The last update of correspondence, completed in spring 1990, listed a huge backlog. Since then, I have devised a new method of preparing this listing for Russell. As new items arrive, typed catalogue cards are still prepared and interfiled with our existing cards for researchers who can visit the Archives. At the same time, however, entries are put into the computer of the correspondence which will be reported in Russell, i.e., letters either to or from Russell. The listing can be printed out, proofread, and be ready for perusal and insertion in Russell at any time.

The Correspondence and the Manuscript listings are to become a regular feature of Russell. With the help of the new methodology, readers will thus be kept informed of the arrival of most acquisitions within a reasonable amount of time. We do not report acquisitions of letters about Russell (of which there are many), photographs, drawings and cartoons, audio and video cassettes, minutes of meetings, memorials or petitions on BR’s behalf, and newscuttings. Readers interested in such holdings may contact the Russell Archives individually.

There are 44 entries in this listing, covering approximately 167 letters and telegrams. Some of the items have been received from a total of ten other institutions, to whom we are very grateful. The latest acquisition reported is number 1,133, which arrived on 8 August 1991.

The following abbreviations should be noted: L(s), or l(s) = letter(s); P(s), or p(s) = photocopy(ies); p.c(s) = post card(s).

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1 Russell, n.s. 10 (1990): 30–67. The present listing is the last one to report not-so-recent acquisitions which had been overlooked.

BERLIN, Isaiah 3 Is. from BR, 1937. Re being able to both lecture at U. of Chicago and deliver a series of lectures at Oxford ("Words and Facts", published in 1940 as MT) that Berlin was organizing. Ps., courtesy of Henry Hardy from I. Berlin. Rec. Acq. 1,126.


BREDSDORFF, Elias 20 Is. and telegrams from BR and 3 Is. to, 1934-64. (See illustration, p. 94.) Re his Danish lecture tour which took place in October 1935 after a postponement because of ill health, meetings, nursery rhymes, Pugwash Movement, and the Peace Foundation. Purchase. Rec. Acq. 1,111.


BR CH, E. V. L. to BR, 18 Feb. 1914. Re seeing Geach and discussing Bergson. L. #990 in letters to Lady Ottoline Morrell. Encl. with l. #989a to her. Microfilm and printout, courtesy of Ransom Humanities Research Center, U. of Texas at Austin. Rec. Acq. 69.

CARSON, G. S. L. to BR, 16 May 1911. Encl. with l. #54 to Lady Ottoline Morrell. Offers the presidency of a recently formed regional association of teachers of mathematics (BR refused). Microfilm and printout, courtesy of Ransom Humanities Research Center, U. of Texas at Austin. Rec. Acq. 69.


Cooper, Selina Thank-you 1. from BR, May 1907, for her help during the Wimbledon by-election. Ps., courtesy of Fred Key from the Lancashire Record Office. Rec. Acq. 1,123.

Goldie, Grace Wyndham See British Broadcasting Corporation.

HANLINE, Maurice See Liveright, Horace B.


with l. #120 to Lady Ottoline. Congratulates BR on Karin Costello's achievement ("getting a star") in her examination. L. to and l. from BR, n.d. but 1911, offering and refusing an invitation to tea. Encl. with l. #23 to Lady Ottoline. Microfilm and printout, courtesy of Ransom Humanities Research Center, U. of Texas at Austin. Rec. Acq. 69.

Hutchinson, Mrs. Keith B. See Liveright, Horace B.

Kennedy, John Fitzgerald 3 telegrams from BR and l. to BR, 1962. Also l. (unset) from Pierre Salinger to BR. Re Cuban Missile Crisis. Ps., courtesy of Kennedy Library, Boston. Rec. Acq. 626.

Larsen, Steffen L. from and l. to BR, March 1962. Regrets he is unable to speak in Copenhagen to the "Kampagner mod Atomvaben". Message against nuclear war encl. in BR's l. P. and ts. carbon, purchased from Elias Bredsdorff. Rec. Acq. 1,111.

Lawrence, D. H. L. to BR, 5 Sept. 1915. Requests help with his new periodical The Signature. BR wrote in the margin "yes as to writing, no as to money." In The Letters of D.H. Lawrence, 2: 387n. Ps., courtesy of Ransom Humanities Research Center, U. of Texas at Austin. Rec. Acq. 1,072.

Leon, Xavier See Revue de Metaphysique et de Morale.

Liveright, Horace B. 37 Is. and telegrams to BR, 1925-30; also l. on his behalf by Mrs. Keith B. Hutchinson. Re publishing matters. BR's l. to Liveright were reported earlier. There are two additions: L. 23 Feb. 1926, from BR to Maurice Hanline, a Liveright employee, and telegram, 23 April 1930, to Liveright. Microfilm and printout, courtesy of Van Pelt Library, U. of Pennsylvania. Rec. Acq. 52.


Morley, E. V. See The Century Co.

Morison, David See Mind.


PADOA, A. Ps. to BR, 28 Aug. 1912. Encl. with l. #56 to Lady Ottoline Morrell. Regrets being unable to see BR that day and having to leave Cambridge after such an excellent International Mathematical Congress. Microfilm and printout, courtesy of Ransom Humanities Research Center, U. of Texas at Austin. Rec. Acq. 69.


Pritchard, H. A. L. to BR, 2 Feb. 1915. Encl. with l. #320 to Lady Ottoline Morrell. Re a paper he was sending to Mind about BR. Microfilm and printout, courtesy of Ransom Humanities Research Center, U. of Texas at Austin. Rec. Acq. 69.

Reichl, Miriam Brudno 42 Is. from BR,

Revue de Métaphysique et de Morale (Xavier Leon) L. to BR, 1 Aug. 1911. Encl. with l. #167 to Lady Otoline Morrell. Microfilm and printout, courtesy of Ransom Humanities Research Center, U. of Texas at Austin. Rec. Acq. 69.


Russell, Lady Agatha L. to BR, 30 Sept. 1914. Encl. with l. #119 to Lady Otoline Morrell. Re Germany, her Belgian refugees, and a rumous concerning a lady. L. to BR, 22 June 1915. Encl. with l. #1,295 to Lady Otoline. Re BR's "sadly mistaken views" about the War. Microfilm and printout, courtesy of Ransom Humanities Research Center, U. of Texas at Austin. Rec. Acq. 69.


Salinger, Pierre See Kennedy, John Fitzgerald.

Silcox, Lucy L. to BR, 9 Jan. 1932. L. #9104 in BR's correspondence with Lady Otoline Morrell. Re Otoline. L. to BR, 12 May 1912. With l. #478 to Lady Otoline; it was probably encl. with l. #454. Re her reading and Miss Malecka. Microfilm and printout, courtesy of Ransom Humanities Research Center, U. of Texas at Austin. Rec. Acq. 69.

Strachey, Oliver L. to BR, 10 June 1911. Encl. with l. #109 to Lady Otoline Morrell. Announces his marriage to Ray Costelloe, Alys' niece. Microfilm and printout, courtesy of Ransom Humanities Research Center, U. of Texas at Austin. Rec. Acq. 69.


Zen, H. C. L. to BR, 27 Jan. 1922 with encl. Introduces Mr. Lu of the Ministry of Education, Peking, who is to assist BR in purchasing old Chinese paintings. With l. #1,582, [30 Nov. 1922], to Lady Otoline Morrell but unlikely it was originally encl. with it. Courtesy of Ransom Humanities Research Center, U. of Texas at Austin. Rec. Acq. 1,112.