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Collection Overview

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SUMMARY: The papers consist of correspondence, research notes, drafts of writings, and published essays and book reviews by Paul Shepard. The papers also include reviews of Shepard's work, letters Shepard wrote to his parents during his military service in Europe during World War II and as a graduate student in the Conservation Program at Yale University, and letters from his friend and co-author Daniel McKinley. Other materials include grant proposals, genealogical files, personal papers, photographic slides, digital images, and legal materials.

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Biographical / Historical

Paul Howe Shepard, Jr. received a Ph.D. from Yale University and taught natural philosophy and ecology at Pitzer College and Claremont Graduate School in California. His writings on the interrelationships between humans and the environment are provocative, literary, and mystical, as much as scientific. Shepard died in July 1996.

Scope and Contents

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Original accession

b. 1	Anthologies	1959-1995
b. 2	Articles and essays	1948-1997
b. 2	Reviews	1952-1994

Accession 2001-M-025: Additional Material

b. 1	Reviews of Shepard's books	1969-1999
b. 1	Green Oaks: A Memoir	1955-1964
b. 1	Research on animals ads	undated
b. 1	Research notes for New Zealand monograph	undated
b. 2	Drafts, revisions for writings	1971
b. 2	Student papers	1948-1954

Accession 2001-M-072: Additional Material

b. 1	Publications
b. 1	Unpublished writings
b. 1	Book manuscript drafts
b. 1	Writings, miscellaneous
b. 1	Correspondence with book publishers and agents
b. 1	Resumes and brief biographies
b. 1	Faculty appointments
b. 2	Course materials
b. 2	National Institute of Health Crow Study files
b. 4-26	<p>National Institute of Health Crow Study film (16 mm) <i>21 Film Reels (16mm)</i></p> <p>Original audiovisual materials, as well as preservation and duplicating masters, may not be played. Researchers must consult use copies, or if none exist must pay for a use copy, which is retained by the repository. Researchers wishing to obtain an additional copy of non-commercially produced items for their personal use should consult the ordering reproductions information on the Manuscripts and Archives web site.</p>
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	Illustrative material

Illustrative material (continued)

b. 3	English gardens	1960s
b. 3	Human/animal depictions	
b. 3	<i>Thinking Animals</i>	
b. 3	Correspondence	1939-1949
	Memorabilia, printed matter concerning the 12th Armored Division	
b. 3	General	1945-1989
b. 3	Pictorial History of the 493rd Armored Field Artillery Battalion [edited by Paul H. Shepard]	1945
b. 3	Hellcat News	1985-1990

Accession 2002-M-099: Additional Material, 1946-1995

This accession is composed entirely of correspondence.

b.1	A-C	
b.1	Collier, John	1956-1968
b.1	D	
b.1	Dufault, Peter	1953-1995
b.1	E-M	
b.1	McKinley, Daniel [28 folders]	1948-1996
b.1	Mountain Grove High School Class of 1943	1989-1993
b.1	N-P	
b.1	Pitzer College	1967-1982
b.1	R-S	
b.1	Sears, Paul	1980-1995
b.1	Shepard, Paul and Clara [3 folders]	1950-1979
b.1	Snyder, Gary	1978-1995
b.1	T-W	
b.1	Wood, Mal	1946-1990
b.1	X-Z	
b.1	Yale University	1976-1994
b.1	Academic letters	
b.1	Important letters	
b.1	Military friends' letters	1973-1988

Accession 2003-M-010: Additional Material

This accession is composed of teaching and research notes. The folder titles and order represent the materials as received from the donor. Abbreviations, spelling, and punctuation have not been changed.

b.1	Biology - History
b.1	Bibliography
b.1	Bibliog.
b.1	Play
b.1	Sleep & Dreaming
b.1	Ritual
b.1	Ontogeny & Ecology
b.1	Ontogeny [3 folders]
b.1	Cognitive Development & Culture
b.1	Developmental
b.1	Infant
b.1	Language Acquisition
b.1	Mid/Late Life Processes
b.1	Newborn
b.1	Fernandez
b.1	Childhood
b.1	Anti-Ecology
b.1	Body Percept
b.1	Adolescence
b.1	Neoteny
b.1	Children
b.1	Loose Ontogeny Notes
b.1	Nature Esthetics -- Pictures -
b.1	Eco-Philosophy
b.1	Pastoral & Romanticism
b.1	Travel
b.1	Backlash/Media
b.1	Built Space

b. 1	Catastrophe Course
b. 1	Tropical Ecology
b. 1	Planet Evolution
b. 1	ES 30 Fall &84
b. 1	Env. & Genetics JSS
b. 1	Ethics & Theology
b. 1	Technocracy
b. 1	Ideology
b. 1	Deep Ecology
b. 1	Evolution & Ethics
b. 1	Machine
b. 1	Natural Theology
b. 1	Technophilia
b. 1	Midwest
b. 1	Courtly Love/Naturalism
b. 1	Gardens
b. 1	Hindus
b. 1	Feminist Ecology
b. 1	Africa
b. 1	Environmental Ethics
b. 1	Biosphere
b. 2	Nature-Hating Documents
b. 2	Nature Esthetics: - Landscape
b. 2	Eco Philosophy
b. 2	Nature-Hating as Subject
b. 2	Schneidau
b. 2	Gary
b. 2	Campbell
b. 2	Arboreal Cycle
b. 2	Speech - Cognition

b. 2	Pedagogy - Writing
b. 2	Catastrophy
b. 2	Goddess
b. 2	Maternal Epiphany
b. 2	Paternal Epiphany
b. 2	Sexual Dimorphism
b. 2	Organicism To be filed with ES 30
b. 2	Ecology of Phytogenesis
b. 2	Psychopathology
b. 2	Psychiatry
b. 2	Env. Ethics & Philosophy
b. 2	Agricul. Origins
b. 2	Agric. History
b. 2	Desert
b. 2	Agric. Ethos
b. 2	Domestication
b. 2	Irrigation - Agriculture
b. 2	Christians For Nature
b. 2	Mesopotamia
b. 2	Pastorality Edgerton
b. 2	Peasants
b. 2	Watershed
b. 2	Bible Chronology
b. 2	Christianity
b. 2	Ancient Greece
b. 2	Greeks
b. 2	Hebrews
b. 2	Messiahs & Kingdoms
b. 2	Middle East Hist.
b. 2	Mythic Mind

b. 2	Paradise
b. 2	Protestant
b. 3	Unfolded pages
b. 3	Searles
b. 3	Hominids
b. 3	Steiner
b. 3	Bernard Smith
b. 3	Nabakov
b. 3	Berman
b. 3	W. Berry
b. 3	Eliade, Micea
b. 3	Fernandez
b. 3	Hardin, G.
b. 3	Henderson
b. 3	Paul Winter
b. 3	Abram
b. 3	Levi-Strauss [2 folders]
b. 3	Population/Ethology
b. 3	Shamans
b. 3	Martin, C.
b. 3	Neo-Cynegetics Food Technology
b. 3	Primitives
b. 3	Hominids & Hunting
b. 3	Cynegetics - Tools
b. 3	Lee, Richard
b. 3	Cynegetics - Exercise
b. 3	Density & Behavior
b. 3	Food
b. 3	Paleolithic Hunters
b. 3	Totemic Thought (3) III. Identity

b. 3	Living Hunters - Reprints
b. 3	Hunting - Evol. & Ecol.
b. 3	CHD Clarke
b. 3	Hunting
b. 3	Neo-Cynegetics
b. 3	Levi-Straus
b. 3	Language Evolution
b. 3	Contemporary Hunters
b. 3	Socio Biology
b. 3	Gronbech [empty folder]
b. 3	Attention & Intelligence (2)
b. 3	Pleistocene
b. 3	Cynegetics
b. 3	Hunting/Gathering
b. 3	Marshack, A. [empty folder]
b. 3	Clippings [empty folder]
b. 3	Ecol & Way of Life
b. 3	Paleolithic
b. 3	Hunting
b. 3	Cynegetics
b. 3	Ecology & Intelligence
b. 3	Primitivism
b. 3	Children [empty folder]
b. 3	Pre-History of Consciousness
b. 3	Paleolithic Art & Religion
b. 4	Meeker
b. 4	Chas. Lindbergh
b. 4	Yale
b. 4	White
b. 4	Lorenz

b. 4	Modell
b. 4	Lowenthal
b. 4	Leopold
b. 4	Romanticism
b. 4	Ontogeny Issue Landscape and Urban Planning
b. 4	Constructing A World
b. 4	Erickson Ontogeny
b. 4	Child & Mother
b. 4	Children & Nature Univ. Utah
b. 4	Youth
b. 4	Mechanism
b. 4	Misc. Notes
b. 4	Ambiguity
b. 4	Ambiguous Animals (8) I, III, VII Cognition, Identity, Otherness
b. 4	American Indian
b. 4	Apes
b. 4	Attention
b. 4	Biosphere
b. 4	Birds (19)
b. 4	Categorization
b. 4	Commodity (27)
b. 4	Celtic Alternative
b. 4	Cognition Taxonomy
b. 4	Cosmos
b. 4	Disappointment
b. 4	Duality & Control
b. 4	Esthetics & Mechanism
b. 4	Dreams & Pictures (4) VI Exemplary
b. 4	Domination of Nature
b. 4	Ecology

b. 4	Environmentalism History
b. 4	Gimbutas
b. 4	Horses
b. 4	Humanism
b. 4	Linearity
b. 4	Luria
b. 4	Masks & Demonology
b. 4	Masks & Music
b. 4	Mediator
b. 4	Medieval
b. 4	Membership
b. 4	Nature-Hating Notes
b. 4	Naturalism - Ecology
b. 4	Perception
b. 4	Pesticides
b. 4	Protection
b. 4	Social Criticism (25) VII Others
b. 4	Spine & Dreams
b. 4	Simulations
b. 4	Simians & Prosimians
b. 4	Snake & Fish (17)
b. 4	Story
b. 4	Sublime
b. 4	Social Identity (9) III Identity
b. 4	Therapy (28) VII Others
b. 4	Zoology of the Self (7) III Identity
b. 4	Transformation
b. 4	Vision
b. 4	Valve
b. 4	Watching

b. 4	Woman & Nature
b. 4	Willis
b. 4	Journals - Papers
b. 4	A-B-C [divider followed by loose pages]

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b. 1	Photographs [2 digital discs]	Before 1945
b. 1	Memorial for Parents	1990s
b. 1	Yale Records/Awards	1950-1954
b. 1	Wheatcroft-Shepard Marriage	1950
b. 1	University of Missouri	1946
b. 1	Misc. Records, Colleges	1949-1966
b. 1	Military Records	1942-1946
b. 1	Mountain Grove/School PHS Jr.	
b. 1	Certificates- Birth, Baptism, Death	1925-1996
b. 1	Employment Applications	
b. 1	Yachts	
b. 1	Travel/Immunization Registers	
b. 1	Thoughts and Messages during terminal illness	
b. 1	Obituaries	1996
b. 1	Tributes	
b. 1	Pitzer- 5 Year Review	
b. 1	Honors/Organizations	
b. 1	Resume	
b. 1	Yale Alumni	July 1969
b. 1	Corres. - Ecstasy	
b. 1	Intros. MIL	
b. 1	Written or Edited for Clara Shepard by Paul Shepard	
b. 1	Syllabi	
	Proposals, grants, studies	
b. 1	Visiting Scholar University of Melbourne, Australia	1985
b. 1	Proposal: Pitzer Studies of Artemis	1987
b. 1	Proposal: FIPSI	1990

Proposals, grants, studies (continued)

b. 1	Proposal: Fulbright Myths and Legends of Peru	1991
b. 1	Proposal: NCCAT	1991
b. 1	Proposal: Large Scale Nest Cavity Restoration	1992
b. 1	Proposal: Fulbright Indonesian Study	1993
b. 1	Distinguished Fulbright Professor - India	1985
b. 1	Proposal: Scripps/Pitzer	1983
b. 1	Bear Study	1983
b. 1	C.I.E.S. - Indo-American Fellowships	1988
b. 1	Proposal: Charles Lindberg Fund	1983
b. 1	Proposal: Nature of Place	1975
b. 1	Proposal: Exploring Env. Values Dartmouth	1973
b. 1	NIH Crow Study Proposal, Papers, Notes	1963
b. 1	Olympic Park Controversy	1956
Research		
b. 1	Hudson River Paintings	
b. 1	New England History Notes-	
b. 1	American West	
b. 1	Oregon Trail - Notes on Journals of travelers Coe	
b. 1	Oregon Trail [slides]	
b. 1	American South	
b. 1	English Gardens Study [pamphlets]	
b. 1	Environmental Correspondence and Permissions	1971
b. 1	New England Art. - Notes	
Genealogy		
b. 1	John Shepard - Civil War Journal	1860s
b. 1	Family Names and Places	
b. 1	Notes on Ancestors by Paul Shepard	
b. 1	Genealogy - General Info	
b. 1	Paul Shepard's Notes on Ancestors	
b. 1	Shepard Reunion Big Spring State Park, MO	1995

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b. 1	Lineage Charts	
b. 1	Coat of Arms - Shepard	
b. 1	Copely Family	
b. 1	John Shepard - Civil War veteran pension letters	1870s - 1880s
b. 1	Perce Shepard Misc. letters	
b. 1	General William Shepard	
b. 1	Morse family	
b. 1	Capt. Roger Clap	
b. 1	Carlton Morse Shepard	
b. 1	Gerald Faulkner Shepard	
b. 1	John Howe	
b. 1	Robert Augur	
b. 1	Phelps family	
b. 1	Pond family	
b. 1	John Strong	
b. 1	Faith Shepard Wolpe - DAR application	
b. 1	Correspondence	
b. 1	Grigsby Line	
b. 1	Grigsby Genealogy	
b. 1	M.G.H.S. 50-year Reunion Memory Book	1943
b. 2	Clippings	
b. 2	Program/Speech Notices	
b. 2	Additions - Conferences	
b. 2	Travel Journals	
b. 2	Additions - Publications	
b. 2	Correspondence - Additions	
b. 2	Reviews - Additions	
b. 2	Letters from Paul Shepard	1990s
b. 2	Huth, Hans - Original letter	
b. 2	Delorenzo, Teresa Int'l Bear News	

b. 2	How It Feels to Be a Walking Stick	1968
b. 2	About Paul Shepard	
b. 2	Oregon Trail	
b. 2	Permissions - Paintings	1953-1956
b. 2	Permissions - Sub. Sci	1967
b. 2	New England Geology - Agriculture - Notes	1950s
b. 2	The Panther News Mountain Grove H.S. Paper Paul Shepard - Editor	
b. 2	Pre- <i>Man in the Landscape</i> ??	
b. 2	[An essay per day] English	1960s-1970s
b. 2	Farrar Straus and G. Contract The Others	
b. 2	Hellcats 12th Armored Division [WWII Memory Book]	1940s
b. 2	Man in the Landscape [First Draft]	1957
b. 3	Legal papers concerning Sanders v. Shepard	1983, 1990-1995

Selected Search Terms

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the Library's online catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically therein.

Subjects

Environmental sciences -- Philosophy
Human ecology
Nature -- Effect of human beings on
World War, 1939-1945 -- Personal narratives,
American

Names

McKinley, Daniel
Shepard, Paul, 1925-1996