Recent acquisitions

These items conclude the second list of recently acquired correspondence, which began in Russell 9. It is followed by a list of miscellaneous manuscripts not by Russell.

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SHEFFER, Henry M. L. to R.F. Alfred Hoerrnle, which quotes remarks by BR about Wittgenstein, 1923. P., courtesy of Professor B. Kuklick and Harvard University Archives.

STOUT, A.K. 3 Ls. from BR, 1949-50. P., courtesy of Professor G.F. Stout, University of Taung, West Bengal.

STOUT, G.F. (editor, Mind). 4 Ls. from BR, 1900-17. In the first letter, dated 25 August 1900, he tells Stout "I would like to write some time on Peano and his school... They impressed me greatly at the Paris Congress of Philosophy, and I have since been reading them." This at last explains the origin of the MS in the Archives, "Recent Italian Work on the Foundations of Mathematics". P., courtesy of Professor A.K. Stout, Mr. W. Griffin and National Library of Australia.

TAGORE, Rabindranath. 2 Ls. from BR, 1912-13. P., courtesy of Rabindra-Sadana Memorial Museum, Santiniketan, West Bengal.

TENNIS, Ivor G. Priorius. 40 Ls. from BR, 1905-08. Also "Bertie Russell's Friendship with Ivor Pritwous" by Harry Morran (daughter of G.M. Trevelyan). P., courtesy of Mr. Hallam Tennyson and Sir Charles Tennyson.

ULVERSCROFT LARGE PRINT BOOKS LTD. L. to F.A. Thorpe, 1968. Transcription, courtesy of Ulverscroft Ltd.

WEBB, Oswald (mathematician). 5 Ls. from BR, 1905-39; 2 Ls. to BR, 1924-37; L. to G.D. Birkhoff, 1937; L. from R. Carnap, 1940. P., courtesy of Library of Congress.

WELBY, Victoria, Lady. 16 Ls. from BR, 1904-10. P., courtesy of York University Archives.

WELLS, H.G. L. to Meiklejohn, 1936, concerning a visit by BR. Transcription, courtesy of Miss Flora Clark.

WIE NER, Leo (Norbert's father). 2 Ls. from BR, 1913. P., courtesy of Institute Archives, Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

WIE NER, Norbert. 6 Ls. from BR, 1914-32; BR's comments on Wiener's thesis and Wiener's rebuttals. 1. Grattan-Guinness has made use of these materials in his forthcoming "Wiener's unpublished thesis on mathematical logic, and its subsequent discussion by Wiener and Russell". P., courtesy of Institute Archives, M.I.T.

WITTGENSTEIN, Ludwig. L. from BR, 1915 - the only letter from BR to LW known to be extant. Purchase.

Miscellaneous manuscripts


MORISE, G.E. "Russell's 'Theory of Descriptions'". Ms 44 pp. Published in The Philosophy of Bertrand Russell. Courtesy of Professor Brand Blanshard, at whose home Moore wrote the article.

