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**PROVENANCE**

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**ARRANGEMENT**

The personal records of Professor W. Norman Brown are organized into six series: correspondence, research, professional organizations, World War II, and Mergenthaler and miscellaneous. Correspondence with particular individuals (especially professional colleagues) may be held in different folders related to particular activities.

**BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE**

W(illiam) Norman Brown, founder of the first academic department of South Asian Studies, spent the early part of his life in India at Harda and Jubbulpore, Central Provinces. He was sent back to the United States for an education in 1905. Brown attended Hiram College Preparatory School,

1905-1907 and Hiram College, 1908; he transferred to Johns Hopkins, majoring in Greek, and received his Ph.D. in 1916 for his work on Sanskrit under Maurice Bloomfield.

From 1916 to 1919 Brown held the position of the Harrison Research Fellow at the University of Pennsylvania. From 1919 to 1922 Brown held the Johnston Fellowship at Johns Hopkins and from 1922 to 1924 professorship of English at the Prince of Wales College in Jammu, India. Unable to secure a permanent position, Brown filled several fellowships and teaching posts until 1926 when he was awarded the chair of Sanskrit at the University of Pennsylvania. From this point forward Brown worked tirelessly to enhance study of the South Asia subcontinent.

Brown organized the American Oriental Society in 1926 (which was absorbed by the American Council of Learned Societies in 1930). By 1936, he was successful in obtaining funding from this group to support the Chanhu-Daro excavation. World War II provided Brown with the unique opportunity to establish a center at Penn to train soldiers in the language and culture of the India area. By the summer of 1947 Brown's summer program, "India: A Program of Regional Studies" was being offered at Penn. Offerings continued to be expanded until a full program was available in the 1949-1950 academic year. After building an extensive program he became emeritus professor in 1966 (but engaged in teaching in a partial affiliation through to the 1969-1970 academic year.

Brown held honorary degrees from the West Bengal Government Sanskrit College, the University of Madras, India, the University of Michigan, and the University of Pennsylvania. He was curator of Indian art at the Philadelphia Museum of Art, a member of London's Ceylon Society, a member of the American Philosophical Society, and advisory editor for the Encyclopedia Americana, and editor of the journal for and past president of the American Oriental Society.

## **SCOPE AND CONTENT**

The documentary record of Professor Brown's career reveals the broad range of his lifelong interest in every aspect of South Asian scholarship and cultural activity. His talent in philology and translation was equaled by an administrative ability to arrange archeological dig permits, shepherd authors and printers through the publication process, teach, lecture, consult, publish personal work, travel, and continually strive for increased institutional and government support for area related studies.

The personal papers of Professor W. Norman Brown (1892-1975); eminent Sanskritist and organizer of the first South Asia area studies program in the U.S., include personal and scholarly

correspondence, lecture notes, drafts and completed papers, and materials related to research, archeology, travel, and government service. The collection includes correspondence (letters and documents related to research, organizations, and individuals), 1920-1973; research notes, 1919-1973; lecture notes, 1919-1965; Chanhu-daro, Sind expedition, 1934-1943; government reports from the Office of Strategic Services (O.S.S.), 1941-1947; professional association papers, 1927-1970; and Mergenthaler Linotype Company files, 1934-1955 .

### **CONTROLLED ACCESS HEADINGS**

#### **Corporate Name(s)**

- Mergenthaler Linotype Company.
- University of Pennsylvania. South Asia Regional Studies Dept..

#### **Geographic Name(s)**

- South Asia--Study and teaching--Pennsylvania--Philadelphia.

#### **Personal Name(s)**

- Basham, A. L., (Arthur Llewellyn)
- Block, Jules,, 1880-1953.
- Bloomfield, Maurice, 1855-1928
- Bodde, Derk, 1909-2003
- Briggs, George.
- Carlson, Ellsworth C.
- Chatterji, Jagadish Chandra.
- Chatterji, Suniti Kumar, 1890-1977
- Das, Frieda Hanswirth.
- Edgerton, Franklin,, 1885-1963.
- Emeneau, M.B., (Murray Barson), 1904-
- Gahndhi, Indira, 1917-1984
- Goetz, Herman.
- Hammerich, Louis L., (Louis Leonor), 1892-1975
- Isaacs, Harold R., (Harold Robert), 1910-1986

- Jackson, A. V. Williams, (Abraham Valentine Williams), 1862-1937
- Johnson, Helen.
- Kramrisch, Stella, 1898-1993
- Lanman, Charles Rockwell, 1850-1941
- Lattimore, Owen, 1900-1989
- Laufer, Berthold, 1874-1934
- Mangoun, Horace Winchell, 1907-
- Mirza, J.H., (Jaffir Hussain.)
- Mootham, Orby.
- Munshi, Kanoiyalal Maneklal, 1887-1971
- Nakamura, Hajime, 1912-1999
- Norman, Dorothy, 1905-1997
- Park, Richard Leonard.
- Poleman, H. I., (Horace Irvin), 1905-
- Pope, Arthur Upham, 1881-1969
- Rahder, J.
- Raja, C. K. N., 1932-
- Renou, Louis, 1896-1966
- Riepe, Dale Maurice, 1918-
- Ruben, Walter, 1899-1982
- Rudolph, Adeladide.
- Schuster, Carl.
- Simons, Thomas W.
- Smith, Wilfred Cantwell, 1916-
- Spiegelberg, Friedrich.
- Stein, Otto.
- Sternbach, Ludwick.
- Thapar, Romila.
- Wasson, R. Gordon, (Robert Gordon), 1898-
- Wilson, Howard E.

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- Linotype.

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of Pennsylvania documents, 1962 note from R.S. Radhakrishnan, President of India; Nehru eulogy, June 2, 1964, 3 pp.

W.N. Brown, 1971 personal correspondence, clippings, reviews, documents	1	4
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F.H. Das, 1930-1939 correspondence with Frida Das, artist about sculptures	1	10

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Encyclopedia Britannica Films, [1940-1949] correspondence; includes draft, 35 pp., of Hindu Children film-In collaboration with W.N. Brown	1	15
Examinations, [1920-1929], [1940-1969] exams for various students	1	16
Faculty Research Committee, [1930-1939] University of Pennsylvania research reports, related correspondence [1930-1940]; documentation of University of Pennsylvania research awards to W.N. Brown	1	17
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Jayanta Vijaya, letters and postcards, 1936-1938	2	3
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Kerner, outline of India volume, stapled to 1947 letter from Holden Furber on work, Kerner series, Punjab situation, etc	2	5
Betty Keat, 1960	2	5
Dr. Stella Kramrisch, [1930-1939] correspondence	2	5
J.M. Kumarappa, Proposal for Cultural Cooperation Between the People of India and those of the United States, 1945	2	5
Karve, Dr. Irawati, 1959-1966 correspondence	2	6
N.S. Khiste, [1930-1949] correspondence with Pandit Narayana Shastri Khiste, Benares	2	7
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"Radhu Krishnan (Jammu)," [1920-1929] letters from Prince of Wales College	2	21
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Dr. V. Raghavan, of Sanskrit, Madras, correspondence from 1960-1969	2	22
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Louis Rosenblum, Compugraphic Corp., Mass., correspondence includes "Proposal for Analysis of Devanagari Script," for use in photographic typesetting machines for India	3	
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India (Book for UNESCO), 1946, draft copy, approx. 109 pp., in chapters	3	37
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"South Asia in World Affairs," Feb. 22, 1964, 14 pp.	3	38
"India's View of Asia," October 1949, 30 pp.	3	38
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"Kalila Wadima," unpublished manuscript, 14 pp. and notes	4	3
"Kalpasutra MS Sam `927', Kalpasutra," notes and correspondence on 1934 catalog by W.N. Brown of "Miniature Paintings of the Jaina Kalpasutra"	4	4
"Minaksi," paper "The Name of the Goddess Minaksi Fish Eye," 14 pp., letters, notes	4	5
"Painting As Manuscript Illustration in India," 28 pp.	4	6
"Painting As Manuscript Illustration in India, 1000-1600 A.D.," 18 pp. Article	4	7
"A Painting of a Jain Pilgrimage," 1946 paper, 8 pp., plus various notes	4	8
"Pakistan Reprints," correspondence from recipients of W.N. Brown article, "India's Pakistan Issue"	4	9
"People and Temples of Kashmir," lecture notes, 5 pp.	4	10
"Relations of West Pakistan with Western Asia in Ancient and Modern Times," draft and paper, 1953, 17 pp.	4	11

"A Pillared Hall," [1930-1949] correspondence, sketches, reviews, telegrams, notes about W.N. Brown volume "A Pillared Hall from a Temple at Madura, India in the Philadelphia Museum of Art"	4	12
"Religions of India," notes, outline, 90 pp.; plus Journal of American Oriental Society reprint- "Proselyting the Asuras (A Note on Rig Veda 10.124)," 1919, 4 pp.	4	13
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"Rope Trick," letter from Dr. Coomaraswamy about subject	4	15
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Tagore Lectures, 1964-1965 correspondence about lectures delivered at Michigan by W.N. Brown (published as Man in the Universe, U. of Cal. Press, 1966)	4	21
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