

Guide to the Elsa Gidlow Papers, 1898-1986 (bulk dates 1920-1986)

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Descriptive Summary

Title: Elsa Gidlow Papers,

Date (inclusive): 1898-1986 (bulk dates 1920-1986)

Accession number: 1991-16

Creator: Gidlow, Elsa

Extent: 13 linear feet in 16 boxes

Repository: The Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, Transgender Historical Society.

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Acquisition

The Elsa Gidlow Papers (#1991-16) were donated to GLHS in 1991.

Access

Collection is open for research.

Publication Rights

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Audio-Visual Materials

The Papers contain numerous photographs and audio-tapes.

Preferred Citation

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Biography

Shortly after Elsa Gidlow's death Phyllis Matyi, Elsa's friend, attorney and executrix of the Gidlow estate, issued a press release presenting a biographical summary of Elsa's life. The text of that release is printed below.

Poet-philosopher Elsa Gidlow died peacefully in her mountain home retreat, "Druid Heights," near Muir Woods, Mill Valley, California on June 8, 1986.

Born in Yorkshire, England in 1898, six-year-old Elsa Gidlow immigrated with her family of nine to the French Canadian village of Tetreauville. She was mainly self- educated, being allowed what she called, "the untutored space

to be."

Gidlow's editor, Celeste West of Booklegger Press, says "We always joked that Elsa was born avant garde: North American's first published writer of a lesbian poetry volume (1923); radical feminist of the "first wave;" protest-poet attacked by McCarthyites; member of San Francisco's bohemian, psychedelic, then New Age and women's spirituality circles. Elsa fought life-long against class privilege, organized religion, and sexism, while fighting for all varieties of love and beauty."

Gidlow led the precarious career of a freelance journalist. She created a rich vein of protest and love poetry, while supporting her family and others. She also created, in the fifties, one of the renown garden-retreats of the coast redwoods. Gidlow insisted her life was her art: "We consider the artist a special sort of person. It is more likely that each of us is a special sort of artist."

Gidlow left Montreal for New York in 1920, where she became poetry editor for Frank Harris' progressive, much censored *Pearson's Magazine*. She sailed to San Francisco in 1926 with her long-time companion Violet Henry-Anderson. In San Francisco, she became friends with Ansel Adams, Robinson Jeffers, Kenneth Rexroth, Lou Harrison, Ella Young, Del Martin, Phyllis Lyon, Margo St. James, Clarkson Crane, Clyde Evans, and zen philosopher Alan Watts, who dedicated his autobiography to her.

In 1962, Gidlow co-founded, with Alan and Jano Watts, the Society of Comparative Philosophy, one of the first organizations to bring eastern wisdom to the west. Of Elsa Gidlow's thirteen books, five are in print, including her recently released autobiography, *ELSA: I Come With My Songs* (Booklegger Press), and her luminous love poetry, *Sapphic Songs: Eighteen To Eighty* (Booklegger Press). The ELSA autobiography has been called "A magnificent portrait of the artist as an old woman, of the esprit libre," who wrote, "Let none speak sadly of October, / I, Elsa, from the peak of years, / Say this: I have loved all seasons."

Elsa Gidlow is survived by her sister Thea Gidlow in Santa Rosa. Memorial donations may be made to "The Druid Height Trust for Women Artists,".....

On a personal note, Elsa Gidlow at the age of eighteen met her first lover, Marguerite Desmarais, at a party given by a mutual friend, Roswell Mills, in Montreal. On that same occasion Elsa also encountered a married woman, Louise Estelle Cox, with whom she quickly fell in love. Elsa's infatuation with Estelle soon came to an abrupt end when she rightfully suspected Estelle was having an affair with another mutual friend, Harcourt Farmer, and possibly other men. However, both women over time became very good friends and corresponded with each other for nearly thirty-three years after Elsa's departure from Canada.

In 1924 while living in New York City, Elsa met and informally married an older woman, Violet Henry-Anderson, who was known to friends as "Tommy." Their relationship lasted for thirteen years until Tommy's death. Their life together was interrupted on one occasion for a year while Elsa fulfilled a lifelong dream. In September 1928 she sailed for Europe to live, travel and meet other artists and writers, including Radclyffe Hall, who was residing in Paris at the time.

Around 1945, Elsa was introduced indirectly to Isabel Grenfell Quallo at the insistence of Roswell Mills. Everthing was done by mail at first. Elsa was in California and Isabel and Roswell lived in New York City. The friendship and love relationship of these two women began with an extended period of correspondence before they finally met in San Francisco. Eventually Isabel came to live permanently at Madrona, the name Elsa gave to the residence she owned in Fairfax, California. In 1954 they moved to Elsa's new Mill Valley property, named Druid Heights, which she purchased with Roger and Mary Somers. After ten years Isabel had to return to live in New York, due to personal family problems.

In her autobiography Elsa describes many intriguing encontures with other women over the years. In one of the final chapters, entitled "Young Moon in the Old Moon's Arms", Elsa, then in her seventies, poignantly describes her May-December relationship with Gretchen Muller, who was in her twenties. They lived together for about two years. Looking back Elsa states, "Some of my later love poems grew out of this friendship."

An initial reading of Elsa Gidlow's autobiography, *ELSA: I Come With My Songs* (1986), will certainly bring her Papers into focus. Copies of this book can be found in many libraries in the San Francisco Bay Area as well as this collection.

Scope and Content

The content of this collection (13 linear feet) documents Elsa Gidlow's personal life, public activity and literary accomplishments from 1920 until her death in 1986. The Papers are divided into nine series:

Title: Correspondence,
Title: Subject Files,
Title: Manuscripts,
Title: Published Works,
Title: Journals and Yearbooks,

Title: Audio-Visual and Photographs,

Title: Ephemera,

Title: Oversize Materials,

and

Title: Original Documents.

The Correspondence series contains a wide variety of letters from family, friends, lovers, literary agents, professional associates, women's organizations and admirers. The letters are arranged alphabetically by the name of the addresser.

For easier access to the Correspondence series, a complete alphabetical listing of addressers, including cross references when necessary, is in Appendix A of this finding aid. A researcher looking for a letter from H. L. Mencken, for example, will be referred to The *American Mercury*. Not included in this special listing are the letters found in the last two folders, Unidentified Addressers, of this series. In the Appendix the researcher will find many cross references to Maxim Lieber, who was Elsa's literary agent. Almost all the correspondence in the series is incoming except for two folders of letters Elsa wrote Violet Henry-Anderson while traveling.

As a special note, the Correspondence series contains a number of charming letters written to Elsa from Clarkson Crane, the author of *The Western Shore* (1925), which Carey McWilliams, who championed the book's republication in 1985, called "one of the three or four most important works of fiction based on the Calfornia scene." There is extensive and endearing correspondence between Violent Henry-Anderson mostly covering the period Elsa was in Europe. Violet was affectionately known as "Panther" by Elsa. There is also extensive correspondence from Isabel Grenfell Quallo - Elsa's other long-term relationship. The letters document their growing passion for each other before Isabel moved to California. The bulk of the letters are from 1945 through 1950 with no letters from 1951 through 1969 and only a smattering from 1970 through 1984.

The Roswell Mills correspondence contains the August 8, 1946 letter where Roswell introduces and describes Isabel to Elsa for the first time and proposes they correspond with each other. Roswell was one of Elsa's most long lasting friends, having met in Canada. He introduced Elsa not only to Isabel but also "Tommy." Most of his correspondence centers on his travails in life. There is no correspondence for the years 1932 through 1946.

In the Subject File series a good portion of the materials focus on Elsa Gidlow's Druid Heights property, The Society for Comparative Philosophy, and finally "red-baiting" in Marin County, California, in the 1940's.

In 1970 Elsa Gidlow transferred Druid Heights by grant deed to The Society for Comparative Philosophy, reserving a life estate in the property to herself. Years later this real estate, or parts thereof, was at the center of two court actions. In an effort to acquire privately owned properties to be added to the Muir Woods National Monument, the United States Department of the Interior, in 1976, filed condemnation proceedings on a substantial portion of Druid Heights [see Druid Heights: *United States of America v. 1.18 Acres*], which resulted in a cash settlement of \$82,500. Again in 1975, the lawyer, academic and anti-pornography activist Catherine MacKinnon brought suit against The Society for Comparative Philosophy, including Elsa Gidlow, when they attempted to terminate MacKinnon's rental of the Druid Heights circular structure known as the "Moon Temple." That case [see Druid Heights: *Catherine A. MacKinnon v. The Society for Comparative Philosophy, et al.*] ended in a court ordered arbitration settlement.

The Society for Comparative Philosophy was initially formed (in 1962) to assist Alan Watts in his research, writings and lectures on the interchange of Asian and Western philosophies. The special interests of the Society are described in it's monthly bulletins [see [The] Society for Comparative Philosophy - Bulletins, flyers and promotional materials, 1960's-70's].

The Manuscript series contains twenty unpublished novels, unedited and edited versions of Elsa's autobiography, dozens of short stories, reams of poetry, a few dramatic works, articles, editorials, essays, memoirs, reviews and satire. Please see the folder list (starting on page 11) for a complete list of Elsa's unpublished manuscripts.

A rare copy of Elsa's early volume of lesbian poetry, *On A Grey Thread* (1923), can be found in the Published Works series. In this series three consecutive folders contain much of her prose, poetry and letters appearing in various publications, dating from 1919 to 1984.

Elsa's personal journals, written mostly between 1928 and 1945, are located in the Journal And Yearbook series. The most complete yearly journal was for 1928, followed by a much less complete coverage for 1929. From 1930 to 1945 the journal entries were not written consistently on a daily, or even weekly, basis. After 1945 to 1985, only sketchy and sporadic entries appear here and there over the years in her appointment/yearbooks.

The Audio-Visual and Photograph series contain several recordings of Elsa's poetry reading and discussion engagements as well as personal interviews with her. These are complimented by the Photographs showcasing many excellent images of Elsa, plus numerous pictures of her family, friends, Druid Heights and pets. Please note in the Oversized Materials Series there is a large color photograph of the residents of Druid Heights in the 1970's, published with a related article printed in the March 21, 1971 issue of *California Living* Magazine.

Of note in the Ephemera series is a handmade african bead necklace, business cards, and some examples of the *Pacific Coast Journal of Nursing*, which Elsa edited. Because of the poor quality and condition of the paper, many of the documents had to be removed from the main body of the collection and replaced with photocopies. The removed documents can now be located in the Original Documents series.

Subjects and Indexing Terms

Lesbians Literature Diaries

Related Collections

Title: Clarkson Crane Papers **Identifier/Call Number:** 97-46

Title: Phyllis Lyon and Del Martin Papers

Identifier/Call Number: 93-13

(Especially files of the Daughters of Bilitis of which Gidlow was a member.)

Title: Len Evans Papers Identifier/Call Number: 93-8

(Especially files on McCarthyism which Gidlow was also a victim of.)

Relevant materials may also be found in the GLHS Oral History Project Collections.

Materials Removed from the Collection

Photographs and Audio-tapes are located in the Photograph and A-V rooms at GLHS.

Oversized materials located in GLHS oversized materials from various collections box.

Correspondence

Box Box 1

A - General, various dates

B - General, various dates

Basez, Emile, 1926-1933

Body Politic, 1977-1986

C - General, various dates

Cohen, Jocelyn H., 1982-1986

[U. S.] Copyright Office, 1957-76

Costello, Ruth, 1971-1985

Country Women, 1974-1977

Cox, Louise Estelle, 1923-1956 (3 folders)

Crane, Clarkson, 1928-1952

Cruikshank, Margaret, 1981-1987

D - General, various dates

Davis, Graems, 1920

Desmarias, Marguerite, 1920-1925

Diana Press, 1975-1978

E - General, various dates

F - General, various dates

Feeney, Conrad John (Elsa's nephew), 1961

Feeney, Edwin (Ruby Gidlow's husband), 1961

Feminist Studies, 1979-1980

G - General, various dates

Gidlow, Alice (Elsa's mother), 1934-1935

Gidlow, Ivy (Elsa's sister), 1928-1930

Gidlow, Ruby (Elsa's sister, 1928-1961 (2 folders)

Gidlow, Samuel (Elsa's father), 1927-1938

Gidlow, Theadora (Elsa's sister), 1920-1986 (2 folders)

Gidlow Family - unidentified correspondence, n.d.

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Gorwall (?), Lola/Lolette, 1924-1927
  Gross, Louis, 1921-1937
  H - General, various dates
  Hall, Radclyffe and Una Troubridge, 1929-1932
  HelaineVictoria Press, 1977-1986
  Harrison, Lou, 1955-1985
  Hemstreet, Abigail aka Abigail Tigresslily, 1978-1984
  Henry-Anderson, Godfrey ("Tommy's" brother), 1935
  Henry-Anderson, Violet Winifred Leslie "Tommy or Panther" - Letters from,
     1928
     1929
     [Travelogue], 1932
     1934
  Henry-Anderson, Violet Winifred Leslie "Tommy or Panther" - Letters to,
     1928-1929
     1934
  Hope, Mary, 1921-1922
  J - General, various dates
  K - General, various dates
  Kearby, Norma "Niki" and Betty Caldwell, 1980-1986
  L - General, various dates
  Lesbian Herstory Archives, 1975-1979
  [The] Lesbian History Collective, 1975
  Lieber, Maxim, 1934-1948
  M - General, various dates (2 folders)
  MacKinnon, Catherine, 1980-1984
  Mills, Roswell George, 1918-1950
  Moore, Marcella, ca. 1933
  N - General, various dates
  O - General, various dates
  P - General, various dates
  Persephone Press, 1979-1981
  Poetry, 1918-1954
  Poetry Center at San Francisco State, 1957
  Quallo, Isabel, 1945-1984 (2 folders)
  R - General, various dates
  Ransom, William, 1922-1925
  Rexroth, Kenneth, 1972-1977
  S - General, various dates (2 folders)
  Schwartz, Judith, 1978-1982
  [Charlotte] Selver Foundation, Inc., 1963-1986
  Somers, Roger and Barbara, 1974
  Spinsters Ink, 1983-1984
  T - General, various dates
  Troxel, Dorothy, 1923-1926
  U - General, various dates
  V - General, various dates
  W - General, various dates
  Watts, Alan and Jano, 1952-1971
  Welch, Marie de L., 1926-1951
  West, Celeste at Booklegger Press, 1972-1985
  West Coast Lesbian Collections, 1982-1989
  Women in Distribution, 1974-1979
  Y - General, various dates
  Young, Ella, 1951-1953
  Z - General, various dates
  Unidentified Addressers, various dates (2 folders)
Subject Files
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Box Box 3

Box Box 3 Agreements/Publishers, 1977-1984

Anarchism re book, Emma's Daughters, 1983-1984

Archives re Gidlow Papers - correspondence and related materials, 1983-1987

Articles written about Gidlow, various dates

Autobiography expenses, 1983-1985

Cats, n.d.

Biographical information and publication lists, n.d.

Book readings and personal appearances - promotional materials, various dates

Business bouquets [complimentary letters], 1949-1969

China tour, 1980

Certificates - birth (1898) and citizenship (1939)

Chinese language studies, n.d.

Christmas cards from Gidlow, various years

Chung, Dr. Margaret, n.d.

Consumers Cooperative of Berkeley, Inc., 1961-1984

Copyright certificates, 1957-1976

Daughters of Bilitis/National Organization of Women, 1969

Druid Heights

Catherine A. MacKinnon v. The Society for Comparative Philosophy, et al.

Correspondence and related materials, 1980-1985

Court documents, 1985-1986

Deeds, real property agreements, miscellaneous correspondence and related materials, 1954-1986

Property taxes, 1960's

Property transfer to The Society for Comparative Philosophy, 1969-1970

Real estate appraisals, 1970-1976

Road servicing records, memos, and related correspondence, 1954-1982

Sale of 0.6 acres to Edward and Marilyn Stiles, insurance and legal papers, 1966 Title insurance, 1957-1975

U. S. v. 1.18 Acres. .. - correspondence and legal documents, 1937-1977

Druid Heights Artists Retreat - Memos, letters, articles of incorporation and by-laws, 1982-1989

Druid Heights Books - ISBN logs, n.d.

Expenses, 1937-1979

Fairfax Residents' and Taxpayers' Association Constitution, by-laws, related materials/Gidlow's newspaper coverage, 1945-1947

Fees/Legal and archival consultant, 1986-1987

Gidlow, Alice and Samuel - Legal documents, articles and related materials, various dates

Gidlow, Elsa re the Estate of - death certificate, wills, legal papers, correspondence and related materials, various dates

Gidlow, Ivy - Health issues and death, 1936-1981

Gidlow, Ivy - Poetry, n.d.

Gidlow, Thea Singleton - Lone Dancer and Others Poems, 1975

Goats, n.d.

Handwriting analysis, n.d.

Health care givers and home sitters - Instructions, n.d.

Harris, Frank, n.d.

Henry-Anderson, V. W. L. re the Estate of - documents, correspondence and related materials. 1935

Hospice of Marin - Consent forms, 1986

Ideas for articles, n.d. Income, 1953-1983 Income, 1983-1986

[The] Institute for Advanced Study of Human Sexuality re Elsa's speech Encounters

With Some Unusual Men and Women. .., 1981

Japan tour, 1965

Box Box 4

Lesbian literature - Judith Schwarz, Lesbian History: Censored, 1979

Lesbian literature - Maureen Brady and Judith Mc Daniel, Lesbians in the

Mainstream: Images of Lesbian in Recent Commercial Fiction, n.d.

Library of Congress, 1941-1942

Membership cards and various passes, 1930's-1940's

Morgan, Glen E. - Music, n.d [See also Manuscripts - Drama: Preface to Peace]

Menus for daily meals, ca. 1930-1935

Music. n.d.

Naiad Press, 1970-1987

Pacific Gas and Electric Company stockholdings, various dates

Passports, various dates

Poetry and prose from other authors, n.d.

Poets - Seven Stray Cats, 1957

Publications by Gidlow, 1923-1970

Red-baiting in Fairfax, CA, 1947-1949

Corrrespondence and related materials

Documents re Gidlow's dismissal from the City Plannig Commission

Newspaper clippings, 1947- 1949

Partial Report of the State Fact-finding Committee on Un-American Activities in California

Real property purchase - Administrator's deed and title policy, 1940

Sapphic Songs, 1970s-1980s

Pre-publication correspondence and Related materials

Reviews

[The] Society for Comparatve Philosophy

Articles of Incorporation and By- laws

Board of Directors' Minutes (incomplete), 1966-1985

Bulletins, flyers and promotional materials, 1960's- 1970's

Micellaneous correspondence, memoranda, etc., 1976-1986

Southern California Women for Understanding Awards dinner honoring Gidlow, 1980-1981

Speeches, n.d.

Stocks, 1939-1963

[U. S.] Taxes and related correspondence, 1984-1988

Vita Life Insurance annuity - Policy and related correspondence, 1978- 1989 Watts, Alan

Wise Man's Gold - Glide and Zellerbach Board and related materials, 1968-1984

Women - Herstory Bibliographies, Ann Forfreedom, compiler; Carla Hollowell-

Sargent and Ann Forfreedom, Hypatia. 1974

Words for Hire [Gidlow's writing company]

Paul Masson Vineyards 1961-1963

various assignments, various dates

Word Is Out [1977 Gay and Lesbian Movie, featuring Gidlow]-Interview,

correspondence and related materials, 1976-1978

Manuscripts

Unpublished Novels

Box Box 5 **Oral History Project Proposal**

The Accuser's Tree - Outlilne, n.d.

Another Name For Fate

Chapters 1 - 20, n.d.

Chapters 21 - End, n.d.

The Body In The Bath, n.d.

The Bright Face And The Dark, n.d.

Free?, n.d.

chapters 1 - 19

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chapters 20 - 34
                              chapters 35 - End
                            The Great Beast [1st of 2 drafts], 1944
                               Book 1
                               Book 2
                               Book 3
                            The Great Beast [2nd of 2 drafts], n.d.
                              Part 1
                              Part 2
                            Half Way From The Ape, n.d
                              Parts 1 - 2
                              Parts 3 - 5
                            Like A Fury [1st of 2 drafts], n.d
                              Books 1-2
                               Book 3
                              Books 4 - 5
                            Like A Fury [2nd of 2 drafts], n.d.
                               Books 1 - 2
                               Books 3 - 5
                            Love Is A Four-Letter Word [1st of 3 drafts], n.d.
                              Folder 1
                              Folder 2
Box Box 6
                               Folder 3
                            Love Is A Four-Letter Word [2nd of 3 drafts], n.d.
                              Book 1
                              Books 2 - 3
                               Book 4
                            Love Is A Four-Letter Word [3rd of 3 drafts], n.d.
                              Book 1
                              Books 2 - 3
                              Book 4
                            The Morgana Story, n.d.
                               Summary Outline
                               Chapters 1 - 18 [1st of 2 drafts]
                               Chapters 19 - End [1st of 2 drafts]
                               Chapters 1 - End [2nd of 2 drafts]
                            My Book, Your Book [Novelization of the 1st part of Gidlow's autobiography], n.d.
                            No Gentlemen's Affair, n.d.
                               Chapters 1 - 13
                               Chapters 14 - End
                            Red Truck, n.d.
                            The Sighted And The Blind, n.d.
                              1st Half
                              2nd Half
                            The Singing Mother, n.d.
                              Chapters 1 - 11
                              Chapters 12 - End
                            Strangers In Love, n.d.
                              Books 1 - 2
                               Book 3
                            Who Loveth, n.d.
                              [Chapters from novel in progress]
                               Chapters 1 - 12
                               Chapters 13 - End
Box Box 7
                            The World Isn't Finished, n.d.
                              Part 1
                               Part 2
                              Part 3
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Box Box 8

Undertow!, n.d.
Chapters 1 - 15
Chapters 16 - 27
Chapters 28 - End

Unpublished Novelette

Box Box 7 The Tithe To The Holy Ghost [2 drafts], n.d.

Unpublished Translation

Box Box 7 Hsiao Ching, n.d.

Manuscripts of Published Materials

Box Box 7 Elsa: I Come With My Song, The Autobiography of Elsa Gidlow

Early beginnings, n.d. Beginning, n.d (2 folders)

Original, unedited with notes, n.d. (4 folders)

Original, edited by Celeste West, 1983-1985 (4 folders)

Short Stories

Box Box 7 The Birth Of Love; Both Sides Of The Street [3 drafts], n.d.

Children Of The Incomprehensible; Come A Good Day [2 drafts], n.d.

Death In The Sun; The Dog; Dr. Zangtvell, n.d. The Elderly Couple; An Eye For an Eye, n.d.

The FAT Woman Who Ate Tiny Meals; The Fire Dream Of The Old Wise Woman [3

drafts], n.d.

Footprints In The Sands Of The Sacred, 1976-1977 [3 drafts]; The Fur Coat, n.d.

The Gang; Greedy Gregoire; A Guardian Of The Law, n.d.

A Happy Childhood; Hero Come Home [2 drafts]; H. T.'s Big Day, n.d.

"I'm The Government Now"; Incident [2 drafts], n.d.

Like A Dome; A Line Of Light On The Sea; The Little Cakes; Love Is Indivisible [2 drafts], n.d.

Love, Money, And Bunny Bantam [xerox copy], n.d.

Man With The Morning Papers, n.d.

Mary Opiso, n.d.

The Miracle Of The Golden Sword [collection of short stories compiled by Gidlow],

n.d. (2 folders)

Le Misanthrope; The Mother Of David [2 drafts], n.d.

The Mouse; Mrs. Bach And The Marines, n.d.

The Night Of The Storm [2 drafts], n.d.

A Pair Of Tight Shoes, n.d.

Return Of A Hero; The Rosary, n.d.

The Sage Hen [2 drafts], n.d.

Sauvez - Moi!; The Sea Is Still The Sea, n.d.

Something New [2 drafts], n.d. The Stone Image [xerox copy], n.d.

These People Mean Business; The Thirteenth Hurricane, n.d.

The Vintage, n.d.

Ward's Curious Loss; Will's Double Wife, n.d.

"You Got To Be Big To Be Honest," n.d.

Poetry

Box Box 8 Breath Against Steel

[collection of published and unpublished poetry compiled by Gidlow], n.d.

[another compilation of poetry under the previous title], n.d.

The Bridge Builders, n.d.

The Common Root [xerox copy of poems compiled and written by Gidlow], n.d.

A Creed For Free Women, 1979

Letters From Limbo [compilation of poems], 1956

Makings For Meditation [collection of parapoems], n.d.

Not Without Natural Ancestors [collection of poems], n.d.

Sapphic Songs - Seventeen To Seventy [collection of poems], n.d.

Steel Flanked Stallion And Other Poems, n.d.

Stone Jungles

[xerox copy], n.d.

[1st version], 1932

[revised version], 1933 or 1934

Miscellaneous poems [untitled collection], n.d. (2 folders)

Miscellaneous poems, 1923-1929

Miscellaneous poems [various poems, mostly undated], n.d. (3 folders)

Drama

Box Box 8 The Antagonists, n.d.

Appointment With Tomorrow [apparently an early version of Wise Man's Gold],

n.d.

The Battle Of The Sun And Moon [3 drafts, retitled The Master Workman], n.d.

Don Juan In Limbo [5 drafts], n.d.

The Grapes of Death

Box Box 9 Heaven Is Hell, n.d.

The House Of Love Haunted [radio version], n.d.

Paul Masson Vineyards [film script], 1961

Preface To Peace, 1941 n.d.

Wise Man's Gold [early work sheets], n.d.

Wise Man's Gold, n.d.

Wise Man's Gold [another version], n.d.

Articles, editorials, essays, memoirs, reviews and satire [arranged alphabetically

by title], n.d.

Notes and storylines, 1922-1928

Various notes and unidentified draft materials, n.d.

Cartoons [sketches with descriptions and suggested punch lines], n.d.

Published Works

Box Box 9 Ask No Man Pardon, 1975

Elsa: I Come With My Songs, 1986 Makings For Meditation, 1973

Moods Of Eros And Other Poems, n.d.

On A Grey Thread, 1923

Sapphic Songs: Seventeen To Seventy, 1976; Sapphic Songs: Eighteen To Eighty,

1982

Various poetic collections, various dates

Letters, prose and poetry published in Newspapers, magazines and literary reviews,

1925-1984 (2 folders)

Poetry and Prose of Elsa Gidlow[Reproduced from her scrapbook which was in very

poor condition], 1919 -1970

Original commercial publications containing Gidlow's writings, various dates

lournals and Yearbooks

Box Box 9 **Journals Handwritten,**

Jan 1928 -Jan 1929

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Jan 1929 -Nov 1929
                           Nov 1929 -Oct 1930
                           Oct 1930 -1945
                           Mar 1944, n.d.
                        Journal Typed, 1928-1929
                        Journal, typed notes on politics, patriotism, home, etc., n.d.
                        Yearbook, Journal Entries
                           1945
                           1948
Box Box 10
                        Yearbook, Journal Entries, 1959
                        Yearbook Appointments and Journal Entries
                           1964 & 1965
                           1971, 1972 & 1974
                           1975 & 1978
                           1979 & 1980
                        Yearbooks, appointments
                           1981, 1982 & 1983
                           1984 & 1985
Box Box 11
                        Yearbooks, appointments and undated pages, 1986 & n.d.
                     Ephemera
Box Box 11
                        Miscellaneous (2 folders)
                        Art Work
                        Printed Materials
                      Audio-Visual And Photo Files
Box Box 12
                        Audio Cassette no. 1& 2
                           Title/Subject: Poetry reading
                           Reader: Elsa Gidlow
                           Location: Southern California Women for Understanding Conference, Los Angeles,
                           CA. Feb 1981 - Parts 1& 2
                        Audio Cassette no. 3
                           Title/Subject: Poetry reading
                           Reader: Elsa Gidlow
                           Location: New Orleans, LA. 1982
                        Audio Cassette no. 4 & 5
                           Title/Subject: Poetry and autobiography reading
                           Reader: Elsa Gidlow
                           Location: ? n.d. - Parts 1& 2
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                           Title/Subject: Philosophical Significance of Lesbianism
                           Speaker: Elsa Gidlow
                           Location: ? n.d.
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                           Interviewer: P. Olin
                           Location: "Lesbian History Exploration", a conference sponsored by The Lesbian
                           History Archives, Los Angeles, CA. 1965
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Elsa Gidlow on her 80th birthday Speaker: Kenneth Rexroth. 1978

Audio Cassette no. 11

Title/Subject: Title list of philosophical works found in Elsa Gidlow's library

Reader: Phylis Matyi ca. 1985

Audio Cassette no. 12 Title: I Am The Earth

Words and Music: Kay Gardner Performance: Kay Gardner. n.d.

Audio Cassette no. 13

Titles: Experience and Love Song

Text: Elsa Gidlow, taken from her Sapphic Songs

Muscial Setting: Kay Gardner. n.d.

Audio Cassette no. 14

Title: A Creed For Freed Women

Text: Elsa Gidlow

Musical Setting: Kay Gardner Performance: Dinah Women's Chorus Location: Cincinnati, OH. Mar 21, 1981

Audio Cassette no. 15

Title: Fishersdaughter - An album of songs

Producer: Kay Gardner

Recording Company: Evenkeel Records, EKR - 44. 1986

Audio Cassette no. 16

Title: Purple Passion - A reading

Text: Jay Goldspinner Reader: Jay Goldspinner. n.d.

Audio Cassette no. 17
Title: Scenes From Cavafy
Composer: Lou Harrison

Performance: ? [Notes on the cassette are illegible] n.d.

Audio Cassette no. 18

Title: Six Cembalo Sonatas Composer: Lou Harrison

Performance: Susan Summerfield, harpsichord Location: Mills Colege, Oakland, CA. Feb 1986

Audio Cassette no. 19
Title: Piano Concerto
Composer: Lou Harrison

Performance: Keith Jarrett, piano, with The New Japan Philharmonic

Location: ? Feb 1984 Audio Cassette no. 20 Title: Corn Maiden Text: Elsa Gidlow

Musical Setting: Kathy Roberts

Note: Described as an exhibition tape. Mar 30, 1974

Audio Cassette no. 21

Title: Invocation To Sappho

Text: Elsa Gidlow, taken from her Sapphic Songs

Musical Setting: Anna Rubin

Performance: Anna Rubin and others

Location: ? Aug 22, 1975

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Title/Subject: Poetry reading and discussion - Parts 1, 2, & 3

Reader: Elsa Gidlow Location: ? n.d.

Audio Reel to Reel no. 4 [7" - speed 7-1/2]

Title/Subject: Poetry reading

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Reader: Elsa Gidlow Location: ? n.d.

Audio Reel to Reel no. 5 [7" - speed 7-1/2]

Title/Subject: Poetry reading

Reader: Elsa Gidlow

Note: Not recorded before a live audience. n.d.

Audio Reel to Reel no. 6 [7" - speed 7-1/2]

Title/Subject: Drumming and chanting recorded in Japan Note: See Alan Watt's notation on the back of the box. n.d.

Audio Reel to Reel no. 7 [7" - speed 7-1/2]

Title: La Koro Sutro Composer: Lou Harrison

Performance: Chorus and gamelan orchestra conducted by Donald Cobb

Location: ? n.d.

Audio Reel to Reel nos. 8 & 9 [5" - speed 9-1/2] Title/ Subject: Poetry reading - Parts 1&2

Reader: Elsa Gidlow

Location: The Southern California Women for Understanding Conference, Los

Angeles, CA. Feb 1981

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Interviewer: Wallace Hamilton

Location: ? n.d.

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Title: The Rainbow Boy And The Corn Maiden

Text: Elsa Gidlow

Musical Setting: Lou Harrison

Performance: ? n.d.

Audio Reel to Reel no. 12 [3" - speed 7-1/2]

Title: May Rain

Text: Elsa Gidlow, taken from her Sapphic Songs

Musical Setting: Lou Harrison

Performance: ? n.d.
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Title/Subject: Interview with Elsa Gidlow

Interviewer: Mary Hart

Note: Interview is incomplete. n.d.

Photographs

Box Box 14

Elsa Gidlow

ca. 1920-1950

ca. 1950-1970

ca. 1970-1986

Gidlow family members, various dates

Album, mostly family and early friends, ca. 1870 - 1930

Friends

ca. 1900-1940

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Unidentified persons, various dates

Snapshots by Betty Caldwell and "Niki" Kearby [Removed from an acidic album], 1980

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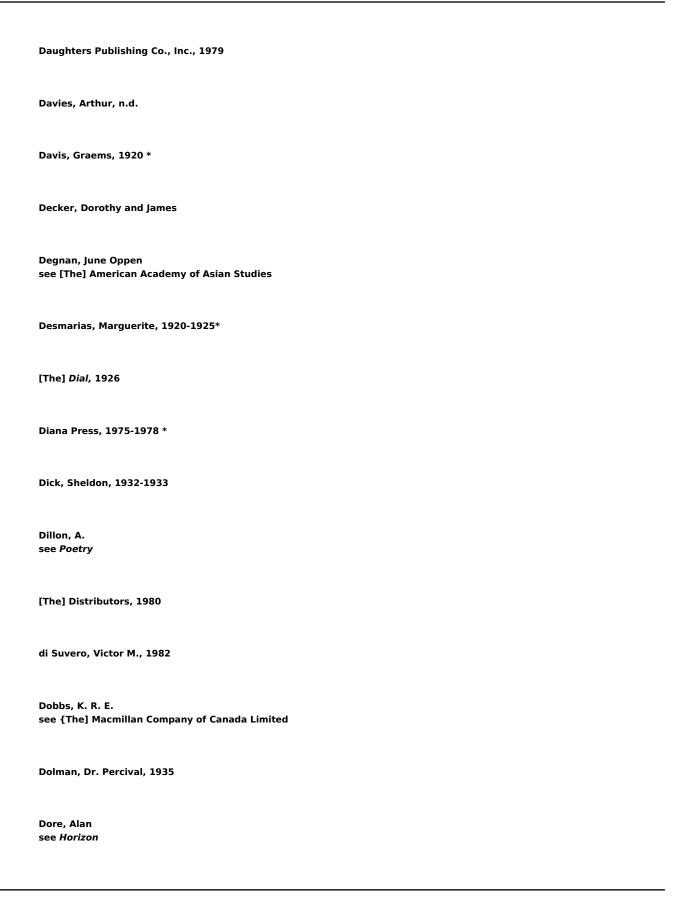
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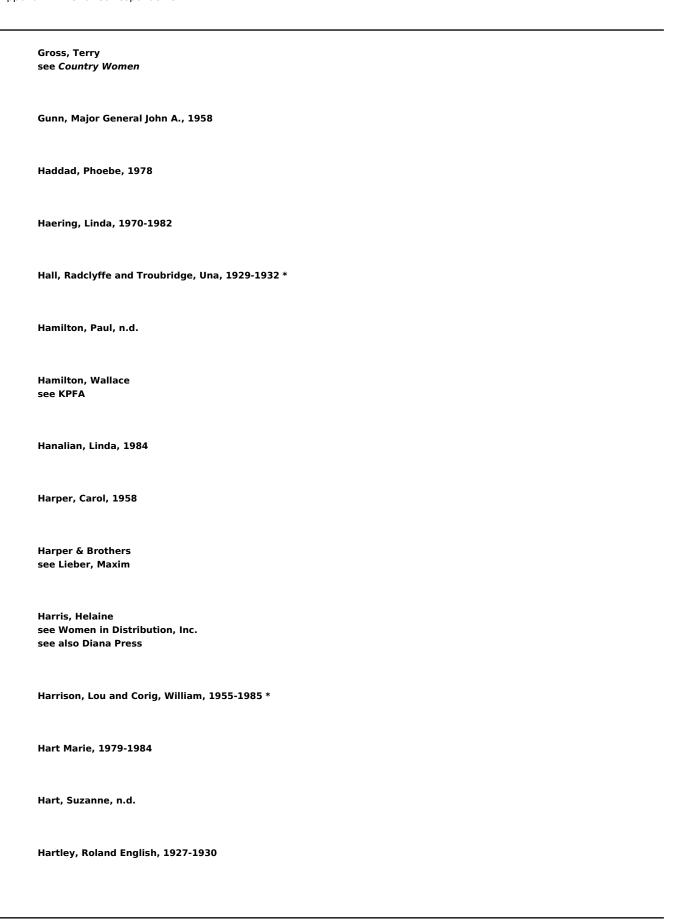
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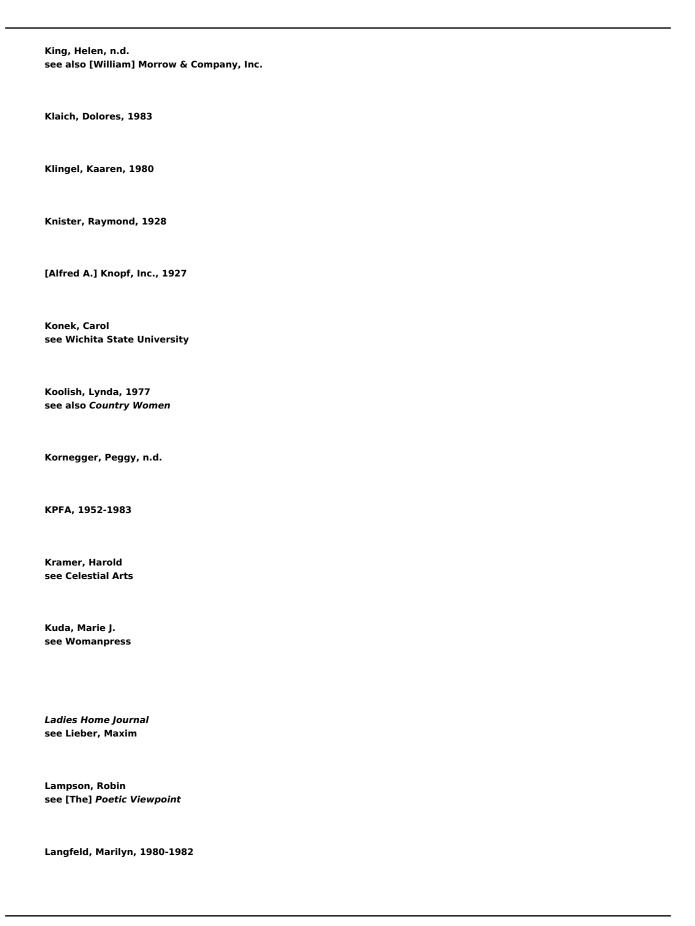
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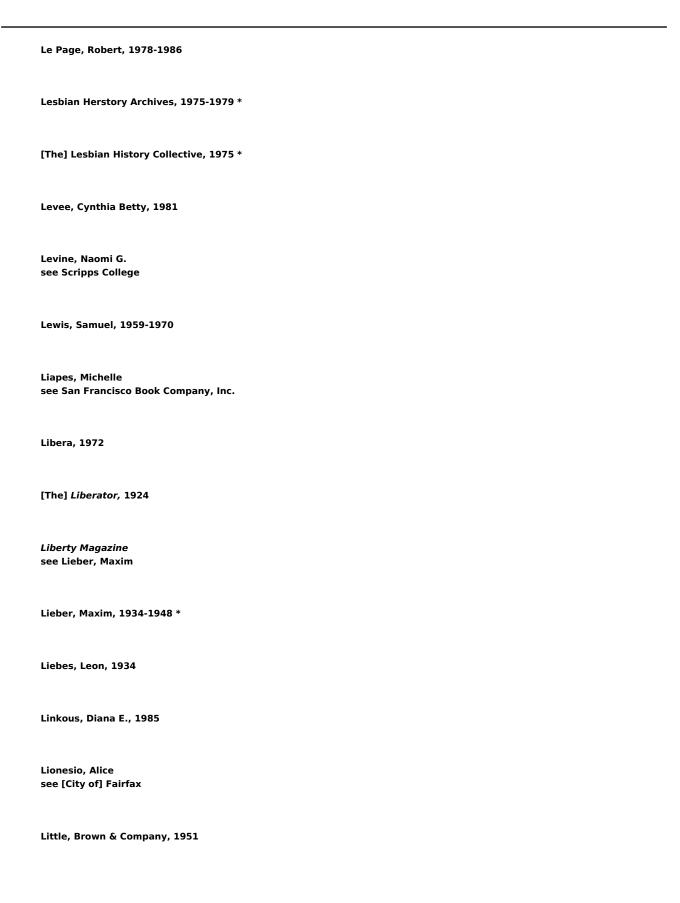
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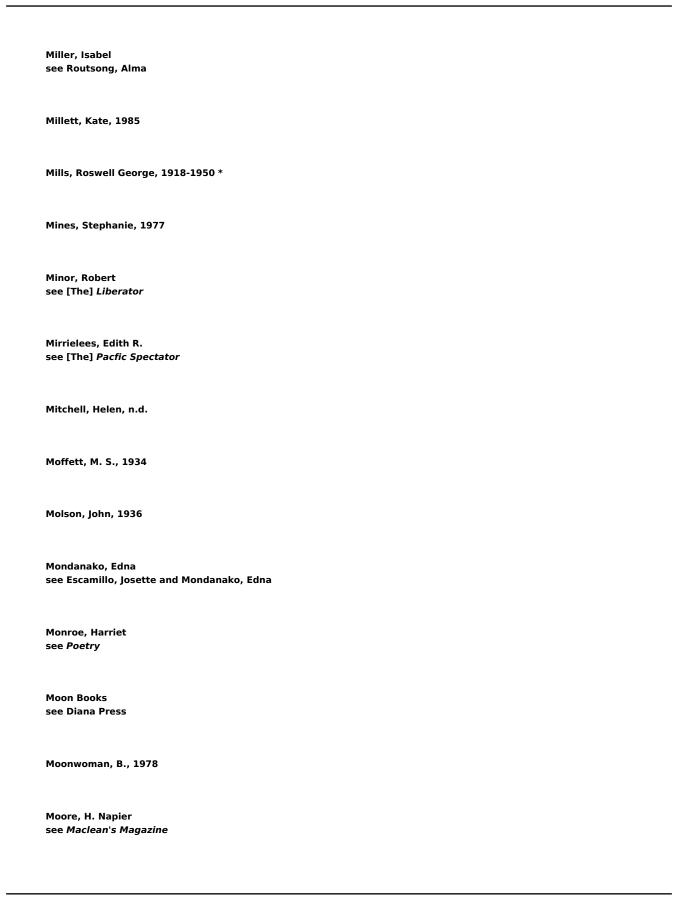
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