

PRELIMINARY INVENTORY

K1267 (KA2101)

**Frank Ivy Glenn (1897-1960) and Ardis Couchman Glenn (1922-),
Glenn Bookshop Records, ca. 1920-2010**

This collection is available at [The State Historical Society of Missouri Research Center-Kansas City](#). If you would like more information, please contact us at shsofmo-kc@umsystem.edu.

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Items in Box 12, stored onsite in 302 Newcomb Hall, Range 5, Section B.

Introduction

Approximately 35 cu. ft.

The Glenn Bookshop was an internationally known antiquarian book store in Kansas City, Missouri, that bought, sold, and appraised collections of books, manuscripts and other rare items, from the 1930s to the late 1980s. Included in the collection are records of purchases and sales, correspondence, customer lists, appraisal files, photographs, catalogs, publications, financial records, and materials related to people and events in Kansas City, Missouri, the broader United States and internationally. Items that may be of particular interest to researchers are: rare items collected by the Glenns for possible sale to interested customers; information on events relating to the antiquarian, rare book and publishing industries, such as author talks, book signings, book fairs and festivals, and notable acquisitions; and materials on artists, printers, engravers, book binders, book dealers, and other aspects of books and print culture of the 20th century.

Also included are materials related to Mr. Glenn's death in 1960, Ardis Glenn's subsequent career as a small business woman from the 1960s forward, the sale of the store in the late 1980s, and personal and/or family papers.

BRIEF HISTORY:

Mr. Frank Glenn spent his early career working in various sales positions for the Groliere Society of New York. He went into business for himself beginning March 6, 1933 on Ward Parkway, and later move to a location at the Muehlbach Hotel on Jan. 1, 1937. The store changed physical location several times, but was best remembered for its affiliation with the Muehlbach Hotel.

Ardis (Peggy) Couchman Long began working at the bookstore in 1942 and she and Frank married soon after. In addition to buying and selling books, Glenn Books provided appraisals of private collections, launched publishing projects, hosted book signings and exhibits, gave public talks, and also traded with importers of fine clothing, jewelry and collectible goods from Europe and Asia (especially China). They assisted many university and public libraries with large and small acquisitions, and were deeply rooted in the Kansas City and United States "bibliophile" culture.

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Mr. Glenn died on Sunday, June 12, 1960. Mrs. Ardis Glenn continued to manage the bookstore until the late 1980s, when the store was purchased by Frederic and Carolyn Gillhousen in 1987.

Donor Information

This gift was received from Ardis Glenn as an accession KA2101 on April 2, 2013.

Weeded

Many financial records, such as tax records, receipts for standard book purchases, checks, bank statements, spreadsheets, invoices, and the like were weeded from the collection (approx. 20+ cubic feet). Any financial records included should be considered a representative sampling, and not a complete archive.

The box and folder listing below is **preliminary**, and does not reflect a folder-by-folder inventory of the collection.

Box 1, Folders 1-42 (021887)

Frank Glenn (+ Ardis Glenn) personal file, 1952-1982
Frank Glenn biographical data, obituaries, news clippings
Frank Glenn speeches and writings
Glenn Books 10th Anniversary, 1943
Travel, 1935-1959
Moscow trip, Frank Glenn's journal, 1956
Corresp. + misc., Harry S. Truman, Truman Library, 1954-1957
Westerners, 1955
Thomas Jefferson books, 1953-1955
Bibliographies, collections, orders
T. O. Cramer book store, KC, MO, 1932
Auction booklets, catalogs, bulletins, 1930s-1950s
[RARE ITEMS] Handwritten letters, 1800s
Helen Henze, orig. manuscript, corresp., news clippings, 1950s
Lease, 1955
Estate, court documents, 1950s-1960s

Box 2, Folders 1-43 (021909)

Barstow School, KC, MO, 1951
Collazo & Comacho, attorneys, Cuba, 1950s
Corresp., E. W. Stephens, Columbia, MO, 1949-1951
Corresp., Franklin D. Murphy, Chancellor, Univ. of KS, 1951
Corresp. general, 1950s
Corresp., P-T [?], legal, insurance, appraisals, 1950s-1960
Corresp., Rape of LaBelle, 1951
Corresp., Grolier, Magic Carpet on Wheels, other, 1952
Corresp., Harry S. Truman, 1951

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Fitzpatrick book sale, c. 1950s-1960s
Mrs. Cena Christopher Draper, Papa Says novel, 1950s
Grolier Society, Oklahoma A&M lawsuit [?], 1930s-1940s
McDonald, Virginia, How I Cook It cookbook promo, 1950s
The Twainian, Mark Twain Research Fdn, 1950-51
[RARE ITEMS] Baptist Record & Assembly Herald (IA), Iowa Baptist, 1895-1898
Other corresp.

Box 3, Folders 1-40 (021945)

Truman memoir, photographs, n.d. (c. 1955)
Truman-related clippings, 1998-2009
Truman memoir, misc., 1955-56, 1979-80
“Books in Total War,” original corresp. and typed copies, 1942
Corresp. B, D, 1950s-1961
Corresp., Gilbert Fabes, 1952-1953
Corresp., James Earl Fraser (sculptor), 1955-1960
Corresp., Grolier Society, 1940
Corresp., Huntington Gallery, Parke Bennett Galleries, 1950s
Corresp., Stephens Publishing, 1950s
Corresp., Hugh Williamson, Asst. Attorney General, 1955-1960
General corresp., 1938-1979
Financial, balance sheets, 1940-1941, 1950
Financial, invoices, goods rec'd, 1957-1958
Lease, 1942
Licenses, 1938-1955
Photographs, misc., Helen Henze + Frank Glenn, 1953, Al Jolson, n.d.
Photographs, books, 13th-15th century, n.d.
Photograph, P-47 fighter plane, signed by J. Hale, n.d.

Box 4, Folders 1-44 (021973)

Magic Carpet on Wheels, travelling exhibit, correspondence, 1950s-1970s
Magic Carpet on Wheels, photographs, c. 1950s
The Miracle of the Book, Grolier Society exhibit, n.d.
“The Story of Grolier,” Grolier Society public., 1954
“How I Cook It,” cookbook, Virginia McDonald, 1950s-1990
“How I Cook It,” photographs, Virginia McDonald, 1950s
Papers of the Bibliographical Society of America, journal, 1961 [Fitzpatrick article]
A Guide to the Collections, Dept. of Special Collections, Univ. of KS Libraries, 1972
[Fitzpatrick collection]
Fitzpatrick Collection, notes, news clippings, corresp., research files, 1950s-1980s
[RARE ITEMS] Fitzpatrick Collection, legal documents, insurance certificate, 1800s-1953
Fitzpatrick Collection, photographs, 1950s
Article, “The Story of My Purchase of the Fitzpatrick Library,” by Frank Glenn, n.d.

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Publication, "A Silver Anniversary: the First 25 years of the Kenneth Spencer Research Library," Univ. of KS, 1994, [Fitzpatrick collection]

Box 5, Folders 1-45 (022020)

Illuminated manuscripts
Book releases, autograph party invitations, n.d., 1956
Articles, clippings, Taggart, Nelson Gallery, 1975
Univ. of KS, 1952-1957
Col. Ray G. Sparks, clippings, invoices, 1926-1970
Better Homes and Garden articles by Frank Glenn, 1942, 1952
Writing, poetry, notes, 3 folders
Rodeheaver, Homer, booklet, "More Worth While Poems," 1945
Shop business, 1980s
Publication, Menken / Adler compilation, 1965
Publication / Lecture re: William Bennett Bizzell, library dedication, Univ of OK, 1949
Publication, Weizmann Inst. of Science, 1949
Postcards, certificates, Frank Glenn, 1956-1957
Catalogs, 1933-1958
Gabriel Garcia Maroto exhibit, 1950-1974
Bookshop relocating, 1946-1960
Photographs, opening at Muehlbach Hotel Annex, 1953
Insurance policies, personal, Frank + Ardis Glenn, 1952-1960
Writings, speeches by Frank Glenn, 1950s-1960
Manuscript, "An Attic Adventure," by Frank Glenn, 1960

Box 6, Folders 1-49 (022134)

Catalogs, n.d., 1980s
Correspondence re: acquisitions of rare books, paintings, rare items, 1950s-1960s
Corresp. with overseas brokers, customs, Hong Kong, China, 1950s
Corresp. – Bess Truman re: stamp commemoration, 1973
Western Union telegrams, 1940s-1950s
Corresp., 1980s
Bookstore history, c. 1940s?-1980s
Legal – contracts, leases, insurance policies, 1950s-1960s
Publications, bookstores, libraries, KC and outside, 1980s-2000s

Box 7, Folders 1-30 (022160)

The Rape of La Belle, by Harry Hahn – clippings, galleys, advertising, events, legal, final copy of book, Folders 1-19
Photographs, nursery school benefit, Hollywood, CA, 1946, Leonardo da Vinci's La Belle Ferronniere, The Rape of La Belle autograph party, 1949
"How I Cook It," scrapbook, loose clippings, photographs, Folders 20-24
Frank Glenn Publishing Co., record of sales
Frank Glenn Publishing Co., legal, certificate of incorporation, 1946
Ardis Glenn, speech, KS Library Assoc., 1989

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Ardis Glenn, notes for speech at Writer's Place, 1996
Appraisals, Richard Rider, 1979
Books / publications of Frank Glenn Publishing Co.—
 Penney, J.C., My Experience with The Golden Rule, 1949 – 2 copies
 Spalding, C.C., Annals of the City of Kansas and the Great Western Plains (1898,
 reprint 1950)
 Howard, W. V., Authority in TVA Land, 1948
Books, other, Watson, Elmos Scott, The Professor Goes West, 1954

Box 8, Folders 1-23 (022179)

Publication, Americana Books and Maps, catalogs and lists, 1940, 1953, 1958
Publication / lecture, The Glenn Bookshop, 1933-1980, by Ardis Glenn
Membership rosters, ABAA, others, 1970s-1990s
Publication, Publisher's Weekly, American Book Trade Journal, 1935
[RARE ITEMS] Publication, A Catalogue of First Editions, James F. Drake, Inc., 1929-
1930 (No. 209, 214, 215, 216, 217, 219)
Glenn Info Sheets, Bible, Book appraisals, n.d.
Appraisal files, various – Roetzel Jachems, Nelson Gallery of Art, Dr. J. E. Griffith,
1980s
Glenn Books, catalogs, open house invites, store bags, 1980s'
Catalogs, various book dealers, 1971-2001

Box 9, Folders 1-49 (022240)

Advertising, 1982-1983
ABAA, News Notes, 1980s
Financial, board of directors, consent re: bank accounts, 1976-1982
Financial analyses, health insurance info, 1980s
Frank Glenn, about 10th anniversary, 1943, 1978
Glenn Books, Inc., By-laws, 1966, 1981
Interview notes, KCUR Radio, 1984
Leases, legal docs, 1977-1984
Shop suggestions, 1963, 1972
Tax info., 1976-1985
Travel expenses, 1980s
Eisenhower Library, 1963-1965
Rostenberg and Stern, rare books, NY, NY, 1978-1983
Corresp. with various dealers, etc. 1970s-1980s
Westerners, KC Posse, 1970-1983
Westerners, Leland Case Library, S.D., 1977-1980
Women's Chamber of Commerce rosters, 1981-1983

Box 10, Folders 1-24 (022241)

Publications, Catalogs – Antiquarian Bookman, Books at Iowa, Manuscript Society,
other, 1960s-1980s
Glenn Books Catalogs, various, 1970s-1990s

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Correspondence
Research articles
Business cards
Sales account ledger
Color slides, c. 1970s-1980s
Photographs, TWA, c. 1930s-1940s
Book: The Jayhawker, 1917, Univ. of Kansas
Binder box (blue): contains published articles and correspondence from J. Christian Bay,
John Crerar Library, Chicago, IL c. 1940s

Box 11, Folders 1-33 (022242)

Frank Glenn, European trip, 1930
Correspondence, Oklahoma A & M, 1929-1950s
Publications, booklets from Berg Collection, New York Public Library, 1950s-1970s
Ardis Glenn, poetry, n.d.
Publications, Aniquarian Bookman's Weekly, 1980-1981
Ardis Glenn, correspondence re: speeches, personal, other, 1960s-1980s
Personal, genealogy? – Mary Roberts Couchman, 1907, 1918
Ardis Glenn, personal – program and photograph, c. 1939

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Frank Glenn's death, letters and funeral memorial book, 1960
Frank Glenn, Buffalo, MO high school annual, memorial to Frank Glenn, portrait
painting by Daniel MacMorris, obituary, school library, 1959-1960
Frank Glenn, Better Homes and Gardens articles, 1942, 1951-1952
Financial, tax info, re: store closure, c. 1990s [RESTRICTED]
Expense analysis, 1982-1983
Sales records, 1956-1969
Barry Moser / Mark Twain exhibit, project files, 1985
Glenn Books, card, events, c. 1970s-1980s
Dissolution of Corporation, sale of Glenn Books, Incorporated, (GBI), c. 1990s
Personnel, c. 1960s-1990s (weeded c. 1997)

Box 13, Folders 1-20 (022243)

Legal, agreement, Glenn Books, Inc. and Central Exploration Co., Inc., 1981-1984
Publicity, Glenn Books feature articles, 1980s
Publicity, photograph, Ardis & Malcolm Glenn, 1985
Publicity, photographs, storefront window displays, Longfellow's Evangeline rare
edition, Christmas, jade, ivory gifts, 1980s
Gilhousen, Dr. & Mrs., correspondence, Glenn Books, Inc. sold to, c. 1987-1988
Memberships, Anitquarian Booksellers Assoc., Manuscript Society,
Events, NYC Book Fair, 1982
Haas, Bob – artwork and correspondence, c. 1970s-1980s?

Box 14, Folders 1-25 (022244)

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Correspondence, N-Q, R, S, T, U, V, W, 1963-1969
Correspondence, Woman's Day, A-L, 1962-1963
Correspondence, Woman's Day, M-Z, 1962
Correspondence, Y-Z, 1963-1968
Accounting record, 1963
Legal papers, 1960s-1980s
Central Exploration, 1980s
Board meetings, 1981-1987
Legal – Hillix, Brewer, Hoffhaus, Grier & Whittaker, board minutes, by-laws, 1960s-1980s

Box 15, Folders 1-41 (022245)

Letter, J. H. Parratt, First Christian Church, Glenn wedding vows, 1942
Truman memoir, Doubleday, advertising + correspondence, 1955
Glenn / Doubleday litigation re: Truman Memoir, 1955-1959
Correspondence, Truman, 1952-1959
Truman memoir, correspondence, promotion, 1955
Official (Temporary) Register, [State of AR, Orval Faubus, Governor], 1955-1956
Charles Wilcox Collection, public auction booklet, 1935 (sale no. 49)
Paintings, 1954-1960
Parsons Collection, [New Orleans, LA], 1952-1955
Wardell Library, 1957-1958
Edna Worthley Underwood, poetry, manuscripts, translations of French poetry, correspondence re: property, c. 1941-1957
Mark Twain, sale of orig. Tom Sawyer manuscript, auction booklet, c. 1940-1960
The Literary Digest, 1930, (article on Daniel MacMorris, Glenn portrait painter)
Farm Journal, 1936, (cover by Daniel MacMorris, Glenn portrait painter)
Manuscript, "Sources of the Aeneid," no author, n.d.
The Westerners, talks, papers, Jesse James material, publications, 1950s
Correspondence, Grolier, (Fred Murphy), 1954-1979
Invoices, quotation lists
Frank Glenn Bookseller quotation lists, slips, forms, n.d.
[RARE ITEMS] Letters from H. Abbott to Mrs. R. B. Brown, c. 1839-1880
Inventory sheets, A-Z, n.d.

Box 16, Folders 1-30 (022246)

Business correspondence, Maccoun-McMaster, 1977-1981
MacMorris, Daniel and Jean, prints
Business correspondence, Marks-Morris, 1978-1983
Napier Library, Springfield, MO, 1985-1986
Nebraska Book Co., 1981
Notre Dame University, 1974-1983
Ramfire Press, 1961-1985
Other correspondence, R-W
American Bookseller Book Fair, San Francisco, CA, 1985

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Antiquarian Book Fair, 1980-1983
Eisenhower Center, Presidential Library, Abilene, KS, report + 6 postcards, c. 1960s?
Program, Republican Nat'l Convention, KC, MO, 1976
Book mock-up, *Mr. President* by William Hillman, 1952
Harry S. Truman, newsclips, 1993-2005
Autographs + manuscripts, auction catalogs, 1985, 1994-1995, 1997
Souvenir booklet, "Welcome to Historic Independence, MO", 1950
Book, "Harry Truman: Son of the Soil," by Edward R. Schauffler, 1946, signed by author
Kansas City Posse, The Westerners, *Trail Guide* quarterly publications, 1955-1964
Rent, Cohen Asset Mgmt., 1980-1986

Box 17, Folders 1-37 (022259)

Shop closing, articles, 1987
Loss of Lease, sale of shop to Gilhousen, 1987
Financial sheets, shop closing, 1987
Business correspondence, 1950s-1960s
Misc. correspondence, "fan mail," ALG, 1960s-1990s
Correspondence, responses to articles, 1980s
Correspondence re: leases, 1956-1960
Misc. consignment, c. 1960s
Bookkeeping 1965-1969
Catlin, George, Collection, 1950s
Baker University, (Quayle Bible Collection), 1940s-2005, Folders 18-23
"Guide to Fortune around Your Home" by Frank Glenn, 1952
"Garden Guide – by months – for the Midwest" – Frank Glenn publishing, 1950-1953
"City of the Future" by Frank Glenn & "Annals of the City of Kansas City" by Spalding,
c. 1950s
Frank Glenn Publishing Co., misc. documents and correspondence 1946-1955
"The Corsair" by Madeline Fabiola Kent, Frank Glenn Publishing, 1950s
Brush Library, inventory, 1969
Walt Whitman portrait, corresp. 1960s
D.H. Lawrence clippings, 1930s-?
Misc., Glenn will, probate, 1959-1960s
Financial ledger, Sept. 1963
Timeline for ALG, 1920s-1980s

Box 18, Folders 1-67 (022266)

Advertising – *KC Visitor* magazine, 1975
Advertising – *Key* magazines, 1967-1985
Advertising – various, c. 1950s-1980s, includes Muehlbach Hotel Calldex artifact (guest directory guide)
Advertising – various newspapers, c. 1960s-1970s
Corresp. – 1987-end [loss of lease]
Corresp. – Annenberg, Maurice, 1970s
Corresp. – Antiquarian Bookseller's Center, 1979-1980s

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Corresp. – Arion Press; Ash, Lee
Corresp. – Baker, Forrest, 1980s
Corresp. – Benjamin, Walter R. (+ Mary) Autographs, Inc., 1970s
Corresp. – Bingham-Waggoner Historical Society, City of Independence, MO,
Corresp. – Case, Leland, Library for Western Historical Studies, S. D., 1980s
Corresp. – Chicago Book Fair, 1981
Corresp. – Dolci painting, 1980
Corresp. – Garrett, J. D., Lewisville, AR, limited editions club, 1980s
Corresp. – Huntsville Public Library, AL, 1970s
Corresp. – insurance on books, 1976-1977
Corresp. – Jaye, Meri, San Francisco, CA, 1980s
Corresp. – Appraisal – Jochems, Roetzel, estate of, Wichita, KS, 1980s
Corresp. – Joplin (MO) Public Library, 1980s
Corresp. – Libraries, consignments, [loss of lease], 1980s
Corresp. – Liebert, Herman W. [also Edwin J. Beineke], New Haven, CT, 1980s
Corresp. – Seminole Community College, Sanford, FL, 1970s
Corresp. – Univ. of KS Medical Center, Clendening Library, Bea Jackson, 1970s-1980s
Events / Orders – American Library Assoc., Rare Book Pre-conf., KC, MO, 1968
Memberships – Jackson County Historical Society, Independence, MO, 1993-1994
Research / reference – about books + authors, book binding, various, 1960s-1980s

Box 19, Folders 1-39 (022277)

Appraisal – Baker Univ., Baldwin, KS – Quayle Bible Collection, April 1993, descriptive holdings sheets, reference sources, Dr. Otto Vollbehr Collection + Gutenberg Bible, c. 1928, Folders 1-20
Antiquarian Booksellers' Assoc. of America, meeting minutes, publications, 1990s
Address / talk, Ardis L. Glenn to KC Public Library, Feb. 1989
Corresp., Phil Bronson re: executive cmte, Glenn Books, Inc., 1980s
Ray, David – David Ray Papers, literary archive, 1970s-1980s
Ball, Chester Byron, book collector, poet, KC, MO, c. 1920s-2000
Laws, William R. (Dick), 1970s-1980s
Morado, Mike, KC, MO, 1980s-1991
Artwork – Paul Mann, Raytown, MO, calligraphy and illumination artist, 1980s
Artwork – Advertising art, Harpool Creative Services, 1980s

Box 20, Folders 1-45 (022284)

Advertising, various K.C. and national publications, various designs and lay-outs, 1970s-1980s
Appraisals conducted, various, 1977-1988
Appraisal – Dolci painting, damaged in shipment, 1977-1982
Appraisal – Edward S. Curtis photographs / portfolio, Esther Johnson, Sky Park, Lincoln, NEB., c. 1980s
Appraisal – Lincoln Foundation, Lincoln, NEB., Sidney Johnson Wayland collection, Sky Park, c. 1970s-1990s
Appraisal – Sidney Johnson Wayland, Esther Johnson, Kathy Cannon, 1980s

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Appraisal – Kathy Cannon, Scottsboro, AL, c. 1988
Appraisal – Sidney Johnson Wayland house, 1800 S. Pershing Rd., Lincoln, NEB., 1988-1989
Appraisal – Shakespeare, First Folio edition, Comedies, Histories and Tragedies, 1623, gift to Univ. of Nebraska, Lincoln libraries, 1990-1991
Appraisals, reference sources, American Society of Appraisers, Harry Ransom Center, others, c. 1980s
Expense comparisons, financials, Dick Laws, notes, 1980s
Store relocation, research files, 1970s
Store closing, board meeting, related, 1992

Box 21, Folders 1-25 (022295)

Artifact box, Glenn Books store-related, stamps / printing blocks, etc. – 5 items
Articles of incorporation, Frank Glenn Publishing Co., Inc., 1946 [toward back of embossed binder]
Artifacts, photographs, color Polaroids of Indian [Native American] artifacts
Glenn Books, business cards, c. 1950s-1980s?
Glenn Books, book leads, appraisal cards, letterhead
Glenn Books, thank you notes from Ardis Glenn
Glenn Books, membership cards, events, Ardis Glenn + related
Events, Barry Moser reception invitations, Mark Twain-Huckleberry Finn 100th anniversary edition, Glenn Books + Crown Center, June 29, 1985
Publication, public auction sale book, First Editions of American Authors, collected by the late Arthur Swann, Parke-Bernet Galleries, NYC, N.Y., March 22, 1960
Publication, book, Our Dog, Its Complete Record, by Gene Waterman, E.H. Coles, Jr., Frank Glenn Publishing Co., Inc, KC, MO, 1960
Financial, receipts + inventory, 1957-1958
Financial, bank account books, 1956-1961
Corresp., business and personal, 1960-1989
Glenn Books, Small Business Administration loan, 1970s
Workshop, Out-of-Print and Antiquarian Book Market, Univ. of Denver, CO, Aug. 1981
Video cassette, color, Zeitlin, Jacob, “People of Achievement n Southern California, Jacob Zeitlin,” Cal. State Univ., Northridge libraries, dubbed 1976

Box 22, Folders 1-34 (018569)

Publication – Allsop, Fred W., public auction book, sale of Allsop library, Feb. 1947
Corresp. – Ash, Lee, Yale University Library, 1960-1961
Corresp. – misc., A-L (Frank Glenn), 1940s-1960, 2 folders
Corresp. – Benton, W.C., Denver, CO, 1940s-early 1950s
Better Homes and Garden articles, corresp., 1951, 1952
Corresp. – binders, binderies, U.S. + England, 1930s-1960s
Bookkeeping statements, 1954-1956
Glenn Books, books, title description sheets, inventory?, c. 1938? (note: on Hotel Muehlbach stationery)

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Buffalo, MO, Dallas County R-1 School District, Frank Glenn gift of books to library, 1950s-1960, 2 folders
Doubleday & Co. re: Jean Lafitte biography, biographical novel, Louisiana, 1950s
Events, invitations – Harry S. Truman memoir, Withers book, 1950s
Glenn, Frank – store stationery, various locations, c. 1940s?-1950s
Corresp. – Hackler, Manning, private library inventory, 1950s
Corresp. – Harkness, John, England, 1952-1953
Corresp. – Harrison, Charles L. + other, Cape Girardeau, MO, re: WWII, 1939-1940
Film reel, Frank Glenn, Bill Simmons, the Calvin Co., 16mm, color, June 1947
Kline's Department Store, lease + related, 1947-1952
[RARE ITEMS] Letters from John Wilde, San Francisco, CA to John Pownelle (sp?), Augusta, GA, c. 1850s-1890s, 2 folders

Box 23, Folders 1-33 (018668)

Corresp. – A-P, various contacts, c. 1960s (primarily Ardis Glenn)
Corresp. – Arrow Rock Lyceum, Arrow Rock, MO, 1960s
Corresp. – Brougher Library, Grinnell, KS
Corresp. – Herbert Hoover Library, West Branch, IA, 1960s
Corresp. – McMuller, Dr. Kenneth, 1960s
Org. of American Historians membership, 1960s

Box 24, Folders 1-71 [Stored onsite @ 302 Newcomb Hall, Range 5, Section B]
Artists, printers, engravers, rare/collectible items

- Folder 1, 2. Artist, Printer – Charles Bush, St. Joseph, MO, 1980s (2 folders)
- Folder 3. Artists – DaBoll, Raymond, Regarding Calligraphy and Rick Casick, printed by Crabgrass Press, Prairie Village, KS, March 1974
- Folder 4. [Rare Items] Artist, Book Designer, Roger, Bruce, printed pieces, ephemera, 1920s-1950s (2 folders)
- Folder 6. [Rare Items] Artist, Engraver – Ruzicka, Rudolph – Letters to Edmund “Ned” Thompson, exhibition booklet, engravings/prints re: Massachusetts, 1930s-1940s
- Folder 7. Artist, Printer – Homer, Victor, The Four Gospels, The Anvil Press, c.1955
- Folder 8. Artist, Printer – Hawthorne House, Edmund “Ned” Thompson, Trinity College Library, Hartford CT, exhibition, April 1964 (7 folders)
- Folder 15. Artist, Printer – Jackson, Bill, Four Ducks Press, Wichita, KS, c. 1957 (6 folders)
- Folder 21. Artist/Printer – Metzger, Phil, Crabgrass Press, Prairie Village, KS – 1970s – 1980s

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- Folder 22. Artist/Printer – Metzer, Phil, Crabgrass Press, Prairie Village, KS – 1974
- Folder 23. Artist, Printer – Schori, Ward K., Petty, Harvey G., Forgue, Norman W., 1977
- Folder 24. Artist, Printer – Wyatt, Leo – Innocence, A Keepsake, n.d. (c. 1980s)
- Folder 25. Artist, Printer – Yarnell, Jim, Oak Park Press, Wichita KS, c. 1970s (5 folders)
- Folder 30. Book, Plates – Thompson, Ned, Hawthorne House Collection, c. 1972
- Folder 31. Dealers – Benjamin, Walter R. – Autographs Inc. 1976
- Folder 32. [Rare Items] Dealers – Fearey, George D., KC, MO, c. late 1890s – early 1900s
- Folder 33. Dealers – Gladys Koch Antiques (CT), 1984
- Folder 34. Dealers – Philadelphia (PA) Print Shop, 1980s – Civil War Wood Blocks
- Folder 35. Events – Announcements, 1970s – 1990s
- Folder 36. Events – Bibliographical Society of America, Annual Meeting, Jan 1981
- Folder 37. Events – Glenn Books, Barry Moser – 1985
- Folder 38. [Rare Item] Events – Hendrick’s Book Shop, KC, MO – Ginsberg, Allen, Poetry Reading – Sept. 27, 1980 – autographed flyer
- Folder 39. Events – Houston (TX) Public Library – Arts of Japan, 1983
- Folder 40. Events – Invitations, Exhibits, Cards, 1960s-1980s
- Folder 41. Events – King Library Press, Univ. of KY, Lexington, 1977
- Folder 42. Events – KC Festival of the Book, 1973
- Folder 43. Events – Missouri Library Assoc., Annual Conference, Sept. 1980
- Folder 44. Events – Ninth International Antiquarian Book Fair, NYC, Oct. 1980
- Folder 45. Events – The Trovillion Private Press, 1908-1958, exhibition (IL) – May 1959
- Folder 46. Events – A Typocrafters Colloquium in Kansas City (MO) – Oct. 17-19, 1975 (5 folders)
- Folder 51. Photographs – Ardis Glenn, 1970s-1980s
- Folder 52. Photographs – Harry Yin (China), Portrait Painting (Louisiana) n.d.

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- Folder 53. [Rare Items] Presses – Nonesuch Books, Golden Cockerel Press, England, c. 1927-1930s (2 folders)
- Folder 55. Prints – Printing History, Special Items, 1920s-1980s
- Folder 56. Prints – Unidentified prints, bookplates, artists unknown
- Folder 57. Publications – The Ampersand Club, 1965
- Folder 58. Publications – Anvil Press 1980s
- Folder 59. Publications – Anvil Press 1978
- Folder 60. Publications – Arion Press, 1980s (3 folders)
- Folder 63. Publications – Black Cat Press (Illinois), 1980s
- Folder 64. Publications – Caxton Club, 1980s
- Folder 65. Publications – Chamberlain Press (OR), 1980s
- Folder 66. Publications – Chelonidae Press (MA) 1980s (2 folders)
- Folder 68. Publications - Chimaera Press (Kent, England), 1986
- Folder 69. Publications – Coffee House Press (IA), 1980s
- Folder 70. Publications – The Columbiad Club (CT), 1940s-1960s
- Folder 71. Publications – Cuckoo Hill Press (England), 1962

Box 25, Folders 1-87 (018734)

Series of publications by Douglas C. McMurtrie, Director of Typography, Ludlow Typograph Co., Chicago, IL, c. 1920s-1940s. McMurtrie was an authority on the history of printing and typography, and published many articles on the history of printing in the United States and beyond.

Box 26, Folders 1-58 (018789)

Various publications, book announcements and prospecti, and related from fine presses and printers in the United States and Great Britain (a sample is listed below)

- Publications – Cusick, Rick, 1980s (3 folders)
- Publications – The Grolier Club, 1927
- Publications – Literary Guild of America, 1928
- Publications – Liturgical Arts Society, 1949
- Publications – The Lowell Press, KC, MO, 1980s
- Publications – Okakura, Kakuzo, n.d.
- Publications – Petty, G. Harvey, 1970s
- Publications – The Printery, Kirkwood, MO, 1975
- Publications – Rogers, Bruce, An Account of the Making of the Oxford Lectern Bible, c. 1935
- Publications – Rollins, Carl Purington, c. 1936-1950
- Publications – Zeitlin, Jacob, Los Angeles, CA – various publications, corresp., biographical info., c. 1950s-1980s

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Box 27, Folders 1-42 (018856)

Financial, account books, auditing, insurance, income + disbursements, 1939-1980s
Financial, invoices (which include correspondence), Hong Kong, China, 1950s-1960
Financial, memberships, various, 1960s-1980s
Financial, profit and loss balance sheets, 1940s-1950s
Receipts (which include correspondence), A-Z, c. 1940s-1980s
Financial, receipts, Westerners International, 1960s-1970s
Financial, shipments, American Library Association orders, 1968
Glenn Books catalogs, 1970s-1980s
Glenn Books catalogs, 50th anniversary, 1983

Box 28, Folders 1-23 (018661)

Glenn Books catalogs, proofs, Christmas sampler catalog, printing estimates, 1970s-1980s
Sales analysis and financial projections, 1970s-1980s

Box 29, Folders 1-15, 2 card file boxes (018873)

Accounting ledger, 1963-1977
Sales journal, including consignments, Apr. 1972-May 1980
Sales journal, including consignments, May 1980-Apr. 1987
Consignments, 1968-1979
Financial statements, trust account, 1960, 1973
Record of sales, 1964-1977
Financial, accounting and related, c. 1950s-1970s
Card file box, Frank Glenn's card file for his small "Guide to Fortune Around Your House" publication
Card file box, reference library, sold with shop, 1987

Box 30, Folders 1-19 (018918)

Financial, ledger sheets, A-M, c. 1950s-1980s?

Box 31, Folders 1-18 (019031)

Financial, ledger sheets, M-Z, c. 1950s-1980s?
Accounts payable, A-Z, 1960s

Oversize boxes, Box 1-4 [Stored onsite @ 302 Newcomb Hall]