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Guide to the Matthew Williams Stirling and Marion Stirling Pugh papers, 1876-2004 (bulk 1921-1975)

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Collection Overview

Repository:	National Anthropological Archives
Title:	Matthew Williams Stirling and Marion Stirling Pugh papers
Date:	1876-2004, undated (bulk 1921-1975)
Identifier:	NAA.2016-24
Creator:	Stirling, Matthew Williams, 1896-1975 (Creator) Stirling, Marion (Creator)
Extent:	37.94 Linear feet (84 boxes, 3 map folders)
Language:	English .
Summary:	The Matthew Williams Stirling and Marion Stirling Pugh papers, 1876-2004 (bulk 1921-1975), document the professional and personal lives of Matthew Stirling, Smithsonian archaeologist and Chief of the Bureau of American Ethnology (1928-1957), and his wife and constant collaborator, Marion Stirling Pugh. The bulk of the material is professional in nature and includes material from Matthew's early career in the 1920s, the careers of Matthew and Marion together from when they married in 1933 to Matthew's death in 1975, and Marion's life and work from 1975 until her death in 2001. The majority of the documentation relates to the investigation of the Olmec culture in Mexico by the Stirlings, including the discoveries of eight colossal Olmec heads. In addition, the collection documents their work in Panama, Ecuador, and Costa Rica, looking for connections between Mesoamerica and South America. Materials include field notes, journals, correspondence, photographs, writings, clippings, ephemera, articles, and scrapbooks.

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

The bulk of these papers were donated to the National Anthropological Archives in 2016 by Matthew and Marion Stirling's grandchildren, Jessica Gronberg and Jeremy Withers.

Separated Materials

Film materials were transferred to the Human Studies Film Archive (HSFA).

Processing Information

The materials in the 2016 accession were inventoried by Molly Kamph in 2016 and the included timeline was written by Kamph at that time. Katie Duvall rehoused and arranged all the materials into their current order and completed the finding aid in 2019. Original organizational schemas and filing titles were maintained wherever possible. Katie Duvall also intellectually integrated the material from the Matthew W. Stirling papers (processed by Paula Fleming in 1992) into this

inventory. That material appears as boxes 55-80 in this finding aid. Please contact the reference archivist at the NAA for further information about the previous finding aid.

Processed and encoded by Katie Duvall, May 2019.

Preferred Citation

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Restrictions

The Matthew Williams Stirling and Marion Stirling Pugh papers are open for research.

The scrapbooks listed in Series 1.7 are restricted due to preservation concerns. Please contact the reference archivist for more information.

Access to the Matthew Williams Stirling and Marion Stirling Pugh papers requires an appointment.

Conditions Governing Use

Contact the repository for terms of use.

Biographical

MATTHEW WILLIAMS STIRLING:

Matthew Williams Stirling, archaeologist and Director of the Bureau of American Ethnology (1928-1957), was born on August 28, 1896 in Salinas, California. After serving as an Ensign in the Navy from 1917-1919, he graduated with a B.A. in Anthropology in 1920 from the University of California, Berkeley studying under T.T. Waterman, Alfred L. Kroeber, and E.W. Gifford. From 1920-1921 he worked as a teaching fellow at the university, where he taught William Duncan Strong. Stirling's first tenure at the Smithsonian (then the U.S. National Museum (USNM)) was from 1921-1924, first as a museum aide, then as an Assistant Curator of Ethnology. While in the position he took night classes at George Washington University and received his M.A. in 1922. He received an honorary Sc.D. from Tampa University in 1943. In 1924, Stirling resigned his position at the museum and embarked on a journey to South America with his friend Perry Patton. From 1925-1927 he embarked on the Smithsonian sponsored American-Dutch Expedition to Papua New Guinea to explore the previously unknown interior region of Dutch New Guinea. Stirling was appointed Chief of the Bureau of American Ethnology at the Smithsonian Institution in 1928 and married Marion Illig in 1933. They worked together for the next 40 years studying Olmec culture and the connection to greater Mesoamerica and South America. They had two children (Matthew W. Stirling Jr. in 1938 and Ariana Stirling in 1942). Stirling retired as Director of the B.A.E. on December 31, 1957. He died January 23, 1975 in Washington, D.C.

Sources consulted:

Collins, Henry B. "Matthew Williams Stirling, 1896-1975." *American Anthropologist*, New Series, 78, no. 4 (1976): 886-88.

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MARION STIRLING PUGH:

Marion Stirling Pugh (nee Illig) was born in Middletown, New York on May 12, 1911. She graduated from Rider College in 1930 and came to Washington D.C. in 1931 where she took a job as a secretary to the Chief of the Bureau of American Ethnology, Matthew Stirling. She attended night school at George Washington University from 1931-1933 where she studied anthropology, geology, and Russian. Marion and Matthew were married on December 11, 1933 and promptly embarked on a honeymoon expedition to Florida where Matthew was in charge of Works Progress Administration (WPA) projects. They worked together for the next

40 years studying Olmec culture and the connection to greater Mesoamerica and South America. They had two children (Matthew W. Stirling Jr. in 1938 and Ariana Stirling in 1942).

Marion was an active member of the Society of Women Geographers and was elected to the executive board in 1954. She served as president of the society from 1960-1963 and 1969-1972. She had a long-time association with the Textile Museum in Washington D.C. and in the 1970s established what would become the Latin American Research Fund to secure Latin American ethnographic textiles for the museum.

After Matthew's death in 1975, Marion married General John Ramsey Pugh in 1977. Pugh died in 1994. Marion continued to travel the world, including making a trip to Antarctica in her 80s, until her death on April 24, 2001 in Tucson, Arizona.

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Conroy, Sarah Booth. "Archaeologist Marion Pugh, Digging Up Memories." *The Washington Post*. July 8, 1996. https://www.washingtonpost.com/archive/lifestyle/1996/07/08/archaeologist-marion-pugh-digging-up-memories/09f465e7-5900-455e-bcd5-b81828a502d5/?utm_term=.703ff0e84313 (accessed May 16, 2019).

Matthew Williams Stirling and Marion Stirling Pugh Chronology

<i>1896 August 28</i>	Matthew Williams Stirling born in Salinas, California to Ariana and John Williams Stirling
<i>1911 May 12</i>	Marion Illig born in Middletown, New York
<i>1914-1920</i>	Matthew Stirling attended the University of California, Berkeley, receiving his B.A. in Anthropology in 1920. He studied under A.L. Kroeber, T.T. Waterman, and E.W. Gifford.
<i>1917-1919</i>	Matthew Stirling served as an ensign in the U.S. Navy during World War I
<i>1920</i>	Matthew Stirling's travels to Europe with his parents
<i>1920-1921</i>	Matthew Stirling worked as teaching fellow at the University of California, Berkeley and taught William Duncan Strong
<i>1921-1924</i>	Matthew Stirling worked at the United States National Museum (USNM), first as a Museum Aide and then as an Assistant Curator of Ethnology
<i>1922</i>	Matthew Stirling received Master of Arts degree from George Washington University, studying under Truman Michelson Matthew Stirling went on a trip to the cave country of France and Spain with friend Perry J. Patton
<i>1923 Winter</i>	Matthew Stirling sent by J. Walter Fewkes to excavate at Weedon (or Weeden) Island, Florida
<i>1924 Spring</i>	Matthew Stirling resigned from his Smithsonian USNM post
<i>1924 Summer</i>	Matthew Stirling conducted excavations in Mobridge, South Dakota
<i>1924 July</i>	Matthew Stirling went on a trip to South America with friend, Perry J. Patton
<i>1924 Winter</i>	Matthew Stirling continued excavations in Weedon Island, FL

- 1924-1925* Matthew Stirling sold real estate on Weedon Island, Florida to fund the expedition to Papua New Guinea in the winters of 1924 and 1925
- 1925-1927* Matthew Stirling organized and led the American-Dutch Expedition (or Smithsonian Institution-Dutch Colonial Government expedition) to Papua New Guinea
- 1928* Matthew Stirling named Chief of the Bureau of American Ethnology (BAE) at the Smithsonian Institution
- 1929 March-April* Matthew Stirling surveyed mounds in Tampa Bay and Calusa areas of Florida
- 1930s* Matthew Stirling conducted various archaeological excavations in Georgia and Florida under the Works Progress Administration (WPA)
- 1930* Marion Illig received a Bachelor of Science degree from Rider College
- From February through April, Mathew Stirling conducted more work on Tampa Bay mounds in Florida
- In July, Matthew Stirling went to Marfa, Texas to examine pictographs in caves and also went to Deeth, Nevada
- 1931 September-1932 March* Matthew Stirling a member of the Latin American Expedition to South and Central America. He studied the Tule/Kuna Indians in Panama and the Jivaro in Ecuador
- 1931-1933* Marion Illig moved to Washington D.C. to attend George Washington University and worked at the BAE as a secretary for Matthew Stirling
- 1933 December 11* Matthew and Marion Stirling married
- 1933 December-1934 May 5* Matthew Stirling supervised Federal Civil Works Administration (or Federal Emergency Relief Administration) projects in Florida, also called Florida Federal Relief (Bradenton, Perico Island, Canaveral Island, and Belle Glade) and BAE excavations in Macon, Georgia
- 1934 October* Conducted archaeological work in King, Queen, and Halifax counties in Virginia and Granville City, North Carolina
- 1935* Matthew Stirling acted as the president of the Anthropological Society of Washington
- Expedition to Guatemala, Honduras, and Yucatan Peninsula to study the Maya and the Quché (or Quiche) Indians from January to February 15, 1935
- 1935-1936* Matthew Stirling acted as the vice president of the American Anthropological Association
- 1936* Matthew Stirling and WPA workers conducted archaeological surveys in southern Florida in July 1936
- Matthew and Marion Stirling visited an excavation in Macon, Georgia in Fall 1936
- Matthew Stirling supervised archaeological projects in Hillsborough and Dade Counties in Florida

<i>1938 January-March</i>	Matthew and Marion Stirling take first field trip to Mexico, visiting Tres Zapotes
<i>1938 December 24-1939 April 15</i>	First Smithsonian Institution/National Geographic Society Expedition to Mexico with C.W. Weiant. Excavated Tres Zapotes and discovered lower portion of Stela C
<i>1939</i>	Matthew Stirling received his first Franklyn L. Burr Award from the National Geographic Society
<i>1939 December 26-1940 April 20</i>	Second Smithsonian Institution/National Geographic Society Expedition to Mexico with Dr. Philip Drucker. Excavated Cerro de las Mesas and La Venta
<i>1940 December 29-1941 April 30</i>	Third Smithsonian Institution/National Geographic Society Expedition to Mexico with Dr. Philip Drucker. Excavated Cerro de las Mesas and Izapa
<i>1941</i>	Matthew and Marion Stirling received the Franklyn L. Burr Award from the National Geographic Society (shared with Richard Hewitt Stewart)
<i>1942 April</i>	Matthew Stirling visited Dr. Philip Drucker at La Venta
<i>1942 April-June</i>	Fourth Smithsonian Institution/National Geographic Society Expedition to Mexico. Visited Tuxtla Gutierrez, Zoque, Tzotzil and Chamula Indians, and Palenque
<i>1943</i>	Fifth Smithsonian Institution/National Geographic Society Expedition to Mexico with Dr. Waldo R. Wedel. Excavated La Venta Matthew Stirling awarded honorary Doctor of Science from Tampa University
<i>1944 January 28-May</i>	Sixth Smithsonian Institution/National Geographic Society Expedition to Mexico. Visited Michoacán, Jalisco, Uruapan, Tlaquepaque, and Tarascan Indians from Lake Pátzcuaro and conducted archaeological surveys in Southern Veracruz, Tabasco, and Campeche
<i>1945 January 22-May 31</i>	Seventh Smithsonian Institution/National Geographic Society Expedition to Mexico. Excavated La Venta, San Lorenzo, Piedra Parada, and Tapachula
<i>1946 January 26-April</i>	Eighth Smithsonian Institution/National Geographic Society Expedition to Mexico with Dr. Philip Drucker. Excavated San Lorenzo
<i>1947</i>	Matthew Stirling becomes Director of the Bureau of American Ethnology (title changed from "Chief")
<i>1947 December-1948</i>	First Smithsonian Institution/ National Geographic Society Expeditions to Panama including Cocolé, Balboa, Chitre, Parita (Sixto Pinilla Place), Monagrillo, and El Hatillo
<i>1949</i>	Second Smithsonian Institution/ National Geographic Society Expedition to Panama
<i>1951</i>	Third Smithsonian Institution/ National Geographic Society Expedition to Panama
<i>1953</i>	Fourth Smithsonian Institution/ National Geographic Society Expedition to Panama

- 1954 Marion Stirling elected to the executive board of the Society of Women Geographers
- 1955 "Pan Am" (or Inter-American Highway) Road Trip
- 1956-1957 Smithsonian Institution/ National Geographic Society Expedition to Ecuador. Excavated in the Manabí Province
- 1957 December 31 Matthew Stirling retired as Director of the Bureau of American Ethnology
- 1958 Matthew Stirling received his third Franklyn L. Burr Award from the National Geographic Society
- 1960-1963 Marion Stirling acted as president for the Society of Women Geographers for the first time
- 1960-1975 Matthew Stirling's membership in the National Geographic Society Committee on Research and Exploration
- 1961 Trip to Mexico
Marion Stirling's trip to Peru
Matthew Stirling collaborated with Dr. L.S.B. Leakey through the NGS Committee on Research and Exploration
- 1963 Trip to Nicaragua
- 1964 Expedition to Costa Rica
Trip to Asia
- 1967 International Tuna Match, Bahamas
- 1968 Trip to New Guinea
Attended the Cultural Olympics in Mexico City
- 1969 Trip to Turkey, Bali, Etc.
- 1969-1972 Marion Stirling acted as president for the Society of Women Geographers for the second time
- 1972 Trip to Peru, Ecuador, Galapagos Islands
Farmer finds upper portion of Stela C, confirming Matthew Stirling's original date as 31 B.C.
- 1972-1973 Trip to Yucatan Peninsula, Mexico
- 1974 Marion Stirling established the Mexican Research Fund (now the Latin American Research fund) for the Textile Museum
- 1975 January 23 Matthew Williams Stirling died in Washington D.C.
- 1977 Marion Stirling married Major General John Ramsey Pugh
- 1985 Marion Stirling Pugh received the Distinguished Service Medal from the Peruvian Embassy
- 1994 Death of Major General John Ramsey Pugh
Marion Stirling Pugh's trip to Spain, Portugal, and Morocco
- 1995 Marion Stirling Pugh's trip to Antarctica and the Falkland Islands
- 1996 Marion Stirling Pugh's trip to China, and separately to Belize and Honduras

2001 April 24

Marion Stirling Pugh died in Tucson, Arizona

Scope and Contents

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Series 1. Field work, 1921-1998 (bulk 1921-1975) and undated, documents the archaeological expeditions undertaken by Matthew and Marion Stirling over a span of 40 years. This includes expeditions Matthew undertook prior to his marriage and collaboration with Marion to Papua New Guinea, Ecuador, and Florida, and extensive documentation of expeditions they embarked on together to Mexico, Panama, Ecuador, and Costa Rica.

Series 2. Other travels, 1946-1972 is comprised of materials documenting trips the Stirlings took that, for the most part, did not include field work. This includes trips for both business and personal travel, however it was common for the two to overlap.

Series 3. Administrative files, 1924-1980 and undated is partly comprised of materials the Stirlings compiled and organized into an alphabetical filing structure and also of materials that are administrative in nature and did not directly relate to other categories outlined in this finding aid.

Series 4. Writings and lectures, 1925-1990 and undated, consists of articles, papers, drafts, and notes primarily written by Matthew Stirling, with some materials co-written by Marion, and documentation relating to presentations the Stirlings gave regarding their field work and other professional matters. Also included is material relating to films that were made about the Stirling's work.

Series 5. Personal and family materials, 1880-1996 and undated, consists of documents, photographs, and ephemera that are personal in nature. This includes items relating to Matthew Stirling's young life and family history, photographs, correspondence, and clippings relating to his extended family, and photographs of and correspondence from Matt and Marion's children.

Series 6. Anthropological journals, 1876-1959, consists of collections of anthropological journals collected and categorized for reference and research purposes.

Series 7. Marion Stirling Pugh, 1924-2004 (bulk 1948-2002) and undated, consists of materials relating to endeavors Marion undertook without Matthew, primarily relating to her participation in the Society of Women Geographers from 1948-2000 and her life after Matthew died in 1975 until her death in 2001.

Arrangement

This collection is arranged in 7 series: 1) Field work, 1921-1998 (bulk 1921-1975), undated; 2) Other travels, 1946-1972; 3) Administrative files, 1924-1980, undated; 4) Writings and lectures, 1925-1990, undated; 5) Personal and family materials, 1880-1996, undated; 6) Anthropological journals, 1876-1959; 7) Marion Stirling Pugh, 1924-2004 (bulk 1948-2002), undated.

Selected Bibliography

This is a selected bibliography prioritizing materials Matthew Williams Stirling and Marion Stirling Pugh worked on together. A comprehensive bibliography can be found here: Coe, Michael D. "Matthew Williams Stirling, 1896-1975." *American Antiquity* 41, no. 1 (1976): 67-73.

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Stirling, Matthew and Marion I. Stirling. "The archeology of Taboga, Uraba and Taboguila Islands, Panama." Bureau of American Ethnology, Anthropological Paper 73, Bulletin 191 (1964): 285-348.

Stirling, Matthew and Marion I. Stirling. "El Limon, an early tomb site in Cocle Province, Panama." Bureau of American Ethnology, Anthropological Paper 71, Bulletin 191 (1964): 247-254.

Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Subjects:

- Archaeology
- Excavations (Archaeology)
- Olmec (archaeological culture)

Cultures:

- Olmec (archaeological culture)

Types of Materials:

- Correspondence
- Field notes
- Photographs

Names:

- National Geographic Society (U.S.)
- Smithsonian Institution. Bureau of American Ethnology

Occupations:

Women archaeologists

Places:

Costa Rica

Ecuador

Mexico

Panama

Papua New Guinea

Container Listing

Series 1: Field work, , 1921-1998, undated (bulk 1921-1975)

Arrangement: This series is arranged in 7 subseries: 1.1 Papua New Guinea, 1925-1996 (bulk 1925-1928), undated; 1.2 Mexico, 1921-1998 (bulk 1938-1972), undated; 1.3 Panama, 1943-1962, undated; 1.4 Ecuador, 1930-1968, undated; 1.5 Costa Rica, 1963-1965, undated; 1.6 Other expeditions, 1921-1975 (bulk 1921-1935), undated; 1.7 Scrapbooks, 1925-1953.

Scope and Contents: Series 1. Field work, 1921-1998 (bulk 1921-1975) and undated, documents the archaeological expeditions undertaken by Matthew and Marion Stirling over a span of 40 years. This includes expeditions Matthew undertook prior to his marriage and collaboration with Marion (they married in 1933) to Papua New Guinea, Ecuador, and Florida, and extensive documentation of expeditions they embarked on together to Mexico, Panama, Ecuador, and Costa Rica. Materials include field notes, journals, correspondence, photographs, reports, clippings, ephemera, expense reports, travel itineraries, articles, and scrapbooks.

The bulk of the materials in this series relate to Matthew Stirling's 1925-1927 American-Dutch Expedition to Papua New Guinea and the eight Smithsonian Institution/National Geographic Society (SI/NGS) expeditions Matthew and Marion Stirling undertook to various sites in Mexico between 1938 and 1946. The Papua New Guinea materials include field notes, logistical documents, and photographs documenting the expedition. In addition Matthew Stirling's film/lecture tour "By Aeroplane to Pygmyland" that followed the expedition is well documented. The Mexico materials include extensive field notes, correspondence, and photographs documenting the expeditions to sites such as Tres Zapotes, La Venta, Cerro de las Mesas, Izapa, and San Lorenzo, and discoveries regarding Olmec culture, including the excavations of eight colossal Olmec heads.

The remainder of the materials document additional joint SI/NGS expeditions, including four to Panama between 1947 and 1953 and one to Ecuador in 1957; a Latin American Expedition to South and Central America from 1931-1932 where Matthew Stirling primarily conducted ethnographic studies of the Jivaro of Ecuador; an expedition to Costa Rica in 1964; and various other expeditions that Matthew (and sometimes Marion) participated in primarily during the 1920s and 1930s.

1.1: Papua New Guinea, , 1925-1996, undated (bulk 1925-1928)

Arrangement: Arranged in 4 subseries: 1.1.1 Field notes and other documents, 1925-1927; 1.1.2 Correspondence, 1921-1933, undated; 1.1.3 Lecture tour, press, and miscellaneous items, 1921-1996, undated; 1.1.4 Photographs, 1925-1927, undated.

All subseries are arranged chronologically.

Scope and Contents: Subseries 1.1 Papua New Guinea, 1925-1996 and undated, comprises of materials related to the 1925-1927 American-Dutch Expedition to Papua New Guinea led by Matthew Stirling. This expedition was the first to use a hydroplane to explore the interior of Dutch New Guinea. Materials include field notes, journals, correspondence, photographs, reports, clippings, and ephemera.

Subseries 1.1.1 Field notes and other documents, includes accounting of expenses, timelines, maps, ethnographic notes, vocabularies, and weather reports in addition to various journals and journal compilations and copies by both Stirling and Stanley Hedberg. Subseries 1.1.2 Correspondence primarily includes letters from Matthew Stirling to his family and letters from Stanley Hedberg to Matthew and Mrs. Stirling (Matthew's mother).

Letters deal with the expedition itself along with logistics for the ensuing film/lecture tour "By Aeroplane to Pygmyland." Subseries 1.1.3 Lecture tour, press, and miscellaneous items, contains more press and schedules for the lecture tour, in addition to other miscellaneous materials related to the New Guinea expedition including research materials and articles about the expedition from the 1970s. Subseries 1.1.4 Photographs, contains photographs from the expedition including travel to and from New Guinea.

1.1.1: Field notes and other documents, 1925-1927

Box 1	Matthew and Dick's expense account New Guinea expedition, 1925
Box 1	New Guinea expense family, 1925-1926
Box 1	Stirling expedition: Dutch, New Guinea contract, 1926
Box 56	Misc. manuscript and typescript notes; timelines of New Guinea expedition, circa 1926
Box 60; Map-folder 3	Maps of New Guinea, 1926 2 Folders
Box 1	The Journal of a Dutch Expedition to New Guinea, 1926 3 Folders
Box 1	Netherlands-American Expedition to New Guinea (copy of journal), 1926 3 Folders
Box 56	Typescript tissue carbons of excerpts from New Guinea journal, 1926
Box 56	Stanley Hedberg journal: Typescript carbon copy of diary (excerpts), 23 May-29 June 1926
Box 56	Stanley Hedberg journal: Typescript carbon copy of diary (excerpts), 18 July-24 September 1926
Box 56	Stanley Hedberg journal: Typescript carbon copy of diary (excerpts), 25 September-7 November 1926
Box 56	Ms. copy of diary (excerpts), 9 April-9 September 1926
Box 55	New Guinea Journal: Book 1, 7 April-9 August 1926
Box 55	New Guinea Journal: Book 2, 10 August 1926-23 January 1927
Box 1	Partial list of expenses on New Guinea trip, 1926-1927
Box 56	Draft typescript of diary, 7 April 1926-23 January 1927
Box 56	Draft typescript carbon copy of diary, 7 April 1926-23 January 1927

Box 56	Misc. typescript carbon copies of misc. sections/versions New Guinea diary, undated
Box 55	"Collection from New Guinea", undated
Box 55	"The Dutch-American Expedition to New Guinea", undated
Box 55	"Expeditie Nassau-Gebergte Ned. Nieuw-Guinea", undated
Box 55	Ethnographic notes, undated
Box 55	Introduction to New Guinea Journals; Editor's forward, undated
Box 55	"Netherlands-American Expedition to New Guinea 1926" (copy), undated
Box 55	Vocabularies, undated
Box 55	Weather reports, undated

1.1.2: Correspondence, 1925-1928, undated

Box 1	M.W.S. to family, 1925
Box 1	M.W.S. to Mrs. J.W. Stirling (his mother), 1925 November-1926 March
Box 1	M.W.S. to Mrs. J.W. Stirling, 1926 April-1926 May
Box 1	M.W.S. to Mrs. J.W. Stirling, 1926 June-1926 September
Box 2	New Guinea from M.W.S. (includes journal excerpts), 1926 2 Folders
Box 2	New Guinea from M.W.S. (never sent), circa 1926
Box 2	Copies of New Guinea letters, 1926
Box 2	Misc. correspondence to Mrs. J.W. Stirling, 1927
Box 2	Stanley Hedberg to Mrs. Stirling (M.W.S. mother), 1927
Box 2	Stanley Hedberg to M.W.S., 1927 April-May
Box 2	Stanley Hedberg to M.W.S., 1927 June
Box 2	Stanley Hedberg to M.W.S., 1927 July
Box 2	Stanley Hedberg to M.W.S., 1927 August-September

Box 2	M.W.S. to Mrs. J.W. Stirling (letters from Stanley Hedberg enclosed w/ M.W.S. correspondence), 1927-1928
Box 2	Associated press to Mrs. J.W. Stirling (Stanley?), 1927-1928
Box 2	Miscellaneous to M.W.S., 1927-1928
Box 2	Matt's letters to his mother (New Guinea life?), 1928, undated
Box 2	Inquiry from Dept. of Agriculture (New Guinea), 1928

1.1.3: Lecture tour, press, and miscellaneous items, 1925-1996, undated

Box 58	New Guinea expedition: Start of expedition, 1925 2 Folders
Box 2	"Rouffaer River Papuans", circa 1926
Box 58	New Guinea expedition: Reports from field and return, 1926-1927
Box 58; Map-folder 1	New Guinea expedition: Reports from field and return, 1926-1928 5 Folders
Box 2	New Guinea expedition: Clippings about expedition, 1927
Box 2	"California Monthly" press about MWS, New Guinea and lectures, 1927
Box 2	The Pond Bureau: Booking slips for speaking engagements, 1927
Box 2	Lecture itinerary, circa 1927 January-February
Box 2	The Geographic Society of Chicago: Brochure for lecture series with M.W.S., circa 1927
Box 2	"Adventures in Pygmy Land" lecture tour, 1927-1928 2 Folders
Box 2	New Guinea speaking engagements: Ephemera, notes, narratives, itineraries, 1927-1929 2 Folders
Box 3	Correspondence regarding New Guinea speaking engagements, 1927-1929 2 Folders
Box 60;	Lecture announcements and posters, 1927-1932

Map-folder 2	2 Folders
Box 3	"Matthew Stirling's Adventures in the Land that God Forgot" The American Magazine, 1929 August
Box 3	Publicity: Articles about MWS, New Guinea, 1929, 1970
Box 58	New Guinea expedition: Science Service report re: Stirling, 1934
Box 55	Copy of State Department dispatch re: New Guinea expedition (Le Roux), circa 1939
Box 3	"Flight to the Stone Age" published in the 1975 issue of the Explorers Journal, 1975
Box 3	Pictures Matt sent to Explorers Journal for New Guinea airplane story ("Flight to the Stone Age"), 1975 September
Box 3	Copies of articles about New Guinea expedition, 1975, undated
Box 3	New Guinea correspondence regarding use of movie film, 1975-1983
Box 3	New Guinea tape translation, 1996
Box 55	"By Aeroplane to Pygmy Land" (typescript), undated
Box 55	Lecture notes, undated
Box 55	"New Guinea expedition by the Smithsonian Institution and the Netherlands government 1926-1927" film notes, undated
Box 55	"Report on the Moluccas and Netherlands New Guinea", undated
Box 57	Wirz "Anthropological and Ethnological Results of the Central New Guinea Expedition 1921-1922", undated
Box 57	Wirz "Diary of an Expedition into the Interior of Dutch New Guinea, 1925", undated

1.1.4: Photographs, 1925-1927, undated

Scope and Contents: Boxes 68-71 primarily consist of copy and safety negatives. Boxes 72-74 are glass negatives and glass lantern slides. Boxes 79-80 contain the original negafile and negative jackets (with captions) for the Papua New Guinea materials.

Series "En Route":

Box 61 California, 1925

Box 61	Illinois, 1925
Box 61	On board ship, 1925
Box 61	Soerabaia, 1925
Box 61	Macassar, 1925
Box 61	Ambon, 1925
Box 61	Manokwari, 1925
Box 61	Soeroei, Island of Japan, 1925
Box 61	Shimmusaki; the Inland Sea, 1925
Box 61	New Guinea (arrival there), 1925
Box 61	Singapore, 1925
Box 61	Kobe and inland (return trip?), circa 1925
Box 61	Manila (return trip?), circa 1925
Box 61	Shanghai (return trip?), circa 1925
Box 61	Hong Kong (return trip?), circa 1925
Box 61	Unidentified locations, circa 1925
Box 61	Series "A", 1925-1927 10 Folders
Box 61	Series "B", 1925-1927 10 Folders
Box 61; Box 62	Series "C", 1925-1927 9 Folders
Box 62	Series "D", 1925-1927 6 Folders
Box 62	Series "W", 1925-1927 13 Folders
Box 62;	Series "X", 1925-1927

Box 63	15 Folders
Box 63	Series "Y", 1925-1927 12 Folders
Box 63	Series "Z", 1925-1927 5 Folders
Box 64	Series "Air", 1925-1927 4 Folders
	Series "Arb":
Box 64	Published images: By Aeroplane to Pygmy Land", 1925-1927
Box 64	Unpublished images: Aerial, 1925-1927
Box 64	Published images: S.I. War Background series #9, 1925-1927
Box 64	Unpublished images: Airplane, views of, 1925-1927
Box 64	Unpublished images: Boats and river scenes, 1925-1927
Box 64	Unpublished images: Expedition camps, 1925-1927
Box 64	Unpublished images: Expedition members and acquaintances, 1925-1927
Box 64	Unpublished images: Natives portraits, 1925-1927
Box 64	Unpublished images: Natives groups, 1925-1927
Box 64	Unpublished images: Native structures, 1925-1927
Box 64	Unpublished images: Scenic, unidentified locations, 1925-1927
Box 64	Unpublished images: Misc., dinner party, 1925-1927
Box 64	Prints from glass negatives, 1925-1927
Box 64; Box 65	Unsorted prints, 1925-1927 6 Folders
Box 3	New Guinea photograph, 1926
Box 3	New Guinea photograph "A couple of down river Papuans with Matthew in the center", circa 1926
Box 3	New Guinea photographs, circa 1926

Box 3	New Guinea photographs for Gonzalez [?], undated
Box 55	Captions for photographs, undated
Box 68; Box 69; Box 70; Box 71	Various copy and safety negatives
Box 72; Box 73; Box 74	Glass negatives and glass lantern slides
Box 79; Box 80	Original negafile and negative jackets (with captions), circa 1925-circa 1927

1.2: Mexico, , 1921-1998, undated (bulk 1938-1972)

Arrangement: Arranged in 3 subseries: 1.2.1 Field notes and other documentation, 1938-1998, undated; 1.2.2 Correspondence, 1921-1960; 1.2.3 Photographs, 1933-1971, undated.

All subseries are arranged chronologically.

Scope and Contents: Series 1.2 Mexico, 1921-1998 and undated, primarily comprises materials related to the eight Smithsonian Institution/National Geographic Society expeditions to Mexico that took place between 1938 and 1946. There are also materials from trips the Stirlings took to Mexico in the 1950s and 1960s. Materials include field notes, correspondence, photographs, expense reports, travel itineraries, and clippings.

Documentation of a number of sites in Mexico, including Tres Zapotes, Cerro de las Mesas, La Venta, Izapa, and San Lorenzo, exist in these materials. Marion accompanied Matthew on almost all of these expeditions and the record keeping appears to have been taken on by primarily by Marion with the bulk of the correspondence being from Marion to Matthew's mother and her parents. Also included are the Stirling's field notes and photographs documenting the journeys to the sites, the logistics of living in the jungle, people they met and worked with, the excavations, and the artifacts that were discovered, including eight colossal Olmec heads.

1.2.1: Field notes and other documentation, 1938-1998, undated

Box 3	Tres Zapotes notes: Letter 1938-39, Matt's first trip, Weiant's letters re: setting up camp, 1938
Box 3	Notes: To Mexico with Family, 1938
Box 3	Mexico: Tres Zapotes (notes), 1938-1939

2 Folders

Box 3	NGS/SI expedition to Vera Cruz: Mexican immigration paperwork and permission, 1938-1939
Box 3	Expenses: NGS/SI archeological expedition to Mexico, 1938-1939
Box 57	Mexico (Tres Zapotes): Typescript field notes, 30 December 1938-16 April 1939
Box 3	Mexico: Clippings and pictures (souvenirs and ephemera), 1938-1943
Box 3	Character studies: Maria the cook, etc.; Odds and ends, 1939
Box 4	Payroll, Tres Zapotes, 1939
Box 4	Field notes, 1939-1940 2 Folders
Box 4	NGS/SI expedition to Tres Zapotes, Mexico: Expenses, 1939-1940
Box 4	Mexican permits and contracts, 1939-1941
Box 4	Miscellaneous Mexico, 1939-1944
Box 58	Clippings: Mexico expeditions, 1939-1972 2 Folders
Box 4	Typed field notes [?], Veracruz, 1940
Box 4	Certificate from State Dept. to attend First Inter-American on Indian Life, 1940
Box 4	Cerro de las Mesas, field notes, 1941
Box 4	Notebooks, 1941
Box 4	Notes, 1941
Box 4	Cerro de las Mesas cooking, 1941
Box 4	NGS/SI expedition to Cerro de las Mesas, expenses, 1941
Box 4	Clippings from Washington newspapers about the Stirlings, 1941 December 14
Box 4	NGS accounts, 1941-1945
Box 4	Cerro de las Mesas, Izapa (list of things we took to Museum, misc. notes for talks, etc), 1941, 1998

Box 4	La Venta and Palenque: Field notebook, 1942
Box 4	La Venta: Field notebook, 1942
Box 4	La Venta [?]: Field notebook, 1942
Box 4	La Venta (Chiapas Congress, Palenque), 1942
Box 4	Mexican songs, 1942
Box 4	Mexican permits and contracts, 1942-1946
Box 4	Mexico: La Venta, Rio Playas "Diary of 1943 Smithsonian Inst. - Nat. Geographic Society Expedition to Mexico...", 1943
Box 5	Travel and field notes: Mexico (Matt), 1943
Box 5	La Venta: Matt's diary (1 original and 1 copy), 1943
Box 5	"Tabla comparativa de estratigrafia cultural en la American Prehispanica", 1943
Box 5	Expenses 1945-1946, 1943-1946
Box 5	Mexico: Veracruz, Tabasco, Campeche survey, 1944 3 Folders
Box 5	Field notebook: Rio de las Playas survey?, 1944
Box 5	Expense account, receipts, expedition to Mexico, 1944
Box 5	M.W. Stirling field notebook: Mexico, 1945
Box 5	Correspondence and Chiapas notes, 1945 4 Folders
Box 6	"M.W. Stirling original notes" Chiapas, Museo Tuxtla, etc, 1945, undated
Box 6	M.W. Stirling field notebook: San Lorenzo, 1946
Box 6	Mexico (San Lorenzo), MWS notes, 1946
Box 6	San Lorenzo, Drucker notes, 1946
Box 6	Travel and field notes: Mexico, 1957
Box 6	Cerro de las Mesas, Veracruz: Receipts, correspondence, 1960
Box 6	Cerro de las Mesas, 1960

2 Folders

Box 6	Cerro de las Mesas: Field notes, 1960
Box 6	Cerro de las Mesas: Field notes (M.W. Stirling, Jr.), 1960
Box 6	Mexico: Pahuatlan and West Coast of Mexico, 1961
Box 6	1961: Pahuatlan, etc, 1961-1962
Box 6	1962: Mexico: Congress of Americanists, August, 1962
Box 6	Travel and field notes: San Lorenzo, 1967
Box 6; Box 7	Stela "C" clippings, 1972 3 Folders
Box 7	Material on Chiapas, undated
Box 7	Jade monuments (Cerro de las Mesas), undated
Box 7	Newspaper clipping: "Mystery Head", undated
Box 7	Miscellaneous Mexico notes: Tres Zapotes, etc., undated

1.2.2: Correspondence, 1921-1960

Box 7	Letter E.R. Dunn regarding 1921 trip to Vera Cruz (includes photographs), 1921, 1939
Box 7	Letters, Mexico to Rhona, 1935
Box 7	Marion Stirling: Letters to parents (originals), 1938-1939
Box 7	Mexico 1939, 1938-1939
Box 7	Matt's letters to me [Marion] from Mexico (originals), 1938-1942
Box 7	Matt's letters to me [Marion] from Mexico (copies), 1938-1942
Box 7	Marion Stirling: Tres Zapotes correspondence (copies), 1939
Box 7	Marion Stirling: 1939 letters to parents (copies), 1939
Box 7	Marion Stirling: Letters to parents (copies), 1939
Box 7	Marion Stirling: 1939 letters to parents (additional copies), 1939

Box 8	Marion Stirling: Letters to Hildebrands (copies), 1939
Box 8	Correspondence and permits Mexican government, 1939
Box 8	Ricardo Gutierrez correspondence, 1939-1940
Box 8	Sites in Mexico, 1939-1940
Box 8	Marion Stirling: My talks and letters, Hildebrands, 1939-1941
Box 8	Marion Stirling correspondence: Letters to parents, 1940
Box 8	Marion Stirling: Letters to parents (copies), 1940 2 Folders
Box 8	Marion Stirling: Correspondence to Mrs. J.W. Stirling, 1940
Box 8	Marion Stirling: Postcards to Mrs. J.W. Stirling, 1940
Box 8	Marion Stirling: Letters to Hildebrands (copies), 1940
Box 8	Marion Stirling: Correspondence, Cerro de las Mesas, assorted letters, Ma, etc, 1940-1941
Box 8	Letters from my Mexican girls, Corrido, 1940-1946
Box 8	Marion Stirling: Correspondence to Mrs. J.W. Stirling, 1941 March-April
Box 8	Marion Stirling: Correspondence, Cerro de las Mesas and Tapachula, letters to parents, 1941
Box 8	Marion Stirling: Letters Cerro de las Mesas and Izapa (various copies), 1941
Box 8	Marion Stirling: Letters to Mrs. Stirling (copies), 1941
Box 8	Marion Stirling: Letters to parents (copies), 1941
Box 8	Marion Stirling: Letters to Hildebrands, Dorothy Graf, and Lucy (copies), 1941
Box 9	Marion Stirling: Assorted copies out of order, 1941
Box 9	Letters from Covarrubias, Morley, Ida [sp?]; Photographs, illustrations, etc., Cerro de las Mesas stelae, 1941-1942
Box 9	Mexico, 1941-1942
Box 9	Mexican letters, 1941-1949

Box 9	Letters (we visit Drucker at his camp and take jade to meeting, April), 1942
Box 9	Assorted letters, 1942-1947
Box 9	Matt's letters, Mexico, 1943
Box 9	Letter (put together with other 1943 material?), 1943 February 18
Box 9	Mexico, 1943
Box 9	Mexico, 1944
Box 9	Letters to Mrs. Stirling from Marion, 1944
Box 9	Letters to Mrs. Stirling (copies), 1944
Box 9	Letters on 1944 trip (survey trip, accident), 1944
Box 9	Letter to Marquina telling how we decided where we wanted to work in 1945, Ocozocoautla, Chiapas, 1945
Box 9	Letters to Mrs. Stirling from Marion: Chiapas and San Lorenzo, 1945
Box 9	Correspondence: Instituto Nacional de Antropologia e Historia, 1945
Box 9	Letters, 1945
Box 9	Letters, 1946
Box 9	Carbons of correspondence, 1946
Box 9	Letters to Mrs. Stirling from Marion, 1946
Box 9	Letters to Mrs. Stirling from Marion (copies, 3 complete sets and one original), 1946
Box 10	Request to National Geographic for Olmec Center/ La Venta dig, 1954
Box 10	Mexico: Correspondence, 1957
Box 10	Letters from Mexico, Cerro de las Mesas, 1960

1.2.3: Photographs, 1933-1971, undated

Box 10	Matt's Mexican negatives, Colonial Head, etc., Cholula (Original Tres Zapotes and Tlocolapan pictures, horseback ride to Tres Zapotes from Tlacotalpan), 1938
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Box 10	Mexico photographs (Teotihuacan, Tenayuca, Cholula, etc, Mexico City), 1938 2 Folders
Box 10	Mexican negatives (and prints): Colossal head, Tres Zapotes, etc, 1938 February
Box 10	Monte Alban, etc (photographs), 1938
Box 10; Box 11A	Tres Zapotes prints and negatives, circa 1938
Box 10	Stela "C" photos, Tres Zapotes, circa 1938
Box 10	La Venta, Tres Zapotes (pottery making negatives and misc.), circa 1938
Box 77	Lantern slides: La Venta, Tres Zapotes, Cerro de las Mesas, circa 1938-circa 1947 Notes: The negatives are in the possession of the National Geographic Society. There is a list of these illustrations in NAA's vertical file on Stirling and in the S. I. Archives, record unit 95. Many of the images have been published in various National Geographic Society articles as well as BAE Bulletin 138, "Stone Monuments of Southern Mexico," by Stirling, and BAE Bulletins by other authors.
Box 10	Photographs Tres Zapotes: Stone [?] box, [?] stela, colossal head, big cache, [?], circa 1939-circa 1940
Box 10	Cerro de las Mesas: From Drucker, circa 1939-circa 1941
Box 10	Cerro de las Mesas: Photographs of excavation in progress, circa 1939-circa 1941
Box 10	Cerro de las Mesas: Village and people, circa 1939-circa 1941 2 Folders
Box 10	Cerro de las Mesas: Stone objects, circa 1939-circa 1941 2 Folders
Box 12	Photographs: Tres Zapotes, Vera Cruz, firing pottery, 1940
Box 12	Tres Zapotes: Negatives and photographic prints, 1940
Box 12	Mexico: Catemaco Ver., Alvarado, etc, 1940
Box 12	La Venta prints, circa 1940
Box 12	La Venta negatives, circa 1940

Box 12	Photographs: "Mini-album" hematite figurine, Tapyjulapa [sp?], circa 1940
Box 12	La Venta: Photographs with captions and "Catalogo de Piedras Labradas", circa 1940
Box 52	Tres Zapotes, etc. (slides), 1940-1946
Box 12	Tres Zapotes, etc. (notes that go with slides), 1940-1946
Box 12	Cerro de las Mesas pictures, etc, odds and ends, 1940-1955
Box 12	Cerro de las Mesas and La Venta, jade, also 1960 negs and photos, circa 1940, 1960
Box 12	Acapulco photographs, 1941
Box 12	Cerro de las Mesas: Negatives and prints, circa 1941 2 Folders
Box 12	Izapa photographs, circa 1941
Box 11B	La Venta negatives, circa 1941
Box 12	Tabasco-Campeche survey pictures, 1944 2 Folders
Box 12	Mexico 1944 trip, also San Lorenzo, 1944-1946 2 Folders
Box 13	Predra Parada, Chiapas, 1945
Box 13	Chiapas, Predra Pareda, 1945-1946 2 Folders
Box 13	San Lorenzo, Potrero Nuevo, circa 1946-circa 1947
Box 13	San Lorenzo, 1946-1947, 1966
Box 13	Sayula, Mexico, circa 1953
Box 13	Santiago Tuxtla (negatives and prints), 1957
Box 13	Chiapa de Corzo, carved bone (Dixon), 1957
Box 13	Cerro de las Mesas, Veracruz: Photographs, 1960
Box 53	Mexico 1961, Voladores, Castillo Teyao, Jalapa, Malinalco (slides), 1961-1962

Box 13	Mexico 1961, Voladores, Castillo Teyao, Jalapa, Malinalco (goes with slides), 1961-1962
Box 13	Catalog of C de M jade cache, Olmecs, misc. (Cerro de las Mesas), 1971, undated
Box 13	Photographs: Cerro de las Mesas stela, etc, undated
Box 13	La Venta photographs, undated
Box 13	La Venta sarcophagus, undated
Box 13	Helmeted and bearded figures V.C., La Venta, undated
Box 13	La Venta figurine groups, site maps, undated
Box 13	Copy negatives: Palenque [?], plate 56, undated
Box 13	Santiago Tuxtla negs, colossal head, etc., undated
Box 14	Photographs: Tres Zapotes, undated
Box 14	Tres Zapotes specimens, undated
Box 14	Prints and negatives, stela "C", T.Z., undated
Box 14	Figurine negs, Tres Zapotes?, undated
Box 14	Wheeled toys, Tres Zapotes, Mexico, undated
Box 14	Fishing in T.Z., undated
Box 14	Maps (photographs): Tehuantepec, Tres Zapotes site, Stela A (T.Z.), undated
Box 14	Pottery making: Tres Zapotes, Tehuantepec, Chiapas, undated
Box 14	Tehuantepec, undated
Box 14	Mexican arch. photos, etc., undated 2 Folders
Box 14	Sandals from a cave in Guerrero [?], Mexico, undated
Box 14	Sun symbols, Mexico, Acoma, etc, undated
Box 14	Atasta campeche, undated

1.3: Panama, 1943-1962, undated

Arrangement: Arranged in 2 subseries: 1.3.1 Correspondence, 1947-1954, undated; 1.3.2 Field notes and photographs, 1943-1962, undated.

Scope and Contents: Series 1.3 Panama, 1943-1962 and undated primarily documents the four Smithsonian Institution/National Geographic Society expeditions to Panama undertaken between 1947 and 1953. Materials include correspondence, field notes, expense reports, lists, and photographs. Research materials about Panama and museum objects related to Panama excavations are also included in this series.

1.3.1: Correspondence, 1947-1954

Arrangement: This subseries is arranged chronologically.

Box 14	Panama: Smithsonian NGS 1948, 1947-1953
Box 14	Correspondence, 1948
Box 14	My letters, Panama 1948, article, 1948
Box 14	Correspondence Panama, 1948-1949
Box 14	Letters from Panama expedition, 1949
Box 14	Correspondence with Alexander Wetmore, 1949
Box 14	My letters, 1951 2 Folders
Box 14	Panama correspondence, 1951
Box 15	Panama '49-'50, '53, 1951-1953
Box 15	Choco, etc: Panama letters, 1953
Box 15	Panama, 1954

1.3.2: Field notes and photographs, 1943-1962, undated

Arrangement: Paper materials are listed first followed by photographs. Each section is arranged in chronological order.

Field notes:	
Box 15	Miscellaneous notes: Panama and pottery, 1943, 1958, undated
Box 15	Travel and field notes: Panama, 1948
Box 15	Panama list of gold, circa 1948

Box 15	Panama '49-'53: NGS expedition papers, expenses, 1948-1953
Box 15	Field notebook: Panama, 1949
Box 15	Panama 1951: North coast, La Pintada, 1951 3 Folders
Box 15	Typed field notes [?]: Pottery making, Mexico, Panama, 1951
Box 15	Copy, Panama (field notes), 1951
Box 15	Panama, Rands report, El Uracillo site (Rio Indio) and El Limoni [sp?] negatives, 1952
Box 15	Panama: Rio Sambu, Taboga Is., Almirante, 1953 2 Folders
Box 15	Panama: Rio Sambu, Taboga Is., Almirante: Carbon, Bocas del Toro, Almirante Bay manuscript, 1953
Box 15	Panama: Rio Sambu, Taboga Is., Almirante: Choco article, 1953-1954
Box 16	Travel and field notes: Panama?, undated
Box 16	Field notebook: Panama, undated
Box 16	Field notebooks: Panama [?], undated
Photographs:	
Box 53	Panama, Boquete, Volcan, Balseria, museum specimens (slides), 1948
Box 16	Panama, Boquete, Volcan, Balseria, museum specimens (goes with slides), 1948
Box 16	Panama photographs, near Utive, 1948-1949
Box 16	Utive (Panama) pictures, field season of 1949, 1949
Box 16	Utive Panama, 1949
Box 16	Utive Panama photographs, 1949
Box 16	Panama, Barriles etc, misc., Costa Rica note, Venado Beach, 1949-1950
Box 16	Panama: Barriles etc, pictographs, 1949-1954 3 Folders
Box 16	Utive, Panama (copy negatives), 1950 December 11

Box 16	Panama photographs, 1951
Box 16	Panama - spiders, metate head near Almurante [sp?], 1953
Box 54	Panama (slides), 1957
Box 16	Panama (notes that go with slides), 1957
Box 16	Panama: Milwaukee Museum, El Hatillo, 1962
Box 16	Panama photos: Sona and mojare and pictographs, undated 2 Folders
Box 16	Panama City sherds, undated

1.4: Ecuador, 1930-1968, undated

Arrangement: Material is arranged in 2 subseries: 1.4.1 Latin American Expedition to South and Central America, 1930-1938, undated; 1.4.2 SI/NGS expedition to Ecuador, 1952-1968, undated.
Each subseries is arranged chronologically.

Scope and Contents: Series 1.4 Ecuador, 1930-1968 and undated, includes materials related to two distinct expeditions to Ecuador. From 1931-1932 Matthew Stirling joined the Latin American Expedition to South and Central America and conducted an ethnographic study of the Jivaro people of Ecuador. He also spent time in Panama on this trip studying the Tule/Kuna Indians in Panama, but the bulk of documentation in this collection is regarding the Jivaro. From 1956-1957 Matthew and Marion Stirling embarked on a Smithsonian Institution/ National Geographic Society expedition to Ecuador and conducted excavations in the Manabi Province. Materials include field notes, photographs, correspondence, articles, and clippings.

1.4.1: Latin American Expedition to South and Central America, 1930-1938, undated

Box 16	Ecuador: Jivaro notes, 1930-1931 2 Folders
Box 57	Journal of a Trip to the Jivaro Indians of Eastern Ecuador, 1930-1931
Box 66; Box 67; Box 75; Box 76; Box 78	Photographic prints and negatives, San Blas, etc., circa 1930-circa 1932 Notes: Box 66 consists of photographic prints and Box 67 consists of safety negatives and sleeves. Glass negatives and/or lantern slides have been separated and are housed in boxes 75-76, 78.
Box 16	San Blas coast: Field notes, 1931
Box 17	Journal of a trip to the Jivaro Indians of Eastern Ecuador (copy), 1930-1931

Box 17	Journal of a Trip to the Jivaro Indians of Eastern Ecuador in the Years 1931-1932, 1931-1932
Box 57	Cleveland "The San Blas Coast", 1931
Box 17	M.W.S. to Mrs. J.W. Stirling from Ecuador, 1932
Box 17	Letter and map from Ecuador from C. Spencer, 1938
Box 17	Jivaro: Research, notes, undated 4 Folders
Box 17	Jivaro Indians pottery making photograph, undated
Box 17	Jivaro: Tentative bibliography, undated

1.4.2: SI/NGS expedition to Ecuador, 1952-1968, undated

Box 17	Ecuador, 1953, undated
Box 17	Correspondence, business, Ecuador, 1956-1958
Box 17	Ecuador, 1957
Box 17	Ecuador: NGS-SI expedition to Ecuador, notebook #1, 1957
Box 17	Ecuador: NGS-SI expedition to Ecuador, notebook #2, 1957 2 Folders
Box 18	Personal correspondence, Ecuador, 1957 2 Folders
Box 18	NGS-SI expedition 1957, receipts, 1957
	Photos from Ecuador:
Box 18	Emilio, circa 1957
Box 18	Indians and Judas near Punin, circa 1957
Box 18	Jijon and Larrea, Emilio and Zalud?, Santo Domingo collection, circa 1957
Box 18	Konanz, circa 1957
Box 18	Konanz coll. and Zalud?, circa 1957
Box 18	Larrea [sp?], circa 1957

Box 18	Manta, circa 1957
Box 18	Puerto Viejo, circa 1957
Box 18	Punin, circa 1957
Box 18	Ruiz Borbon, circa 1957
Box 18	Unlabeled, circa 1957
Box 18	Unlabeled (includes Coloradas, Cerro de Hoyas?), circa 1957 2 Folders
Box 53	Marion with Colorado Indians in Santo Domingo, 1957
Box 18	Clippings and pictures (Ecuador), 1957 2 Folders
Box 18	For NGS research reports (Tarqui, Cerro de Hojas, La Tolita), 1957
Box 18	Ecuador article, 1960
Box 19	Tachina Ecuador, Esmeraldas [sp?] pottery negs and prints, circa 1963 2 Folders
Box 19	Ecuador (Esmeraldas Tarqui, also Cerro de las Mesas and Tres Zapotes) negatives and prints, undated 2 Folders
Box 19	Ecuador pottery duplicate photos Tarqui specimens, undated
Box 19	Quito, Santo Domingo: Travel narrative (Tarqui dig [?]), undated

1.5: Costa Rica, 1963-1965, undated

Arrangement: Materials are arranged chronologically.

Scope and Contents: Series 1.5 Costa Rica, 1963-1965 and undated, documents an expedition the Stirlings undertook to Costa Rica in 1964. Materials include field notes, photographs, correspondence, and expense reports.

Box 19	Petroglyphs, etc: Liberia, Costa Rica, Acoyapa, Nicaragua (negs, prints, slides), 1963-1964
Box 19	M.W. Stirling field notebook: Costa Rica (never type written?), 1964
Box 19	Slides, 1964
Box 19	Correspondence, carbons, 1964

	2 Folders
Box 19	Expense accounts, 1964
Box 19	Costa Rica records, 1964
Box 19	Costa Rica prints and negs, 1965 2 Folders
Box 19	Costa Rica negs and dup prints, Stone Balls, etc. (Williamsburg area 1-5), 1965
Box 19	Costa Rica: 2 headed jaguar, undated

1.6: Other expeditions, , 1921-1975, undated (bulk 1921-1935)

Arrangement: Materials are arranged chronologically.

Scope and Contents: Series 1.6 Other expeditions, 1921-1975 and undated, documents smaller expeditions and travel that Matthew Stirling was a part of, primarily in the 1920s and 1930s. This includes Weeden Island, Florida, circa 1924, a trip to South America, also in 1924, and sites in Texas, Nevada, Colorado, and Guatemala. After 1933, Marion accompanied Matthew on these trips. In the 1930s Matthew conducted excavations for the Works Progress Administration (WPA), so some of these materials may be related to those excavations. Materials include correspondence, photographs, journals, and field notes.

Box 20	M.W.S. to family, 1921-1923
Box 20	M.W.S. to family (San Diego, Washington D.C. etc), circa 1921-circa 1925
Box 20	Trip to Europe: Notes and correspondence, 1922
Box 20	M.W.S. to family, 1924
Box 20	M.W.S. to family (Weeden Island), circa 1924
Box 20	S.A. trip negs and prints, misc., San Blas, 1924
Box 20	Copies of Stirling - Patton journal - trip to the Amazon (New York, St. Petersburg, Lima, Oroya), August 1924, 1975
	Peru: Pichis Trail, etc:
Box 20	"Tropic Topics: Being the Journal of M.W.S. and P.J.P. while heading South", 1924
Box 20	Letters to home from Peru and Brazil, 1924
Box 20	Article on South American trip, 1925

Box 20	Misc. business to M.W.S., 1927
Box 20	Texas, N.W. Nevada, 1930
Box 20	Travel and field notes: Ft. Collins (by Matt and Marion?), 1933
Box 20	Travel and field notes: Guatemala (Marion), 1935
Box 20	Guatemala negatives, 1935 3 Folders

1.7: Scrapbooks, 1925-1953

Scope and Contents: Series 1.7 Scrapbooks, 1925-1953 comprises photographic albums created to document the expeditions described above. The included photographs document the people involved in and encountered during the expeditions, the excavation processes, artifacts that were found, and life in the expedition camps. Many of the photographs included in the scrapbooks can be found as loose prints within the relevant series, although there is not documentation regarding the specific location of matching photographs in the collection.

Restrictions: The scrapbooks have been separated from the material above due to preservation and handling concerns. The scrapbooks are currently restricted due to these preservation concerns. Please contact the reference archivist for more information.

Arrangement: Material are arranged in chronological order.

Box 81	New Guinea, circa 1925-circa 1927
Box 82	Tres Zapotes, Mexico, 1939
Box 82	Tres Zapotes, Mexico, 1939
Box 82	La Venta and Tres Zapotes, Mexico, 1940
Box 82	Tres Zapotes, La Venta, and Cerro de las Mesas, Mexico, 1940
Box 82	Cerro de las Mesas, Mexico, 1941
Box 82	Izapa, Mexico, 1941
Box 83	La Venta, Chiapas, and Palenque, Mexico, 1942
Box 83	La Venta, Mexico (Weber), 1943
Box 83	Mexico (survey year), 1944
Box 83	Chiapas, Predra Parada, San Lorenzo, Mexico, 1945-1946
Box 83	San Lorenzo, Mexico, 1947
Box 81	Panama, Darien, circa 1947-circa 1953

Box 81 Panama, 1948

Box 81 Panama (Barril's), 1949

Box 81 Panama, 1951

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Series 2: Other travels, 1946-1972

Scope and Contents: Series 2. Other travels, 1946-1972 is comprised of materials documenting trips the Stirlings took that, for the most part, did not include field work. This includes trips for both business and personal travel, however it was common for the two to overlap. Materials include correspondence, photographs, trip itineraries, ephemera, and travel journals and notes.

Of note are materials from an Inter-American Highway road trip they took in 1963 and materials from an around the world trip in 1968 that included a stop in Papua New Guinea.

Arrangement: Materials are arranged in chronological order.

Box 21	Correspondence: United States road trip, 1950
Box 21	Travel notebook: United States road trip [?], 1950
Box 21	1955 Trip: Colorado, Arizona, etc, 1955
Box 21	Europe, 1958
	Mexico 1959, with children to Palenque - Yucatan, Guatemala:
Box 21	Mexico, Palenque [sp?], Yucatan, Guatemala, 1959 Summer
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Scope and Contents: Series 3. Administrative files, 1924-1980 and undated is comprised of materials the Stirlings compiled and organized into an alphabetical filing structure and also of materials that are administrative in nature and did not directly relate to other categories outlined in this finding aid. Materials include correspondence, photographs, clippings, and ephemera.

The two sets of alphabetical files in this series were maintained in this collection as the Stirlings created them, therefore they may include material relevant to their field work, travels, writings, and lectures in addition to other administrative matters.

The general materials include photographs and articles presumably compiled for reference purposes, correspondence files, and some files regarding personal activities.

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3.1: Alphabetical files, 1934-1980, undated

Arrangement: Arranged in 2 subseries: 3.1.1. Alphabetical files 1, 1936-1973, undated; 3.1.2. Alphabetical files 2, 1934-1980, undated.

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Scope and Contents: Series 4 Writings and lectures, 1925-1990 and undated, consists of articles, papers, drafts, and notes primarily written by Matthew Stirling, with some materials co-written by Marion, and documentation relating to presentations the Stirlings gave regarding their field work and other professional matters. Also included is material relating to films that were made about the Stirling's work. Materials primarily include paper files and ephemera, but slides compiled for lecture presentations are also present in this series.

For materials relating to Matthew Stirling's film/lecture tour about his expedition to Papua New Guinea from 1925-1927 ("By Aeroplane to Pygmyland"), please see series 3 Field work/ Papua New Guinea/ Lecture tour, press, and miscellaneous items.

Arrangement: This series is arranged in 2 subseries: 4.1 Writings, 1925-1983, undated; 4.2 Lectures, 1933-1990, undated.

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Box 36	Article on soap and laundering, undated
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Series 5: Personal and family materials, 1880-1996, undated

Scope and Contents: Series 5. Personal and family materials, 1880-1996 and undated, consists of documents, photographs, and ephemera that are personal in nature. This includes items relating to Matthew Stirling's young life and family history, photographs, correspondence, and clippings relating to his extended family, and photographs of and correspondence from Matt and Marion's children. Of note in this series is Matthew's hiring paperwork when he was made Chief of the Bureau of American Ethnology in 1928 and Marion's journal documenting their wedding and the travel to Florida that followed.

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Box 39	University of CA: Teaching fellow appointment, 1920
Box 39	Smithsonian: U.S. civil service exam results, 1921
Box 58	Clippings: Stirling family - Matthew W. Stirling, 1924-1940 2 Folders
Box 58	Clippings: Stirling as head of BAE, 1928 2 Folders
Box 60	Civil service announcement for Chief of BAE position, 1928
Box 39	Chief of the Bureau of American Ethnology hiring paperwork, 1928

Box 39	Smithsonian Institution correspondence, 1928-1929
Box 39	Photographs: Becky and Gene (Stirling family?), 1930
Box 39	Newspaper clippings: Stirling family, M.W.S. archeological discoveries, 1930-1931
Box 39	Marriage announcement for the Stirlings, 1933
Box 39	Marion's journal: Wedding day and travel to Florida, 1933-1934
Box 39	Photographic negatives: Florida fishing, Matt and Marion, 1934
Box 39	Photographic negatives: Eagle Nest, Florida near Naples, 1935
Box 39	Seminole negatives/ Florida fishing/ Plymouth E[?] home, 1935, undated 2 Folders
Box 39	Photographic negatives: Florida pictures, Plymouth Circle house D.C., etc., 1938
Box 39	Letter to Miss Belle Williams from Marion, 1940
Box 39	Photographic negatives: Children, 1943
Box 39	Color pictures of Matthew and Ariana, circa 1946
Box 39	X-mas, 1947-1948
Box 40	Photographic negatives: California, 1948
Box 40	Miscellaneous personal slides (Matt and Ariana at Xmas, etc), 1948-1960
Box 40	Photographic negatives: Trip to California, 1950 July
Box 40	Photographic negatives: California trip, 1950 July
Box 40	Photographic negatives: Salinas house, 1951
Box 58	Clippings: Stirling family - Marion Stirling, 1951 2 Folders
Box 40	Children's letters, 1956, undated
Box 40	Ariana Stirling passport photos, age 15, circa 1957
Box 40	Stirling family history: Clippings, 1961, undated

Box 40	Correspondence and clippings "have been copied" (Stirling family and misc.), 1961, 1981, undated
Box 40	Passports, 1963-1996
Box 40	Day to day calendars (Marion), 1972-1974
Box 40	Map to the Stirling's house (Rowland Place), undated
Box 40	Copy of Matt Williams story, undated
Box 40	Marion Stirling passport photos, undated
Box 40	The surnames of Scotland - Stirling, undated
Box 40	Stirling family history: Painting of Ariana Williams, undated
Box 40	Stirling family history: Narratives by MWS and Ariana Stirling, undated
Box 40	Photograph: Ronald Hunt and family, undated

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Series 6: Anthropological journals, 1876-1959

Scope and Contents: Series 6. Anthropological journals, 1876-1959, consists of collections of anthropological journals, dated 1876-1959, collected and categorized for reference and research purposes. The original file titles have been maintained below.

Arrangement: Materials are arranged in alphabetical order.

Box 40; Box 41	"59-63" ethnobotany, etc., 1885-1954 4 Folders
Box 41	Ancient Man in Europe, etc, 1899-1957 2 Folders
Box 41; Box 42	Asiatic contacts, 1891-1941 4 Folders
Box 42	"Before Columbus" contacts, 1892-1951 3 Folders
Box 42	California separates, 1941-1948 2 Folders
Box 42; Box 43; Box 44	Early man in America, 1888-1959 8 Folders
Box 44	Iroquois separates, 1914-1950 3 Folders
Box 44; Box 45	Origin and antiquity of the American Indian, 1876-1952 4 Folders
Box 45	Physical anthropology separates, 1896, 1931-1950 2 Folders
Box 45	Texas separates, 1933-1947 2 Folders

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Series 7: Marion Stirling Pugh, , 1924-2004, undated (bulk 1948-2002)

Scope and Contents: Series 7. Marion Stirling Pugh, 1924-2004 (bulk 1948-2002) and undated, consists of materials relating to endeavors Marion undertook without Matthew, primarily relating to her participation in the Society of Women Geographers from 1948-2000 and her life after Matthew died in 1975 until her death in 2001. Materials include correspondence, clippings, reports, writings, and administrative materials.

Subseries 7.1 The Society of Women Geographers, primarily consists of alphabetical files kept and organized by Marion regarding membership, elections, events, and press. Marion was elected to the executive board in 1954 and served as president of the society twice (1960-1963 and 1969-1972) and the bulk of the material relates to her second tenure as president, although the material does document over 50 years of her participation in the society.

Subseries 7.2 Administrative Files, includes materials relating to Marion's second marriage to John Ramsey Pugh and their life together, correspondence and writings relating to Matthew's legacy and the work he and Marion undertook together, drafts of Marion's reminiscences about her life and experiences, files regarding her work with the Textile Museum, and travel files.

Arrangement: This series is arranged in 2 subseries: 7.1 The Society of Women Geographers, 1948-2000, undated; 7.2 Administrative files, 1924-2004 (bulk 1975-2002), undated.

7.1: The Society of Women Geographers, 1948-2000, undated

Arrangement: Materials that were maintained in alphabetical files appear first followed by other materials relating to the Society of Women Geographers, listed in chronological order.

Alphabetical files:

Box 46	Correspondence misc., 1969-1974
Box 46	Andrews, Dorothy May, 1970-1972
Box 46	Artic Institute, 1966
Box 46	Membership ballots, 1966-1974
Box 46	Ballots, new members, 1955-1967
Box 46	"B", 1971-1972
Box 46	BorIdnd, 1972
Box 46	Brush (Ellen), 1971
Box 46	"C", 1969-1974
Box 46	Marion Stirling, SWG clippings, 1948-1951
Box 46	Chapin (Ruth), 1970

Box 46	Trust report Chase Manhattan, 1969-1972
Box 46	China trip, 1973-1977
Box 46	Constitution changes (see Parry 1974), 1957, 1968
Box 46	"D", 1970-1971
Box 46	Dues, 1973
Box 46	"E", 1970-1973
Box 46	Enochs, 1967-1972
Box 46	Explorers, 1962-1969
Box 46	Fairchild, 1970-1973
Box 46	Fellowship correspondence, 1971-1976
Box 46	Film strip project (Breedon), 1973-1974
Box 46	50th anniversary rejects, circa 1973
Box 46	50th anniversary, 1974-1975
Box 46	50th thanks, 1975
Box 54	Slides used for 50th anniversary NGS talk, undated
Box 46	Slides used for 50th anniversary NGS talk (notes), undated
Box 46	Financial reports, 1957-1973
Box 46	Flag application, 1970-1971
Box 46	Form letters, 1961-1972
Box 46	"F", 1972
Box 46	Freeman, Ethel, 1971-1972
Box 46	French, Karen Elizabeth, 1971-1972
Box 46	"G", 1970-1972
Box 47	Grosvenor, Donna, 1971-1972

Box 47	Gurnee, 1972-1975
Box 47	Harris, 1970-1972
Box 47	Benita Harris (SWG secretary), 1967
Box 47	"H", 1969-1972
Box 47	Jenkins, 1969-1972
Box 47	"K", 1969-1971
Box 47	Kiwi cape, 1972
Box 47	"L", 1970-1974
Box 47	"M", 1969-1972
Box 47	Medal, 1972
Box 47	Medal presentation (copies of 1940s correspondence), circa 1972
Box 47	Meetings, 1969-1970
Box 47	Membership, 1961-1973
Box 47	Membership qualifications (Council, also Warbasse letters), 1961
Box 47	Mirsky, 1969-1972
Box 47	"M", 1969-1972
Box 47	Mitchell, 1973-1975
Box 47	Nef, 1970-1975
Box 47	NGS, 1967
Box 47	New York meetings, 1970
Box 47	Nader, 1970
Box 47	N.Y. executive council minutes, 1972
Box 47	New York membership list, 1969
Box 47	My file of nominating committee, 1971-1972

Box 47	Nourse, 1969
Box 47	President's notes for SWG, 1972
Box 47	"O" (Osbourne and others), 1970-1974
Box 47	Olds, 1970-1974
Box 47	Office, 1966
Box 47	Parry, 1972-1974
Box 47	"P", 1969-1971
Box 47	Pictures, 1967-1974
Box 47	Pruitt, Evelyn, 1967-1975
Box 47	"Q", 1961-1970
Box 47	"R", 1970-1972
Box 47	Sherman, 1969-1975
Box 47	Sibley, 1970-1974
Box 47	"S", 1969-1972
Box 47	General, 1954-1956
Box 47	1972 Triennial, M.S. file, 1960-1972
Box 47	"T", 1969-1972
Box 47	Unwritten policies, undated
Box 47	"V", 1969-1972
Box 47	Vander Pyl, 1971
Box 47	"W", 1970-1972
Box 47	Women scientists (articles), undated

Other files:

Box 48	Minutes, 1956-1975
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Box 48	Triennial, 1960-1969
Box 48	International members, 1981-1985
Box 48	Flag, 1983
Box 48	Miscellaneous, 1987-1999
Box 48	"Honor Winners and Flag Carriers, 1932-1991", 1992
Box 48	Oral history, 1993
Box 48	"Tribute Booklet of The Society of Women Geographers' Seven-Fifty Club", 1995
Box 48	Photo archives, 1995
Box 48	SWG, 1995
Box 48	Leakey obit and miscellaneous, 1996-1997
Box 48	Controversy, 1997
Box 48	Inventory and collection [?], 2000

7.2: Administrative files, , 1924-2004, undated (bulk 1975-2002)

Arrangement: Alphabetical files are listed first followed by miscellaneous materials listed in chronological order.

Box 50; Box 51	Alphabetical files, circa 1975-2002 94 Folders
Box 48	Copies of correspondence from Edward Spencer-Guidal and misc., 1924, 1994-1995
Box 48	Reprints, articles inscribed to Marion by authors (Robert Heizer, Alice Kehoe, and John Carlson, 1959-1978
Box 48	My talk SWG 50th, 1975
Box 48	My article for Dumbarton Oaks Olmec book (correspondence and congratulations), 1977-1982
Box 48	Current/old (nothing to do with Mexico), reminiscences, contains some letters from Maggy in Coatzacoalcos [sp?], 1977-1985
Box 48	Olmec notes, 1981

Box 48	Florida Calusa articles/ correspondence to Ruth Campbell, 1982
Box 48	Textile Museum, Handbook material including my notes, 1986 3 Folders
Box 49	Letter from Mary Ellen Miller (Yale) re: Cerro de las Mesas, 1986
Box 49	Newspaper clippings regarding National Geographic, 1990
Box 49	Interview National Gallery, 1996
Box 49	Material regarding transfer of MWS lecture films to NMNH, 1993
Box 49	Easter Island (1995 trip Marion), 1993-1995
Box 49	My reminiscences, 1993-1996
Box 49	Material from John Griggs regarding NAA and Panama, 1994
Box 49	Antarctic (trip 1995, Marion), 1995
Box 49	El Siglo (clipping sent to Marion by Simeon Conte), 1995
Box 49	Little Fiddlers Green photographs, 1996
Box 49	Belize and Honduras, 1996
Box 49	"New data from old collections: The 1949 Stirling Collection from Panama in the National Museum of Natural History", 1997
Box 49	Costa Rica 1964, 1997
Box 49	Costa Rican publication, Vazquez and Jones, my file, 1997
Box 49	Marion Stirling: Notes of Tres Zapotes, 1998
Box 49	Marion Stirling: "My background," and 1939 typed Mexico notes (Tres Zapotes), 1998
Box 49	My writings so far, 1998
Box 49	Legal documents regarding Marion's will and Little Fiddlers Green, 1999
Box 49	Christmas cards to Marion, 1999
Box 49	Smithsonian papers re: films [?], circa 1999
Box 49	Papers regarding films, take to Smithsonian, 2000

Box 49	General experiences (Marion), undated
Box 49	Letters already copied once or twice (list), undated
Box 49	Marion's answers to questions about going on expedition, undated
Box 49	"My early life" (Marion, primarily reprints, some with annotations), undated
Box 49	My memories, undated
Box 49	My writing about Matt (not connected with NGS work, odds and ends), undated
Box 49	Note about jade figures in book [?], undated
Box 49	Personal writings, undated

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