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Biography

Ronald L. Numbers (Ron Numbers) was born June 3, 1942 to Raymond and Lois Numbers. His father and both his grandfathers were pastors and/or administrators in the Seventh-day Adventist church, with his maternal grandfather, William H. Branson, serving as General Conference President. Ron grew up in Jamaica and Tennessee and attended Adventist schools through college, graduating with a double major in math and physics and a minor in German from Southern Missionary College, Collegedale, Tennessee, in 1963. After this, he attended Florida State University, where he earned a Master of Arts degree, and then the University of California, Berkeley, where he received a doctoral degree in the history of science. It was at Berkeley that Ron Numbers' confidence in Adventism started to waver, specifically regarding the way the church taught about inspiration and creation. In 1969, he took a job teaching history at Andrews University, and the next year moved to teach at Loma Linda University. While employed there, Numbers wrote several books, including *Prophetess of Heath*, regarding Ellen G. White and the role outside sources had on her writings about health. In the midst of controversy caused by this book, which Ron's friends dubbed the "Stained Glass Watergate," Ron Number was dismissed from Loma Linda University and found a job teaching at the University of Wisconsin-Madison. He remained there for the rest of his career.

Ron Numbers is well-known both within and outside of Adventism. Within Adventism, he is best known for *Prophetess of Health*. He also had a hand in the beginning of the Association of Adventist Forums, who publishes *Spectrum* magazine. He also authored two other books on Adventism, *The Disappointed*, and *Ellen Harmon White: American Prophet*, and mentioned Adventism in many of his other books and articles. Outside of Adventism, he is known for his research on several topics related to the history of science. These include the history of creationism (including several important links to Adventism), the relationship between science and religion, the history of science and religion in America, and John Harvey Kellogg. He wrote several books, edited many books, published countless articles, edited the scholarly journal *Isis* for several years, and was a sought-after lecturer and advisor for many other projects.

Ron Numbers' personal life was unfortunately quite complicated. He married Diane Mills in 1964, but they divorced during the aftermath of the "Stained Glass Watergate." Soon after, he married Janet Swain, with whom he had two daughters, Kesia, who died a few days after birth, and Lesley Anne. Janet was a psychologist with whom Ron collaborated on several articles. They divorced after 20 years of marriage, but remained close friends over the following years.

Janet and her partner were often Ron's guests for holidays and other celebrations. Ron Numbers' third wife was Karen Steudel, a biology professor at the University of Wisconsin-Madison. The two divorced in 2012, shortly before he retired. Unwilling to marry a fourth time, Numbers instead had two long-term girlfriends: Margie Wilsman, a yoga instructor who he called his "life partner," and Audrey Dybdahl. He and Audrey were still together until his death in 2023.

Although an avowed agnostic, Ron Numbers' connection to the Seventh-day Adventist Church remained strong. By request of his friends, he was never removed from church membership at the Loma Linda University Church. Many of his closest friends over the years were current and former Adventists, such as T. Joe Willey, Jonathan Butler, Ben McArthur, Vern Carner, James Hayward, and Eric Anderson. He included Adventism in much of his writings, both on religion and science, and he donated his library and his papers to the Center for Adventist Research at Andrews University. Numbers died peacefully at his home in Wisconsin on July 24, 2023, with his second wife, Janet, and their daughter, Lesley Anne, by his side.

Scope

This collection is broad and vast in scope, including materials from Ron Numbers' personal and professional life. Items here include materials on Numbers' family, education, career, writings, correspondence, and research materials.

Arrangement

The collection as received from Ron Numbers was broadly well organized, though within folders there is often a lack of internal order. The organizers did not attempt, in most instances, to organize inside folders if the contents fit the folder label. Other aspects of the collection's order was done by the processor.

This collection is arranged with personal materials first, followed by Numbers education and professional materials with the latter being the bulk of the collection. A review of the table of contents starting on page 4 will help one to understand the collection arrangement and structure. It is important to note, as mentioned above, that the contents of any folder containing correspondence in this collection may not be in chronological order. The contents of these folders are largely kept in the same order that Ron Numbers kept them, and researchers seeking correspondence regarding a particular topic or year should review at the entire register and look in each folder with dates overlapping the time period, the topic, or the individual they are researching. At times there are multiple folders covering a period of a few years, labeled, for example, "1990-1998, part 1" and then "1990-1998, part 2." This means that a letter for the date of 1992, for example, may be found in either folder.

The vast bulk of the collection came directly from Numbers while he was still alive. These papers were organized soon after receipt. However, about a box of papers came following his passing. Where the initial processing of this collection was already done, the later additions have been integrated in logical locations within the structure of the collection. Due to the quantity of papers in some categories, there was no room with the related papers from the initial donation and processing. In these cases, the papers are physically placed in box 47 or box 48, but listed in this finding aid where they would natural come in the flow of the collection. Be aware of the box and folder numbers as this will help you access what you are looking for.

Extent

48 Records Center Boxes (60 linear feet)

Provenance

Donated by Ron Numbers to the Center for Adventist Research in 2022. Additional papers came in 2023 from the executor of Numbers estate.

Use

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I. Biographical and Personal

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Bx 1 Fld 1 Correspondence regarding Ron Numbers' donation of books and papers, 2018-2023. Originally he intended to donate his library to the Nelson Memorial Library at Pacific Union College, but ultimately he donated his books, along with his papers, to the James White Library at Andrews University. For more correspondence regarding the donation of Ron Numbers' papers, see Box 26 Fld 32.

General Biographical

Ron Numbers, Personal information

Bx 1 Fld 2 *Our Baby's Record*, 1942-1949. A book with facts and information about Ron Numbers as a young child.

Bx 1 Fld 3 Selective Service Registration Certificates, 1960 and 1972.

Bx 1 Fld 4 Invitation to the wedding of Numbers and Virginia Diane Mills, 1964. This was his first marriage.

Bx 1 Fld 5 Wedding Scrapbook for Ron Numbers and Virginia Diane Mills, 1964.

Bx 1 Fld 6 Diary, 1971. This is more of an appointment book, with notes about meetings and various expenses.

Bx 1 Fld 7 US Passport, 1971-1976.

Bx 1 Fld 8 US Passport, 1976-1981.

- Bx 1 Fld 9 US Passport, 1984-1994.
- Bx 1 Fld 10 Journal entries for a trip to India, 1993.
- Bx 1 Fld 11 Wisconsin Driver's License, 1997-1999.
- Bx 1 Fld 12 Legal documents for Union Transfer Condominiums, Ron Numbers' residence, 1998.
- Bx 1 Fld 13 Scan of US Passport, 2002-2012
- Bx 1 Fld 14 Last Will and Testament of Karen Steudel Numbers, Ron Numbers' second wife, 2003.
- Bx 1 Fld 15 Last Will and Testament of Ronald L. Numbers, 2003.
- Bx 1 Fld 16 Menu from Ron Numbers' 65th birthday celebration, 2007.
- Bx 1 Fld 17 Incomplete letter of acceptance from Karen Steudel Numbers to become Dean of Science and Research for California Academy of Sciences, 2008. This letter was likely never sent.
- Bx 1 Fld 18 Program for "Union Transfer & Storage Building: Celebrating 10 Years as a Downtown Condominium Neighborhood," 2009. Ron Numbers lived in unit 403 in this condominium with his wife Karen during this time.
- Bx 1 Fld 19 List of medication for Ron Numbers, 2009.
- Bx 1 Fld 20 Handouts and Information for a psychiatry appointment, 2012. This appointment is referred to in his April 2012 email correspondence, after his third divorce.
Restricted: No Copies.
- Bx 1 Fld 21 Legal documents relating to Ron Numbers' divorce of Karen Steudel Numbers, 2012-2013.
Restricted until 2033.
- Bx 1 Fld 22 Correspondence regarding mediation between Ron and Karen Numbers, 2013.

- Bx 1 Fld 23 Wisconsin Driver's License, 2015-2023.
- Bx 1 Fld 24 Results from medical tests, 2017.
- Bx 1 Fld 25 Invitation to a party celebrating Ron Numbers and Margie Wilsman's 75th birthdays, 2017.
- Bx 1 Fld 26 Ethnicity Estimate from Ancestry.com, 2019.
- Bx 1 Fld 27 Power of Attorney for Healthcare Authorization Form, 2021.
- Bx 1 Fld 28 Family Tree, created by this collection processor during organization to keep track of people mentioned in this collection.
- Bx 1 Fld 28a Obituary, and other articles surrounding Ron Numbers' death, 2023. Also includes an article regarding a professorship named in his honor.
- Bx 47 Fld 32 Resident's Handbook from Union Transfer Condominium Association, Madison WI. Condo #403 was Ron Numbers' residence for the last part of his life.

Ernest Raymond Numbers

Ernest R. Numbers was Ron Numbers' paternal grandfather, a longtime pastor and conference employee.

- Bx 1 Fld 29 Obituary for Ernest Raymond Numbers, 1967.

Raymond W. Numbers

Raymond W. Numbers was Ron Numbers' father, an evangelist, preacher, and pastor. These are documents related to Raymond. For correspondence, see "Correspondence, Personal" below.

- Bx 1 Fld 30 Materials related to Raymond W. Numbers. Included are pamphlets for evangelistic meetings he gave. The first, "God's Answer to Evolution: Are Men and Monkeys Relatives?" was framed. No year information on any of the pamphlets.

Lois Branson Numbers

Lois Branson Numbers was Ron Numbers' mother.

Bx 1 Fld 31 Materials related to the death of Lois Branson Numbers, 1988.

Lesley Anne Numbers

Lesley Anne Numbers is the daughter of Ron Numbers and Janet Swain Numbers. Lesley is an artist, and many of the items here are related to her career in art.

Bx 1 Fld 32 Essay by Lesley Numbers, 2006.

Bx 1 Fld 33 Curricula Vitae for Lesley Numbers, 2006.

Bx 1 Fld 34 Resumes for Lesley Numbers, c. 2008.

Bx 1 Fld 35 Letter of Recommendation from Roberta Jordan for Lesley Numbers, 2008.

Bx 1 Fld 36 "*Winter Road I: A Subtle Departure*," by Lesley Numbers, 2009.

Bx 1 Fld 37 "Artist's career launched with help from Dolly Parton," by Claire Bitner, *Wisconsin State Journal*, 2014. Article about Lesley.

Bx 1 Fld 38 Posters for events featuring Lesley Numbers, 2014-2015.

Bx 1 Fld 39 Job application and resume for Lesley Numbers, 2015.

Bx 1 Fld 40 Articles regarding Lesley Numbers, 2015.

Bx 1 Fld 41 Article regarding Madison Mural Alley, a project featuring several artists, including Lesley Numbers, 2018.

Bx 1 Fld 42 Painting, "The Apocalypse is Blooming," by Lesley Numbers, on a postcard, 2019.

Bx 1 Fld 43 Poems by Lesley Numbers, 2020.

Correspondence, Personal

Here are letters and emails not related to work or scholarship, mostly from family and friends who did not work with him. These are arranged alphabetically by last name. There is some personal correspondence, especially personal correspondence from friends with whom Ron Numbers attended school, or from his work colleagues, interfiled under at "VI. Correspondence, Professional," "Organized by Year." For a family tree to see how some of these people are related, see Box 1 Fld 28.

- Bx 1 Fld 44 Berkeley Seventh-day Adventist Church, c. 1967. Includes notes from talks when Ron Numbers was Sabbath School Superintendent.
- Bx 1 Fld 45 Elizabeth Branson, 1972-1975. Elizabeth was Ron Numbers' maternal grandmother, and wife of William H. Branson. For more materials on W. H. Branson, see "William H. Branson and Family" at "VII. Research Materials" below. For a family tree, see Box 1 Fld 28.
- Bx 1 Fld 46 Terry and Kathy Clem, 2014-2017. Kathy is Ron Numbers first cousin, once removed, the daughter of Merrilyn White-Hill-Webb-Breignam.
- Bx 1 Fld 47 Glenn Coon, Sr., 1990. Glenn was Ron Numbers' "favorite uncle." For more correspondence about "*Prophetess of Health*" see under "Books Written."
- Bx 1 Fld 48 Glenn Coon, Jr., 2002. This is Glenn Coon's son, and Ron Numbers' first cousin.
- Bx 1 Fld 49 Kim Donovan, 2012. Kim was a friend of Karen Steudel, Ron Numbers' third wife.
- Bx 1 Fld 50 Audrey Dybdahl, 2018-2020. Audrey was Ron Numbers' girlfriend, starting in 2018 until his death.
- Bx 1 Fld 51 Dave Fogg, 2012. Dave was Ron Numbers' roommate in academy and college. For more correspondence with Dave, see Box 1 Fld 78, and the surrounding folders.

- Bx 1 Fld 52 Loma Linda University Church, 1975-1983. Context of these letters is the aftermath of writing *Prophetess of Health*. For more contextual correspondence, see Box 5 Fld 13, as well as the entire "*Prophetess of Health*" and "Stained Glass Watergate" sections under "Books Written."
- Bx 1 Fld 53 Beverly Ludders, 2012-2013. Beverly is T. Joe Willey's wife Barbara's twin sister. She and Ron Numbers enjoyed a brief relationship during this time. For more correspondence regarding this relationship, see "With T. Joe Willey" under "Correspondence, Professional."
- Bx 1 Fld 54 Merrilyn White Hill Webb Breingan, 1985-2021. Merrilyn is Ron Numbers' first cousin.
- Bx 1 Fld 55 Carl and Barbara Motschiedler, 1968-1969.
- Bx 1 Fld 56 Diane Numbers, 1977-2017. Diane was Ron Numbers' first wife.
- Bx 1 Fld 57 Lesley Numbers, 2009-2018. Lesley is Ron Numbers' daughter.
- Bx 1 Fld 58 Lois Numbers. No date. Lois was Ron Numbers' mother.
- Bx 1 Fld 59 Raymond W. Numbers, 1934-1981. Raymond is Ron Numbers' father. This folder includes letters from Raymond to Lois, from Raymond's mother, and from Raymond to Ron Numbers.
- Bx 1 Fld 60 Raymond and Lois Numbers, 1960-1983. Ron Numbers kept these letters to and from his parents separate in a folder called "Letters Home."
- Bx 1 Fld 61 Dave and Judy Osborne. No date. Dave and Judy were classmates from Highland Academy and Southern Missionary College. Much more correspondence is under "Organized by Year" in "VI. Correspondence, Professional."

- Bx 1 Fld 62 Carolyn and Eugene Remmers, 2005-2018. Carolyn was Ron Numbers' sister.
- Bx 1 Fld 63 Rick Remmers and family, 1992-2019. Rick is Ron Numbers' nephew, the son of Carolyn and Eugene Remmers. Includes correspondence with Kari and Andrew, Rick's children.
- Bx 1 Fld 64 Ray and Eunice Shreve, 1988. Ray Shreve was Lois Branson's first cousin, Ron Numbers' first cousin, once removed. The common ancestor is James Jefferson Shreve, father of Minnie Shreve-Branson and Oliver Raymond Shreve. Minnie was Lois Branson's mother. Oliver Raymond was Ray Shreve's father. The Betty Jean referred to in the letters was Ray Shreve's sister, Betty Jean Shreve-Ford.
- Bx 1 Fld 65 Sheila Shigley, 2005-2019. Sheila is Ron Numbers' first cousin, once removed, the daughter of Mildred Numbers-Hover. For more correspondence with Shigley, see Box 27 Fld 32.
- Bx 1 Fld 66 Trent Simon, 2007-2011. Trent was Ron Numbers' son-in-law, Lesley Numbers' husband. They subsequently divorced.
- Bx 1 Fld 67 Karen Steudel, 2010-2015. Karen was Ron Numbers' third wife.
- Bx 1 Fld 68 Janet Swain, 2007-2022. Janet was Ron Numbers' second wife. After their divorce in the 1990s the two remained close friends. Janet was the mother of Ron's daughter Lesley, and served as Ron's estate executor.
- Bx 1 Fld 69 Sue Welke, 2012-2017. Sue is Ron Numbers' niece, daughter of Carolyn Remmers.
- Bx 1 Fld 70 Margie Wilsman, 2014-2017. Margie was Ron Numbers' girlfriend, or "life partner" as they termed it, from 2014-2017.

Bx 1 Fld 71 Jim and Linda Wolcott, 1986-2013. Jim and Linda are relatives to either Ron Numbers or his ex-wife, Janet Swain, but unsure how.

Bx 1 Fld 72 Daphne and Dale, last name unknown, 1969. More under "Organized by Year" in "VI. Correspondence, Professional."

II. Education

A variety of materials, from elementary to postgraduate education, are included in this collection.

Elementary, Chattanooga Junior Academy

Bx 1 Fld 73 Bible class assignment on early chapters of Genesis, third grade, 1950.

Bx 1 Fld 74 Report cards from Chattanooga Junior Academy, 1954-1955.

Bx 1 Fld 75 Eighth grade diploma, Chattanooga Junior Academy, 1955.

High School, Highland Academy and Home Study International

Ron Numbers attended Highland Academy, a Seventh-day Adventist boarding school, during his high school years. Items in this section contain materials from his high school years, as well as materials from subsequent class reunions. During this time, Numbers also took some correspondence classes through Home Study International. For more photographs from Highland Academy, see "VIII. Photographs and Slides" below.

Bx 1 Fld 76 Academic Transcripts from Home Study International for classes taken from 1955-1959. Transcripts issued by Home Study International in 2004.

Bx 47 Fld 14 Diploma awarded for the completion of high school, Highland Academy, 1959.

Bx 1 Fld 77 Clippings from Highland Academy Yearbooks, 1957-1959.

Bx 1 Fld 78 Graduation program and photograph, Highland Academy, class of 1959.

Bx 1 Fld 79 *The Highlander*, Graduation edition, 1959.

Bx 1 Fld 80 *Reflections: 50 Years! 1959-2009*, Highland Academy class of 1959 reunion book. Includes photographs of Ron Numbers, and a short autobiography.

Undergraduate Education, Southern Missionary College and Home Study International

Ron Numbers attended Southern Missionary College, and graduated in 1963 with majors in Mathematics and Physics, and a minor in German. During this time he also took a few classes from Home Study International. Most items in this section were taken from a large scrapbook with materials arranged by school year.

Bx 1 Fld 81 Certificates for the completion of Home Study Institute courses, 1959-1960, along with Academic Transcripts from Home Study International for classes taken from 1959-1960, prepared in 2004.

Bx 1 Fld 82 Items from Ron Numbers' Freshman year at Southern Missionary College, 1959-1960. Includes "Campbell Lives on Wisconsin Forest Island," by Paul Richards, a pseudonym for Ron Numbers, in the *Southern Accent*.

Bx 1 Fld 83 Report cards, Southern Missionary College, 1960-1963.

Bx 1 Fld 84 Clippings from Southern Missionary College yearbooks, 1960-1963.

Bx 1 Fld 85 Items from Ron Numbers' Sophomore year at Southern Missionary College, 1960-1961.

Bx 1 Fld 86 Items from Ron Numbers' Junior year at Southern Missionary College, 1961-1962.

Bx 1 Fld 87 Items from Ron Numbers' Senior year at Southern Missionary Collage, 1962-1963.

Bx 1 Fld 88 Commencement materials, Southern Missionary College, 1963.

Bx 1 Fld 89 Book of Graduates, Southern Missionary College class of 1963.

Bx 47 Fld 15 Bachelor of Arts awarded for the completion of degree program, Southern Missionary College, 1963.

Bx 1 Fld 90 Clipping from *Columns*, Southern Adventist University's alumni magazine, featuring Ron Numbers, 1999.

Master's Degree, Florida State University

Immediately after graduating from college, Ron Numbers attended Florida State University, obtaining a Master of Arts degree in 1965. This section includes papers written during this time, as well as graduation materials.

Bx 1 Fld 91 Papers written for classes, 1964-1965.

Bx 1 Fld 92 "The Early Reception of the Theory of Relativity in the United States," Master's Thesis, 1965, with related correspondence.

Bx 1 Fld 93 List of graduates, Florida State University, 1965.

Bx 1 Fld 94 Diploma for the Master of Arts degree, Florida State University, 1965.

Bx 1 Fld 95 Graduate of Distinction Award, Florida State University College of Arts and Sciences, 1999. Also includes a program and article regarding this award.

Bx 1 Fld 96 Florida State University Alumni Association cards for Ron Numbers and Karen S. Numbers. No date, but expiring 2015. Unknown if Karen was an alumna from Florida State.

Doctoral Degree, University of California, Berkeley

Immediately after graduating from Florida State, Ron Numbers attended the University of California, Berkeley, to obtain a Ph.D. in history. He completed this degree in 1969. This section includes papers and materials from his time at Berkeley.

Bx 1 Fld 97 Papers written for classes, 1965-1969.

Bx 1 Fld 98 Notebook with notes for History of Science and Technology in American Society, taught by A. Hunter Dupree, Fall 1966 and Winter 1967.

Bx 1 Fld 99 Report of Ron Numbers' Test Scores, 1966.

Bx 1 Fld 100 Cover page of doctoral dissertation, "The Nebular Hypothesis in American Thought, 1969. This was later published as *Creation by Natural Law: Laplace's Nebular Hypothesis in American Thought*. For more information, see the section corresponding to this title under "Books Written."

Bx 1 Fld 101 Diploma, University of California, Berkeley, for the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy, 1969.

Bx 47 Fld 24 Graduation cap.

Bx 1 Fld 102 Miscellaneous materials from Ron Numbers' time at University of California-Berkeley, c. 1969.

Post-Doctoral Work, Johns Hopkins University

In order to specialize in the history of medicine, Ron Numbers obtained a post-doctoral fellowship from Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine in 1974.

Bx 1 Fld 103 Identification Card, Postdoctoral Fellow, John Hopkins University School of Medicine. No date.

Bx 1 Fld 104 Papers written for classes, 1973-1974.

Bx 1 Fld 105 Certificate, for the completion of a Fellowship in History of Medicine, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine, 1974.

III. **Work and Career**

Ron Numbers taught at three universities, and was involved with many other projects and professional organizations. This section includes materials from his vast career, concluding with materials from his retirement celebration.

Professional Biography

These are Ron Numbers' professional biographies and curricula vitae.

Bx 1 Fld 106 Draft materials for a curricula vitae, c. 1996.

Bx 1 Fld 107 Biographical paragraph, c. 2002.

Bx 1 Fld 108 Brief curricula vitae, c. 2002.

Bx 1 Fld 109 Full curricula vitae, c. 2002.

Bx 1 Fld 110 Brief curricula vitae, c. 2005.

Bx 1 Fld 111 Full curricula vitae, c. 2005.

Bx 1 Fld 112 Biographical paragraph, 2018.

Bx 1 Fld 113 Brief curricula vitae, 2019.

Bx 1 Fld 114 Additions and corrections to the *Marquis Who's Who in America* entry for Ron Numbers, 2019.

Bx 1 Fld 115 Biographical form, in Greek and English, 2020.

Bx 1 Fld 116 Full curricula vitae, c. 2020.

Andrews University

Ron Numbers was Assistant Professor of History at Andrews University from 1969-1970.

Bx 2 Fld 1 Correspondence and other materials related to employment at Andrews University, 1967-1970.

Bx 2 Fld 2 Articles from *Student Movement* regarding Numbers, 1969-1970.

Bx 2 Fld 3 Faculty identification card, 1969.

Loma Linda University

Ron Numbers taught at Loma Linda University from 1970-1973.

Bx 2 Fld 4 Correspondence and Course Outlines, Loma Linda University, 1971-1972.

Bx 2 Fld 5 Publications from Ron Numbers' time teaching at Loma Linda University, 1970-1973.

University of Wisconsin-Madison

Ron Numbers taught at the University of Wisconsin-Madison from 1974 until his retirement in 2012. This section is divided into three sub-sections. First, materials relating to Ron Numbers and his scholarship, second, materials relating to classes Ron Numbers taught, and third, materials related to the inner-workings of the History of Science Department.

Bx 2 Fld 6 Correspondence regarding a National Endowment for the Humanities grant, 1984-1988.

Bx 2 Fld 7 Application for grant from the University of Wisconsin-Madison Research Committee, 1986-1987.

Bx 2 Fld 8 Materials relating to naming Ron Numbers to the William Coleman Professorship in the History of Science and Medicine, 1990-1991.

Bx 2 Fld 9 Wisconsin Medical School pin for 20 years of service, c. 1995.

Bx 47 Fld 22 The University of Wisconsin, requirements for a theses, 1927.

Bx 47 Fld 23 Medical School pin, no date.

Bx 2 Fld 10 Materials relating to Ron Numbers' Hillsdale Professorship, 1997-1999. Includes certificate.

Bx 2 Fld 11 Letter to Judith Leavitt, department chair, regarding a post-tenure review, 2002.

Bx 2 Fld 12 Hillsdale Award in Arts and Humanities Division, for the 2002-2003 school year.

Bx 2 Fld 13 Activities report, 2005.

- Bx 2 Fld 14 Activities report, 2006.
- Bx 2 Fld 15 Leave statement, 2007.
- Bx 2 Fld 16 Report for the renewal of Ron Numbers' Hillsdale Professorship, 2007.
- Bx 2 Fld 17 Report on Ron Numbers' time with the Nature and Religion in South Eastern European Space program, 2014.
- Bx 2 Fld 18 Certificate of membership in The Bascom Hill Society, affiliated with the University of Wisconsin-Madison. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 19 Ron Numbers' letterhead from University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health. Contains two different versions of the letterhead.

Course Materials

These are syllabi, examinations, and other materials related to courses Ron Numbers taught.

- Bx 2 Fld 20 Course Schedule for "Science, Medicine, and Religion in America," Fall, 1993.
- Bx 2 Fld 21 Course Schedule for "Science, Pseudoscience, and Quackery," Fall, 1994.
- Bx 2 Fld 22 Syllabus for "Science in America," Spring, 1998.
- Bx 2 Fld 23 Syllabus for "Religion and Medicine: Historical, Ethical, and Legal Perspectives," Spring, 1998. Co-taught with Alan J. Weisband.
- Bx 2 Fld 24 Syllabus for "Popular Science and Medicine in America," Fall, 1998.
- Bx 2 Fld 25 Syllabus for "Science, Medicine, and Religion in America," Fall, 1999.

- Bx 2 Fld 26 Syllabus for "Wrestling with Nature: From Omens to Science," Spring, 2001. Co-taught with Michael Shank.
- Bx 2 Fld 27 Lecture Schedule for "Historical Perspectives in Medicine," Spring, 2002.
- Bx 2 Fld 28 Syllabus for "History of Science 720: Introduction to Historiography and Methods," Fall, 2003.
- Bx 2 Fld 29 Syllabus for "Science, Medicine, and Religion in America since 1850," Spring, 2004. Co-taught with Charles L. Cohen.
- Bx 2 Fld 30 "'A publication for the good of the Cause,': Mary Baker Eddy and the founding of The Christian Science Journal and Christian Science Sentinel," by Sherry Darling, a paper submitted to the Center for the History of Print Culture in Modern America, 2004.
- Bx 2 Fld 31 Lecture Schedule for "Historical Perspectives In Medicine," Spring, 2005.
- Bx 2 Fld 32 "Father Yancey's Albertus Magnus Guild and the Dissipation of the Catholic Scientific Crisis, 1953-1969," by Ronald A. Binzley, for an unknown course, 2005.
- Bx 2 Fld 33 Syllabus for "Science in America," Spring, 2006, undergraduate edition.
- Bx 2 Fld 34 Syllabus for "Science in America," Spring, 2006, revised edition.
- Bx 2 Fld 35 Lecture Schedule for "Historical Perspectives in Medicine," Spring, 2006.
- Bx 2 Fld 36 Syllabus for "Great Books in the History of American Medicine/Public Health," Fall, 2006. Co-taught with Judith Walzer Leavitt.

- Bx 2 Fld 37 Update on a research project by Rand Hill for History of Medicine 394, 2006.
- Bx 2 Fld 38 Paper proposal by Patrick Ferguson, 2006.
- Bx 2 Fld 39 Suggested bibliography for "Directed Readings," Fall, 2007.
- Bx 2 Fld 40 "The Evolution of an Evolutionary Idea: Mutual Aid and the Catholic Worker Movement," by Thom Quinn, for History of Science 555, 2007.
- Bx 2 Fld 41 Course materials for "Science in America," Fall, 2007.
- Bx 2 Fld 42 Final exam schedule sign-up sheet for an unknown class, Fall, 2007.
- Bx 2 Fld 43 Draft ideas for a course tentatively called "The History and Philosophy of Evolution (or Darwinism)," c. 2007.
- Bx 2 Fld 44 Reading list for "Religion in Modern America," Spring, 2008.
- Bx 2 Fld 45 Syllabus for "Society and Health Care in American History," Spring, 2008.
- Bx 2 Fld 46 Proposal for a research paper by Becca Chimis for "Society and Health Care in American History," Spring, 2008.
- Bx 2 Fld 47 Syllabus for "Society and Health Care in American History," Fall, 2008.
- Bx 2 Fld 48 Course materials for "History of Evolutionary Thought," Fall, 2008. Co-taught with Elliott Sober. This course was also co-listed as "Philosophy of Biology - Darwin and Darwinism" as a Philosophy course.
- Bx 2 Fld 49 Course materials for "Undergraduate Seminar: 'Science in America,'" Spring, 2009. Includes comments from students on how to improve the course.

- Bx 2 Fld 50 Request from Ron Numbers to change credit hours for a student in History of Science 999, 2009.
- Bx 2 Fld 51 "Epidemic Diseases and Public Health Reform in the 19th-Century," by Steven Paul Koppa, submitted for an unknown class.
- Bx 2 Fld 52 Syllabi for "Society and Health Care in American History," Fall, 2009. The second copy is a revised edition.
- Bx 2 Fld 53 Course materials for "Biology and History of Human Evolution," Spring, 2010. Co-taught with Karen L. Steudel, Ron Numbers' wife. This course was co-listed under both the History of Science and Zoology departments. The first syllabus is a draft.
- Bx 2 Fld 54 Course materials for "Society and Health Care in American History," Fall, 2010.
- Bx 2 Fld 55 Course materials for "Science, Medicine, and Religion," Spring, 2011. Includes assigned articles.
- Bx 2 Fld 56 Instructions for uploading files to Learn@UW for "Society and Health Care in American History," 2011.
- Bx 2 Fld 57 Syllabus for "Seminar: Science in America," Spring, 2012.

History of Science Department Records

These include meeting minutes, faculty review notes, awards and other materials related to Ron Numbers and his work with the department.

- Bx 2 Fld 58 Draft proposal to re-locate the Department of Medical History and Bioethics to the WARF Building, 2005.

- Bx 2 Fld 59 Evaluation of Richard Keller, Spring, 2005.
Restricted: No copies.
- Bx 2 Fld 60 Book Wish List for the History of Health Sciences Department, 2005.
- Bx 2 Fld 61 Materials and Correspondence regarding the History of Science Budget, 2005-2006.
- Bx 2 Fld 62 Fourth year review for Richard Keller, 2006.
Restricted: No copies.
- Bx 2 Fld 63 Fifth year review for Judy Houck, 2007.
Restricted: No copies.
- Bx 2 Fld 64 Richard Keller's research plans, 2007.
- Bx 2 Fld 65 Comparison between two faculty related to an appeal, 2009. **Restricted: No copies.**
- Bx 2 Fld 66 Faculty meeting minutes for the Department of the History of Science, 2010.
- Bx 2 Fld 67 Post-tenure evaluation for Thomas Broman, 2010. **Restricted: No copies.**
- Bx 2 Fld 68 Teaching evaluation for Walt Schalick, by Ron Numbers, 2010. **Restricted: No copies.**
- Bx 47 Fld 30 History of Science Department Faculty and Emeritus Faculty list, Fall 2016- 2017.

Dissertations Supervised

These include dissertations that Ron Numbers guided, and also those which he sat on committees for, or otherwise helped with the process.

- Bx 2 Fld 69 List of dissertations supervised, c. 1991.
- Bx 2 Fld 70 List of dissertations supervised and in progress, c. 1997.
- Bx 2 Fld 71 List of dissertations supervised, c. 2004.

- Bx 2 Fld 72 Dissertation description and curricula vitae for Dorothea Browder, 2007.
- Bx 2 Fld 73 University fellowship proposal and curricula vitae from Frederick W. Gibbs, 2007.
- Bx 2 Fld 74 University fellowship proposal from Joshua Kundert, 2007.
- Bx 2 Fld 75 University fellowship proposal from Matthew Lavine, 2007.
- Bx 2 Fld 76 Introduction to a dissertation with an unknown author, but possibly named "Cheri," per file details, 2008.
- Bx 2 Fld 77 Ron Numbers' summary recommendation for a dissertation by Andrew James Brown, 2010.
- Bx 2 Fld 78 List of sources for "American Christianities: Prelims List, 2011-2012," by Megan Falater-Stanton, 2011.
- Bx 2 Fld 79 Correspondence and draft of a dissertation chapter by Peter Susalla, 2011, which discusses George McCready Price, and other Adventist creationists. Also includes a preliminary reading list.
- Bx 2 Fld 80 "The New Infidelity," from *Polgenism After the War*, a dissertation by an unknown author, 2012. Includes notes from Ron Numbers.
- Bx 2 Fld 81 Notes on a dissertation by "Nieuwsma," 2016.
- Bx 2 Fld 82 Draft chapter for a dissertation by Scott Prinster, with notes from Ron Numbers, 2018. Also includes a preliminary reading list.
- Bx 2 Fld 83 "Designer Science: An Intellectual History of Intelligent Design," dissertation by Christopher W. Howell, with notes by Ron Numbers, 2021. Also includes related materials and correspondence.

Bx 2 Fld 84 University of Wisconsin-Madison Ph.D. Graduation Celebration program, May 14, 2022. Ron Numbers' last Ph.D. student, Dana Freiburger, For a photograph, see Box 46 Fld 25.

Bx 2 Fld 85 List of dissertations supervised, 2022.

Other Jobs

This section contains materials from work Ron Numbers did for other organizations and institutions aside from his primary employers.

Bx 2 Fld 86 Correspondence regarding the Hannah Institute, 1990-1998. Ron Numbers was a referee for applications to their Grants-in-Aid program.

Bx 2 Fld 87 Staff identification card, University of Otago, Dunedin, New Zealand, 1994.

Bx 2 Fld 88 Course materials for "Science, Medicine, and Religion in America," taught at Florida State University, 2007.

Bx 2 Fld 89 Materials and Correspondence for "Science, Medicine, and Religion in American Life" taught at University of Toronto, 2012.

Bx 2 Fld 90 Materials and Correspondence related to Ron Numbers' brief work with the Museum of the Bible, 2019-2020.

Job Offers

This folder contains correspondence regarding jobs Ron Numbers ultimately did not take.

Bx 2 Fld 91 Correspondence regarding job opportunities and applications, 1970-2002.

Letters of Recommendation

These are letters Ron Numbers wrote to recommend studies and/or colleagues for positions or scholarships. **Each folder is restricted for 30 years from the last date in the heading.** Some unrelated correspondence may be interspersed, but since it was with the material Ron Numbers wanted restricted, it has been kept here.

- Bx 2 Fld 92 1996-1999. [Some may be printed from corrupted files.]
- Bx 2 Fld 93 2000-2004.
- Bx 2 Fld 94 2005-2009.
- Bx 2 Fld 95 2010-2014.
- Bx 2 Fld 96 2015-2016.
- Bx 3 Fld 1 2017-2019.
- Bx 3 Fld 2 2020-2022.

Professional Organizations

This section contains materials, primarily correspondence, regarding professional organizations and societies to which Ron Numbers belonged, which were outside his regular responsibilities as a professor. Some of these are journals, for which he served on the boards of advisors. Materials regarding journals for which he served on the board of editors will be found below under "Serials Edited."

- Bx 3 Fld 3 Materials and correspondence related to the first meeting of "North of 40," 1980.
- Bx 3 Fld 4 Materials relating to Ron Numbers' fellowship with the John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation, 1982-1984.
- Bx 3 Fld 5 Correspondence regarding *Second Opinion*, 1985-1987. Ron Numbers was on its board of advisors.
- Bx 3 Fld 6 Correspondence regarding *Caduceus: A Museum Quarterly for the Health Sciences*, 1986-1987. Ron Numbers was on its board of advisors.
- Bx 3 Fld 7 Certificate of election into the International Society for the History of Science (Internationalis Scientiarum Historiae Comitatus), 1993. Certificate is in Latin.

- Bx 3 Fld 8 Certificate of election as a fellow of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, 1995.
- Bx 3 Fld 9 Correspondence and materials regarding the Heath Reform Institute Committee, 1998-1999. Ron Numbers was on this committee. Also includes research materials related to this project.
- Bx 3 Fld 10 Materials related to the George Sarton Medal, and the History of Science Society, 1999-2011. Includes information regarding Ron Numbers' receiving of the George Sarton Medal.
- Bx 3 Fld 11 Correspondence regarding *The Journal of Ellen G. White Studies*, c. 1999. Ron Numbers was on its board of advisors.
- Bx 3 Fld 12 Correspondence regarding the John Templeton Foundation, 2003-2010. For materials regarding the resulting book, see Box 11 Flds 1-42
- Bx 3 Fld 13 Materials relating to the American Academy of Arts & Sciences, 2004-2006.
- Bx 3 Fld 14 Correspondence and materials relating to the American Association for the History of Medicine, 2004-2007.
- Bx 3 Fld 15 Certificate naming Ron Numbers a fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, 2005. Also includes a meeting report, 2012.
- Bx 3 Fld 16 Program for the 119th Annual Meeting of the American Historical Association, 2005. Includes the page where Ron Numbers' appears as chair for a session, and a paper presented at that session.
- Bx 3 Fld 17 Correspondence and materials regarding the International Society of Science and Religion, 2005-2007. Includes materials regarding their statement on intelligent design, which Ron Numbers helped to craft, 2006-2007.

- Bx 3 Fld 18 Materials regarding the Isthmus Society, 2005-2008.
- Bx 3 Fld 19 Materials relating to the International Union of History and Philosophy of Science/Division of History of Science and Technology, 2005-2017. Ron Numbers served as president from 2005-2009.
- Bx 3 Fld 20 Correspondence regarding the Faith Without Borders Foundation, 2006. Ron Numbers was a member of its board.
- Bx 3 Fld 21 Nomination for the Balzan Prize, 2009. Ron Numbers ultimately did not win this prize.
- Bx 3 Fld 22 Certificate recognizing Ron Numbers' 50 years as a member of the American Historical Association. No date.

Association of Adventist Forums

Ron Numbers was involved with the founding of the Association of Adventist Forums. This section contains correspondence and materials he kept from the early years of the association.

- Bx 3 Fld 23 Correspondence, 1968-1970.
- Bx 3 Fld 24 Correspondence, 1968-1976.
- Bx 3 Fld 25 Correspondence, 1968-1980.
- Bx 3 Fld 26 Brochure and articles regarding the founding, 1968.
- Bx 3 Fld 27 Association of Adventist Forums Newsletters, 1968-1982.

Retirement

Most of the items in this section are related to the "Science Without God" conference held in celebration of Ron Numbers' retirement.

- Bx 3 Fld 28 Certificate from the State of Wisconsin honoring Ron Numbers' retirement, 2012.
- Bx 3 Fld 29 Certificate of Recognition on the occasion of achieving emeritus status c. 2012.

- Bx 3 Fld 30 Correspondence and Materials regarding “Science Without God: Religion, Naturalism, and the Sciences: A Conference to Honor Ron Numbers,” 2012-2013.
- Bx 3 Fld 31 Itinerary and correspondence regarding retirement celebration, 2012-2013.
- Bx 3 Fld 32 “Song for Ron,” by Lewis and Judy Leavitt, 2012.
- Bx 3 Fld 33 “Top ten things I learned from Ron Numbers,” author unknown, 2012. Apparently submitted prior to the retirement celebration.
- Bx 3 Fld 34 Posters for retirement celebration, 2013.
- Bx 3 Fld 35 “Ron’s Roast Speech” by Bernard Lightman, 2013.
- Bx 3 Fld 36 Humorously edited photographs of Ron Numbers, presumably for a roast speech, 2013.
- Bx 3 Fld 37 Photographs of six T-shirts given to Ron Numbers at his retirement celebration, 2013. The six shirts had an essay printed on them, front and back, written in first person describing Ron Numbers’ life. The first of the six shirts is also in this folder.
- Bx 3 Fld 38 “Science Without God” t-shirt, created for the retirement celebration, 2013.
- Bx 3 Fld 39 “Ronald Numbers, Honored” by T. Joe Willey, *Spectrum*, 2013, with comments from the blog.
- Bx 3 Fld 40 “Historian Who Wrote Ellen G. White Biography Honored with Academic Symposium,” by T. Joe Willey, *Adventist Today*, c. 2013. One copy includes comments from the blog.
- Bx 3 Fld 41 Correspondence after retirement celebration, 2013

IV. Writings and Presentations

This section includes writing, research materials, and correspondence related to the papers, books, articles, and lectures Ron Numbers produced, as well as publications that mentioned him.

Books Written

All known books written by Ron Numbers are displayed here in alphabetical order. Some books have no information related to them in this collection, while others may link to another place in the register.

Almost Persuaded: American Physicians and Compulsory Health Insurance, 1912-1920

Published by Johns Hopkins University Press in 1978, there are no materials regarding this book present in this collection. A related article is found in Bx 15 Fld 7.

Biography of John Harvey Kellogg

Never completed. See Box 38 Flds 13-35 for unfinished manuscripts.

Creation by Natural Law: Laplace's Nebular Hypothesis in American Thought

Published by Washington University Press in 1977, this is Ron Numbers' dissertation on the acceptance of the evolutionary development of the solar system,

Bx 3 Fld 42 Correspondence, 1968-1981.

The Creationists

Published in 1992 by Alfred A. Knopf, and reprinted by University of California Press in 1993, this is a history of Creationism. An expanded edition was published Harvard University Press in 2006. For research materials on this topic, see "Creation and Evolution" under "Research Materials" below. For research materials referenced in this book, see Collection 178, "Ron Numbers: The Creationists," in the Andrews University Center for Adventist Research. This collection was donated by Ron Numbers so that readers could find the sources he referenced for the book in a public location.

Bx 3 Fld 43 Correspondence regarding Knopf Publishing, who published the first edition of the book, 1984-2005.

- Bx 3 Fld 44 Correspondence, 1984-1998. These are primarily letters in response to the book's release in 1992. This includes a letter from Joseph Smoot, former Andrews University President, with related details about his work while president, and his personal beliefs about origins.
- Bx 4 Fld 1 Permissions for quotes for both editions, 1991-2006.
- Bx 4 Fld 2 Correspondence with Jim Ford regarding the "Ron Numbers Collection - *The Creationists*," at the Adventist Heritage Center, Andrews University, 1991-1992. Also includes a copy of the register for the collection. This is collection 178 in the Andrews University Center for Adventist Research.
- Bx 4 Fld 3 Photographs and illustrations used for the first edition, 1992.
- Bx 4 Fld 4 Paperback announcement. No date.
- Bx 4 Fld 5 Reviews of both editions, 1992-2006.
- Bx 4 Fld 6 Correspondence, 1994-2006.
- Bx 4 Fld 7 Bibliography, c. 1996.
- Bx 4 Fld 8 Correspondence regarding the globalization of creationism, which became chapter 18 of the expanded edition, 2000-2005.
- Bx 4 Fld 9 Notes from interviews with Ken Ham and other creationists, and related materials for a meeting at Answers in Genesis headquarters, 2001. Information from this meeting was used to write what became chapter 18, "Creationism Goes Global."
- Bx 4 Fld 10 Correspondence, 2005-2006.

- Bx 4 Fld 11 Manuscript of the "Introduction to the New Edition," c. 2006. [Corrupted file: some text is missing.]
- Bx 4 Fld 12 "Introduction to the New Edition," c. 2006.
- Bx 4 Fld 13 Manuscripts and abstract of chapter 17, "Intelligent Design," c. 2006.
- Bx 4 Fld 14 Chapter 17, "Intelligent Design," c. 2006.
- Bx 4 Fld 15 Manuscripts of Chapter 18, "Creationism Goes Global," c. 2005-2006.
- Bx 4 Fld 16 Chapter 18, "Creationism Goes Global," c. 2006.
- Bx 4 Fld 17 Index.
- Bx 4 Fld 18 Photographs and art, 2006.
- Bx 4 Fld 19 Proof copy with notes from the publisher, 2006.
- Bx 4 Fld 20 Cover design, 2006.
- Bx 4 Fld 21 Partial dust jacket, 2006.
- Bx 4 Fld 22 Advertisement, 2006
- Bx 4 Fld 23 Announcement from *Financial Times* listing *The Creationists* as a "Pick of the Year," 2006.
- Bx 4 Fld 24 List of recipients of book copies, 2010.

Darwinism Comes to America

Published in 1998 by Harvard University Press. Because each chapter of the book was a previously published paper or article, this material is organized by chapter title, and then concludes with general items regarding the publication of the book.

- Bx 4 Fld 25 Five manuscripts of the introduction and acknowledgments. [The last three are from corrupted files and are missing text.]

- Bx 4 Fld 26 Correspondence regarding "Darwinism Comes to America: A Reevaluation of Scientific Responses," an article which later became the first chapter of this book, 1992-2001. Some later correspondence is more related to the book as a whole, but was kept with that relating to this article.
- Bx 4 Fld 27 Research materials for chapter 1. No date.
- Bx 4 Fld 28 Three manuscripts of chapter 1, "Darwinism and the Dogma of Separate Creations: The Responses of American Naturalists to Evolution," c. 1995-1998. [Some manuscripts may be incomplete due to file corruption.]
- Bx 4 Fld 29 Research materials and correspondence regarding "Creating Creationism," a paper written for Wheaton College that became chapter 2 of this book, 1995-1998.
- Bx 4 Fld 30 Two manuscripts of chapter 2, "Creation Creationism: Meanings and Uses Since the Age of Agassiz," c. 1997-1998. [Some manuscripts may be incomplete due to file corruption.]
- Bx 4 Fld 31 Three manuscripts and a final copy of chapter 3, "Darwinism in the American South," c.1997-1998. Coauthored with Lester D. Stephens. [Some manuscripts may be incomplete due to file corruption.]
- Bx 4 Fld 32 Two manuscripts of chapter 4, "The Scopes Trial as History and Legend," c. 1996-1998. [Some manuscripts may be incomplete due to file corruption.]

- Bx 4 Fld 33 Manuscript of chapter 5, “‘Sciences of Satanic Origin’: Adventist Attitudes Toward Evolutionary Biology and Geology,” for *Darwinism Comes to America*, c. 2003, but this date may be a computer error. Originally published in *Spectrum*. [This manuscript may be incomplete due to file corruption.]
- Bx 4 Fld 34 “Creation, Evolution, and Holy Ghost Religion: Holiness and Pentecostal Responses to Darwinism,” in *Religion and American Culture*, 1992, and related correspondence, 1991-1997. This later became chapter 6.
- Bx 4 Fld 35 Manuscript of chapter 6, “Creation, Evolution, and Holy Ghost Religion: Holiness and Pentecostal Responses to Darwinism,” c. 2003, but this date may be a computer error. [This manuscript may be incomplete due to file corruption.]
- Bx 4 Fld 36 Index, c. 1998.
- Bx 4 Fld 37 Materials and correspondence regarding Harvard University Press, 1996-2006. Includes information on royalties as well as two floppy disks, which were not able to be read.
- Bx 4 Fld 38 Book reviews, 1998-2003.
- Bx 4 Fld 39 Plaque honoring Ron Numbers as winner of the “Prize for Outstanding Books in Theology and the Natural Sciences,” for *Darwinism Comes to America*, 1999. Also includes an invitation to the awards dinner.
- Bx 4 Fld 40 Document reverting licensing rights from Harvard University Press to Ron Numbers, 2016.

History of American Science, or Science and the Americans

Never published. See Bx 39 Fld 6 - Box 40 Fld 5 for unfinished manuscripts.

Prophetess of Health: A Study of Ellen G. White

First published in 1976 by Harper and Row, this book about Ellen White and the health message is Ron Numbers' most well known and most controversial contribution to the Seventh-day Adventist Church. The second edition, published by University of Tennessee Press in 1992, had a different title: *Prophetess of Health: Ellen G. White and the Origins of Seventh-day Adventist Health Reform*. The third edition, published by Eerdmans in 2008, reverted to the original title. Correspondence is, for the most part, kept in the same order Ron Numbers filed it.

Bx 4 Fld 41 First draft. No date.

Bx 5 Fld 1 Second draft. No date.

Bx 5 Fld 2 Second draft, revised. No date.

Bx 5 Fld 3 Third draft. No date.

Bx 5 Fld 4 Illustrations for the book.

Bx 5 Fld 5 Correspondence regarding research for Prophetess of Health, 1972-1973.

Bx 5 Fld 6 Correspondence with the White Estate, 1972-1979, part 1.

Bx 5 Fld 7 Correspondence with the White Estate, 1972-1979, part 2.

Bx 5 Fld 8 Phone Memos, c. 1974-1979. These are detailed descriptions of the phone calls Ron Numbers received regarding Prophetess of Health during this time period.

Bx 5 Fld 9 Correspondence with Harper & Row, publishers, 1974-1983.

Bx 5 Fld 10 Correspondence, 1974-1992.

- Bx 5 Fld 11 *Criticisms of the Manuscript, Prophetess of Health* by the Ellen G. White Estate, with Ron Numbers' handwritten comments/reactions, 1975.
- Bx 5 Fld 12 Additional responses from the White Estate, c. 1975.
- Bx 5 Fld 13 Correspondence, 1975-1977.
- Bx 5 Fld 14 Harper and Row announcement of book release, c. 1976.
- Bx 5 Fld 15 "A Critique of *Prophetess of Health: A Study of Ellen G. White*," Preliminary Copy by the Staff of the Ellen G. White Estate, submitted to Ron Numbers for critical reading, 1976.
- Bx 5 Fld 16 Articles about the book, 1976-1983.
- Bx 5 Fld 17 *Time*, August 2, 1976. Article mentioning *Prophetess of Health* on page 43.
- Bx 5 Fld 18 Correspondence, 1976-1977, part 1.
- Bx 5 Fld 19 Correspondence, 1976-1977, part 2.
- Bx 5 Fld 20 Reviews, including the final edition of the White Estate response, c. 1976.
- Bx 5 Fld 21 Floppy disks with papers written by Ron Numbers, and other miscellaneous files. Some are empty, formatted, or corrupted. This is placed here for ease of storage, but belongs thematically under "IX. Miscellaneous" in Box 46.
- Bx 6 Fld 1 Cassette Tapes with lectures regarding the book.
1. "God is Not Silent," #5, Brian Bull, 1976.
 2. "God is Not Silent," #6, Jack Provonsha, 1976.

3. "God is Not Silent," #8, Jack Provonsha, 1976.
4. "God is Not Silent," #9, Richard Nies, 1976.
5. "God is Not Silent," #13, Richard Nies, 1976.
6. "Olson, Delafield, & Gordon discuss Ron Numbers' book," 1976.
7. "*Prophetess of Health* Discussion," #1, Ron Graybill, 1976.
8. "*Prophetess of Health* Discussion," #2, Ron Graybill, 1976.
9. "Prophetess of Health," #1, Ron Numbers, 1976.
10. "Prophetess of Health," #2, Ron Numbers, 1976.
11. "Ron Graybill from the White Estate," #1, 1979.
12. "Ron Graybill from the White Estate," #2, 1979.
13. "Ron Graybill from the White Estate," #3, 1979.
14. "Ron Graybill from the White Estate," #4, 1979.
15. "Ruskjer Tape." No date.

Bx 6 Fld 2 Compact Disks with lectures regarding the book. These are copies of the cassette tapes in the previous folder.

1. "God is Not Silent," #5, Brian Bull, 1976.

2. "God is Not Silent," #6, Jack Provonsha, 1976.
3. "God is Not Silent," #8, Jack Provonsha, 1976.
4. "God is Not Silent," #9, Richard Nies, 1976.
5. "God is Not Silent," #13, Richard Nies, 1976.
6. "Olson, Delafield, & Gordon discuss Ron Numbers' book," 1976.
7. "*Prophetess of Health* Discussion," #1, Ron Graybill, 1976.
8. "*Prophetess of Health* Discussion," #2, Ron Graybill, 1976.
9. "Prophetess of Health," #1, Ron Numbers, 1976.
10. "Prophetess of Health," #2, Ron Numbers, 1976.
11. "Ron Graybill from the White Estate," #1, 1979.
12. "Ron Graybill from the White Estate," #2, 1979.
13. "Ron Graybill from the White Estate," #3, 1979.

Bx 6 Fld 3 German translation of the book with related correspondence, c. 1979.

Bx 6 Fld 4 Correspondence regarding the second edition, published by University of Tennessee Press, c. 1985-1992.

- Bx 6 Fld 5 "Afterword: Ellen White on the Mind and the Mind of Ellen White," Appendix 1 of the second edition, c. 1990. Coauthored with Janet S. Numbers.
- Bx 6 Fld 6 Materials related to "Ellen White on the Mind and the Mind of Ellen White," c. 1990. Coauthored with Janet S. Numbers.
- Bx 6 Fld 7 Paperback announcement for second edition, c. 1992.
- Bx 6 Fld 8 Materials and Correspondence regarding the second edition, 1992-2003.
- Bx 6 Fld 9 Materials regarding copyright renewals, 2004.
- Bx 6 Fld 10 Correspondence and materials regarding the third edition, c. 2005-2009.
- Bx 6 Fld 11 Two manuscripts of the preface to the third edition," c. 2005-2007.
- Bx 6 Fld 12 "Document 1: The Trial of Elder I. Dammon," for the third edition, 2005.
- Bx 6 Fld 13 "Document 2: The Secret 1919 Bible Conferences," for the third edition, 2005.
- Bx 6 Fld 14 Cover designed by Lesley Numbers, 2008. Not used in final product.
- Bx 6 Fld 15 Proof copy of third edition, 2008.
- Bx 6 Fld 16 "The Most Controversial Article *Spectrum* Ever Published," by Bonnie Dwyer, *Spectrum Blog*, 2009. This is an introduction to a book review by Fawn Brodie in *Spectrum*, 1977, which is also included.
- Bx 6 Fld 17 Reviews of the third edition, 2009-2010.
- Bx 6 Fld 18 Online reviews of the third edition from Amazon.com, Eerdmans.com, and Goodreads.com, 2009-2021.

“Stained Glass Watergate”

This term refers to the reaction toward *Prophetess of Health* in the Seventh-day Adventist Church, and specifically, the investigations done to determine what role administrators at Loma Linda University played in the book's production. Due to the way Ron Numbers filed documents, some related documents may be in the “*Prophetess of Health*” section above.

- Bx 6 Fld 19 Chronology of the events surrounding *Prophetess of Health*. A draft copy with correspondence between Ron Numbers and Ron Graybill is in Box 5 Fld 7.

- Bx 6 Fld 20 Letter from Ron Numbers to Robert Pierson, GC President, regarding the claim that David Hinshaw was involved with the production of the book, October 13, 1974.

- Bx 6 Fld 21 Notes summarizing discussion at a review committee regarding Vern Carner and *Adventist Heritage*, February 20, 1975.

- Bx 6 Fld 22 Correspondence regarding a “folk march” sponsored by Loma Linda University, November, 1975.

- Bx 6 Fld 23 Excerpts from “Declaration of Dependence,” sermon by Arnold Trujillo at Campus Hill Church, May 15, 1976.

- Bx 6 Fld 24 Correspondence from Neal C. Wilson to conference leaders and pastors regarding *Prophetess of Health*, June, 1976.

- Bx 6 Fld 25 Letter from Neal C. Wilson to Gary Stanhiser, July 1, 1976

- Bx 6 Fld 26 Two letters from Jerre K. Iverson, Executive Director of Loma Linda University Alumni Association, to Arthur White and T. Joe Willey, July and August 1976.
- Bx 6 Fld 27 Articles by Mike Quinn in *Riverside Press Enterprise* regarding Seventh-day Adventists, August - October, 1976.
- Bx 6 Fld 28 Letter from V. Norskov Olsen, President of Loma Linda University, to Robert Pierson, August 5, 1976.
- Bx 6 Fld 29 "A Breach of Dignity and Trust," later called "The Three Elders' Report," by T. Joe Willey, Harvey Elder, and another elder at Loma Linda University Church (Doug Wehbir?), August 1976. Includes an anonymous reaction to the paper, by supporters of Stanhiser, et. al.
- Bx 6 Fld 30 Notes by David Larson of a meeting between Gary Stanhiser, Arnold Trujillo, J. W. Lehman, and Graham Maxwell, August 31, 1976.
- Bx 6 Fld 31 Notes of a meeting called by Neal C. Wilson dealing with the accusations and events surrounding the "Stained Glass Watergate," August 31, 1976.
- Bx 6 Fld 32 Minutes of the Loma Linda University Faculty Senate, September 16, 1976.
- Bx 6 Fld 33 Letters from James M. Lee to Gary Stanhiser, September and December, 1976.

- Bx 6 Fld 34 Letter from Carroll M. Lawson, attorney for Gary Stanhiser, to Mike Quinn, writer for the *Riverside Press Enterprise*, September 27, 1976, with note from Vern Carner.
- Bx 6 Fld 35 "Documents Related to the Cover Up of the Stained Glass Watergate," put together by T. Joe Willey for distribution, Fall 1976.
- Bx 6 Fld 36 Letter from Roy Branson to Ron Numbers, October 4, 1976.
- Bx 6 Fld 37 Open Letter to "Friend of truth and fair play," author unknown, October 5, 1976.
- Bx 6 Fld 38 Note from Stan Aufdemberg to an unknown recipient (Ron Numbers?) on behalf of T. Joe Willey, October 1976.
- Bx 6 Fld 39 Letters from Robert J. Wieland, Pastor of the Chula Vista Seventh-day Adventist Church, to Richard Rice and N. V. Olsen, December 1976.
- Bx 6 Fld 40 Letter from James M. Lee "To Whom It May Concern" detailing the actions of Gary Stanhiser, December 22, 1976.
- Bx 6 Fld 41 Affidavit of Robert L. Ruskjer regarding actions of Gary Stanhiser, December 27, 1976.
- Bx 6 Fld 42 Correspondence between T. Joe Willey and Ron Numbers, December 1976.
- Bx 6 Fld 43 Handwritten notes from T. Joe Willey and Harvey Elder, c. 1976.

- Bx 6 Fld 44 "Souls Under the Altar," by T. Joe Willey, under the pseudonym Eric W. Spicer, and related correspondence. No date, but c. 1976.
- Bx 6 Fld 45 Letter from T. Joe Willey with copies of publications Willey wrote, mostly related to "Stained Glass Watergate," 1991.
- Bx 6 Fld 46 Email Correspondence, mostly between T. Joe Willey and Ron Numbers, but also including Jonathan Butler, Richard Rice, and others, related to "Stained Glass Watergate," 2009-2016. These also include documents already included above.
- Bx 6 Fld 47 Note from T. Joe Willey with documents related to "Stained Glass Watergate" attached, 2015. Most, but not all, of these are already included above.
- Bx 6 Fld 48 Audio CD with conversation between Ron Numbers, T. Joe Willey, Vern Carner, and Jonathan Butler, 2015. The four talk about various topics, primarily related to *Prophetess of Health* and the "Stained Glass Watergate." The recording stops abruptly at the end. Also includes email correspondence from 2016 regarding the recording transcript.
- Bx 6 Fld 49 Transcript of conversation between Ron Numbers, T. Joe Willey, Vern Carner, and Jonathan Butler, 2015. Includes related correspondence.

- Bx 7 Fld 1 Materials and Correspondence regarding Ron Numbers from the General Conference Archives, 1974-1977. The first set of pages was added in 2021 by an unknown individual, per the sticky note on the front.
- Bx 7 Fld 2 Three articles by T. Joe Willey regarding the Davenport Affair: "President Olsen and Davenport: In Praise of Folly," no date, "A Tale of Three Presidents: An Adventist Tragedy," 1982, and "Many Roots for Our Suffering: Review of 'Neither Trifle nor Tragedy,'" no date. The first two articles are under the pseudonym Jack Eartherail, whose last name is a shortened form of "ear to the rail."
- Bx 7 Fld 3 Articles mentioning Gary Stanhiser, 1998-2009. Stanhiser was prominent in the "Stained Glass Watergate," and these articles primarily describe a financial scheme Stanhiser participated in that defrauded local Adventist church members out of millions of dollars.
- Bx 7 Fld 4 Profile of Arnold Trujillo, Vice President of the Pacific Union Conference, printed 2009. Trujillo was involved in the "Stained Glass Watergate."

Science and Christianity in Pulpit and Pew

Published in 2007 by Oxford University Press.

- Bx 7 Fld 5 Correspondence and materials regarding the book, 2005-2007.
- Bx 7 Fld 6 Book proposal, c. 2008 (but likely earlier).

- Bx 7 Fld 7 Photographs for cover, c. 2007.
- Bx 7 Fld 8 Table of Contents, c. 2005.
- Bx 7 Fld 9 Two manuscripts of the Acknowledgments and Introduction, c. 2007-2009.
- Bx 7 Fld 10 Two manuscripts of "Science, Religion, and the Public; or, What Was Bugging the People?," c. 2004-2005. These seem to be a predecessor to what became chapter 1.
- Bx 7 Fld 11 Three manuscripts of chapter 1, "Science and Christianity Among the People: A Vulgar History," c. 2005-2007.
- Bx 7 Fld 12 Manuscript of chapter 2, "Science Without God: Natural Laws and Christian Beliefs."
- Bx 7 Fld 13 Three manuscripts of chapter 3, "Reading the Book of Nature Through American Lenses," c. 2002-2009.
- Bx 7 Fld 14 Manuscript of chapter 4, "Experiencing Evolution: Psychological Responses to the Claims of Science and Religion," c. 2007.
- Bx 7 Fld 15 Manuscript of chapter 5, "Charles Hodge and the Beauties and Deformities of Science," c. 2007.
- Bx 7 Fld 16 Manuscript of chapter 6, "'The Most Important Biblical Discovery of Our Time': William Henry Green and the Demise of Ussher's Chronology," c. 2007. Also includes a document with source notes, c. 2006.
- Bx 7 Fld 17 Three manuscripts of chapter 7, "Science, Secularization, and Privatization: A Concluding Note," c. 2006-2007.

- Bx 7 Fld 18 Blurb for book jacket, c. 2007.
- Bx 7 Fld 19 Information regarding illustrations, c. 2007.
- Bx 7 Fld 20 Proof copy, c. 2007.
- Bx 7 Fld 21 Book questionnaire, c. 2007.
- Bx 7 Fld 22 Advertisement, c. 2007.
- Bx 7 Fld 23 Oxford University Press web page for the book, retrieved 2009.

Books Edited

Biology and Ideology: From Descartes to Dawkins

Edited with Denis R. Alexander and published in 2010 by University of Chicago Press. The documents regarding specific chapters were printed from the two CD-ROMs, and include notes from the editors. Not all files from the CD-ROMs were printed.

- Bx 7 Fld 24 Materials and Correspondence regarding the production of the book, c. 2010.
- Bx 7 Fld 25 Two CD-ROMs with files regarding the book. These contain images used, and draft manuscripts with comments from the authors.
- Bx 7 Fld 26 List of contributors to the book, 2010.
- Bx 7 Fld 27 Manuscripts and notes for the introduction, 2010. Coauthored with Denis R. Alexander.
- Bx 7 Fld 28 Manuscripts and notes for chapter 1, "The cultural authority of natural history in early modern Europe," by Peter Harrison, 2010.
- Bx 7 Fld 29 Manuscripts and notes for chapter 2, "Politics, Biology, and Materialism in the Mid-Eighteenth Century: Traveling to the Land of the Cacouacs," by Shirley A. Roe, 2010.

- Bx 7 Fld 30 Manuscripts and notes for chapter 3, "Eighteenth-century uses of vitalism in constructing the human sciences," by Peter Hanns Reill, 2010.
- Bx 7 Fld 31 Manuscript for chapter 4, "Biology in the service of natural theology: Paley, Darwin, and the Bridgewater Treatises," by Jonathan R. Topham, 2010.
- Bx 7 Fld 32 Manuscripts and notes for chapter 5, "Race, empire, and biology before Darwinism," by Sujit Sivasundaram, 2010. This is marked chapter 6 in these documents, but was later changed.
- Bx 7 Fld 33 Manuscripts and notes for chapter 6, "Darwin's choice," by Nicolaas Rupke. This is marked chapter 5 in these documents, but was later changed.
- Bx 7 Fld 34 Manuscripts and notes for chapter 7, "Biology and the emergence of the Anglo-American eugenics movement," by Edward J. Larson, 2010.
- Bx 7 Fld 35 Manuscripts and notes for chapter 8, "Genetics, eugenics, and the Holocaust," by Paul Weindling, 2010.
- Bx 7 Fld 36 Manuscripts and notes for chapter 9, "Darwinism, Marxism, and genetics in the Soviet Union," by Nikolai Krementsov, 2010.
- Bx 7 Fld 37 Manuscripts and notes for chapter 10, "Evolution and the idea of social progress," by Michael Ruse, 2010.
- Bx 7 Fld 38 Manuscripts and notes for chapter 11, "Beauty and the beast? Conceptualizing sex in evolutionary narratives," by Erika Lorraine Milam, 2010.

- Bx 7 Fld 39 Manuscripts and notes for chapter 12, "Creationism, intelligent design, and modern biology," by Ron Numbers, 2010.
- Bx 7 Fld 40 Manuscript and notes for chapter 13, "The ideological uses of evolutionary biology in recent atheist apologetics," by Alister E. McGrath, 2010.
- Bx 7 Fld 41 Manuscript and notes for "Evolutionary Theories of Religion: Science Unfettered or Ideology Run Wild?," by Jeffrey P. Schloss, 2007. Not included in the final copy.

The Cambridge History of Science

Edited with David C. Lindberg, this 8-volume set of books was published by Cambridge University Press between 2002-2020. Ron Numbers was editor, along with Hugh R. Slotten and David N. Livingstone, for volume 8, *Modern Science in National, Transnational, and Global Context*, published in 2020. The majority of materials in this collection are from volume 8. A large portion of files are correspondence between Ron Numbers and the (sometimes prospective) authors regarding manuscripts, which are arranged alphabetically by last name. In some instances, where there is writing on the outside of the folder, the original folders are kept in order to preserve the way Ron Numbers worked.

- Bx 7 Fld 42 General correspondence, 1993-2013.
- Bx 7 Fld 43 Agreements and royalties, 1995-2020.
- Bx 7 Fld 44 Correspondence regarding volume 1, 1995-2019.
- Bx 7 Fld 45 Chapter assignments for volume 1, c. 2006.
- Bx 7 Fld 46 Correspondence regarding volume 2, 1997-2013.
- Bx 7 Fld 47 Correspondence regarding volume 3, 1996-2006.

- Bx 7 Fld 48 Correspondence regarding volume 4, 1994-2002.
- Bx 7 Fld 49 Correspondence regarding volume 5, 1995-1998.
- Bx 7 Fld 50 Correspondence regarding volume 6, 1994-2008.
- Bx 7 Fld 51 Introduction to volume 6, by Peter J. Bowler and John V. Pickstone, c. 2005.
- Bx 7 Fld 52 Two manuscripts of "Pathology," by Russell C. Maultiz, for volume 6, c. 2006.
- Bx 8 Fld 1 Correspondence regarding volume 7, 1988-2002.
- Bx 8 Fld 2 Correspondence regarding volume 8, 1994-2014 .
- Bx 8 Fld 3 Correspondence and related materials to volume 8, 1998-2018.
- Bx 8 Fld 4 Correspondence regarding volume 8, 1998-2021.
- Bx 8 Fld 5 Outline, contact information for authors, and correspondence for volume 8, c. 1996.
- Bx 8 Fld 6 Correspondence with Ronald E. Doel, 1996-1999.
- Bx 8 Fld 7 Correspondence with David Edgerton and John V. Pickstone, 1996-2003.
- Bx 8 Fld 8 Correspondence with Paul Forman, 1998.
- Bx 8 Fld 9 Correspondence with Robert Fox and George Weisz, 1996-2004.
- Bx 8 Fld 10 Correspondence with Gerald Geison and David Cahan, 1998-2001.

- Bx 8 Fld 11 Correspondence with Thomas Glick, 1996-2004.
- Bx 8 Fld 12 Correspondence with Loren Graham, 1996-2004.
- Bx 8 Fld 13 Article manuscript from Barton Hacker, 1999.
- Bx 8 Fld 14 Correspondence with Jonathan Harwood, 1996-2004.
- Bx 8 Fld 15 Correspondence with Sally Gregory Kohlstedt, 1996-1999.
- Bx 8 Fld 16 Correspondence with Deepak Kumar, 1996-1999.
- Bx 8 Fld 17 Correspondence with Maneesha Lal, 1998-2015.
- Bx 8 Fld 18 Correspondence with John MacKenzie, 1996-2004.
- Bx 8 Fld 19 Correspondence with Roy MacLeod, 1996-1999.
- Bx 8 Fld 20 Manuscripts of "Indonesia," by Jennifer Munger, c. 1999.
- Bx 8 Fld 21 Correspondence with Efthymios Nicolaidis, 2003-2006.
- Bx 8 Fld 22 Correspondence with Kathryn Olesko, 1996-2004.
- Bx 8 Fld 23 Correspondence with Michael A. Osborne, 1996-1998.
- Bx 8 Fld 24 Correspondence with Giuliano Pancaldi and Pietro Corsi, 1996-2003.
- Bx 8 Fld 25 Correspondence with Alex Pang, 1996.
- Bx 8 Fld 26 Correspondence with Nicholaas A. Rupke, 1994-1999.

- Bx 8 Fld 27 Correspondence with Jan Sadlak and Henryk Ratajczak, and others, 1996-2004.
- Bx 8 Fld 28 Correspondence with Brigitte Schroeder-Gudehus, 1996-1999.
- Bx 8 Fld 29 Correspondence with/regarding Robert W. Seidel, 1996-1999.
- Bx 8 Fld 30 Correspondence with Jole Shackelford, 1996-2004.
- Bx 8 Fld 31 Correspondence with Steven Shapin, 1996-1998.
- Bx 8 Fld 32 Correspondence with Hugh Slotten, 1996-1998.
- Bx 8 Fld 33 Correspondence with Richard Sorrenson, 1996-1998.
- Bx 8 Fld 34 Correspondence with James Spiller, 1996-1997.
- Bx 8 Fld 35 Correspondence with John Stenhouse, 1996-2001.
- Bx 8 Fld 36 Correspondence with Klaas van Berkel, 1996-2004.
- Bx 8 Fld 37 Correspondence with Michael Worboys, and manuscripts of "Science and Imperialism," 1996-2004. [The final manuscript is from a corrupted file.]
- Bx 8 Fld 38 Correspondence with Rabkin Yakov and Adel Ziadat, 1996-2004.
- Bx 8 Fld 39 Manuscript of "Warp and Weft: The National Context(s) of Science in Canada," by Susan Zeller, for volume 8, c. 2006.
- Bx 8 Fld 40 Manuscripts of "The United States," by Ron Numbers, for volume 8, 2018-2019.

- Bx 9 Fld 1 Ron Numbers' notes for a draft of volume 8, 2019. Only pages with notes have been printed. For full manuscript, see next folder.
- Bx 9 Fld 2 Proof copy of volume 8, with notes by Ron Numbers, 2019.

Caring and Curing: Health and Medicine in the Western Religious Traditions

Edited with Darrel W. Amundsen and published in 1986 by MacMillan Publishing, and reprinted by Johns Hopkins University Press in 1997.

- Bx 9 Fld 3 Correspondence regarding "Project X" (Ten), which became *Caring and Curing*, 1981-1984.
- Bx 9 Fld 4 General correspondence, 1985-1987.
- Bx 9 Fld 5 Correspondence with authors and referees, 1984-1985, part 1.
- Bx 9 Fld 6 Correspondence with authors and referees, 1984-1985, part 2.
- Bx 9 Fld 7 List of medical schools affiliated with Christian denominations in America. No date.
- Bx 9 Fld 8 Materials related to chapter 16, "The Adventist Tradition," 1982-1985. Coauthored with David Larson.
- Bx 9 Fld 9 Seventh-day Adventist sources for chapter 16, "The Adventist Tradition," c. 1982-1985.

Compulsory Health Insurance: The Continuing American Debate

Published in 1982 by Greenwood Press. Only item in this collection is the chapter written by Ron Numbers.

- Bx 9 Fld 10 Chapter 1: "The Specter of Socialized Medicine: American Physicians and Compulsory Health Insurance," 1982.

Creationism in Twentieth Century America: A Ten-Volume Anthology of Documents, 1903-1961

Published by Garland Publishing in 1995. More information may be in the creation section under research. This was republished c. 2021 by Routledge. For more information, see <https://www.routledge.com/Creationism-in-Twentieth-Century-America/book-series/CITCA>.

Bx 9 Fld 11 Materials and correspondence related to Garland Publishing and the publication of the series, 1990-2005.

Bx 9 Fld 12 Correspondence regarding the republishing of the series by Routledge, 2021.

The Disappointed: Millerism and Millenarianism in the Nineteenth Century

Edited with Jonathan M. Butler and published by Indiana University Press in 1987, and reprinted by University of Tennessee press in 1993. It was the result of a conference held in 1984. Materials for both the book and conference of the same name are located here.

Bx 9 Fld 13 Correspondence regarding the conference, 1979-1986. One letter includes a sliver of wood from the Hiram Edson barn.

Bx 9 Fld 14 Copy of Lecture notes for "Millerism & Madness," presented at "The Disappointed" conference, 1984. Presented with Janet S. Numbers. For more materials, see Box 40 Fld 6 - Box 41 Fld 3.

Bx 9 Fld 15 Letter from LeAnn Schoepflin to Ron Numbers with enclosed photographs of the conference. No date. The photographs in the manila envelope appear to have been received earlier.

Bx 9 Fld 16 Correspondence regarding the book, 1984-1995, part 1.

Bx 9 Fld 17 Correspondence regarding the book, 1984-1995, part 2.

- Bx 9 Fld 18 Book jackets for the first edition, c. 1987
- Bx 9 Fld 19 Prints of a portrait of William Miller for the first edition, c. 1987. These were inserted before the title page of the book.
- Bx 9 Fld 20 Millerite prophecy charts for the first edition, c. 1987. These were inserted into the back cover of the book.
- Bx 9 Fld 21 "Millerism and Madness: A Study of 'Religious Insanity' in Nineteenth-Century America," in *The Disappointed: Millerism and Millenarianism in the Nineteenth Century*, 1987. Coauthored with Janet S. Numbers. For extensive research materials, see Box 40 Fld 6 - Box 41 Fld 3.
- Bx 9 Fld 22 Appendix 2: "The Disappointment Experienced: The Trail of Elder I. Dammon."
- Bx 9 Fld 23 Correspondence and materials regarding the second edition, 1992-1994.

Disseminating Darwinism: The Role of Place, Race, Religion, and Gender

Edited with John Stenhouse and published in 1999 by Cambridge University Press.

- Bx 9 Fld 24 Correspondence, 1994-2000. Also includes book covers.
- Bx 9 Fld 25 Correspondence and related materials, 1994-2006. Includes royalty statements.
- Bx 9 Fld 26 Draft of introduction for *From Down to Dunedin: Essays on Evolution in the English-Speaking World*, an early working title, c. 1997. [This manuscript may be incomplete due to file corruption.]

- Bx 9 Fld 27 Draft of introduction for *Darwin's Reception: The Role of Place, Race, Religion, and Gender*, another early working title, c. 1997. [This manuscript may be incomplete due to file corruption.]
- Bx 9 Fld 28 Book reviews, 2000-2005.

The Education of American Physicians: Historical Essays

Published by University of California Press in 1980, this is a festschrift in honor of William Frederick Norwood.

- Bx 10 Fld 1 Research materials for the book, including "William Frederick Norwood: Medical Historian," a paper by Ron Numbers, along with a transcript of an interview with W. Frederick Norwood and other related materials, 1974.
- Bx 10 Fld 2 Correspondence, 1972-1988. Includes a program for the presentation of "Doctor of Letters" to Norwood from Walla Walla University, and Norwood's memorial service program.

Ellen Harmon White: American Prophet

Edited with Terrie Aamodt and Gary Land and published in 2014 by Oxford University Press. Also includes materials from the corresponding conference. This section contains lots of email correspondence, which gives insight into the process of publication, and the perspectives of the editors. Papers submitted are arranged by author, and many papers included here did not make it into the final copy of the book. Correspondence appears first, then information regarding the conference, papers submitted, and finally, promotional materials and reviews.

- Bx 10 Fld 3 Correspondence, 2007.
- Bx 10 Fld 4 Correspondence, 2008.
- Bx 10 Fld 5 Correspondence, 2009.
- Bx 10 Fld 6 Correspondence, 2010.

- Bx 10 Fld 7 Correspondence, 2011.
- Bx 10 Fld 8 Correspondence, 2012.
- Bx 10 Fld 9 Correspondence, 2013.
- Bx 10 Fld 10 Correspondence, 2014.
- Bx 10 Fld 11 Correspondence, 2015.
- Bx 10 Fld 12 Correspondence, 2016.
- Bx 10 Fld 13 Correspondence, 2017.
- Bx 10 Fld 14 Correspondence, 2018.
- Bx 10 Fld 15 Description of the conference and information sent to participants, c. 2008-2009.
- Bx 10 Fld 16 Lists of presenters and respondents, 2009.
- Bx 10 Fld 17 Manuscript of "Hearing Ellen White: A Woman Finds Her Public Voice," by Terrie Dopp Aamodt, c. 2009. Also includes a CD-ROM with a document which appears to include the text of each letter Ellen White wrote referencing speaking, preaching, or sermons. This became chapter 6, "Speaker."
- Bx 10 Fld 18 Manuscript of "Ellen G. White and the Emergence of Sabbatarian Adventism," by Merlin D. Burt, 2009. This was not included in the book.
- Bx 10 Fld 19 Manuscript of "Visions and Revisions," by Ron Graybill, 2009. This became chapter 4, "Prophet."
- Bx 10 Fld 20 Manuscript of "'Proper Education,' An Adventist Reform Initiative," by Floyd Greenleaf, 2009. This was merged with another paper to become chapter 7, "Builder," coauthored with Jerry Moon.

Bx 10 Fld 21 Manuscripts of "Afterword," by George R. Knight, c. 2011. The second has notes and revisions by Ron Numbers. This was not included in the book.

Bx 10 Fld 22 Manuscripts of "Between Faith and History: Ellen G. White Among the Historians," by Gary Land, 2009-2011. Second revision, entitled "Historiography," has notes and revisions by Ron Numbers. This became chapter 18, "Biographies."

Bx 10 Fld 23 Manuscript of "EGW and the Dilemma of Cultural Change," by Benjamin McArthur, 2009. This became chapter 13, "Culture."

Bx 10 Fld 24 Manuscript of "Epilogue: The Legacy," by Paul McGraw, 2009. This became chapter 17, "Legacy," coauthored with Gilbert Valentine.

Bx 10 Fld 25 Manuscript of "Ellen White as Denomination Builder," by Jerry Moon, 2009. This was merged with another paper to become chapter 7, "Builder," coauthored with Floyd Greenleaf.

Bx 10 Fld 26 Manuscript of "Ellen White and Society," by Douglas Morgan, 2009. This became chapter 12, "Society."

Bx 10 Fld 27 Manuscripts of "Science and Medicine," by Ron Numbers, 2009-2011. This was merged with another paper to become chapter 11, "Science and Medicine," coauthored with Rennie B. Schoepflin.

Bx 10 Fld 28 Manuscripts of "Ellen Gould Harmon White: Author," by Arthur Patrick, 2009-2011. The second manuscript has notes and revisions by Ron Numbers. This became chapter 5, "Author."

Bx 10 Fld 29 Manuscript of "Ellen White and the Self: Mind, Body, and Soul," by Rennie B. Schoepflin, 2009. This was merged with another paper to become chapter 11, "Science and Medicine."

Bx 10 Fld 30 Manuscript of "Ellen White's *Testimonies*: The Pursuit of Perfection and the Development of Community Among Early Adventists," by Graeme Sharrock, 2009. This became chapter 3, "Testimonies."

Bx 10 Fld 31 Manuscript of "White on Women," by Laura Vance, 2009. This became chapter 15, "Gender."

Bx 10 Fld 32 Manuscript of "The Triumph of God's Love: The Optimistic, Theological Theodicy of Ellen G. White," by Woodrow W. Whidden, II, 2009. This was not included in the book.

Bx 10 Fld 33 CD-ROM with a low-resolution photograph of Ellen White's grave site, for chapter 16, "Death and Burial," by T. Joe Willey.

Bx 10 Fld 34 Comments from participants regarding papers presented, 2009.

Bx 10 Fld 35 Ron Numbers' critiques of book chapters, 2010.

Bx 10 Fld 36 Information regarding illustrations, c. 2011.

Bx 10 Fld 37 Promotional materials and book cover, c. 2014.

Bx 10 Fld 38 Book reviews, 2014-2015.

Encyclopedia Americana

Ron Numbers served as an advisory editor in the history of science for this series. Included here is some correspondence, and an article Ron Numbers wrote for the encyclopedia.

Bx 10 Fld 39 Correspondence, 1980-1991.

Bx 10 Fld 40 "Creationism," by Ron Numbers, 1984.

Galileo Goes to Jail and Other Myths about Science and Religion

Published in 2009 by Harvard University Press. This book includes 25 myths, and so drafts in this section are entitled "Myth 1" rather than chapter 1 as with other books.

Correspondence is first, followed by author instructions, manuscripts, publishing materials, and responses. For more information on the events leading up to this book, see Bx 3 Fld 12.

Bx 11 Fld 1 Correspondence and related materials, 2004-2014, part 1.

Bx 11 Fld 2 Correspondence and related materials, 2004-2014, part 2.

Bx 11 Fld 3 Correspondence and related materials, 2007-2009. Includes a printout of 668 comments (over 200 pages) from an article about the book.

Bx 11 Fld 4 Book proposal, c. 2008.

Bx 11 Fld 5 Instructions to contributing authors, c. 2008.

Bx 11 Fld 6 Draft of title page and acknowledgments, 2008.

Bx 11 Fld 7 Draft list of contributing authors, 2008.

Bx 11 Fld 8 Manuscript of Introduction, by Ron Numbers, 2008.

Bx 11 Fld 9 Manuscript of Myth 1: "That the Rise of Christianity Was Responsible for the Demise of Ancient Science," by David C. Lindberg, 2008.

Bx 11 Fld 10 Manuscript of Myth 2: "That the Medieval Christian Church Suppressed the Growth of Science," by Michael H. Shank, 2008.

- Bx 11 Fld 11 Manuscript of Myth 3: "That Medieval Christians Taught the Earth Was Flat," by Lesley B. Cormack, 2008.
- Bx 11 Fld 12 Manuscript of Myth 4: "That Medieval Islamic Culture Was Inhospitable to Science," by Syed Nomanul Haq, 2008.
- Bx 11 Fld 13 Manuscript of Myth 5: "That the Medieval Church Prohibited Human Dissection," by Katharine Park, 2008.
- Bx 11 Fld 14 Manuscript of Myth 6: "That Copernicanism Demoted Humans from the Center of the Cosmos," by Dennis R. Danielson, 2008.
- Bx 11 Fld 15 Manuscript of Myth 7: "That Giordano Bruno Was the First Martyr of Modern Science," by Jole Shackelford, 2008.
- Bx 11 Fld 16 Manuscript of Myth 8: "That Galileo Was Imprisoned and Tortured for Advocating Copernicanism," by Maurice A. Finocchiaro, 2008.
- Bx 11 Fld 17 Manuscript of Myth 9: "That Christianity Gave Birth to Modern Science," by Noah J. Efron, 2008.
- Bx 11 Fld 18 Manuscript of Myth 10: "That the Scientific Revolution Liberated Science from Religion," by Margaret J. Osler, 2008.
- Bx 11 Fld 19 Manuscript of Myth 11: "That Catholics Did Not Contribute to the Scientific Revolution," by Lawrence M. Principe, 2008.
- Bx 11 Fld 20 Manuscript of Myth 12: "That René Descartes Originated the Mind-Body Distinction," by Peter Harrison, 2008.
- Bx 11 Fld 21 Manuscript of Myth 13: "That Isaac Newton's Mechanistic Cosmology Eliminated the Need for God," by Edward B. Davis, 2008.

Bx 11 Fld 22 Manuscript of Myth 14: "That the Church Denounced Anesthesia in Childbirth on Biblical Grounds," by Rennie B. Schoepflin, 2008.

Bx 11 Fld 23 Manuscript of Myth 15: "That the Theory of Organic Evolution is Based on Circular Reasoning," by Nicolaas A. Rupke, 2008.

Bx 11 Fld 24 Manuscript of Myth 16: "That Evolution Destroyed Darwin's Faith in Christianity –until he Reconverted on His Deathbed," by James Moore, 2008.

Bx 11 Fld 25 Manuscripts of Myth 17: "That Huxley Defeated Wilberforce in Their Debate over Evolution and Religion," by David N. Livingstone, 2008.

Bx 11 Fld 26 Manuscripts of Myth 18: "That Darwin Destroyed Natural Theology," by Jon H. Roberts, 2008.

Bx 11 Fld 27 Manuscript of Myth 19: "That Darwin and Haeckel Were Complicit in Nazi Biology," by Robert J. Richards, 2008.

Bx 11 Fld 28 Manuscript of Myth 20: "That the Scopes Trial Ended in Defeat for Antievolutionism," by Edward J. Larson, 2008.

Bx 11 Fld 29 Manuscript of Myth 21: "That Einstein Believed in a Personal God," by Matthew Stanley, 2008.

Bx 11 Fld 30 Manuscript of Myth 22: "That Quantum Physics Demonstrated the Doctrine of Divine Will," by Daniel Patrick Thurs, 2008.

Bx 11 Fld 31 Manuscript of Myth 23: "That 'Intelligent Design' Represents a Scientific Challenge to Evolution," by Michael Ruse, 2008.

Bx 11 Fld 32 Manuscript of Myth 24: "That Creationism Is a Uniquely American Phenomenon," by Ron Numbers, 2008.

Bx 11 Fld 33 Manuscript of Myth 25: "That Modern Science Has Secularized Western Culture," by John Hedley Brooke, 2008.

Bx 11 Fld 34 Author's questionnaire, c. 2008.

Bx 11 Fld 35 Response to readers' remarks by Ron Numbers, 2008.

Bx 11 Fld 36 Book cover, 2008.

Bx 11 Fld 37 Proof copy, 2008.

Bx 11 Fld 38 Promotional material, 2009.

Bx 11 Fld 39 Program for the "Myth and Media" conference, 2009.

Bx 11 Fld 40 Book reviews, 2009-2010.

Bx 11 Fld 41 "Science and Religion: Historical Perspectives Questionnaire: 2010-2011," derived from the myths in *Galileo Goes to Jail*, 2011.

Bx 11 Fld 42 Introductory essay about *Galileo Goes to Jail* by Ernan McMullin in *A Companion to the ISSR Library of Science and Religion*, edited by Pranab K. Das II, 2011. Also includes related correspondence.

God and Nature: A History of the Encounter between Christianity and Science

Edited with David C. Lindberg and published by University of California Press in 1986. It was subsequently translated into Italian (1994), Japanese (1994), and Korean (1999).

Bx 11 Fld 43 Correspondence, 1978-1984.

Bx 11 Fld 44 Correspondence with chapter authors, 1981-1984.

Bx 11 Fld 45 Introductory essay about *God and Nature*, by John Bowker in *A Companion to the ISSR Library of Science and Religion*, edited by Pranab K. Das II, 2011.

Gods in America: Religious Pluralism in the United States

Edited with Charles L. Cohen and published in 2013 by Oxford University Press. This book was the result of a conference, "Religious Pluralism in Modern America," held in 2007. Materials for both the conference and the book are included here.

Bx 11 Fld 46 Correspondence and materials for the "Religious Pluralism in Modern America" conference, 2006-2008.

Bx 11 Fld 47 Funding proposal submitted to the Anonymous Fund Committee, 2006.

Bx 11 Fld 48 Correspondence and materials for the book, 2011-2013.

Bx 11 Fld 49 Correspondence, 2013.

Bx 11 Fld 50 Instructions to authors, c. 2007.

Bx 11 Fld 51 Table of contents and author information, 2007.

Bx 11 Fld 52 Notes for writing the introduction to the book. No date, but after 2009.

Bx 11 Fld 53 Manuscript of "Finding Light through Muddy Waters: African American Religious Pluralism," by Stephanie Y. Mitchem, c. 2009. This became chapter 12.

Bx 11 Fld 54 Ron Numbers' comments on book chapters, 2007.

Bx 11 Fld 55 Address list of people to send the book to once published, c. 2013. **Restricted: No Copies.**

The “Medicine, Science, and Religion in Historical Context” Series

This is a series edited by Ron Numbers and published by Johns Hopkins University Press. All books are by other authors. After the general correspondence, materials are listed alphabetically by primary author’s last name. For a current list of books in the series, see <https://www.press.jhu.edu/books/series/medicine-science-and-religion-historical-context>.

- Bx 12 Fld 1 List of books in the series, c. 2020.
- Bx 12 Fld 2 Correspondence, 1997-2007.
- Bx 12 Fld 3 Correspondence, 1998-2006.
- Bx 12 Fld 4 Correspondence, 2004-2013.
- Bx 12 Fld 5 Correspondence, 2008-2020.
- Bx 12 Fld 6 Correspondence regarding *Negotiating Darwin: The Vatican Confronts Evolution, 1877-1902*, by Mariano Artigas, Thomas F. Glick, and Rafael A. Martinez, 2005. Published 2006.
- Bx 12 Fld 7 Correspondence and essays for *Creationism in Europe*, edited by Stefaan Blancke, Hans Henrik Hjerimitslev, and Peter C. Kjærgaard, 2011-2012. Published 2014.
- Bx 12 Fld 8 Correspondence and essays for *Creationism in Europe*, edited by Stefaan Blancke, Hans Henrik Hjerimitslev, and Peter C. Kjærgaard, 2013-2014. Published 2014.
- Bx 12 Fld 9 Proposal for *The Lord for the Body: Suffering and Divine Healing in American Culture, 1860-1900*, by Heather D. Curtis, c. 2007. Not published in this series.

- Bx 12 Fld 10 Correspondence regarding *Spiking Bryan's Guns: Modernist Pamphlets about "Science and Religion" in a Fundamentalist Era*, by Ted Davis, 2016-2019. Although listed by Ron Numbers' as being published in 2021 (Bx 12 Fld 1) , it appears that this volume has not been published. For Ted Davis' full manuscript, see the folder corresponding to this section in the register on the thumb drive located in Box 46 Fld 38.
- Bx 12 Fld 11 Proposal for *From Platform and Pulpit: Science and Religion in an Age of Oratory, 1845-1875*, by Fiarmid A. Finnegan, c. 2010. Includes Finnegan's curricula vitae. Not published in this series.
- Bx 12 Fld 12 Correspondence regarding *Adam's Ancestors: Race, Religion, and the Politics of Human Origins*, by David N. Livingstone, 2007. Published 2011.
- Bx 12 Fld 13 Correspondence regarding *Geographies of Knowledge*, edited by Robert J. Mayhew and Charles W. J. Withers, 2019. Published 2020.
- Bx 12 Fld 14 Materials for *Helping God Heal: Theology, Science, and Gender in the Making of a Liberal Moral Sensibility*, by Susan E. Myers-Shirk, c. 2007. Published 2009 as *Helping the Good Shepherd: Pastoral Counselors in a Psychotherapeutic Culture, 1925-1975*.
- Bx 12 Fld 15 Materials regarding *Science and Eastern Orthodoxy: From the Greek Fathers to the Age of Globalization*, by Efthymios Nicolaidis, c. 2008-2010. Published 2011.

Bx 12 Fld 16 Proposal for *Religion's Greatest Foe: The Long War between Religion and Psychology in America*, by Jon H. Roberts, c. 2010. Not published in this series.

Bx 12 Fld 17 Proposal for *Johann Friedrich Blumenbach: Race and Natural History, 1750-1850*, edited by Nicolas Rupke and Gerhard Lauer, c. 2016. Not published in this series.

Bx 12 Fld 18 Proposal for *Evolution Comes to America: Chambers' Vestiges and Cultural Change, 1844-1860*, by Robert J. Scholnick, c. 2007. Not published in this series.

Bx 12 Fld 19 Proposal for *Losing the Word: The Scopes Trial, Biology Textbooks, and the Evolution of Biblical Literalism*, by Adam R. Shapiro, c. 2007. Not published in this series

Bx 12 Fld 20 Proposal for *An Introduction to the History of Science, Technology and Medicine in Daoism*, by Jiang Sheng, c. 2005. Not published in this series.

Bx 12 Fld 21 Proposal for *Portable Missionaries: American Radio and the Global Rise of Evangelical Religion, 1920-70*, by Timothy Stoneman, c. 2010. Not published in this series.

Bx 12 Fld 22 Proposal for *Evangelicals Contending over Science and Scripture: The Genesis Debate among Calvinists in 19th Century America*, by Richard P. Tison II, c. 2010. Not published in this series.

Bx 12 Fld 23 Materials regarding *Young-Earth Creationism in 19th Century America*, by Richard P. Tison II, c. 2015. Not published in this series.

Bx 12 Fld 24 Materials regarding *Righting America at the Creation Museum*, by Susan L. Trollinger and William Vance Trollinger, Jr., c. 2015. Published 2016.

Bx 12 Fld 25 Proposal for "*Their Science, Our Values*": *Science, State, and Society in the 19th century Ottoman Empire*, by M. Alper Yalcinkaya, c. 2010. Includes Yalcinkaya's *curricula vitae*. Not published in this series.

Medicine in the New World: New Spain, New France, and New England

Published in 1987 by University of Tennessee Press, no materials related to this book are found in this collection.

Medicine Without Doctors: Home Health Care in American History

Edited with Guenter B. Risse and Judith Walzer Leavitt and published in 1977 by Science History Publications. Included here is the chapter written by Ron Numbers. No other related materials were found in this collection.

Bx 12 Fld 26 "Do-It-Yourself the Sectarian Way," 1977.

Newton's Apple and Other Myths about Science

Edited with Kostas Kampourakis and published in 2015 by Harvard University Press. Also includes materials regarding the corresponding conference in 2014.

Bx 12 Fld 27 Correspondence, 2012.

Bx 12 Fld 28 Correspondence with Kostas Kampourakis, 2013-2014, part 1.

Bx 12 Fld 29 Correspondence with Kostas Kampourakis, 2013-2014, part 2.

Bx 12 Fld 30 Correspondence, 2014-2015.

Bx 12 Fld 31 Correspondence and related materials, 2015-2020.

Bx 12 Fld 32 Manuscripts of book chapters, c. 2014.

- Bx 13 Fld 1 Manuscripts of Myth 17: "That Social Darwinism Has Had a Profound Influence on Social Thought and Policy, Especially in the United States of America," by Ron Numbers, c. 2014-2015.
- Bx 13 Fld 2 Manuscript of "Epilogue: Debunking Historical Myths about Science for Science Literacy," by Kostas Kampourakis, c. 2014.
- Bx 13 Fld 3 Proof copy, 2014.
- Bx 13 Fld 4 Cover, 2015.
- Bx 13 Fld 5 Reviews, 2016-2017.

The Oxford Companion to United States History

Published in 2001 by Oxford University Press, this was edited with Paul Boyer (editor in chief) and others. Included here are the articles Ron Numbers wrote.

- Bx 13 Fld 6 "Evolution, Theory of." Includes related correspondence.
- Bx 13 Fld 7 "Gray, Asa."
- Bx 13 Fld 8 "Health Insurance."
- Bx 13 Fld 9 "Medicine: Overview."
- Bx 13 Fld 10 "Pseudoscience and Quackery."
- Bx 13 Fld 11 "Science: Overview."
- Bx 13 Fld 12 "Science: Science and Religion."

The Oxford Encyclopedia of the History of American Science, Medicine, and Technology

Ron Numbers was a senior editor for this two-volume series, published in 2014. This section contains correspondence, along with some articles Ron Numbers wrote for the encyclopedia.

Bx 13 Fld 13 Correspondence, 2011-2012

Bx 13 Fld 14 Correspondence, 2013.

Bx 13 Fld 15 "Creationism," by Ron Numbers, c. 2012.

Bx 13 Fld 16 "Evolution, Theory of," by Ron Numbers, c.
2014.

Bx 13 Fld 17 "Gray, Asa," by Ron Numbers, c. 2011.

Bx 13 Fld 18 "Guyot, Arnold Henri," by Ron Numbers, 2014.

Bx 13 Fld 19 "Medical Education," by Ron Numbers, c.
2014.

Bx 13 Fld 20 "Science and Religion," by Ron Numbers, c.
2012.

Bx 13 Fld 21 "Thomas Jefferson," by Ron Numbers, c.
2012.

Science and Medicine in the Old South

Edited with Todd L. Savitt, this book was published by Louisiana State University Press in 1989. No materials on this book are found in this collection.

Science and Religion Around the World

Edited with John Hedley Brooke and published by Oxford University Press in 2011.

Bx 13 Fld 22 Correspondence, 2002-2007.

Bx 13 Fld 23 Correspondence, 2007-2010.

Bx 13 Fld 24 Correspondence and related materials, 2010-
2019.

Bx 13 Fld 25 Guidelines for authors, c. 2009.

Bx 13 Fld 26 Manuscript of Introduction, c. 2009.

Bx 13 Fld 27 Manuscript of "Early Judaism," by Noah Efron,
c. 2009.

Bx 13 Fld 28 Manuscript of "Modern Judaism," by Geoffrey Cantor, c. 2009.

Bx 13 Fld 29 Manuscript of "Early Christianity," by David C. Lindberg and Peter Harrison, c. 2009.

Bx 13 Fld 30 Manuscript of "Modern Christianity," by John Hedley Brooke, c. 2009.

Bx 13 Fld 31 Manuscript of "Indic Religions," by B. V. Subbarayappa, with revisions by Ron Numbers, c. 2009.

Bx 13 Fld 32 Correspondence regarding B. V. Subbarayappa's essay, 2006-2010.

Bx 13 Fld 33 Draft copy of Index, c. 2010.

Bx 13 Fld 34 Proof copy, 2010.

The Scientific Enterprise in America: Readings from Isis

Edited with Charles E. Rosenberg and published by University of Chicago Press in 1996.

Bx 13 Fld 35 Book review: "A Republic of Science?" by David Philip Miller, 1998.

Sickness and Health in America: Readings in the History of Medicine and Public Health

Edited with Judy Walzer Leavitt and published by University of Wisconsin Press in 1978. Two subsequent revisions were published, also by University of Wisconsin Press, in 1985 and 1997. The only document in this collection related to this book is a document with responses for whether the book should be revised and published a fourth time.

Bx 13 Fld 36 Responses from a survey asking if the book should be republished a fourth time, 2019. The original PDF did not show all responses, so the processor created an excel sheet with the relevant information. There is some corruption on a few lines where contents of two cells were combined, but this can likely be decoded by a dedicated researcher.

The Warfare between Science and Religion: The Idea That Wouldn't Die

Edited with Jeff Hardin and Ronald A. Binzley and published in 2018 by Johns Hopkins University Press. Also includes materials from the corresponding conference, 2015.

Bx 13 Fld 37 Publishing agreement, 2015.

Bx 13 Fld 38 Correspondence, 2014-2015, part 1.

Bx 13 Fld 39 Correspondence, 2014-2015, part 2.

Bx 13 Fld 40 Responses to the papers presented at the conference, 2015.

Bx 13 Fld 41 Editors' response to the reader's report, 2015.

Bx 13 Fld 42 Manuscripts of "The New Atheists," by Jeff Hardin and Ron Numbers, c. 2015-2019.

Bx 13 Fld 43 Ron Numbers' comments on book chapters, 2016.

Bx 13 Fld 44 Review by Tim O'Neill, 2018.

When Science and Christianity Meet

Edited with David C. Lindberg and published in 2003 by University of Chicago Press. Also includes information about the corresponding "Science and Religion Case Histories Conference," 1999.

Bx 13 Fld 45 Correspondence, 1997-2006.

Bx 13 Fld 46 Manuscript of the Introduction, c. 2002

Bx 13 Fld 47 Manuscript of "Men before Adam! American Debates over the Unity and Antiquity of Humanity," by G. Blair Nelson, which became chapter 7. No date.

Bx 13 Fld 48 Manuscripts of "Science without God: Natural Laws and Christian Beliefs," by Ron Numbers, which became chapter 12, 2003.

Bx 13 Fld 49 Correspondence from Bruce Gordon regarding reprinting his essay, 2007.

Bx 13 Fld 50 Norman Bates Psycho Award for the Book Most Likely to Become a Slasher Movie, awarded for *When Science and Christianity Meet*, 2004.

Wisconsin Medicine: Historical Perspectives

Edited with Judy Walzer Leavitt and published in 1981 by University of Wisconsin Press. The only materials for this book in the collection are the two chapters written by Ron Numbers.

Bx 13 Fld 51 Chapter 4: "Public Protection and Self-Interest: Medical Societies in Wisconsin," 1981.

Bx 13 Fld 52 Chapter 8: "A Note on Medical Education in Wisconsin," 1981.

Wrestling with Nature: From Omens to Science

Edited with Peter Harrison and published in 2011 by University of Chicago Press. This also includes information for the corresponding mini-conference, held in honor of David C. Lindberg in 2011, and his subsequent death in 2015.

Bx 14 Fld 1 Correspondence, 2006-2009.

Bx 14 Fld 2 Correspondence, 2009-2010.

Bx 14 Fld 3 Correspondence, 2010-2015.

Bx 14 Fld 4 Instructions to authors, with special notes for editor, Peter Harrison, c. 2008.

Bx 14 Fld 5 Manuscripts of "Science, Pseudoscience, and Science Falsely So-Called," by Daniel P. Thurs and Ron Numbers, c. 2002-2010.

Bx 14 Fld 6 Manuscripts of "Science and Religion," a chapter by Jon H. Roberts, c. 2005. The second copy has edits from Ron Numbers.

Bx 14 Fld 7 Manuscripts of "Science and Medicine," by Ron Numbers, c. 2007-2016.

Bx 14 Fld 8 Manuscript of the book, 2009. For a proof copy of this book, see the folder corresponding to this section in the register on the thumb drive in Box 46 Fld 38.

Book Chapters Written

These are essays Ron Numbers wrote for various books and encyclopedias over the years, arranged alphabetically. Some include research, correspondence, or other related materials. Some also may be duplicate articles to those published elsewhere.

Bx 14 Fld 9 "Aggressors, Victims, and Peacemakers: Historical Actors in the Drama of Science and Religion," in *The Religion and Science Debate: Why Does It Continue?*, 2009.

Bx 14 Fld 10 "American Medicine Comes of Age," in *Thirsty Elephant: The Story of Paradise Valley Hospital*, 1994.

Bx 14 Fld 11 "Beaumont, William," in *American National Biography*, volume 2, 1999.

Bx 14 Fld 12 "Beyond War and Peace: A Reappraisal of the Encounter Between Christianity and Science," in *The Best in Theology*, volume 1, 1987. Coauthored with David C. Lindberg.

Bx 14 Fld 13 "Charles Hodge and the Beauties and Deformities of Science," in *Charles Hodge Revisited: A Critical Appraisal of His Life and Work*, 2002. Also includes correspondence and a few manuscripts.

Bx 14 Fld 14 "The Controversy Over Evolution," in *American Issues: A Documentary Reader*, 1988.

Bx 14 Fld 15 "Cosmogonies," in *Science and Religion: A Historical Introduction*, 2017. Coauthored with Peter J. Susulla.

- Bx 14 Fld 16 "Cosmogonies from 1700 to 1900" in *The History of Science and Religion in the Western Tradition: An Encyclopedia*, 2000. Also includes two manuscripts and related correspondence. [The second manuscript is from a corrupted file.]
- Bx 14 Fld 17 "Creationism," in *Microsoft Encarta 97 Encyclopedia*, 1996. Two copies, both different.
- Bx 14 Fld 18 "Creationism," in *The Cambridge Companion to Science and Religion*, 2010.
- Bx 14 Fld 19 "Creationism Since 1859," in *The History of Science and Religion in the Western Tradition: An Encyclopedia* 2000. Also includes two manuscripts. [The second manuscript is from a corrupted file.]
- Bx 14 Fld 20 "The Creationists," in *But Is It Science?*, 1988.
- Bx 14 Fld 21 "Darwin and Darwinism in America: An Interview with Ronald L. Numbers," in *Epic of Evolution: Science and Religion in Dialogue*, 2004.
- Bx 14 Fld 22 "Darwinism in the American South," in *Evolution Education in the American South*, 2017. Coauthored with Lester D. Stephens.
- Bx 14 Fld 23 "Darwinism, Creationism, and Intelligent Design," in *The Paleontological Society Papers*, volume 5, 1999.
- Bx 14 Fld 24 "Darwinism, Creationism, and Intelligent Design," in *Controversies in Science & Technology*, 2010.
- Bx 14 Fld 25 "The Dilemma of Evangelical Sciences," in *Evangelicalism and Modern America*, 1984.
- Bx 14 Fld 26 "Do-It-Yourself the Sectarian Way," in "Send Us a Lady Physician": *Women Doctors in America, 1835-1920*, 1985.
- Bx 14 Fld 27 "Ellen G. White and the Gospel of Health," in *Eerdman's Handbook to Christianity in America*, 1983.

- Bx 14 Fld 28 "Epilogue: Science, Secularization, and Privatization," in *Eminent Lives in Twentieth-Century Science & Religion*, 2007.
- Bx 14 Fld 29 "Evolutionary Theory," in *Encyclopedia of the United States in the Twentieth Century*, 1996. Coauthored with Gregg A. Mitman.
- Bx 14 Fld 30 "Experiencing Evolution: Varieties of Psychological Responses to the Claims of Science and Religion," in *Science, Religion, and the Human Experience*, 2005.
- Bx 14 Fld 31 "The Gospel of Right Living: Wilfred Grenfell's Association with John Harvey Kellogg of Battle Creek," in *The Grenfell Medical Mission and American Support in Newfoundland and Labrador, 1890s-1940s*, 2019.
- Bx 14 Fld 32 "Ironic Heresy: How Young-Earth Creationists Came to Embrace Rapid Microevolution by Means of Natural Selection," in *Darwinian Heresies*, 2004.
- Bx 14 Fld 33 "Kellogg, John Harvey (1852-1943)," in *The International Encyclopedia of Human Sexuality*, 2015.
- Bx 14 Fld 34 "Kirkwood, Daniel," in *American National Biography*, volume 12, 1999.
- Bx 14 Fld 35 "Made in America: The Politics of Place in Debates over Science and Religion," in *Geographies of Knowledge: Science, Scale, and Spatiality in the Nineteenth Century*, 2020. This book is part of the "Medicine, Science, and Religion in Historical Context" series, edited by Ron Numbers for Johns Hopkins University Press. For more information, see Bx 12 Fld 1.
- Bx 14 Fld 36 "The Maturation of American Medical Science," in *Scientific Colonialism: A Cross-Cultural Comparison*, 1987. Coauthored with John Harley Warner.

- Bx 14 Fld 37 "Medical Science before Scientific Medicine: Reflections on the History of Medical Geography," in *Medical Geography in Historical Perspective*, 2000.
- Bx 14 Fld 38 "Ministries of Healing: Mary Baker Eddy, Ellen G. White, and the Religion of Health," in *Women and Health in America: A History*, 1984. Coauthored with Rennie B. Schoepflin.
- Bx 14 Fld 39 "Price, George Edward McCready," in *Dictionary of American Biography*, 1981.
- Bx 14 Fld 40 "Price, George McCready," in *American National Biography*, volume 17, 1999.
- Bx 14 Fld 41 "Religious Insanity: History of a Diagnosis," in *Second Opinion: Health, Faith, and Ethics*, volume 3, 1986. Coauthored with Janet S. Numbers.
- Bx 14 Fld 42 "Revisiting the Battlefields of Science and Religion: The Warfare Thesis Today," in *Rethinking History, Science, and Religion: An Exploration of Conflict and the Complexity Principle*, 2019.
- Bx 14 Fld 43 "Science and Christianity," in *Dictionary of Christianity in America*, 1990.
- Bx 14 Fld 44 "Science and Christianity among the People: A Vulgar History," in *Modern Christianity to 1900*, volume 6 of *A People's History of Christianity*, 2010.
- Bx 14 Fld 45 "Science as a Profession" in *Encyclopedia of American Social History*, 1993.
- Bx 14 Fld 46 "Scientific Creationism and Intelligent Design," in *The Cambridge Companion to Science and Religion*, 2010.
- Bx 14 Fld 47 "Scientific Creationism," in *Evolution: The First Four Billion Years*, 2011.
- Bx 14 Fld 48 "The Scientific Ideal," in *The Encyclopedia of American Cultural and Intellectual History*, 2001. Coauthored with Daniel P. Thurs.

- Bx 14 Fld 49 Correspondence from University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee regarding *Scientists Confront Creationism: Creation Science, Intelligent Design, and Beyond*, in which Ron Numbers had an article, 2006. No manuscripts included.
- Bx 14 Fld 50 "Seventh-day Adventism," in *The Encyclopedia of Religion*, volume 13, 1986. Coauthored with Jonathan M. Butler.
- Bx 14 Fld 51 "Sex, Science, and Salvation: The Sexual Advice of Ellen G. White and John Harvey Kellogg," in *Right Living: An Anglo-American Tradition of Self-Help Medicine and Hygiene*, 2003.
- Bx 14 Fld 52 "The Significance of Regions in American Medical History," in *Disease and Medical Care in the Mountain West: Essays on Region, History, and Practice*, 1998. [The second copy is from a corrupted file.]
- Bx 14 Fld 53 "Simplifying Complexity: Patterns in the History of Science and Religion," in *Science and Religion: New Historical Perspectives*, 2010.
- Bx 14 Fld 54 "Theories of Religious Insanity in America," Essays in *The History of Science and Religion in the Western Tradition: An Encyclopedia*, 2000. Coauthored with Janet S. Numbers and Samuel B. Thielman.
- Bx 14 Fld 55 "The Third Party: Health Insurance in America," in *The Therapeutic Revolution*, 1979.
- Bx 14 Fld 56 "The Third Party: Health Insurance in America," in *The Nation's Health*, 1981.
- Bx 14 Fld 57 "What Hath Science Wrought? Science and Secularisation Revisited," in *Christianity in the Post Secular West*, 2007, with related correspondence and research materials.
- Bx 15 Fld 1 "White, Ellen Gould," in *The Encyclopedia of Religion*, volume 15, 1986.

Bx 15 Fld 2 "White, Ellen Gould Harmon," in *American National Biography*, volume 23, 1999.

Bx 15 Fld 3 "White, Ellen H.," in *Dictionary of Pastoral Care and Counseling*, 1990.

Serials/Journals

This section includes work Ron Numbers did for serials and journals. This includes articles he wrote, materials relating to serials he edited, reviews published in serials, and reviews of articles intended for publication in serials.

Articles

These are essays and articles Ron Numbers wrote for various journals, in alphabetical order. Editorials are found in the section below. Where the same may be duplicated above.

Bx 15 Fld 4 "10 Badger minds that shook the world," in *Wisconsin Regional*, 1980.

Bx 15 Fld 5 "The Adventist Origins of Dinosaur National Monument: Earl Douglass and His Adventist Roots," and "Baptizing Dinosaurs: How Once-Suspect Evidence of Evolution Came to Support the Biblical Narrative," in *Spectrum*, 2015. Both coauthored with T. Joe Willey. Also includes correspondence and some research materials. For more research materials for these articles, see Box 30 Fld 27 - Box 31 Fld 3.

Bx 15 Fld 6 "The Adventist Tradition of the Alternative Medicine," in *Alumni Journal*, LLU School of Medicine, 1995.

Bx 15 Fld 7 "Almost Persuaded," in *The Sun*, 1978.

Bx 15 Fld 8 "The American History of Science Society or the International History of Science Society? The Fate of Cosmopolitanism since George Sarton," in *Isis*, 2009.

- Bx 15 Fld 9 "The American Kepler: Daniel Kirkwood and His Analogy," in *Journal for the History of Astronomy*, 1973.
- Bx 15 Fld 10 "The Americanization of the History of Science Society: What Does it Mean?" in *History of Science Society Newsletter*, 2000.
- Bx 15 Fld 11 "Annual Meeting of the History of Science Society, 27-30 December 1981: The Program," in *Isis*, 1982. Coauthored with David C. Lindberg.
- Bx 15 Fld 12 "Anti-Evolution in the Antipodes: from protesting evolution to promoting creationism in New Zealand," in *British Journal for the History of Science*, 2000. Coauthored with John Stenhouse. Also includes three manuscripts, one for this journal, a second one for another journal (marked C&C), and a third corrupted file.
- Bx 15 Fld 13 "An Author Replies to His Critics," in *Spectrum*, 1977. Also includes several other manuscripts, and research regarding this article, which was a response to reviews of *Prophetess of Health*.
- Bx 15 Fld 14 "Author's Response," in *Metascience*, 1993.
- Bx 15 Fld 15 "Beyond War and Peace: A Reappraisal of the Encounter between Christianity and Science," in *Church History*, 1986. Coauthored with David C. Lindberg.
- Bx 15 Fld 16 "Beyond War and Peace: A Reappraisal of the Encounter Between Christianity and Science," in *Journal of American Scientific Affiliation*, 1987. Coauthored with David C. Lindberg.

- Bx 15 Fld 17 "C. S. Lewis on Creation and Evolution: The Acworth Letters, 1944-1960," in *Perspectives on Science and Christian Faith*, 1996. Coauthored with Gary B. Ferngren. Also includes drafts and related correspondence.
- Bx 15 Fld 18 "Clarifying Creationism: Five Common Myths," in *History and Philosophy of the Life Sciences*, 2011.
- Bx 15 Fld 19 "Charles E. Rosenberg," in *Isis*. An article announcing the winner of the Sarton Medal. No date.
- Bx 15 Fld 20 "Comments," in *Spectrum*, 1972.
- Bx 15 Fld 21 "Comments on William Shea," in *Historically Speaking*, 2005.
- Bx 15 Fld 22 "Conference on the Historical Relations of Christianity and Science, Madison, Wisconsin, 23-25 April 1981," in *Isis*, 1981. Coauthored with David C. Lindberg.
- Bx 15 Fld 23 "Creating Creationism: Meanings and Usage Since the Age of Agassiz," parts 1-3, in *Reasons to Believe*, 1995.
- Bx 15 Fld 24 "Creation Science," in *Christian Century*, 1995.
- Bx 15 Fld 25 "Creation, Evolution, and Holy Ghost Religion: Holiness and Pentecostal Responses to Darwinism," in *Religion and American Culture*, 1992.
- Bx 15 Fld 26 "Creation, Evolution, and the Boundaries of Science: The Debate in the United States," in *Almagest*, 2012. Coauthored with Edward J. Larson.
- Bx 15 Fld 27 "Creationism in 20th-Century America," in *Science*, 1982.

- Bx 15 Fld 28 "The Creationists," in *Zygon*, 1987.
- Bx 15 Fld 29 "Creationists and Their Critics in Australia: an Autonomous Culture or 'the USA with Kangaroos'?" in *Historical Records of Australian Science*, 2002. Also includes three draft manuscripts, and related correspondence.
- Bx 15 Fld 30 "David C. Lindberg, 1935-2015," in *Isis*, 2015. Coauthored with Michael Shank.
- Bx 15 Fld 31 "Defending science education against intelligent design: a call to action," in *The Journal of Clinical Investigation*, 2006. Coauthored with seven others.
- Bx 15 Fld 32 "Dr. Jackson's Water Cure and Its Influence on Adventist Health Reform," in *Adventist Heritage*, 1974.
- Bx 15 Fld 33 "From Adventism to Spiritualism: John Fetzer's Spiritual Journey," in *Adventist Today*, 2018.
- Bx 15 Fld 34 "From Miasma to Asthma: The Changing Fortunes of Medical Geography in America," in *History and Philosophy of the Life Sciences*, 2003. Coauthored with Gregg Mitman.
- Bx 15 Fld 35 "Gary Gene Land, 1944-2014: Historian of Religion," in *Perspectives on History*, 2014. Coauthored with Brian E. Strayer.
- Bx 15 Fld 36 "George Frederick Wright: From Christian Darwinist to Fundamentalist," in *Isis*, 1988.
- Bx 15 Fld 37 "Graduate Education in the History of Medicine: North America," in *Bulletin of the History of Medicine*, 1986. Compiled with Ann G. Carmichael. Includes correspondence, drafts, and other related materials.

Bx 15 Fld 38 "Gregor Mendel: Creationist Hero," in *Science & Education*, 2015.

Bx 15 Fld 39 "Health Reform on the Delaware," in *New Jersey History*, 1974.

Bx 15 Fld 40 "The History of American Medicine: A Field in Ferment," in *Reviews in American History*, 1982.

Bx 15 Fld 41 "Into All the World: Expanding the History of Science and Religion beyond the Abrahamic Faiths," in *Almagest*, 2018. Coauthored with John Hedley Brooke.

Bx 15 Fld 42 "Joint Meeting with the British Society for the History of Science," in *History of Science Society Newsletter*, 1988.

Bx 15 Fld 43 Letter published in *Canadian Bulletin of Medical History*, 1991.

Bx 15 Fld 44 Letter to the editor of *The New York Times*, 2017.

Bx 15 Fld 45 "The Making of an Eclectic Physician: Joseph M. McElhinney and the Eclectic Medical Institute of Cincinnati," in *Bulletin of the History of Medicine*, 1972.

Bx 15 Fld 46 "Millerism and Madness: A Study of 'Religious Insanity' in Nineteenth-Century America," in *Bulletin of the Menninger Clinic*, 1985. Coauthored with Janet S. Numbers. For full research materials, see Box 40 Fld 6 - Box 41 Fld 3.

Bx 15 Fld 47 "Mind & Matter" in *In Character*, 2009. Includes related correspondence. Full journal included, the article is on pages 82-85.

- Bx 15 Fld 48 “Mitos e verdades em ciência e religião: uma perspectiva histórica,” in *Revista de Psiquiatria Clínica*, 2009. Translated into Portuguese by Alexandre Sech Junior and Cristiane Schumann Silva. Revision of Translation by Alexander Moreira-Almeida. Title in English: Myths and truths in science and religion: a historical perspective.
- Bx 15 Fld 49 “‘The Most Important Biblical Discovery of Our Time’: William Henry Green and the Demise of Ussher’s Chronology,” in *Church History*, 2000. Includes drafts and related correspondence.
- Bx 15 Fld 50 “The Nebular Hypothesis of Isaac Orr,” in *Journal for the History of Astronomy*, 1972.
- Bx 15 Fld 51 “On humans, dinosaurs, and Sarah Palin,” blog post on Harvard University Press Publicity Blog, 2008. Includes related correspondence.
- Bx 15 Fld 52 “On Palin, ‘Intelligent Design’ and Us,” blog post on Spectrum Blog, 2008. Reprinted from Harvard University Press Publicity Blog.
- Bx 15 Fld 53 “Organized Medicine Didn’t Always Oppose NHI,” in *Hospital Progress*, 1978.
- Bx 15 Fld 54 “The Psychological World of Ellen White,” in *Spectrum*, 1983. Coauthored with Janet S. Numbers. Includes additional manuscripts, correspondence, and related research materials.
- Bx 15 Fld 55 “The Quest for Historical Accuracy: Ronald Numbers Replies to William VanDoodewaard,” the *Biologos* blog, 2016.

- Bx 15 Fld 56 "Science and Religion," in *Osiris*, 1985.
Includes handwritten notes.
- Bx 15 Fld 57 "Science and Religion: A Status Report," in an unknown Danish journal, c. 2008.
Appears to be a reprint of the introduction to *Science and Christianity in Pulpit and Pew*.
- Bx 15 Fld 58 "Science and Religion in the American Society of Church History," in *Isis*, 1984.
- Bx 15 Fld 59 "Science Falsely So-Called: Evolution and Adventists in the Nineteenth Century," in *Journal of the American Scientific Affiliation*, 1975. Includes related materials and lecture notes.
- Bx 15 Fld 60 "Science in the Old South: A Reappraisal," in *The Journal of Southern History*, 1982.
Coauthored with Janet S. Numbers.
- Bx 15 Fld 61 "Science, Eastern Orthodoxy, and World Religions," in *Isis*, 2016. Coauthored with John Hedley Brooke.
- Bx 15 Fld 62 "'Sciences of Satanic Origin': Adventist Attitudes Toward Evolutionary Biology," in *Spectrum*, 1979.
- Bx 15 Fld 63 "Untestable theory can't be passed off as science," in *Wisconsin State Journal*, 2005. Coauthored with Elliott Sober.
- Bx 15 Fld 64 "William Beaumont and the Ethics of Human Experimentation," in *Journal of the History of Biology*, 1979.
- Bx 15 Fld 65 "William Beaumont's Reception at Home and Abroad," in *Isis*, 1981. Coauthored with William J. Orr, Jr.

Bx 15 Fld 66 Abstract: "Temperature and Density Distributions in a Low Current Manganese Arc," in *Applied Spectroscopy*, 1962. Coauthored with Ray Hefferlin and Bill Mundy. This was the first published scholarly article Ron Numbers wrote.

Serials Edited

Correspondence and other materials regarding journals for which Ron Numbers was the editor, or on the editorial board.

Bx 15 Fld 67 Materials and correspondence regarding *Studies in Adventist History* and *Adventist Heritage*, 1971-1979. Includes materials for the first volume of *Adventism in America*, which the same team was working to publish. For more correspondence regarding *Adventist Heritage*, see Box 6 Fld 21, Box 26 Fld 29, Box 27 Fld 2, and Box 27 Fld 10.

Bx 15 Fld 68 Correspondence regarding *Isis*, when Ron Numbers was an advisory editor, 1982-1988.

Bx 15 Fld 69 "Farewells and Introductions," editorial in *Isis*, 1989. Ron Numbers was editor of *Isis* from 1989-1993.

Bx 15 Fld 70 Correspondence regarding *Isis*, 1991-1994.

Bx 15 Fld 71 Plaque from The History of Science Society honoring Ron Numbers for 5 years as Editor of *Isis*, 1989-1993

Bx 15 Fld 72 Correspondence regarding *Almagest*, volume 12, 2021 edited by Hyoong Wook Park and Ron Numbers, 2018-2021.

Bx 15 Fld 73 *Almagest*, volume 12, 2021. Edited by Hyoong Wook Park and Ron Numbers.

Reviews

Almost exclusively book reviews, these are sorted alphabetically by book title. Reviews with a title other than the book title are still sorted by title of the book, not by title of the article. In this section, the word "by" indicates the author of the title, rather than the reviewer. Format is: "Review Title," *Work Title*, by Author, in *Journal Reviewed in*, year reviewed. Any review coauthors are listed afterwards. For reviews of multiple books, the order of the books is that listed in the review.

Bx 16 Fld 1 "Origins of a Prohibition," *Abortion in America: The Origins and Evolution of National Policy, 1800-1900*, by James C. Mohr, in *Science*, 1978.

Bx 16 Fld 2 *America's First Hospital: The Pennsylvania Hospital* by William H. Williams, in *American Historical Review*, 1977.

Bx 16 Fld 3 *America's God: From Jonathan Edwards to Abraham Lincoln* by Mark A. Noll, c. 2003. Journal unknown.

Bx 16 Fld 4 *American Medical Education: The Formative Years, 1765-1910*, by Martin Kaufman, in *Isis*, 1979.

Bx 16 Fld 5 *American Medical Schools and the Practice of Medicine: A History* by William G. Rothstein, in *Isis*, 1989.

Bx 16 Fld 6 *American Medicine Comes of Age 1840-1920: Essays to Commemorate the Founding of the Journal of The American Medical Association, July 14, 1883* by Lester S. King, in *Isis*, 1985.

Bx 16 Fld 7 *American Medicine in Transition* by John S. Haller, Jr., in *The Journal of American History*, 1982.

Bx 16 Fld 8 *American Self-Dosage Medicines: An Historical Perspective* by James Harvey Young, in *Journal of the History of Medicine*, 1979.

- Bx 16 Fld 9 *Angelical Conjunction: The Preacher-Physicians of Colonial New England* by Patricia Ann Watson, *Enter the Physician: The Transformation of Domestic Medicine* by Lamar Riley Murphy, and *Medicine in America: A Short History* by James H. Cassidy, in *William and Mary Quarterly*, 1993.
- Bx 16 Fld 10 *Becoming a Physician: Medical Education in Britain, France, Germany, and the United States*, by Thomas Neville Bonner, in *Journal of the American Medical Association*, 1996.
- Bx 16 Fld 11 *Before Scopes: Evangelicalism, Education, and Evolution in Tennessee, 1870-1925*, by Charles A. Israel, in *American Historical Review*, 2005.
- Bx 16 Fld 12 *A Calculus of Suffering: Pain, Professionalism, and Anesthesia in Nineteenth-Century America* by Martin S. Patrick, in *Journal of Interdisciplinary History*, 1988.
- Bx 16 Fld 13 *The Career of William Beaumont and the Reception of His Discovery*, edited by I. Bernard Cohen, in *The John Hopkins University Bulletin of the History of Medicine*, 1981.
- Bx 16 Fld 14 *Catholicism and Science*, by Peter M. J. Hess and Paul L. Allen, and *Roman Catholicism and Modern Science*, by Don O'Leary, in an unknown serial, c. 2009. Coauthored with Dana A. Freiburger.
- Bx 16 Fld 15 *The Church and Healing*, edited by W. J. Shiels, in *Church History*, 1984.
- Bx 16 Fld 16 *Crusaders for Fitness: The History of American Health Reformers* by James C. Whorton, in *Isis*, 1983.

- Bx 16 Fld 17 *Darwin to Einstein: Historical Studies on Science and Belief*, edited by Colin Chant and John Fauvel, and *Darwin to Einstein: Primary Sources on Science and Belief*, edited by Noel G. Coley and Vance M. D. Hall, in *Isis*, 1982.
- Bx 16 Fld 18 "Religion Red in Tooth and Claw," *Darwin's Cathedral: Evolution, Religion, and the Nature of Society*, by David Sloan Wilson, in *American Scientist*, c. 2002. Reviewed with Karen Steudel Numbers. Includes with a published letter from Mary E. Clark, and a reply from Karen Steudel Numbers and Ron Numbers, 2003.
- Bx 16 Fld 19 *The development of the Seventh-day Adventist understanding of Ellen G. White's prophetic gift, 1844-1889*, by Theodore N. Levterov, in *Journal of Ecclesiastical History*, c. 2015.
- Bx 16 Fld 20 "The creationist controversy," *Did the Devil Make Darwin Do It? Modern Perspectives on the Creation-Evolution Controversy*, edited by David B. Wilson, *Science and Creationism*, edited by Ashley Montagu, *Is God a Creationist? The Religious Case Against Creation-Science*, edited by Roland Mushat Frye, and *A History of Modern Creationism*, by Henry M. Morris, in *Isis*, 1985.
- Bx 16 Fld 21 *Dinosaurs, Volcanoes, and Holy Writ: A Boy-Turned-Scientist Journeys from Fundamentalism to Faith*, by James L. Hayward, in *Spectrum*, c. 2020.
- Bx 16 Fld 22 *The Dread Disease: Cancer and Modern American Culture*, by James T. Patterson, in *The Journal of American History*, 1988.

- Bx 16 Fld 23 "The Hedgehog, the Fox, and Ellen G. White: A Review," *The Ellen G. White Encyclopedia*, edited by Denis Fortin and Jerry Moon, in *Spectrum Magazine*, 2014. Reviewed with Jonathan Butler.
- Bx 16 Fld 24 *Eros and Modernization: Sylvester Graham, Health Reform, and the Origins of Victorian Sexuality in America*, by Jayme A. Sokolow, and *The Destroying Angel: Sex, Fitness and Food in the Legacy of Degeneracy Theory, Graham Crackers, Kellogg's Corn Flakes and American Health History*, by John Money, in *Journal of the History of Medicine*, 1986.
- Bx 16 Fld 25 *Fair Play in the Marketplace: The First Battle for Pure Food and Drugs*, by Mitchell Okun, in *Technology and Culture*, 1988.
- Bx 16 Fld 26 *Fit for America: Health, Fitness, Sport, and American Society* by Harvey Green, in *The Journal of American History*, 1987.
- Bx 16 Fld 27 "Together but not Equal: Amateurs and Professionals in Early American Scientific Studies," *The Formation of the American Scientific Community: The American Association for the Advancement of Science*, by Sally Gregory Kohlstedt, and *The Pursuit of Knowledge in the Early American Republic: American Scientific and Learned Sciences from Colonial Times to the Civil War*, edited by Alexandra Oleson and Sanborn C. Brown, in *Reviews in American History*, 1976.
- Bx 16 Fld 28 *Freudian Theory and American Religious Journals, 1900-1965*, by Ann Elizabeth Rosenberg, in *The John Hopkins University Bulletin of the History of Medicine*, 1983.

- Bx 16 Fld 29 "The War Against Hookworm," *The Germ of Laziness*, by John Ettling, in *Science*, 1982.
- Bx 16 Fld 30 "In Defense of Secular History," *God and Man in History*, by George Edgar Shankel, in *Spectrum*, 1969.
- Bx 16 Fld 31 *The Golden Page: A Biographical Novel*, by Alma M. Myer, in *Bulletin of the History of Medicine*, 1978.
- Bx 16 Fld 32 *A Guide to the Culture of Science, Technology, and Medicine*, edited by Paul T. Durbin, in *The John Hopkins University Bulletin of the History of Medicine*, c. 1980.
- Bx 16 Fld 33 *Harry S. Truman Versus the Medical Lobby: The Genesis of Medicare*, by Monte M. Poen, and *Economists and Health Care: From Reform to Relativism*, by Daniel M. Fox, in *Bulletin of the History of Medicine*, 1981.
- Bx 16 Fld 34 *The Healers: The Rise of the Medical Establishment*, by John Duffy, in *Wisconsin Magazine of History*, 1978.
- Bx 16 Fld 35 *Health and Medicine in the Methodist Tradition: Journey Toward Wholeness*, by E. Brooks Holifield, in *Church History*, 1988.
- Bx 16 Fld 36 *The History of the Health Care Sciences and Health Care, 1700-1980*, by Jonathon Erlen, in *Isis*, 1986.
- Bx 16 Fld 37 *Ignatius of Loyola: The psychology of a saint*, by W. W. Meissner, in *Bulletin of the Menninger Clinic*, 1994. Reviewed with Peter J. Clagnaz.

- Bx 16 Fld 38 "666 and All That," *The Incredible Dr. Matrix: The World's Greatest Numerologist*, by Martin Gardner, in *Spectrum*, 1982. Includes a second unpublished manuscript for the review.
- Bx 16 Fld 39 *Inherit the Wind*, film review in *Isis*, 1993.
- Bx 16 Fld 40 *John Harvey Kellogg, M.D.*, by Richard W. Schwarz, in *Bulletin of the History of Medicine*, 1973.
- Bx 16 Fld 41 *Joseph Jones, M.D.: Scientist of the Old South*, by James O. Breeden, in *The Journal of American History*, 1976.
- Bx 16 Fld 42 *The Launching of Modern American Science*, by Robert V. Bruce, in *The Journal of American History*, 1988.
- Bx 16 Fld 43 "The healing of medical education," *Learning to Heal: The Development of American Medical Education*, by Kenneth M. Ludmerer, in *Dallas Times Herald*, 1986.
- Bx 16 Fld 44 *Let Me Heal: The Opportunity to Preserve Excellence in American Medicine*, by Kenneth M. Ludmerer, in *Journal of the History of Medicine and Allied Sciences*, 2015.
- Bx 16 Fld 45 *The Life and Travels of John Bartram: From Lake Ontario to the River St. John*, by Edmund Berkeley and Dorothy Smith Berkeley, in *Journal of Southern History*, 1982.
- Bx 16 Fld 46 *Lying-In: A History of Childbirth in America*, by Richard W. Wertz and Dorothy C. Wertz, in *The Journal of American History*, 1978.

- Bx 16 Fld 47 *Making Sense of Self: Medical Advice Literature in Late Nineteenth-Century America*, by Anita Clair Fellman and Michael Fellman, in *American Historical Review*, 1983.
- Bx 16 Fld 48 *Masters of Madness: Social Origins of the American Psychiatric Profession*, by Constance M. McGovern, in *Isis*, 1987.
- Bx 16 Fld 49 *Medical Revolution in Minnesota: A History of the University of Minnesota Medical School*, by Leonard G. Wilson, in *Journal of the American Medical Association*, 1990. Includes a published letter to the editor from the author, and Ron Numbers' published reply.
- Bx 16 Fld 50 *Medicine in Society: Historical Essays*, edited by Andrew Wear, in *Journal of the American Medical Association*, 1993.
- Bx 16 Fld 51 *Mortal Coil: A Short History of Living Longer*, by David Boyd Haycock, in *Isis*, 2009. Reviewed with Dana A. Freiburger.
- Bx 16 Fld 52 *Organized Medicine in the Progressive Era: The Move Toward Monopoly*, by James G. Burrow, in *Bulletin of the History of Medicine*, 1979.
- Bx 16 Fld 53 *The Post-Darwinian Controversies: A Study of the Protestant Struggle to Come to Terms with Darwin in Great Britain and America, 1870-1900*, by James R. Moore, in *Isis*, 1980.
- Bx 16 Fld 54 *The Prophet and Her Critics*, by Leonard Brand and Don S. McMahan, c. 2014. Coauthored with Jonathan M. Butler. This does not appear to be a review for a serial, nor is it a full review, but a short blurb regarding why they did not approve of the book.

- Bx 16 Fld 55 *Protestants in an Age of Science: The Baconian Ideal and Antebellum American Religious Thought*, by Theodore Dwight Bozeman, in *Isis*, 1978.
- Bx 16 Fld 56 *Radioactivity in America: Growth and Decay of a Science*, by Lawrence Badash, in *Clio Medica*, 1980.
- Bx 16 Fld 57 *Redeeming Culture: American Religion in an Age of Science*, by James Gilbert, in *Isis*, 1999.
- Bx 16 Fld 58 *The Religion of Chiropractic: Populist Healings from the American Heartland*, by Holly Folk, in *Bulletin of the History of Medicine*, c. 2017.
- Bx 16 Fld 59 *The Road of Science and the Ways to God*, by Stanley L. Jaki, in *Church History*, 1981.
- Bx 16 Fld 60 *The Road to Wellville*, film review in *Journal of the History of Medicine*, 1995.
- Bx 16 Fld 61 *Rockefeller Medicine Men: Medicine and Capitalism in America*, by E. Richard Brown, in *The American Historical Review*, 1980.
- Bx 16 Fld 62 *Sarah Tyson Rorer: The Nation's Instructress in Dietetics and Cookery*, by Emma Seifrit Weigley, in *Journal of the History of Medicine*, 1980.
- Bx 16 Fld 63 *Science and Religion*, by John Hedley Brooke, in *Metascience*, 1992.
- Bx 16 Fld 64 *Science, Religion, and Mormon Cosmology*, by Erich Robert Paul, in *The Journal of Religion*, 1994.

- Bx 16 Fld 65 *Sex, Diet, and Debility in Jacksonian America: Sylvester Graham and Health Reform*, by Stephen Nissenbaum, in *Isis*, 1981. A review of *The Education of American Physicians: Historical Essays*, edited by Ron Numbers, is on the same page.
- Bx 16 Fld 66 *Shock, Physiological Surgery, and George Washington Crile: Medical Innovation in the Progressive Era*, by Peter C. English, in *The American Historical Review*, 1981.
- Bx 16 Fld 67 *The Social Transformation of American Medicine*, by Paul Starr, in *Science*, 1983.
- Bx 16 Fld 68 *Strangers at the Bedside: A History of How Law and Bioethics Transformed Medical Decision Making*, by David J. Rothman, in *American Historical Review*, 1992.
- Bx 16 Fld 69 *Technicians of the Finite: The Rise and Decline of the Schizophrenic in American Thought, 1840-1960*, by S. P. Fullinwider, in *The John Hopkins University Bulletin of the History of Medicine*, 1984. Reviewed with Janet S. Numbers.
- Bx 16 Fld 70 *Time to Heal: American Medical Education from the Turn of the Century to the Era of Managed Care*, by Kenneth M. Ludmerer, *The Journal of American History*, 2001.
- Bx 16 Fld 71 *Understanding Genesis: Contemporary Adventist Perspectives*, edited by Brian Bull, Fritz Guy, and Ervin Taylor, in *Adventist Today*, c. 2006.
- Bx 16 Fld 72 *The University of Vermont College of Medicine*, by Martin Kaufman, in *Clio Medica*, 1980.

Bx 16 Fld 73 *The Village Enlightenment in America: Popular Religion and Science in the Nineteenth Century*, by Craig James Hazen, in *Church History*, 2002.

Bx 16 Fld 74 *The Western Medical Tradition: 1800 to 2000*, by W. F. Bynum, Anne Hardy, Stephen Jacyna, Christopher Lawrence, and E. M. Tansey, in *New England Journal of Medicine*, 2007.

Bx 16 Fld 75 *Where Darwin Meets the Bible: Creationists and Evolutionists in America*, by Larry A. Witham, in *The Journal of Religion*, 2004.

Bx 16 Fld 76 "Sainthood Confirmed," *William Osler: A Life in Medicine*, by Michael Bliss, in *Science*, 2000.

Bx 16 Fld 77 *With Dignity: The Search for Medicare and Medicaid*, by Sheri I. David, in *American Historical Review*, 1986.

Bx 16 Fld 78 *Women & Men Midwives: Medicine, Morality, and Misogyny in Early America*, by Jane B. Donegan, in *The Journal of Interdisciplinary History*, 1980.

Reviews of Articles for Serials

These are Ron Numbers' comments on papers submitted to serials, whose editors asked for him to review the article to see if it was suitable for publication. Formatting for articles is, "Title," Author, for *Publication*, year.

Bx 16 Fld 79 An article on the Catholic Round Table of Science, author unknown, for *Isis*, c. 2009.

Bx 16 Fld 80 "Charles Darwin and Lady Hope: The Legend Still Alive," author unknown, for *Centaurus*, c. 2014.

- Bx 16 Fld 81 "Developments in the Relationship between Seventh Day Baptists and Seventh-day Adventists, 1844-1884," author unknown, for *Journal of Ecclesiastical History*, c. 2016.
- Bx 16 Fld 82 "Dutch Wedges and Life-Saving Pamphlets: Creation in the Netherlands," author unknown, for *Zygon*, c. 2009.
- Bx 16 Fld 83 "Faith Healing, Medical Regulation, and Public Religion in Gilded Age Chicago," author unknown, for *The Journal of American History*, c. 2008.
- Bx 16 Fld 84 "Impact of 1918 Spanish Influenza Pandemic on Mortality Rates in Savannah, Georgia," author unknown, for *The Georgia Historical Quarterly*, c. 2015.
- Bx 16 Fld 85 "‘Not just breast-feeding animals’: Gundtvigian Protestant responses to Darwinism in Denmark," author unknown, for *Journal of the History of Ideas*, 2009.
- Bx 16 Fld 86 "Orthodoxy and Science in the Greek World (1832-1939)," by Kostas Tampakis, for publication in association with the Nature and Religion in South Eastern European Space program, c. 2015.
- Bx 16 Fld 87 "‘Practically, I am a Fundamentalist’: Twentieth Century Orthodox Jews Contend with Evolution and Its Implications," by Ira Robinson, for an unknown serial. No date.
- Bx 16 Fld 88 "The Reception of Ernst Haeckel's Ideas in Greece," author unknown, for *Almagest*, c. 2010.
- Bx 16 Fld 89 "Science and Orthodox Christianity: An Overview," authors unknown, for *Isis*, c. 2016.

Bx 16 Fld 90 "The uniformity of natural laws in Victorian Britain," author unknown, for *Journal of Religion*, c. 2009.

Bx 16 Fld 91 An article on William Beaumont, author unknown, for *Isis*, c. 2010.

Papers Presented

These are primarily papers presented at conferences, along with related correspondence or research materials, and arranged by title. Essays written by Ron Numbers which do not appear to have been published in any of the above mediums are also included here.

Bx 16 Fld 92 "The Adventist Origins of Scientific Creationism," c. 2010. File name is "Ministry," but it seems unlikely that this was prepared for *Ministry* magazine.

Bx 16 Fld 93 "Antievolutionism in America before the Scopes Trial," c. 2005. File name was "Bryan College."

Bx 16 Fld 94 "Arnold Guyot and the Harmony of Science and the Bible," for the 14th International Congress of the History of Science, Tokyo, Japan, 1975.

Bx 16 Fld 95 "Creation Underground: Anti-Evolutionism from Bryan to Morris." No date.

Bx 16 Fld 96 "Creationism," c. 2010. File name was "MS Lion Creationism."

Bx 16 Fld 97 "Creationism in Britain and America," for the British Society for the History of Science and the History of Science Society Joint Conference, 1988.

Bx 16 Fld 98 "Daniel Kirkwood's Analogy: An American Confirmation of the Nebular Hypothesis," in the Proceedings of the XIIIth International Congress of the History of Science, Moscow, 1971.

- Bx 16 Fld 99 "The Dilemma of Evangelical Scientists," likely presented at the Sunstone Theological Symposium in Salt Lake City, UT, 1984. Includes handwritten notes for presenting the paper.
- Bx 16 FI 100 "Ekmeleddin İhsanoğlu: The George Sarton of Ottoman Science," c. 2019.
- Bx 16 FI 101 "George McCready Price and the Intellectual Origins of Scientific Creationism," likely presented at the annual meeting of the History of Science Society, Philadelphia, 1982.
- Bx 16 FI 102 "The Heavenly Origin of Evolution," in the National Science Foundation's online report, "150 Years of On the Origin of Species and the Evolution of Evolution," 2009.
- Bx 16 FI 103 "Medicine in the New World: A Comparison," for the XXVII Congreso Internacional de Historia de la Medicina, 1980, Barcelona, Spain.
- Bx 16 FI 104 "Putting 'Pseudoscience' in Its Place and Keeping It There: The Globalization of American Creationism," c. 2006.
- Bx 16 FI 105 "Review of Religious Scholarship: The Pew Charitable Trusts," c. 1995. [This is from a corrupted file.]
- Bx 16 FI 106 "Scientists and Reformers: Changing Views of Race and Intelligence in America, 1905-1950," c. 1973. Includes related correspondence.
- Bx 16 FI 107 "Sex, Diet, and Salvation in the Writings of Ellen G. White and John Harvey Kellogg," likely presented at the Symposium on "Health in the Home: Popular Medicine in Early America," at the College of Physicians of Philadelphia and Library Company of Philadelphia, 1998.
- Bx 16 FI 108 "Social Model or Medical Menace? American Visions of Canadian Medicine in the 20th Century," likely presented at the annual meeting of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of

Canada, in Vancouver, 1993. Coauthored with Robert B. Sullivan. Includes several manuscripts, correspondence, and research materials.

Bx 16 FI 109 "Spiritual Crises in the Age of Darwin." No date.

Bx 16 FI 110 "Wisdom and Science," c. 2009. Includes notes for the preparation of the paper.

Bx 16 FI 111 Untitled paper on faith and healing, c. 1997. [This file is from a corrupted disk.]

Bx 16 FI 112 Abstracts for papers not in this collection.

Lectures

Notes, posters, and other materials for lectures by Ron Numbers. These are sorted alphabetically by title, or in some cases, by topic. Posters and folders with multiple lectures and materials, are at the end, left in their original state. The most recent version of the lectures below may be in the folder Ron Numbers labeled "Current Lectures," in Box 17 Fld 1.

Bx 16 FI 113 "Aggressors, Victims, and Peacemakers: Historical Actors in the Drama of Science and Religion," Terry Lecture presented at Yale University, 2006.

Bx 16 FI 114 "Anti-Evolution in America: From Creationism to Intelligent Design," presented at Methodist University for the "Templeton-Bullard Lecture," 2007.

Bx 16 FI 115 "Contesting the Boundaries of Science." No date.

Bx 16 FI 116 "Creation and Creativity: Or, How We Got Here in the First Place," c. 2004.

Bx 16 FI 117 Untitled lecture on Dutch statistics, c. 2008.

Bx 16 FI 118 Notes for lectures on Ellen G. White for events related to the Association of Adventist Forums, 1974-1977.

Bx 16 FI 119 "The Evolution of Scientific Creationism," poster and photographs of a lecture at University of Iowa, 1990.

Bx 16 FI 120 Notes for a lecture on George Frederick Wright. No date.

Bx 16 FI 121 "Intelligent Design," c. 2006.

Bx 16 FI 122 Materials for a lecture on James Ussher. No date.

Bx 16 FI 123 Notes for lectures on John Harvey Kellogg, including one presented at a retirement celebration for Amanda Porterfield, 2018.

Bx 16 FI 124 "John William Draper and the Conflict between Science and Religion," presented at the American Chemical symposium commemorating "John W. Draper and the Founding of the American Chemical Society," at New York University, 2001.

Bx 16 FI 125 "Judith W. Leavitt as a Medical Historian," presented at the conference on "One Woman's Labor: Judith Leavitt's Academic Contributions and Influence on the Profession," at University of Wisconsin-Madison, 2010.

Bx 16 FI 126 "The Making of a Medical Monopoly: Myth or Reality?" This was original presented in 1988, but was given multiple times between 1988-2001.

Bx 16 FI 127 "Millennial Madness: Religion and Insanity in American History," the Benjamin Rush Lecture at the annual meeting of The American Psychiatric Association, 2000.

Bx 16 FI 128 Benjamin Rush Award Lecture plaque for "Millennium Madness," presented by The American Psychiatric Association, 2000.

Bx 16 FI 129 "Myths and Truths in Science and Religion in Historical Perspective," presented at the Faraday Institute for Science and Religion, at Cambridge University, 2006. Also includes the

transcript of an after-dinner discussion hosted by Denis Alexander, which is a dialogue between Colin Russel and Ron Numbers, as well as Brian Heap, Jason Rampelt, Brian Stanley, Bob White, Jim Moore, Andrew Cunningham, and Alison Pearn.

Bx 16 FI 130 "Professor Ekmeleddin İhsanoğlu: The George Sarton of Ottoman Science," c. 2018.

Bx 16 FI 131 "The Quest of the Historical Ellen G. White," the second Richard Hammill Memorial Lecture, presented at Loma Linda University, 2001. Includes correspondence with Ervin Taylor, event organizer.

Bx 16 FI 132 "Science & Religion in the Age of Bachman," keynote address at the John Bachman Symposium at Newberry College, 2006.

Bx 16 FI 133 "Spirituality and Health in the American Context." Includes related correspondence and materials.

Bx 16 FI 134 Online comments on video lecture, "Talk of Science without Talk of God," a "Sabbath Un-Sermon" on spectrummagazine.org, 2014.

Bx 16 FI 135 Untitled lecture on teaching creationism in public schools, possibly at Concordia University, c. 2009.

Bx 16 FI 136 "Three American Prophets: Joseph Smith, Mary Baker Eddy, and Ellen G. White," the Sterling M. McMurrin Lecture at the John Whitmer Historical Association, 2005. Includes information about the Adventist Church's support of polygamy in Mormonism.

Bx 16 FI 137 "The Uses and Abuses of History." No date..

Bx 16 FI 138 "The War on Evolution: Why Does It Continue," c. 2018

Bx 16 Fl 139 Introduction of Ron Numbers for a meeting of the Adventist Forum of Central Florida, 2006. Author unknown.

Bx 16 Fl 140 Folder: "Old Lectures." Most of these are on the topic of creationism, and have been left in the same way Ron Numbers kept them.

Bx 17 Fl 1 Folder of "current" lectures. These are on multiple subjects, and have been left in the same way Ron Numbers kept them. Some of these may be more recent versions of lectures above.

Bx 17 Fl 2 Posters, programs, and promotional materials for lectures by Ron Numbers, 1993-2018.

Bx 17 Fl 3 Abstracts for lectures not in this collection.

Other Writings

These include obituaries, roasts of colleagues, web material, and other similar items.

Bx 17 Fl 4 "Creationism in the Nineteenth and Twentieth Centuries," for Counterbalance.org, 1998. Includes related correspondence and a sample page from the website, retrieved in 2023.

Bx 17 Fl 5 "John Hedley Brooke," notes for a roast, c. 2008.

Bx 17 Fl 6 "Jon Roberts Retirement," c. 2022.

Bx 17 Fl 7 "My Testimony," c. 2006.

Bx 17 Fl 8 "Ray 'Doc' Hefferlin." No date.

Unfinished Essays

These are manuscripts of essays for which there is not a known finished product in this collection. Unfinished manuscripts for books can be found in section VII. Research Materials.

Bx 17 Fl 9 "Darwin's Legacy?" c. 2010.

Bx 17 Fl 10 "Human Evolution and Divine Intervention," c. 2010.

Bx 17 Fl 11 "Joseph LeConte (1823-1902)," c. 2006.

Bx 17 Fld 12 "Nature," c. 2005.

Bx 17 Fld 13 "Plagiarism or Research: Black, White, or Gray?"
Unfinished manuscript. No date. Includes
research materials on plagiarism.

Bx 17 Fld 14 "Science and Religion in Principle and Practice: The
Case of Creationism," c. 2008.

Bx 17 Fld 15 "Spencer," c. 2018.

Bx 17 Fld 16 "Scientific Naturalism," c. 1999.

Bx 17 Fld 17 "Scientists and the Privatization of Religious Beliefs,"
c. 2002

Bx 17 Fld 18 "Imperialism," chapter 4 of an unknown book.

Publications Mentioning Ron Numbers

These are publications Ron Numbers saved that either were about him, or referenced him. These have been separated into two parts, publications about Ron Numbers, which include interviews and articles exclusively about him, and publications mentioning Ron Numbers, which include only a passing reference. Within these categories, they are presented here in chronological order.

Bx 17 Fld 19 Publications about Ron Numbers, 1976-2006.

Bx 17 Fld 20 Publications about Ron Numbers, 2007-2020.

Bx 17 Fld 21 Publications mentioning Ron Numbers, 1986-2003.

Bx 17 Fld 22 Publications mentioning Ron Numbers, 2004-2005.

Bx 17 Fld 23 Publications mentioning Ron Numbers, 2006-2017.

Royalty Statements and Book Sales

Statements regarding earnings from publications. Many royalty statements are included in correspondence folders throughout the collection.

Bx 17 Fld 24 Royalty Statements, 1999-2011

Bx 17 Fld 25 Royalty Statements, Cambridge University Press,
2001.

Bx 17 Fld 26 Royalty Statements, Harvard University Press, 2009-2012.

Bx 17 Fld 27 Royalty Statement, Oxford University Press, June 2013.

Bx 17 Fld 28 Royalty Statement, Cambridge University Press, July - December 2013.

Bx 17 Fld 29 Royalty Statements, 2017-2022. Includes related correspondence.

Bx 17 Fld 30 List of book sales, through 2019.

Reviews for Publishers

These are materials related to books and articles that Ron Numbers reviewed at the request of publishers. These reviews were not for publication, but were used to determine whether to publish a book or article, and what edits the author should make. Reviews of untitled books are arranged chronologically at the end, followed by correspondence with specific publishers.

Bx 17 Fld 31 Blurbs written by Ron Numbers (brief reviews for the back of books).

Bx 17 Fld 32 *The Anointed: America's Evangelical Experts*, by Karl Giberson and Randall Stephens. The first page is a review of the proposal for the Templeton Foundation, c. 2007, and the other a review of the book, c. 2010.

Bx 17 Fld 33 *Chiropractic and Christianity*, author unknown, c. 2008.

Bx 17 Fld 34 *Containing Science: The Challenge of Scientific Authority in Modern America*, by Andrew Jewett, 2018.

Bx 17 Fld 35 *Dispensational Modernism*, by B. M. Pietsch, c. 2015.

Bx 17 Fld 36 *Evolution Comes to America: Robert Chambers's Vestiges . . . 1800-1860*, author unknown, c. 2014.

Bx 17 Fld 37 *Existential Threats*, by Lisa Vox, c. 2016.

- Bx 17 Fld 38 *"Handmaid" or "Assailant,"* by Monte Hampton, c. 2006.
- Bx 17 Fld 39 *The House of Sciences*, by Ekmeleddin İhsanoğlu, c. 2016. For related correspondence, and drafts of the book, see Bx 26 Flds 20-22.
- Bx 17 Fld 40 *Indian Givers*, by Jack Weatherford, c. 2005.
- Bx 17 Fld 41 *Morals Not Knowledge: Recasting the Contemporary U.S. Conflict between Religion and Science*, by John H. Evans, c. 2017.
- Bx 17 Fld 42 *No Vestige of a Beginning: God and the Pursuit of Science in the Modern Age*, by Terence Green, c. 2014.
- Bx 17 Fld 43 *Not All Atheists are New Atheists*, by Elaine Howard Ecklund and David R. Johnson, c. 2018
- Bx 17 Fld 44 *Pseudoscience: A Very Short Introduction*, by Michael D. Gordin, c. 2018.
- Bx 17 Fld 45 *Radiation Poisoning: How the American Medical Association Reinforced Traditional Chiropractic Ideology to Limit Medicare Reimbursement to Chiropractors*, author unknown, c. 2017.
- Bx 17 Fld 46 *Reconciling the Bible and Science*, authors unknown, c. 2009.
- Bx 17 Fld 47 *Scandal Time: The Untold and Mis-told Story of Warren Harding, Charles R. Forbes, and 1920s Washington D.C.*, by Rosemary A. Stevens, c. 2015.
- Bx 17 Fld 48 *Science and Religion: A Marriage Made in Hell*, by Michael Ruse, c. 2007.
- Bx 17 Fld 49 *Science, Religion, and Nationalism*, edited by Jaume Navarro and Kostas Tampakis, c. 2021.
- Bx 17 Fld 50 *Science, Religion, and the Human Spirit*, by Edward Larson and Michael Ruse, c. 2016.

- Bx 17 Fld 51 *The Scientific Spirit of American Humanism*, by Stephen P. Weldon, c. 2014.
- Bx 17 Fld 52 *Scientists and Secularity around the Globe*, by Elaine Howard Ecklund, c. 2017.
- Bx 17 Fld 53 *Segregation's Science*, by Gregory Dorr, c. 2010.
- Bx 17 Fld 54 *Teaching Evolution in a Creation Nation*, by Adam Laats and Harvey Siegel, c. 2015.
- Bx 17 Fld 55 *Waging Peace*, by Elaine Howard Ecklund, c. 2009.
- Bx 17 Fld 56 Untitled book on geologists by Julie Newell, c. 2006.
- Bx 17 Fld 57 Untitled book on the history of medicine and religion, author unknown, c. 2016.
- Bx 17 Fld 58 Untitled book by Aechtner (probably Tom Aechtner), c. 2019.
- Bx 17 Fld 59 Untitled book on creationism in South Korea by Park (probably Hyung Park), c. 2021.
- Bx 17 Fld 60 Correspondence regarding publications reviewed for University of Wisconsin Press, 1982-1985.
- Bx 17 Fld 61 Correspondence regarding publications reviewed for University of Wisconsin Press, 1986-1995.
- Bx 17 Fld 62 Correspondence regarding publications reviewed for University of Alabama Press, 2012-2013.

V. Conferences

This section contains materials both from conferences Ron Numbers organized and attended. Most of the conferences Ron Numbers organized resulted in books, and materials for these conferences are found above under "Books Edited."

Conferences Organized

Materials from conferences Ron Numbers organized for which either there is no information regarding a resulting book.

- Bx 17 Fld 63 The First Barnard-Millington Symposium on Southern Science and Medicine: Science in the Old South, papers presented at The University of Mississippi, Oxford Campus, 1982. Contains an essay, "Science in the Old South: A Reappraisal," coauthored with Janet S. Numbers.
- Bx 18 Fld 1 The Second Barnard-Millington Symposium on Southern Science and Medicine: Medicine in the Old South, papers presented at The University of Mississippi, Jackson Campus, 1983.
- Bx 18 Fld 2 Correspondence for a conference regarding the origin of the universe, 1986.
- Bx 18 Fld 3 Information regarding "Social, Political and Religious Transformations of Biology," at Cambridge University, c. 2006
- Bx 18 Fld 4 Correspondence regarding a conference in honor of Michael Ruse, 2009-2010. Includes papers submitted for the conference.
- Bx 18 Fld 5 Program and Correspondence regarding the American Association for the Advancement of Science's Dialogue on Science, Ethics, and Religion, 2014-2015. Ron Numbers was on the conference's advisory committee.
- Bx 18 Fld 6 Correspondence regarding a retirement celebration for Michael Shank, 2017.

Conferences Attended

This section contains materials for conferences Ron Numbers attended, and may have participated in, but did not organize.

- Bx 18 Fld 7 Reclamation documents for travel to Universiteit Gent in Belgium for participation in a conference, dissertation defense, and public lecture, 2011.
- Bx 18 Fld 8 Notes and correspondence regarding an introduction of Michael Ruse at the Werkmeister Conference, 2018.

VI. Correspondence, Professional

This section is likely the largest in the collection, and contains correspondence on a variety of topics. Where possible, related correspondence is found under the relevant category in other sections. However, researchers should also check this section for correspondence on their desired topics. General correspondence sorted by year is first, followed by correspondence to specific topics. Correspondence is largely kept in the manner Ron Numbers kept it, and there is some personal correspondence mixed in with the professional.

Organized by Year

These were already in folders arranged (roughly) by year.

The following folders are organized by month, day, and year:

Bx 18 Fld 9 1965-1968

Bx 18 Fld 10 1969

Bx 18 Fld 11 1970

Bx 18 Fld 12 1971

Bx 18 Fld 13 1972

Bx 18 Fld 14 1973

Bx 18 Fld 15 1974

Bx 18 Fld 16 1975

Bx 18 Fld 17 1976

Bx 18 Fld 18 January - June, 1977

Bx 18 Fld 19 July - December, 1977

The following folders are organized by Ron Numbers by year only:

Bx 18 Fld 20 1978, part 1

Bx 18 Fld 21 1978, part 2

Bx 18 Fld 22 1978, part 3

Bx 18 Fld 23 1979, part 1

Bx 18 Fld 24 1979, part 2

Bx 18 Fld 25 1979, part 3

Bx 18 Fld 26 1980, part 1

Bx 18 Fld 27 1980, part 2. The end of this folder contains a set of related correspondence from 1978-1980.

Bx 18 Fld 28 1980, part 3

Bx 18 Fld 29 1981, part 1

Bx 19 Fld 1 1981, part 2

Bx 19 Fld 2 1981, part 3

Bx 19 Fld 3 1982, part 1

Bx 19 Fld 4 1982, part 2

Bx 19 Fld 5 1983, part 1

Bx 19 Fld 6 1983, part 2

Bx 19 Fld 7 1984

Bx 19 Fld 8 1985

Bx 19 Fld 9 1986

Bx 19 Fld 10 1987, part 1

Bx 19 Fld 11 1987, part 2

Bx 19 Fld 12 1988, part 1

Bx 19 Fld 13 1988, part 2

Bx 19 Fld 14 1989, part 1

Bx 20 Fld 1 1989, part 2

Bx 20 Fld 2 1990, part 1

Bx 20 Fld 3 1990, part 2

Bx 20 Fld 4 1990, part 3

Bx 20 Fld 5 1991, part 1

Bx 20 Fld 6 1991, part 2

Bx 20 Fld 7 1992, part 1

Bx 20 Fld 8 1992, part 2

Bx 20 Fld 9 1993, part 1

Bx 20 Fld 10 1993, part 2

Bx 20 Fld 11 1994, part 1

Bx 20 Fld 12 1994, part 2

Bx 20 Fld 13 1995, part 1

Bx 21 Fld 1 1995, part 2

Bx 21 Fld 2 1995, part 3

Bx 21 Fld 3 1996, part 1

Bx 21 Fld 4 1996, part 2

Bx 21 Fld 5 1997, part 1

Bx 21 Fld 6 1997, part 2

Bx 21 Fld 7 1998, part 1

Bx 21 Fld 8 1998, part 2

Bx 21 Fld 9 1999, part 1

Bx 21 Fld 10 1999, part 2

Bx 21 Fld 11 1999, part 3

Bx 21 Fld 12 2000, part 1

Bx 21 Fld 13 2000, part 2

Bx 21 Fld 14 2000, part 3

Bx 22 Fld 1 2001, part 1

Bx 22 Fld 2 2001, part 2

Bx 22 Fld 3 2001, part 3

Bx 22 Fld 4 2002, part 1

Bx 22 Fld 5 2002, part 2

Bx 22 Fld 6 2002, part 3

Bx 22 Fld 7 2003, part 1

Bx 22 Fld 8 2003, part 2

Bx 22 Fld 9 2003, part 3

Bx 22 Fld 10 2004, part 1

Bx 22 Fld 11 2004, part 2

Bx 22 Fld 12 2004, part 3

Bx 22 Fld 13 2005, part 1

Bx 22 Fld 14 2005, part 2

Bx 22 Fld 15 2005, part 3

Bx 23 Fld 1 2006

Bx 23 Fld 2 2007

Bx 23 Fld 3 2008

Bx 23 Fld 4 2009, part 1

Bx 23 Fld 5 2009, part 2

Bx 23 Fld 6 2009, part 3

Bx 23 Fld 7 2009, part 4

Bx 23 Fld 8 2010, part 1

Bx 23 Fld 9 2010, part 2

Bx 23 Fld 10 2010, part 3

Bx 23 Fld 11 2011, part 1. Many emails in the following 4 folders are email which Ron Numbers received in 2009 and replied to in 2011. This may be because he considered these emails to be less significant, as there is a large collection above of emails received and responded to in 2009. 2010 did not seem to have this situation.

Bx 24 Fld 1 2011, part 2

Bx 24 Fld 2 2011, part 3

Bx 24 Fld 3 2011, part 4

Bx 24 Fld 4 2012, part 1

Bx 24 Fld 5 2012, part 2. Includes several emails regarding his divorce with Karen Steudel, his third wife.

Bx 24 Fld 6 2012, part 3

Bx 24 Fld 7 2012, part 4

Bx 24 Fld 8 2013, part 1

Bx 24 Fld 9 2013, part 2

Bx 24 Fld 10 2013, part 3

Bx 24 Fld 11 2014, part 1

Bx 24 Fld 12 2014, part 2

Bx 24 Fld 13 2014, part 3

Bx 25 Fld 1 2015, part 1
Bx 25 Fld 2 2015, part 2
Bx 25 Fld 3 2015, part 3
Bx 25 Fld 4 2016, part 1
Bx 25 Fld 5 2016, part 2
Bx 25 Fld 6 2016, part 3
Bx 25 Fld 7 2017, part 1
Bx 25 Fld 8 2017, part 2
Bx 25 Fld 9 2017, part 3
Bx 25 Fld 10 2018, part 1
Bx 25 Fld 11 2018, part 2
Bx 25 Fld 12 2018, part 3
Bx 25 Fld 12a 2018, part 4
Bx 25 Fld 13 2019, part 1
Bx 26 Fld 1 2019, part 2
Bx 47 Fld 1a 2019, part 3
Bx 26 Fld 2 2020, part 1
Bx 26 Fld 3 2020, part 2
Bx 47 Fld 2 2020, part 3
Bx 47 Fld 3 2020, part 4
Bx 26 Fld 4 2021
Bx 47 Fld 5 2021, part 2
Bx 47 Fld 6 2021, part 3

Bx 47 Fld 7 2022, part 1

Bx 47 Fld 8 2022, part 2

Bx 47 Fld 9 2023

Organized by Topic

This section includes correspondence on particular topics and/or to particular people. In order to find correspondence on a particular issue, the researcher should look through the chronological correspondence, as well as potentially related topics elsewhere in this register. The topics are arranged chronologically, and as above, may have personal correspondence mixed in with the professional. For correspondence with individuals related to Seventh-day Adventism, see the next section.

Bx 26 Fld 6 Correspondence, 1974-2012. Based on the location in the collection and the content, this folder of correspondence appears to be items Ron Numbers filed separately as being important, and so it is filed here. Most of these are professional, but some are personal. Correspondence with most Adventists in this folder has been removed to the section below, although there is one conversation with Herbert Douglass still in this folder, as there was not enough correspondence with Douglass to merit a separate folder below.

Bx 26 Fld 7 Correspondence with Kenneth F. Kiple regarding the Cambridge History and Geography of Human Disease Project, 1986-1991.

Bx 26 Fld 8 Correspondence regarding articles Ron Numbers was writing for *The Wisconsin Medical Journal*, 1988-1990.

Bx 26 Fld 9 Correspondence regarding the *Encyclopedia of Midwestern History and Culture*, a rejected proposal for which Ron Numbers was an associate editor, 1989-1991.

Bx 26 Fld 10 Correspondence regarding Creationism and Intelligent Design, 1992-2005.

- Bx 26 Fld 11 Correspondence with James T. H. Connor, 1993-1996.
- Bx 26 Fld 12 Correspondence with Lynden J. Rogers, and others, primarily regarding a trip to Australia, 1995-1999.
- Bx 26 Fld 13 Materials and correspondence regarding Creation and Evolution in Turkey, and Islam in general, 2000-2005.
- Bx 26 Fld 14 Correspondence regarding Jewish responses to the Creation-Evolution debate, 2000-2005.
- Bx 26 Fld 15 Correspondence regarding appraisals of Ron Numbers' periodical collection, 2000-2003.
- Bx 26 Fld 16 Correspondence regarding an author who plagiarized Ron Numbers, 2004-2006.
- Bx 26 Fld 17 Articles and correspondence regarding the Grantsburg, Wisconsin school district's decision to teach theories other than evolution, c. 2006.
- Bx 26 Fld 18 Correspondence regarding *Science and the Americas*, a planned but never published book by Ron Numbers, 2008-2017. For more on this book, see "The History of American Science" under "VII. Research Materials," below.
- Bx 26 Fld 19 Correspondence with Xiangui Su, 2011-2014.
- Bx 26 Fld 20 Manuscript of "The House of Sciences," by Ekmeleddin İhsanoğlu, July, 2016.
- Bx 26 Fld 21 Manuscript of "The House of Sciences," by Ekmeleddin İhsanoğlu October, 2016.
- Bx 26 Fld 22 Material and Correspondence regarding Ekmeleddin İhsanoğlu and his "The House of Sciences: Story of Darulfunun," 2017-2021.
- Bx 26 Fld 23 Correspondence from Bruce Fye, 2018.

Bx 26 Fld 24 Correspondence regarding the "Science and Orthodoxy Around the World" project, 2018-2019.

Bx 26 Fld 25 Undated Correspondence.

Bx 26 Fld 26 Email address books, 2000-2016. **Restricted: No Copies.**

With Seventh-day Adventists

This section includes correspondence Ron Numbers had with Seventh-day Adventists, or in some cases, former Seventh-day Adventists, with whom he regularly corresponded. These are arranged by person, and have been removed from Ron Numbers' general correspondence above. Topics discussed include items both professional and personal, and also include those related and unrelated to Adventism. Not all Adventists have been removed from the correspondence above, only those who seemed to have frequent conversations with Ron Numbers. Other Adventists *not* included in this section, but whose correspondence can be found under "Organized by Date" include, but not limited to Reinder Bruinsma, Brian Bull, Benjamin Clausen, Herbert Douglass, Larry Geraty, Fritz Guy, Bert Haloviak, Shandelle Hensen, Wayne Judd, George Knight, David Larson, Ronald Lawson, Larry Longo, Douglas Morgan, Frederick Norwood, David and Judy Osborne, Richard Osborne, Jon Paulien, Richard Ritland, Alden Thompson, David Trim, and Gilbert Valentine.

Bx 26 Fld 27 Terrie Aamodt, 2012-2018. Terrie was a professor at Walla Walla University with whom Ron Numbers edited *Ellen Harmon White: American Prophet*. For more correspondence with Terrie, see "*Ellen Harmon White: American Prophet*" under "Books Edited" above.

Bx 26 Fld 28 Eric Anderson, 1979-2018. Eric was a professor of history at Pacific Union College (PUC), and later president of both Southwestern Adventist University and PUC. Correspondence with Eric Anderson regarding the donation of Ron Numbers' library to PUC is found in Bx 1 Fld 1.

- Bx 26 Fld 29 Godfrey T. Anderson, 1971-1982. Ron Numbers worked with Anderson on *Adventist Heritage* and *Studies in Adventist History*. For more correspondence regarding those publications, see Box 15 Fld 67.
- Bx 26 Fld 30 Bruce Branson, 1978-1984. Bruce was Ron Numbers' first cousin. For more information on Bruce Branson, including interviews, see "Bruce Branson" under "W. H. Branson and Family" in "VII. Research Materials."
- Bx 26 Fld 31 Roy Branson, 1975-2015. Roy was Ron Numbers' first cousin, an editor of *Spectrum*, and a professor at several Adventist institutions. Some correspondence in this section is from Donna Carlson, a close friend of Roy Branson. For additional correspondence, see "Association of Adventist Forums" under "Professional Organizations," and Box 6 Fld 36. For more information on Roy Branson's life, including interviews, see "Roy Branson" under "W. H. Branson and Family" in "VII. Research Materials."
- Bx 26 Fld 32 Kevin Burton, 2022. Kevin Burton was the director of the Center for Adventist Research, and this correspondence is related to an interview Kevin did with Ron Numbers and Jonathan Butler for a class he taught at the Seventh-day Adventist Theological Seminary, and also includes correspondence regarding the donation of Ron Numbers' papers to the Center for Adventist Research. For correspondence regarding the donation of Ron Numbers' library, see Box 1 Fld 1.
- Bx 26 Fld 33 Jonathan Butler, 1979-2014. Jonathan Butler was one of Ron Numbers' closest friends, and was a professor of history at Union College and Loma Linda University before departing Adventist employment. While most of this is indeed professional correspondence, much of it is also personal. Some correspondence in these folders is from Jonathan's wife,

Marianne. For more correspondence with Jonathan Butler, see "*Prophetess of Health*" and "Stained Glass Watergate," under "Books Written."

Bx 26 Fld 34 Jonathan Butler, 2015-2017.

Bx 26 Fld 35 Jonathan Butler, 2018-2019. For correspondence in 2022 with Jonathan Butler and Kevin Burton, see Box 26 Fld 32.

Bx 27 Fld 1 Michael Campbell, 2005-2022. Ron Numbers interacted with Michael Campbell as a historian on a few occasions. For more information on Michael Campbell and his interaction with Ron Numbers, see "*Ellen Harmon White: American Prophet*" under "Books Edited" above. See also Box 28 Fld 21.

Bx 27 Fld 2 Vern Carner, 1973-2019. Vern was a close friend who was very instrumental in the printing of *Prophetess of Health*, as well as *Adventist Heritage*. Some correspondence in this section is from Vern's wife Barbara. For more correspondence with Vern Carner, see "*Prophetess of Health*" and "Stained Glass Watergate" above, under "Books Written," especially Box 6 Fld 21, as well as Box 15 Fld 67.

Bx 27 Fld 3 Donald Casebolt, 2017-2022. This is correspondence regarding Don's research on Ellen White, and includes Ron Numbers' thoughts about his findings.

Bx 27 Fld 4 Molleurus Couperus, 1976-1992. Molleurus was the founding editor of *Spectrum*. The later correspondence in this folder is with Molleurus' wife Dorothea "Dos" Couperus, as Molleurus' mind was beginning to fail.

Bx 27 Fld 5 Bonnie Dwyer, 2009-2018. Bonnie Dwyer was executive editor of *Spectrum* and president of the Adventist Forum from 1998-2021, and this correspondence is primarily regarding *Spectrum* and Adventist Forum.

- Bx 27 Fld 6 Martin Gardner, 1976-1996. Gardner was a well-known mathematician and author who wrote on pseudoscience and religion. Although he never joined the church, he was interested in Seventh-day Adventism as a teenager. His correspondence with Ron Numbers is largely related to their mutual interest in Ellen White, Mary Baker Eddy, and William Sadler and the *Urantia Book*. For more information on Sadler and Urantia, which have roots in Adventism, see “John Fetzer and Urantia,” under “VII. Research Materials.”
- Bx 27 Fld 7 Ronald Graybill, 1978-2022. Graybill was associate director of the Ellen G. White Estate during the writing and publication of *Prophetess of Health*. Graybill was Ron Numbers’ source for accessing some of the documents for the research of the book, but their relationship became rocky during the aftermath of the book, when Graybill was sent by the Estate to publically denounce the book at various locations. Their relationship gradually mended, especially after Graybill completed his dissertation, which was also regarded as critical of Ellen White, and left the White Estate. For more correspondence, see “*Prophetess of Health*” and “Stained Glass Watergate” above, under “Books Written.”
- Bx 27 Fld 8 James Hayward, 1977-2022. Hayward was a professor of biology, spending most of his career at Andrews University. Hayward was a friend of Ron Numbers, and connected with him many times about speaking engagements, and other topics relating Adventism and science. **Restricted until 2033.**
- Bx 27 Fld 9 Ray Hefferlin, 1970-2016. Hefferlin taught physics at Southern Missionary College (later Southern Adventist University), and was Ron Numbers’ primary professor for his undergraduate degree. The two stayed in touch over the years. Some correspondence at the end is with Inelda Hefferlin, Ray’s wife.

- Bx 27 Fld 10 Gary Land, 1976-2014. Land was a professor of history at Andrews University. Ron Numbers worked with him in connection with *Adventist Heritage* and *Studies in Adventist History*. Land was also a co-editor of *Ellen Harmon White: American Prophet*. For more correspondence, see "*Ellen Harmon White: American Prophet*" under "Books Edited" above, and Box 15 Fld 67.
- Bx 27 Fld 11 Ingemar Linden, 1971-1995. Linden wrote a dissertation on Ellen White and the shut door. For more correspondence with Linden, see "*Prophetess of Health*" above, under "Books Written."
- Bx 27 Fld 12 Donald McAdams, 1969-1980. McAdams and Ron Numbers worked together as professors of history at Andrews University. McAdams later served as president of Southwestern Adventist University, and wrote about Adventist history. For a full manuscript of a book McAdams shared with Ron Numbers, see Box 41 Fld 22.
- Bx 27 Fld 13 Benjamin McArthur, 1983-2011. McArthur was a professor of History at Southern College (later Southern Adventist University), and briefly at Southwestern Adventist University. Ron Numbers wrote to him frequently, often about history, but almost always also about college football. Ron Numbers was at the top of McArthur's list of who to notify after his death.
- Bx 27 Fld 14 Julius Nam, 2009-2018. Nam was a professor at Loma Linda University, and later a lawyer. Some correspondence is regarding *Ellen Harmon White: American Prophet*. For more related correspondence, see "*Ellen Harmon White: American Prophet*" under "Books Edited" above.
- Bx 27 Fld 15 Jim Nix, 1991-1997. Nix worked at the Loma Linda University archives, and later was Director of the Ellen G. White Estate. Nix assisted with photographs for *Prophetess of Health*. For

more, see "*Prophetess of Health*" under "Books Written," above. All correspondence starting in 1991 is here, but there is still correspondence from prior to 1991 under "Organized by Date," above.

Bx 27 Fld 16 Arthur Patrick, 1982-2009. Patrick was director of the Ellen G. White / Seventh-day Adventist Research Centre at Avondale College. For more regarding Patrick, see "*Ellen Harmon White: American Prophet*" under "Books Edited" above.

Bx 27 Fld 17 Rennie Schoepflin, 1984-2018. Schoepflin was a professor of history at Loma Linda University and La Sierra University before he left denominational employment, and the denomination. He later worked as an associate dean at California State University, Los Angeles. Schoepflin completed his dissertation under Ron Numbers' direction, and was a close and supportive friend.

Bx 27 Fld 18 Richard Schwarz, 1970-1999. Schwarz was the chair of the history department at Andrews University when Ron Numbers was a professor there, and later served in the university's administration. Schwarz was a major player in the discussion of *Prophetess of Health*, and even helped Ron Numbers' parents deal with their grief about the situation. The two shared an interest in John Harvey Kellogg, and continued corresponding after Schwarz's retirement in 1990. For more correspondence with Schwarz, see Box 2 Fld 1, as well as "*Prophetess of Health*" and "Stained Glass Watergate" above, under "Books Written."

Bx 27 Fld 19 Loren Seibold, 2018-2022. Seibold was editor of *Adventist Today*. This is primarily correspondence regarding an interview Seibold did with Ron Numbers, as well as some friendly correspondence later.

Bx 27 Fld 20 James Walters, 1993-2020. Walters was a professor of religion at Loma Linda University. Ron Numbers corresponded with him primarily regarding speaking invitations at or near Loma Linda University.

Bx 27 Fld 21 Correspondence with regarding dissertations on Ellen White and psychology, 2005.

With T. Joe Willey

T. Joe Willey was among Ron Numbers' closest friends. In this collection, correspondence with Willey was found interspersed throughout, especially among topics related to Adventism and Ellen White. For the most part, Ron Numbers kept this correspondence separately from this other correspondence, although the processor took the liberty of moving occasional letters from Willey from the chronological correspondence folders into this section so they are more accessible by researchers. Willey was heavily involved in the aftermath of *Prophetess of Health*. More correspondence with Willey can be found in "*Prophetess of Health*" and "Stained Glass Watergate" above, under "Books Written." For writings by Willey, see "Articles by T. Joe Willey" under "VII. Research Materials," below.

Bx 27 Fld 22 Correspondence, 1969-2011.

Bx 27 Fld 23 Correspondence, 1971-2018, part 1.

Bx 27 Fld 24 Correspondence, 1971-2018, part 2.

Bx 27 Fld 25 Correspondence, 1971-2018, part 3.

Bx 27 Fld 26 Correspondence with regarding *The Prophet and Her Critics* by Leonard Brand and Don McMahon, 2005-2008.

Bx 27 Fld 27 Correspondence regarding Walter Rea, 2010. Includes copies of several documents and letters from Walter Rea, including binder: *E. G. White Manuscripts Copy Work: P.K., D.A., A.A., G.C.*

With Critics of Adventism

While much the correspondence above could be classified in this section, these are letters Ron Numbers kept separate, which nicely fit under this category.

Bx 27 Fld 28 Correspondence with Walter Rea, Phyllis Watson, and Barbara Williams, 1987-1992.

Bx 27 Fld 29 Correspondence from Phyllis Watson regarding perceived connections between Mormonism, Joseph Smith, and Ellen White, 2002-2005.

Bx 27 Fld 30 "Two American Prophets Confront African-Americans: Brigham Young, Ellen G. White and Their Contrasting Legacies," by Newell G. Bringhurst, with related correspondence, 2007.

Bx 27 Fld 31 Correspondence with David Harris (a pseudonym), a YouTuber who attempted to coauthor a letter under a pseudonym with Ron Numbers regarding Ben Carson and Adventism, 2016. **Restriction: No Access until 2031**

Bx 27 Fld 32 Correspondence with Sheila Shigley regarding Adventists' connections to the CIA, 2016. Includes documents marked "Top Secret" and "Sensitive." Sheila Shigley is Ron Numbers' cousin. For more correspondence with Shigley, see Box 1 Fld 65.

VII. Research Materials

This section includes multiple materials regarding topics Ron Numbers was researching. These topics are divided in two sections, "Specific Focus" and "General Focus." Unless otherwise noted, items in this section are written by others, and not Ron Numbers.

Specific Focus

This section includes more narrow topics of specific interest to Ron Numbers. These are arranged alphabetically by topic, and may include related correspondence.

Adventism in China

Ron Numbers' grandfather, W. H. Branson, was president of the China Division, hence his heightened interest in this topic. Included here are some primary source materials, interview transcripts, articles, and much correspondence regarding this research. Additional related material may be found in the next section: "W. H. Branson and Family."

Bx 27 Fld 33 Letter from H. W. Miller, China Division President, to Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Coulston regarding the death of a doctor, May 27, 1934.

Bx 27 Fld 34 "II. Adventism in China: The Communist Takeover," by S. J. Lee, *Spectrum*, 1976. Includes related correspondence.

Bx 27 Fld 35 "Missionary from Cathay: David Lin's Own Story," by David Lin, *Spectrum*, December 1991.

Bx 27 Fld 36 Correspondence regarding Adventist work in China, W. H. Branson, and Chang-Sheng Gu, 2005-2007.

Bx 27 Fld 37 Correspondence with Rebekah Liu, c. 2005-2009. Liu worked for the Center for Adventist Research, and was paid privately by Ron Numbers to translate related documents from Chinese into English.

Bx 27 Fld 38 English translation of sections from *A History of Christianity in China*, by Chang-Sheng Gu, 1999. Translation by Rebekah Liu, c. 2005-2009.

Bx 27 Fld 39 Correspondence with Chang-Sheng Gu, and related materials and correspondence, 2005-2009.

Bx 27 Fld 40 Recording of interview with Chang-Sheng Gu, 2006. Includes both a cassette tape and CD.

Bx 27 Fld 41 Transcript of interview with Chang-Sheng Gu, 2006.

Bx 27 Fld 42 Transcript of interview with Chang-Sheng Gu, with corrections by Gu, 2006.

Bx 27 Fld 43 "Sinicizing Christianity in China: The Conversion of Chen Qingde," by John C. Chen, c. 2008.

Bx 27 Fld 44 "Co-optation and Its Discontents: Seventh-Day Adventism in 1950s China," by Joseph Tse-Hei Lee, *Frontiers of History in China*, 2012.

Bx 27 Fld 45 "The Missionaries and the Guomindang: An exploration of the Seventh-day Adventist Experience in Republican China," by Ruth Crocombe, thesis for Master of Philosophy, University of Queensland, 2015.

Bx 27 Fld 46 Correspondence with Christie Chui-Shan Chow, 2020.

Bx 27 Fld 47 "Seventh-day Adventists and Self-Strengthening" by Christie Shui-Shan Chow, c. 2020. Also includes two abstracts for papers by Chow on related topics.

Bx 27 Fld 48 "I Am the Way, the Truth, the Life: God's Story as Told by a Daughter of a Red Army Soldier," by Rebekah Liu. No date.

William H. Branson and Family

William Henry Branson was Ron Numbers' maternal grandfather. He served in various capacities in Seventh-day Adventist Church leadership, including as president of the China Division, and president of the General Conference. Ron Numbers was deeply interested in the history of his

grandfather, and the rest of the family. Included here is all the information Ron Numbers pulled various sources, but primarily from the General Conference archives. Also included are transcripts of interviews with people who knew W. H. Branson, as well as, at the end, information on other members of the Branson Family.

General Materials on William H. Branson

These are a collection of materials Ron Numbers kept regarding William H. Branson. Included here is general correspondence, articles by Branson, records from other archives, and correspondence regarding information. Materials are kept primarily as Ron Numbers filed them, and arranged by date according to the oldest item in each folder.

Bx 28 Fld 1 File on W. H. Branson including articles, screen shots of web searches, primary documents, and related correspondence, 1901-2018.

Bx 28 Fld 2 Correspondence relating to W. H. Branson from the Loma Linda University archives, 1903-1956. Some correspondence also references J. H. Kellogg.

Bx 28 Fld 3 Research materials on, and articles by, W. H. Branson, 1909-1956. Research by Carolyn Remmers, Ron Numbers' sister.

Bx 28 Fld 4 References to "Branson" in *Field Tidings*, 1909-1915. First page is of unknown relation, from *Medical Missionary Bulletin*.

Bx 28 Fld 5 Report of the 1919 Bible Conference, and other related materials, 1919-1979.

Bx 28 Fld 6 Selected historical documents regarding W. H. Branson, 1924-1961. Collected by Michael Scofield, 2017.

- Bx 28 Fld 7 "Motoring Through Central Africa," a series of articles by W. H. Branson, in *The Youth's Instructor*, August-October, 1929.
- Bx 28 Fld 8 Scan of a pamphlet for meetings held by W. H. Branson and his son, E. L. Branson, 1933. E. L. is Ron Numbers' uncle, and father of Bruce and Roy Branson.
- Bx 28 Fld 9 Articles written by or about W. H. Branson, 1934-1961. Unlike most articles in this section, these are originals as opposed to photocopies.
- Bx 28 Fld 10 Articles written by or about W. H. Branson from *The China Division Reporter*, 1938-1950.
- Bx 28 Fld 11 Articles about W. H. Branson in *Review & Herald*, 1938-1950.
- Bx 28 Fld 12 Correspondence with Elizabeth Branson regarding the illness and death of her husband, W. H. Branson, 1954-1961.
- Bx 28 Fld 13 Memorial service program for W. H. Branson and articles about his death, 1961.
- Bx 28 Fld 14 Notes, transcripts, and interviews regarding W. H. Branson, 1972-1989.
- Bx 28 Fld 15 Recording of interview with R. R. Figuhr regarding W. H. Branson, 1981. Includes both cassette tape and CD.
- Bx 28 Fld 16 Transcript of interview with R. R. Figuhr regarding W. H. Branson, and related correspondence, 1981-1987.

Bx 28 Fld 17 Email from Ron Numbers to Jim Connor regarding W. H. Branson, c. 2004. Includes an article about the centennial anniversary of the Takoma Park Seventh-day Adventist Church.

Bx 28 Fld 18 Excerpt from *W. W. Prescott: Forgotten Giant of Adventism's Second Generation*, by Gilbert M. Valentine, regarding W. H. Branson, 2005.

Bx 28 Fld 19 Email from Al Dittes regarding W. H. Branson, 2008.

Bx 28 Fld 20 "Adventism and America's Original Sin (Part 1)," by Douglas Morgan, in *Spectrum*, 2017.

Bx 28 Fld 21 Correspondence with Michael Campbell regarding a photograph of W. H. Branson, 2021.

Materials from the General Conference Archives

Ron Numbers photocopied multiple records from the General Conference Archives relating to W. H. Branson. Most of these records come from Record Group 11, the presidential files. These photocopied materials are presented here in roughly the same order Ron Numbers and the General Conference Archives kept them—chronological, and alphabetized according to topic. Letters indicate alphabetization within that file, where appropriate. Most files will have sticky notes, or other notes indicating where in the archives these materials were found.

Bx 28 Fld 22 1916-1917

Bx 28 Fld 23 1918

Bx 28 Fld 24 1919

Bx 28 Fld 25 1920

Bx 28 Fld 26 1921

Bx 28 Fld 27 1922

Bx 28 Fld 28 1923

Bx 28 Fld 29 1925-1932

Bx 28 Fld 30 1933 C-R

Bx 28 Fld 31 1933 S-W

Bx 28 Fld 32 1934 A-C

Bx 28 Fld 33 1934 D-N

Bx 28 Fld 34 1934 N-S

Bx 28 Fld 35 1934 U-Z

Bx 28 Fld 36 1935 A-G

Bx 28 Fld 37 1935 H-O

Bx 28 Fld 38 1935 P-W

Bx 28 Fld 39 1936-1937 A-M

Bx 28 Fld 40 1936-1937 N-Z

Bx 29 Fld 1 Presidential Files, 1936-1937 A-H

Bx 29 Fld 2 Vice Presidential Files, 1937-1946

Bx 29 Fld 3 1938

Bx 29 Fld 4 1940-1941 A-B and Personal

Bx 29 Fld 5 1940-1941 C-M

Bx 29 Fld 6 1940-1941 N-Z

Bx 29 Fld 7 1942 A-B

Bx 29 Fld 8 1942 C-D

Bx 29 Fld 9 1942 G-Z

Bx 29 Fld 10 1943 G-P

Bx 29 Fld 11 1943 R-Z

Bx 29 Fld 12 1944 A-G

Bx 29 Fld 13 1944 H-Z (incomplete)

Bx 29 Fld 14 1945, part 1

Bx 29 Fld 15 1945, part 2

Bx 29 Fld 16 1946 B-R

Bx 29 Fld 17 1950-1959 A-E

Bx 29 Fld 18 1950-1959 F-M

Bx 29 Fld 19 1950-1959 N-R

Bx 29 Fld 20 1950-1959 S-W

Bx 29 Fld 21 Materials on Adventism from Bert
Haloviak, 1999-2007.

Bx 29 Fld 22 Materials and Correspondence
regarding visits to the General
Conference Archives, 2002-2013.

Branson Family Historical Research

Ron Numbers did much research on his ancestry. Included here are materials and correspondence regarding his extended family. Information on immediate family is found above under General Biographical. Researchers should note that some materials on W. H. Branson can also be found in this section, as Ron Numbers often did genealogy research and research on his grandfather at the same time. Similarly, materials on Ron Numbers' parents, Raymond and Lois Numbers can also be found dispersed throughout this section.

- Bx 29 Fld 23 Excerpts from *History of Wayne and Clay Counties, Illinois*, 1884.
- Bx 29 Fld 24 *Ellis Branson of Romine Township, Marion County, Illinois*, by Donald Ray Branson and Donald Jason Branson, 1980. Includes related correspondence.
- Bx 30 Fld 1 Information on Branson family history, collected c. 1972-1983.
- Bx 30 Fld 2 Information on Branson family history, collected 2003-2009. The CD appears to be mostly corrupted, but the one surviving photograph has been printed out.
- Bx 30 Fld 3 Notes and recording of interview with Paul Branson, 1987. Includes one cassette tape and one CD. Paul Branson was W. H. Branson's first cousin. They share a grandfather, Syra Jonathan Branson (1825-1892).

Bruce Branson

Bruce Branson was Ron Numbers' first cousin. For correspondence, see Box 26 Fld 30

- Bx 30 Fld 4 Transcript of an interview with Bruce Branson, 1984.
- Bx 30 Fld 5 Recording of an interview with Bruce Branson, 1984. Includes 3 cassette tapes and 4 CDs.
- Bx 30 Fld 6 Correspondence with Louise Dederen at the Andrews University Heritage Room regarding the Bruce Branson interview, 1985-1987.
- Bx 30 Fld 7 Transcript of an interview with Bruce Branson, 2001. Final page is notes from a conversation with Roy Branson, 2005.

Bx 30 Fld 8 Recording of an interview with Bruce Branson, 2001. Includes 3 cassette tapes and 3 CDs.

Bx 30 Fld 9 Transcript of Roy Branson's interview with Bruce Branson. No date.

Roy Branson

Roy Branson was Ron Numbers' first cousin, served as a founding editor of *Spectrum*, and was a professor at several Adventist colleges. For additional correspondence, see "Association of Adventist Forums" under "Professional Organizations," and Box 6 Fld 36.

Bx 30 Fld 10 Notes about Roy Branson, 2002-2008.

Bx 30 Fld 11 VHS Tape: "Roy Branson Tribute & Celebration," 1998.

Bx 30 Fld 12 Transcript of an interview with Roy Branson, 2002.

Bx 30 Fld 13 Recording of an interview with Roy Branson, 2002. Includes 3 cassette tapes and 5 CDs.

Bx 30 Fld 14 Materials and correspondence regarding the Roy Branson's death, 2015.

Bx 30 Fld 15 "Roy Branson: Ancestry and Youth," read at Roy Branson's funeral, c. 2015.

Bx 30 Fld 16 Correspondence with Alita Byrd regarding an article on Roy Branson for the online Encyclopedia of Seventh-day Adventists, 2020.

Ben Carson

Ben Carson's campaign for president of the United States merged two ideologies that Ron Numbers could not reconcile with: Seventh-day Adventism and political conservatism. Included here is a file with articles Ron Numbers collected about Ben Carson. For more on Ben Carson, see Box 27 Fld 31.

Bx 30 Fld 17 *Gifted Hands* by Ben Carson with Cecil Murphy, 1993.

Bx 30 Fld 18 "Ben Carson, Seventh-Day Adventism, and the Age of the Earth: A Short History of the Short History of Creationism," by Ben Spackman, with notes by Ron Numbers, 2015.

Bx 30 Fld 19 Materials and Correspondence regarding Ben Carson's presidential campaign, 2016. Included is a USB drive from T. Joe Willey that includes many articles about Ben Carson, some from Adventist perspectives.

Creation and Evolution

Outside the Adventist world, Ron Numbers is probably best known for his history of Creationism, *The Creationists*. This section includes articles and other materials, as well as some correspondence, Ron Numbers used in his research for this and other books and articles on the subject. Items in this section are presented in alphabetical order by topic, according to the way Ron Numbers named his folders. Many articles on this topic were found scattered throughout the collection, and these, along with other general articles, are found at the end of this section.

Bx 30 Fld 20 Articles on excavations in Africa.

Bx 30 Fld 21 Materials regarding Margaret Buchanan, former secretary of Ken Ham, and her alleged witchcraft and necrophilia, 2010.

Bx 30 Fld 22 DVD-R disk with comics about creation and evolution, mostly from the early 20th century.

- Bx 30 Fld 23 Articles on continuing debates in creation-evolution.
- Bx 30 Fld 24 Articles on controversies in the 1920s.
- Bx 30 Fld 25 Articles on Darwin and *Descent of Man*.
- Bx 30 Fld 26 Collection of quotations from Charles Darwin, c. 2011.
- Bx 30 Fld 27 Articles on dinosaurs from Adventist publications, part 1. These folders (Box 30 Fld 27 - Box 31 Fld 3) were the sources for two articles coauthored with T. Joe Willey for *Spectrum*, found in Bx 15 Fld 5.
- Bx 30 Fld 28 Articles on dinosaurs from Adventist publications, part 2.
- Bx 30 Fld 29 Articles on dinosaurs from Adventist publications, part 3.
- Bx 31 Fld 1 Articles on dinosaurs from other publications, part 1.
- Bx 31 Fld 2 Articles on dinosaurs from other publications, part 2.
- Bx 31 Fld 3 Articles on dinosaurs from other publications, part 3.
- Bx 31 Fld 4 Articles on East Africa.
- Bx 31 Fld 5 *Genesis 1: What the Ancient Hebrews Heard Then, What Modern Christians Hear Now* by Brain Bull and Fritz Guy, with notes from Ron Numbers. No date. This appears to be an early pre-publication edition of *God, Sky & Land: Genesis 1 as the Ancient Hebrews Heard It*, published in 2011.
- Bx 31 Fld 6 Articles on human antiquity.

- Bx 31 Fld 7 Articles on human evolution.
- Bx 31 Fld 8 Articles on human races
- Bx 31 Fld 9 Materials on creationism in India, including copies of two books by H. Enoch: *Evolution or Creation*, 1966, and *Following the Master*, 1977.
- Bx 31 Fld 10 Articles on the Java Man.
- Bx 31 Fld 11 Notes on J. Peter Lesley, c. 2006.
- Bx 31 Fld 12 Report of the National Study of Religion & Human Origins, by Jonathan P. Hill, 2014.
- Bx 31 Fld 13 Articles on Neanderthals.
- Bx 31 Fld 14 Research proposal regarding "William Paley and the Evolution of the Natural Theology Movement," by Ron Numbers and Adam Shapiro, c. 2010. Also includes a related article by Shapiro, c. 2009.
- Bx 31 Fld 15 Articles on Peking Man.
- Bx 31 Fld 16 Articles on Piltdown Man.
- Bx 31 Fld 17 Polls and surveys.
- Bx 31 Fld 18 Postcards on creation-evolution. Some were sent in the mail with notes for Ron Numbers, but most are blank. Includes a few other related items, which Ron Numbers kept in the same folder.
- Bx 31 Fld 19 Articles on responses to *Descent of Man*.
- Bx 31 Fld 20 Articles by R. M. Ritland regarding earth science, 1962-1963.
- Bx 31 Fld 21 Articles and notes regarding scientific naturalism.

- Bx 31 Fld 22 Articles on South Africa.
- Bx 31 Fld 23 Articles on South Korea, including one with edits from Ron Numbers, c. 2017-2018.
- Bx 31 Fld 24 Recording of evolution and creation discussion from "Sunday Sequence" on BBC. No Date. Includes 1 cassette tape and 1 CD.
- Bx 31 Fld 25 "What is Human?" author unknown, but could be Ron Numbers, c. 2008.
- Bx 31 Fld 26 Audio CD of Steve Paulson's interview with Harun Yahya, 2008.
- Bx 31 Fld 27 DVD with two videos. One is "God of Creation," with Dr. Irwin A. Moon from the Moody Institute of Science. The other is labeled "2 Black Churches," and contains clips faith healing congregations.
- Bx 31 Fld 28 List of books recommended to Rod Stiling by Ron Numbers, c. 2016.
- Bx 31 Fld 29 Articles with edits by Ron Numbers, c. 2009-2018.
- Bx 31 Fld 30 Articles on creation and evolution around the world, part 1.
- Bx 31 Fld 31 Articles on creation and evolution around the world, part 2.
- Bx 32 Fld 1 Articles on creation and evolution around the world, part 3.
- Bx 32 Fld 2 Articles on creation and evolution around the world, part 4.
- Bx 32 Fld 3 20th century creationist literature, part 1.
- Bx 32 Fld 4 20th century creationist literature, part 2.

- Bx 32 Fld 5 20th century creationist literature, part 3.
- Bx 32 Fld 6 20th century creationist literature, part 4.
- Bx 32 Fld 7 20th century creationist literature, part 5.
- Bx 32 Fld 8 General articles on creation and evolution, part 1
- Bx 32 Fld 9 General articles on creation and evolution, part 2
- Bx 32 Fld 10 General articles on creation and evolution, part 3
- Bx 32 Fld 11 General articles on creation and evolution, part 4
- Bx 32 Fld 12 General articles on creation and evolution, part 5
- Bx 32 Fld 13 General articles on creation and evolution, part 6
- Bx 32 Fld 14 General articles on creation and evolution, part 7

Articles Prior to 1900

These are articles printed from a "Science and Religion in America Anthology" CD, and are all from the 1700s-1800s. This material was printed and likely processed by Rodney L. Stiling, one of Ron Numbers' PhD students, and later a colleague of his.

- Bx 32 Fld 15 Table of contents, with descriptions of articles contained in this collection.
- Bx 32 Fld 16 Earthquake debate, Boston, 1755-1756.
- Bx 32 Fld 17 Genesis and Geology, 1820s-1830s.
- Bx 32 Fld 18 Silliman-Hitchcock Correspondence, 1820s-1840s.
- Bx 32 Fld 19 Interpretation of Genesis One, 1830s.
- Bx 32 Fld 20 Cosmogony, Geology, and Genesis 1, 1838-1897.
- Bx 33 Fld 1 Unity vs Plurality of the Human Race, 1839-1862.

- Bx 33 Fld 2 Origin and Antiquity of the Human Race, 1840s-1870s.
- Bx 33 Fld 3 American Responses to *The Vestiges of the Natural History of Creation* and to *Explanations: A Sequel to the Vestiges of Creation*, 1845-1846.
- Bx 33 Fld 4 Issues in Science and Religion from the pages of the *Theological and Literary Journal*, by David Nevins Lord and Eleazar Lord, 1849-1961.
- Bx 33 Fld 5 Other Writings by/about David Nevins Lord and Eleazar Lord, 1850s.
- Bx 33 Fld 6 Articles on the human origins debate from the *Charleston Medical Journal*, 1850s.
- Bx 33 Fld 7 Articles on the Interpretation of Genesis One by James Dwight Dana and Tayler Lewis, 1850s.
- Bx 33 Fld 8 Reviews of Darwin's *Origin of Species*, 1860-1881.
- Bx 33 Fld 9 Articles on Darwinism and Evolution, 1861-1904.
- Bx 33 Fld 10 American Reaction to John Tyndale, 1874-1878.
- Bx 33 Fld 11 Evolution in *The Independent*, 1875-1880.
- Bx 33 Fld 12 American Reactions to Thomas Henry Huxley, 1876-1877.
- Bx 33 Fld 13 Biographical sketches of Enoch Fotch Burr, John Thomas Duffield, Randolph Sinks Foster, David

Nevins Lord, Eleazar Lord,
Thomas DeWitt Talmage, and
Luther Tracy Townsend.

Bx 33 Fld 14 Miscellaneous Materials on Science and
Religion.

Articles Regarding Intelligent Design

This is a collection of articles Ron Numbers collected on the topic of intelligent design. These are sorted first by year, then by category, with unsorted articles at the end. This material appears to have been used to research the expanded edition of *The Creationists*, which contained new material addressing intelligent design.

Bx 33 Fld 15 Articles on intelligent design, prior to
1998.

Bx 33 Fld 16 Articles on intelligent design, 1998-
2004.

Bx 33 Fld 17 Articles on intelligent design, 2005.

Bx 33 Fld 18 Articles and correspondence on
intelligent design, 2005-2007.

Bx 33 Fld 19 Articles and correspondence on
intelligent design, 2006.

Bx 34 Fld 1 Adventist articles on intelligent design
and the creation-evolution
debate.

Bx 34 Fld 2 Cartoons about intelligent design.

Bx 34 Fld 3 Catholic articles on intelligent design.

Bx 34 Fld 4 Articles on historical intelligent design.

Bx 34 Fld 5 Legal documents and articles regarding
court cases about intelligent
design.

Bx 34 Fld 6 Essays on intelligent design by Stephen
C. Meyer.

Bx 34 Fld 7 Statements on intelligent design by various organizations.

Bx 34 Fld 8 Miscellaneous articles and correspondence regarding intelligent design, part 1.

Bx 34 Fld 9 Miscellaneous articles and correspondence regarding intelligent design, part 2.

Bx 34 Fld 10 Miscellaneous articles and correspondence regarding intelligent design, part 3.

Bx 34 Fld 11 Miscellaneous articles and correspondence regarding intelligent design, part 4.

Bx 34 Fld 12 Miscellaneous articles and correspondence regarding intelligent design, part 5.

Bx 34 Fld 13 Miscellaneous articles and correspondence regarding intelligent design, part 6.

A. Hunter Dupree

A. Hunter Dupree was Ron Number's PhD professor at University of California, Berkeley. This section contains a transcript and recordings of an interview Ron Numbers conducted with Dupree, as well as related correspondence.

Bx 34 Fld 14 Transcript of an interview with A. Hunter Dupree, 1983. Includes related materials and correspondence.

Bx 34 Fld 15 Recording of an interview with A. Hunter Dupree. Includes 3 cassette tapes and CDs.

John Fetzer and Urantia

John Fetzer was for a short time a Seventh-day Adventist, and was instrumental in starting Andrews University's WAUS radio station. He later converted to the teachings of *The Urantia Book*, a book with origins in Seventh-day Adventism. One of the primary "authors," Dr. William Sadler, was originally an Adventist and had exchanged letters with Ellen White. One of J. H. Kellogg's nieces was also involved in the "production" of the book. Ron Numbers had several books on this topic, and these have been transferred into the Center for Adventist Research's book collection. This material was used to write "From Adventism to Spiritualism: John Fetzer's Spiritual Journey," in Box 15 Fld 33.

Bx 34 Fld 16 "Mo Siegel," by Mo Siegel in *You've Got to Read This Book!*, by Jack Canfield, Gay Hendricks, and Carol Kline, 2007. Has a note on the front from Vern Carner.

Bx 34 Fld 17 Materials and Correspondence regarding an essay on John E. Fetzer, his spiritual search, and its relation to the current mission of the John E. Fetzer Memorial Trust, 2013.

Bx 34 Fld 18 Chapters on Adventism from *John E. Fetzer and the Freedom of the Spirit*, by Brian C. Wilson, 2016.

John Harvey Kellogg

John Harvey Kellogg was a prominent physician and controversial figure in the early years of the Seventh-day Adventist Church. Ron Numbers frequently lectured on Kellogg, and hoped to complete a biography of Kellogg. This section includes documents regarding Kellogg, many of which are primary sources, including material from the archives of several institutions. Items were kept in folders according to their source, and are presented similarly here. Primary sources are presented here alphabetically according to the name of the source institution, or in the case of correspondence, by last name of the individual. At the end is a section of secondary and tertiary sources about Kellogg.

Bx 34 Fld 19 Materials from the Allegheny College Pelletier Library, with correspondence from Ida Tarbell.

- Bx 34 Fld 20 Transcript of an interview between G. W. Amadon, A. C. Bordeau, and John Harvey Kellogg, 1907. Transcribed by Roy V. Ashley, secretary to Kellogg.
- Bx 34 Fld 21 Materials from the archives of the American Medical Association, part 1.
- Bx 35 Fld 1 Materials from the archives of the American Medical Association, part 2.
- Bx 35 Fld 2 Materials from the American Philosophical Society with correspondence from the Charles Davenport Papers.
- Bx 35 Fld 3 Materials from the Battle Creek Library.
- Bx 35 Fld 4 Registers from the Center for Adventist Research, John Harvey Kellogg Papers and Richard W. Schwarz Collection.
- Bx 35 Fld 5 Materials from the Center for Adventist Research, with correspondence from the Charles MacIvor Collection.
- Bx 35 Fld 6 Materials from the Cold Spring Harbor Library archives.
- Bx 35 Fld 7 Materials from Cornell University, with correspondence from the Burt Wilder Papers.
- Bx 35 Fld 8 Materials from Jean Davis.
- Bx 35 Fld 9 Materials from journals on eugenics.
- Bx 35 Fld 10 Materials from the General Conference Archives, 1861-1899. Primarily letters from Ellen White to Kellogg.
- Bx 35 Fld 11 Materials from the General Conference Archives, 1873-1892. Primarily letters from Kellogg to Ellen White and others.

- Bx 35 Fld 12 Materials from the General Conference Archives, 1880-1987. Includes both primary and secondary sources.
- Bx 35 Fld 13 Materials from the General Conference Archives, 1885-1943. Includes both primary and secondary sources.
- Bx 35 Fld 14 Materials from the General Conference Archives, 1890-1900.
- Bx 35 Fld 15 Materials from the General Conference Archives, 1891-1904.
- Bx 35 Fld 16 Materials from the General Conference Archives, 1892-1938. Includes materials from the Ballenger-Mote Collection at the end.
- Bx 36 Fld 1 Materials from the General Conference Archives, 1893-1899. Primarily letters from Kellogg to Ellen White and others.
- Bx 36 Fld 2 Materials from the General Conference Archives, 1900-1905. Primarily letters from Ellen White to Kellogg.
- Bx 36 Fld 3 Materials from the General Conference Archives, 1900-1915. Primarily letters from Kellogg to Ellen White.
- Bx 36 Fld 4 Materials from the General Conference Archives, Presidential files, 1903.
- Bx 36 Fld 5 Materials from the General Conference Archives, 1903-1906.
- Bx 36 Fld 6 Materials from Georgetown University, with correspondence from the Alexis Carrel Papers.
- Bx 36 Fld 7 Materials from Ron Graybill, with correspondence from W. C. White regarding Kellogg.

- Bx 36 Fld 8 Materials from Harvard University, with correspondence from the Horace Fletcher Papers.
- Bx 36 Fld 9 Materials from an Internet search for "Battle Creek treatment rooms Cleveland," 2015.
- Bx 36 Fld 10 Materials from La Sierra University and Loma Linda University. This material is on the topic of Kellogg and sex, and was put together by Jessica Kim, c. 1998.
- Bx 36 Fld 11 Materials from the Library of Congress, with correspondence from the Luther Burbank Papers and the William T. Hornaday Papers.
- Bx 36 Fld 12 Materials from the Loma Linda University archives.
- Bx 36 Fld 13 Materials from the Loma Linda University archives, and correspondence with researcher Mindy Sterndale, 2005.
- Bx 36 Fld 14 Materials from the Mayo Clinic, with correspondence from William Mayo.
- Bx 36 Fld 15 Materials from locations in Miami, Florida.
- Bx 36 Fld 16 Materials from Michigan State University, part 1.
- Bx 36 Fld 17 Materials from Michigan State University, part 2.
- Bx 36 Fld 18 Materials from Michigan State University, part 3.
- Bx 37 Fld 1 Materials from Michigan State University, part 4.
- Bx 37 Fld 2 Materials from Michigan State University, part 5.
- Bx 37 Fld 3 Materials from Michigan State University, part 6.
- Bx 37 Fld 4 Register of the John Harvey Kellogg Papers at Michigan State University, along with a guide to the collection prepared for Ron Numbers by Travis Weisse.

- Bx 37 Fld 5 DVDs with PDF files of the John Harvey Kellogg Papers at Michigan State University, along with a USB/USB3 drive with the same information. These 13 DVDs likely contain all the data from this collection. A duplicate set of DVDs was transferred into the John Harvey Kellogg Papers at the Center for Adventist Research.
- Bx 37 Fld 6 Materials from the National Anthropological Archives, with correspondence from the Ales Hrdlicka Papers.
- Bx 37 Fld 7 Materials from the Ehrman Medical Library at New York University, from the Bellevue Hospital Medical College Records.
- Bx 37 Fld 8 Correspondence from Dr. M. V. O'Shea, put together by Daniel Liu as an assignment for a class with Ron Numbers, 2010, part 1.
- Bx 37 Fld 9 Correspondence from Dr. M. V. O'Shea, put together by Daniel Liu as an assignment for a class with Ron Numbers, 2010, part 2.
- Bx 37 Fld 10 Photocopies of *Plain Facts for Old and Young* by John Harvey Kellogg.
- Bx 37 Fld 11 Materials from the Russian Academy of Science, with correspondence from Kellogg to Ivan F. Pavlov.
- Bx 37 Fld 12 Materials from Syracuse University Library, with correspondence from the American Book Company collection.
- Bx 37 Fld 13 Materials from Truman State University, with correspondence from the Harry H. Laughlin Collection.

Bx 37 Fld 14 Materials from the Tuskegee University Archives, with correspondence from the George Washington Carver Correspondence Collection.

Bx 37 Fld 15 Materials from University of Illinois, with correspondence from the Booker T. Washington Papers.

Bx 37 Fld 16 Materials from the Bentley Historical Library, University of Michigan, part 1.

Bx 37 Fld 17 Materials from the Bentley Historical Library, University of Michigan, part 2.

Bx 37 Fld 18 Materials from the Bentley Historical Library, University of Michigan, part 3.

Bx 37 Fld 19 Materials from the Bentley Historical Library, University of Michigan, part 4. This folder also contains correspondence and register information.

Bx 37 Fld 20 Materials from the Bentley Historical Library, University of Michigan, part 5.

Bx 38 Fld 1 Materials from the Bentley Historical Library, University of Michigan, part 6. This folder also contains receipts, photocopy requests, and correspondence.

Bx 38 Fld 2 Materials from the Bentley Historical Library, University of Michigan, part 7.

Bx 38 Fld 3 Materials from the Bentley Historical Library, University of Michigan, part 8.

Bx 38 Fld 4 Materials from the Ellen G. White Estate.

Bx 38 Fld 5 Materials from Yale University, with correspondence from the Irving Fisher Collection.

Bx 38 Fld 6 Miscellaneous primary sources regarding Kellogg, part 1.

- Bx 38 Fld 7 Miscellaneous primary sources regarding Kellogg, part 2.
- Bx 38 Fld 8 Primary source material stored on Ron Numbers' computer, including documents from C. C. Cody's stay at Battle Creek Sanitarium, scans of *The Simple Life in a Nutshell* by John Harvey Kellogg, and an advertisement for a "Mesmerism & Phrenology" seminar by Rev. Dr. Eden. These are intertwined, in the same order as stored.
- Bx 38 Fld 9 "American Attitudes on Sexual Hygiene and Ethics, 1877-1914: A Study of Ideology in the Works of John Harvey Kellogg, Periodical Literature, and Manuals of Advice," master's thesis by George Corcoleotes, California State University, San Francisco, 1973.
- Box 47 Fld 26 Papers, articles from internet sources with citations to John Harvey Kellogg.
- Box 47 Fld 27 Articles written about John Harvey Kellogg by Ron Numbers.
- Bx 38 Fld 10 Articles written about Kellogg.
- Bx 47 Fld 28 Kellogg John Harvey, "A Great physician speaks for music," 1931.
- Bx 47 Fld 29 General essays on variety of topics i.e Medical, *Prophetess of Health*, Pantheism, Scientific with bibliographical list.
- Bx 38 Fld 11 Correspondence regarding Kellogg, part 1.
- Bx 38 Fld 12 Correspondence regarding Kellogg, part 2.

Unfinished Manuscript of the Kellogg Biography

One of Ron Numbers' life goals was to complete a biography of John Harvey Kellogg, a task he never completed. This section contains his notes for the various chapters of the book, arranged alphabetically, and then drafts of the first three chapters.

Bx 38 Fld 13 McAdams Adventist History Research Grant Application, 2016. Grant was for the research and writing of the Kellogg biography.

Bx 38 Fld 14 Outline and Introduction, c. 2018.

Bx 38 Fld 15 Bibliography, c. 2020.

Bx 38 Fld 16 Early Years, c. 2020.

Bx 38 Fld 17 Eugenics, c. 2020.

Bx 38 Fld 18 Fraud, c. 2018.

Bx 38 Fld 19 God, c. March 2020.

Bx 38 Fld 20 God, c. April 2020.

Bx 38 Fld 21 God, c. April 2020. This has the start of a chapter, rather than just quotations.

Bx 38 Fld 22 Inventions, c. 2020.

Bx 38 Fld 23 Late Life and Death, c. 2020.

Bx 38 Fld 24 Legal, c. 2018.

Bx 38 Fld 25 Medical Practice, c. 2020.

Bx 38 Fld 26 Minorities, c. 2021.

Bx 38 Fld 27 Patients, Et Al., c. 2018.

Bx 38 Fld 28 Sanitarium, c. 2020.

Bx 38 Fld 29 Sex, c. 2020.

Bx 38 Fld 30 White Pre-1900, c. 2020.

Bx 38 Fld 31 Writings and Lectures, c. 2020.

Bx 38 Fld 32 Chapter 1: Youth, three manuscripts, c.
2018-2020.

Bx 38 Fld 33 Chapter 2: Young Doctor, three
manuscripts, c. 2018-2020.

Bx 38 Fld 34 Chapter 3: Sex, two manuscripts, c.
2018-2020.

Bx 38 Fld 35 Chapter 4: Cereal, c. 2020. This is only
a paragraph of reference material.

Unfinished Manuscript of the History of American Science

This was a book Ron Numbers began working on very early in his career, but never completed. An alternate title for the book was "Science and the Americans." Working on this project was often given as the reason the Kellogg biography was never finished. This section begins with correspondence, and then to various manuscripts for the book chapters, arranged by chapter, and chronologically for multiple manuscripts. Chapter with multiple manuscripts in the same year are exclusively from Ron Numbers' computer files, and are arranged by the file date, denoting the day the chapter was last edited.

Bx 38 Fld 36 Correspondence, 1979-2003.

Bx 39 Fld 1 Correspondence and related materials, 2003-
2004.

Bx 39 Fld 2 Correspondence, 2006-2008.

Bx 39 Fld 3 Correspondence, mainly regarding illustrations,
2011.

Bx 39 Fld 4 Prospectus, c. 2014.

Bx 39 Fld 5 Prospectus, c. 2020.

Bx 39 Fld 6 Chapter 1: Curious Americans, c. 1999.

- Bx 39 Fld 7 Chapter 1: Curious Americans, c. 2004.
- Bx 39 Fld 8 Chapter 1: United States, c. 2018.
- Bx 39 Fld 9 Chapter 1: Curious Americans. No date.
- Bx 39 Fld 10 Chapter 1: Curious Americans. No date.
- Bx 39 Fld 11 Chapter 2: The New Science, c. 1999.
- Bx 39 Fld 12 Chapter 2: The New Learning, c. 2005.
- Bx 39 Fld 13 Chapter 2: The New Learning. No date.
- Bx 39 Fld 14 Chapter 2: The New Learning. No date.
- Bx 39 Fld 15 Chapter 3: Useful Knowledge, c. 2004.
- Bx 39 Fld 16 Chapter 3: Useful Knowledge, c. 2005.
- Bx 39 Fld 17 Chapter 3: Useful Knowledge. No date.
- Bx 39 Fld 18 Chapter 3: Useful Knowledge. No date.
- Bx 39 Fld 19 Chapter 4: Communities of Science, c. 2006.
- Bx 39 Fld 20 Chapter 4: Communities of Science, sources,
c. 2014.
- Bx 39 Fld 21 Chapter 4: Communities of Science, May 13,
2016.
- Bx 39 Fld 22 Chapter 4: Communities of Science, Dec 4,
2016.
- Bx 39 Fld 23 Chapter 4: Communities of Science, c. 2018.
- Bx 39 Fld 24 Chapter 4: Communities of Science. No date.
- Bx 39 Fld 25 Chapter 4: Communities of Science, sources.
No date.
- Bx 39 Fld 26 Chapter 5: Ideas and Influence, c. 2004.

Bx 39 Fld 27 Chapter 5: Natural Science and Revealed Religion, c. 2005.

Bx 39 Fld 28 Chapter 5: Ideas and Influence, sources, c. 2016.

Bx 39 Fld 29 Chapter 5: Natural Science and Revealed Religion, c. 2018.

Bx 39 Fld 30 Chapter 5: Nature Science and Revealed Religion. No date.

Bx 39 Fld 31 Chapter 6: An Age of Improvement, c. 2004.

Bx 39 Fld 32 Chapter 6: An Age of Improvement, c. 2005.

Bx 39 Fld 33 Chapter 6: Agricultural Chemistry and Botany. No date.

Bx 39 Fld 34 Chapter 7: The Rise to World Power, c. 2015.

Bx 39 Fld 35 Chapter 7: The Rise to World Power, sources, March 17, 2016.

Bx 39 Fld 36 Chapter 7: The Rise to World Power, March 25, 2016.

Bx 39 Fld 37 Chapter 7: The Rise to World Power, April 14, 2016.

Bx 39 Fld 38 Chapter 7: The Rise to World Power, May 13, 2016.

Bx 39 Fld 39 Chapter 7: The Rise to World Power, May 31, 2016.

Bx 39 Fld 40 Chapter 7: The Rise to World Power, September 27, 2016.

Bx 40 Fld 1 Chapter 7: The Rise to World Power, November 15, 2016.

Bx 40 Fld 2 Chapter 7: The Rise to World Power, part 2, c. 2018.

Bx 40 Fld 3 Chapter 8: Evolution, March 4, 2016.

Bx 40 Fld 4 Chapter 8: Evolution, May 31, 2016.

Bx 40 Fld 5 Chapter 8: Evolution, November 28, 2016.

Millerism and Madness

This is what appears to be a comprehensive set of research materials used to write a book chapter entitled "Millerism and Madness," in *The Disappointed: Millerism and Millenarianism in the Nineteenth Century*, 1987, coauthored with Ron Numbers' second wife, Janet S. Numbers. Included are detailed records from several insane asylums in New England, as well as other primary and secondary sources. The finished product is included at the end of this section. Other related articles and lectures may be included elsewhere in this collection. Primary sources are included first, starting with articles collected by year, then asylum records arranged alphabetically, and finally other sources.

Bx 40 Fld 6 Articles on religion and insanity, pre-1800.

Bx 40 Fld 7 Articles on religion and insanity, 1800-1829.

Bx 40 Fld 8 Articles on religion and insanity, 1830-1839.

Bx 40 Fld 9 Articles on religion and insanity, 1840-1849.

Bx 40 Fld 10 Articles on religion and insanity, 1850-1859.

Bx 40 Fld 11 Articles on religion and insanity, 1860-1869.

Bx 40 Fld 12 Articles on religion and insanity, 1870-1879.

Bx 40 Fld 13 Articles on religion and insanity, 1880-1889.

Bx 40 Fld 14 Articles on religion and insanity, 1890-1899.

Bx 40 Fld 15 Articles on religion and insanity, 1900-1915.

Bx 40 Fld 16 Articles on religion and insanity, post-1915.

Bx 40 Fld 17 Bloomingdale Asylum Records, 1848.

Bx 40 Fld 18 Boston Lunatic Hospital Records, 1851.

- Bx 40 Fld 19 Butler Hospital for the Insane Records, 1853-1864.
- Bx 40 Fld 20 Eastern Lunatic Asylum, Williamsburg, Virginia, Records, 1842-1850.
- Bx 40 Fld 21 Hartford Retreat of the Insane Records, 1846-1872.
- Bx 40 Fld 22 Illinois State Hospital for the Insane Records, 1856-1862.
- Bx 40 Fld 23 Indiana Hospital for the Insane Records, 1849-1859.
- Bx 40 Fld 24 Kentucky Lunatic Asylum Records, 1845-1866.
- Bx 40 Fld 25 Maine Insane Hospital Records, 1841-1844.
- Bx 40 Fld 26 McLean Asylum Records, 1841-1857.
- Bx 40 Fld 27 Mount Hope Institution Records, 1846-1849.
- Bx 40 Fld 28 New Hampshire Asylum Records, 1843-1861.
Includes doctors' notes regarding individual patients diagnosed with Millerism. Probably the most interesting folder in this section.
- Bx 40 Fld 29 New York State Lunatic Asylum Records, 1844-1863.
- Bx 40 Fld 30 Ohio Lunatic Asylum Records, 1839-1854.
- Bx 40 Fld 31 Pennsylvania Hospital for the Insane Records, 1846-1850.
- Bx 40 Fld 32 State Lunatic Hospital at Tauton, Massachusetts, Records, 1855-1859.
- Bx 40 Fld 33 State Lunatic Hospital at Worcester, Massachusetts, Records, 1837-1844.
- Bx 40 Fld 34 Tennessee Hospital for the Insane Records, 1855-1859.

- Bx 40 Fld 35 Utica Asylum Records, 1848-1850.
- Bx 40 Fld 36 Western Lunatic Asylum, Stounton, Virginia, Records, 1841-1850.
- Bx 40 Fld 37 Worcester Case Histories.
- Bx 40 Fld 38 Notes on miscellaneous asylums.
- Bx 40 Fld 39 Millerite periodicals referenced for this article.
- Bx 40 Fld 40 Secondary sources referenced for this article.
- Bx 40 Fld 41 Excerpts from dissertations on Millerism.
- Bx 41 Fld 1 Notecards for sources for this article.
- Bx 41 Fld 2 Lecture notes for "Millerism & Madness."
- Bx 41 Fld 3 "Millerism and Madness: A Study of 'Religious Insanity' in Nineteenth-Century America," in *The Disappointed: Millerism and Millenarianism in the Nineteenth Century*, 1987. Coauthored with Janet S. Numbers. Includes related correspondence.

Seventh-day Adventism and Ellen G. White

These are articles and related materials regarding Seventh-day Adventism and Ellen G. White collected by Ron Numbers over the years. Some were used for research and writing, while others were simply for personal interest. These are arranged alphabetically by source or last name, followed by a short section arranged topically, and concluding with a large amount of unsorted miscellaneous articles at the end.

- Bx 41 Fld 4 Articles from *Adventist Currents* and *Adventist Today*, 1983-1998.
- Bx 41 Fld 5 "The Nineteenth Century Engagement Between Geological and Adventist Thought and its Bearing on the Twentieth Century Flood Geology Movement," thesis by Cornelis Bootsman, 2016.

- Bx 41 Fld 6 "'For the Term of Her Natural Teeth.' A Story of the Dental Trials and Triumphs of Mrs. Ellen G. White to 1893," by Kenneth A. Brown, 1979.
- Bx 41 Fld 7 "The Once and Future Dreams," by Jonathan Butler, c. 2018. Includes a manuscript with notes from Ron Numbers.
- Bx 41 Fld 8 "Seventh-day Adventist Historiography: A Work in Progress," by Jonathan M. Butler, in *Church History*, 2018. Includes a manuscript with notes from Ron Numbers, c. 2017.
- Bx 41 Fld 9 "Terror and Ecstasy amongst Maine's Millennial Methodists," by Don Casebolt, with notes from Ron Numbers, c. 2017.
- Bx 41 Fld 10 "The Power of Prophecy: Ellen G. White and the Women Religious Founders of the Nineteenth Century," dissertation by Ronald D. Graybill, 1983, and related articles.
- Bx 41 Fld 11 "The Meaning of Misspelled Words: Scholars, Churchmen, and the Writings of Ellen G. White," by Ronald D. Graybill, in *Documentary Editing*, 1991.
- Bx 41 Fld 12 "The Taming of Ellen White: A Textual History of the First Vision," by Ron Graybill, c. 2018.
- Bx 41 Fld 13 Manuscript of *Visions and Revisions* by Ron Graybill, with notes by Ron Numbers, c. 2018.
- Bx 41 Fld 14 "Ellen White and the SDA Church," by Bert Haloviak, from the "Sligo Series," 1980.
- Bx 41 Fld 15 Materials related to "Visions or Partial-Complex Seizures?" by Delbert Hodder, c. 1981.

- Bx 41 Fld 16 Manuscript of *A Particular Universe: Ellen Gould White, Mary Baker Eddy and Nineteenth-Century America*, by David F. Holland, c. 2016.
- Bx 41 Fld 17 Articles by and correspondence with Fred Hoyt, c. 2002.
- Bx 41 Fld 18 "A Psychohistory of the Young Ellen White: A Founder of the Seventh-day Adventist Church," dissertation by Bernadine L. Irwin, 1984.
- Bx 41 Fld 19 "Old Prophet, New Approaches: 45 Years of Crisis and Advance in Ellen White Studies," by George R. Knight, 2015.
- Bx 41 Fld 20 "Ellen White's Afterlife: Delightful Fictions, Troubling Facts, and Enlightening Research," Utt Lecture by George R. Knight, 2018.
- Bx 41 Fld 21 Article on Adventism by Ronald L. Lawson, with edits by Ron Numbers, c. 2017.
- Bx 41 Fld 22 "Ellen G. White and the Protestant Historians: The Evidence from an Unpublished Manuscript on John Huss," by Donald R. McAdams, 1974.
- Bx 41 Fld 23 "Naked in the Garden of the Past: Is There a Seventh-day Adventist Philosophy of History?" by Nicholas Miller, c. 2016.
- Bx 41 Fld 24 Items from the Donald Mote Collection.
- Bx 41 Fld 25 Chapters 3-4 of *God's Strange Work: William Miller and the End of the World*, by David L. Rowe, c. 2008.
- Bx 41 Fld 26 "Commentary on Collar v. Adventist Health System, Inc.," by David B. Smith, with notes from Ron Numbers, 2017.
Confidential: for review purposes only.

- Bx 41 Fld 27 Articles on Ellen White in *Spectrum*, 1970-1979.
- Bx 41 Fld 28 Articles on Ellen White in *Spectrum*, 1980-2016.
- Bx 41 Fld 29 *Red Books* draft script by Mei Ann Teo, with DVD, and related correspondence, 2007.
- Bx 41 Fld 30 "Full Report of the Life of Christ Research Project," by Fred Veltman, 1988. Includes related materials.
- Bx 41 Fld 31 Comments from a blog post about Ellen White, 2009.
- Bx 41 Fld 32 "Ellen G. White Statements Touching on Geology," unknown source. No date.
- Bx 41 Fld 33 "Summary of E G White Health Disorders," author unknown, but could be Ron Numbers, 1993.
- Bx 41 Fld 34 Millerite cartoon printed from the internet. No date.
- Bx 41 Fld 35 Millerite prophecy chart. No date.
- Bx 41 Fld 36 Articles and chapters on psychological disorders. These were used for Appendix 1 of *Prophets of Health*.
- Bx 42 Fld 1 Miscellaneous materials on Ellen G. White, part 1.
- Bx 42 Fld 2 Miscellaneous materials on Ellen G. White, part 2.
- Bx 42 Fld 3 Miscellaneous materials on Ellen G. White, part 3.
- Bx 42 Fld 4 Miscellaneous materials on Adventism, part 1.
- Bx 42 Fld 5 Miscellaneous materials on Adventism, part 2.

Bx 42 Fld 6 Miscellaneous materials on Adventism, part 3.

Bx 42 Fld 7 Miscellaneous materials on Adventism, part 4.

Bx 47 Fld 10 Miscellaneous materials on Adventism, part 5.

Articles by T. Joe Willey

A close friend of Ron Numbers, T. Joe Willey often send him drafts of articles he hoped to publish. Related correspondence can be found in Box 27 Flds 22-27. Articles are arranged alphabetically, as few have associated dates. Other publications by T. Joe Willey can be found in Box 3 Flds 39-40, and in "Stained Glass Watergate," under "Books Written."

Bx 42 Fld 8 "A Brute in the Garden: Who Were the Confused 'Races of Men' Created by Amalgamation of Man & Beast?" by T. Joe Willey. No date.

Bx 42 Fld 9 "Can Science be Used to Establish the Supernatural in the Health Writings of Ellen White?" by T. Joe Willey. No date.

Bx 42 Fld 10 "The Canvasback Conspiracy: Letter to the Editor," by T. Joe Willey. No date.

Bx 47 Fld 13 Biography of T Joe Willey, no date.

Bx 42 Fld 11 "Did Walter Rea and Other Source Critics Change the Theory of Inspiration for the Spirit of Prophecy? An Interview with Elder Walter Rea," by T. Joe Willey. No date.

Bx 42 Fld 12 "Do We Have an Obligation to Believe Only That Which We Have Good Evidence?: A Review of Brand and McMahon's Scientific Study of Ellen White's Visions and Health Reform," by T. Joe Willey, 2002.

- Bx 42 Fld 13 "Ellen White's Ingratiating Amalgamation Statements," by T. Joe Willey in *Adventist Today*, 2018.
- Bx 42 Fld 14 "Faulty Analysis of La Sierra University Biology Student Survey Provokes Unjustified Apology," by T. Joe Willey, c. 2011. Includes related correspondence and materials.
- Bx 42 Fld 15 "God Must Have Been Disappointed With His Grade," by T. Joe Willey. No date.
- Bx 42 Fld 16 *T. Joe Willey: My Life's Adventure*, 2018. Includes a note to Ron Numbers on the front page.
- Bx 42 Fld 17 "Natural or Supernatural?" by T. Joe Willey, in *Adventist Today*, 2008.
- Bx 42 Fld 18 "Neuroscience, Human Nature, & Redemption," by T. Joe Willey. No date.
- Bx 42 Fld 19 "The Prophetess and the Revisionists," by T. Joe Willey. No date.
- Bx 42 Fld 20 "Racism and Darwin," a review by T. Joe Willey of *Darwin's Sacred Cause: How a Hatred of Slavery Shaped Darwin's Views on Human Evolution*, by Adrian Desmond and James Moore, in *Adventist Today*, 2010.
- Bx 42 Fld 21 "Science Defends Supernatural? Using Apologetic Science to Vindicate the Health Gospels of Ellen G. White," by T. Joe Willey. No date.
- Bx 42 Fld 22 "Science Defends Supernatural? Part Two: 'I Do Not Use Coffee, Tea, Snuff, or Tobacco, or Wear Hoops. I Want to Wear the Crown,'" by T. Joe Willey. No date.
- Bx 42 Fld 23 "The Specter of Plagiarism Haunting Adventism," by T. Joe Willey. No date.

Bx 42 Fld 24 "Steal Away to Jesus: Why Slaves Will Not Be In Heaven," by T. Joe Willey. No date.

Bx 42 Fld 25 "Suitability of Using Science to Establish the Supernatural in the Health Gospels of Ellen White: A Review of Brand and McMahon's Scientific Study," by T. Joe Willey. No date.

Bx 42 Fld 26 "TJW Responds to Leonard Brand and Don McMahon," by T. Joe Willey, a few revisions. No date.

Bx 42 Fld 27 "Uncertainty of the Supernatural in the Health Gospels of Ellen White: A Review of Brand and McMahon's Scientific Study," by T. Joe Willey. No date.

Bx 42 Fld 28 "When Were Early Adventists in Possession of the Main Outlines of the Health Reform Message?" by T. Joe Willey. No date.

Bx 42 Fld 29 "Where Great Minds Meet: A Sabbath School and its Website," by T. Joe Willey, on the *Spectrum* blog, 2013.

General Focus

This section contains research on broader topics. Some of this was used to write articles and books, while others were simply items Ron Numbers kept. These articles were very loosely organized by Ron Numbers, and have been categorized by the processor, although there may be some overlap.

Healthcare

Bx 42 Fld 30 CD-ROM with Digest of Official Actions of the American Medical Association, 1969-1978.

Bx 42 Fld 31 Excerpts from *American Medical News*, c. 2000-2006

Bx 42 Fld 32 Articles on pandemics.

Bx 42 Fld 33 Miscellaneous articles on healthcare, part 1.

Bx 42 Fld 34 Miscellaneous articles on healthcare, part 2.

History

Bx 42 Fld 35 Historical articles by David A. Hollinger, 2009-2018.

Bx 42 Fld 36 Miscellaneous articles on history.

Bx 47 Fld 12 Miscellaneous articles on Christian history.

Religion

Folder titles are as named by Ron Numbers.

Bx 42 Fld 37 Articles on American Church History.

Bx 42 Fld 38 Articles on American Sects.

Bx 42 Fld 39 Articles on Religion in America.

Bx 42 Fld 40 Articles on Spiritualism.

Bx 43 Fld 1 Miscellaneous articles on Religion.

Bx 43 Fld 1a Miscellaneous articles on Adventism

Science

These are primarily sorted alphabetically by topic. The folders on the History of Science were originally all together, and so were kept in the same order as received.

Bx 43 Fld 2 "*Eugenia* and Eugenics" by Sarah Buck Kachaluba and Dziubinskyj, with edits and notes from Ron Numbers, c. 2015.

Bx 43 Fld 3 Articles on Euthenics.

Bx 43 Fld 4 History of Science: Pre-Civil War, part 1.

Bx 43 Fld 5 History of Science: Pre-Civil War, part 2.

Bx 43 Fld 6 History of Science: Pre-Civil War, part 3.

- Bx 43 Fld 7 History of Science: Medicine
- Bx 47 Fld 11 History of Science: Medicine
- Bx 43 Fld 8 History of Science: Agriculture, part 1. This folder is entirely excerpts from *Agriculture in the United States: A Documentary History*, edited by Wayne D. Rasmussen, 1975.
- Bx 43 Fld 9 History of Science: Agriculture, part 2.
- Bx 43 Fld 10 History of Science: Agriculture, part 3.
- Bx 43 Fld 11 History of Science: Agriculture, part 4.
- Bx 43 Fld 12 History of Science: Agriculture, part 5.
- Bx 43 Fld 13 History of Science: Agriculture, part 6.
- Bx 43 Fld 14 History of Science: Industry, part 1.
- Bx 43 Fld 15 History of Science: Industry, part 2.
- Bx 43 Fld 16 History of Science: Industry, part 3.
- Bx 43 Fld 17 History of Science: Industry, part 4.
- Bx 44 Fld 1 History of Science: Industry, part 5.
- Bx 44 Fld 2 History of Science: After World War II, part 1.
- Bx 44 Fld 3 History of Science: After World War II, part 2.
- Bx 44 Fld 4 History of Science: After World War II, part 3.
- Bx 44 Fld 5 History of Science: After World War II, part 4.
- Bx 44 Fld 6 *I sis*, volume 113, number 2, June 2022.
- Bx 44 Fld 7 CD-ROM with articles from the National Science Board, 2006.
- Bx 44 Fld 8 Scientific journals from the 1800s, part 1.

Bx 44 Fld 9 Scientific journals from the 1800s, part 2.

Bx 44 Fld 10 Scientific journals from the 1800s, part 3.

Bx 44 Fld 11 Miscellaneous articles about science, part 1.

Bx 44 Fld 12 Miscellaneous articles about science, part 2.

Healthcare and Religion

A large portion of this section is a mass of miscellaneous articles on this subject, arranged primarily as Ron Numbers had them.

Bx 44 Fld 13 Articles on Catholicism and Healing, part 1.

Bx 44 Fld 14 Articles on Catholicism and Healing, part 2.

Bx 44 Fld 15 Articles by Atwood Gaines. Includes related correspondence with Gaines, 2000.

Bx 44 Fld 16 Articles on Mormonism and Healing.

Bx 44 Fld 17 Articles on Pentecostalism and Healing.

Bx 44 Fld 18 Articles on Protestants and Healing.

Bx 44 Fld 19 Miscellaneous articles on healthcare and religion, part 1.

Bx 45 Fld 1 Miscellaneous articles on healthcare and religion, part 2.

Bx 45 Fld 2 Miscellaneous articles on healthcare and religion, part 3.

Bx 45 Fld 3 Miscellaneous articles on healthcare and religion, part 4.

Bx 45 Fld 4 Miscellaneous articles on healthcare and religion, part 5.

Bx 45 Fld 5 Miscellaneous articles on healthcare and religion, part 6.

Bx 45 Fld 6 Miscellaneous articles on healthcare and religion, part 7.

Bx 45 Fld 7 Miscellaneous articles on healthcare and religion, part 8.

Bx 45 Fld 8 Miscellaneous articles on healthcare and religion, part 9.

Bx 45 Fld 9 Miscellaneous articles on healthcare and religion, part 10.

Bx 45 Fld 10 Miscellaneous articles on healthcare and religion, part 11.

Bx 45 Fld 11 Miscellaneous articles on healthcare and religion, part 12.

Bx 45 Fld 12 Miscellaneous articles on healthcare and religion, part 13.

Bx 45 Fld 13 Miscellaneous articles on healthcare and religion, part 14.

Science and Religion

This section is primarily miscellaneous unsorted articles, where possible stored as found.

Bx 45 Fld 14 Articles on scientists' beliefs.

Bx 45 Fld 15 List of books on science and religion, c. 2008.

Bx 45 Fld 16 Graphs regarding science and religion, c. 2005-2006.

Bx 47 Fld 31 Articles and essays on evolution and religion.
The Origin of Life: Five questions worth asking, 2010.
Was Life created? 2010.
Is Atheism on the March? 2010.
Is there a Creator who cares about you? 1998.
How Jehovah's Witness supported science from 1985- 2010.

Bx 45 Fld 17 "The Religious Politics of Doubt: Evangelical Christians and the Politics of Environmentalism in the United States," by Myrna Perez Sheldon and Naomi Oreskes, with notes by Ron Numbers, c. 2015.

Bx 46 Fld 1 Miscellaneous articles on science and religion, part 1.

Bx 46 Fld 2 Miscellaneous articles on science and religion, part 2.

Bx 46 Fld 3 Miscellaneous articles on science and religion, part 3.

Bx 46 Fld 4 Miscellaneous articles on science and religion, part 4.

Bx 46 Fld 5 Miscellaneous articles on science and religion, part 5.

Bx 46 Fld 6 Miscellaneous articles on science and religion, part 6.

Bx 46 Fld 7 Miscellaneous articles on science and religion, part 7.

Bx 46 Fld 8 Miscellaneous articles on science and religion, part 8.

Other Interests

Bx 46 Fld 9 Articles and other materials on politics.

Bx 46 Fld 10 Articles on other topics.

Bibliographies and Book Titles

Bx 46 Fld 11 Bibliographies for multiple subjects.

Bx 46 Fld 12 Book titles. These are several scans, lists, or photographs of book covers and titles, presumably to be used later, or suggested to him by colleagues.

Miscellaneous Notes

Bx 46 Fld 13 Notes on various topics. No date.

Bx 46 Fld 14 Handwritten notes on various topics. No date.

Bx 46 Fld 15 Notes on sources for an unknown project. Unsure if this is Ron Numbers or someone else, as there are no other documents in this collection in the same format. No date. File name: PEWRSC6

VIII. Photographs and Slides

These were gleaned from the boxes donated by Ron Numbers. Photographs were mostly kept together, but some have been gleaned from within letters and documents. There are some photographs, mostly indicated in the register, throughout the collection above. The thumb drive, in Box 46 Fld 38, also contains a vast amount of photographs, and has an excel sheet (file name: 000 Photograph Identification) to help identify people in those images. For a family tree to see how some of these individuals are related, see Box 1 Fld 28.

Photographs

Organized by groups of people. Person(s) named on the folder are the primary figure in the photographs, but others will be in the photographs as well.

Bx 46 Fld 16 Ron Numbers alone.

Bx 46 Fld 17 Blank

Bx 46 Fld 18 W. H. Branson, Ron Numbers' grandfather.

Bx 46 Fld 19 Raymond W. Numbers and Lois Branson-Numbers, Ron Numbers' parents.

Bx 46 Fld 20 Carolyn Numbers-Remmers, Ron Numbers' sister, and family. Includes Eugene Remmers, Susan Remmers-Welke, and Rick Remmers.

Bx 46 Fld 21 Diane Numbers, Ron Numbers' first wife.

Bx 46 Fld 22 Lesley Anne Numbers, Ron Numbers' daughter. Also includes Janet Swain, Ron Numbers' second wife, and Maisie, Lesley's daughter.

Bx 46 Fld 23 Karen Steudel Numbers, Ron Numbers' third wife.

Bx 46 Fld 24 CD-ROM with photographs of Karen Steudel Numbers, Ron Numbers' third wife.

Bx 46 Fld 25 Friends and colleagues.

Bx 46 Fld 26 CD-ROM with photographs of the 50th reunion of the class of 1959, Highland Academy, 2009.

Bx 46 Fld 27 Other identified family members. Includes Roy and Bruce Branson, and other more distant relatives.

Bx 46 Fld 28 Unidentified family members.

Bx 46 Fld 29 Scenery and postcards.

Bx 46 Fld 48 Ron Numbers in groups, and with friends. Many people are unidentified without dates.

Bx 46 Fld 49 Friends and family members. People unidentified.

Bx 46 Fld 50 Friends of Ron Numbers without dates.

Bx 46 Fld 51 Highland Academy class of 1958-1959.

Bx 46 Fld 52 Highland Academy Class of 1959: 50th Reunion.

Bx 46 Fld 53 Europe Tour, 1971.

Bx 46 Fld 54 Postcards and Participants at Ron Number's seminar, 1964, 1976.

Bx 46 Fld 55 Ron Number's Family, no date.

Bx 46 Fld 56 Thumb drive that contains pictures and videos of Barbara Jean Carner over the years, 2021.

Slides

These are in sheet protectors, and are divided into two sections: family and friends, and lectures. Slides with pictures of scenery and structures alone, unless directly related to Adventism, have been removed.

Family and Friends

Bx 46 Fld 30 Early slides, 1959-1971.

Bx 46 Fld 31 Travel slides, 1975-1985. These are only slides with people in them that Ron Numbers' knew. Most slides are marked, either on the slide, or on the protected sheet, and are in chronological order. Slides without dates are at the end. Included here are several photographs of Ron Numbers and his second wife, Janet, as well as several family members and friends. Some are identified, many are not.

Lectures

Arranged alphabetically by title or topic. Actual titles are in quotes.

Bx 46 Fld 32 "The Creationists."

Bx 46 Fld 33 "Disseminating Darwinism."

Bx 46 Fld 34 "Faith, Hope, and Charity."

Bx 46 Fld 35 Health and Religion in the United States.

Bx 46 Fld 36 John Harvey Kellogg.

Bx 46 Fld 37 "The Most Important Biblical Discovery of Our Time."

IX. Miscellaneous

These are items that didn't fit nicely into the above categories.

Bx 46 Fld 38 Thumb drive with all the files from Ron Numbers' computer, 2022. Most items from this drive have been printed and appear in this collection already. There are two main folders: "Files As Found on Ron Numbers' Computer," which shows Ron Numbers' computer

files as retrieved by Kevin Burton, and "Files Sorted According to Registry Order," which includes the files from Ron Numbers' computer sorted in folders in the same arrangement as in this register. The first folder has content that was not printed out to put into this collection due to irrelevance and length, for example, email attachments.

Bx 5 Fld 21 Floppy disks with papers written by Ron Numbers, and other miscellaneous files. Some are empty, formatted, or corrupted. This was placed in Box 5 for ease of storage.

Bx 46 Fld 39 CD-ROM with backup of attachments and images from emails received, 2007.

Bx 46 Fld 40 Title pages of documents on the above thumb drive which were not printed out, due to length. These documents include:

"Containing Science: The Challenge of Scientific Authority in Modern America," by Andrew Jewett, 2018. File name: Jewett_Draft_MS

"Order, Change and Chance in the European Perspectives on Nature (1600-1800)," by Marinus de Baar, c. 2009. File name: JHU de Baar

"Contested Reproduction: Genetic Technologies, Religion, and the Public Debate," by John H. Evans, 2010. File name: Evans Contested Reproduction

"Eschatology and the Technological Future," by Michael S. Burdett, 2014. File name: Burdett Eschatology and the Technological Future

"El Tratado sobre Proyección de Rayos," by Ibn Muad de Jaén, 2006. File name: IUHPS Prize Casulleras

Bx 46 Fld 41 List of recommended restaurants in downtown Madison, Wisconsin, c. 2015.

Bx 46 Fld 42 Lists of history of science societies, c. 2008-2010.

Bx 46 Fld 43 List of publishers in the history of science, technology, and medicine, c. 2001.

Bx 46 Fld 44 "Tips for Writing Your Paper," c. 2006.

Bx 46 Fld 45 Commemorative coin with engraving of Louis Agassiz. No date. This may have been an award Ron Numbers received.

Bx 46 Fld 46 Curricula vitae for colleagues, students, and friends of Ron Numbers. These were gleaned from Ron Numbers' hard drive.

Bx 46 Fld 47 "Scrapbook" filled with stamps and envelopes from Ron Numbers' time living in Jamaica as a child. Includes envelopes from various Adventist entities.

Note: Box 47 Folders 1 to 15, 22 to 24 and 26 to 32 were received after Ron Number's death and after this collection was originally organized. Folders 1 to 15, 22 to 24 and 26 to 32 are listed above where they should be as part of the intellectual flow of the collection. However, due to physical space issues, they are stored in box 47. Folders 1 to 15, 22 to 24, and 26 to 32 are not re-listed as they are already listed previously. What is shown below are listed only here.

X Artifacts

Bx 47 Fld 16 ACS national historic chemical landmark designation award, 2002.

Bx 47 Fld 17 George Sarton certificate and medal award, 2008.
The medal award is moved to box 48 due to spacing.

Bx 47 Fld 18 Friend of Darwin Award, National Center for Science Education, no date.

Bx 47 Fld 19 Thomas Sydenham Award, no date.

Bx 47 Fld 20 Dwight Terry Lectureship Centennial Conference, Yale University, no date. This artifact is moved to box 48 due to spacing.

Bx 47 Fld 21 Slide rule.

Bx 47 Fld 25 Greetings cards to Ron with notes, dates vary.

XI Audio Visual

- Bx 48 fld 1 Interview with T. Joe Willey, Jan 16 2003.
- Bx 48 fld 2 Interview with Prof G. Apr 17, 2006. Tape 1.
- Bx 48 fld 3 Interview with Prof G. Apr 17, 2006. Tape 2.
- Bx 48 fld 4 Interview with John Robinson and Karen Steudel, Apr 6 1976.
- Bx 48 fld 5 "Adventist Forum- Adventist Today Richard Hammill Memorial Lecture: Quest for Historical E.G. White." By Ronald Numbers, May 26, 2001. Tape 1.
- Bx 48 fld 6 "Adventist Forum- Adventist Today Richard Hammill Memorial Lecture: Quest for Historical E.G. White." By Ronald Numbers, May 26, 2001. Tape 2.
- Bx 48 Fld 7 Wisconsin Public Radio (WPR) University of the Air: History of Medicine by Judith Leavitt and Ron Numbers, 2001. Tape 1.
- Bx 48 Fld 8 Wisconsin Public Radio (WPR) University of the Air: History of Medicine by Judith Leavitt and Ron Numbers, 2001. Tape 2.
- Bx 48 Fld 9 Prophetess of Health by Ronald Numbers, May 29 1976. Tape 1.
- Bx 48 Fld 10 Prophetess of Health, by Ronald Numbers, May 29 1976. Tape 2.
- Bx 48 Fld 11 Interview with Jack Robbins, Oct 9, 1992.
- Bx 48 Fld 12 "History of Science and Medicine in the Dark Ages: Personal Reflection on Gender, Social History, and Academic Life," by Judith Walzer Leavitt and Ron Numbers, 2015.
- Bx 48 Fld 13 Communicating the knowledge of creation by Duane T Gish, no date. [Gish- Doolittle Debate]
- Bx 48 Fld 14 Wedding of Susan and David Welke, Oct 11, 1992.
- Bx 48 Fld 15 In Such Human Origin, no date.
- Bx 48 Fld 16 Creation vs Evolution by Duane T Gish, Jul 7, 1982.
- Bx 48 Fld 17 Ron Numbers' Family in Jamaica, c. 1950 and W. H. Branson at Michigan Camp Meeting.

Bx 48 Fld 18 The Evolution of Scientific Creationism by Ron Numbers, 1992.

Paintings by Lesley Numbers, Ron's daughter.

Bx 48 Fld 19 Geranium.

Bx 48 Fld 20 Chrysanthemum.

Bx 48 Fld 21 Marigold (single).

Bx 48 Fld 22 Marigolds (double).

Bx 48 Fld 23 Daisy.

Items Removed

“How We Know What Isn’t So,” parts 1 and 2, by Walter Rea, audio cassettes from San Diego Adventist Forum, February 10, 2001.

Sabah December 18, 2000. Photocopies kept of relevant article.

America’s Agony by John E. Fetzer, 2007.

John Earl Fetzer: Stories of One Man’s Search by Carol Hegedus, 2004.

Urantia: The Great Cult Mystery by Martin Gardner, 2008.

The Men from Wengen and America’s Agony: The Wenger-Wanger-Winger History by John E. Fetzer, 1971.

One Man’s Family: A History and Genealogy of the Fetzer Family by John Earl Fetzer, 1964.

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