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Descriptive Summary

Title: C.K. Ogden Papers,
Date (inclusive): ca. 1910-1957
Collection number: 785
Creator: Ogden, C.K. (Charles Kay), 1889-1957
Extent: 20 boxes (10.0 linear ft.)
Repository: University of California, Los Angeles. Library. Department of Special Collections.

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Abstract: C.K. Ogden (1889-1957) published The meaning of meaning (1923), which set forth principles for the understanding of the function of language. In 1922, he became editor of the international psychological journal Psyche, and used it as a vehicle for publishing research on international language problems. Later, Ogden developed what he termed Basic English to be used as an international language of 850 words. The collection consists of correspondence, manuscripts, periodicals, and books. Materials relate to Basic English, the Orthological Institute, and Psyche, and include manuscripts and copies of books by Ogden, as well as many of the books published in Basic English by various authors.

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Language: English.

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Biography

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Ogden was born June 1, 1889 in Fleetwood, England; graduated from Magdalene College, Cambridge in 1910; founded the Cambridge magazine in 1912; in 1923, he published The meaning of meaning, which set forth principles for the understanding of the function of language; in 1922 he became editor of the international psychological journal Psyche, and used it as a vehicle for publishing research on international language problems; developed what he termed Basic English to be used as an international language of 850 words; established the Orthological Institute in 1927, completing the Basic vocabulary in 1928; published Basic English (1930), The basic vocabulary (1930), Debabelization (1931), and The basic words (1932); the Basic English Foundation was established with a grant from the Ministry of Education in 1947; he died in 1957.

Scope and Content
Collection consists of correspondence, manuscripts, periodicals, and books. Materials relate to Basic English, the Orthological Institute, and Psyche, and include manuscripts and copies of books by Ogden, as well as many of the books published in Basic English by various authors. Correspondents include T.S. Eliot.

Organization and Arrangement
Arranged in the following series:
- Correspondence, some with pamphlets, reprints, and ephemera.
- Literary manuscripts by Ogden.
- Miscellaneous manuscripts.
- Ephemera.
- Books by Ogden.
- Introduction, prefaces, and notes by Ogden.
- Miscellaneous published works by Ogden.
- Periodicals devoted to Basic English.
- Books on Basic English by various authors.

Indexing Terms
The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the repository's online public access catalog.

Subjects
Ogden, C.K. (Charles Kay), 1889-1957--Archives.
Linguists--England--Archival resources.
Psychologists--England--Archival resources.
Basic English.

Genres and Forms of Material
Manuscripts for publication.
“Roger Bacon Ciper” See Abrahams, Harold J. Box 1, folder 1.
Basic English See Throughout the collection.
Bell, Clive, b.1881 See Bodkin, Thomas Box 1, folder 1.
Bentham, Jeremy, 1784-1832 See Ehrsam, Theodore George Box 1, folder 4.
Bentham, Jeremy, 1784-1832 See Fulton, John Farquhar Box 1, folder 5.
Bentham, Jeremy, 1784-1832 See Holland, H.A. Box 1, folder 6.
Bentham, Jeremy, 1784-1832 See London. University College Box 1, folder 8.
Bentham, Jeremy, 1784-1832 See Nesbitt, George Layman Box 1, folder 11.
Bentham, Jeremy, 1784-1832 See Ephemera re Bentham Box 2, folder 6.
Bright, Timothy, 1551?-1615 See Carlton, William John Box 1, folder 3.
Bright, Timothy, 1551?-1615 See Folger Shakespear Library Box 1, folder 5.
Brougham and Vaux, Henry Peter Brougham, 1st baron, 1778-1868 See Garratt, Anne Beryl Box 1, folder 5.
Brougham and Vaux, Henry Peter Brougham, 1st baron, 1778-1868 See Hayak, Friedrich August von Box 1, folder 6.
Brougham and Vaux, Henry Peter Brougham, 1st baron, 1778-1868 See Leslie, Shane Box 1, folder 8.
Crosby, Harry, 1898-1929 See Box 2, folder 2.
English language - Textbooks for foreigners See Box 9, folder 10.
Esperanto See Collinson, Walter Edward Box 1, folder 3.
Esperanto See Conze, Edward Box 1, folder 3.
Garratt, Geoffrey Theodore, 1882-1942 See Garratt, Anne Beryl Box 1, folder 5.
Giles, Herbert Allen, 1845-1935 See Robinson, Kenneth Box 1, folder 12.
Giles, Herbert Allen, 1845-1935 See Ogden, C.K., Notations Box 2, folder 1.
González de Mendoza, Juan, bp., 1545-1618 See Robinson, Kenneth Box 1, folder 12.
Gouin, Francois, d. 1896 See Collard, M.M. Box 1, folder 3.
Gray, Thomas, 1716-1771 See Butterfield, Herbert Box 1, folder 2.
Langenfelt, Gösta, b.1888 See Box 2, folder 3.
Language, universal See Throughout the collection.
Languages, artificial See Throughout the collection.
Martin, Mrs. Victoria Woodhill, 1838-1927 See Collyer-Bristow and Company Box 1, folder 3.
Maugham, William Somerset, b.1874 See Bligh, Eric Walter Box 1, folder 2.
Ney, Michel, due d’Elchingen, prince della Moscowa, 1769-1815 and Ney, Peter Stuart, d. 1846 See Hoyt, William Henry Box 1, folder 6.
Orthological institute, Cambridge, England See Business Correspondence Box 2, folder 8, 9.
As subject See Throughout the collection.
Rolfe, Frederick William, 1860-1913 See Abercrombie, David Box 1, folder 1.
Rolfe, Frederick William, 1860-1913 See Pirie-Gordon, C. Henry Clinton Box 1, folder 11.
Rolfe, Frederick William, 1860-1913 See Sims, George Frederick Box 1, folder 13.
Rolfe, Frederick William, 1860-1913 See Spriggs, Edmund Ivens Box 1, folder 13.
Rundle, Stanley See Eliot, Thomas Stearns Box 1, folder 4.
Serres, Mrs. Olivia, 1772-1834 See Bennett, A.R. Box 1, folder 2.
Smith, Logan Pearsall, 1865-1946. Words and idioms See Box 8.
Wells, Herbert George, 1866-1946 See Gregory, Sir Richard Arman Box 1, folder 5.

**Correspondence Between Various Persons and C.K. Ogden. v.p.. v.d.**

**Arrangement**

[Arranged alphabetically by correspondent, except when letters from several persons bear upon one matter; in which case, the letters are arranged under one correspondent, with references from the others]

**Scope and Content Note**

With this: ephemera received by C.K. Ogden with the letters [Pamphlets and reprints are indicated on the register].

List of correspondents:

**Box 1, Folder 1**

**A., P.**

Physical Description: (1 item)

Scope and Content Note

[Also, ephemera] (3 items).

**Box 1, Folder 1**

**Aberconway, Christobel Mary Melville (Macnaughton) McLaren, baroness (b.1890).**

Physical Description: (2 items)
Box 1, Folder 1  Abercrombie, David.  
Physical Description: (1 item)

Box 1, Folder 1  Abrahams, Harold J.  
Physical Description: (2 items)

Box 1, Folder 1  Adams, Joseph A.  
Note  
See: Folger Shakespeare Library, Washington, D.C.

Box 1, Folder 1  Appleton-Century Company, Incorporated, firm, publishers, New York.  
Physical Description: (1 item)

Box 1, Folder 1  The Associated Booksellers of Great Britain and Ireland, Eastern Branch.  
Physical Description: (1 item)

Box 1, Folder 2  B., H. D.  
Physical Description: (1 item)

Box 1, Folder 2  Bennett, A.R.  
Physical Description: (1 item)

Box 1, Folder 2  Benson, Arthur Christopher (1862-1925.  
Physical Description: (1 item)

Box 1, Folder 2  Bentwich, Joseph Solomon (b.1902).  
Physical Description: (1 item)

Box 1, Folder 2  Best, Robert Dudley.  
Physical Description: (2 items)

Box 1, Folder 2  Blair-Fish, Wallace Wilfrid (b.1899).  
Physical Description: (1 item)

Box 1, Folder 2  Bligh, Eric Walter.  
Physical Description: (2 items)

Box 1, Folder 2  The Bobbs-Merrill Company, firm, publishers, Indianapolis.  
Physical Description: (1 item)

Box 1, Folder 2  Bodkin, Thomas (b.1887).  
Physical Description: (2 items)

Box 1, Folder 2  Bradfer-Lawrence, Harry Lawrence.  
Physical Description: (1 item)

Box 1, Folder 2  Bradford, Hugh.  
Physical Description: (1 item)

Box 1, Folder 2  Exercises in contemplative prayer. Compiled by Hugh Bradford ... with forward by Rev. John Millard. [1935?].  
Physical Description: (1 item [pamphlet])
| Box 1, Folder 2 | Butterfield, Herbert (b.1900).  
Physical Description: (1 item) |
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| Box 1, Folder 3 | Campion, George Goring (1862-1946).  
Physical Description: (9 items)  
Scope and Content Note  
[Also, ephemera] (3 items). |
| Box 1, Folder 3 | Carington, Whately (b.1892).  
Physical Description: (9 items) |
| Box 1, Folder 3 | Carlton, William John (b.1886).  
Physical Description: (7 items) |
| Box 1, Folder 3 | The Cats' Protection League.  
Physical Description: (1 item) |
| Box 1, Folder 3 | Chapuis, Alfred (b.1880).  
Physical Description: (1 item) |
| Box 1, Folder 3 | Charington, Roper and Wood, firm, trade and consumer studies, New York.  
Physical Description: (1 item) |
| Box 1, Folder 3 | Cohen, Henry (b.1906).  
Physical Description: (1 item) |
| Box 1, Folder 3 | Coleridge, Arthur.  
Physical Description: (1 item) |
| Box 1, Folder 3 | Collard, M.M.  
Physical Description: (3 items) |
| Box 1, Folder 3 | Collinson, Walter Edward (b.1889).  
Physical Description: (2 items) |
| Box 1, Folder 3 | Collyer-Bristow and Company, firm, counselors, London.  
Physical Description: (2 items) |
| Box 1, Folder 3 | Columbia University Press.  
Physical Description: (1 item) |
| Box 1, Folder 3 | Conze, Edward (b.1904).  
Physical Description: (2 items) |
| Box 1, Folder 3 | Crandall.  
Physical Description: (1 item) |
| Box 1, Folder 4 | Dawkins, Richard McGillivray (b.1871).  
Physical Description: (2 items) |
| Box 1, Folder 4 | Douglas, Allan Campbell.  
Physical Description: (1 item) |
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       Physical Description: (1 item)
Box 1, Folder 4  Duff, Charles (b.1894).
       Physical Description: (3 items)
Box 1, Folder 4  Eagle, Roderick (b.1887).
       Physical Description: (1 item)
Box 1, Folder 4  Ehresam, Theodore George.
       Physical Description: (1 item)
Box 1, Folder 4  Eisen, Walter
       Physical Description: (1 item)
Box 1, Folder 4  Ekehorn, Gosta (b.1897).
       Physical Description: (4 items)
Box 1, Folder 4  Eliot, Thomas Stearns (b.1888).
       Physical Description: (6 items)
Box 1, Folder 4  Engineers' German Circle (Deutscher Ingenieurzikel in London).
       Physical Description: (3 items)
Box 1, Folder 5  Faber and Faber, Limited, firm, publishers, London.
       Note
       See: Eliot, Thoma Stearns (b.1888).
Box 1, Folder 5  Fadiman, Clifton (b.1904).
       Physical Description: (2 items)
Box 1, Folder 5  Folger Shakespear Library, Washington, D.C.
       Physical Description: (3 items)
Box 1, Folder 5  Frank, Philipp (b.1884).
       Physical Description: (1 item)
Box 1, Folder 5  Fraser-Harris, David Fraser (1867-1937).
       Physical Description: (1 item)
Box 1, Folder 5  Fries, Charles Carpenter (b.1887).
       Physical Description: (1 item)
       Note
       See: Lockhart, Miss L.W.
Box 1, Folder 5  Fulton, John Farquhar (b.1899).
       Physical Description: (2 items)
Box 1, Folder 5  Gemelli, Agostino (b.1878).
       Physical Description: (2 items)
| Box 1, Folder 5 | Garratt, Anne Beryl (Benthall), Mrs. Geoffrey Theodore.  
|                | Physical Description: (3 items) |
| Box 1, Folder 5 | Goodhart, Arthur Lehman (b.1891).  
|                | Physical Description: (2 items) |
| Box 1, Folder 5 | The future of legal thought [lecture text] [by A.L. Goodhart]. n.p. n.d.  
|                | Physical Description: (1 item) Typescript with holograph corrections, 18pp. |
| Box 1, Folder 5 | Gregory, Sir Richard Arman, bart. (1864-1952).  
|                | Physical Description: (1 item) |
| Box 1, Folder 5 | Griffith, C.L.T.  
|                | Physical Description: (3 items) |
| Box 1, Folder 6 | H., H.  
|                | Physical Description: (1 item)  
|                | Note  
|                | See: Collinson, William Edward (b.1889). |
| Box 1, Folder 6 | Hamilton, Hamish, Limited, firm, publishers. London.  
|                | Physical Description: (1 item) |
| Box 1, Folder 6 | Hawkes, Arthur J.  
|                | Physical Description: (2 items) |
| Box 1, Folder 6 | “The Bromley family of Wigan in the 18th century” [pamphlet] By Arthur J. Hawkes  
|                | ... reprinted from the Wigan Observer. June 3rd, 1939.  
|                | Physical Description: (1 item) |
| Box 1, Folder 6 | Hayek, Friedrich August von (b.1899).  
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| Box 1, Folder 6 | Heffer, W. & Sons Limited, firm, booksellers and publishers. Cambridge.  
|                | Physical Description: (1 item) |
| Box 1, Folder 6 | Herby, G.H.  
|                | Physical Description: (1 item) |
| Box 1, Folder 6 | Hill, Peter Murry, Limited, firm, booksellers. London.  
|                | Physical Description: (1 item) |
| Box 1, Folder 6 | Hogben, Lancelot Thomas (b.1895).  
|                | Physical Description: (1 item) |
| Box 1, Folder 6 | Holden, Inez (b.1906).  
|                | Physical Description: (1 item) |
| Box 1, Folder 6 | Holland, H.A.  
|                | Physical Description: (2 items) |
Introduction to English law ... IX Jeremy Bentham (15 February 1748-6 June 1832) [& Mr. Holland's lectures] n.p. n.d.

Physical Description: (1 item) Typescript with marginal note by C.K. Ogden. 6pp.

Holstrom, John Edwin (b.1898).

Physical Description: (2 items)

Hoyt, William Henry.

Physical Description: (2 items)

Jakobson, Roman.

Physical Description: (1 item)

Jaspersen, Otto.

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Note
See: Collinson, William Edward (b.1889).

Jones, Bassett (b.1877).

Physical Description: (1 item)

Keen, Alan.

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Kerschensteiner, George Michael Anton (1854-1932).

Physical Description: (1 item)

Keynes, Geoffrey Langdon (b.1887).

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Keynes, John Maynard (1883-1946).

Physical Description: (1 item)

Keynes, Lydia (Lopokova) (b.1892).

Physical Description: (1 item)

Scope and Content Note
[Also, ephemera] (1 item).

Lauwerys, Joseph Albert.

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[Also, ephemera] (3 items).

Leach, Henry Goddard (b.1880).

Physical Description: (28 items)

Scope and Content Note
[Also, ephemera] (1 item).
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**Lerche Ang.**  
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**Leslie, Shane (b.1885).**  
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**Lewis, Wyndham (1886-1957).**  
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**Lockhart, Miss L.W.**  
Physical Description: (3 items)  
Scope and Content Note  
With these: Lockhart, Miss L.W. Notations and fragments, n.d., n.p. (Holograph, 4 items).

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Scope and Content Note  
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**London. University, University College.**  
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**London, University press.**  
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Box 1, Folder 9  
**Lukens, Hiram Stanhope (b.1885).**  
Physical Description: (1 item)  
Note  
See: Abrahams, Harold J.

Box 1, Folder 10  
**McNee, Sir John William (b.1887).**  
Physical Description: (1 item)  
Note  
See: Hoyt, William Henry.

Box 1, Folder 10  
**Mathews, Elkins, Limited, firm, booksellers, Takeley Bishops Stortford.**  
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**Matschoss, Conrad (b.1871).**  
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**Meldrun, Roy.**  
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**Morison, Stanley (b.1889).**  
Physical Description: (4 items)  
Note  
See: Ogden, C.K., Literary Manuscripts.
Box 1, Folder 10  
**Muirhead, Arnold Meadowcroft (b.1900).**  
Physical Description: (1 item)

Box 1, Folder 10  
**Mundaneum Institute Vienna, Branch for Great Britain.**  
Note  
See: Neurath, Otto.

Box 1, Folder 10  
**Munnings, Sir Alfred James (1878-1959).**  
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Scope and Content Note  
[Also, ephemera] (2 items).

Box 1, Folder 11  
**Nesbitt, George Layman (b.1903).**  
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**Neurath, Otto (b.1882).**  
Physical Description: (2 items)

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**Newberry Library, Chicago.**  
Physical Description: (1 item)

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**Norman, Hubert James.**  
Physical Description: (1 item)

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“*The relation of mental disorder to events in history,*” [by] Hubert J. Norman.  
Physical Description: (1 item)

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Physical Description: (1 item)

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**Paul, Trench, Trubner and Company, Limited, firm, publishers. London.**  
Note  

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**Pearson, Karl (1857-1936).**  
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**Peck, Arthur.**  
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Scope and Content Note  
[2 original letters from Ogden to Shaw, one with enclosure] |
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| Box 1, Folder 13 | **Sinclair, William Angus (b.1905).**  
Physical Description: (2 items) |
| Box 1, Folder 13 | **Singer (?), D. Wally.**  
Physical Description: (1 item) |
| Box 1, Folder 13 | **Sims, George Frederick, firm, booksellers, Harrow, Middlesex.**  
Physical Description: (2 items) |
| Box 1, Folder 13 | **Skinner, Countess Lindsay.**  
Physical Description: (1 item) |
| Box 1, Folder 13 | **Smith, Stanley, The Marchmont bookshop, firm, London.**  
Physical Description: (1 item) |
| Box 1, Folder 13 | **Smith, C.P.**  
Physical Description: (1 item)  
Note  
See: Wheldon, Emys J. |
| Box 1, Folder 13 | **Speilmann, Percy Edwin (b.1881).**  
Physical Description: (1 item) |
| Box 1, Folder 13 | **Spriggs, Edmund Ivens.**  
Physical Description: (2 items) |
| Box 1, Folder 13 | **Stern-Mitscherlich, Axel Ludwig.**  
Physical Description: (2 items) |
| Box 1, Folder 13 | **Suschitzky, Bruder, firm, Anzegruber-verlag, Wien-Leipzig.**  
Physical Description: (1 item) |
| Box 1, Folder 13 | **Symons, Alphonse James Albert (b.1900).**  
Physical Description: (5 items) |
| Box 1, Folder 14 | **Taraporevala, D.B., and sons, firm, booksellers, Bombay.**  
Physical Description: (1 item) |
| Box 1, Folder 14 | **Tennyson, Sir Charles (b.1879).**  
Physical Description: (1 item) |
| Box 1, Folder 14 | **Tompkins, William.**  
Physical Description: (2 items)  
Scope and Content Note  
[Also, ephemera] (2 items). |
| Box 1, Folder 15 | **Wallas, Graham (1858-1932).**  
Physical Description: (1 item) |
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| Box 1, Folder 15 | **Walpole, Mrs. Ellen.**  
Physical Description: (4 items) |
| Box 1, Folder 15 | **Weatherseed, Margery.**  
Physical Description: (3 items) |
| Box 1, Folder 15 | **Welch, Livingston (b.1911).**  
Physical Description: (1 item) |
| Box 1, Folder 15 | **Wheldon, Emys J.**  
Physical Description: (3 items)  
Note  
See: Walpole, Mrs. Ellen. |
| Box 1, Folder 15 | **Wueller, Paul Hahn (b.1901).**  
Physical Description: (1 item) |
| Box 1, Folder 16 | **Unidentified correspondents.**  
Physical Description: (2 items) |
| Box 1, Folder 16 | **O’Gorman, Mervyn.**  
Physical Description: (2 items) |
| Box 1, Folder 16 | **Wood, James.**  
Physical Description: (1 item) |

**Literary Manuscripts**

Physical Description: (3 items) Typescript with holograph corrections. 3pp.  
Scope and Content Note  
With these: holograph note relating to this review. n.p., n.d. (1 leaf).  
Also: note in the hand of Miss L.W. Lockhart. n.p., n.d. (1 leaf). |
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| Box 2, Folder 1 | **Ogden, Charles Kay (1889-1957). Untitled literary manuscript. n.p. n.d.**  
Physical Description: Holograph, 1 leaf.  
Scope and Content Note  
This appears to be the beginning of a lecture, preface, or article on the history and antecedents of Basic English. |
Box 2, Folder 1  
**Ogden, Charles Kay (1889-1957). Notations on various subjects; Fragments. n.p. n.d. and v.d.**  
Physical Description: Holograph (26 items)  
Scope and Content Note  
These notes were removed from various books in the library of C.K. Ogden and contain Ogden's critical remarks regarding the books from which they were removed. Included, also, are notes apparently for a revision of *The meaning of meaning* [edition not known].  
Note  
For additional manuscripts by C.K. Ogden, see Boxes 3 and 8.

**Miscellaneous Manuscripts**

Box 2, Folder 2  
**Crosby, Harry (1898-1929. Observation-post. n.p. n.d.**  
Physical Description: Typescript with holograph corrections. 14pp. (1 item)  
Scope and Content Note  
Holograph note on first page: “Dear Mr. Ogden ... this reply to Eastman is coming out in the next number of Transition [Paris]...” [1929].

Box 2, Folder 2  
**[Lockhart, Miss L.W.] D. Diringer: The alphabet, a key to the history of mankind, n.p. n.d.**  
Physical Description: Holograph, 4pp. Incomplete (1 item)  
Scope and Content Note  
Note  
[Publication history of this review unknown]  
NOTE: for additional items in this folder, see Box 3.

Box 2, Folder 3  
Physical Description: Holograph, and typescript with holograph corrections. 92pp.  
Scope and Content Note  
[Title given on original cover, now removed. Publication history unknown]. With this: *Det nya hjalpspraket Basic English, En utredning, jamte ordforradet*, av Gosta Langenfelt. n.p., [1944] [reprint] pp.193-212.  
Also, holograph note to "Dear Mr. Ogden," London, June 30 (1 leaf).  
Also, notations in C.K. Ogden's hand, n.p., n.d. (2 leaves).  
Notations and corrections of “The grammar ... for Swedish students” in an unidentified hand. n.p., n.d. (1 leaf).  
Note  
For additional miscellaneous manuscripts, see Box 8.

Box 2, Folder 3  
**Unidentified manuscripts, fragments and pictures.**  
Physical Description: (5 items)

**Ephemera**
Box 2, Folder 5  **Relating to Basic English.**

Scope and Content Note
Includes: Basic English list of books; reprints of articles on Basic English; newspaper clippings; Stock list, March 31st, 1952 [of books available through the Orthological Institute?] typescript with manuscript corrections, n.p., 1952, 7pp. (10 items).


Box 2, Folder 6  **Relating to Jeremy Bentham (1784-1832).**

Physical Description: (8 items)
Scope and Content Note
Includes: invitations, programs, and announcements of the University of London, University College for lectures and banquets honoring Jeremy Bentham; minutes of the meeting of the Bentham Manuscripts Committee, University College London, for December 10, 1946.

Box 2, Folder 7  **Miscellaneous ephemera.**

Physical Description: (19 items)

**Orthological Institute, Cambridge, England. Business Correspondence**

Box 2, Folder 8  **Correspondence between F. Procter Brown, Orthological Institute, London, and Miss K.M. Dockrill, Cambridge Magazine Bookshops, Cambridge. 1938-1940.**

Physical Description: Manuscript and typescript (21 items)

Box 2, Folder 8  **Memoranda to Miss K.M. Dockrill. v.p. and n.p. 1939-1940 and n.d.**

Creator/Collector: Ogden, Charles Kay (1889-1957).
Physical Description: Holograph (65 items)
Scope and Content Note
[Mostly unsigned and undated; these are primarily Ogden's lists of book wants]

Box 2, Folder 8  **Dockrill, Miss K.M. Letters to C.K. Ogden. Cambridge. 1939-1940.**

Physical Description: Holograph and typescript (10 items)
Arrangement
[Arranged chronologically]

Box 2, Folder 9  **Requests from various persons and firms to the Orthological Institute and the Cambridge Magazine Bookshops for books and information re Basic English; order forms covering these requests. v.p.. v.d.**

Physical Description: Manuscript and typescript (151 items)

Box 2, Folder 9  **Invoices from various booksellers to the Orthological Institute, Cambridge Magazine Bookshops and C.K. Ogden. v.p.. v.d.**

Physical Description: Manuscript and typescript (21 items)

Box 2, Folder 10  **Miscellaneous invoices, v.p.. v.d.**

Physical Description: Manuscript and typescript (21 items)
Small memo books recording word lists and notes on various languages, alphabets and numbering systems. n.p. n.d.

Physical Description: Manuscript (16 items)

Scope and Content Note
Includes [partial list of contents]:


Friedrich Delitzsch, Assyrische lesestucke ... [vol.2]. Leipzig. 1912.

English word lists [on one page: “words from law lists to be included in general dictionary.”].


“Georgian.” Iranian alphabets compared; word lists.

Indian alphabets. Comparison of Singalese and Nagari vernacular; The Lord’s Prayer in Singalese vernacular with English Translation.

Russian. Translation into English of story by Anton Chekhov (title given: XAM[eh]EÖH[hard sign]).

[Also, various unidentified handwritings].


Physical Description: 4 records [no.1040-1043] composing one set (5 sets total).


Physical Description: 326pp. With copious holograph corrections.

Scope and Content Note
[This copy was used to make the revisions, deletions and additions for the edition published by K. Paul, Trench, Trubner & Company, Limited, London, 1929, under the title The ABC of psychology].


Books by Charles Kay Ogden

Physical Description: (24 items)

Scope and Content Note
[Listed alphabetically by title, exclusive of reprints and foreign language editions. Boxed according to size]


Scope and Content Note
(Psyche miniatures. General series, no.42).


Scope and Content Note


Box 4


Physical Description: (2 vol.)

Box 4


Scope and Content Note
(Psyche miniatures. General series, no.29).

Box 4


Box 4


Scope and Content Note
(Psyche miniatures. General series, no.33).

Box 4


Scope and Content Note
(Psyche miniatures, General series, no.78).

Box 5

Basic for science ... with help of a committee of the Orthological institute. London: K. Paul. 1944.

Scope and Content Note
“Second printing.” (Psyche miniatures. General series, no.95).

Box 4


Box 5


Scope and Content Note
“Second printing.” (Psyche miniatures. General series, no.31).

Box 5


Scope and Content Note
“Ninth printing.” (Psyche miniatures. General series, no.44).

Box 5


Scope and Content Note
“Second printing.” (Psyche miniatures. General series, no.73).

Box 5


Scope and Content Note
(Psyche miniatures. General series, no.36).

Box 4


Box 4

The general Basic dictionary, giving more than 40,000 senses of over 20,000 words, in Basic English, under the direction of C.K. Ogden ... with help of a committee of The Orthological institute. London: Evans brothers, Limited. [1940].

Scope and Content Note
[Presentation copy from the publisher to Mr. Ogden]
Box 4  
*The general Basic dictionary*, no.11. New York: W.W. Norton & Company, [1942].  
Note  
“First published in United States of America. 1942.”.  

Box 4  
Scope and Content Note  
“Produced for the Orthological institute. Cambr. ...”  
“First published. September 1938.”.  

Box 5  
Scope and Content Note  
(Psyche miniatures. General series, no.41).  

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Scope and Content Note  
(Psyche miniatures. General series, no.41).  

Box 4  
*A short guide to Basic English.* “Supplement to the Basic news. April, 1937.” Cambridge: The Orthological Institute, [1937].  

Box 4  
*The system of Basic English.* New York: Harcourt, Brace, & Company. [1934].  
Scope and Content Note  
“First edition.” “Copyright 1934 by the Orthological institute.”  

Introductions, Prefaces and “Notes” by Charles Kay Ogden  
Physical Description: (37 items)  

Box 5  
Scope and Content Note  
“To the reader” signed C.K. Ogden.  

Box 5  
Scope and Content Note  
“To the reader” signed C.K. Ogden.  

Box 5  
Scope and Content Note  
“To the reader” signed C.K. Ogden.  

Psyche Miniatures, General Series (London: K. Paul)  
Physical Description: [Incomplete]  
Scope and Content Note  
The numbers following the title indicate the position in the series. Each contains a note addressed “To the reader” signed C.K. Ogden, unless otherwise indicated.  

Box 5  
*The Basic St. Mark* (no.68). 1935.
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| Box 5 | Frank, Leonhard (b.1882). *Carl and Anna. Translated into Basic English By L.W. Lockhart* (no.32). 1933. |
|   | Scope and Content Note |

| Box 5 | Franklin, Benjamin (1706-1790). *Wise words of an early American; a selection from the writings of Benjamin Franklin. Put into Basic by C.K. Ogden* (no.76). 1935. |
| Box 5 | Griffith, C.L.T. *The story of letters and numbers ...* (no.93). 1939. |
| Box 5 | Haldane, John Burdon Sanderson (b.1892). *Science and well-being* (no.77). 1935. |
|   | Scope and Content Note |
|   | “Second printing”. |

| Box 5 | Lockhart, Miss L.W. *Basic for economics* (no.57). 1933. |
| Box 5 | ____ *The Basic traveller and other examples of Basic English, ... with an introduction by C.K. Ogden* (no.34). 1931. |
| Box 5 | ____ *Everyday Basic ("The Basic traveler"); examples of Basic English* (no.34). 1934. |
|   | Scope and Content Note |
|   | “To the reader” signed C.K. Ogden. |

| Box 5 | Lorenzini, Carlo (1826-1890). *Pinocchio, by C. Collodi [pseudonym] Put into Basic by Margaret Bottrall* (no.94). 1940. |
|   | Scope and Content Note |
|   | “Second printing”. |

| Box 5 | Plutarchus. *Julius Caesar, from the histories of Julius Caesar and Brutus in North's Plutarch. Put into Basic by A.P. Rossiter* (no.50). 1933. |
| Box 5 | Poe, Edgar Allen (1809-1849). *The fold insect, being the “Gold bug” put into Basic English by A.P. Rossiter* (no.45). 1946. |
|   | Scope and Content Note |
|   | “Second printing”. |
Box 5  
Rantz, J.  *The sounds and forms of Basic English* (no.84). 1936.  
Scope and Content Note  
[Copy marked by the author]

Box 5  
Rossiter, Mrs. P.M.  *Basic for geology* (no.90). 1945.  
Scope and Content Note  
“Second printing”.

Box 5  
Salzedo, S.L.  *A Basic astronomy* (no.65). 1934.

Box 5  
Scope and Content Note  
“Second printing”.

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Scope and Content Note  
“Second printing”.  
(Psyche miniatures. General series, no.66).

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Box 5  
Scope and Content Note  
“Note” signed C.K. Ogden.

Box 5  
Von der Porten, Walter (b.1880).  *Between the lines; old Greek stories in new dress, by W. Repton [pseudonym]* (no.96). 1950.

Box 6  
Scope and Content Note  
“Yuhudo business English series.”  
“Note” signed C.K. Ogden.

Box 6  
Scope and Content Note  
“Introduction” signed C.K. Ogden.

Box 6  
Miscellaneous Published Works of C.K. Ogden  
Physical Description: (2 items)
Box 8

“Useful and entertaining knowledge; the Benthamic tradition.” *Psyche*, XVIII (1938-1952).

Physical Description: (pp.127-204)

Scope and Content Note

Cloth bound, interleaved page proofs. On binding: “Useful and entertaining knowledge.
C.K. Ogden, 1952.”

Box 4


Scope and Content Note

Contributions signed C.K.O. include:

1) “Autumn,” by Thompson.
2) “When I am dead, my dearest, ...” by Christina G. Rossetti.
3) “While the rills are dancing down ...” by C.K.O.

Foreign Language Editions of Books by C.K. Ogden

Physical Description: (34 items)

Boxes 6-7

[No further description available. v.d.].

Periodicals Devoted to Basic English

Physical Description: (16 items)

Scope and Content Note

Includes:

3) *The Basic English Monthly*. Japan (vol.1, no.1-vol.2, no.5) October 1, 1932-May 1, 1933.

Books on Basic English by Various Authors

Box 9, 10

Texts and readers in Basic English.

Physical Description: (75 items)

Box 11

Translations into Basic English.

Physical Description: (17 items)

Box 12

Translations into Basic English / commentaries on Basic English.

Physical Description: (35 items)

Box 13

Commentaries on Basic English.

Physical Description: (24 items)

Box 14-18

Texts, readers and translations into Basic English.

Additions to the Collection

Physical Description: Typescript, 3pp. (1 item)

Scope and Content Note
In manuscript on first page: “T.L.S.; C.K. O.”

Note
[Author of this review unknown]

Box 2, Folder 2  Untitled manuscript. n.p. n.d.

Physical Description: Typescript, 4pp. (1 item)

Scope and Content Note
[A satirical dialogue between Sherlock Holmes and Watson re C.K. Ogden]

Box 2, Folder 2  Wells, Herbert George (1866-1946). Language and mental growth. n.p. n.d.

Physical Description: Typescript, 6pp. (1 item)

Scope and Content Note
[Excerpted from The shape of things to come (pp.418-422). London. 1933 (1 item).]

Box 2, Folder 2  Street organs and street cries [petition]. Cambridge. [1920?].

Physical Description: Typescript, 3pp. (1 item)

Box 2, Folder 2  Unidentified manuscript [“... on Latin as a mental discipline . ..”]. n.p. n.d.

Physical Description: Typescript, 2pp. (1 item)

Scope and Content Note
[Possibly identifiable with “... what I had to say about Latin ...” mentioned in H.A. Holland's letter to C.K. Ogden (December 4, 1947)].


Physical Description: Original typescript with holograph corrections. 6pp.

Scope and Content Note
(Half-title: International library of psychology, philosophy and scientific method).

With this: page proofs of Contents, Preface, Translator's preface [omitted from this edition] and “Extracts from the author's prefaces to the seventh, eighth, and ninth editions.” With corrections in Ogden's hand (32pp.).


Note


Physical Description: Typescript with holograph corrections, 2 leaves [incomplete].

Scope and Content Note
[Also], notations re Morris Cohen, n.p., n.d. (2 leaves, 3 items).
Additions to the Collection

Box 2, Folder 12


Physical Description: (p.1f)
Scope and Content Note
With these; three letters from Stanley Morison to C.K. Ogden re publication of this review and of a subsequent “Letter” re Morris Cohen in the *Times Literary Supplement*. London. July 15, August 15 and September 5, 1946 (Typescript and holograph, 3 items).

Box 8


Scope and Content Note
(Null)

Physical Description: (p.1f)

Scope and Content Note
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Physical Description: (108pp.)
Scope and Content Note
Bound page proofs with extensive holograph corrections.
A second copy, with holograph corrections.
A bound and interleaved copy of the article as published, with no manuscript corrections.

Box 8


Physical Description: (78pp.)
Scope and Content Note
Bound page proofs with holograph corrections.

Box 8

Ogden, Charles Kay (1889-1957). Articles from *Psyche*, vol.18 (1938-1952) [Cambridge. 1952].

Physical Description: Bound page proofs with holograph corrections, 204pp.
Scope and Content Note
Contents:
1) Editorial: “The origins of archtypation.”
2) “Retrospective.”
3) “The normative approach.”
4) “Can you see space?”
5) “Word magic.”
6) “Useful and entertaining knowledge.”

[Also], another, separately bound volume (400pp.), interleaved, with holograph corrections. Contents:
1) “Word magic.”
2) “Useful and entertaining knowledge.”
3) “The Orthological Institute from Bentham to Brougham.”
4) Editorial (pages extracted from).
5) Epilogue.
Box 8  Horn, Earnest (b.1882). *A Basic writing vocabulary, 10,000 words most commonly used in writing.* Iowa City, College of Education, University of Iowa [1926].
  
  Physical Description: (225pp.)
  
  Scope and Content Note
  
  With manuscript annotations in the hand of C.K. Ogden.

  
  Physical Description: (300pp.)
  
  Scope and Content Note
  
  With manuscript annotations in the hand of C.K. Ogden.

Box 8  West, Michael Philip and James Gareth Endicott. *The Rational English dictionary, explaining the meanings of 24,000 items within a vocabulary of 1,490 words. With illustrations.* London: Philip and Tracy. n.d.
  
  Physical Description: (341pp.)
  
  Scope and Content Note
  
  Annotations in the hand of C.K. Ogden, interleaved.

  
  Physical Description: (136pp).
  
  Scope and Content Note
  
  With copious manuscript annotations.
  
  On front inside cover, note signed “C.K.O. April 26, 1947,” indicating the ink annotations to be in the hand of “Lady Welby,” written at Harrow. 1910; whereas the pencil markings were done by Ogden in 1911.

  
  Physical Description: (544pp.)
  
  Scope and Content Note
  
  With holograph notations.