# **Guide to the Owen Johnson Papers**

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# **Collection Overview**

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TITLE:	Owen Johnson papers
DATES:	1889-1967 (inclusive)
BULK DATES:	1883–1987
PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION:	13.55 linear feet (29 boxes)
LANGUAGE:	English
SUMMARY:	The papers contain drafts of novels, plays, and short stories, plus a variety of personal papers, including financial records, photographs, and papers on the Committee on Allied Tribute to France.
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- b. box
- f. folder

# Administrative Information

## **Immediate Source of Acquisition**

The Owen Johnson Papers were donated to the Beinecke Rare Book and Manuscript Library by Johnson's youngest daughter, Mrs. Patricia Johnson Deely, in 1981 and 1984, and his granddaughter, Catherine B. Deely, in 2011, 2016, 2018, and 2019.

# **Conditions Governing Access**

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## **Preferred Citation**

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# **OWEN MCMAHON JOHNSON (1878-1952)**

Owen Johnson, American novelist and short-story writer, was born in New York City on August 27, 1878. He attended the Lawrenceville School where he founded and edited *The Lawrenceville Literary Magazine*. At Yale, from which he graduated in 1901, he chaired the *Yale Literary Magazine* for the Class of 1900. He is best remembered for juvenile stories about his student days at the Lawrenceville School in New Jersey and a best-selling novel, *Stover at Yale* (1911), in which he criticized many aspects of college life including the senior societies at Yale. His other novels include *Arrows of the Almighty* (1901), *In the Name of Liberty* (1905), *Max Fargus* (1905), *The Salamander* (1913), and *The Woman Gives* (1915). Several of the Lawrenceville novels, such as *The Eternal Boy* (1909), *The Humming Bird* (1910), *The Varmint* (1910), and *The Tennessee Shad* (1911), were also published serially in magazines, like *McClure's*. Johnson also wrote plays and several of his novels were turned into films, including *Children of Divorce* (1927) and the Lawrenceville stories as *The Happy Years* in 1945 by Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer.

Most of his early writing was done in Paris, where he lived after his first marriage in 1901. During World War I, he served as war correspondent for the *New York Times* and *Collier's* and wrote *The Spirit of France* (1915), a nonfiction book about the heroism of the French people. This was followed by *The Wasted Generation* (1921), a novel about an American who enlists in the French Foreign Legion at the outbreak of the war.

From 1923 to 1948, he resided in Stockbridge, Massachusetts, and continued to write novels about marriage and divorce, including *Blue Blood* (1923) and *Sacrifice* (1929), and stories for *The Saturday Evening Post*. He wrote little after his last novel, *The Coming of the Amazons*, was published in 1931. In 1936 and 1938 he ran unsuccessfully for Congress as the Democratic nominee from the First District of Massachusetts. He died at the age of sixty-three on January 27, 1952 at his home in Vineyard Haven, Massachusetts, where he lived for the last five years of his life.

His first wife, Mary Galt Stockly, daughter of a Cleveland financier, died in 1910. She was followed by Esther Ellen Cobb, of San Francisco, whom Johnson divorced in 1917; Cecile Denise de la Garde of Chignens, France, who died on May 9, 1918; Catherine Sayre Burton of New York, who died in 1923, two years after their marriage in 1921; and Gertrude Bovee Le Boutillier, a widow, who married Johnson in 1926. He had three children by his first wife, Robert Underwood Johnson, Olivia Johnson Paschkoff, and Katherine Johnson Bunnell; Owen Denis de la Garde by his third wife; and Patricia Johnson Deely by his fourth wife.

# Scope and Contents

The collection consists of correspondence, campaign materials, writings, drawings, photographs, personal and professional papers, and printed material relating to or by American author Owen Johnson. Writings include drafts, typescripts, corrected galleys, and notes for Johnson's works, including *Stover at Yale, Making Money* (1914), *Virtuous Wives* (1917), and *Skippy Bedelle* (1922). In addition, the collection contains prose drafts of some plays and French translations of materials, including *The Comet*, along with short stories and essays by Johnson. Personal and professional papers primarily consist of correspondence, including letters from Johnson's youngest daughter, Patricia Johnson, legal and financial documents, drawings, and photographs. Photographs include childhood images of Johnson and images of gatherings with friends and family at Yale and Johnson's home. Printed material includes clippings, magazines, and books by Johnson and other authors, including Johnson's *The Salamander* and Cobina Wright's *I Never Grew Up*.

# Collection Contents Series I: Writings, 1889-1943

6.25 linear feet (15 boxes)

This series contains correspondence, writings, and other papers by or relating to Owen Johnson and his writing.

E	Books	
	Arrows of the Almighty	
b. 1, f. 1-4	First draft	1900 Jul-Oct
b. 1, f. 5-11	Second draft	n.d.
b. 1, f. 12	Papers	1905 Feb 4
	Blue Blood	
b. <b>1</b> , f. <b>13</b>	Draft	n.d.
	See also: Box 8, folders 158-60	
	The Eternal Boy	
b. 1, f. 14-19	Drafts	n.d.
b. 1, f. 20	Fragments	n.d.
	Illustrations	
	See: Oversize, Box 20, folder 357	
	The Humming Bird	
b. 1, f. 21	Draft fragments	n.d.
	In the Name of Liberty	
b. 2, f. 22	Notes	1902 Feb 28
b. 2, f. 23-32	First draft	1902, n.d.
b. 2, f. 33-38	Second draft: part l	n.d.
b. 3, f. 39-45	Second draft: part II	n.d.
b. 3, f. 46-60	Third draft: part I	n.d.
b. 4, f. 61-74	Third draft: part II	n.d.
b. 4, f. 75	Papers	n.y. Sep 15
	"John Gaunt"	
	<u>See: Box 1, folders 1-4</u>	
	Max Fargus	

### Books > Max Fargus (continued)

b. 4, f. 80-83	First draft variants	n.d.
b. 5, f. 84-87	Second draft	n.d.
	Murder in Any Degree	
	<u>See: Box 14, folders 264-65</u>	
	"The Old and the New"	
	See: Boxes 6-7, folders 130-47	
	"The Prodigious Hickey"	
	<u>See: Box 1, folders 14-20</u>	
	The Sixty-First Second	
b. 5, f. 88	French translation: chapters I-X	1920 Aug
	Stover at Yale	
b. <b>5</b> , f. <b>89-97</b>	Draft	n.d.
	<u>See also: Box 5, folder 98</u>	
	The Tennessee Shad	
b. 5, f. 98-104	Draft	n.d.
b. 5, f. 105	Draft fragments	n.d.
b. 5, f. 106	Corrected galleys: chapter V	1910
b. 5, f. 107	Papers	1909 Oct
	The Varmint	
b. 6, f. 108-14	Draft	n.d.
b. 6, f. 115	Draft fragments	n.d.
	Printed version	
	See: Oversize, Box 20,folders 358-59	
b. 6, f. 116	Publicity	1931 Oct 19
	"Which Way Democracy?"	
b. 6, f. 117-22	Notes	n.d.
b. 6, f. 123-29	Draft	n.d.
	"The Wild Bird"	
b. 6, f. 130-32	First draft: chapters I-XI	n.d.
b. 7, f. 133-37	First draft: chapters XII-XXXI	n.d.
b. 7, f. 138	First draft: fragments	n.d.
b. 7, f. 139-40	Second draft	n.d.

#### Books > "The Wild Bird" (continued)

b. 7, f. 141-46	Third draft	n.d.
b. <b>7</b> , f. 147	Third draft: fragments	n.d.
	The Woman Gives	
b. <b>7</b> , f. 148	Draft: chapters I-IV	n.d.
Dra	ama	
	"Alice in Movieland"	
b. 8, f. 149-50	Draft	n.d.
	"The American Heiress"	
b. 8, f. 151	First draft: act I	n.d.
b. 8, f. 152	Second draft: act I	n.d.
b. 8, f. 153-55	Third draft: acts I-III	n.d.
b. 8, f. 156	Fourth draft: act IV	n.d.
b. 8, f. 157	Fragments	n.d.
	<u>See also: Box 4, folder 80; Box 8, folder 163</u>	
	"As You Take It"	
	See: Box 8, folder 162	
	"Blue Blood"	
b. 8, f. 158	Draft	n.d.
b. 8, f. 159	Prose draft	n.d.
b. 8, f. 160	Papers	1923 Mar 27
	A Comedy for Wives	
b. 8, f. 161	First draft	n.d.
b. 8, f. 162	Second draft	1911 Mar 22
The Comet		
b. 8, f. 163	Notes	n.d.
b. 8, f. 164	First draft	1907 Jan 20
b. 8, f. 165	Second draft: copy 1, act I	n.d.
b. 9, f. 166-67	Second draft: copy 1, acts II-III	n.d.
b. 9, f. 168-70	Second draft: copy 2	n.d.
b. <b>9</b> , f. 171	Third draft: copy 1, act I	n.d.
b. 9, f. 172-74	Third draft: copy 2, acts I-III	n.d.

#### Drama > The Comet (continued)

b. 9, f. 175-80	Fourth draft	n.d.
b. 9, f. 181-82	Fifth draft: acts I-II	n.d.
b. <b>10</b> , f. <b>183</b>	Sixth draft: act II	n.d.
b. 10, f. 184-86	Seventh draft	n.d.
b. <b>10</b> , f. 187	French draft: act III	n.d.
b. <b>10</b> , f. 188	Film adaptation	n.d.
b. 10, f. 189	Fragments	n.d.
b. <b>10</b> , f. <b>190</b>	Papers	1907-08
	"Father and Son"	
b. 10, f. 191	Prose drafts	n.d.
	"International Marriage"	
	<u>See: Box 8, folders 153-55</u>	
	"Marriage à la Mode"	
b. 10, f. 192	First draft: act I	1904 Sep 27
	<u>See also: Box 2, folder 22</u>	
b. 10, f. 193-94	Second draft: acts I, III	n.d.
b. 10, f. 195	Third draft: copy 1, act I	n.d.
b. 10, f. 196-97	Third draft: copy 2, acts I, III	n.d.
b. 10, f. 198	French prose draft	n.d.
b. 10, f. 199	Fragments	n.d.
	"The Precipice"	
b. <b>10,</b> f. 200-01	First draft: copy 1, acts I-II	n.d.
b. 11, f. 202-03	First draft: copy 1, acts III-IV	n.d.
b. 11, f. 204-05	First draft: copy 2, acts I-II	n.d.
b. 11, f. 206-09	Second draft: copy 1, acts I-IV	n.d.
b. 11, f. 210-11	Second draft: copy 2, acts III-IV	n.d.
	"Pride"	
	<u>See: Box 8, folder 158</u>	
	"The Salamander"	
b. 11, f. 212	Prose draft	n.d.

"The World That Dances"

#### Drama > "The World That Dances" (continued)

b. 11, f. 213-15	First draft: acts I-III	n.d.
b. 11, f. 216-19	Second draft: acts I-IV	n.d.
	Untitled	
b. 11, f. 220	Draft: acts II-IV	n.d.
Ed	ited Works	
	The Chimney-Seat	
b. 12, f. 223-25	No. 1 (2d ed.)	1889 Dec
	The Lawrenceville Literary Magazine	
b. 12, f. 226	Vol. 1, no. 1	1895 Oct
b. 12, f. 227	Vol. 1, no. 2	1895 Nov
b. 12, f. 228	Vol. 1, no. 4	1896 Jan
b. 12, f. 229	Vol. 1, no. 5	1896 Feb
b. 12, f. 230	Vol. 1, no. 7	1896 Apr
	The Yale Literary Magazine	
b. 12, f. 231	Vol. LXIII, no. 1	1897 Oct
b. 12, f. 232	Vol. LXIII, no. 2	1897 Nov
b. 12, f. 233	Vol. LXIII, no. 6	1898 Mar
b. 12, f. 234	Vol. LXIII, no. 8	1898 May
b. 12, f. 235	Vol. LXV, no. 2	1899 Nov
b. 12, f. 236	Vol. LXX, no. 2	1904 Nov
Sh	orter Works	
	"Abolish the Game"	
b. 13, f. 237	First draft	n.d.
b. 13, f. 238	Second draft	n.d.
	"America, the Battleground of the Church"	
b. 13, f. 239	Proposal	n.d.
	"'Ammersledge"	
	See: Box 12, folder 231	
	"The Awakening of Hickey" <u>See: Box 1, folder 15</u>	

	"Beauty's Sister"	
	See: Box 1, folder 19	
	See also: Box 12, folder 229	
	"The Beefsteak Applies for Admission" See: Box 5, folder 102	
	"The Beginning of the Firm" <u>See: Box 5, folder 100</u>	
	"The Boy Who Was Napoleon"	
b. 13, f. 240	Draft	1910 Dec 20
	"The Boy with an Idea" See: Box 5, folder 99	
	"Breaking into Society" See: Box 5, folder 106	
	"The Collector"	
b. 13, f. 241	Draft	n.d.
	"The Colonel's Lady"	
b. 13, f. 242	First draft	n.d.
b. 13, f. 243	Second draft	n.d.
	"The Common Sense Point of View"	
b. 13, f. 244-46	First draft: broadcasts	1943 Feb-May
b. 13, f. 247-49	Second draft: broadcasts	1943 Feb-May
	"The Cult of Mithras"	
b. 13, f. 250	Draft	n.d.
	"The Debut of Doc Macnooder" See: Box 5, folder 98	
	"A Dozen Years Later"	
b. 13, f. 251	Draft	n.d.
	"Dumb Luck"	
b. 13, f. 252	Draft	n.d.
	"Exercises in French" See: Box 13, folder 242	
	"The Fight Promoters" See: Box 5, folder 104	

	"The Firm Finds a New Victim" See: Box 5, folder 106	
	"The First Joint Operation" See: Box 5, folder 101	
	"Flirt"	
b. 13, f. 253	Draft	n.d.
	"The Future President"	
	See: Box 1, folder 17	
	"The Glory of Her Youth"	
	<u>See: Box 15, folders 282-83</u>	
	"Going Back"	
	See: Box 13, folder 251	
	"Golf for Nerves"	
b. 13, f. 254	Draft	n.d.
	"The Great Pancake Record"	
	See: Box 1, folder 16	
	"The Greatest American Being The Rise And Fall of U. S. Bing"	
b. 13, f. 255	Notes	n.d.
b. 13, f. 256	Draft	n.d.
b. 13, f. 257	Fragments	n.d.
	"Handcuffed"	
b. 13, f. 258	Draft and papers	1930 Feb 7
	See also: Box 13, folder 253	
	"The Hero of Vanity Fair"	
	See: Box 12, folder 233	
	See: Box 12, folder 233 "His First Fight"	
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	See: Box 12, folder 233         "His First Fight"         See: Box 1, folder 18         "The Ideal of Nationalism"	
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b. 13, f. 259	See: Box 12, folder 233         "His First Fight"         See: Box 1, folder 18         "The Ideal of Nationalism"         See: Box 1, folder 13	n.d.
b. 13, f. 259	See: Box 12, folder 233         "His First Fight"         See: Box 1, folder 18         "The Ideal of Nationalism"         See: Box 1, folder 13         "The Inconsistent Theorist"	n.d.

	"Introducing the Tennessee Shad" <u>See: Box 5, folder 99</u>	
	"Jeremy Quidder"	
b. 14, f. 260	Draft	1903 Nov 19
	"John Ericsson"	
b. 14, f. 261	Draft	n.d.
	"The Jones-Bogworthy Walking Match" See: Box 12, folder 226	
	"Last Historic Exploit of the Firm" See: Box 5, folder 104	
	"Law and Disorder"	
b. 14, f. 262	Draft	n.d.
	"Little Sister" See: Box 14, folders 275-77	
	"The Madness of Toppy McGee"	
b. 14, f. 263	Draft	n.d.
	"Making Friends" See: Box 1, folder 18	
	"A Man of No Imagination"	
b. 14, f. 264	First draft	n.d.
b. 14, f. 265	Second draft	n.d.
	"The Maximum"	
b. 14, f. 266	Draft	n.d.
	"More Like a Friend"	
b. 14, f. 267	Draft	n.d.
	"Old Captain"	
b. 14, f. 268	Draft	n.d.
	"Prima Donna"	
b. 14, f. 269	Draft	n.d.
	"Ring of Twisted Dragons"	
b. 14, f. 270	Draft	n.d.

	"The Rise of Doc Macnooder"	
	See: Box 5, folder 98	
	"Say Au Revoir"	
b. 14, f. 271	Draft	n.d.
	"A Song from out the Past" See: Box 12, folder 234	
	"The Story of Annie"	
b. 14, f. 272	Notes	n.d.
b. 14, f. 273	Draft	1907 Mar 20
	"The Story of the Bachelor's Conscience"	
b. 14, f. 274	Draft	n.d.
	"Tomboy"	
b. 14, f. 275-77	Draft: copy 1	n.d.
b. <b>15</b> , f. 278-79	Draft: copy 2	n.d.
b. 15, f. 280	Fragments	n.d.
	"The Trouble with His Game"	
b. <b>15,</b> f. 281	Draft	n.d.
	"The Unbidden Guest"	
	See: Box 12, folder 232	
	"Vanity"	
b 15 f 202 02		
b. <b>15</b> , f. <b>282-83</b>	Draft and papers	1930, n.d.
	Draft and papers "Who Accuses This Woman?"	1930, n.d.
b. 15, f. 284		1930, n.d. n.d.
	"Who Accuses This Woman?"	
	"Who Accuses This Woman?" Draft	
b. 15, f. 284	"Who Accuses This Woman?" Draft "Young Man with a Dollar"	n.d.
b. 15, f. 284	"Who Accuses This Woman?" Draft "Young Man with a Dollar" Draft	n.d.
b. 15, f. 284 b. 15, f. 285	"Who Accuses This Woman?"     Draft     "Young Man with a Dollar"     Draft     Untitled about Bronson Bulger	n.d. n.d.
b. 15, f. 284 b. 15, f. 285	"Who Accuses This Woman?"   Draft   "Young Man with a Dollar"   Draft   Untitled about Bronson Bulger   Draft	n.d. n.d.
b. 15, f. 284 b. 15, f. 285 b. 15, f. 286	"Who Accuses This Woman?"   Draft   "Young Man with a Dollar"   Draft   Untitled about Bronson Bulger   Draft   Untitled about Lady de Warden	n.d. n.d.
b. 15, f. 284 b. 15, f. 285 b. 15, f. 286 b. 15, f. 287-90	"Who Accuses This Woman?"   Draft   "Young Man with a Dollar"   Draft   Untitled about Bronson Bulger   Draft   Untitled about Lady de Warden   Draft: copy 1, chapters I-XI	n.d. n.d. n.d.

	Untitled about Ed Halligan <u>See: Box 1, folder 13</u>	
	Untitled about John R. Sankey	
b. 15, f. 293	Draft	n.d.
	Untitled about James Waring	
b. <b>15</b> , f. 294	Draft	n.d.
	Unidentified	
b. <b>15</b> , f. <b>295</b>	Fragments	n.d.
١	Notes	
	Characters and themes	
b. <b>15</b> , f. 296-97	Bound volumes	1921 Jun 20, n.d.
	<u>See also: Box 7, folder 148</u>	

### Series II: Personal Papers, 1890-1950

### 1.75 linear feet (4 boxes)

This series contains contracts, correspondence, financial records, legal papers, photographs, and other papers relating to Owen Johnson.

	Awards	
	<u>See: Oversize, Box 21, folder 364</u>	
b. 16, f. 298	Bibliographies	1924-30, n.d.
b. 16, f. 299	Campaign papers	1936-38
	<u>See also: Box 16, folders 300-06</u>	
b. 16, f. 300-06	Clippings	1936-38
	Committee on Allied Tribute to France	
b. 17, f. 307-10	Correspondence	1918 Jun-Jul
b. 17, f. 311	Organizational papers	n.d.
b. 17, f. 312-15	Programs and speeches	1918 Jul
b. 17, f. 316	Publicity papers	1918 Jul
b. 17, f. 317	Miscellaneous	1917 Sep 6
b. 17, f. 318	Correspondence	1893-1938
	<u>See also: Box 17, folders 307-10</u>	
b. 17, f. 319	Drawings	n.d.
b. 17, f. 319	Drawings Financial records	n.d.
b. 17, f. 319 b. 17, f. 320-22		n.d. 1901, 1904-08
	Financial records	
b. 17, f. 320-22	Financial records Bank statements and checks	1901, 1904–08
b. 17, f. 320-22 b. 18, f. 323-26	Financial records Bank statements and checks Bank statements and checks	1901, 1904–08 1909-13
b. 17, f. 320-22 b. 18, f. 323-26 b. 18, f. 327	Financial records         Bank statements and checks         Bank statements and checks         Bank statements and checks	1901, 1904–08 1909-13 1916, 1945
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### Manuscripts of others (continued)

b. 18, f. 335	Parks, M. S.	n.d.
b. 18, f. 336	Memorabilia: dime, calling card	1900
b. 18, f. 337	Notes, miscellaneous See also: Box 2, folder 22	n.d.
	Photographs	
b. 18, f. 338-40	People	n.d.
b. 19, f. 341	People	1950, n.d.
b. 19, f. 342-45	Places	ca.1902-1919,n.d.
b. 19, f. 346	Postcards	1905-15
	Printed works	
b. 19, f. 347	The Amateur Comedy Club	1917-18
	L'Art dans les Deux Mondes See: Oversize, Box 20, folder 361	
b. 19, f. 348	Bourget, Paul: <i>L'Emigré</i>	1908
	Democratic Watchman See: Oversize, Box 20, folder 362	
b. 19, f. 349-52	Lawrenceville School: miscellaneous publications See also: Oversize, Box 20, folder 363	1909
b. 19, f. 353	Unitarian Sunday School Society (Boston): church program	1890
b. 19, f. 354-55	Yale University: miscellaneous publications	1901–10
b. 19, f. 356	Miscellaneous publications	1907, 1922

## Oversize, 1891-1918

### 1.5 linear feet (2 boxes)

Oversize material contains papers from Series I and II and is arranged in the same order as material in those series, except for Johnson's award filed at the end.

	Books	
	The Eternal Boy	
b. 20, f. 357	Illustrations	n.d.
	The Varmint	
b. 20, f. 358-59	The Saturday Evening Post: Vol. 182, no. 42 and no.44	1910 Apr
	Personal Papers	
	Legal papers	
b. 20, f. 360	Marriage license	1901 May 23
	Printed works	
b. 20, f. 361	L'Art dans les Deux Mondes	1891 Mar 7
b. 20, f. 362	Democratic Watchman	1917 Jun 1
b. 20, f. 363	Lawrenceville School: The Lawrence	1894, 1906–07
	Awards	
b. 21, f. 364	Ordre National de la Légion d'Honneur	1918 Dec 27

# **Restricted Fragile Papers**

### 0.25 linear feet (1 box)

Restricted fragile material. Reference surrogates have been substituted in the main files. For further information consult the appropriate curator.

b. 22, f. 365-74 Box 6, folders 116, 118-23, 126-28

# Series III: 2011 Addition, 1930-1967

### 0.29 linear feet (2 boxes)

This series contains drafts for shorter works by Johnson, material relating to the film, *Children of Divorce*, personal papers, and photographs.

	Writings	
b. 23, f. 375	"Bingles," drafts and notes, autograph manuscript	n.d.
b. 23, f. 376	<i>Children of Divorce</i> , typescript and autograph manuscript (copies) Stored in: Oversize, Box 24, folder 384	n.d.
b. 23, f. 377	"Even Threes," printed version	1930 Jun
b. 23, f. 378	"Fisherman's Honeymoon," drafts, typescript, corrected, and typescript	n.d.
b. 23, f. 379	"I Remember, I Remember," draft, autograph manuscript	n.d.
b. 23, f. 380	"John Ericsson," draft, typescript, corrected	n.d.
	Personal Papers	
b. 23, f. 381	Agreement between Owen Johnson and Loew's Incorporated	1945 Nov 26
b. 23, f. 382	Editorial by "Uncle Dudley"	ca. 1952
b. 23, f. 383	"A Man of Distinction," review of Johnson's <i>The Lawrenceville Stories</i> by John R. Tunis, printed version (copy) and draft, typescript mimeograph	ca. 1967
	Photographs of Johnson Stored in: Oversize, Box 24, folder 385	n.d.
	•	n.d.
b. 24 (Oversize), f. 384	Stored in: Oversize, Box 24, folder 385	n.d.

## 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

Authors, American Children's literature, American College stories, American -- Connecticut College students Democracy Divorce Golf Marriage Preparatory school students World War, 1914-1918

### **Geographic Names**

Stockbridge (Mass.)

### **Genres / Formats**

Audiovisual materials Drawings (visual works) Photographs Photoprints

### Occupations

Authors

### Names

Johnson, Owen, 1878-1952

### **Corporate Bodies**

Committee on Allied Tribute to France Democratic Party (Mass.) Lawrenceville School Yale University