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Guide to MS154 Haldeen Braddy Collection

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Biographical Sketch

Professor of English at the University of Texas at El Paso and prolific author Haldeen Braddy achieved international recognition with his books on Chaucer, Poe, Pancho Villa, and Southwest history and folklore. Before coming to UTEP in 1945, Dr. Braddy taught at the universities of Kansas, New York, New Mexico, Southern California, Tulane, Texas Christian, and Texas Tech. He graduated from East Texas State, received a master's degree from UT Austin and a doctoral degree from New York University. Dr. Braddy retired from UTEP in 1978. He died in 1980.

Arrangement

Arranged by topic. Categories include: Biographical Information; Pancho Villa; Edgar Allen Poe; Geoffrey Chaucer; the Mexican Revolution; Southwestern folklore; Language; Ambrose Bierce; Old and Middle English.

Scope and Content Notes

The collection consists primarily of materials related to the academic and literary career of Dr. Braddy, and includes biographical information, manuscripts, correspondence, photographs, journals, monographs, newsletters, research notes and reference materials such as newspaper clippings and photocopied journal articles. Subjects of Braddy's work include Pancho Villa, the Mexican Revolution, Chaucer, Edgar Allen Poe, Shakespeare, the disappearance of Ambrose Bierce, Southwestern folklore, language, and Old and Middle English.

Provenance Statement

Donated by Virginia Braddy in 1980.

Restrictions

Student papers included within the collection are restricted.

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Notes to the Researcher

Related collections include the John H. McNeely papers, MS167, Texas Western Press records, MS366, and the Larry Lewis collection, MS178, at the C.L. Sonnichsen Special Collections Department, University of Texas at El Paso Library.

Container List

Box#	Folder#	Title
A. Biographical Information		
1	1	Publication Lists
	2	Biographical sketches
	3	Biographical newspaper articles
	4	Photographs of Dr. Braddy
	5	Personal business papers
	6	Department of English Papers
	7	Correspondence (personal)
		a) Incoming (arranged alphabetically by originator)
		b) Outgoing (arranged chronologically)
		c) Correspondence between parties not including Dr. Braddy
B. Pancho Villa and Mexican Revolution papers		
2	1	Correspondence (related to Villa en organized as above)
3	2	Newspaper articles
4	3	Pamphlets, advertisements and brochures
	4	Photocopied papers (of journal articles, letters, etc.)
	5	Students themes
5	6	Journals, monographs and newsletters containing other writers' publications related to Villa
	7	Journals, monographs and newsletters containing Dr. Braddy's publications related to Villa
6	8	Cards and notes
	9	Saddle Bag documents
	10	Questionnaires concerning the Punitive Expedition
	11	Class papers
	12	Trial Papers
	13	Assorted typed pages pertaining to the Revolution
C. Chaucer Papers		
7	1	Correspondence (related to Chaucer and classified as before)
	2	Pamphlets, articles and brochures
	3	Newspaper articles
	4	Journals, monographs and newsletters containing Dr. Braddy's publications on Chaucer
8	5	Photocopied papers

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8	6	Reviews of Chaucer publications by writers other than

		Braddy
	7	Reviews of Dr. Braddy's publications on Chaucer
	8	Cards and notes
	9	Class papers
	10	Assorted typed papers
9	11	Student themes
10	12	Journals, monograms and newsletters containing other writers' publications on Chaucer
D. Poe papers		
11	1	Correspondence (arranged as before)
	2	Pamphlets and brochures
	3	Newspaper articles
	4	Journals and monograms containing Dr. Braddy's publications related to Poe
	5	Photocopied papers
12	6	Photocopied papers (con'd.)
	7	Notes and Cards
	8	Class papers
	9	Photographs regarding Poe
	10	Assorted typed papers
13	11	Journals and monograms containing other writers' publications on Poe
	12	Student themes
E. Shakespeare papers		
14	1	Correspondence (arranged as before)
	2	Pamphlets and brochures
	3	Newspaper articles
	4	Journals and monograms containing Dr. Braddy's publications on Shakespeare
	5	Journals and monograms containing other writers' Shakespeare publications
15	6	Photocopied papers
	7	Students themes
	8	Cards and notes
	9	References
	10	Photographs
BOX #	FOLDER #	TITLE
	11	Xeroxed papers
	12	Assorted papers

F. Southwest folklore papers (not pertaining to Villa)		
16	1	Incoming correspondence
	2	Journals and monograms containing Dr. Braddy's publications on southwest folklore
	3	Photocopied papers
	4	Pamphlets and brochures
	5	Cards and notes
	6	Assorted typed papers
	7	Photographs regarding southwest
17	8	Journals and monograms containing other writers' publications on southwest folklore
G. Language papers (consisting primarily of information related to the argot of the Pachucos and of the narcotics realm)		
18	1	Correspondence (arranged as before)
	2	Newspaper articles
	3	Photocopied papers
	4	Journals and monograms containing Dr. Braddy's publications related to language
	5	Journals and monograms containing other writers' publications related to language
	6	Student themes
	7	Cards and notes
	8	Assorted typed papers
H. Old and Middle English		
19	1	Correspondence (arranged as before)
	2	Newspaper articles
	3	Notes and cards
	4	Pamphlets and brochures
	5	Journals and monograms containing Dr. Braddy's articles
	6	Journals and monograms containing other writers' publications
	7	Photocopied papers
	8	Classroom papers
	9	Various typed papers
20	10	Student themes
BOX #	FOLDER #	TITLE
I. Poetry and short stories		
21	1	Poetry papers

		a. Incoming correspondence
		b. Journals and monograms containing Dr. Braddy's poetry
		c. Journals and monograms containing other writers' poetry related publications
		d. Assorted papers
	2	Short story papers (a few journals and photocopied papers)
J. Boxes containing note card files		
22	1	Chaucer note card file
	2	Alfred (Old English) note card file
	3	Poe note card file
23	4	Second Chaucer note card file
	5	Second Poe note card file
	6	Shakespeare note card file
24	K. Assorted journals not falling under above categories	
25	L. Assorted loose papers not falling under above categories	
Pancho Villa Manuscripts		
26	1	"Data Relative to the Criminal Life of Francisco Villa" (unpublished)
	2	"Doroteo Arango, Alias Pancho Villa"
	3	"Dr. Husk on Pancho Villa"
	4	"Francisco Villa in Folk Songs"
	5	"General Scott on Pancho Villa" (unpublished)
	6	"Mystery of Villa's Stolen Head" (unpublished)
	7	"Myths of Pershing's Mexican Campaign"
	8	"Pancho Villa, Folkhero of the Mexican Border"
	9	"Pancho Villa, Man of Violence and Mystery" (unpublished)
	10	"Pancho Villa's Capitulation: An Inside Look" (unpublished)
	11	"Pancho Villa's Hidden Loot"
	12	"Pancho Villa y sus Tesoros" (unpublished)
	13	"Pershing's Air Arm in Mexico" (unpublished)
	14	"Revolution: Agony South of the Border"
	15	"Pancho Villa at Columbus"
	16	"Pancho Villa at Columbus (con'd)"
	17	"Pancho Villa, Peon Patriot" (unpublished)
	18	"Pancho Villa, Rebel with a Cause" (unpublished)

	19	“The Last Mrs. Pancho Villa” (unpublished)
	20	“The Loves of Pancho Villa” (unpublished)
	21	“The Real Mrs. Pancho Villa” (unpublished)
	22	“Who stole Pancho Villa’s Head?” (unpublished)
	23	Article in Encyclopedia Americana on Villa
	24	Dr. Braddy’s reviews of publications concerning Villa
	25	Assorted Villa
	26	Mexico and the Old Southwest
	27	Pancho Villa’s Columbus Raid
	28	Pancho Villa Rides Again
	29	Pershing’s Mission in Mexico
26	30	Pershing’s Mission in Mexico (con’d)
	31	Preface to the second Edition of Cock of the Walk
	32	The Punitive Expedition in Retrospect (unpublished)
	33	The Mexican Influence and Expedition in Retrospect (unpublished)
	34	Literature of the Mexican Revolution (unpublished)
	35	Pancho Villa, Mystery Man of Mexico (unpublished)
	36	Pancho Villa, Mystery Man of Mexico (con’d)
Oversized Villa Manuscripts		
27	37	Pancho Villa, Rebel as Hero
	38	Punitive Expedition
	39	Pursuit in the Desert
Poe Manuscripts		
28	1	“Edgar Allan Poe, A Critical Survey” (unpublished)
	2	“E. A. Poe and Hippiess” (unpublished)
	3	“E. A. Poe’s Last Bid for Fame”
	4	“Edgar Allan Poe’s Princess of Long Ago”
	5	“Poe and the West”
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	6	“Poe’s Flight From Reality”
	7	“Post Mortem on Edgar A. Poe” (unpublished)
	8	“The Facts of Poe’s Life” (unpublished)
	9	Reviews by Dr. Braddy concerning other writers’ Poe publications
	10	Classified list of Poe’s titles
	11	Edgar Allan Poe bibliography (1949-1970)
	12	Poe bibliography

	13	Outline of Poe's works
	14	Glorious Incense (in part)
	15	Poe: The Accursed Poet (unpublished)
29	16	Three Dimensional Poe
Chaucer Manuscripts		
30	1	"Chaucer, Alice Perrers, and Cecily Chaumpaigne"
	2	"Chaucer, Alice Perrers, and Cecily Chaumpaigne" (continued)
	3	"Chaucer's Brawdy Tongue"
	4	"Chaucer's Bilingual Idiom"
	5	"Chaucer's Playful Pandarus"
	6	"Chaucer-realism or Obsenity?"
	7	"Chaucer's Native Vocabulary"
	8	"Chaucer's 'Parlement of Foules'" (in part)
	9	"Chaucer's Troilus as Travesty"
	10	Crisseyde's Playful Uncle"
	11	"The French Influence on Chaucer"
	12	"Folklore in Chaucer" (research project
	13	Preface to 1968 edition of Chaucer and the French Poet Graunson
	14	Geoffrey Chaucer Studies
Shakespeare Manuscripts		
31	1	"Claudius the Rat and Hamlet the Trickster"
	2	"Chaucerian Echoes in Macbeth" (unpublished)
	3	"Hamlet and Nordic Mythology" (unpublished)
	4	"Hamlet's Dram of Ale" (unpublished)
	5	"Shakespeare's Henry V and the French Nobility"
	6	"Shakespeare's Opinion of the French" (unpublished)
BOX #	FOLDER #	TITLE
	7	"The Riddle of Hamlet" (unpublished)
	8	"Assorted Shakespearean Typescripts
Southwest Folklore Manuscripts		
31	1	"Jesse James Chivalry"
	2	"Pecos Bill, the Original Typical Texan"
	3	"Pistoleros of El Paso" (unpublished)
	4	"Queens of the Bullring"
	5	"Riding the White Horse"
	6	"Rowdies of the Rio Grande" (unpublished)
	7	"Running Contraband on the Rio Grande"

	8	“Solomon the Wise Swordfish” (unpublished)
	9	“The Birth of the Buscadero”
31	10	“The death of Chanticleer” (unpublished)
	11	“The Ghostly Baby Snatcher” (unpublished)
	12	The Plaza of Tears (unpublished)
	13	Assorted typescripts
	14	Book reviews by Dr. Braddy
Language Manuscripts		
31	1	“Big Talk of the Big Bend”
	2	“Narcotic Argot Along the Mexican Border”
	3	“The Pachucos and their Argot”
	4	Assorted language typescripts
Poetry Typescripts		
32	1	“Awry”
	2	“Naïve”
	3	“Remembered Innocence”
	4	“The Little way”
	5	Unpublished poems and short stories
Other Typescripts		
33,34, 35	1	Old English Manuscripts
36	2	“The Pan-American Road Race”
	3	“The Underworld of El Pablote and La Nacha”
	4	“Trailing Ambrose Bierce”
39	1	Correspondence related to Ambrose Bierce
	2	Correspondence related to Ambrose Bierce
	3	Clippings—Ambrose Bierce
	4	Notes—Ambrose Bierce
	5	Photos—related to Ambrose Bierce research
	6	Publications by Others—related to Ambrose Bierce
	7	Book reviews, publications, clippings related to E. A. Poe, G. Chaucer
Villa Artifacts		
37	1	Photographs
	2	Villa Stamps
	3	Spur
Additional Villa Items		
38	1	Manuscripts and gallery proofs of The Paradox of

		Pancho Villa
	2	Papers by Benjamin Herrera Vargas