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Collection Summary

Title: Huntington Cairns Papers

Span Dates: 1780-1984

Bulk Dates: (bulk 1925-1984)

ID No.: MSS14746

Creator: Cairns, Huntington, 1904-1985

Extent: 58,450 items ; 167 containers plus 13 oversize ; 73.1 linear feet

Language: Collection material in English

Location: Manuscript Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

Summary: Author, government official, and lawyer. Correspondence, manuscripts and galley proofs of writings, speeches, subject and research files, family papers, printed material, scrapbooks, and other papers concerning Cairns's career with the U.S. Bureau of Customs as a federal censor of imported books and films, as a lawyer with the Maryland Tax Revision Commission (1938-1941), and as a writer on the arts, law, literature, and philosophy.

Selected Search Terms

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the Library's online catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically therein.

People

Butler family.

Cairns, Huntington, 1904-1985.

Calverton, V. F. (Victor Francis), 1900-1940--Correspondence.

Carnes family.

Crombie, A. C. (Alistair Cameron), 1915- --Correspondence.

Eliot, Alexander--Correspondence.

Feibleman, James Kern, 1904- --Correspondence.

Frank, Jerome, 1889-1957--Correspondence.

Gish, Lillian, 1893-1993--Correspondence.

Hamilton, Edith, 1867-1963--Correspondence.

Heath family.

Hergesheimer, Joseph, 1880-1954. Joseph Hergesheimer papers.

Knox, T. M. (Thomas Malcolm), 1900- --Correspondence.

MacNeill, Ben Dixon, 1889-1960--Correspondence.

Malik, Charles Habib, 1906-1987--Correspondence.

Mellon, Paul--Correspondence.

Mencken, August, 1889-1967--Correspondence.

Mencken, H. L. (Henry Louis), 1880-1956--Correspondence.

Mencken, H. L. (Henry Louis), 1880-1956.

Miller, Henry, 1891-1980--Correspondence.

Pound, Ezra, 1885-1972. Ezra Pound papers.

Sachs, Paul J. (Paul Joseph), 1878-1965--Correspondence.

Schuster, M. Lincoln (Max Lincoln), 1897-1970--Correspondence.

Siegel, Eli, 1902-1978. Eli Siegel papers.

Tate, Allen, 1899-1979--Correspondence.

Tietsch, F. L. (Franz Ludwig)--Correspondence.

Walker, John, 1906-1995--Correspondence.

Wells, H. Neal--Correspondence.

Yntema, Hessel E.--Correspondence.

Organizations

Bollingen Foundation.

Center for Hellenic Studies (Washington, D.C.)

Dumbarton Oaks.

Johns Hopkins University Lectures on Literary Criticism (Symposium : 1948)
Maryland. Tax Revision Commission (1939)
National Gallery of Art (U.S.)
National Home Library Foundation (U.S.)
Textile Museum (Washington, D.C.)
United States. Bureau of Customs.

Subjects

Arts.
Authors, American.
Censorship.
Law.
Literature--History and criticism--Congresses.
Motion pictures--Censorship--United States.
Philosophy.
Practice of law--Maryland.
Taxation--Maryland.

Places

North Carolina--Intellectual life.

Occupations

Authors.
Lawyers.
Public officials.

Administrative Information

Provenance

The papers of Huntington Cairns, lawyer and author, were deposited in the Library of Congress by Cairns in 1964 and converted to a gift by him in 1967. Several additions were received between 1965-1991.

Processing History

The papers received by the Library between 1964-1977 were processed and described in 1966 and revised in 1983. This register describes these earlier accessions as well as additions to the papers received between 1985-1991. Additional changes were made to the finding aid in 2006 to reflect changes in the housing of oversize material.

Transfers

Items have been transferred from the Manuscript Division to other custodial divisions of the Library. Photographs have been transferred to the Prints and Photographs Division. Audio recordings have been transferred to the Motion Picture, Broadcasting, and Recorded Sound Division. All transfers are identified in these divisions as part of the Huntington Cairns Papers.

Copyright Status

Copyright in the unpublished writings of Huntington Cairns in these papers and in other collections of papers in the custody of the Library of Congress has been dedicated to the public.

Access and Restrictions

The papers of Huntington Cairns are open to research. Researchers are advised to contact the Manuscript Reading Room prior to visiting. Many collections are stored off-site and advance notice is needed to retrieve these items for research use.

Preferred Citation

Researchers wishing to cite this collection should include the following information: Container number, Huntington Cairns Papers, Manuscript Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

Biographical Note

<i>Date</i>	<i>Event</i>
1904, Sept. 1	Born, Baltimore, Md.
1922	Graduated, Baltimore City College (high school), Baltimore, Md.
1925	LL.B., University of Maryland Law School, Baltimore, Md.; awarded first prize for thesis on law of charitable trusts in Maryland
1926	Admitted to Maryland bar
1926-1937	Associate and, from 1933, partner in the law firm of Piper, Carey, and Hall, Baltimore, Md.
1930	Married Florence Faison Butler
1934-1937	Special legal adviser, Customs Bureau of the U.S. Treasury Department
1937-1943	Assistant general counsel, Treasury Department
1938-1941	Member of Maryland Tax Revision Commission
1940-1941	Moderator, "Invitation to Learning" radio program
1943-1946	Secretary and member, American Commission for Protection and Salvage of Artistic and Historic Monuments in War Areas
1943-1965	Secretary-treasurer and general counsel, National Gallery of Art Special legal adviser, Customs Bureau of the U.S. Treasury Department
1948	Moderator, Lectures in Criticism Symposium, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Md.
1949-1959	Lecturer in criticism, Johns Hopkins University
1961	Chairman, Presidential Inaugural Concert Committee
1965	Retired, Kitty Hawk, N.C.
1966	Received Rockefeller Public Service Award
1985, Jan. 21	Died, Nags Head, N.C.

Scope and Content Note

The papers of Huntington Cairns (1904-1985) span the years 1780-1984, with the bulk of material dating from 1925 to 1984. The papers concern Cairns's contributions to the fields of law, art, philosophy, literature, and criticism through his

professional associations, writings, and friendships with prominent writers and scholars. The papers are arranged and described in two parts based on their acquisition by the Library. Part I consists of material received by the Library between 1964 and 1977. Part II comprises material accessioned by the Library between 1985 and 1991.

Cairns was born in 1904 in Baltimore, Maryland, the son of James Cairns, a Scottish immigrant and Baltimore businessman, and Helen Heath Cairns. After graduating from Baltimore City College in 1922, Cairns entered the University of Maryland Law School where he received a law degree in 1925. Cairns joined the Baltimore law firm of Piper, Carey, and Hall, becoming partner in 1933. While maintaining his law practice, Cairns wrote prolifically on various legal, philosophical, and literary topics. Before his death in 1985, Cairns published over a dozen books and innumerable articles and book reviews. Through his writings and to some extent through his legal career and board memberships, Cairns enjoyed close friendships with many of the century's major literary figures. These include H. L. Mencken, V. F. Calverton, Henry Miller, Ezra Pound, Edith Hamilton, Robert Frost, Herbert Edward Read, and Joseph Hergesheimer.

In 1934, Secretary of the Treasury Henry Morgenthau appointed Cairns special legal adviser on censorship. As federal censor assigned to the United States Customs Bureau, Cairns wrote opinions based on Section 305 of the 1930 Tariff Act banning the importation of material deemed obscene, treasonous, or advocating contraceptive practices. Cairns's appointment followed soon after the department's attempt to bar the importation of James Joyce's *Ulysses*. Cairns's professional and literary expertise helped to quiet public outcry over the *Ulysses* action. Cairns served as federal censor in a part-time capacity from 1934 to 1937 and again from 1943 to 1965. He held the full-time position of assistant general counsel from 1937 to 1943. Cairns left the Treasury Department in 1943 to become secretary-treasurer and general counsel for the newly-created National Gallery of Art. He retired from the gallery in 1965 and moved to Kitty Hawk, North Carolina.

Part I

Part I of the papers, 1862-1965, is arranged into five series: [General Correspondence](#), [James Kern Feibleman File](#), [Subject File](#), [Book and Article File](#), and [Miscellany](#).

The [General Correspondence](#) series covers the years 1925-1964. The letters, both those received and carbon copies of Cairns's replies, are mainly personal in nature and only occasionally relate to his professional life. The exceptions are his correspondence with publishers concerning printing of the numerous volumes written or edited by him, letters relating to his positions with the Customs Bureau, and papers dealing with his work as a member of the Maryland Tax Revision Commission. The subject matter of Cairns's correspondence pertains to the fields in which he was most interested: law, philosophy, and the arts, with particular emphasis on all aspects of literature, both past and present.

Among the correspondents represented by a substantial number of letters are V. F. Calverton, Alexander Eliot, Jerome Frank, Lillian Gish, Edith Hamilton, Joseph Hergesheimer, Ben Dixon MacNeill, Charles Habib Malik, August Mencken, H. L. Mencken, Henry Miller, Ezra Pound, Paul J. Sachs, M. Lincoln Schuster, Allen Tate, Ludwig O. Teach (F. L. Tietsch), H. Neal Wells (Wells Wells, pseud.), and Hessel E. Yntema. The largest exchange of correspondence is with the philosopher [James Kern Feibleman](#) and is organized in a separate series.

The [Subject File](#) focuses exclusively on Cairns's membership on the Maryland Tax Revision Commission and employment by the Customs Bureau. The commission, established by Governor Herbert R. O'Connor in 1939, studied and made recommendations on taxation and other means of raising revenue. Customs Bureau correspondence and written opinions document the enforcement of censorship regulations and, to a lesser extent, the impact of the 1939 Neutrality Act on customs law.

The [Book and Article](#) series contains files on all of Cairns's major speeches and literary works, including books, articles, and book reviews, in various stages of preparation.

The [Miscellany](#) series contains collected autographs and documents as well as a large collection of manuscripts written by friends and colleagues, including Ezra Pound.

Part II

Part II of the Cairns papers is organized into six series: [Family Papers](#), [General Correspondence](#), [Subject File](#), [Speeches](#), [Writings](#), and [Miscellany](#).

A collection of [family papers](#) contains nineteenth-century correspondence, diaries, and business records of the Heath family, principally of Baltimore. Among the more notable items is a diary kept by F. W. Heath between 1855 and 1873 that records the occupation of Baltimore by Union troops during the Civil War. The series also includes a Connecticut militia roll kept by Stephen Heath in 1816. The papers of Cairns's wife, Florence Bulter Cairns, consist in part of correspondence with her husband dated chiefly between 1941 and 1943, printed matter documenting her opposition to racial integration in the 1950s, and published and unpublished writings, often written under the pseudonym Peter Perry.

The [General Correspondence](#) series spans the years 1919-1984, with the bulk of the correspondence dating from 1965. Prominent correspondents not represented in Part I include A. C. Crombie, T. M. Knox, Paul Mellon, Eli Siegel, and John Walker. While almost all of the correspondence consists of letters sent and received by Cairns, this series also includes H. L. Mencken correspondence with Joseph Hergesheimer and Blanche Knopf. The Mencken- Hergesheimer correspondence, dated between 1937 and 1948, contains references to Cairns and was given to Cairns by Hergesheimer. Photocopies of Mencken's correspondence with Blanche Knopf date between 1921 and 1927 and contain lively literary exchanges.

The major portion of the [Subject File](#) relates to Cairns's involvement in various foundations, organizations, and universities. The files include material on Cairns's trusteeship of the Bollingen Foundation, Dumbarton Oaks, Folger Library, Textile Museum, and National Home Library Foundation. Cairns's key role in the founding of the Center for Hellenic Studies is well documented through correspondence and notes on meetings with American and European scholars. The Subject File also includes material from the Lectures in Criticism Symposium sponsored by Johns Hopkins University in April 1948. The symposium, moderated by Cairns, included among its participants John Crowe Ransom, Allen Tate, and Sir Herbert Edward Read. Cairns's research files on H. L. Mencken's life and literary career were generated primarily in the course of writing *H. L. Mencken: The American Scene, A Reader* (1965) and several articles and lectures. They are also useful in documenting Cairns's friendship with Mencken. The North Carolina files grew out of Cairns's longtime interest and involvement in the state's history, culture, and development. Material related to Cairns's position as secretary-treasurer and general counsel for the National Gallery of Art primarily concerns his retirement from the gallery in 1965.

The [Speeches](#) and [Writings](#) series contain files on Cairns's major speeches and literary works, including books, articles, and book reviews, in various stages of preparation. The [Writings](#) series includes several unpublished manuscripts, including files from Cairns's last work on the Elizabethan Gardens in Roanoke Island, North Carolina. It also includes a large collection of manuscripts written by friends and colleagues, including Joseph Hergesheimer and Eli Siegel.

The [Miscellany](#) series contains information on Cairns's awards, honorary degrees, health, and financial activities. Photographs relate to Cairns's social life and travel and Robert Frost, Edith Hamilton, Henry Miller, Dylan Thomas, Saint-John Perse, and V. F. Calverton, among many others. Scrapbooks containing material dated between 1906 and 1982 provide a useful record of Cairns's professional and literary career. The [Miscellany](#) series includes collected autographs and documents, among them a legal journal, 1794-1800, kept by Richard Hall Harwood, a member of the Maryland House of Delegates in 1798.

Organization of the Papers

The collection is arranged in two parts composed of twelve series:

Part I:

- [General Correspondence, 1925-1964](#)
- [James Kern Feibleman File, 1938-1964](#)
- [Subject File, circa 1931-1944.](#)
- [Book and Article File, circa 1926-1965](#)
- [Miscellany, 1862-1964](#)

Part II:

- [Family Papers, 1816-1984](#)
- [General Correspondence, 1919-1984](#)
- [Subject File, 1920-1984](#)
- [Speeches, 1933-1973](#)
- [Writings, 1905-1984](#)
- [Miscellany, 1780-1984](#)

- Oversize, 1816-1977

Description of Series

<i>Container</i>	<i>Series</i>
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BOX 42-51	<u>Part I: James Kern Feibleman File, 1938-1964</u> Correspondence between Cairns and James Kern Feibleman, with attached and related material. This correspondence was removed from General Correspondence because of restrictions placed on the material during Cairns's lifetime. These restrictions were lifted in 1985. Arranged chronologically.
BOX 52-57	<u>Part I: Subject File, circa 1931-1944</u> Correspondence, opinions, reports, lists, printed matter, court documents, and financial matter pertaining to the Customs Bureau and the Maryland Tax Revision Commission. Arranged by subject matter and by type of material therein.
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BOX 85-86	<u>Part I: Miscellany, 1862-1964</u> Writings by others, autographs, financial material, and newspaper clippings.
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BOX 90-111	<u>Part II: General Correspondence, 1919-1984</u> Correspondence with attached and related material. Arranged alphabetically by name of correspondent.
BOX 111-125	<u>Part II: Subject File, 1920-1984</u> Correspondence, memoranda, reports, minutes, photographs, scrapbooks, research file, newspaper clippings and other printed matter principally concerning Cairns's association with various foundations, institutions, and universities. Arranged alphabetically by topic.
BOX 125-129	<u>Part II: Speeches, 1933-1973</u> Typed and holographic drafts, printed texts, correspondence, programs, newspaper clippings, photographs, and notes pertaining to speeches and lectures delivered by Cairns. Arranged chronologically. Lecture series are filed by date of first lecture.
BOX 129-152	<u>Part II: Writings, 1905-1984</u> Typed and holographic drafts, reprints, correspondence, scrapbooks, newspaper clippings, notes, and background research files organized into writings by Cairns and by others.

Cairns's writings are arranged by type of publication, with books arranged alphabetically by title and articles and book reviews arranged chronologically. Writings by others are arranged alphabetically by author and therein by title.

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Part II: Miscellany, 1780-1984

Address books, appointment book, awards and honorary degrees, biographical material, certificates, notebooks, photographs, scrapbooks, legal documents, printed ephemera, and health, financial, and property records.

Arranged alphabetically by subject or type of material.

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Part II: Oversize, 1816-1977

Oversize material consisting mostly of certificates, photographs, posters, a militia roll, and scrapbook.

Organized and described according to the series, containers, and folders from which the items were removed.

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	Wigmore, John H.
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	Wilson, Colin
	Wilson, Edmund
	Wood, Robert W.
	Wranglers Club, Baltimore, Md.
	Wright, Louis B.
	Wylie, Philip
BOX 40	"Wa-Wei" miscellaneous
	"Wel-X" miscellaneous
	Yamada, Saburo
	Yarmolinsky, Avrahm
BOX 41	Yntema, Hessel E.
	Young, Frederic
	Young, Philip
	Young, Stark
	"Y-Z" miscellaneous
	Unidentified
BOX 42-51	Part I: James Kern Feibleman File, 1938-1964
	Correspondence between Cairns and James Kern Feibleman, with attached and related material. This correspondence was removed from General Correspondence because of restrictions placed on the material during Cairns's lifetime. These restrictions were lifted in 1985.

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Correspondence, 1938-1964 *See also Container 85, Feibleman, James Kern*

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Part I: Subject File, circa 1931-1944

Correspondence, opinions, reports, lists, printed matter, court documents, and financial matter pertaining to the Customs Bureau and the Maryland Tax Revision Commission.

Arranged by subject matter and by type of material therein.

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Part I: Book and Article File, circa 1926-1965

Typed and holographic drafts, galley proofs, reprints, correspondence, newspaper clippings, and notes.

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BOX 58-61

Invitation to Learning (1941)

BOX 62-67

The Collected Dialogues of Plato (1961)

BOX 68

French Literature and Its Masters by George Saintsbury, edited by Cairns (1946)

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Law and the Social Sciences (1935)

Lectures in Criticism (1949)

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Legal Philosophy from Plato to Hegel (1949)

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The Limits of Art (1948)

BOX 80-81

H. L. Mencken: The American Scene, A Reader (1965)

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The Scientific Theory of Culture (1944)

The Theory of Legal Science (1941)

BOX 83

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Dictionary of American Biography articles

"A Divine Intoxicant"

"Freedom of Expression in Literature"

BOX 84

"Henry Adams"

"John Marshall"

"Law and Anthropology"

"The Law of Charitable Trusts"

"The Sadistic Side of the Law"

"The Socialization of Jurisprudence"

"The Taxation of Gross Receipts"

"The Twilight of Liberty"

Notes on censorship

Notes on contract

Notes on obscenity

Book reviews

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Part I: Miscellany, 1862-1964

Writings by others, autographs, financial material, and newspaper clippings.

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Collected autographs, 1862-1929, undated

Part II: Family Papers, 1816-1984

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- Correspondence, 1905-1915, undated
(3 folders)
 - Miscellany, 1913, undated
 - Chapin, Daniel, will, 1875
 - Estate papers re Helen H. Cairns, Anna W. (Utley) Heath (grandmother), and Charles Chapin Heath (grandfather), 1931, 1944, 1956-1957
 - Genealogical research
 - Cairns family, 1967, 1979, undated
 - Chapin family, 1962
 - General correspondence, 1932-1934
 - Huntington family
 - Association, 1930, 1959-1966
 - Miscellany, 1894, 1928, undated
 - Notes, undated
 - Heath, Anna W. (Utley), 1875-1931, 1946, undated
 - Heath, Buckley P., 1842
 - Heath, Charles, 1864
 - Heath, Charles Chapin
 - Diaries
 - 1888-1891
 - 1891-1901, 1909
 - Financial ledger and accounts, 1881-1897
 - Property records, 1881-1909
 - Heath, Elisha S. (great-grandfather), patent certificate for Baltimore, Clarion, and Maple Creek Petroleum and Mining Co., 1866 *See Oversize*
 - Heath, Elisha S. (granduncle), letter, undated
 - Heath, Elizabeth S. (Bartlett), 1820-1828
 - Heath, F. W., diary, 1855-1873
 - Heath, Stephen, Connecticut militia roll, 1816 *See Oversize*
 - Heath, William H., 1828, 1855, 1864
 - Terry, Robert Huntington, 1917, 1927, 1942
- BOX 89**
- BOX 90**
- BOX 90-111**
- Part II: General Correspondence, 1919-1984**
Correspondence with attached and related material.
Arranged alphabetically by name of correspondent.
- BOX 90**
- Adler, Betty, 1971-1973, undated
 - Aiken, Conrad, 1966-1977
 - Aiken, Mary, 1971-1978, undated
 - Ailes, Edgar, 1960-1970
 - Alsop, Joseph, 1971-1972
 - Angel, Marie, undated
 - "A" miscellaneous, 1971-1980, undated
 - Bacon, Virginia, 1974
 - Bailey, Herbert S., 1973-1979
 - Baird, Martha, 1946-1963
 - Balinet, Robert F., 1969

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	Barnes, Harry Elmer, 1926-1934, 1941-1968, undated (7 folders)
BOX 91	Barry, Mabel, 1970-1973, undated Belgion, Helen, 1976-1979, undated Belgion, Montgomery, 1950-1973, undated (4 folders) Biddle, Katherine, 1966-1971, undated Bliss, Mildred, 1948-1949, undated Bode, Carl, 1968-1972, undated Bok, Derek C., 1971-1974 Boonin, Leonard G., 1966-1967 Bready, James, 1972-1974, undated Briffault, Robert, 1927-1928 Bristow, Julia, 1973-1977 Brown, Aycock, 1945, 1969-1979, undated Brown, J. Carter, 1962, 1969-1970, 1983 Bruce, David K. E., 1965 Burke, Helena, 1972 Burleigh, Anne Husted, 1977-1978 "B" miscellaneous, 1971-1983, undated Calverton, V. F., 1922, 1970-1975 Caponigri, A. Robert, 1969 Carlson, Carl W., 1966 Cassidy, Victor M., 1973-1974 Chamberlin, William H., 1965-1968 Chambers, Donald, 1975-1979, undated Chambers, Robert, 1967-1983, undated Cheslock, Louis, 1970-1974, undated Claire, William F., 1974 Coburn, Kathleen, 1973-1974
BOX 92	Colton, Eleanor B., 1967, 1976-1977, undated Colver, Betty Leigh, 1968, 1979-1983, undated Commins, Dorothy B., 1970 Cooley, Nell, 1978-1983, undated Corbett, Una, 1972-1973 Crampton, Savington W., 1942-1980, undated (4 folders) Crinkley, Richmond, 1970-1978 Crombie, A. C., 1959-1977, undated (4 folders) Cushman, Walter M., 1973-1976, undated "C" miscellaneous, 1965-1983, undated
BOX 93	Dale, Mary (Mrs. Chester), 1971-1973, undated De Robeloff, Betty, 1974 Dorsey, John, 1978-1980 Drake, Robert, 1965-1966 Duggan, Joseph P., 1948-1951, 1977-1981, undated

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	Dunne, Finley Peter, 1977-1984, undated
	DuPont, Marcella M., 1942-1965, undated (2 folders)
	Duval, Elga, 1971
	"D" miscellaneous, 1969-1980, undated
	Edelstein, J. M., 1978-1980
	Eells, Richard, 1972-1973
	Eggen, Joseph B. 1937-1944 (4 folders)
BOX 94	1945-1965 (3 folders)
	Eliot, Alexander and Jane, 1964-1980, undated (4 folders)
	Emmart, A. D., 1937-1974, n.d. (5 folders)
BOX 95	Emmart, Ruth, 1973-1976, undated
	English, Raymond, 1968-1972
	"E" miscellaneous, 1978-1983
	Feibleman, James Kern 1965-1968 (12 folders)
BOX 96	1969-1973 (15 folders)
BOX 97	1974-1979 (14 folders)
BOX 98	1980-1984, undated (3 folders)
	Feidler, Ernest Reynold, 1958-1976, undated
	Fisher, Karl, 1972-1975, undated
	Forgue, Guy Jean, 1965-1975, undated
	"F" miscellaneous, 1969-1981
	Gabo, Naum, 1971-1977, undated
	Giles, William Vernon and Betsy, 1970-1980, undated
	Gish, Lillian, 1966-1982, undated
	Glass, Laurence d'A. M., 1971, undated
	Graham, Elinor, 1944-1980, undated (7 folders)
BOX 99	Grau, Shirley Ann, 1965-1969, undated
	Graves, Edward S., 1971-1977, undated
	Grzybowski, Kazimierz, 1973
	Guthrie, W. K. C., 1978, undated
	"G" miscellaneous, 1952-1984, undated
	Hall, Jerome, 1965-1976
	Halle, Kay, 1973
	Harrison, Albert, 1966-1980 (2 folders)

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- Hart, Richard, 1971-1977
Haserot, Francis S., 1947-1981
(4 folders)
Heath, Henrietta Hoopes, 1940-1984, undated
(3 folders)
Hergesheimer, Dorothy, 1961-1969, undated
Hergesheimer, Joseph, 1947-1971, undated
(2 folders) ; *See also Container 104, Mencken, H. L.*
Hersh, Burton, 1975-1980
- BOX 100**
Higgins, Angela, 1956-1984
(4 folders)
Higgins, Cora E., 1941-1943, 1961-1962
Holt, Elizabeth, 1943
Hooker, Robert G., 1965-1979, undated
(4 folders)
Horan, Francis H. and Betty, 1977-1979, undated
Howze, Charles P., Jr., 1968
"H" miscellaneous, 1961-1981, undated
Ives, C. P., 1971
Jacobsen, Josephine, 1972-1973, undated
Johansen, Gunnar, 1967-1970, undated
Johnson, Gerald, 1966-1970, 1977
"J" miscellaneous, 1969-1983, undated
- BOX 101**
Kelemen, Pal, 1969
KempvanEe, Jack C., 1939-1973, undated
(5 folders)
Kirk, Russell, 1966-1967, 1974
Kirkpatrick, M. J., 1968-1980
Knopf, Alfred A. (1892-1984), 1941-1980, undated
(3 folders)
Knopf, Blanche, 1941-1965
(4 folders) ; *See also Container 104, Mencken, H. L.*
Knox, Bernard and Betty, 1965-1983, undated
(2 folders)
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Knox, Dorothy, 1953-1966
Knox, T. M., 1947-1980
(6 folders)
Krock, Arthur, 1949-1962, 1973
Kynett, Harold H., 1968-1972
"K" miscellaneous, 1964-1981
Lasker, Edward, 1972-1976, undated
Leger, Dorothy, 1965, undated
Lewis, Walker, 1969, 1975
Lilienthal, David E., 1977
Lippmann, Walter, 1965, 1971-1974, undated
Longworth, Alice Roosevelt, 1946-1980, undated
(2 folders)

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	MacLeish, Archibald, 1969-1970
BOX 103	Maddry, Lawrence, 1970-1983, undated (5 folders)
	Mandelbaum, Maurice, 1972-1976
	Marias, Julian, 1965, 1977
	Marye, William Rose, 1976-1978, undated (2 folders)
	Mathews, Jackson, 1948-1956, undated
	McGuire, William, 1970-1982, undated (2 folders)
BOX 104	McKnight, Mary, 1976-1980, undated
	Mellon, Mary, 1943-1946, undated
	Mellon, Paul, 1945-1983, undated (6 folders)
	Mellon, Rachel, 1953-1967, undated
	Mencken, August, 1950, 1960-1968, undated (2 folders)
	Mencken, H. L. <i>See also Containers 119-120, Mencken, H. L., research file</i>
	Hergesheimer, Joseph, 1937, 1944-1948, undated
	Knopf, Blanche, 1921-1927, undated (photocopies)
	Miscellaneous, 1925-1948, undated
	Miller, Francis Pickens, 1970-1974, undated
	Miller, Helen Hill, 1972-1975, undated
BOX 105	Miller, Henry, 1935-1978, undated (4 folders)
	Moon, Louise, 1975-1980, undated
	Moore, Thomas, 1971
	Morley, Felix, 1946-1978, undated (2 folders)
	Morley, Frank V., 1946-1971 (2 folders)
	Morrison, Emma Neal, 1971-1972, undated
	Mosser, Margaret Bird, 1919-1921, 1979
	Moureau, Ralph, 1972-1981, undated
	Muir, Augustus, 1950-1979, undated (4 folders)
	"M" miscellaneous, 1962-1983, undated
BOX 106	Newman, Roger K., 1976
	Nitze, Paul, 1975, undated
	Nolan, Thomas B., 1970-1984, undated
	Nolte, William H., 1968-1983, undated (5 folders)
	"N" miscellaneous, 1968-1975, undated
	Odom, Marie P., 1975-1982, undated
	Ogburn, Charleton and Dorothy, 1965-1976, undated (2 folders)

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	"O" miscellaneous, 1971-1974, undated
	Percy, Ann, 1971
	Phillips, Rose, 1970-1980
	Platthy, Jenó, 1974-1975, undated
BOX 107	Pugh, John R., 1971, 1978, undated
	Pusey, Nathan M., 1967-1972
	"P" miscellaneous, 1965-1981, undated
	Raine, Kathleen, 1963-1966, 1977, undated
	Ray, Rudolf, 1969-1970, undated
	Read, Herbert Edward, 1951-1953, 1974
	Regnery, Henry, 1966-1976
	Reid, Doris, 1969-1973
	Reiter, Seymour, 1972-1973, undated
	Richman, Robert, 1967-1977, undated
	Rickover, Hyman George, 1960-1964 (3 folders)
	Robbins, Irving W., Jr., 1969-1975, undated
	Roschen, Hermann D., Jr., 1972-1973
	Ross, Marvin C., 1972-1977
	Rude, Peggy, 1973-1976, undated
	"R" miscellaneous, 1965-1981, undated
	Sachs, Paul J., 1945-1948, 1957
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	Savage, Carlton, 1969-1980, undated
	Schubart, Dorothy, 1970-1977, undated
BOX 108	Siegel, Eli, 1931-1978, undated (4 folders)
	Smoot, Jean J., 1976
	Snyder, Robert, 1969-1971, undated
	Sprague, Rosamond, 1962-1966, 1976-1980
	Stick, Frank and Maud 1939-1950 (6 folders)
BOX 109	1951-1973, undated (3 folders)
	Stone, I. F., 1976-1977
	Sutton, William A., 1960, 1976-1977, undated
	"S" miscellaneous, 1944-1983, undated (2 folders)
	Tate, Allen, 1945, 1968-1974, undated
	Taylor, Thurston, 1922-1925, undated
	Thompson, Francis J. and Marjorie, 1970-1980, undated
	Todd, Ruthven, 1965
	Tyler, William R., 1967-1978, undated
	Tyrrell, R. Emmett, Jr. 1976-1978 (2 folders)

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"T-V" miscellaneous, 1965-1982, undated
(2 folders)
Wagner, Philip, 1970-1982
Wahl, Rachel, 1972-1980
Walker, John, 1943-1963, 1974-1977, undated
(4 folders)
Walton, Loring, 1970-1974, undated
Wedemeyer, A. C., 1971-1980, undated
Weinberg, Herman G., 1970-1980, undated
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- BOX 111
Wertham, Fredric, 1973-1978
Wilcox, Leonard, 1971
Williams, Herbert O., 1973-1980, undated
Wilson, Edmund, 1947, 1972-1975, undated
"W-Y" miscellaneous, 1946, 1965-1983, undated
(3 folders)
Unidentified
 Christmas and birthday greetings
 General, 1955-1984, undated
- BOX 111-125 **Part II: Subject File, 1920-1984**
Correspondence, memoranda, reports, minutes, photographs, scrapbooks, research file,
 newspaper clippings and other printed matter principally concerning Cairns's association
 with various foundations, institutions, and universities.
Arranged alphabetically by topic.
- BOX 111
Aesthetic Realism Foundation, 1979-1981
Alfred A. Knopf, Inc., 1946-1978, undated
American Academy of Arts and Sciences, 1977-1980
American Bar Association, 1963, 1976-1982
American Forestry Association, 1966-1972, undated
American Law Institute, 1970
Belin, Ferdinand Lamot, trust
 Correspondence
 Belin family, 1941, 1966-1981
 (2 folders)
 Riggs National Bank, Washington, D.C., 1965-1982
 Miscellany, 1961-1980, undated
- BOX 112
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(2 folders)
Blacks, 1969-1972, 1984, undated
Bollingen Foundation
 American classics proposal, 1962-1964, undated
 General correspondence, 1965-1975
 Miscellany, 1970-1983, undated

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	Opinions on manuscripts, 1945-1965 (4 folders)
	Brooklyn Botanic Garden, New York, N.Y., 1974-1980
	Center for Hellenic Studies, Washington, D.C.
	Administrative committee minutes, 1961-1962
BOX 113	Correspondence, 1952-1981 (7 folders)
	Financial statements, 1962-1969
	Lists of names, 1953, undated
	Memoranda on meetings and interviews 1953 (1 folder)
BOX 114	1953-1957, undated (5 folders)
	Miscellany, 1954-1977, undated
	Newspaper clippings, 1959-1961, 1984
	Notes and drafts, undated (4 folders)
BOX 115	Outside suggestions during planning phase, 1952-1957, undated (2 folders)
	Press releases, 1961
	Reports and proposals, 1955-1975, undated
	Supporting documents sent to the Old Dominion Foundation, 1958-1959
	Cohen, Felix S., testimonial dinner, Washington, D.C., 1948
	Cosmos Club, Washington, D.C., 1968-1981, undated
	Customs Bureau
	"Administration of Customs Laws," undated (2 folders)
	Allegations against Cairns, 1940
	Censorship
	Franco, B. Rios, "Lovely Sextrancing Divorces," confiscated manuscript Supporting documentation, 1920-1937, undated (2 folders)
BOX 116	Text, undated
	Scrapbooks, 1928-1964, 1982, undated (6 folders)
	Supreme Court opinions, 1966
	Diary from European trip, 1939
	Miscellany, 1940, undated
	Transcripts of telephone conversations, 1939-1940
BOX 117	Dumbarton Oaks, Washington, D.C.
	Correspondence, 1932, 1939, 1969-1977 (2 folders)
	Miscellany, 1963-1977, undated
	Eliot, T. S., 1939, 1971, undated
	Folger Shakespeare Library, Washington, D.C., 1970-1979
	Frost, Robert, 1945-1976, undated

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- Greek coin, 1970, undated
Hamilton Street Club, Baltimore, Md., 1940, 1959-1984
Harpers Ferry, W.Va., undated
Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass., 1969-1977, undated
"Invitation to Learning" radio program, 1940-1950, 1977 *See also Container 136-137, Invitation to Learning*; and *Oversize*
Jews, 1948-1978
Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Md.
Horizon Fellowship Fund, 1969-1970
Lectures in Criticism Symposium, 1948 *See also Container 138, Lectures in Criticism*
Croce, Benedetto, paper
General correspondence
July 1946-Jan. 1948
(2 folders)
BOX 118 Feb.-Nov. 1948
Introductions
Miscellany, 1948, undated
Scrapbook, 1948-1951, undated
(2 folders)
Transcript of discussions
Miscellany, 1922, 1967, 1980-1981
Old Dominion Foundation humanities proposal, 1965
Visiting Committee for the Humanities, 1958-1965, undated
(2 folders)
Journal of the History of Ideas, 1970-1976
Library of Congress, 1938-1980
(3 folders)
MacNeill, Ben Dixon, 1972, undated
Maryland Club, 1968-1982, undated
Maryland State Bar Association, 1976-1977
BOX 119 Maryland Tax Revision Commission, 1939, undated
Mellon, Andrew W., proposed biography, 1939, 1956-1957
Mencken, H. L., research file *See also Container 104, Mencken, H. L.*
Clipping file, 1922-1983, undated
(5 folders)
Correspondence, 1966-1980, undated
(2 folders)
BOX 120 Miscellany, 1948-1984, undated *See also Oversize*
Notes, undated
Plays based on Mencken's life, 1972, undated
National Endowment for the Humanities, 1970-1971, undated
National Gallery of Art, Washington, D.C.
Daily log, 1965
(2 folders)
Library, 1973-1978
Miscellany, 1938, 1955-1980, undated
Retirement, 1965

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	Correspondence (2 folders)
	Photographs
	Press release and newspaper clippings
	Resolution of appreciation
BOX 121	National Home Library Foundation
	Correspondence and minutes, 1969-1983 (3 folders)
	Financial reports, 1969-1978
	North Carolina
	Boating log from <i>Monitor</i> expedition, 1969
	Cape Hatteras, 1958, undated
	Dare County
	History, undated
	Library board, 1969-1980, undated (2 folders)
	Dismal Swamp, 1969-1973, undated
	Dune conservation, 1956-1974, 1981, undated (2 folders)
BOX 122	East Albemarle Regional Library, 1973-1978
	Edenton Historical Commission, 1966-1973, undated
	Friends of Currituck Banks, 1979, undated
	Interior Department, National Park Service, 1974-1978, undated
	Miscellany, 1933, 1947-1983, undated
	Nags Head
	Chamber of Commerce, 1968-1973
	Woods preserve project, 1982-1983, undated (2 folders)
	Nature Conservancy, 1972-1983, undated
	People to Preserve Jockey's Ridge, 1973-1974, undated
	Plant and animal life, 1955-1982, undated
	Roanoke Island
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BOX 123	Historical Association, 1938-1979, undated (3 folders)
	Southern Shores, 1947, 1959, 1963, 1970-1980, undated (3 folders)
	Weather, 1972-1978, undated
	Picasso, Pablo, 1966
	Pound, Ezra, 1945-1982, undated
	Presidential Inaugural Concert Committee
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BOX 124	Scrapbook, 1960-1961
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	Council of the Humanities, 1954-1957
	Press, 1969-1980, undated
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- Smith, Logan Pearsall, 1946
St. John's College, Annapolis, Md., and Sante Fe, N.Mex., national committee, 1965-1970
Supreme Court Historical Society, 1976-1979
Textile Museum, Washington, D.C.
 Correspondence, 1965-1974, 1983, undated
 Miscellany, 1965, 1970-1983
- BOX 125** University of California, Santa Cruz, Calif., 1968
University of Maryland School of Law, Baltimore, Md., 1976
University of St. Andrews, St. Andrews, Scotland, 1966-1976
University of Wyoming, Laramie, Wyo., 1970
Way, Andrew John Henry, 1947, 1976, undated
Wisdom Society for the Advancement of Knowledge, Learning and Research in Education,
 1970
Woollcott, William W., 1949, undated
- BOX 125-129** **Part II: Speeches, 1933-1973**
Typed and holographic drafts, printed texts, correspondence, programs, newspaper clippings,
 photographs, and notes pertaining to speeches and lectures delivered by Cairns.
Arranged chronologically. Lecture series are filed by date of first lecture.
- BOX 125** 1933, Jan., "Contract," Baltimore City Bar Association, Baltimore, Md.
1940, Nov., "Censorship in Art and Literature," Inquirendo French Club, 1940-1941
1942, Sept., "Money in the War," war bond rally, Fort McHenry, Baltimore, Md.
1946
 Apr., "Philosophy as Jurisprudence," Harvard University Law School forum, Cambridge,
 Mass.
 Oct., "The Art Museum and the Great Tradition," American Association of Museums,
 Washington, D.C.
- 1947
 Feb.-Mar., James Schouler lectures on jurisprudence, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore,
 Md.
 May, "The Future of Musical Patronage in America," Harvard University symposium on
 music criticism, Cambridge, Mass., 1945-1951
 (4 folders)
 Nov., "Jurisprudence as Philosophy," National School of Jurisprudence, Mexico City,
 Mexico, 1947-1948
- BOX 126** 1948
 Feb., "The Federalist," Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Md.
 Oct., "Modern Trends in Jurisprudence," Law Club trial table, Baltimore, Md.
- 1949
 Feb., "Notes on Criticism and Anthologies," Tudor and Stuart Club, Baltimore, Md.,
 1949-1950
 Apr., lecture on censorship, University of Virginia Law School, Charlottesville, Va.
 Fall, "Theory of Criticism," lecture series, Fall 1949-Spring 1953, Johns Hopkins University,
 Baltimore, Md., 1949-1958, undated
 (10 folders)

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- BOX 127**
- 1951, Sept., "The Humanities and the Law," New York University Law School, dedication of law center, New York, N.Y., 1951-1952
(3 folders)
- 1952, Oct., "Smithsonian Institution and National Gallery of Art," Hamilton Street Club, Baltimore, Md., 1952
- 1953, Mar., discussion of Herman Melville's *Moby Dick*, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.
- 1954, Nov., discussion of James Kent's *Commentaries on American Law*, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.
- 1955, Feb., remarks at opening of the Kress Collection, M. H. de Young Memorial Gallery, San Francisco, Calif., 1954-1955
- 1957, Dec., "The Community as the Legal Order," American Society for Political and Legal Philosophy, Cambridge, Mass., 1957-1959, undated
(3 folders)
- 1959, Sept., "The Meaning of Contemporary Art," lecture series, Sept. 1959-Sept. 1961, Foreign Service Institute, Washington, D.C.
Correspondence and background material, 1959-1961
Photographs, 1961
- BOX 128**
- Texts, 1959-1961, undated
(2 folders)
- 1960, Dec., "Morris R. Cohen," Wranglers Club, Baltimore, Md.
- 1962, Nov., "Law and Its Premises," Benjamin N. Cardozo lecture, New York City Bar Association, New York, N.Y., 1957-1964, undated
(5 folders)
- 1963, Nov., "The Art of Law," Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Md., 1962-1964
(2 folders)
- 1966, July, toast given at graduation luncheon, University of St. Andrews, St. Andrews, Scotland
- 1969, Nov., "Reflections on Bollingen," Princeton University Press dinner, Century Club, New York, N.Y.
- 1970, May, "What Is Law," John Randolph Tucker lecture, Washington and Lee University Law School, Lexington, Va., 1969-1970, undated
(3 folders)
- BOX 129**
- 1972, Sept., "Mencken, Baltimore and the Critics," Mencken lecture, Enoch Pratt Free Library, Baltimore, Md., 1972-1973, undated
- 1973, Oct., lecture on the National Gallery of Art, Dare County Library, N.C., 1969-1972, undated
- Undated
- "Homage to the *Minos*," Christian Gauss Seminars in Criticism, Princeton University, Princeton, N.J., 1963-1965, undated
- Law lectures, Hamilton Street Club, Baltimore, Md., undated
- National Gallery of Art paintings lecture, undated
- "The Necessity of Law," undated
- Notes for lectures, Institute for Advanced Studies, Princeton University, Princeton, N.J., 1947-1949, undated

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"The Theory of Legal Science," undated

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Part II: Writings, 1905-1984

Typed and holographic drafts, reprints, correspondence, scrapbooks, newspaper clippings, notes, and background research files organized into writings by Cairns and by others. Cairns's writings are arranged by type of publication, with books arranged alphabetically by title and articles and book reviews arranged chronologically. Writings by others are arranged alphabetically by author and therein by title.

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1940, "The Valuation of Legal Science," 1939-1940, undated

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Feb., "The Popularization of Law"

Mar., "Chess Is a Tough Game"

Nov., "Plato's Theory of Law," 1940-1942, undated

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Jan., "Judge for Yourself," 1945-1946

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May, foreword to *A Symposium in Juristic Bases for International Law*

Undated

"Hobbes' Theory of Law," 1945-1947

"Leibniz' Theory of Law," 1946-1947

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"Sociology and the Social Sciences," 1943-1946

(2 folders)

1947

"Philosophy as Jurisprudence," 1944-1949, undated

(3 folders)

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"Robert Briffault," 1945-1948, 1960

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Mar., "Composers Must Eat," 1947-1948

Nov., "Spinoza's Theory of Law," 1948-1949, 1963

1950, Jan., "Jurisprudence and Metaphysics, A Triangular Correspondence," 1949-1950

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