

Ruth Moore:

A Preliminary Inventory of Her Papers in the Manuscript Collection at the Harry Ransom Humanities Research Center

Descriptive Summary

Creator:	Ruth Moore, 1903-1989
Title:	Ruth Moore Papers
Dates:	1943-1962
Extent:	5 boxes and 9 galley folders (2.1 linear feet)
Abstract:	The Ruth Moore Papers contain manuscripts for eight of her works of fiction, as well one for a book of poetry, <i>Cold as a Dog and the Wind Northeast: Ballads</i> (1958).
Call Number:	Manuscript Collection MS-02901
Language:	English
Access:	Open for research

Administrative Information

Acquisition:	Gift, 1964
Processed by:	Hope Rider, 2004
Repository:	Harry Ransom Center, The University of Texas at Austin

Scope and Contents

The Ruth Moore Papers contain typescript drafts and galley files for eight of her works of fiction, as well a typescript for a book of poetry, *Cold as a Dog and the Wind Northeast: Ballads* (1958). There is also a letter to Moore from Elisabeth Hamilton at William Morrow & Company, Inc., concerning an award for her novel *Jeb Ellis of Candlemas Bay* (1952).

Related Material

Additional Moore correspondence can be found in the papers of Thayer Hobson, her editor at William Morrow & Company, Inc.

Series I. Works, 1943-1962

<i>Candlemas Bay</i> (novel, 1950)	Box 1 Folder
Typescript	Folder 1-2
Typescript worksheets	Folder 3-5
Typescript worksheets, cont'd	Box 2 Folder 1
Galley (*removed to galley files)	Folder *
<i>Cold as a Dog and the Wind Northeast: Ballads</i> (poetry, 1958), printer's copy typescript with cover art	Folder 2
<i>A Fair Wind Home</i> (novel, 1955)	Folder
Typescript	Folder 3-4
Galley (*removed to galley files)	Folder *
<i>The Fire Balloon</i> (novel, 1948)	Folder
Typescript	Folder 5-6
Typescript, with cover art	Box 3 Folder 1
Galley (*removed to galley files)	Folder *
<i>Jeb Ellis of Candlemas Bay</i> (novel, 1952), correspondence only	Folder 2
<i>Second Growth</i> (novel, 1962)	Folder
Printer's copy typescript	Folder 3-4
Galley (*removed to galley files)	Folder *
<i>Speak to the Winds</i> (novel, 1956)	Folder
Typescript	Folder 5
Typescript, cont'd	Box 4 Folder 1
Galleys (*two folders removed to galley files)	Folder *

<i>Spoonhandle</i> (novel, 1948)	Folder
Typescript	Folder 2-5
Galley (*removed to galley files)	Folder *
<i>The Walk Down Main Street</i> (novel, 1960)	Folder
Typescript	Box 5 Folder 1-2
Galley (*removed to galley files)	Folder *
<i>The Weir</i> (novel, 1943)	Folder
Typescript	Folder 3-4
Galley (*removed to galley files)	Folder *