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Summary Information

Repository:	Rare Book and Manuscript Library
Creator:	Penzer, N. M. (Norman Mosley), 1892-1960
Creator:	Somadeva Bhaṭṭa, active 11th century
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Biographical / Historical

Norman Mosley Penzer (1892-1960) edited and annotated C.H. Tawney's translation of The Ocean of Story and Somadeva's Katha Sarit Sagara (1924-28) in 10 volumes, a group of ancient Indian folklore tales.

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Summary

Correspondence, notes, reviews, clippings, and pamphlets relating to C.H. Tawney's translation of THE OCEAN OF STORY and proofs of Penzer's annotations.

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Arrangement

This collection is arranged into 2 series.

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Administrative Information

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Controlled Access Headings

- Folklore -- India
- Indic literature -- Translations into English
- Editors
- Tawney, C. H (Charles Henry), 1838-1922

Publications About Described Materials

Somadeva Bhaṭṭa. The Ocean of Story, being C. H. Tawney's translation of Sōmadeva's Kathā sarit sāgara (or Ocean of Streams of Story) now edited with introduction, fresh explanatory notes and terminal essay, by N. M. Penzer. (London : C.J. Sawyer, ltd., 1924-1928).

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Collection Inventory

Series I: Cataloged Correspondence

Scope and Contents

Cataloged correspondence and manuscripts are interfiled

Title/Description	Instances
Bloomfield, Maurice To Norman Mosley Penzer, Baltimore, 19 Dec 1923 <u>Physical Description:</u> 2 pages a.l.s.	box 1
Bloomfield, Maurice To Norman Mosley Penzer, Baltimore, 20 Jan 1925 <u>Physical Description:</u> 1 page a.l.s.	box 1
Bloomfield, Maurice To Norman Mosley Penzer, Baltimore, 15 March 1925 <u>Physical Description:</u> 1 page a.l.s.	box 1
Bloomfield, Maurice To Norman Mosley Penzer, Baltimore, 28 June 1925 <u>Physical Description:</u> 2 pages a.l.s.	box 1
Bloomfield, Maurice To Norman Mosley Penzer, Baltimore, 27 Nov 1925 <u>Physical Description:</u> 2 pages a.l.s.	box 1
Bloomfield, Maurice To Norman Mosley Penzer, Baltimore, 4 June 1926 <u>Physical Description:</u> 2 pages a.l.s.	box 1
Bloomfield, Maurice To Norman Mosley Penzer, Baltimore, 21 June 1926	box 1

Physical Description: 1 page a.l.s.

Bloomfield, Maurice To Norman Mosley Penzer, Baltimore,
6 Oct 1926 box 1

Physical Description: 2 pages a.l.s.

Bloomfield, Maurice To Norman Mosley Penzer, Baltimore,
31 Oct 1926 box 1

Physical Description: 2 pages a.l.s.

Cordier, Henri To [Norman Mosley Penzer], Paris, 11 Feb
1925 box 1

Physical Description: 1 page a.l.s.

Curzon, George Nathaniel Curzon, Marquess To [Norman
Mosley Penzer], [London], 29 July 1924 box 1

Physical Description: 4 pages a.l.s.

Edgerton, Franklin To Norman Mosley Penzer, New Haven,
CT, 26 April 1928 box 1

Physical Description: 1 page t.l.s.

Gaster, Moses To Norman Mosley Penzer, [London], 21 May
1925 box 1

Physical Description: 2 pages t.l.s.

Grierson, (Sir) George Abraham To Norman Mosley Penzer,
Rathfarnham, [UK], 6 Aug 1924 box 1

Physical Description: 1 page t.l.s.

Grierson, (Sir) George Abraham To Norman Mosley Penzer,
Rathfarnham, [UK], 1 Jan 1925 box 1

Physical Description: 1 page t.l.s.

Grierson, (Sir) George Abraham To Norman Mosley Penzer,
Rathfarnham, [UK], 12 Jan 1927 box 1

Physical Description: 2 pages a.l.s.

Grierson, (Sir) George Abraham To Norman Mosley Penzer,
Rathfarnham, [UK], 16 Feb 1927 box 1

Physical Description: 1 page t.l.s.

Grierson, (Sir) George Abraham To Norman Mosley Penzer,
Rathfarnham, [UK], 15 Feb 1928 box 1

Physical Description: 4 pages a.l.s.

Halliday, William Reginald To Norman Mosley Penzer,
London, 6 April 1928 box 1

Physical Description: 2 pages a.l.s.

Macdonald, Duncan Black To Norman Mosley Penzer,
Hartford, CT, 22 May 1933 box 1

Physical Description: 2 pages a.l.s.

Macdonald, Duncan Black To Norman Mosley Penzer, box 1
Hartford, CT, 21 Sept 1933

Physical Description: 2 pages a.l.s.

Rose, Horace Arthur To [Norman Mosley Penzer], St box 1
Brelade (?), Jersey, [UK], 1 July 1924

Physical Description: 1 page a.l.s.

Rouse, William Henry Denham To [Norman Mosley box 1
Penzer], Cambridge, [UK], 14 April 1924

Physical Description: 1 page a.l.s.

Stein, (Sir) Mark Aurel To [Norman Mosley Penzer], box 1
Srinagar, [India], 12 Nov 1923

Physical Description: 2 pages a.l.s. (with copy of reply

Stein, (Sir) Mark Aurel To Norman Mosley Penzer, Srinagar, box 1
[India], 29 Dec 1923

Physical Description: 2 pages t.l.s. (with copy of reply

Stein, (Sir) Mark Aurel To Norman Mosley Penzer, Oxford, box 1
6 July 1924

Physical Description: 2 pages a.l.s.

Stein, (Sir) Mark Aurel To Norman Mosley Penzer, Srinagar, box 1
[India], 18 July 1926

Physical Description: 2 pages t.l.s. (with copy of related letter

Tawney, A. To Norman Mosley Penzer, Camberley, [UK], 5 box 1
Jan 1928

Physical Description: 6 pages a.l.s.

Tawney, Charles Henry To Norman Mosley Penzer, box 1
Chartley, [UK], 28 July 1919

Physical Description: 1 page a.l.s. (with copy of related letter

Tawney, Charles Henry To Norman Mosley Penzer, box 1
Chartley, [UK], 4 Aug 1919

Physical Description: 2 pages a.l.s.

Tawney, Charles Henry To Norman Mosley Penzer, box 1
Chartley, [UK], 5 Jan 1920

Physical Description: 4 pages a.l.s.

Tawney, Charles Henry To Norman Mosley Penzer, box 1
Chartley, [UK], 23 Jan 1920

Physical Description: 2 pages a.l.s.

Tawney, Charles Henry To Norman Mosley Penzer, box 1
Chartley, [UK], 20 Aug 1920

Physical Description: 3 pages a.l.s.

Tawney, Charles Henry To Norman Mosley Penzer, box 1
Chartley, [UK], 28 Aug 1920

Physical Description: 1 page a.l.s.

Temple, (Sir) Richard Carnac To Norman Mosley Penzer, box 1
Montreaux, Switzerland, 3 March 1924

Physical Description: 3 pages a.l.s.

Temple, (Sir) Richard Carnac To Norman Mosley Penzer, box 1
Thonon le Bains, France, 2 Aug 1926

Physical Description: 4 pages a.l.s.

Temple, (Sir) Richard Carnac To Norman Mosley Penzer, box 1
Montreaux, Switzerland, 12 March 1928

Physical Description: 2 pages a.l.s.

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Series II: Cataloged Manuscripts

Scope and Contents

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Title/Description	Instances
Grierson, (Sir) George Abraham Foreword [to Vol. II of <i>The Ocean of Story</i> , edited by N.M. Penzer], Camberly, [UK], 2 Sept 1924 <u>Physical Description</u> : 15 pages t.ms.s. (with corrections in his hand)	box 1
Temple, (Sir) Richard Carnac Foreword [to Vol. I of <i>The Ocean of Story</i> , edited by N.M. Penzer], [Montreaux, Switzerland], [March 1924] <u>Physical Description</u> : 23 pages a.ms.	box 1
<i>The Ocean of Story</i> . Manuscript pages and misc.	box 2
<i>The Ocean of Story</i> . Prospectus	box 2
<i>The Ocean of Story</i> . Reviews	box 2
<i>The Ocean of Story</i> . Printed Misc.	box 2
<i>The Ocean of Story</i> . Proofs: vol. 1-7	box 3
<i>The Ocean of Story</i> . Proofs: vol. 8-10	box 4

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