

COLLECTIONS OF CORRESPONDENCE AND MANUSCRIPT DOCUMENTS

NAME OF COLLECTION: Bernardine Kielty SCHERMAN Papers
(1890[?]-1973)

SOURCE: Gift of Bernardine K. Scherman -- 1966

SUBJECT: _____

DATES COVERED: 1923-1965 NUMBER OF ITEMS: ca.700

STATUS: (check appropriate description)
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LOCATION: (Library) Rare Book & Manuscript CALL-NUMBER Ms Coll/B. Scherman

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DESCRIPTION:

A collection of the correspondence, manuscripts, and books of the American author and critic Bernardine Kielty Scherman. Author of Girl From Fitchburg (New York, 1964) and editor of A Treasury of Short Stories (New York, 1947), Mrs. Scherman has served as editor of the magazine Story, columnist for the Ladies' Home Journal and Book-of-the-Month Club News, and book reviewer for the Saturday Review of Literature, The New Leader, and other periodicals. Her manuscripts and correspondence relating to these activities are present in the collection. Of special interest are the long and rich files of letters from Dorothy Canfield Fisher and W. Somerset Maugham, as well as letters from other contemporary authors, among them Bernard Berenson, Isak Dinesen, Rumer Godden, Franz Werfel, and Kathleen Winsor.

See attached list.

BERNARDINE KIELTY SCHERMAN PAPERS

Gift of Bernardine Kielty Scherman, 1966.

A. Correspondence

- Box 1** Adamic, Louis. t.l.s. to Harry Scherman, lp. Washington, 5 August 1936.
 Adams, Samuel Hopkins. 2 a.l.s. to Bernardine Kielty Scherman. Irvington-on Hudson & Auburn, N. Y., May 1955 & August 1958.
 Berenson, Bernard. a.l.s. to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Scherman, 2p. Florence, 23 December 1951.
 Bliven, Bruce. t.l.s. to B. K. Scherman, lp. Stanford, 8 October 1964.
 Blixen, Karen. 2 t.l.s. to B. K. Scherman. Rungstedlund, October 1951 & April 1952.
 Blixen, Karen. Correspondence relating to Baroness Blixen. *Buck, Pearl 14.1.5. 12/5/68*
 Canfield, James A. 2 a.l.s. to B. K. Scherman. [Arlington, Vt.] & Miami, Fla., May 1947? and November 1958. **MICROFILM**
 Cerf, Bennett. 2 t.l.s. to B. K. Scherman. New York, 1957.
 Costain, Thomas B. 3 t.l.s. and 1 a.l.s. to B. K. Scherman. Garden City & New York, 1942-1964.
 Doyle, Adrian Conan. telegram to Simon and Schuster, lp. (with related correspondence) [London, 3 January 1948].
 Fisher, Dorothy Canfield. 1 a.l.s. to Harry Scherman; 7 a.l.s. & 1 a.p.c.s. to Harry and Bernardine Scherman; 18 a.l.s., 22 t.l.s., & 1 t.l. to B. K. Scherman. V.p., n.d. & [1931]-1953.
 Fisher, Dorothy Canfield. a.l.s. to Emilie Fischbacher, lp. New York, 22 January n.y.
 Frank, Bruno. a.l.s. to B. K. Scherman, 2p. Beverly Hills, 9 December 1944.
Box 2 Gallico, Paul. t.l.s. to Harry and Bernardine Scherman, lp. Antibes, 17 September 1963.
 Gannett, Lewis. t.l.s. to Harry Scherman, lp. West Cornwall, Conn., 19 August 1960.
 Godden, Rumer. 2 a.l.s. to B. K. Scherman. Rye, Eng., November 1963 & October 1964.
 Gunther, Frances. a.l.s. to B. K. Scherman, 4p. Madison, Conn., 14 July 1947.
 Hansen, Harry. t.l.s. to B. K. Scherman, lp. New York, 29 July 1964.
 Hight, Gilbert. t.l.s. to B. K. Scherman, 2p. East Hampton, 22 June 1964.
 Hobson, Laura Z. 2 a.l.s. and 2 t.l.s. to B. K. Scherman. V.p., 1947-1964.
 Huxley, Elspeth. t.l.s. to Guy Charrington, 2p. Malmesbury, 19 July [1951]
 Huxley, Elspeth. a.l.s. to B. K. Scherman, lp. Malmesbury, 23 August 1952.
 Jameson, Storm. t.l.s. to B. K. Scherman, lp. Cambridge, Eng., 1 August 1964.
 Kapt, Alfred A. t.l.s. to B. K. Scherman, lp. New York, 12 June 1964.
 McGinley, Phyllis. a.l.s. to B. K. Scherman, 3p. Weston, Conn., 24 June 1964.
 MacInness, Helen. a.l.s. to B. K. Scherman, lp. East Hampton, 1 July [1964].
 McKenney, Ruth. t.l. to B. K. Scherman, lp. Washington, 20 February n.y.
 McKenney, Ruth. t.l.s. to Harry Scherman, 2p. Washington, 15 May 1943.
 Maughan, William Somerset. 3 a.l.s. and 1 t.l.s. to B. K. Scherman. Cap Ferrat, n.y. & 1949.
 Maughan, William Somerset. 3 t.l.s. to Harry and Bernardine Scherman. Cap. Ferrat, 1954-1964.
 Maughan, William Somerset. Material relating to Maughan.
 Mitropoulos, Dimitri. a.l.s. to B. K. Scherman, lp. [New York] 5 November 1955.
 Nash, Ogden. t.l.s. to B. K. Scherman, lp. New York, 11 February 1960.
 Coeler, Arch. t.l.s. to Harry Scherman, lp. (with draft of reply from Bernardine Scherman. Hollywood, 28 September 1945.
 Payne, Robert. t.l.s. to B. K. Scherman, 2p. New York, 8 August 1963.
 Roeder, Ralph. t.l.s. to Harry Scherman, lp. Mexico City, 1 June 1942.
 Roosevelt, Eleanor B. 1 a.l.s. and 1 t.l.s. to B. K. Scherman. Oyster Bay, 1944 & 1952.
 Roosevelt, Eleanor B. t.l.s. to Harry Scherman, 2p. Oyster Bay, 16 August 1944.
 Schuster, M. Lincoln. 2 a.l.s. to B. K. Scherman. Port Washington, N.Y., 1960 & 1964.
 Shairer, William L. t.l.s. to B. K. Scherman, lp. Torrington, Conn., 3 August 1960.

Additional correspondence has been added to the collection. See the autograph letter file.

Werfel, Alma Mahler (Mrs. Franz). 4 a.l.s. to Harry and Bernardine Scherman; 5 a.l.s. to B. K. Scherman. V.p., n.d. and 1936-1945.
Werfel, Franz. t.l.s. to B. K. Scherman, lp. Vienna, 5 December 1934. (envelope)
Winsor, Kathleen. 2 t.l.s. to B. K. Scherman. Washington, 1964-1965.
White, William Allen. t.l.s. to B. K. Scherman, lp. (with envelope). Emporia, 6 July 1932.

B. Manuscripts

Box 3-4 Girl From Fitchburg

Shelved off-site

Typescript, original draft, with corrections.
Typescript, carbon, with corrections.
Typescript, publisher's copy.
Correspondence with publisher, ca. 50 items.
Correspondence (fan mail, etc.), ca. 200 items.
Clippings, ca. 25 items.
Printed book (Random House, 1964) inscribed.

Box 5 Jenny Lind Sang Here

Shelved off-site

Typescript, publisher's copy, with corrections.
Typescript, carbon, with corrections.
Galley proofs, with corrections.
Notebooks, 3 volumes.
Printed book (Houghton Mifflin, 1959), inscribed.

Maria Antoinette

Typescript.
Pictures, 6 items.
Printed book (Random House, 1955), inscribed.

Masters of Painting

Typescript, carbon, with corrections.
Notebooks, 5 volumes.
Misc. notes, 5 items.
Printed book (Doubleday, 1964), inscribed.

Box 6 Misc. Manuscripts:

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"Theater Days in New York". Typescript, carbon.
"Keeping Up With The Joneses' Children". Typescript, carbon (unpublished).
"A Note About American Women for French Women". Typescript, carbon; misc. notes and clippings; issue of "L'Age Nouveau".
Introduction to Isak Dinesen's Out of Africa. Misc. correspondence, notes and sketches, ca. 25 items; printed book (Modern Library, 1952).
"Under Cover." 3 typescripts; related correspondence.

Box 7

C. Printed Materials

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Clippings relating to publications: ca. 50 items.
Biographical Material (photographs, clippings, certificates): ca. 50 items.

Books and Periodicals: A Treasury of Short Stories (Simon and Schuster, 1947), first ed. inscribed; The Sidewalks of New York (New York, 1923); Articles from "Ladies Home Journal", 1946-1960; Foreign editions of works by BKS, 10 volumes; Misc. periodicals containing articles by BKS, 4 items.