



Guide to the Curtis Hidden Page Papers, 1870-1946

Administrative Information

Title and Dates:

Curtis Hidden Page Papers, 1870-1946

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Page, Curtis Hidden, 1870-1946

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The materials in this collection are in English.

Extent:

2 boxes

Abstract:

Curtis Hidden Page was born in Greenwood, MO on April 4, 1870. The papers consist of personal correspondence, book dealer information, and other miscellaneous information. The papers contain information related to the creator's personal life and information on his work life including his time in the military, as member of the Constitutional Convention in 1938, as New Hampshire State Senator from 1939 to 1941, and as an educator at Columbia University, Northwestern University, and Dartmouth College.

Access and Use

Acquisition Information and Provenance:

The Curtis Hidden Page Papers were a gift to the New Hampshire Historical Society by Gretchen Tobey.

Processing Information:

This collection was originally processed by an unknown person. The finding aid was written by Amelia Buccarelli in June 2015. This finding aid follows the standards set forth by *Describing Archives: A Content Standard*.

Access Restrictions:

Available for research

Location:

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Physical Characteristics and Technical Requirements:

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Collection Overview

Biographical Information:

Curtis Hidden Page was born in Greenwood MO, on April 4, 1870. He was educated at Phillips Exeter Academy and Harvard College. He received a Doctor of Philosophy and taught at Columbia University, Northwestern University, and Dartmouth College. He also edited journals, translated works from French, and wrote a history of Japanese Poetry. He managed to find time to serve on the Constitutional Convention in 1938, in the New Hampshire State Senate in 1939 to 1941 and as a moderator of the General Court. He was also active in Gilmanton town activities.

Page was a Captain in the Reserves and was called to active service in World War I in 1918. He was promoted to Major and was Commanding Officer 2nd Regiment Ordnance Training Camp in Camp Hancock, Georgia. After the Armistice, he was Commanding Officer Penniman General Ordnance in Penniman, Virginia.

Collection Scope and Content Note:

The Curtis Hidden Page Papers are arranged into three series based on type of material: Personal Correspondence, Book Dealer, and Miscellaneous. The folders are organized within each series in chronological order. The first series contains personal correspondence, (1913-1943), the second series contains book dealer information, (1933-1943) and the third series contains the following: receipts, Thesis Fichte, Modern Fairy Tale, Modern Fairy Tale (1896), poetry and printed miscellaneous items.

Arrangement:

The Curtis Hidden Page Papers are organized into the following series:

Series I. Personal Correspondence, 1913-1943

Series II. Book Dealer, 1933-1943

Series III. Miscellaneous

Contents List**Series I. Personal Correspondence**

Extent: 1 box and 14 folders.

Scope and Content: The bulk of Series I consists of personal correspondence from 1913-1943.

Box 1

Folder 1 Correspondence, 1913-1914
Folders 2-3 Correspondence, 1915
Folders 4-5 Correspondence, 1933-1934
Folders 6-7 Correspondence, 1935-1936
Folders 8-9 Correspondence, 1938-1939
Folders 10-11 Correspondence, 1940
Folders 12-13 Correspondence, 1942-1943
Folders 14 Correspondence, undated

Series II. Book Dealer

Extent: 2 boxes and 10 folders

Scope and Content: Series two contains materials related to Page's time as a book dealer.

Box 1

Folders 15-16 1933-1934
Folder 17 1935-1938
Folders 18-21 1939

Box 2

Folders 1-2 1940
Folder 3 1942-1943& undated

Series III. Miscellaneous

Extent: 1 box and 5 folders

Scope and Content: Series three contains miscellaneous items related to Page's life. Most materials in the series are Page's writings.

Box 2

Folder 4	Receipts
Folder 5	Thesis Fichte
Folder 6	Modern Fairy Tale
Folder 7	Modern Fairy Tale (1896)
Folder 8	Poetry & printed misc.

Subject Terms

People:

Page, Curtis Hidden, 1870-1946

Organizations:

Columbia University
Dartmouth College
Harvard College
New York (State). Constitutional Convention (1938)
Northwestern University
Phillips Exeter Academy
United States – State Legislature

Subjects:

Book dealer
Booksellers and bookselling
Captain – Military
English Literature
Major - Military
Poetry
World War 1914-1918

Locations:

Gilmanton, NH
Greenwood, MO
New York
Penniman, VA

Occupations:

Authors
Teachers
Writers
New Hampshire State Legislature (1933 & 1939)