John La Montaine (at far right) presents John F. Kennedy with score to From Sea to Shining Sea, op. 30, which had been commissioned for Kennedy’s inauguration ceremony, with Jackie Kennedy and Howard Mitchell (National Symphony Orchestra conductor) (1961). Photograph from John La Montaine Collection, Box 16, Folder 9, Sleeve 1.

John La Montaine and Howard Hanson during rehearsal with the Eastman Philharmonia in preparation for the performance of La Montaine’s Concerto for Piano and Orchestra, op. 9, at Carnegie Hall (November 1962). Photograph from ESPA 27-32 (8 x 10).
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Location: C3B 18.1–19.4
Extent: 33 linear feet

Biographical Sketch

[Image of John Maynard La Montaine]

John Maynard La Montaine (17 March 1920–29 April 2013) – La Montaine (also later LaMontaine), a native of Oak Park, Illinois, received early training in theory and composition in Chicago with Stella Roberts, Muriel Parker, and Margaret Farr Wilson (1935-38). In 1938, he entered the Eastman School of Music in Rochester, New York. There, La Montaine (BM 1942) studied composition with Bernard Rogers and Howard Hanson and piano with Max Landow. His first orchestral works were performed by the Eastman-Rochester Symphony under Dr. Hanson, who chose his Music for a Greek Play for a national broadcast in 1938. From 1942-46, La Montaine served with the US Navy, and, for a period of time, studied with Rudolf Ganz at the Chicago Musical College (1945). Following discharge from the Navy, La Montaine continued his studies in composition at the Juilliard School with Bernard Wagenaar and later with Nadia Boulanger at the American Conservatory in Fontainebleau (1952). Following World War II, La Montaine travelled extensively as a concert pianist, and, in 1950, he became pianist with the NBC Symphony under Arturo Toscanini (1950-54). Later, he taught composition at several major educational institutions: Eastman School of Music (1961, 1964-5), the American Academy in Rome (as Composer-in-Residence, 1962), The University of Utah (1968), North Texas State University, now the University of North Texas (1969); and Whittier College, where he was named Nixon Distinguished Scholar and holder of the Nixon chair in 1977.

In 1959, La Montaine received the Pulitzer Prize in Music for his Concerto for Piano and Orchestra, Op. 9, In Time of War, which had been commissioned for the National Symphony Orchestra by the Ford Foundation. Shortly after receiving the Pulitzer Prize, La Montaine was
commissioned by the Philip M. Stern Fund to write the first piece of music specifically for a presidential inauguration; his *Overture: From Sea to Shining Sea*, Op. 30, opened John F. Kennedy’s inauguration in 1961. Other awards and commissions include the Rheta Sosland Prize for Chamber Music (*String Quartet*, Op. 16); two Guggenheim Fellowships (1959, renewed for 1960); a Serge Koussevitzky Foundation Commission (*Flute Concerto*, Op. 48); an award from the American Academy of Arts and Letters (1962), which was accompanied by a grant to record his Piano Concerto; an Eastman School Distinguished Alumni Award (1972); and commissions from the William Inglis Morse Trust for Music (*Fragments from the Song of Songs*, Op. 29), the Repertory Dance Theater of Utah (*Incantation for Jazz Band*, Op. 39), the National Federation of Music Clubs (*Conversations*, Op. 42), the Hymn Society of America (Three Hymns and an Anthem), and several orchestras.

The compositions of John La Montaine include symphonic, chamber, ballet, opera, choral and solo works. His works have been performed by several major orchestras including the National Symphony Orchestra, the Boston Symphony, the Philadelphia Orchestra, the Chicago Symphony, the New York Philharmonic, the Los Angeles Philharmonic, and the San Francisco, Cincinnati and Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestras. He composed five operas, the central core being his trilogy of pageant-operas for Christmas: *Novellis, Novellis*, Op 31; *The Shephardes Playe*, Op. 38; and *Erode the Greate*, Op. 41; all of which were premiered in the Washington Cathedral. The second of the operas, *The Shephardes Playe*, was televised nationally by ABC (1967), and the telecast was awarded the 1969 Sigma Alpha Iota National Television Award. The *Wilderness Journal, Symphony for Bass-Baritone, Organ and Orchestra*, Op. 41, was commissioned by Mrs. Jouett Shouse and opened the second season at Kennedy Center to celebrate the dedication of the Filene Organ. In 1973, the Institute for the Arts and Humanistic Studies for the Pennsylvania State University commissioned La Montaine to compose a major work to commemorate the American Bicentennial in 1976. The resulting work, a Bicentennial opera, *Be Glad then America*, Op. 43, was premiered by Sarah Caldwell with the Pittsburgh Symphony and the Pennsylvania State University Choirs. A documentary on the creation of the opera was televised nationally on PBS in 1977 and rebroadcast in 1978.

In July 1975, together with the composer and pianist Paul J. Sifler (1911-2001), La Montaine founded Fredonia Press for the purpose of publishing exclusively the works of both composers. In 1977, they extended their successful enterprise by establishing Fredonia Discs.

John La Montaine died on April 29, 2014, at the age of 93 in his home in Los Angeles.

**Provenance**

The collection was a bequest from the late John La Montaine and was received by the Sibley Music Library in two installments in October 2015 and October 2016. The gift of the collection was facilitated by Mr. Peter Coster, Mr. La Montaine’s nephew and the executor of the John La Montaine Estate. Subsequently, in January 2017, the library received a small additional deposit of materials for the collection from Mr. Coster, consisting of a set of instrumental parts for the Concerto for Piano and Orchestra, op. 9 (which now comprise Box 52).
Scope and Content

The collection comprises the personal and professional papers of John La Montaine, including sketchbooks, manuscripts, fair copies, and published scores of his compositions, in addition to correspondence, concert programs, press clippings, photographs, and recordings. Also included in the collection are several items from Mr. La Montaine’s personal library, which features presentation copies of scores and items from his study collection.

Restrictions

There are no restrictions on the use of the materials of the John La Montaine Collection. Reproduction of its contents, however, will be provided to patrons only in accordance with the provisions of the United States Copyright Law (1976) and its revisions.

Associations

The Paul J. Sifler Collection contains additional materials produced by John La Montaine throughout his career including sketchbooks, manuscripts, published works, and recordings, as well as source materials from which the librettos of his Christmas Trilogy were constructed.

In addition, the Sibley Music Library houses a number of collections documenting the composition careers of Eastman School of Music alumni. Included among them are the collections of: Wayne Barlow (BM 1934, MM 1935, PhD 1937), William Bergsma (BA 1942, MM 1943), Gordon Binkerd (MM, 1941), Alexander Courage (BM, 1941), Homer Todd Keller (BM 1937, MM 1938), and Gardner Read (BM 1936, MM 1937).
DESCRIPTION OF SERIES

The John La Montaine Collection has been organized into seven major series: manuscripts and sketches, personal papers, correspondence, publicity and press materials, recordings, and oversized items. Further subdivisions of the series are indicated below.

The original organization of the items in the collection has been preserved as much as possible. La Montaine’s personal papers, correspondence, and press materials were received by the Sibley Music Library grouped in envelopes containing mixed formats under the following three headings: (1) notes regarding specific compositions, organized by opus number; (2) correspondence; and (3) programs, articles, and reviews, grouped by opus number. The original organization of the papers and their given headings have been preserved in the Collection’s series, sub-series, and/or folder headings. It is important to note that, as a result of preserving this organization, correspondence relating to specific compositions, commissions, and/or performances may be found in multiple locations, namely Series 2, sub-series B (Notes on composition projects), Series 3 (Correspondence), and Series 4, sub-series C (Programs, articles, and reviews).

**Series 1: Manuscripts and sketches**

This series contains sketches, drafts, fair and final copies, manuscript reproductions, and publishers’ imprints of works composed by John La Montaine throughout the scope of his compositional career. The series is subdivided into four sub-series:

**Sub-series A: Student works and sketches**

This sub-series is comprised of manuscripts and sketches dating from La Montaine’s undergraduate studies at the Eastman School of Music. Having no discernible chronology, the items in this sub-series have been organized alphabetically by title.

**Sub-series B: Mature works**

Compositions within this sub-series are organized sequentially by opus number.

**Sub-series C: Works with no opus number**

This sub-series contains La Montaine’s mature compositions that lack opus numbers. The bulk of this sub-series consists of pieces for voice and piano as well as instrumental chamber works.
Sub-series D: Sketches

This sub-series consists of La Montaine’s sketchbooks as well as assorted loose sketches and unidentified partial manuscripts and Ozalid masters.

*N.B. The music manuscripts in Series 1 are housed in storage containers appropriate to their respective dimensions. The varying dimensions of the scores, parts, and sketches throughout this series resulted in an inevitable discrepancy between the alphabetical or numerical (by opus number) organization of each sub-series and the numeric box order.*

Series 2: Personal papers

Sub-series A: Original writings

This sub-series contains hymn texts and poems, lectures, articles, and other writings by La Montaine.

Sub-series B: Notes on composition projects

This sub-series is comprised of materials relating to the composition and production of specific La Montaine compositions. The items in this sub-series are in a variety of formats, including composer’s notes, program notes, correspondence, libretti and texts. The material is organized sequentially by opus number, followed by unfinished compositions, which are arranged alphabetically by title.

Sub-series C: Pedagogical material

In this sub-series are assorted lecture notes and course materials from La Montaine’s personal papers.

Sub-series D: Ephemera

Items in this sub-series include: photographs; student documents; poems, hymns, and other texts by various authors; biographies, introductions, and notes about other musicians and colleagues; as well as other personal documents and items.

Series 3: Correspondence

This series of correspondence contains letters and documents of both a personal and professional nature. Within each sub-series, correspondence is foldered alphabetically by correspondent’s surname.

Sub-series A: Correspondence to/from John La Montaine
Sub-series B: Correspondence to/from Paul Sifler

Sub-series C: Other correspondents

Included among John La Montaine’s archived correspondence are several letters to and from correspondents other than Mr. La Montaine and Mr. Sifler. These items are primarily related to La Montaine’s professional activities, such as the production and performance of his works. Lucile Ward’s correspondence makes up a substantial portion of this sub-series.

Series 4: Publicity and press materials (organized by opus number)

This series is comprised of a variety of documents that chronicle Mr. La Montaine’s professional and personal activities. Prominent among papers are publicity items (including press clippings), concert and recital programs, and professional correspondence.

Sub-series A: Biographical information

Sub-series B: Resume and works lists

Sub-series C: Programs, articles, and reviews

This sub-series contains concert programs, newspaper articles, reviews, and other publicity materials and documents associated with John La Montaine, his compositions and professional activities, and performances of his works. The bulk of items in this sub-series were received by the RTWSC department in envelopes organized by opus number, and this arrangement has been preserved within the collection. Additional press materials and programs relating to La Montaine’s other professional activities are held in separate folders within the sub-series, and the original headings have been preserved in the folder headings. Within each folder, items are organized chronologically.

Sub-series D: Additional publicity materials

This sub-series includes serial publications from La Montaine’s personal archives that reference his compositions and professional activities as well as advertising materials and newsletters from publishing companies.

Series 5: Library

This series contains a portion of La Montaine’s collection of scores and books. Within each sub-series, the items are arranged alphabetically by author.

Sub-series A: Published literature
Sub-series B: Study scores

Sub-series C: Presentation scores

**Series 6: Audio-visual material**

This sub-series comprises John La Montaine’s library of sound recordings and audio-visual recordings of his own compositions, interviews, and other material. Reel-to-reel tape is the predominant format, although VHS cassettes are included as well. Each format has been assigned to its own sub-series. Within each sub-series, the recordings are arranged sequentially as follows: (1) recordings of a single composition by John La Montaine, arranged alphabetically by title; (2) recordings of multiple compositions by La Montaine, arranged alphabetically by the first title listed or title of album; (3) recordings containing compositions by other composers, often in addition to compositions by La Montaine, arranged alphabetically by the first title listed or title of album; (4) additional recordings, consisting of indeterminate material and spoken word recordings (such as interviews).

Sub-series A: 5” reels

Sub-series B: 7” reels

Sub-series C: 10 ½” reels

Sub-series D: 12” LPs

Sub-series E: Cassette tapes

Sub-series F: Compact discs

Sub-series G: Audio-visual cassettes

**Series 7: Oversized materials**

This series has been created for the ease of filing and is comprised of documents that require special housing consideration on grounds of their oversized dimensions. The individual items and folder entries are annotated with respect to the series and sub-series numbers from which the given documents were separated.

Sub-series A: Oversized manuscripts and sketches

Sub-series B: Other oversized documents
INVENTORY

Series 1: Manuscripts and sketches

Sub-series A: Student works and sketches

Box 1

Folder 1  
*Festival* (1938). For orchestra. 3 documents. Items include:
- Manuscript title page, in pencil, with note “1st orchestral work to be performed, Howard Hanson, cond.; Eastman Rochester Symphony, NBS National Broadcast 1939.” 1 p. of text.
- Accompanied by envelope labeled “La Montaine first orchestra pieces 1938 (incomplete).”

Folder 2  
*Dirge for Clytemnestra* (1938). For viola and orchestra. Instrumental parts (incomplete): solo viola, oboe, French horn, B flat trumpet violin I, violin II. Ozalid manuscript. 7 pp. of music.

Folder 3  

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Folder 5  
*Intermezzo and Scherzo* (1939). For violin and piano. 3 documents. Items include:
- Piano score. Manuscript in ink, with annotations in pencil and red pencil. 10 pp. of music.
- Facsimile of violin part. 4 pp. of music.
- Accompanied by envelope labeled “John La Montaine’s Student Works & Sketches while at Eastman School, 1938-1942.”

Folder 6  
*Scherzo*. For piano and orchestra (n.d.). Two piano reduction. Ozalid manuscript. 6 pp. of music.

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Folder 8  
Untitled sketches (1938-1942). Manuscript in pencil and ink. 4 pp. of music. Accompanied by note: “La Montaine Student works and sketches....” 1 p. of text.
Sub-series B: Mature works


Folder 12 Four Songs, Op. 2 (1950). For high voice, violin or flute, and piano. 6 documents. Items include:
- Full score. Ozalid manuscript. 1 p. of text, 16 pp. of music.
- Instrumental part. Ozalid manuscript. 5 pp. of music.


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Folder 2 Invocation, Op. 4. For voice and piano. Score. Ozalid manuscript, with annotations in blue pencil. 6 pp. of music.

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Folder 17  March from The Puppets (n.d.). Arranged for symphony orchestra. Full score. Ozalid manuscript. 8 pp. of music.


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Folder 5  Hoheslied [Songs of the Rose of Sharon], Op. 6. Song cycle for soprano and orchestra. Vocal part, with note “This setting of the German Biblical text made for Jessye Norman.” Ozalid manuscript. 11 pp.


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Folder 5  Concerto for Piano and Orchestra, Op. 9. Instrumental parts: bass (6 copies). Manuscript facsimiles, bound, marked “Galaxy Music Corp.,” with performance markings in pencil and colored pencil. 54 pp. of music, total.

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Folder 3  *Ode for Oboe and Orchestra*, Op. 11 (1952). 4 documents. Items include:
   - Title page. Ozalid manuscript. 1 p. of text.
   - Full score. Ozalid manuscript. 18 pp. of music.
   - Piano reduction. Ozalid manuscript. 7 pp. of music.
Instrumental parts: oboe solo (2 copies), flute I-II, clarinet I-II in A, bassoon I-II, horns I-IV, trumpet in C, trumpet (optional) in D, trombone, violin I-II, viola, cello, bass, timpani. Ozalid manuscript. 29 pp. of music.

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*Songs of the Nativity*, Op. 13. For alto or baritone solo, SATB chorus, piano, and bells. Full score. Ozalid manuscript. 14 pp. of music.

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Folder 1  *Jubilant Overture*, Op. 20 (1959). For symphony orchestra. 3 documents. Items include:

- Full score, with annotations in pencil and ink, marked “personal copy” and “has corrections.” New York: Carl Fischer, 1971. 40 pp.
- Errata list. Typescript, with annotations in pencil. 2 pp.


- Full score, with annotations in colored pencil. 40 pp.
- Instrumental parts, with performance markings in pencil: violin I (10 copies), violin II (10 copies), viola (8 copies), cello (7 copies), contrabass (5 copies), flute I-II (2 copies), piccolo, oboe I-II (2 copies), clarinet I-II in B flat (2 copies), bassoon I-II (2 copies), contrabassoon, horn I-II (2 copies), horn III-IV (2 copies), trumpet I in C, trumpet II-III in C (2 copies), trombone I-II (2 copies), bass trombone, tuba, timpani, percussion (2 copies), folio marked “Additional Parts A to B-B to C” (2 copies).
Box 3

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Folder 2  
*Colloquy for Strings*, Op. 21 (1964). 4 documents. Items include:
- Full score. Manuscript facsimile. 23 pp. of music.
- Full score (copies 2-3). Manuscript facsimile, bound, with annotations in pencil. 23 pp. 2 copies.
- Full score (copy 4). Manuscript facsimile, bound. 23 pp.

Folder 3  
*Colloquy for Strings*, Op. 21. 4 documents. Items include:
- Full score (copy 4), fair copy. 25 pp. of music.

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Folder 7  
*Colloquy for Strings*, Op. 21 (n.d.). Instrumental parts (set 4, marked “Rafael Durian Parts”): violin I (4 copies), violin II (3 copies), viola (3 copies), violoncello (2 copies), contrabass (1 copies). Manuscript facsimile, with annotations in pencil. 102 pp. of music.

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Folder 10  
*Wonder Tidings*, Op. 23. For SATB chorus, harp, organ, and percussion. 6 documents. Items include:
Percussion part. Manuscript facsimile. 12 pp. of music. 3 copies.

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Folder 3  *Wonder Tidings*, Op. 23. For SATB chorus, harp, organ, and percussion. 3 documents. Items include:

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Fragments from the Song of Songs, Op. 29 (n.d.). For soprano and orchestra. 4 documents. Includes:

- Manuscript note, in ink, listing contents of folio. 1 p. of text.
- List of comments and corrections on orchestral parts, in pencil, colored pencil, and ink, on letterhead for Dorian Records. 2 pp. of text.
- Unlabeled instrumental parts (incomplete). Manuscript facsimile, reverse printing. 8 pp.
Percussion part to movement VI (“I Sleep But My Heart Waketh”).
Manuscript facsimile. 2 pp.

Full score. Manuscript facsimile, bound, marked “Personal Copy,” with annotations in pencil, colored pencil and ink. 118 pp. of music.


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Instrumental parts: violin I (5 copies), violin II (3 copies), viola (3 copies), cello (3 copies). Manuscript facsimile.


Folder 4  Orchestral Interlude from *Fragments from the Song of Songs*, [Op. 29a]. For symphony orchestra. Full score. Ozalid manuscript. 9 pp. of music. Conductor’s score (incomplete). Ozalid manuscript. 4 pp. Instrumental parts: flute I-II; piccolo, English horn, and bassoon; oboe; clarinet I in B flat; violin I; violin II; viola; violoncello; contrabass; harp and piano; percussion. 13 pp.


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- List of vocal numbers, in pen. 2 pp. of text.
- Front matter. Typescript. 4 pp. of text.

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Folder 3  *Te Deum*, Op. 35 (1964). For SATB chorus and orchestra. 4 documents. Items include:
- Full score, marked “Personal Copy.” Manuscript facsimile, bound. 33 pp.
- Full score (copy 2), with inscription on front cover “For Irene Grafton Whaley.” Manuscript facsimile, bound. 33 pp.
- Full score (copy 3). Manuscript facsimile, bound. 33 pp.

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**Folder 8** *Three Psalms*, Op. 36. For solo voice, SATB chorus, and small orchestra (or organ). 5 documents. Items include:
- Title page for *Three Psalms* vocal score. Ozalid manuscript. 1 p. of text.

**Folder 9** *Three Psalms*, Op. 36. For solo voice, SATB chorus, and small orchestra (or organ). 3 documents. Items include:
- Conductor’s score (SATB and organ or orchestral reduction). Manuscript facsimile, bound, with annotations in colored pencil. 42 pp. of music.


**Box 5**


Folder 8  “The Lord is My Shepherd,” Op. 36, No. 2 (1963). For voice and piano or organ. 8 documents. Items include:
  Version for medium voice in B minor. Score. Manuscript facsimile. 4 pp. of music. 5 copies.


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Folder 16  *Wilderness Journal*, op. 41. Symphony for bass-baritone, organ, and orchestra. 4 documents. Items include:
- Ozalid composer’s notes, typescript. 2 pp. of text.
- Ozalid title page, typescript. 1 p. of text.
- Piano vocal score (incomplete): “In Wildness Is the Preservation of the World,” and “The World Is Gilded for My Delight.” Ozalid manuscript, marked “This is the first sketch—not used in completed score.” 9 pp. of music.
- Condensed score (1971). Ozalid manuscript. 85 pp. of music.

Folder 17  *Wilderness Journal*, op. 41. Symphony for bass-baritone, organ, and orchestra. 3 documents. Items include:
- Title page. Ozalid manuscript. 1 p. of text.
- Errata list. Ozalid manuscript. 2 pp.

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Folder 3  
- Songs from Part II. Condensed score. Manuscript facsimile, bound. 29 pp. of music.
- “In Wildness Is the Preservation of the World.” Condensed score. Manuscript facsimile. 6 pp. of music.
- “We need the tonic of wildness.” Condensed score. Manuscript facsimile, bound, with annotations in pencil and colored pencil. 7 pp. of music.
- “Little Brook.” Condensed score. Manuscript facsimile, bound. 5 pp. of music.
- “Spruce Swamp.” Condensed score. Manuscript facsimile, with annotations in colored pencil. 3 pp. of music.
- “Frogs.” Condensed score. Manuscript facsimile. 4 pp. of music.
- “I sit in my boat on Walden.” Condensed score. Manuscript facsimile. 4 pp. of music.
- “Cobwebs.” Condensed score. Manuscript facsimile. 2 pp. of music. 2 copies.
- “Silence.” Condensed score. Manuscript facsimile, with annotations in colored pencil. 4 pp. of music.
- “Ice Crystals.” Condensed score. Manuscript facsimile. 5 pp. of music.
- “Sunset.” Condensed score. Manuscript facsimile. 4 pp. of music.

Folder 4  
*Wilderness Journal*, Op. 41. Symphony for bass-baritone, organ, and orchestra. 5 documents. Items include:
- Title page. Typescript, on transparency. 1 p.
- Layout of front cover for printed score. 1 p.
- Layout of cover back for printed score. 1 p.

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   - Full score. Manuscript, in pencil and ink. 23 pp. of music.
   - Solo part. Manuscript facsimile. 7 pp. of music. 4 copies.
Solo part. Publisher’s imprint, with annotations in red pencil. 1 p. of text, 17 pp. of music.

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Folder 2  
*Be Glad Then America: Overture*, Op. 43. For symphony orchestra. Instrumental parts (violins): violin I (8 copies), violin II (7 copies). Manuscript facsimile, with performance markings in pencil, stamped “Rental Material, Paul J. Sifler.”

Folder 3  
*Be Glad Then America: Overture*, Op. 43. For symphony orchestra. Instrumental parts (low strings): viola (4 copies), cello (4 copies), bass (3 copies). Manuscript facsimile, with performance markings in pencil, stamped “Rental Material, Paul J. Sifler.”

**Box 6**

Folder 3  
*Overture: Be Glad Then America*, Op. 43. For symphony orchestra. 3 documents. Items include:
- Full score. Manuscript facsimile, with annotations in pencil and red pencil, marked “Performance notes.” 32 pp.

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Folder 5  
*Lexington Green*, Op. 43b. For band or orchestra. 3 documents. Items include:

Folder 6  
*Lexington Green*, Op. 43b. For band or orchestra. Instrumental parts: piccolo I-II (3 copies), flute I (2 copies), flute II (2 copies), oboe I-II (2 copies), clarinet in E flat, clarinet I in B flat (2 copies), clarinet II-III in B flat (5 copies), bass clarinet in B flat (2 copies), bassoon I-II (2 copies), alto saxophone I in E flat, alto saxophone II in E flat, tenor saxophone in B flat, baritone saxophone in E flat, cornet I in B flat, cornet II in B flat, cornet III in B flat, trumpet I in B flat,
trumpet II in B flat, trumpet III in B flat, horn I-II (2 copies), horn III-IV (2 copies), trombone I, trombone II-III (2 copies), baritone (bass clef), baritone (treble clef), tuba (3 copies), percussion (3 copies), bass. Manuscript facsimile.

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Folder 5  
*The Nine Lessons of Christmas*, Op. 44 (1975). For narrator, soloists, SATB chorus, harp, and percussion. 7 documents. Items include:
- Full score. Ozalid manuscript. 49 pp. of music.
- “A Boy Was Born.” Vocal score. Ozalid manuscript. 4 pp. of music. Harp part. Ozalid manuscript. 3 pp. of music.
- “Came He to a World Forlorn.” Vocal score. Ozalid manuscript. 4 pp. of music. Harp part. Ozalid manuscript. 2 pp. of music.
- “Gentle Jesus, Meek and Mild.” Vocal score (incomplete). Ozalid manuscript. 2 pp. of music.

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*The Nine Lessons of Christmas*, Op. 44 (1975). For narrator, soloists, SATB chorus, harp, and percussion. 4 documents. Items include:

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[Hymns from _The Whittier Service_]. 10 documents. Items include:

- “Dear Lord and Father” (1978). For SATB voices. Full score. Ozalid manuscript. 1 p. of music.
- “Ascent of Man” (1978). For SATB voices. Full score. Ozalid manuscript. 1 p. of music.
- “Immortal Love” (1978). For SATB voices and organ. Full score. Ozalid manuscript. 1 p. of music. 2 copies.
- “The Light, the Truth, the Way” (1978). For SATB voices. Full score. Ozalid manuscript. 1 p. of music.
- “Brotherhood” (n.d.). For two-part voices and organ. Full score. Ozalid manuscript 1 p. of music.

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[Hymns from _The Whittier Service_]. 22 documents. Items include:

- “The Light, the Truth, the Way” (1978). For SATB voices. Full score. Manuscript facsimile. 1 p. of music. 4 copies. Copies 1-3 have annotations in pencil and colored pencil.

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Folder 11  Concerto for Flute, Op. 48 (1980). 3 documents. Items include:
  - Piano reduction. Manuscript facsimile. 41 pp. of music.
  - Piano reduction (copy 2). Manuscript facsimile, with annotations in pencil, colored pencil, and ink, bound, marked “Personal Copy.” 41 pp. of music.
  - Piano reduction (copy 3). Manuscript facsimile, with annotations in pencil and colored pencil, bound, marked “Personal Copy.” 41 pp. of music.


Folder 16  Concerto for Flute, Op. 48. 3 documents. Items include:

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Folder 10  Concerto for Flute, Op. 48. Piano reduction, with alternate ending. Ozalid manuscript. 41 pp. of music.

Folder 11  Concerto for Flute, Op. 48. 3 documents. Items include:
  Errata list, in ink. 2 pp. of text.
  Solo part, alternative ending (p. 13). 1 p. of music.


Folder 13  Concerto for Flute, Op. 48. 3 documents. Items include:

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Folder 18  “Come Into My Garden.” Arranged for trombone. 5 documents. Items include:
Score (draft A). Typescript. 14 pp. of music.
music.
Score (draft B). Typescript. 17 pp. of music.
Score (draft D, incomplete). Typescript. 10 pp. of music.

Folder 19  “My Beloved, Let Us Go Forth,” Op. 49, No. 2. For flute and piano. Score and

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Folder 14  Two Scenes from the Songs of Solomon, Op. 49. Adapted from Fragments from
the Song of Songs, Op. 29. For flute solo, strings, piano, and percussion. Full
copies), violin II (8 copies), viola (6 copies), cello (6 copies), bass (4 copies),

manuscript, with annotations in colored pencil. 4 pp. of music.

Folder 16  “Come into My Garden,” [Op. 49, No. 1]. For flute and piano. Score and

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Folder 20  Symphonic Variations for Piano and Orchestra, Op. 50. 3 documents. Items
include:
Full score. Manuscript facsimile. 79 pp.
29 pp.
Instrumental parts (incomplete): percussion I-II. Manuscript facsimile. 16 pp.

Folder 21  Symphonic Variations for Piano and Orchestra, Op. 50. Title pages for
instrumental parts (incomplete): violin 2, contrabass. Ozalid manuscript. 2 pp. of
text.

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Folder 17  Symphonic Variations for Piano and Orchestra, Op. 50. Full score. Hollywood,
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Folder 3  *The Lessons of Advent*, Op. 52. Cantata for narrator, soloists, double chorus, oboe, trumpet, drums, handbell choir, harp, guitar, and organ. 4 documents. Items include:

Folder 4  *The Marshes of Glynn*, Op. 53 (1984). For bass, SATB chorus, and orchestra. 3 documents. Items include:
- Harp part (mvmt. IV), fair copy. Ink manuscript. 5 pp. of music.
- Harp part (mvmt. IV). Manuscript facsimile, with annotations in pencil and ink. 4 pp. of music.
- Harp part (mvmt. IV, incomplete). Manuscript facsimile. 2 pp. of music.

Folder 5  *The Marshes of Glynn*, Op. 53. For bass, SATB chorus, and orchestra. 4 documents. Items include:
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**Folder 3**  
Concerto III for Piano and Orchestra, Op. 55. Full score, with annotations in pencil and colored pencils, marked “This is the only copy with scenario suggestions for ballet.” Hollywood, CA: Fredonia Press, 1985. 78 pp. Full score


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Folder 9  “Entr’acte: Freedom has a Thousand Charms,” from *The Birth of Freedom*, Op. 58. Dramatic cantata for narrator, soloists, SATB chorus, and orchestra. 3 documents. Items include:
   - Typescript libretto for scene. 1 p. of text.
   - Piano vocal reduction. Manuscript facsimile. 6 pp. of music. 3 copies.

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Folder 15  Concerto IV for Piano and Orchestra, Op. 59. Errata list. 4 pp. of text.


Sub-series C: Works without Opus Numbers

Box 9
Folder 4  “Alleluja,” from Motet: Ex sultate, jubilate by W. A. Mozart (n.d.). Arranged for voice, flute or violin, and piano. Full score. Ozalid manuscript. 7 pp. of music.

Folder 5  “An Anthem, for Fast Day” (n.d.). Sketches, in ink. 3 pp. of music.

Folder 6  “Aryse up, Josoff” (n.d.). Four parts, for voice and accompaniment. Ozalid manuscript. 2 pp. of music.

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Folder 13  “Aryse up, Josoff” (n.d.). Four parts, for voice and accompaniment. Manuscript facsimile. 2 pp. of music.

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Folder 7  “As I Out Rode this End’res Night” (1966). For three voices (SAT). Vocal score. Ozalid manuscript. 1 p. of music. Full score (with percussion parts). Ozalid manuscript. 2 pp. of music.

Folder 8  “As I Out Rode this End’res Night” (1966). For three voices (SAT). Vocal score. Manuscript facsimile. 1 p. of music. Vocal score (copy 2). Manuscript facsimile, bound, printed with “Song I” in medieval notation, with note in ink on inside front cover. 2 pp. of music.


Folder 11  “Black is the Color of My True Love’s Hair” (n.d.). For medium voice and piano. Score. Ozalid manuscript. 2 pp. of music.

Folder 13  “Bright As the Morning Light”/“Can We Get Along.” For voice and piano. 3 documents. Items include:
        “Bright As the Morning Light.” Typescript score, with annotations in pencil. 3 pp. of music.
        “Can We Get Along” (1993). Typescript score. 3 pp. of music.

Folder 14  “A Child’s Prayer.” For voice(s) and accompaniment. Title page. Ozalid manuscript. 1 p. of text. Score. Ozalid manuscript. 2 pp. of music.

Folder 15  “A Child’s Prayer.” For voice(s) and accompaniment. 4 documents. Items include:
        Part for solo voice. Typescript. 1 p. of music. 2 copies.
        Instrumental part for piano or cello II. Typescript. 1 p. of music.

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Folder 16  Divertimento (n.d.). For piano and chamber orchestra. Full score (incomplete). Ozalid manuscript. 6 pp. of music.


Folder 18  Even Song (1962). For solo organ. 3 documents. Items include:
         Score. Typescript. 4 pp. of music.


Folder 20  Selections “For the Master Figure-Skaters of America” (n.d.). Unidentified instrumentation (3 staves). 4 documents. Items include:
         Score (incomplete, p. 1). Typescript. 1 p. of music.
         Score. Typescript. 28 pp. of music.
         Score (incomplete, “Grief for the Fallen”). 6 pp. of music.
Accompanied by envelope with movement titles.

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Folder 15  “For the Master Figure-Skaters of America” (n.d.). Unidentified instrumentation (3 staves). Score. Typescript. 41 pp. of music.

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Folder 22  *Gigue, from Capriccio for Piano and Orchestra* (n.d.). For symphony orchestra. Instrumental parts: flute, oboe, clarinet in B flat, bassoon, horn I-II, trumpet in B flat, trombone, violin I-II, viola, violoncello, double bass, timpani, piano. Ozalid manuscript. 21 pp. of music.

Folder 23  *Gigue, from Capriccio for Piano and Orchestra* (n.d.). For symphony orchestra. Instrumental parts: flute, oboe, clarinet in B flat, bassoon, horn I-II, trumpet in B flat, trombone, violin I (4 copies), violin II (3 copies), viola (2 copies), violoncello (2 copies), double bass (2 copies), timpani, triangle, piano. Manuscript facsimile. 37 pp. of music.

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Folder 17  “His Name” (n.d.). For voice and piano. Lyrics by Ralph Cain. Score. Manuscript facsimile, with annotations in pencil. 4 pp. of music.

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Folder 24  “Holiday Greeting” (n.d.). For voice(s) and piano. 3 documents. Items include:
   - Score, for voice and piano. Ozalid manuscript. 1 p. of music.
   - Score, for voice, zimbelsterne, chimes, tambourine, and bells. Ozalid manuscript. 1 p. of music.
   - Score, for three voices. Ozalid manuscript. 1 p. of music.

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|        | Interlude from the Song of Solomon (“Let my beloved come into the garden”) (n.d.). For symphony orchestra. 3 documents. Items include:  
|        | Full score. Manuscript facsimile, bound. 9 pp. of music.  
|        | Full score (incomplete, pp. 3-6). Manuscript facsimile. 4 pp. of music.  
|        | Conductor’s score. Manuscript facsimile. 3 pp. of music. |
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|        | “Je ne sais pas” (1947). For voice and piano. Score. Ozalid manuscript. 3 pp. of music. |
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|        | “Lully, Lulla” (n.d.). For SAB. Score. Ozalid manuscript. 2 pp. of music. |
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|        | “Merry Let Us Part and Merry Meet Again.” For SATB chorus and piano  
|        | Evanston, IL: Summy-Birchard Co., 1958. 6 pp. 5 copies. |
Folder 40  “My Country ‘Tis of Thee” (1952). For voice and piano. Score. Ozalid manuscript. 1 p. of music.


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Folder 43  “Novellis, Novellis, of Wondrfull Mervellys” (n.d.). For solo voice and piano. Score. Ozalid manuscript. 3 pp. of music.


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Folder 45  “Nuntium Pastoribus” (n.d.). For chorus, percussion, and bagpipe. Score. Ozalid manuscript. 3 pp. of music.


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Folder 3  “A Prayer for Evening.” For voice and accompaniment. 3 documents. Items include:
Score, for high voice and piano (1977). Ozalid manuscript. 3 pp. of music. Title page. Ozalid manuscript. 1 p. of text. Score, for medium voice and organ (n.d.). Ozalid manuscript. 3 pp. of music.

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“Let Us Lift Our Hearts This Day.” For SATB and organ. Score. Ozalid manuscript, with annotations in pencil. 1 p. of music.
“Lord, I Believe.” For SATB. Score. Ozalid manuscript. 1 p. of music.
“My Spirit Longeth for Thee.” For SATB. Score. Ozalid manuscript. 1 p. of music.
“On This Night.” For solo voice and accompaniment. Score. Ozalid manuscript. 1 p. of music.
“On This Night.” For SATB. Score. Ozalid manuscript. 1 p. of music.
“Saw You Never, in the Twilight.” For SATB and percussion. Score. Ozalid manuscript. 1 p. of music.
“This is the Day” (1977). For SATB. Score. Ozalid manuscript. 1 p. of music.

Folder 9  SATB Hymns, assorted (1977). Items include:
“Come, My Way.” For SATB. Score. Manuscript facsimile. 1 p. of music. 2 copies.
“Processional.” For unison voices, handbells, and drum. Score. Typescript. 1 p. of music.
“This is the Day” (1977). For SATB. Score. Typescript. 1 p. of music. 3 copies.


Folder 15  “Shall I Compare Thee to a Summer’s Day” (1962). For voice and piano. Score. Manuscript facsimile. 4 pp. of music. 4 copies. Copies 3-4 have annotations in pencil.

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Folder 22  “Shall I Compare Thee to a Summer’s Day” (1962). For voice and piano. Score. Ozalid manuscript. 4 pp. of music.


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Folder 16  “The Shepherds and the Kings” (n.d.). For SATB. Score. Ozalid manuscript. 2 pp. of music.

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Folder 17  “So Wiste I Never Non” (n.d.). For two voices. Score. Ozalid manuscript. 1 p. of music.

Folder 19  “Sour Wood Mountain” (n.d.). For medium voice and piano. Score. Ozalid manuscript. 2 pp. of music.

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Folder 27  “Symphony” (n.d.). Instrumental parts (incomplete): bassoon I-II. Ozalid manuscript. 1 p. of music.

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Folder 22  *Symphonic Encounter* (Paul J. Sifler). Arranged for organ and orchestra. 3 documents. Items include:

  - Full score, marked “Working copy.” Typescript. 32 pp. of music.
  - Instrumental parts (incomplete): clarinets I-II in B flat. 3 pp. of music.


Folder 27  “That Special Part of You.” For voice and piano. 19 documents. Items include:
- Full score (n.d.). Fair copy, incomplete. 1 p. of music.
- Full score (n.d.). Fair copy, in F minor. 2 pp. of music. 2 copies. Copy 1 has annotations in pencil.
- Full score (August 2004). Typescript. 4 pp. of music.


Folder 29  Three English Folk Songs. For voice and piano. Score. Ozalid manuscript. 1 p. of text, 7 pp. of music.


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Folder 33  Trio. For unspecified instruments (violin, cello, piano?) (n.d.). Score, incomplete. Ink manuscript, with annotations in pencil and red pencil. 1 p. of music.

Folder 34  Trio. For unspecified instruments (violin, cello, piano?) (n.d.). Score, incomplete. Ozalid manuscript. 2 pp. of music.


Folder 36  Trombone Quartet. 10 documents. Items include:
   Instrumental parts: trombone I (complete). 7 pp. of music. 3 copies.
   Instrumental parts (mvmt. 1 only): trombone II. 2 pp. of music.
   Instrumental parts (mvmt. 3 only): trombone III. 3 pp. of music. 2 copies.
   Score (2001), incomplete (mvmt. 1 only). Typescript. 4 pp. of music.

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Folder 41  *Wide Horizons* (n.d.). For trombone and piano. Items include:
- Score. Typescript, with annotations in pencil and ink. 12 pp. of music.
- Draft of score, incomplete (assorted pages). Typescript. 30 pp. of music.
- Score. Typescript. 11 pp. of music. 2 copies.
- Draft of score, incomplete (assorted pages). Typescript. 7 pp. of music.
- Draft of score, marked “Some good stuff,” incomplete (assorted pages). Typescript. 20 pp. of music.

*Sub-series D: Sketches*

**Box 11**

Folder 1  Sketchbook. On cover: “May 1945—First Sketch Book; Cello Sonata; When Morning Gilds the Skies; Songs of Nativity; Islanded in Thought; Rose of Sharon; Piano Quar.; Fugue; Toccata; Rose of Sh.” 70 pp.

Folder 2  Sketchbook. On cover: “Copy cats; Misc. sketches; Spreading News; Some Say; Happy Birthday; Fragments.” 68 pp.


Folder 5  Sketchbook. On cover: “Spreading News; Sonnets; full exc. incompl.; When to the Sessions; How like a winter; end of Not from Stars.” 24 pp.


Folder 8  Sketchbook. On cover: “Symphony; Fragments from Song of Songs; Sdre; for Symph, 3rd mvt.; slow vers. of Piano Scherzo with orch.” 40 pp.

Folder 9  Sketchbook. On cover: “Symphony; Violin Concerto Sketches; Fragments from Song of Songs.” 40 pp.

Folder 10 Sketchbook. On cover: “Song of Songs (see turned pages for other material).” 68 pp.


Folder 13 Sketchbook. On cover:” Even Song for Organ; Novellis, Op. 31; Fragments Interlude; Venice West.” 36 pp.


Folder 17 Sketchbook. On cover: “63; Novellis; Wonder Tidings; Birds of Paradise; Birds firs sketches; Venice West.” 54 pp.


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Folder 6  Sketchbook. On cover: “Scene V Shepherds; “For God is Made Thy Friend, now on this morne”; Woodwind Quartet.” 56 pp.
Folder 9  Sketchbook. On cover: “Earth is the Lord’s; Erode Act II Scene II.” 64 pp.
Folder 10 Sketchbook. On cover: “Mass; Erode; Mysterium; Natura; Erode end.” 36 pp.
Folder 11 Sketchbook. On cover: “Piano sketches; Wilderness Journal; Canons; In Wildness.” 34 pp.
     Sketchbook, without cover, marked “Wilderness Journal (Credo), also Whittier Service.” 32 pp.

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Folder 2  Sketchbook. On cover: “8 voice fugue; Be Glad Then.” 18 pp.
Folder 6  Sketchbook. On cover: “Hymns; Advent; Full.” 54 pp.

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Folder 2  Sketchbook. On cover: “Flute Concerto; Be Glad; Full.” 34 pp.
Folder 8  Sketchbook. On cover: “Ballet Masque, never completed material later used in Song of Songs, Dance Preludes for pian & others.” 40 pp.
Folder 11 Sketchbook. 12 pp.
Folder 12 Sketchbook. On cover: “From Sea to Shining Sea; Venice West; Novellis; Woodwind Quintet; Questioning.” 52 pp.
Folder 15 Assorted loose sketches and partial scores. Manuscript sketches, manuscript facsimiles, and typescript drafts. 88 pp.
Folder 16 Assorted partial scores (unidentified). Ozalid manuscript. 14 pp.

Series 2: Personal papers

Sub-series A: Original writings

Box 15

Folder 1  Hymn texts and poems. 7 documents. Items include:
    Hymn: “A Precious Stone”; typescript. 2 copies.
    Selections from The Collected Poems of John La Montaine: Jimmy Lobotimus, Diatonic Dittymunch; typescript. 1 p. of text.
    Three untitled poems: “I am a little baby...”; “Lullaby Colas my little brother...”; “Beside my blond...”; manuscript facsimile. 1 p. of text.
    Draft of untitled poem: “I am just a little boy...”, typescript, with annotations in pencil. 1 p. of text.
    Untitled hymn: “From darkest earth...”; manuscript, with annotations in pencil. 1 p. of text.
    Poem: “O Lull the Pain Away”; typescript, on personal letterhead. 1 p. of text.
Folder 2  Lecture “What a Composer Hopes for from Performers.” 3 documents. Items include:
   Manuscript draft of lecture in pencil. 1 p. of text.
   Draft of lecture, typescript, with annotations in pen. 8 pp. of text.
   Second draft of lecture, typescript, with annotations in pen. 5 pp. of text.

Folder 3  Materials for Symposium Lectures “Steps to Creativity.” Manuscript and typescript notes. 75 pp. of text. Accompanied by envelope labeled “Steps Toward Creativity ’76.”

Folder 4  Articles, lectures, and other writings. 12 documents. Items include:
   Untitled notes in pencil and blue pencil. 28 pp. of text.
   “New and Old Precepts for Composers,” typescript. 2 pp. of text.
   Draft of “New and Old Precepts for Composers,” typescript. 4 pp. of text.
   Draft of “Do We Need a New National Anthem?” typescript, with emendations in ink. 2 pp. of text.
   Draft of “Do We Need a New National Anthem?” typescript, with emendations in pencil. 2 pp. of text.
   Notes about Larry King’s suggested initial topics for discussion, typescript, with annotations in pencil. 3 pp. of text,
   Untitled notes about creativity, in ink. 2 pp. of text.
   Untitled notes, in pencil. 2 pp. of text.

Sub-series B: Notes on composition projects


Folder 10  *Jubilant Overture*, Op. 20. Facsimile of typescript program notes including information about the composer, the music, and performance notes. 1 p. of text. Facsimile of typescript composer’s notes, on personal letterhead. 1 p. of text.


Folder 12  *Spreading the News*, Op. 27. 11 documents. Items include:

- Letter from the Mechanical-Copyright Protection Society Ltd. to Paul J. Sifler; typescript, on professional letterhead; dated February 2, 1956.
- Letter from the Mechanical-Copyright Protection Society Ltd. to John La Montaine; typescript, signed in ink, on professional letterhead; dated April 1, 1959.
- Letter from John La Montaine to Earl of Longford; typescript, with annotations in ink and pencil; undated.
- Letter from Longford Productions to John La Montaine; typescript, signed in ink; dated May 15, 1958.
- Letter from Amharclann na Mainstreach (Abbey Theatre, Dublin) to John La Montaine; typescript, signed in ink; dated May 27, 1958.
- Draft of letter from John La Montaine to Mrs. Gough; typescript, signed in ink; dated July 24, 1958.
- Letter from Amharclann na Mainstreach (Abbey Theatre, Dublin) to John La Montaine; typescript, signed in ink; dated October 1, 1958.
- Letter from Rea Moorery to John La Montaine; ink manuscript; dated July 4, 1960.

Folder 13  *Fragments from the Song of Songs*, Op. 29. Typescript composer’s notes, on professional letterhead. 1 p. of text. Facsimile of *The Song of Solomon*, with annotations in ink; text used for Fragments highlighted in yellow and orange. 16 pp. of text.

Folder 14  *Novellis, Novellis*, Op. 31. 14 documents. Items include:

Excerpts from pageant plays, in French. Typescript, on Queens College letterhead. 2 pp. of text.
Excerpts from assorted pageant plays. Typescript, with annotations in ink, pencil, and colored pencils. 20 pp. of text.
Draft of *Novellis, Novellis* libretto. Typescript, with annotations in ink, pencil, and colored pencils. 19 pp. of text.
Notes on libretto. Typescript and pencil manuscript, with annotations in pencil. 2 pp. of text.
Correspondence with Dr. Hardin Craig, University of Missouri. 3 items: Hardin Craig to John La Montaine; typescript, signed in ink; dated February 16, 1961. John La Montaine to Hardin Craig, 2 letters; typescript; undated.
Notes on medieval English pronunciation, ink manuscript, on Cordon Press letterhead. 1 p. of text.
Notes on “Medieval Musical Idioms in Novellis,” in pencil, 7 pp. of text.
Notes on production, in pencil and ink, 7 pp. of text.
*Novellis, Novellis* libretto. Typescript, with annotations in ink. 32 pp. of text.

**Folder 15**  
*Birds of Paradise*, Op. 34. 4 documents. Items include:
- Draft of letter to M. Szell, pencil manuscript, undated. 2 pp. of text.
- Draft of letter to Dr. Mahler, pencil manuscript, dated June 3, 89. 3 pp. of text.
- Drafts of composer’s notes, pencil manuscript. 9 pp. of text.
- Typescript composer’s notes. 2 pp. of text.

**Folder 16**  
*Te Deum*, Op. 35. Notes on Latin text and translations, in pencil, with annotations in pencil, colored pencils, and ink. 6 pp. of text.

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*Erode the Greate*, Op. 40. Typescript synopsis. 3 pp. of text. Typescript libretto, with annotations in ink and colored pencils. 31 pp. of text.
Folder 22  
*Wilderness Journal*, Op. 41. 3 documents. Items include:
- Specifications for the Filene Memorial Organ, Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts. 3 pp. of text.
- Typescript copy of texts. 2 pp. of text.
- List of performers participating in recording of Wilderness Journal, October 10, 1972, typescript, on Fredonia Discs letterhead. 2 pp. of text.

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Folder 24  
*The Whittier Service*, Op. 45. 3 documents. Items include:
- Typescript program notes with German translations of hymn texts. 5 pp. of text.
- Typescript composer’s notes. 1 p. of text.
- Notes for lecture on The Whittier Service, typescript, with annotations in ink. 2 pp. of text.

Folder 25  
Concerto for Flute, Op. 48. 3 documents. Items include:
- “Biography of the La Montaine Flute Concerto,” typescript, on Fredonia Press letterhead. 2 pp. of text.
- Facsimile of excerpt from unidentified letter, labeled “Flute Concerto Program Notes?” in ink. 1 p. of text.
- Typescript composer’s notes. 1 p. of text.

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*In Praise of Britain’s Queen and Elgar’s Enigma*, Op. 63 (Solutions to Elgar’s “Enigma”). 6 documents. Items include:

Draft of letter to Simon Rattle, in pencil. On reverse, letter from Pearl Yeadon-Erny to John La Montaine, typescript, signed in ink, on personal letterhead, dated May 28, 1981.


Manuscript notes, in ink and pencil. 3 pp. of text.


Program to The Los Angeles Philharmonic concert, December 5, 1974.

Typescript “Elgar Notes.” 11 pp. of text.

Typescript “Notes on Elgar’s Enigma Variations,” with annotations in pencil. 1 p. of text.

Music sketches titled “Elgar’s Enigma Solved.” 3 pp. of music.

Notes on Elgar, *Enigma Variations*, and *In Praise of England’s Queen*.

Typescript and manuscript notes. 45 pp. of text.

Publisher advertisement for *In Praise of England’s Queen and Elgar’s Enigma* (Fredonia Press). 2 pp. of text.

**Folder 29**

*The Black Masque* (unfinished). Typescript scenario, with annotations in pencil. 2 pp. of text. Facsimile of typescript scenario. 2 pp. of text.

**Folder 30**

*The Lance of Kanana* (unfinished). Typescript list of characters and scenario, with annotations in pencil. 3 pp. of text. Typescript libretto, with emendations in pencil and pen. 19 pp. of text.

**Folder 31**

*Of Wondrfull Marvellys*. Notes and correspondence. 6 documents. Items include: Correspondence with Ernest Simpson, director of the City of Coventry Libraries, Art Gallery and Museums Department. 1 item. Ernest Simpson to John La Montaine, typescript, signed in ink, on professional letterhead, dated July 8, 1960.


Correspondence with Wayne Dirksen. 2 items. Wayne Dirksen to John La Montaine, typescript with annotations in ink, signed in ink, on professional letterhead, dated November 29, 1962. Accompanied by typescript “Comment on *Of Wonderfull Marvellys*” with annotations in red and blue ink. 2 pp. of text.
Typescript acknowledgements. 1 p. of text.

Folder 32  Of Wondrfull Marvellys. Libretto. 4 documents. Items include:
Draft of libretto, typescript, with emendations in ink. 20 pp. of text.
Revised draft of libretto, typescript, with annotations and emendations in pencil and ink. 39 pp. of text.
Typescript cast of characters. 1 p. of text.
Accompanied by envelope labeled “Libretto of ‘Of Wondrfull Marvellys’...”

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Folder 1  Sheba (unfinished). Notes and correspondence. 19 documents. Items include:
Correspondence with Dr. Rivkah Scharf Kluger. 2 items. John La Montaine to Dr. Rivkah Scharf Kluger, typescript, dated January 9, 1968. Rivkah Schärf Kluger to John La Montaine, typescript, signed in ink, on personal letterhead, dated January 13, 1968.
List of questions for Dr. Kluger. Typescript, on John La Montaine letterhead, with annotations in ink. 2 pp. of text.
Bibliography from “The Queen of Sheba in Bible and Legends” by Rivkah S. Kluger. Manuscript notes. 2 pp. of text.
Correspondence with Jim Durbin. 1 item. Jim Durbin to John La Montaine, typescript, signed in ink, on University of Southern California letterhead, undated.
Correspondence with the officials in the Imperial Ethiopian Government. 5 items. John La Montaine to Haile Selassie I, facsimile of typescript letter, dated November 4, 1969. John La Montaine to Admassu Badima (Assistant Minister), typescript, on personal letterhead, dated June 15, 1970. Lionel S. Mosley to John La Montaine, typescript, signed in ink, on letterhead for the United States Information Agency, dated June 17, 1970. Yohannes Kidane Mariam (Private Secretary to His Imperial Majesty) to John La Montaine, facsimile of typescript letter, on professional letterhead, dated July 31, 1970. Getachew Mekasha (Minister of State) to John La Montaine, typescript, signed in ink, on professional letterhead, dated October 5, 1970.
“An Opera for Jessye Norman.” Typescript, signed by John La Montaine. 2 pp. of text.
Assorted notes. Manuscript and typescript. 14 pp. of text.
Folder 2  Sheba (unfinished). Print materials and references. 5 documents. Items include:
  Press clippings. 2 items.

Sub-series C: Pedagogical material

Folder 3  Notes from University of Utah guest lecture on 20th-century music (Spring 1967). 3 documents. Items include:
  Memo from Powell Durham, typescript, signed in ink, on University of Utah Department of Music message pad, dated April 18, 1967. 1 p. of text.
  Accompanied by list of possible questions for discussion, typescript. 2 pp. of text.
  Memo from Jerry Call, typescript, undated. 1 p. of text.
  Typescript notes from La Montaine lecture, by Jerry Call. 2 pp. of text.

Folder 4  Pedagogy of Music Theory course materials. 4 documents. Items include:
  Lecture notes, typescript. 18 pp. of text.
  Notes on writing a fugue, in pencil. 1 p. of text, 1 p. of music.
  List of “Miscellaneous advice on fugue writing,” typescript, on John La Montaine letterhead. 2 pp. of text.
  Lecture outline, in ink and pencil. 6 pp. of text.
  Notes on “Palestrina Style,” compiled by Gustave Fredric Soderlund, typescript. 5 pp. of text.

Folder 5  Rudolf Ganz’s notes on Brahms. Manuscript facsimile. 8 pp. of text.
  Accompanied by envelope marked “Rudolf Ganz’s notes on Brahms.”

Folder 6  Miscellaneous teaching notes. Includes typescript and manuscript notes. 55 pp. of text. Unidentified press clipping. 1 p. of text.

Sub-series D: Ephemera

Folder 7  Photograph of John La Montaine, undated. 4 B/W prints: 2 – 8” x 10”; 2 – 4.5” x 6.5”, mounted on 9” x 12.75” mat board. Accompanied by envelope marked “JLM Photos by Wilton? JLM’s brother.”

Folder 8  Photographs and negatives from productions of La Montaine’s pageant operas. 5 photographs, 3 pages of negatives printed on photo paper.
1. Photograph of rehearsal, B/W, 8” x 10”. Photo by Frank Taylor, Municipal Art Department, Bureau of Music, Los Angeles, CA.
2. Photograph of John La Montaine and unidentified boy with sheep, B/W, 8” x 10”. Photo by Frank Taylor, Municipal Art Department, Bureau of Music, Los Angeles, CA.
3. Photograph from unidentified production, B/W, 8” x 10”. Photo by Rotschild Photo, Los Angeles, CA.
5. Photograph of performance of *Novellis, Novellis*, Pasadena Presbyterian Church, B/W, 8” x 10”. Unattributed.

3 contact sheets containing images from unidentified production (print from negatives), B/W, 8.5” x 11”. Photos by Peter B. Troxell, dated December 6, 1968.

Folder 9

Other photographs. 4 photographs.

- Photograph of Howard Mitchell, John F. Kennedy, Jackie Kennedy, and John La Montaine, from the Inaugural Concert, 1961. 1 B/W photograph, 8” x 10”. Unattributed.
- Photograph of Howard Mitchell, John F. Kennedy, Jackie Kennedy, and John La Montaine, from the Inaugural Concert, 1961. 1 B/W photograph, 8” x 10”. Unattributed.
- Photograph of display for “The Creative Process: John La Montaine, Session III.” 1 B/W photograph, 8” x 10”. Photo by Rick Corrales, Norwalk, CA.

Folder 10

*Tabula*: [literary magazine] *published semi-annually by the students of the Oak Park and River Forest Township High School* (December 1937). Includes “Ode” by John La Montaine.

Folder 11

Student documents from the Eastman School of Music. 5 documents. Items include:

- Facsimile of scholarship letter from Howard Hanson, typescript, on Eastman School of Music letterhead, dated July 6, 1939.
- Facsimile of letter to John La Montaine from Margaret Neville (Executive Secretary, Family Welfare Association, Oak Park, IL), typescript, undated.
- Letter to John La Montaine from Charles [illegible], typescript, signed in ink, on Eastman School of Music letterhead, dated January 21, 1942.

Folder 12


Folder 13

Poems, hymns, and other texts by various authors. Mixed formats: typescript, manuscript, printed cards, and clippings. 30 pp.
Folder 14  Documents pertaining to the 1994 Pulitzer Prize Music Jury. Items include:
  Letter to John La Montaine from the Office of the Administrator of the
  Pulitzer Prize Board, typescript, on professional letterhead, dated October
  15, 1993. 1 p. of text (missing p. 2 of letter). Accompanied by list of
  members of the 1994 Pulitzer Prize Nominating Jury in Music. 1 p. of text.
  Letter to Music Jury members from Betsy Mahaffey, typescript, on
  professional letterhead, dated September 21, 1993.
  Printout of list of Pulitzer prizes in music from
    www.minotaurz.com/minotaur/articles/pulitzer.html (accessed June 11,
  Manuscript notes, in pencil and ink. 5 pp. of text.
  Letter to John La Montaine from Seymour Topping (Administrator, The
  Pulitzer Prizes), typescript, signed in ink, on professional letterhead, dated
  April 18, 1994.
  Accompanied by envelope marked “JL as judge for 1994 Pulitzer Prize,” with
  additional notes.

Folder 15  Notes on Ravel’s Gaspard de la Nuit. 4 documents. Items include:
  List of printing or editing errors, in pencil. 3 pp. of text.
  Facsimile of list of printing or editing errors. 3 pp. of text.
  Assorted notes on and translations of poems from Aloysius Bertrand, Gaspard
    de la Nuit, manuscript and typescript. 7 pp. of text.

Folder 16  Biographies, introductions, and notes about other musicians. 8 documents. Items
  include:
    Nadia Boulanger: reminiscences about studies with Boulanger, typescript. 2
      pp. of text.
    Michael Charry: biographical sketch for Fredonia Records, typescript. 1 p. of
      text.
    Harold Daugherty: draft of recommendation letter, typescript, on John La
      Montaine letterhead. 1 p. of text.
    Rudolph Ganz: reminiscences about studies with Ganz, typescript, signed in
      ink by John La Montaine.
    Merle Montgomery: biographical sketch, typescript. 3 pp. of text.

Folder 17  Documents pertaining to Catherine Filene Shouse Celebration, June 9, 1995.
  Reminiscences by G. William Miller, typescript. 3 pp. of text. Catherine Shouse
  vita, typescript. 5 pp. of text.

Folder 18  ASCAP Title Registration Forms for recordings of John La Montaine
  compositions to be published by Fredonia Discs. 27 pp.
Folder 19  Other personal documents and items. Items include:
Concert program for Chicago Symphony Orchestra, January 22, 1935, with annotations in ink.
Certificate from the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution in recognition of the commissioning and production of Be Glad, Then, America.
Itinerary for John La Montaine, dated November 24, 1964. 2 pp. of text.
Handout from presentation “Structure and Style in Three Flute Works of John La Montaine.” Unattributed. 7 pp.
Invitation from the National Federation of Music Clubs to concert dated October 18, 1985. 1 p.
Manuscript note about Allan Travis recital. 1 p.
Excerpt from stereo manual. 6 pp.
Manuscript note about using Finale. 1 p.
Pamphlet on Sibley Music Library. 6 pp.
Clipping of “Broom-Hilda” cartoon, laminated.

Box 51

Folder 1  Photographs of John La Montaine, unattributed, undated. 8 B/W photographs, 8” x 10”.

Folder 2  Photograph of the Washington Cathedral, unattributed, undated. Inscription on reverse from the “Orgelmakers.” 1 photograph.


Folder 4  Printouts of library catalog records for Nightwings (motion picture). Printout of search on WorldCat. 3 pp. of text. Printout of catalog record from the New York Public Library. 1 p. of text.
Series 3: Correspondence

Sub-series A: Correspondence to/from John La Montaine

Box 17

Folder 1  “A.” 19 letters.
Correspondents represented: Arthur Aaron (General Manager, American Symphony), Maurice Abravanel (Conductor, Utah Symphony Orchestra), Kurt H. Adler (per pro. Ann Farris, Administrative Assistant), Peter Herman Adler (Music Director, National Education Television Opera), Samuel H. Adler (Eastman School of Music), Constance M. Anderson (Rights Clearance Division, United States Information Agency), Garland Anderson, Gordon G. Andrews (President, Stand Co., Inc.), Gerald Arpino (The Joffrey Ballet), Arthur Austin (New York Office of Information, Department of the Air Force; Broadcasting and Film Commission, National Council of the Churches of Christ).

Folder 2  William Allison. 16 letters. Includes:
John La Montaine to William Allison. 2 letters (1 typescript, 1 on personal letterhead). Dated November 18, 1976; August 8, 1979.
William Allison to Dan Mallinger (bcc: John La Montaine). 1 letter (typescript, on letterhead for the Pennsylvania State University Institute for the Arts and Humanistic Studies). Dated December 2, 1977.

Letter from William Allison to John La Montaine (undated) accompanied by:
John C. Hall, Jr. (Assistant National Executive Secretary, AFTRA). 1 letter (typescript). Dated March 9, 1978.

Letter from William Allison to John La Montaine (dated June 16, 1978) accompanied by:

Letter from William Allison to John La Montaine (dated November 22, 1978) accompanied by:

Letter from William Allison to John La Montaine (dated April 24, 1978) accompanied by:

William Allison to Dan Mallinger (Executive Secretary, AFTRA). 1 letter (typescript, on letterhead for the Pennsylvania State University/Institute for the Arts & Humanistic Studies). Dated December 2, 1977.

Letter from William Allison to John La Montaine (dated January 30, 1979) accompanied by draft budget for producing 2000 record albums of Be Glad Then America.


Folder 3 ASCAP officials and committees. 9 documents. Includes:
John La Montaine to ASCAP. 1 letter (typescript, on personal letterhead). 1 undated.
Stanley Adams (President, ASCAP) to John La Montaine. 1 telegram. Dated May 5, 1959.
Nicholas Arcomano (ASCAP) to John La Montaine and Paul Sifler. 1 letter (typescript, on letterhead for ASCAP). Dated January 8, 1970.
ASCAP Panel for Standard Awards to John La Montaine. 1 letter (typescript, on letterhead for ASCAP). Dated August 14, 1981.
Dodie Lefebre (Concert Division, ASCAP) to John La Montaine. 1 letter (typescript, on letterhead for ASCAP). Dated April 2, 1984.
John La Montaine to ASCAP Awards Committee. 1 letter (typescript, on personal letterhead). Dated May 1, 1997.

Folder 4 “B (Badima—Belisle).” 27 letters.
Correspondents represented: Wilfred C. Bain (Dean, Indiana University School of Music), Robert S. Baker (Director, Union Theological Seminary), Richard Bales (Conductor, National Gallery Orchestra), Mr. and Mrs. Stuart S. Ball (President, The Chicago Symphony Orchestral Association), Ian Ballantine (Ballantine Books, Inc.), Stanley Ballard
(Editor, *International Musician*), Barbara Ballinger (Head Librarian, Oak Park Public Library), Wayne Barlow (Associate Dean, Eastman School of Music), John Barnett, Richard F. Barry (President, Board of Directors, San Francisco Boys Chorus), William Bausano (Colloquium Committee, University of Southern California), Robert Baustian; John W. Becker (Conductor, Lutheran Chorale of Buffalo), Blanche H. Bedwell (President, Women’s Committee for the National Symphony Orchestra), Jack Beeson (Advisory Committee of the Alice M. Ditson Fund, Columbia University), Dave Begnoche, Carl Beier, John M. Belisle (Southwest Texas State University).

**Folder 5**

Correspondents represented: Melvin H. Berger, Leonard Bernstein (per pro. Helen Coates, Secretary to Leonard Bernstein; per pro. Robert B. Browne, Assistant to Leonard Bernstein); Michael Bielski (Buffalo Philharmonic), Paul Billeter, Larry G. Biser (Organist and Choirmaster, East Congregational Church), Jan Blankenship (Recording Department, Eastman School of Music), Theodore R. Bledsoe (President, Washington Cathedral Choral Society), Marc Blitzstein (Chairman of the Committee on Grants for Music, National Institute of Arts and Letters), Marion Bard Boand (President, Contemporary Concerts, Inc.), John Boerner (Coordinator of Publications, Carl Fischer, Inc.), Jorge Bolet, Mario di Bonaventura (G. Schirmer), Joan Bonime (New York Philharmonic), Arthur R. Borden (Chairman, Humanities Division, New College), J. R. Bott (Director, Classical Division, Mercury Record Productions, Inc.), Harold Boxer (Head, Music Division, Voice of America).

**Folder 6**

“B (Bragg—Brunelle).” 19 letters.
Correspondents represented: George Bragg (Director, Texas Boys Choir of Fort Worth; per pro. Saranell Kimbrough, Executive Secretary), Saranell Kimbrough (Executive Secretary to George Bragg), Martha Braden, H. Myron Braun (Editor, *Music Ministry*), Frank Brieff, Arnold Brostoff, Harry John Brown, Raymond Brown (Pennsylvania State University; Penn State Singers), Philip C. Brunelle (Music Director, Center Opera of Minnesota).

Letter from Martha Braden to John La Montaine accompanied by:
- Typescript score to John La Montaine, “The Giant Has a Hobby Horse.” 2 pp. of music.
- Typescript list of publisher copyright information and credits for pieces included in *A Pocketful of Music: Classics Composed for Children 1730-2002*. 5 pp. of text.
- Flyer advertising release of *A Pocketful of Music* anthology. 1 p. of text.
- Cover artwork. 2 pp.
Folder 7  “B (Bryan—Byrd).” 25 letters.
Correspondents represented: Karen Bryan (Bryan and Keys Duo, University of Michigan), Keith Bryan (Bryan and Keys Duo, University of Michigan), Robert Bryan, Elizabeth Buccheri (Music Director, North Park Chamber Players), Frederick Beuchner [sic Buechner] (School of Divinity, Yale University), Ethel M. Bullard (National Editor, Sigma Alpha Iota), James P. Buonemani (Organist and Music Director, Saint James’ Church), John N. Burk (Boston Symphony Orchestra), Claudia Burns (WGMS Program Director), Neil Butterworth, William Byrd (Conductor, Lima Symphony Orchestra).

Letter from Keith Bryan to John La Montaine (dated December 17, 1978) accompanied by:

  Melinda C. Ostrander to Editor, Music at Michigan, Office of Development and School Relations. 1 letter (typescript). Dated December 5, 1978.

Folder 8  William Ballard. 7 letters. Includes:

  William Ballard to John La Montaine. 7 letters (7 typescript, 1 on letterhead for Northwestern University, 4 on letterhead for San Francisco Boys Chorus, 2 on letterhead for Singing Boys of San Francisco Bay). Dated November 13, 1965; September 11, 1978; November 9, 1982; May 24, 1983; November 8, 1983; September 17, 1986; January 6, 1987.

Folder 9  Nadia Boulanger. 11 letters. Includes:

  Nadia Boulanger to John La Montaine. 8 letters (7 ink manuscript, 1 typescript, 2 on personal letterhead, 4 on letterhead for Écoles d’Art Américaines, 1 on letterhead for Southern Illinois University), 1 telegram. Dated March 10, 1955; May 26, 1955; September 30, 1955; October 15, 1955; August 19, 1956; May 24, 1958; May 10, 1959; January 13, 1963; January 27, 1967.
  John La Montaine to Nadia Boulanger. 2 letters (2 typescript, 2 on personal letterhead). Dated June 14, 1955; 1 undated.

Folder 10  Leon Breeden. 8 letters. Includes:

  John La Montaine to Leon Breeden. 2 letters (2 typescript, 2 on personal letterhead). Dated November 14, 1968; December 8, 1971.
Folder 11  Broude Brothers Ltd. (Irving Broude, Ronald Broude, Sidney Fox, and Jerome B. Rainey). 22 letters. Includes:
   Ronald Broude to John La Montaine. 14 letters (14 typescript, 14 on letterhead for Broude Brothers Music). Dated March 19, 1974; April 1, 1974; April 11, 1974; July 25, 1974; July 30, 1974; February 19, 1975; February 25, 1975; March 18, 1975; March 31, 1975; June 19, 1975; December 12, 1975; April 30, 1976; September 11, 1980; October 22, 2003.
   John La Montaine to Irving Broude, 2 letters (2 typescript, 1 on personal letterhead). Dated May 17, 1972; 1 undated.
   John La Montaine to Ronald Broude. 4 letters (4 typescript, 1 on letterhead for Fredonia Press, 1 on personal letterhead). Dated January 20, 1975; March 5, 1975; September 2, 1976; November 3, 2003.
   Sidney Fox (Rental Department) to John La Montaine. 1 letter (typescript, on letterhead for Broude Brothers). Dated February 21, 1975.

Folder 12  “C (Caldwell—Charles).” 18 letters.
   Correspondents represented: Sarah Caldwell (Opera Company of Boston), Paul Callaway (Music Director, Washington Cathedral), Beekman C. Cannon (President, New Haven Symphony Orchestra), Richard Capp (Director, Recording-Publication Program, The Ford Foundation), Michael J. Carubba (Loyola University), John C. Chapin (Communications Warden, Washington Cathedral), Walter Charles (Music Director and Conductor, Colorado Philharmonic).

Folder 13  “C (Chasins—Currie).” 23 letters.
   Correspondents represented: Abram Chasins (Music Director, WQXR), Joachim Chassman, Frances Clark (The New School for Music Study), Martyn Colborn (Drama Director, Coventry Cathedral), Frank H. Connor (Carl Fischer, Inc.), Hayden Connor (General Manager, Carl Fischer, Inc.), Mary Ann Stabile Cooper, Aaron Copland, John Corigliano (per pro. Caroline Girgis, Assistant), George W. Corwin (Eastman School of Music), Peter Coster, Ronn Cox, Charles L. Currie (Director of the Bicentennial, Washington D.C.).

Folder 14  Michael Charry. 16 letters. Includes:

Folder 15

“D.” 25 letters.

Correspondents represented: Norma Dalby (University of Utah Repertory Dance Theatre), Joseph R. Dalton (Managing Director, CRI), Oliver Daniel (Vice President Concert Music Administration, BMI), Harold A. Daugherty (Conductor, The Concert Choir), Mary Wallace Davidson (Librarian, Sibley Music Library), Ed Davis (Los Angeles Police Chief), James DePreist (Music Director and Conductor, Oregon Symphony), Deutsch Bibliothek, Thallis Hoyt Drake (Milwaukee Symphony Women’s League), Robert C. Dudley (Assistant Director of Broadcasting, Pennsylvania State University), Bruce Duffie (WNIB/WNIZ), James Duncan, Durand & Co. Chief Editor, Edward Durrell Stone & Associates (per pro. R. Paige Donhauser), Lowell M. Durham (University of Utah).

Letter from Norma Dalby to John La Montaine (dated June 9, 1968) accompanied by:

Edward D. Maryon (Dean, College of Fine Arts, University of Utah) to Norma Dalby. 1 letter (typescript, on letterhead for the University of Utah). Dated May 23, 1968.

Gordon Paxman (Chairman, Department of Ballet, University of Utah) to Norma Dalby. 1 letter (typescript, on letterhead for the University of Utah). Dated May 24, 1968.

Folder 16

William L. Denton. 6 letters. Includes:

Dee Priest (Secretary to Mr. Denton) to John La Montaine. 1 letter (typescript, on letterhead for National Symphony). Dated August 18, 1971.


John La Montaine to William Denton. 2 letters (2 typescript, 1 on personal letterhead). Dated May 17, 1972; November 17, 1972.

Folder 17

Richard Wayne Dirksen. 30 letters. Includes:


John La Montaine to Wayne Dirksen. 7 letters (7 typescript, 4 on personal letterhead). Dated October 15, 1967; April 5, [1969]; August 31, 1970; June 26, 1995; September 6, 1995; 2 undated.

Letter from Wayne Dirksen to John La Montaine (dated February 5, 1974) accompanied by:

Folder 18 Antal Dorati. 14 letters. Includes:
Antal Dorati to John La Montaine. 7 letters (6 ink manuscript, 1 typescript, 2 on personal letterhead for Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra, 4 on personal letterhead, 1 on letterhead for Hotel Okura [Amsterdam]), 1 typescript transcription of letter. Dated December 2, 1958; January 2, 1959; March 24, 1959; August 16, 1971; August 19, 1971; May 7, 1972; June 28, 1981.

Folder 19 Doriot Dwyer. 12 letters. Includes:
Doriot Dwyer to John La Montaine. 9 letters (4 typescript, 5 ink manuscript, 6 on personal letterhead, 1 on letterhead for Sagebrush Inn [Taos, NM]). Dated [before March 6, 1973]; September 15, 1989; March 25, 1994; February 7, 1997; 5 undated.
John La Montaine to Doriot Dwyer. 3 letters (3 typescript, 1 on letterhead for Fredonia Discs). Dated April 4, 1977; May 4, 1977; June 14, 19xx;

Folder 20 “E.” 21 letters.
Correspondents represented: Edward H. Easley (Director of Eastman Concerts, Eastman School of Music), John S. Edwards (General Manager, Chicago Symphony Orchestra), Peter Edwards (Assistant, Continuing Education, Chicago Symphony Orchestra), Robert R. Edwards (Director, Institute for the Arts and Humanistic Studies, Penn State), Robert W. Emery (Minister of Music, New London Presbyterian Church), Lucy Engelhard (Laboratory of Ornithology, Cornell University), Martha England, Harry Eskew (Editor, The Hymn), Jerry A. Evenrud (Director for Parish Music and the Arts, The American Lutheran Church), Alexander Ewing (General Director, Joffrey Ballet).

Folder 21 “F.” 29 letters.
Correspondents represented: George Faxon (Organist and Choirmaster, Trinity Church), Robert Feist, Frederick Fennell (University of Miami), Ware Ferebee (Norfolk Society of Arts), William Ferris (Executive
Director, William Ferris Chorale), David Felter (Conductor, Rochester Chamber Orchestra), Joanna Fiedler (Publicity Director, National Symphony), Peter Filerman (Librarian, Houston Symphony Orchestra), Joseph Firszt (Music Director and Conductor, Lima Symphony Orchestra), Margaret Flagstad (Manager, National Symphony), [illegible] Marion Folsom (Eastman Kodak Co.), Lukas Foss (Conductor, Buffalo Philharmonic Orchestra), Carol Fox (General Manager, Lyric Opera of Chicago), Clarence Foy (President, G. Schirmer, Inc.), Dolores Fredrickson (American Conservatory of Music), Ellis J. Freedman (Secretary, The Koussevitzky Music Foundation Inc.), Carl Freeman (Organist and Director of Music, University Baptist Church), Peter Fyfe (Christ Church Parish).

Folder 22  Robert Freeman. 10 letters. Includes:
John La Montaine to Robert Freeman. 3 letters (3 typescript, 2 on personal letterhead). Dated December 8, 1992; November 17, 1994; December 17, 1994.

Box 18

Folder 1  “G (G.—Glover).” 19 letters.
Correspondents represented: Hazel G., Kenneth Gaburo (Lingua Press), Lloyd Geisler (Lloyd Geisler Music, Inc.), Thom Ritter George (Music Director and Conductor, Quincy Symphony Orchestra), Carl Gerbrandt (Southern Baptist Seminary), Thomas Gerdom (Executive Director, New Haven Symphony Orchestra), Vittorio Giannini, Mrs. Gilman, Martha Gilmer (Artistic Administrator, Chicago Symphony Orchestra), James Ginsburg (Cedille Records), Al Glaser (Coordinator, Committee on Education, Lyric Opera of Chicago), Dave Glick, Raymond Glover (General Editor, The Church Hymnal Corporation).

Folder 2  “G (Goeb—Gutman).” 19 letters.
Correspondents represented: Roger Goeb (Secretary-Treasurer, Composers Recordings, Inc.), Eric von der Goltz (Vice President, Carl Fischer, Inc.), Robert Goodberg (University of Wisconsin—Milwaukee), Steve Gothold (Director, Whittier College Chorus), Morton Gould, Ruth C. Gould (National President, Sigma Alpha Iota), Rhoda Grady (Supervisor, Religious Radio Programs and Educational Features, NBC), Donald Gramm, Mr. Gray, H. Willard Gray (H. W. Gray Co.), Ray Green (Executive Secretary, American Music Center, Inc.), James L. Gulledge.
(Director of the Library of Natural Sounds, Cornell University), John Gutman (Assistant Manager, Metropolitan Opera).

**Folder 3**

Esther and Rudolph Ganz. 9 letters.
- Esther and Rudolph Ganz to John La Montaine. 1 letter (1 ink manuscript). Dated August 21, 1962.
- Esther Ganz to John La Montaine. 5 letters (1 typescript, 4 ink manuscript, 5 on personal letterhead). Dated July 24, 1968; August 31, 1970; July 13, 1977; August 8, 1977; August 27, 1977;
- John La Montaine to Esther and Rudolph Ganz. 1 letter (1 typescript, 1 on personal letterhead). Dated September 9, [1970].

**Folder 4**

Correspondence pertaining to the Guggenheim Memorial Foundation Fellowships. 8 letters. Includes:
- James F. Mathias (Associate Secretary) to John La Montaine. 6 letters (6 typescript, 6 on letterhead for the Guggenheim Memorial Foundation). Dated April 9, 1959; June 15, 1959; March 15, 1960; May 11, 1960; May 18, 1960; June 16, 1960.
- Henry Allen Moe (Secretary General) to John La Montaine. 1 letter (typescript, on letterhead for the Guggenheim Memorial Foundation). Dated April 12, 1960.
- John La Montaine to the Guggenheim Foundation. 1 letter (typescript). Undated.

**Folder 5**

“H (Hall—Hendl).” 27 letters.

Correspondents represented: William Hall (The Hall Chorale), William O. Hall (Ambassador, Embassy of the United States of America in Ethiopia), Wiley Hance (Manager of Public Affairs, ABC), Katharine Hansel (Catholic University of America), Rodney Hansen (St. Mark’s Parish), Carol V. Harford (Deputy Director, Wolf Trap Farm Park for the Performing Arts), Guy Fraser Harrison (Music Director and Conductor, Oklahoma City Symphony), Huntington Harford Foundation Trustee [illegible], Richard B. Harvey (Dean of Academic Affairs, Whittier College), Philip A. Haskell (Executive Vice President of Development, American Symphony), Nelson Hauenstein (University of Michigan), Timothy S. Healy (President, Georgetown University), Elizabeth Heimert (Secretary, Humanities Division, New College), Mr. Henahan, Walter Hendl (Director, Eastman School of Music).

Letter from Wiley Hance (dated July 25, 1969) accompanied by:
Press release from ABS News about Sigma Alpha Iota award (The Shephardes' Playe). Dated July 17, 1969.

Folder 6  “H (Hillyer—Hynson).” 26 letters.
Correspondents represented: Stephen C. Hillyer, Maurice Hinson (Southern Baptist Theological Seminary), Karl Hinterbichler (University of New Mexico), Max Hobart (Conductor, Civic Symphony Orchestra of Boston; Wellesley Symphony Orchestra), Norman Hollander, Theodore Hollenbach (Organist and Choirmaster, Third Presbyterian Church), Glenda Holm (Secretary, Civic Music Association), Odetta [Holmes], Ada Honderick (Chairman, Arist Foreign Goodwill Concert Tour), Louis Hood (Director of Publicity, National Symphony Orchestra), Vladimir Horowitz (per pro. Kenneth Leedom, Secretary), Kathleen Hughes (Coordinator of Liturgies, University of Notre Dame), Eusebia Hunkins (Chairman, National Federation of Music Clubs), Paula Hutchinson, Edna Rait Hutton (National Editor, Sigma Alpha Iota), Rick Hynson (Music Director, Cincinnati Choral Society).

Folder 7  Howard Hanson. 12 documents. Includes:
Howard Hanson to John La Montaine. 10 letters (10 typescript, 10 on letterhead for the Eastman School of Music). Dated January 23, 1957; April 15, 1958; October 6, 1958; March 30, 1959; March 21, 1961; June 6, 1963; March 12, 1964; April 6, 1964; March 25, 1965; October 1, 1965.
Howard Hanson to John La Montaine. 1 telegram. Dated October 8, 1962.
Howard Hanson, without named recipient. 1 letter (typescript, on letterhead for the University of Rochester Institute of American Music). Dated May 7, 1973.

Folder 8  H. W. Heinsheimer (G. Schirmer Publication Department). 10 letters. Includes:
Marion Willi (Secretary to Mr. Heinsheimer) to John La Montaine. 1 letter (typescript, on letterhead for G. Schirmer, Inc.). Dated September 14, 1959.
H. W. Heinsheimer to John La Montaine. 5 letters (5 typescript, 5 on letterhead for G. Schirmer, Inc.). Dated January 12, 1960; February 1, 1960; February 25, 1960; March 15, 1960; May 9, 1960.
John La Montaine to H. W. Heinsheimer. 4 letters (4 typescript). 4 undated.

Folder 9  Frank Hudson. 6 letters. Includes:
Frank Hudson to John La Montaine. 4 letters (4 typescript, 1 on letterhead for the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign). Dated December 10, 1971; February 3, 1974; June 17, 1979; August 12, 1979.
Folder 10  Paul Hume. 20 letters. Includes:

Folder 11  “I.” 2 letters.
  Correspondents represented: Barbara M. Irish; Betty Izant.

Folder 12  “J.” 9 letters.
  Correspondents represented: Jerald H. Jackson (Senior Minister, Hennepin Avenue United Methodist Church), Paul J. Jackson (Dean, College of Fine Arts, Drake University), Walter James (Director, The University Singers, Florida State University), Henry Janiec (Artistic Director, Brevard Music Center), Robert Joffrey (Director, The Joffrey Ballet), Mrs. Marjorie King Johnson (Program Manager, National Cathedral Association Center), William E. Jones (Cultural Affairs Officer, US Embassy, Ethiopia), Bruce Joseph (Director, Arcosanti Festival).

Folder 13  Thor Johnson. 9 letters. Includes:
  Thor Johnson to John La Montaine. 9 letters (9 typescript, 3 on letterhead for the Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra, 1 on letterhead for the Early American Moravian Music Festival and Seminar, 3 on personal letterhead, 2 on letterhead for the Nashville Symphony Association). Dated December 13, 1957; January 8, 1958; April 5, 1958; September 9, 1958; May 24, 1959; October 9, 1959; August 27, 1970; November 8, 1971; January 15, 1972.

Folder 14  “K.” 28 letters.
  Correspondents represented: Geary Kaczorowski (Senior Contributing Editor, Swann Publications), Helene Kamioner, Richard P. Kapp (Program Officer, The Ford Foundation), Ken Kaufman (General Counsel, Kennedy Center Foundation), George Kendall (Executive Director, The Macdowell Colony), Harold Kendrick (Manager, New Haven Symphony Orchestra), President John F. Kennedy and Mrs. Jackie Kennedy (per pro. Letitia Baldrige, Social Secretary), John Kernochan (Galaxy Music Corporation), Dorothy P. Keziah (Head, Music Section, Copyright Office, Library of Congress; per pro. Shirley B. Wendell, Copyright Examiner), Richard A. Kimball (Director, American Academy in Rome), Grayson Kirk (President, Columbia University), E. M. Kliment (Assistant Administrator, The Pulitzer Prizes), Richard Korn (Musical Director, The Orchestra of America), Gregory Kosteck (Composer-in-Residence, East Carolina
Letter from John La Montaine to Ken Kaufman accompanied by:
Cancelled checks from John La Montaine to American Federation of Musicians. 3 items. Dated November 8, 1983.
Robert Crothers (Assistant to the President, American Federation of Musicians) to John La Montaine. 1 letter (typescript, on letterhead for the American Federation of Musicians). Dated October 20, 1976.
Mstislav Rostropovich to Kay Jouett Shouse. 1 letter (typescript, on personal letterhead). Dated September 11, 1981.
Antal Dorati to John La Montaine. 1 item (typescript transcription of letter). Dated June 28, 1981.
Paul [Hume] to John La Montaine. 1 letter (manuscript, on personal letterhead). Dated July 12, 1981.
Donald Gramm to John La Montaine. 1 letter (manuscript, on personal letterhead). Dated March 28, [1981].

Folder 15 “L (Labounsky—Lawrence).” 20 letters.
Correspondents represented: Ann A. Labounsky (Director, AGO National Competition on Organ Improvisation), Abrayem Lahoueine, Richard H. Laing (Dean, School of Art, East Carolina University), Philip Lambro (Symphonic-Operatic Repertory, G. Schirmer, Inc.), Max Landow, Louis Lane (Associate Conductor, The Cleveland Orchestra; Co-Conductor, Atlanta Symphony Orchestra), William P. Latham (Coordinator, Composers Workshop, North Texas State University), Isabella Laude (Editor, Music Clubs Magazine, National Federation of Music Clubs), George Laverock (Executive Producer, Radio Music, Canadian Broadcasting Company), Arthur Lawrence (Editor, The Diapason), Harold Lawrence (Mercury Records, Inc.).

Folder 16 “L (Leach—Lewis).” 16 letters.
Correspondents represented: Marion D. Leach (Manager, Washington Cathedral Choral Society), Joseph Leavitt (Executive Director, Wolf Trap Foundation), Daphne Leedes (Assistant Commissioner, US Department of Commerce), Vincent A. Lenti (Director, Preparatory Department, Eastman School of Music), Jerald Lepinski (Conductor, Classic Chorale), Omar K. Lerman (General Administrator, Foundation for American Dance, Inc.), [James] Levine (Music Director, Metropolitan Opera), David Lewis (Virgin Records Megastore), Richard Lewis.

Folder 17 “L (Lieberman—Lunde).” 20 letters.
Correspondents represented: Fred Lieberman (Concert Management, Eastman School of Music), Helen Lightner (New York University), Nelson Linaburg (American Guild of Organists, Norfolk Chapter), David Lloyd
(Lake George Opera Festival), Robert Lodine (Fourth Presbyterian Church), Ralph W. Loew (Pastor, Holy Trinity Lutheran Church), Odean Long (University of Victoria), Los Angeles Times Editor of “The Calendar,” W. McNeil Lowry (Director, The Ford Foundation), Otto Luening, Alvin Lunde (Director, Washington Chamber Orchestra).

Folder 18 “M (Macdonald—McElheran).” 20 letters.
Correspondents represented: Donald Macdonald (Crane School of Music, SUNY Potsdam), Beth Mackenzie (Producer, “Odyssey,” NBC), Warren MacKenzie (Vice President, Carl Fischer, Inc.), Francis Madeira (Musical Director, Rhode Island Philharmonic Orchestra), Norma Lee Madsen (Former National Second Vice-President, Mu Phi Epsilon), Mrs. Magnusen, Fritz Mahler (Musical Director, Hartford Symphony Orchestra), Elizabeth L. Mahaffey (Secretary, Pulitzer Music Jury), Martin Mailman (North Texas State University), Ken Malucelli, Edward D. Maryon (Dean, College of Fine Arts, University of Utah), Helen [May], John Richards McCrae (Converse College), Robert J. McCracken (Minister, The Riverside Church), John McCreary, Brock McElheran (Conductor, Crane Chorus, SUNY Potsdam).

Folder 19 “M (Melniker—Myers).” 21 letters.
Correspondents represented: Mrs. J. H. Melniker, George Mendelssohn, Dorothy Mesney, Carl Michaelson (Manager, Copyright and Royalty Department, Carl Fischer, Inc.), John Michel (American Composers Forum), Mac Morgan, James R. Morris (Director, Division of Performing Arts, Smithsonian Institution), Thomas E. Morrison (Assistant to the Precentor, Washington Cathedral; Manager, Cathedral Choral Society, Washington Cathedral), Lawrence Morton (Music Editor, Masterworks, Columbia Records), Dana Muller and Gary Steigerwalt, Philip J. Mullen (Kennedy Center), Bob Myers.

Folder 20 Edwin McArthur. 7 letters. Includes:

Folder 21 Donald E. McGinnis. 6 letters. Includes:
Donald E. McGinnis to John La Montaine. 6 letters (6 typescript, 6 on letterhead for The Ohio State University). Dated April 13, 1972; December 18, 1972; April 11, 1973; June 19, 1974; August 26, 1974; February 17, 1976.

Folder 22 Howard Mitchell. 9 letters. Includes:
Howard Mitchell to John La Montaine. 9 letters (9 typescript, 8 on letterhead for The National Symphony Orchestra, 1 on personal letterhead). Dated

Folder 23  Dimitri Mitropoulos. 6 items. Includes:
Dimitri Mitropoulos to John La Montaine. 5 letters, 1 duplicate facsimile (5 typescript, 3 on personal letterhead). Dated January 28, 1952; April 22, 1952; March 27, 1954; November 6, 1954; March 5, 1959.

Folder 24  Merle Montgomery. 13 letters. Includes:
Merle Montgomery to John La Montaine. 11 letters (5 typescript, 6 ink manuscript, 1 on letterhead for Carl Fischer, Inc.; 4 on letterhead for the National Federation of Music Clubs, 2 on letterhead for the Mu Phi Epsilon Memorial Foundation, 1 on letterhead for the National Music Council). Dated November 2, 1967; February 20, 1968; November 6, 1972; November 20, 1972; February 19, 1973; April 17, 1973; April 19, 1984; May 9, 1984; April 8, 19xx; May 9, 19xx; 1 undated.

Folder 25  “N, O.” 14 letters.

Correspondence with New York Times Editor(s) accompanied by:
January 20, 1961: Article “Do We Need a New National Anthem?” 2 pp. of text.

Letter to from John La Montaine to Jessye Norman (dated March 30, 1981) accompanied by:
John La Montaine to Beverly Sills (Director, New York City Opera). 1 letter (typescript, on personal letterhead). Dated March 30, 1981.

Folder 26  “P.” 18 letters.
Correspondents represented: Willis Page (Conductor, Jacksonville Symphony), Catherine Parsons (New York City Opera Co.), William Partridge (Minister, University Baptist Church), Donald Peck (Principal Flute Emeritus, Chicago Symphony Orchestra), Norman Pellegrini
Folder 27  
Eliot Porter. 6 letters. Includes:
- John La Montaine to Eliot Porter. 2 letters (2 typescript, 1 on personal letterhead). Dated April 27, 1971; 1 undated.

Box 19

Folder 1  
“R.” 27 letters.
Correspondents represented: Phillip Ramey, Simon Rattle, Bill Reynolds (Voice of America), Maria F. Rich (Editor, Central Opera Service Bulletin), Wayne Richards (University of Utah), Florence R. Richman (Supervisor, Radio Programs and Educational Features, NBC), S. Dillon Ripley (Secretary, Smithsonian Institution), Susan Robertson (Public Affairs Manager, Eastman School of Music), Kane E. Robison (Minister, First Friends Church), Richard Rodzinski (Artistic Assistant to the General Director, San Francisco Opera), Bernard Rogers, Ned Rorem, Adam Ross (Assistant to the President, Musicians Union Local 47), Jay Rubanoff (Manager, Los Angeles Philharmonic Orchestra), Max Rudolf (Music Director, Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra), Robert G. Ruetz (University of Nebraska at Omaha), Dean Rusk (Secretary of State).

Folder 2  
Julius Rudel. 6 items. Includes:
- John La Montaine to Julius Rudel. 3 letters, 1 duplicate facsimile (3 typescript, 1 on personal letterhead). Dated September 23, 1969; September 10, 1970; December 15, 1975.
- Julius Rudel to John La Montaine. 2 letters (2 typescript, 2 on letterhead for the New York City Opera). Dated September 25, 1970; April 5, 1976.

Folder 3  
“S (Saltiel—Skrowaczewski).” 29 letters.
Correspondents represented: David M. Saltiel (Nutter, McClennen & Fish), Ramon Salvatore, Roberta Savler (Publication Director, Editor, Summy-Birchard Co.), Alex Saron (Classical Program Department, Philip’s Phonographic Industries), John Schaefer (Grace and Holy Trinity Cathedral), Paul Schiavo (Editor, American Concert Note Service), Thomas Schippers (Music Director, Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra; per pro. Barbara Morgan, Secretary to Thomas Schippers), Raymond A. Schirmer (Business Manager, Eastman School of Music), Hans Schwieger (Music Director, Kansas City Philharmonic), Robert E. Seaver (Director, (WFMT), David L. Phillips (Director of Broadcasting, WPSX-TV, Pennsylvania State University), Robert Plimpton (Director of Music and Fine Arts, Bryn Mawr Presbyterian Church), Jan Popper (UCLA), Harold Powell (Klavier Records), Robert Pratt, Robert P. Prichard (Director of Music, Pasadena Presbyterian Church), John Proffitt (WXXI).
Program in Religious Drama, Union Theological Seminary), Robert Shaw (Music Director, Atlanta Symphony Orchestra; per pro. Nola Frink, Administrative Assistant), Robert Sherman (WQXR), Beverly Sills (Director, New York City Opera), Stanislaw Skrowaczewski (Music Director, Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra).

Folder 4  
“S (Slatkin—Stein).” 30 letters. 
Correspondents represented: Leonard Slatkin (Music Director, National Symphony Orchestra), Howard Slenk (Calvin College), Nicolas Slonimsky, André M. Smith, Catherine S. Smith, Barry Snyder, Georg Solti (Music Director, Royal Opera House, Covent Garden; Music Director, Chicago Symphony Orchestra; per pro. Lucille K. Griffin, Secretary), George Spokin (Fine Arts Quartet), Louis Sosland, Marie Sparks (San Francisco Boys Chorus President), Patricia Spencer, Melinda K. Spratlan (Chairman, Department of Music, Mount Holyoke College), Robert Sproull (Chairman, University of Rochester), Howard E. Sprout, Russell Stanger (Music Director, Norfolk Symphony Orchestra), Philip Steen (Choir Director, Hamline University), Gary Steigerwalt, William Stein (Conductor, Battle Creek Symphony Orchestra).

Folder 5  
“S (Steinberg—Szell).” 28 letters. 
Correspondents represented: William Steinberg (Music Director, Pittsburgh Symphony Society), Paul Steiner (Chanticleer Press, Inc.), Philip M. Stern (President, Philip M. Stern Family Fund), Charles E. Stevens (Dean, School of Music, East Carolina University), Halsey Stevens, Leopold Stokowski, Michael C. Stone (Texas Tech University), Peter K. Storkerson, Leon J. Stout (Archivist, Pennsylvania State University), J. Gary Stuart (Director of Music, The Church of the Holy Spirit), Robert K. Stull (Operations Manager, National Symphony Orchestra), Marie Strasburger (Chairman, Celebrity Luncheon, New York Federation of Music Clubs), Louis Sudler (Chairman, Chicago Symphony Orchestral Association), Erin Sundquist, Mrs. Benjamin F. Swalin (North Carolina Symphony Society, Inc.), Frederick Swann (Director of Music, Riverside Church), George Szell (Music Director, Cleveland Orchestra).

Folder 6  
Francis B. Sayre, Jr. 8 letters. Includes: 
Francis B. Sayre, Jr., to John La Montaine. 6 letters (5 typescript, 1 ink manuscript, 6 on letterhead for Washington Cathedral). Dated November 6, 1962; March 20, 1964; February 24, 1966; February 20, 1969; October 28, 1969; February 18, 1977. 

Folder 7  
Catherine Jouett Shouse. 23 letters. Includes: 
Catherine (Kay) Shouse to John La Montaine. 16 letters (13 typescript, 3 ink manuscript, 6 on personal letterhead, 9 on letterhead for Filene Center,

John La Montaine to Catherine (Kay) Shouse. 6 letters (5 typescript, 1 ink manuscript, 5 on personal letterhead). Dated February 5, 1969; March 8, 1969; February 11, 1971; July 6, 1981; July 10, 1982; August 1987.

Catherine Jouett Shouse to William L. Denton (cc: John La Montaine). 1 letter (typescript, on letterhead for Filene Center, Wolf Trap Farm Park for the Performing Arts). Dated September 6, 1972.

Folder 8
Morgan Simmons (Vice President, Hymn Society of America). 10 letters.
Includes:


Folder 9
Bruce R. Smedley. 7 letters. Includes:

John La Montaine to Bruce Smedley. 1 letter (typescript, on letterhead for Be Glad Then America). Dated July 26, 1976.

Folder 10
Claudette Sorel. 6 letters. Includes:
Claudette Sorel to John La Montaine. 4 letters (4 typescript, 4 on letterhead for Mu Phi Epsilon Memorial Foundation). Dated December 15, 1965; September 4, 1973; February 1, 1974; June 27, 1974.


Folder 11
W. Thomas Smith. 6 letters. Includes:

John La Montaine to W. Thomas Smith. 1 letter (typescript, on personal letterhead). Dated July 18, 1980.
Folder 12  Leo Sowerby. 14 letters. Includes:
Leo Sowerby to John La Montaine. 13 letters (13 ink manuscript, 6 on letterhead for the Cathedral of St. James, 7 on letterhead for the American Conservatory of Music). Dated January 15, 1957; January 21, 1957; March 9, 1957; July 14, 1957; November 27, 1957; October 5, 1958; December 11, 1958; January 21, 1959; February 2, 1959; April 5, 1959; May 13, 1959; May 23, [1959]; January 5, 1962.
John La Montaine to Leo Sowerby. 1 letter (ink manuscript). Undated.

Folder 13  “T, [U], V.” 23 letters.
Correspondents represented: Augusta Read Thomas (Eastman School of Music), J. Mark Thompson (Northwestern State University), *Time Magazine* Editor, Jocelyn Timothy, Robert Tobin, Richard Trythall, Nancy Poone Tufts (President-Elect, American Guild of English Handbell Ringers, Inc.), William Vickery (Assistant Dean, Aspen Music School), Hans Vigeland (First Congregational Church), John Vincent (Director, Huntington Hartford Foundation), Adolph Vogel (President, Elkan-Vogel Music Publishers), Arnold S. Vorster (Senior Minister, Central United Methodist Church).

Letter from John La Montaine to Robert L. B. Tobin (dated January 8, 1992) accompanied by:
John La Montaine to Kay [Shouse]. 1 letter (typescript, on personal letterhead). Dated January 8, 1992.

Folder 14  “W (Wagner—Weintraub).” 22 letters.
Correspondents represented: Sister Mary Jane Wagner (Dean, American Guild of Organists), Arnold Walker (Music Director, KUOM, University of Minnesota), Edgar Z. Wallower (President, Harrisburg Symphony Association), Walt Walters (Dean, College of Arts and Architecture, Pennsylvania State University), John Owen Ward (Manager, Music Department, Oxford University Press), Robert Ward (Managing Editor, Galaxy Music Corp.), Robert Washburn (Crane School of Music, SUNY Potsdam), William Watkins (Director of Music, Georgetown Presbyterian Church), Brett Watson (East Carolina University), Donald Waxman (Managing Editor, Galaxy Music Corp.), Harold Weller (Music Director, Flagstaff Symphony Orchestra), LaVon West (Secretary, Repertory Dance Theatre, University of Utah), Stanley Weintraub (Pennsylvania State University Institute for the Arts and Humanistic Studies).

Folder 15  “W (Wilkinson—Wyner).” 27 letters.
Correspondents represented: Kenneth Wilkinson (Decca Studios), David Russell Williams (Eastman School of Music), Reverend H. C. N. Williams (Coventry Cathedral), Mary T. Williams (Executive Secretary, American
Academy in Rome), Richard C. Williams (Manager, Fresno Philharmonic Orchestra), Roy T. Will (Chairman, Division of Music, Boston University), Katherine S. Wilson (Chairman, Peninsula Music Festival), Keith Wilson (Director, Music Division, Yale University Summer School of Music and Art), Ransom Wilson, Raymond Wilson (Director of Summer Session, Eastman School of Music), Rayburn Wright (Eastman School of Music), Paul Wolfe (Director, New College Summer Music Festival), Gwendolyn C. Wood (Copyright Administrator, PBS), Joan Woodbury (University of Utah; Co-Director, Ririe-Woodbury Dance Co.), Yehudi Wyner.

Folder 16  
Richard D. Waggoner. 11 letters. Includes:  
John La Montaine to Richard D. Waggoner. 5 letters (5 typescript, 3 on personal letterhead). Dated January 31, 1974; March 9, 1975; April 7, 1975; April 14, 1975; September 9, 1975.  
Richard D. Waggoner to John La Montaine. 6 letters (6 typescript, 6 on letterhead for Hennepin Avenue United Methodist Church). Dated March 4, 1974; March 21, 1975; September 15, 1975; October 10, 1975; October 6, 1977; August 4, 1983.

Folder 17  
Lucile (Mrs. Jack C.) Ward. 12 letters. Includes:  
John La Montaine to Lucile Ward. 3 letters (3 typescript, 2 on personal letterhead). Dated April 3, 1984; April 14, 1984; February 27, 1992.  
Letter from Lucile Ward to John La Montaine (undated) accompanied by:  
Ink manuscript postscript. Undated.  

Folder 18  
Evan Whallon (and family). 7 letters. Includes:  
Evan Whallon to John La Montaine. 6 letters (6 typescript, 1 on letterhead for the Springfield Symphony Orchestra, 2 on letterhead for the Columbus Symphony Orchestra). Dated November 10, 1952; November 9, 1958; April 23, 1959; May 8, 1962; January 8, 1963; 1 undated (ca. 1959).  

Folder 19  
“[X], [Y], Z.” 3 letters.  
Correspondents represented: Daniel Zager, Michael J. Zissu.  
Letter from Daniel Zager to John La Montaine accompanied by:

Folder 20  Pearl Yeadon. 7 items. Includes:
Pearl Yeadon to John La Montaine. 6 letters (4 typescript, 2 ink manuscript), 1 printout of email. Dated December 24, 1993; June 12, 1994; August 6, 1998; May 1, 2003; November 10, 2004; 1 undated.
John La Montaine to Pearl Yeadon. 1 letter (typescript, on personal letterhead). Dated July 7, 2003.

Folder 21  Unknown correspondents. 13 letters. Includes:
John La Montaine to “Catherine.” 1 letter (typescript, on personal letterhead). Dated May 1, 1979.
“Fred” to John La Montaine. 1 letter (typescript). Undated.
John La Montaine to “George.” 1 letter (typescript, on personal letterhead). Dated September 1968.
“Jo” to John La Montaine. 2 letters (2 typescript, 2 on letterhead for the Washington Cathedral). Dated February 4, 1974; November 18, 1969.
“John” to John La Montaine. 1 letter (ink manuscript, on letterhead for the Eastman School of Music). Dated September 12, 1962.
“Lilith” to John La Montaine. 2 letters (2 typescript, 2 on letterhead for the Eastman School of Music). Dated October 3, 1969; March 6, 1969.
John La Montaine to “Martha.” 1 letter (typescript). Undated.
“Tom” to John La Montaine. 1 letter (typescript, on letterhead for Whittier College). Dated July 20, 1977.

Sub-series B: Correspondence to/from Paul Sifler

Folder 23  “A—M.” 29 letters.
Correspondents represented: William H. Allison (Associate Director, Institute for the Arts and Humanistic Studies, Pennsylvania State University), ASCAP committees and officials (ASCAP Awards Panel, Rudolf Nissim, Paul Marks), John Bodinger (Director of Music, Downtown United Presbyterian Church), Phillip Brunelle (Plymouth Congregational Church, Mildred Buttrey (Choir Director, St. Stephen’s Episcopal Church), Paul Callaway (Washington Cathedral), Judith Carman (Chairman, Committee on American Song, National Association of Teachers of Singing, Inc.), Mary Wallace Davidson (Librarian, Sibley Music Library), William L.
Denton (Manager, National Symphony Orchestra), Angelo Eagon (US Information Agency), Henry Fusner (Church of the Covenant), Pamela Harris (Ensemble Librarian, School of Music, University of Miami), Wiley F. Hance (Manager of Public Affairs, ABC), Hans Walter Jug (Bundesakademie für musikalische Jugendarbeit), Richard P. Kapp (Program Officer, Ford Foundation), Mary H. Krouse (Secretary to Eugene Ormandy, Philadelphia Orchestra Association), Warren G. MacKenzie (Vice President, Carl Fischer, Inc.), M. Scott Mampe (Director, Classical Division, Mercury Record Productions, Inc.).

Folder 24  “N—Z.” 24 letters.
Correspondents represented: National Endowment for the Arts Music Program members, David L. Phillips (Director of Broadcasting, WPSX-TV, Pennsylvania State University), Mrs. William R. Phillips (Director of Music, Home Moravian Church), Seymour Rosen and Sid Kaplan, Robert D. Schaaf (Director of Catholic Music, Fort Myer Memorial Chapel), William Shookhoff (Assistant Conductor, Portland Opera Association), Catherine Jouett Shouse, Sierra Club Bulletin Editor (William Bronson), Stanislaw Skrowaczewski (Music Director, Minnesota Orchestra; per pro. Nada M. Oslund, Secretary), Bruce R. Smedley (Volunteer State Community College), Lester Troob (Book of the Month Club), Philip A. Welter (Chairman, Music Department, Cathedral High School), Hans Wolf (Seattle Opera Co.), Michael Zissu.

Sub-series C: Other correspondents

Folder 25  Correspondents other than John La Montaine and Paul Sifler. 18 letters. Includes:
Oliver Daniel to Grawemeyer Music Award Committee (University of Louisville). 1 letter (typescript, on personal letterhead). Dated December 26, 1984. Accompanied by typescript biographical sketch. 1 p. of text.
Henry Fogel to Catherine Jouett Shouse. 1 letter (typescript, on letterhead for the National Symphony). Dated May 12, 1982.
Mstislav Rostropovich to Catherine Jouett Shouse. 1 letter (typescript, on letterhead for the National Symphony Orchestra). Dated September 11, 1981.


Catherine Jouett Shouse to Nina C. Brown. 1 letter (typescript, on letterhead for the Filene Center, Wolf Trap Farm Park for the Performing Arts). Dated April 11, 1975.

Leopold Stokowski (per pro. Jean K. Leslie, Executive Secretary) to John C. Chapin. 1 letter (typescript, on letterhead for the American Symphony Orchestra). Dated January 12, 1967.

Rudolph Tauhert to the President of the United States [President John F. Kennedy]. 1 letter (typescript, on letterhead for G. Schirmer, Inc.). Dated January 20, 1961.

Stanley Weintraub to Herbert Barrett. 1 letter (typescript, typescript, on letterhead for the Institute for the Arts and Humanistic Studies, Pennsylvania State University). Dated September 6, 1978.

Stanley Weintraub to Marlow Froke. 1 letter (typescript, on letterhead for Pennsylvania State University Inter-Office Correspondence). Dated February 13, 1979.


Lucile Ward Correspondence (cc: John La Montaine). 15 letters. Includes:

Lucile Ward to Daniel Barenboim. 1 letter (typescript, on letterhead for the National Federation of Music Clubs). Dated February 20, 1991.


Lucile Ward to Robert Freeman. 5 letters (5 typescript, 5 on letterhead for the National Federation of Music Clubs). Dated March 10, 1992; April 19, 1992; November 15, 1992; October 30, 1993; December 30, 1993.

Series 4: Publicity and press materials

Sub-series A: Biographical information

Box 20

Folder 1  Biographical information. 9 documents. Includes:
Facsimile of biographical sketch from unidentified source. 2 pp. of text.
“Biographical Data for John La Montaine, Visiting Professor of Composition, University of Rochester’s Eastman School of Music.” Typescript. 2 pp. of text.
“Biographical Information Concerning John La Montaine.” Typescript. 1 p. of text.
“John La Montaine: Biographical Information.” Typescript. 1 p. of text.
“La Montaine” biographical sketch. Typescript. 1 p. of text.

Sub-series B: Resume and works lists

Folder 2  Resume and works lists. 7 documents. Includes:
Repertoire list, in pencil. 4 pp. of text.
“John La Montaine: Account of Career.” Typescript. 1 p. of text.
List of commissions and orchestras that have performed La Montaine compositions. Typescript. 1 p. of text.
“Listing for International Biographical Center: La Montaine, John.” Typescript. 1 p. of text.

Sub-series C: Programs, articles, and reviews (by opus number)


Folder 5  Sonata for Piano, Op. 3. Programs and press materials, 1984-92. 8 documents. Items include:
   6 concert programs.
   1 press clipping, 2 facsimiles of press clippings.
   1 flyer (advertisement) for recording.


Folder 7  Songs of the Rose of Sharon, Op. 6. Programs and press materials, 1956-96, 2 undated. 41 documents. Items include:
   23 concert programs, 1 separate program notes and text.
   6 press clippings, 1 facsimile of press clipping, 1 facsimile collage of press clippings (with duplicates).
   2 binder collections of facsimiles of press clippings. 14 pp. of text.
   English translations of Italian reviews of performance at Teatro di San Carlo, Naples, conducted by Robert Feist. 1 p. of text.
   1 press release, on letterhead for Southwest Missouri State University, dated March 30, 1995.
   Typescript excerpts from reviews of Songs of the Rose of Sharon, with comments from the composer, on letterhead for Dorian Records. 3 pp. of text.
   4 letters:
      Margaret Flower to John La Montaine, typescript, on letterhead for the National Symphony Orchestra, dated July 10, 1972.
      Max Rudolf to John La Montaine, ink manuscript, on letterhead for the Cincinnati Musical Festival Association, dated May 12, 1963.
Stuart Ball to John La Montaine, facsimile of typescript letter, on letterhead for the Orchestral Association [Chicago], dated July 8, 1975.

Folder 8  Sonata for ‘Cello and Piano, Op. 8. Programs and press materials, 1967-88, 1 undated. 5 documents. Items include:
- 4 concert programs.
- 1 press clipping.

Folder 9  Concerto for Piano and Orchestra, Op. 9. Programs and press materials, 1958-90, 4 undated. 45 documents. Items include:
- 13 concert programs (with 1 duplicate), 1 separate booklet of program notes, 1 p. of program notes from unidentified concert program.
- 3 concert/festival season brochures:
  - Peninsula Music Festival, dated August 6-21, 1976.
  - Waterbury Symphony Orchestra, dated 1989-90.
- 9 press clippings (with 1 duplicate facsimile), 3 facsimiles of press clippings, 1 collage of press clippings, 1 facsimile collage of press clippings (with duplicates).
- 1 binder collection of facsimiles of press clippings. 7 pp.
- 2 articles:
- 1 flyer (advertisement). 1 p. of text.
- 6 letters:
  - Boris Sokoloff to John La Montaine, typescript, on letterhead for the Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra, dated December 4, 1958.
  - Lenore R. Farness to John La Montaine, typescript, on letterhead for the Civic Music Association of Milwaukee, dated October 9, 1972.

- 1 concert program.
- 1 concert season brochure: Springfield Symphony Orchestra, dated 1953-54.
- 1 facsimile of press clipping.

Folder 12  *Six Sonnets of Shakespeare*, Op. 12. Programs and press materials, 1960-93, 1 undated. 10 documents. Items include:
- 5 concert programs, 1 excerpt from conference program booklet.
- 2 concert flyers.
- 1 press clipping, 1 facsimile of press clipping.

Folder 13  *Songs of the Nativity*, Op. 13. Programs and press materials, 1963-82, 1 undated. 12 documents. Items include:
- 8 concert programs
- 1 invitation to concert (includes concert program).
- 1 facsimile of church bulletin.
- 1 repertoire booklet for Whittier College Choir, 1977-78.
- 1 press clipping.


- 7 concert programs.
- 1 invitation to concert (includes concert program).
- 3 letters:
  - Ada Honderick to John La Montaine, ink manuscript, on letterhead for the National Federation of Music Clubs, dated June 10, 1975.
  - Merle Montgomery to John La Montaine, typescript, on letterhead for the National Music Council, dated April 9, 1976.

Folder 16  *Sanctuary*, Op. 17. Programs and press materials, 1968. 4 documents. Items include:
- 2 religious service programs (with 1 duplicate program).


Folder 18  *Nonsense Songs from Mother Goose*, Op. 19. Programs and press materials, 1973, 1 undated. 3 documents. Items include:
- 2 concert programs (with 1 duplicate program).

Folder 19  *Jubilant Overture*, Op. 20. Programs and press materials, 1959-82, 2 undated. 9 documents. Items include:
- 5 concert programs.
1 newsletter, “New Music for the New Year from the Carl Fischer Rental Library,” undated. 2 pp. of text.
2 letters:
Vernon Kirkpatrick to John La Montaine, typescript, on letterhead for the National Symphony Orchestra, undated [ca. 1971].
Donald E. McGinnis to John La Montaine, typescript, on letterhead for The Ohio State University, dated March 8, 1972.
1 typescript biographical sketch. 1 p. of text.

Folder 20  
*Colloquy for Strings*, Op. 21. Programs and press materials, 1956-84, 2 undated. 15 documents. Items include:
- 8 concert programs.
- 4 press clippings.
- 1 binder collection of press clippings. 3 pp.
- 1 letter: Michael Charry to John La Montaine, ink manuscript, on letterhead for the Cleveland Orchestra, undated.

Folder 21  
- 10 concert programs (with 1 duplicate program), 1 concert flyer.
- 1 yearbook: American Guild of Organists Pasadena Chapter, 1969-70  
  (includes reprints of concert programs).
- 9 religious service programs (with 2 duplicate programs).
- 3 press clippings, 2 facsimiles of press clippings.
- 1 press release, dated December 1968.
- 2 articles:
- Composer’s notes, typescript, undated. 1 p. of text.

Folder 22  
- 10 concert programs (with 2 duplicate programs), 1 festival program booklet.
- 1 invitation to concert (includes concert program).
- 1 press clipping, 1 facsimile of press clipping.
- 1 facsimile collage with 1 concert program and 1 press clipping.
- 2 letters:
  - Doriot Dwyer to John La Montaine, ink manuscript, dated April 21, 1997. On reverse: flyer for concert.
Box 21

Folder 1  Sonata for Piano Four Hands, Op. 25. Programs and press materials, 1967-75, 1 undated. 7 documents. Items include:
   3 concert programs.
   2 press clippings, 2 facsimiles of press clippings.

   Items include:
   1 concert program with press clipping pasted on cover; 1 festival brochure.

Folder 3  *Fragments from the Song of Songs*, Op. 29. Programs and press materials, 1957-84. 16 documents. Items include:
   8 concert programs.
   2 press clippings (with 1 duplicate facsimile), 5 facsimiles of press clippings.

   2 concert programs, 1 printout of email outlining concert program.
   5 press clippings, 1 facsimile of press clipping.
   1 press release, on G. Schirmer letterhead, undated.
   1 letter: John La Montaine to Mr. Tauhert, typescript, with annotation in red ink, undated.

Folder 5  *Novellis, Novellis*, Op. 31. Programs and press materials, 1961-82, 2 undated. 22 documents. Items include:
   7 concert programs, 2 concert posters, 1 concert mailing.
   3 press clippings, 5 facsimiles of press clippings.
   1 invitation: Dr. and Mrs. Vahe H. Simonian, invitation to post-concert reception, November 30, 1978.
   2 letters:
      Bob Holton to John La Montaine, typescript, signed in ink, on Washington Cathedral letterhead, dated December 11, 1961.
      Carl Gerbrandt to John La Montaine, typescript, signed in ink, on Southern Baptist Theological Seminary letterhead, dated January 6, 1982.
   1 typescript composer’s notes.

Folder 6  *A Summer’s Day*, Op. 32. Programs and press materials, 1964. 3 documents. Items include:
   1 concert program.
   2 press clippings (with 2 duplicate facsimiles).
Folder 7  
*Birds of Paradise*, Op. 34, and *Nightwings*. Programs and press materials, 1964-88. 33 documents. Items include:
- 7 concert programs (with 1 duplicate facsimile of program notes), 1 concert series brochure, 2 concert season calendars, 1 concert mailing.
- 14 press clippings (with 2 duplicate facsimiles), 1 facsimile of press clipping, 1 article facsimile (unidentified source).
- 1 magazine cover: *Dance Magazine* (September 1967) (2 copies, 1 laminated).

Folder 8  
*Te Deum*, Op. 35. Programs and press materials, 1964-66. 3 documents. Items include:
- 2 concert programs, 1 dedication booklet (Washington Cathedral’s “Gloria in Excelsis Tower,” May 1964).

Folder 9  
*The Earth is the Lord’s*, Op. 36. Programs and press materials, 1965-91. 6 documents. Items include:
- 2 religious service programs, 1 convention program booklet.
- 2 press clippings (with 1 duplicate facsimile).

Folder 10  
*Mass of Nature*, Op. 37, and *Sacred Service (Te Deum, Birds of Paradise, and Mass of Nature)*. Programs and press materials, 1976. 3 documents. Items include:
- 1 concert program.
- 2 press clippings (with 1 duplicate facsimile).

Folder 11  
- 6 concert programs (1 laminated, 1 duplicate), 3 concert brochures, 1 concert mailing.
- 1 typescript program notes.
- 1 typescript libretto (booklet).
- 12 press clippings (with 1 duplicate facsimile), 1 facsimile of press clipping.
- 1 magazine article: “Glamourlog,” *Glamour* (December 1967).
- 4 press releases:
  - From composer, on John La Montaine personal letterhead, undated.
  - From Washington National Cathedral, with annotation in ink, dated December 9, 1966.
  - From Los Angeles Municipal Arts Department, dated November 14, 1968.
  - From ABC Television Network, dated July 17, 1969.
- 1 telecast mailing.
- 3 brochures from publishers (Paul J. Sifler, Sole Selling Agent).
- 2 letters:
  - David J. Billeter to John La Montaine, typescript, signed in ink, on All Saints Church letterhead, dated April 25, 1976.
1 errata list.

1 concert program.
1 workshop brochure, 1 workshop program booklet.
1 press clipping (with 1 duplicate facsimile), 1 facsimile press clipping.

Folder 13  *Erode the Greate*, Op. 40. Programs and press materials, 1970, 2 undated. 9 documents. Items include:
1 concert program, 1 concert mailing.
2 press clippings, 2 facsimile press clippings.
1 facsimile of magazine article (unidentified source).
1 brochure from publisher (Paul J. Sifler, Sole Agent).
1 typescript composer’s notes.

5 concert programs.
15 press clippings (with 6 duplicate facsimiles), 4 facsimiles of press clippings, 1 facsimile collage of press clippings (with duplicates).
1 facsimile of magazine article: “Classical Reviews,” *High Fidelity*, (n.d.).
1 press release: release for *Opera News*, undated.
3 publisher publicity items:
   Mailing from West Coast Publications, Inc.
   Recording flyer from Columbia Artists Management.
   Brochure from Fredonia Press.
2 letters:
   Thomas Paul to Paul J. Sifler, ink manuscript, on personal letterhead, with annotations in pencil, dated April 30, 1982.

Folder 15  *Conversations*, Op. 42. Programs and press materials, 1973-97, 3 undated. 28 documents. Items include:
14 concert programs (with 2 duplicates), 1 copy of program notes (to unidentified concert).
1 convention booklet.
7 press clippings.
1 facsimile of magazine article: “Reviews,” *American String Teacher*, (n.d.) (with duplicate).
Folder 16  
*Be Glad Then America*, Op. 43. Programs and press materials, 1973-87. 40 documents. Items include:
- 4 concert programs.
- 12 press clippings (with 3 duplicate facsimiles), 14 facsimiles of press clippings, 1 facsimile collage of press clippings (with duplicates).
- 1 magazine article: “Penn State: La Montaine premiere,” *High Fidelity* (June 1976) (laminated).
- 2 press releases:
  - From Pennsylvania State University, dated September 10, 1975.
  - From Fredonia Press, undated.
- 2 letters:
  - Donald E. McGinnis to John La Montaine, typescript, signed in ink, on The Ohio State University letterhead, dated November 18, 1975, with annotations in ink on reverse.
  - William Allison to John La Montaine, typescript, on Pennsylvania State University Inter-Office Correspondence letterhead, dated April 5, 1982.

Folder 17  
*The Nine Lessons of Christmas*, Op. 44. Programs and press materials, 1973-94, 1 undated. 34 documents. Items include:
- 12 concert programs (with 1 duplicate), 1 concert flyer.
- 9 religious service programs (1 with typescript personal note, signed by Daniel Pinkham; 1 with note in ink, signed by Daniel Pinkham).
- 2 press clippings (with 1 duplicate facsimile), 1 facsimile of press clipping.
- 2 magazine articles:
- 2 newsletters:
- 3 letters:
  - Unknown to John La Montaine, typescript, on letterhead for Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, dated January 6, 1982.
  - John J. Schaefer to John La Montaine, ink manuscript, on Grace and Holy Trinity Cathedral letterhead, dated October 27, 1986.
  - John Schaefer to John La Montaine, ink manuscript, on Grace and Holy Trinity Cathedral letterhead, dated February 16, 1987.

Box 22

Folder 1  
*The Whittier Service*, Op. 45. Programs and press materials, 1979-96, 1 undated. 18 documents. Items include:
8 concert programs (with 1 duplicate program).
2 religious service programs.
1 concert announcement.
1 concert invitation.
1 typescript composer’s notes, on letterhead for Fredonia Press.
1 press clipping.
1 magazine: *The New Records: The Oldest Record Magazine in America*, vol. 48, no. 9 (November 1980).
1 church bulletin: *The Messenger* (*First Presbyterian Church, Flint, MI*), vol. 31, no. 50 (December 7, 1980).

**Folder 2**  
Concerto for Flute and Orchestra, Op. 48. Programs and press materials, 1981, 3 undated. 13 documents. Items include:
3 concert programs (with 1 duplicate program), 1 festival program.
3 facsimiles of press clippings, 1 printout of archived press clipping.
1 excerpt from unidentified newsletter [from the University of Michigan].
1 publisher flyer, from Fredonia Press.
1 page musical annotations, in ink, by Doriot [Dwyer]. 1 p. of text.
1 letter: Andy Trudeau to John La Montaine, typescript, on letterhead for NPR, undated.

**Folder 3**  
*Two Scenes from the Song of Solomon*, Op. 49. Programs and press materials, 1980-82. 5 documents. Items include:
4 concert programs, 1 concert flyer.

**Folder 4**  
*Symphonic Variations*, Op. 50. Programs and press materials, 1982-83. 8 documents. Items include:
2 concert programs.
1 excerpt from concert season brochure for the American Symphony [?]. 2 pp. of text.
3 press clippings, 1 facsimile collage of press clippings (with duplicates).
1 journal article: Terence J. O’Grady, “Peninsula Music Festival No. 30,” *Musical America*, pp. 31-34.

**Folder 5**  
*The Lessons of Advent*, Op. 52. Programs and press materials, 1984-93. 7 documents. Items include:
2 concert programs.
2 religious service programs.
3 press clippings.

**Folder 6**  
*The Marshes of Glynn*, Op. 53. Programs and press materials, 1984-94, 1 undated. 7 documents. Items include:
2 concert programs (with 2 duplicates of program with annotations).
2 press clippings, 1 facsimile of press clipping.
Folder 7  Concerto for Piano and Orchestra, No. 2, Op. 54. Programs and press materials, 1988-94. 5 documents. Items include:
1 concert program.
1 press clipping, 1 facsimile of press clipping.
2 letters:
John La Montaine to Henry Fogel, typescript, on personal letterhead, dated March 17, 1988.
John La Montaine to John Corigliano, typescript, on personal letterhead, dated April 20, 1988.


Folder 9  Concerto for Piano and Orchestra, No. 4, Op. 59. Programs and press materials, 1989-97, 3 undated. 23 documents. Items include:
2 concert programs.
2 concert season mailers.
1 press clipping, 12 facsimiles of press clippings.
1 excerpt from magazine: review of *Ganz: Concerto in E flat for Piano and Orchestra / La Montaine: Concerto No. 4 for Piano and Orchestra* (compact disc), review by Peter Burwasser, *Fanfare*, vol. 20, no. 4 (March-April 1997).
1 typescript transcription of review: review of *Chicago Concertos* (compact disc), review by Stephen C. Hillyer, unidentified source. 11 pp. of text.
1 transcript of interview with John La Montaine, by Joanne Morrow, WMNR, Waterbury, CT, April 1990. 10 pp. of text.
1 evaluation form, New England Foundation for the Arts. 2 pp. of text.
1 transcription of reviews, typescript, 1 p. of text.


Folder 11  Sonata for Piccolo, Op. 61. Programs and press materials, 1994-98. 2 documents. Items include:
1 facsimile of concert program, with note from Zart Dombourian-Eby to John La Montaine on reverse, in ink.
1 letter: Martín Auza to John La Montaine, typescript, dated September 8, 1998.

Folder 12  *Even Song*. Programs and press materials, 1963-2006. 17 documents. Items include:
8 concert programs (1 program with note from Peter Coster to John La Montaine, in ink), 1 draft concert program.
3 religious service program (1 program with note from “JW” to John La Montaine, in ink).
1 calendar of organ recitals.
1 press clipping.
3 letters:
  Cathy Leestma to John La Montaine, typescript, on letterhead for Festival of Concerts, Crystal Cathedral, dated February 4, 1983.
  Richard Hynson to John La Montaine, typescript, on personal letterhead, dated October 30, 2006.
  Steven Smith to John La Montaine, typescript, dated October 30, 2006.

Folder 13  Works without opus numbers: solo keyboard compositions. Programs and press materials, 1953-87. 7 documents. Items include:
  4 religious service programs: Prelude.
  1 convocation program for Lawrence University: Processional.

Folder 14  Works without opus numbers: hymns and religious vocal music. Programs and press materials, 1952-81, 1 undated. 5 documents. Items include:
  3 religious service programs: Gloria in Excelsis, Psalm 100, Holy Spirit, Holy Spirit, Font of Light, This is the Day, Dear Lord and Father.
  1 convocation program for the Hymn Society of America: Three Hymns and an Anthem.
  1 flyer, with composer notes and excerpts from *Variations*, Op. 67, “Thoughts and Hymns.”

Folder 15  Works without opus numbers: solo vocal works. Programs and press materials, 1963-95. 10 documents. Items include:
  1 session program, National Federation of Music Clubs: A Child’s Prayer, Stopping by Woods on a Snowy Evening, and lecture by John La Montaine.

Folder 16  Recital programs with multiple compositions by John La Montaine. Programs and press materials, 1977-2003, 2 undated. 4 documents. Items include:
  1 concert program (2003): The Lord is My Shepherd (Psalm XXIII); Stopping by Woods on a Snowy Evening; *Four Songs for Soprano*, Op. 2; Two American Folk Songs; *Three Poems of Holly Beye*, Op. 15; Three English Folk Songs; A Child’s Prayer; A Fifteenth Century Carol; Schweitzer’s Prayer; Je ne sais pas; That Special Part of You; Wanderer’s Nachtlied; *Invocation*, Op. 4; *Six Sonnets of Shakespeare*, Op. 12; Freedom has a Thousand Charms from *Be Glad Then America*.
  1 concert program (undated), with autographs of performers and John La Montaine: *Toccata for Piano*, Op. 1; Evening Song and Islanded in Thought, Op. 2; Sonata for Piano, Op. 3; *A Child’s Picture Book*, Op. 7;
Five Sonnets of Shakespeare, Op. 12; Fuguing Set, Op. 14; Three American Folk Songs. 2 copies.

Folder 17 Programs and press materials, filed as “Not to be Read,” 1966-97, 16 undated. 60 documents. Items include:
“Data concerting John La Montaine,” typescript. 1 p. of text.
“Press Comment,” typescript, with annotations in pencil. 2 pp. of text.
Biographical sketch, typescript. 1 p. of text.
Program notes, typescript, in French. 2 pp. of text.
20 press clippings, 23 facsimiles of press clippings, 3 facsimile collages of press clippings (with duplicates), 1 printout of archived press clipping.
1 facsimile of magazine article: review of La Montaine: Conversations, Op. 44 (recording), American String Teacher (undated), p. 46.
1 excerpt from unidentified newsletter [from Pennsylvania State University].
1 publicity flyer from Fredonia Press.
4 letters:
Larry G. Biser to John La Montaine, typescript, on personal letterhead, undated [before September 26, 1988].
Barbara M. Irish to John La Montaine, typescript, on letterhead for the National Federation of Music Clubs, dated November 29, 1994.
Michael Klein to Publicity Department, Fredonia Discs Records, typescript, on letterhead for the University of Cincinnati, undated.
Accompanied by envelope labeled “JLM Reviews, JLM note on this collection ‘Not to be read.’”

Folder 18 Programs and press materials for John La Montaine, pianist, 1942-55, 2 undated. 10 documents. Items include:
5 concert programs, 1 printout of jpg. reproductions of concert program
1 concert season flyer.
1 publicity flyer.
2 facsimiles of press clippings.

Folder 19 Publicity and press materials associated with NBC Symphony Orchestra 1950 tour with Arturo Toscanini, 1950-68, 1 undated. 6 documents. Items include:
Itinerary for 1950 tour, typescript. 4 pp. of text.
1 magazine article: “Toscanini on Tour,” Allegro (July 1950), pp. 9-14.
1 letter: Lucille Knapp to Curator, Toscanini Memorial Archives, facsimile of letter in ink, on letterhead for Wolsey Farm, dated March 25, 1968.
Accompanied by brochure for the Toscanini Memorial Archives.
Newsletter from the Toscanini Memorial Archives, No. 3 (December 1968). 2 pp. of text.

Folder 20  Publicity and press materials associated with John La Montaine’s “African Odyssey,” 1964-67, 1 undated. 8 documents. Items include:
3 press clippings, 1 facsimile of press clipping.
2 press releases:
  From the University of Rochester, dated December 4, 1964, with note in ink from John La Montaine to “Willie & Peg and Kids.”
  From the University of Utah, dated May 16, 1967. Accompanied by 1 p. draft of press release with annotations in pencil.
Unidentified biographical account, incomplete. Typescript, labeled “page 4.”
  1 p. of text.

Folder 21  Publicity and press materials pertaining to John La Montaine’s other professional activities, 1961-96, 1 undated. 15 documents. Items include:
9 press clippings (with 1 duplicate facsimile), 3 facsimiles of press clippings, 1 facsimile collage of press clippings (with duplicates).
Excerpt from Pan Pipes of Sigma Alpha Iota (Winter 1984), pp. 33-34.
1 festival flyer and events schedule.

Sub-series D: Additional publicity materials

Folder 22  Serial literature. 13 documents. Items include:
5 excerpts from serials:
   Accompanied by facsimile of paragraph about John La Montaine. 1 p.
3 facsimile of articles:

**Folder 23**
Binder collection (no. 1) of facsimiles of press clippings. 94 pp.

**Folder 24**
Binder collection (no. 2) of facsimiles of press clippings. Title page: “…a skillful man with pen in hand”: Articles written about John La Montaine and his music. 91 pp.

**Folder 25**
Publisher brochures, flyers, and works lists. 15 items.
1 concert program.

**Box 51**

**Folder 5**
Press clipping, laminated with illustration “Thoreau-Burgers” by W. Miller.

**Folder 6**
Binder collection (no. 3) of facsimiles of press clippings. 140 pp.

**Series 5: Library**

*Sub-series A: Published literature*

**Box 23**

**Item 1**

**Item 2**

**Item 3**

**Item 4**


Sub-series B: Study scores

Box 24

Folder 1  Bach, Johann Sebastian. First Concerto for Two Pianos in C Minor. No. 19 in *Johann Sebastian Bach’s Werke*. Leipzig: Breitkopf & Härtel, [n.d.]. Includes: Full score, with performing notes in pencil. Inscription in pencil to John La Montaine from Max Landow, March 7. Instrumental parts: pianoforte I, with performing notes in pencil; violin I, (2 copies), violin II (2 copies), viola (2 copies), violoncello (2 copies), contrabass.


Sub-series C: Presentation scores

Folder 5  Taylor, Azell. Includes:
   “Can We Get Along.” For voice and piano. Typescript score. 3 pp.

   For ten instruments. Translation by Raymond Adolph Prier. Act II, full score.
   Manuscript facsimile, bound. 61 pp. Notes by John La Montaine in pencil on title page.

Folder 7  Thimmig, Leslie. Suite for Chamber Orchestra. Full score. Manuscript facsimile,
   bound. 77 pp. Dedicated to John La Montaine (with note by John La Montaine in pencil: I did not teach him anything.).

Series 6: Audio-visual material

Sub-series A: 5” reels

Box 25

[Recordings containing a single composition by John La Montaine]

   The Cleveland Chamber Orchestra; Michael Charry, conductor.
   Annotation on side of box: “La Montaine, Op. 21.”

Item 2  Conversations, Op. 42. Audio reel (n.d.).
   Keith Bryan, flute; Karen Keys, piano.
   Annotation on box: “Flute Conversations / Karen, Keith.”

   John La Montaine, piano.

   Annotation on box: “John La Montaine. Jubilant Overture / 7 ½”/sec. full track.”
   Annotation on side of box: “La Montaine / Jubilant Overture (Whallon).”

   Annotation on side of box: “La Montaine / Jubilant Overture (Whallon) Baustian.”
Item 6  "O Lord Support Us.” Audio reel (n.d.).
In ink on reel: “O Lord Support Us / Sutherland.”

Julius Baker, flute; Robert Bloom, oboe; Keith Wilson, clarinet; Sol
Schoenbach, bassoon.
In ink on reel: “La Montaine.”

Item 8  Scherzo for Piano and Orchestra. Audio reel (n.d.).

Nina De Veritch, violoncello; Gladys Gladstone, piano.
Annotation on box: “Sonata for ‘cello and piano .... original.”

Utah String Quartet: Oscar Chausow, violin; Norma Lee Madsen, violin; Sally
Peck Lentz, viola; David Freed, violoncello.
Annotation on box: “String Quartet, Opus 16 ... original.”

Item 11  String Quartet, Op. 16 (?). Audio reel (n.d.).
Annotation on box: “La Montaine / Op. 16 String Quartet / Played by La
Societa Cameristica Italiano / Lucille Knapp.”
Annotation on side of box: “La Montaine / Op. 9.”

Item 12  “A Summer’s Day.” Audio reel (n.d.).
Polly Jo Baker, soprano.

Annotation on box:

Item 14  Te Deum Laudamus. Audio reel (n.d.).
Washington Cathedral Choir of Men and Boys.

Item 15  “‘Tis to the Man.” Audio reel (n.d.).
Polly Jo Baker, soprano.

Box 26

[Recordings containing multiple compositions by John La Montaine]

Annotation on box: “Four Songs, Opus 2 by John La Montaine / 1.) Evening,
Margaret / 2.) Evening, Wedding Song, Islanded in Thought, Daffodils;
Chloe Owen, sop.; Alfio Micci, violin; J. La Montaine, piano / 3.) Two
Folk Songs: Birds’ Courting Song, Black is the Color; MacMorgan, Bar.;
La M., piano.”
In ink on reel: “Final rehearsal 9 Lessons / 1st time Piano / Summer’s Day.”
Annotation on box: “9 Lessons final rehearsal / Summer’s Day.”

Item 3  Sonata for Piano Four Hands, Op. 25 / Abravanel interview. Audio reel (n.d.).
Annotation on box: “La Montaine / Op. 9 Concerto for Piano and Orchestra /
La Montaine Piano, Eastman Philharmonia under Dr. Howard Hanson / 4-Hand Sonata, La Montaine, Gladys Gladstone / 2 performances and
Abravanel interview / Gene Paek copy / Lucille Knapp.”
Annotation on side of box: “La Montaine / Op. 16.”
Accompanied by 2 items:
Concert program (Chamber Music Concert, University of Utah, April 30, 1967)
Box 21, Folder 1 (“Programs, articles and reviews”: Sonata for Piano Four Hands, Op. 25) contains duplicates of both items.

Item 4  “A Summer’s Day” / “Schweitzer’s Prayer.” Audio reel (n.d.).
Polly Jo Baker, soprano; John La Montaine, piano.

[Additional recordings]

Item 5  “Freedom Proclamation.” Audio reel (n.d.).
In ink on reel: “Freedom Procl. / Hammerklavier.”

Item 6  “Pulitzer Prizes 1959.” Audio reel (n.d.).

Annotation on box: “John La Montaine / The Creative Process / Nov. 15, 1977 / Whittier College Learning Resources Center.”

Item 8  “National Public Radio Interview.” Audio reel (n.d.).

Item 9  “Today Show.” Audio reel (n.d.).
In ink on reel: “Freedom Procl. / Hammerklavier.”

Sub-series B: 7” reels

[Recordings containing a single composition by John La Montaine]

Box 27

Item 1  Be Glad Then America, Op. 43. Audio reel (n.d.).
In ink on reel: “Be Glad TV t.o.”
Annotation on box: “Be Glad TV show sound.”

Item 2  
Chicago Chamber Orchestra; Dieter Kober, conductor.  
In ink on reel: “Colloquy / orig / track 1 only.”

Item 3  
Annotation on box: “Colloquy / Tatton.”

Item 4  
Jorge Bolet, piano; [National Symphony Orchestra]; Howard Mitchell, conductor.  
Annotation on box: “Piano Concerto Boston Op. 9.”

Item 5  
CBC Vancouver Orchestra; Michael Charry, guest conductor. Produced by George Laverock, with James Reid, recording engineer. Recorded at CBC Studio 1, Vancouver, October 14, 1981.  
In ink on reel label: “La Montaine / tailout / Concerto for Strings / ½ track / stereo.”  
Annotation on box: “Tail out / Original—use for copies.”  
Track list: --i) Risoluto 6:20; --ii) Scherzo to 9:44 (attacca); --3) Recitative: Adagio to 12:32 (attacca); iv) Aria (attacca) to 16:31; v) Finale to 21:00.  
Accompanied by document listing recording credits and track list.

Item 6  
Annotation on box: “WBEN Broadcast of 1957 Hymn Festival.”  
Taped on reverse of box: press clipping about upcoming WBEN broadcast of the Festival of Hymns (featuring cantata premiere).

Item 7  
In ink on reel: “9 Lessons final rehearsal.”

Item 8  
Annotation on box: “9 Lessons / Les Remsen / Polly Jo Baker / David Griffith / Priscilla Phillips / Robert Oliver / Carl Baum / Scott Shepherd.”

Item 9  
Annotation on box: “9 Lessons complete using all soloists.”

Item 10  
In ink on reel: “9 Lessons”  
In pencil on reel label: “re-mix 1.”

**Box 28**

Item 1  *Revolution*. Audio reel (n.d.).

Annotation on box: “Rose of Sharon J. Norman.”

Item 3  “Shall I Compare Thee to a Summer’s Day.” Audio reel (1970).
Polly Jo Baker, soprano; John La Montaine, piano.
Track list on box (side 1): --#1 October 23, 1970, at Class-Florence Russell; --
#2 October 16, 1970, at Class-Patricia Baker; --#3 October 25, 1970,
during recital Polly Jo Baker at Russell Studios; --#4 same, -higher
volume.

Item 4  “Shall I Compare Thee to a Summer’s Day.” Audio reel (n.d.).
Polly Jo Baker, soprano; John La Montaine, piano.
Rehoused; annotation on original box: “Polly Jo Baker / Summers Day.”

George Sopkin, violoncello; John La Montaine, piano.

Searle Wright, organ; [Washington National Cathedral Choir]; Paul Callaway,
conductor.
Annotation on box: “Songs of the Nativity / 1st performances / Paul Callaway /
Searle Wright.”

Mid-America Quartet.
In ink on reel: “Fine Arts & Eastman.”
Annotation on box: “Premiere / Kansas City / Mid-America Quartet.”

Fine Arts Quartet, April 9, 1962.
Annotation on box: “(La Mont String Quartet Fine Arts Quartet (Original)).”
Movement (track) listing on box cover.

Fine Arts Quartet.

Annotation on box: “La Montaine / String Quartet / Fine Arts, Also Eastman.”
Track listing: --performance by the Fine Arts Quartet; --performance by Eastman students.

Annotation on box: “La Montaine / String Quartet / (Fine Arts, also Italian Quartet) / copy, track 1.”

In ink on reel label: “John La Montaine / Symphony No. 1 Op. 28 / Forthright / Upright-Outright.”
Annotation on box: “La Mont Symphony No. 1 (Thor Johnson).”

Box 29

Item 1 Symphony No. 1, Op. 28. Audio reel (n.d.).
Recorded at Peninsula Music Festival, Fish Creek, WI, August 10, 1958.
In ink on reel label: “John La Montaine / Symphony No. 1 Op. 28 / Forthright / Upright-Outright // Recorded at Rehersal [sic].”
Annotation on box: “Symph. I / rehearsal.”

Item 2 Symphony No. 1, Op. 28. Audio reel (n.d.).
Recorded at Peninsula Music Festival, Fish Creek, WI, August 10, 1958.

Item 3 Symphony No. 1, Op. 28. Audio reel (n.d.).
Ephraim Festival Orchestra; Thor Johnson, conductor.
Annotation on box: “La Montaine Symphony No. 1 / copy.”

Item 4 Te Deum, Op. 35. Audio reel (n.d.).
Annotation on box: “La Montaine Te Deum Laudamus.”

Annotation on original box: “Woodwind Quintet Op. 24a.”

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Annotation on box: “La Montaine / Birds of Paradise / La Montaine – Hanson / Te Deum / Paul Callaway.”


Item 8 Capriccio for Piano and Orchestra / Adagio for Orchestra. Audio reel (n.d.).
Annotation on box: “Capriccio for Piano & Orch., Irene Gedny, Roch. Civic, Howard Hanson / Adagio for Orchestra (2 perf.) Roch. Civic, Howard Hanson.”

**Item 9**
In ink on reel: “Christmas Gift.”
Annotation on box: “62 – Sutherland singing – Xmas Carls (La Mont).”
Label on side of box: “Op. 13.” [Songs of the Nativity]
Audio reel rehoused; accompanied by back of original box.

**Item 10**
“Christmas Gift.” Audio reel (n.d.).
In ink on reel: “John La Montaine / Christmas Music.”
Annotation on box: “John La Montaine / Christmas Music / Master Copy.”
Annotation on side of box: “La Mont Christmas Gift / 15 cycles p.s.”

**Item 11**
In ink on reel: “W--h [illegible] / rejects / Dance Pre. / good / Burlesque / Fuguing Set / t.o.”

**Box 30**

**Item 1**
[First orchestral pieces]. Audio reel (1938).
Annotation on box: “La Montaine: 1st orchestra pieces 1938 Hanson, cond.”

**Item 2**
In ink on reel: “I / Sonnets / 4 Songs op. 2 / II / 23rd Psalm / Stopping / Birds / Invocation / Evening Song / Wedding Song / Islanded.”
Annotation on box: “La Montaine: I, Five Sonnets of Shakespeare, Opus 12, Four Songs, Opus 2 / II, 23rd Psalm, Stopping by Woods, Birds, Invocation (opus 4).”

**Item 3**
Annotation on box: “Compositions by John La Montaine / Tape No. 2 / Elegy from Concerto for Piano and Orchestra.”
Annotation on side of box: “Temple Quartet in Nativity, Kroki in Birds’ Courting, Black, Sour Wood Mountain, Lullaby, The Puppets.”

**Item 4**
Annotation on box: “Title: Now Begin on Christmas Day Part 2 of 2 / Date: 12/25/65.”
Item 5  “Now Begin on Christmas Day II.” Audio reel (1965).
  Annotation on box: “Title: Now Begin on Christmas Day / Open: Saturday, December 25, 1965, 10:06:10-1:58:50 PM EST / Program of works by John La Montaine / Interview by Ben Grauer.”

Item 6  “Prayer for Evening” / “Now Comes the Gentile’s Saviour.” Audio reel (n.d.).

  In ink on reel: “Scherzo / Colloquy.”

  In ink on reel: “I. Cello Sonata / II. 4 hand Sonata, Fuguing Set.”

  In ink on reel: “Copy Doriot tails.”
  Annotation on box: “Doriot / Solo Sonata / Come into my Garden.”
  Annotation on side of box: “Solo Flute Sonata +.”

  Annotation on box: “La Montaine: I. Songs of the Nativity, Opus 13 / II. Processional, Colloquy for Strings, Opus 21 (part).”

  In ink on reel: “t.o. NBC broadcast / Songs of Nativity.”

Box 31

Item 1  Spreading the News, Op. 27 / “This is the Month” / “Stopping by Woods on a Snowy Evening” / “Twenty-third Psalm.” Audio reel (n.d.).
  In ink on reel: “Schuler / Southerland / La Berge / Flagstad / Mcarthy—Del Jollo.”
  Annotation on box: “Spreading News / Sutherland—This is the Month / La Berge—Stopping by Woods, 23rd Psalm / Almost all of Spreading News / Flagstad ½ min.”

Annotation on box: “Best copies / Whittier Service, Ed Low, Neighborhood Chorus / Colloquy for Strings, Michael Charry, CBC Vancouver.”

**Item 3**  *Wilderness Journal* / “Piano & Birds.” Audio reel (n.d.).  
In ink on reel: “Wilderness Journal / Piano & Birds.”  

[Recordings containing compositions by other composers, with or without compositions by John La Montaine]

**Item 4**  
Annotation on box: “Canons--(LaM) Conducting (twice.) / Violin Concerto (Martinu) 2 side also / Second side--backwards later--single track.”

**Item 5**  
John La Montaine, *Festival* / Leslie Thimmig, Three Pieces for E-flat Baritone Sax. Audio reel (n.d.).  
Annotation on box: “La Mont. Festival from Music for a Greek Play (Hanson) / Thimmig, Three Pieces for E Baritone Sax.”

**Item 6**  
In ink on reel: “Jekyl Hyde.”  
Annotation on box, in pencil: “Puppet Show / erger / La Mont Canons—NG.”  
Annotation on side of box: “La Mont Processional / Gould Jekyll Hyde Variations.”

**Item 7**  
In ink on reel: “Concert (?) II.”  
Annotation on side of box: “La Montaine Early Works: Festival, Dirge, Symphony, Be Patient, Intermezzo, Capriccio.”

**Item 8**  
Annotation on box: “Die Walküre Act II (beginning) / Full score p.73 / Vocal score p. / Sigmunde—Treptow, Siglinde—Varnay, Brünnhilde—Flagstad, Wotan—Franz.”

[Additional recordings]

**Item 9**  
“Angkloeng.” Audio reel (n.d.).  
In ink on reel: “Angk → ”
Annotation on box: “Save! Angkeloeng / Frednia [sic] Singers / Polly Jo Baker, Keith Molsted.”

**Item 10**  
“Christmas Poems.” Audio reel (n.d.).  
In ink on reel: “Practice.”  
Inscription on box: “For John / For better or for worse / from L. G. K.”  
Annotation on box: “Medieval Christmas Poems / Lucille Knapp.”

**Box 32**

**Item 1**  
“Columbia question per.” Audio reel (n.d.).

**Item 2**  
“Eastman Radio Students.” Audio reel (n.d.).  
In ink on reel: “For Mr. Peter Haug / II LaMontaine.”

**Item 3**  
“Einstein Notes.” Audio reel (n.d.).

**Item 4**  
“Gott. I.” Audio reel (n.d.).

**Item 5**  
“Readings from the *Kebra Nagast*.” Audio reel (n.d.).

**Item 6**  
“Pontalba.” Audio reel (n.d.).

**Item 7**  
John La Montaine interview with Abravanel. Audio reel (1967).  
In ink on reel label: “KSL Abravanel Announce with John La Montaine, 4/16/67.”

**Item 8**  
Annotation on box: “National Symphony Notes / Bill Denton w/ John La Montaine / aired 10/8/72 / 10:24.”  
Originally accompanied by letter:  
Claudia Burns (WGMS Program Director) to John La Montaine, typescript, on letterhead for WGMS, dated October 12, 1972.  
Letter rehoused in Box 17, folder 7 (Correspondence to/from John La Montaine, “B [Bryan—Byrd].”).

**Item 9**  
John La Montaine interview with Durham. Audio reel (n.d.).  
In ink on reel: “Durham Interview.”

**Item 10**  
John La Montaine interview with Ron Frederickson and Gene Park. Audio reel (n.d.).  
Annotation on box: “Interview—John La Montaine / Ron Frederickson / Gene Park.”

**Item 11**  
John La Montaine interview on the *Today Show*. Audio reel (n.d.).
Sub-series C: 10 ½” reels

Box 33

[Recordings containing a single composition by John La Montaine.]

Composite tape made by Pennsylvania State University.
No track listing.

Act II. Recorded Sunday, February 8, 1976. (Third performance.)
Annotation on box: “2-8-76 (Sunday) Performance (3p) (Act II) Original / 2
TR Stereo ½ / Scully #2.”
No track listing.

Act II, part 2.
Annotation on box: “Roll #2 / Be Glad Master Act II part 2 / 15 i.p.s. 2 trk.
stereo ½ trk.”
No track listing.

Arnold Brustoff, violin; Sheldon Shkolnik, piano. Audio recorded and edited
by Norman Pellegrini. Recorded in Ganz Hall, Chicago Musical College,
Roosevelt University, Chicago, September 12, 1976.
Annotation on box: “Conversations Vn. FD-5 Master.”
No track listing.
Accompanied by a document bearing notes on the recorded tracks by Location
Recording Service. 1 p. of text.

Item 5  Conversations, Op. 42. For flute. Audio reel (n.d.).
Doriot Dwyer, flute; Susan Mendel, piano. Processed master.
In ink on reel label: “John La Montaign [sic] 15 in/s NAB / Doriot Dwyer,
Susan Mandel / Dolby 4 Tares at Ste. 4.”
Annotation on box: “Doriot Dwyer / La Montaine: Conversations 4
movements / Final Master / FD-9 / side 1.”
Bears note: “Dolby—A [Note: side 2 begins with 4 bands with no Dolby].”
No track listing.

In ink on reel label: “Stereo 24:57 / Master Baker: 6 Sonnets.”
Annotation on box: “Master / Polly Jo / JLM / 6 Sonnets / FD-8,”
Track listing: --I; --II; --III; --IV; --V; --VI.

Sub-series D: 12” LPs

[Recordings containing a single composition by John La Montaine]

Box 45

Items 1-2  The Nine Lessons of Christmas, Op. 44. Polly Jo Baker, soprano; David Griffith, tenor; The Fredonia Singers; Carl Baum, harp; Keith Mølstad, reader; Scott Shepherd, percussion; conducted by John La Montaine. Fredonia Discs, FD-6, 1976. LP. 2 copies. Copy 2 in shrink-wrap. Accompanied by libretto insert. 4 pp. of text.

[Recordings containing multiple compositions by John La Montaine]


[Recordings containing compositions by other composers, with or without compositions by John La Montaine]


Item 10
Howard Hanson, Piano Concerto, Op. 36 / John La Montaine, Birds of Paradise, Op. 34. Alfred Mouledous, piano (first work); John La Montaine, piano (second work); with the Eastman-Rochester Orchestra, conducted by Howard Hanson. Mercury ERA 1006, [n.d.]. Item in shrink-wrap.

Items 12-13

Item 14
Songs by Horace Middleton. Janet Wheeler, soprano, with John La Montaine, piano. CM 7144, [n.d.]. LP.
   Accompanied by typescript track list. 1 p. of text.

Item 15
Treasury of French Song. Martial Singher, baritone; with Paul Ulanowsky and John La Montaine, pianos; Marcel Hubert, cello; and Ross Norwood, flute. Columbia Masterworks, ML 4258, 1950. LP.

Items 16-17

[Additional recordings]

Item 18
Gertrude Stein Read by Gertrude Stein. Dorian Records, DR-331, [n.d.]. LP.

Sub-series E: Cassette tapes

[Recordings containing a single composition by John La Montaine]

Item 19

Sub-series F: Compact discs

[Recordings containing multiple compositions by John La Montaine]

Items 20-22

[Additional recordings]


Sub-series G: Audio-visual cassettes

Box 34


Series 7: Oversized materials

Sub-series A: Oversized manuscripts and sketches
Separated from Series 1 (Manuscripts and sketches), Sub-series B (Mature works).

Box 46


Box 47


Folder 4 Be Glad Then America, Op. 43. Opera. Full score. Ozalid manuscript. 262 pp. of music.
Box 48

Item 1  

Item 2  

Item 3  

Item 4  

Item 5  

Box 36

Folder 6  
*Lexington Green*, Op. 43b. For band or orchestra. Conductor’s score. Ozalid manuscript, with annotations in colored pencil. 22 pp. of music.

Box 48

Folder 6  

Box 36

Folder 7  

Box 49

Folder 1  

Folder 2  
Folder 3  Concerto for Flute, Op. 48. 4 documents. Items include:


Solo flute part (copy 3). Enlarged facsimile of typescript score. 13 pp. of music.


Box 50

Item 1  Concerto for Flute, Op. 48. Full score. Manuscript facsimile, bound, with annotations in pencil, colored pencil, and ink. Includes sketch in ink and pencil of possible cadenza on verso of last page. 90 pp. of music.


Items include:
  Full score (incomplete): mvmt. III. Manuscript facsimile. 22 pp. of music.
  Full score (incomplete): mvmt. IV. Manuscript and manuscript facsimile. 40 pp. of music.
  Full score (incomplete): miscellaneous pages. Manuscript and manuscript facsimile. 39 pp. of music.
  Accompanied by envelope labeled “Concerto II, first copy of original mss., 3rd & 4th movts.”

Folder 8  *Children’s Games.* Variations on Tunes of Childhood. For piano and orchestra.
Full score. Ozalid manuscript. 78 pp. of music. Accompanied by front of envelope with typescript title page.

Folder 9  *Children’s Games.* Variations on Tunes of Childhood. For piano and orchestra.
Facsimiles of source material (“tunes of childhood”) from unknown source. 9 pp. of music. Full score (incomplete). Manuscript facsimile. 4 pp. of music.

Folder 10  *Five Sonnets for Orchestra after Shakespeare.* For symphony orchestra. Full score. Ozalid manuscript. 41 pp. of music.

Folder 11  *Five Sonnets for Orchestra after Shakespeare.* For symphony orchestra. Full score. Manuscript facsimile. 41 pp. of music.

Folder 12  Untitled manuscript sketches for voice and accompaniment. First line of lyrics: “Je suis un petit poupon.” 6 pp. of music. Manuscript sketches for Piano Concerto V. 1 p. of music.
  Separated from Series 1 (Manuscripts and Sketches), Sub-series C (Sketches).

*Sub-series B: Other oversized documents*
  Separated from Series 2 (Personal papers), Series 3 (Correspondence), and Series 4 (Publicity and press materials).

**Box 35**

**Item 1** Framed medal from ASCAP celebrating John La Montaine’s award of the Pulitzer Prize in Music, 1959.
  Separated from Series 2 (Personal papers), Sub-series D (Ephemera).

**Item 2** Wood plaque listing cast of *Novellis, Novellis* for December 4, 1966, performance
  Separated from Series 2 (Personal papers), Sub-series D (Ephemera).

**Item 3** Plaque for the American Symphony Orchestra American Composer’s Award, April 21, 1982.
  Separated from Series 2 (Personal papers), Sub-series D (Ephemera).
Box 36

Folder 1  Photograph of Kilbourne Hall, unattributed. Mounted with note from James Undercuffler, director, with ink annotations by John La Montaine listing compositions he performed and performances of his compositions occurring in Kilbourne Hall.

Separated from Series 2 (Personal papers), Sub-series D (Ephemera).

Folder 2  Title page for Compositions of John La Montaine, Volume 2. Ozalid manuscript. 1 p. of text.

Separated from Series 2 (Personal papers), Sub-series D (Ephemera).

Folder 3  Correspondence. 3 documents. Items include:
- Antal Dorati to John La Montaine; ink manuscript, on personal letterhead; dated June 28, 1971.
- John La Montaine to Kay [Shouse] and Carol; typescript, with annotations in ink; undated.
- Unknown correspondent to John La Montaine; typescript, on letterhead for Springbok Radio Productions, South African Broadcasting Corporation; dated August (?) 5 (?), 1972.

Separated from Series 3 (Correspondence), Sub-series A (Correspondence with John La Montaine).

Folder 4  Oversized personal papers (original writings). 2 documents. Items include:
- John La Montaine, “Be Glad Then America: A Decent Entertainment from the Thirteen Colonies,” unknown source. 2 pp. of text.

Separated from Series 2 (Personal papers), Sub-series A (Original writings).

Folder 5  Oversized press clippings (1), 1961-86, 1 undated. 5 items.

Separated from Series 4 (Publicity and Press Materials), Sub-series C.

Folders 6-7  See Sub-series A: Oversized manuscripts and sketches, p. 123


Separated from Series 2 (Personal papers), Sub-series D (Ephemera).

Folder 9  Oversized press clippings (2), 1950-95. 13 items.

Separated from Series 4 (Publicity and press materials), Sub-series C (Programs, articles, and reviews).
Folder 10  Oversized concert posters, 1974-83, 1 undated. 8 items (with 1 duplicate). Separated from Series 4 (Publicity and press materials), Sub-series C (Programs, articles, and reviews).