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McKee Library Special Collections

**Finding Aid for Duane and Eunice Bietz Collection
1866-2016**

Summary Information

Creators: Various

Title: Duane and Eunice Bietz Collection 1866-2016

Inclusive dates: 1866-2016

Language: English

Abstract: This collection consists of journals, magazines, newsletters, and newspapers that either contain stories or articles by Mark Twain or analysis and description of his work. The collection also contains Twain-related items such as catalogs, posters and calendars, as well as letters written by Twain.

Size: 8 boxes, 3 oversized boxes, 7 linear feet

Storage: Onsite Storage – Vault 2

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Administrative Information

Provenance: Duane and Eunice Bietz donated their Mark Twain collection to McKee Library in 2010. Included in this collection of first edition books, signed copies and artifacts are the Twain-related publications described in this finding aid as well as handwritten letters.

Access: **Archival papers are available to readers for consultation by appointment only. Please fill out [this form](#) in advance.**

Access Restriction: The collection is unrestricted to readers.

Preferred Citation: Item description, McKee Library: Mark Twain Publications; Duane and Eunice Bietz Collection, Series #, box #, and folder #, McKee Library Special Collections at Southern Adventist University, Collegedale

Biography

Dr. Duane Bietz' love of books was developed at a young age. He would accompany his father, a minister, on frequent trips to the library, where he would spend his time poring over books on history and theology.

Bietz decided to collect old books when he enrolled in medical school. Since his area of expertise was cardiac surgery, he decided to collect old cardiac surgical books, but found that there weren't any significant old surgical books. Cardiac surgery was such a new specialty that journals were the venue to report results of surgical procedures. Bietz then started to read books about book collecting, and came across a book written by a Mark Twain collector. This book, coupled with Bietz' love for Twain's stories, influenced his decision to start collecting Twain books and other memorabilia.

Dr. Bietz and his wife Eunice Bietz have collected Mark Twain books and related items throughout the world. In 2010, they graciously donated their collection of books, artifacts, letters, and Twain-related publications to McKee Library, Southern Adventist University.

Collection Scope and Content Note

- **Series 1: Mark Twain Correspondence, 1869-1908 (1 box, .50 linear ft.)**

This series contains handwritten letters from Mark Twain to his friends and a letter of appeal written and signed by Mark Twain asking for aid to the Redding Public Library in Connecticut. This series also includes two handwritten letters from Albert Bigelow Paine to Leigh H. Crosby.

- **Series 2: Journals, 1894-1995 (1 box, .50 linear ft.)**

This series contains journals dedicated to the study of Mark Twain's work and journals that contain stories written by Twain himself. Included in the series is the April 1894 issue of *The North American Review*, which contains the first appearance of "To The Person Sitting in Darkness" by Twain.

- **Series 3: Magazines, 1873-2014 (2 boxes, 1 OS* box 2 linear ft.)**

This series contains magazines that include articles by Mark Twain or about Mark Twain. Included in the series is the January 1885 issue of *Century Magazine*, which contains "Jim's Investments, and King Sollermun" by Mark Twain. Also included in the series is the first appearance of "Extracts from Adam's Diary" in the April 1901 issue of Harper's Monthly Magazine.

- **Series 4: Newsletters and Pamphlets, 1935-2012 (1 box, .50 linear ft.)**

This series contains newsletters devoted to Mark Twain and Mark Twain societies as well as informational pamphlets.

- **Series 5: Newspapers, 1895-2016 (1 OS* box, 1 linear ft.)**

This series contains the *Oakland Examiner* dated April 22, 1910, announcing the death of Mark Twain.

- **Series 6: Plays, 1867-2010 (.5 box, .25 linear ft.)**

This series contains two limited edition synopsis booklets of *Tom Sawyer: A Drama* by Jake Blanck.

- **Series 7: Ephemera and Miscellaneous, 1866-1971 (.5 box, .25 linear ft.)**

This series contains a steamship ticket from C.A Transit Company.

- **Series 8: Collection Development and Sales Information, 1988-2013 (2 boxes, 1 linear ft.)**

This series contains information regarding collection development including invoices, receipts, provenance accounts, and correspondence.

- **Series 9: Calendars, Scrapbooks, Games 1891-2011 (.5 OS* box, .50 linear ft.)**

This series contains two Mark Twain calendars including one from 1917, and a Mark Twain scrapbook by Daniel Slote & Co.

- **Series 10: Pictures and Posters, ?-1985 (.5 OS* box, .50 linear ft.)**

This series contains advertisement posters of Mark Twain materials. Also included in the series is a photographic negative image of Mark Twain.

***Oversized**

Processing

Materials have been rearranged from their original order. Staples were removed from materials as needed, and folded items were flattened. Materials were placed in new acid-free folders and boxes.

Contents list

Series 1: Mark Twain Correspondence, 1869-1908

Series	Box	Folder	Contents
1	1	1	Handwritten letter from Mark Twain to James Redpath (1869 May 14)
1	1	2	Handwritten letter from Mark Twain to James Redpath (1874 February 23)
1	1	3	Handwritten letter from Mark Twain to Mrs. Bigelow (1894 March 18)
1	1	4	Handwritten letter from Mark Twain to Mr. Lord (possibly Chester Sanders Lord) regarding Horace Porter (1902 June 10)
1	1	5	Handwritten letter from Mark Twain to Colonel Charles S. Fairchild (1903 March 2). Includes mailing envelope.
1	1	6	Printed letter signed by Mark Twain (1908 October) – “To My Guests – Greeting and Salutation and Prosperity! And Therewith, Length of Days. Listen:”

Series 1: Mark Twain Correspondence, 1869-1908 Cont'd

Series	Box	Folder	Contents
1	1	7	Handwritten letters from Albert Bigelow Paine to Leigh H. Crosby (1924 February 10; 1924 July 20). Includes mailing envelopes.

Series 2: Journals, 1894 – 1995

Series	Box	Folder	Contents
2	2	1	Book Collector's Market v.4: no.4 (1979 July/August) – "Collecting Mark Twain: A Popular Author and His Market"
2	2	2	Lincoln Herald v.49: no.2 (1947 June) – "Mark Twain's Pension" by R. Gerald McMurtry
2	2	3	Manuscripts v.11: no.4 (1959 Fall) – Hal Holbrook on cover; "Mark Twain, Edited and Bowdlerized" by Dr.Klingelhofer
2	2	4	Mark Twain Journal v.9: no.4 (1954 Summer) – Inscribed to John Howell by Cyril Clemens, Mark Twain's cousin
2	2	5	Pages from Mark Twain Journal v.20: no.1 (1979-1980 Winter)
2	2	6	Mark Twain Journal v.22: no.1 (1984 Spring)
2	2	7	Mark Twain Journal – Flyers, Correspondence (1984-1995)
2	2	8	The North American Review v.158: no.4 (1894 April) – "Private History of the Jumping Frog Story" by Mark Twain
2	2	9	The North American Review v.172: no.2 (1901 February) – First appearance of "To The Person Sitting in Darkness" by Mark Twain

Series 3: Magazines, 1873-2014

Series	Box	Folder	Contents
3	3	1	Adventure Road (1990 January/February) – "Mark Twain Country" by Patricia Brooks
3	3	2	At Random v.4: no.4 (1995 December) – "'I Been There Before': Revisiting <i>Adventures of Huckleberry Finn</i> " by Sean Abbott and "The Phoenix-Like Manuscript of <i>Adventures of Huckleberry Finn</i> " by Daniel Menaker
3	3	3	The Bermudian (1983 September) – "Mark Twain Abroad" Parts 1-6 by Tim Hodgson (photocopy)
3	3	4	The Book News Monthly v.28: no.8 (1910 April) – Mark Twain Special Number
3	3	5	The Century Illustrated Monthly Magazine (excerpt) v.29:new series v.7 (1885 January) – "Jim's Investments, and King Sollermun" by Mark Twain
3	3	6	The Century Illustrated Monthly Magazine v.45: no.3 (1893 January) -- "The £1,000,000 Bank Note" by Mark Twain

Series 3: Magazines, 1873-2014 Cont'd

Series	Box	Folder	Contents
3	3	7	College and University Dialogue v.4: no.1 (1992) "Mark Twain's Choice" by William F. Fitts
3	3	8	The Cosmopolitan v.16:no.2 (1893 December) – First appearance of "Traveling with a Reformer" by Mark Twain
3	3	9	The Cosmopolitan v.27: no.6 (1899 October) – "Christian Science and the Book of Mrs. Eddy" by Mark Twain
3	3	10	Country Living (1994 August) – "Mark Twain's Town" 2 page advertisement for Hannibal, Missouri
3	3	11	Firsts: The Book Collector's Magazine v.8: no.7/8 (1998 July/August) – "Collecting Mark Twain" by Kevin MacDonnell (2 copies)
3	3	12	Firsts: The Book Collector's Magazine v.8: no. 9 (1998 September) – "Mark Twain Special"
3	3	13	Firsts: The Book Collector's Magazine v.17: no.7 (2007 September) – "Bernard DeVoto's America" by Jerry Bartholomew
3	3	14	Harper's Monthly Magazine no.611 (1901 April) – First appearance of "Extracts from Adam's Diary" by Mark Twain
3	3	15	Harper's New Monthly Magazine no. 631 (1902 December) – "Was it Heaven? Or Hell? A Story" by Mark Twain
3	3	16	"A Dog's Tale" by Mark Twain reprinted from Harper's Magazine Christmas Number (1903)
3	3	17	Harper's Monthly Magazine p.339-348 (1910 August) – "My Memories of Mark Twain" by H.D. Howells
3	4	1	Harper's Monthly Magazine no.795 (1916 August) – "The Mysterious Stranger. A Romance (Continued)" by Mark Twain
3	4	2	Harper's Monthly Magazine no.804 (1917 May) – "Some Mark Twain Letters" Edited by Albert Bigelow Paine
3	4	3	Harper's Monthly Magazine no.810 (1917 November) – "Mark Twain's Letters" Edited by Albert Bigelow Paine; two unbound pages from Harper's Magazine Advertiser
3	4	4	Harper's Magazine v.217: no.1303 (1958 December) – "Mark Twain Speaks Out: Four Unpublished Pieces"
3	4	5	Harper's Magazine v.300: no.1801 (2000 December) – "Celebrating 150 Years of Literature 1850-2000"
3	4	6	Harper's Magazine v.322: no.1931 (2011 April) – "Democracy 101: Mark Twain's Farewell Address" by Lewis H. Lapham
3	4	7	History of Redding website (2012 November 1) – "Mark Twain's Stormfield-Redding, Connecticut" (print-out)

Series 3: Magazines, 1873-2014 Cont'd

Series	Box	Folder	Contents
3	4	8	Martha Stewart Living (1993 April/May) – “Saving Old Books”
3	4	9	The Mentor v.12: no.4 (1924 May) – Mark Twain Number – Articles by his Biographer and Close Friends
3	4	10	The Museums at Blackhawk (1994 Summer) – “Mark Twain: A Life in Writing Opening September 17”
3	4	11	Nast’s Illustrated Almanac (1873) – “The Story of the Good Little Boy Who Did Not Prosper” by Mark Twain
3	4	12	News from Home (1954 Spring) – “Mark Twain – Always in the News”
3	4	13	The New Yorker (1993 June 14) – “The Voice of America” by Clive James
3	4	14	The Pacific Monthly v.8: no.4 (1907 October)
3	4	15	The Pacific Short Story Magazine v.6: no.1 (1912 December) – “A Biography of Mark Twain”
3	4	16	Reader’s Digest: The World’s Best Reading (1992) – “The Celebrated Jumping Frog and Other Stories” Mark Twain
3	4	17	Salon Magazine (2014 March 23) – “How Mark Twain became Mark Twain: The amazing story of the lectures that made him a superstar” by Ben Tarnoff, excerpted from <i>The Bohemians: Mark Twain and the San Francisco Writers Who Reinvented American Literature</i> (print-out)
3	4	18	San Diego Magazine (1986 April) – “Clara Clemens: A Life of Her Own” by Thomas L. Scharf
3	OS5	1	The Saturday Review of Literature v.12: no.24 (1935 October 12) – “Mark Twain: Anti-Victorian; a Review of Mark Twain’s Notebook” by Henry Seidel Canby
3	OS5	2	Smithsonian (2003 September) – “Keeping Up with Mark “Twain” by Ron Powers
3	OS5	3	Smithsonian (2012 October) – “The Adventures of the Real Tom Sawyer” by Robert Smith
3	OS5	4	Time Magazine (1992 July 20) “Was Huck Finn Black?”
3	OS5	5	Time Magazine (2008 July) – “The Dangerous Mind of Mark Twain”
3	OS5	6	Washington v.3: no.4 (1986 December) – “Twain’s Great Northwest Tour” by Don Glickstein
3	OS5	7	Yankee (1967 June) – “Mark Twain’s Last Years at Redding” by Thomas J. Smith
3	OS5	8	Yankee (1969 January) – “Portrait of a Friendship”

Series 3: Magazines, 1873-2014 Cont'd

Series	Box	Folder	Contents
3	OS5	9	The Ladies' Home Journal (1898 October) – "The Anecdotal Side of Mark Twain"
3	OS5	10	Harper's Weekly Magazine v.48:no.2462 (1904 February 27)
3	OS5	11	Life Magazine v.65:no.25 (1968 December 20) – "Tom and Huck Among the Indians" by Mark Twain (3 copies)
3	OS5	12	The Hartford Courant Sunday Magazine (1994 September 25) – "The Adventures of John Boyer" by Garret Condon

Series 4: Newsletters and Pamphlets, 1935-2012

Series	Box	Folder	Contents
4	6	1	Mark Twain Centennial souvenir booklet (1935)
4	6	2	Bancroftiana: Published occasionally by the friends of the Bancroft Library University of California, Berkeley (1972 April)
4	6	3	Educulture: A Word to Teachers (undated)
4	6	4	Ephemera News (2001 Spring)
4	6	5	The Fence Painter: Bulletin of the Mark Twain Boyhood Home Associates (1997-1998)
4	6	6	Mark Twain Circular v.7-12 (1993-1998)
4	6	7	Mark Twain Circular – Correspondence (1994 May 3)
4	6	8	Mark Twain's House (1977) (2 copies)
4	6	9	Mark Twain News (1994 Spring-2004 Summer)
4	6	10	Mark Twain Society Bulletin (1994 January-1997 July)
4	6	11	The Mark Twain Study Review (2002 Summer)
4	6	12	The Twainian (1939 March-1947 May-June, 1993 November 30)
4	6	13	Publications of the Mark Twain Project (undated)
4	6	14	Hannibal & Mark Twain Region Visitor's Guide (1994)
4	6	15	Mark Twain in Contemporary Political Cartoons by Jim Zwick from the website Anti-Imperialism in the United States, 1898-1935 (1996 January)
4	6	16	Program for first-day-of-issue ceremony for the Mark Twain commemorative stamp (2011 June 25)
4	6	17	History of Redding: Photos of Mark Twain Library in Redding, Connecticut (2012 November 1)
4	6	18	Brochures and newsletter from Elmira College and the Center for Mark Twain Studies (1994, 1998)

Series 4: Newsletters and Pamphlets, 1939-2012 Cont'd

Series	Box	Folder	Contents
4	6	19	Mark Twain Boyhood Home (undated)
4	6	20	Mark Twain's Museum of Memories (undated)
4	6	21	Mark Twain Society (undated)

Series 5: Newspapers, 1895-2016

Series	Box	Folder	Contents
5	OS7	1	<i>Knight-Ridder News Service</i> (1984) "Huck Finn: Still in trouble"
5	OS7	2	<i>New York Times Metro</i> (1994 June 18) "After Long Absence, Twain's Butler Is to Return" – copy
5	OS7	3	<i>New York Times</i> (1992 July 25) p. 14 "Will Huck Now Be Sold Down the Mississippi?"
5	OS7	4	<i>New York Times</i> (1992 August 2) p. 24 "More Huck Finn Adventures, to Buffalo Via Hollywood"
5	OS7	5	<i>New York Times</i> (1993 June 20) p. 8-9 "2 Houses From Hartford's Greener Era: Twain's red-brick revel in frippery is steps from Harriet Beecher Stowe's quiet Victorian cottage"
5	OS7	6	<i>New York Times</i> (1996 August 18) p.17-18 "Will Twain Stop Traffic in a 'Pass-Through' City?"
5	OS7	7	<i>New York Times</i> (2001 June 23) p. A15-A17 "A Forgotten Twain Tale Finally Makes It Into Print"
5	OS7	8	<i>New York Times</i> (2007 December 9) p. 1, 13 "Rumors Of This Play Were Not Exaggerated"
5	OS7	9	<i>New York Times</i> (2010 March 14) p.1-2 "Twain and Crane: The Old Ball Game"
5	OS7	10	<i>New York Times</i> (2010 April 22) "In Mark Twain's Will, a Glimpse of Father's Love"
5	OS7	11	<i>New York Times</i> (2010 September 19) p. 10 "Twain's Nicaragua, 144 Years Later"
5	OS7	12	<i>New York Times</i> (2016 August 21) p. 9 "Where Mark Twain Found Inspiration"
5	OS7	13	<i>Oakland Examiner</i> (1910 April 22) "Mark Twain, Dean of Humorists, is Dead Grizzled Maker of Fun Jokes to the End" (front section only)
5	OS7	14	<i>The Oregonian</i> (1985 September 1) p. S3 "Huck Finn finds Mark Twain's home as he remembered it"
5	OS7	15	<i>The Oregonian</i> (1985 December 31) p. B9 "Mark Twain gives advice from his age of greed and corruption to ours"

Series 5: Newspapers, 1895-2016 Cont'd

Series	Box	Folder	Contents
5	OS7	16	<i>The Oregonian</i> (1986 January 19) p. C3 "Holbrook finds true spirit of Mark Twain"
5	OS7	17	<i>The Seattle Times</i> (1985 December 1) "A writer for our times"
5	OS7	18	<i>The Seattle Times</i> (undated) "Sesquicentennial year marks recollection of visit to Seattle"
5	OS7	19	<i>The Sunday Oregonian</i> (1992 April 5) p. B3 "Huck Finn enters another era of social opprobrium"
5	OS7	20	<i>The Sunday Oregonian</i> (1993 December 11) p. C5 "Holbrook revives spirit of Twain, converting dreary night to one of delight"
5	OS7	21	<i>The Sunday Oregonian</i> (2010 April 4) p.7-8 "Two on Twain: Western Adventure Early in Life, a Castle Drama Later"
5	OS7	22	<i>The Washington Post</i> (1989 January 29) p.E4 "Up the Rigi, in the Footsteps of Mark Twain" - copy
5	OS7	23	Copies of newspaper articles from <i>The Blade</i> , <i>The Daily Reveille</i> , <i>The Weekly Reveille</i> , and an account from The Fairhaven Land Company (1895 July-August) describing Mark Twain's visit to Bellingham, Washington
5	OS7	24	Newspaper clipping "When Sam Clemens Roughed It" (undated)

Series 6: Plays, 1867-2010

Series	Box	Folder	Contents
6	8	1	<i>The Quaker City Holy Land Excursion: An Unfinished Play</i> by Mark Twain, includes auction description (1867)
6	8	2	Synopsis of <i>Tom Sawyer: A Drama</i> by Jake Blanck (1940) (1 st edition-small and large versions)
6	8	3	Playbill for <i>On the Verge of Becoming an Angel</i> by Larry Leedy (2 copies) (1987 December 31)
6	8	4	<i>Mark Twain and the Devil: A three-act play inspired by an unfinished tale by Mark Twain</i> by Irwin Shishko (2010)
6	8	5	Hal Holbrook in <i>Mark Twain Tonight!</i> – Program, advertisement, and autographed picture of Hal Holbrook (undated)

Series 7: Ephemera and Miscellaneous, 1866-1971

Series	Box	Folder	Contents
7	8	6	Steamship ticket for Steamship America, San Francisco to New York via Nicaragua from C.A. Transit Company. Explanation summary included (1866)

Series 7: Ephemera and Miscellaneous, 1866-1971 Cont'd

Series	Box	Folder	Contents
7	8	7	Dust Covers for <i>The Works of Mark Twain Definitive Edition</i> v. I, v. II, v. XXIX (1922-1923)
7	8	8	Loose leaf from an autograph album. Contains signature of pianist and composer Ossip Gabrilowitsch (Twain's son-in-law) and pianist Jean Louis Nicodé (undated)
7	8	9	Envelope from Alan Patera stamped in Twain, CA (1966 July 16)
7	8	10	"Mark Twain's 'Mental Telegraphy'" – chapter from <i>They Knew the Unknown</i> by Martin Ebon (1971)
7	OS7		Cabin Passenger List of the Imperial German and U.S. Mail Twin Screw Steamship Prinzess Irene sailing from New York for Genoa (1903 October 24) Framed.

Series 8: Collection Development and Sales Information, 1980-2013

Series	Box	Folder	Contents
8	9	1	Invoices from Argonaut Book Shop San Francisco, California (1980 April 29)
8	9	2	c (1980)
8	9	3	Invoices, correspondence, and catalogue from Heritage Bookshop Los Angeles, California; contains advertisement for <i>Mark Twain's (Burlesque) Autobiography and First Romances</i> (1980-1994)
8	9	4	Invoices and correspondence from John Howell Books San Francisco, California (1980-1984)
8	9	5	Correspondence from Duane Bietz to Antiquities, Books, & Prints Portland, Oregon (1982 April 13)
8	9	6	Invoices, correspondence, and receipts from The Brick Row Book Shop San Francisco, California (1982-1996)
8	9	7	Correspondence from Harold M. Burstein & Company about The Celebrated Jumping Frog (1985 January 5)
8	9	8	Invoice and correspondence from Rulon-Miller Books Minneapolis, Minnesota (1985 February-March)
8	9	9	Receipt from William P. Wreden Books & Manuscripts Palo Alto, California (1985 May 8)
8	9	10	Receipt from Green Dolphin Bookshop Portland, Oregon (1985 December 29)
8	9	11	Receipt from Drew's Bookshop Santa Barbara, California (1985)
8	9	12	Invoices and correspondence from Hamill & Barker Chicago, Illinois (1985-1987)

Series 8: Collection Development and Sales Information, 1980-2013 Cont'd

Series	Box	Folder	Contents
8	9	13	Invoices and correspondence from Yerba Buena Books San Francisco, California (1985-1993)
8	9	14	Receipt and catalogue listing from Powell's Books (1985, 1990)
8	9	15	Invoices and correspondence from MacDonnell Rare Books Austin, Texas (1987-1996)
8	9	16	Invoice and correspondence between Duane Bietz and Caliban Press Montclair, New Jersey regarding the purchase of "Huckleberry Finn, Alive at 100." Includes pamphlet (1985) with information on different items available (1988 May-July)
8	9	17	Correspondence between Duane Bietz and Cheloniidae Press Williamsburg, Massachusetts about purchasing "The Jumping Frog." Includes pamphlet (1985) with information on different editions available (1988 May-June)
8	9	18	List of Valuable Literature & Fine Books from Jeff Weber Rare Books (1988 Summer)
8	9	19	Detached pages for auction (unknown) of Mark Twain items (1988 October 17)
8	9	20	Undesignated receipts and packing lists (1988-1994)
8	9	21	Invoices and correspondence from Charles Seluzicki Rare and Fine Books Portland, Oregon (1989-1990)
8	9	22	Correspondence from Wolf's Head Books Morgantown, West Virginia (1990 February 8)
8	9	23	Invoice from Western Picture Frame Co. Portland, Oregon (1990 August 2)
8	9	24	Correspondence between Duane Bietz and the Steele Memorial Library Elmira, NY regarding information about Mark Twain's possible appearance in the local newspaper (1990 November-December)
8	9	25	Receipt from George Robert Kane Books Santa Cruz, California (1990 December 31)
8	9	26	Invoices for auction sales from Swann Galleries New York, New York (1990-1992)
8	9	27	Invoice from Bowie & Weatherford, Inc. (1991 June 28)
8	9	28	Cashier's checks and catalogue listing from Art Blumenkron Resident IRC (1991-1992)
8	9	29	Invoice from Metacomet Books (1992 February 4)
8	9	30	Invoice from Liza Pastine original book designs (1993 January 14)

Series 8: Collection Development and Sales Information, 1980-2013 Cont'd

Series	Box	Folder	Contents
8	9	31	Invoice and correspondence from Leaves & Bindings Book Restoration Portland, Oregon (1993 February-April)
8	9	32	Invoice from Jeffrey Thomas, Fine & Rare Books San Francisco, California (1993 October 15)
8	9	33	Mark Twain Museum gift catalog (1993/1994 Winter)
8	9	34	Invoice from The Spoon River Press Peoria, Illinois (1994 April 11)
8	9	35	Correspondence with Jack C. Thompson (1994 April 19)
8	9	36	Letter to Duane Bietz from the Mark Twain Society notifying of latest bulletin and new book (1994 April 21)
8	9	37	Correspondence from the Mark Twain Research Foundation regarding subscription to <i>The Twainian</i> (1994 May 5)
8	9	38	Letter to Duane and Eunice Bietz from Leland Frederick Cooley regarding information and purchase of spoons that had been purchased by Mark Twain (1994 June 17)
8	9	39	Receipt from Michael S. Hollander San Rafael, California (1994 September 18)
8	9	40	Correspondence and receipt from Barry Cassidy Rare Books Sacramento, California (1994 September 19-30)
8	9	41	Information regarding provenance of a cabinet which was once in Mark Twain's house. Includes note written by Duane Bietz declaring that Clara Clemens gave her distant cousin Gladys Lewis the cabinet, who then bequeathed it to her nephew Leland Frederick Cooley from whom Duane Bietz bought it. Includes report entitled <i>A Provenance Outline</i> written by Leland Frederick Cooley. Includes photographs of the cabinet. (1994)
8	9	42	Further information regarding provenance of a cabinet which was once in Mark Twain's house. Includes correspondence between Duane Bietz and Marianne J. Curling, Curator of the Mark Twain House regarding the cabinet. Includes articles regarding artist Gladys Lewis Bush and writer Leland Frederick Cooley. (1994)
8	9	43	Sales slips from Book Crafts Portland, Oregon (1994-1996)
8	9	44	Correspondence between Duane Bietz and Robert Slotta. Topics include letters to Mark Twain, a first edition copy of <i>The 30,000 Bequest</i> , and Mark Twain's handwritten <i>Last Manuscript</i> (1994-2009)
8	9	45	Invoices from The Great Northwest Bookstore Portland, Oregon (1995 January 9, undated)
8	9	46	Handwritten letter from Betty Hoefner to Duane Bietz regarding sale of Mark Twain Centennial book (undated)

Series 8: Collection Development and Sales Information, 1980-2013 Cont'd

Series	Box	Folder	Contents
8	9	47	Receipt from Creative Ideas Used & Rare Books Lincoln, Nebraska (1995 April 24)
8	10	1	Catalogue from the Kenneth W. Rendell Gallery Inc. (1995 June)
8	10	2	Invoice from Butterfield & Butterfield (1996 March 18)
8	10	3	Invoice and printed catalogue listings from Sotheby's New York, New York (1996 December 3, 2010 November 9)
8	10	4	Mark Twain Bancshares, Inc. dividend information (1996)
8	10	5	Receipt from Rain Dog Books Chicago, IL (1996 September 20)
8	10	6	Invoice from Thomas A. Goldwasser Rare Books San Francisco, CA (1996 October 19)
8	10	7	Letter from Martha Carpenter regarding <i>The Innocents Abroad</i> by Mark Twain (1996 August 10)
8	10	8	Loan agreement between Duane Bietz and The Mark Twain House regarding six sterling silver soup spoons (1997 October 4)
8	10	9	Bauman Rare Books listings of several Twain books (1997 October 5)
8	10	10	Letter from Brian Gray regarding an inscribed copy of <i>The Prince and the Pauper</i> by Mark Twain (1998 August 13)
8	10	11	Admirable Books Catalogue (1998)
8	10	12	Letter from The Cupertino Historical Society regarding the theater program for Mark Twain's "Puddinghead Wilson". Copy of the program included. (2000 August 29)
8	10	13	Correspondence with The Bancroft Library (1994 – 2009)
8	10	14	Letter from Cindy Darling regarding provenance of a photograph of Mark Twain which was sold to Duane Bietz (2001 July 13)
8	10	15	Letters from Duane Bietz to H & H Book Services inquiring about price of repairs to Mark Twain dust covers (2003)
8	10	16	Letter from The Friends of the Bancroft Library (2004 January)
8	10	17	Correspondence between Duane Bietz and John Henley regarding Mark Twain event at McKee Library, Southern Adventist University (2010 March 15)
8	10	18	Letter from author Forrest G. Robinson regarding his newest book (2012 February)
8	10	19	Heritage Auctions invoice and letters (2012 March – September)
8	10	20	Phillip J. Pirages Catalogue 64 (2013 May)

Series 8: Collection Development and Sales Information, 1980-2013 Cont'd

Series	Box	Folder	Contents
8	10	21	Bleak House Books, Inc. Catalogue 1 (undated)
8	10	22	Author Price Guides (undated)
8	10	23	Invoice from Plandome Book Auctions Glen Head, New York (undated)
8	10	24	The 19 th Century Shop Mark Twain Occasional List 31 (undated)
8	10	25	Notes from Duane Bietz regarding "minor items for the collection" and instructions for documents (undated)
8	10	26	Copies of excerpts from <i>Mark Twain</i> Volume III by Albert Bigelow Paine and <i>The Selected Letters of Mark Twain</i> edited by Charles Neider (undated)
8	10	27	Various catalogue listings (undated)

Series 9: Calendars, Scrapbooks, Games, 1891-2011

Series	Box	Folder	Contents
9	OS11	1	Mark Twain Calendar (1904)
9	OS11	2	Mark Twain Calendar Published by Sully and Kleinteich (1917)
9	OS11	3	The Mark Twain Calendar Published by George Sully & Co. (1924)
9	OS11	4	Mark Twain Wall Calendar (1994) (2 copies)
9	OS11	5	Mark Twain's Scrapbook Manufactured by Daniel Slote & Co. (1892)
9	OS11	6	Mark Twain's 70 th Birthday: Souvenir of its Celebration Published by Harper & Brothers (1906)
9	OS11	7	Mark Twain: The Stamp of Genius United States Post Office Commemorative Booklet unopened (2011 June 25) (3 copies)
9	OS11	8	Mark Twain's Memory-Builder: A Game for Acquiring and Retaining All Sorts of Facts and Dates Copyright by S.L. Clemens (1891)

Series 10: Pictures and Posters, ?-1985

Series	Box	Folder	Contents
10	OS11	9	Poster Advertisement: "Mark Twain's Six Funniest Books"– Harper & Brothers
10	OS11	10	Poster Advertisement: "Mark Twain Journal" (1985) – Vanity Fair Supplement
10	OS11	11	Photographic Negative – image of Mark Twain
10	OS11	12	Photographs – Samuel Langhorne Clemens (Mark Twain) and Mark Twain at his old home in Hannibal, Missouri
10	OS11	13	Photographs – Doors to Twain's home in NYC

Series 10: Pictures and Posters, ?-1985 Cont'd

Series Box Folder Contents

10	OS11	14	Photographs of Mark Twain and wife Oliva Langdon's gravestones, Murphy's Hotel in Calaveras, CA.
10	OS11	15	Souvenir postcards of Mark Twain's boyhood home in Hannibal, Missouri