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Collection Overview

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CALL NUMBER: YCAL MSS 604

CREATOR: Shapiro, Harvey, 1924-2013

TITLE: Harvey Shapiro papers

DATES: 1923-2013

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION: 5.67 linear feet (10 boxes)

LANGUAGE: Chiefly in English; some material in Italian.

SUMMARY: The collection contains correspondence, writings, and personal papers

documenting the personal and professional life of American poet and editor Harvey Shapiro. Correspondence consists chiefly of letters to Shapiro from American and English-language authors, literary critics, and editors who came of age in the post-WWII period. There are files for Barbara Gibbs and Francis Golffing and for author and publisher Alan Swallow, but letters can also be found for Charles Bernstein, Allen Ginsberg, David Ignatow, Robert Lowell, George Oppen, and others. Many letters from writers are addressed to Shapiro in his capacity as editor of The New York Times Magazine or The New York Times Book Review. The Writings series contains writings by Shapiro, material relating to work by Shapiro, such as publicity and reviews, and writings by others. Shapiro's writings feature drafts for a number of poetry collections, including Lauds and Nightsounds (1978), The Light Holds (1984), National Cold Storage Company (1988), and This World (1971), as well as shorter works. The writings by others may have been solicited by or submitted to Shapiro in his capacity as editor and separated from accompanying correspondence. Personal papers include clippings and programs, financial and legal records, and a small number of photographs.

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Key to the container abbreviations used in the PDF finding aid:

b. box

f. folder

Administrative Information

Immediate Source of Acquisition

August 2009 acquisition: Purchased from Harvey Shapiro on the Edwin J. Beinecke Book Fund, 2009.

October 2013 acquisition: Purchased from the Estate of Harvey Shapiro on the Edwin J. Beinecke Book Fund, 2013.

Conditions Governing Access

The materials are open for research.

Conditions Governing Use

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Preferred Citation

Harvey Shapiro Papers. Yale Collection of American Literature, Beinecke Rare Book and Manuscript Library.

Harvey Shapiro (1924-)

Harvey Shapiro, an American poet, was born in Chicago, Illinois on 27 January 1924. He served in the U.S. Air Force from 1943 to 1945 and was educated at Yale University (BA, 1947) and Columbia University (MA, 1948). Shapiro taught briefly as an English instructor before embarking on a career as an editor, first with Commentary (1955-1956) and The New Yorker (1956-1957), and later with The New York Times Magazine (1957-1975, 1983-) and The New York Times Book Review (1975-1983). Shapiro's collections of poetry include This World (1971), Lauds & Nightsounds (1978), The Light Holds (1984), and National Cold Storage Company (1988). Shapiro married Edna Lewis Kaufman in 1953 and has two sons.

Scope and Contents

The collection contains correspondence, writings, and personal papers documenting the personal and professional life of American poet and editor Harvey Shapiro. Correspondence consists chiefly of letters to Shapiro from American and English-language authors, literary critics, and editors who came of age in the post-WWII period, with the bulk of the letters dating from the 1950s through mid 1980s. There are files for Barbara Gibbs and Francis Golffing and for author and publisher Alan Swallow, but letters can also be found for Charles Bernstein, Allen Ginsberg, David Ignatow, Robert Lowell, George Oppen, and others. Many letters from writers are addressed to Shapiro in his capacity as editor of *The New York Times Magazine* or *The New York Times Book Review*. Letters from editors of other journals tend to concern his own literary submissions.

The Writings series contains writings by Shapiro, material relating to work by Shapiro, such as publicity and reviews, and writings by others. Shapiro's writings feature drafts for a number of poetry collections, including Lauds & Nightsounds (1978), The Light Holds (1984), National Cold Storage Company (1988), and

This World (1971), as well as shorter works. The writings by others may have been solicited by or submitted to Shapiro in his capacity as editor and separated from accompanying correspondence.

Personal papers include clippings and programs, financial and legal records, and a small number of photographs.

Arrangement

Organized into two groupings: I. August 2009 Acquisition, 1923-1998. II. October 2013 Acquisition, 1946-2013.

Collection Contents

August 2009 Acquisition

1923-1998

Series I: Correspondence 0.84 linear feet (2 boxes)

1923-1985

Series I. Correspondence consists chiefly of letters to Shapiro from American and English-language authors, literary critics, and editors who came of age in the post-WWII period, with the bulk of the letters dating from the 1950s through mid 1980s. There are larger files for Barbara Gibbs and Francis Golffing and for author and publisher Alan Swallow, but letters can also be found for Charles Bernstein, Allen Ginsberg, David Ignatow, Robert Lowell, George Oppen, and others. Many letters from writers are addressed to Shapiro in his capacity as editor of the *The New York Times Magazine* or *The New York Times Book Review* (1975-1983). Letters from editors of other journals, on the other hand, tend to concern his own literary submissions. The odd incoming letter is accompanied by an autograph manuscript note by Shapiro or a carbon reply. Enclosures, identified below in folder notes, include drafts of writings, third-party correspondence, photographs, and printed material.

Arranged alphabetically by name.

b. 1, f. 1	Vendor list	undated
b. 1, f. 2	Asher, Aaron	1983 September 27
b. 1, f. 3	Atheneum	1962 April 16
b. 1, f. 4	Bank Street College of Education	1964 August 10
b. 1, f. 5	Barnard, Mary	1961 May 15
b. 1, f. 6	Beinecke Rare Book and Manuscript Library	1980 November
b. 1, f. 7	Belitt, Ben Includes letters to Edna Shapiro	1949-1954, undated
b. 1, f. 8	Berger, Thomas	1983 May 9
b. 1, f. 9	Bernstein, Charles	1985 January 25
b. 1, f. 10	Bishop, Elizabeth	1965 April 9
b. 1, f. 11	Botteghe Oscvre	1957 August 1
b. 1, f. 12	Botsford, Keith; Botsford, Ann Includes letters to Edna Shapiro	1948-1962, undated
b. 1, f. 13	Braude, Benjamin	1984 April 3
b. 1, f. 14	Brown, Rita Mae Includes copies of reviews	1983 March 21
b. 1, f. 15	Brown, Robert McAfee	1983 February 15

b. 1, f. 16	Buckely, William F.	1983 May 24
b. 1, f. 17	Burnshaw, Stanley	1962 November 18
b. 1, f. 18	Carruth, Hayden	1968 August 26
b. 1, f. 19	Carter, Jimmy	1977
b. 1, f. 20	Ciardi, John	1954, 1959
b. 1, f. 21	Coetzee, J. M.	1985 July 30
b. 1, f. 22	Commentary	1957 December 19
b. 1, f. 23	Cowley, Malcolm	1978, 1983
	Includes copy of poem	
b. 1, f. 24	The Cummington Press Includes printed ephemera and draft of poem	1949-1967, undated
b. 1, f. 25	Davenport, Guy	1983 June 4
b. 1, f. 26	Donald, David Herbert	1983 September 5
b. 1, f. 27	Donoghue, Denis Includes review of <i>Yeats and American Poetry</i> by Terence Diggory	1983, undated
b. 1, f. 28	DuPlessis, Rachel Blau	1983 July 30
b. 1, f. 29	Eberhart, Richard	1951, 1954
b. 1, f. 30	Elias, Robert Henry	1954-1955
b. 1, f. 31	Fielde, Rolf Includes copy of poem	1953-1955
b. 1, f. 32	Fowlie, Wallace	1943
b. 1, f. 33	Frankel, Max	undated
b. 1, f. 34	Gallant, Mavis	1983
b. 1, f. 35	Gilliatt, Penelope	1983 February 24
b. 1, f. 36	Ginsberg, Allen	1983-1984
b. 1, f. 37	Gold, Herbert	1983 January 14
b. 1, f. 38-40	Golffing, Barbara Gibbs; Golffing, Francis Includes drafts of writings, photographs, and clipping	1949-1976, undated
b. 1, f. 41	Goodenough, Erwin Ramsdell	1956-1957
b. 1, f. 42	Graves, Robert	1977 February 19

b. 1, f. 43	Hall, Donald	1983, undated
b. 1, f. 44	Harrigan, Anthony	1947 August 22
b. 1, f. 45	Harris, Mark	1983
b. 1, f. 46	Helga Greene Literary Agency	1957 July 17
b. 1, f. 47	Herschberger, Ruth	1951-1963, undated
b. 1, f. 48	Hoagland, Edward	1983 November 30
b. 1, f. 49	Holmes, John Incldues printed ephemera	1954-1956
b. 1, f. 50	Horizon	1947 October 14
b. 1, f. 51	Humphrey, William	1956, undated
b. 1, f. 52	Ignatow, David; Ignatow, Rose Grabart Includes copies of poems	1954-1977, undated
b. 1, f. 53	Intercultural Publications Inc.	1955 September 13
L 4 £ F 4	Levide Nettenel and Detremeter Denem	1957
b. 1, f. 54	Jewish National and University Library	1937
b. 1, f. 55	Jordan, June	1982 May 8
b. 1, f. 55	Jordan, June	1982 May 8
b. 1, f. 55 b. 1, f. 56	Jordan, June Kazan, Alfred	1982 May 8 1982-1983
b. 1, f. 55 b. 1, f. 56 b. 1, f. 57	Jordan, June Kazan, Alfred Kenner, Hugh	1982 May 8 1982-1983 1983 March 14
b. 1, f. 55 b. 1, f. 56 b. 1, f. 57 b. 1, f. 58	Jordan, June Kazan, Alfred Kenner, Hugh Kinnell, Galway	1982 May 8 1982-1983 1983 March 14 undated 1983 September
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b. 1, f. 55 b. 1, f. 56 b. 1, f. 57 b. 1, f. 58 b. 1, f. 59 b. 1, f. 60 b. 1, f. 61	Jordan, June Kazan, Alfred Kenner, Hugh Kinnell, Galway Knowles, John Kostelanetz, Richard Ladies' Home Journal	1982 May 8 1982-1983 1983 March 14 undated 1983 September 12 1978 December 24 1954 December 28
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b. 1, f. 55 b. 1, f. 56 b. 1, f. 57 b. 1, f. 58 b. 1, f. 59 b. 1, f. 60 b. 1, f. 61 b. 1, f. 62 b. 1, f. 63	Jordan, June Kazan, Alfred Kenner, Hugh Kinnell, Galway Knowles, John Kostelanetz, Richard Ladies' Home Journal Library of Congress Lindbergh, Charles Lish, Gordon	1982 May 8 1982-1983 1983 March 14 undated 1983 September 12 1978 December 24 1954 December 28 1961 1972 May 16

b. 1, f. 67	Lowell, Robert	1948-1949
	Includes letter from Lowell to Elliott Coleman	
b. 2, f. 68	MacLeish, Archibald	[1923?]
b. 2, f. 69	Midstream	1957
b. 2, f. 70	Mineka, Francis	1952 June 28
b. 2, f. 71	Morgan, Ted	[1983] September 15
b. 2, f. 72	Moynihan, Daniel P.	1970 March 16
b. 2, f. 73	The Nation	1955 October 18
b. 2, f. 74	New Directions Publishing Corp.	1956-1984
b. 2, f. 75	The New Leader	1958 March 5
b. 2, f. 76	New Mexico Quarterly	1954
b. 2, f. 77	New York Times Book Review	1952, 1954
b. 2, f. 78	Oates, Joyce Carol	1983, undated
b. 2, f. 79	Oppen, George	1993, undated
b. 2, f. 80	Ozick, Cynthia	1971-1985, undated
b. 2, f. 81	Paideuma	1980 March 20
b. 2, f. 82	Palmer, Michael	1983 July 5
b. 2, f. 83	Partisan Review	1952 August 2
b. 2, f. 84	Poetry	1956-1962, undated
b. 2, f. 85	The Poetry Center	1957-1958
b. 2, f. 86	The Poets' Theatre	1956 February 8
b. 2, f. 87	The Provincial	1956 April 4
b. 2, f. 88	Putnam, Clay; Putnam, Maureen	1953-1959, undated
b. 2, f. 89	Quennell, Peter	1983, undated
b. 2, f. 90	Rakosi, Carl	1975 October 6
b. 2, f. 91	Reznikoff, Charles	1971 June 27
b. 2, f. 92	The Rockefeller Foundation	1967
b. 2, f. 93	Salisbury, Harrison E.	1983 September 24

b. 2, f. 94	Saroyan, William	1976 July 20
b. 2, f. 95	Schell, Orville	1983 April 15
b. 2, f. 96	Schlesinger, Arthur M. (Arthur Meier)	1977 June 23
b. 2, f. 97	Schwartz, Howard	1977 February 21
b. 2, f. 98	Seidman, Hugh Includes copies of poems	1968 July 31
b. 2, f. 99	Shattuck, Roger Includes poems	1953-1964, undated
b. 2, f. 100	Simpson, Louis	1956, 1964
b. 2, f. 101	Sklarew, Myra	1984 January 10
b. 2, f. 102	Stark, Irwin	1963 May
b. 2, f. 102A	Stevens, Wallace	1950 February 15
b. 2, f. 103	Stewart, Roy H.	1964 December 28
b. 2, f. 104-105	Swallow, Alan	1949-1971, undated
b. 2, f. 106	Swenson, May	1954-1956, undated
b. 2, f. 107	Syrkin, Marie	1976
b. 2, f. 108	Tate, Allen	1949
b. 2, f. 109	Thoby-Marcelin, Philippe	1950 November 24
b. 2, f. 110	Towers, Robert	1983 September 19
b. 2, f. 111	University of Virginia	1984 September 20
b. 2, f. 112	<u>Updike, John</u>	1983, undated
b. 2, f. 113	Viereck, Peter	1950, undated
b. 2, f. 114	Voices	1955, undated
b. 2, f. 115	Wakefield, Dan	undated
b. 2, f. 116	Wakoski, Diane	1982 September 30
b. 2, f. 117	Walt Disney Productions	1957 September 20

b. 2, f. 118	Weiss, Ted	1954-1956, undated
b. 2, f. 119	Wesleyan University Press	1970 August 17
b. 2, f. 120	White, Katharine S.	1957 March 21
b. 2, f. 121	Whitman, Ruth	1982 December 29
b. 2, f. 122	Who's Who in World Jewry	1955 May 9
b. 2, f. 123	Williams, Jonathan Includes copy of third-party letter from Williams, photograph, and printed ephemera	1965-1983
b. 2, f. 124	Wimsatt, William K.	1956 August 19
b. 2, f. 125	Woods, John	1951 January 15
b. 2, f. 126	Yale University. Ezra Stiles College	1978 September 21
b. 2, f. 127	Zukofsky, Celia Thaew	1978 June 14
b. 2, f. 128	First name only	1949-1985, undated
b. 2, f. 129	Others and unidentified	1950-1985, undated
b. 2, f. 130	Third-party correspondence	undated
b. 2, f. 131	Empty folders	undated
	Series II: Writings 1.05 linear feet (3 boxes)	1954-1993
	Series II. Writings contains writings by Shapiro, material relating to work by Shapiro, such as publicity and reviews, and writings by others. Shapiro's writings feature drafts for a number of poetry collections, including Lauds & Nightsounds (1978), The Light Holds (1984), National Cold Storage Company (1988), and This World (1971), as well as shorter works. The writings by others may have been solicited by or submitted to Shapiro in his capacity as editor and separated from accompanying correspondence.	
	Additional writings by Shapiro can be found in the clippings file in Series III.	
	Organized into two subseries: Writings by Harvey Shapiro and Writings by Others.	
	Writings by Harvey Shapiro	
b. 3, f. 132-133	Battle Report: Selected Poems, reviews Also stored in: Oversize, Box 6, folder 183	1966-1967
b. 3, f. 134	"Bylines" Also stored in: Oversize, Box 6, folder 184	1961-1984, undated
b. 3, f. 135	[Interview], New York Public Library	1993

Series II: Writings > Writings by Harvey Shapiro (continued)

b. 3, f. 136	"Isaac Bashevis Singer Introduction," typescript, corrected	undated
b. 3, f. 137-138	"Joel," essay, typescript	[circa 1986]
	Includes correspondence, autograph notes, and printed ephemera	
b. 3, f. 139-141	Lauds & Nightsounds, drafts, typescript, corrected	undated
b. 3, f. 142	The Light Holds, draft, typescript, and page proof	1984
b. 4, f. 143-144	The Light Holds, draft, typescript, and page proof	1984
b. 4 , f. 145	Mountain Fire, Thornbush, publicity and reviews Also stored in: Oversize, Box 6, folder 185	1955-1963
b. 4, f. 146-149	National Cold Storage Company, draft, proofs, book jackets, publicity, and reviews Also stored in: Oversize, Box 6, folder 186	1988, undated
b. 4, f. 150	[Poems], typescript and printed versions	undated
b. 4, f. 151	"Remembering Charles Reznikoff," essay, typescript, corrected (photocopy)	undated
b. 4, f. 152	Review, The Eye by John Holmes, typescript, corrected	undated
b. 4, f. 153	Review, <i>Kaddish and Other Poems</i> by Allen Ginsberg, drafts, typescript, corrected	undated
b. 4, f. 154-157	This World, contract, draft, typescript, reviews Also stored in: Oversize, Box 6, folder 187	1970-1972, undated
b. 5, f. 158	Tributes to David Ignatow, printed versions	1998
b. 5, f. 159	Untitled	undated
b. 5, f. 160	Unidentified	undated
Wri	tings by Others	
	Barth, John	
b. 5 , f. 161	"Some Reasons Why I Tell the Stories", typescript, corrected	undated
	Bernstein, Charles	
b. 5, f. 162	"Pounding Fascism," essay, typescript	[circa 1984]
	Holmes, John	
b. 5, f. 163	[Poems], typescript and printed version	1954, 1956
	Hoskins, Katherine	
b. 5 , f. 164	[Poems], typescript Includes ANS dated 1949	undated
	Miller, Walter James	

Series II: Writings > Writings by Others > Miller, Walter James (continued)

b. 5, f. 165	"Z: In Memory of Louis Zukofsky," typescript	undated
	Moore, Marianne	
b. 5, f. 166	"Christmas," [story?], typescript (copy), corrected	1960 November 18
	Pawel, Ernst	
b. 5, f. 167	"Kafka at 100," essay, draft, typescript	undated
	Quennell, Peter	
b. 5, f. 168	Book review, White Mischief by James Fox, autograph manuscript and printout	1983, undated
	Rowse, A. L. (Alfred Leslie)	
b. 5, f. 169	"Towards a Modern Shakespeare," essay, typescript (photocopy)	undated
	Swenson, May	
b. 5 , f. 170	[Poems], typescript	undated
	Includes cover letter dated 1950	
	Washburn, Katharine	
b. 5 , f. 171	[Introduction?], typescript, signed	undated
	White, Edmund	
b. 5 , f. 172	White, Edmund Book review, <i>The Cannibal Galaxy</i> by Cynthia Ozick, typescript (photocopy) Includes cover letter	1983
b. 5, f. 172	Book review, <i>The Cannibal Galaxy</i> by Cynthia Ozick, typescript (photocopy)	1983
b. 5, f. 172 b. 5, f. 173	Book review, <i>The Cannibal Galaxy</i> by Cynthia Ozick, typescript (photocopy) Includes cover letter	1983 undated
	Book review, <i>The Cannibal Galaxy</i> by Cynthia Ozick, typescript (photocopy) Includes cover letter Wimsatt, William K.	
	Book review, The Cannibal Galaxy by Cynthia Ozick, typescript (photocopy) Includes cover letter Wimsatt, William K. Book review, printed version, reprint Series III: Personal Papers	undated
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b. 5, f. 173	Book review, The Cannibal Galaxy by Cynthia Ozick, typescript (photocopy) Includes cover letter Wimsatt, William K. Book review, printed version, reprint Series III: Personal Papers 0.21 linear feet (1 box) Series III. Personal Papers contains other material relating to Shapiro. Materials include clippings and programs, financial and legal records, and a small number of photographs. Arranged alphabetically by material type. Clippings	undated 1931-1998 1952-1998,
b. 5, f. 173 b. 5, f. 174	Book review, <i>The Cannibal Galaxy</i> by Cynthia Ozick, typescript (photocopy) Includes cover letter Wimsatt, William K. Book review, printed version, reprint Series III: Personal Papers 0.21 linear feet (1 box) Series III. Personal Papers contains other material relating to Shapiro. Materials include clippings and programs, financial and legal records, and a small number of photographs. Arranged alphabetically by material type. Clippings Also stored in: Oversize, Box 6, folder 188	undated 1931-1998 1952-1998, undated
b. 5, f. 173 b. 5, f. 174 b. 5, f. 175	Book review, The Cannibal Galaxy by Cynthia Ozick, typescript (photocopy) Includes cover letter Wimsatt, William K. Book review, printed version, reprint Series III: Personal Papers 0.21 linear feet (1 box) Series III. Personal Papers contains other material relating to Shapiro. Materials include clippings and programs, financial and legal records, and a small number of photographs. Arranged alphabetically by material type. Clippings Also stored in: Oversize, Box 6, folder 188 Contracts and legal records	undated 1931-1998 1952-1998, undated 1960-1986
b. 5, f. 173 b. 5, f. 174 b. 5, f. 175 b. 5, f. 176	Book review, The Cannibal Galaxy by Cynthia Ozick, typescript (photocopy) Includes cover letter Wimsatt, William K. Book review, printed version, reprint Series III: Personal Papers 0.21 linear feet (1box) Series III. Personal Papers contains other material relating to Shapiro. Materials include clippings and programs, financial and legal records, and a small number of photographs. Arranged alphabetically by material type. Clippings Also stored in: Oversize, Box 6, folder 188 Contracts and legal records Discharge certificate	undated 1931-1998 1952-1998, undated 1960-1986 1931 June 20

Series III: Personal Papers (continued)

b. 5, f. 179	Financial records	1982-1983, undated
b. 5, f. 180	Photographs	1950s, undated
b. 5, f. 181-182	Programs Also stored in: Oversize, Box 6, folder 189	1950-1979, undated
	Oversize 0.08 linear feet (1 box)	
b. 6 oversize, f. 183	Battle Report, reviews (In Series II)	1967
b. 6 oversize, f. 184	"Bylines," clipping (In Series II)	1961 January 15
b. 6 oversize, f. 185	Mountain Fire, Thornbush, publicity and reviews (In Series II)	1955-1963
b. 6 oversize, f. 186	National Cold Storage Company, proof (In Series II)	1988
b. 6 oversize, f. 187	This World, reviews (In Series II)	1971
b. 6 oversize, f. 188	Clippings (In Series III)	1958-1998, undated
b. 6 oversize, f. 189	Programs (In Series III)	1966, undated
	October 2013 Acquisition 3.5 linear feet (4 boxes)	1946-2013
	Contains writings, notebooks, ephemera, and other papers related to the life and work of Harvey Shapiro.	
	Purchased from the Estate of Harvey Shapiro on the Edwin J. Beinecke Book Fund, 2013.	
	Materials maintain arrangment found at time of acquisition.	
b. 7	Notebook	2001–2002
b. 7	Writings and ephemera (3 folders)	circa 1946-2005
	Contains poetry drafts and related notes, largely from the 1950s. Also contains some ephemera from the 1990s and 2000s.	
b. 7	Copies of "The Book and Other Poems" Contains copies of "The Book and other poems" (1955), along with an inlaid note (21st century) that reads: "HS chapbooks, books, rare items, first Eds, etc., some of definite value, others TBD."	1955
b. 7	Notebook	circa 2007-2013
b. 7	Notepad	2003 January

b. 7	NotepadSan Francisco	circa 1994-1997
b. 7	NotepadWWII	undated
b. 7	The Milton notebooks	undated
b. 7	Notepad	undated
b. 7	Notebook	circa 2000s
b. 7	Datebooks (3 folders) These folders contain 5 date books for years 2001, 2008, 2010, 2011, and	2001–2012
	2012.	
b. 7	Notebook	1977
b. 7	Notebook	1970-1971
b. 7	Notebook	1971
b. 7	Notebook	1965 August
b. 7	Notebook	1968 January
b. 7	Notebook	1966 August
b. 7	Notebook	1971
b. 7	Notebook	1972 November
b. 7	Notebook	1974 March
b. 7	Notebook	1975 July
b. 7	Notebook	circa July 1979
b. 7	Notebook	circa 2000s
b. 8	NotepadSpain	1998 November
b. 8	Notepad	1999 June
b. 8	Notepad	1998 April
b. 8	Notepad	1996 May
b. 8	Notepad	1999 September 9
b. 8	Notebook	1998 May 15
b. 8	Notepad	1998 February
b. 8	Notebook	1998 February 22
b. 8	Notebook	1992 October

b. 8	Notebook	1991 July 4
b. 8	Notebook	1994 April 11
b. 8	Notebook	1996 June 23
b. 8	Notebook	1988 July
b. 8	Notebook	1988 August
b. 8	Notebook	1984 March
b. 8	Notebook	1982 August
b. 8	Notebook	1980 July
b. 8	Notebook	1981 July 1
b. 8	Notebook	1985 July 5
b. 8	Notebook	1987 November
b. 8	Notebook	1983 May 25
b. 9	Correspondence and writings	circa 2005
b. 9	Correspondence and writings	circa 2005
b. 9	Drafts	undated
b. 9	Correspondence and writings	circa 2005
b. 9	Writings by others	circa 2003
b. 9	Reviews and writings by others	circa 2001-2002
b. 9	Drafts and writings with corrections and annotations	undated
b. 9	Postcard	undated
b. 9	DraftHow Charlie Shavers Died	undated
b. 9	Drafts and writings with corrections and annotations	undated
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