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Location Annex 5-e-1(L)

Title Langfeld, W.R. ~~Irving Bibliographic Data.~~ *Papers*

Approximate inclusive dates 1925-~~(1930-1936)~~-1941. *Bulk dates 1930-1936*

Date of receipt 1943

Received from Mrs. William Langfeld

Volume on arrival 2 boxes

Number of boxes (after reboxing) 2 boxes *MS*

Condition good

Restrictions none

Description William Robert Langfeld (b.1882-) was a Philadelphia bibliographer and poet. His published work in bibliography is devoted to Washington Irving: a compilation of Irving's poetry (NYPL Bulletin vol 34) and a bibliography of Irving's work (NYPL Bulletin vol. 36), later published as a monograph by the Library in 1934. He also contributed a set of poems entitled "Modernity" to the anthology Pennsylvania Poets, Henry Harrison, Publ., New York, 1936.

The bulk of this collection is comprised of correspondence received by Langfeld between the years 1927 and 1941, with most of the letters dating from the period 1930 - 1936. For the most part these letters are from book dealers, librarians and fellow bibliographers and relate to Langfeld's work on Washington Irving. The collection also contains handwritten notes, dealers' catalogs and printed material all relating to Washington Irving.

Box 1 Correspondence, 1925-1936

Box 2 " 1937-1941

Unsorted Papers

Special Formats ☐ Photographs ☐ Maps ☐ Audio Tapes ☐ Films ☐ Graphics
☐ Artifacts ☐ Machine-readable records
☐ Other (list) _____

Temporary catalog card added entries

Irving, Washington
Bibliography -- Irving, Washington

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Gift of Mrs. William Langfeld, 1943.

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