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Summary Information

Repository: Colby College Special Collections

Creator - crp: Deland, Margaret, 1857-1945 (United States. Author)

Title: Collection of Margaret Wade Deland Materials.

ID: DELAND.1

Date [inclusive]: 1857-1945.

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Physical Description: 1.0 Linear Feet

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Material:

English.

Material:

Abstract: The collection includes correspondence, manuscripts, and first

publications of Maine writer, Margaret Wade Deland. The bulk of the collection consists of letters written by Deland to various correspondents between 1884 and 1944. The collection also contains manuscript items of varying length, clippings, published writings, and

a few photographic prints.

Preferred Citation

Collection of Margaret Wade Deland Materials, Colby College Special Collections, Waterville, Maine.

Biographical / Historical

Born Margaret Wade Campbell near Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, Deland moved to Boston in 1880. She is known principally for the novel "John Ward, Preacher" and her 'Old Chester' books, based on communities where she grew up. She received a Doctorate of Letters from Bates College in 1920, and had a summer home in Kennebunkport, Maine.

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Scope and Contents

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Arrangement

Materials arranged in five series: Correspondence, Manuscripts, Photographs, Published Writings (first appearances) and Clippings.

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Administrative Information

Publication Statement

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Custodial History

Collection primarily the gift of Nathan N. Wallack. Additional gifts as indicated.

Conditions Governing Access

Collection is open for research.

Conditions Governing Use

Materials to be used on site during regular Special Collections hours or by appointment. Photocopying or scanning may be possible at discretion of staff for nominal fee. Materials may be protected by copyright.

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Controlled Access Headings

- Social Movements and Services
- Poetry
- Religion and Philosophy
- Fields, Annie, 1834-1915 (United States. Writer) -- Correspondence
- Heloise E. Hersey, 1855-1933 -- Correspondence
- Wiggin, Kate Douglas Smith, 1856-1923 (Author) -- Correspondence
- Mary B. Claflin, 1825-1896 -- Correspondence
- Barton Wood Currie, 1878- -- Correspondence
- Charles B. Davis, 1866-1926 -- Correspondence
- Walter Prichard Eaton, 1878-1957 -- Correspondence
- Perry, Lilla Cabot, 1848-1933 (Impressionist painter) -- Correspondence
- Louis Prang, 1824-1909 -- Correspondence
- Jacob Blanck, 1906-1974 -- Correspondence
- Joseph Edgar Chamberlin, 1851-1935 -- Correspondence
- Francis A. Duneka -- Correspondence
- Nathan N. Wallack -- Correspondence
- Gilder, Richard Watson, 1844-1909 -- Correspondence
- Winston Churchill, 1871-1947 -- Correspondence

Collection Inventory

Series A: Correspondence.

Physical Description: 29.0 folders.

Subseries 1: Letters from Margaret Wade Deland.

Physical Description: 29.0 folders.

Title/Description Instances

Folder A1: to Miss Allen., 1904-1916.

Physical Description: 1 ALS, 1 LS, Boston, MA, 2p.

Immediate Source of Acquisition:

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Colby Library Associates.

Folder A2: to Jacob Blanck., 1941.

Physical Description: Accompanied by: Galley proof of her

bibliography.

Physical Description: 1 LS, Kennebunkport, ME, 3p.

Folder A3: to Boston Journal, City Editor., 1912.

Physical Description: 1 LS, Boston, MA, 1p.

Folder A4: to Joseph Edgar Chamberlin., 1911.

Physical Description: 1 LS, Boston, MA, 1p.

Folder A5: to Winston Churchill., 1916-1917.

Physical Description: 5 ALS, 1 AN, Boston, MA, 6p.

Folder A6: to Mary B. Claflin., undated.

Physical Description: 1 ALS, Kennebunkport, ME, 1p.

Folder A7: to Barton Wood Currie., 1932.

Physical Description: 2 LS, Cambridge, MA, Kennebunkport,

ME, 2p.

Folder A8: to Charles B. Davis., 1905-1908.

Physical Description: 7 ALS, 1 ANS, 1 ACS, 7 LS, Boston,

MA, 14p.

Folder A9: to Francis A. Duneka., undated.

Physical Description: 1 ALS, 1p.

Folder A10: to Walter Prichard Eaton., 1901.

Physical Description: 1 ALS, Kennebunkport, ME, 1p.

Folder A11: to Mr. Ely., undated.

Physical Description: 1 ALS, 1p.

Folder A12: to Annie Fields., undated.

Physical Description: 1 ALS, Boston, MA, 1p.

Folder A13: to Mrs. Foster., 1904.

Physical Description: In: The Kays, by Margaret Deland, New

York, Harper, 1926. (PS 1532 K38 1926a).

Physical Description: 1 ALS, Boston, MA, 2p.

Folder A14: to Richard Watson Gilder., undated.

Physical Description: 1 ALS, Boston, MA, 1p.

<u>Immediate Source of Acquisition:</u>

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Colby Library Associates.

Folder A15: to Mr. Harper., 1912.

Physical Description: 1 TLS, 1p.

Folder A16: to Heloise E. Hersey., undated.

Physical Description: 1 ALS, 1p.

Folder A17: to Mrs. Hills., 1926.

Physical Description: 1 ALS, Little Haven, Kennebunkport,

ME, 1p.

Folder A18: to Lincoln Review., undated.

Physical Description: 1 ALS, Boston, MA, 1p.

Folder A19: to Miss Marshall., 1922.

Physical Description: 1 TLS, Kennebunkport, ME, 1p.

Folder A20: to Lilla Cabot Perry., 1903-1920.

Physical Description: 1 ALS, 1 LS, Boston, MA,

Kennebunkport, ME, 2p.

<u>Immediate Source of Acquisition:</u>

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Margaret Perry.

Folder A21: to Louis Prang., 1890.

Physical Description: 11 ALS, 11p.

Folder A22: to Mr. Roper., 1893.

Physical Description: Accompanied by one clipping.

Physical Description: 1 ALS, 2p.

Folder A23: to Mr. Rushmore., 1924.

Physical Description: 1 LS, 1p.

Folder A24: to unidentifed correspondents., 1889-1928.

Physical Description: 4 ALS, 1 LS, Boston, MA,

Kennebunkport, ME, 5p.

Immediate Source of Acquisition:

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Colby Library Associates.

Folder A25: to various correspondents., 1884-1939.

Physical Description: 2.0 folders. 16 ALS, 18 LS, 34p.

Immediate Source of Acquisition:

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Colby Library Associates.

Folder A26: to Nathan Wallack., 1932-1944.

<u>Physical Description</u>: 3.0 folders. 1 ALS, 48 LS, 2 ANS, 4 ACS, Kennebunkport, ME, Bosto, MA, Cambridge, MA, 55p.

Physical Description: Accompanied by: L. (copy) by NNW to

MWD.

<u>Immediate Source of Acquisition:</u>

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Nathan N. Wallack.

Folder A27: to Mr. Nathan Wallack., 1933.

<u>Physical Description</u>: In: The Kays, by Margaret Deland, London, Jonathan Cape, 1926. (PS 1532 K38 1926b).

Physical Description: 1 ANS, 1p.

Immediate Source of Acquisition:

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Nathan N. Wallack.

Folder A28:to Mrs. Nathan N. Wallack., 1935-1941.

Physical Description: 1 ALS, 1 LS, 1 ACS, Cambridge, MA,

Kennebunkport, MA, 3p.

Immediate Source of Acquisition:

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Mrs. Nathan N. Wallack.

Folder A29: to Kate Douglas Wiggin., 1911. Physical Description: 1 LS, Boston, MA, 1p.

Subseries 2: Letters to Margaret Wade Deland.

Title/Description Instances

From Edwin Markham., 1928.

Physical Description: 1 ALS, West New Brighton, NY, 1p.

Physical Location: MS Box 147.

From Robert Ogden Purves., 1941.

Physical Description: Letter concerns the first edition of Mrs.

Deland's confession.

Physical Description: 1 LS, Hampton, VA, 1p.

Physical Location: MS Box 186.

Subseries 3: Letters about Margaret Wade Deland.

Title/Description Instances

Tribute to Margaret Deland (by Nathan Wallack)., 1935.

Physical Description: 37 letters, (See Bound MS).

Van Wyck Brooks to Nathan N. Wallack., 1933.

Physical Description: 1 ALS, Westport, CT, 2p.

Edgar Rice Burroughs to Nathan N. Wallack., 1933.

Physical Description: 1 LS, Tarzana, CA, 1p.

Elsa Vaughn (Moller) Chambers to Nathan N. Wallack., 1933.

Physical Description: Accompanied by: newspaper

clippings.

Physical Description: 1 ALS, New York, 3p.

Immediate Source of Acquisition:

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Nathan N. Wallack.

Alfred Edgar Coppard to Nathan Wallack., 1933.

Physical Description: 1 ALS, Suffolk, England, 1p.

<u>Immediate Source of Acquisition:</u>

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Nathan N. Wallack.

Philip Cowen to Nathan Wallack., 1933.

Physical Description: 1 ALS, New York, 1p.

Immediate Source of Acquisition:

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Nathan N. Wallack.

Walter John De La Mare to Nathan Wallack., 1933.

Physical Description: 1 LS, Buckinghamshire, England, 1p.

John Dewey to Nathan N. Wallack., 1933.

Physical Description: 1 LS, New York, 1p.

<u>Immediate Source of Acquisition:</u>

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Nathan N. Wallack.

Dorothy Frances Fisher to Nathan Wallack., 1934.

Physical Description: 1 ALS, Arlington, VT, 1p.

Immediate Source of Acquisition:

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Nathan N. Wallack.

Zona Gale to Nathan N. Wallack., 1933.

Physical Description: 1 LS, Portage, WI, 1p.

Immediate Source of Acquisition:

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Nathan N. Wallack.

Fannie Hurst to Nathan N. Wallack., 1933.

Physical Description: 1 LS, New York, 1p.

<u>Immediate Source of Acquisition:</u>

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Nathan N. Wallack.

Holbrook Jackson to Nathan N. Wallack., 1933.

Physical Description: 1 LS, London, 1p.

Immediate Source of Acquisition:

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Nathan N. Wallack.

Rockwell Kent to Nathan N. Wallack., 1933.

Physical Description: 1 LS, Ausable Forks, NY, 1p.

Immediate Source of Acquisition:

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Nathan N. Wallack.

Manuel Komroff to Nathan N. Wallack., 1933.

Physical Description: 1 LS, New York, 1p.

Immediate Source of Acquisition:

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Nathan N. Wallack.

Oliver La Farge to Nathan N. Wallack., 1933.

Physical Description: 1 LS, New York, 1p.

Immediate Source of Acquisition:

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Nathan N. Wallack.

Henry Wysham Lanier to Nathan N. Wallack., 1933.

Physical Description: 1 ALS, New York, 1p.

Immediate Source of Acquisition:

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Nathan N. Wallack.

William McFee to Nathan N. Wallack., 1933.

Physical Description: 1 LS, Westport, CT, 1p.

Immediate Source of Acquisition:

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Nathan N. Wallack.

William Somerset Maugham to Nathan N. Wallack., 1933.

Physical Description: 1 LS, Villa Mauresque, Cap Ferrat,

1p.

Immediate Source of Acquisition:

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Nathan N. Wallack.

Baroness Orczy to Nathan N. Wallack., 1933.

Physical Description: In: Nathan N. Wallack: Tribute to

Margaret Deland.

Physical Description: 1 ALS, Monte Carlo, 1p.

Immediate Source of Acquisition:

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Nathan N. Wallack.

V.V. Parma to Nathan N. Wallack., 1935.

Physical Description: 1 LS, Washington, DC, 1p.

Immediate Source of Acquisition:

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Nathan N. Wallack.

William Lyon Phelps to Nathan N. Wallack., 1933.

Physical Description: In: Wallack, Nathan N. "Tribute to

Margaret Deland".

Physical Description: 1 ALS, New Haven, 1p.

Immediate Source of Acquisition:

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Gift of Nathan N. Wallack.

Agnes Repplier to Nathan N. Wallack., undated.

Physical Description: In: Wallack, Nathan N. "Tribute to

Margaret Deland".

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Physical Description: 1 ALS, Philadelphia, 1p.

Immediate Source of Acquisition:

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Gift of Nathan N. Wallack.

Laura E. Richards to Nathan N. Wallack., undated.

Physical Description: In: Wallack, Nathan N. "Tribute to

Margaret Deland".

Physical Description: 1 ALS, 1p.

Immediate Source of Acquisition:

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Nathan N. Wallack.

Alice Rollins to Nathan N. Wallack., 1933.

Physical Description: Accompanied by: Replies to questions

by NNW re the works of Margaret Deland.

Physical Description: 3 LS, Cambridge, MA, 3p.

Upton Beall Sinclair to Nathan N. Wallack., undated.

Physical Description: Note written on Mr. Wallack's letter of

solicitation, dated; November 29th, 1933.

Physical Description: 1 ANS, Los Angeles, CA, 1p.

<u>Immediate Source of Acquisition:</u>

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Nathan N. Wallack.

Vincent Starret to Nathan N. Wallack., 1933.

Physical Description: 1 ALS, Chicago, Ill. 1p.

Immediate Source of Acquisition:

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Nathan N. Wallack.

Kate Stephens to Nathan N. Wallack., 1933.

Physical Description: In: Wallack, Nathan N. "Tribute to

Margaret Deland".

<u>Physical Description</u>: 1 TLS, New York, 1p.

Julian Leonard Street to Nathan N. Wallack., 1933.

Physical Description: 1 LS, New York, 1p.

Immediate Source of Acquisition:

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Nathan N. Wallack.

Frank Swinnerton to Nathan N. Wallack., 1933.

Physical Description: In: Wallack, Nathan N. "Tribute to

Margaret Deland".

Physical Description: 1 ALS, Surrey, England, 1p.

Alice B. Toklas to Nathan N. Wallack., 1933.

Physical Description: 1 LS, Paris, 1p.

Immediate Source of Acquisition:

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Nathan N. Wallack.

Carolyn Wells (Houghton) to Nathan N. Wallack., 1933.

Physical Description: 2 LS, New York, 2p.

Immediate Source of Acquisition:

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Nathan N. Wallack.

Nathan N. Wallack to Benjamin DeCasseres., 1933.

Physical Description: Holograph note by BD on bottom

margin of letter.

Physical Description: 1 ALS, New York 1p.

Physical Location: MS Box 227.

<u>Immediate Source of Acquisition:</u>

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Nathan N. Wallack.

John Tracy Winterich to Carl J. Weber., 1945.

Physical Description: Accompanied by: copy of letter by CJW

to Nathan N. Wallack.

Physical Description: 1 ALS, 1 LS, Washington, D.C. 3p.

Physical Location: MS Box 249.

Immediate Source of Acquisition:

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Mrs. Carl J. Weber.

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Series B: Manuscripts.

Physical Description: 5.0 folders.

Title/Description Instances

Folder B1: Captain Archer's daughter (novel)., 1930.

Physical Description: Holograph manuscript, and typescript with

hologragh revisions.

Physical Description: 29p.

Immediate Source of Acquisition:

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Nathan N. Wallack.

Folder B2: If this be I as I suppose it be., 1934.

Physical Description: 2.0 folders. 58p.

Physical Description: Typescript and holograph manuscript,

with holograph revisions.

Immediate Source of Acquisition:

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Nathan N. Wallack.

Folder B3: The Kays., 1924.

<u>Physical Description</u>: Typescript manuscript, with holograph revisions. Accompanied by: Letter (1) by Alice Rollins.

Physical Description: 3p.

Immediate Source of Acquisition:

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Nathan N. Wallack.

Folder B4: The Kays (corrected galley)., undated.

<u>Physical Description</u>: Typescript with Holograph notes.

Physical Description: See Folio - being sized for box.

Folder B5: Poems (9)., undated.

<u>Physical Description</u>: Holograph and typescript manuscript. Contents: As One Who Watches For the Mornings; Christmas Dawn; O Violet; The Fire Dance; Deaf; The Rich Young Man

(2); A Summer Day; Words; Words, Words.

Physical Description: 9p.

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Series C: Photographs.

Physical Description: 1.0 folders.

Title/Description

Folder C1: Photographs., undated.

Instances

Physical Description: 4 items.

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Series D: Published Writings.

Physical Description: 9.0 folders.

Title/Description Instances

Folder D1: Christmas Giving., 1889.

Physical Description: Excerpted from The Book Buyer.

December 1889, vol. VI, no. 11, p. 419-420. Accompanied by:

"Mrs. Deland and her books" (1p.) in publisher's ad brochure

(4p). Inscribed to N.N. Wallack.

Physical Description: 2p. (See First Appearances.)

Folder D2: Counting the Cost., 1896.

Physical Description: In: The Pocket Magazine. v. II, no.

4, August 1896. pp. 1-62. Two copies, both inscribed to N.

Wallake, signed by the author.

Physical Description: 63p.(See First Appearances.)

Immediate Source of Acquisition:

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Nathan N. Wallack.

Folder D3: Flax Flowers., 1888.

Physical Description: In: Harper's New Monthly magazine, vol.

77, no. 461, October 1888, p.699.

Physical Description: 1p. (See First Appearances.)

Folder D4: Looking back on girlhood., 1892.

Physical Description: Second paper by Mrs. Margaret Deland.

In: The Youth's Companion, vol. 65, no. 2, January 14, 1892.

The first paper of this series was by Sarah Orne Jewett.

Physical Description: Boston, 1p. (See First Appearances.)

Folder D5: Old Chester Tales, Part V, the child's mother., 1898.

Physical Description: In: Harper's New Monthly magazine. v.

97, no. 579, pp.406-422.

Physical Description: 17p. (See First Appearances.)

Folder D6: Short Stories., undated.

Physical Description: Clipped from The Youth's Companion

Magazine.

Physical Description: See First Appearances.

Folder D7: Sunset on the Alleghany., 1888.

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Physical Description: In: Harper's New Monthly magazine, vol.

77, no. 460, September, 1888, p. 597.

Physical Description: 1p. (See First Appearances.)

Folder D8: Thomas Hardy maps the "Tess" country., 1926.

Physical Description: Printed letter to Mr. Briggs from Margaret

Deland. In: The Writer. vol. 38, no. 4, April, 1928.

Physical Description: Boston, 1p. (See First Appearances.)

Margaret Deland's Florida Days (by Edward Bellamy)., 1889.

Physical Description: Excerpted from The Book Buyer.

December, 1889, vol. VI, no. 11, pp. 432-433.

Physical Description: 11p. (See First Apperances under

Bellamy.)

<u>Immediate Source of Acquisition:</u>

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Nathan N. Wallack.

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Series E: Clippings.

Physical Description: 1.0 folders.

Title/Description

Instances

Folder E1: Clippings., 1933-1945.

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