

MS 823 Beatrice Warde Collection: Interim Box List

In this list 'MLB' signifies May Lamberton Becker (before marriage May Barton Lamberton) and 'BW' signifies Beatrice Warde, her daughter (before marriage, BB or Beatrice Becker)

The letters and papers in these boxes were mainly loose so have been grouped into sections for ease of identifying particular items again. When cataloguing proper is started, further sorting will be done and similar items from different boxes will be brought together to create a coherent catalogue. It is likely that the collection will be sorted into two main sequences, the Beatrice Warde papers, and the Alicia Street papers (comprising the material dating from after BW's death in 1969).

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MS823 Box 1: Lamberton Family Papers

Cardboard label 'Precious. My father's letters to my mother and other family members. For BW. MLB 1953'

Diary of Ellis T. Lamberton of New York and Brooklyn, 1877

In pocket at back: lock of 'my baby's [May Lamberton's] hair at one year old, 1874

Papers of Ellis T Lamberton:

Appointment as second lieutenant in the 107th regiment of US Colored Troops, Nov 1864

Certificate of promotion to grade of captain, July 1866

War Department certificate of appointment as agent in the Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands, North Carolina, April 1868

Reference (good penmanship, morals and quick intelligence), March 1864

Character reference, July 1866

Letters from Ellis Lamberton to Emma Packard Thurston, later Lambert:

Letters from Ellis Lamberton to Emma Packard Thurston of Fall River, Mass, March-May 1871 (9 items, in envelopes; previously tied together with string)

Letters from Ellis Lamberton to Emma Thurston: Dec 1871 (1); 1872 (12 pre-marriage and 2 post-marriage); nd (2: one pre-marriage and one post-marriage)

Letters from Ellis Lamberton to Emma Lamberton: 1873 (1 envelope of items); 1874 (3), 188- (1)

Letters from Ellis Lamberton to daughter May Barton Lamberton (including some to his wife)

8 envelopes and 2 items; most envelopes contain more than one letter, including one envelope marked 'This letter tells of papa's last illness and death'; and one letter from May to her father
1883-1885

Other Letters:

Letters from Emma Lamberton to husband Ellis, 1873 (1), 1877 (1 marked 'Five years married')

Letter from 'Mother' to 'Dear Darling Birds' in New York, in envelope addressed to Mrs EP Lamberton, nd

Letter from 'Mother' to Duckie Darling', nd

Letter from Amy to 'Dear Duckie' addressed to Mrs Ellis T Lamberton, New York, nd

Pages 28, 42, 68 of letter from Ida Barker, Colorado Springs, 1881

Letter from James Packard, aboard SS 'Relief' at Macao to his niece Emma Thurston, 1865

Box 1 (contd)

Miscellanea:

2 stereoscopic photo cards showing the centennial celebration at Pomfret, Vermont, 1870

Photograph portrait card of an unidentified bearded man (Campbell studio, Broadway, New York)

Small photo graph of family group with caption on back 'To Mrs Lamberton with best wishes from the Shepherd family', 1930

Small photograph of a group of young people with 'Becker' pencilled on back, nd

Small photo of girl in a boat, nd

Tiny portrait view photos of four unidentified persons, mounted

Newspaper cutting with poem 'Beautiful Grandmamma', 1876

Tiny cut-out drawings by May Lamberton, 1885

Paper dolls of May Lamberton, c 1995

Lock of hair of Mary A Thurston taken on the day of her death at 62, in envelope 1986 [sic] ?1896

Confectioners' bill for refreshments, etc addressed to Mrs Lamberton [re wedding], June 1895; with unidentified cut-out silhouette

Newspaper cutting with article 'Musical Matters', nd

Cloth badge ?US Army

Lock of Beatrice's hair, 1924

Psalm 'Qui Habitat' printed by BW [Beatrice Warde] as new year greeting, 1937

Box 2: Personal and Family Photographs

***Note:** the photographs previously loose in the box have been placed into folders for better protection. Folders 2-4 have mixed contents and will be sorted methodically at a later stage; Folder 1 was created at an earlier point and may reflect an original file: further investigation may clarify this*

Newspaper cuttings (3)

Offprints (3), 1951, 1957

Article 'About Printing' (typescript)

Envelope: 'BW, MLB photos' (6 items)

Envelope: 'Photographs' nearly all of BW including portrait views; also 'Allan' (1960); primary school in Togoland (UNESCO prints); the 'Typophiles' (1951) (c. 30 items)

Box 2 (contd)

Folder 1: Photographs and offprints

Folder 2: Photographs (c. 30, previously loose in box, for further sorting)

Folder 3: Photographs (small, c. 100, previously loose in box, for further sorting)

Folder 4: Photographs (c. 60, previously loose in box, for further sorting)

Print of drawing of BW, 1925

Mounted photo of BW holding a book

Small leather wallet with 9 small portrait views

Box 3: Lamberton Family Papers

Lease for 30 years of premises at 6 Foley Place, formerly known as 37 Queen Ann Street east, Marylebone, Middlesex, Charles Bingham to James Cathrow, annual rent £115, March 1815; with later endorsements

Stories and poems written by MBL (later MLB) as a child, c 1880-1884

Letters to MLB mainly from her mother, 1894-1895; but including other letters from friends 1885

Letters from MLB to BW (6), May-Nov 1936

Papers of May Lamberton Becker including: locks of May's hair; lock of Papa's whisker; lock of Beatrice's hair; letters including one from BW to her grandmother {Emma Lamberton} passing on Bernard Shaw's birthday greetings and mentioning Charlie Chaplin, nd; letter to May from Auntie Ida, 1881; photograph of Emma Lamberton, 1903; note of MLB's readings of Rostand's Chantecler'; letter from Ellis Lamberton to Emma Thurston before they had met, 1869; letter to MBL from Henry Hewitt, 1882; greeting from BW to her friends in the printing trade in America, sent to her mother MLB, 1940

Miscellaneous items:

'The Barne Tribune' : tiny 'newspaper' written by a child, ?1889

Letter from Lydia Tinkham to her grandson Ellis T. Lamberton; letter from Ellis Tinkham to his great grand-daughter, MBL, 1883

Invitations to Aesthetic Society events, NJ, 1883-1886

Newspaper cutting with letters re the last man in the Civil War (one from E.T. Lamberton), 1884

Box 3 (contd)

Invitation to marriage of May Barton Lamberton to Gustav Louis Becker [1894]

Cotillion and subscription dance card with pencil, 1908

Valentine greeting from Beatrice to Emma T. Lamberton, 1915

Valentine greeting from BB, 1917

Postcard with address of Fred Meyer written on reverse, c 1960-90

'Books recommended by May Lamberton Becker' printed leaflet, nd

Newspaper obituary of Mrs Ellis Lamberton age 86, nd

Page from magazine with photograph of members of the Ball Committee, and photograph of the Canadian High Commissioner and wife, patrons of the Ball, June 1986

Epaulette and button from Civil War uniform of Ellis T Lamberton 1861-1865 (previously in envelope tied closed with red, white and blue ribbon)

Poems:

Poem 'To Grimes: a parrot who died before he had learned to talk' by Paul Beaujon to Grandma, 1927

Poem to May L..., 1889

'Not England's Queen but Mine' 1872

'Back Trail' copied from Harper's Magazine, 1927

'Thank God for Beatrice' [by MLB], c 1950

Photographs:

Various identified photographs of members of the family of May Barton Lamberton (later MLB) including herself as a girl, her father Ellis Lamberton, her grandfather Ellis Lamberton, her great grandmother and great grandfather Tinkham, her great uncle Orville Tinkham, her aunt Clara Lamberton, great grandmother Packard; US soldiers, c 1865-1885

Various unidentified photographs – presumably members of the family of MLB, including 'the adopted daughter', and a black woman, c 1865-1890

Glass slides of photographs mounted inside pocket cases, subjects unidentified but could include Lamberton family members as above; one item of ?writing slate with letters/Greek letters around edge (9 items)

Chocolate box containing: MLB's first shoes; BW's first shoes; wooden doll; tiny clown toy; MLB's first glove; doll's skirt; small piece of lace; label 'Mrs Beatrice L Warde: American Outpost in Great Britain; fragment of copper casting band of a shell "bit of blitz'

Box 4: Beatrice Warde Correspondence

Items previously in green plastic folder:

Letters from BW to 'Dear Professor'; Sir Cyril Burt; MLB, various other material including poem by Paul Beaujon 'They Came Through Chelsea'; Barnard College leavers programme (BB's name in classlist), 1920; poem by BB 'To Eos the Eternal' [c 1916]; Christmas card by Cyril Burt, 1957.
(Further details available) c 1920-1968

Items previously in yellow plastic folder:

Letters and papers; papers relating to BW's Memoirs; marriage certificate of Frederique Warde and Beatrice Lamberton Becker (West Side Unitarian Church, New York, 1922) and note to enclose copy of divorce decree 1939; letters relating to death of Stanley Morison and copy of his will, 1967; envelope of letters marked 'Emma Lambert'; letters to BW from MLB
(Further details available) c 1922-1960

Items previously loose in box grouped together pending further sorting and cataloguing:

Letters etc from BW: Christmas card from Beatrice and Frederique, 1921 (printed); letter from BW to [MLB], 1935; new year cards from BW, 1951, 1953 (printed); new year letters from BW, 1956/7, 1961/2, 1963/4, 1964/5, 1966/7, 1967/8 (printed); letter from BW to Charlotte, 1960; letter from BW to MLB undated; parts of two letters from BW to [MLB], undated; part of a letter from BW, undated; notelet written [from BW] to 'Dear Professor', undated

Letters from Frederic (Frederique) Warde to BB/BW: letters 1919-1935, (10 items incl one undated)

Letters from miscellaneous writers to BW: 11 items including drawing of 'harmonogram' with covering note from Christopher Bradshaw, 1961. 1927-1961, undated

Miscellanea: List of British books received by Books Across the Sea in New York, nd; example of the Monotype printing, nd; printed design of flowers and foliage on blue background, on brown paper, nd

Box 5: Letters from BW to May Lamberton Becker

Folder labelled 'Letters 1939-1940, Beatrice to MLB:

Small photo of Brooks Darlington, MLB and Mrs Paton aboard ship, nd

The Same Book: suggestion to readers on the 500th anniversary of the invention of printing with moveable type by Beatrice Warde, 1940 (small leaflet)

Keepsake on the occasion of introducing NLW to friends of PRINT, Mar 1942 comprising a printed head and shoulders engraving of woman inscribed 'To MLB from Beatrice Warde'

Ticket for National Book Fair, Olympia, Oct 1939 (with ms note 'Will not take place')

An Introduction to the Cambridge Hotel, Brighton Road, near Horley with annotations by BW and sent to MLB ('BW'S Country Residence') [1939 or 1940]

59 Letters and other items (including 'label') sent from BW to her mother, 1939-1940: some items undated, the original order of the items has been preserved for the time pending further study and sorting. They include a New Year greeting card with picture of house 'Old Straddles near Redhill and map, 1940; an unsigned Christmas card 'Thumbs up for a Happy Christmas'; 2 letters from R.M .Barrington-Ward of *The Times* to BW, Aug 1940; newspaper cutting with article re 'The Token of Freedom' Aug 1940; postscript to the 7th *Outpost Newsletter* to 'Jane' and other friends from BW, Oct 1940; printed letter from BLW in London to her friends in USA [1940]

Cardboard cover marked 'Letter from Beatrice pre-war. SAVE': letters from BW to her mother, mostly undated but including 1947, 1948; including printed list of Winifred Nerney Memorial Collection of books [c 1964], Evesham Parish Magazine, Aug 1932; MLB's receipts for borrowing two books from [American] library, nd; invitation to lecture on typography to be given by BW in Toronto, [1950s]; printed new year greetings [from BW], 1964/65

Folder labelled 'Early war letters from BW to MLB' comprising: 9 small sketches of a cat ('Dimpleby Sanger'); one letter [from BW] to her father, Sep 1940 (incomplete); 6 undated letters or part-letters; circular letter from BW 'An American in London' to 'Friend of Children' asking for support for the Save The Children Fund, Jun 1941; letters, part-letters etc from BW to her mother, Jun 1941-Jan 1942 (7); letter from Mary Gould Davis to MLB, Mar 1942; letter from Fred Melcher to MLB, nd

Folder labelled 'Beatrice's Letters ('and cables' crossed out; on other side of file 'Beatrice Cables) 1940': comprising letters and part-letters from BW to MLB, May-Dec 1940 (c 30 items including one written on reverse of telegram and Christmas card from Stanley Morison and Paul Beaujon); undated letters and part-letters (8); part letter Sep 1941 (1); circular letter from BW to her friends in the USA, Mar 1941

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Folder labelled 'Beatrice's Letters 1941' comprising: letters from BW to MLB Feb-Apr 1941 (11); undated letters and part-letters (5); copy of letter from BW written when the 'Token' was being printed [1940]; letter from publisher asking MLB to consider writing her autobiography, 1935; newspaper cutting with report of BW's talk about typography, 1937

Folder labelled 'Beatrice's War Letters mainly 1941' [much about *Outpost* and Books, also re becoming a Catholic]: letters, some undated some dated 1941 and 1944; including sketch of cat heads; note re 'Let the People Sing, a cantata for 'very mixed choir' (c 65 items, but some pages of letters have probably become separated)

Items previously loose in box including some presumably previously bundled together with a (perished) elastic band) with label '1930s Letters': letters from BW to MLB, most are undated, some are part-letters (c 65 items, including small photo of people sitting in garden 'Coldharbour' on reverse; part letter Jan 1950; 2 home-made greeting cards; home-made Christmas card from BW to A.P.; letter from BW to Grandma; home-made Christmas card from BW to Grandma; minutes of points discussed at first meeting of the newly appointed sub-committee of the Library and Books Across the Sea Committee, 1966; circular letter from BW urging Americans in Britain to write back home [c 1941]; letter from English Speaking Union of the USA to BW inviting her to speak about Books Across the Sea when in Philadelphia [1950s]; reprint page from 'Printing World' with report of BW's tour in Australia and South Africa, 1957

Manila envelope addressed to Mrs M.L. Becker in New York containing:

4 dated letters from BW to MLB, 1941-1948

5 undated letters or parts of letters, BW to MLB

Sketch of cat and kitten

Newspaper advert for joining the RAF [from Scottish newspaper]

Printed greeting card from BW to friends and colleagues in the American printing trade, 1940

Newspaper cutting with article 'Mrs Becker pictures Britain serene and determined to win'

Rough family history notes ?written by MLB (in pencil)

Box 6: Letters from MLB to BW c 1928-42 (2 envelopes and items loose in box)

Letters and miscellaneous items found loose in box in no discernible order: now sorted into 5 series awaiting further sorting and comparison with items in other boxes, which will hopefully identify missing pages from letters and provide a dating scheme to those undated items:

44 Letters, dated and complete from MLB to BW, including 3 postcards, an enclosed photo of a couple by a column (torn, with Jan 1931 letter), part of a letter from BW's father (enclosed in Sep 1937 letter) Dec 1928-Dec 1948

37 Letters, undated and complete from MLB to BW, c 1930s

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3 Letters, dated but incomplete, MLB to BW, Feb 1930-Sep 1941

7 Letters (two clipped together), undated and incomplete, MLB to BW

21 miscellaneous items:

Note by May Sinclair, Feb 1924

4 sheets (numbered 6-[12]) of a ?autobiographical work recounting school life, writer unidentified

Letter from C Hornby to BW, Jan 1937

Letter from Tony ?Tournedrow to Beatrice, March 1941

3 letters from S.M. to [BW, one to Mr P.B.], one dated Feb 1936

Photograph of 3 unidentified people

Tiny photograph of a skyscraper

Undated letter from MLB to Morison [Stanley Morison]

Letter from Harold ?Gaul to BW, Nov 1941

Letter from her father to BW, Jul 1941

Copy of cable, Jan 1942

Letter from Paul Abbot to BW, Dec 1934

Letter from Sister M ?Madeleva to Mrs Becker, Jul [no year given]

Letter from John & Dorothy, Compton Bishop, to Paul, undated

Envelope addressed to MLB, New York City

Flyer for *A National Book Guide for Youth* with note of MLB's appointment to the *Scholastic* team

Part of an article from the *Lit Sup* about the invention of printing

Photograph envelope (empty)

Envelope marked 'MLB Letters':

19 Letters from MLB to BW, dated and complete, including one item in envelope and one issue of *What's going on?* (Newsletter for members of the staff at *Herald Tribune*) Sep 1939-Feb 1947

3 undated, incomplete letters from MLB to BW

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Note from MLB [to BW] written on reverse of music titled 'In Flanders Fields They were Lost' by Gustave L. Becker, 1940

Returned letter from MLB to Miss ?Moore, June 1946

Letter from Asa Wilgus to Mrs Becker May 1955

Typescript copy of letter from MLB, Aug 1940

Part of a suspender

In envelope labelled 'Mrs C.J. Wingate, 1 Maddox Street: 13 letters from MLB to BW, Dec 1946-Jul 1940

Envelope marked 'Letters etc. MLB':

4 Letters from MLB to BW, some with enclosures, one in envelope, Nov 1927-Mar 1932

5 Letters from MLB to BW, undated

Valentine rhyme by MLB to BW

Letter from Jean to Bea, Oct 1928

Typescript letter from 'H' to 'B', Apr 1929

Letter from Mabel to Beatrice, undated

Pages from *The Horn Book* with article by MLB including photo of her, Feb 1928 [presumably sent to BW]

Box 7: Personal & 60th birthday papers, newspaper cuttings, diaries, albums

'A Book of Cheer': album presented to BW in appreciation of her visit to the Printing Technical School of the National Children's Home, Harpenden, containing pasted- in quotations and extracts from various works embellished with decorative borders, calligraphy, etc, 1956

'Mrs B. Warde on safari in South Africa': album of newspaper cuttings and photographs and papers relating to BW's visit to South Africa, 1957; many loose items including some relating to BW's visit to Australia; inside front cover: photographs of the poet A.S.J. Tessimond with woman in Italy in envelope addressed to John Tessimond, 1956

Diary, 1968; pages from diary Jan-September 1969

Newspaper cuttings: relating to BW's visit to America, 1950; relating to BW's visit to America, 1959; relating to BW's visits to South Africa and Australia 1957 and re other visits, events, etc , 1953-1967

Itineraries for BW's tour/visit to Australia, Sep-Oct 1957

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Birthday greetings: letters, telegrams and cards to BW on her 60th birthday, 1960; small photograph of BW and 'Karen', nd

Speech made by BW at her 60th birthday; letters re her birthday, etc, 1960-1961

Miscellaneous printed items: including diploma of BW at completion of studies at Horace Mann High School for Girls, New York, 1916; programme for 'Romance', a pantomime with music by Beatrice Becker for Armenian War Relief, presented by the Class of 1920, 1919; New Year card drawn by BW to John and Alicia, 1953; Typophiles involved in production of 'Bombed but Unbeaten' dinner notice card; card signed by BW, Stanley Morison and others, 1959; invitations to events with BW c 1953-1966; programme for memorial service for BW, Oct 1969

Box 8: Publications

Publications etc by BW:

'A Preface by Paul Beaujon to One Hundred Facets of Winter and Spring seen by William J. Ibbett' (Shaftesbury at the High House Press, 1931, reprinted December 1931) *Copy*

'"The Same Book" a suggestion to readers on the five hundredth anniversary of the invention of printing with movable type' by B. L. Warde (London, privately printed, June 1940): 2 copies, one inscribed 'To MLB from BW'

Reprint from 'The Times': letter to the editor under the title 'The Big Bangs' by B. L. Warde, Surrey, July 1940, 2 copies

'Books as Ammunition' by Beatrice Warde (reprinted from 'Wilson Library Bulletin', October 1943)

'Whither British Typography?' by Beatrice Warde (reprinted from 'Printing Review', summer 1945) 3 copies

'Design and Management' lecture given to the London Centre by Mrs Beatrice Warde (reprinted from the 'Managing Printer', July 1949)

'The Provision of Books in the Future: the Book of the Future' by Beatrice Warde, August 1951, rough proof copy

'The Provision of Books in the Future: the Book of the Future' by Beatrice Warde (reprinted from 'Weekend Conference Papers of the London and Home Counties Branch of the Libraries Association', October 1951) 8 copies

'Type Talks' periodical of the Advertising Typographers Association of America, Inc, with article 'BW Said:' by Beatrice Warde, May-June 1953

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'Torch: official publication of the Milwaukee Advertising Club' with article 'B.W.'s Bet is on ... a Reaction from Ugliness' by BW, November 1953

'The Rescuing Mouse: a speech by BW opening an exhibition of private press printing organized by the London Chappell' 1963 (printed for Beatrice Warde by Timothy Booth at the Aycliffe Press, London, summer 1965) 7 copies

'Hands Off – or Hands On? an address by Mrs Beatrice Warde to the Society of Designer-Craftsmen, May 1969 *Duplicated pages*

'The Monotype Recorder' volume 44, number 1, issue entitled 'I am a communicator: a selection of writings and talks by Beatrice Warde/Paul Beaujon', Autumn 1970

'Design Issues' volume 12 number 1, spring 1996 (Massachusetts Institute of Technology), with article 'Rational Language and Print Design in Communication Management' by Claire Badaracco, referring to Beatrice Warde and Eric Gill work featuring a letter from BW to Gill on the back cover; with covering letter from Badaracco to Alicia Street, August 1996

Cutting from publication with poem 'The Departure of Nyd the Fairy' by Beatrice Lamberton Becker, undated

'Books: the Look of Printed Books' by Beatrice Warde (galley proofs) 2 copies, undated

Bound volumes:

'Peace under the Earth: dialogues from the year 1946 recorded by Paul Beaujon, frontispiece by Denis Tegetmeier (London, Megaw, 1938)

'The Token of Freedom: a selection of immortal words by Pericles, Dante, Shakespeare ... and others, together forming a spiritual passport fit to accompany the children of the defenders of freedom who set sail from Great Britain in 1940' with foreword by B.L.W. 'An American in England' (London, privately printed for distribution to the children by the Americans-in-Britain outpost of the Committee for Defending America by Aiding the Allies, 1940) 3 copies

Articles about Beatrice Warde and miscellaneous papers:

'Alumna Abroad' article on career of Beatrice Becker Warde from 'Barnard College Alumnae Monthly', c 1937

Leaflet to promote BW's lecture 'New Trends in Type Design' to be given in Montreal, May 1953

'Printing Industry of Atlanta Inc Bulletin' with photographs from BW's address at the May Dinner, 1953

Reprint from 'Printing World' with article 'Mrs Beatrice Warde is welcomed home', December 1957

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Handlist of the more important writings of Beatrice Warde / Paul Beaujon, with a brief biography, compiled by James Moran for the Wynkyn de Worde Society, London, 1960 *Typescript*

Article from 'British Printer': 'Beatrice Warde a personal tribute' by James Moran, November 1969
Copy

'Monotype Newsletter' number 86 with article 'Beatrice Warde, a personal tribute' by Allen Hutt, December 1969

Certificate awarded to Paul Beaujon /Beatrice Warde in admiration of her contribution to typography on her 60th birthday, by the Wynkyn de Worde Society, [1960]

Offprint page from unidentified periodical with article 'To start you talking' referring to 'The Social Psychology of Industry' by J.A.C. Brown, June 1956

Box 9: BW and MLB; Other Correspondence and Papers (including National Book League, the MLB room, and Books across the Sea)

National Book League: MLB Reading Room (file): Correspondence and papers relating to the May Lamberton Becker Library or Reading Room, set up by the National Book League as a memorial to MLB who, with her daughter BW, founded 'Books Across the Sea' in 1941, including lists of classification of subject headings for use in Readership Section and lists of sample books from the Readership Section and sample biographies; correspondence relating to funding the Room and its opening, and letters of invitation; printed invitation to the formal opening by T.S. Eliot on 24 May 1960; list of furniture and furnishings of the MLB Reading Room; press release about the opening; lists of books including those by MLB in the Reading Room; 3 photographs of the opening including T.S. Eliot and BW; newspaper cuttings
November 1958-August 1960

Papers contained in Braille folder - Books Across The Sea: Correspondence and papers relating to 'Books Across The Sea', including small printed leaflet; draft of letterhead; reprint from 'The Reader's Guide' with letter from BW about the emigration of children from England to USA, Sep 1940; reprint from 'John O'London's Weekly' with article by BW 'Books that 'Mean England' to Americans', May 1944; BAS Bulletin, April 1944; letter to BW from an 'auntie' who had taken in English children, 1944; reports on BAS, June 1944, Oct 1945; reprint from 'Bookbinding and Book Production' with article on exhibition of British children's books, Dec 1944; reprint from 'Manchester Guardian' with article re BAS, Apr 1947; notes re production of children's books; reprint from 'Scholastic' with article by BW 'United We Stand' with advice for countering Goebbels and Hitler; printed leaflet 'Children's Books: bridges to the future' by MLB, Nov 1946; letter from a nun to MLB

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enclosing photograph, Mar 1946; postcard from MLB and officers of BAS to Gustave L Becker inviting him to event to welcome BW and 70 new books from BAS London, [? 1941 or 1947] 1940-1947

[A number of items from this folder were found to be stuck together and inaccessible, Feb 2015; these were subsequently separated by Conservation staff and include: Letters to BW from M.C. (2), 1945; letters to MLB (2), 1946; letters to BW from MLB (6), 1946; BAS circular and book lists, 1946; Monotype Corporation alphabets of types to accompany lecture by BW, 1945; letter from the Tioga Point Museum to BW, re books for BAS, 1946; greeting penned by BW to Professor Allan Nevins, president of BAS in America, on his impending arrival in England, signed by BAS members [?1946]; note from Alicia [Street] to BW, 1946; letter from BAS Scottish-American Centre to BW re Allan Nevins' visit, 1946

Folder labelled 'Barbara Bonner (National Book League) MLB': Miscellaneous folder containing: 2 photographs of interior of house, with notes by BW on reverse [possibly 'Straddles' near Redhill, see Box 5]; 5 postcard views of English countryside; photo of New York skyscrapers with note on reverse, Nov 1931; photo of young man at desk 'Arthur' on reverse, 1928; photo of [unidentified] man sitting in chair; photo of [?BW] and unidentified man sitting at tea; photo of young woman sunbathing; 3 studio portrait photos of MLB; 4 photos of MLB and two Siamese cats; photo of hands holding a piece of typeface 'Monotype' ; portrait view photo of BW [c 1950]; postcard from Audrey in Rouen to Ena Hubbard, 1934; blank Christmas card from Cambridge University Press, 1929; letters including to BW with allusion to the MLB Reading Room, 1958-1967; 2 National Book League printed items, 1969; preface to 'Martin Chuzzlewit' by MLB, nd; letter from Margaret to BW, nd

Items gathered together into folder made from Book Review Digest envelope addressed to MLB: Issue of 'The Independent' of New York, May 1912, with article on John Masefield by MLB, and various enclosures including printed poem by MLB; letters from various correspondents to MLB c 1949-1952; personal letters 1900-1916, nd, 1948-52

Folder marked 'SAVE. Eliot autograph. Child photos of MLB': Miscellaneous letters and papers including: photographs of MLB c 1874-1880 (8 items); photos of BB [BW] 1902 (2 items); undated letter from MLB aboard the RMS 'Berengaria' to [BW]d; undated letter from 'your most devoted Baby' to 'Grandma'; letter to BW from SKV with envelope and enclosures, 1929; 'A Busy Night' from the diary of Jack Read of the London Auxiliary Fire Service, printed by the American Outpost in Great Britain, 1941; typescript newsletter of the Books Across the Sea, 1941; letter from BAS to BW and MLB, 1942; list of books selected by BAS for sending to America, 1943- 1944; 'Typography in Art Education' by BW, 1945; 'Whither British Typography?' by BW, 1945; reprint from page of BAS publication with article on Alicia Street, 1945; report of AGM of BAS, 1946; press cuttings re BW's visit to America, 1953; letter [from BW] to T.S. Eliot re the MLB Reading Room at the National Book League, with reply, 1960; report of speeches made at opening of the MLB Reading Room, 1960; leaflet of the English Speaking Union of the US, 1964; history of the 'Books Across the Sea' by a founder member c 1966; 'Books Across the Sea' leaflet; undated notes [?by BW] relating to 'Books Across the Sea' and the library workroom (2 items)

Folder marked 'Autograph Letters': postcard from Eric Gill to BW, 1932; two pages of a ms letter from S.M. [Stanley Morison] in Paris, nd; letter from T.S. Eliot to BW relating to his opening of the

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MLB Reading Room at the National Book League, 1960; printed leaflet 'Rhymes to be traded for bread, being new verses by Nicholas Vachel Lindsay', Illinois, 1912; printed leaflet for 'Ichabod Dawks and his News-letter' by Stanley Morison (CUP, 1931)

Envelope marked 'Beatrice Letters, Mr Wonnacott Letter ...': items formerly all folded up together in no identified sequence: poem titled 'Civilization' by MLB, undated; two pages from a recipe book, undated; letter from S Leacock in Montreal to Miss Belle Rosenbaum in NY to enclose a Dickens, 1940; letter from H.G. Wonnacott to MLB, Nov 1945; 5 letters and 1 part-letter from BW to MLB, Feb-Mar 1947 and undated; 'Weekly Book News' with article on A.A. Milne and 'The House at Pooh Corner' [1928]; proof copy of 'A Letter from BW in London to her friends in USA', autumn 1940; duplicated copy of postscript from BW, American Outpost on Great Britain, May 1941; 'The Bookseller' with article on MLB's 'Introducing Charles Dickens' and event, Nov 1941; 'Times Literary Supplement' with reference to MLB's 'Introducing Charles Dickens', etc, Nov 1941

Folder marked 'B.W. Personal. Letters – Miscellaneous': 3 letters from MLB to BW, 1948-1953; undated note from MLB to BW; poem in hand of MLB, undated; undated letter from BW to MLB including sketch of cat; page from 'British and Colonial Printer and Stationer' with article on BW, Dec 1928; article to introduce Louse Seaman Bechtel, new editor of 'Books for Young People' written by MLB, [1949]

Envelope addressed to Mr G Becker of New York, containing: itineraries for BW's tour of Australia, 1957

Items formerly clipped together: letter from Audrey Adams to BW, 1969; letter from unidentified correspondent to BW, 1927; correspondence between BW and Sir Cyril Burt, 1956-57; letter from John Dilley to BW, 1954

Miscellaneous items previously loose in box:

'Please! (Rhymes of Protest)' by Laura E. Richards (1936), sent to MLB

'Children's Books of Yesterday': catalogue to exhibition of books for children, held by National Book League c 1946

'Rainbow Classics': illustrative catalogue to series of children's books, general editor MLB (1946) 3 copies

Papers and letters: Letter from F in Paris to BW, 1927; postcard from BW to MLB, 1935; invitation to MLB for tea in honour of Miss Harriet Cohen (re Books Across the Sea), 1948; page from 'Publisher's Weekly' with news of MLB receipt of the Constance Lindsay Skinner Award at the Women's National Book Association dinner, 1948; letter from English Speaking Union of US to BW and MLB ref to T.S. Eliot coming to tea, 1950; letter from World Publishing Company to MLB/BW re 'Rainbow Classics' titles, 1951; draft obituary of MLB, 1957; catalogue to exhibition of books and pictures organised by the National Book League, Café Royal, London, 1957; newspaper cutting with article by MLB 'Lasting Qualities in Children's Books', nd; introduction to 'The Home Book of Laughter' by MLB, nd; preface to Rainbow Classic on Louisa May Alcott by MLB, nd; parts of letters possibly from the Cyril Burt correspondence, nd, 1963

Box 10: Papers re Stanley Morison; Papers re Cyril Burt

These items were formerly loose in the box; the multiple snapshots of Stanley Morison were formerly kept in a small 'Cheese Crispies' cocktail biscuit tin with label 'Prints of Stanley Morison'

Flimsy copy letters from BW to Sir Cyril Burt, 1957, nd

'The Psychology of Learning' by Sir Cyril Burt, reprinted from 'Educational Review' vol 10 number 2, 1958

'A Psychological Study of Typography' by Sir Cyril Burt with introduction by Stanley Morison: proof copy pages, (CUP 1959)

Original typescript introduction by SM to CB's 'A Psychological Study of Typography' with revisers' amendments, with covering letter from SM to BW, 1958

Press release and newspaper cuttings, and 'The British Journal of Statistical Psychology' vol XII part II, Nov 1959, with reviews of 'A Psychological Study of Typography, 1959

Typescript pages of part of 'The Gifted Child' by Sir Cyril Burt (published posthumously in 1975)

Cutting from 'New York Herald Tribune Weekly Book Review' with article on the Stanley Morison Award, 1946

'Stanley Morison: a portrait' British Museum catalogue to exhibition, 1971 (newspaper obituary of SM, 1967, loose inside)

Bookseller's catalogue of Stanley Morison items, 1971

Cutting from 'The Times' with article on Stanley Morison and Lord Beaverbook, 1972 (damaged)

Multiple head-and-shoulders snapshots of Stanley Morison, obtained by BW, c 1960

Miscellaneous unrelated material:

Note about book fair proposed by Washington Post re British Children's books, nd

Typescript pages from a translation of 'The Iliad', with ms amendments, nd

Box 11: Alicia Street Papers

Slim folder marked 'Alicia Street – personal'

Manuscript music title 'Two Lands in Tune' by Gustave L. Becker for the American Outpost in Great Britain ?c1941

Letter from MLB (written on *BW in America* headed paper) to ?BW, nd

Box 11 (contd)

English-Speaking Union correspondence, some addressed to Bw1968-1968

Letters alluding to death and obituary of BW, 1969

Correspondence of Audrey Blackman, 1969

Letters mainly from Helga Auberjonois to Alicia Street, 1987-1988

Letter referring to BACA from Gladys Jannaud to Alicia Street, 1997

Box 12: English Speaking Union

(See also boxes 13-15)

'Concord': journal of the ESU, various issues between 1977-1996

ESU meeting papers, general papers, 1975-1991; including annual reports 1970-1971 and leaflet on the schools affiliation scheme

File marked 'ESU Archives': papers re the Page Library and the archives of ESU, c 1987-1992; copy correspondence 1934, papers from the ESU archive 1934-1954

File marked 'ESU VE Exhibition May 1995': papers re the 50th anniversary of VE day exhibition 'The EDU at War', held in May 1995, including notes and correspondence 1992-1995, and papers from the ESU archive 1942-1945

Box 13: English Speaking Union

(See also boxes 12, 14-15)

Note: Box found to be full of loose papers, no arrangement discernible. They have been grouped together for the interim pending full sorting and cataloguing

ESU: meeting minutes and lists of books and related papers, 1962-1976

ESU: correspondence of Alicia Street, mainly relating to proposed guidebook to places in BG with American connections, 1976; but also including: extract from correspondence relating to the estate of BW, 1970; typescript list of passengers who sailed on 'The Mayflower' in 1620; itinerary for tour in Britain 'Footsteps of Independence' 1976

Publications:

Brief Guide to All Saints Church, Maldon Essex (has Washington Memorial window)

Leaflet about 'Books Across the Sea'

'The Mayflower and the Pilgrim Fathers' (Pitkin Guide, 1970)

'America's Britain: a bicentennial sampler' (British Tourist Authority Publication, 1976)

Box 13 (contd)

'Inside America' by David Carpenter (reprint of articles from 'Tribune', ?1944)

'Penn, Buckinghamshire: the English historical source of America's Birthplace' by Rev Oscar Muspratt (1976)

'East Anglian Magazine': cover and odd pages July 1976; Jan 1977

'East Anglia and America' by John Ryden Harris (East Anglian Magazine, 1973)

'American Ties with All Hallows Church, London (leaflet)

Invitation to the 24th British-American Ball, December 1976

Pages from unidentified newspaper with article 'Discovering London's American associations', 1978

'The American' newspaper with article marked re the American Studies Resource Centre, 1976

Box 14: English Speaking Union (see also boxes 12-13, 15)

Apart from the two folders mentioned below, the papers were found loose in the box in no discernible order; they have been gathered together now pending further sorting and cataloguing.

File marked 'BAS [Books Across the Sea] 1975:

Meeting minutes, book lists and related papers of ESU and BAS including report on Page Memorial Library storage requirements, outline of the work of the Page Library, schools affiliation scheme leaflet, etc, 1962-1976

Closed material: applications for the Sir Evelyn Wrench travelling fellowship for librarians, 1975; memo about librarian, nd

File marked 'ESU. Old Prior 1961. BAS':

Correspondence, papers, including leaflets about Books Across the Sea and ESU annual reports for 1960 and 1964, 1943, 1958-1964

Papers found loose in box:

Miscellaneous papers relating to the English Speaking Union etc including:

Letter from Agnes Pickering, Vermont, to BW to enclose a narrative 'Bub and the Cardinal'; with [damaged] letter from MLB to ?BW, 1946

'The Dickensian', no 302, March 1952

Newsletters of the ESU of the USA, 1959-1966 (7 issues)

Box 14 (contd)

Correspondence; conference papers, lists of book selections by 'Books Across the Sea', 1961-1998

Leaflet on the Page Library of the ESU of the Commonwealth and its benefits to Books Across the Sea, 1968

Copy article 'A Travelling Librarian in the United States' by Simon Francis, 1971

List of archives of the English Speaking Union, Philadelphia Branch, held at Temple University Library, Philadelphia [1998]

Copy paper given at day school on 'Fiction and its Promotion in Public Libraries: 'The Library and the New Novel' by Peter H. Mann, 1980

Box 15: English Speaking Union (See also boxes 12- 14)

Note: Apart from the one folder noted below, the box was found to be full of loose papers, no arrangement discernible. They have been grouped together for the interim pending full sorting and cataloguing

Folder marked 'ESU General 1961-'

'Memorial ' to Mrs May Lamberton Becker from Paul Beaujon (also to Mrs Jane Fisher and Mrs Katharine Young) '...we three (Guido, Beaujon and Edward) suddenly realised that we must hav the Three Nicest Mothers in Al the World; and that maybe that would explain why we ourselves are so Sensible and Attractive ...' signed by Paul Beaujon, witnessed by Guido Morris and Edward Young, (printed at the Latin Press, Langford, 1936)

Photograph of BW at an event in Pretoria (?1957)

List of corporate members and supporters of the ESU of the Commonwealth, 1959

Copy correspondence, 1961 (4 items)

Speeches and other addresses at the Ottawa Symposium [World Branches Conference of the ESU], October 1958

Papers formerly loose in box:

ESU meeting papers and minutes, book lists, a few items of correspondence, leaflets, etc, 1950-1984 (but mostly 1961-1982)

Papers relating to the 47th AGM of ESU, held at the Homestead, Hot Springs, Virginia, including menu decorated by BW, Nov 1967

Programme for 35th British-American Ball, in aid of British-American Associates, London, Dec 1987

Programme for 44th British-American Canadian Ball, London, Dec 1996

Box 16: English Speaking Union / Books Across the Sea (see also boxes 17-18)

Folder: Alexander report: letters and papers comprising:

Letter from BW, BAS, to John Wilson relating to book, Dec 1943; report of the Alexander Committee to review the organisation of the ESU, 1964; letters relating to the report of the Alexander Committee, 1964 (3); newspaper cutting with report of BW's visit to Toledo Public Library, 1967; *Other items:* brief note by BW on typeface [?notes for speech on her 60th birthday, 1960]; handbill for 'Books Under Fire' exhibition, c 1941/45; copy letter from BW to Mr Lewis referring to printing an article in 'Outpost', 1944; note from BW to Rosemary Livsey re BAS show, nd; part-letter from BW, nd; letter from Edward Sydney to BW re BAS, 1960; press release re BW's appearance at ESU event, ?1950; circular letter from BW, Americans-in-Britain Outpost, recounting a wartime experience in the Surrey countryside, c 1941

Folder: ESU BAS Lists, comprising:

ESU list of Australian books, 1963/4

ESU list of Canadian books, 1963

ESU lists of American books, 1954-55, 1961-1967

BAS lists of English books, 1946, 1960-1964

National HQ of the English-Speaking Union of the United States newsletters, 1955, 1959, 1962-1965

National Committee for England and Wales of ESU: BAS booklists – British books and American books, 1978

Report on reactivating BAS, 1989

Box 17: English Speaking Union / Books Across the Sea (see also boxes 16, 18)

Publications:

A Brief History of the United States by Allan Nevins; BAS stamp on flyleaf (Oxford 1942)

Letters from Baker Street including *The Lost Special* and *The Man with the Watches* by Arthur Conan Doyle; BAS stamp on flyleaf (New York, 1942)

The Good Samaritan by Hope Costly White and John Harwood; BAS Circle in America stamp on inside front cover (Bible Reading Fellowship)

Little Pudding and Winga Wanga BAS Circle in America stamp on inside front cover, 1945

Little Pudding and the Drum BAS Circle in America on inside front cover, 1945

Little Pudding and the baby Elephant (BAS Circle in America stamp inside front cover, 1945)

Box 17 (contd)

William and Cherry (Cresset Press, London, 1943); BAS ESU New York stamp inside front cover

A Story about Ducks by Jack Townend (Faber and Faber, London, 1945) BAS Society in America stamp inside front cover

The Prodigal Son (Bible Reading Fellowship) BAS Society in America stamp on back cover, 1946

Merry Christmas: legends and traditions in many lands ed Louis Untermeyer (Western Publishing Company Inc, 1967) with paper band 'OF Western Publishing Company Wishes You all the Joys of the Season'

File marked 'For Alicia – Books Across the Sea etc': List of 'Bombed Books' for captioning with covering letter from Phyllis Giles to BW, nd [c 1942/44]; *Evening Standard* cartoon, reprinted for the Americans-in-Britain Outpost, 1940; sample of type faces, ?1965; newspaper cuttings and letters (4) to MLB and letter (1) to BW, 1944-45; circular letter from BW to 'Readers' Guide' [MLB] referring to the 'Token of Freedom' etc, c 1940/44; notes by MLB on the Caldecott medal awarded to Elizabeth Jones for her illustrations in 'Prayer for a Child', c1944

Envelope marked 'For Miss Charlotte Day': Newscuttings, leaflets and papers relating to BAS, 1941-1945; including envelopes and labels, proof flyleaf and preface for 'Our Singing Country: a second volume of American ballads and folk songs', 1941; and extract from the 'Bookseller' with report of the formation of a National Book Committee in USA, 1954

Orange folder: Books Under Fire: an address before the Book Day Assembly by Evelyn Steel Little, Mills College, California,, Nov 1944; Photographs (3) of display of American books; Letters, leaflets, newspaper cuttings, post-war policy, etc relating to Books Across the Sea, 1945-1947; including small photograph [of committee members and] Dr Iona Logie and MLB

Folder marked Books Across the Sea 1967 including - from another file – 'Early Books Across the Sea': Papers including letter from BW in America to Arthur Newell at the American Outpost in London, 1942; lists of BAS committee members, 1949/50-1966/67; list of the Winifred Nerney memorial collection, c 1964; report re the future of ESU, c 1964; copy letter from Toledo ESU re the future of ESU, 1967; list of publishers donating to BAS, nd; leaflet about Page Library and its benefits to BAS, 1968; comments from recipients of Ambassador Book lists; annual report of BAS committee of ESU, 1968; potential librarian's thoughts on the Page Library; report on the World Conference of ESU in Edinburgh, [1960s]

Folder marked 'Old BAS': Papers including *British Book News Supplement 'British Wartime Books for Young People'* by MLB, 1944; BAS newsletter 1946; article re BAS reprinted from 'Manchester Guardian', 1947; page from 'Printing News' with report of BW at Type Directors Club and her lecture, 1950; list of BAS books exhibited at ESU conference in Ottawa, 1958; minutes of Page Library and BAS committee, 1960; BAS lists of books, 1960-1961; correspondence re BAS, 1961-1963; draft leaflets about BAS; ms lecture notes by ?BW, nd; bookplate and leaflet re 'Ambassador Books';

Box 17 (contd)

photograph of BAS booth at Philadelphia National Bank, 1960; photographs (3) of Mayor's reception at Mansion House to mark the completion of work of the Kinsmen Trust, c 1960

Envelope addressed to R.E. Barker, secretary of the Publishers' Association: correspondence re BAS including letter from BW to Sir Campbell Stuart, 1964

Folder marked 'BAS Lists London: letter from Dutch publisher requesting permission to print BW's 'In Defence of Mr Nosey Parker', 1946; proofs for article 'How "Books Across the Sea" started' by BW, [1966]; lists of books, 1968-1969

Misc items formerly loose in box (possibly from one of the folders) : printed matter including cuttings and leaflets re BAS/ESU; 2 items of correspondence; draft annual report material 1967-1968; notice for a literary lunch hosted by ESU/Page Memorial Library and BAS

Box 18: English Speaking Union / Books Across the Sea (see also boxes 16-17)

Publications:

'British Ambassador Books chosen by BAS in Britain and sent to BAS in America, 1943-1944

'British Book News supplement: British Wartime Books for Young People', National Book Council, London, Nov 1944

Exhibition of the fifty books chosen 1945 for the National Book League from those published in 1944

BAS leaflets, 1940s-1960s, 'Token of Freedom' bookplate, 1940s

Papers including: 'Quotable quotes' in appreciation of BAS; BAS newsletters, 1946; report of the BAS presidential address of T.S. Eliot, 1948; comments on loan exhibit of BAS Ambassador Books, 1950; ESU/BAS booklists, 1954, 1965-1968; meeting minutes 1966-1967; draft for booklet 'How 'Books Across the Sea' started' by BW; summary of activities for ESU annual report 1967

Papers formerly in box file: 'Papers relating to BAS left in garage by BW and passed on to me [presumably Alicia Street] by Louise Sayers' : Leaflet about BAS, nd; account of memories of a prairie childhood brought on by air raid written possibly by Fois Clark for 'Outpost'; letters (6) to Alicia Street including from BW, 1945-1965; printed declaration by Americans-in-Britain Outpost relating to the war, c 1941; letters and papers relating to BAS and 'Outpost' including flyer for 'Bombed but Unbeaten by BW 1941, proof title page for 'The Token of Freedom' 1940, book lists, etc, 1940-1967

Box 19: Books under Fire; Wartime Evacuees to USA

Folder marked 'Books under Fire:

Papers relating to 'Bombed Books' Exhibition, including introductory words for speech or catalogue (typescript); list of bombed books of significance to be included in the exhibition; descriptive captions of books c 1941/45

Folder marked 'Leave in England':

Letters to May Lamberton Becker from various friends and associates including two from BW, 1950-1953, nd, (18 items)

Manuscript notes in pencil (possibly by MLB, written on reverse of book jacket)

Photograph of MLB and two girl guides and pile of books, interior setting, nd

Photograph of wartime nurses with vehicle supplied by British War Relief Soc Inc of USA, with caption on reverse 'Charles Dickens' operating: Middlesex JCC', 1940s

Printed material including: page from 'Weekly Book News' with article by MLB on A.A. Milne, 1928; page from TLS Children's Book Section, 1949; cutting from 'The Reader's Guide' with article by MLB, 1951; article from 'Christian Herald' with article 'Religion in your child's library' by MLB, 1952; pages from 'Publishers' Weekly' with articles and books marked, 1952; invitation to MLB to attend visit of HRH Duke of Edinburgh to ESU HQ, 1953; extract from 'The Reader's Guide' with article referring to BW's work in England, nd; 'Toast to the Next Job' printed for Paul Beaujon by Guido Morris at the Latin Press near Bristol, nd

Folder marked 'The Kinsmen':

Papers re war-time child evacuees from Britain to America and the Kinsman Trust including: newspaper cuttings about the scheme and report of Kinsmen Thanksgiving Party in Nov 1941; specimen certificate of membership to The Kinsmen awarded to [persons] receiving and protecting 'a child of Britain during the onslaught on freedom'; ms poem 'British Parent to an Absent Child' by Catherine Leach; two photographs of children at Children's House, Tuxedo Park, New York, 1940, 1941 (children named); 8 issues of 'The Sea-gull Post' issued by The Kinsmen, Nov 1941-April 1943; Kinsmen badge (sent by BW in New York to a woman in Newark but returned to BW), 1943
Miscellaneous item: unsigned typescript letter to Dr Maule referring to funding of the Statistical Journal [British Journal of Statistical Psychology] [for Sir Cyril Burt], ?1950s

Unmarked green folder: Letters received by BW, mainly alluding to the 'American Outpost in Great Britain', including typescript poem by Avery Giles 'What's in a Name'; five letters to MLB, one copy letter from BW (26 items) 1941, nd

Box 20: British American Canadian Associates (British American Associates until c 1990; dissolved in 1997; see also boxes 21-22)

Papers formerly loose inside ring binder:

BACA meeting minutes, including Ball Committee minutes, 1996-1997

Lecture fellowship tour papers, 1980-1996

Correspondence and papers, including items relating to the dissolution of BACA in 1997; overview of the work of Gladys Jannaud, general secretary of British American Associates 1987-1997

Papers formerly in pink file: BAA/BACA meeting minutes and associated papers, 1990-1993; including Ball Committee papers, 1990-1995

Box 21: British American Canadian Associates (British American Associates until c 1990; dissolved in 1997; see also boxes 20, 22)

Papers formerly loose inside ring binder:

Papers relating to the Elliot/Winant fellowship lecture tours, comprising lecturers' itineraries, synopses and resumes, 1967-1996

Miscellaneous papers including: meeting minutes 1996-1997; financial statement, 1997; papers relating to Ball 1983, 1996; proposal from Joan Baillie on the future for the BACA, Feb 1997

Papers formerly in green folder marked ' BACA Dinners, etc':

Applications for Fulbright / BACA award, 1993-1994 [**CLOSED ACCESS for now pending further consideration**]

Papers relating to the Elliot/Winant fellowship lecture tours, comprising lecturers' itineraries, synopses and resumes, c 1993-1996

BAA/BACA meeting minutes, 1979-1997

Ball committee: lists of members, leaflets, 1991-1996

Financial balance sheets and statements, 1989-1995

Miscellaneous papers and correspondence, 1985, c 1993-1996

Box 22: British American Canadian Associates (British American Associates until c 1990; dissolved in 1997; see also boxes 20-21)

Papers relating to lecture fellowships and tours [A.W. Mellon lecturer-fellowship; Elliot/Winant lecture-fellowship] comprising lecturers' itineraries, synopses and resumes (many duplicates), 1967-1996

Financial papers, balance sheets, etc, 1979-1994

Miscellaneous papers and correspondence, 1978-1996

Programme for the 34th British-American Ball, 1986

Programmes for the 41-43rd British-Canadian Balls, 1993-1995

Historical notes and papers relating to BACA [grouped together by Alicia Street], including: annual report 1961/62; summary of aims and objectives; revised rules; history of British American Associates 1931-1978 written by Gladys Jannaud, BAA General Secretary; history of BAA 1931-1986; list of lecture tours; resume of the work of Gladys Jannaud for BAA/BACA c 1961-1992

Box 23: Americans-in-Britain Outpost of the Committee to defend America by Aiding the Allies

'News from the Outpost' numbers 1-15, August 1940-March 1941; at front: declaration by Americans-in-Britain and leaflet 'An American Lawyer tells why he joined the British Army, 1940 (bound volume, 2 copies)

'News from the Outpost': loose issues 2-28, 31-36, 38-69 (final issue)
(from no 21, August 1941 titled 'The Outpost') August 1940-Jan/March 1946

The Token of Freedom: a selection of immortal words': leaflet produced for children leaving England [for America] (Americans-in-Britain Outpost of the Committee for Defending America by Aiding the Allies, London, 1940)

'A Busy Night: extract from diary of Jack Read, member of London's Auxiliary Fire Service (American Outpost in Great Britain, London, 1941)

American Outpost in Great Britain: headed notepaper and envelope

'News from the Outpost': various duplicate issues and odd articles and pages from issues, 1940-1946

'Over to You' published by British-American Associates, London, issue 18, vol 1 Jul/Aug 1950

Box 24: Miscellaneous Papers

Deed of surrender of Grosvenor house, St Mary's Road, Ealing, upon payment of mortgage, Arthur Patey to Charles Roby, 26 July 1888

Index of places in England with American connections including some relating to people and sundry other index cards (possibly compiled in preparation for tour/publication in c 1976, see box 13)

'Harper's Bazaar' (New York) Dec 1883

'Big Tree Bulletin and Murphy's Advertiser (California), May 1858

Newspaper cuttings, c 1924-1995

Publications including:

Catalogue of the Fry Collection (Courtauld Institute of Art), 1958

'The Free People': extracts from historical speeches (leaflet)

Book catalogue from stock of Robert Steedman, 1960/61

Extract from CUP 'Readers' comments and historical notes' re typefaces

'Allied Circle' letter to members, Aug-Sep 1950

Leaflet re Leyton's libraries

Programme for the dedication of Winant House, London E 14, donated as an American gift to the Festival of Britain, 1951

Festival of Britain bulletin (pic of Winant House on front cover), April 1951

Other printed material (mainly examples of printing types, etc) including:

BW book labels (envelope with many labels with decorative 'BW')

Association of Assistant Librarians' annual meeting menu card with engraving by J.E. Laboureur, Bristol, 1929

Invitation from Eric Gill to BW to attend the marriage of Petra Gill to Denis Tegermeir, High Wycombe, 1930

Humours 'Printing Office' notice with pencil note 'How not to set type', [1969]

New Year greeting printed on the ancient wooden hand press at the St Bride Printing Library, 1954

Christmas card from ?Joan G

Box 24 (contd)

Sketch of woman upturning box of papers onto desk

Alfred Pereire decorative label or bookplate

Kate Fletcher bookplate

Two decorative Latin texts from Petra and Denis T (noted in pencil), 1932

Decorative Latin text

Christmas card in aid of St James' Bomber Fund, c 1940/45

Humorous advertising handbill for Fortnum and Mason's food goods, 1931

Sample text for Monotype series Goudy Modern no 249, Roman and Italic, 1931

'Early printers in the city of Venice' from Dibdin's Bibliographical Decameron: Italian Old Style, a new type face by Fred W. Goudy (Lanston Monotype Company, Philadelphia) with pencil note of its presentation to Frederique Warde on his departure to England, Jan 1925

'Dust of Snow' poem by Robert Frost

Miscellanea:

Small photograph of unidentified garden

Brief genealogical notes (?in hand of MLB)

Pastel sketch of an industrial site, artist unknown

Pencil sketch of woman holding a bowl by A. Vidal Salichs (Spanish artist born 1885), 1923

MS sheet of music composed by Gustave L. Becker for the American Outpost in Britain – Andante Maestoso, nd (c 1940/45)