

# The Olive Higgins Prouty Papers

Olive Higgins Prouty

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## Olive Higgins Prouty Papers

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January 7, 1905 – June 20, 1905  
July 6, 1905 – December 22, 1905  
January 8, 1906 – February 19, 1906  
March 6, 1906 – April 4, 1906  
April 5, 1906 – April 28, 1906  
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March 10, 1907 – March 21, 1907  
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August 2, 1910 – November 10, 1910  
November 11, 1910 – May 16, 1911  
May 18, 1911 – October 19, 1911  
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March 21, 1912 – May 27, 1912  
May 29, 1912 – September 7, 1912  
January 7, 1912 – December 20, 1912  
March 5, 1913 – May 21, 1913  
May 23, 1913 – December 4, 1913  
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March 1, 1915 – December 1915  
May 27, 1916 – November 21, 1917  
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January 7, 1920 – May 23, 1920  
May 24, 1920 – October 26, 1920  
January 11, 1921 – October 25, 1921  
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July 24, 1922 – November 16, 1922  
January 8, 1923 – June 29, 1923  
July 1, 1923 – December 8, 1923  
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June 24, 1924 – July 5, 1924  
January 22, 1925 – June 30, 1925

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July 13, 1926 – July 29, 1926  
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August 18, 1926 – October 21, 1926  
March 10, 1927 – April 26, 1927  
July 10, 1927 – July 27, 1927  
July 29, 1927 – November 10, 1927

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January 5, 1928 – April 8, 1928  
April 15, 1928 – July 9, 1928  
July 10, 1928 – July 17, 1928  
July 18, 1928 – October 22, 1928  
January 7, 1929 – July 25, 1929  
August 1, 1929 – August 11, 1929  
August 13, 1929 – August 26, 1929  
August 29, 1929 – [?], 1929

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September 25, 1931 – [?], 1931  
June 16, 1932 – October 17, 1932  
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February 5, 1939 – February 15, 1939  
No date

OHP to LP during his illness at Silver Hill, May 30, 1943- August 28, 1943  
OHP to LP during his illness at Silver Hill, Sept. 10, 1943 – October 21, 1943  
Lewis Isaac Prouty – Autopsy report, profile, letters to doctors  
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January 4, 1905 – January 30, 1905  
February 2, 1905 – February 28, 1905  
March 1, 1905 – April 15, 1905  
April 17, 1905 – May 22, 1905  
May 23, 1905 – June 7, 1905  
June 8, 1905 – July 22, 1905

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July 26, 1905 – August 18, 1905  
August 21, 1905 – September 20, 1905  
September 21, 1905 – October 20, 1905  
October 25, 1905 – November 28, 1905  
November 29, 1905 – December 27, 1905  
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January 24, 1906 – January 31, 1906  
February 1, 1906 – February 28, 1906  
March 1, 1906 – March 23, 1906  
March 24, 1906 – April 9, 1906

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April 9, 1906 – April 26, 1906  
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May 10, 1906 – May 22, 1906  
May 22, 1906 – June 8, 1906  
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June 27, 1906 – July 7, 1906

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August 11, 1906 - August 31, 1906  
September 6, 1906 – September 25, 1906

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October 27, 1906 – November 7, 1906  
November 8, 1906 – November 27, 1906  
November 28, 1906 – December 4, 1906  
December 5, 1906 – December 14, 1906  
December 17, 1906 – January 2, 1907  
January 4, 1907 – January 24, 1907  
January 25, 1907 - February 9, 1907

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May 16, 1907 – May 25, 1907  
May 26, 1907 – October 8, 1907  
November 19, 1907 – December 4, 1907  
December 4, 1907 – December 10, 1907

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June 4, 1908 – November 19, 1908  
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May 19, 1910 – September 27, 1910  
October 17, 1910 – November 17, 1910  
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Love Letters 1904  
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September 14, 1909 – November 16, 1909  
November 17, 1909 – December 11, 1909  
February 14, 1910 – May 17, 1910  
December 5, 1911 – December 13, 1911  
January 7, 1912 – May 24, 1912  
May 25, 1912 – May 30, 1912  
May 31, 1912 – September 6, 1912

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May 17, 1913 – September 4, 1913  
September 4, 1913 – December 3, 1913  
December 5, 1913 – July 2, 1913  
March 3, 1914 – December 15, 1914  
February 28, 1915 – August 31, 1915  
September 13, 1915 – December 15, 1915

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January 11, 1921 – October 25, 1921  
January 14, 1922 – November 16, 1922  
January 9, 1923 – July 8, 1923

Box 20      Lewis Prouty Correspondence to Olive H. Prouty Aug. 20, 1923 – Dec. 13, 1926

August 20, 1923 – January 3, 1924  
March 3, 1924 – June 30, 1924  
July 1, 1924 – December 9, 1924  
June 11, 1925 – October 13, 1925  
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Box 21      Lewis Prouty Correspondence to Olive H. Prouty Jan. 12, 1925 – Feb. 6, 1932

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July 6, 1928 – October 19, 1928  
January 9, 1929 – November 26, 1929  
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June 21, 1932 – October 24, 1932  
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January 22, 1935 – October 23, 1935  
February 24, 1936 – December 19, 1936  
April 3, 1937 – November 27, 1937  
February 5, 1938 – October 3, 1938  
February 4, 1939 – December 12, 1939  
June 18, 1940 – December 6, 1940  
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No date

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Childhood letters to parents 1892-1896  
Letters to Olive from parents and brothers 1894  
Letters home from college 1900-1903  
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Letters to father 1900-1912  
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October 15, 1889 – December 16, 1889  
April 14, 1890 – December 14, 1890  
January 18, 1891 – April 26, 1891  
May 3, 1891 – June 7, 1891



June 14, 1891 – December 20, 1891  
January 10, 1892 – March 21, 1892  
April 18, 1892 – June 8, 1892  
June 25, 1893 – September 17, 1893  
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1910 – 1933 including Financial Affairs and Debutante Ball

March 1, 1915 – April 1, 1921  
April 6, 1921 – June 29, 1930  
ca. 1921  
ca. 1921  
September 19, 1920 – August 23, 1921  
ca. 1921  
ca. 1910-1925  
ca. 1921  
ca. 1921  
July 11, 1922 – August 14, 1923  
August 15, 1923 – May 1925  
June 23, 1923 – January 1925  
July 16, 1923 – June 22, 1933  
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July 12, 1888 – Nov. 4, 1920

July 12, 1888 – October 21, 1901  
October 24, 1901 – December 17, 1901  
January 3, 1902 – February 25, 1902  
March 7, 1902 – December 1, 1903  
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January 11, 1908 – November 9, 1908  
January 26, 1909 – August 2, 1909  
August 31, 1911 – September 22, 1911  
August 13, 1920 – November 4, 1920

Box 27 Katherine Chapin Higgins Correspondence to Sister Olive Higgins Prouty  
May 12, 1900 – March 22, 1923

May 12, 1900 – December 7, 1900  
January 7, 1900 – December 13, 1900  
September 19, 1900 – November 6, 1900  
January 3, 1901 – May 11, 1901  
June 3, 1901 – December 13, 1901  
January 6, 1902 – April 26, 1902  
May 10, 1902 – November 10, 1902  
November 11, 1902 – December 20, 1902  
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Box 28 Katherine Chapin Higgins Correspondence to Olive Higgins Prouty May  
13, 1900 – Dec. 9, 1902/ Aldus Higgins Correspondence to Olive Prouty  
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January 20, 1902 – December 9, 1902  
Miscellaneous Items  
No date  
No date  
Aldus Higgins to OHP October 22, 1901 – March 3, 1913

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January 3, 1901 – December 1, 1901  
January 4, 1902 – April 27, 1902

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Milton P. Higgins to Olive Higgins May 26, 1902 – December 15, 1902  
January 11, 1903 – May 4, 1903  
May 6, 1903 – October 23, 1903  
October 27, 1903 – December 21, 1903  
January 4, 1904 – February 5, 1906  
June 10, 1907 – December 9, 1909  
July 29, 1910 – September 5, 1910

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About Mrs. Milton P. Higgins  
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June 23, 1922 – [?] 1922  
January 20, 1924 – May 30, 1924  
July 9, 1924 – August 23, 1924  
October 1924 – May 1925  
Undated

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July 10, 1905 – September 25, 1905  
October 10, 1905 – December 18, 1905  
January 4, 1906 – December 8, 1906  
December 29, 1910 – July 29, 1914  
March 16, 1925 – May 5, 1925  
May 8, 1925 – December 2, 1925  
February 1, 1926 – February 23, 1927

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Sanford Riley letters to OHP May 1905  
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Box 34 Miscellaneous Correspondence to Olive Prouty Dec. 10, 1889 – June 11, 1907

Author Known

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March 12, 1904 – April 20, 1904  
April 29, 1904 – February 19, 1905  
January 7, 1907 – March 31, 1907  
April 1, 1907 – April 4, 1907  
April 5, 1907 – April 11, 1907  
April 11, 1907 – April 25, 1907  
April 25, 1907 – June 11, 1907

Box 35      Miscellaneous Correspondence to Olive Prouty: Author Known June 11, 1907 – 1952 and Author Unknown July 26, 1904 – 1954 both including No Date

Author Known

June 11, 1907 – April 2, 1926  
July 17, 1927 – November 7, 1927  
November 10, 1927 – November 27, 1927  
January 25, 1928 – February 6, 1928  
1941 – 1952  
No date  
No date

Author Unknown Misc.

July 26, 1904 – August 10, 1904  
August 19, 1904 – October 4, 1904  
October 7, 1904 – November 2, 1904  
November 7, 1904 – December 31, 1904  
January 9, 1905 – August 1, 1905  
May 23, 1907 – June 26, 1908  
March 2, 1908 – November 26, 1908  
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Olive Higgins [Prouty] Misc. Writings 1892 – 1901  
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Worcester Classical High School 1900 class day oration  
Work for English 13  
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Short Stories  
Short Stories  
Fragments

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Miscellaneous Poems and Short Stories  
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Manuscript – Bobbie, General Manager Typescript

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Manuscript – Original typescript of Stella Dallas (p 161-320)  
Manuscript – “Stella Dallas: A Play in Three Acts” by Gertrude Purcell  
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Manuscript – Stella Dallas dramatization for play by Gertrude Purcell and  
Harry Wagstaff Gribble (Version of January 28, 1924)  
Manuscript – Act Two of “Stella Dallas: A Play in Three Acts” by G.  
Purcell and H. W. Gribble (January 28, 1924 version)  
Manuscript – “Stella Dallas: A Play in Three Acts” by G. Purcell and H.W.  
Gribble  
Manuscript – Stella Dallas dramatization for play by G. Purcell and H.W.  
Gribble  
Manuscript – Stella Dallas dramatization for play by G. Purcell and H.W.  
Gribble – Act One

Manuscript – Stella Dallas dramatization for play by G. Purcell and H.W  
Gribble – Act Two

Box 40 Olive Higgins Prouty Papers: *Stella Dallas* Serializations,  
Correspondence, and Photos

Final Script of the Radio Serialization of Stella Dallas and related  
correspondence

English Magazine Serialization of Stella Dallas in “Picture Show”  
Set of 16 November 20, 1926 – March 5, 1927

Stella Dallas script radio

Stella Dallas Correspondence, December 28, 1922 – March 20, 1927

Stills from the 1925 Silent Movie version of Stella Dallas:

Belle Bennett as Stella

Stills from the 1925 Silent Movie version of Stella Dallas:

Lois Moran as Laurel

Photos of Loew’s Theatre in Boston, 1937, during showing of second  
movie version of Stella Dallas

Box 41 Olive Higgins Prouty Papers: *Stella Dallas* Manuscripts

Manuscript – First Draft of Stella Dallas Play

Manuscript – First Draft of Stella Dallas Play

Manuscript – First Draft of Stella Dallas Play

Manuscript – First Draft of Stella Dallas Play

Manuscript – First Draft of Stella Dallas Play

Manuscript – First Draft of Stella Dallas Play

Miscellaneous Fragments of Stella Dallas Playscript

Miscellaneous Fragments of Stella Dallas Playscript

Manuscript – Stella Dallas dramatization by G. Purcell and H.W.  
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Manuscript – Stella Dallas dramatization by G. Purcell and H.W  
Gribble – Act Three

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Typescript – Conflict – A play by O. H. Prouty & Harriet Ford

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Typescript – Conflict Act III

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Typescript – Conflict Unsigned copy Act I & II Xeroxed

Typescript – Conflict Unsigned copy Acts III & IV Xeroxed

Typescript – Conflict Working copy Acts II & I

Typescript – Conflict Working copy Acts I & II Xeroxed

Typescript – Conflict Working copy Acts III & IV  
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Conflict: The novel – Assorted Newspaper Clippings and 2 letters

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*Lisa Vale* – Galley Proof (as serialized in England)  
*Lisa Vale* – Galley Proof (as serialized in England)  
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Manuscript – *Our Town* Final Shooting Script
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Mary Wickes, Janice Wilson, Bette Davis, Paul Henried, Benita Granville,  
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 Manuscript – Original Fabia  
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The Norton's first plant, built in 1886  
The Worcester Polytechnic Institute  
Two Twenty-Eight before and after  
The family in 1893  
"The Buffeted Log" - young Olive  
"The Pampered Child" - young Olive  
Olive Higgins Prouty - College Graduation Photo  
Kathie Higgins  
Al Higgins  
John Higgins  
Bronze portrait in the entrance hall of the Worcester Boys Trade School  
Another friend of my youth [dog]  
"My favorite picture of their father"  
Olive Higgins Prouty's children Richard, Jane and Olivia  
Richard, Jane, Lewis, Hilary and Jonathan  
Olivia, William Mason Smith III and Coco  
Mason Smith

Ann, our new member  
 Wishingstone, before, during and after  
 The west terrace  
 Across the threshold, looking out onto west terrace  
 A room upstairs  
 Olive Higgins Prouty and Taupe  
 Greyshingles  
 The interior of the John Woodman Higgins Armory Museum  
 John Woodman Higgins  
 Clara Louise Carter Higgins  
 Aldus Chapin Higgins  
 Mary Greene Higgins  
 Katharine Higgins Riley  
 Edgenie Brosius Higgins  
 The clan in 1924 at One John Wing Road  
 The clan in 1959 in John's Armory  
 "Our Stormy Petrel"  
 Group I  
 Group I (blue cyanotype)  
 Group I of photos, follows page 112 in book  
 Group II  
 Group II of pictures, follows page 176 in book  
 Group III  
 Group III of photos, follows page 208 in book  
 Photos not used in Pencil Shavings  
 Negatives of photos not included in Pencil Shavings  
 \* Pencil Shavings Scrapbook  
 \* Copy of Proceedings of the Bostonian Society  
 Annual Meeting, January 16, 1940

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Box 59 Olive Higgins Prouty Papers: Various Loose Materials, "After 70" Fan Mail

Miscellaneous materials related to the transferal of collection to Goddard Library

Loose Materials From:

"Bobbie General Manager"

"Star in the Window"

"The Fifth Wheel"

After 70 Fan Mail, 1956-1971

Various Printings/Versions of poem : "After Seventy"

- Box 60      Olive Higgins Prouty Papers: Contracts and Reviews
- Stella Dallas 1937 Film Eleanor Roosevelt's editorial  
 Miscellaneous Stella Dallas materials  
 Various Published Magazine Articles  
 Stella Dallas – 1937 movie version Press Reviews  
 Anniversary report of literary work  
 Financial Reports of literary works 1909-1948  
 Contracts with Houghton Mifflin Co., for publication of “White Fawn”  
 and “Lisa Vale”  
 Contracts regarding OHP's publishing and adaptation of her work  
 July 8, 1915 – July 12, 1927  
 Contracts regarding OHP's publishing and adaptations of her work  
 April 3, 1928 – May 28, 1951
- Box 61      Olive Higgins Prouty Papers – Financial
- Curtis Brown  
 Hodder and Stoughton, Ltd.  
 Houghton Mifflin  
 Houghton Mifflin  
 Nutter, McClennan & Fish  
 Paul R. Reynolds  
 Romeike  
 Frederick A. Stokes  
 Miscellaneous Correspondence & Royalty Statements
- Box 62      Olive Higgins Prouty Papers – Financial
- Conflict May 24, 1927 – January 14, 1929  
 Donations to Children's Hospital & Smith College: Money earned from  
 Lisa Vale  
 Fabia  
 Harold Ober  
 Correspondence with Harold Ober Assoc. 1941 – 1949  
 Correspondence with Harold Ober Assoc. 1952 – 1961  
 Home Port  
 Lisa Vale  
 Lisa Vale – Dramatic & Picture  
 Lisa Vale – Serial
- Box 63      Olive Higgins Prouty Papers – Financial
- Now Voyager January 1939 – June 1941 (Ferris Greenslet,  
 Houghton Mifflin Co.)

Now Voyager July 1941 – July 1942  
Now Voyager Dramatic Picture October 1940 – January 1942  
Now Voyager Miscellaneous 1939 – 1941  
Now Voyager – Musical Stage Play – Misc. Correspondence  
September 1964 – November 1968

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Stella Dallas Play October 1922 – December 1923  
Stella Dallas Play January – December 1924  
Stella Dallas Play 1925 – 1953  
Stella Dallas  
OHP Fun in escrow Stella Dallas Play  
Stella Dallas radio Suit

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The American Magazine  
American Play Company  
Goldwyn Picture Corp.  
Inquiries about Screen & Publishing possibilities  
Mutual Film Corporation  
Miscellaneous Correspondence