Summary

Creator: Mew, Charlotte Mary, 1869-1928

Title: Charlotte Mary Mew collection of papers

Date: 1913-1944

Size: 436 items

Source: This is a synthetic collection, created from materials acquired through gift and purchase from various sources.

Abstract: This is a synthetic collection consisting of manuscripts, correspondence, and financial documents.

Access: Restricted access.

Conditions Governing Use: For permission to publish, contact the Curator, The Henry W. and Albert A. Berg Collection of English and American Literature.


Processing note: Processed by Staff; Machine-readable finding aid created by Lynn Lobash and Nina Schneider.

Creator History
Charlotte Mary Mew was a British poet and short-story writer.

Custodial History
Previous owners include Frank J. Hogan and Harold Monro.

Scope and Content Note
This is a synthetic collection consisting of manuscripts, correspondence, and financial documents. The
manuscripts consist of a poem by the author, as well as manuscripts relating to the author by Thomas Hardy, John Masefield, and Humbert Wolfe. The correspondence consists of letters from the author, dating from 1917 to 1928, to Sydney Carlyle Cockerell, Florence Emily Hardy, Ethel Robinson Inglis, Alida Klemantaski Monro, and others, as well as letters relating to the author, dating from 1923 to 1944, between various correspondents including Sydney Cockerell, John Masefield, Ethel Oliver, Siegfried Sassoon, and others. There are letters to Mew from Sir Sydney Carlyle Cockerell, Florence Hardy, Harold Monro, May Sinclair, Louis Untermeyer, and others, dating from 1913 to 1928.

Key Terms

**Genre/Physical Characteristic**
Correspondence

**Names**
Mew, Charlotte Mary, 1869-1928
Cockerell, Sydney Carlyle, Sir, 1867-1962
Hardy, Florence Emily, 1879-1937
Hardy, Thomas, 1840-1928
Hogan, Francis Joseph, 1877-1944
Inglis, Ethel Robinson
Masefield, John, 1878-1967
Monro, Alida Klemantaski
Monro, Harold, 1879-1932
Oliver, Ethel
Sassoon, Siegfried, 1886-1967
Sinclair, May
Untermeyer, Louis, 1885-1977
Wolfe, Humbert, 1885-1940
Container List

Manuscripts and Typescripts

Manuscript box
Manuscripts and Typescripts written by Mew
Love love today. Holograph poem n.d. (1 p) (1 p)
Signed

Manuscript box
"When my grave is broke up again.” Holograph copy of John Donne's poem n.d. (1 p) (1 p)
Sent with ANS to Harold Monro (?), Jan. 3, 1918

Manuscripts and Typescripts relating to Mew

Manuscript box
Autograph material and obituary notice written and corrected by Sydney Carlyle Cockerell, miscellaneous n.d. (1 folder) (1 folder)

Manuscript box
Masefield, John and Thomas Hardy. Ms. copy in the hand of Sydney Carlyle Cockerell of petition for a civil list pension for Charlotte Mew 1923 July 13 (1 p) (1 p)

Manuscript box
Signed with initials

Correspondence

Outgoing Correspondence

Manuscript box
Brown, Sharon O. ALS to 1926 Mar. 17 (1 leaf) (1 leaf)
With TLS from correspondent requesting permission to publish The Farmer's bride in an anthology

Manuscript box
Cockerell, Florence Kate (Kingford). 10 ALS to 1922 May 9 - 1928 Feb. 24 (10 letters) (10 letters)

Manuscript box
Cockerell, Sydney Carlyle. 128 ALS to 1917 June 2 - 1928 Jan. 27 (128 letters) (128 letters)

Manuscript box
Hardy, Florence Emily (Dugdale). 26 ALS to 1918 Sept. 25 - 1925 May 18 (26 letters in 5 folders) (26 letters in 5 folders)
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Manuscript box
Inglis, Ethel Robinson. 28 ALS, 2 cards to 1922 June 29 - 1927 May 24 (30 letters in 6 folders) (30 letters in 6 folders)
Accompanied by: Oliver, Ethel. ALS to Ethel Robinson Inglis, March 28, 1928. 3 p.

Manuscript box
Monro, Alida Klemantaski. AL to. Congratulates her on her marriage to Harold Monro 1920 Mar. 28 (1 p) (1 p)
With Alida Monro's signed marginal ms. note; Charlotte Mary Mew's draft of ALS to Harold Monro, Dec. 27, 1920, on verso

Manuscript box
Monro, Alida Klemantaski. 6 ALS to 1926 Nov. 3 - 1927 July 5 (6 letters in 2 folders)
(6 letters in 2 folders)

Manuscript box
Monro, Harold. 3 ALS and 1 AL (draft) to. Undated draft of a letter is in reply to a request from E. G. Pertwee, Feb. 11 [n.y.] 1 l. 1919 Dec. 30[?] - 1921 Oct. 2 (3 p.; 1 leaf each) (3 p.; 1 leaf each)

Manuscript box
Monro, Harold. AL (draft) to 1920 Oct. 7 (1 p) (1 p)
With fragment of typewritten letter concerning Macmillan's American printing of her The Farmer's bride; Alida Klemantaski Monro's ms. note concerning Charlotte Mary Mew laid in
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Charlotte Mary Mew collection of papers

Correspondence (cont.)
Outgoing Correspondence (cont.)
Manuscript box (Mew)

Madam. AL (draft) to 1926 Apr. 8 (3 p) (3 p)
Came with her correspondence with Harold Monro and this draft may have been sent to him

Incoming Correspondence
Manuscript box (Mew)

Bookman, New York. TLS to Mew 1922 Feb. 9 (1 p) (1 p)
Encloses payment for contribution

Chase, Lewis. TLS to Mew. Prepares lecture on Charlotte Mary Mew 1918
Aug. 24 (1 leaf) (1 leaf)

Cockerell, Florence Kate (Kingford). ALS to Mew 1924 May 28 (1 leaf) (1 leaf)

Cockerell, Katharine. ALS to Mew 1924 Dec. 4 (3 p) (3 p)

Cockerell, Sydney Carlyle. 128 ALS to Mew 1918 July 5 - 1928 Jan. 19 (128 letters) (128 letters)

Gower, R. P. M. TL (copy) to Mew 1923 Dec. 28 (1 p) (1 p)

Hardy, Florence Emily (Dugdale). 13 ALS to Mew 1918 Sept. 24 - 1925 May 27 (13 letters in 3 folders) (13 letters in 3 folders)

Hardy, Florence Emily (Dugdale). ALS to Mew 1924 Oct.] or [1924 Nov. (2 p) (2 p)
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Jameson, Storm. ALS to Mew 1923 July 28 (1 p) (1 p)

Lemperly, Paul. 2 ALS to Mew. Both letters of same date 1922 Mar. 30 (2 p.; 1 p) (2 p.; 1 p)
Encloses leaflet of Brick Row Bookshop, New York

Monro, Alida Klemantaski. ALS to Mew 1921 Nov. 3 (1 p) (1 p)

Monro, Harold. 8 ALS, 1 postcard to Mew 1919 Dec. 20 - 1926 May 6 (9 letters in 2 folders) (9 letters in 2 folders)
Postcard signed with unidentified initials. Letter of Jan. 21, 1922 bears Charlotte Mary Mew’s reply on verso. Replies to other letters cataloged separately under her name

Moreland, J[--?] R[--?]. TLS to Mew 1923 Mar. 11 (1 p) (1 p)
With Charlotte Mary Mew's marginal ms note

Parsons, Florence Mary. 4 ALS to Mew 1919 July 9 - 1919 Dec. 21 (1 p.; 2 leaves; 1 p. each) (1 p.; 2 leaves; 1 p. each)

Sinclair, May. 29 ALS to Mew 1913 Mar. 17 - 1916 Aug. 25 (29 letters in 6 folders) (29 letters in 6 folders)

Untermeyer, Louis. 7 ALS, 1 TLS to Mew 1921 July 24 - 1925 Feb. 16 (8 letters in 3 folders) (8 letters in 3 folders)
With two letters from Mrs. Jean S. Untermeyer

Related Correspondence
Manuscript box (Mew)

Cockerell, Sir Sydney Carlyle. ALS to Anne Mew. Relates to C. M. Mew 1923 Dec. 31 (1 p) (1 p)

England, Robert. ALS to Sydney Carlyle Cockerell. Relates to Charlotte Mary Mew 1928 Apr. 2 (2 leaves) (2 leaves)

Grierson, Herbert John Clifford. ALS to Sydney Carlyle Cockerell. Relates to Charlotte Mary Mew 1928 Apr. 27 (2 leaves) (2 leaves)
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<td>Financial Documents Poetry bookshop, London. Accounts (4) for royalty due to Charlotte Mary Mew for the Farmer's bride, Jan. 1, 1918-June 30, 1922 1918 - 1922 (4 items) (4 items) With additional statement on sales up to June 30, 1922</td>
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