WALLACE LUDWIG ANDERSON ARCHIVE SERIES DESCRIPTION

SERIES ONE:

ASSIGNED SERIES TITLE: Contents of file cabinets

Contents of Anderson’s filing cabinets, boxed in order by family members. Folders contain typed transcripts, correspondence with repositories or manuscript dealers, receipts for photocopies, published journals and magazines, clippings. With few exceptions, the folders bear identifying tab labels and are grouped by source of the original Robinson documents. Anderson assigned a three letter code to each repository or individual and stamped the code on each transcript he completed.

SERIES TWO:

ASSIGNED SERIES TITLE: Transcripts and annotations

Materials received in 48 stationery boxes. Each box held Anderson’s transcripts for Robinson’s letters for a particular year in the range 1890 - 1935. Typed transcripts on white paper are often accompanied by handwritten notes on cards or typed annotations on yellow paper. Each typescript is stamped with Anderson’s three letter code. Arrangement is chronological.

SERIES THREE:

ASSIGNED SERIES TITLE: 4 x 6 note cards

The cards appear to be an alphabetical index for cross referencing purposes. They link a personal or corporate name or Robinson title to a particular Robinson letter.

SERIES FOUR:

ASSIGNED SERIES TITLE: 5 x 8 note cards

These cards are similar to the 4 x 6 note cards in Series Three.

SERIES FIVE:

ASSIGNED SERIES TITLE: Loose items from desktop and top of file cabinet

Loose items from Anderson’s office: a mix of handwritten, typed and photocopied reference material along with published works and some photographs.