AE, 1867-1935.

George William Russell [AE] letters
1925–1929

Abstract: Letters from Irish writer George William Russell [AE], editor of *The Irish Statesman*. 
Descriptive Summary

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Biographical Note

Irish writer, poet and painter George William Russell (1867–1935) was known for infusing his work with spirituality. Russell was also politically active, writing about Irish identity and independence under the pseudonym AE. Beginning in 1905, Russell edited *The Irish Homestead* and continued this role when the paper merged with *The Irish Statesman* in 1923. Russell's writing covered a wide span of themes in the arts, philosophy, and politics.

Sources:

Scope and Content Note

This small collection is a group of letters from George William Russell [AE] to various individuals. All but one of the letters are written on stationery from *The Irish Statesman*. 
Selected Search Terms

Corporate Names

Irish statesman (Dublin, Ireland : 1919)

Topical Terms

Authors, Irish--20th century--Correspondence.

Form/Genre Terms

Letters (correspondence)

Related Materials in this Repository

This item forms part of MSS 099 Miscellaneous Literary and Historical Manuscripts.
**Detailed Description of the Collection**

Letter to Seumas O'Sullivan, 1925 October 12 [Box 9 F210]
Typed letter signed, 1 p.

Letter to E. F. Carry, 1929 February 19 [Box 9 F210]
Photocopied letter signed, 2 pp.

Letter to E. F. Carry, 1929 March 26 [Box 9 F210]
Typed letter signed, 1 p.

Letter to Michael Ireland, undated [Box 9 F210]
Autograph letter signed, 2 pp. with envelope.
"Michael Ireland" is a pseudonym for writer Darrell Figgis (1882–1925).

Letter to Ernest Augustus Boyd, 1926 July 20 [Box 9 F210]
Typed letter signed, 1 p.
On the lower left hand of the letter, there is a notation "Padraic Colum Esq."