

**The Inventory**

**of the**

**Babs Deal**

**Collection**

**#1083**

**Howard Gotlieb Archival Research Center**



DEAL, BABS

Gift of October 1969

Manuscripts

- Box 1 1) FANCY'S KNELL. Doubleday, 1966.
- a) Typescript (first draft) with holograph corrections [by "Hudson Coffey"], 194 pp.
  - b) Carbon typescript, revised pages, etc. (with some holograph corrections, 447 pp.
- Box 2 c) Typescript with editor's notations (final draft), 201 pp.
- d) 1 Galley proof.
  - e) 2 page proofs.
- Box 3 2) HIGH LONESOME WORLD. Doubleday, 1968.
- a) Typescript with holograph corrections (first draft with revisions), 385 pp. (including 2 pp. holograph).
  - b) Typescript with holograph corrections (first draft- original title: ORPHEUS A.D.), 339 pp.
- Box 4 c) Typescript with holograph corrections (intermediate draft with title HIGH LONESOME WORLD: THE DEATH & LIFE OF A COUNTRY MUSIC SINGER), 384 pp.
- Box 5 d) Typescript (final draft), 379 pp.
- e) Xerox typescript with editor's notations.
    - 1. 5 preliminary pp. of typescript.
    - 2. Xerox typescript, 378 pp.
- Box 6 f) 1 set of galley proofs.
- g) 2 sets of page proofs.
- Box 7 3) THE WALLS CAME TUMBLING DOWN. Doubleday, 1968.
- a) Typescript with a few holograph corrections, Intermediate draft, 406 pp.

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- b) Final galley proof and incomplete page proof.
- Box 8 c) Xerox typescript with editor's notations, 405 pp. and preliminary pages, typescript, 9 pp.
- d) 2 sets of page proofs.

All correspondence in Boxes 9 - 12 ON DEPOSIT

Correspondence. Business and personal correspondence chronologically arranged. Correspondence with agent: Under "Terrill" until 1963.

Under "Reynolds" after 1963.

Correspondence with publisher: Under "Mackay" before 1964.

Under "Doubleday" after 1964.

- Box 9 1) 1956-1960. 312 pieces including:
  - a) Bell, Boh (Author of BUTTERFLY TREE) to BHD. ALS, June 11, 1959.  
Deal, Babs H. to Bob Bell. CTL. June 19, 1959.
  - b) Cousins, Margaret.
    - 1. Personal correspondence between MC and BHD. 9 pieces. April 30, 1958-April 2, 1960.
    - 2. Cousins, M. and Roger Terrill (BHD's agent). 5 letters.  
September 26, 1956-May 15, 1958.
  - c) "D"
    - 1. Babs H. Deal: "Journey to Somewhere". Southwest Review, Autumn, 1958 (copy of printed article.)
    - 2. "Alabama author Gains New REcognition". Carbon typescript, 2 pp.
    - 3. "UA News Bureau 4-11-59". Typescript on Babs Deal, 2 pp.
    - 4. "Babs H. Deal: Biographical Sketch". 3 Carbon typescripts, 2 pp. each.
    - 5. "Synopsis of THE TOY FAIR". 4 Carbon typescripts, 3 pp. each.

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6. "Alabama Author Signs Contract for Book". Typescript, 1 p.

7. "Scottsboro Adds New Writer to Native Talent". 2 Carbon  
typescripts, 1 p. each.

Box 10 2) 1961-1962. 344 pieces including:

a) "A"

Printed literature for "Arms of Friendship" program. 6 pieces.

b) "C"

1. Correspondence between Cousins, Margaret and BHD. 11 pieces.  
April 14, 1960-June 24, 1963.

2. Correspondence between Cousins, Margaret and Terrill, Rogers.  
4 pieces. March 14, 1960-February 28, 1961.

c) "D"

1. "What is a Brownie". A Play. Carbon typescript, 2 pp.

2. Evaluation of 12th grade English grammar textbooks by  
Babs and Borden Deal. Carbon typescript, 1 p.

d) "J"

1. Correspondence from Joiner, Jimmy (Song writer) to BHD.  
4 TLS. October 18, 1961-April 2, 1962.

2. BHD to Joiner, Jimmy. 5 CTL. October 10, 1961-August 22, 1962.  
(Including "You In My Darkness & Me in Mine". Song lyrics  
by BHD. Carbon typescript, 2 pp.)

e) "M"

1. Sample pages for IT'S ALWAYS THREE O'CLOCK. Printed, 7 pp.

2. "Catalogue and jacket copy for "It's Always Three O'clock".  
Carbon typescript, 2 pp.

3. NIGHT STORY. Preliminary pages. Carbon typescript, 4 pp.

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- Box 11 3) 1963. 222 pieces including:
- a) DAVID McKay Co. Fall 1963 book list re THE GRAIL by BHD. P. 11.
  - b) Cousins, Margaret to BHD. 2 TLS. March 20, 1963 and October 10, 1963
- 4) 1964. 95 pieces. including:
- "D"
- a) BHD to Cousins, Margaret. 2CTL. September 5, 1964 and January 23, 1964.
  - b) Cousins, Margaret to BHD. 1 TLS. September 3, 1964.
- 5) 1965. 142 pieces including:
- a) BHD to Cousins, Margaret. 9 CTL. January 28, 1965-December 27, 1965
  - b) Cousins, Margaret to BHD. 8 TLS. January 28, 1965-December 23, 1965
  - c) MacDonald, John D. (Author) to BHD. 2 TLS. December 9, 1965 and undated.
- 6) 1966. 118 pieces, including:
- a) BHD to "Dordo"- Dorothy MacDonald. CTLS with holograph PS.
  - b) Douleday correspondence between BHD and Cousins, Maggie.  
17 pieces.
  - c) MacDonald, John. "The JDM Bibliophile" (filed under M) Xerox typescript, 9 pp. (on books written by John D. MacDonald).
- Box 12 7) 1967. 242 pieces, including:
- a) ("D) Mystery WRiter's Annual , 1967 Edgar Allan Poe Awards Dinner (page 16- nomination of BHD for "Best First Mystery Novel of 1966" for ~~KERRY~~ FANCY'S KNELL).
  - b) (Filed under "G" for application for Guggenheim Fellowship:)  
"Statement of INTent", "List of Publications", Writing Career".  
2 Xerox copies of typescript of each, 7 pp.
  - c) 28 Xerox copies of ALS's from BHD (mostly dated August 10-23).
- 8) 1968. 197 pieces.