Yeats, Jack Butler, 1871-1957.

Jack B. Yeats letters to Elkin Mathews
[1906]–1920 and undated

Abstract: Letters from Jack B. Yeats to Elkin Mathews including one card from his sister Lily Yeats to Mathews.
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Biographical Note

Irish painter and illustrator Jack B. Yeats was born August 29, 1871, in London, England. He was the son of John Butler Yeats, a successful portrait painter, and younger brother of the distinguished Irish poet, William Butler Yeats.

Sources:

Scope and Content Note

This collection consists of seven autograph notes, letters, and cards signed by Jack B. Yeats, including one autograph card signed by his sister Lily Yeats. All are addressed to publisher Elkin Mathews. The letters concern various projects Yeats and Mathews were working on. The card from Lily Yeats to Mathews was a request for a book as a Christmas gift to her father as well as an order for "Jack's little books." The letters are dated between 1906 and 1920.
Selected Search Terms

Personal Names

Mathews, Elkin, 1851-1921.

Topical Terms

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

Form/Genre Terms

Letters (correspondence)

Notes.

Cards.

Occupation

Painters (artists)

Personal Contributors

Yeats, Lily, 1866-1949.

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Detailed Description of the Collection

Jack B. Yeats letters to Elkin Mathews, [1906]–1920 and undated [Box 20 F348]

4 autograph cards signed, 3 autograph notes signed, 1 autograph letter signed, 10 pp.