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/Box (file)	Description	Date(s)
/001	Addresses and correspondence	1953-1982
/002 (01)	Personal files. Miscellaneous press clippings; "President's Report to the S.A.C. [Students' Administrative Council], 1968-1969", by Steven Langdon	
/002 (02)	Personal files. Correspondence re appointments	1964, 1968
/002 (03)	Publications, with covering correspondence	1966-1973
/002 (04)	American Council on Education. Presidents' Institute (1971 : Miami). Programme and notes	1971
/002 (05)	Canadian education delegation to the People's Republic of China. Correspondence, diary, press reports, and report, 1974	1974
/002 (06)	Commonwealth Universities Congress (9th : 1963 : London). Social activities	1963
/002 (07)	Commonwealth Universities Congress (11th: 1973 : Edinburgh). Programme and notes	1973
/002 (08)	Institute of International Education. Conference (1972 : Montreal)	1972
/002 (09)	Royal Society of Canada. Correspondence re Scholarship Study, 1976	1976
/002 (10)	University of Texas. Correspondence with Arthur Norman	1968-1969
/002 (11)	Administrative files. University of Manitoba. Appointment as President, 1970	1970
/002 (12)	Administrative files. University of Manitoba. Appointment as President: correspondence conveying congratulations (1)	1970
/003 (01)	Administrative files. University of Manitoba. Appointment as President: correspondence conveying congratulations (2)	1970
/003 (02)	Administrative files. University of Manitoba. Appointment as President: Installation Ceremony	1970
/003 (03)	Administrative files. University of Manitoba. Appointment as President: Installation Ceremony. Regrets from individuals	1970
/003 (04)	Administrative files. University of Manitoba. Appointment as President: Installation Ceremony. Regrets from Institutions	1970
/003 (05)	Administrative files. University of Manitoba. Appointment as President: Installation Ceremony. Certificates from institutions	1970
/003 (06)	Administrative files. University of Manitoba. Appointment as President: Installation Ceremony. Programme	8 Nov. 1970
/003 (07)	Administrative files. University of Manitoba. Board of Governors. Correspondence, notes	1975-1976
/003 (08)	Administrative files. University of Manitoba. Board of Governors. Deans and Directors. Minutes of meetings	1975
/003 (09)	Administrative files. University of Manitoba. Board of Governors. "Committee of Five Deans". Minutes of meetings and memoranda, primarily re budgetary matters	1975-1976
/003 (10)	Administrative files. University of Manitoba. Board of Governors. Budget	1972-1977
/003 (11)	Administrative files. University of Manitoba. Board of Governors. Retirement from the presidency. Correspondence	1975-1976

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/003 (12)	Administrative files. University of Manitoba. Board of Governors. President's Reports	1970-1975
/003 (13)	Press clippings and press releases. Interview, Winnipeg Tribune	25 Apr. 1970
/003 (14)	Press clippings and press releases. Series on education, Winnipeg Free Press, July 1971	Jul. 1971
/003 (15)	Press clippings and press releases. Ernest Sirluck and the University of Toronto	1964-1973
/004 (01)	Press clippings and press releases. Ernest Sirluck and the University of Manitoba	1970
/004 (02)	Press clippings and press releases. Ernest Sirluck and the University of Manitoba	1971
/004 (03)	Press clippings and press releases. Ernest Sirluck and the University of Manitoba	1972
/004 (04)	Press clippings and press releases. Ernest Sirluck and the University of Manitoba	1973
/004 (05)	Press clippings and press releases. Ernest Sirluck and the University of Manitoba	1974
/004 (06)	Press clippings and press releases. Ernest Sirluck and the University of Manitoba	Jan. 1975-Apr. 1975
/005 (01)	Press clippings and press releases. Ernest Sirluck and the University of Manitoba	May. 1975-Dec. 1975
/005 (02)	Press clippings and press releases. Ernest Sirluck and the University of Manitoba	1976
/005 (03)	Press clipping. Robin Matthew	1970-1972
/005 (04)	Old speech material	1970-1976
/005 (05)	Lecture notes. English novel and Puritanism	n.d.
/006 (01)	Lecture notes. English courses, University of Toronto	1963
/006 (02)	Lecture notes. English courses, University of Toronto	1977-1978
/006 (03)	Lecture notes. English courses, University of Chicago	[ca. 1953]-1962
/006 (04)	Course notes. BA programme, University of Manitoba. "Temperament, the point of departure: a 17th century study" [term paper]	n.d.
/006 (05)	Course notes. BA programme, University of Manitoba. Romanticism	n.d.
/006 (06)	Course notes. "Some notes on Sir Philip Sidney and his work." Paper for Roy Daniells, 8.1.1940	1940
/006 (07)	Course notes. MA programme, University of Toronto. Milton (Barker)	n.d.
/006 (08)	Course notes. MA programme, University of Toronto. Milton (Woodhouse)	1940-1941
/006 (09)	Course notes. MA programme, University of Toronto. Milton (Woodhouse)	1941-1942
/006 (10)	Course notes. MA programme, University of Toronto. Shaftsbury	1940
/007 (01)	Course notes. MA programme, University of Toronto. Shaftsbury. Concept of Justice: Pre-Plato, Plato, Aristotle	

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/007 (02)	Course notes. MA programme, University of Toronto. Shaftsbury. Political theory	
/007 (03)	Course notes. MA programme, University of Toronto. Shaftsbury. Halevy - Growth of philosophical radicalism	
/007 (04)	Course notes. MA programme, University of Toronto. Shaftsbury. "Political Thought of Wyclif" [term paper]	
/007 (05)	Course notes. MA programme, University of Toronto. Shaftsbury. Bacon	
/007 (06)	Course notes. MA programme, University of Toronto. "Emma". Notes and term paper for E.K. Brown, 8.11.1940	8 Nov. 1940
/007 (07)	Course notes. MA programme, University of Toronto. "A Note upon the medial personality in The History of Henry Esmond". Term paper for E.K. Brown, 22.2.1941	22 Feb. 1941
/007 (08)	Course notes. MA programme, University of Toronto. Two Gentlemen. Class presentation, 1940 or 1941	1940-1941
/007 (09)	Course notes. MA programme, University of Toronto. "Professor E.S. Stoll's critical approach to Shakespeare". Paper presented in R.S. Knox' seminar	
/007 (10)	Course notes. MA programme, University of Toronto. "Richard III (Shakespeare and More)". R.S. Knox' seminar, 1941	1941
/007 (11)	Course notes. Doctoral programme, University of Toronto. "Background for Shelley's Radicalism". Prof. McGillvray's course	Nov. 1945
/007 (12)	Course notes. Doctoral programme, University of Toronto. "The Two 'Hyperions'" [Seminar report, 3.4.1946]	3 Apr. 1946
/007 (13)	Course notes. Doctoral programme, University of Toronto. Thesis plans	
/007 (14)	Course notes. Miscellaneous. Notes on Haller's Tracts and Liberty and Reformation	
/007 (15)	Course notes. Miscellaneous. "E.K. Brown, Willa Cather Manuscript"	n.d.
/007 (16)	Correspondence files. University of Toronto, School of Graduate Studies, relating to the Graduate Department of English, 1968-1969	1968-1969
/007 (17)	Correspondence files. Ethos. Editorial Advisory Board, 1982-1983	1982-1983
/007 (18)	Correspondence files. Maimonides College project, 1962	1962
/007 (19)	Correspondence files. Offers of senior academic and administrative positions. McMaster University, 1968	1968
/007 (20)	Correspondence files. Offers of senior academic and administrative positions. New York University, 1957	1957
/007 (21)	Correspondence files. Offers of senior academic and administrative positions. Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, 1966-1967	1966-1967
/007 (22)	Correspondence files. Offers of senior academic and administrative positions. Ohio State University, 1967	1967
/007 (23)	Correspondence files. Offers of senior academic and administrative positions. Simon Fraser University, 1968	1968

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/007 (24)	Correspondence files. Offers of senior academic and administrative positions. University of British Columbia, 1963-1964	1963-1964
/007 (25)	Correspondence files. Offers of senior academic and administrative positions. University of Calgary, 1968	1968
/007 (26)	Correspondence files. Offers of senior academic and administrative positions. University of Saskatchewan, 1969	1969
/008 (01)	Lecture notes. Comus	
/008 (02)	Lecture notes. Lycidas	
/008 (03)	Lecture notes. Anti-prelatical tracts	
/008 (04)	Lecture notes. Divorce pamphlets	
/008 (05)	Lecture notes. Areopagiticia (1644)	
/008 (06)	Lecture notes. Tenure of Kings (1649); First Defense (1651); Second Defense (1654)	
/008 (07)	Lecture notes. Of Civil Power in Ecclesiastical Causes; Hirelings (1659)	
/008 (08)	Lecture notes. Ready and Easy Way (February and May, 1660); "Letter to a Friend" (20.10.1659); "Letter to General Monk" (March?, 1660)	
/008 (09)	Lecture notes. De Doctrina Christiana	
/008 (10)	Lecture notes. Paradise Lost	
/008 (11)-	Lecture notes. Paradise Regained	
/008 (13)	Lecture notes. Milton's Influence	
/008 (14)	Lecture notes. University of Chicago. Of Education. Notes (introduction)	
/008 (15)	Lecture notes. University of Chicago. Examinations	
/008 (16)	Lecture notes. University of Chicago. 75-book oral exams	
/008 (17)	Lecture notes. University of Chicago. English 230. History of English Literature	
/008 (18)	Lecture notes. University of Chicago. English 233. 16th and 17th century prose texts	
/008 (19)	Lecture notes. University of Chicago. English 236. Elizabethan and Jacobean drama	
/008 (20)	Lecture notes. University of Chicago. English 237. Shakespeare (undergraduate)	
/009 (01)	Lecture notes. University of Chicago. English 238B. Spenser and Milton	
/009 (02)-	Lecture notes. University of Chicago. English 337. Shakespeare (3 folders)	
/009 (05)-	Lecture notes. University of Chicago. English 336. Spenser (2 folders)	
/009 (07)	Lecture notes. University of Toronto. English 39. Graduate Milton	
/009 (08)	Correspondence. Personal (miscellaneous)	1977-1987
/009 (09)	Correspondence. Personal (miscellaneous)	1975-1976
/009 (10)	Correspondence. Personal (miscellaneous)	1950-1974

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/009 (11)	Correspondence. Miscellaneous	1963-1976
/009 (12)	Correspondence. Bissell, Claude Thomas	1960-1986
/010 (01)	Press clippings. Claude T. Bissell and the University	
/010 (02)	Correspondence. Barker, Arthur	1950-1960
/010 (03)	Correspondence. McLuhan, Marshall	1966-1971
/010 (04)	Correspondence. Woodhouse, A.S.P.	1944-1962
/010 (05)	Correspondence. Woodhouse, A.S.P. re his visit to University of Chicago, 1952, and his receiving an honorary degree there, 1960	1952, 1960
/010 (06)	Correspondence. Woodside, Moffat St. Andrew	
/010 (07)	Correspondence. Bennett, H. Stanley and Joan	1952-1971
/010 (08)	Correspondence. Bush, Douglas	1951-1964
/010 (09)	Correspondence. Ford, George	1957-1978
/010 (10)	Correspondence. French, J. Milton	1955-1956
/010 (11)	Correspondence. Grant, Douglas	1954-1964
/010 (12)	Correspondence. Hanford, James Holly	1955-1960
/010 (13)	Correspondence. Haller, William	1953-1962
/010 (14)	Correspondence. Hughes, Merritt Y.	1952-1964
/010 (15)	Correspondence. Maclure, Millar	1961
/010 (16)	Manuscripts and Publications. Epic Poems of the Seventeenth Century. Introduction. MS	n.d.
/010 (17)	Manuscripts and Publications. Milton's Complete Prose Works [Yale Milton], volume II. Introduction	1958
/010 (18)	Manuscripts and Publications. Milton's Complete Prose Works [Yale Milton], volume II. Board comments on manuscript.	1958
/010 (19)	Manuscripts and Publications. Milton's Complete Prose Works [Yale Milton], volume II. Correspondence	1959-1965
/011 (01)	Reviews. 1961. "Milton's Idle Right Hand", Journal of English and Germanic Philology, LX, 4 (October 1961), 749-785. With covering correspondence, 1960-1962	1960-1962
/011 (02)	Reviews. 1964. "An Opportunity to Achieve Emergent-Nation Status in Higher Education", Varsity Graduate, XI, 3 (September 1964), 1-7	1964
/011 (03)	Reviews. 1965. "Universities in Crisis", Alumni Journal University of Manitoba, 25, 2 (Winter 1965), 7-13	1965
/011 (04)	Reviews. 1965. "A No-Title Address", American Journal of Pharmaceutical Education, 29, 5 (December 1965), 781-784	1965
/011 (05)	Reviews. 1967. Paradise Lost: a deliberate epic. Churchill College Overseas Fellowship Lecture Number One.	1967
/011 (06)	Reviews. 1971. "The Neutrality of the University: Institution and Discipline", Nationalism and the University: The Frank Gerstein Lectures, York University. Toronto: York University, 77-101 [Print Room]	1971
/011 (07)	Reviews. 1977. "University Presidents and the Politicians", Canadian Journal of Higher Education, VII, 1, 1-12	1977

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/012	Card indices. Course, lecture and research notes; Puritan Revolution (excluding Milton)	
/013	Card indices. Puritan Revolution (excluding Milton)	
/014	Card indices. Milton	
/015	Card indices. To Romanticism	
/016	Card indices. Romanticism and after	
/017	Oversized material	

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Ernest Sirluck

Biographical Sketch:

Ernest Sirluck was born in Winkler, Manitoba in 1918. He graduated with a Bachelor of Arts in 1940 from the University of Manitoba and continued on to the University of Toronto to complete his M.A. in 1941. Shortly after beginning doctoral work in English, he joined the Canadian Army and served overseas. For his distinguished service he was awarded the Member of the Order of the British Empire (Military Division), and returned to Canada as a Major.

Upon returning to the University of Toronto, he resumed his studies and earned his Doctor of Philosophy in 1948. He was a lecturer during his schooling at the UofT, and then at the University of Chicago as a Professor from 1947-1962. Ernest Sirluck's area of expertise was in seventeenth century English Literature, especially the works of John Milton.

In 1962 he returned to the University of Toronto and served at various times as Associate Dean, Dean of Graduate Studies, and Vice-President and Graduate Dean. During this time he also continued to work on various boards and committees, as well as continued with extensive academic work. He was elected as a Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada in 1967.

The University of Manitoba appointed him President and Vice-Chancellor in 1970, a position he held until 1976. At the end of his time in Manitoba, Sirluck returned to Toronto and, in 1996, he published *First Generation: An Autobiography*, detailing his life up to that point. Sirluck continues to live in Toronto.

Scope and Content:

Textual, 1961-2009

The records consist of personal correspondence (1961-2009) (B2012-0010/002); University of Manitoba Board of Governors meeting minutes, memos, and notes from Professor Sirluck's position as President of the University of Manitoba (B2012-0010/002); and the Management and Review Analysis Program (MRAP) task force report for the University of Toronto, 1976 (B2012-0010/002).

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