

I. CORRESPONDENCE

Ms. 79.13

C. Letters to Joffe

Box	Folder		
8	1/-2/	Correspondence, 1935-1937	15 items
		Correctness of spelling of names discussed; proof reading, information on location of copy; personal communications and concerns expressed.	
	3/-7/	Correspondence, 1938	34 items
		Invites suggestions on sources for second-hand actuarial material, as well as sources for the biographical sketches of presidents of the American Mathematical Society, specifically McClintock; discusses furthermore matters concerned with proof reading, corrigenda, indexing and publishing; praises J. for his contributions, specifically his care in proof reading; some personal matters mentioned	
	8/	Correspondence, 1939	5 items
		Tries unsuccessfully to recruit J. for National Research Council Committee on Bibliography of Mathematical Tables and Aids to Computation.	
	9/-/12	Correspondence, 1940	25 items
		Personal exchanges on extra-curricular work; points out new publication by Karpinski; discusses readying of Lehmer's manuscript for the Committee of the National Research Council and the inclusion of J's table in the work, choices for chairmanship on sub-committee to prepare report on actuarial tables, classification concerns for those table, and publication project of a student.	

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8	13/-14/	Correspondence, 1941-1942	23 items
		Sub-committee chairmanship and publication of Lehmer report mentioned; details slides used in lecture; invites comments on forthcoming actuarial report and Elston letter; remarks of personal nature on stay in Canada and return to Brown; extends invitation to become proof reader for new quarterly; proof-reading matters discussed.	
	15/-17/	Correspondence, 1943	10 items
		Inquiries of personal nature; discusses reasons which prompted change of publishers for the <u>Mathematical Tables and Aids to Computation (MTAC)</u> ; Sketches plans for articles and the outlay for different issues of MTAC; praises J. for his proof reading skills; announces that he will be full-time editor of MTAC for the next three years.	
	18/-19/	Correspondence, 1944	10 items
		Correspondence deals with plans, problems, proofs, corrigenda and suggestions for volumes 6-8 of MTAC.	
	20/-21/	Correspondence, 1945	22 items
		Expresses concern for J. and praises his contributions; comments upon aspects and concerns in regard to the index for MTAC 1 through 12; mentions his involvement with conference at Massachusetts Institut of Technology, Tamarkin's health, and endeavors of personal nature; comments on proof, corrigenda and other matters concerned with MTAC; poses questions on Kulik manuscript.	

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8	22/-23/	Correspondence, 1946	16 items
		Informs J. of necessity to consolidate issues 13 and 14 of MTAC; deliberates on matters concerned with transliteration, errata, tables, and physical make-up of MTAC; expresses concern for J's health; remarks and news of personal nature; advises that the FMR Index should be published under J's name.	
	24/-26/	Correspondence, 1947	23 items
		Reports that MTAC is to have an additional section on "automatic computing machinery"; mentions that Ferguson believes Wrench to be wrong; gives explanations and poses questions concerning corrections, indices, reviews, revisions, tables, and manuscripts pertaining to MTAC; adopts suggestions for biographic and bibliographic portraits; submits bibliographical questions; relates personal news.	
	27/-28/	Correspondence, 1948	23 items
		Gives example to proof that direct converse of Fermat's theorem is wrong; in matters concerned with MTAC he mentions editorial considerations, policy changes, material published and to be published, analysis, comments and corrections; tells of his resignation as editor because of dissatisfaction; mentions his work on the sixth edition of <u>Outline History of Mathematics</u> and works by others to be published.	
	29/	Correspondence, 1949	13 items
		Gives further information on his <u>Outline</u> edition and other work he is doing; considers matters concerned with MTAC as to errata, editorial considerations, proof reading and individual articles; relays news on Lehmer, Comrie, Bell, and Richardson; remarks on speed of William's machine in computing tables.	

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8	30/	Correspondence, 1950 Informs J. of Neugebauers response to his surmiss on "Babylonian expression for a certain sum of series"; gives directiyes for Russian letters; discusses suggested changes and errata; offers observations on Lehmer's editorship of MTAC; mention of work and undertakings A. is involved in.	4 items
	31/-32/	Correspondence, 1951-1952 Tells about himself, the Mathematical Society's library sale; remarks on Dick's MTAC editorship, re-issue of MTAC 1 through 4; discusses corrections for projects, raises questions on errata.	11 items
	33/-34/	Correspondence, 1953-1954 Tells J. of his collection of records and magnetic tapes; apologizes for loosing J's manuscripts; mentions that he gave his Glaisher collection to Brown; informs J. of his plans to destroy much of the correspondence he received over the years and to keep only a few important letters to be given to repositories.	9 items