NAME OF COLLECTION: William Christian Lehmann Papers

SOURCE: Gift of Shirley Lehmann Spohr, 1984

SUBJECT: Scottish Enlightenment; American Liberal Politics, 20th Century

DATES COVERED: 1916 - 1980

NUMBER OF ITEMS: c. 750

STATUS: Cataloged: X Listed: X Arranged: X Not organized: □

CONDITION: Bound: □ Boxed: 13 Stored: □

LOCATION: Library Rare Book and Manuscript

CALL-NUMBER Ms. Coll/Lehmann

RESTRICTIONS ON USE None

DESCRIPTION:

Correspondence, manuscripts, notes, research materials, microfilms, printed materials and books of William Christian Lehmann, 1888-1980, Professor of Sociology at Syracuse University, 1927-1974 (Columbia Ph.D., 1930). Included among the correspondents are Eleanor Roosevelt, Henry A. Wallace, Norman Thomas, Wayne Morse, Reinhold Niebuhr and Franklin H. Giddings. Lehmann was a leading authority of the eighteenth-century Scottish Enlightenment and published several books about this period. Included in the collection are the manuscript, notes and research materials for John Millar of Glasgow, 1735-1801 (1960); early drafts, notes and research materials for Henry Home, Lord Kames, and the Scottish Enlightenment (1971); and numerous papers and articles, many unpublished, dealing with the Scottish Enlightenment. The collection also includes some information relating to Lehmann’s involvement in local and national politics, especially his participation in the Liberal Party and Americans for Democratic Action. In addition, a number of Professor Lehmann's Scottish books, as well as his own books, are shelved at the end of the collection.

For a listing of the collection, see following pages.
William Christian LEHMANN Papers

Box 1. Cataloged correspondence; Arranged correspondence; Subject Files; Notes

Cataloged correspondence:

Bunche, Ralph J.
Giddings, Franklin H.
Henderson, Leon
Humphrey, Hubert H.
Lerner, Max
Lindeman, Eduard C.
MacIver, Robert M.
Morse, Wayne
Niebuhr, Reinhold
Reischauer, Edwin O.
Roosevelt, Eleanor
Roosevelt, Franklin D.
Sorokin, Pitirim A.
Thomas, Norman
Wallace, Henry A.

Arranged Correspondence:

Arranged correspondence, B - Z
Barnes, Harry Elmer
Becker, Howard E.
Bernard, L.L.
Cairncross, A.K.
Count, Earl W.
Fordyce, C.J.
Haring, Douglas G.
Highet, John
König, René
Lehmann, William C. (carbon copies)
Meek, R.L.
Meikle, Henry W.
Mizuta, Hiroshi
Pascal, Roy
Tenney, A.A.

Subject Files:

American Institute, University of Munich
Americans for Democratic Action, Syracuse Chapter
Amerika Haus Program
Awards, certificates, et cetera
Chapel Address -- E. Franklin Frazier
Columbia University
Box 1. Cataloged correspondence; Arranged correspondence; Subject Files; Notes (cont'd)

Subject Files (cont'd):

- Fulbright Grant, University of Munster
- Fulbright Proposal [1951?]
- Kames Memorabilia
- Mission House
- Receipts for Book Purchases
- Schedule of Sociology Radio Talks
- Speakers & Artists Programming Section
- Syracuse Census Tract
- Syracuse University
- Whitney Visiting Professorship

Notes:

- Analytic Review
  Eighteenth Century Scottish Social Theory. Chapter 16.
  Ferguson, Adam
  Glasgow University Manuscripts; Senate and University Minutes
  Henry Home, Lord Kames, and the Scottish Enlightenment
  John Millar of Glasgow.
  - References to Millar.
- Lecture Notes.
- Millar, John
- Miscellaneous (1) - (2)

Box 2. Manuscripts

- "American Institute, Munich Assignment" t.ms.
- "The American Way" t.ms. (German)
- "The Brethren of the Common Life and their Contribution to Renaissance Education" a.ms.s. [Undergraduate paper]
- "The Contribution of the 'Younger' School of German Historical Economists" [Japan Lecture] t.ms.
- "Early American Sociological Theory" [Japan Lecture] t.ms.
- Eighteenth Century English Social Theory. t.ms. (1) - (9)
- "18th Century Scottish Contributions to the Development of Social Thought." [Japan Lecture] t.ms.
- "Election Eve Broadcast for the Liberal Party" t.ms.
- "Gesellschaftswissenschaft und Wissenschaft von der Politik ..." t.ms.
- "The Historical Approach in the Juridical Writings of Lord Kames." [Draft] t.ms.
Box 2. Manuscripts (cont'd)

"Herder's Contribution Toward an Empirical Sociology." t.ms. & t.ms.(carbon)

Box 3. Manuscripts

"The Influence of Sociology on the Scientific Study of History."
"Introduction to John Millar, Origin of the Distinction of Ranks." t.ms.
"Ist Der McCarthyism Tod?" t.ms.
"J.M. Robertson's Buckle and His Critics." t.ms.
Japan Lectures -- Tentative Topic Suggestions
"John Millar, Historical Sociologist" t.ms.
John Millar of Glasgow. t.ms. (1) - (7)
"John Millar, Professor of Civil Law at Glasgow (1761-1801)." t.ms.
"Landmarks in the Development of Social Theory." Synopsis.
"Popular Religious Life in Germany at the Dawn of the Reformation."
[Undergraduate Paper] a.ms.s.
"Rationalizing the Irrational." t.ms. (photocopy)
"Shall Price Controls Go Back?" t.ms.
"Should Government War-Time Controls Be Re-Imposed?" t.ms.
"Some 18th Century Scottish Antecedents of 19th Century Historical Materialism." t.ms. [unpublished]
"Some Notes and Observations on Professor Millar's Lectures on Government." t.ms. [unpublished]
"Some Observations on the Law Lectures of Professor Millar." t.ms.
"Some Reflections on Select Aspects of the Development Sociology Theoretical and Applied." t.ms. (photocopy)
"The Stranger Within Our Gates -- Deportation or Assimilation?" t.ms.
"Was Bedeuted und Wohin Fuehrt die Automation." t.ms.
Review of Franklin Giddings, Civilization and Society." a.ms.s. & t.ms.
Box 4. Supporting Materials; Photographs; Miscellaneous; Printed Matter

Supporting Materials:

"Analytical Introduction." [re. James Steuart]
"Bibliography of the Writings of Charles Abram Ellwood." t.ms. (mimeo)
"Chapter III. Achievement, 1745-1770." t.ms. (mimeo)

Home, Henry. [Lord Kames]. Caricatures.
" " Handwriting & Signature sample. Facsimile
" " Letters to Miss Katherine Gordon. Transcripts.
" " Miscellaneous letters. a.l.s. (photocopies)
" " Miscellaneous letters. Transcripts.


Millar, John. Correspondence with Edmund Burke. a.l.s. (photocopies)
" " Lectures on English Law. [Student Notes]
" " Lectures on Government - Outline & Transcript. t.ms.
" " Letters. Transcripts. t.ms.
" " Letters to Crito. Transcripts.
" " Selections.

Reviews of John Millar's works.

Schneider, Louis. Introduction to Adam Ferguson, Essay on the History of Civil Society. t.ms.

Photographs:

Ferguson, Adam. Burial Place.
Home, Henry. [Lord Kames] (slide)
Kames Estate
Lehmann, William Christian (1979)

Miscellaneous:

Lehmann, William C. -- Obituary information and letters
Note on the establishment of the Lehmann Collection at Columbia
Processing Notes. [Shirley Lehmann Spohr] (1) - (2)

Printed Matter:

American Institute at the University of Munich
Clippings. Lehmann, William C. - Biographical
" " " German
" " Shenton, Herbert - Obituary
" " Comment on Louis Schneider, "Tension in the Thought of John Millar"
" " Ferguson, Adam. Encyclopedia of the Social Sciences. (photocopy)
" " " Reviews.

Home, Henry. [Lord Kames] Prefaces. (Photocopies)
" " Millar, John." Encyclopedia of the Social Sciences.
Box 4. Supporting Materials; Photographs; Miscellaneous; Printed Matter (cont'd)

Printed Matter (cont'd):

The Progressive. April 1954.
Review of Mackensie et al., "Dasenformer Der Grossstadt"
Review of Helmut Schelsky, Wanderlugen des Deutschen Familie ...
Review of Gerhard Wurzbacher, Leitbilder Gegenwartigen Deutschen
Familienlebens.
Scottish and Scotch-Irish Contributions to Early American Life and
Culture. Reviews.

Box 5. Microfilms

Analytic Review.
Blair Adam Correspondence, Clerk of Penicuick Muniments, Seafield Muniments
Craig, [77]. Life of Millar, and others.
Home, Henry. [Lord Kames]. Historical Law Tracts.
Millar, John. Civil Law; Scots and English Law.
Millar, John. Letters to Crito; (This reel also includes Home, Henry. Sketches.)
Ochtertyre Manuscript; Adam Ferguson and Henry Home [Lord Kames]
Sydney, [?]. Letters of Sydney on the Inequality of Property.
Wight, [?]. Wight on Husbandry in Scotland.

Box 6. Books and Articles by William C. Lehmann

Articles:

"Adam Ferguson, Eighteenth Century Moral Philosophy and Distinguished
Clansman." The Bee Line. No. 17. (Fall 1978). (2 copies)
"Eine Methode der Gemeindeforschung in den Vereinigten Staaten von
Heft (1953)
"The Historical Approach in the Juridical Writings of Lord Kames."
The Juridical Review 1964 Part I - April (offprint)
"John Millar, Historical Sociologist: Some Remarkable Anticipations of
Modern Sociology." British Journal of Sociology III; 1 (March 1952)
(offprint)
"John Millar, Professor of Civil Law at Glasgow (1761-1801)." The
Juridical Review 1961 Part 3 - December
"Observations on the Law Lectures of Professor Millar (1761-1801)."
The Juridical Review 1970 Part 1 - April
Review of Adam Ferguson. Sociologia e filosofia politica. by Pasquale
Box 6. Books & Articles by William C. Lehmann (cont'd)

Articles (cont'd):

"Some Conditions of A Fruitful Cultural Exchange between Germany and the United States." Sociologus n.s. 3;1 (1953)
"Some Observations of a Visiting Sociologist on Tendencies and Trends in Sociology in Germany Today." Sociologus n.s. 6;2 (1956)

Books:


Box 7. Books and Articles

Assorted articles and reprints of articles on Scotland and sociology.

Scotland. A Select Bibliography. [NRL Book List] Second series. [pamphlet]
The Cambridge Journal VII;11 (August 1954)

Box 8. Books

Mackie, J.D. The University of Glasgow, 1451-1951: A Short History. (Glasgow, 1954)
Muirhead, John Spence. The Old Minute Book of the Faculty of Procurators in Glasgow, 1668-1758. (Glasgow, 1948)
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<td>v. 7 (of 12). (Edinburgh, 1811).</td>
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<td>Hutchinson, Francis. A System of Moral Philosophy</td>
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Box 13. Books

- The New Annual Register, or General Repository of History, Politics, and Literature for the Year 1792. (London, MDCCXCIII [1793])
- The New Annual Register, or General Repository of History, Politics, and Literature for the Year 1793. (London, MDCCXCIV [1794])
- The New Annual Register, or General Repository of History, Politics, and Literature for the Year 1794. (London, MDCCXCV [1795])
- Rae, John. *Life of Adam Smith*. (London, 1895)
- The Scots Magazine MDCLXIX. V. XXI [21].