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Scope and Content

This small collection of papers of James Turney Allen, Professor of Greek at the University of California, Berkeley relates for the most part to his life-long work, A Concordance to Euripides, which was published posthumously by the University of California Press in 1954. It includes correspondence as well as the holograph manuscript of the work; and also manuscripts of a few of his articles; notes; lesson plans; and notes on the Agamemnon of Aeschylus from a class taught by Professor Isaac Flagg in Berkeley in 1896.

Box 1

Letters written by Allen, 1938-1947, holograph and typescript, concerned with obtaining grant assistance and publishing his Concordance. (1 folder)

Letters written to Allen, mainly from colleagues, relating to information or suggestions for the proposed Concordance. Arranged alphabetically by name of person or organization. A list of correspondents follows the Key.

Articles by Allen

[Aegeus - fragments]

[Aeolus - fragments]

Cassandra's Last Speech

Untitled mss. and fragments

Lesson plans for Greek 54-55 (1929)

Notes on the Agamemnon of Aeschylus, as dictated by Professor Isaac Flagg, Jan.-May, 1896, in Berkeley.

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Holograph manuscript of the Concordance. Stored in Richmond.

Allen, Lois (Mrs. James Turney Allen)

Letter, Mar. 26, 1949, to Gabriel Italie re publication of the Concordance.

American Council of Learned Societies

Letter, Feb. 4, 1939, by Donald Goodchild.

Bailey, Cyril, 1871-

Letter, Mar. 26, 1932

Calhoun, George Miller, 1886-

Letter, Jan. 12, 1939, to Miss Lilly R. Taylor, re possibility of a grant for Allen from the American Council of Learned Societies.

California. University. President


Cherniss, Harold Fredrik, 1904-

Letter, Jan. 25, 1939

De Graaff, Martin E.

3 letters, 1945-1946, re Gabriel Italie and his family.

Deutsch, Monroe Emanuel, 1879-1955

Letter, Oct. 6, 1945. See also California. University. President.

Frankel, Hermann Ferdinand, 1888-

Letter, Nov. 25, 1943

Hendrickson, George Lincoln, 1865-

Letter, Feb. 4, 1939, to Prof. Linforth.

Italie, Gabriel, 1895-


Italie, S. Rose (Hausdorff) (Mrs. Gabriel Italie)


Mason, Peter Geoffrey, 1914-

Letter, Jan. 26, 1947

Meurig-Davies, Evan Llewellyn Beresford

Letter, Apr. 27, 1948

Oldfather, William Abbott, 1880-
Letter and telegram, 1938-1939. Letter is transcript addressed to Gabriel Italie.
Telegram addressed to Prof. G. L. Hendrickson.
Pease, Arthur Stanley, 1881-1964
   Letter, Jan. 24, 1939, to Prof. Hendrickson re Allen's Concordance.
Robinson, Rodney Potter, 1890-
   Letter, Nov. 17, 1943
Snell, Bruno, 1896-
Sproul, Robert Gordon, 1891-1975
   See California. University. President.
Stanford, William Bedell, 1910-
   Letter, Nov. 10, 1946, re a purported Euripides fragment discovered in the University of Dublin Library.
Taylor, Lily Ross, 1886-
   Letter, Jan. 22, 1939, to Professor Hendrickson endorsing Allen's work on Euripides.