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Descriptive Summary

Title: George James Firmage Papers,

Date (inclusive): 1957-1958

Collection number: 769

Creator: Firmage, George James

Extent: 2 boxes (1 linear ft.)

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Abstract: George James Firmage (1928- ) was born in New York, New York. He was a publications supervisor in the advertising and marketing services department of the First National City Bank in New York (1954) and wrote several books. The collection consists of materials relating to Firmage's research and writing of *E.E. Cummings: a Miscellany*.

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Biography
Firmage was born July 3, 1928 in New York, New York; attended Massachusetts Institute of Technology (1947-48) and College of the City of New York (1949); BA, New York University, 1952; pursued graduate study, University of Massachusetts, 1952-54; publications supervisor in advertising and marketing services department, First National City Bank, New York, 1954; wrote several books, including *E.E. Cummings: a Miscellany* (1958) and *E.E. Cummings: a Bibliography*; editor of *A Garland for Dylan Thomas* (1963) and of *E.E. Cummings' Three Plays and a Ballet* (1967).

Scope and Content
Collection consists of materials relating to Firmage's research and writing of *E.E. Cummings: a Miscellany*. Includes a typescript with holograph corrections, printer's copy of typescript, galley proofs, page proofs, fifteen letters from Cummings to Firmage, and ephemera related to the publishing of the book.

Organization and Arrangement
Arranged in the following series:
2. Letters from E.E. Cummings to George Firmage (Box 1).
3. Ephemera (Box 1).

Indexing Terms
The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the library's online public access catalog.
Firmage, George James--Archives.
Cummings, E.E. (Edward Estlin), 1894-1962--Correspondence.
Book editors--United States--Archival resources.
Authors, American--20th century--Archival resources.

Box 1


Creator/Collector: Cummings, Edward Estlin, 1894- .

Note

Physical Description: 361 leaves. 28 cm. Typescript (carbon) with holograph corrections. In a grey cloth case.

Box 1


Physical Description: 15 items.
| Box 1 | **Ephemera relating to publishing of this book, 1958.** Physical Description: 2 items. |
| Box 2 | **E.E. Cummings, a miscellany.** Edited with an introduction and notes, by George J. Firmage. Foreward by the author. Creator/Collector: Cummings, Edward Estlin, 1894-. |
| Box 2 | **Another copy. New York, 1958.** Physical Description: 335 leaves. 28cm. Typescript. Printer's copy. |