to Jackson's writings. Includes manuscripts, notes, and outlines relating chiefly to the development of Jackson's short stories as well as to her supernatural tales and to her stories of contemporary domestic life.

Selected Search Terms

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the Library's online catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically therein.

People

Bernstein, Walter--Correspondence.

Brockway, Jean--Correspondence.

Burke, Elizabeth Batterham--Correspondence.

Ciardi, John, 1916-1986--Correspondence.

Covici, Pascal, 1930- --Correspondence.

Hyman family.

Hyman, Stanley Edgar, 1919-1970--Correspondence.

Jackson family.

Jackson, Geraldine B.--Correspondence.

Jackson, Leslie H.--Correspondence.

Jackson, Shirley, 1916-1965.

Livaudais, Carol Black--Correspondence.

Mintz, June Mirken--Correspondence.

Orenstein, Frank--Correspondence.

Scher, Louis L.--Correspondence.

Shaw, Mary--Correspondence.

Strauss, Robert M.--Correspondence.

Untermeyer, Louis, 1885-1977--Correspondence.

Williams, Jay, 1914-1978--Correspondence.

Organizations

Brandt & Brandt--Correspondence.

Farrar, Straus and Young--Correspondence.

Music Corporation of America--Correspondence.

Subjects

American fiction.

Fiction.

Horror tales, American.

Humorous stories, American.

Short stories, American.

Supernatural in literature.

Occupations
Authors.

Administrative Information

Provenance

The papers of Shirley Jackson, novelist and short-story writer, were given to the Library of Congress in 1967 by Jackson's husband, Stanley Edgar Hyman. Subsequent gifts include an addition formed from material removed from the Stanley Edgar Hyman Papers, which were donated by Hyman's second wife, Phoebe Pettingell, in 1979, and a small gift of several items in 1991. Additional material was given by Virginia M. Olsen in 1991 and Jackson's daughter, Sarah Hyman Stewart, in 1997.

Processing History

Part I of the papers of Shirley Jackson was arranged in described in 1969. Additional material was incorporated into the collection in 1993 and described here as Part II. The collection was expanded and revised in 2011.

Transfers

An audiotape has been transferred to the Library's Motion Picture, Broadcasting and Recorded Sound Division where it is identified as part of these papers. Selected artifacts have also been transferred to the Smithsonian Institution.

Copyright Status

The status of copyright in the unpublished writings of Shirley Jackson is governed by the Copyright Law of the United States (Title 17, U.S.C.).

Access and Restrictions

The papers of Shirley Jackson are open to research. Researchers are advised to contact the Manuscript Reading Room prior to visiting. Many collections are stored off-site and advance notice is needed to retrieve these items for research use.

Preferred Citation

Researchers wishing to cite this collection should include the following information: Container number, Shirley Jackson Papers, Manuscript Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

Biographical Note

<i>Date</i>	<i>Event</i>
1916, Dec. 14	Born, San Francisco, Calif.
1934-1936	Attended University of Rochester, Rochester, N.Y.
1940	A.B., Syracuse University, Syracuse, N.Y. Married Stanley Edgar Hyman
1943	Published "After You, My Dear Alphonse," first of many stories for the <i>New Yorker</i>

- 1944 "Come Dance With Me in Ireland" selected for *Best Short Stories, 1944* (Boston: Houghton Mifflin Co. 468 pp.)
- 1945 Substitute instructor, Bennington College, Bennington, Vt.
- 1948 Published "The Lottery," *New Yorker*, 26 June, her most famous short story
Published *The Road Through the Wall* (New York: Farrar, Straus. 271 pp.)
- 1949 "The Lottery" selected for the O. Henry Awards and published in *Prize Stories of 1949* (Garden City, N.Y.: Doubleday and Co. 323 pp.)
Published *The Lottery; or, the Adventures of James Harris* (New York: Farrar, Straus. 306 pp.)
- 1951 "The Summer People" selected for *Best American Short Stories, 1951* (Boston: Houghton Mifflin Co. 368 pp.)
Published *Hangsaman* (New York: Farrar, Straus and Young. 280 pp.)
- 1953 Stage adaptation of "The Lottery"
Published *Life Among the Savages* (New York: Farrar, Straus and Young. 241 pp.)
- 1954 Published *The Bird's Nest* (New York: Farrar, Straus and Young. 276 pp.)
- 1956 Film adaptation of *The Bird's Nest*, released as *Lizzie*
"One Ordinary Day With Peanuts" selected for *Best American Short Stories, 1956* (Boston: Houghton Mifflin Co. 368 pp.)
Published *The Witchcraft of Salem Village* (New York: Random House. 176 pp.)
- 1957 Published *Raising Demons* (New York: Farrar, Straus and Cudahy. 310 pp.)
- 1958 Lecturer, Suffield Writer's Conference, Suffield, Conn.
Published the play, *The Bad Children* (Chicago: Dramatic Publishing Co. 36 pp.)
Published *The Sundial* (New York: Farrar, Straus and Cudahy. 245 pp.)
- 1959 Published *The Haunting of Hill House* (New York: Viking Press. 246 pp.)
- 1960 Published *Special Delivery* (Boston: Little, Brown. 175 pp.)
- 1961 Nominated for the Edgar Allan Poe Award for best short story, "Louisa, Please"
- 1962 Published *We Have Always Lived in the Castle* (New York: Viking Press. 214 pp.)
- 1963 Film adaptation of *The Haunting of Hill House*, released as *The Haunting*
Published *Nine Magic Wishes* (New York: Crowell-Collier Press. 45 pp.)
- 1964 Teacher, Bread Loaf Writers' Conference, Middlebury College, Middlebury, Vt.
"Birthday Party" selected for *Best American Short Stories, 1964* (Boston: Houghton Mifflin Co. 360 pp.)
- 1965 Awarded the Arents Pioneer Medal for Outstanding Achievement

- 1965, Aug. 8 Died, North Bennington, Vt.
- 1966 Awarded the Edgar Allan Poe Award for best short story, "The Possibility of Evil"
Published (posthumously) *Famous Sally* (New York: Harlin Quist; distributed by Crown Publishers. 46 pp.)
- 1968 Published (posthumously) *Come Along With Me* (New York: Viking Press. 243 pp.)

Scope and Content Note

Part I of the papers of Shirley Jackson (1916-1965) consist of the following series: [Diaries and Journals](#), [Family Correspondence](#), [General Correspondence](#), [Literary Manuscripts](#), and [Miscellany](#).

There are approximately four hundred items in the [Family Correspondence](#) series which include letters Jackson received from her parents, Leslie H. and Geraldine B. Jackson, from 1944 through 1965 and photocopies of Shirley Jackson's letters to her parents from 1948 through 1965.

The [General Correspondence](#) series contains about 2,700 letters Jackson received from her literary agents, personal friends, and the general public, and includes letters from John Ciardi, Pascal Covici, and Louis Untermeyer. There are also a few outgoing letters written by Shirley Jackson in this group.

The greater part of the papers comprise a [Literary Manuscripts](#) series consisting of Jackson's short stories, articles, and books in the form of original manuscripts, typescripts, and printed galleys. Some of the scrapbooks relating to her published works contain correspondence as well.

The [Miscellany](#) series contains Jackson's college notebooks for the years 1937-1940 and many watercolors and drawings in pencil and ink.

Part II of the papers of Shirley Jackson covers the period from 1932 to 1991, with the bulk of the material dated between 1938 and 1965. Recognized as a master American short-story writer of the mid-twentieth century, Jackson specialized in creating tales with chilling and macabre insight into the psychological horror which she perceived to lie just beneath the surface of modern life. Part II contains material similar in nature to that which is located in Part I, provides supplementary documentation for many of the same topics evident in that segment, and is organized into the following series: [Diary and Diary Notes](#), [Family Papers](#), [Correspondence](#), [Literary File](#), [Miscellany](#), and [Addition](#). The papers include a diary kept by Jackson as a high-school student as well as correspondence with family and friends. Manuscripts and related papers reflecting the conception and development of many of her novels and short stories, which are highlighted in Part I, are also included in Part II. Titles listed only in Part II include *Come Along With Me*, *Famous Sally*, and *Nine Magic Wishes*.

The single most significant and fully developed file in Part II consists of a series of letters written to Jackson by her future husband, literary critic Stanley Edgar Hyman, while both were students at Syracuse University. Located in the [Family Papers](#) and containing sentiments that veer from the intellectually precocious to the sexually suggestive, the letters reflect the converging interests and emotional commitment of the couple and suggest both the endearing and passionate elements that would be characteristic of their relationship throughout their lives. Although Part II contains only scattered copies or drafts of letters written by Jackson, a complementary group of her original letters addressed to Hyman during the same time period, 1938-1942, is located in the [Stanley Edgar Hyman Papers](#) in the Manuscript Division. The [Family Papers](#) also contain letters written to Jackson by her parents. Those written by her mother, Geraldine, suggest a relationship that influenced Jackson's personal outlook.

Part II also includes a [Correspondence](#) series which reflects many of the same personal and professional associations in Part I. Files containing Jackson's professional correspondence with her agents and publishers, especially the publishing firm of Farrar, Straus and Young, and her literary agents, Brandt and Brandt and the Music Corporation of America, identify the editorial choices and corporate marketing decisions that contributed to the shaping and promotion of Jackson's literary career. Other correspondence documents the creation of Jackson's novels and stories, along with associated material in the [Literary File](#) under respective title headings.

Jackson met many of her most trusted friends and associates among a diverse group of young artists and writers while attending Syracuse University. Letters received from these correspondents and others of her contemporaries suggest the deep personal regard they held for Jackson, as both a professional writer whose stories were increasingly gaining critical acclaim and popular recognition and as a wife and mother who saw no incompatibility between her dual roles as artist and homemaker. Part II contains files of correspondence from several such friends, including Walter Bernstein, June Mirken Mintz, Frank Orenstein, Robert M. Strauss, and Jay Williams. Other correspondents of note include Jean Brockway, Elizabeth Batterham Burke, Carol Black Livaudais, Louis L. Scher, and Mary Shaw.

Jackson is best known for her unsettling tales of modern Gothic horror, in particular for her classic story, "The Lottery," first published in the *New Yorker* in 1948. She also wrote a number of humorous stories about contemporary domestic life. Based upon observations of her own family and largely sentimentalized for popular consumption, many were produced for general interest or women's magazines; two volumes, *Life Among the Savages* and *Raising Demons*, both centering on family life, were also published. Part II contains manuscript drafts, notes, and outlines relating to the development and execution of both types of Jackson's fiction. Located in the [Literary File](#), the material enables the researcher to analyze the evolution of Jackson's form and style through the process of textual analysis and criticism.

Fan letters written to Jackson are contained in both the [Correspondence](#) series and under appropriate title headings in the [Literary File](#). Inquiries from the public seeking clarification regarding the inspiration and interpretation of her work are quite common, especially for "The Lottery," as successive generations of readers encountered this grisly tale anew.

An [Addition](#) to Part II contains family papers, correspondence, literary files, and miscellaneous material. Although few in number, letters in family papers and correspondence reveal the seeds of Jackson's domestic narratives as she reshapes the details of everyday activities into lengthy, humorous accounts of her family's home life. Known as generous hosts and companionable guests, Jackson and her husband were friends with many contemporary literary and popular personalities, and the family papers contain casual references to Kenneth Burke, Ralph Ellison, Langston Hughes, and Jackie Robinson as well as descriptions of performers and personality conflicts at the first Newport Folk Festival in 1959. The series further contains letters written by Jackson to her friends Virginia Olsen and William Olsen; drafts of the short stories "Famous Sally," "The Good Wife," and "The Honeymoon of Mrs. Smith"; and notes relating to Jackson's novel *We Have Always Lived in the Castle*.

Organization of the Papers

The collection is arranged in two parts comprised of eleven series:

Part I:

- [Diaries and Journal, 1932-1936](#)
- [Family Correspondence, 1944-1965](#)
- [General Correspondence, 1933-1965](#)
- [Literary Manuscripts](#)
- [Miscellany, 1937-1964](#)

Part II:

- Diary and Diary Notes, 1932-1934
- Family Papers, 1938-1965
- Correspondence, 1936-1970
- Literary File, 1943-1970
- Miscellany, 1938-1966
- Addition, 1953-1991

Description of Series

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BOX 43-44	<u>Part II: Correspondence, 1936-1970</u> Letters received and occasional copies of letters sent, telegrams, postcards, and miscellaneous enclosures. Organized alphabetically by correspondent and arranged chronologically therein.
BOX 44-50	<u>Part II: Literary File, 1943-1970</u> Correspondence, manuscript drafts, royalty statements, printed matter, notes, outlines, research material, screenplays, and miscellaneous items and enclosures relating to books and short stories by Jackson. Organized alphabetically by type of material and arranged alphabetically by title or topic therein. Publication dates of books are given in parentheses.
BOX 50-51	<u>Part II: Miscellany, 1938-1966</u> Address and telephone books, appointment calendars, notes and notebooks, drawings and sketches, photographs, printed matter, cards and invitations, and miscellaneous items. Organized alphabetically by type of material.

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Part II: Addition, 1953-1991

Family papers, correspondence, drafts, and notes.
Arranged alphabetically by type of material.

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BOX 2	Hyman, Anna (aunt), 1953-1965, undated Hyman, Arthur M. (brother-in-law), 1949 Hyman, Barry (son), 1952, undated Hyman, Corinne (daughter-in-law), 1964, undated Hyman, Joanne (daughter), undated Hyman, Laurence (son), 1954, 1964, undated Hyman, Lulu (mother-in-law), 1960, undated Hyman, Stanley Edgar (husband), 1948-1962, undated Jackson, Barry (brother), 1948-1957 Jackson, Barry, Jr. (nephew), 1957 Jackson, Dorothy (aunt), 1955, undated Jackson, Geraldine B. (mother), 1952-1964 (8 folders) Jackson, Leslie H. (father), 1944-1965, undated (6 folders)
BOX 3	Jackson, Leslie H. and Geraldine B. (photocopies of Shirley Jackson's letters to her parents), 1948-1965 (10 folders) Jackson, Mary Lou (sister-in-law), 1961, undated Stewart, Sarah Hyman (daughter), 1960, undated
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BOX 4	Alfred A. Knopf, Inc., 1949-1965 <i>American Scholar</i> , 1961 Author's Guild, 1954-1963 Ayling, Dorothy, 1933-1935 (2 folders) "A" miscellany, 1952-1965 Beatty, Jeanne, 1960 (2 folders) Best, Marshall <u><i>See same series Viking Press</i></u>

Part I: General Correspondence, 1933-1965

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	Bonino, Louise <u><i>See same series Random House Book Week, 1963</i></u>
	Brandt, Carol, 1956-1960
	Brandt & Brandt
	May 1952-Mar. 1956 (11 folders)
BOX 5	Apr. 1956-Mar. 1961 (10 folders)
BOX 6	Apr. 1961-July 1965, undated (6 folders)
	Brandt and Brandt Dramatic Department, Inc., 1954-1963
	Breit, Harvey <u><i>See same series New York Times Book Review</i></u>
	Brion, Jean-Marie, 1934-1962 (4 folders)
BOX 7	Brown, Francis <u><i>See same series New York Times Book Review</i></u>
	Burke, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth, 1954-1962 (2 folders)
	Burkhardt, Fredrich, 1949
	Burnett, Whit <u><i>See same series Story</i></u>
	“B” miscellany, 1954-1965 (2 folders)
	Canfield, Cass <u><i>See same series Harper & Brothers</i></u>
	Cerf, Bennett <u><i>See same series Random House</i></u>
	Chambrun, Jacques, 1954
	Ciardi, John, 1964
	Covici, Pascal <u><i>See same series Viking Press</i></u>
	Cowley, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm, 1949
	“C” miscellany, 1951-1965 (4 folders)
	Dahl, Roald, 1959
	Darrow, Whitney, Jr., 1957
	de Rochemont, Louis, 1961
	“D” miscellany, 1953-1965 (2 folders)
	Ellison, Fanny (Mrs. Ralph Ellison), 1953-1962
	<i>Esquire</i> , 1957
	“E” miscellany, 1955-1965
	Farrar, John <u><i>See same series Farrar, Straus and Cudahy, Inc.</i></u>
	Farrar, Margaret, 1949-1954
BOX 8	Farrar, Straus and Cudahy, Inc., 1948-1963, undated (4 folders)
	Field, Ruth (Mrs. Marshall Field), undated
	Fischer, John, 1953
	Ford, Franklin, 1954-1955
	“F” miscellany, 1953-1965 (2 folders)
	Ginzburg, Ralph <u><i>See same series Esquire</i></u>

Part I: General Correspondence, 1933-1965

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	Gollancz, Robert <u><i>See same series Farrar, Straus and Cudahy, Inc.</i></u>
	Gollancz, Victor, 1953
	“G” miscellany, 1949-1965 (2 folders)
	Hamburger, Philip, undated
BOX 9	Harper & Brothers, 1954-1961
	<i>Harper's Magazine</i> , 1952-1956
	Hentoff, Nat, 1961
	Holmes, John, 1959
	“H” miscellany, 1950-1965 (2 folders)
	“I” miscellany, 1953-1964
	Jackson, Katherine Gauss <u><i>See same series Harper's Magazine</i></u>
	“J” miscellany, 1947-1964
	Kluger, Richard <u><i>See same series Book Week</i></u>
	Knopf, Alfred, Jr. <u><i>See same series Alfred A. Knopf, Inc.</i></u>
	“K” miscellany, 1953-1965 (2 folders)
	Levin, Martin, 1961
	“L” miscellany, 1952-1965 (2 folders)
	Malamud, Bernard, 1961
	McBride, Mary Margaret, 1953
	“M” miscellany, 1946-1965 (4 folders)
BOX 10	Nemerov, Howard, 1959-1962
	<i>New York Times Book Review</i> , 1953-1960
	“N” miscellany, 1948-1965
	Orenstein, Frank E., undated
	“O” miscellany, 1952-1965
	Phillips, Robert S., 1961-1965
	Pickrel, Paul <u><i>See same series Yale Review</i></u>
	Pitkin, Royce S., 1960
	Plagemann, Bentz, 1954-1956
	“P” miscellany, 1937-1965 (3 folders)
	“Q” miscellany, 1957, undated
	Random House, 1953-1965
	“R” miscellany, 1949-1965 (3 folders)
	Scher, Louis L., 1951-1958, undated (3 folders)
BOX 11	Singer, Isaac B., 1962
	Stark, Ray, 1955
	Stickney, Rebecca B., 1963
	<i>Story</i> , 1936, 1959
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Part I: General Correspondence, 1933-1965

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	Straus, Robert W., Jr. <u><i>See same series Farrar, Straus and Cudahy, Inc.</i></u>
	“S” miscellany, 1947-1965 (6 folders)
	Thurber, James, 1958, undated
	“T” miscellany, 1948-1965
	Untermeyer, Bryna, undated
	Untermeyer, Louis, 1959-1962
	“U” miscellany, 1956-1962, undated
	Van Doren, Peter <u><i>See same series Farrar, Straus and Cudahy, Inc.</i></u>
	Viking Press, 1954-1965
	“V” miscellany, 1949-1965
	Wang, Arthur W., 1956
	Weinstock, Herbert <u><i>See same series Alfred A. Knopf, Inc.</i></u>
	White, E. B., 1953
	Williams, Jay, 1957-1961
	Wise, Robert, undated
	“W” miscellany, 1947-1965 (2 folders)
	<i>Yale Review</i> , 1953
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	Drafts of Shirley Jackson's letters to unidentified correspondents
	Unidentified correspondents (9 folders)
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	Articles (23 folders)
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	Drama file
	Radio scripts
	Unpublished magazine: "The Garbled Sadwit"
	Book reviews (2 folders)
	Book file
	<i>The Bird's Nest</i> (6 folders)
BOX 21	(7 folders)

Part I: Literary Manuscripts

Container

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	<i>Hangsaman</i> (4 folders)
BOX 22	(1 folder)
	<i>The Haunting of Hill House</i> (10 folders)
BOX 23	<i>Life Among the Savages</i> (12 folders)
BOX 24-25	<i>The Magic of Shirley Jackson</i> (12 folders)
BOX 26	<i>Raising Demons</i> (10 folders)
BOX 27	(4 folders)
	<i>The Road Through the Wall</i> (3 folders)
BOX 28	(2 folders)
	<i>Special Delivery</i> (2 folders)
	<i>The Sundial</i> (5 folders)
BOX 29	(1 folder)
	<i>We Have Always Lived in the Castle</i> (3 folders)
	<i>Witchcraft of Salem Village</i> (2 folders)
	Incomplete literary manuscripts (5 folders)
BOX 30	(3 folders)
BOX 31	Scrapbooks
	<i>Hangsaman</i> <i>Life Among the Savages</i> (3 books)
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BOX 33	(1 folder)
	<i>The Road Through the Wall</i>
BOX 34-41	Part I: Miscellany, 1937-1964 Grouped by type of material and, where possible, arranged chronologically within the group.
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	Engagement calendars 1937-1959 (3 folders)
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Part I: Miscellany, 1937-1964

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	Menus (2 folders)
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	Pencil drawings (5 folders)
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	Pencil and ink drawings
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	General miscellany (5 folders)
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Part II: Family Papers, 1938-1965

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- Other family members, 1953
Stewart, Sarah Hyman (daughter), undated
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Letters received and occasional copies of letters sent, telegrams, postcards,
and miscellaneous enclosures.
Organized alphabetically by correspondent and arranged chronologically
therein.
- BOX 43 Albert, Louise, 1942-1950, undated
Alfred A. Knopf, 1942-1951
"A" miscellany, 1947-1951
Bernstein, Walter and Marva, 1938-1941, 1948, undated
Blatchford, Loey, 1944-1951, undated
Brandt & Brandt, 1947-1952, 1970
Brockway, Jean, 1950-1952, undated
Burke, Libby, 1945-1950, undated
"B-E" miscellany, 1938-1952, 1959-1965, undated
(4 folders)
Farrar, Straus and Young, Inc., 1947-1951, 1956, undated
"F" miscellany, 1952, undated
Glazebrook, Lucy, 1947-1948, undated
"G" miscellany, 1941, 1947-1957, undated
Harper & Brothers, 1947-1950
Harper's Magazine, 1948-1951
"H-K" miscellany, 1942-1952, undated
(3 folders)
Livaudais, Carol Black, Feb.-Mar. 1951, undated
"L" miscellany, 1939-1942, 1949-1952, undated
Mintz, June Mirken, 1938-1951, 1965, undated
Music Corporation of America, 1940-1952, undated
(2 folders)
- BOX 44 "M" miscellany, 1948-1952, undated
New York Times Book Review, 1949-1951, 1957
New Yorker, 1943-1951, undated
"N" miscellany, 1950-1952, 1967
Orenstein, Frank E. and Cecile, 1938, 1945-1948, undated
"O-R" miscellany, 1944-1959, undated
Scher, Louis L., 1950-1951, undated
Shaw, Mary, 1945-1946, undated
Strauss, Robert M., 1938-1939
"S" miscellany, 1940, 1948-1951, 1962-1965, undated
Tucker, Greg and Tony, 1947-1949, undated
"T-V" miscellany, 1943-1952, 1958, undated
Williams, Jay and Bobbie, 1939-1944, undated
Woman's Home Companion, 1947-1951
The Writer, 1944-1948

Part II: Correspondence, 1936-1970

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"W-Y" miscellany, 1947-1952, 1960, undated
Unidentified correspondents, 1936, 1943-1952, 1965, undated

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Part II: Literary File, 1943-1970

Correspondence, manuscript drafts, royalty statements, printed matter, notes, outlines, research material, screenplays, and miscellaneous items and enclosures relating to books and short stories by Jackson. Organized alphabetically by type of material and arranged alphabetically by title or topic therein. Publication dates of books are given in parentheses.

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Bibliographies and publishing lists, 1951-1966

Books

"Another Country" (also titled "Abigail") (unpublished), undated

The Bird's Nest (1954)

Correspondence, 1954-1955, undated

Miscellany, 1954-1957, 1965, undated

Motion picture adaptation, 1956-1957, undated

Reviews, 1954-1955, 1965, undated

Royalty statements, 1954-1969, undated

Come Along With Me (1968)

Correspondence, 1967-1969, undated

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Manuscript draft, preface, undated

Miscellany, 1967-1968, undated

Reviews, 1968-1969, undated

Royalty statements, 1967-1969, undated

Famous Sally (1966), 1966-1967, undated

Hangsaman (1951)

Correspondence, 1951-1952

Manuscript drafts, undated

Miscellany, 1951, 1964, undated

Reviews, 1951

Royalty statements, 1951-1970

Welden, Paula, 1946, undated

The Haunting of Hill House (1959)

Correspondence, 1959, 1967-1970, undated

Miscellany, 1959-1963, undated

Motion picture and theatrical adaptations, 1959-1969, undated

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