# Arthur Machen:
## An Inventory of His Collection at the Harry Ransom Center

## Descriptive Summary

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## Administrative Information

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Works:

Untitled:


Article on The Society of the New Bohemians, galley proofs, 2 pages, undated.

Comment on Dickens, signed handwritten manuscript, 1 page, undated.


Almost anything: An old argument, signed handwritten manuscript with emendations, 12 pages, undated.

The anatomy of tobacco: introduction, signed handwritten manuscript with revisions, 16 pages, 25 August 1923. For new edition.

Beneath the barley, signed handwritten manuscript/ note, 5 pages, undated. Also signed Fytton Armstrong by Machen.

Beneath the barley: A note on the origins of Eleusinia, 2 galley proofs, one with handwritten corrections, both inscribed to Fytton Armstrong, 2 pages each, 1931.

A Christmas book, signed handwritten manuscript with emendations, 16 pages, undated.

Christmas science, typescript/ copy, 4 pages; 2 carbon copy typescripts/ copies, 4 pages each; undated. From Pear's Annual.

The collector's craft:

Galley proof with handwritten corrections, 1 galley sheet, 1923. Titled The craft of the collector.

Signed galley proof, 1 page, undated. Titled the craft of the collector.

Signed page proofs/ incomplete with few handwritten emendations, 7 pages, undated. Lacking last page of text. Signature pasted on.

Comments on Dr. Johnson, 2 signed handwritten manuscripts, 1 page each, undated.
Dog and duck, signed handwritten and printed manuscript with handwritten revisions, 153 pages, 1923.

Drake's drum, initialed carbon copy typescript with few handwritten emendations, 6 pages; initialed page proofs with few handwritten emendations, 4 pages; undated. Both also initialed F. A. by Machen.

Eleusinia, handwritten manuscript/ copy, 16 pages, 1881. Gawsworth (T. I. F. Armstrong) copy mentioned in Beneath the barley.

Fleet street diversions and digressions, galley proofs with handwritten inscription to Fytton Armstrong, 22 pages, 1927. Included with this: explanatory note by T. I. Fytton Armstrong.

The French revolution, typescript/ copy/ photostat, 1 page, 1924. From Hilary Machen's school magazine.

The grande trouvaille (a legend of Pentonville), 4 signed page proofs, one 3 pages, three 4 pages each, undated. One inscribed to Fytton Armstrong, 24 May 1930. All vary from final limited edition.

The grande trouvaille (a legend of Pentonville), 2 signed page proofs, one incomplete, with handwritten and typed corrections, 3 pages each, 1923. Included with these: Catalogue, signed by Machen, of The First Edition Bookshop for which this is introduction.

The Gray's Inn Coffee House, signed handwritten manuscript with emendations, 11 pages; signed galley proofs, 2 pages; undated. Both also signed Fytton Armstrong by Machen.

Hieroglyphics, page proofs with several handwritten marginal marks, 2 initialed handwritten notes, a handwritten presentation inscription signed to Paul England, and two additional signatures by Machen, 217 pages, published 1901, notes dated 31 October 1923.


The idealist, initialed typescript, 7 pages, 1897. Also initialed F. A. by Machen.

The inns of Dickens, signed typescript with handwritten revisions, 10 pages, undated.

Introductions to:

Casanova's memoirs, signed galley proofs, 4 pages, undated. Also signed Fytton Armstrong by Machen.
The hill of dreams, signed handwritten manuscript with emendations, 6 pages, 1907.

The pleasant land of Gwent by Fred J. Hando, signed handwritten manuscript/photocopy, 5 pages, 1944.

The secret glory, signed handwritten manuscript with emendations, 6 pages, undated.

The way to succeed… by Béroalde de Verville, newly done into English by Oliver Stonor, 1 signed typescript with handwritten revisions, 4 pages; 2 proofs, one signed, with handwritten corrections and few emendations, 5 pages, 6 pages; 1930. Typescript and one proof inscribed to Fytton Armstrong. Included with these: handwritten manuscript title pages and proofs for the entire book.


A letter to M. Le Doux, Consul of Rhodes from Lady Hester Lucy Stanhope, signed handwritten manuscript with emendations, 16 pages, undated. Also signed Fytton Armstrong by Machen, 16 January 1932.

A letter to M. Le Doux, Consul of Rhodes from Lady Hester Lucy Stanhope, signed galley proof, 1 page, undated.

The London adventure, signed typescript with few handwritten emendations, 115 pages, April-July 1923.

Madame Favart: Opera comique in three acts, signed handwritten manuscript with emendations, 132 pages bound, undated.

A matter of taste, carbon copy typescript, 3 pages, 3 February 1934. From The News-letter.

Meminisse (A), 2 signed handwritten manuscripts/photocopies, 4 pages each; carbon copy typescript/photocopy, 1 page; 1927.

Meminisse (B), signed handwritten manuscript/photocopy, 4 pages, 31 March 1927.

To Mistress Hilda Mumford of Willesden, under the name of Julia: Upon being troubled by Envious Virgins, carbon copy typescript, 1 page, 9 December 1919. From The Evening News.

A new thrill in life, signed handwritten manuscript with revisions, 10 pages, undated. Manuscript in Machen's hand with Fytton Armstrong named as joint author. Earlier title, Financiers & Cannibals, lined through. Published in Everyman, 12 August 1933.

Notebook, handwritten manuscript/ notes and drafts, approximately 200 pages, undated. Contains drafts of various essays.

Notes, biographical and critical, handwritten manuscript with revisions, 167 pages, 1923. Written for Henry Danielson's bibliography of Arthur Machen.

Parish of Amersham, typescript/ copy of correct text with handwritten note initialed by Fytton Armstrong, 3 pages; 4 printed copies, one inscribed to Fytton Armstrong, two others signed, 8 pages each; 20 June 1930.

A postscript to Above the river, signed galley proof, 1 page, undated.

The praise of Myfanwy, galley proofs with signed handwritten note John Gawsworth by T. I. F. Armstrong, 2 pages, undated. Printed with this: The remembrance of the bard.

Precious balms: prospectus, signed handwritten manuscript, 6 pages bound, 1924. Bound with this: printed copy of prospectus and ALS Machen to Spurr, 22 January 1924.

Preface to Casanova's memoirs: translator's note, signed handwritten manuscript with emendations, 9 pages bound, undated.

Pussyfootism, typescript/ copy, 2 pages, 9 October 1919. From Evening News.

Queer things, galley proof with handwritten note, 1 page, undated. For The Observer.

Queer things, galley proofs with inscription to Robert Hillyer, 1 page, 1927.

Reader's reports:

And now goodbye by James Hilton, handwritten manuscript with emendations, 14 pages, undated.

Contango by James Hilton, handwritten manuscript with emendations, 13 pages, undated.
Murder at school by James Hilton, handwritten manuscript with emendations and initialed note by Sir Ernest Benn, 9 pages, undated.

The canon in residence by Victor Whitechurch, handwritten manuscript/ draft with emendations, 4 pages, August 1929. Included with this: envelope with notations by T. I. F. Armstrong/ John Gawsworth.

Remarks upon Hermodactylus by Lady Hester Lucy Stanhope, typescript with handwritten emendations, 3 pages, 1933. Included with this: mock-up for title page and handwritten manuscript footnote by John Gawsworth.

Reviews:


Old English household life by Gertrude Jekyll and Sidney R. Jones, signed galley proof, 1 page, 6 August 1939.

The noble and joyous boke entytled Le morte d'Arthur by Thomas Malory, carbon copy typescript, 2 pages, 17 December 1933. For the Observer.

The noble and joyous boke entytled Le morte d'Arthur by Thomas Malory, signed galley proof, 1 page, 16 December 1933. Also signed Fytton Armstrong by Machen. For The Observer.

The pantomime man by Richard Middleton edited with a foreword by John Gawsworth, signed galley proof with handwritten note and Fytton Armstrong's name in Machen's hand, 1 page, undated.


The secret glory:

Typescript, 190 pages, undated. Included with this: TLS Nathan Van Patten to Carl Swanson re this typescript, 2 October 1950.

Page proofs, 319 pages bound, 18 February 1922. With handwritten note by Machen on page v and his signed note on page 309. With bookplate of Adrian Goldstone.

Preface for the American edition, signed handwritten manuscript, 13 pages, 25 September 1922.
Speech, uttered by me on my eightieth birthday, at the Hungarian Restaurant, Regent St., March 3rd 1943, signed carbon copy typescript, 2 pages, 3 March 1943. Also signed Fytton Armstrong by Machen.

The terror: revisions for new edition, handwritten manuscript/ revisions in printed book and handwritten insert loosely laid in, 190 pages bound, undated.

Things near and far, signed handwritten manuscript/ fair copy/ quotation, 1 page, 12 March 1934.

The true story of the Angels of Mons, signed galley proofs, 2 pages, undated. Also signed Fytton Armstrong by Machen.

A wonderful woman, signed typescript/ copy, 5 pages, 1890. Published in The Whirlwind.
Letters:

ALS/ fragments to unidentified recipient re H. L. Mencken, undated.  

ALS/ incomplete to unidentified recipient re his translating ability, undated.  

ALS to unidentified recipient Norah, 17 January 1946.  

7 ALS to The Alexandrian Society, directed to Boine Grainger, 1923-1924.  

ALS to Altsberg, Lewis, 16 July 1923.  

3 ALS to The Apellicon Press, directed to Walter Klinefelter, 1929-1930.  

4 ALS to Armstrong, H. de L., Mrs., 1943. Mother of T. I. F. Armstrong.  

258 ALS, ALS/ photocopy, 4 ALI, ALI/ photocopy, ANS, 4 ANI, AN, 72 APCI, APC, 5 telegrams to Armstrong, Terence Ian Fytton, 1929-1947, undated. Annotated by T. I. F Armstrong. Attachments: ALS to Mrs. Edgar Jepson re Jepson's death, 11 April 1938; ALS to Mrs. Edgar Jepson, 6 June 1938; ALS Oliver Stonor to Mrs. Machen, 29 June 1946; ALS in Mrs. Machen's hand except for signature, 26 July 1946; ANS written as receipt on TL from The Literature Digest, 11 October 1946:  

1929-1931.  

1932-1935 (May).  

1935 (June)-1938 (June).  

1938 (July)-1940 (May).  

1940 (June)-1947 (July).  


2 ALS to Balston, _____, 3 and 7 February 1927.  

5 ALS, APCS to Bowerman, Biays S., 1932-1933.  

7 ALS to Buck, Mitchell Starrett, 1922-1925.  

ALS to Carter, Frederick, 28 July 1932.  

ALS to Clemens, Cyril, 26 August 1947. Written and signed by an amanuensis.  

ALS, 2 ALS/ copies in hand of T.I. F. Armstrong to Dakers, _____, 1935.
ALS to Davies, Peter, 25 February 1940.


ALS to Duckworth (Gerald) & Co., Ltd., 13 January 1927.

ALS to Earp, Thomas Wade, 14 September 1932.

8 ALS, ANS to Eddy, Frederick B., 1921-1923, undated. Included with these: ALS dated 29 August 1921; handwritten bibliographical list of Machen works.

4 ALS to Eddy, Frederick B., 1922-1923.

ALS to Eddy, Frederick B., 11 July 1928. Removed from AC-L M 183 chr 1888 a copy 2.

ALS to Farquharson, _____, 22 November 1935.

111 ALS, APCI to Goldsmith, Alfred F., 1922-1946, undated.

ANS to Goldsmith, Alfred, Mrs., 28 January 1926. Written on verso of a handwritten Brillat-Savarin menu with drawing.

ALS to Goldsmith, L. S., 23 April 1927. Included with this: TccL/ reply to Machen, 4 May 1927; TLS to Alfred Goldsmith, 4 May 1927; handwritten manuscript of proposed advertisement by Machen, undated.

ALS to Grubb, _____, 22 October 1924.

Letters to Havens, Munson, in a few handwritten letters from Arthur Machen, 2 unpublished portions, 5 typed and carbon copy typed copies, 1924.

95 ALS, TL/ copy to Hillyer, Robert Silliman, 1922-1938. Numerous enclosures including picture postcards and newspaper clippings:

1922-1926 (August).

1926 (August)-1928 (February).

1928 (February)-1931 (September).

1931 (October)-1938.

ALS to Hillyer, Robert Silliman, 13 October 1927.

7 ALS to Jackson, Holbrook, 1911-1933, undated.
ALS to Jackson, Holbrook, 14 September 1939.

ALS/ photocopy to Jones, Herbert, 10 May 1888.

TL/ copy to Knopf, Alfred A., 20 August 1924. Removed from AC-L St249in 1924a.

ALS to Leippert, ______, 5 September 1927.

ALS to Lublin, ______, 18 September 1933.


2 ALS to Matthews, ______, 14 April 1900, undated.

7 ALS to Morrissey, Ralph, 1929-1932.

ANS to Newell, ______, 12 May 1938.

ALS to Norris, Howes, 16 June 1926.

4 ALS/ copies in hand of T. I. F. Armstrong to Parsons, ______, 1924.


3 ALS to Pickup, Barbara Stonor, 1935-1946.

ALS to Redway, _______, 5 January 1922.

ALS, ANI to Richards, Grant, undated. Included with these: AL by Machen initiating an unidentified recipient into "certain ancient mysteries," 2 pages, undated.

ALS to Richards, Grant, 6 February 1916.

3 ALS to Rubin, ______, 1930-1931.

Letters of Arthur Machen, Esq. to Savage, Henry, typed copies, 8 pages, 1931 (proposed publication date).

2 ALS to Sewell, G. S., 29 July and 5 November 1938.

ALS to Shiel, Matthew Phipps, 26 July 1935.

ALS to Smith, Anne J., 20 June 1925.

ALS to Spurr, Harold, 31 May 1922.

435 ALS, 2 ANI, 2 AN, 3 APCS, 54 APCI, 6 APC, telegram to Stonor, Oliver, 1926-1947, undated. ALS dated 25 August 1947 by amanuensis. Attached to ALS dated 3 November 1947: TNS by Stonor:

1926-1930.  
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1931-1932 (June).  
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1932 (July)-1934 (May).  
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1938-1939.  
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1940-1942 (April).  
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1942 (May)-1945 (June).  
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1945 (July)-1947.  
Container 8.3

197 ALS, ALI, 2 AL, AL/ incomplete, 5 APCI to Summerford, Colin J., 1924-1947, undated. Enclosed with ALS dated 22 June 1929: TLS Ernest Benn, Ltd. to Machen, 21 June 1929. Two letters with ANS, one signed, by Machen's wife; several enclose newspaper clippings:

1924-1926 (March).  
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1926 (April)-1929 (July).  
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1929 (July)-1932 (February).  
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1932 (March)-1933.  
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1938-1943 (July).  
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2 ALS to Summers, Montague, 20 and 27 November 1941.  
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AL/ draft to the editor of The Sunday Times, undated. Included with this: newspaper clipping of printed version.

ALS to Swift, _____, 19 February 1924.
TccL/ copy to the editor of Times Literary Supplement, 31 May 1941.

TccL/ copy to the editor of Times Literary Supplement, 2 May 1942.

FLS to the Trustees, Civil List Pension Fund re Matthew Phipps Shiel, autumn 1934.

TL/ copy/ photocopy to the editor of the Westminster Gazette, 9 March 1895.


ALS, APCS to Williams, H. B., 1 September 1933, 21 January 1939.

ALS to Wilson, _____, 6 December 1928.

3 ALS to Wilson, _____, 1928-1929.
Recipient:

Unidentified author Mon. APCS to Machen, Arthur, 23 May 1945.


Benn (Ernest) Ltd. 3 TccL to Machen, Arthur, 1929.

Benn, Glanvill. 2 TccL to Machen, Arthur, 24 July 1929, 1 May 1933.

Bowerman, Biays S. 4 TccL to Machen, Arthur, 1932-1933. Included with these: untitled birthday poem by Bowerman for Machen.


Cassell and Co., Ltd. ALS to Machen, Arthur, 19 November 1923.


The Society of Authors. TLS to Machen, Arthur, 2 April 1946.


Wareing, Alfred. ALS to Machen, Arthur, 30 January 1933.

Weatherly, Fred E., 1848-. ALS to Machen, Arthur, 2 May 1924.

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Miscellaneous:

Unidentified author:


List of published camera portraits and drawings of Arthur Machen, typescript, 12 pages; carbon copy typescript, 12 pages; duplicated, 8 pages; 1957-1958.  

ALS to Goldsmith, Alfred, 24 June no year. Letterhead: The Friars Club.  

ALS from Ed to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, undated. Removed from AC-L M183sh 1925f.  


Armstrong, Terence Ian Fytton, 1912-1970:

Agreement with Adrian Goldstone, TDS, 1 page, 20 January 1959.  

Arthur Machen: Man of letters by John Gawsworth:

Handwritten, typed, and carbon copy typed manuscript with handwritten emendations, 1232 pages, 1934. Includes duplicate pages from several drafts, fragments of leaves and notes in no obvious order.  

Signed handwritten, typed, and carbon copy typed manuscript with handwritten emendations, approximately 515 pages, 1934.  

Blurb, initialed handwritten manuscript with revisions, 2 pages, 1934.  


Questions for A. Machen, handwritten and carbon copy typed manuscript, 19 pages, undated. Two pages of questions partially answered.
Arthur Machen's funeral... as recorded by John Gawsworth, typed and carbon copy typed manuscript, 2 pages, 17 December 1947.

Beneath the barley; a note on the origins of Eleusinia: advertisement, mimeo flyer initialed by Armstrong, 1 page, undated. Removed from AC-L M 183 be 1931 a, copies 1 and 3.

Bibliographical appendix of Arthur Machen works:

- Handwritten, typed, and carbon copy typed manuscript, 65 pages, undated. Supplement to Danielson's bibliography. Container 12.6

- Handwritten manuscript/ draft/ incomplete with corrections, 138 pages; typescript/ draft/ incomplete with handwritten corrections, 11 pages; carbon copy typescript/ draft/ incomplete with handwritten corrections, 17 pages; 1934. Container 12.7-13.1

- Notes, handwritten and typed manuscript, 204 pages, undated. Container 13.2

Cancelled checks to Arthur Machen, 1933-1936. Included with these: one check Ethel L. Armstrong to Machen, 5 January 1932. Container 10.5


Genealogical table of seven generations of the family of Arthur Machen, signed handwritten manuscript, 1 page; typescript, 1 page; carbon copy typescript, 1 page; 1934 and later. Included with these: copy of detail of table; handwritten manuscript/ copies by Armstrong of epitaphs of Machen's father and mother; typed copy and handwritten manuscript/ photocopy of Machen statement on his ancestry.

List of Machen collection, handwritten manuscript/ list, 33 pages bound in notebook, undated. Container 13.3

Machen bibliographical material, handwritten, typed, and carbon copy typed manuscript, 24 pages, undated. Container 10.5

Notes on the Machen box (his collection of Machen materials), signed handwritten and typed manuscript, 8 pages, 1968.

AL/ draft to Gollancz (Victor), Ltd. re Machen biography, 20 March 1948.

2 ALS/ drafts John Gawsworth to McQuelland, Mr. re Arthur Machen, 12 June 1931. Written on verso of one draft: Armstrong, untitled poem A hundred little things you did to please…, handwritten manuscript, 1 page, undated.

ANS to Osborne, Eric, 26 March 1931. Written on a card with a reproduction of Edward Carrick's drawing of Machen, which is signed by Carrick (Edward Anthony Craig) and Machen.

TccLS John Gawsworth to Rich and Cowan Limited re Machen biography, 6 May 1933.

ALS/ draft to Van Patten, Nathan re a bibliography of Machen, undated.

Arthur Machen Fund. FL to prospective contributors, February 1943. Container 10.3


Arthur Machen Testimonial. FL to prospective contributors, undated. Bears Machen's autograph.

Baker (John) Publishers Ltd. TLS to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 26 September 1963.

Begbie, Janet. ALS to unidentified author re Harold Begbie's autograph, 11 March no year. Removed from AC-L M183ang 1915ed.

Benn (Ernest) Limited. 2 TLS to Armstrong, T. I. F. (John Gawsworth) re Arthur Machen, 10 and 13 August 1948.

Benson, Constance. TLS to Armstrong, T. I. F., 22 June 1933.

Benson, Frank R. ALS to Benn, Ernest, Sir, 10 December 1930.

Bliss, Howard. ALS to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 23 October 1963. Included with this: ALS/ photocopy Bliss to Humanities Research Center, 8 August 1963.


Bowerman, Biays S.:
TccL to Argus Book Shop, 15 July 1937.  

TccL to Lewis, N. Lawson, 4 December 1932.  

2 TccL to Starrett, Vincent, 1 and 22 October 1932.  

2 TccL to Van Patten, Nathan, 1 and 22 October 1932.  


Cadby Hall. 2 TLS publicity manager W. Buchanan-Taylor to Armstrong, T. I. F. re Arthur Machen, 10 July 1930, 1 January 1934.  


Clemens, Cyril, 1902-. ALS to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 8 March 1972.  


Craig, Edward Anthony, 1904-. TccL/ copy to Mowery, Bob, 21 July no year. Date mistakenly copied as 1924.  

Dalliba, William Swift. 13 ALS, 4 APCS to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 1956-1961, undated. Included with these: 14 TccL Goldstone to Dalliba.  

Danielson, Henry. A bibliography of Arthur Machen, unbound proof copy with minor handwritten emendations and many handwritten marginal notes initialed by Machen, 56 pages, 1923. Machen has also signed this in two places.  

Danielson, Henry. TLS to Hinton, P. re Machen's The secret glory, 6 February 1923. Written on envelope: AN by Hinton.  


Davies, Norman C. TLS to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 4 January 1966.  


Davis, Janet Machen:
ALS to Armstrong, Barbara (Mrs. Gawsworth), 5 October 1934.


ALS to Armstrong, T. I. F., 17 April 1947.

4 ALS to Goldsmith, Alfred Norton, Mrs., undated.

3 ALS, TLS, 3 APCS to Stonor, Oliver, 1943-1947, undated.

Evans, Montgomery. TLS to Goldstone, Adrian re Arthur Machen bookplate, etc., 31 December 1949.

Fletcher, J. Kyrle. ALS to Norman, _____, 1937.

Fuller, Jean Overton, 1915-. TLS to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 26 April 1967. Removed from BF 1598 N4 F8 HRC.

Gilman, Dorothy Foster. ALS to Hillyer, Robert Silliman, undated.

Goldsmith, Alfred F., d. 1947. ALS to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 16 December 1944.

Goldstone, Adrian Homer:

A bibliography of Arthur Machen by Adrian Goldstone and Wesley Sweetser:

- Handwritten, typed, and carbon copy typed manuscript pages for printers with handwritten revisions, 27 pages, 1965. Largely for working out format. Container 14.1
- Printer's mockup/ incomplete with handwritten printer's notes, 154 pages, 1965. Container 14.4

Correspondence re Machen's The house of the hidden light. 7 TLS Gerald J. Yorke and Timothy d'Arch Smith to Adrian Goldstone; TccLS Goldstone to Yorke; 1962. Container 13.10

Correspondence with Kim Taylor and others re publication of A bibliography of Arthur Machen, 1962-1965.
Correspondence with various persons re Arthur Machen, 1949-1969. Includes 5 TccL from Goldstone.

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The ineluctable charm of Mr. Machen, 2 typescripts, 2 pages each; 2 carbon copy typescripts, 2 pages each; 15 May 1963.

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Machen miscellanea, handwritten, typed, and carbon copy typed manuscript, 22 pages, most undated.

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Men about Machen, typescript/ second draft with handwritten emendations, 6 pages; carbon copy typescript/ first draft with handwritten revisions and additions, 6 pages; carbon copy typescript/ final draft, 6 pages; 21 August 1959, undated.

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Notes on handwritten receipt for fine prose and The cedar grove, handwritten manuscript/ notes, 11 pages, undated.

TccL to Clemens, Cyril, 14 March 1972.

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2 TLS/ photocopies to Texas. University. Humanities Research Center, 11 August and 17 September 1971. Included with these: TLS Texas HRC to Goldstone.


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Graham, Stephen, 1884-. The angels of Mons, carbon typescript with few handwritten emendations, 5 pages; carbon typescript/ copy, 5 pages; undated.

Greene, Harry Plunkett, 1865-. ALS to Machen, Purefoy, 6 June 1918.

Gregory, Alyse, 1884-. ALS to Steffe, Edwin, 3 June 1963.

Hart, James David, 1911-. TLS to Powell, Lawrence Clark, 23 May 1962. Removed from A passion for books by Powell, Z 992 P65 1958 HRC.

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Heath (A. M.) & Co., Ltd. TccL to Searle, R. Townley, 5 March 1923.

Hogan, John Patrick, 1904-. A nut grove in Bloomsbury, carbon copy typescript/copy of article from The Manchester Guardian, 1 page, 22 May 1944.

Hogan, John Patrick, 1904-. ALS to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 21 March 1964. Included with this: TccL Goldstone to Hogan, 17 March 1946; TLS Hogan to Edwin Steffe, 6 May 1963.


Jones, Dan Burne. TLS, ANS to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 1 June 1971, undated. Included with these: TccL Goldstone to Jones, 9 June 1971.


Jones, Keith. TLS to Steffe, Edwin, 2 May 1963.

Judson, Arthur. 3 TLS to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 1964, undated.


Kemsley Newspapers Ltd. 2 TLS to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 7 February 1956, 24 October 1957. Included with these: 2 TccL Goldstone to Kemsley Newspapers. Removed from AC-L M 183 Ggo 1956a.


Kherdian, David. TLS to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 11 March 1968.

Knopf (Alfred A.), Inc.:

TLS to Armstrong, T. I. F. (John Gawsworth), 13 July 1933.

2 TLS to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 20 April and 15 June 1960.

FL to the Trade re pirated editions of Machen's work, 1924. Included with this: photographic copy with names of Arthur Machen and Fytton Armstrong at top in Machen's hand.
TLS to Wells (Edgar H.) and Company, 26 September 1933.


Lauterbach, Edward S. 10 TLS, 2 TPCL to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 1963-1967. Included are The Editor's fence, ELT authors, and The Arthur Machen Society newsletter 14.

Machen, Arthur, 1863-1947:

Address books, duplicated copies, 22 pages, undated. Container 15.2

Extracts about Machen from newspapers, typescript/ copies, 16 pages, 1923-1940. Contains also bits by Machen. Container 15.1

Notes and comments re newspaper clippings, 3 handwritten manuscripts with newspaper clippings, 5 pages, undated.

Notes to unidentified translator on his translation, handwritten manuscript, 2 pages, undated.


Rejection slips made by Machen as reader for Ernest Benn Limited, 541 sheets with author and title of manuscript read, some with initials, signatures and comments of other readers, 1928-1932. Container 15.3-6

Machen, Hilary:

3 ALS to Goldsmith, Alfred, 5 January 1931, undated. Container 15.1

2 ALS to Goldsmith, Alfred, Mrs., 28 May 1926, undated.

ALS to Hillyer, Robert Silliman, 26 November 1926.

Machen, Purefoy:

ALS to Armstrong, T. I. F., 14 December 1946. Container 15.1

4 ALS to Goldsmith, Alfred, Mrs., undated.

ALS to Hillyer, Robert S., Mrs., 8 June no year. Enclosed with this: ALS Janet Machen to Mrs. Hillyer.

Marks, Harry F. 2 TLS to Armstrong, T. I. F. (John Gawsworth) re Arthur Machen, 22 August and 7 October 1933.


Mayfield, John S., 1904-. 7 TLS to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 1950-1964.


Michael, D. Parry M. ALS, TLS, 2 TLS/photocopies to The Machen Society, 1958-1963. Included is TLS from Adrian Goldstone to The Humanities Research Center.

Michaels, Parry. Machen bibliography, mimeo with handwritten note by Machen, 3 pages, undated.


Millard, C. S. TccL to advertisement manager at Hereford Times, 12 July 1922.


Morel, Violet. ALS to Baerlein, Henry Philip Bernard, 30 September 1909.

Mowery, Bob Lee. 17 ALS, 7 ALI, AL, 23 TLS, 8 TLI, TL, APCS, APCI, APC to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 1956-1966. Included with these: Goldstone, TLI/photocopy and 80 TccL to Mowery. Some addressed also to other members of the Arthur Machen Society. Enclosed with these are various bibliographical notes.

Container 16.1-2
Newport, England (Monmouthshire). Central Library. 136 TLS, TccL, 3 FLS to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 1955-1962. Included with these: Christmas card from Mayor of Newport; TLS/ copy, 138 TccL Goldstone to Collett. Most of these letters are from the Borough Librarian, W. John Collett.

Parsons, Charles. ALS to Armstrong, T. I. F., 3 July 1930.

Parsons, Charles. 12 ALS, ALI to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 1950-1963. Included with these: 15 TccL Goldstone to Parsons.

Powell, Lawrence Clark, 1906-. 2 TLS to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 3 January 1950, 18 December 1957. Removed from A passion for books by Powell, Z 992 P65 1958 HRC.

Powell, Lawrence Clark, 1906-. TLS to Van Patten, Nathan, 23 March 1953. Removed from A passion for books by Powell, Z 992 P65 1958 HRC.


Redway, George William. ALS to Armstrong, T. I. F. re Arthur Machen, 7 October no year.


Richardson, Dorothy Miller, 1873-1957. ALS to Armstrong, T. I. F., 26 July no year.


The Rowfant Club. TLS/ photocopy to Vodrey, Joseph Kelly, 16 September 1958.

Rowfant Club. Cleveland. 4 ALS secretary N. Lawson Lewis to Bowerman, Biays S., 1932.

Sandoe, James. TL/ copy to Sweetser, Wesley D., 6-7 June 1951.


Secker, Martin. TLS to Armstrong, T. I. F. (John Gawsworth) re Arthur Machen, 10 August 1933.

Seldes, Gilbert. TLS to Starrett, Vincent, 18 April 1917.

Sewell, Brocard, Brother. 10 ALS, 35 TLS, 2 FL, APCI to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 1958-1970. Included with these: TL/ copy, 5 TccL Goldstone to Sewell; 15 receipts, invoices, etc.; TccL Goldstone to St. Albert's Press; Timothy d'Arch Smith Christmas card. Container 16.7

Smith, Paul Jordan, 1885-. 4 TLS to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 1957-1960. Container 16.3


Stanhope, Hester Lucy, Lady, 1776-1839. Details sur la plante appellee Hermodacte, initialed handwritten manuscript, 4 pages, undated. Written In French.

Starrett, Vincent, 1886-. ALS to Eddy, Frederick B., 28 December 1921.


Steffe, Edwin:

Correspondence with various persons re Arthur Machen, 1956-1963, undated. Container 17.1

TLS to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 11 May 1960. Container 16.3

TLS to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 16 August 1961. Also addressed to Wesley Sweetser.
Notes for Machen bibliography, typed and carbon copy typed manuscript with handwritten additions, approximately 125 pages, undated.

26 ALS, 208 TLS, 3 TL, 11 TccLS, 1 FLS to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 1957-1963. Included with these: 3 AccL, 216 TccL Goldstone to Steffe. Several of these are addressed also to W. D. Sweetser and James Stewart. Enclosed with some are bibliographical notes and a few letters from Virginia Steffe:

1957-1959 (May).

1959 (June)-1960.


Stewart, James H., Jr. 56 TLS, 2 TL, 6 TccLS to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 1956-1965. Included with these: TccLS Stewart to Robert L. Tyler; 2 TccL Stewart to Bob Mowery.

Stewart, James H., Jr. 7 TLS, TLS/ incomplete, 2 TccL to Steffe, Edwin, 1957-1963, undated.

Stonor, Oliver. TLS to Steffe, Edwin, 13 May 1963. Removed from: AC-L M183Dber.w 1930a v.1 copy 1

Summerford, Colin. ALS to Armstrong, H. de L., Mrs., 16 March 1943. Attached to this: newspaper clipping.

Summerford, Colin. ALS, ANS to Norman, _____, 22 February 1943, undated. ANS written on printed notice of lunch honoring Machen's 80th birthday.

Swanson, Carl. 7 ALS to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 1957-1960. Included with these: 7 TccL Goldstone to Swanson.

Swanson, Carl. List of Machen items in his collection, typescript, 3 pages, undated.

Sweetser, Wesley D.:

Bibliography of Arthur Machen, typescript, heavily marked, 27 pages; carbon copy typescript/ incomplete, 45 pages; undated.

Macheniana, carbon copy typescript with handwritten additions, 19 pages, undated.

23 ALS, 154 TLS to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 1956-1967. Included with these: Goldstone, 264 TccL to Sweetser, 1956-1967. A few addressed also to other members of the Machen Society. Enclosed with these are various bibliographical notes and drafts re Machen:

1956-1959 (April).  
Container 19.1

1959 (May)-1961 (May).  
Container 19.2

1961 (June)-1964 (February).  
Container 19.3

1964 (March)-1967.  
Container 19.4

ALS to Goldstone, Adrian, 14 October 1975. Included with this: TL/ reply by Goldstone.  
Container 18.2

TccL to Smith, Paul Jordan, 5 July 1951. Written on the letter is ALS/ reply, undated.  
Container 19.5

Tate, Madeline. 2 ALS to Armstrong, T. I. F. (John Gawsworth) re Arthur Machen, 20 and 23 August 1933.  
Container 19.5

Theatre Arts Monthly. 2 TLS to Armstrong, T. I. F. (John Gawsworth) re Arthur Machen, 8 July and 15 August 1933.  
Container 19.5

The Times Bookshop. TLS to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 10 March 1962.  
Container 19.5

The Times Literary Supplement. TLS to Hollings, Frank, 8 December 1955. Included with this: copy of Times Literary Supplement, 2 April 1954, with article on Machen; printed letter to editor re this article.  
Container 19.5

Trewin, John Courtenay, 1908-. ALS, 2 TLS to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 1961. Included with these: 3 TccL Goldstone to Trewin.  
Container 19.5

Tyler, Robert L. 4 TLS to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 1962-1964. Included with these: TLS Tyler to Joseph Vodrey, 31 March 1962; TLS Tyler to Edwin Steff, 18 April 1963, with ANS Steffe to Goldstone.  
Container 19.5

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Van Patten, Delores:

ALS, 3 TLS to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 1963-1966.  
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TLS to Steffe, Edwin, 21 April 1963.


Van Patten, Nathan, 1887- :


2 TLS to Bowerman, Biays S., 6 and 28 October 1932.

TLS to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 17 May 1948.

ALS, 9 TLS to Goldstone Adrian Homer, 1951-1956. With enclosures.

Vodrey, Joseph Kelly:


TL/ photocopy to Feiss, Carl re Machen introduction to John Cleland's Amatory experiences of a surgeon, 4 December 1957. Included with this: TLS/ reply/ photocopy, 7 December 1957.

ALI, 37 TLI, 5 FL, 8 ANI, TNI, 2 APCS, 14 APCI, 4 TPCS, 4 TPCI, FPC, telegram, Christmas card to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 1948-1966. Included with these: 56 TccL Goldstone to Vodrey; ALS Mary Vodrey to Adrian and Dorothy Goldstone, 13 August 1965. Enclosed with these are copies of letter to and from members of The Arthur Machen Society and bibliographical notes.


TLS/ photocopy to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 1965. Announcement of gift of Machen collection to Princeton.

TLS to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 14 January 1965.


TccL to Sweetser, Wesley D., 31 December 1957.

TccL to Van Patten, Dolores, 17 August 1959.


Wolf, Howard. 2 TLS/ photocopies to Vodrey, Joseph Kelly, 30 January and 20 February 1949.


Yorke, Gerald, 1901-. TLS to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 18 May 1966.


Yorke, John. ALS to Goldstone, Adrian Homer, 5 February 1966.

Miscellaneous original envelopes.  

Container 20.5
Explanatory Note Concerning Manuscript Collections Cataloged in the Card Catalog

Prior to 1990 when archival cataloging procedures were adopted at the Ransom Center, all manuscript collections were described in a card catalog.

Organization of Collections:

- Manuscripts for each author collection were organized into four categories:
  - Works: manuscripts by the author, arranged alphabetically by title;
  - Letters: the author's outgoing correspondence, arranged alphabetically by recipient name;
  - Recipient: the author's incoming correspondence, arranged alphabetically by the author of the letter; and
  - Miscellaneous: all other manuscripts and correspondence, arranged alphabetically by creator.

Materials that did not fit into these categories, such as art, photographs, books, and near-print materials such as newspaper clippings, were dispersed to other Ransom Center collections for cataloging and storage.

Abbreviations Used in Descriptions:

The symbols below were used in combinations. For example ALS means autograph letter signed; Tccms means typed carbon copy manuscript, etc.

- **A** = autograph (i.e., handwritten)
- **T** = typed
- **S** = signed
- **I** = initialed
- **Ms** = manuscript
- **Mss** = manuscripts
- **L** = letter
- **FL** = form letter
- **N** = note
- **D** = document
- **C** = card
- **PC** = post card
- **cc** = carbon copy
- **p** = page
- **pp** = pages
- **l** = leaf
- **ll** = leaves
- **nd** = no date
- **inc d** = incomplete date