

Derek Stanford:

An Inventory of His Collection at the Harry Ransom Center

Descriptive Summary

Creator:	Stanford, Derek, 1918-2008
Title:	Derek Stanford Collection
Dates:	1936-1975
Extent:	14 boxes (5.88 linear feet), 10 galley folders (gf)
Abstract:	The British poet and critic Derek Stanford is represented by manuscripts for many of the works he produced up until 1975 and a selection of his correspondence.
Call Number:	Manuscript Collection MS-03962
Language:	English with a small amount of French
Access:	Open for research. Researchers must create an online Research Account and agree to the Materials Use Policy before using archival materials.
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Processed by: Joan Sibley and Richard Workman, 2018 **Note:** This finding aid replicates and replaces information previously available only in a card catalog. Please see the explanatory note at the end of this finding aid for information regarding the arrangement of the manuscripts as well as the abbreviations commonly used in descriptions.

Repository: [Harry Ransom Center, The University of Texas at Austin](#)

Works:

- Untitled account of meeting with Stevie Smith, Ams, 8 pages, undated **Container**
1.1
- Untitled lecture, Ams with handwritten revisions, 27 pages, undated. Stanford's part of joint lecture at Oxford with Gabriel Fielding. Written on verso of discarded pages of Anne Brontë.
- Untitled lecture on Christopher Fry, Ams / note outline with handwritten revisions, 30 pages in notebook, undated
- Untitled short story, Ams / draft / unfinished, 20 pages in notebook, undated
- Anne Brontë as poet, Ams / incomplete with handwritten revisions, 61 pages in notebook, 1953. Written with this: Notes for Christopher Fry, drafts of reviews and letters, and other notes. **Container**
1.3
- Anne Brontë: Her life and work by Ada Harrison and Derek Stanford:
- T and Tccms with handwritten emendations and printer's marks, 420 pages, 1958 **Container**
1.4-7
- Galley proofs, 71 sheets, 1959 **Container** gf 1
- Part II, chapters XII-XVIII: Anne Brontë as poet, Tccms with handwritten revisions and notes, 117 pages, undated. Early version of Stanford's part of the collaboration. **Container**
1.8
- The arts of sport and recreation:
- Notes and introduction, Amss with handwritten revisions, 79 pages in 2 notebooks, 1965 **Container**
1.9
- Biographical and critical notices, Vols. I-IV, Ams with handwritten revisions, 123 pages in 4 books, undated. Written also in Vol. IV: Exercises for student reader. **Container**
2.1
- Introduction, biographical and critical notices, and exercises, T and Tccms, 45 pages, undated. Includes Tccms / duplicate of Introduction and Accms Sheet B. **Container**
2.2
- Galley proofs, 68 sheets, 1967 **Container** gf 2
- Aubrey Beardsley: A proposal for a biography, signed Ams with handwritten revisions, 17 pages, undated **Container**
1.2
- Aubrey Beardsley's erotic universe:

- 2 Ams / notebooks, one signed, with handwritten revisions, 229 pages, undated. **Container**
Second notebook contains choice of illustrations. 2.3-4
- Tccms, 37 pages, undated **Container 2.5**
- Signed Ams / notes, 61 pages in 2 notebooks, undated **Container**
2.6-7
- Page proofs on uncut galleys, 13 sheets, 1967 **Container gf 3**
- Autobiography, Tccms / fragment, 33 pages, undated **Container 1.2**
- The body of love:
- Discarded poems, T and Tccmss, 13 pages, undated **Container 2.8**
- Ams / draft with handwritten revisions, 58 pages in notebook, undated. Written **Container**
with this: Outlines for lectures. 2.9
- Introduction, Tccms, 24 pages, undated **Container 3.1**
- Signed proof copy with extensive handwritten notes and additions, 358 pages, **Container**
1964. Included with this: Descriptive note by Stanford. 3.2
- Christopher Fry:
- Signed Tccms with handwritten revisions, 44 pages, undated. Includes 4 separate **Container**
pages on The dark is light enough. 3.4
- Tccms with handwritten emendations, 40 pages, undated
- Appendix A, Tms, 4 pages, undated
- Galley proofs, 13 sheets, 1954 **Container gf 4**
- Printed pages with handwritten revisions for new edition by Stanford and **Container**
Bonamy Dobrée, 16 pages, 1955 3.4
- Christopher Fry: Portrait of a poet-playwright, Tms with handwritten emendations,
7 pages, undated
- The confronting, 2 Tmss, 1 page each, undated **Container 3.3**
- Course descriptions for City Literary Institute, 3 Tccmss, 5 pages, undated
- David Gascoyne: A spiritual itinerary, signed Ams with handwritten revisions, 49 **Container**
pages, undated 3.5

- David Gascoyne and the unacademics, signed Ams with handwritten revisions, 41 pages in notebook, undated **Container** 3.6
- David Gascoyne and the unacademics, galley proofs, 4 sheets, undated. Attached to this: Cover note. **Container** gf 5
- Diabolus in Kensington: Beardsley at the V. & A., signed Ams / draft with handwritten revisions, 31 pages in notebook; Tccms, 3 pages, 25 May 1966 **Container** 3.5
- Diary: Literary and personal, Ams, 110 pages in notebook, 1946. Included with this: Descriptive note by Stanford. **Container** 3.6
- Doppelgänger, Tccms, 1 page, undated **Container** 3.5
- The dug-out, Tms with handwritten revisions in hand of Muriel Spark, 19 pages, undated
- The dug-out, Tccms with handwritten revisions by Stanford and Muriel Spark, 19 pages, undated. Included with this: Descriptive note by Stanford.
- Dylan Thomas:
- Ams, 34 pages in notebook, 23 November no year **Container** 3.7
- Plan and running count, Ams, 3 pages, undated
- Tms with handwritten revisions and printer's notes, 228 pages, undated **Container** 3.8-9
- Tccms, 226 pages, undated **Container** 4.1-2
- Tccms / incomplete, 220 pages, undated **Container** 4.3-4
- Miscellaneous pages, Tccms / fragments, 5 pages, undated **Container** 3.7
- Blurb, Tccms, 2 pages, undated
- Dylan Thomas workbook, Amss with handwritten revisions, 233 pages in dummy book, undated. Includes drafts of part of Dylan Thomas together with drafts of articles, reviews, and letters. **Container** 4.6
- Dylan Thomas' animal faith, page proofs, 8 pages, 1957 **Container** 4.5
- Edwin Muir, galley proofs, 3 sheets, undated **Container** gf 6
- Emily Brontë: Her life and work, Part II, Chapters III and IV, Tms, 28 pages, undated. Included with this: Descriptive note by Stanford. **Container** 4.7

Emily Brontë: Obstacle and achievement, Ams / incomplete with handwritten revisions, 12 pages; Tms with handwritten revisions, 25 pages, Tccms / incomplete with handwritten emendations, 9 pages, undated. Discarded chapter of Emily Brontë: Her life and work. Included with these: Descriptive note by Stanford.

England's 'Literary Academy,' Ams with handwritten revisions, 37 pages; Tccms with handwritten revisions, 12 pages, undated

Forgery, Tccms, 1 page, undated

Container 4.8

Four poems from the French of Jacques Charprier, Tccms, 2 pages, undated

Francis Thompson, prosateur, page proofs, 7 pages, undated. In French.

The freedom of poetry: Postscripts, Tms with handwritten emendations, 14 pages, undated. Included with this: Descriptive note by Stanford

The freedom of poetry: Segments, Tccms / incomplete with handwritten emendations, 60 pages, undated. Sections on Alex Comfort, Norman Michelson, and Wrey Gardiner.

Gascoyne in retrospect, signed Ams with handwritten revisions, 37 pages in notebook, Tccms, 12 pages, 1965

Container 4.9

Goodbye, Bohemia, signed Ams with handwritten revisions, 170 pages in notebook, 1957. Included with this: Descriptive note by Stanford.

Container 5.1

Goodbye, Bohemia: Whose moon? Tccms / excerpt, 3 pages, undated

Hoo-ha, Tccms, 1 page, undated

Container 4.9

The house, Tccms, 1 page, undated

Ideas in progress, 5 Ams / notebooks, 221 pages, 1943, undated

Container 5.2

The image of God in Christopher Fry's drama, Ams with handwritten revisions, 35 pages in notebook, undated

Container 4.9

The image of God in the work of Dylan Thomas, page proofs, 14 pages, undated

Inside the forties, signed Ams with handwritten revisions and notes, 12 diaries and notebooks, 1974-1975

**Container 5.3-7,
6.1-5,
7.1-2**

Inside the forties, Tccms with handwritten revisions, 239 pages, 1975

Container 7.3-4

John Betjeman, page proofs on uncut galley sheets, 40 sheets, 1961	Container gf 7
Journal, Ams / notebook, 105 pages, 1945-1946. Contains personal entries and literary quotations.	Container 7.5
Journal / Jottings and letter extracts, Ams, 99 pages, 1948-1954	Container 7.6
Journals, 3 Ams / notebooks, 221 pages, undated. Contain personal and literary entries and notes on various topics.	Container 7.7
Lecture: Poetry and the novel, Tccms with handwritten note, 11 pages, undated	Container 8.1
Lecture: The work of Muriel Spark, signed Ams / note outline with handwritten revisions, 36 pages in notebook, undated	
Letters of John Henry Newman: Introduction, Tccms with handwritten revisions, 32 pages; Tccms / incomplete with handwritten revisions, 29 pages, undated	Container 8.2
The man who spat on the top of my head, Ams with handwritten revisions, 45 pages in notebook, 1946. Written with this: Ams / notes on books and workings for poem, 30 pages.	Container 8.4
The marksmen, Tms, 1 page, undated	Container 8.3
Middleton Murry as literary critic, Tms with slight handwritten emendations, 16 pages, undated	
Movements in modern British poetry, Tms, 33 pages, undated	
Muriel Spark: A recollection, Tms with handwritten revisions, 154 pages, 1963. Included with this: Descriptive note by Stanford.	Container 8.5-6
Muriel Spark: Foreword, signed Ams with handwritten revisions, 13 pages; signed Tccms, 4 pages, undated	Container 8.3
Music while you work, Tms, 1 page, undated	
Notebook: Ideas and images, signed Ams / drafts and notes, 41 pages, 18 January 1958. Contains few journal entries.	Container 8.7
Notebook: Liverpool tags, Ams / notes, 12 pages, 1941-1942	
Notes on Emily Brontë, Ams / marginalia in book of her poems, 12 pages, undated	Container 8.8

- Notes on Fénelon, signed Ams / notes, 171 pages in 3 notebooks, undated. Include also notes on Edwin Muir and draft of poem Arcadia. **Container** 8.9
- Notes on Newman, 2 Ams / notebooks, 81 pages, undated. One notebook contains also workings for poems and other notes. **Container** 8.10
- Odds, images & aphorisms, Ams / notebook, 30 pages, June 1946 **Container** 8.3
- Passion's autopsy: A diary of analysis, Ams, 31 pages in notebook, 1938. Written with this: Notes on pictures, 21 pages. **Container** 8.12
- The pit, Tms, 1 page, undated **Container** 8.11
- Poem in separation, Tms with handwritten emendations, 1 page, undated
- Poems, 2 initialed Amss / notebooks, 95 pages, 1941-1942 **Container** 9.1
- Poems and notes, Ams / notebook, 133 pages, undated **Container** 9.2
- Poet for export? Some words on John Betjeman, Tms, 8 pages, undated **Container** 8.11
- The poets of the nineties:
- 5 Ams / notebooks with handwritten revisions, 286 pages, undated. Contain drafts of introduction, preface, and introductory sections for individual authors. **Container** 9.3-4
- Notes for selection and introduction, 2 Ams / notebooks, 77 pages; 1 Ams / loose leaves, 17 pages, undated. Included with these: Descriptive note by Stanford. **Container** 9.5
- First introduction, Ams with handwritten revisions, 38 pages; Tms with handwritten emendations, 14 pages, undated. Included with these: Descriptive note by Stanford. **Container** 9.6
- Tms with handwritten emendations and printer's notes, 217 pages, undated **Container** 9.7-8
- Signed galley proofs, 54 sheets, undated. Included with this: Descriptive note by Stanford. **Container** gf 8
- A portion of autobiography, Tms, 32 pages, undated **Container** 8.11
- Private gutch-book, Ams / journal, 16 pages in book, undated. Included with this: Descriptive note by Stanford. **Container** 9.9

Prose of this century:

Introductory notes, 3 Ams / notebooks, 109 pages, 1964-1965	Container 10.1
Questions, notes, etc., 5 signed Amss / notebooks, 206 pages, undated	Container 10.2
Contents, introduction, and introductory sections, Tccms, 100 pages, undated. Includes introductory sections for rejected selections.	Container 10.3
Prose pieces and short stories, signed Ams, 93 pages in notebook, some loosely laid in, 1936-1937	Container 10.4
The pumpkin tree: An autobiography, signed Ams with handwritten revisions and A and T inserts, 1431 pages in 9 notebooks, undated	Container 10.5-6, 11.1-7
The pumpkin tree: An autobiography, Tccms with handwritten emendations, 213 pages, undated. Included with this: 2 Ams titles.	Container 11.8
The Pylon poets:	
Notes, signed Ams / notebook, 21 pages, undated	Container 12.1
Signed Ams with handwritten revisions, 370 pages in 3 diaries, 1966. Entries throughout by original owners of diaries.	Container 12.2-4
Tccms with few handwritten emendations, 62 pages, undated	Container 13.1
Religious drama: The way things are shaping, signed Tccms with handwritten revisions, 7 pages, undated	Container 13.2
Return, Tccms, 1 page, undated	
Review of The American imagination: A critical survey of the arts from The Times Literary Supplement, galley proofs, 2 sheets, undated	Container gf 9
Review of The art of Paul Valéry by Francis Scarfe, Tccms, 1 page, undated	Container 13.2
Review of Under the hill by Aubrey Beardsley, completed by John Glassco, Tms, 2 pages, 1966	
Rilke and his exclusive myth, page proofs, 25 pages, 1948	
Secretly (after the French of Paul Verlaine), Tccms, 1 page, undated	

The squirrel and the chestnuts (short story), Ams with handwritten revisions, 22 pages in notebook, undated. Written with this: Notes for article on Graham Greene and for Poetry and the individual, 29 pages.

T. S. Eliot's new play, Tms, 15 pages, undated

Theodora, signed Ams / unfinished with handwritten revisions, 38 pages in notebook, undated. Written with this: T. S. Eliot at seventy, Review of Out of the world and back by Andrew Young, workings for poem, outline for lecture Americans in Europe. **Container** 13.3

Thirteen poems of Edward Thomas, Ams / copy of poems with editorial essay and notes, 37 pages in notebook, 1939 **Container** 13.2

Three directions in French writing, page proofs / incomplete, 28 pages, 1948

The traveler hears the strange machine, Tccms, 63 pages, undated **Container** 13.4

The unity of David Gascoyne, Ams with handwritten revisions, 37 pages, undated. Included on this: Descriptive note by Stanford. **Container** 13.5

Visitation, Tccms, 1 page, undated

The wandering critic, Ams with handwritten revisions, 31 pages in notebook; Tccms, 4 pages, undated. Written also in notebook: AL / draft to T.L.S. re Muriel Spark; Ams / draft of broadcast review of The letters of Thomas Gainsborough. Included with these: Descriptive note by Stanford. **Container** 13.6

A word for Fénelon, Tccms with handwritten printer's notes, 26 pages, 1956 **Container** 13.5

Workbook, Ams / notebook with handwritten revisions, 86 pages, undated. Contains notes for articles and on books read. **Container** 13.7

The world of John Betjeman, Ams / notes, 47 pages in notebook, undated. Written with this: Notes for and drafts of other works, 37 pages. **Container** 13.8

The writings of Max Beerbohm, galley proofs, 5 sheets, undated. Review of 5 titles published by Penguin Books. **Container** gf 10

Letters:

TccLS to Barnesley, Alan Gabriel, undated

Container 13.9

TccL to Braybrooke, Neville, 14 July no year

TccL to the editor, Church of England Newspaper, undated

2 TccL to Nelson (Thomas) & Sons, Ltd, 18 May 1965, 8 November 1966

TccL to the editor, The New Statesman and Nation, undated

AL / draft, AccL, 2 TccL to The Richards Press, 15 and 25 November 1964, 18
February 1965, undated

AL / draft, proofs to the editor, Times Literary Supplement, undated

Recipient:

Unidentified author. ALS to Stanford, Derek, undated.

Container
13.10

Unidentified author. TLI to Stanford, Derek, 5 August 1957.

Unidentified author. Christmas card signed Christine and Jerry to Stanford, Derek, undated.

Unidentified author. ALS Geoffrey to Stanford, Derek, undated.

Unidentified author. ALS George to Stanford, Derek, 15 April 1953.

Unidentified author. ALS Harry to Stanford, Derek, 25 July 1958.

Adams, Richard George. ALS to Stanford, Derek, 10 February 1975.

Asquith, Cynthia Mary Evelyn Charteris, Lady, 1887-1960. ALS to Stanford, Derek, 22 December 1955

Atkins, John Alfred. 2 TLS to Stanford, Derek, 28 November and 24 December 1957.

Barnesley, Alan Gabriel, 1916- . 19 ALS, AN, 2 APCS, Christmas card to Stanford, Derek, 1954-1963, undated. **Container**
13.11

Bayliss, John Clifford. 6 ALS, 6 TLS to Stanford, Derek, 1954-1961, undated.

Beer, Patricia. ALS to Stanford, Derek, 7 July 1959.

Bentley, Phyllis Eleanor, 1894- . TLS to Stanford, Derek, 23 March 1961.

Berckman, Lucy. TLS to Stanford, Derek, 10 May 1975.

Bertram, Anthony, 1897- . ALS, TLS to Stanford, Derek, 26 February 1954, 21 April 1956.

Betjeman, John, Sir, 1906- . 2 ALS, 3 TLS to Stanford, Derek, 1958-1961, undated.

Blunden, Edmund Charles, 1896- . ALS to Stanford, Derek, 19 January 1953.

Blunt, Wilfrid, 1901- . ALS to Stanford, Derek, 19 June 1975.

Braybrooke, Neville, 1923- . 2 ALS, 2 ALI, AL, 3 TLS, ANI, 2 APCI to Stanford, Derek, 1956-1959, undated. ANI written at end of ALS June Braybrooke to Stanford.

Braybrooke, Neville, 1923- . TLS to Stanford, Derek, 27 March 1975.

The British Broadcasting Corporation. TLS to Stanford, Derek, 5 September 1963.

Brophy, Brigid, 1929- . ALS, TLI to Stanford, Derek, 14 March and 27 August 1975.

Bullough, Geoffrey, 1901- . TLS to Stanford, Derek, 13 June 1958.

Cecil, Robert. ALS to Stanford, Derek, 3 July no year.

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13.12

The Centaur Press. 11 TLS, 1 TPCI to Stanford, Derek, 1963-1964. Included with these: Descriptive note by Stanford.

The Clergy review. TLS G. D. Smith (editor) to Stanford, Derek, 20 October 1956.

Cohen, J. M. ALS to Stanford, Derek, 10 October 1946.

Colquhoun, Ithell. ALS, APCS to Stanford, Derek, 11 February 1958, 23 June 1961.

Comfort, Alexander, 1920- . ALS, TLS to Stanford, Derek, 19 November no year, undated.

Connolly, Terence Leo, 1888- . TLS to Stanford, Derek, 31 October 1957.

Craig, Alec. APCI, Christmas card to Stanford, Derek, 19 March 1955, undated.

Crewe, Quentin. 2 ALS to Stanford, Derek, 30 December 1952, 11 January 1953. Enclosed with 1953 letter: ALS Percy Lubbock to Stanford with copy of it by Crewe.

De la Mare, Walter John, 1873-1956. TLS to Stanford, Derek, 9 October 1956

Denson, Alan. ALS to Stanford, Derek, 18 May 1961.

Deutsch (Andre) Limited. TLS to Stanford, Derek, 6 September 1954.

Dobrée, Bonamy. 5 TLS to Stanford, Derek, 1954-1960.

Donleavy, James Patrick. 2 TLS to Stanford, Derek, 5 and 23 August 1955.

Editions de l'Oiseau-lyre. TLS to Stanford, Derek, 27 December 1948.

English Folios. 3 TLS Patrick O. Dudgeon to Stanford, Derek, 31 August and 2 September 1948, undated.

Essays in criticism. 2 ALS F. W. Bateson (General Editor) to Stanford, Derek, 10 August 1953, 11 September 1957.

Evans, Robert Owen, 1919- . 2 TLS to Stanford, Derek, 10 February and 1 March 1960.

Evening Standard. Telegram to Stanford, Derek, 4 October 1963.

Farrington, Harold. TLS to Stanford, Derek, 18 October 1960.

Fennell, Desmond. TLS to Stanford, Derek, 27 June no year.

Finlay, Ian Hamilton. 19 ALS, AL / incomplete, TLS, Christmas card to Stanford, Derek, undated. Included with these: Descriptive note by Stanford. **Container**
14.1

Freeman, Gillian, 1929- . ALS to Stanford, Derek, 16 July 1975. **Container**
13.12

Fry, Christopher, 1907- . 3 ALS, AL / incomplete, 5 TLS, 1 Telegram to Stanford, Derek, 1949-1951, undated.

Fry, Christopher, 1907- . 3 ALS to Stanford, Derek, 2 and 25 May and 1 June 1957.

Gardiner, Charles Wrey, 1901-1981. 6 ALS to Stanford, Derek, 1950-1959. **Container**
14.2

Ghose, Sudhindra Nath. TLS to Stanford, Derek, 11 June 1958.

Gooch, G. P. (George Peabody), 1873-1968. ALS to Stanford, Derek, 13 October 1958.

Gopalakrishnan, G. 2 ALS to Stanford, Derek, 4 September 1959, 12 January 1960.

Graecen, Robert. 3ALS, ALI, TLS, TPCS to Stanford, Derek, 1949-1963, undated.

Greene, Graham, 1904- . TLS to Stanford, Derek, 25 October 1954. Enclosed with this: TLS Greene to Muriel Spark, same date.

Grubb, Frederick. 2 TLS to Stanford, Derek, 23 and 30 April 1975.

Handley-Taylor, Geoffrey. 2 ALS, ANS, 6 TLS to Stanford, Derek, 1954-1959, undated. **Container**
14.3

Harrison, Ada M. ALS, 2 TLS, 2 APCS to Stanford, Derek, 1956-1957, undated.

Harrison, Keith. APCS to Stanford, Derek, 15 May 1959.

Harrison, Sam. 3 ALS to Stanford, Derek, 25 November and 28 December 1947,
8 June 1948.

Heath-Stubbs, John Francis Alexander, 1918- . ALS to Stanford, Derek, 6
November no year.

Henn, Thomas Rice. 2 TLS to Stanford, Derek, 8 March and 30 October 1956.

Hesketh, Phoebe. 2 ALS to Stanford, Derek, 6 August and 22 October no year.

Holroyd, Michael, 1935- . APCS to Stanford, Derek, 12 March 1975.

Huddleston, Linden C. AL / incomplete to Stanford, Derek, 27 November 1954.
Enclosed with this: Tms / comments on Stanford's Dylan Thomas.

Hutchinson, Pearse. ALS to Stanford, Derek, 11 March 1949.

Johnson, Pamela Hansford, 1912- . TLS to Stanford, Derek, 31 July 1975.

Komai, Gloria. 2 ALS to Stanford, Derek, 10 April 1947, 27 December 1948.

Kops, Bernard, 1926- . TLS to Stanford, Derek, 23 April 1975.

Kroniek voor Kunst en Klutuur. ALS L. P. J. Braat to Stanford, Derek, 12
February 1961.

Lane, Allen Lane Williams, Sir, 1902-1970. TLS to Stanford, Derek, 8 December
1960.

Lea, Frank Alfred. APCS to Stanford, Derek, 28 November 1959.

Lucas, Frank Lawrence, 1894- . ALS to Stanford, Derek, 28 May 1958.

Manning, Hugo. ALS, TLS to Stanford, Derek, 25 June 1948, 10 May 1957.
Enclosed with TLS: signed Tms / copy of Manning's review of The collected poems
of Roy Campbell.

Container
14.4

Manning, Hugo. TLS, TLI to Stanford, Derek, 20 and 22 February 1954.

Meanjin. TLS to Stanford, Derek, 9 October 1958.

Meynell, Lawrence Walter, 1899- . Christmas card to Stanford, Derek, undated.
Also signed with illegible name.

Modern reading. TLS Reginald Moore (editor) to Stanford, Derek, 23 October 1947.

The Month. TLS Philip Caramau to Stanford, Derek, 9 May 1961.

Moult, Thomas. Christmas card to Stanford, Derek, undated.

Muir, Edwin, 1887-1959. ALS to Stanford, Derek, 26 June 1950.

Nelson (Thomas) & Sons, Ltd. 26 TLS to Stanford, Derek, 1964-1966.

The New English Library Limited. 5 TLS to Stanford, Derek, 1966-1967.

Oldaker, K. H. ALS to Stanford, Derek, 8 May 1955.

Ore. ALS, 2 TLS Eric Ratcliffe (editor) to Stanford, Derek, 19 January 1957, undated.

Palmer, Herbert Edward, 1880-1961. 4 ALS to Stanford, Derek, 1953-1958, undated.

Peschmann, Hermann, 1906- . ALS to Stanford, Derek, 18 September 1949.

Pinto, Vivian de Sola. ALS to Stanford, Derek, 29 September 1948.

The Poetry review. ALS, 3 TLS to Stanford, Derek, 1956-1958, undated.

Pullar, Philippa, 1935- . ALS to Stanford, Derek, 2 June 1975.

Raine, Kathleen Jessie, 1908- . 3 ALS to Stanford, Derek, 3 June 1948, undated.

Container
14.5

Read, Herbert, Sir. 3 ALS, TLS to Stanford, Derek, 1950-1956.

Redgrove, Peter. TLS to Stanford, Derek, 1 July 1953.

Rees, Richard. 2 ALS to Stanford, Derek, 28 May and 2 June 1958.

The Richards Press. 3 TLS, ANS to Stanford, Derek, 1964-1965.

Rye, Anthony Francis, 1904- . ALS Tony to Stanford, Derek, 28 January 1975.

The Saturday review. ALS John Ciardi to Stanford, Derek, undated.

Container
14.6

Sergeant, Howard. ALS to Stanford, Derek, 24 March 1958.

Seymour-Smith, Martin. ALS, 2 TLS to Stanford, Derek, 8 May and 11 and 25 June 1952.

Spark, Muriel, 1918- . 2 ALS, 2 TLS, Telegram to Stanford, Derek, 1954-1958, undated.

The Spectator. TLS Derek Hudson to Stanford, Derek, 3 January 1952.

Stuart, Alice V. ALS to Stanford, Derek, 7 June 1955.

Tambimuttu, Thurairajah, 1915- . TLS to Stanford, Derek, 11 October 1972.
Letterhead: The Lyrebird Press Ltd.

Toulson, Shirley. 3 TLS to Stanford, Derek, 8 May, 4 June and 20 July 1975.

Treece, Henry, 1912-1966. TLS to Stanford, Derek, 5 November 1954.

Turnell, Martin. TLS, ANS to Stanford, Derek, 10 March 1951, 24 November 1958.

Val Baker, Denys, 1917- . TPCS to Stanford, Derek, 10 May 1948.

Visvabharati quarterly. TLS K. Roy to Stanford, Derek, 13 March 1959.

Wagner, Geoffrey. TLS to Stanford, Derek, 12 September no year.

Waller, John Stainer, Sir, 1917- . 2 TLS to Stanford, Derek, 25 June 1947, 11 October 1954.

Willy, Margaret. ALS, Christmas card to Stanford, Derek, 15 April 1958, undated.

Witcutt, William Purcell. ALS to Stanford, Derek, 17 January 1955.

World review. ALS Stefan Schimanski to Stanford, Derek, 11 March 1947.

Young, Kenneth. ALS, invitation to Stanford, Derek, 30 June 1959, undated.

Miscellaneous:

Bayliss, John Clifford. Diversion, signed Ams, 1 page, undated.

Container
14.7

Bayliss, John Clifford. The lady vanishes, signed Ams, 1 page, undated.

Comfort, Alexander, 1920- . ALS to unidentified recipient John, undated

Fraser, George Sutherland, 1915- . Note on D.S.'s letter, Tms, 3 pages, undated.

Fry, Christopher:

Untitled poem, The same trees we passed... Ams, 1 page, undated. Included with this: Fry signature. **Container**
14.7

The hand, initialed Ams, 1 page, January 1942.

ALS, TLS to Spira, Mela, 10 June 1953, 16 July 1954.

ALS, TLS to Spira, Robert, 25 February 1952, 3 February 1963.

Lissauer, Frank. 17 September 1975, signed Ams, 2 pages, undated.

Moore, Nicholas. TLS Nick to Bayliss, John, 4 December 1944.

Parkhill-Rathbone, James. ALS to the editor of Oasis, 13 March 1944.

Poetry Scotland. ALS Maurice Lindsay (editor) to Black, Margaret, 19 April 1945.

Seward, Brocard. APCS to Holdsworth, M., Mrs., 16 September 1964.

Spark, Muriel:

Cheque drawn on Barclays Bank account, made payable to Derek Stanford, 9 February 1954 **Container**
14.7

Chrysalis, Tms, 1 page, undated

Memo to unidentified publisher re The go-away bird, undated

6 p.m. blues, signed Tms, 1 page, 1947

Stanford, Derek:

Anne Brontë: Her life and work, sketches of page designs by printer, 5 pages, undated **Container**
14.7

The arts of sport and recreation: Contents and length, Ams / list and notes, 5 pages, undated

Marginalia in Unsex the skeleton: Notes on the poetry of Dylan Thomas, Ams / notes, 4 pages in pamphlet, undated. Included with this: Descriptive note by Stanford.

The poets of the nineties: Library slips for research, 19 forms from Victoria and Albert Museum Library, 1 page each, 1964

The poets of the nineties: Preliminary sheets, Accms / lists with Ams page, 18 pages, undated

Prose of this century: Notes and list, Ams / notes, 3 pages; Tms / list, 1 page, undated

Todd, John. TLS to Braybrooke, Neville, 17 January 1952.

Vanson, Frederic. Review of Dylan Thomas by Derek Stanford, Tccms / copy, 1 page, December 1954.

Visvabharati quarterly, TccLS K. Roy (editor) to Centaur Press, Limited, 8 May 1959.

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Explanatory Note Concerning Manuscript Collections Cataloged in the Card Catalog

Prior to 1990 when archival cataloging procedures were adopted at the Ransom Center, all manuscript collections were described in a card catalog.

Organization of Collections:

- Manuscripts for each author collection were organized into four categories:
- **Works:** manuscripts by the author, arranged alphabetically by title;
- **Letters:** the author's outgoing correspondence, arranged alphabetically by recipient name;
- **Recipient:** the author's incoming correspondence, arranged alphabetically by the author of the letter; and
- **Miscellaneous:** all other manuscripts and correspondence, arranged alphabetically by creator.

Materials that did not fit into these categories, such as art, photographs, books, and near-print materials such as newspaper clippings, were dispersed to other Ransom Center collections for cataloging and storage.

Abbreviations Used in Descriptions:

The symbols below were used in combinations. For example **ALS** means autograph letter signed; **Tccms** means typed carbon copy manuscript, etc.

- **A** = autograph (i.e., handwritten)
- **T** = typed
- **S** = signed
- **I** = initialed
- **Ms** = manuscript
- **Mss** = manuscripts
- **L** = letter
- **FL** = form letter
- **N** = note
- **D** = document
- **C** = card
- **PC** = post card
- **cc** = carbon copy
- **p** = page
- **pp** = pages
- **l** = leaf
- **ll** = leaves
- **nd** = no date
- **inc d** = incomplete date