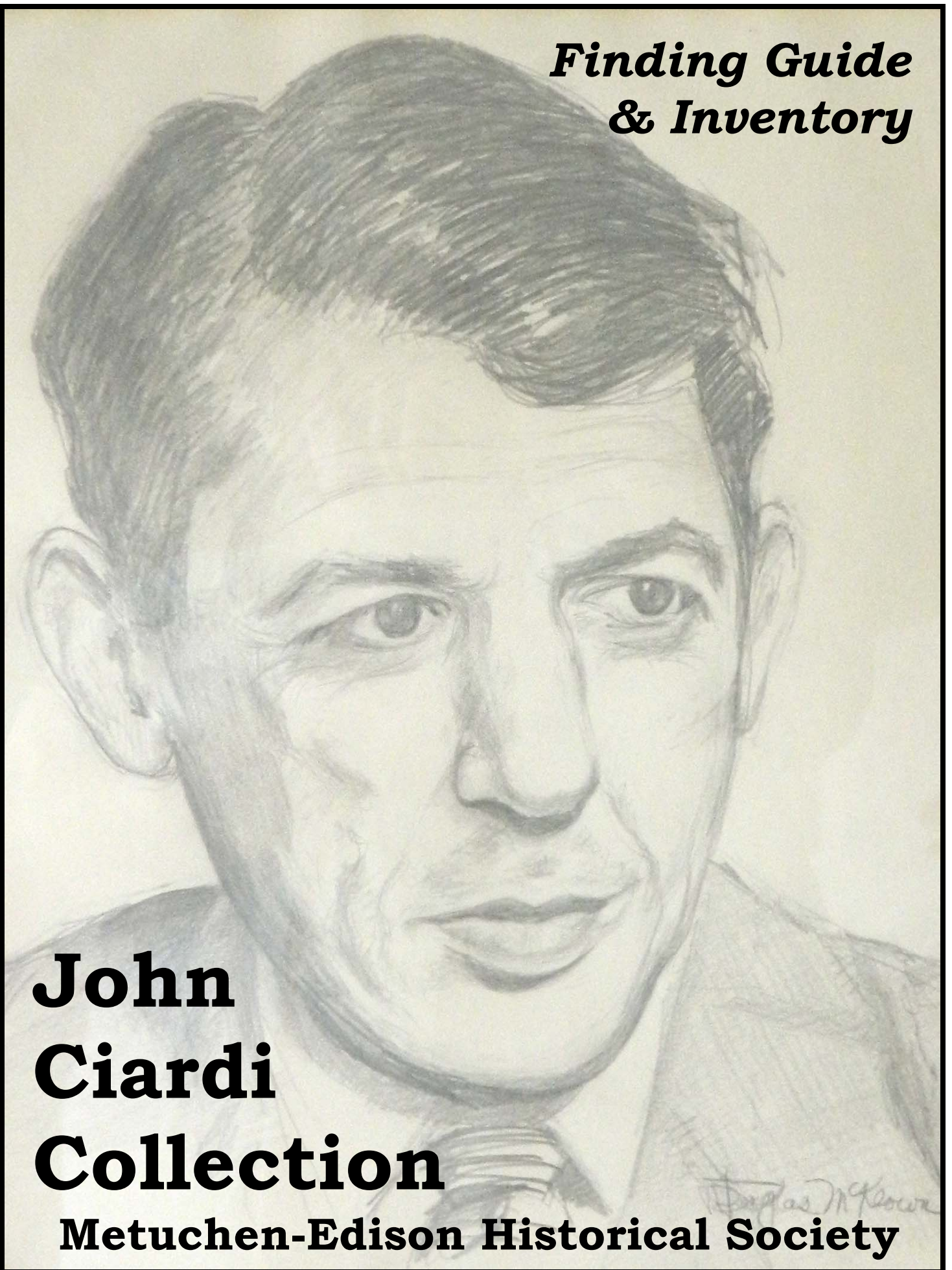


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**John  
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**Metuchen-Edison Historical Society**



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# ***Introduction***

In May 2013, the Society was extremely fortunate to receive several boxes of materials from a former Metuchen resident and daughter of the late poet and translator John Ciardi. Most of Mr. Ciardi's papers had already been donated to the Library of Congress, and the society was extremely honored to have these priceless items gifted to us. A "reconnaissance-level" inspection of the materials revealed files of letters, notes, and sketches, as well as honors and degrees, film canisters, and much more.

The Society quickly determined that these materials needed to be inventoried and stabilized in archival containers, and felt that a digital finding guide to the collection should be created in order to be properly shared with our members, the public, local schools, on our website, and with any of the institutions at which Mr. Ciardi studied or taught (Bates, Tufts, University of Kansas City, University of Michigan, Harvard, Middlebury, Rutgers). Therefore the Society applied to and happily received a grant from the Middlesex County Cultural & Heritage Commission to help fund this work.

Archivist and Architectural Historian Jennifer Warren was hired to conduct the grant work, and did so as diligently and thoroughly. Researchers wishing to cite this collection should include the following information: *John Ciardi Collection, Metuchen-Edison Historical Society, Metuchen, N.J.*

# ***Finding Guide***

## **Collection Summary**

Title: John Ciardi Collection

Span Dates: 1927-2001

Bulk Dates: 1950-1986

Creator: Ciardi, John, 1916-1986

Extent: 1089 items; 7 boxes plus framed drawing; approximately 10.17 linear feet

Language: Collection material primarily in English, and Italian and French

Repository: Metuchen-Edison Historical Society, Metuchen, NJ

Abstract: Poet, author, editor, literary critic, lecturer, and journalist. Advertisements, address books, agendas, bibliographies, biographical material, book reviews, booklets, brochures, budgets, cards, certificates, correspondence, diplomas, diary entries, documents, dress, filmstrips, invitations, journals, ledgers, lists, magazines, manuscripts, map, miscellaneous papers, newsletters, newspaper clippings, notes, outlines, personal planners, photographs, postcards, posters, press releases, programs, receipts, reports, research material, resumes, royalty statements, schedules, school records, sheet music, sketches, tickets, transcripts, worksheets, yearbook excerpts, galley proofs, page proofs, and published and draft versions of aphorisms, articles, books, columns, essays, etymological dictionaries, limericks, poems, poetry reviews, television films, word games, and speeches and lectures.

## **Selected Search Terms**

### **Names:**

Ciardi, John Anthony [author, literary critic, editor, lecturer, & journalist; pseudonym: John Anthony]

(1927-1986) - Correspondence

Abbe, George [Russell Sage College; founded a poetry book club and published a book by Frances Frost

that Ciardi panned in *The Nation*; wrote and complained that the review had been “rather sweepingly harsh”] (1955-1958) - Correspondence

Abbott, C.D. [director of libraries at the University of Buffalo] (1940) - Correspondence

Abbott, Donald G. [director of publications for Tufts University] (1965) - Correspondence

Abrams, Norman J. [attorney that works for Abrams, Kestenbaum, Hendricks & Reina] (1970) - Correspondence

Ackerman, Forrest J. “Forry” [Science Fiction Agency] (1953) - Correspondence

Ackerson, Edward H. (1964) - Correspondence

Adamic, Louis [editor of *Common Ground Magazine*] (1940) - Correspondence

Adams, J. Donald [*New York Times Book Review*] (1957) - Correspondence

Adams, Leonie (1959) - Correspondence

Adams, Phillip D. [editor of *Calliope* (Western Michigan University) Literary Magazine] (1958) - Correspondence

Adams, Phoebe [*The Atlantic Monthly*] (1954) - Correspondence

Adler, Joy Holtzman [guest at Ciardi lecture at Skidmore College in 1960] (1989) - Correspondence

Aeton, Richard [Boston College] (1977) - Correspondence

Aiken, Conrad (1955-1960) - Correspondence

Aldisert, Ruggero J. [Judge of the Court of Common Pleas in Pittsburgh, PA] (1968) - Correspondence

Aldrich, Jonathan [English Department at Middlebury College] (1972) - Correspondence

Alfred, William (1964) - Correspondence

Alighieri, Dante [Italian poet; translated by John Ciardi] (1954-1977)

Allen, Diane [National Council of Teachers of English Public Relations Associate; wrote biography of John Ciardi for *Language Arts*] (1982)

Allen, Ethan [Revolutionary War patriot]

Alverson, Charles E. [San Francisco, CA] (1965) - Correspondence

Amis, Kingsley [novelist] (1961)

Ammons, A.R. (1966)

Anderson, Alma [wife of Clarence W. Anderson] (1972-1976) - Correspondence

Anderson, George K. [Chairman of the English Department at Brown University] (1951) - Correspondence

Anderson, Lee [Research associate for the Department of English at Yale University] (1959) - Correspondence

Anderson, M. Margaret [Managing editor of *Common Ground* Magazine] (1940-1950) - Correspondence

Anderson, Paul (1954) - Correspondence

Appleton, Burton L. [recollections of John Ciardi from instructor Hotchkiss] (1989) - Correspondence

Arentzen, Eleanor Dudley (1979) - Correspondence

Armstrong, James I. [President of Middlebury College] (1964-1972) - Correspondence

Arvin, Newton [Smith College] (1956) - Correspondence

Asbell, Bernard [Wilton, CT] (1961) - Correspondence

Asch, Moses [Folkway Records] (1954-1956) - Correspondence

Aschkenes, Anna M. [Middlesex County Cultural & Heritage Commission; editor of *Bladderhead Bobble-Bud & Spade, Selected Poems of John Ciardi*] (1988)

Ashkenazy, Irvin [Pasadena, CA] (1972) - Correspondence

Asimov, Isaac [Science fiction author; professor of Biochemistry at Boston University; collaborated with John Ciardi on two books of limericks] (1971-1981) - Correspondence

Backman, Allen [Better Business Bureau] (1954) - Correspondence

Backus, Richard H. (1964) - Correspondence

Bacon, Allan [organist at the College of the Pacific, Stockton, CA] (1937-1961) - Correspondence

Bader, Arno [professor at the University of Michigan; arranged Hopwood lectures] (1958) - Correspondence

Bailey, David W. [secretary at Harvard University] (1949) - Correspondence

Bailey, Robeson "Bob" (1955-1956) - Correspondence

Bailey Jr., Herbert S. [Princeton University Press Publishers] (1957) - Correspondence

Baime, Stephen [shareholder of Tops Carpet City] (1985)

Bain, David Haward [journalist for *Middlebury College Magazine*] (1985)

Bain, Read [Miami University; editor of American Sociological Association's *Review*, 1938-1942; poetry editor of the *Humanist*, 1953-1957] (1954-1967) - Correspondence

Balk, Alfred [Bread Loaf Writers' Conference staff; Graduate School of Journalism at Columbia University] (1971) - Correspondence

Ballantine, Ian [Ballantine Books Inc.] (1952-1954) - Correspondence

Baratta, Selita [Miquon School in Miquon, PA] (1965) - Correspondence

Barberis, Eligio G. [professor] (1958-1960) - Correspondence

Barford, Mr. (1965) - Correspondence

Barg, Henry B. [Director of Annual Funds for Tufts University Annual Fund] (1978) - Correspondence

Barnard, Mary [curator of the Poetry Collection at the University of Buffalo] (1940) - Correspondence

Barnet, Sylvan [English professor at Tufts University] (1964-1965) - Correspondence

Barnett, Lincoln (1951) - Correspondence

Barone, Dennis (1978) - Correspondence

Barringer, Margaret [Northern Kentucky University] (1985) - Correspondence

Barrows, Herbert [collaborated on *Part Three of An Introduction to Literature*] (1959)

Barzun, Jacques [Charles Scribner's Sons Publishers] (1977-1980) - Correspondence

Basler, Roy P. [Chief of the Reference Department of the Manuscript Division at the Library of Congress] (1964-1972) - Correspondence

Bateson Jr., E. Farrar (1960) - Correspondence

Batsford, Emory S. (1949) - Correspondence

Beacham, Walton [Coordinator of Creative Writing at the Virginia Commonwealth University] (1973) - Correspondence

Beal, Dick (1952) - Correspondence

Beatty, Richmond C. [journalist from the *Tennessean*] (1957)

Beauchamp, Andrea [Program associate of The Hopwood Room at the University of Michigan] (1993) - Correspondence

Beaver, Almeda L. (1949) - Correspondence

Bechet, Sidney [American jazz musician; autobiographical manuscript edited by John Ciardi] (1951-1978)

Beckley, Timothy Green [Director of the Interplanetary News Service] (1965) - Correspondence

Belin, G. D'Andelot [Choate, Hall & Stewart] (1956-1962) - Correspondence

Bellocchio, Lucine T. [Contract & Copyright Department of Farrar, Straus and Giroux, Inc. Book Publishers] (1978) - Correspondence

Benn, Stanley L. [Wilentz, Goldman & Spitzer, Esqs.] (1985) - Correspondence

Bennett, Leslie D. [Instructor at Jonas Henderson High School] (1961) - Correspondence

Bentinck-Smith, William [editor of the *Harvard Alumni Bulletin*] (1949) - Correspondence

Benton, Thomas Hart [mid-century American artist] (1950-1952) - Correspondence

Benziger, James [journalist from *Furioso* publication at Carleton College, Northfield, MN] (1950)

Berk, Joe [Pathways of Sound Inc.] (1968) - Correspondence

Berkow, Mimi & Paul (1956)

Berry, David [Executive Director of CCHA] (1976-1997) - Correspondence

Berth, W.W. [Assistant Director of the Department of Personnel Services at Rutgers University] (1959) - Correspondence

Bertugli, David [Senior editor of *I-AM Magazine* (The National Magazine for Italian-Americans)] (1976) - Correspondence

Bessom, Malcolm E. [editor of *Music Educators Journal*] (1972) - Correspondence

Bettings, B. [Circulation manager of *Common Ground Magazine*] (1940-1941) - Correspondence

Bezanson, Walter E. [citation to John Ciardi for Rutgers Award for a distinguished contribution to literature for children and young people] (1966)

Biddle, Mrs. (1950) - Correspondence

Bierne, Raymond [professor for the Department of English at the University of Florida] (1973) - Correspondence

Billman, Carl [executive secretary of Phi Beta Kappa] (1958) - Correspondence

Bingham, Millicent Todd [author of *Emily Dickinson's Home* reviewed by John Ciardi] (1955) - Correspondence

Birch, Robert L. (1954) - Correspondence

Birney, Earle [Department of English at the University of British Columbia] (1954) - Correspondence

Bishop, Elizabeth (1949-1955) - Correspondence

Bishop, Glenn E. [administrator of Management Programs for the Institute of Industrial Relations at the University of California] (1958) - Correspondence

Bishop, Hall (1979) - Correspondence

Bishop, Isabel (1961-1978) - Correspondence

Bixler, Paul [Chairman of the Editorial Board for the *Antioch Review*] (1954) - Correspondence

Blacker, Rhoda [Branch librarian for the Boston Public Library] (1977) - Correspondence

Blades, John [*Chicago Tribune Book World*] (1979) - Correspondence

Blair, Arthur [*Diogenes: A Literary Bi-Monthly*] (1940) - Correspondence

Blair, JoAnne (1979) - Correspondence

Blake, Eunice [Children's book editor from J.B. Lippincott Company] (1958-1960) - Correspondence

Blevins, James R. [Chairman Division of Humanities at the University of Southern Indiana] (1985-1991) - Correspondence

Bleymehl, Jakob (1953) - Correspondence

Boatner, Maxine (1959) - Correspondence

Bogart, Elizabeth Melser (1961) - Correspondence

Boggs, Tom [author of *Lyric Moderns in Brief* and *Lyrics in Brief: 1300-1938*] (1940-1941) - Correspondence

Bohanon, Eunice (aka Mrs. Paul Bohanon) [Bread Loaf Writers' Conference] (1969) - Correspondence

Bond, Niles W. [Harvard University] (1958) - Correspondence

Booth, Philip [Department of English at Wellesley College] (1956-1960) - Correspondence

Boothe, Leon E. [President of Northern Kentucky University] (1985) - Correspondence

Bordry, Paul [Aeunesse Artistique de France] (1946) - Correspondence

Boucher, Anthony [co-editor of *Fantasy and Science Fiction* and accepted a story of John Ciardi's called "The Hypnograph" that was published under the pseudonym John Anthony] (1953-1954) - Correspondence

Bowen, Carroll G. [editor of The University of Chicago Press] (1959) - Correspondence

Bowen, Catherine Drinker "Kitty" [biographer and Bread Loaf Writers' Conference faculty member] (1950-1969) - Correspondence

Bowers, Mrs. Fredson (1962) - Correspondence

Bowles, Gordon T. [executive secretary of the Conference Board of Associated Research Councils] (1950) - Correspondence

Boyle, Kay (1956-1959) - Correspondence

Boynton, Robert W. (1973) - Correspondence

Bradbury, Ray [author of "The Beggar on the Dublin Bridge" from the *Saturday Evening Post*] (1961) - Correspondence

Brandt, Dorothy M. [journalist] (1949)

Breitmeyer, Eleanor [journalist from the *Sunday News* in Detroit, MI] (1975)

Brenson, Theodore (1957) - Correspondence

Brett, D.E. (1961) - Correspondence

Breuer, James E. (1979) - Correspondence

Bridgman, John M. (1976) - Correspondence

Brie, G. [Institute for Research in the Humanities] (1961) - Correspondence

Briggs, Peter [Associate editor for *Ladies' Home Journal*] (1958) - Correspondence

Briley, Dorothy [Editor-in-Chief for Books for Young Readers at J.B. Lippincott Company] (1973)  
- Correspondence

Brinnin, John Malcolm [Vassar College; poet and biographer] (1939-1964) - Correspondence

Brodrick, A-H [author of *Cathedrals and Churches of France*] (1949)

Brodsky, Bernard [book reviewer for the *Chicago Review*] (1956)

Brooker, Walter (1969) - Correspondence

Brookhouser, Frank [*Philadelphia Inquirer*] (1951-1952) - Correspondence

Brooks, Paul [Editor-in-Chief of Houghton Mifflin Company] (1956-1957) - Correspondence

Brower, Brock (1965) - Correspondence

Brower, Thomas (1957) - Correspondence

Brown, Charles M. [Glendale, CA] (1964) - Correspondence

Brown, Francis [book reviewer for the *New York Times*] (1955) - Correspondence

Brown, Mina [editor of *The Staff Reporter House Organ* for the Wilmington Public Schools]  
(1961) - Correspondence

Brown, Robert M. (1959) - Correspondence

Brown, Rollo Walter [Cambridge, MA] (1940) - Correspondence

Brown, Stephanie [editor of *Selected Poems*] (1983)

Brown, Wallace "Wally" [Chairman of the English Department at the University of Kansas City]  
(1940-1952) - Correspondence

Brownfield, Jack R. [Department of English at the University of Vermont and State Agricultural  
College] (1956-1958) - Correspondence

Brucoli, Matthew J. [editor for *First Printings of American Authors: Contributions Toward  
Descriptive Checklists*, Vol. 2] (1978)

Bryson, Lyman [Columbia Broadcasting System, Inc.] (1958) - Correspondence

Buele, Paul H. [Provost of Harvard University] (1949-1952) - Correspondence

Buencamino, Dr. V. [AM-Parts Manufacturers in Manila, PHI]

Buggs, George [State University of New York] (1971) - Correspondence

Bullock, Mrs. Hugh [President of The Academy of American Poets] (1982) - Correspondence

Bumas, Jonathan [illustrator for *Phonethics: Twenty-Two Limericks for the Telephone by John  
Ciardi*] (1985)

Burack, A.S. [editor of *The Writer*] (1975) - Correspondence  
Burack, Sylvia K. [editor of *The Writer*] (1979) - Correspondence  
Burger, Knox [Gold Medal Books at Fawcett Publications] (1962) - Correspondence  
Burgess, Anthony [poet] (ca. 1973)  
Burke, Kenneth [author of *Book of Moments*]  
Burns, Amy [poet] (1972)  
Burnshaw, Stanley [poet and critic; George Braziller, Inc.; author of *The Seamless Web* and *Robert Frost Himself*, praised John Ciardi's *Lives of X*] (1958-1984) - Correspondence  
Burton, Philip [recollections of John Ciardi] (1986)  
Buschmeyer Jr., Frederick Sherman  
Bush, Martin H. [Manuscript Collections at Syracuse University] (1965) - Correspondence  
Bynner, Witter (1946) - Correspondence  
Cacnio, Alberto [attorney from Manila, PHI]  
Cahill, Neil [Reverend at St. Mary's College, KS] (1954) - Correspondence  
Calisher, Hortense  
Callahan, Patrick [English Department at the University of Notre Dame] (1972) - Correspondence  
Callow, Allan D. [Office of the Chairman at the Trustees of Tufts College] (1978) - Correspondence  
Cameron, Donald [professor at Rutgers University] (1958) - Correspondence  
Campbell, David P. [University of Minnesota] (1965) - Correspondence  
Campbell, Robert [Lieutenant Colonel] (1985)  
Carges, Harry J. [journalist from *America Magazine*] (1979)  
Carlberg, Roy H. [American Kennel Club] (1968-1969) - Correspondence  
Carmichael, Leonard [secretary of the Smithsonian Institution] (1962) - Correspondence  
Carpenter, Richard [recollections of John Ciardi's college years] (1989) - Correspondence  
Carr, Virginia S. [Assistant English professor at Columbus College] (1972) - Correspondence  
Carrier, Ronald E. [President of Madison College] (1975) - Correspondence  
Carroll, Paul [University of Illinois in Chicago] (1972) - Correspondence  
Carruth, Hayden [*Poetry Magazine*] (1949-1965) - Correspondence  
Carson, A. Brinton [author] (1991)  
Cartwright, Colbert S. (1965) - Correspondence  
Carty, William [Sergeant] (1945)  
Carus, Marianne [*Cricket* magazine] (1973-1978) - Correspondence  
Case, Adolph [Dante University Cultural Center] (1976) - Correspondence  
Castellani, Maria [doctor at University of Kansas City] (1951) - Correspondence

Catton, Bruce [American Heritage] (1958) - Correspondence

Cavanaugh, Cam [National Society of Arts and Letters, New Jersey Chapter] (1977) - Correspondence

Chafee Jr., Zechariah [professor at Harvard University] (1949) - Correspondence

Chagrin, Lionel (1973) - Correspondence

Champagne, Marian G. [attorney] (1959) - Correspondence

Channing, Susan R. [Director of the Artists Fellowship Program at The Artists Foundation] (1978) - Correspondence

Charney, Nicholas H. [editor of the *Saturday Review*] (1972) - Correspondence

Cheever, John (1960) - Correspondence

Chrissman, Helen Jo [journalist from the *University of Kansas City Review*] (1950)

Chung, Tin-wen [President of the World Academy of Arts and Culture] (1981) - Correspondence

Chute, Marchette [creator of *The Worlds of Shakespeare*] (1963) - Correspondence

Ciardi, Benn [John Ciardi's son; owned "Tops Carpet City" business] (1981-1985) - Correspondence

Ciardi, Concetta [John Ciardi's mother] (1938-1964) - Correspondence

Ciardi, Jonathan L. "Jonnel" [John Ciardi's son; Brookline, MA] (1965-1977) - Correspondence

Ciardi (Bonta), Evelyn (1940) - Correspondence

Ciardi (Fennessey), Cora [John Ciardi's sister] (1984) - Correspondence

Ciardi (Hostetter), Myra Judith [John Ciardi's wife] (1946-1986) - Correspondence

Ciardi (Rosi), Edith [John Ciardi's sister] (1967) - Correspondence

Ciardi (Rubero), Ella [John Ciardi's sister] (1935-1983) - Correspondence

Ciardi (Watts), Myra [John Ciardi's daughter] (2013)

Cifelli, Edward [professor and critic; John Ciardi biographer; County College of Morris; wrote appreciative essay titled "The Size of John Ciardi's Song" and interviewed him for *Frost: Centennial Essays*] (1973-1997) - Correspondence

Clague, John (1965) - Correspondence

Clairmont, Robert (1981)

Clark, Greenville [spokesman for Harvard University in communism controversy between John Ciardi and Frank B. Ober] (1949) - Correspondence

Clark, Jim [staff of *The Denver Quarterly*; had made arrangements for John Ciardi to speak at a meeting held in honor of John Williams before Ciardi's death] (1986) - Correspondence

Clark, LaVerne Harrell (1974) - Correspondence

Clay, David M. (1949) - Correspondence

Clemens, Cyril [editor of *Mark Twain Journal*] (1973) - Correspondence

Clement, Laurent (1954) - Correspondence

Clemente, Vince [poet and critic; editor of *John Ciardi: Measure of the Man* (1987); English professor at Suffolk County Community College, NY; prepared an Italian-American poetry book] (1978-1986) - Correspondence

Clements, Robert J. [journalist from the *Saturday Review*] (1971)

Clorinda, Russo (1976) - Correspondence

Cloud, Dudley H. [The Atlantic Monthly Press] (1948) - Correspondence

Cloud, Jeannette [*The Atlantic Monthly*] (1946) - Correspondence

Clough, Wilson O. [speaker at the University of Wyoming] (1958)

Cohan, Arlene L. [San Francisco, CA] (1964) - Correspondence

Cohen, Leonard (1959) - Correspondence

Cohen, Louis Henry [House of Books, Ltd.] (1949-1950) - Correspondence

Colbert, Richard G. [Captain] (1959) - Correspondence

Cole, William [poet and critic for the *Saturday Review*] (1965-1975)

Coleman, Mr. (1953) - Correspondence

Collins, Catherine [donator to the Alan Collins Fellowship for the Bread Loaf Writers' Conference] (1969)

Comes, Ray (1973) - Correspondence

Conal, Barney [*National Guardian*] (1949) - Correspondence

Conant, James B. [President of Harvard University] (1949) - Correspondence

Conlan, Sister M. Samuel [English professor at Dominican College in San Rafael, CA; attended John Ciardi speech at Stanford University, ca. 1960-1963] (1989) - Correspondence

Connick, Louis (1959) - Correspondence

Conrad, Mrs. Alfred (1960) - Correspondence

Cooper Jr., Clarence L. (1962) - Correspondence

Copland, Joyce [Manager of Advertising and Promotion for Houghton Mifflin Company Children's Book Department] (1973-1975) - Correspondence

Coppinger, Lorna (1975) - Correspondence

Cordray, Mary [wife of Robert M. "Mac" Cordray] (1964-1982) - Correspondence

Cordray, Robert M. "Mac" [pilot of B-29 "The Heavenly Body" in Saipan with John Ciardi serving as aerial gunner in 1944-1945; wrote forward for of *Saipan: The War Diary of John Ciardi*] (1959-1988) - Correspondence

Core, George (1978-1979)

Corey, Ruth Lechlitner (1976) - Correspondence

Corman, Cid [American poet, editor, and translator] (1946-1961) - Correspondence

Corradino, G. Dolph [attorney for Leibowitz and Corradino] (1975) - Correspondence

Corrigan, Sara Anne [journalist from *The Evansville Courier & Press*] (1986)

Cotsworth, Staats (1961) - Correspondence

Coughlin, George G. [Harrison, Coughlin, Dermody & Ingalls] (1955) - Correspondence

Cousins, Norman [editor of *Saturday Review / World Magazine*] (1956-1990) - Correspondence

Cowden, Roy W. [John Ciardi's poetry professor and director of the Hopwood competitions at the University of Michigan] (1948-1958) - Correspondence

Cowley, Malcolm (1961-1968) - Correspondence

Cowling, Mark [journalist from *The Evansville Courier*] (1986)

Cowsar, Margaret I. [journalist from the *English Journal*] (1961)

Cox, Martha Healey (1959) - Correspondence

Craig, Roberta (1970) - Correspondence

Cromie, Robert "Bob" [*Chicago Tribune*] (1972) - Correspondence

Crosby, Bing (1973) - Correspondence

Croxton, Fred E. [Director of the Administrative Department of the Library of Congress] (1972) - Correspondence

Cubeta, Paul M. [Assistant Director of Bread Loaf Writers' Conference, 1956-1964] (1955-1969) - Correspondence

Cumming, Marian (1962) - Correspondence

Cummings, E.E. (1958) - Correspondence

Cunliffe, Elizabeth (1960) - Correspondence

Curtis, Michael [*The Atlantic Monthly*] (1981) - Correspondence

Daghlian, Philip B. [Indiana University Writers' Conference] (1952) - Correspondence

Daiches, David [critic from the *New York Herald Tribune Book Review*] (1950)

Danielewski, Tad Z. [professor of the Department of Theatre and Cinematic Arts at Brigham Young University] (1977) - Correspondence

Dannay, Frederic [*Ellery Queen's Mystery Magazine*] (1960) - Correspondence

Darnell, Alan M. [Wilentz, Goldman and Spitzer in Woodbridge, NJ] (1982) - Correspondence

Dattilo, Francis M. [Editor-in-Chief of Ross Roy Inc. Advertising] (1979) - Correspondence

Dauco, Rex

Davenport, Basil [Book-of-the-Month Club Inc.] (1952-1954) - Correspondence

Davidowitz, Gilbert [speaker on the prehistory of languages at the joint conference held by the American Oriental Society and the Second North American Conference on Semitic Linguistics] (1974) - Correspondence

Davis, Frederick J. [Senior Vice President of the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals and former student of John Ciardi at Harvard University] (1989) - Correspondence

Davis, H.L. (1957) - Correspondence

Davis, James [Western History Department of the Denver Public Library] (1972) - Correspondence

Davis, Joe Lee [Chairman of the Program in American Culture at the University of Michigan] (1967) - Correspondence

Davis, Patricia [College Department of Harcourt Brace Jovanovich, Inc.] (1973-1977) - Correspondence

Davis, Paxton (1960) - Correspondence

Davis Jr., John L. [Director of Housing for Rutgers University] (1953) - Correspondence

Davison, Peter H. [Executive editor of the Atlantic Monthly Press] (1962) - Correspondence

Dawson, George M. (1974) - Correspondence

de Camp, L. Sprague [author of *Viagens Interplanetarius*] (1952-1954) - Correspondence

De Gaulle, Charles [French president]

de la Torre Bueno, J.R. [editor of the Ohio Wesleyan University Press] (1960) - Correspondence

De Masi, Arturo (1969-1972) - Correspondence

Dean, Emmett [Better Business Bureau] (1954) - Correspondence

Dean, Nicholas [photographer from Cambridge, MA]

DeBenedictis, Louis (1974) - Correspondence

Decker, Clarence R. [President of the University of Kansas City; Vice-President of Fairleigh Dickinson University; President of The Poetry Society of America] (1939-1958) - Correspondence

Decker (Joseph), Nannine (1952) - Correspondence

Delany, J. Walter [New York University Club] (1959) - Correspondence

Delman, David [Bread Loaf Writers' Conference faculty member] (1962)

Deneen, William [executive with Encyclopedia Britannica Films Inc.] (1966) - Correspondence

Denison, Daniel [*Saturday Review* reader from New Haven, CT] (1964) - Correspondence

Denker, David [doctor at Rutgers University] (1957-1959) - Correspondence

Denker, Joel [San Francisco, CA] (1972) - Correspondence

Dennis, Anne W. [children's librarian at the Cuyahoga County Public Library] (1969) - Correspondence

dePaolo, Ronald F. [editor of *I-AM Magazine* (The National Magazine for Italian-Americans)] - Correspondence

Deutsch, Babette (1958-1979) - Correspondence

Deutsch, R.H. [*Journal of The Stevens Society*] (1979) - Correspondence

Dever, Joseph [author of "Quick Trip to Butternut: A Short Story" from *The Current*]

DeVine, Lawrence [journalist from the *Detroit Free Press*] (1983)

DeVoto, Bernard [journalist for *Harper's Magazine*] (1947-1955) - Correspondence

DeVries, Peter [novelist; co-editor of *Poetry: A Magazine of Verse Magazine* and *The New Yorker Magazine*] (1939-1948) - Correspondence

Dewey, Patricia Parker (1977) - Correspondence

Di Capua, Michael [Farrar, Straus and Giroux, Inc. Book Publishers] (1969) - Correspondence

Di Cesare, Mario A. [Chairman of the English Department at the State University of New York at Binghamton] (1969) - Correspondence

Di Memmo, June (1974) - Correspondence

Dickerson, Frederick [collaborated on *Plain English in a Complex Society*] (1980)

Dickey, James [member of the American Academy and Institute of Arts and Letters] (1978) - Correspondence

Dickey, R.P. [Southern Colorado State College] (1967-1978) - Correspondence

Dickinson, Emily [American poet] (1956)

Dicks, Barbara A. [Harper & Row Junior Books Group] (1985) - Correspondence

Dillon, George [editor of *Poetry: A Magazine of Verse Magazine*] (1939-1948) - Correspondence

Doan, Eleanor (1975) - Correspondence

Dobin, Robin R. [Connecticut General Life Insurance Company] (1966)

Dodson, Loretta [editor for *Cricket Magazine for Children*] (1978) - Correspondence

Doktor, Paul [The Julliard School] (1977) - Correspondence

Dolbier, Maurice [journalist from the *NY Herald-Tribune*] (1957)

Dollarhide, Louis [Division of Humanities at Mississippi College] (1964) - Correspondence

Douglas, Ruby G. [Salem, OR; author of "A Plea for More Charity to Ciardi" manuscript] (1945) - Correspondence

Douglas, Wallace [collaborated on *Part Three of An Introduction to Literature*] (1959)

Dow, Wallace E. [Dow Agency in Monkton, MD] (1972-1975) - Correspondence

Draya, Ren [Napanoch, NY; recollections of John Holmes] (1989) - Correspondence

Drenner, Don v.R. [small press poetry printer at Zauberg Press; former professor at the University of Kansas City; collaborated with John Ciardi on book] (1962-1967) - Correspondence

Driver, Jessica Somers [Los Angeles, CA] (1972) - Correspondence

Drucker, Trudy [River Vale, NJ; note taker for the Bread Loaf Writers' Conference] (1957-1964) - Correspondence

Drury, Allen (1960) - Correspondence

Dudek, Louis (1958) - Correspondence

Dudley, Fred A. (1979) - Correspondence

Duffy, Susan [Permissions editor for J.B. Lippincott Company Publishers] (1976) - Correspondence

Dugan, Alan (1961) - Correspondence

Dunning, Jennifer [journalist from the *New York Times*] (1985)

Dunrea, Olivier [illustrator] (1983)

Duteil, M. Henri-J. [Editions Henri Bonne] (1951-1953) - Correspondence

Eastman, Hope [Assistant Director of the American Civil Liberties Union] (1970) -  
Correspondence

Eberhart, Richard "Dick" [American poet; winner of a Bollingen Prize, Pulitzer Prize, and  
National Book Award; English Department at Dartmouth College and Wheaton College]  
(1954-1970) - Correspondence

Edison, Robert Wiles (1958) - Correspondence

Edwards, A. C. [Holt, Rinehart and Winston, Inc. Publishers] (1969) - Correspondence

Edwards, Charlotte (1963) - Correspondence

Egan, Rory B. [Classics Department at the University of Southern California] (1976) -  
Correspondence

Einhorn, Nathan R. [Chief of the Exchange and Gift Division of the Library of Congress] (1970) -  
Correspondence

Eisen, Ezra M. [New American Library] (1971) - Correspondence

Eisenberger, Agnes (1950) - Correspondence

Eldridge, James A. [Legislative Assistant for the Congress of the United States] (1964) -  
Correspondence

Elkin, Alex & Maria (1969) - Correspondence

Eller, William [professor at the State University of New York at Buffalo] (1978) - Correspondence

Elliott, Mrs. Thomas (1961) - Correspondence

Ellmore, George S. [journalist from the *Journal of Arboriculture*] (1984)

Ellsworth, Jennifer (1976) - Correspondence

Ephalele, Ezekiel [English professor at the University of Denver] (1970) - Correspondence

Epstein, Joseph [editor of *The American Scholar*] (1978) - Correspondence

Epstein, Seymour [Bread Loaf Writers' Conference staff] (1967) - Correspondence

Epstein, Stanley [student with John Ciardi at the University of Michigan; Bread Loaf Writers'  
Conference] (1972-1985) - Correspondence

Erwin, Robert [Managing editor of Northwestern University Press] (1962) - Correspondence

Etter, David [Geneva, IL; donator to the Bread Loaf Writers' Conference Endowment Fund]  
(1969) - Correspondence

Etting, Emlen [illustrator from *Ecclesiastes*]

Eutaxy, Jack [J&J Hanrahan A.B.A.A.] (1979) - Correspondence

Evans, Henry C.J. [Associate Director of Admissions at Rutgers University] (1959) -  
Correspondence

Evans, Mary E. [Associate editor of *Medical Economics, Inc.*] (1950) - Correspondence

Everson, Ronald (1958) - Correspondence

Facos, James (1974) - Correspondence

Fadiman, Clifton "Kip" (1964-1968) - Correspondence

Fantoni, Maria Alessandra [Italian writing student of John Ciardi] (1964) - Correspondence

Farrar, John [Farrar, Straus and Company, Inc.] (1949-1959) - Correspondence

Fatt, Marjorie J. [Assistant editor of *Good Housekeeping*] (1959) - Correspondence

Feinberg, Charles E. [Argo Oil Corporation, Detroit, MI; collaborator with John Ciardi on *In Flagrante Libido*] (1952-1988) - Correspondence

Feldman, Linda Sharon (1964) - Correspondence

Fergusson, Francis [assistant translator for *Three Lectures* by Dante Alighieri] (1959-1965) - Correspondence

Ferlinghetti, Laurence [City Lights Book in San Francisco, CA; went to trial over his involvement in the distribution of an obscene work titled *Howl and Other Poems*] (1957) - Correspondence

Ferraria, Luigi [Vice Consulate of Italy in Newark, NJ] (1957) - Correspondence

Ferraris, Luigi Vittorio (1956) - Correspondence

Ferril, Thomas Hornsby [poet that earned praise from John Ciardi] (1976-1985) - Correspondence

Field, Carolyn W. [Coordinator for Work with Children at the Free Library of Philadelphia] (1959) - Correspondence

Filan, Barbara [secretary of the Language Schools at Middlebury College] (1959) - Correspondence

Fink, Sandro (1955) - Correspondence

Finnin, Betty [Fiction editor for *Woman's Day Magazine*] (1956) - Correspondence

Fischer, Grada [Maryland Library Association; Program Corporation of America] (1984-1985) - Correspondence

Fischer, John "Jack" [*Harper's Magazine*] (1955) - Correspondence

Fitts, Dudley [teacher and translator of classics at Phillips Academy in Andover; critic for the *New York Times*] (1949-1964) - Correspondence

Fitz, Jane T. [Yakima Town Hall] (1976) - Correspondence

Fitzpatrick, Patricia (1959) - Correspondence

Fixx, James F. [Feature editor of the *Saturday Review*] (1960) - Correspondence

Florit, E. [Barnard College] (1958) - Correspondence

Foreman, Clark [Director of the Emergency Civil Liberties Committee] (1954) - Correspondence

Foster, Jeanne R. (1959) - Correspondence

Francis, Robert (1956) - Correspondence

Franklin, Doris [University of Minnesota Press] (1955) - Correspondence

Frasconi, Antonio (1959) - Correspondence

Fredland, Mark C. (1979) - Correspondence

Fredland, Roger [journalist from *Bates Alumnus Magazine*] (1940-1976) - Correspondence

Freedman, Stanley M. [president of the Graphics Division of Litton Industries] (1976-1978) - Correspondence

Freeman, Dan (1967)

Freeman, Stephen A. [Dean/Vice-President of Middlebury College] (1955-1969) - Correspondence

French, J. Milton [English professor and Chairman of the English Department at Rutgers University] (1953-1959) - Correspondence

Friar, Kimon [editor of the *Charioteer*] (1939-1967) - Correspondence

Friedman, Joseph J. [*Venture Publications, Inc.*] (1958-1959) - Correspondence

Frost, Frances [author of *This Rowdy Heart*; panned by John Ciardi] (1954)

Frost, Robert [poet] (1954-1987) - Correspondence

Fruchter, Norm (1962-1963) - Correspondence

Frumkin, Paul [producer of the "Kup's Show"] (1971) - Correspondence

Fuller, John G. [MacDowell Colony; Best Books in Paperback] (1961-1971) - Correspondence

Furnish, Ben [BkMk Press] (1989)

Galassi, Jonathan [Houghton Mifflin Company] (1974) - Correspondence

Galbraith, Nancy [Special assistant in Poetry for the Library of Congress] (1972) - Correspondence

Gallagher, Gil [New York restaurant manager and member of the Chautauqua opera company] (1950-1988) - Correspondence

Galvin, Dallas C. [Executive Director of the Translation Center] (1978) - Correspondence

Gardner, Donald E. [comptroller of Madison College] (1975) - Correspondence

Garrett, George Palmer [distinguished poet and novelist; close friend of John Ciardi; English professor at University of Virginia; critic for the *Chicago Tribune*] (1952-1985) - Correspondence

Gaver, Becky [illustrator for *Fast & Slow*] (1974-1977) - Correspondence

Gay, Robert M. (1959) - Correspondence

Geffen, Felicia [Assistant to the President of The American Academy of Arts and Letters] (1956) - Correspondence

Gehman, Richard [Beverly Wilshire & Cosmopolitan; American Express] (1958-1959) - Correspondence

Geismar Maxwell [journalist from the *Saturday Review*] (1954)

Gelatt, Roland [*Saturday Review*] (1950) - Correspondence

Geoff, Cornelia (1961) - Correspondence

Gertz, Sylvia (1973) - Correspondence

Ghiselin, Brewster [Director of the University of Utah Writers' Conference] (1952) - Correspondence

Gibson, Christine M. [Harvard University] (1950) - Correspondence

Gibson, Walker [New York University] (1959-1961) - Correspondence

Gillespie, Mita [author of "A Pearl of Great Value" manuscript]

Ginsberg, Ramon Angel [Instituto Ginsberg de Estudios Ibericos] (1950) - Correspondence

Giordano, Fedora [professor, poet, and journalist from *Rivista di Studi Anglo-Americani*] (1984-1986) - Correspondence

Gioseffi, Daniela [poet who sent poems to John Ciardi for comment and conversation] (1985) - Correspondence

Gjevre, Alden H. (1979) - Correspondence

Glaser, Bernie (1975)

Glass, Don (1979) - Correspondence

Glass, Patricia M. [Sarasota, FL] (1965) - Correspondence

Glaze, Andrew L. [Bread Loaf Writers' Conference] (1969) - Correspondence

Glendening, Owen [curator of the New Harmony State Historic Site]

Gold, Don [Assistant editor for *Playboy*] (1960) - Correspondence

Gold, Horace (1952) - Correspondence

Goldberg, Maxwell H. [professor and Director of the College English Association Institute at the University of Massachusetts] (1952-1959) - Correspondence

Goldberg, Shirley (1952) - Correspondence

Goldstein, Steven [Temple University] (1965) - Correspondence

Goodheart, Eugene [Chairman of the English Department at Boston University] (1978) - Correspondence

Goodell, Charles (1970) - Correspondence

Goodman, Richard T. (1954) - Correspondence

Goodwin, Matthew [English Department at Tufts University] (1972) - Correspondence

Gordon, Elizabeth [Harper & Row Junior Books Group] (1983-1984) - Correspondence

Gorey, Edward [illustrator for *You Read to Me, I'll Read to You, You Know Who, The King Who Saved Himself from Being Saved, and Someone Could Win a Polar Bear*] (1962-1970)

Gould, Danny (1962) - Correspondence

Graham, Matthew [poet and English professor at the University of Southern Indiana] (1986-1989) - Correspondence

Grant, Annette [editor of the Living Section of the *New York Times*] (1978) - Correspondence

Graves, Ralph [journalist for the *Smithsonian Magazine*] (1982)

Gray, Lyle [Northern Kentucky University] (1985) - Correspondence

Green, R.H. [doctor/Chairman of the English Department of the University of Florida] (1973) - Correspondence

Greenburg, Edith R. [Indiana University Press] (1953) - Correspondence

Greene, Gerta (1966) - Correspondence

Greene, Joseph I. [Colonel, infantry, retired editor for the Association of the United States Army] (1951) - Correspondence

Gregory, Horace [Bollingen prize-winning poet, translator, critic, and professor] (1956-1957) - Correspondence

Greim, Keith [Account executive for Program Corporation of America] (1985) - Correspondence

Gress-Wright, Elsa (1961) - Correspondence

Griffin, Arthur [specialist in color photography] (1979) - Correspondence

Groomes, Ronald M. [Assistant Superintendent of Rahway State Prison] (1973) - Correspondence

Grosbeck, Amy (1959) - Correspondence

Gross, Mason W. [Provost; President of Rutgers University] (1956-1959) - Correspondence

Guerard, Albert J. [English Department at Stanford University] (1963) - Correspondence

Gunn, Rex [San Bernardino Valley College] (1965) - Correspondence

Gunn, Thomson [American poet] (1968)

Guthrie Jr., Arlo B. "Bud" (1955-1957) - Correspondence

Gwynn, Frederick L. [*College English*, an official organ of The National Council of Teachers of English] (1956) - Correspondence

Habekost, Aurelia [Associate editor of The Macmillan Company] (1962) - Correspondence

Hadgis, Diana [College Department at Houghton Mifflin Company] (1958) - Correspondence

Hadley, Gilliam [fables]

Hagemann, Philip [musician that collaborated with John Ciardi] (1976-1989) - Correspondence

Hailman, Jack P. [professor of Zoology at the University of Wisconsin] (1979) - Correspondence

Haji, A. Razak (1955) - Correspondence

Hale, Nancy (1957-1960) - Correspondence

Hall, Donald [English Department at the University of Michigan; poet and perhaps John Ciardi's finest writing student at Harvard University in the late 1940s and had asked Ciardi for help locating a teaching position] (1955-1975) - Correspondence

Hall, James [English Department at Cornell University] (1946) - Correspondence

Hamilton, Horace E. [English professor at Rutgers University; wrote *The Dry Scratch of Laurel*] (1952-1953) - Correspondence

Hamilton, V.E. [Coastline Community College] (1977) - Correspondence

Hang, Fran & Curt (1978) - Correspondence

Hanlon, Frank [journalist from the *Bulletin* in Philadelphia, PA] (1947)

Hansen, Arlen [journalist from *Monitor Magazine*] (1964)

Hanson, Harold P. [Provost of Boston University] (1978) - Correspondence

Harding, June (1950) - Correspondence

Hargis, Billy James [journalist from *Christian Crusade Weekly* in Tulsa, OK] (1970)

Harmon, Mary K. [Houghton Mifflin Company] (1974) - Correspondence

Harper, Robert A. "Bob" [Columbia Medical Building in Washington, D.C.] (1954) -  
Correspondence

Harrington, Evans [University of Mississippi] (1972) - Correspondence

Harris, Mark [author and journalist] (1962-1964) - Correspondence

Hart, Dr. Edward L. [introduced John Ciardi's speech titled "What Good Is A Poem?"] (1963)

Hartigan, Grace (1979) - Correspondence

Hartnett, Kenneth [journalist for *Perth Amboy Evening News*] (1958)

Hartwig, John George [President of Eugene Field Society] (1940) - Correspondence

Harvey, Lieutenant (1963) - Correspondence

Harvey, Robert C. [Convention Director of the National Council of Teachers of English] (1982) -  
Correspondence

Haskins, Lola (1979) - Correspondence

Hassinger, Jane (1964) - Correspondence

Hathaway, Baxter [Cornell University] (1947) - Correspondence

Haug, Curtis W. [Director of Chautauqua Institute] (1964) - Correspondence

Haviaras, Stratis [curator of the Poetry Room at Harvard College Library] (1995) -  
Correspondence

Hawkes, John (1963) - Correspondence

Hawthorne, Mark D. [Head of the English Department at Madison College] (1975) -  
Correspondence

Hay, Sara Henderson (1958) - Correspondence

Hayden, Robert [University of Michigan; Poetry editor of the *World Order Magazine*] (1970-  
1971) - Correspondence

Haydn, Hiram [The American Scholar] (1960) - Correspondence

Hayford, Harrison M. [English Department at the Northwestern University] (1953) -  
Correspondence

Haynie, Flo [Bayside High School] (1978) - Correspondence

Hazo, Samuel [professor of International Poetry Forum] (1968-1986) - Correspondence

Hebald, Cecille "Cele" [wife of Milton Hebald] (1956-1976) - Correspondence

Hebald, Milton [sculptor in Rome; met the Ciardis when John Ciardi was at the American  
Academy of Rome, 1956-1957; illustrator for *An Alphabestiary* by John Ciardi] (1956-  
1976) - Correspondence

Hedley, Leslie Woolf [Inferno Press] (1956) - Correspondence

Heffelfinger, Mrs. Arthur [Lee's Summit, MO] - Correspondence

Heffner, Hubert [collaborated on *Part Three of An Introduction to Literature*] (1959)

Heffner, Richard D. [Director of Programs for Metropolitan Educational Television Association]  
(1958-1959) - Correspondence

Hegarty, Kathleen B. [Staff officer for Programs at the Boston Public Library] (1979) -  
Correspondence

Helmstadter, David R. [editor of Houghton Mifflin Company] (1973) - Correspondence

Hempstone, Smith [Associated Press journalist; Associate editor of the *Washington Star*] (1971)

Henderickson, Robert [author of *Animal Crackers*]

Hendl, Walter [Chautauqua, NY] (1973) - Correspondence

Hentoff, Nat [plaintiff in House Internal Security Committee case with Richard H. Ichord] (1970)

Hercules, Frank [author; Bread Loaf Writers' Conference faculty member] (1962)

Herge, Henry [Dean of the School of Education at Rutgers University] (1959-1960) -  
Correspondence

Herrmann, Dorothy [author of *Anne Morrow Lindbergh: A Gift Of Life*] (1992)

Herschberger, Ruth (1961) - Correspondence

Hersey, John [treasurer of the Windsor Village Association] (1978-1983) - Correspondence

Herst Jr., Herman [Shrub Oak, NY]

Hetzel, Frederick A. [Director of the University of Pittsburgh Press] (1975) - Correspondence

Heyen, William [Athens, OH] (1962) - Correspondence

Hicks, John [Stetson University] (1952) - Correspondence

Hicks, Weimer K. [President of Kalamazoo College] (1964) - Correspondence

Hilberry, Clarence [President of Wayne State University] (1964) - Correspondence

Hillyer, Robert [professor at Kenyon College] (1950) - Correspondence

Hindman, Ruth [Hebrew Union College] (1972) - Correspondence

Hitchen, Herbert [minister of the First Unitarian Church in Buffalo, NY] (1950-1952) -  
Correspondence

Hoagland, Ted (1960-1962) - Correspondence

Hobbs, Arthur E. [Acorn Press Inc.] (1973) - Correspondence

Hodge, Frederick Webb [editor of *Handbook of American Indians North of Mexico*] (1959)

Hoffman, Daniel G. [Columbia University; Associate professor for the English Literature  
Department at Swarthmore College] (1954-1960) - Correspondence

Hoffman, M. Gale (1967) - Correspondence

Hohoff, Tay [J.B. Lippincott Company] (1965) - Correspondence

Holben, Sarah W. [donator to the Bread Loaf Writers' Conference Endowment Fund] (1971) -  
Correspondence

Holbrook, Stewart H. (1960) - Correspondence

Holden Jr., William C. [Weeks & Co.] (1954) - Correspondence

Holden (Yeomans), Barbara B. (1972-1976) - Correspondence

Holmes, John [American poet; Poetry professor at Tufts University; John Ciardi's teacher,  
friend, and mentor] (1938-1966) - Correspondence

Holmes (Eyges), Doris K. [wife/widow of John Holmes] (1962-1978) - Correspondence

Holton, Kevin J. [Metuchen Chiropractic Center, P.A.] (1981) - Correspondence

Hood, Henry C. (1969) - Correspondence

Hopper, Paul [Instructor of German & Humanities at Pennsylvania State University] (1976) - Correspondence

Hotchkiss Jr., C. [donator to the Bread Loaf Writers' Conference Endowment Fund] (1971) - Correspondence

Hough, Frances Downer [editor of *The Greccourt Review* at Smith College] (1958-1969) - Correspondence

Hough, Henry W. "Harry" [*The Denver Post*] (1971-1972) - Correspondence

Hough, Polly D. [*The Greccourt Review* at Smith College] (1958-1959) - Correspondence

Houghton, Arthur A. (1953) - Correspondence

Houtrides, Jim [producer of Sunday Morning CBS News] (1989) - Correspondence

Howes, Barbara [poet] (1969)

Howorth, H. Philip (1957) - Correspondence

Hoyt, Miss (1956) - Correspondence

Hubbell, Lindley Williams [American poet] (1946)

Huff, Robert "Bob" (1964) – Correspondence

Humez, Alexander & Nicholas [authors of *Alpha to Omega: The Life & Time of the Greek Alphabet*]

Humphries, Rolfe [Ballantine Books Inc.; translator of *The Gypsy Ballads of Garcia Lorca*] (1952) - Correspondence

Hunt, Kellogg W. [journalist from the *English Journal*] (1961)

Hunter, Evan [Executive editor of Scott Meredith Literary Agency] (1953) - Correspondence

Hurdidge, Jean [secretary to Executive Editor of Collier Books] (1969) - Correspondence

Hutchens, John K. [journalist from the *New York Herald Tribune Book Review*] (1950)

Hutter, Don [Charles Scribner's Sons Publishers] (1958) - Correspondence

Ichord, Richard H. [House Internal Security Committee] (1970) - Correspondence

Ignatan, David [*The Chelsea Review*] (1960) - Correspondence

Igo Jr., John N. [San Antonio, TX] (1982) - Correspondence

Ingraham, Vernon (1950) - Correspondence

Inman, Robert (1963) - Correspondence

Iodice, Ruth G. [editor of *Blue Unicorn*] (1977) - Correspondence

Irvine, Maurice [critic for the *New York Times*] (1949)

Jacobsen, Josephine [consultant in poetry for The Gertrude Clarke Whittall Poetry and Literature Fund literary program with John Ciardi] (1972) - Correspondence

Jacobssen, Josephine (1942) - Correspondence

Jaffe, Dan [John Ciardi's writing student at Rutgers University; poet and professor at the University of Nebraska and the University of Missouri-Kansas City; fellow of the Bread Loaf Writers' Conference] (1954-1984) - Correspondence

Jaffe, Marc [Associate Director of New American Library] (1953-1955) - Correspondence

Jaffe, S. Herbert (1970) - Correspondence

Janaro, Richard Paul [Hollywood, FL] (1972) - Correspondence

Jankowski, Jill [Delta College University Center, MI] (1972) - Correspondence

Jarrell, Mary (1969-1978) - Correspondence

Jarrell, Randall [Women's College of the University of North Carolina] (1949) - Correspondence

Javits, Jacob [U.S. Senate] (1970) - Correspondence

Jay, John [Executive Director for Alaska Festival of Music] (1975) – Correspondence

Jeffers, Robinson [poetry award winner from the Academy of American Poets] (1958)

Jeppson, Janet (1971) - Correspondence

Jerome, Judson [Yellow Springs, OH; Antioch College; poet and long-time poetry columnist for *Writer's Digest* Magazine; editor of the *Poet's Market*] (1958-1985) - Correspondence

Johnson, Ben (1960) - Correspondence

Johnson, Ginny (1968) - Correspondence

Johnson, Lyndon B. [American president] (1968)

Johnson, P.M., Col. (Ret.) & Mrs. [Portland, ME] (1959) - Correspondence

Johnson, Thomas H. (1956-1960) - Correspondence

Johnson, W.E. [Vice-President of American Excelsior Company] (1976) - Correspondence

Jones, Frank N. [*Diogenes: A Literary Bi-Monthly*; Peabody Institute Library] (1940-1958) - Correspondence

Jones, Howard Mumford [author of *A Letter to Hitler*] (1938-1950) - Correspondence

Jones, Lewis Webster [President of Rutgers University] (1955) - Correspondence

Jordan-Smith, Paul [critic for the *Los Angeles Times*] (1949)

Joseph, Mrs. George P. [*Saturday Review* reader from Allentown, PA] (1964) - Correspondence

Josselson, Jennifer Dodge [Print Department of Christie, Manson & Woods International Inc.] (1984) - Correspondence

Joyce Jr., Walter J. [Vice-President and Promotion Director for *Psychology Today*] (1970) - Correspondence

Kachadoorian, Irma (Cavat) & Zubel [painters of considerable achievement; met the Ciardis when John Ciardi was at the Academy in Rome, 1956-1957] (1957-1964) - Correspondence

Kahle, Roger [journalist from *This Day* Magazine] (1969)

Kahn, Dina Hope (1960) - Correspondence

Kahn, Reuben L. [Dina H. Kahn Memorial Fund at the Bread Loaf Writers' Conference; professor emeritus of Serology and research consultant in Dermatology at the University

of Michigan Hospital; Department of English Literature at the University of Michigan] (1958-1972) - Correspondence

Kaim, Lydia [American Academy of Arts and Letters] (1977) - Correspondence

Kale, Peter [journalist from the *Winnipeg Free Press*] (1965)

Kalenin, George [National Sales Director for Harry Walker, Inc. in NY] (1975-1976) - Correspondence

Kalstone, David [journalist; English professor at Rutgers University] (1972) - Correspondence

Karlen, Arno [attendee of the Bread Loaf Writers' Conference] (1969)

Kasle, Gertrude [close personal friend of John Ciardi from Metuchen] (1963-1986) - Correspondence

Kasle, Leonard [husband of Gertrude Kasle; friend of John Ciardi; American Cultural Association, Inc.] (1961-1986) - Correspondence

Kasle, Mercy & Stephen (1976) - Correspondence

Kaufman, Bel (1976) - Correspondence

Kearns, Jim (1967) - Correspondence

Keats, Ezra Jack [American writer and illustrator of children's books] (1977) - Correspondence

Keith, Joseph Joel [critic from *Press-Telegram* in Long Beach, CA] (1949)

Kellerman, Don [CBS News / director of Cultural Programs for the National Education Television] (1962-1964) - Correspondence

Kelly, Bill [Subscriber Correspondence for Blue Cross Blue Shield] (1978) - Correspondence

Kelly, J.J. [Assessor of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Department of Corporation and Taxation] (1953-1954) - Correspondence

Kemner, Gerald [Conservatory of Music at the University of Missouri-Kansas City; he set some Ciardi poems to music] (1976-1977) - Correspondence

Kennedy, Joe [*Coutner/Measures*, A Magazine of Rime, Meter and Song] (1971-1979) - Correspondence

Kenney, Theresa A. [Ogdensburg Free Academy] (1958) - Correspondence

Kenseth, Arnold Martinius [Flying Moose Lodge, East Orland, ME / Harvard University] (1935-1941) - Correspondence

Keppel, John [Security Storage Company] (1958) - Correspondence

Kerrigan, James (1950) - Correspondence

Kessler, Edward [former student of John Ciardi at Rutgers University and earlier at Bread Loaf Writers' Conference] (1960-1979) - Correspondence

Kessler, Jascha [Santa Monica, CA] (1972) - Correspondence

Kessler, Milton [Bread Loaf Writers' Conference faculty member] (1962)

Kiernan, Edith [secretary to John Ciardi at the *Saturday Review*] (1957-1958) - Correspondence

Kindred, Wendy [donator to the Bread Loaf Writers' Conference Endowment Fund] (1971) - Correspondence

Kingston, Rodger [Somerville, MA / poetry scholarship from Bread Loaf Writers' Conference] (1969) - Correspondence

Kirk, Rudolf [English professor at the Rutgers University] (1954) - Correspondence

Kirkpatrick, C.C. [U.S. Naval Academy Superintendent] (1963) - Correspondence

Kirkpatrick, Smith [English Department of the University of Florida] (1972) - Correspondence

Kirschenbaum, Blossom [Providence, RI] (1972) - Correspondence

Kirton, John (1969) - Correspondence

Kisling, Jack [journalist from *The Denver Post*] (1985)

Klausner, Randi [Miquon School in Miquon, PA] (1965) - Correspondence

Klebingat, Fred K. [Captain] (1962) - Correspondence

Klein, Arthur Luce [President of Spoken Arts, Inc.] (1961-1978) - Correspondence

Klompus, Irving [doctor; neighbors of the Ciardis in Metuchen; Irving became staff physician at Bread Loaf; moved to San Francisco in 1969] (1969-1984) - Correspondence

Klompus, Ruth [neighbors of the Ciardis in Metuchen; moved to San Francisco in 1969] (1971-1984) - Correspondence

Kloss, Robert [Director of the Second Annual Writers' Conference for William Paterson College of NJ] (1976) - Correspondence

Knott, John R. [English Department Chairman and professor at the University of Michigan] (1985) - Correspondence

Knowlton, Perry [Curtis Brown, Ltd.] (1969) - Correspondence

Koch, Kenneth (1961) - Correspondence

Kreymborg, Alfred (1949-1950) - Correspondence

Krickel, Edward [English professor at the University of Georgia; wrote the John Ciardi volume in Twayne's *United States Authors Series*] (1979-1991) - Correspondence

Kroll, Ernest (1957-1965) - Correspondence

Kroupa, Melanie [editor of the Children's Book Department at Houghton Mifflin Company] (1977) - Correspondence

Kumin, Maxine [Bread Loaf Writers' Conference staff] (1969-1972) - Correspondence

Kunitz, Stanley [friend of John Ciardi] (1955-1967) - Correspondence

LaFlamme, Gladys [editor of *Patterns Magazine*] (1959) - Correspondence

Lagier, Gary [editor of *Impact: An International Quarterly of Contemporary Poetry*] (1978) - Correspondence

Lague, Louise [journalist for *Star-News*] (1973)

Lamar, Paul [Allston, MA] (1972) - Correspondence

Lambert, Bruce E. [District Director of the Internal Revenue Service] (1954) - Correspondence

Lamont, Corliss [invited John Ciardi to speak at a meeting of the Emergency Civil Liberties Committee] (1962) - Correspondence

Lancaster, Bruce (1956) - Correspondence

Land, Robert H. [Acting Chief of General Reference and Bibliography Division at the Library of Congress] (1960) - Correspondence

Langland, Joseph (1962) - Correspondence

Lannan, J. Patrick [entrepreneur] (1959)

Larkin, Grace [Director of Dansville Public Library] (1972) - Correspondence

Lask, Thomas [journalist from the *New York Times*] (1956)

Lattimore, Richmond [journalist from *The Nation*; Bryn Mawr College] (1954-1957) - Correspondence

Laughlin, James [*New Directions* in Norfolk, CT] (1961) - Correspondence

Laurito, George (1974) - Correspondence

Lax, David [artist] (1977) - Correspondence

Lea, George (1961) - Correspondence

Lebrun, Constance [wife of Rico Lebrun] (1963-1965) - Correspondence

LeBrun, Melville [Silvan Simone Gallery in LA]

Lebrun, Rico [illustrator for *Dante's Inferno*] (1954-1965) - Correspondence

Lederer, William J. "Bill" (1973) - Correspondence

Lehman, William [Chairman of Dade County School Board] (1972) - Correspondence

Lehmann, John [John Lehmann Ltd. Publishers] (1951-1952) - Correspondence

Leiber, Fritz (1954) - Correspondence

Leiper, Maria [Simon and Schuster, Inc. Publishers in NY] (1946) - Correspondence

Leo, Joseph P. [Chapter President for Tau Kappa Alpha (Forensic Honor Society)] (1959) - Correspondence

Leotti, Elaine J. [West Haven, CT] (1972) - Correspondence

LeVan, Amy (1958) - Correspondence

Leveroni, Edna M. [Circulation Department at *The Atlantic Monthly Press*] (1965) - Correspondence

Levin, David [contributor to *Handbook of English*] (1952-1955) - Correspondence

Levin, Ed [Champaign, IL] (1947) - Correspondence

Levin, Harry [professor at Harvard University] (1949) - Correspondence

Levine, Rosalind (1956-1959) - Correspondence

Levis, Larry [poet] (1975)

Lewis, Dr. Richard P. [Medicine Department at Peter Bent Bingham Hospital, MA] (1962) - Correspondence

Liberatore, E.K. [journalist from *American Helicopter Magazine*] (1955-1977) - Correspondence

Limson, Vicente D. [Manila, PHI]

Lindbergh, Anne Morrow [author of *The Unicorn and Other Poems*; poetry criticized by John Ciardi in the *Saturday Review*] (1957-1992)

Lindeman, Edward [pen name: Mr. Barth] (1954) - Correspondence

Lindley, Frances [Harper & Row Publishers, Inc.] (1976-1982) - Correspondence

Linenthal, Mark [Assistant Director of the Poetry Center at San Francisco State College] (1961)  
-Correspondence

Lingenfelter, L.S. [head of the English Department at the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  
Department of Public Instruction at Millersville State College] (1962-1973) -  
Correspondence

Linnaei, Caroli [author of *Systema Naturae per Regna Tria Naturae Secundum Classes,  
Ordines, Genera, Species, cum Characteribus, Differentiis, Synonymis, Locis, Tomus I*]  
(1978)

Linville, James H. [journalist from *Mount Vernon Democrat*] (1986)

Lipchitz, Mr. (1960-1961) - Correspondence

Lippincott Jr., Joseph W. [J.B. Lippincott Company] (1963) - Correspondence

Lipscomb, Thomas H. [President of Mason & Lipscomb Publishers] (1973-1974) -  
Correspondence

Lipton, Lawrence (1956) - Correspondence

Logan, John [editor of *Chicago Choice*; University of Notre Dame] (1954-1960) -  
Correspondence

Looker, Jack B. (1961) - Correspondence

Lorch, Else B. [permissions editor for *New Directions*] (1969) - Correspondence

Lorenzo, Russo (1971) - Correspondence

Lorraine, Walter [Director of Children's Trade Books for Houghton Mifflin Company] (1984-1985)  
- Correspondence

Lott, Vestal [*Voice of America* (radio station)] (1952) - Correspondence

Love, Harold O. [Detroit, MI] (1962) - Correspondence

Love, Mrs. Bolton J. [Orlean, VA] (1972) - Correspondence

Lovett, Charles C. & Stephanie B. [authors of *John Ciardi: A Descriptive Bibliography*] (1987)

Lovill, Jeff [Arizona State University doctoral candidate; wrote a doctoral dissertation on John  
Ciardi] (1984-1985) - Correspondence

Lowell, Robert [poet] (1949) - Correspondence

Lowenstein, H.M. (1970) - Correspondence

Lublin, Abe [Kanthos Press] (1966) - Correspondence

Lusk, Robert C. [Automobile Manufacturers Association in Detroit, MI] (1959)

Lydon, Patricia A. [Assistant Dean and Director of Admissions of the Law School of Harvard  
University] (1977) - Correspondence

Lynes, Russell [*Harper's Magazine*] (1952-1960) - Correspondence

Lynn, D.Y. Robert [President of The Rahway Forum, Inc.] (1979) - Correspondence

Lynn, Robert [Vice President for Administration for Oklahoma Baptist University] (1973) - Correspondence

Lyon, Carrie Ward [writer] (1950) - Correspondence

Mabbott, Thomas [professor at Hunter College] (1950) - Correspondence

MacAllister, A.T. [associate professor of Italian at Princeton University] (1953) - Correspondence

MacBride, Doris [California State University] (1972) - Correspondence

Macdonald, Dwight (1973) - Correspondence

MacGillivray, Arthur [Reverend from Boston College] (1958-1976) - Correspondence

MacIntosh, Walter & June [buyers of the Ciardi house in Bridgewater, NJ] (1955) - Correspondence

Mackenzie, Donald M. [President of Park College] (1972) - Correspondence

MacKenzie, Rachel (1956) - Correspondence

MacLeish, Archibald [American poet; Library of Congress; author of *This Music Crept By Me Upon The Waters*] (1949-1982) - Correspondence

MacShane, Frank [Writing Division of Columbia University] (1977) - Correspondence

Magner, Mr. (1955) - Correspondence

Mainelli, John [Mainelli Construction Co.] (1953) - Correspondence

Maiolo, Joseph [novelist and English professor at the University of Minnesota] (1978-1979) - Correspondence

Mairs, James L. [Vice-President and senior editor of W.W. Norton & Company Inc.] (1979) - Correspondence

Malamud, Bern [Bennington College] (1963) - Correspondence

Malott, E.O. [Vice President for Program at the American Management Association, Inc.] (1967) - Correspondence

Mankiewicz, Frank [National Public Radio] (1979) - Correspondence

Marcus, Stanley [Neiman-Marcus] (1962) - Correspondence

Marinoni, Rosa Zagnoni [poet laureate of Arkansas] (1957) - Correspondence

Marsh, Robert [University of Kansas City] (1951) - Correspondence

Marshall, John [Rockefeller Foundation] (1958) - Correspondence

Martin, Edward A. "Sandy" [English Professor at Middlebury College; Assistant Director of the Bread Loaf Writers' Conference, 1965-1971] (1964-1972) - Correspondence

Martin, Frederick R. [*New Directions* Publishing Corporation] (1976) - Correspondence

Martin, J. Burke [*Saturday Review* reader from *The London Free Press*] (1964) - Correspondence

Martin, James R. [executive editor of Prometheus Books] (1973) - Correspondence

Martin Jr., William I. [School Department at Holt, Rinehart and Winston, Inc. Publishers] (1962) - Correspondence

Martz, William J. "Bill" [professor of Ripon College, WI] (1965-1966) - Correspondence

Mason, Julian [English Department at the University of North Carolina] (1960-1977) - Correspondence

Masters, Marcia Lee (1967) - Correspondence

Mataloni, Pietro (1958) - Correspondence

Matchett, William H. "Bill" (1960-1962) - Correspondence

Matthews, Joseph Chesley [assistant translator for *Three Lectures* by Dante Alighieri] (1965)

Matthiessen, Francis Otto [History & Literature professor at Harvard University; committed suicide] (1950)

Mattingly, Garrett [professor] (1952) - Correspondence

Mayo, Edward L. [poet and professor; winner of the American Book Award; Drake University, IA; contributor to *Mid-Century American Poets*; author of *The Sad Photographer*] (1947-1969) - Correspondence

Mayson, Joseph [assistant professor of English at Floyd Junior College] (1977) - Correspondence

McAllester, Susan [editorial associate for *College English*] (1973) - Correspondence

McBain, Roger [journalist from *The Evansville Press*] (1986)

McBane, M. Patricia [Harcourt, Brace & World, Inc. Publishers] (1962)

McCall, Monica [Monica McCall, Inc.] (1969) - Correspondence

McCarthy, Coleman [journalist from *The Washington Post*] (1986)

McCarthy, Francis [Phillips Academy] (1950) - Correspondence

McCloskey Jr., William B. (1963) - Correspondence

McComas, J. Francis [co-editor of *Fantasy and Science Fiction* and accepted a story of Ciardi's called "The Hypnograph" published under the pseudonym John Anthony] (1952-1953) - Correspondence

McCord, David (1956-1961) - Correspondence

McCullagh, Maureen [Macmillan Company] (1958) - Correspondence

McDade, Jean (1978) - Correspondence

McDaniel, Marcia [secretary to Marc Jaffe; New American Library] (1954) - Correspondence

McEldonney, Brooke [illustrator] (ca. 1977)

McFarland, Elizabeth [poetry editor of *Ladies' Home Journal*] (1958-1961) - Correspondence

McGrath, Thomas [poet] (1964) - Correspondence

McGuirt, Priscilla J. [The Franklin Library] (1974-1978) - Correspondence

McKelvie, C.L. [Director of Wesleyan University] (1961) - Correspondence

McKenna, John R. [librarian at Middlebury College] (1965-1969) - Correspondence

McKeown, Douglas [sketch artist; American filmmaker from Metuchen?]

McKiernan, George F. [Zanowic Agency] (1953) - Correspondence

McKinney, Linda L. [publicity manager of Indiana University Press] (1972) - Correspondence

McLellan, Vin [journalist from *The Phoenix*] (1970)

McMillan Jr., Hugh (1960) - Correspondence

McNamee, Maurice B. [Chairman of English Department at Saint Louis University] (1958) [1 letter]

McNeil, Don W. [Lexington, KY] (1958) - Correspondence

McNiff, Philip J. [Director of Boston Public Library] (1979) - Correspondence

McUsic, Teresa [journalist from the *Eastern Oklahoma Catholic*] (1984)

McWilliams, Carey [Editorial Director of *The Nation*] (1955-1976) - Correspondence

Mead, Leonard C. [secretary of the Trustees of Tufts University] (1964)

Meddaugh, Susan [illustrator for *The Hopeful Trout and Other Limericks*] (1989)

Meder Jr., Albert E. [Dean of Rutgers University] (1953-1954) - Correspondence

Meech, Sanford B. [Chairman of the English Department at Syracuse University] (1958) - Correspondence

Mennin, Peter (1977) - Correspondence

Mercer, Caroline G. [Chairman of the School and College Conference on English] (1953) - Correspondence

Mercier, Jean [journalist from *Publishers Weekly*]

Meredith, William "Bill" [poet; International Poetry Forum; Bread Loaf Writers' Conference staff; English professor at Connecticut College] (1957-1972) - Correspondence

Meredith, Scott [Scott Meredith Literary Agency] (1952-1953) - Correspondence

Merriam, Eve (1952-1953) - Correspondence

Merrill, Judy (1952) - Correspondence

Merzbacher, Eugen (1978) - Correspondence

Meyer, Gerard Previn [*Saturday Review*] (1947)

Miagorm, Frank (1950) - Correspondence

Mikolowski, Ken & Ann (1975) - Correspondence

Miles, Leland [Hanover College; W H A S Inc.] (1956-1960) - Correspondence

Miller, Merle (1956) - Correspondence

Miller, Robert (1979) - Correspondence

Mills, Clark [Voyages Press] (1958) - Correspondence

Minden, R. Doyle [Director of the Office of Public Relations for Drake University] (1967) - Correspondence

Missimer, Frederick W. [Assistant Director of Walt Whitman International Poetry Center] (1976) - Correspondence

Mlakar, Frank [editorial assistant of *Common Ground Magazine*] (1941) - Correspondence

Modena, Dario [Italian] (1979)

Mohr, Dick [International Book Finders Inc., Pacific Palisades, CA] (1970) - Correspondence

Mohrfeld, Ward [New American Library] (1971) - Correspondence

Moir, Alfred [professor of the Art Department at the University of California] (1964) - Correspondence

Moll, Karl R. [faculty sponsor for Tau Kappa Alpha (Forensic Honor Society)] (1959) - Correspondence

Moloney, Kathleen [book editor of the *Chicago Tribune*] (1976) - Correspondence

Moloney, Richard P. (1970) - Correspondence

Molony, Mary Moore [The American Scholar] (1955-1961) - Correspondence

Molton, Warren Lane [Reverend of Poquonnock Bridge Baptist Church in CT] (1957) - Correspondence

Monteleone, Vincent J. [Captain; author of *Slang of Underworld*] (1949)

Moore, Douglas [secretary of The American Academy of Arts and Letters] (1956) - Correspondence

Moore, Harry T. (1949) - Correspondence

Moore, Marianne [poet] (1949-1965)

Moore, Merrill [Boston psychiatrist and Twayne Publishers author of *Clinical Sonnets*] (1949-1953) - Correspondence

Moore, Richard "Dick" (1963) - Correspondence

Moorehead, William S. [Congressman who introduced the National Humanities Foundation Bill] (1964)

Morgan, Ted [author of *Literary Outlaw: The Life and Times of William S. Burroughs*] (1988)

Moriarty, Marilyn F. [Irvine, CA; recollections of John Ciardi] (1989) - Correspondence

Morressy, John [Troy, NH; donator to the Bread Loaf Writers' Conference Endowment Fund] (1969) - Correspondence

Morrison, Theodore [author of *Middlebury College Bread Loaf Writers' Conference: The First Thirty Years (1926-1955)*; contributor to *Handbook of English*; professor from Harvard University] (1946-1976) - Correspondence

Morse, Peter [*Saturday Review* reader from Santa Barbara, CA] (1964) - Correspondence

Morton, Charles W. [*The Atlantic Monthly* in Boston, MA] (1948) - Correspondence

Moss, Howard [*The New Yorker*] (1949-1970) - Correspondence

Mphahlele, Ezekiel [Bread Loaf Writers' Conference staff; English Department for the University of Denver] (1970) - Correspondence

Mulder, William [managing editor of the *Western Humanities Review*] (1952) - Correspondence

Mullins, W.E. [journalist from the *Boston Herald*] (1947)

Munson, Gorham [Hotel Wellington in NY] (1949-1956) - Correspondence

Murdock, Jeannette Nichols (1978) - Correspondence

Musa, Mark [studied Dante at Johns Hopkins and later published a translation of *The Divine Comedy*; Classics professor at Indiana University] (1959-1969) - Correspondence

Myers, Ken [National Public Radio] (1975) - Correspondence

Nabokov, Vera (1960) - Correspondence

Nacht, Merle [*New York Times Book Review*; illustrator for *Doodle Soup* and *Mummy Took Cooking Lessons and Other Poems*] (1985-1990)

Nagle, Mr. [Thomae Park, Bound Brook, NJ] (1953) - Correspondence

Nagler, Stephen M. [executive director for the American Civil Liberties Union of New Jersey] (1971) - Correspondence

Nappan, Edward [attorney from Boston, MA] (1952) - Correspondence

Natinsky, Steve (1979) - Correspondence

Neigoff, Anne (1971) - Correspondence

Nemerov, Howard [American poet; winner of the First Triennial Roethke Memorial Prize for *The Blue Swallows*; author of *New and Selected Poems*] (1960)

Nero, Nicholas J. [Assistant Vice-President of Commerce Trust Company, Kansas City, MO] (1953) - Correspondence

Newman, Walter [Sherman Oaks, CA; etymologist who shared information with John Ciardi for the third volume of the *Browser's Dictionaries*, which is dedicated to Walter Newman] (1983-1986) - Correspondence

Nichols, Eleanor [Editor-in-Chief of the Junior Book Division of McGraw-Hill Book Company; Bread Loaf Writers' Conference staff] (1971) - Correspondence

Nickels, Cameron [English Department at Madison College] (1976) - Correspondence

Nims, Bonnie [wife of John Frederick Nims] (1958-1971) - Correspondence

Nims, John Frederick [poet and professor; associate editor of *Poetry*, 1942-1949, editor 1978-1984; Bread Loaf Writers' Conference faculty member; wrote essay titled *John Ciardi: The Many Lives of Poetry*; wrote *Harper Anthology of Poetry*; English professor at the University of Notre Dame and the University of Illinois] (1947-1986) - Correspondence

Nobuko, Ibuki (1958-1959) - Correspondence

Nordness, Lee [Lee Nordness Galleries] (1971) - Correspondence

Norse, Harold (1956-1957) - Correspondence

Norton, Christopher [Chautauqua] (1985)

Notini, Sylvia [author of "John Ciardi's Translation of the Divine Comedy" from *Atti del Settimo Convegno Nazionale: Italy and Italians in America*] (1983-1985)

Novak, Amram [Metropolitan Educational Television Association] (1958) - Correspondence

Nunan, William J. [Superintendent of Metuchen Public Schools] (1963)

Oates, Joyce Carol [English Department at the University of Windsor] (1969) - Correspondence

Ober, Frank B. [attorney at Ober, Williams, Grimes & Stinson in Baltimore, MD who claimed publicly that John Ciardi gave "aid and comfort" to communism] (1949) - Correspondence

Oberdorfer, Conrad W. [Choate, Hall & Stewart] (1964) - Correspondence

O'Brien, Ed [Metuchen mayor] (1996)

O'Connor, Edwin (1958) - Correspondence

O'Connor, Frank (1958) - Correspondence

O'Connor, Harriet (1959) - Correspondence

O'Connor, William Van [English Department at the University of California] (1961) -  
Correspondence

Oden, Gloria C. [poet and professor, met John Ciardi after one of his poetry readings in New  
York City; among other things they discussed the problems of black writers] (1958-1972)  
- Correspondence

O'Faolain, Sean [English Department of Princeton University] (1961) - Correspondence

Ogden, Margaret "Peggy" [Glenoden Farms in NY] (1949) - Correspondence

O'Hara, Elizabeth [secretary to Dr. R.H. Green at the University of Florida] (1973) -  
Correspondence

Oliver, Egbert S. [Division of Humanities at Portland State College] (1959) - Correspondence

Olney, Austin [Houghton Mifflin Company of Boston, MA] (1962-1974) - Correspondence

Olson, James & Vera [former Chancellor and President of the University of Missouri-Kansas  
City; writers of *The University of Missouri - An Illustrated History*] (1988)

O'Neill, Annette E. [Directors for Production for the Recording For The Blind Inc.] (1958) -  
Correspondence

Orenstein, Florence "Floss" [wife/widow of Milton G. "Bud" Orenstein] (1955-1984) -  
Correspondence

Orenstein, Milton G. "Bud" [co-pilot of John Ciardi's B-29 crew in Saipan; later in the insurance  
business titled Neiman-Orenstein, Inc., LA] (1952-1973) - Correspondence

Orth, Donald J. [author of *Dictionary of Alaska Place Names*] (1971)

Osborn, Robert [illustrator for *I Met a Man*] (1961)

Ostroff, Anthony (1967) - Correspondence

Ostrow, Robert W. [Vice President of C.F.A. Graphics, Ltd. in NY] (1972) - Correspondence

O'Toole, Doris Bonner (1975) - Correspondence

Owen, Guy [Stetson University] (1962) - Correspondence

Owen, Harry G. [Dean of Rutgers University] (1953-1959) - Correspondence

Pack, Robert "Bob" [Barnard College at Columbia University; Bread Loaf Writers' Conference  
staff] (1959-1961) - Correspondence

Packard, William (1960-1961) - Correspondence

Palmer, G.K. [journalist from the *Harold Express*] (1953)

Pamp Jr., Frederic E. [division manager of American Management Association] (1953) -  
Correspondence

Paquette, F. Andre [served for a short time as director of the language school at Middlebury College] (1970-1971) - Correspondence

Parker, Ann [Tufts University] (1963)

Parker, Mrs. (1970) - Correspondence

Pashko, Stanley [*Boy's Life, The National Magazine for Boys*] (1972) - Correspondence

Pasqualina, M. Del Mauro (1977) - Correspondence

Patchen, Kenneth [Memorial Program] (1964-1972) - Correspondence

Patchen, Miriam [wife of Kenneth Patchen] (1961-1964) - Correspondence

Patten, Edward J. [NJ Congressman] (1970) - Correspondence

Pawlowski, Robert "Bob" [English Department at the University of Denver; Director of a workshop on the Teaching of Creative Writing for the University of Denver] (1973-1976) - Correspondence

Pearce, C.A. [*New Yorker Magazine*] (1941) - Correspondence

Pease, Theresa [journalist from *Tufts Criterion*] (1986)

Peck, Louise D. (1959) - Correspondence

Peirce, Waldo (1949-1950) - Correspondence

Percy, Walker (1978) - Correspondence

Perrie, Ernestine [collaborator with Marchette Chute on *The Worlds of Shakespeare*]

Perrine, Laurence [critic; collaborated with John Ciardi on *Poetry, A Closer Look*] (1963-1974) - Correspondence

Perry, Darby [editorial director of the Franklin Library] (1975-1976) - Correspondence

Perry, Marsden J. (1958-1959) - Correspondence

Perry, Tom [Army civilian in Saipan with John Ciardi]

Persichetti, Vincent (1961) - Correspondence

Peterdi, Gabor [illustrator for *A Genesis*] (1966-1967) - Correspondence

Peterdi, Marsha [wife of Gabor Peterdi] (1966) - Correspondence

Peters, Margedant [*Poetry: A Magazine of Verse Magazine*] (1946) - Correspondence

Peterson, Houston (1954) - Correspondence

Petrocelli, O.R. [Publisher-Vice President of Mason & Lipscomb Publishers] (1974-1976) - Correspondence

Pettegrew, C.W. [director of the Weekly Reader Children's Book Club] (1961) - Correspondence

Pettinelli, Frances [secretary to John Ciardi] (1964) - Correspondence

Phair, William E. [journalist from the *Journal of Arboriculture*] (1984)

Phelps, Miss (1981) - Correspondence

Phillips Jr., Harry [President of Wesleyan University Press] (1961) - Correspondence

Pickrel, Paul [managing editor of the *Yale Review*] (1953) - Correspondence

Pierce, Edward F. [editorial associate for *Think Magazine*] (1958) - Correspondence

Pilcher, Palmer [Vice President for Academic Affairs for the University of Arkansas] (1971) - Correspondence

Pinch, Judith L. [Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation] (1980) - Correspondence

Piper, H. Beam (1953) - Correspondence

Pipkin, John M. [Guilford College] (1973) - Correspondence

Pitt, A.S. [English Department at the United States Naval Academy] (1972) - Correspondence

Pitts, Cy (1969-1972) - Correspondence

Plataz, Sharon [Key West, FL] (1978) - Correspondence

Platt, Arthur S. [Assistant Dean of Administration at Rutgers University] (1957) - Correspondence

Pohl, Frederik [author's agent] (1952-1953) - Correspondence

Pollak, Felix [curator of Rare Books at the University of Wisconsin Memorial Library] (1967) - Correspondence

Pomper, Mike [journalist from the *News-Dispatch* from Michigan City, IN] (1970)

Poor, Arne (1964) - Correspondence

Poor, Henry V. (1961) - Correspondence

Portella, Daniel E. (1972) - Correspondence

Porter, Arabel J. [Senior Editor of The New American Library of World Literature, Inc.] (1960) - Correspondence

Portner, I.A. [Cambridge, MA] (1958) - Correspondence

Potts, Ruth [Milwaukee, WI] (1958) - Correspondence

Pound, Ezra (ca. 1973)

Pratt, Fletcher [Ipsley-Wipsey Institute; historian and science fiction writer; regular Bread Loaf Writers' Conference faculty member] (1951-1957) - Correspondence

Pribish, John J. [attorney] (1985) - Correspondence

Price, Nancy [author of *A Natural Death*] (1973) - Correspondence

Prisendorf, Antony [journalist from the *New York Post*] (1971)

Pullin, William [Harcourt Brace & Co.] (1957) - Correspondence

Pyne, Charles C. [executive secretary for the Administrative Committee on the Faculty Retirement Plan at Harvard University] (1953) - Correspondence

Quigley, Martin [Information Office at Ford Foundation] (1953) - Correspondence

Raimo, Goffredo (1969) - Correspondence

Rago, Henry [poet; editor of *Poetry Magazine*; secretary of the Modern Poetry Association] (1955-1963) - Correspondence

Ramous, Osvaldo [poet of Rijeka, Yugoslavia; wrote in his native Italian and translated a group of John Ciardi poems into Italian in 1979] (1977-1980) - Correspondence

Rand, Mrs. Frances [New American Library] (1954) - Correspondence

Raney, William [E.P. Dutton & Co., Inc.; Editor-in-Chief of Bobbs Merrill and the regular staff member at Bread Loaf Writers' Conference] (1955-1963) - Correspondence

Ransom, John Crowe [*Kenyon Review*] (1949) - Correspondence

Rapp, Martin [Mason and Charter] (1976) - Correspondence

Rappy, Frances R. [American Journal of Nursing Company] (1969) - Correspondence

Rasi, Ron & Terry (1974) - Correspondence

Ravey, Bill [The Bobbs Merrill Company Inc. Publishers] (1961) - Correspondence

Ray, David (1959-1964) - Correspondence

Ray, Jim (1973) - Correspondence

Rebay, Luciano [author of *Invitation to Italian Poetry*; Columbia University] (1969-1970) - Correspondence

Rebecca, Margaret (1965) - Correspondence

Redman, Ben Ray (1956) - Correspondence

Reed, Connor (1962) - Correspondence

Reese, T. [Director of Special Programs at Birmingham-Southern College] (1985) - Correspondence

Reid, Ben [English Department at Sweet Briar College] (1956) – Correspondence

Reid, James M. [collaborated with John Ciardi on *Poetry, A Closer Look*] (1963)

Reinhardt, Joseph P. [Vice-President of Charles W. Jacobsen, Inc.] (1964) - Correspondence

Reiss, Malcolm [Fiction House] (1953) - Correspondence

RePass, Richard R. [publisher of the Elementary Division of American Education Publications, Inc.; Weekly Reader Children's Book Club] (1965-1967) - Correspondence

Rex, Barbara (1955) - Correspondence

Rexroth, Kenneth [poet and critic; translator of Chinese and Japanese poetry] (1949-1964) - Correspondence

Reyburn, Wallace [editor of *New Liberty*] (1949) - Correspondence

Reynolds, Eleanor [Rutgers University] (1954) - Correspondence

Reynolds, Nancy L. [managing editor of the *Atlantic Monthly Press*] (1958) - Correspondence

Reynolds, Robbin [Robbin Reynolds Literary Agency in NY] (1980) - Correspondence

Rice, Laban Lacy (1962) - Correspondence

Rice, Warner G. [professor at the University of Michigan] (1950-1958) - Correspondence

Rich, Adrienne [author] (1972)

Rich, Everett [journalist] (ca. 1952)

Richard, Nancy [News Bureau at Kalamazoo College] (1964) - Correspondence

Richards, I.A. (1950) - Correspondence

Richardson, Robert D. [English Department of University of Denver] (1986) - Correspondence

Richardson, Stewart [J.B. Lippincott Company] (1962) - Correspondence

Rikert Jr., Carroll [treasurer of Middlebury College] (1964) - Correspondence  
Riles, Martha Baker [Afton, MO] (1972) - Correspondence  
Rizzardi, Alfredo (1955-1983) - Correspondence  
Roalman, Arthur R. [CNA Financial Corporation] (1970) - Correspondence  
Robe, Cecil F. (1974) - Correspondence  
Roberts, Mary M. [Writing Awards] (1969-1971)  
Roberts, Ruby (1950) - Correspondence  
Robinson, Glenn F. [American Journal of Nursing Company] (1970-1971) - Correspondence  
Robison, Jesse [Gartley & Associates, Inc.] (1959) - Correspondence  
Robbins, Robert [Tufts University] (1964-1965) - Correspondence  
Roberson, Shera [student of John Ciardi at the University of Kansas City] (1989) -  
Correspondence  
Rodman, Mrs. Selden (1956) - Correspondence  
Rodman, Seldon (1957) - Correspondence  
Rodriguez, Jean L. [Knight Realty] (1978) - Correspondence  
Roethke, Beatrice [wife of Theodore Roethke] (1963-1969) - Correspondence  
Roethke, Theodore [Pulitzer prize-winning poet, 1954; he also won a Bollingen Prize, 1958;  
English professor at the University of Washington] (1937-1974) - Correspondence  
Rogge, O. John [attorney from NY; author of *The Accusatorial Versus The Inquisitional Method*  
(1951) - Correspondence  
Roman, U. Grant [Roman Books, Inc.] (1965) - Correspondence  
Romulo, Carlos P. [President of the University of the Philippines] (1967) - Correspondence  
Ronsheim, Nately [director at Chautauqua Institution] (1973-1975) - Correspondence  
Root, Maurice T. [West Hartford, CT] (1972) - Correspondence  
Rorem, Ned (1973) - Correspondence  
Rorty, James [*Voice of America* (radio station)] (1946-1952) - Correspondence  
Rosen, Saul (1968) - Correspondence  
Rosenthal, Michael L. "Mack" [poet and critic; English professor at New York University; poetry  
editor of *The Nation*; journalist from *New York Times* magazine] (1957-1974) -  
Correspondence  
Ross, Walter (1962-1963) - Correspondence  
Rosset, Barney [publisher of Grove Press, Inc.] (1960) – Correspondence  
Rosten, Norman [critic from Bookman Associates, Inc.] (1952-1972) - Correspondence  
Rotella, Domenico [Italian painter] (1952)  
Rotella, Mimmo (1957-1964) – Correspondence  
Rothenberg, William L. (1961) - Correspondence  
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Rukeyser, Muriel [mid-century American poet; Monica McCall, Inc.] (1949-1978) -  
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Runbeck, Margaret Lee (1956) - Correspondence

Russell, Dorothy [*Saturday Review* reader from Milan, OH] (1964) - Correspondence

Russell, George A. [Chancellor of University of Missouri-Kansas City] (1983) - Correspondence

Russo, Mark F. (1969) - Correspondence

Russo, S.P. (1977) - Correspondence

Ryan, William Fitz [House of Representatives] (1970) - Correspondence

Saal, Rollene [*Saturday Review*] (1960) - Correspondence

Saito, Akemi (1975) - Correspondence

Salisbury, Harrison E. [President of the National Institute of Arts and Letters] (1976) -  
Correspondence

Salisbury, Janet [publicity manager of the University of Minnesota Press] (1956) -  
Correspondence

Salomon, I.L. [American Export Lines; critic for the *Saturday Review*] (1950-1956) -  
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Saltzman, Allen N. (1949) - Correspondence

Saltzman, Joel E. [Vice-President of Twayne Publishers, Inc.] (1952-1953) - Correspondence

Santillana, Giorgio de [Massachusetts Institute of Technology] (1960) - Correspondence

Sappho [Greek lyric poet; translated by William Carlos Williams] (1957)

Saracino, Maresciallo [Ufficio Stranieri, Questura di Roma, ITA] (1957) - Correspondence

Sarton, May [American poet; John Ciardi critical of her poetry] (1991)

Sasso Jr., Laurence J. [poetry editor of *The Providence Journal and The Evening Bulletin*]  
(1972) - Correspondence

Saul, George Brandon [critic from the *Western Review*] (1950)

Saunders, Betsy [The American Scholar] (1958) - Correspondence

Saunders, Ruth [International Medical Press, Inc.] (1970) - Correspondence

Sayers, Dorothy L. [author of *Introductory Papers on Dante*] (1955)

Scanlon, Thomas E. [Director of the U.S. Treasury Department] (1953) - Correspondence

Schacht, Marshall [American poet; winner of Twayne Publishers Inc. First Book Contest] (1949)

Schaffner, John [Literary Agent] (1950) - Correspondence

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Schmerler, Helen R. [research assistant at John Hopkins University School] (1975)

Schmidt, William E. [journalist from the *New York Times*] (1985)

Schorer, Mark [Chairman of the English Department at the University of California] (1962) -  
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Schulman, Grace [poet] (1964)

Schwartz, Delmore [associate editor of *Partisan Review*] (1949) - Correspondence

Schwartz, John T. [Colorado Associated University Press] (1971-1972) - Correspondence

Schwartz, Selwyn S. [author of *Horn in the Dust*] (1949-1951) - Correspondence

Schweiger Jr., W.J. [National Literature Chairman of the National Society of Arts and Letters] (1977) - Correspondence

Scott, Ellie [wife of Winfield Townley Scott] (1969) - Correspondence

Scott, F.A. (1969) - Correspondence

Scott, General [poetry] (1858)

Scott, Winfield Townley [poet and author of *Mr. Whittier and Other Poems*] (1946-1962) - Correspondence

Scudder, Townsend [Center for Information on America] (1956) - Correspondence

Seager, Allan [friend of Theodore Roethke] (1967)

Seaver, Edwin [George Braziller, Inc.] (1971-1972) - Correspondence

Sebel, Julia (1950) - Correspondence

Sellin, Eric (1955) - Correspondence

Seltzer, Robert D. [professor emeritus of P.S./ISU] (1978) - Correspondence

Sergeiev, Andrei [translator of modern English and American poetry into Russian] (1976-1977) - Correspondence

Service, Robert W. [poet]

Sexton, Anne (1959-1971) - Correspondence

Shallow, Fred R. (1976) - Correspondence

Shachter, Jacqueline [Associate professor of Temple University] (1976) - Correspondence

Shapiro, David [American poet] (1960-1971) - Correspondence

Shapiro, Karl [Pulitzer prize-winning poet, 1945; winner of a Bollingen prize; editor of *Poetry*, 1950-1956; contributor to *Mid-Century American Poets*] (1949-1978) - Correspondence

Shaw, Adam [New Paltz Poetry Review] (1977) - Correspondence

Shaw, Linda T. [editorial assistant for Reader's Digest Services, Inc.] (1973) - Correspondence

Shaw, Ralph R. [professor] (1961) - Correspondence

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Shepherd III, James L. [*Saturday Review* reader from Baylor University] (1964) - Correspondence

Sheppard, R.Z. [journalist from *Time Magazine*] (1984)

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Shimer, Dorothy B. [associate professor of Literature of Maunaolu College] (1965) -  
Correspondence

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Shuck, Avis [secretary of the English Department at Drake University] (1978) - Correspondence

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Simone, Silvan [Silvan Simone Gallery] (1965)

Simonelli, Maria Sampoli (1957) - Correspondence

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Simpson Jr., Claude M. (1950) - Correspondence

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Skinner, Cornelia Otis (1962-1963) - Correspondence

Skinner, Lloyd E. [Skinner Manufacturing Company] (1954) - Correspondence

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Sloane, Julie [wife of William Sloane] (1975) - Correspondence

Sloane, William "Bill" [responsible for the publication of several of John Ciardi's books of poetry,  
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Smith, Barbara [Brook House] (1972) - Correspondence

Smith, Harrison (1961) - Correspondence

Smith, William Jay [poet] (1965)

Smith Sr., Harold S. [Harold-Express; Harolds Club in Reno, NV] (1962) - Correspondence

Smythe, Daniel [journalist for *Monitor Magazine*] (1964) - Correspondence

Snajdar, Robert [journalist from the *Cleveland Plain Dealer*] (1957)

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Snodgrass, W.D. [American poet] (1968)

Snow, W. Brewster [Chairman of the Civil Engineering Department at Rutgers University] (1955)  
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Snyder, Alan (1949) - Correspondence

Snyder, Bea [friends of the Ciardis from Florida; wife of Robert "Bob" Snyder] (1985-1986) - Correspondence

Snyder, Donald B. [assistant treasurer of *The Atlantic Monthly*] (1949-1959) - Correspondence

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Snyder, Mary Margaret [journalist from the *Gleaner*] (1965)

Snyder, Robert "Bob" [friends of the Ciardis from Florida; Robert was an oceanographer; lecturer at Lighthouse Gallery in Jupiter, FL] (1985-1986) - Correspondence

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Spencer, Eloise [wife of Theodore Spencer] (1950) - Correspondence

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Squires, Jim [Bartonsville, VT] (1950) - Correspondence

St. Clair, Margaret (1954) - Correspondence

Stange, G. Robert [Chairman of Tufts University] (1972) - Correspondence

Starbuck, George [Houghton Mifflin Company] (1958-1968) - Correspondence

Stolzberg [author of *Clowning*]

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Steele, Max [English Department at the University of North Carolina] (1956) - Correspondence

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Steinberg, Gail [journalist from *Writing Magazine*] (1985)

Steinberg, Jacob "Jack" [managing editor of Twayne Publishers, Inc.] (1949-1973) - Correspondence

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Stewart, Leslie M. [Sebastopol, CA] (1950) - Correspondence

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Stevens, Wallace [author of *Collected Poems* reviewed by John Ciardi] (1954)

Stevenson, Grace T. [Executive Director of the American Library Association] (1961) - Correspondence

Stone, Jim [son of John Stone] (1976-1988)

Stone, John H. [cardiologist and personal doctor of John Ciardi; poet and essayist; succeeded Irving Klompus as staff physician at Bread Loaf; worked at Emory University School of Medicine] (1962-1989) - Correspondence

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Stronks, James B. [Permissions Department at Rutgers University Press] (1959) - Correspondence

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Sullivan, A.M. [poet; Director of Public Relations & Advertising for Dun & Bradstreet, Inc.] (1950-1956) - Correspondence

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Summers, Hollis [poet] (1959-1973) - Correspondence

Summers, Laura [poet] (ca. 1973)

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Susskind, David [Talent Associates Ltd.] (1960) - Correspondence

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Sward, Bob (1961) - Correspondence

Sweeney, James Johnson [The Edward MacDowell Association, Inc.] (1960) - Correspondence

Swenson, Eric P. [Vice-Chairman and senior editor for W.W. Norton Company, Inc.] (1977-1985) - Correspondence

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Swenson, May [*New Directions*] (1954-1964) - Correspondence

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Taggart, Donald [San Rafael, CA] (1965) - Correspondence

Tagliabue, John (1961-1977) - Correspondence

Talley, Truman M. [New American Library] (1953) - Correspondence

Tambimuttu [editor of PLNY] (1964) - Correspondence

Tambroni, ON. Fernando [Ministero dell'Interno of Palazzo Viminale in Rome] (1957) - Correspondence

Tate, James [John Ciardi wrote poem for his 40<sup>th</sup> birthday festschrift] (1983)

Tate, Phyllis [secretary of *Harvard University Press*] (1950) - Correspondence

Taub, Beverley [Publicity Department at Hurok Attractions Inc.] (1961) - Correspondence

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Taylor, Anne (1983)

Taylor, Peter (1978) - Correspondence

Taylor Jr., C.H. [chief of pre-audit and compliance for the Commonwealth of Virginia] (1975) - Correspondence

Teer, Margarete [journalist from the *English Journal*] (1961)

Terkel, Studs [author of *The Good War*] (1984)

Terry, Ann [authored *Children's Poetry Preferences: A National Survey of Upper Elementary Grades*] (1974)

Terry, Grace [State University Teachers College, Potsdam, NY] (1958) - Correspondence

Thacker, Jimmy [journalist] (late 1960s)

Thecla, Mary [Sister at Immaculate Heart College] (1955) - Correspondence

Thielen, Benedict (1950) - Correspondence

Thoma, Henry F. [Houghton Mifflin Company] (1956) - Correspondence

Thomas, Rosemary (1949-1950) - Correspondence

Thompson, Bill [Lecture Department of Lordly & Dame, Inc.] (1979) - Correspondence

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Thorn, Laudon B. [*Saturday Review* reader from Farmington, CT] (1964) - Correspondence

Tirone, Americo aka "Antonio E.N. Tirone" [poet; professor in Italy] (1967-1971) - Correspondence

Tobin, Helen (1970) - Correspondence

Tobin, Richard L. [*Saturday Review*] (1975) - Correspondence

Todd, Ruthven (1957) - Correspondence

Tollas, Tibor [Nemzetor] (1961) - Correspondence

Tower, Miss (1954) - Correspondence

Tracy, Enid [poet]

Train, John [journalist for *Harvard Magazine*] (1985)

Traugott, Cathy [journalist for *Tulsa World*] (1978)

Tredinnick Jr., Frank A. [Tufts University] (1965) - Correspondence

Treiman, Joyce Wahl [American artist] (1955) - Correspondence

Truax, R. Hawley [treasurer of *The New Yorker*] (1947-1953) - Correspondence

Tucker, Carll [president of *Saturday Review*] (1977) - Correspondence

Tuma, Mirko [journalist] (1976)

Tunis, Edwin [author of *Wheels - A Pictorial History*]

Turco, Lewis [poet, professor, and critic; Bread Loaf Writers' Conference faculty member; published eleven volumes of poetry as well as the award-winning *Visions and Revisions*]

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Turner, Barbara (1961) - Correspondence

Tusiani, Giuseppi (1954) - Correspondence

Udell, Geraldine [*Poetry: A Magazine of Verse*] (1944-1948) - Correspondence

Uehling, Edward M. [English Department at Pennsylvania State University] (1976) - Correspondence

Ulmgren, Mrs. Bengt [*Saturday Review* reader from Pleasantville, NY] (1964) - Correspondence

Umland, Yvonne [first wife of Dan Jaffe] (1964) - Correspondence

Ungaretti, Giuseppe [Italian poet] (1970)

Untermeyer, Louis [Iowa State College] (1940-1976) - Correspondence

Upjohn, Dorothy [Assistant to the editor of Henry Holt and Company, Inc.] (1939) - Correspondence

Upson, William Hazlett "Bill" (1961) - Correspondence

Urdang, Laurence [collaborated on *Plain English in a Complex Society*] (1980)

Utermohlen, William (1967) - Correspondence

Utley, Francis Lee [English Department at the Ohio State University] (1950) - Correspondence

Vachon, Brian (1972) - Correspondence

Valanto, J. (1954) - Correspondence

Valenti, Girolamo [suggested to John Ciardi and Twayne Publishers a book about Italian-Americans] (1952-1953) - Correspondence

Valenti, Jack [special assistant to the President of the White House] (1965) - Correspondence

Van Doren, Mark [American poet] (1950) - Correspondence

Varga, Bob (1965) - Correspondence

Vaughn, William [professor of Shepherd College Center] (1972) - Correspondence

Vazakas, Byron [poet] (1958-1962) - Correspondence

Vedro, Al [Encyclopedia Britannica Films Inc.] (1966) - Correspondence

Venn, Diggory [Radcliffe College, Cambridge, MA] (1968-1971) - Correspondence

Vergara, Joseph [Harper & Row Publishers] (1978) - Correspondence

Vernier, Private First Class [photographer from West Point, NY] (1969)

Veronis, John (1972) - Correspondence

Viereck, Peter [Pulitzer prize-winning poet, 1949; contributor to *Mid-Century American Poets*; History professor at Smith College and Mount Holyoke College] (1948-1978) - Correspondence

Vogel, Adolph [Elkan-Vogel Co.] (1961) - Correspondence

Vorrath, John C. [Dean of Ursinus College] (1964) - Correspondence

Wade, James O'S. [*World Publishers*] (1971) - Correspondence

Wagoner, David [author of *Riverbed*; English Department at the University of Washington and Poetry Northwest] (1955-1972) - Correspondence

Wagoner, Hyatt [University of Kansas City] (1946) - Correspondence

Wakefield, Dan (1963) - Correspondence

Wakoski, Diane [Bread Loaf Writers' Conference staff] (1970) - Correspondence

Walitier, Sara C. (1963) - Correspondence

Walker, Harry [Walker Travel Service, Inc.] (1964) - Correspondence

Walker, Winsley (1990)

Wallace, Robert "Bob" [English Department at Case Western Reserve University] (1976-1978) - Correspondence

Wallant, Edward (1961-1962) - Correspondence

Walsh, Raymond J. [President of Wesleyan University Press; killed in air crash] (1958-1961) - Correspondence

Walters Jr., Raymond [*Saturday Review*] (1957) - Correspondence

Wang, Arthur W. [assistant editor of Thomas Y. Crowell Company in NY] (1948) - Correspondence

Ward, W.S. [University of Kentucky] (1951) - Correspondence

Warren, Leslie [poet; alumni from Bates College] (1940)

Watkins, Edward (1972) - Correspondence

Watson, Graham [Curtis Brown Ltd.] (1951) - Correspondence

Weaver, George R. (1953) - Correspondence

Weaver, John D. [*The Kansas City Star*] (1941) - Correspondence

Weeks, Edward [poetry editor of *The Atlantic Monthly*] (1941-1958) - Correspondence

Weiler, Mr. [History teacher] (ca. 1950)

Weinsef, Mindy (1978) - Correspondence

Weiss, Ted [*Quarterly Review of Literature* at Bard College] (1949-1961) - Correspondence

Weiss, Walter A. (1961) - Correspondence

Welt, Eleanor "Elly" [author of *Berlin Wild* / Northern Kentucky University] (1981-1986) - Correspondence

Welter, Matilda W. [senior editor of Children's Trade Books for Houghton Mifflin Company] (1984-1986) - Correspondence

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West, Judy [journalist] (1986)

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Wharton, John F. [Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison] (1975) - Correspondence

Wheelock, John Hall [introduction for *Poets of Today*] (1956-1960) - Correspondence

White, E.B. [*The New Yorker*] (1955) - Correspondence

White, Gail [poet; author of *Irreverent Parables*] (1978) - Correspondence

White, JoAnne [editorial assistant at the *Saturday Review*] (1965-1972) - Correspondence

White, K.S. [*The New Yorker*] (1947-1949) - Correspondence

White, Lawrence Grant [journalist from the *Saturday Review*] (1954)

White, Milton [Bread Loaf Writers' Conference faculty member] (1962)

White, William [editor of the *Walter Whitman Newsletter*] (1956-1979) - Correspondence

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Whiting, B.J. [professor from Harvard University] (1948-1951) - Correspondence

Whiting, Caroline [*The Nation*] (1955) - Correspondence

Whiting, John [playwright] (1961)

Whitlock, Baird W. [Midwestern State University; wrote article on Robert Frost for *Texas College English*] (1987)

Whitman, Digby Butler (1962) - Correspondence

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Williams, Mary T. [executive secretary of the American Academy in Rome] (1956) - Correspondence

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Williams, William Carlos [American poet, journalist; author of *The Desert Music and Other Poems*] (1957-1958)

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Wilson, Robert [critic]

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Winters, Yvor [author of *Collected Poems* reviewed by John Ciardi]

Wiskind, Mildred [bookkeeper of *World Magazine*] (1972) - Correspondence

Witt, Harold (1977) - Correspondence

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Wittenberg, Thomas D. [sponsoring editor of the English College Department of Houghton Mifflin Company] (1972) - Correspondence

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Wood, Winthrop [donator to the Bread Loaf Writers' Conference Endowment Fund] (1969) -  
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Wray, Christopher (1970) - Correspondence

Wray, John (1970) - Correspondence

Wray, Judith (1970-1973) - Correspondence

Wright, George C. (1974) - Correspondence

Wright, Mary D. [poetry editor of *The Saturday Evening Post*] (1961) - Correspondence

Wright, Norman [Norman Wright Productions, Inc.] (1962) - Correspondence

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Correspondence

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Young, Peter A. [San Diego, CA; guest at John Ciardi's lectures at U.S. Naval Academy in  
1964-1967; managing editor of *Saturday Review World*] (1973-1989) - Correspondence

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Zane, Harry B. [Director of the Office of Public Information for Tufts University] (1977) -  
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"About Two-Way Streets" [manuscript]  
Academy of American Poets  
"Accent" CBS Weekly Show [host]  
*The Accusatorial Versus The Inquisitorial Method* [book by O. John Rogge]  
*Adventures of the Mind 48. The Act of Language* [booklet]  
Adweek Magazine Report  
*After the Street Fighting* [poem]  
Alabama Writers' Conclave [Alabama College]  
Alan Collins Fellowship [Bread Loaf Writers' Conference]  
*Alaska Magazine*  
*An Alphabestiary* [book]  
*America*  
American Academy and Institute of Arts and Letters [member]  
American Academy in Rome [professor]  
American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU)  
American Cultural Association, Inc. cruise [lecturer]  
*American Decade* [contributor]  
American Embassy in Manila [lecturer]  
American Federation of Television & Radio Artists (AFTRA)  
American Guild of Organists District of Columbia Chapter  
*American Helicopter Magazine*  
*American Journal of Nursing*  
*American Literature*  
American Oriental Society  
American poetry  
*American Speech*  
*The Antioch Review* (Yellow Springs, OH)  
*AORN Journal* [contributor]  
Apes  
Appreciation of Poetry class [Rutgers University]  
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*Argonaut* (San Francisco, CA)  
*Arizona State University Research News*  
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*As If* [book]  
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*The Atlantic Monthly* [publication in Boston, MA]  
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*Audience*  
B-29 Gunner  
Bache & Co.  
*Ball State Teacher's College Forum*  
*Bates Alumnus* Magazine  
Bates College, Lewiston, ME [student; Doctor of Letters]  
*BEE* (Sacramento, CA)  
*Berlin Wild* [book]  
*The Birds of Pompeii* [book]  
Birmingham-Southern College Writers' Conference [scheduled speaker]  
*Bladderhead Bobble-Bud & Spade, Selected Poems of John Ciardi* [book]  
Blue Cross Blue Shield  
Bogota National Bank  
Book Abroad International Prize for Literature [University of Oklahoma]  
Book binding  
*Book of Moments* [poems by Kenneth Burke]  
Border-Mountain Press  
*The Boston Evening Transcript*  
*Boston Herald*  
Boston Public Library Children's Book International V Program  
*Boston Sunday Globe*  
Bowling Green Symposium  
*Boy's Life, The National Magazine for Boys*  
Bread Loaf Writers' Conference [director; Middlebury College, VT]  
Bread Loaf Writers' Conference Endowment Fund  
Brigham Young University, Provo, UT [speaker]  
British Museum sculptures  
Brookhouser galleys  
*The Browser* (San Francisco, CA)  
*Browser's Dictionary I* [book]  
*Browser's Dictionary II* [book]  
*Browser's Dictionary III* [book]  
*Bulletin* (Philadelphia, PA)  
*By a Bush in Half Twilight* [poem]  
*Canadian Business* [contributor]  
*Capital Times* (Madison, WI)  
*Catholic Messenger* (Davenport, IA)  
CBS Television Network [host]  
*The CEA Critic* (former newsletter of the College English Association for the University of Massachusetts)

CEA Institute Corning Glass Center  
*The Chautauqua Collection, Vol. I - The Meaning of Poetry: Viewpoints of John Ciardi* [book]  
Chautauqua Institute, NY [lecturer]  
Chicago Jewish Forum  
*Chicago Review*  
*Chicago Tribune*  
Children's poetry  
*Children's Poetry Preferences: A National Survey of Upper Elementary Grades* [journal]  
Children's Verse in America [poetry reading]  
*Christian Crusade Weekly* (Tulsa, OK)  
Christies Print Department, NY  
*Churchill Manuscript*  
*Ciardi Himself* [book]  
City Lights Book (San Francisco, CA)  
*Cleveland Plain Dealer*  
*Collected Poems* [book by Wallace Stevens]  
*Collected Poems* [book by Yvor Winters]  
*College English* [contributor]  
College English Association (South College, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, MA)  
College Generation  
Collier Books [publishers]  
Colorado's Centennial  
*The Columbus Dispatch*  
*Common Ground* Magazine  
Commonwealth Bank of Metuchen  
Communications Electronics Division, West Point, NY  
Communism  
*The Community Church News*  
*Concerning Poetry* (Western Washington State College)  
Conference on Literature and Urban Experience at Rutgers University [moderator]  
*Congressional Record*  
*Cosmos-X* Magazine  
County College of Morris  
Cowles Library Addition Dedication Ceremony  
"Creative Person" Channel 13/WDNT Television Series  
*The Criterion*  
*The Crumb* [Bread Loaf Writers' Conference]  
*The Current*  
*Current Biography*  
The Curtis Publishing Company [publishers]  
*Daily Home News* (New Brunswick, NJ)  
*The Daily Progress* (Charlottesville, VA)  
*The Dance on Mudhole Street* [manuscript]  
*Dante for the Missionaries* [reviewed by John Ciardi]  
Dante University Cultural Center Honorary Board [member]

Dante's *Divine Comedy* [translator]  
Dante's *The Inferno* [translator]  
Dante's *The Paradiso* [translator]  
Dante's *The Purgatorio* [translator]  
Dante's *Three Lectures* [translator]  
*The Dartmouth*  
Dartmouth College Library  
Dartmouth Poets' Symposium  
*A Decade of Fantasy and Science Fiction* [book]  
*The Denver Post*  
*Detroit Free Press*  
*The Detroit News*  
Dell Publishing Co., Inc.  
Delta College  
*The Desert Music and Other Poems* [book by William Carlos Williams]  
DeVoto Fellowship [Bread Loaf Writers' Conference]  
*Dialogue with an Audience* [book]  
*Dictionary of Alaska Place Names* [ book by Donald J. Orth]  
Dina H. Kahn Memorial Fund [Bread Loaf Writers' Conference]  
*A Directory of American Poets and Fiction Writers*  
Distinguished Platform Personalities: Programs of Proven Success [speaking engagements]  
*Doodle Soup* (alternate titled: *I Am Home Said the Turtle*) [book]  
*The Double Root* [book by John Holmes]  
The Dow Agency  
*Dracula* [etchings & drawings by Edward Gorey]  
*The Dry Scratch of Laurel* [book by Horace E. Hamilton]  
Dutton's bookstore  
*Eastern Oklahoma Catholic*  
Eastman Kodak Company [filmmakers]  
*Echoes: Poems Left Behind* [book]  
*Editorials* [newspaper]  
Education  
Educational TV (META)  
Emergency Committee to Defend Liberties of Arizona Public Employees  
*Emily Dickinson's Home* [book by Millicent Todd Bingham]  
Emory University Hospital [patient]  
*Encantadas*  
*Encyclopedia Britannica*  
*English Journal*  
English language - Study and teaching  
English literature - Censorship  
*Enterprise* (Leominster, MA)  
Errant Minstrelsy  
Esther's Group at Miquon School [correspondence]  
Etymology

*The Evansville Courier*  
*The Evansville Press*  
“An Evening with John Ciardi” [speaker]  
*The Explicator* [contributor]  
*Fast & Slow* [book]  
Fletcher Pratt Memorial Fellowship [Bread Loaf Writers’ Conference]  
*First Printings of American Authors: Contributions Toward Descriptive Checklists*, Vol. 2  
*For Instance* [book]  
*Forbes Magazine*  
The Franklin Library [publishers]  
*From Time to Time* [book]  
Fulbright Fellowship [grant to translate Dante’s *The Inferno*]  
*Furioso* (Carleton College, Northfield, MN)  
Gale Research Company, Detroit, MI [publisher]  
*The Garnet* (Official Literary Magazine of Bates College in Lewiston, MA)  
*A Genesis* [book]  
George Washington University, Washington D.C. [lecturer]  
Gertrude Clarke Whittall Poetry and Literature Fund literary program  
*Girls Going To Church* [from *Poetry Magazine*]  
*Glamour Magazine* [contributor]  
*Gleaner*  
The Golden Rose of the New England Poetry Club [award]  
The Goliard Society 1976 Latin Limerick Awards  
*The Good War* [book by Studs Terkel]  
*Good Words to You* [book]  
Green & Ladd Bank  
Greyhound Corporation  
*The Gypsy Ballads of Garcia Lorca* [book by Rolfe Humphries]  
H.R. 12406 National Humanities Foundation Bill  
*Handbook of American Indians North of Mexico* [book edited by Frederick Webb Hodge]  
*Handbook of English* [book by David Levin & Theodore Morrison]  
Harcourt, Brace & World, Inc. Publishers  
*Harold Express* (Los Angeles, CA)  
Harper & Row Publishers, Inc.  
*Harper Anthology of Poetry* [book]  
*Harper’s Magazine*  
Harry Walker Inc. [representing Distinguished Platform Personalities: Programs of Proven Success]  
*Harvard Advocate* [contributor]  
*The Harvard Crimson*  
Harvard Law School Forum  
*Harvard Review* [contributor]  
Harvard University, Cambridge, MA [faculty]  
Heelers’ Club [member; Bates College]  
Henry Holt and Company [publishers]

Herb 6 [musician for "Without Memorial Banners"]  
*Home News*  
*Homeward to America* [book]  
*The Hopeful Trout and Other Limericks* [book]  
Hopwood Awards [University of Michigan; attendee]  
Hopwood Festival Program [reader]  
*The Hopwood Newsletter*  
*Horn in the Dust* [book]  
Houghton Mifflin Company [publishers]  
House Internal Security Committee (HISC) list of radicals  
House of Representatives  
*How Does a Poem Mean?* [book]  
*Howl and Other Poems* trial  
Humanities Conference, Miami University  
Hungarian Revolution  
"The Hypnograph"  
*I Marry You: A Sheaf of Love Poems* [book]  
*I Met a Man* [book]  
*I-AM, The National Magazine for Italian-Americans*  
*Il Mattino*  
*In Fact* [book]  
*In Flagrate Libido* [book]  
Income tax  
Indiana University [publishers]  
Indiana University Writers' Conference  
*Introductory Papers on Dante* [book by Dorothy L. Sayers]  
Irish Bull  
*Irpina* Economic Magazine  
*Irreverent Parables* [book by Gail White]  
J.B. Lippincott Company [publishers]  
Jesuits of the United States and Canada  
"Jim Crow in Treason" [article]  
John Ciardi Language Program  
*John Ciardi: un irpino nella poesia Americana* [booklet]  
John Ciardi Week [Borough of Metuchen]  
*John J. Plenty and Fiddler Dan* [rhymed fable by John Ciardi]  
*Journal* (Milwaukee, WI)  
*Le Journal Des Poetes*  
*Journal of NJ Poets*  
*Journal of Arboriculture* 10(10)  
Joy Conference [Northern Kentucky University; director]  
Kalamazoo College, MI [Doctor of Humane Letters]  
Kansas City Poetry Contests  
*Kansas City Star*  
*The Kansas City Times*

*The Kentucky Post*  
Kenneth Patchen Memorial Program  
Key West, FL  
Kingsborough Community College, Brooklyn, NY [lecturer]  
*The Lamb* [poem]  
*The Land of Silence* [book by May Sarton]  
Landicho's Embroidery & Novelty Store [Manila, PHI]  
*Language Arts* [magazine]  
Lectures and lecturing  
*A Letter from Rome* [poem]  
*A Letter to Hitler* [booklet]  
Library of Congress [guest speaker; repository for Ciardi material]  
*Limericks Too Gross* [book]  
Linguistics  
Literary Awards  
*Literary Cavalcade Magazine* [contributor]  
*Literary Dublin* [book by John Holmes]  
*Literary Outlaw: The Life and Times of William S. Burroughs* [book by Ted Morgan]  
*Literature*  
*Live Another Day* [book]  
*Lives of X* [book]  
*London Times*  
*Long Beach Press-Telegram*  
Lordly & Dame, Inc.  
*Los Angeles Times*  
*The Louisville Times* (Louisville, KY)  
*Love and a Question* [book by Robert Frost]  
*The Lutheran Witness*  
*Lyric Moderns in Brief* [book by Tom Boggs]  
*Lyrics in Brief* [book by Tom Boggs]  
The Macmillan Company [publishers]  
Magazine Promotion Group Luncheon [guest speaker]  
Man  
*The Man Who Sang The Sillies* [book]  
"Manner of Speaking" [column]  
"Many Voices" recordings  
Mary M. Roberts Writing Awards [Bread Loaf Writers' Conference]  
Maryland Library Association [presentation]  
Mason & Lipscomb Publishers  
*Massillon, Ohio Independent*  
*McCall's Magazine* [contributor]  
McCarthy Committee  
Meckler Publishing Corporation  
"Men of Arts and Sciences" series on WDAF [reader]  
Metuchen, NJ

Metuchen Arts Festival  
Metuchen Public Schools  
Miami-Dade Community College, FL [lecturer]  
*Miami Herald*  
*Miami News*  
Miami University Centennial [speaker]  
*Michigan Quarterly Review*  
*Mid-Century American Poets* [book]  
Middlebury College, VT  
*Middlebury College Bread Loaf Writers' Conference: The First Thirty Years (1926-1955)* [book  
by  
Theodore Morrison]  
*Middlebury College Bulletin for Middlebury College Bread Loaf Writers' Conference*  
Middlebury College Library  
*Middlebury College Magazine*  
*The Middlebury College News Letter*  
Middlebury College Press  
Middlesex County Cultural & Heritage Commission [publisher]  
*Minneapolis Tribune*  
Modern Poetry Series [contributor]  
*Monumento Ai Caduti: Manocalzatesi di Tutte Le Guerre* [booklet]  
*Monitor Magazine*  
*More Clinical Sonnets* [book by Merrill Moore]  
Morris Chapel Organ Vespers  
*Mount Vernon Democrat*  
Murray Collens Studios  
*A Natural Death* [book by Nancy Price]  
*The Nation Magazine* [contributor]  
National Council of Teachers of English (NCTE) [award winner]  
National Education Television [subject]  
National Foundation for Advancement in the Arts Washington ARTSfest [attendee]  
National Institute of Arts and Letters [merged to American Academy and Institute of Arts and  
Letters]  
National Public Radio [host]  
The National Society of Arts and Letters National Career Awards  
The New American Library of World Literature, Inc. (NAL) [publisher]  
New Harmony, IN  
*New and Selected Poems* [book by Howard Nemerov]  
*New Republic*  
*New York Herald Tribune Book Review*  
*New York Post*  
New York Shakespeare Festival  
*New York Times*  
*New York Times Book Review*  
New York University Club  
*New Yorker Magazine* [contributor]

*News* (Newark, NJ)  
*News Tribune* (Woodbridge NJ)  
*News-Dispatch* (Michigan City, IN)  
*Newsweek*  
Norse poem [controversy]  
Northern Kentucky University, Highland Heights, KY [director of Joy Conference]  
Northwest Orient Airlines  
"Off the Page" poetry appreciation program [Metuchen Public Library]  
Ohio Valley Writers Conference ("Joy Conference") [director]  
Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, OH [Doctor of Literature]  
*Oklahoman* (Oklahoma City, OK)  
Oral interpretation of poetry  
*Orlando Sentinel* (Orlando, FL)  
*Other Skies* [book]  
Oxford University Press  
Pageant Books, Inc. [publishers]  
Palaemon Press Limited [publishers]  
Palindrome  
*Palindromes and Reversals* [book]  
*Person to Person* [book]  
*Perth Amboy Evening News*  
Phakavali Institute of Dance and Music [Bangkok, THA]  
*Philadelphia Inquirer*  
Philadelphia Orchestra  
*The Phoenix*  
*Phonethics: Twenty-Two Limericks for the Telephone* by John Ciardi [book]  
*Pied Typer*  
*The Plain Dealer* Magazine (Cleveland, OH)  
*Plain English in a Complex Society* [booklet]  
Plains cowboy  
*Poems in Folio* [publishers]  
*Poems of Love and Marriage* [book]  
*Poesis: A J Criticism*  
Poetic Generation  
Poetic Method course  
*Poets and Writers – The New York State Council on the Arts*  
*Poets of Today* [book of poem with introduction by John Hall Wheelock]  
"Poetry is for Pleasure" talk (1976)  
*Poetry Magazine* [contributor]  
*Poetry Northwest*  
*Poetry Pilot*  
Poetry Society of America dinner [speaker]  
*Poultry, A Magazine of Voice*  
Powgen Press

President's Ad Hoc Committee to Formulate Faculty Policy with Respect to Student Publications  
[Tufts  
University]  
The Press of James A. Decker  
*Press-Telegram* (Long Beach, CA)  
Progressive Citizens of America  
*The Providence Saturday Journal*  
*Publishers Weekly*  
Racial equality  
"Rain Sizes" [poem]  
"The Reason for the Pelican" [poem]  
Research Resources  
*The Review of Books & Religion*  
Rhodes School  
Richmond Humanities Center Poetry-in-the-Schools  
*Riverbed* [book by David Wagoner]  
*Rivista di Studi Anglo-Americani*  
The Rockefeller Foundation  
*Rocky Mountain News*  
Rome, ITA  
*Rutgers Alumni Monthly* [contributor]  
Rutgers Religious Week  
"Rutgers Report on World Affairs"  
*The Rutgers Targum*  
Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ [faculty]  
Rutgers University Press [publisher]  
*The Dad Photographer* [book by Edward L. Mayo]  
*Saipan: The War Diary of John Ciardi* [book]  
Salem College, Winston-Salem, NC [guest lecturer]  
*San Francisco Examiner*  
*San Francisco News*  
*Saturday Evening Post* [contributor]  
*Saturday Review of Literature* [poetry editor]  
*Scribe: The Literary Quarterly of Emerson College*  
*A Second Browser's Dictionary and Native's Guide to the Unknown American Language* [book]  
Second North American Conference on Semitic Linguistics  
*The Selected Letters of John Ciardi* [book]  
*Selected Poems* [book]  
Simon and Schuster, Inc. Publishers  
Skidmore College, Saratoga Springs, NY [guest speaker]  
*Slang of Underworld* [book by Captain Vincent J. Monteleone]  
*Smithsonian Magazine*  
Society  
Society of Goliards  
*Solares Hill* (Key West, FL)

*Sources, A Research Letter*  
*South Central Review*  
Southwest Conference of Art Teachers [University of Wyoming]  
Special Committee on Students Publications for Tufts University  
Spofford Club [member; Bates College]  
Spoken Arts, Inc.  
*The Star-Ledger*  
*Star-News*  
State Teachers College Contemporary Literature Workshop, Millersville, PA  
Steinman Poetry Lectures  
*Sunday News* (Detroit, MI)  
*Sunday Times*  
*Sunday Times-Advertiser* (Trenton, NJ)  
*The Sewanee Review*  
*Systema Naturae per Regna Tria Naturae Secundum Classes, Ordines, Genera, Species, cum  
Characteribus, Differentiis, Synonymis, Locis, Tomus I* [book by Caroli Linnaei]  
*Tennessean* (Nashville, TN)  
*Texas College English*  
Theodore Roethke Memorial Foundation  
“There Once Was An Owl” [poem]  
*Think Magazine*  
*A Third Browser's Dictionary: A Compendium of Curious Expression & Intriguing Facts* [book]  
Third Reich  
*This Day Magazine*  
*This Music Crept By Me Upon The Water* [book by Archibald MacLeish]  
*This Rowdy Heart* [book by Frances Frost]  
*This Strangest Everything* [book]  
*This World*  
Thomae Park [lot in Bridgewater Township, NJ]  
*Thomas Y. Crowell Company* [publishers in NY]  
*Time Magazine*  
*Times Library Supplement* [contributor]  
Tops Carpet City [owner]  
*Town Crier* (New Brunswick, NJ)  
*The Tuftonian*  
*Tufts Alumni Review*  
*Tufts Criterion*  
Tufts University, Medford, MA [student; B.A. / Doctor of Letters]  
Tufts University Leadership Report  
Tulsa Junior College, KS [lecturer; 1978]  
Tulsa Library [1984 book signing]  
*Tulsa World*  
Twayne Publishers, Inc. [poetry editor]  
*Twayne Triplets Series*  
*Two Gross Limericks* [book]

*Two Poems and an Invitation* [book]  
*UMKC: The Magazine of the University of Missouri Kansas City*  
*The Unicorn and Other Poems* [book]  
United States Army  
United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, MD [lecturer]  
"The Unity of the Arts" proposed series  
University of Arkansas Press [publisher]  
University of Denver, CO [celebration of John Williams]  
University of Florida, Gainesville, FL [professor]  
University of Florida Writers' Conference  
University of Kansas City, MI [faculty]  
*University of Kansas City Bulletin*  
*University of Kansas City Review* [editorial staff]  
University of Kansas City Writers' Conference at Crossroad of America [speaker]  
University of Michigan [M.A. in English]  
University of Minnesota  
University of Missouri-Kansas City, MI [faculty]  
University of Nebraska [publisher]  
*University News* (UMKC)  
*University Notes* (University of Southern Indiana)  
University of Oklahoma, Norman, OK  
University of the Philippines Writers' Club  
*University of Scranton Best Sellers*  
University of Southern Indiana (USI), Evansville, IN [Enlow Distinguished Humanities Scholar]  
University of Wyoming [speaker]  
Ursinus College, Collegeville, PA [commencement speaker]  
US Bicentennial  
US District Courts for the District of Columbia  
US Government Printing  
"Us Smiths" [manuscript]  
The Vatican  
*Vector Magazine*  
*Venture Magazine*  
Vietnam War  
*The Viewer* (Pennsylvania State University)  
Ville Ravine program for Aval Preservation  
*Vindicator* (Youngstown, OH)  
Virginia Commonwealth University [publishers]  
*Voices in Italian Americana*  
*The Volusia Review* [contributor]  
W.W. Norton Company, Inc. [publishers]  
Waddell Gallery [NY]  
Walker Travel Services, Inc. [travel agency]  
Walt Whitman Birthplace Association  
*The Washington Post*

Washington University, St. Louis, MO [Doctor of Letters]  
Wayne State University, Detroit, MI [Doctor of Humanities]  
Weiner & Sussan [attorneys from NJ]  
West Virginia Wesleyan College, Buckhannon, WV [Special Citation]  
*Western Review*  
“What Good Is A Poem?” [lecture]  
*Wilson Library Bulletin* [contributor]  
Winchester Country Club [caddy]  
Windsor Village Association  
*Winnipeg Free Press*  
“Without Memorial Banners” [play / musical]  
WKAR radio  
The Woman’s Club  
*Woman’s Day Magazine*  
Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation [speaker]  
Word game  
World Academy of Arts and Culture [poet laureate]  
*World Magazine* [contributor]  
World Publishers  
World War II [aerial gunner]  
*The Worlds of Shakespeare of London*  
*The Writer* [contributor]  
*The Writer and His Craft* [book]  
*Writer’s Digest Magazine* [contributor]  
*Writing, The Continuing Guide to Written Communication Magazine*  
Yakima Town Hall [guest lecturer]  
*The Yale Review* [contributor]  
*Yale University Press*  
*Yank, The Army Weekly* [contributor]  
*The Year’s Work in English Studies*  
York College of Pennsylvania  
*You Know Who* [book]  
*You Read To Me, I’ll Read To You* [book]

## Occupations:

Author  
Critic  
Editor  
Etymologist  
Journalist  
Lecturer  
Poet  
Speaker  
Writer

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<b>Date</b>	<b>Event</b>
1916, June 24	Born, Boston, MA
1927-1929	Attended Dame Junior High School, Medford, MA
1930-1934	Attended Hobbs Jr. High School
1933-1935	Attended Bates College, Lewiston, ME
1935-1938	Attended Tufts University, Medford, MA, receiving B.A. in 1938
1938-1939	Attended University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, receiving M.A. in English in 1939
1939	Avery Hopwood Award for poetry
1940	Published <i>Homeward to America</i> [poems] (New York, NY: Henry Holt and Co. 62 pp.) Reader for the "Men of Arts and Sciences" series on WDAF
1940-1942	Instructor in English, University of Kansas City, MO
Ca. 1940-1953	Lived at 84 South Street, Medford, MA
1942-1945	United States Army Air Corps, aerial gunner on B-29 bomber in Siapan
1943	Published "Girls Going To Church" in <i>Poetry: A Magazine of Verse</i> Won Oscar Blumenthal Prize from <i>Poetry: A Magazine of Verse</i>

1944 Eunice Tietjens Award for poetry from *Poetry: A Magazine of Verse*

1945-1946 Instructor in English, University of Missouri-Kansas City, Kansas City, MO

1946 Married Myra Judith Hostetter  
Won Levinson Prize from *Poetry: A Magazine of Verse*

1946-1953 Instructor and assistant professor, Harvard College, Cambridge, MA

1947 Published *Other Skies* [poems] (Boston, MA: Little, Brown and Company, 83 pp.)

1947-1955 Lecturer in poetry, Bread Loaf Writers' Conference, Middlebury College, VT

1948 The Golden Rose of the New England Poetry Club Award for poetry,

1948

1949 Published *Live Another Day* [poems] (New York, NY: Twayne Publishers, Inc., 88 pp.)  
Speaker at the University of Kansas City Writers' Conference at the Crossroads of America and the Poets' Symposium at Dartmouth College  
Controversy surrounding John Ciardi's political activities (Communist leanings) while professor at Harvard University  
Speaker at Civil Rights Rally at Longfellow School, Cambridge, MA

1949-1955 Poetry/executive editor, Twayne Publishers, Inc.

1950 Edited *Mid-Century American Poets* [poem anthology; contains an essay and poems by John Ciardi] (New York, NY: Twayne Publishers, Inc., 340 pp.)  
Speaker at the Poetry Society of America dinner / John Hancock Hall

1951 Published *From Time to Time* [poems] (New York, NY: Twayne Publishers, Inc.)

1952 Published *Witches Three* [introduction by John Ciardi] (New York, NY: Twayne Publishers, Inc., 423 pp.)

1953 Published short story titled "The Hypnograph" under pseudonym John Anthony in *A Decade of Fantasy and Science Fiction*  
Wrote manuscripts "Elegy For Sandro" and "Sunday Morning"  
Purchased lot in Thomae Park, Bridgewater, NJ

1953-1961 Lecturer, associate professor, and professor, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ

1954 Published translator of *The Inferno* by Dante Alighieri [illustrations by Rico LeBrun] (New York, NY: The New American Library of World Literature, Inc., 288 pp.)  
Talk on the McCarthy committee aired on the "Rutgers Report on World Affairs"  
Talk to local American Association of University of Women (AAUW) members at Midland County Club

1955 Published *As If: Poems New and Selected* [poems] (New Brunswick, NJ: Rutgers University Press, 143 pp.)  
Won Harriet Monroe Memorial Award

1955-1968 Lived at 31 Graham Avenue, Metuchen, NJ

1955-1972 Director, Bread Loaf Writers' Conference, Middlebury College, VT

1956 Won Prix de Rome from the American Academy of Arts and Letters

Editorial staff of the *University of Kansas City Review*  
 1956-1957 Professor / fellow at the American Academy of Rome [Ciardi forced to  
 leave  
 Rome after offensive poem published in the *Saturday Review of  
 Literature*]  
 1956-1972 Poetry editor, *Saturday Review of Literature*  
 1957 Member, National Institute of Arts and Letters  
 1958 Published *I Marry You* [poems] (New Brunswick, NJ: Rutgers University  
 Press, 44 pp.)  
 Attendee of Visiting Professors at the Contemporary Literature Workshop  
 at State Teachers College, Millersville, PA  
 1958-1959 President, National College English Association  
 1959 Published *The Reason for the Pelican* [children's poems; illustrated by  
 Madeleine Gekiere] (Philadelphia, PA: J.B. Lippincott Company, 63 pp.)  
 Published *How Does a Poem Mean?* [introduction to poetry; *Part Three of  
 An Introduction to Literature* by Herbert Barrows, Hubert Heffner, John  
 Ciardi & Wallace Douglas] (Boston, MA: Houghton Mifflin Company, 408  
 pp.)  
 Published *39 Poems* [poems] (New Brunswick, NJ: Rutgers University  
 Press, 86 pp.)  
 1959-1960 Lecturer, "Steinman Poetry Lectures," Tufts University, Medford, MA  
 1960 Published *Scrappy the Pup* [children's poems] (Philadelphia, PA: J.B.  
 Lippincott Company)  
 Received Doctor of Letters, Tufts University, Medford, MA  
 Lecturer, Skidmore College  
 Monthly contributor, *Glamour Magazine*  
 1960-1964 Speaker at various college seminars (e.g. Stanford University, Fairfield  
 University)  
 1961 Published translator of *The Purgatorio* by Dante Alighieri (New York, NY:  
 The New American Library of World Literature, Inc., 350 pp.)  
 Published *I Met a Man* [children's poems; illustrations by Robert Osborn]  
 (Boston, MA: Houghton Mifflin Company, 74 pp.)  
 Published *In the Stoneworks* [poems] (New Brunswick, NJ: Rutgers  
 University Press, 96 pp.)  
 Published *The Man Who Sang the Sillies* [children's poems]  
 (Philadelphia, PA: J.B. Lippincott Company, 63 pp.)  
 Lecturer, American Cultural Association, Inc. cruise  
 1961-1962 Host of "Accent", weekly CBS TV show  
 1962 Published *In Fact* [poems] (New Brunswick, NJ: Rutgers University Press,  
 68 pp.)  
 Published *You Read to Me, I'll Read to You* [children's poems;  
 illustrations by Edward Gorey] (Philadelphia, PA: J.B. Lippincott  
 Company, 64 pp.)  
 Published *The Wish-Tree* [children's story] (New York, NY: Crowell-  
 Collier Press, 98 pp.)  
 1963 Received Doctor of Humanities, Wayne State University, Detroit, MI

- Published *Dialogue with an Audience* [collected Saturday Review essays] (Philadelphia, PA: J.B. Lippincott Company, 316 pp.)
- Published *Poetry, A Closer Look* [with James M. Reid and Laurence Perrine] (New York, NY: Harcourt, Brace & World)
- Published *John J. Plenty and Fiddler Dan* [rhymed fable] (Philadelphia, PA: J.B. Lippincott Company, 33 pp.)
- Draft titled *In Flagrante Libido, being, The Collected Limericks and the Selected Wit and Wisdom of John Ciardi, bard now newly gathered and annotated for Charles E. Feinberg* was prepared
- Delivers speech titled "What Good Is A Poem?" at Brigham Young University, Provo, UT
- 1964 Published *Person to Person* [poems] (New Brunswick, NJ: Rutgers University Press, 83 pp.)
- Published *You Know Who* [children's poems; illustrations by Edward Gorey] (Philadelphia, PA: J.B. Lippincott Company, 63 pp.)
- Published *Rico Lebrun* [catalogue; contains John Ciardi's "The Creative Violence: in Homage to Rico Lebrun"] (New York, NY: Nordess Gallery)
- Received Doctor of Law, Ursinus College, Collegeville, PA
- Received Doctor of Humane Letters, Kalamazoo College, MI
- Guest lecturer, Chautauqua Institute, DeKalb, Hays, and Syracuse
- 1964-1965 Visiting professor of English and Poet in Residence for Tufts University, Medford, MA [Ciardi was in disagreement with University position on Censorship]
- 1964-1967; 1972 Guest lecturer, United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, MD
- 1965 Published *The Selected Poems of John Holmes* [introduction by John Ciardi] (Boston, MA: Beacon Press, 98 pp.)
- Published *The King Who Saved Himself from Being Saved* [children's poem; illustrations by Edward Gorey] (Philadelphia, PA: J.B. Lippincott Company)
- Published translator of *Three Lectures* by Dante Alighieri [with Joseph Chesley Matthews & Francis Fergusson] (Washington, DC: Library of Congress)
- Lecturer, University of the Philippines
- Delivers lecture titled "The Artist In Society" at George Washington University, Washington, DC
- Lecturer at "A Symposium on Dante Alighieri" at the Library of Congress
- Featured in "Creative Person" TV series on Channel 13/WNDT
- 1966 Published *The Monster Den, or, Look What Happened at my House - And to It* [children's poems] (Philadelphia, PA: J.B. Lippincott Company, 62 pp.)
- Published *This Strangest Everything* [poems] (New Brunswick, NJ: Rutgers University Press, 104 pp.)
- Received Special Citation, West Virginia Wesleyan College, Buckhannon, WV
- Recipient of award for distinguished contribution to literature for children and young people, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ

- 1967 Published *An Alphabestiary* [portfolio of poems; illustrations by Milton Hebard] (Philadelphia, PA: J.B. Lippincott Company, 57 pp.)  
Published *A Genesis* [portfolio book of 15 poems; illustrations by Gabor Peterdi] (New York: Touchstone Publishers Ltd.)
- Ca. 1976-1986 Lived at 359 Middlesex Avenue, Metuchen, NJ
- 1969 Lecturer, Communications Electronics Division at West Point, NY
- 1970 Published translator of *The Paradiso* by Dante Alighieri (New York, NY: The New American Library of World Literature, Inc., 367 pp.)  
Published *Someone Could Win a Polar Bear* [children's poems; illustrations by Edward Gorey] (Philadelphia, PA: J.B. Lippincott Company, 62 pp.)  
Received Doctor of Letters, Bates College, Lewiston, ME
- 1971 Published *Lives of X* [autobiographical poems] (New Brunswick, NJ: Rutgers University Press, 120 pp.)  
Received Doctor of Literature, Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, OH  
Received Doctor of Letters, Washington University, St. Louis, MO  
Included on list of radicals published by the House Internal Security Committee (HISC)
- 1972 Published *On the Orthodoxy and Creed of My Power Mower* [250 copies] (Cambridge, MA: Pomegranate Press)  
Published *Manner of Speaking* [selected *Saturday Review* columns] (New Brunswick, NJ: Rutgers University Press, 118 pp.)  
Guest speaker, The Gertrude Clarke Whittall Poetry and Literature Fund program at the Coolidge Auditorium, Library of Congress  
Worked with Norman Cousins for *World Magazine*
- Ca. 1972-1973 Professor at the University of Florida
- 1973 Delivers speech titled "What Good Is A Poem?" at York College and The Woman's Club
- 1974 Published *The Little That Is All* [poems] (New Brunswick, NJ: Rutgers University Press, 86 pp.)  
Sound recordings titled *About Eskimos and Other Poems, What Do You Know about Poetry?: An Introduction to Poetry for Children, What Is a Poem?: A Discussion of How Poems Are Made, and Why Noah Praised the Whale and Other Poems* for Spoken Arts
- 1975 Published *Fast & Slow Poems for Advanced Children and Beginning Parents* [children's poems; illustrations by Becky Gaver] (Boston, MA: Houghton Mifflin Company, 67 pp.)  
Guest lecturer, Salem College, Winston-Salem, NC
- 1976 Guest lecturer, Yakima Town Hall, WA  
Speaker at "Poetry is for Pleasure" talk
- 1977 Published translator of *The Divine Comedy* by Dante Alighieri (New York, NY: W.W. Norton Company, Inc., 602 pp.)  
*The Dance on Mudhole Street* was rejected by Houghton Mifflin Company  
Bought vacation home at 725 Windsor Lane, Key West, FL
- 1978 Published *Limericks Too Gross* [with Isaac Asimov] (New York, NY: W.W. Norton Company, Inc., 101 pp.)

1978-1980 College lecturer [including Tulsa Junior College]

1979 Published *For Instance* [poems] (New York, NY: W.W. Norton Company, Inc., 72 pp.)

1980 Published *A Browser's Dictionary* [etymology] (New York, NY: Harper & Row Publishers, 429 pp.)  
Published *Plain English in a Complex Society* [with Laurence Urdang and Frederick Dickerson] (Bloomington, IN: Poynter Center, Indiana University, 24 pp.)  
Professor at the University of Minnesota, Duluth, MN

1981 Published *A Grossery of Limericks* [with Isaac Asimov] (New York, NY: W.W. Norton Company, Inc., 101 pp.)  
Poet Laureate, World Academy of Arts and Culture  
Reader at the Hopwood Festival Program, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI

1981-1986 Mentor / editor for *Berlin Wild* by Eleanor Welt

1982 Received National Council of Teachers of English Poetry Award  
Poetry editor for one issue of *Poetry Pilot*  
Professor at Northern Kentucky University, Highland Heights, KY  
Suffers minor stroke

1983 Published *A Second Browser's Dictionary and Native's Guide to the Unknown American Language* [etymology] (New York, NY: Harper & Row Publishers, 329 pp.)  
Doctor of Humane Letters, University of Missouri-Kansas City, MO

1984 Published *Selected Poems* (Fayetteville, AK: University of Arkansas Press, 240 pp.)  
First Cockefair Chair Distinguished Visiting Professor at the University of Missouri-Kansas City, MO

1984-1985 Director of the Joy Conference at the University of Northern Kentucky University, Highland Heights, KY

1985 Published *The Birds of Pompeii* (Fayetteville, AK: University of Arkansas Press, 70 pp.)  
Published *Phonethics: Twenty-Two Limericks for the Telephone by John Ciardi* [illustrations by Jonathan Bumas] (Winston-Salem, NC: Palaemon Press Limited, 12 pp.)  
Published *Doodle Soup* [illustrations by Merle Nacht] (New York, NY: Houghton Mifflin Company, 64 pp.)  
Director of the Ohio Valley ("Joy") Writers Conference, Northern Kentucky University, Highland Heights, KY

1986 Attended Community of Scholars program, University of Southern Indiana, Evansville, IN

1986, March 30 Died, Metuchen, NJ  
*A John Ciardi Festschrift* was meant to be published in the Summer 1986 by the University of Arkansas Press, Fayetteville, AK

- 1987 Posthumous publication of *Good Words to You: An All-New Browser's Dictionary and Native's Guide to the Unknown American Language* (New York, NY: Harper & Row Publishers, 343 pp.)  
Posthumous publication of *John Ciardi: A Descriptive Bibliography* by Charles C. Lovett and Stephanie B. Lovett (Meckler Publishing Corporation)
- 1988 Posthumous publication of *Poems of Love and Marriage* (Fayetteville, AK: The University of Arkansas Press, 480 pp.)  
Posthumous publication of *Bladderhead Bobble-Bud & Spade, Selected Poems of John Ciardi*, edited by Anna M. Aschkenes [collection of children's poems] (Middlesex County Cultural & Heritage Commission, 80 pp.)  
Posthumous publication of *Saipan: The War Diary of John Ciardi*, introduction by Edward M. Cifelli and forward by Robert M. Cordray (Fayetteville, AK: University of Arkansas Press, 131 pp.)
- 1989 Posthumous publication of *Echoes: Poems Left Behind* (Fayetteville, AK: University of Arkansas Press, 80 pp.)  
Posthumous publication of *Ciardi Himself - Fifteen Essays in the Reading, Writing, and Teaching of Poetry* (Fayetteville, AK: University of Arkansas Press, 141 pp.)  
Posthumous publication of *The Hopeful Trout and Other Limericks* [children's poems; illustrations by Susan Meddaugh] ((Boston, MA: Houghton Mifflin Company, 64 pp.)
- 1990 Posthumous publication of *Mummy Took Lessons and Other Poems* [children's poems; illustrations by Merle Nacht] (Boston, MA: Houghton Mifflin Company, 52 pp.)
- 1991 Posthumous publication of *The Selected Letters of John Ciardi*, edited by Edward M. Cifelli (Fayetteville, AK: University of Arkansas Press, 475 pp.)
- 1993 Posthumous publication of *Stations of the Air* [poems; with Miller Williams] (BkMk Press, 64 pp.)
- 1996 Proclamation of John Ciardi Week in Metuchen, NJ  
"Off the Page" poetry appreciation program taped at the Metuchen Library
- 1997 Posthumous publication of *Collected Poems of John Ciardi*, edited by Edward M. Cifelli (Fayetteville, AK: University of Arkansas Press, 618 pp.)
- 2001 Posthumous publication of *A Third Browser's Dictionary: A Compendium of Curious Expression & Intriguing Facts* (Akadine Press, 343 pp.)

#### Scope and Content Note:

The John Ciardi Collection spans from the late 1920s to 2001, with the bulk of the items concentrated on personal correspondence, poems, and manuscripts from the period between 1935 and 1986. The collection, which focuses on Ciardi's work as a poet, editor, literary critic, lecturer, and journalist, is stored in seven boxes. One **oversized framed drawing** is stored separate from the boxes.

# Inventory

## Description of Series:

### Box 1: Diploma, Filmstrip Canisters, Books; ca. 1960-1987 (5 items)

#### Diploma

Doctor of Letters, Tufts University, Medford, MA, 1960

#### Filmstrip Canisters

*Creative Person*, National Education Television, ca. 1965

*Modern Man is Obsolete*, Saturday Review [24 min.], ca. 1970s

#### Books

*The Birds of Pompeii* by John Ciardi, ©1985

*Good Words to You* by John Ciardi, ©1987

### Box 2: Victorian-era Black Dress; ca. 19th century (1 item)

### Box 3: Address Book, Advertisements, Articles, Booklets, Books, Book Reviews, Cards, Correspondence, Diplomas/Awards, Manuscripts, Newspaper Clippings, Photographs, Planners, Poems, Programs; ca. 1948-2001 (64 items)

Address book; undated

#### Advertisements

Dante Alighieri *The Inferno*, translated by John Ciardi, ©1954 [3 copies]

*Poems of Love and Marriage* by John Ciardi, ©1988 [7 copies]

#### Articles

"Foot in Mouth" by John Ciardi for the *Saturday Review*, undated [draft]

"Rejection Slips" by John Ciardi, undated [draft]

"Thank You Note" by John Ciardi for the *Saturday Review*, undated [draft]

#### Booklets

*Adventures of the Mind 48. The Act of Language* from the *Saturday Evening Post* by John Ciardi, © 1960 (published by The Curtis Publishing Company; 3 pp.) [2 copies]

*John Ciardi: un irpino nella poesia americana*, © 1969 (published by Americo Tirone; extracted from the *Irpina Economic Magazine*; 10 pp.)

*Plain English in a Complex Society*, © April 1980 (features article "Can Language Still Communicate?" by John Ciardi; published by Indiana University; 24 pp.) [2 copies]

#### Books

*Bladderhead Bobble-Bud & Spade, Selected Poems of John Ciardi*, edited by Anna M. Aschkenes, ©1988

*Dialogue with an Audience* (1<sup>st</sup> ed.) by John Ciardi, © 1963 [2 copies]

*I Marry You: A Sheaf of Love Poems* by John Ciardi, ©1958

*I Met a Man* (published and proof) by John Ciardi, ©1961

*In Fact* by John Ciardi, ©1962

*Phonethics: Twenty-Two Limericks for the Telephone* by John Ciardi (1<sup>st</sup> ed.), ©1985

*Poems of Love and Marriage* by John Ciardi, ©1988

*Saipan: The War Diary of John Ciardi*, introduction by Edward M. Cifelli and forward by Robert M. Cordray, ©1988 [3 copies]  
*A Second Browser's Dictionary and Native's Guide to the Unknown American Language* by John Ciardi, ©1983  
*The Selected Letters of John Ciardi* (1<sup>st</sup> ed.), edited by Edward M. Cifelli, © 1991  
*A Third Browser's Dictionary: A Compendium of Curious Expression & Intriguing Facts* by John Ciardi, ©2001 [2 copies]

#### Book Reviews

2 reviews from the *South Central Review* and *The Columbus Dispatch* regarding *Saipan: The War Diary of John Ciardi*, 1988

Cards; printed by the Walt Whitman Birthplace Association

#### Correspondence

Basler, Roy P. (1969) [1 letter]

#### Diplomas/Awards

Award for poetry, The Golden Rose of the New England Poetry Club,

1948

Doctor of Humanities, Wayne State University, Detroit, MI, 1963

Doctor of Humane Letters, Kalamazoo College, MI, 1964

Special Citation, West Virginia Wesleyan College, Buckhannon, WV,

1966

Doctor of Letters, Bates College, Lewiston, ME, 1970

Doctor of Letters, Washington University, St. Louis, MO, 1971

Doctor of Literature, Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, OH, 1971

Certificate, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, undated

#### Manuscripts

"Summer in Winchester" excerpt, possibly part of an autobiography of John Ciardi, undated [1 pp.]

Untitled autobiographical manuscript by John Ciardi, undated [180 pp.]

Untitled excerpt by John Ciardi that contains autobiographical notes on Ciardi's early childhood, undated [1 pp.]

Untitled excerpt containing miscellaneous anecdotes and jokes by John Ciardi, undated [5 pp.]

Untitled manuscript with written notation "This is a transcription of several manuscript and typescript papers left by John Ciardi at his death," undated [156 pp.]

#### Newspaper Clippings

"John Ciardi, Metuchen Poet, Uses Talents in Many Ways" by Kenneth Hartnett from the *Perth Amboy Evening News*, 12/29/1958

"Metuchen Slates Arts Festival" from the *Perth Amboy Evening News*, 3/30/1966

"Poet Says Learning to Write is Just 'Joyously Difficult'" by Cathy Traugott from *Tulsa World*, 2/19/1978

"Treasures in Ciardi's Home Run Gamut from Victorian to Modern" from the *Perth Amboy Evening News*, 4/29/1960

#### Photographs

John Ciardi and colleagues at Ursinus College Commencement, Collegeville, PA, 1964 [1 image]

John Ciardi lecturing students of the Communications Electronics Division at West Point, NY, © US Army, 12/16/1969 [2 images]

John Ciardi portraits, undated [3 images]

John Ciardi receiving certificate from an unknown representative at a NJ office, undated [1 image]

Planners, personal; 1960-1961, 1965, 1972-1973

Poems

"Back through the looking glass to this side" by John Ciardi, undated

"The damned" by John Ciardi, undated

"English A" by John Ciardi, undated

"I Remember the House That Was" by John Ciardi, undated

"An Island Galaxy" by John Ciardi, undated

"A Magus" by John Ciardi, © 1966 [50 copies]

"My Father Died Imperfect as a Man" by John Ciardi, undated

"Myth & Ritual" by Howard Nemerov, undated

"Poem From A Hired Room" by John Ciardi from *American Decade*, 1959

"Poem of Jealousy" by Sappho, translated by William Carlos Williams, © 1957

"Vodka" by John Ciardi, undated

Programs

Commencement at Washington University in St. Louis, MO, 6/4/1971

"Commencement of the Class of 1964 at Ursinus College in College, Pennsylvania," 6/8/1964

"An Evening Of Poetry in the Park with Marianne Moore, John Ciardi, William Jay Smith and Love Poetry - Old and New Selected by William Cole" from the New York Shakespeare Festival at Delacorte Theater, NY, 6/21/1965

"A Program in Memory of John Ciardi, 1916-1986" at Kirkpatrick Chapel at Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ, 9/24/1986

**Box 4: Advertisements, Agenda, Articles, Bibliography, Biography, Booklets, Books, Book Reviews, Brochures, Budget, Cards, Correspondence, Diary excerpts, Documents, Journals, Ledger, Lists, Magazines, Manuscripts, Maps, Menu, Miscellaneous Papers, Newsletters, Newspaper Clippings, Notebook, Notes, Photographs, Poems, Posters, Press Releases, Programs, Receipts, Resume, Royalty Statements, Schedules, School Records, Sheet Music, Speech, Ticket, Transcript, Worksheet, Yearbook; ca. 1927-1997 (786 items)**

Advertisements

"An Evening with John Ciardi" presented by the University of Missouri-Kansas City at Pierson Hall, UMKC University Center on April 19, 1984, 4/10/1984

General Charles De Gaulle exhibit at the Waddell Gallery, NY, undated  
John Ciardi, Distinguished Platform Personalities: Programs of Success by Harry Walker Inc., ca. 1965

Magazine Promotion Group Luncheon at Roosevelt Hotel in NY (guest speaker: John Ciardi), 11/18

Mail-in order form for "New Titles - Essential for all Literature & Science Fiction Collections" by Meckler, 1/19/1992

First Triennial Roethke Memorial Prize winner Howard Nemerov for *The Blue Swallows*, undated [postcard]

*A Genesis* by John Ciardi, © 1967

*Horn in the Dust* by Selwyn S. Schwartz (published in the Chicago Jewish Forum), undated

"The Gertrude Clarke Whittall Poetry and Literature Fund presents John Ciardi reading from his poems, introduced by Josephine Jacobsen, 1971-72 Consultant in Poetry" at the Coolidge Auditorium, Library of Congress, 3/27/1972

Agenda; Bread Loaf Writers' Conference, 1970

#### Articles

"American Lit 101" by Judson Jerome from *Writer's Digest Magazine*, 7/1/1985 [draft]

"American Poetry Today" edited by John Ciardi from the *Times Library Supplement*, 1/19/1951

"Another School Year - Why?" by John Ciardi from *Rutgers Alumni Monthly*, vol. XXXIV, no. 2, November 1954 [2 copies]

"Antilogies" by John Train from *Harvard Magazine*, November-December 1985

"An Archetypal World: Images of Italy in the Poetry of John Ciardi" by Fedora Giordano from *Rivista di Studi Anglo-Americani*, vol. 3, 1984/1985

"The aroused language of modern American poetry: 'Like the shark, it contains a shoe'" by Michael L. Rosenthal from the *New York Times*, 11/24/1974

"Bates in Print" from *The Garnet* regarding alumni poets John Ciardi and Leslie Warren, June 1940

"Bread Loaf - A Third of a Century" by John Ciardi, ca. 1958-1959

"Bread Loaf, USA" by John Ciardi from the *American Journal of Nursing*, undated

"The Burial of the Dead" by John Ciardi from *The University of Kansas City Review*, vol. XVII, Summer 1951

"The Cassettes Go Rolling Along" by R.Z. Sheppard from *Time Magazine*, 10/8/1984

"Casualties of '82: Five Magazine Post Mortems" from *Adweek Magazine* Report regarding the end of the *Saturday Review*, March 1983

"Children's TV misses mark, poet say" by Mark Cowling from *The Evansville Courier*, 3/24/1986 [2 copies]

"Ciardi's Art" by Judson Jerome from the Poetry Section of the *Writer's Digest Magazine*, October 1985

"Ciardi Memorialized By Friends" by Judy West from unknown publication, 4/11/1986

"Ciardi on Tape" from *The Tuftonian* regarding an interview with John Ciardi, February 1961

"Ciardi Remembered" by Judson Jerome for unknown publication, 9/15/1985 [draft]

"Ciardi To Read At LC March 27" from unknown publication regarding poetry reading at the Coolidge Auditorium, Library of Congress, 3/17/1972

"Ciardi's Latest Poems" from *Bates Alumnus* magazine, 5/1/1948

"A club within a club where creativity elicits rich rewards" by Ralph Graves from the *Smithsonian* Magazine, vol. 23, no. 8, regarding the American Academy and Institute of Arts and Letters, November 1982 [excerpt]

"Community of Scholars Present Ciardi" from *University Notes* (University of Southern Indiana), vol. XX, no. 27, 3/19/1986

"Congressman 'Chick' Clason, '11 Profiled by Annapolis Professor" by Roger Fredland from *Bates Alumnus* magazine, 5/1/1948

"Death of poet shocks faculty members at USI" by Roger McBain from *The Evansville Courier*, 4/1/1986

"Declaration of Faith" from *Editorials* regarding the House Internal Security Committee controversy, undated

"The Devil You Say (He understands all codes)" by John Ciardi from the *Saturday Review*, 9/18/1976

"E. L. Mayo - A Modern Metaphysical" by John Ciardi from the *University of Kansas City Review*, Autumn 1947

"The Easy Chair" by Bernard DeVoto for *Harper's Magazine*, 1947

"Everyone Wants to Be Published, But..." by John Ciardi from *The Writer*, August 1976

"Foreword" for the Bread Loaf Writers' Conference by John Ciardi, ca. 1962

"The Future of Poetry" by John Ciardi from the *Saturday Review*, 9/7/1974

"Getting into the Novel" by Kellogg W. Hunt from the *English Journal*, vol. 1, December 1961

"Goldilocks P. Smith" by John Ciardi from *World Magazine*, 7/3/1973

"Hagemann-Ciardi collaboration a hit" by James H. Linville from *Mount Vernon Democrat*, 3/26/1986 [2 copies]

"A Harvest Of Dialects In the South" by William E. Schmidt from the *New York Times*, 11/17/1985

"Hold That Tiger" by John Ciardi from the *Saturday Review*, undated

"How Does Grammar Mean?" by Margaret I. Cowsar and Margarete Teer from the *English Journal*, vol. 1, December 1961

"HUAC/HISC: I have 65 names" by Vin McLellan from *The Phoenix* regarding House Internal Security Committee (HISC), 10/20/1970

"Improved Trunk Injection for Control of Dutch Elm Disease" by William E. Phair and George S. Ellmore from the *Journal of Arboriculture* 10(10), October 1984

"An Interview with John Ciardi" by Gail Steinberg from *Writing Magazine*, September 1985

"John Ciardi: Dante's Twentieth Century Voice" by Roger Kahle from *This Day Magazine*, February 1969

"John Ciardi: In Memoriam" from *The Crumb* (Bread Loaf Writers' Conference), ca. 1986

John Ciardi obituary from *University Notes* (University of Southern Indiana), vol. XX, no. 29, 4/2/1986

"John Ciardi, Poet, Essayist and Translator, 69" obituary from the *New York Times*, 4/2/1986

"John Ciardi's Crucial Grace" by Coleman McCarthy from *The Washington Post* regarding remembrance of John Ciardi, 4/19/1986

"Lesson Plan for Today: The Mother Tongue" by John Ciardi from the *Saturday Review*, 10/18/1975

"Life Distilled" by Edward Cifelli regarding John Ciardi, 1992 [draft]

"Linguist derives pleasure from delving into derivations" by Lawrence DeVine from the *Detroit Free Press* regarding John Ciardi, 10/31/1983

"Literary creations take new shapes as music, dance" by Roger McBain from *The Evansville Press*, 3/24/1986 [3 copies]

"The Major Leagues" by Judson Jerome *Writer's Digest Magazine*, November 1985

"A Man Is What He Does With His Attention: A Conversation with John Ciardi" by Vince Clemente from *Poesis: A J Criticism*, vol. 7, no. 2, © 1986

"Manocalzati attende la visita del poeta americano John Ciardi" from *Il Mattino* (Italian publication), 5/8/1969

"The Maundering of Moderation" by John Ciardi from the *Saturday Review*, 9/10/1966

"Meeting the Genuine Mystery" regarding Theodore Roethke from the *Saturday Review*, 7/31/1965

"Memorial to John Ciardi" from *Solares Hill* (Key West, FL), vol. 14, no. 5, May 1986

"Metuchen Love Story" from the *Town Crier* (New Brunswick, NJ) regarding the Ciardi family, 2/8-14/1959

"The Middle Muddle" by John Ciardi from the *Harvard Advocate*, vol. CXXXII, regarding politics, 2/28/1949

"More of Less" from the *Saturday Review* regarding reader comments on John Ciardi, 7/1/1961

"NKU, Happy Visits, and Now (and Later) the Joy Conference" by John Ciardi, undated [draft]

"No Subject" by John Ciardi from the *Saturday Review* regarding the college generation, undated [draft]

"Noted poet John Ciardi has died" from *The Evansville Courier*, 4/1/1986

"Nurses as writers" by John Ciardi from *AORN Journal*, 11/1971

"On Being A Man of Honor" by John Ciardi from *World Magazine*, ca. 1973 [draft]

"On the Hill" from *Tufts Alumni Review* regarding teachers and John Holmes, Summer 1961

"On Leaving the Bench" by John Ciardi from the *Saturday Review* regarding the Bread Loaf Writers' Conference, 3/13/1971

"On Writers and Writing. An interview With John Ciardi" from *Ball State Teacher's College Forum*, vol. 3, September 1962

"Poet captures thrill, pain of beloved state changing" by Jack Kisling from *The Denver Post* regarding Thomas Hornsby Ferril, 5/19/1985

"Poet from afar reminds us of who we are" by Sara Anne Corrigan from *The Evansville Courier & Press*, 3/23/1986

"Poet to have some well-chosen words for visit to area" by Roger McBain from *The Evansville Press*, 3/6/1986

"Poet-etymologist sets appearances" from *The Evansville Courier*, 3/4/1986

"Poets and Prizes" by John Ciardi from *College English*, vol. XXXIX, December 1950

"Poets, Society, and Religion" from *The Lutheran Witness*, November 1968 (features an interview with Mark Van Doren, W.D. Snodgrass, Richard Eberhart, Thomson Gunn, and John Ciardi)

"A Praise of Good Teachers" by John Ciardi from the *Saturday Review*, undated

"Promising Poet - John Ciardi Must Write Or Else He Can't Sleep" by Roger Fredland from *Bates Alumnus Magazine*, June 1940

"Quick Trip to Butternut: A Short Story" by Joseph Dever from *The Current*, undated

Reader comments from the *Saturday Review* regarding John Ciardi [excerpts], 1962-1964

"The Sadness of the Performer" by John Ciardi from unknown publication, undated

"See All Evil" by John Ciardi from *The Writer*, vol. 93, June 1980

"Small presses come to rescue of two elder statesmen of poetry" by George Palmer Garrett from the *Chicago Tribune* regarding *Selected Poems* (by John Ciardi), 2/24/1985

"Translation: The Art of Failure" by John Ciardi from the *Saturday Review*, 10/7/1961

"An ulcer, gentleman, is an unwritten poem" by John Ciardi (distributed through the College English Association, South College, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, MA; reprinted from *Canadian Business*), June 1955

"A University Press in Kansas City" from the *Kansas City Star*, 6/16/1951

"Unsolicited Opening Day Address by Prexy" by John Ciardi from the *Saturday Review*, September 1968

"A View on the Summit or A Peek At The Literary Establishment" by unknown regarding the Bread Loaf Writers' Conference, 3/17/ 1991

"What Does It Take to Enjoy a Poem?" by John Ciardi from the *Saturday Review*, 12/10/1949

"What Every Writer Must Learn" by John Ciardi from the *Saturday Review*, 12/15/1956

"Who Writes the Contract?" from unknown publication regarding liberal arts college education, 10/23/1965  
"Why Do They Come To Bread Loaf?" by John Ciardi, ca. 1965  
"The Widow-Maker" by John Ciardi from the *Saturday Review*, 7/26/1975  
"WLB Autobiography: John Ciardi" by John Ciardi from the *Wilson Library Bulletin*, vol. 38, 1964  
"The World Well Lost, but Happy New Year Anyhow" by John Ciardi from the *Saturday Review*, 2/19/ 1966  
"Writer's Conference, USA" by John Ciardi for *Cosmos-X Magazine*, undated [draft]  
"Writers Gather to Celebrate New Hopwood Endowment" by Jennifer Dunning from the *New York Times*, 3/9/1985  
Untitled article by John Ciardi from *Poetry Magazine*, undated [draft excerpt]  
Untitled article by John Ciardi from the *Saturday Review* regarding civics lessons to the House Internal Security Committee, 11/7/1970  
Untitled article by John Ciardi from *Writer's Digest Magazine*, 6/2/1985 [draft]

Untitled column on John Ciardi by Judson Jerome for *Writer's Digest Magazine*, 6/2/1985 [draft]

Bibliography; "The Writings of A. Brinton Carson," 3/17/1991

#### Biographies

Ciardi, John biographical sheet [draft excerpt], 1991  
Ciardi, John biography [excerpt], undated  
Ciardi, John biography by Diane Allen from *Language Arts* [excerpt], May 1982  
Ciardi, John short biography [excerpt], 1983  
Delman, David (Bread Loaf Writers' Conference), 1962  
Hercules, Frank (Bread Loaf Writers' Conference), 1962  
Kessler, Milton (Bread Loaf Writers' Conference), 1962  
Turco, Lewis (Bread Loaf Writers' Conference), 1962  
White, Milton (Bread Loaf Writers' Conference), 1962  
Williams, Miller (Bread Loaf Writers' Conference), 1962

Booklet; Theodore Roethke Memorial Foundation, undated

#### Books

*Anne Morrow Lindbergh: A Gift Of Life* by Dorothy Herrmann [excerpt], ©1992  
*Cathedrals and Churches of France* by A-H Brodrick, ©1949  
*Invitation to Italian Poetry* by Luciano Rebay [excerpts], ©1969  
"(C) Sentence Palindromes" from *Palindromes and Reversals* [excerpt], undated  
*The Chautauqua Collection, Vol. I - The Meaning of Poetry: Viewpoints of John Ciardi* (published by the Chautauqua Institution), © 1982 [excerpts]

titled "About the Tapes," "About the Lecturer: John Ciardi," & "About the Chautauqua Collection"]

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**Merrill Lynch account statements** (1997-1998) for Myra Ciardi Watts [4 envelopes]

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**Theodore Roethke**, ca. 1974 - notes, correspondence, program, booklet, advertisement [1 folder]

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"The Wish Tree" by John Ciardi, 4/27/1964 [12 pp.]

Miscellaneous fictional short stories by John Ciardi, undated [111 pp.] (including "Peace Comes to Diehard Univ.," "Fantasy Life," "Honor," "If His Animal Comes," and "Where Volume of Travel Warrants")

Untitled manuscript / notes by John Ciardi regarding miscellaneous topics, undated [unfinished; loose paper & two spiral-bound notebooks, 77 pp.]

#### Newspaper Clippings

27 news clippings regarding John Ciardi and the House Internal Security Committee (HISC) list of radicals, 1956-1970

"Bread Loaf: a Slice of the Literary Life" from *The Plain Dealer Sunday Magazine*, 11/14/1965

Untitled clipping from the *Miami Herald* regarding William Lehman, ca. 1972

#### Notes

Aphorisms / fables by John Ciardi, undated [12 pp.]

Aphorisms / notes / prose fragments by John Ciardi, undated [137 pp.]  
Autobiographical notes by John Ciardi, undated [12 pp.]  
Fictional fragments / scribbles / notes by John Ciardi regarding various topics, undated [15 pp.]  
Notes regarding a children's etymology manuscript by John Ciardi titled "Do You Really Know What You Are Saying?" (aka "The Story of Words"), 1985 [1 folder]  
"Poetry & Society" notes by John Ciardi, undated  
Unpublished etymology notes by John Ciardi, undated [1 envelope]  
Miscellaneous notes by John Ciardi regarding Robert Frost and poetry, undated [1 folder]  
"Recruiting Ancestors" notes regarding Tom Perry (an Army civilian in Saipan with John Ciardi), undated  
"Various Prose Pieces I" notes by John Ciardi, undated [1 envelope]  
"Various Prose Pieces II" notes by John Ciardi, ca. 1971 [1 envelope]

#### Poems

Fragments and draft poems by John Ciardi, undated [76 pp.]  
"If in we live" by John Ciardi, undated [draft]  
"La Giassaruoca" by John Ciardi [written in Italian], undated  
Poems published in *Echoes: Poems Left Behind* by John Ciardi, ca. 1970-1985 [drafts; 87 pp.]  
"The Shark" by John Ciardi from the *Saturday Review*, undated [2 copies]  
Various children's poems (including "Positive Peter" series) that John Ciardi was working on at his death, ca. 1980s [drafts; 151 pp.]

Press Release; Kenneth Patchen Memorial Program, 1/17-25/1972

#### Program

Commencement Address for Rhodes School at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, NY, 6/29/1971

#### Reports

Critiques of the "Publishing Procedures Course" at Radcliffe College, 1970

Resumes; Dan Jaffe, 1959

#### Speeches

Eulogy by John Ciardi for Rex Dauco, undated  
"Painting in Words" by Wilson O. Clough conducted before the Southwest Conference of Art Teachers at the University of Wyoming, 5/8/1958 (including comments on John Ciardi's poetry)  
"Poetry and the Practical Man" by John Ciardi at Rutgers University, 1953 [4 copies]  
Untitled speech by John Ciardi regarding education for the Miami University Centennial, undated  
"History Proves" and "Trivialization" speeches by John Ciardi, undated

#### Transcript

"What Is A Poem?" for *Encyclopedia Britannica*, undated [17 pp.]

Word Game; typed description of a word game by Paul Lamar, 1972

**Box 6: Advertisements, Articles, Biographical Sketches, Book Excerpts, Book Reviews, Booklet, Budgets, Correspondence (ca. 1935-1962), Documents, Lists, Magazines, Manuscripts, Miscellaneous Papers, Newsletters, Newspaper Clippings, Notes, Photographs, Poems, Posters, Press Releases, Programs, Receipts, Report, Resume, Schedules, School Records, Speeches, ca. 1935-1996 (37 items)**

Advertisements

Civil Rights Week Rally at Longfellow School, Cambridge, MA,  
10/25/1949

Fall Books from Twayne Publishers-Bookman Associates, ca. 1951  
*More Clinical Sonnets* by Merrill Moore (published by Twayne Publishers, Inc.), 10/7/1951

Indiana University Writers' Conference, 7/13-19/1952

Rutgers University Scholarship Competition in Art, English, & Music at the College of Arts and Sciences, 1953

Articles

"Another School Year Why?" by John Ciardi from the *Rutgers Alumni Monthly*, XXIV, November 1954 [booklet]

"Three Books by John Ciardi" by Winfield Townley Scott from the *University of Kansas City Review*, vol. XVI, no. 2, Winter 1949

"University Review Has An Outstanding Record Among The 'Little Magazines'" by Helen Jo Chrissman from the *Kansas City Times*, 3/4/1950 [2 copies]

Biographical sketches

"Victorian Conscience" by Clarence R. Decker, undated

Biographical note on Fletcher Pratt, undated [draft]

Book Excerpts

*The Accusatorial Versus The Inquisitional Method* by O. John Rogge [draft; 2 pp. TOC excerpt]

"Dante's Inferno – Cantos I-V" from a new translation of the *Divine Comedy* by John Ciardi (published in the *University of Kansas City Review*, Vol. XIX, no. 2), Winter 1952 [excerpt]

*Lyric Moderns in Brief* edited by Tom Boggs (Prairie City, IL: The Press of James A. Decker, 1940) [excerpts]

*Lyrics in Brief: 1300-1938* edited by Tom Boggs (New York, NY: Powgen Press) [excerpt]

Book Reviews

2 reviews from various publications regarding *Mid-Century American Poets* (edited by John Ciardi), 1950

7 reviews from various publications regarding *Other Skies* (by John Ciardi), 1947-1948

15 excerpts of miscellaneous reviews from *The Nation Magazine*, 1953-1954

19 reviews from various publications regarding *Live Another Day* (by John Ciardi), 1949

32 reviews from various publications regarding Dante's *The Inferno* (by John Ciardi), 1954

"Beauties of the Garden" by John Ciardi from *The New York Times Book Review* regarding various publications, 11/14/1954

"Bookman's Galley" from *The Providence Sunday Journal* regarding *Mid-Century American Poets* (edited by John Ciardi), 10/2/1950

"Books of 1954" by John Ciardi for *The Nation Magazine* regarding various publications, undated [draft]

"Collected Poems" by John Ciardi for *The Nation Magazine* regarding *Collected Poems* (by Yvor Winters), undated [draft]

"The Critic In Love" by John Ciardi for *The Nation Magazine* regarding *Book of Moments* (by Kenneth Burke), undated [draft]

"From Aridity to Affirmation" by George Brandon Saul from the *Western Review* regarding *Live Another Day* (by John Ciardi), Autumn 1950

"The Gypsy Ballads of Garcia Lorca" by John Ciardi for *The Nation Magazine* regarding *The Gypsy Ballads of Garcia Lorca* (by Rolfe Humphries), undated [draft]

"Haunted by Time" by John Ciardi from *The Nation Magazine* regarding *This Music Crept By Me Upon The Water* (by Archibald MacLeish), 11/14/1953 [2 copies; excerpt]

"I'll Be Judge, You Be Jury" by Paul Jordan-Smith from the *Los Angeles Times* regarding *Slang of Underworld* (by Captain Vincent J. Monteleone), 12/18/1949

"Ideas in Our Time" by Maxwell Geismar from the *Saturday Review* regarding *The Writer and His Craft*, 8/14/1954

"The Land of Silence" by John Ciardi for *The Nation Magazine* regarding *The Land of Silence* (by May Sarton), undated [draft]

"Poets of the Inner Landscape" by John Ciardi from *The Nation Magazine* regarding various publications, 11/14/1953 [excerpt]

"Recent Verse" by John Ciardi for *The Nation Magazine* regarding various publications, 2/27/1954 [draft & final copies]

"Scholars' Delight" by Joseph Joel Keith from the *Long Beach Press-Telegram* regarding *Live Another Day* (by John Ciardi), 12/3/1949

"Sensitivity Without Discipline" by John Ciardi from *The Nation Magazine* regarding *This Rowdy Heart* (by Frances Frost), 12/4/1954 [2 copies; excerpt]

"Strictness and Faithfulness" by John Ciardi from *The Nation Magazine* regarding various publications, 6/19/1954 [excerpt]

"Thing Is the Form" by John Ciardi from *The Nation Magazine* regarding *The Desert Music and Other Poems* (by William Carlos Williams), 4/24/1954 [excerpt]

"Three Voices In Verse" by John Ciardi from *The New York Times Book Review* regarding *Poets of Today* (introduction by John Hall Wheelock), 8/1/1954

"Two Nuns and a Strolling Player" by John Ciardi from *The Nation Magazine* regarding various publications, 5/22/1954 [excerpt]

"Wallace Steven's 'Absolute Magic'" by John Ciardi from *The Nation Magazine* regarding *Collected Poems* (by Wallace Stevens), 10/16/1954 [2 copies; excerpt]

Miscellaneous reviews of the *Twayne Triplets Series*, 1953 [drafts]

Review by The Macmillan Company regarding *Mr. Whittier and Other Poems* (by Winfield Townley Scott), Fall 1948 [draft]

Reviews by the editors of the *University of Kansas City Review* of poems written by Lindley Williams Hubbell, ca. 1946

Booklet; *A Letter to Hitler* by Howard Mumford Jones [full copy] (reprinted from *The Boston Evening Transcript*), 12/3/1938

Budgets; Bread Loaf Writers' Conference, 1953-1956

Correspondence

Abbott, C.D. (1940) [1 letter]

Ackerman, Forrest J. "Forry" (1953) [10 letters]

Adamic, Louis (1940) [3 letters]

Adams, Phoebe (1954) [1 letter]

Anderson, George K. (1951) [2 letters]

Anderson, M. Margaret (1940-1950) [6 letters]

Anderson, Paul (1954) [2 letters]

Asch, Moses (1954) [1 letter]

Backman, Allen (1954) [1 letter]

Bailey, David W. (1949) [3 letters]

Bailey, Robeson "Bob" (1955-1956) [6 letters]

Bain, Read (1954) [1 letter]

Ballantine, Ian (1952-1954) [12 letters]

Barnard, Mary (1940) [2 letters]

Batsford, Emory S. (1949) [1 letter]

Beal, Dick (1952) [1 letter]

Bentinck-Smith, William (1949) [2 letters]

Benton, Thomas Hart (1950-1952) [10 letters]

Bettings, B. (1940-1941) [3 letters]

Biddle, Mrs. (1950) [1 letter]

Birch, Robert L. (1954) [1 letter]

Birney, Earle (1954) [1 letter]

Bishop, Elizabeth (1949-1950) [5 letters]

Bixler, Paul (1954) [2 letters]

Blair, Arthur (1940) [2 letters]

Bleymehl, Jakob (1953) [2 letters]

Boggs, Tom (1940-1941) [43 letters]

Bordry, Paul (1946) [6 letters]

Boucher, Anthony (1953-1954) [4 letters]  
 Bowen, Catherine Drinker (1950) [1 letter]  
 Bread Loaf Writers' Conference staff members (1956) [1 letter]  
 Brinnin, John Malcolm (1939-1946) [11 letters]  
 Brookhouser, Frank (1951-1952) [18 letters]  
 Brown, Rollo Walter (1940) [1 letter]  
 Brown, Wallace "Wally" (1940-1952) [8 letters]  
 Buele, Paul H. (1949-1952) [4 letters]  
 Bynner, Witter (1946) [1 letter]  
 Cahill, Neil (1954) [1 letter]  
 Carruth, Hayden (1949) [3 letters]  
 Castellani, Maria (1951) [2 letters]  
 Chafee Jr., Zechariah (1949) [1 letter]  
 Ciardi, Concetta (1938) [1 letter]  
 Ciardi, John (1935-1962) [1405 letters]  
 Ciardi (Bonta), Evelyn (1940) [1 letter]  
 Ciardi (Hostetter), Myra Judith (1954-1958) [3 letters]  
 Ciardi (Rubero), Ella (1935-1940) [4 letters]  
 Ciardi family (1939) [2 letters]  
 Cifelli, Edward (1995) [1 letter]  
 Clark, Greenville (1949) [3 letters]  
 Clay, David M. (1949) [1 letter]  
 Clement, Laurent (1954) [1 letter]  
 Cloud, Dudley H. (1948) [2 letters]  
 Cloud, Jeannette (1946) [4 letters]  
 Cohen, Louis Henry (1949-1950) [2 letters]  
 Coleman, Mr. (1953) [1 letter]  
*Common Ground* Magazine editors (1940) [1 letter]  
 Conal, Barney (1949) [2 letters]  
 Conant, James B. (1949) [2 letters]  
 Coughlin, George G. (1955) [2 letters]

Cowden, Roy W. (1948-1954) [7 letters]  
 Cubeta, Paul (1955-1956) [6 letters]  
 Daghlian, Philip B. (1952) [1 letter]  
 Davenport, Basil (1952-1954) [6 letters]  
 Davis Jr., John L. (1953) [1 letter]  
 de Camp, L. Sprague (1952-1954) [40 letters]  
 Dean, Emmett (1954) [1 letter]  
 Decker, Clarence R. (1939-1954) [83 letters]  
 Decker (Joseph), Nannine (1952) [2 letters]  
 DeVoto, Bernard (1950-1955) [3 letters]  
 DeVries, Peter (1939-1948) [24 letters]  
 Dillon, George (1939-1948) [12 letters]  
 Duteil, M. Henri-J. (1951) [1 letter]

Eberhart, Richard "Dick" (1954) [1 letter]  
Eisenberger, Agnes (1950) [1 letter]  
Evans, Mary E. (1950) [1 letter]  
Farrar, John (1949) [1 letter]  
Fischer, John "Jack" (1955) [3 letters]  
Fitts, Dudley (1949-1954) [21 letters]  
Foreman, Clark (1954) [1 letter]  
Freeman, Stephen A. (1955-1956) [15 letters]  
French, J. Milton (1953) [16 letters]  
Friar, Kimon (1939-1950) [4 letters]  
Gallagher, Gil (1950-1954) [3 letters]  
Gelatt, Roland (1950) [1 letter]  
Ghiselin, Brewster (1952) [4 letters]  
Gibson, Christine M. (1950) [1 letter]  
Ginsberg, Ramon Angel (1950) [3 letters]  
Gold, Horace (1952) [1 letter]  
Goldberg, Maxwell H. (1952-1953) [4 letters]  
Goldberg, Shirley (1952) [1 letter]  
Goodman, Richard T. (1954) [1 letter]  
Greenburg, Edith R. (1953) [1 letter]  
Greene, Joseph I. (1951) [1 letter]  
Hall, James (1946) [1 letter]  
Hamilton, Horace E. (1952-1953) [20 letters]  
Harding, June (1950) [1 letter]  
Harper, Robert A. "Bob" (1954) [1 letter]  
Hartwig, John George (1940) [1 letter]  
Hathaway, Baxter (1947) [1 letter]  
Haviaras, Stratis (1995) [1 letter]  
Hayford, Harrison M. (1953) [2 letters]  
Henry Holt and Company (1939) [1 letter]  
Hicks, John (1952) [2 letters]  
Hillyer, Robert (1950) [1 letter]  
Hitchen, Herbert (1950-1952) [2 letters]  
Hoffman, Daniel G. (1954) [1 letter]  
Holden Jr., William C. (1954) [3 letters]  
Holmes, John (1938-1962) [82 letters]  
Holmes (Eyges), Doris K. (1958) [1 letter]  
Houghton, Arthur A. (1953) [1 letter]  
Humphries, Rolfe (1952) [1 letter]  
Hunter, Evan (1953) [1 letter]  
Ingraham, Vernon (1950) [1 letter]  
Jacobssen, Josephine (1942) [1 letter]  
Jaffe, Dan (1954-1955) [3 letters]  
Jaffe, Marc (1953-1954) [17 letters]  
Jarrell, Randall (1949) [5 letters]

Jones, Frank N. (1940) [1 letter]  
Jones, Howard Mumford (1950) [1 letter]  
Kelly, J.J. (1953) [3 letters]  
Kenseth, Arnold Martinius (1935-1941) [9 letters]  
Kerrigan, James (1950) [1 letter]  
Kreymborg, Alfred (1949-1950) [19 letters]  
Lambert, Bruce E. (1954) [1 letter]  
Lehmann, John (1951-1952) [12 letters]  
Leiber, Fritz (1954) [3 letters]  
Levin, David (1952-1953) [2 letters]  
Levin, Ed (1947) [2 letters]  
Levin, Harry (1949) [1 letter]  
Lindeman, Edward (1954) [1 letter]  
Logan, John (1954) [1 letter]  
Lott, Vestel (1952) [3 letters]  
Lowell, Robert (1949) [3 letters]  
Lynes, Russell (1952) [1 letter]  
Lyon, Carrie Ward (1950) [1 letter]  
Mabbott, Thomas (1950) [1 letter]  
MacAllister, A.T. (1953) [6 letters]  
MacLeish, Archibald (1949) [1 letter]  
Mainelli, John (1953) [4 letters]  
Marsh, Robert (1951) [2 letters]  
Mattingly, Garrett (1952) [4 letters]  
Mayo, Edward L. (1947-1953) [25 letters]  
McAfee, Helen (1940-1941) [5 letters]  
McCarthy, Francis (1950) [2 letters]  
McComas, J. Francis (1952-1953) [4 letters]  
McDaniel, Marcia (1954) [1 letter]  
McKiernan, George F. (1953) [1 letter]  
Meder Jr., Albert E. (1953) [1 letter]  
Mercer, Caroline G. (1953) [1 letter]  
Meredith, Scott (1952-1953) [4 letters]  
Merriam, Eve (1952-1953) [5 letters]  
Merrill, Judy (1952) [6 letters]  
Miagorm, Frank (1950) [1 letter]  
Mlakar, Frank (1941) [3 letters]  
Molony, Mary Moore (1955) [1 letter]  
Moore, Harry T. (1949) [4 letters]  
Moore, Merrill (1949-1953) [45 letters]  
Morrison, Theodore (1946-1955) [7 letters]  
Morton, Charles W. (1948) [1 letter]  
Moss, Howard (1949-1952) [10 letters]  
Mulder, William (1952) [1 letter]  
Munson, Gorham (1949) [1 letter]

Nagle, Mr. (1953) [1 letter]  
Nappan, Edward (1952) [1 letter]  
Nero, Nicholas J. (1953) [2 letters]  
Nims, John Frederick (1947-1950) [10 letters]  
Ober, Frank B. (1949) [4 letters]  
Ogden, Margaret "Peggy" (1949) [2 letters]  
Orenstein, Milton G. "Bud" (1952) [1 letter]  
Owen, Harry G. (1953) [4 letters]  
Pamp Jr., Frederic E. (1953) [1 letter]  
Pearce, C.A. (1941) [1 letter]  
Peirce, Waldo (1949-1950) [6 letters]  
Peters, Margedant (1946) [2 letters]  
Peterson, Houston (1954) [1 letter]  
Pickrel, Paul (1953) [1 letter]  
Piper, H. Beam (1953) [1 letter]  
*Poetry: A Magazine of Verse* editors (1939) [1 letter]  
Pohl, Frederik (1952-1953) [4 letters]  
Pratt, Fletcher (1951-1954) [76 letters]  
Pyne, Charles C. (1953) [1 letter]  
Quigley, Martin (1953) [1 letter]  
Rand, Mrs. Frances (1954) [1 letter]  
Raney, William (1955) [2 letters]  
Ransom, John Crowe (1949) [1 letter]  
Reiss, Malcolm (1953) [1 letter]  
Rex, Barbara (1955) [1 letter]  
Reyburn, Wallace (1949) [1 letter]  
Rice, Warner G. (1950) [1 letter]  
Richards, I.A. (1950) [1 letter]  
Roberts, Ruby (1950) [2 letters]  
Roethke, Theodore (1937-1953) [28 letters]  
Rogge, O. John (1951) [3 letters]  
Rorty, James (1946-1952) [13 letters]  
Rosten, Norman (1952) [1 letter]  
Rukeyser, Muriel (1949-1950) [3 letters]  
Saltzman, Allen N. (1949) [1 letter]  
Saltzman, Joel E. (1952-1953) [11 letters]  
Scanlon, Thomas E. (1953) [2 letters]  
Schwartz, Delmore (1949) [5 letters]  
Schwartz, Selwyn S. (1949-1951) [17 letters]  
Scott, Winfield Townley (1946-1949) [8 letters]  
Sebel, Julia (1950) [1 letter]  
Shapiro, Karl (1949-1953) [14 letters]  
Shea Jr., J. Vernon (1952-1954) [51 letters]  
Sheffrey, David L. (1950) [3 letters]  
Sillen, Samuel (1950) [2 letters]

Simpson Jr., Claude M. (1950) [2 letters]  
Skinner, Lloyd E. (1954) [1 letter]  
Sloane, William "Bill" (1939-1955) [37 letters]  
Snyder, Alan (1949) [1 letter]  
Snyder, Donald B. (1949) [1 letter]  
Sorice, Rose (1953) [6 letters]  
Spencer, Eloise (1950) [3 letters]  
Spencer, Theodore (1946) [1 letter]  
Spender, Stephen (1951) [2 letters]  
Spragens, Thomas A. (1952) [1 letter]  
Squires, Jim (1950) [1 letter]  
St. Clair, Margaret (1954) [2 letters]  
Steinberg, Jacob "Jack" (1949-1955) [84 letters]  
Stewart, Leslie M. (1950) [2 letters]  
Strobel, Marion (1943-1950) [30 letters]  
Sullivan, A.M. (1950-1954) [7 letters]  
Swallow, Alan (1942) [1 letter]  
Swenson, May (1954-1955) [3 letters]  
Talley, Truman M. (1953) [5 letters]  
Tate, Phyllis (1950) [1 letter]  
Thielen, Benedict (1950) [1 letter]  
Thomas, Rosemary (1949-1950) [11 letters]  
Tower, Miss (1954) [1 letter]  
Truax, R. Hawley (1947-1952) [4 letters]  
Tusiani, Giuseppi (1954) [1 letter]  
Udell, Geraldine (1944-1948) [5 letters]  
*University of Kansas City Review* editors (1946) [2 letters]  
Untermeyer, Louis (1940-1949) [4 letters]  
Upjohn, Dorothy (1939) [2 letters]  
Utley, Francis Lee (1950) [1 letter]  
Valanto, J. (1954) [1 letter]  
Valenti, Girolamo (1952-1953) [4 letters]  
Van Doren, Mark (1950) [4 letters]  
Veterans Administration (1954) [1 letter]  
Viereck, Peter (1948-1950) [23 letters]  
Wagoner, Hyatt (1946) [1 letter]  
Ward, W.S. (1951) [1 letter]  
Watson, Graham (1951) [2 letters]  
Weaver, George R. (1953) [1 letter]  
Weaver, John D. (1941) [1 letter]  
Weeks, Edward (1941-1948) [5 letters]  
Weiss, Ted (1949-1951) [6 letters]  
Westcott, John (1954) [2 letters]  
Weybright, Victor (1952) [1 letter]  
White, E.B. (1955) [2 letters]

White, K.S. (1947-1949) [6 letters]  
Whiting, B.J. (1948-1951) [2 letters]  
Wilkins, E. Michael (1949) [1 letter]  
Wilbur, Richard "Dick" (1948-1954) [10 letters]  
Williams, Ann (1940) [1 letter]  
Wilson, Thomas J. (1950-1951) [10 letters]  
Wylie, Max (1951-1952) [2 letters]  
Zabriskie, George (1949-1950) [18 letters]

#### Documents

1951 income tax return documents and notes by John Ciardi including miscellaneous check stubs, expense sheets & receipts for the year 1951  
1953-1954 income tax returns and expenses for John Ciardi  
Agreement between Twayne Publishers, Inc. and David Levin & Theodore Morrison for *Handbook of English*, undated [draft]  
Agreement between Twayne Publishers, Inc. and Horace E. Hamilton for *The Dry Scratch of Laurel*, 1/10/1953  
Agreement between Twayne Publishers, Inc. and John Holmes for *Literary Dublin*, 2/24/1955  
Agreement between Twayne Publishers Inc. and L. Sprague de Camp for *Viagens Interplanetarius*, 5/2/1952  
Agreement from Twayne Publishers, Inc. regarding profits for *Mid-Century American Poets* by John Ciardi, 1/9/1950 [draft]  
Agreements between Twayne Publishers, Inc. and Edward L. Mayo for *The Sad Photographer*, March 1950  
Agreements between Twayne Publishers, Inc. and John Holmes for *The Double Root*, March 1950  
Agreements from Twayne Publishers Inc. for the *Churchill Manuscript*, undated [drafts]  
Certificate of Eligibility from the Veterans Administration for John Ciardi, 8/20/1954  
Certificate of reasonable value for property at 243 Frank Street, Bridgewater, NJ, 8/21/1953  
Certificates of inoculation and vaccination for John & Judith Ciardi, 1950  
Closing statement between John & Judith Ciardi and Bogota National Bank on lot in Bridgewater, NJ, 10/2/1953  
Copyright document for *Girls Going To Church* by John Ciardi, signed by Henry Rago of *Poetry Magazine*, 11/16/1963  
Proclamation by the Borough of Metuchen for John Ciardi Week, 6/17/1996  
Registration form for the 1953 CEA Institute Corning Glass Center filled out by John Ciardi, 1953  
Reprint privilege document from the *University of Kansas City Review* for Frank Brookhouser, 9/28/1951

#### Lists

Address Lists for the Bread Loaf Writers' Conference, 1952-1954

Order form and check list for books in print published by Twayne Publishers Inc., ca. 1950s

#### Magazines

*The Nation* Magazines [full copies], 11/14/1953; 6/11/1955; 10/1/1955; 4/30/1955; 2/12/1955; 10/8/1955 (includes book reviews by John Ciardi)  
*Time* Magazine, vol. LXIX, no. 7 [full copy], 2/18/1957 (includes article titled "Critic Under Fire" regarding John Ciardi's criticism of Anne Morrow Lindbergh's *The Unicorn and Other Poems*)

#### Manuscripts

"The Beginning of Modern Diplomacy" by Garrett Mattingly, 1952 [1 pp.]  
"The Hypno-Feely" by John Ciardi, undated [14 pp.]  
"John Ciardi, May 12, 1950 at M.S.T.C. Chapel" by Walter Kreider, 1950 [5 pp.]  
"Management, The New Profession in America: Rutgers Lecture Series Indicates New Trends" by Frederic E. Pamp Jr., undated [2 pp.]  
"An Open Letter to the Writers of the West" by Ilya Ehrenburg, undated [5 pp.]  
"Pegasus or Pigasus?" by Carrie Ward Lyon, undated [2 pp.]  
"Plans for Creative Writing" by May Swenson, ca. 1954 [9 pp.]  
"Take Any Life You Choose and Other Stories" by Frank Brookhouser, undated [draft; 4 pp. excerpt]  
"Tales of the Viagens" by L. Sprague de Camp, undated [draft; 5 pp. excerpt]  
"Then I Am Free" by John Anthony, undated [4 pp.]  
"Why Don't You Talk About It?" by John Ciardi, 1946 [9 pp.]  
"Winfield Townley Scott" by John Ciardi regarding Scott's poetry, undated [6 pp.]

#### Miscellaneous Papers

"**Dante Clips 1954**" [1 folder] - newspaper clippings, journal articles, and book reviews for the translation of Dante's *The Inferno* by John Ciardi  
"**Bread Loaf Budget & Middlebury**," 1953-1956 [1 folder] - memorandums, budgets, schedules, and correspondence related to the planning and preparation of the Bread Loaf Writers' Conference at Middlebury College

#### Newsletters

*The CEA Critic*, vol. XII, no. 3 [full copy] (formerly the News Letter of the College English Association for the University of Massachusetts), March 1950  
*The Community Church News* [full copy] (features article titled "Noted Poet To Speak" regarding John Ciardi speaking at John Hancock Hall), January 1950

#### Newspaper Clippings

10 clippings from various publications regarding *Homeward to America* by John Ciardi, 1940-1941

10 clippings from various publications regarding "Ober" controversy surrounding John Ciardi's political activities while professor at Harvard University, 1949

21 miscellaneous clippings from various publications regarding John Ciardi's criticism of Anne Morrow Lindbergh's poetry in the *Saturday Review*, 1957

"51,500 Signatures Aim of State PCA" by W.E. Mullins regarding John Ciardi and the Progressive Citizens of America, 12/1947

"Art Is Introspective, Says an Italian Painter of Abstracts" from *The Kansas City Star* regarding Italian painter Domenico Rotella, 3/14/1952

"Ciardi, Others Will Analyze Civil Rights Issues Tonight" from *Crimson*, 10/25/1949

"Confetti" by Babette Deutsch from the *New York Times* regarding John Ciardi's book review, 5/2/1954

"English Association Will Meet" from *Enterprise* (Leominster, MA), 10/27/1949

"Here it is Christmas Again!" by Dorothy M. Brandt from unknown publication (Walton, NY), 12/1949

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\$3000 Green & Ladd Bank deposit slip for John Ciardi, undated

Bill stub from Blue Cross Blue Shield, 5/1-8/17/1978

Check and statement from the W.W. Norton & Company, Inc. for John Ciardi's *Two Gross Limericks*, 4/25-26/1978

Check, receipt, and statement from W.W. Norton & Company, Inc. for John Ciardi's translation of *Divine Comedy* by Dante Alighieri, 2/25/1977

Check, receipt, and statements from the W.W. Norton & Company, Inc. for John Ciardi's *For Instance*, 10/19-23/1978

Receipt from Bache & Co. addressed to Judith Ciardi regarding the selling of 300 shares of the Greyhound Corporation, May 1970

Royalty statements from Spoken Arts, Inc. addressed to John Ciardi regarding *You Read To Me, I'll Read To You; John J. Plenty and Fiddle Dan; You Know Who; & This Strangest Everything*, 1969

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State of Texas purchase voucher for a lecture at the School of Communication by John Ciardi, 3/26/1974

#### Resumes

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Schedules

Schedule for the Boston Public Library Children's Book International V Program, 9/16-18/1979  
Worksheet / schedule for Bread Loaf Writers' Conference, 1958

Sketches

Illustration of three men with horns by Brooke McEldonney from Paul Doktor, ca. 1977  
Sketch caricature of John Ciardi by Hiram Williams, 1972

Speeches

"The Library and the Community" by John Ciardi given at the Cowles Library Addition Dedication Ceremony, 5/7/1967

## ***Photographs***

The following are some photographs taken of objects, images, and documents contained in the collection.



Metuchen Mayor Don Wernik and Mr. Ciardi.



Promotional Photograph.



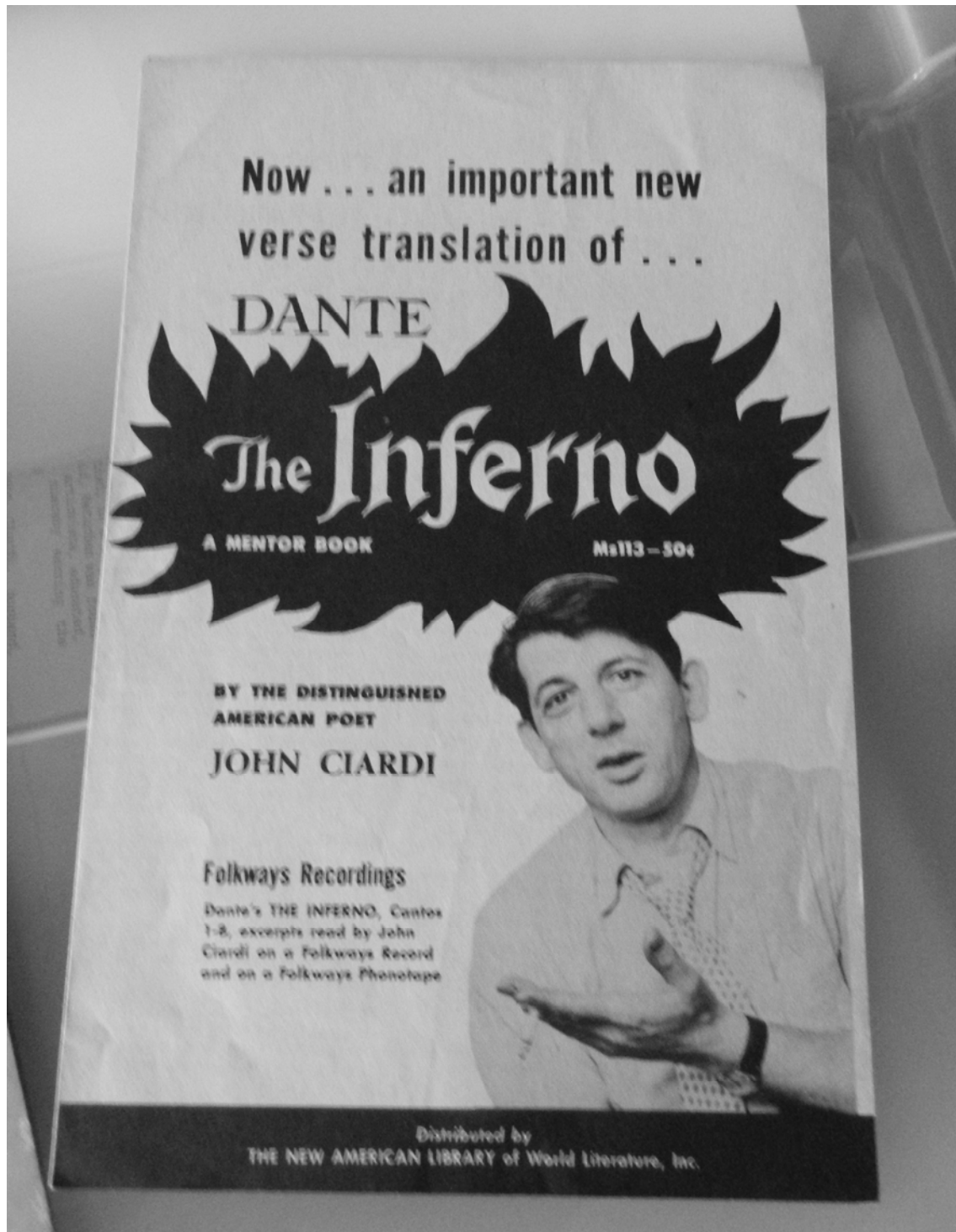
Original sketch of Mr. Ciardi by Douglas McKeown.



Portion of an antique dress.



Files, date books, address books, and documents.



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