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**A.J.M. (Arthur James Marshall) Papers**  
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**Biographical note:**

Arthur James Marshall (A.J.M.) Smith (November 8, 1902 – November 21, 1980) was a Canadian poet, critic and professor and major figure in Canadian modernist poetry. Smith attended his undergrad at McGill University, where he founded *The McGill Fortnightly Review* (1925-1927), a publication that helped redefine Canadian poetry and literature by introducing modernism. He received his PhD from The University of Edinburgh in 1932 and spent most of his career teaching at Michigan State University (1936-1972). Smith published anthologies throughout his career, with the most notable being *The Book of Canadian Poetry* (1943), which helped define Canadian literary identity and criticism. Smith is part of the Montreal group of poets, who aimed to break with the traditional nature of 19<sup>th</sup> century Canadian poetry, and was inspired by Ezra Pound, T.S. Eliot and W.H. Auden. In 1943, he published his first collection of poetry, *News of the Phoenix*, which won the Governor General's Award for Poetry. In 1966, he was awarded the Lorne Pierce Medal. He retired in 1972.

**References:**

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**Date(s):**

1869-1965

**Extent:**

4 boxes (.5 metres)

**Scope and content:**

This accession consists of letter, some holograph, from Canadian poets and critics, including Earle Birney, Douglas Bush, E.K. Brown, Morley Callaghan, D.C. Scott and many others. It also includes drafts and research for lectures and articles, and drafts and correspondence regarding Smith's published works.

**Contains series:**

1. Correspondence

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A.J.M. Smith Papers

- 2. Manuscripts
- 3. Essays

**Custodial History:**

Material was acquired by the Library in May and July of 1966.

**Note:**

Shorthand annotations are used throughout the finding aid and are to be translated as follows:

ALS – Autograph letter signed (signed by the author of the letter, handwritten)

ANS – Autograph note signed (shorter note, card, postcard, etc.)

TLS – Typed letter signed (typed letter signed by hand)

TNS – Typed note signed (shorter typed note or card signed by the author)

TL – Typed letter not signed

AL – Autograph letter not signed

AN – Autograph note not signed

MS – Manuscript

**Arrangement:**

Most of the series are organized alphabetically by the name of the author or the title of the work.

**Access:**

Open. Box 5 is restricted.

**Series 1: Correspondence**

**Date(s):**  
[1869-1966]

**Extent:**  
2 boxes (0.25 metres)

**Scope and content:**  
Consists of correspondence from various authors to A.J.M. Smith. Contains poetry and other writings by authors sent to Smith for review, editing, or other various purposes.

<b>Box: Folder Number</b>	<b>Contents</b>	<b>Date range</b>
1:1	1 photocopied photograph of A.J.M. Smith.	[19--]
1:2	D. Abbott 1 TLS	1944
1:3	'Against a League of Liars' copy of poetry by Milton Acorn.	1960
1:4	Rita Adams 1 TLS 3 typed poems by Rita Adams.	1942
1:5	4 typed poems by Rita Adams.	[19--]
1:6	7 typed poems by Rita Adams.	[1941]
1:7	8 typed poems by Rita Adams. 2 poems printed in 'The Canadian Forum' by Rita Adams.	1940-1942
1:8	3 typed poems by Rita Adams.	[19--]
1:9	Patrick Anderson 1 ALS	[19--]
1:10	Waddell Austin 1 TLS	1956
1:11	Alfred Goldsworth Bailey 8 TLS, 1 ANS	1942-1956
1:12	Nelson Ball 1 ALS	1963
1:13	Frederick Wilse Bateson 1 ALS	1954

<b>Box: Folder Number</b>	<b>Contents</b>	<b>Date range</b>
1:14	Pellham Bird 1 ALS	1947
1:15	Earle Birney 9 TLS, 1 ALS	[1940-1942]
1:16	Earle Birney 7 TLS	1944-1959
1:17	Earle Birney 8 ANS, 5 TLS, 1 TNS	1962-1966
1:18	Claude Thomas Bissell 2 TLS	1960-1965
1:19	Robert Bly 1 ALS	1962
1:20	Tom Boggs 3 ALS, 1 ANS, 1 TLS	[1943]
1:21	Arthur Stanley Bourinot to Katherine (Mrs. B.S.) McCool 1 TL	1954
1:22	Arthur Stanley Bourinot 5 ANS	1939-1958
1:23	Audrey Alexandra Brown 1 TLS, 1 ALS	[1943]
1:24	1 ANS: signed Ivan Boldizar 1 TNS: Dr. (Gyorgy?) Boytha	1963
1:25	Edward Killoran Brown 8 TLS, 2 ALS, 1 TNS Copy of 'The Sunday Review of Literature' (29 April 1944), which contains an article by Edward Killoran Brown about Canadian poetry.	[1937-1944]
1:26	Charles Bruce 1 ANS, 1 ALS	[1943]
1:27	Kenneth Burke 1 TLS	1952
1:28	Michael Burn 1 TLS	1939
1:29	Stephen G. Buri 1 TLS, 1 ALS	1963

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1:30	Whit Burnett 1 TLS	1942
1:31	E.G. Burrows 1 TLS	1965
1:32	Douglas Bush 4 TLS, 1 TNS	1955-1961
1:33	Morley Callaghan 1 ALS, 1 TLS	[1963]
1:34	Norman Caplan 1 TLS	1956
1:35	Carol Cassidy 1 TLS, 2 ALS Poetry by Carol Cassidy	[1944]
1:36	Philip Child 1 ALS	1942
1:37	Clem Christensen 2 TLS	1944
1:38	George Herbert Clarke 2 TLS	[1933-1942]
1:39	Charles Clay 1 TLS	1943
1:40	Frederick William Cogswell 2 TLS, 2 ALS, 1 TL Poetry by Frederick William Cogswell	[1963-1965]
1:41	W.E. Collins 1 TLS	1933
1:42	Mary Elizabeth Colman 1 TLS	1943
1:43	J.R. Colombo 1 TLS	1962
1:44	Edward Annand Corbett 1 ALS	1957
1:45	Paul Corbett 1 ALS, 1 TLS	[19--]-1948

<b>Box: Folder Number</b>	<b>Contents</b>	<b>Date range</b>
1:46	Alan Crawley 5 TLS, 1 TNS, 7 TL, 1 TN	[1941]-1965
1:47	Roy Daniels 4 TNS, 2 TLS, 4 ANS, 2 ALS	[1942-1965]
1:48	Roberston Davies 1 TLS	1961
1:49	Cecile de Banke 3 ALS, 2 written to 'Miss Smith'	1942-1945
1:50	Revel Demey 1 ALS	1954
1:51	Kildare Dobbs 6 TLS	1957-1965
1:52	A.G. Dorland 2 TLS	1943-1944
1:53	A. Vibert Douglas 1 TLS Handwritten poetry	[1958]
1:54	Gwladys Downes 1 TLS	1956
1:55	Ilona Duczyńska Typed passage from W.H. Auden's Foreword to 'The Plough and the Pen.' Typed biography of Ferenc Juhasz. Translations of poetry by Zelk Zoltan and Kuczka Peter.	[1956]
1:56	Ilona Duczyńska Translations of the poem 'Landscape' by Juhasz Ferenc. 1 TLS from A.J.M. Smith to Duczynska.	[1951]
1:57	Ilona Duczyńska Translations of the poems 'The Song of the Tractor' and 'At Twenty-Six' by Juhasz Ferenc.	[1946-1954]
1:58	Ilona Duczyńska 3 TLS, 1 TL, 4 ANS, 2 ALS Translations of poetry by various Hungarian poets.	1958-1963
1:59	Louis Dudek 2 TLS, 2 ANS	1956-1963



<b>Box: Folder Number</b>	<b>Contents</b>	<b>Date range</b>
1:60	Peter M. Dwyer 1 TLS Brochure for Stanley House.	1964
1:61	Leon Edel 6 ANS, 11 ALS, 8 TLS, 1 TNS, photocopy of 1 TLS	1928-1964
1:62	Alice Eedy 2 TLS with typed copies of writing by Alice Eedy.	[19--]
1:63	Lloyd C. Emmons 1 TNS	1944
1:64	Robert D. England 1 TNS, 2 TLS	[1933-1934]
1:65	Ronald Gilmour Everson 2 TLS, 3 book reviews for Everson's works.	[1957-1958]
1:66	Doris Maud (Napper) Ferne 1 TLS	1943
1:67	Harold G. Files 1 TLS	1964
1:68	Joan Mackenzie (Joan Finnigan) 1 TLS	1965
1:69	Robert Finch 2 ALS, 1 TNS	1925-1948
1:70	Phillip C. Flayderman 1 TNS	1964
1:71	Frank Flemington 1 TNS	1945
1:72	Herma Harris Fraser 1 TLS, 2 ALS	1942-1945
1:73	Northrop Frye 2 TLS	[19--]
1:74	Cyro de Freitas-Valle 1 TNS	1944
1:75	Tom Gatten 1 TLS	1965
1:76	Maurice Girodias 1 TNS	1961

<b>Box: Folder Number</b>	<b>Contents</b>	<b>Date range</b>
1:77	John Glassco 1 ANS, 7 TLS Poetry by John Glassco	1956-1961
1:78	John Glassco 15 TLS, 1 ALS, 3 TNS Poetry by Paul Morin	1962-1965
1:79	Michael Gnarowski 1 TNS, 6 TLS Scans of 'Port Arthur News Chronicle,' 1964, 'Montreal Star' and 'Montreal Gazette,' 1959, containing articles about Michael Gnarowski. Press release from the Canadian Universities Foundation, 1964. Article from the 'Sherbrooke Daily Record' by Michael Gnarowski, 1961. Press release from Lakehead University Article from 'Port Arthur News Chronicle,' 1965. Poetry by Michael Gnarowski.	[1959-1965]
1:80	Theodore Goodridge Roberts 1 ALS Poetry by Theodore Goodridge Roberts	[1946]
1:81	J. King Gordon 1 TLS, 1 TNS Report by Steven Vincent Benet enclosed.	[1942]
1:82	John D. Grant 2 ALS Poetry by John D. Grant.	[1947]
1:83	John M. Gray 1 TNS, 2 TLS	1957-1965
1:84	Ethel Kirk Grayson 1 ALS	1954
1:85	Dorothy Gregg 1 ALS	1946
1:86	Ralph Gustafson 9 TLS, 3 TNS	1941-1942

<b>Box: Folder Number</b>	<b>Contents</b>	<b>Date range</b>
1:87	Ralph Gustafson 7 TLS, 4 TNS	1943-1948
1:88	Ralph Gustafson 1 postcard, 7 TLS, 6 TNS	1956-1966
1:89	Poems by Ralph Gustafson and review by Louis Dudek.	[1951-1961]
1:90	Donald Hall 1 TLS, 1 TNS, 1 ANS	[1963-1965]
1:91	Catherine Harmon 1 TNS, 1 TLS	1948
1:92	Wesley Hartley 1 TLS	1959
1:93	Rosemary Heenan 1 TLS	1958
1:94	W.B. Herbert 1 TLS	1943
1:95	Charles Highman 1 TNS	1966
1:96	Old Holmes 1 ANS	[1869]
1:97	Dora Hood 1 TNS	1943
1:98	Clara Hopper 1 ANS Poetry by Clara Hopper	1946
1:99	Sybil Hitch 1 TLS	1948
1:100	Charles C.J. (likely Charles Cannan Johnson) 2 TNS	1962
1:101	F.G. Jones 1 ANS	1947
1:102	Malcolm Johnson 1 ANS Symposium programme	1955
1:103	Douglas Gordon Jones 1 TLS	1963

<b>Box: Folder Number</b>	<b>Contents</b>	<b>Date range</b>
1:104	Kim Jones 3 ALS	1962-1963
1:105	Weldon Kees 3 TNS, 1 ANS, 1 ALS, 1 TLS	1941-1943
1:106	Hugh Kenner 1 TLS	1948
1:107	Garfield A. King 2 TNS	1948
1:108	Watson Kirkconnell 1 TLS	1944
1:109	Leo Kennedy 2 TLS, 2 TNS Poetry by S.I. Hayakawa	1940-1943
1:110	Abraham Moses Klein 4 TLS, 4 ALS Poetry by A.M. Klein	[1941-1951]
1:111	Carl Frederick Klinck 3 TLS, 1 TNS	1954-1964
1:112	Raymond Knister 3 TLS	1927-1928
1:113	Betty Knight 1 TLS	1961
1:114	R.S. Knox 1 ANS	1943
1:115	Mary Kolars 1 TNS	1929
1:116	Frederick E. Laight 1 TNS	1943
1:117	Y.M. Land 1 TNS	1963
1:118	Irving Layton 1 TL in 'The Canadian Forum'	1945
1:119	Irving Layton 6 ALS, 1 TLS Poetry by Irving Layton	[1943-1955]

<b>Box: Folder Number</b>	<b>Contents</b>	<b>Date range</b>
1:120	Irving Layton 4 ALS, 1 TLS, 3 postcards Poetry by Irving Layton	[1956-1964]
1:121	1 postcard from Irving Layton to Adrian Jaffe	1963
1:122	Douglas LePan 1 TLS	1964
1:123	Norman Levine 2 TLS, 1 TNS	1955-1956
1:124	Shelagh Lindsay 1 signed card, 1 TNS Review by Shelagh Lindsey	1961
1:125	Dorothy Livesay 2 TNS, 2 TLS, 4 ALS, 1 ANS Poetry by Dorothy Livesay	[1937-1955]
1:126	Florence (Randal) Livesay 2 ALS	[1939]
1:127	Gerhard R. Lomer 1 ANS	1924
1:128	The London Aphrodite 1 TN	1929
2:1	Goodridge MacDonald 1 ALS	n.d.
2:2	Colin MacDougal 1 TLS	1964
2:3	Gwendolyn MacEwen 2 TLS, 1 TNS, 1 ANS	[1965]
2:4	Arthur MacGillivray 1 TNS	1946
2:5	Wilson MacDonald 1 ALS	1943
2:6	L.A. MacKay 2 ALS	1941-1945
2:7	Norman A.M. MacKenzie 1 TNS	1947

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2:8	Eli Mandel 1 ALS	1960
2:9	Lillian Friend Marcus 1 TLS	1926
2:10	Anne Marriott 1 TLS	1942
2:11	Thomas Marshall 1 ANS	1965
2:12	Bill McConnell 1 ALS, 1 TLS	1947-1960
2:13	David McCord 1 TLS	1962
2:14	Katherine McCool to Arthur Stanley Bourinot 1 TL	1954
2:15	Raven McDavid 1 TLS	1960
2:16	Marshall McLuhan 2 ALS, 1 ANS	[1945]
2:17	Alex McGregor 1 TLS	1962
2:18	Floris C. McLaren 5 ALS, 4 TLS Poetry by Floris McLaren Clip from McLean's Magazine, 1963.	[1942-1965]
2:19	Hugo McPherson 1 TLS, 1 ALS, 1 ANS Signed piece by Hugo McPherson in 'The Prospect of Change,' 1965.	1960-1965
2:20	Thomas Merton 1 ANS	1962
2:21	Mary Owings Miller 3 TLS	1942-1944
2:22	Clarence Arthur Millspaugh 1 TLS Poetry by Clarence Arthur Millspaugh	1935

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2:23	Jean Milner 5 ALS	[1960-1963]
2:24	Gilbert Moore 1 TLS, 1 TL Poetry by Gilbert Moore	1960-1961
2:25	Jack Eric Morpurgo 1 ALS, 1 TLS	[1960]
2:26	Ted Morrison 1 ALS	1948
2:27	Thomas Moulx 1 TNS	1934
2:28	Gorham B. Munson 1 ALS	1925
2:29	Einar P. Neilson 1 ALS	1947
2:30	John Nerber 1 ALS	1947
2:31	John Nims 1 TLS	1965
2:32	Howard O'Hagan 8 TLS, 1 TNS Newspaper clipping	[1947-1963]
2:33	Padraig O'Broin 1 TNS	1961
2:34	Michael Ondaatje 1 TNS, 1 ALS	1965-1966
2:35	Clark S. Northup 1 ALS	1943
2:36	Ivon M. Owen 12 TLS, 1 ALS, 1 TNS	1959-1963
2:37	Desmond Pacey 2 TLS, 2 ALS	[1943-1965]
2:38	P.K. Page 6 TLS, 5 ALS, 1 ANS Preview of writing by P.K. Page	[1942]

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2:39	Norman Holmes Pearson 1 ANS	1961
2:40	Walter Pilling Percival 2 TLS	1945
2:41	Margedant Peters 1 TNS	1944
2:42	William Lyon Phelps 1 TNS	1942
2:43	Claire Pratt 2 ALS	1944-1966
2:44	E.J. Pratt 5 ANS, 8 ALS, 1 TLS	[1941-1943]
2:45	E.J. Pratt 12 ALS, 1 ANS	1943-1952
2:46	E.J. Pratt MEMORANDUM 1982 3 ALS	1952-1960
2:47	Viola E. Pratt 3 ALS Memoriam for E.J. Pratt by A.B.B. Moore	[1962-1964]
2:48	A.W. Purdy 9 TLS, 3 TNS Poetry by A.W. Purdy	[1964-1965]
2:49	James Reaney 2 ALS, 1 ANS, 2 postcards 'To the Secret City' by James Reaney	[1954-1964]
2:50	Dorothy Roberts 3 ALS, 1 TLS	n.d.
2:51	V.B. Rhodenizer 1 ALS	1948
2:52	Sir Charles George Douglas Roberts 1 ALS	1943
2:53	M.L. Rosenthal 4 ALS	[1962-1965]



<b>Box: Folder Number</b>	<b>Contents</b>	<b>Date range</b>
2:54	Coleman Rosenberger 1 ALS	1944
2:55	Malcolm Ross 10 ALS, 2 ANS	[1949]
2:56	W.W.E. Ross 1 ALS 'Air with Variations' by W.W.E. Ross	[1948]
2:57	W.W.E. Ross 1 TLS Poetry by W.W.E. Ross	[1955]
2:58	W.W.E. Ross 8 TLS Poetry by W.W.E. Ross	[1944-1962]
2:59	'Miscellaneous Pieces' by W.W.E. Ross	n.d.
2:60	'Fresh Woods' by W.W.E. Ross	n.d.
2:61	James Roy 3 TLS, 1 TL	1960-1963
2:62	Sister Saint Anthony 2 ALS	1952-1953
2:63	John St. Edmunds 3 ALS	[1942-1943]
2:64	Lew Schwartz 2 ALS	1949
2:65	Elise (Aylen) Scott 2 ANS	1943
2:66	Duncan Campbell Scott 5 TLS, 2 ANS, 2 ALS 'In The Mill' By John Masefield Poetry by Duncan Campbell Scott	[1941-1946]
2:67	F.R. Scott 2 TL, 2 TLS, 1 TNS, 1 ANS, 1 ALS	1941-1944
2:68	F.R. Scott 1 postcard, 4 ANS, 7 TLS Poetry by F.R. Scott	[1962-1966]
2:69	1 TL from F.R. Scott to A.G. Bailey	1944

<b>Box: Folder Number</b>	<b>Contents</b>	<b>Date range</b>
2:70	Peter Scott 1 TLS Poetry by Peter Scott	[1955]
2:71	Howard Sergeant 2 TLS	1965
2:72	Neufville Shaw 1 TLS	n.d.
2:73	Susan Sirkka 2 TLS	1965
2:74	Ernest Sirluck 2 TLS	1942
2:75	A.J.M. Smith Collection of letters discussing publication of The Book of Canadian Poetry and News of the Phoenix by A.J.M. Smith, mostly from Lorne Pierce of The Ryerson Press. 11 TLS, 3 TNS, 1 TL	1942-1943
2:76	A.J.M. Smith Continuation of letters about the publication of The Book of Candian Poetry and The News of the Phoenix. 3 TN, 8 TNS, 17 TLS, 1 TL, 1 ANS	1943-1948
2:77	A.J.M. Smith to George Whalley 1 TL	1960
2:78	Kay Smith 1 postcard, 1 ALS Manuscripts by Kay Smith	[1948]
2:79	W.D. Snodgrass 2 ALS	1959-1960
2:80	Raymond Souster 1 ANS, 1 TLS	1948-1960
2:81	Yvonne H. Stevenson 1 TLS	1947
2:82	Charles Stone 1 ANS	n.d.
2:83	Arthur Stringer 2 TNS	1943

<b>Box: Folder Number</b>	<b>Contents</b>	<b>Date range</b>
2:84	Ronald Sutherland 1 ALS	1964
2:85	Guy Sylvestre 3 TLS, 2 ANS, 1 ALS	1944-1951
2:86	Thornton, Enid 1 TNS	1946
2:87	William E. Toye 4 TLS	1962-1963
2:88	Gael Turnbull 2 ALS Poetry by Gael Turnbull	[1955]
2:89	Neil Tracy 1 ALS	1943
2:90	Geraldine Udell 1 TNS	1943
2:91	Frank H. Underhill 2 ALS, 1 postcard Introduction to Anthology by Frank Underhill	1941-1962
2:92	Sylvia Turner 2 ALS Poetry Society of Winnipeg Programme, 1944-1945 season.	1944-1945
2:93	Miriam Waddington 1 ANS, 2 TLS Poetry by Miriam Waddington	[1955-1962]
2:94	Eloise Wade 1 ALS	1954
2:95	Mason Wade 1 TNS	1957
2:96	Robert C. Wallace 1 TNS	1943
2:97	George Walton 3 TLS List of poems by George Walton	[1956-1959]
2:98	James Wreford Watson 1 TLS	1942

<b>Box: Folder Number</b>	<b>Contents</b>	<b>Date range</b>
2:99	F.W. Watt 1 TNS, 1 ANS	1965
2:100	Robert Weaver 4 TLS, 3 TNS	[1954-1964]
2:101	Phyllis Webb 3 TLS, 1 TNS Poetry by Phyllis Webb	[1955-1957]
2:102	Phyllis Webb 3 TLS Poetry by Phyllis Webb	[1960-1961]
2:103	Phyllis Webb 3 TLS Poetry by Phyllis Webb	[1962-1963]
2:104	Henry W. Wells 1 ALS, 1 TLS	1945-1950
2:105	George Whalley 2 TLS, 2 ALS, 3 ANS, 2 TNS Copy of a piece by George Whalley in The Literary Supplement, 1957.	1945-1960
2:106	John Hall Wheelock 1 TLS	1947
2:107	Charlotte Whitton 1 ANS Clipping of review by Charlotte Whitton.	1960
2:108	Oscar Williams 2 TLS	1964
2:109	Ethel Wilson 1 TLS, 3 ALS	[1947]
2:110	Milton Wilson 5 ALS, 2 TLS	1956-1965
2:111	George Woodcock 5 TLS, 2 TNS	1960-1962
2:112	George Woodcock 3 TLS, 4 TNS	1962-1963

<b>Box: Folder Number</b>	<b>Contents</b>	<b>Date range</b>
2:113	George Woodcock 4 TNS, 3 TLS	[1964-1966]
2:114	A.S.P. Woodhouse 5 TNS, 1 TLS	1942-1961
2:115	Brother De Paul Wright 1 TLS	1963

## **Series 2: Manuscripts**

### **Date(s):**

[1927-197-]

### **Extent:**

1 box (0.13 metres)

### **Scope and content:**

Primarily consists of manuscripts and page proofs by A.J.M. Smith and other various authors, likely for compilation into anthologies. Also contains newspaper clippings, notes, correspondence and programmes.

<b>Box:Folder Number</b>	<b>Contents</b>	<b>Date range</b>
3:1	1 MS typescript with revisions: 'Delkatla's Eagles' by Donald Ross Fraser	1927
3:2	1 MS typescript with revisions: 'With his Brains in his Feet' by Theodore Goodridge Roberts	n.d.
3:3	1 MS typescript with revisions: 'Matilda and the Wolf' by Theodore Goodridge Roberts	n.d.
3:4	1 MS typescript with revisions: 'The Plowing Frolic' by Theodore Goodridge Roberts Page from 'The Canadian Bookman' publication with a short article by Theodore Goodbridge Roberts, 'Our Historical Society.'	[1934]
3:5	1 MS typescript with revisions: 'The Fiddling Dragoon' by Theodore Goodridge Roberts	n.d.

Box:Folder Number	Contents	Date range
3:6-3:7	1 ALS from Charles W. Jefferys to A.J.M. Smith 1 MS typescript with revisions: 'The Treatment of the Landscape in the English Novel' by Charles W. Jefferys	[1946]
3:8-3:11	1 MS holograph with revisions: 'The Rush to the Colleges' by Stephen Leacock	n.d.
3:12-3:14	Typescript poems with some revisions by Malcolm Lowry	n.d.
3:15	1 MS typescript with revisions: 'Ursus' by Howard O'Hagan	n.d.
3:16	1 MS typescript with revisions: 'The Woman Who Got on at Sacramento' by Howard O'Hagan	n.d.
3:17	1 MS typescript with revisions: 'The Knife' by Howard O'Hagan	n.d.
3:18	'White Horse' by Howard O'Hagan printed in <i>Maclean's Magazine</i>	1945
3:19	Menu and programme from the Canadian Authors' Association Twenty-Third Annual Banquet 1 typescript speech with revisions by A.J.M. Smith where he is presented with Governor General's medal	1944
3:20	Newspaper clippings	1951-1953
3:21	Kingston Conference newspaper clippings and programme	1955
3:22-3:23	Holograph notes by A.J.M. Smith for his manuscript 'The Critic's Task' regarding Northrop Frye's 'The Well-Tempered Critic'	n.d.
3:34	1 TNS from Northrop Frye to A.J.M. Smith 1 MS typescript with revisions: 'The Critic's Task' by A.J.M. Smith	[1964]
3:25	Lists of poems by A.J.M. Smith	n.d.
3:26	1 MS, photocopy of typescript with revisions: 'Narcissus' by A.J.M. Smith	1951
3:27	1 MS typescript with revisions: 'Poems' by A.J.M. Smith	n.d.
3:28	1 MS typescript: 'Duncan Campbell Scott' by A.J.M. Smith	n.d.

Box:Folder Number	Contents	Date range
3:29	Newspaper clippings: 'Duncan Campbell Scott, Poet' by A.J.M. Smith in <i>The Ottawa Journal</i> and 'Duncan Scott's Poems Show Conflicting Style' in <i>The Ottawa Citizen</i>	1958
3:30-3:32	Poems by A.J.M. Smith	[1921-19--]
3:33	Second specimen pages: 'The Collected Poems of A.J.M. Smith'	1962
3:34	Page proofs: 'Collected Poems' by A.J.M. Smith	1962
3:35	Poetry versions: 2 versions of 'Good Friday,' one by A.J.M. Smith and the other by Marianne Moore, 4 versions of 'Death & the Lady' by A.J.M. Smith	[1929-1963]
3:36-3:39	Page proofs: 'News of the Phoenix and Other Poems' by A.J.M. Smith	1943
3:40	1 MS typescript with revisions: Introduction to 'The Oxford Book of Canadian Poetry' by A.J.M. Smith	n.d.
3:41-3:46	Page proofs: 'The Oxford Book of Canadian Verse' by A.J.M. Smith	1995
3:47	Notebook containing lists of Canadian authors 2 copies of the Founders' Day Address at The University of New Brunswick by A.J.M Smith, one with holograph speaking notes	[1946]
3:48	Newspaper clipping: 'Founders' Day of U.N.B. Was Observed As Usual' in <i>The Daily Gleaner</i>	1946
3:49	Notebook containing quotations from and comments on Canadian literature and notes for 'The Book of Canadian Poetry'	n.d.
3:50-3:53	Notes and drafts: 'The Poet and the Nuclear Crisis' lecture by A.J.M. Smith	n.d.
3:54-3:57	1 MS typescript with revisions, page proofs, and typed version: 'The Poetic Process: of the Making of Poems' by A.J.M. Smith Also includes cue cards and handwritten notes regarding the presentation of the work	[1964]
3:58	Reprinted copy of 'Refining Fire – The Meaning and Use of Poetry' by A.J.M. Smith	[1954]
3:59	Reprinted copy of 'Some Relations Between Henry Vaughn and Thomas Vaughn' by A.J.M. Smith	1933

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3:60	Photocopy of article 'Contemporary Canadian Verse' by A.J.M. Smith	[197-]
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### Series 3: Essays

**Date(s):**  
(1926-1963)

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**Scope and content:**

Contains essays by A.J.M. Smith, reviews of work by A.J.M. Smith and other miscellaneous material, including lists of journal articles published by A.J.M. Smith, audio tapes, and a collection of chapbooks.

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4:3	'Canadian Anthologies, New and Old' by A.J.M. Smith, from University of Toronto Quarterly, vol. XI, no 4, July 1942, p 457-474	1942
4:4	'Canadian Literature of Today and Tomorrow' by A.J.M. Smith, from the proceedings of the 1947 conference of the CLA, p 1-8	1947
4:5	'The Poetic Process: of the Making of Poems' by A.J.M. Smith, from The Centennial Review, p 353-370	[1964]
4:6	'The Poetry of Duncan Campbell Scott' by A.J.M. Smith, from The Dalhousie Review	n.d.



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4:8	'The Recent Poetry of Irving Layton – A Major Voice' by A.J.M. Smith, from Queen's Quarterly, 62, no. 4, Winter 1956, p. 587-591	1956
	<b>Reviews</b>	
4:9	'Critically Speaking' by Malcolm Ross, a review of 'The Blasted Pine' by A.J.M. Smith	1958
4:10	'Die anglokanadische Lyrik – Bemerkungen zu A.J.M. Smiths <i>The Oxford Book of Canadian Verse</i> ' from Die Neueren Sprachen, v. 9 Jahrgng 1961, p. 414-423	1961
4:11	'Literature and Life – A Book Lover's Corner: A Criticism and an Appreciation of Duncan Campbell Scott's Poetry; Some Thoughts on His Style and Technique' by Pelham Edgar	n.d.
4:12	2 reviews of fictitious books of poetry accredited to A.J.M. Smith and L. Kennedy excerpted from The McGilliad, nos. 4 and 5	1931
	<b>Chapbooks</b>	
4:13	<i>The Ryerson Poetry Chap-books</i> : 'Cavalcade' by Norah Godfrey, with inscription to A.J.M. Smith by the author	1946
4:14	The Ryerson Poetry Chap-books: 'Ebb Tide' by Doris Ferne (2 copies)	1941
4:15	The Ryerson Poetry Chap-books: 'Excuse for Futility' by Charles Frederick Boyle with inscription by the author	1939
4:16	The Ryerson Poetry Chap-books: 'Fancy Free' by Carol Coates with inscription to A.J.M. Smith from the author, signed 1941	1939
4:17	The Ryerson Poetry Chap-books: 'Merry-go-round' by Marjorie Freeman Campbell, inscribed by the author	1946
4:18	The Ryerson Poetry Chap-books: 'River Without End' by Leo Cox	1937
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4:21	The Ryerson Poetry Chap-books: 'Sonnets for Youth' by Frank Oliver Call, inscribed by the author and with 1 ANS from Frank Oliver Call	1944
4:22	The Ryerson Poetry Chap-books: 'Tao' by Alfred Goldsworthy Bailey with inscribed note by the author to A.J.M. Smith, signed 1946	1930
4:23	The Ryerson Poetry Chap-books: 'The Wind in the Field' by Leo Cox	1932
4:24	'The McGill Chapbook' edited by Leslie L. Kaye, with inscription	1959
4:25	'The Varsity Chapbook' edited by John Robert Colombo	1959
4:26	Victoria Poetry Chapbook: A Year Book of the Poetry Group Canadian Authors' Association Victoria and Islands Branch	1935
	<b>Miscellaneous</b>	
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