

Recent acquisitions: manuscripts, typescripts and proofs

THIS COLUMN WAS a regular feature of *Russell* for the first fourteen issues but has not appeared in the interim. So much has accumulated that it is time to revive the column. We plan to continue it whenever a sufficient number of acquisitions has accumulated. Since the first shipment of material from the Bertrand Russell Estate arrived at McMaster in 1968, there has been a continuing search elsewhere for new material (manuscripts, correspondence, tapes, photographs and related miscellaneous items) in either original, photocopy or microform. Efforts in this direction have been made by purchasing material at auction and searching out individual and institutional owners. We would be especially appreciative to any readers who would notify us of additional Russell material in their vicinity.

When new material is received, we describe and catalogue it as soon as possible for easy retrieval and place it in acid-free folders for secure preservation. We have an in-house guide for recent acquisitions (an individual sheet for each item or grouping giving document title or name of correspondent, type and extent, date, form, provenance and any restrictions). An alphabetical card catalogue is maintained so that information on a correspondent in different files can be brought together. In this issue the list of recent acquisitions is confined to manuscripts and typescripts, from sources outside the Russell Estate. (Acquisitions from the Estate are listed in the forthcoming *Catalogue of the Second Russell Archives*.) In the next issue correspondence will be listed. The items are chronologically arranged.—C. S.

["A Locked Diary"]. 18 May 1890–Nov. 1894. Microfilm of ms. contained in a black notebook. Inscribed on the right-hand corner of the first leaf, "Bertrand Russell/Pembroke Lodge". The journal falls into several parts: an untitled first part having 29 entries from 18 May 1890 to 5 Dec. 1892 with continuous pagination 1 to 27, 27[*sic*] to 33, last page unnum-

Inspiration

I regret the delay in replying to your letter of a fortnight ago, & the difficulties & pains of a voyage of discovery in University Library. Brodke's See 7th has remained below my horizon, but I have sighted "Dundrick & Freemantle", & find that Professor Guntz's references are to the judgment of the Dean of Archer, against which, on the question of inspiration of Scripture, there was an appeal made in the Privy Council judgment from which I quoted. The Dean's declaration was not in evidence at the Privy Council; & its judgment, which, on this supposed that of the Dean of Archer, was altogether more cautious than his.

~~I have some difficulty in understanding how it is possible to believe a book without believing its contents. If it is so, it is a pity that a certain proportion should be believed? And if so, it would be a very good thing to have a proper proportion of belief.~~

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Cambridge

Barthand Russell.

The original manuscript of "Inspiration" (Jan. 1914), showing a cancelled paragraph.

bered; a second part after 7 blank pages consisting of 4 unnumbered pages titled "A History of my Friendship for Fitz.;" a third part, 6 unnumbered pages, having 5 entries from 21 July 1893 to 16 Sept. 1893, titled "Occasional Journal"; a fourth part, 3 unnumbered pages, 20-21 July 1894, beginning on the last page of the first part of Alys's entries (30 pages, 6 Feb. 1894 to 20 July 1894); Alys's entries (10 pages, 21 July 1894 to 3 Oct. 1894) continue after Russell's fourth part, and the fifth part, 3 unnumbered pages, 6 Oct. 1894 to Nov. 1894, follows after a blank page; the notebook concludes with the remainder of Alys's entries up to 23 Nov. 1911 and two lists in her hand of books she read and those read by Russell and her together in 1895-99. Courtesy of Barbara Strachey Halpern.

Die Ehe. [Aug. 1893]. Microfilm of ms. 3 leaves. In the microfilm, the ms. is located after BR's letter to Alys Pearsall Smith of 9 Aug. 1893. Courtesy of Barbara Strachey Halpern.

On the Foundations of Ethics. [Sept. 1893]. Photocopy and microfilm of ms. 5 leaves. Courtesy of Barbara Strachey Halpern.

A Critical Exposition of the Philosophy of Leibniz. Photocopy of duplicate corrected page proofs. (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 1900.) The proofs were first revised by Russell, sent to G. E. Moore for comments and then returned to Russell, who entered his final revisions and even personal replies to Moore's comments. The first page of each signature has been stamped and dated by the Cambridge University Press. Described in Walter O'Briant, "Russell on Leibniz", *Studia Leibnitiana*, 11 (1979), 159-222 (at 179). Courtesy of the State University of New York, Purchase, N.Y.

[Notes enclosed in a letter to F. H. Bradley]. 1 Feb. 1904. Mimeo transcription. 5 leaves. Courtesy of Merton College Library, Oxford, and Professor Carol A. Keene.

Chapter x. The Good. July 1911. Microfilm of ms. 9 leaves. The ms. consists of 3 parts: "I The Good of the Intellect"; "II The Good of the Emotions"; "III The Good of the Will". Part I, 3 leaves, is foliated 1 to 3 while parts II and III, 6 leaves, are foliated 1 to 6. Courtesy of Humanities Research Center, University of Texas at Austin.

Inspiration. [Jan. 1914]. Ms. 1 leaf. Title in C. K. Ogden's hand. *The Cambridge Magazine*, 3 (31 Jan. 1914), 300. BR's postcard of 25 Jan. 1914 to Ogden instructs him to omit the last paragraph. Purchase.

[Fear as the Ultimate Cause of War]. [Oct. 1914]. Ms. 3 leaves. *The Cambridge Magazine*, 4 (24 Oct. 1914), 54. Purchase.

Principles of Social Reconstruction/A Course of 8 Lectures. 16 July 1915. Ms. 1 leaf. Preliminary syllabus of BR's lectures, much revised later as *A Course of Eight Lectures on Principles of Social Reconstruction*, leaflet, 1916.

- Enclosed with BR's letter to C. K. Ogden of above date. Purchase.
 [Two Letters]. 8 Oct. 1915. Ms. 3 leaves. *The Cambridge Magazine*, 5 (30 Oct. 1915), 56. BR's letter is followed by W. R. Sorley's reply. Purchase.
 [Mr. Russell Replies]. [Oct. 1915]. Ms. 2 leaves. *The Cambridge Magazine*, 5 (6 Nov. 1915), 79. Purchase.
- II. The State. [1915-16]. Photocopy of ts. 25 leaves. This is Chapter II of *Principles of Social Reconstruction*. A note with the ts. says "keep; original sent to *Atlantic Monthly*". Courtesy of Elizabeth R. Eames and the Open Court Papers, Special Collections, Morris Library, Southern Illinois University at Carbondale.
- Mr. Russell Replies to "North Staffs". [Feb. 1916]. Ms. 3 leaves. Title in C. K. Ogden's hand. "Mr. Russell's Reply", *The Cambridge Magazine*, 5 (12 Feb. 1916), 305, 307. Enclosed with BR's letter to Ogden of 7 Feb. 1916. Purchase.
- [North Staffs' Praise of War]. [March 1916]. Ms. 3 leaves (numbered 2, 3, 4; the first leaf is lacking). *The Cambridge Magazine*, 5 (1 March 1916), 386. The "P.S." paragraph of the published article is missing from the ms. Purchase.
- Professor Dewey's "Essays in Experimental Logic". [Summer 1918]. Ts. (printer's copy). 41 leaves with continuous foliation to f. 42 except from f. 5 to f. 7; the ts. is complete, however. *The Journal of Philosophy, Psychology and Scientific Methods*, 16 (2 Jan. 1919), 5-26. Stamped on first leaf with name and address of journal, also with instructions to return the ts. to BR c/o H. Wildon Carr. Purchase from Lady Constance Malleson.
- Introduction to Mathematical Philosophy*. [Summer 1918]. Ms. 227 leaves; continuous foliation to f. 225 with addition of fos. 129a and 132a (preface and table of contents lacking). (London: George Allen & Unwin, 1919.) Purchase from Lady Constance Malleson.
- Address to the Students of Edinburgh. [c. 1923]. Photocopy of ms. 3 leaves. Title not in BR's hand. Gift.
- Education & Peace. [c. 1924?]. Ms. 4 leaves. Purchase.
- The European Chaos. [c. 1924]. Ms. 18 leaves. The first 16 leaves are an essay with the first leaf unnumbered and the remaining 15 leaves foliated 2 to 16; the last two leaves are notes, foliated 1 and 2, bearing the same title as the essay. The essay is similar to an address transcribed under the same title and listed in *Russell*, no. 1. Purchase.
- Nationalism. [1928]. Tssc. 7 leaves. "Nationalism—Is it a Blessing or a Curse?", *The Forward* (6 May 1928), E1, and as "Nationalism", *The Bermondsey Book*, 5 (June-July 1928), 46-50. Marked up editorially with "Bermondsey Book" circled in upper left-hand margin. Purchase.
- Beacon Hill School. [c. 1929]. Tssc. 3 leaves with a few revisions in Dora Russell's hand. Purchase.

- Beacon Hill School. [c. 1929]. Four-page pamphlet co-authored with Dora Russell. Purchase.
- Opinions on Swearing. [March-July 1930]. Ts. with 3 sentences added in BR's hand. 1 leaf. With omissions in David Harley, "Beacon Hill School", *Russell*, nos. 35-36. Purchase.
- Education & The Social Order. [c. 1932]. Ms. 4 leaves. A summary of *Education and the Social Order*. Purchase.
- There is no issue.... 14 Nov. 1934. Ms. 1 leaf, numbered 4 in upper right-hand corner. Date and pagination not in BR's hand; in the same hand is written "By Lord Russell Russell ie Bertrand Russell part of an unaccepted contribution to an American paper". Purchase.
- Auto-Obituary. [1936]. Photocopy of ts. 3 leaves. "The Last Survivor of a Dead Epoch", *The Listener*, 16 (12 Aug. 1936), 289, and as "Bertrand Russell's Own Obit", *Coronet*, 10 (Sept. 1941), 36-8. Marked up editorially and title altered for *Coronet* publication. Courtesy of George Arents Research Library, Syracuse University.
- The Paralysis of England. [1936]. Photocopy of ts. with some revisions in Russell's hand. 11 leaves. Original foliation has 2 leaves numbered 4, the second of which has been corrected along with the remaining leaves up to 11. "Paralysis of England", *Coronet*, 1 (1 Dec. 1936), 3-8. Marked up editorially for publication. Courtesy of George Arents Research Library, Syracuse University.
- Power, Ancient and Modern. [Apr. 1937]. Photocopy of ts. with some revisions in Russell's hand along with *Coronet* proofs. 14 leaves. *Political Quarterly*, 8 (Apr. 1937), 155-64, and as "Power by Seizure", *Coronet*, 1 (Apr. 1937), 189-93. Marked up editorially with the first four leaves crossed out and not published in *Coronet*; *Coronet* proofs bear same title as ts. Courtesy of George Arents Library, Syracuse University.
- [Note on Descriptions and Intensional Operators]. [1938-39]. Ms. 1 leaf. Gift of Professor Irving Copi.
- [Comments on Paul Wienpahl's student essay, "The Relation of Language and Fact"]. [c. 1940]. Photocopy of ms. 4 leaves. Courtesy of the late Professor Wienpahl.
- On Keeping a Wide Horizon. [1941]. Photocopy of ts. 10 leaves; plus 7 leaves of new draft prepared by editorial staff of *Reader's Digest*. Published (with more rewriting) as "A Philosophy for You in These Times", *The Reader's Digest*, 39 (Oct. 1941), 5-7; original version in *Russell*, nos. 33-34. Courtesy of Kevin Holland and *Reader's Digest*.
- [Notes on] Descartes. [1941-42]. Photocopy of ms. 3 leaves. Used for discussion programme on Descartes' *Discourse on Method*; transcription of broadcast in Mark Van Doren, ed., *The New Invitation to Learning* (New York: Random House, 1942), pp. 93-104. Courtesy of Special

- Collections, Butler Library, Columbia University Libraries.
- [Notes on] Lewis Carroll. [1941-42]. Photocopy of ms. 1 leaf. At the bottom of the leaf in another hand is written, "notes by Bertrand Russell left at CBS after broadcast on *Alice in Wonderland*". A transcript of the CBS discussion programme is in Mark Van Doren, ed., *The New Invitation to Learning* (New York: Random House, 1942), pp. 208-20. Courtesy of Special Collections, Butler Library, Columbia University Libraries.
- Niebuhr. 29 Nov. 1942. Ms. 1 leaf. Dated and initialled by Sidney Hook with heading by him, "Russell's Notes". Purchase.
- [Broadcast review of] *The Comforts of Unreason* [by Rupert Crawshay-Williams]. [1947]. Ms. 13 leaves; continuous foliation to f. 12 with insertion of f. 1a. The ms. is accompanied by a short note in Crawshay-Williams' hand, "Broadcast by the BBC almost certainly in 1946 or 1947". A photocopy of the ms. was previously donated and described in *Russell*, no. 8. Bequest of Mr. Crawshay-Williams.
- Preface to the German Edition of *Power*. April 1947. Ms. 4 leaves. "Vorwort" in *Macht, Eine Sozialkritische Studie*, trans. Stephan Hermlin (Zürich: Europa Verlag, 1947), pp. 5-6. Purchase.
- [Report on ms. by Lionel] Britton. [c.1948]. Ms. 2 leaves. Purchase.
- Human Knowledge: Its Scope & Limits. [1948]. Ms. 1 leaf. Summary adapted for use on front and back flaps of dust jacket of British edition of *Human Knowledge* and possibly in George Allen & Unwin's catalogue advertisement. Purchase.
- John Stuart Mill and the Idea of Liberty. 1948. Microfilm print-out of ts. with some revisions in Russell's hand. 7 leaves. Given as a talk on the "Famous Men" series, BBC Home Service, 18 Jan. 1948. Courtesy of Reference and Registry Services, BBC Archives.
- Guest of Honour. 25 June 1950. Mimeo ts. transcribed from Australian Broadcasting Commission's "Guest of Honour" programme. 6 leaves. "Bertrand Russell's Blueprint for Australia's Future", *Daily Telegraph*, Sydney, 26 June 1950, p. 6. Courtesy of ABC and Dr. Nicholas Griffin.
- Notes Taken at Bertrand Russell Seminars [on Theory of Knowledge] at Sydney University in 1950. 28 June-6 July 1950. Photocopy of ts. transcribed by A. R. Walker from Professor John Anderson's shorthand notes. 9 leaves. Courtesy of Dr. Griffin.
- The World as I See it. 2 July 1950. Photocopy of mimeo ts. transcribed from ABC broadcast. 5 leaves. "Belief in Man's Omnipotence Is Delusion Which Creates Dictators", *Daily Telegraph*, 3 July 1950, p. 6. Courtesy of ABC and Dr. Griffin.
- My Philosophy of Life. 9 July 1950. Mimeo ts. transcribed from ABC broadcast. 5 leaves. "Machine Age Emphasises Initiative rather than Intellect", *Daily Telegraph*, 10 July 1950, p. 6. Courtesy of ABC and Dr.

- Griffin.
- What Hope for Man. 16 July 1950. Photocopy of mimeo ts. transcribed from ABC broadcast. 5 leaves. "Intelligent Democracy Can Create a Good World", *Daily Telegraph*, 17 July 1950, p. 8. Courtesy of ABC and Dr. Griffin.
- My Impressions of Australia. 23 Aug. 1950. Mimeo ts. transcribed from ABC broadcast. 5 leaves. "I Leave Your Shores with More Hope for Man", *Daily Telegraph*, 24 Aug. 1957, p. 8. Courtesy of ABC and Dr. Griffin.
- [Questionnaire on Schiller]. [1950]. Photocopy of ts. with replies in Russell's hand. 4 leaves. With omissions in Ross Scimeca, "F. C. S. Schiller", *Coranto: Journal of the Friends of the Libraries, University of Southern California*, 9 (1973), 35-6. Courtesy of Hoose Library, University of Southern California.
- What do the people in the Ministry of Agriculture.... 1950. Ms. 1 leaf. Purchase.
- Hopes for Australia in a Hundred Years. 2 Apr. 1951. Mimeo ts. transcribed from ABC broadcast. 3 leaves. Courtesy of ABC and Dr. Griffin.
- Address at Warsaw Ghetto Memorial Meeting. 9 Apr. 1953. Cassette, taped by Lady Russell from phonograph in her possession. Summarized in *The Jewish Chronicle*, 17 Apr. 1953, p. 5. Gift of the late Countess Russell.
- What Neutrals can do to Save the World. [Sept. 1954]. Galley proofs. *Britain Today*, no. 223 (Nov. 1954), 6-10. The dictated ms. in Lady Russell's hand is in Archives I. Bequest of Mr. Crawshay-Williams.
- Conversation [on language, between Russell, C. Fadiman, I. Brown and J. Barzun on BBC]. 20 Jan. 1955. Photocopy of ts. transcribed from recording of broadcast. 34 leaves. Courtesy of Barbara Strachey Halpern.
- Perception. [19 Jan. 1957]. Tssc. with corrections in Lady Russell's hand. 4 leaves. Another tssc. is in Archives I. Bequest of Mr. Crawshay-Williams.
- Logic and Ontology. [24 Jan. 1957]. Tssc. with corrections in Lady Russell's hand. 7 leaves. The dictated ms. in Lady Russell's hand, another tssc. (the printer's copy), and galley sheets are in Archives I. *Journal of Philosophy*, 54 (24 Apr. 1957), 225-30; reprinted in *My Philosophical Development*. Bequest of Mr. Crawshay-Williams.
- Address of Acceptance [of 1957 Kalinga Prize]. 28 Jan. 1958. Photocopy of ts. 3 leaves. "The Divorce of Science and 'Culture'", *Unesco Courier*, 11 (Feb. 1958), 4. Courtesy of Unesco Library, Archives and Documentation Services.
- Preface (for *German Social Democracy*). 29 July 1964. Ms. 1 leaf. *German Social Democracy*, 2nd ed. (London: George Allen & Unwin, 1965), p. v. Purchase.

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Foreword to *The Problem of China*. 9 Nov. 1965. Ts. 1 leaf. *The Problem of China* (London: George Allen & Unwin, 1966; 1st ed. 1922), p. 5. Purchase.

Private Mémorandum concerning Ralph Schoenman. 8 Dec. 1969. Mimeo ts. 10 leaves. The first leaf is a signed statement by Russell asserting his authorship of the ts.; pagination, 2 to 18, begins on the verso of the second leaf; each page after the first leaf is initialled by Russell with the exception of p. 18, which is signed. "Bertrand Russell's Political Testament", *Black Dwarf*, 14 (5 Sept. 1970), 7-10, and *New Statesman*, 80 (11 Sept. 1970), 292-6. Gift.

The Collected Stories of Bertrand Russell. Corrected bound page proofs. (London: George Allen & Unwin, 1972.) Gift of Barry Feinberg, the editor.