

COLLECTIONS OF CORRESPONDENCE AND MANUSCRIPT DOCUMENTS

NAME OF COLLECTION: Yeats Family Letters

SOURCE: Gift of Mary Sutliff -- 1942; 293 - 6/24/80; Gift of Robert Wilbur, 1982;

SUBJECT: Cuala press and modern literature

DATES COVERED: 1896-1968 NUMBER OF ITEMS: 79
(49 letters and 29 photos)
STATUS: (check appropriate description)
Cataloged: X Listed: Arranged: Not organized:

CONDITION: (give number of vols., boxes, or shelves)
Bound: Boxed: 2 boxes Stored:

LOCATION: (Library) Special Collections CALL-NUMBER Spec Ms Coll
Yeats

RESTRICTIONS HOUSE READER MUST USE MICROFILM (film also includes Yeats family items from Belmont, Coykendall and Masefield Collections)

Photographs (not microfilmed) are stored in box 1

DESCRIPTION:

A collection of letters from members of the Yeats family, including 12 letters from William Butler Yeats to Elen Douglas Duncan, director of the Dublin Gallery of Modern Art, relating to public lectures and containing comments on the unrest in Ireland in 1918. There are also 30 letters from Elizabeth C. Yeats to Mary L. Sutliff dealing with publications of the Cuala Press. Family photographs with the annotations of Elizabeth Yeats, newspaper clippings, book reviews, and other printed ephemera are also contained in the collection.

Talking about Yeats, a 1967 television script by Micheál Mac Liammóir, and a related letter from Mac Liammóir have been added.

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Also includes a typescript catalog of Col. Russell K. Alspach's Yeats collection (Dec. 1964). NOT ON MICROFILM