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Collection Overview

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CALL NUMBER: RG 70

CREATOR: Standard Bible Committee

TITLE: Standard Bible Committee Records

DATES: 1939-1973

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION: 4.5 linear feet (12 boxes)

LANGUAGE: English

SUMMARY: The collection includes agendas, notes and working drafts that document the Committee's progress in its translation revision work. There is a small amount of material related to Committee procedures and publicity material. There is interesting documentation of public reaction to the new Revised Standard Version. The Standard Bible Committee was organized in 1929 by the International Council of Religious Education. The Committee was authorized in 1937 to proceed with the revision of the English translation of the Bible. The Committee's work resulted in the Revised Standard Version of the Bible. The Revised Standard Version of the New Testament was published in 1946, the entire Bible in 1952, and the Apocrypha in 1957. The work of the Committee was ongoing, to provide for future translation revisions.

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Key to the container abbreviations used in the PDF finding aid:

b. box
f. folder

Administrative Information

Conditions Governing Access

The materials are open for research.

Preferred Citation

Standard Bible Committee Records (RG 70), Special Collections, Yale Divinity School Library.

Related Materials

Personal papers of two Committee members are available in the Yale libraries. Papers of Luther A. Weigle, chairman of the Standard Bible Committee for thirty-six years, are located at Yale Manuscripts and Archives, [MS 1042](#). Papers of Millar Burrows, member of both the Old and New Testament sections, are available in Yale Divinity Library [Record Group No. 71](#).

Biographical / Historical

Shortly after the appearance of the American Standard Version of the Bible in 1901, newly discovered papyri gave Biblical scholars revolutionary insight into the language of the New Testament period. These texts provided a key to the exact meaning of obscure words, and contained many examples of the grammatical usage of the time. In response to this new knowledge, the Standard Bible Committee was organized in 1929 by the International Council of Religious Education. The Committee was authorized in 1937 to proceed with the revision of the English translation of the Bible.

The Revised Standard Version of the New Testament was published in 1946, the entire Bible in 1952, and the Apocrypha in 1957. The work of the Standard Bible Committee was necessarily ongoing, in order to keep future editions of the RSV on the forefront of new scholarship. In 1969 six Catholic scholars joined the Committee to assist in the preparation of an RSV edition which would be acceptable to both Protestants and Catholics. In 1972 an Orthodox Biblical scholar was also invited to join the Committee, as a step toward the preparation of a Bible produced and accepted by these three Christian traditions.

Members of the Old and New Testament sections of the Standard Bible Committee prior to 1952 included:

Luther A. Weigle, Yale University - Old Testament and New Testament, Chairman
Julius A. Bewer, Union Theological Seminary - Old Testament
Henry J. Cadbury, Harvard University - New Testament
Edgar J. Goodspeed, University of Chicago - New Testament
James Moffatt, Union Theological Seminary - Old Testament and New Testament, Executive Secretary
William R. Taylor, University of Toronto - Old Testament
Walter Russell Bowie, Union Theological Seminary - New Testament
George Dahl, Yale University - Old Testament
Frederick C. Grant, Union Theological Seminary - New Testament
Willard L. Sperry, Harvard University - Old Testament
Leroy Waterman, University of Michigan - Old Testament
Millar Burrows, Yale University - Old Testament and New Testament
Clarence T. Craig, Oberlin Graduate School of Theology - New Testament
Abdel R. Wentz, Lutheran Theological Seminary, Gettysburg - New Testament
Kyle M. Yates, Southern Baptist Theological Seminary - Old Testament
William F. Albright, Johns Hopkins University - Old Testament
J. Philip Hyatt, Vanderbilt University - Old Testament
Herbert G. May, Oberlin Graduate School of Theology - Old Testament
Harry M. Orlinsky, Jewish Institute of Religion - Old Testament
Fleming James, University of the South - executive Secretary of the Old Testament Section

Scope and Contents

Agendas, notes, and/or working drafts illustrating the progress of the Committee's work are available for all of the Old Testament except Ezekiel, Daniel, and the Minor Prophets, for most Apocryphal books, and

for the entire New Testament. These documents are generally in a mimeographed format with holograph annotations. Documentation is more complete for the Old Testament and Apocrypha than for the New Testament.

The working papers of the Standard Bible Committee found in Series I, II, and III form the substantive core of this collection. Committee members known to be involved in the production of particular documents are noted. Series IV provides a small amount of additional information about Committee procedures. Series V, Presentation and Evaluation, includes publicity material and interesting documentation of public reaction to the new Revised Standard Version.

Arrangement

- I. Old Testament
- II. Apocrypha
- III. New Testament
- IV. Records of Committee Work
- V. Presentation and Evaluation

Collection Contents

Series I: Old Testament, 1939-1951

This series is divided into two sections:

- A. Agendas, notes, working drafts
- B. Galley proofs

The material is arranged in canonical order within each section. One folder of miscellaneous material follows each canonical sequence.

Agendas, Notes, Working Drafts

Genesis

b. 1, f. 1	Agenda and notes	
b. 1, f. 2	Working draft #4 - Ch. 3:7a-Ch. 24 (Revised by Moffatt)	1939 October
b. 1, f. 3	Working draft #4 - Ch. 25-50 (Revised by Moffatt)	1939 October

Exodus

b. 1, f. 4	Notes	
b. 1, f. 5	Working draft - Ch. 1-21 (Moffatt edited)	1940 March
b. 1, f. 6	Working draft - Ch. 22-40 (Moffatt edited)	1940 March

Leviticus

b. 1, f. 7	Notes	
b. 1, f. 8	Working draft (Moffatt edited)	1939 December

Numbers

b. 1, f. 9	Notes	
b. 1, f. 10	Working draft - Ch. 1-16: 50a (Moffatt edited)	1939 December
b. 1, f. 11	Working draft - Ch. 16: 50b-Ch. 36 (Moffatt edited)	1939 December

Deuteronomy

b. 1, f. 12	Agenda and notes	
b. 1, f. 13	Working draft - Ch. 1-15:20 (Moffatt edited)	1941 February
b. 1, f. 14	Working draft - Ch. 15:21-Ch. 34 (Moffatt edited)	1941 February

Joshua

b. 1, f. 15	Agenda and notes	
b. 1, f. 16	Working draft # 2 (Committee revised, Moffatt edited)	1939 December

Judges

Agendas, Notes, Working Drafts > Judges (continued)

b. 2, f. 17	Agenda and notes	
b. 2, f. 18	Working draft (Moffatt edited)	1941 September
Ruth		
b. 2, f. 19	Agenda and notes	
b. 2, f. 20	Working draft #2 (Moffatt; 2 copies, one annotated by Driver?)	1939 June
1 Samuel		
b. 2, f. 21	Agenda and notes	
b. 2, f. 22	Working draft - Ch. 1-11 (Moffatt edited)	1940 June
b. 2, f. 23	Working draft - Ch. 21-31 (Moffatt edited)	1941 January, June
2 Samuel		
b. 2, f. 24	Agenda and notes	
b. 2, f. 25	Working draft - Ch. 1-21 (Moffatt edited)	1942 March
b. 2, f. 26	Working draft - Ch. 22-23:7 (Taylor's report on poetical portions)	1942 January
b. 2, f. 27	Working draft - Ch. 23:8-Ch. 24 (Moffatt edited)	1942 March
1 Kings		
b. 2, f. 28	Agenda and notes	
b. 2, f. 29	Working draft - Ch. 1-5:18a (Moffatt edited)	1942 March
b. 2, f. 30	Working draft - Ch. 5:18b-Ch. 7 (Moffatt edited, revised 1943)	1943
b. 2, f. 31	Working draft - Ch. 8-22 (Moffatt edited)	1942 March
2 Kings		
b. 2, f. 32	Agenda and notes	
b. 2, f. 33	Working draft - Ch. 1-13 (Revised)	1942 June
b. 2, f. 34	Working draft - Ch. 13-25 (Revised)	1942 June
1 Chronicles		
b. 2, f. 35	Agenda and notes	
b. 2, f. 36	Working draft - Ch. 1-9 (Waterman; Revised 1949)	1949
b. 2, f. 37	Working draft - Ch. 10-22 (Revised)	1948 August
b. 2, f. 38	Working draft - Ch. 23-27 (Revised)	1950 February
b. 3, f. 39	Working draft - Ch. 28,29 (Revised)	1948 August
2 Chronicles		

Agendas, Notes, Working Drafts > 2 Chronicles (continued)

b. 3, f. 40	Agenda and notes	
b. 3, f. 41	Working draft - Ch. 1-5 (Revised)	1949 August
b. 3, f. 42	Working draft - Ch. 6 (Revised)	1950 February
b. 3, f. 43	Working draft - Ch. 7,8 (Revised)	1949 August
b. 3, f. 44	Working draft - Ch. 9,10 (Revised)	1950 February
b. 3, f. 45	Working draft - Ch. 11-17,19-22 (Revised)	1949 August
b. 3, f. 46	Working draft - Ch. 18, 23, 25, 26 (Revised)	1950 February
b. 3, f. 47	Working draft - Ch. 27-30 (Some by Irwin; revised August and November 1949, and November 1950)	1949 August-1950 November
b. 3, f. 48	Working draft - Ch. 31-36 (James; revised 1949 November)	1949 November
Ezra		
b. 3, f. 49	Agenda and notes	
b. 3, f. 50	Working draft (Revised)	1944 March
Nehemiah		
b. 3, f. 51	Agenda and notes	
b. 3, f. 52	Working draft (Revised)	1948 August- November, 1950 March
Esther		
b. 3, f. 53	Agenda and notes	
b. 3, f. 54	Working drafts, 2 copies with different annotations (Revised)	1942 June
Job		
b. 3, f. 55	Agenda	
b. 3, f. 56	Notes	
b. 3, f. 57	Working draft - Ch. 1-12: 23a (Irwin)	1945 June, 1946 August
b. 3, f. 58	Working draft - Ch. 12:23b-Ch. 42 (Revised)	1948 February, June
Psalms		
b. 3, f. 59	Agenda - Burrows, Cadbury, Grant	
b. 3, f. 60	Agenda - May, James, Sperry, Taylor	
b. 3, f. 61	Agenda - Weigle	

Agendas, Notes, Working Drafts > Psalms (continued)

b. 3, f. 62,63	Notes	
b. 3, f. 64	Working draft - 1-21 (Taylor; Committee revised; Moffatt edited)	1940 January
b. 3, f. 65	Working draft - 22-36 (Moffatt edited)	1941 June
b. 4, f. 66	Working draft - 37-50 (Revised)	1942, 1943
b. 4, f. 67	Working draft - 51-65 (Revised)	1944 May
b. 4, f. 68	Working draft - 66-89 (Taylor)	1945 June
b. 4, f. 69	Working draft - 90-119 (Revised)	1942, 1943
b. 4, f. 70	Working draft - 120-150 (Moffatt edited)	1941 June, July; 1942 January
Proverbs		
b. 4, f. 71	Agenda	
b. 4, f. 72	Notes	
b. 4, f. 73	Working draft - Ch. 1-9 (Burrows)	1945 June
b. 4, f. 74	Working draft - Ch. 10-19:19 (mostly Burrows)	1947 September
b. 4, f. 75	Working draft - Ch. 15-31 (Revised)	1947 December
Ecclesiastes		
b. 4, f. 76	Agenda	
b. 4, f. 77	Correspondence re: Ecclesiastes 12:1-8	1951
b. 4, f. 78	Notes	
b. 4, f. 79	Working draft (Revised)	1943 June, December; 1945 December
Song of Solomon		
b. 4, f. 80	Agenda and notes	
b. 4, f. 81	Working draft (Revised)	1946 August
Isaiah		
b. 4, f. 82	Agenda - Bowie, Flack, Scott	
b. 4, f. 83	Agenda - Dahl, Coffin, Swim	
b. 4, f. 84	Agenda - Irwin, James, Muilenburg, Orlinsky, Turner	
b. 4, f. 85	Agenda - Weigle	
b. 4, f. 86	Notes	
b. 4, f. 87	Working draft - Ch. 1-12 (Revised)	1948 August

Agendas, Notes, Working Drafts > Isaiah (continued)

b. 4, f. 88	Working draft - Ch. 13-20 (Revised)	1948 December
b. 4, f. 89	Working draft - Ch. 21-27 (Revised)	1949 June
b. 4, f. 90	Working draft - Ch. 28-33 (Revised)	1948 December
b. 4, f. 91	Working draft - Ch. 34-39 (Dahl)	1946 August
b. 4, f. 92	Working draft - Ch. 40-49 (Revised)	1949 March, April
b. 4, f. 93	Working draft - Ch. 50-66	1949 June
Jeremiah		
b. 5, f. 94	Agenda and notes	
b. 5, f. 95	Working draft - Ch. 1-4 (Revised)	1945 December
b. 5, f. 96	Working draft - Ch. 5,6 (Revised)	1948 June
b. 5, f. 96	Ch. 7 (Revised)	1945 December
b. 5, f. 96	Ch. 8 (Revised)	1948 August
b. 5, f. 96	Ch. 9,10 (Revised)	1949 June
b. 5, f. 96	Ch. 11 (Revised)	1946 December
b. 5, f. 97	Working draft - Ch. 12,13 (Revised)	1949 June
b. 5, f. 97	Ch. 14-17 (Revised)	1949 August
b. 5, f. 97	Ch. 18-20 (Revised)	1946 December
b. 5, f. 98	Working draft - Ch. 21-23 (Revised)	1947 June
b. 5, f. 98	Ch. 24-30 (Revised)	1946 December
b. 5, f. 98	Ch. 31 (Revised)	1948 August
b. 5, f. 99	Working draft - Ch. 32-34:16 (Revised)	1947 March
b. 5, f. 99	Ch. 34:17-35 (Revised)	1947 June
b. 5, f. 99	Ch. 36 (Revised)	1946 December
b. 5, f. 99	Ch. 37-41 (Revised)	1947 June
b. 5, f. 100	Working draft - Ch. 42-44 (Revised)	1949 August
b. 5, f. 100	Ch. 45,46 (Revised)	1948 June
b. 5, f. 100	Ch. 47-49 (Revised)	1949 August
b. 5, f. 101	Working draft - Ch. 50	1948 June
b. 5, f. 101	Ch. 51 (Revised)	1949 August
b. 5, f. 101	Ch. 52 (Revised)	1950 February

Agendas, Notes, Working Drafts (continued)

Lamentations		
b. 5, f. 102	Agenda and notes	
b. 5, f. 103	Working draft (Taylor)	1946 August
b. 5, f. 104	General and miscellaneous notes	
Galley Proofs		
b. 5, f. 105	Genesis 1:1-4:23	1951
b. 5, f. 106	Genesis	
b. 5, f. 107	Exodus	
b. 5, f. 108	Leviticus	
b. 5, f. 109	Deuteronomy	
b. 5, f. 110	Joshua	
b. 5, f. 111	Judges	
b. 5, f. 112	Ruth	
b. 5, f. 113	1 Samuel	
b. 5, f. 114	2 Samuel	
b. 6, f. 115	1 Kings	
b. 6, f. 116	2 Kings	
b. 6, f. 117	1 Chronicles	
b. 6, f. 118	2 Chronicles	
b. 6, f. 119	Ezra	
b. 6, f. 120	Nehemiah	
b. 6, f. 121	Esther	
b. 6, f. 122	Job	
b. 6, f. 123	Psalms 1-49	
b. 6, f. 124	Psalms 50-106	
b. 6, f. 125	Psalms 107-150	
b. 6, f. 126	Proverbs	
b. 6, f. 127	Ecclesiastes	
b. 6, f. 128	Song of Solomon	
b. 6, f. 129	Isaiah 1:1-38:8	

Galley Proofs (continued)

b. 6, f. 130	Isaiah 38:9-ch. 66
b. 6, f. 131	Jeremiah 1:1-28:16
b. 6, f. 132	Jeremiah 28:17-ch. 52
b. 6, f. 133	Lamentations
b. 7, f. 134	Ezekiel
b. 7, f. 135	Daniel
b. 7, f. 136	Hosea
b. 7, f. 137	Joel, Amos, Obadiah, Jonah
b. 7, f. 138	Micah, Nabum, Habakkuk, Zephaniah
b. 7, f. 139	Haggai, Zechariah, Malachi
b. 7, f. 140	Notes to galley proofs: Daniel - Zechariah (some books omitted)

Series II: Apocrypha, 1953-1955

The agendas, notes and drafts of this series are arranged alphabetically by book. One folder of miscellaneous material follows the alphabetical sequence.

Additions to the Book of Esther		
b. 8, f. 141	Agenda	
b. 8, f. 141	Working draft (Revised by Committee)	1955 June
Baruch		
b. 8, f. 142	Agenda	
b. 8, f. 142	Working draft (Revised by Committee)	1955 June
Bel and the Dragon		
b. 8, f. 143	Agenda	
b. 8, f. 143	Working draft (Revised by Committee)	1953
Ecclesiasticus		
b. 8, f. 144	Agenda	
b. 8, f. 145	Notes	
b. 8, f. 146	First draft (Weigle)	
b. 8, f. 146	Prologue, Ch. 1-22 (Revised by Committee)	1953
b. 8, f. 147	First draft (Pfeiffer): Ch. 13-27	undated
b. 8, f. 148	First draft (Cadbury): Ch. 28-31	1954 March
b. 8, f. 149	First draft (Weigle): Ch. 32-37,39-40	1954 January, April; undated
b. 8, f. 150	First draft (Grant): Ch. 38,41-43	1954 February
b. 8, f. 151	First draft (Weigle): Ch. 44-51	1954 January-March
b. 8, f. 152	Working draft- Prologue, Ch. 1-12 (Revised by Committee)	1953 June
b. 8, f. 153	Working draft - Ch. 13-35 (Revised by Committee)	1954 June
b. 8, f. 154	Working draft - Ch. 36-51 (Revised by Committee)	1954 August
1 Esdras		
b. 8, f. 155	Agenda and correspondence	
b. 8, f. 156	First draft (Weigle)	1953
b. 8, f. 157	Working draft (Revised by Committee)	1953, 1954
2 Esdras		

2 Esdras (continued)

b. 8, f. 158	Agenda	
b. 8, f. 159	Notes and correspondence	
b. 8, f. 160	Latin version - "Liber Ezrae Quartvs"	
b. 8, f. 161	First draft (Metzger)	1953, 1954
b. 8, f. 162	Working draft - Ch. 1,2 (Revised by Committee)	1953
b. 8, f. 163	Working draft - Ch. 3-16 (Revised by Committee)	1954

Judith

b. 9, f. 164	Agenda	
b. 9, f. 165	Working draft (Revised by Committee)	1953 August

Maccabees

b. 9, f. 166	Agenda and notes	
b. 9, f. 167	First draft (Filson)	1953
b. 9, f. 168	Working draft- Ch.1-10 (Revised by Committee)	1953 June, December
b. 9, f. 169	Working draft - Ch. 11-16 (Revised by Committee)	1954 August
b. 9, f. 170	Agenda and notes	
b. 9, f. 171	First draft (Cadbury): Ch. 1-4 (including 1 copy ch. 3,4 handwritten)	1953 June, July
b. 9, f. 172	First draft (Weigle): Ch. 5-16	1955 April
b. 9, f. 173	Working draft Ch. 1,2 (Revised by Committee)	1953 June
b. 9, f. 173	Ch. 3-16 (Revised by Committee)	1955 August

The Prayer of Azariah and the Song of the Three Young Men (additions to Daniel)

b. 9, f. 174	Agenda	
b. 9, f. 174	Working draft	undated

The Prayer of Manasseh

b. 9, f. 175	Agenda	
b. 9, f. 175	Working drafts (Revised by Committee)	1955 June

Susanna

b. 9, f. 176	Agenda, notes	
b. 9, f. 176	Working draft (Revised by Committee)	1953 January 30-31

Tobit

Tobit (continued)

b. 9, f. 177	Agenda	
b. 9, f. 178	Working draft (Revised by Committee)	1953 June, December
Wisdom		
b. 9, f. 179	Agenda	
b. 9, f. 180	Working draft (Revised by Committee)	1953 June, 1955 June
b. 9, f. 181	General and miscellaneous notes	

Series III: New Testament, 1939-1943

The working and final drafts in this series are arranged in canonical order. One folder of miscellaneous material follows the canonical sequence.

Matthew		
b. 10, f. 182	Working draft (Moffatt edited)	1941 April
b. 10, f. 183	Final draft	1943 January
Mark		
b. 10, f. 184	Working draft (Revised by Moffatt)	1939 October
b. 10, f. 185	Final draft	1943 February
Luke		
b. 10, f. 186	Working draft (Moffatt edited)	1940 March, August
b. 10, f. 187	Final draft (?) (1:1-2:7a missing)	1943?
John		
b. 10, f. 188	Working draft (Moffatt edited)	1941 April
b. 10, f. 189	Final draft	1942 December
Acts		
b. 10, f. 190	Working draft (Moffatt edited)	1940 August
b. 10, f. 191	Final draft	1942
Romans		
b. 10, f. 192	Working draft (Moffatt edited)	1941 June
b. 10, f. 193	Final draft	1942 June
1 Corinthians		
b. 11, f. 194	Working draft (Moffatt edited)	1940 March
b. 11, f. 195	Final draft	1942 June
2 Corinthians		
b. 11, f. 196	Working draft (Moffatt edited)	1940 August
b. 11, f. 197	Revised	1942 December
Galatians		
b. 11, f. 198	Draft #2 - Sayner, July 1939; Revised, Moffatt	1939 October
b. 11, f. 198	Final draft	1942 June

	Ephesians	
b. 11, f. 199	Working draft (Moffatt edited)	1941 September
	Philippians	
b. 11, f. 200	Working draft (Moffatt edited)	1941 October
b. 11, f. 200	Final draft	1942 June
	Colossians	
b. 11, f. 201	Working draft (Moffatt edited)	1941 March
b. 11, f. 201	Final draft	1942 June
	1 Thessalonians	
b. 11, f. 202	Working draft (Moffatt edited)	1941 July
b. 11, f. 202	Final draft	1942 June
	2 Thessalonians	
b. 11, f. 203	Working draft (Moffatt edited)	1941 July
b. 11, f. 203	Final draft	1942 June
	1 Timothy	
b. 11, f. 204	Working draft (Moffatt edited)	1940 November
b. 11, f. 204	Final draft	1942 June
	2 Timothy	
b. 11, f. 205	Working draft (Moffatt edited)	1940 November
b. 11, f. 205	Final draft	1942 June
	Titus	
b. 11, f. 206	Working draft (Moffatt edited, October 1941; Revised by Committee, 11/28/41)	1941
b. 11, f. 206	Final draft	1942 June
	Philemon	
b. 11, f. 207	Working draft (Moffatt edited)	1941 September
b. 11, f. 207	Final draft	1942 June
	Hebrews	
b. 11, f. 208	Working draft (Moffatt edited)	1940 December
b. 11, f. 209	Revised	1942 November
	James	

James (continued)

b. 11, f. 210	Working draft (Moffatt edited)	1940 March
b. 11, f. 210	Final draft	1942 June
1 Peter		
b. 11, f. 211	Working draft (Moffatt edited)	1941 July
b. 11, f. 211	Final draft	1942 June
2 Peter		
b. 11, f. 212	Working draft (Moffatt edited)	1941 July
b. 11, f. 212	Final draft	1942 June
1 John		
b. 11, f. 213	Working draft (Moffatt edited)	
b. 11, f. 213	Final draft	1942 June
2 John		
b. 11, f. 214	Working draft (Moffatt edited)	1941 July
b. 11, f. 214	Final draft	1942 June
3 John		
b. 11, f. 214	Working draft (Moffatt edited)	1941 July
b. 11, f. 214	Final draft	1942 June
Jude		
b. 11, f. 213	Working draft (Moffatt edited)	1941 July
b. 11, f. 213	Final draft	1942 June
Revelation		
b. 11, f. 215	Working draft (Moffatt edited)	1940 March
b. 11, f. 216	Final draft	1942 December
b. 11, f. 217	General and miscellaneous notes	

Series IV: Records of Committee Work, 1939-1968

The materials in this series are arranged by format.

b. 12, f. 218	List of books used by Bible Revision Committee	1939-1951, 1968
b. 12, f. 219	Photographs of Committee, of Luther Weigle, of dedication of Bible Room at Interchurch Center	1965-1966, undated

Series V: Presentation and Evaluation, 1944–1973

The materials in this series are divided into the following categories:

- A. Magazine articles
- B. Newspaper clippings
- C. Pamphlets
- D. Miscellaneous manuscripts and correspondence
- E. Publicity material, news releases
- F. Commemorative material

Magazine articles		
b. 12, f. 220	"The New Version" by Ralph Earle (<i>Preacher's Magazine</i>)	1946 May-June
b. 12, f. 220	"Gleanings from the Greek New Testament" by Ralph Earle (<i>Preacher's Magazine</i>)	1946 July-August
b. 12, f. 221	"RSV Users on the Increase" by P.C. Landers (<i>National Council Outlook</i>)	1956 March
b. 12, f. 221	"The Story of a Bible" by Bennett Cerf (<i>Saturday Review</i>)	1956 July 7
b. 12, f. 221	"Which Bible for You?" by John Haverstick (<i>Saturday Review</i>)	1956 November 10
b. 12, f. 221	"The RSV Committee at Northfield" by Luther Weigle (<i>Northfield Schools Bulletin</i>)	1957 July
b. 12, f. 220A	"Is This Book Blasphemous?" by A. Clay Sicher (<i>Christian Herald</i>)	1953
Newspaper clippings		
b. 12, f. 222	1944-1952 May	1944-1952 May
b. 12, f. 223	1952 September	1952 September
b. 12, f. 224	1952 October-1953, 1957, 1973, undated	1952 October-1953, 1957, 1973, undated
Pamphlets		
b. 12, f. 225	"An Introduction to the Revised Standard Version of the New Testament"	1946
b. 12, f. 225	"Translating the Bible for Today" by Dr. C.T. Craig	1947
b. 12, f. 225	"An Introduction to the Revised Standard Version of the Old Testament"	1952
b. 12, f. 225	"The New Bible: Why Christians Should Not Accept It" by Carl McIntire	1952
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