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Guide to the

Gertrude Stein collection of papers

1934]-1966

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Summary

Creator: Stein, Gertrude, 1874-1946

Title: Gertrude Stein collection of papers

Date: 1934]-1966

Size: 35 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 correspondence and of typescripts relating to Stein.

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Creator History

Gertrude Stein was an American poet, novelist, and essayist.

Custodial History

Previous owners include Louis C. Greene and Carl Van Vechten.

Scope and Content Note

This is a synthetic collection consisting of correspondence and of typescripts relating to Stein. The typescripts consist of essays, reviews, and articles about the author by Lloyd Frankenberg, Elliot Harold Paul, Virgil Thomson, and Carl Van Vechten. The correspondence consists of letters, dating from [1934] to 1941, from the author to Mark Lutz and Frances Steloff, as well as letters relating to the author, dating from 1935 to 1966, from various correspondents to Frances Steloff and Carl Van Vechten. There is an undated letter to Stein from Stephen Tennant.

Key Terms

Genre/Physical Characteristic

Correspondence

Names

Stein, Gertrude, 1874-1946

Frankenberg, Lloyd, 1907-1975

Greene, Louis C

Greene, Louis C.

Lutz, Mark

Paul, Elliot Harold

Steloff, Frances, 1887-1989

Tennant, Stephen

Thomson, Virgil, 1896-1989

Van Vechten, Carl, 1880-1964

Van Vechten, Carl, 1880-1964

Container List

Typescripts

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| Manuscript box
(Stein) | Frankenberg, Lloyd. On first meeting Mrs. Reynolds [Preface to novel by Gertrude Stein] 61 Perry st., New York, N.Y. [1952] Typescript (carbon) with a few ms. corrections n.d. (10 p) (10 p)
Accompanied by LS to Carl Van Vechten, Feb. 29, 1952. 1 p.; B. |
| Manuscript box | Paul, Elliot Harold. [Reviews. Stein, Gertrude; Everybody's autobiography] Everybody's ten cent store. Typescript with the author's ms. corrections n.d. (9 p) (9 p)
Accompanied by: Cerf, Bennett Alfred. TNS to Louis C. Greene, Nov. 29, 1937. 1 p.; The Nation, New York. TN, signed Margaret Marshall, to Louis C. Greene. Dec. 27, 1937. 1 p.; Came with Paul's correspondence with Louis C. Greene |
| Manuscript box
(Stein, G.) | Thomson, Virgil. Preface [to Bee time vine by Gertrude Stein, unpublished, August, 1953] Typewritten copy with the autor's ms. corrections 1953? (69 p) (69 p)
Carl Van Vechten, Berg |
| Manuscript box
(Gotham). In:
Gotham book
mart, New York.
We moderns.
Folder 71 | Van Vechten, Carl. [Gertrude Stein] Typescript of contribution to We Moderns n.d. (1 p) (1 p)
Included in his TLS to Frances Steloff, Sept. 13, 1939. 1 p.; Published in Gotham Book Mart catalog, no. 42, New York, 1940 |

Correspondence

Outgoing Correspondence

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| Manuscript box | [Lutz], Mark. ALS to 1934 Aug.] or [1934 Sept. (2 leaves) (2 leaves) B. |
| Manuscript box | [Lutz], Mark. ALS to 1934 Nov. 24 (1 leaf) (1 leaf) B. |
| Manuscript box | [Lutz], Mark. ALS to 1935 Feb. 14 (1 leaf) (1 leaf)
Signed Gertrude. Enclosed letter, signed Alice [V. Toklas] to Lutz, Feb. 14, 1935. 1 p.; B. |
| Manuscript box | [Lutz], Mark. ALS to 1935 Oct. 19 (1 leaf) (1 leaf)
Signed Gtde. B. |
| Manuscript box | [Lutz], Mark. ALS to 1936 July 28 (1 leaf) (1 leaf)
Signed Gtde. B. |
| Manuscript box | [Lutz], Mark. AL to 1937 Sept. 3] or [1937 Sept. 6 (1 leaf) (1 leaf)
Signed Gtde. B. |
| Manuscript box | [Lutz], Mark. AL to 1937 Dec. 16 (1 leaf) (1 leaf)
Signed Gtde. B. |
| Manuscript box | Lutz, Mark. Postcard to 1939[? Jan.? 4 (1 card) (1 card)
Signed Gtde. B. |
| Manuscript box | Lutz, Mark. Postcard to 1941 May 15 (1 card) (1 card)
Signed Gtde. B. |
| Manuscript box | Lutz, Mark. Postcard to 1941 Apr. 20 (1 card) (1 card)
Signed Gtde. B. |
| Manuscript box | Lutz, Mark. Postcard to 1941 Dec. 31 (1 card) (1 card)
Signed Gtde and Alice [V. Toklas]; B. |

Correspondence (cont.)

Outgoing Correspondence (cont.)

Manuscript box
(Gotham) In:
Gotham book
mart, New York.
We moderns.
Folder 67

Steloff, Frances. TLS to 1939 Oct. 22 (1 p) (1 p)

With carbon, signed, with the writer's ms. correction; with 2 TL (carbon) replies, one with typewritten draft, 1 p. each. Published in part in Gotham Book Mart catalog no. 42, New York, 1940

Manuscript box
(Gotham)

Steloff, Frances. 2 ALS to n.d. (1 leaf each) (1 leaf each)

With 4 envelopes; with TL (carbon) replies

Outgoing Correspondence

Manuscript box

Tennant, Stephen. ANS to Stein n.d. (1 p) (1 p)

Came with Siegfried Sassoon's papers

Related Correspondence

Manuscript box
(Gotham)

Letters, ALS, TLS, etc. from various correspondents not listed separately to Frances Steloff, relating to Gertrude Stein 1935 - 1966 (14 letters) (14 letters)

Manuscript box

Van Vechten, Carl. Miscellaneous ms. material: "Gertrude Stein at Yale" 3 envelopes of correspondence n.d. (3 envelopes) (3 envelopes)