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Abstract: Correspondence; clippings; notes; and manuscripts of books, lectures and articles, relating to his career as professor of psychology, University of California, Berkeley. Included are files of his students' recollections, in 1919, and of the 1906 San Francisco earthquake and fire.

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Scope and Content
George Malcolm Stratton, psychologist and university professor, was born in Oakland in 1865. He attended the University of California, studying philosophy under Professor Howison. During graduate work at Yale and at the University of Leipzig, Germany, he became interested in the new science of psychology. He returned to the University of California as instructor of psychology in 1896, becoming associate professor and director of the psychology laboratory in 1904. He then left to teach experimental psychology at Johns Hopkins for four years. When he came back to Berkeley in 1908, he was made a full professor, which rank he held until becoming emeritus in 1935. His professorial career was interrupted in the first world war, when he spent the year of 1917 as captain in Army aviation. He also headed the psychological section of the Medical Research Laboratory of Mineola, Long Island, in 1918. A member of various learned societies, he was president of the American Psychology Association in 1908. He authored many works on psychology and was particularly interested in psychology as applied to international affairs. He died in October 1957.

His papers, transferred to the Bancroft Library from Archives in March 1966, contain correspondence, clippings, notes, manuscripts of books and articles, relating mainly to his career as professor of psychology.
Letter, Apr 27, 1931.
Berry, Charles Scott, 1875-
  Letter, Mar 22, 1922.
Biedenbach, Lulu C.
  Letter, Mar 17, 1917 re Howison
Bolton, Thaddeus Lincoln, 1865-1948
  Letter, June 3, 1903.
Brown, Charles, Reynolds, 1862-
  Letter, Mar 10, 1923.
Brown, Elmer Ellsworth, 1891-
  Letter, n.d. (Fragment only of letter to Mrs. Freeman)
  Letter, Oct 20, 1954. by Egon Brunswik
Calkins, Mary Whiton, 1863-1930
  Letter, Mar 12, 1922.
Calkins, Robert De Blois, 1903-
  Letter, Nov 7, 1939, enclosing copy of his talk, The Relation between International Trade and Peace
Campbell, William Wallace, 1862-1938
  Letter, June 29, 1934.
Claparède, Edouard, 1873-
  Letter, July 8, 1935.
Current Research
  Letter, June 1, 1951, by Ware Cattell
Deutsch, Monroe Emanuel, 1879-1955
  Letter, Aug 24, 1943.
Dunlap, Knight, 1875-1949
  Letter, July 3, 1903.
Erisman, Theodor, 1883-
Evans, Herbert McLean, 1882-
  Letter, Jan 31, 1931.
Griffiths, Austin E.
  Letter, June 6, 1941.
Harding, Denys Clement Wyatt, 1906-
Henmon, Vivian Allen Charles, 1877-
  Letter, Mar 13, 1922.
Hinckley, Frank Erastus, 1871-1950
  Letter, May 1, 1932.
Hirschfield, Gerhard
  Letter, June 7, 1954.
Hocking, William Ernest, 1873-
  Letter, Aug 27, 1930.
Hoffman, Frederick Ludwig, 1865-
  Letter, Apr 27, 1932.
Hsiao, Hsiao Hung, 1898-
  Letter, Dec 15, 1937.
Iowa Law Review
  Letter, Mar 21, 1932, by Paul L. Sayre
Jastrow, Joseph, 1863-1944
  Letter, n.d.
Jones, Elmer Ellsworth, 1876-
  Letter, Mar 13, 1922.
Jones, Harold Ellis, 1894-
  Letter, Mar 19, 1928. Copy
Journal of Experimental Psychology
Letter, Nov 10, 1916, by H. C. Warren
Keeler, Charles Augustus, 1871-1937
    Letter, June 12, 1934, containing recollections of Howison
Kerr, Clark, 1911-1955.
King, James Ferguson, 1913-1955
Külpe, Oswald, 1862-1915
    Letter, Nov 25, 1901.
Landis, Carney, 1897-1962
    Letter, Oct 12, 1925. Copy only.
Langfeld, Herbert Sidney, 1879-1955
Lentz, Theordore Ferdinand, 1888-1953
    Letter, Apr 7, 1953.
Lewis, Exum Percival, 1863-1926
    Letter, Mar 11, 1924. Copy only.
Lovejoy, Authur Oncken, 1873-1962
    Letter, n.d.
McCall, Oswald Walter Samuel, 1885-1935
    Letter, June 17, 1935.
McDougall, William, 1911-1938
    Letter, Oct 18, [1926].
McLaughlin, Emma (Moffat), 1880-1929
    Letter, Dec 18, 1929.
McMurray, Orrin Kip, 1869-1945
    Letter, Sept 10, 1931.
Meier, Norman Charles, 1893-1953
    Letter, July 10, 1953.
Miles, Herbert Edwin, 1860-1939
    Letter, Jan 27, 1937.
Moffitt, James Kennedy, 1866?-1955
    Letter, July 9, 1934.
Moore, Ernest Carroll, 1871-1957
    Letter, Apr 10, 1922.
Munsterberg, Hugo, 1863-1916
    Letter, Feb 4, 1895.
Muirhead, John Henry, 1855-1940
    Letter, May 2, 1928.
Nalder, Frank Fielding, 1876-1937
    Letter, Feb 21, 1931.
National Research Council
    Letter, Jan 3, 1919, by R. M. Yerkes
Ohio College Association
    Letter, Mar 20, 1935, by H. A. Toops
Perry, Ralph Barton, 1876-1957
    Letter, Sept 13, 1934.
Pettit, George Albert
    Letter, Dec 17, 1929.
Pillsbury, Arthur Judson, 1854-1937
    Letter, Nov 8, 1938.
Pillsbury, Walter Bowers, 1872-1955
    Letter, Apr 14, 1922.
Pope, Arthur Upham, 1881-1955
    Letter, May 15, 1917.
Prince, Morton, 1854-1929
    Letter, May 25, 1922.
Reighard, Jacob Ellsworth, 1861-
  Letter, Mar 18, 1924.
Ryder, Arthur William, 1877-1938
  Letter, Nov 18, 1921.
Sanford, Edmund Clark, 1859-1924
  Letter, June 17, 1903.
Saunders, Kenneth James, 1883-1937
  Letter, Dec 23, 1929.
Seashore, Carl Emil, 1866-
  Letter, June 22, 1903.
Sedgwick, Ellery, 1872-
  Letter, May 15, 1928.
Shinn, Charles Howard, 1852-1924
Shotwell, James Thomson, 1874-
  Letter, Feb 1, 1930.
Stebbins, Lucy Ward, 1880-
  Letter, July 1, 1934.
Stratton, Frederick Smith, 1859-1915
  Letter, July 11, 1903.
Strughold, Hubertus, 1898-
  Letter, Mar 22, 1951.
Stuart, Henry Waldgrave, 1870-
  Letter, July 5, 1934.
Taylor, Alfred Edward, 1869-1945
  Letter, Sept 21, 1917.
Thomas, Evan
  Letter, [1934].
Ward, James, 1843-1925
  Letter, May 7, 1922.
Washburn, Margaret Floy, 1871-
  Letter, Oct 31, 1903.
Whitney, Henry Mitchell, 1843-1911
  Letter, June 22, 1903.
Wilbur, Earl Morse, 1866-1956
  Letter, Jan 18, 1931, re Howison
Wilkins, Ernest Hatch, 1880-
  Letter, Apr 24, 1939.
Wilmer, William Holland, 1863-1936
  Letter, June 10, 1924.
Wooley, Helen Brandford (Thompson), 1874-
  Letter, Jan 12, 1930.
Aikins, Herbert Austin, 1867-
  2 letters, 1903-1904.
Allen (George) & Unwin, Ltd.
Amrine, Michael
  Additional Note
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Andrews, Benjamin Richard, 1877-
  2 letters, 1936-1945.
Anesaki, Masaharu, 1873-1949
  2 letters, 1926-1931.
Appleton (D) & Company
Partial List of Correspondents


Bakewell, Charles Montague, 1867-1957
3 letters, 1931-1935. Letter of May 1, 1931 contains reminiscences on Howison; letter of Nov 4, 1931, excerpts from letters by W. James to Thomas Davidson, re Howison.

Baty, Thomas, 1869-
2 letters, 1940-1941.

Bentley, Madison, 1870-
3 letters, 1922-1945.

Blaisdell, Allen Carrier, 1897-
2 letters, 1932.

Brewer, John Marks, 1877-
2 letters, 1920-1922.

Brunswik, Egon, 1903-
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Calhoun, George Miller, 1886-
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California. University. President
3 letters, 1917-1934, by Newton B. Drury and R. G. Sproul

California. University. Press
2 letters, 1912-1926, by G. R. MacMinn and George Calhoun

California. University. Regents
4 letters, 1918-1919, by V. H. Henderson and Ralph P. Merritt

Cattell, Ware
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Chamberlain, Arthur Henry, 1872-
2 letters, 1914.

Cook, Albert Stanburrough, 1853-1927
2 letters, 1888-1889.

Drury, Newton Bishop, 1889-
Additional Note
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Duggan, Stephen Pierce Hayden, 1870-
2 letters, 1932-1938.

Hadley, Arthur Twining, 1856-1930
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see Angell, James Rowland

Harper's Magazine
2 letters, 1928, by Thomas B. Wells

Henderson, Victor H.
Additional Note
see California. University. Regents

Houghton Mifflin Company
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Howison, George Holmes, 1834-1916
   79 letters, 1889-1910.
   See also Angell, James Rowland
Hunter, Stanley Armstrong, 1888-
   5 letters, 1932. Letters of introduction
James, William, 1842-1910
   4 letters, 1894-1895.
   See also Bakewell, Charles Montague
Joyce, James Avery
   2 letters, 1938.
Judd, Charles Hubbard, 1873-1946
   2 letters, 1929-1930.
Kerner, Robert Joseph, 1887-1956
   2 letters, 1941.
Kroebel, Alfred Louis, 1876-1960
   2 letters, 1920-1929.
Macmillan Company
   26 letters, 1917-1944, by W. H. Murray, F. O. Lund, R. R. Smith, L. L. Fisher and
   James Putnam. Financial statements at end of folder.
Merriam, John Campbell, 1869-1945
   3 letters, 1914-1922. 1914 letter written as chairman, University of California
   Editorial Committee.
Merritt, Ralph Palmer, 1883-
   Additional Note
   see California. University. Regents

Psychological Review
   2 letters, 1914, by John B. Watson
Ritter, William Emerson, 1856-1944
   2 letters, 1934.
Sayre, Paul Lombard, 1894-
   Additional Note
   see Iowa Law Review

Sproul, Robert Gordon, 1891-
   Additional Note
   see California. University. President

Starbuck, Edwin Diller, 1866-
   2 letters, 1922.
Tolman, Edward Chace, 1886-1959
   2 letters, 1921-1922.
Toops, Herbert Anderson, 1895-
   Additional Note
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Unwin, sir Stanley, 1884-
   Additional Note
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Warren, Howard Crosby, 1867-1934
   Additional Note
   see Journal of Experimental Psychology
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- **Watson, John Broadus, 1878-**
  Additional Note
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- **Wells, Thomas Sucklin, 1875-**
  Additional Note
  see Harper's Magazine

- **Wickware, Francis Graham, 1883-1940**
  Additional Note
  see Appleton (D) & Company

- **Yerkes, Robert Mearns, 1876-**
  Additional Note
  see National Research Council