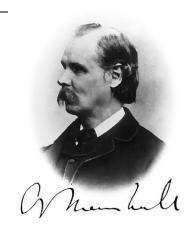
## Marshall Library of Economics



## Herbert Somerton Foxwell Papers

Foxwell 1

**Description level** 

3

Document form Record type

Correspondence

**Acquisition** 

The letters by Alfred Marshall were given by Miss Foxwell to Mary Paley Marshall, and by her to J. M. Keynes: see Foxwell 1/82. Keynes' letters were presumably returned directly to him by Miss Foxwell. Others may have been passed on with either of these batches. The letters to Beeton were given to Miss Foxwell by Alan Beeton; those to Sir George Darwin were given to the Library by his daughter, Margaret Keynes, in 1969 and 1971.

Content

Letters to Herbert Somerton Foxwell (1883-1917), mostly from John Maynard Keynes and Alfred Marshall; and a few written by Foxwell to Henry Beeton and Sir George Darwin. The envelopes, most of which survive, were addressed to Foxwell at one or other of his Cambridge addresses (1 Harvey

Free field

Rd, or St John's) unless otherwise stated.

**Notes** 

Herbert Somerton Foxwell b. 17 June 1849, Shepton Mallet, Somerset, son of an iron merchant. Married Olive May Dorrington July 1898, two daughters. Admitted Pensioner St John's College, Cambridge February 1868; B.A. 1871; Whewell Scholar in International Law 1872. Elected Fellow St John's College 1874; college lecturer in Moral Sciences 1875. Professor of Political Economy, University College London 1881-1922. President Royal Economic Society 1929-1931.

Died 3 August 1936.

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/1

**Previous number** Keynes 5(1)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Person Role

writer

Name Keynes, John Maynard

**Descriptor** Fellow of King's College, Cambridge

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton Name

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of Political Economy, University College, London **Descriptor** 

Date 1.12.1910

**Place** King's College, Cambridge

**Document form** 

correspondence

Record type Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

Unknown Summary

Content

Summary Subject keywords Accepts an invitation to lunch.

**Physical descript** 

Summary Condition I sheet; I p. text

Foxwell 1/2

**Previous number** 

Keynes 5(2)

**Description level** 

4

**Record creation** 

Person

Role

Name

**Descriptor** 

Person Role

**Name** 

**Descriptor** 

**Place** 

**Document form** 

**Record type** Specific type Language

**Acquisition** Summary

Content **Summary** 

Free field Person

**Name** 

Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

**Summary** Condition

**Publication record Type** Reference

Related material

**Type** 

Reference number

writer

Keynes, John Maynard

Fellow of King's College, Cambridge

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

29.12.1910

Dorset, Corfe Castle, The Greyhound

correspondence

letter English

Unknown

Thanks for his letter, and glad Foxwell agrees about [Karl]

Pearson. "There are very few cases, I think, in which his elaborate methods tell one anything which was not fairly obvious without them, and the cases, in which they appear to give you more definite results, are, as a rule, precisely those cases in which the validity of applying such methods at all is most open to doubt. But he's a dreadful man with whom to

involve oneself in controversy!"

Pearson, Karl

Methodology - statistical

1 sheet, 2 pp. text

Foxwell 1/3

**Previous number** 

Keynes 5(3)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

writer Role **Name** 

**Descriptor** 

Keynes, John Maynard Fellow of King's College, Cambridge

Person

Role

**Name** 

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Descriptor** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

1.6.1912

**Place** Cambridge, King's College

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** 

Specific type letter Language English

**Acquisition** 

Summary Unknown

Content

**Summary** Discusses papers he is setting for an examination for which

Foxwell is apparently also a fellow examiner. Cannot fairly comment on [David] Heron [an assistant to Karl Pearson] but tends to view him unfavourably. Reminds Foxwell that he [Keynes] hopes to receive at least a first instalment of 'Contributions to the History of English Banking' for inclusion

in the December issue of the Economic Journal.

Free field

Person

Heron, David Name

Subject keywords Subject keywords Cambridge University - Economics Tripos papers 1912

Banking - history of English

Keynes, J.M. - as editor of Economic Journal Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

1 sheet; 2 pp. text, typewritten Summary

Condition Sound

**Publication record** 

Type Reference

Related material

**Type** 

Foxwell 1/4

**Previous number** 

Keynes 5(4)

writer

**Description level** 

4

**Record creation** 

**Person** 

Role

Name

Keynes, John Maynard **Descriptor** Fellow of King's College, Cambridge

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name Descriptor** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

21.6.1912

**Place** [London] W.C., 38 Brunswick Square

**Document form** 

correspondence Record type

Specific type letter English Language

**Acquisition** 

Summary Unknown

Content

**Summary** Thanks Foxwell for sending him a cutting about a forthcoming

auction at which a document connected with a lineal ancestor, Captain Alexander Keynes, is to be sold. Is interested in

Printed letterhead, 'King's College, Cambridge', crossed out. Free field

Person

Keynes, Alexander, Captain Name

Subject keywords Book collecting Subject keywords Keynes - ancestry

**Physical descript** 

1 sheet; 1 p. text **Summary** 

Condition Sound

**Publication record** 

Type Reference

**Related material** 

Type

Foxwell 1/5

**Previous number** 

Keynes 5(5)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

Role

**Name** 

**Descriptor** 

Person Role

**Name** 

**Descriptor** 

**Place** 

Cambridge, King's College

**Document form** 

**Record type** Specific type Language

**Acquisition** Summary

Content

**Summary** 

Free field Person **Name** 

Subject keywords Subject keywords

Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

**Summary** Condition

**Publication record** Type Reference

Related material

Type

Reference number

writer

Keynes, John Maynard

Fellow of King's College, Cambridge

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

18.11.1912

correspondence

letter English

Unknown

"I guite agree with you that there is no reason in the world why the India Office should make such a mystery of their currency. But their difficulty partly is that none of those connected with the place who make speeches understand the currency, so that they are very short of spokesmen in these matters. To turn to another matter - can you tell me the answer to these questions? - (1) on what terms does the Bank [of England] get gold coined by the mint? (2) when the gold is at the mint in the act of being coined, is it or is it not included at the same time

in the returns of the Bank's reserves?"

Currency - Indian

Gold - as part of Bank reserves Bank of England - policy on reserves

1 sheet; 2 pp.text

Foxwell 1/6

**Previous number** 

Keynes 5(6)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

Role

writer **Name** 

Keynes, John Maynard **Descriptor** Fellow of King's College, Cambridge

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name Descriptor** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

24.1.1913

**Place** Cambridge, King's College

**Document form** 

**Record type** correspondence letter Specific type

Language

**Acquisition** Summary

Unknown

Content

**Summary** Thanks Foxwell for comments on Keynes's Indian

English

Memorandum ['Recent Developments of the Indian Currency Question', 1911] which was originally prepared as notes for an address given to the [Royal] Economic Society and printed by the Government of India without his knowledge. Had he known, he would have clarified several points some of which gave rise to Foxwell's criticism. Others are dealt with in his forthcoming book ['Indian Currency and Finance' (Macmillan, 1913)]. Agrees that increased use of gold by India would tend to lower world prices in the short term, and that "the recent absorption of so much gold by India has been providential for this country in its effects on prices." Both points discussed in his book, in which he hopes Foxwell will find less to criticise. For the text of the Memorandum, and a fuller explanation of its

publication, see Elizabeth Johnson, (ed), 'The Collected Writings of John Maynard Keynes, Vol. XV, pp. 65-87.

Free field

**Person** Name

**Subject keywords** Subject keywords

Subject keywords Gold - impact on world prices

**Physical descript** 

**Summary** 2 sheets; 2 pp. typewritten Condition

Sound

Currency - Indian

Gold - Indian use of

**Publication record** 

Reference

Related material Type

Foxwell 1/7/1

**Previous number** 

Keynes (7)

**Description level** 

4

**Record creation** 

**Person** 

Role

Name

**Descriptor** 

Person

Role **Name** 

**Descriptor** 

**Date Place** 

**Document form** 

Record type Specific type Language

**Acquisition** Summary

Content **Summary** 

Free field Person Name

Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

**Summary** Condition

**Publication record** 

Type Reference

**Related material** 

Type Reference number writer

Keynes, John Maynard

Fellow of King's College, Cambridge

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

30.3.1913

[Egypt] Cairo, Turf Club

correspondence

letter English

Unknown

Has just learned of discussion Foxwell is to open at the Political Economy Club on 9 April. Very sorry he will not be back in England in time, because the topic [unstated] interests him particularly. [Henry] Higgs seems to be enjoying himself

here.

Higgs, Henry Cambridge University? - Political Economy Club

1 sheet; 2 pp.text

**Identity code Foxwell 1/7/2** 

**Previous number** Keynes 5(7)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 31.3.1913 (postmark)

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** Specific type Language envelope English

Content

**Summary** Annotated in ink "J.M.Keynes" underlined, in Foxwell's Free field

handwriting. Endorsed with printed monogram TC [Turf Club,

Cairo].

Subject keywords

Physical descript Summary

White, 120 mm x 95 mm. Egyptian 5 millieme postage stamp

and Cairo postmark. Slit along top edge. Sound. **Condition** 

Foxwell 1/8

**Previous number** 

Keynes 5(8)

**Description level** 

4

**Record creation** 

**Person** 

writer Role

Keynes, John Maynard Name

**Descriptor** Fellow of King's College, Cambridge

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name** 

**Descriptor** Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

**Date** 29.7.1913

**Place** [London] W.C., 38 Brunswick Square

**Document form** 

correspondence Record type

Specific type letter Language English

**Acquisition** 

Summary Unknown

Content

**Summary** Asks him to initial an attachment [unspecified] which the Bank

[of England] will not otherwise accept. Reminds Foxwell of two

reviews due shortly.
Printed letterhead "King's College, Cambridge" crossed out. Free field

Person

Name

Keynes, J.M. - as editor of Economic Journal **Subject keywords** 

**Physical descript** 

Summary 1 sheet; 1 p.text. On printed letterhead as editor of 'Economic

Journal'. Sound

Condition

**Publication record** 

**Type** Reference

**Related material** 

Type

Foxwell 1/9/1

**Previous number** 

Keynes 5(9)

**Description level** 

4

Record creation

**Person** 

writer Role

Keynes, John Maynard Name

**Descriptor** Fellow of King's College, Cambridge

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of Political Economy, University College, London **Descriptor** 

**Date** 19.8.1913

**Place** Cambridge, King's College

**Document form** 

correspondence Record type

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Unknown

Content

**Summary** Sorry reviews not ready, but they can wait for December

number [of 'Economic Journal'].

Written on Royal Economic Society letterhead as editor of the

'Economic Journal'.

**Person** 

Free field

Name

Keynes, J.M. - as editor of Economic Journal **Subject keywords** 

**Physical descript** 

Summary 1 sheet; 1 p. typescript

Condition Sound

**Publication record** 

Type Reference

**Related material** 

Type

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/9/2

**Previous number** Keynes 5(9)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 19.8.1913 (postmark)

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** Specific type envelope Language English

Content

Summary

Directed to Foxwell at his Cambridge address, forwarded to Osborne House, Marine Parade, Barmouth.

Annotated in ink "Keynes" underlined, in Foxwell's

handwriting.

Person Name

Free field

Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

Summary Condition White, 118 mm x 85 mm. Penny stamp, red. Slit along top edge. Sound.

Foxwell 1/10/1

**Previous number** 

Keynes 5(10)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

Role

Name

**Descriptor** 

Person

Role

**Name Descriptor** 

**Place** 

writer

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

Fellow of King's College, Cambridge

Keynes, John Maynard

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

3.11.1913

correspondence

Cambridge, King's College

**Document form** 

**Record type** Specific type Language

**Acquisition** 

Unknown

letter

English

Summary

Content **Summary** 

"Since I wrote the above, your review of my book ['Indian Currency and Finance'] has reached me. Very many thanks for it. It is by far the most interesting review (not to say the most generous) that I have received", feels immodest to be printing it in his own Journal. Clarifies and in some cases defends his position vis-a-vis Foxwell's comments. "I am grateful for your praise of my statistics. Other critics have not noticed them, supposing, perhaps, that they are just copied out of the nearest blue book. But I believe the tables took me as long as the whole of the rest of the book put together. I'd challenge anyone else in England or India to get out the table on p.121, for example.

Summary

"With regard to the State Bank, when writing my book I didn't think it practical politics and so, while always believing in it, dealt cursorily with the topic and tried to devise palliatives. I may say (in confidence) that I have brought the R[oyal] Commission round in the course of the last few months to practically everything in the book. But in the meantime, through thinking about the thing more thoroughly, I have come to distrust my own palliatives, and to lay more and more emphasis on the State Bank. The fruit of this change of mind is to be found in the enclosed memorandum. I should like you to see this, but it is to be regarded for the present as a strictly private document."

Free field

Evidently an annex to something else, possibly the confidential memorandum referred to at the end of the text quoted above and no longer found with the correspondence. The pagination is self-contained, the letter lacks salutation and is signed "JMK" without other ending. Annotated in ink at the top of the first page, in Foxwell's hand, "Keynes [underlined] on my review of his book. Indian Currency etc.'

Person Name

Subject keywords Subject keywords Subject keywords Currency - Indian Keynes, J.M. - as author India - State Bank of

**Physical descript** 

Summary Condition 4 sheets; 4 pp. text Sound

**Publication record** 

**Type** Reference

Related material

Type

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/10/2

**Previous number** Keynes 5(I0)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 2.12.1913 (postmark, month unclear)

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** envelope English Specific type Language

Content

Summary Free field Annotated in ink, in Foxwell's handwriting, "Keynes, on my review of his book." On evidence of postmark not the original

envelope containing 1/10/1.

**Person** Name

Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

Summary Condition White, 189 mm x 127 mm. Penny stamp, red. Slit along top edge. Somewhat worn and dirty.

Foxwell 1/11

**Previous number** 

Keynes 5(11)

**Description level** 

4

**Record creation** 

**Person** 

writer Role

Keynes, John Maynard Name

**Descriptor** Fellow of King's College, Cambridge

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton Name

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of Political Economy, University College, London **Descriptor** 

12.2.1913 **Date** 

**Place** Cambridge, King's College

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** 

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Unknown

Content

Attaches a report [unidentified] he has signed, to be co-signed **Summary** 

by Foxwell and forwarded to the Academic Registrar.

Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

**Summary** 1 sheet; 1 p. text

Condition Sound

**Publication record** 

Type Reference

**Related material** 

**Type** Reference number

Foxwell 1/12/1

**Previous number** 

Keynes 5(12)

**Description level** 

4

**Record creation** 

Person

Role

writer Name

Keynes, John Maynard **Descriptor** 

Fellow of King's College, Cambridge

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of **Descriptor** 

Political Economy, University College, London

1.9.1914

**Place** [Sussex] Rodmell near Lewes, Asheham House

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** 

Specific type letter Language English

**Acquisition** 

Summary Unknown

Content

**Summary** Asks Foxwell to give him the reference "as to how Lowe

forced the Bank of England to 10 per cent on the last occasion of suspension." Is writing a hurried article on recent events for

the September 'Economic Journal'.

Free field Against the handwritten address, the words "up to the end of

this week" appear with an arrow. [The article referred to is 'War and the Financial System, August 1914', 'Economic

Journal' 34 (1914), pp.480-486.]

Person

Lowe, Robert? Name Subject keywords Subject keywords Bank of England Interest rates

Subject keywords War 1914-18 - banking

**Physical descript** 

1 sheet; 1 p. text Summary

Condition Sound

**Publication record** 

Type Reference

Related material

**Type** 

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/12/2

**Previous number** Keynes 5(12)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 1.9.1914 (postmark)

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** Specific type Language envelope English

Content

Directed to Foxwell at his Cambridge address. Forwarded to Osborne House, Marine Parade, Barmouth. Summary

Annotated in ink, in Foxwell's hand, "Keynes", underlined. Free field Subject keywords

Physical descript Summary Condition

White, 116 mm x 94 mm. Penny stamp, red. Slit along top edge. Sound  $\,$ 

Foxwell 1/13/1

**Previous number** 

Keynes 5(13)

**Description level** 

4

**Record creation** 

**Person** 

Role Name

**Descriptor** 

Keynes, John Maynard

Fellow of King's College, Cambridge

Person

**Date** 

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name Descriptor** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of Political Economy, University College, London

5.9.1914

**Place** [London] W.C., 38 Brunswick Square

writer

**Document form** 

correspondence Record type

letter Specific type English Language

Acquisition

Summary Unknown

Content

**Summary** Thanks Foxwell for his reply to Keynes's query [see Foxwell

1/12/1].

Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

**Summary** 1 sheet; 1 p. text.

Condition Sound

**Publication record** 

Type Reference

**Related material** 

**Type** Reference number **Identity code** Foxwell 1/13/2

**Previous number** Keynes 5(13)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 5.9.1914 (postmark)

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** Specific type Language envelope English

Acquisition Summary

Content

Directed to Foxwell at Osborne House, Marine Parade, **Summary** 

Barmouth.

Annotated "JMK" in Foxwell's hand. Free field

Subject keywords

Physical descript Summary Condition

White, 116 mm x 94 mm. 2 halfpenny stamps, green.

Slit along top edge. Sound

Foxwell 1/14/1

**Previous number** 

Keynes 5(14)

**Description level** 

4

**Record creation** 

**Person** 

Role

Name

**Descriptor** 

Person

Role **Name** 

**Descriptor** 

**Date** 

**Place** 

**Document form** 

**Record type** Specific type Language

Acquisition Summary

Content

**Summary** 

Subject keywords

**Physical descript** Summary

Condition

**Publication record Type** 

Reference

**Related material** 

Type

Reference number

writer

Keynes, John Maynard

Fellow of King's College, Cambridge

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

4.1.1915

Cambridge, King's College [but corresponding envelope

postmarked London]

correspondence

letter English

Unknown

Circular letter, with Foxwell's name inserted in ink, asking for names and addresses of recent pupils in Economics who might join the Royal Economic Society. Keynes will send

circulars to all those whose names and addresses he can

obtain.

Royal Economic Society

1 sheet; 1 p. duplicated typescript. On Royal Economic Society letterhead as editor of 'Economic Journal'.

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/14/2

**Previous number** Keynes 5(14)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 5.1.1915 (postmark)

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** Specific type Language envelope English

Content

Summary Address not in Keynes's hand. Annotated in ink, in Foxwell's Free field

hand, "Keynes Reviews" underlined. **Subject keywords** 

Physical descript Summary Condition

White, 119 mm x 95 mm. Penny stamp, red. Slit along top edge. Sound  $\,$ 

Foxwell 1/15/1

**Previous number** 

Keynes 5(15)

**Description level** 

4

**Record creation** 

Person

**Role** 

**Name** 

Keynes, John Maynard

**Descriptor** Fellow of King's College, Cambridge

writer

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name Descriptor** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

5.9.1915

**Place** [London] W.C., 3 Gower Street

**Document form** 

**Record type** correspondence

letter Specific type Language English

**Acquisition** 

Summary Unknown

Content

**Summary** Asks if Foxwell will review [Hartley] Withers' 'Lombard Street

and the War' and [William Ramage] Lawson's 'British War Finance', expressing his own views freely, using theirs as a peg, and make it an article as much as a review. Reminds him he has two lesser reviews overdue, and more review copy is needed for the December 'Economic Journal'. Supposes they ought to be making more particular arrangements about the

Newmarch lectures. Will Foxwell let him know?

Printed address "King's College, Cambridge" deleted and

London address inserted in ink.

Withers, Hartley & Lawson, William Ramage Name Keynes, J.M. - as editor of Economic Journal Subject keywords University College, London - Newmarch lectures

Subject keywords Subject keywords War 1914-18 - banking War 1914-18 - finance Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

Free field

**Person** 

1 sheet; 1 p. text. On Royal Economic Society letterhead as **Summary** 

editor of 'Economic Journal'.

Sound

**Publication record** 

Type Reference

Condition

**Related material** 

**Type** 

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/15/2

**Previous number** Keynes 5(15)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 6.9.1915 (postmark)

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** Specific type Language envelope English

Content

Summary Free field Subject keywords Annotated in ink, in Foxwell's hand, "Keynes", underlined.

Physical descript Summary Condition

White, 119 mm x 94 mm. Penny stamp, red. Slit along top edge. Sound  $\,$ 

Foxwell 1/16

**Previous number** 

Keynes 5(16)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

**Role** 

**Name** 

Keynes, John Maynard **Descriptor** Fellow of King's College, Cambridge

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name Descriptor** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

16.9.1915

writer

**Place** [London] W.C., 3 Gower Street

**Document form** 

**Record type** correspondence

letter Specific type Language English

**Acquisition** 

Summary Unknown

Content

**Summary** Sending copy of [William Ramage] Lawson's book ['British

War Finance'] under separate cover but has no review copy of [Hartley] Withers's book ['Lombard Street and the War']. Does Foxwell have a copy or will he buy one at the expense of the Royal Economic Society? Glad he will do the article [see Foxwell 1/15/1]. Agrees profoundly about need to curtail consumption. "I have no doubt that, six months later than we ought, we shall embark on something really drastic." Will let him know later about Newmarch lectures. Supposes he [Keynes] must get Treasury sanction for his proposed subject. Is now very well, having to work very hard but enjoying it immensely "as I am now able to deal with all the questions I

1 sheet; 2 pp. text. On Royal Economic Society letterhead as

am most interested in."

Printed address "King's College, Cambridge" deleted and

London address inserted in ink.

**Person** 

Name Lawson, William Ramage & Withers, Hartley Keynes, J.M. - as editor of Economic Journal War 1914-18 - finance Subject keywords

Subject keywords Subject keywords

War 1914-18 - banking

**Physical descript** 

Free field

Summary

editor of 'Economic Journal'. Sound Condition

**Publication record** Reference

Related material

**Type** 

Foxwell 1/17

**Previous number** 

Keynes 5(17)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

Role

Keynes, John Maynard Name

**Descriptor** Fellow of King's College, Cambridge

writer

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name** 

**Descriptor** Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

20.9.1915

**Place** [London] W.C., 3 Gower Street

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence postcard Specific type Language English

**Acquisition** 

Summary Unknown

Content

**Summary** Hopes to get Foxwell's review [see Foxwell 1/15/1] as early as

possible. Mid-November will do if he can really get it then. Entirely agrees about Currency Notes. Thinks [J.S.] Nicholson

and Co. wrong both in fact and in theory.

Written on a card with Royal Economic Society letterhead, but printed address "King's College, Cambridge" deleted and Free field

London address inserted in ink.

Person Nicholson, Joseph Shield Name

Subject keywords Keynes, J.M. - as editor of Economic Journal

**Physical descript** 

Summary 1 sheet; 1 p. text

Condition Sound

**Publication record** 

Type Reference

**Related material** 

**Type** 

Foxwell 1/18/1

**Previous number** 

Keynes 5(18)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

**Role** 

**Name** 

**Descriptor** 

Person

Role **Name** 

**Descriptor** 

**Place** 

**Document form** 

**Record type** Specific type Language

**Acquisition** Summary

Content

**Summary** 

Free field

Person Name

**Subject keywords** Subject keywords Subject keywords

Physical descript Summary Condition

**Publication record** 

**Type** Reference

Related material

Type

Reference number

writer

Keynes, John Maynard

Fellow of King's College, Cambridge

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

11.10.1915 [London] W.C., 3 Gower Street

correspondence

letter English

Unknown

Has got permission from Chancellor of Exchequer to give the Newmarch lectures on the subject of the War Finance of the Continental Powers and is writing to the Secretary of University College [London] giving particulars. Proposes to lecture on Tuesdays at 6, beginning October 26. Complains about premature action by Dr. Gregory Foster in inviting the Chancellor to preside at one of the lectures before Keynes had received the latter's permission to give them. Press reportage on the lectures strictly forbidden. "The authorities of the College must remember that the position of a civil servant who gives lectures on a subject so nearly connected with his official work is a somewhat delicate one." Hopes Foxwell is making progress with his reviews for the December Economic

Printed address "King's College, Cambridge" deleted on both sheets, London address inserted on first page. Minor

corrections in ink on first page.

Foster, Gregory, Dr

University College, London - Newmarch lectures

War 1914-18 - finance

Keynes, J.M. - as editor of Economic Journal

2 sheets; 2 pp. typescript.

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/18/2

**Previous number** Keynes 5(18)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 13.10.1915 (postmark)

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** Specific type Language envelope English

Content

Summary Annotated in ink, in Foxwell's hand, "Keynes Art. in Econ Free field

Jour."

**Subject keywords** 

Physical descript Summary Condition

White, 118 nn x 95 mm. Penny stamp, red. Slit along upper edge. Sound

Foxwell 1/19/1

**Previous number** 

Keynes 5(19)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

**Role** 

**Name** Keynes, John Maynard

**Descriptor** Fellow of King's College, Cambridge

writer

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name Descriptor** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

19.10.1915

**Place** [London] W.C., 3 Gower Street

**Document form** 

**Record type** correspondence

letter Specific type Language English

**Acquisition** 

Summary Unknown

Content

**Summary** Was thinking of something of the nature of the old Quarterly

Review for Foxwell's review-article. "As part-author of [Edwin Samuel] Montagu's speech I naturally agree with it. The battle of finance is being fiercely fought behind the scenes, and the Treasury at least are not behindhand with their warnings. The difficulty is that the conscriptionist party, which is beyond measure stupid, regards any counsels for the moderation of expenditure as little better than a bluff and a sophistry aimed

at their particular schemes."

Printed address "King's College, Cambridge" deleted and Free field

London address inserted in ink. Marked "Private", underlined

twice, before the salutation.

**Person Name** Montagu, Edwin Samuel

Financial Secretary to the Treasury Descriptor

Keynes, J.M. - as éditor of Economic Journal Subject keywords

Subject keywords War 1914-18 - finance

**Physical descript** 

Summary 1 sheet; 1 p. text. On letterhead of the Royal Economic

Society, as editor of the Economic Journal. Condition

Sound

**Publication record** 

**Type** Reference

Related material

Type

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/19/2

**Previous number** Keynes 5(19)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 20.10.1915 (postmark)

**Document form** 

Record type Specific type Language correspondence envelope English

Content

Summary Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

Summary Condition White, 118 mm x 95 mm. Penny stamp, red.

Slit along upper edge. Sound.

Foxwell 1/20

**Previous number** 

Keynes 5(20)

**Description level** 

4

**Record creation** 

**Person** 

writer Role

Keynes, John Maynard Name

**Descriptor** Fellow of King's College, Cambridge

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of Political Economy, University College, London **Descriptor** 

Date 17.11.1915

[London] W.C., 3 Gower Street **Place** 

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** postcard Specific type Language English

Acquisition

Summary Unknown

Content

Summary "Saturday will do very well."

Printed address "King's College, Cambridge" deleted and Free field

London address inserted in ink.

**Subject keywords** 

**Physical descript** 

Summary 114 mm x 90 mm. Handwritten. On letterhead of the Royal

Economic Society.

**Condition** Sound

**Publication record** 

Type Reference

Related material

Type

Foxwell 1/21/1

**Previous number** 

Keynes 5(21)

**Description level** 

4

Record creation

**Person** 

Role

Name

**Descriptor** 

Person

Role

**Name** 

**Descriptor** 

**Date Place** 

**Document form** 

Record type Specific type Language

Acquisition

Summary

Content

**Summary** 

Free field

**Subject keywords** 

Physical descript Summary

Condition

**Publication record** 

Type Reference

**Related material** 

**Type** 

Reference number

writer

Keynes, John Maynard

Fellow of King's College, Cambridge

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of Political Economy, University College, London

22.11.1915

[London] W.C., 3 Gower Street

correspondence

letter English

Unknown

Thanks for admirable article. Invites him to do another on

current affairs for the March [Economic] Journal.

Printed address "King's College, Cambridge" deleted and

London address inserted in ink.

Keynes, J.M. - as editor of Economic Journal

1 sheet; 1 p. text. On letterhead as editor of Economic

Journal. Sound

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/21/2

**Previous number** Keynes 5(21)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 23.11.1915 (postmark)

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** Specific type Language envelope English

Acquisition Summary

Content

**Summary** 

Annotated in ink, in Foxwell's hand, "Keynes [underlined] wants another article for March [underlined] Journal". Free field

Subject keywords

Physical descript Summary Condition White, 119 mm x 95 mm. Slit along upper edge. Sound

Foxwell 1/22

**Previous number** 

Keynes 5(22)

**Description level** 

4

**Record creation** 

Person

Role

Name

**Descriptor** 

Person

Role

**Name** 

**Descriptor** 

**Date Place** 

[London] W.C., 3 Gower Street

**Document form** 

**Record type** Specific type Language

**Acquisition** 

Summary

Content

**Summary** 

Free field

Subject keywords

**Physical descript** Summary

Condition

**Publication record** Type Reference

Related material

Type

Reference number

Fellow of King's College, Cambridge

writer

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

Keynes, John Maynard

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

28.11.1915

correspondence

letter English

Unknown

Hopes Foxwell's corrections to his article [for Economic Journal] will not affect the paging. Has deleted a footnote which no longer necessary. Is very pleased with article "and take great credit to myself for so successfully jogging your

pen."

Printed address "King's College, Cambridge" deleted and

London address inserted in ink.

Keynes, J.M. - as editor of Economic Journal

1 sheet; 1 p. text. On Royal Economic Society letterhead, as

editor of Economic Journal.

Foxwell 1/23/1

**Previous number** 

Keynes 5(23)

**Description level** 

4

**Record creation** 

**Person** 

Role

Name

**Descriptor** 

Person

Role Name

**Descriptor** 

**Date Place** 

**Document form** 

**Record type** Specific type Language

Acquisition

Summary

Content

**Summary** 

Subject keywords

**Physical descript Summary** 

Condition

**Publication record** Type Reference

**Related material** 

**Type** 

Reference number

writer

Keynes, John Maynard

Fellow of King's College, Cambridge

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of Political Economy, University College, London

4.2.1916

Cambridge, King's College

correspondence

letter English

Unknown

Does still want Foxwell to write a Finance article for the

Economic Journal. If for March issue, needs it in two weeks. Keynes, J.M. - as editor of Economic Journal

1 sheet; 1 p. text

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/23/2

**Previous number** Keynes 5(23)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 5.2.1916 (postmark)

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** Specific type Language envelope English

Acquisition Summary

Content

**Summary** Annotated in ink, in Foxwell's hand, "wants article" underlined, Free field

followed by tick-mark.

Subject keywords

Physical descript Summary Condition White, 119 mm x 95 mm Slit along top edge. Sound

Foxwell 1/24/1

**Previous number** 

Keynes 5(24)

**Description level** 

4

**Record creation** 

Person

Role

Name

**Descriptor** 

Person Role

**Name Descriptor** 

**Date** 

**Place** 

**Document form** 

Record type Specific type Language

**Acquisition** Summary

Content

**Summary** 

Free field

**Subject keywords** 

**Physical descript** Summary

Condition

**Publication record Type** Reference

Related material

Type

Reference number

writer

Keynes, John Maynard

Fellow of King's College, Cambridge

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

7.2.1916

[London] W.C., 3 Gower Street

correspondence

letter English

Unknown

Is most anxious for an article from Foxwell for the next issue of the Economic Journal. Sorry for not answering him sooner,

but is now so extremely busy that days go by without his being

able to attend to Journal matters. Printed address "King's College, Cambridge" deleted and

London address added in ink.

Keynes, J.M. - as editor of Economic Journal

1 sheet; 1 p. text. On Royal Economic Society letterhead as

editor of Economic Journal.

Sound

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/24/2

**Previous number** Keynes 5(24)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 8.2.1916 (postmark)

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** Specific type Language envelope English

Content

Summary Free field Subject keywords Annotated in ink, in Foxwell's hand, "wants article urgently."

Physical descript Summary Condition White, 119 mm x 95 mm Slit along upper edge. Sound.

Foxwell 1/25/1

**Previous number** 

Keynes 5 (25)

**Description level** 

4

Record creation

**Person** 

Role

Name

**Descriptor** 

Person

Role

**Name** 

**Descriptor** 

**Date Place** 

**Document form** 

Record type Specific type Language

Acquisition

Summary

Content **Summary** 

Free field

**Subject keywords** 

**Physical descript Summary** 

Condition

**Publication record** Type

Reference **Related material** 

Type

Reference number

writer

Keynes, John Maynard

Fellow of King's College, Cambridge

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

23.2.1916

[London] W.C., 3 Gower Street

correspondence

letter English

Unknown

Asks Foxwell to send article to Gower Street address. If he

can send the two-thirds finished, Keynes can get the printer

started on it.

Printed address "King's College, Cambridge" deleted and

London address added in ink.

Keynes, J.M. - as editor of Economic Journal

1 sheet; 1 p. text. On Royal Economic Society letterhead as

editor of Economic Journal.

Sound

Foxwell 1/25/2

**Previous number** 

Keynes 5(25)

**Description level** 

4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 24.2.1916 (postmark)

**Document form** 

Record type Specific type Language

correspondence envelope English

Content

Summary Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

Summary Condition White, 119 mm x 95 mm Slit along upper edge. Sound

Foxwell 1/26/1

**Previous number** 

Keynes 5(26)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

writer Role

Keynes, John Maynard **Name** 

**Descriptor** Fellow of King's College, Cambridge

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name Descriptor** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

27.2.1917

**Place** [London] W.C., 3 Gower Street

**Document form** 

**Record type** correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

**Acquisition** 

Summary Unknown

Content

**Summary** Many thanks for first instalment of excellent article. Suggests

clarification of one sentence. Can tell Foxwell in confidence that view expressed in his article is strongly held in the Treasury, but great pressure against it from the City. Is now almost entirely occupied with British financial relations with Allies and European Neutrals. "And this is steadily becoming more than one man can really do, Russia alone now

occupying more than half my time."

Printed address "King's College, Cambridge " deleted and Free field

London address added in ink. Marked "Private" underlined,

before salutation.

Keynes, J.M. - as editor of Economic Journal War 1914-18 - finance Subject keywords

Subject keywords

Subject keywords Russia - wartime financial relations with Britain

**Physical descript** 

Summary 1 sheet, 2 pp. text. On Royal Economic Society letterhead as

editor of Economic Journal.

Condition Sound

**Publication record** 

**Type** 

Reference

Related material

Type

Foxwell 1/26/2

**Previous number** 

Keynes 5(26)

**Description level** 

4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 28.2.1916 (postmark)

**Document form** 

Record type Specific type Language

correspondence envelope English

Content

Summary Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

Summary Condition White, 119 mm x 95 mm Slit along upper edge. Sound

Foxwell 1/27/1

**Previous number** 

Keynes 5(27)

**Description level** 

4

writer

Record creation

**Person** 

Role

Name

**Descriptor** 

Keynes, John Maynard

Fellow of King's College, Cambridge

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton Name

**Descriptor** Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

**Date** 6.5.1917

**Place** [London] W.C., 46 Gordon Square

**Document form** 

correspondence Record type

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Unknown

Content

**Summary** June issue of 'Economic Journal' already full, but would be

glad to have an article for September.

Printed address "King's College, Cambridge" deleted and

London address inserted in ink.

Keynes, J.M. - as editor of Economic Journal **Subject keywords** 

Physical descript Summary

Free field

1 sheet; 1 p. text. On Royal Economic Society letterhead as

editor of 'Economic Journal'.

Condition Sound

**Publication record** 

Type Reference

**Related material** 

**Type** 

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/27/2

**Previous number** Keynes 5(27)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 7.5.1917 (postmark)

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** Specific type Language envelope English

Acquisition Summary

Content

**Summary** Annotated in ink, in Foxwell's hand, "J.M.Keynes" followed by Free field

a tick-mark.

Subject keywords

Physical descript Summary Condition White, 119 mm x 95 mm Slit along upper edge. Sound

Previous number Misc. 1(4)

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

Person

Role writer M'Killop, J.

**Descriptor** Secretary to the British Library of Political Science, London

School of Economics

Foxwell 1/28/1

Person

**Date** 

Role recipient

Name Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

Descriptor Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

22.7.1897 (postmark)

Place London, W.C., 10 Adelphi Terrace, London School of

Economics

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Unknown

Content

**Summary** Sends part proof of "our preliminary prospectus" for correction,

reminds Foxwell that if wishes to insert a short syllabus of his

lectures they need to receive the text by August.

Free field Foxwell was lecturer on currency and banking at LSE 1896-Subject keywords

Physical descript

Summary I sheet; 2 pp. text on letterhead of London School of

Economics. Sound

Condition

**Publication record** 

Type Reference

Related material

Type

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/28/2

**Previous number** Misc 1(4)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 22.7.1897 (postmark)

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** Specific type Language envelope English

Acquisition Summary

Content

Addressed to Profesor Foxwell at St. John's College, **Summary** 

Cambridge, forwarded to c/o W.E.Dorrington, Park Gate,

Altrincham, Cheshire.

Free field Annotated in ink, in Foxwell's hand, "Syllabus wanted. Aug. 3".

**Subject keywords** 

**Physical descript** 

Summary Condition White, 131 mm x 106 mm. Slit along top edge. Sound

Foxwell 1/29/1

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(7)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

writer Role

Name **Descriptor**  Marshall, Alfred Professor of Political Economy, University College, Bristol

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton Name **Descriptor** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

19.1.1883

English

[Bristol, Clifton] 31 Apsley Road **Place** 

**Document form** 

**Record type** correspondence Specific type letter

Language

**Acquisition** 

Summary Apparently part of a bundle of letters from Marshall to Foxwell presented by Foxwell's daughter to Mary Paley Marshall in 1938. She in turn sent them to J. M. Keynes under cover of a

letter of 22 June 1938 [Foxwell 1/82]. He presumably

deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content Summary

"I hope it will be decided to complete Jevons' diagrams, at all events in cases in which there is no doubt as to the figures which he would have used in completing them. In an age in which "Quack-statistics" are frequently appearing it is I think very important to preserve and make as prominent as possible

all really good work. Jevons wrote so conscientiously with so much careful preparation, and with such good judgment that I used to care for his statistical work more than for that of

almost any one else"

**Summary** Is against postponing publication of Jevons's Financial and Social Essays. "If one half comes out first, I fancy people will

think they will wait till the other half comes out: and by that

time the whole thing is a little stale."

**Summary** "I think many people will be surprised at finding how important

Jevons' social essays are, when they come to be collected; but I don't think their full importance will be seen unless they are looked at in connection with his views on applied economics. For my part I would rather delay the more forward

half than publish one part without the other.

**Summary** "P.S. As a compromise the diagrams might be followed by a half-page of statistics in a footnote bringing the figures up to

date. This could be done cheaply and quickly. I think there would be danger in continuing Jevons' tables of prices in his 1865 paper unless you have much fuller information than is published of the way in which he got at them, e.g. his results differ much from those of the Economist (for a different set of

commodities) for the years 60-65.

"Also if the continuation of the diagrams would prima facie **Summary** contradict any of the new work you are going to publish of his

there might be something to be said against putting the figures in. If he had lived he would no doubt have continued the figures; but then he would have explained away the apparent contradiction by supplementing his theory or in some other

**Summary** "Thanks for the note about [Frederick Morton] Eden. It has occurred to me that Eden may rise in price: so I am rather tempted to buy it. I will go over the copy I have here when I

can get time and perhaps write to Maggs for it."

Person Name

Jevons, William Stanley & Eden, Frederick Morton & Maggs,

Subject keywords Book collecting

Jevons, W.S. - posthumous publication of statistical and other Subject keywords

work by

**Physical descript** 

Summary Condition 2 sheets; 8 pp. text

Sound

**Publication record** 

Type Reference

Whitaker, J.K., ed., 'The Early Economic Writings of Alfred Marshall 1867-1890', 2 vols, (London, 1975), vol.1, p. 103,

footnote 12. verbatim

Type Reference

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

110.

Excerpts

Type Reference Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall 1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), pp.161, 673.

**Related material** 

Type Reference number

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/29/2

**Previous number** Marshall 3(7)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 20.1.1883 (postmark)

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** Specific type Language envelope English

Acquisition Summary

Content

**Summary** Annotated in ink, in Foxwell's hand, "Marshall on Jevons' Free field

Remains", underlined.

**Subject keywords** 

Physical descript Summary Condition White, 131 mm x 95 mm Slit along top edge. Sound

Foxwell 1/30/1

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(8)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

**Role** 

**Name** 

**Descriptor** 

Marshall, Alfred

writer

Professor of Political Economy, University College, Bristol

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of **Descriptor** 

Political Economy, University College, London

22.1.1883 **Place** [Bristol, Clifton]

**Document form** 

**Record type** correspondence

letter Specific type Language English

**Acquisition** 

Summary Apparently part of a bundle of letters from Marshall to Foxwell

presented by Foxwell's daughter to Mary Paley Marshall in 1938. She in turn sent them to J. M. Keynes under cover of a

letter of 22 June 1938 [Foxwell 1/82]. He presumably deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

Summary

Has decided not to purchase book by [Frederick Morton] Eden and is cancelling his order. Would like to have Malthus' 'Definitions' but is in no hurry. Does not want Hamilton on the National debt, already has more than enough literature on the subject. [Letter is incomplete, latter half of sheet torn off.]

Person

Eden, Frederick Morton & Malthus, Thomas Robert & **Name** 

Hamilton, R. & Maggs, Uriah

**Subject keywords** Book collecting

**Physical descript** 

1 half-sheet, 2 pp. text Summary

Condition Second half-sheet torn off, missing.

**Publication record** 

Type verbatim transcript

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Reference Marshall, Economist', (1996), 3 vols., letter no. 111.

**Type** 

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall Reference

1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), pp. 586, 673.

**Related material** 

**Type** 

Identity code Foxwell 1/30/2

Previous number Marshall 3(8)

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

Date 23.1.1883 (postmark)
Place

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence
Specific type envelope
Language English

Content

Summary Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

Summary White, 120 mm x 94 mm
Condition Slit along top edge. Sound

Foxwell 1/31

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(9)

**Description level** 

4

writer

**Record creation** 

**Person** 

Role

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, University College, Bristol

Person

Role recipier

Name Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

**Descriptor** Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

Date 1.2.1883 (postmark)
Place [Bristol, Clifton]

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence
Specific type postcard
Language English

Acquisition

Summary

Apparently part of a bundle of letters from Marshall to Foxwell

Presented by Foxwell's daughter to Mary Poloy Marshall in

presented by Foxwell's daughter to Mary Paley Marshall in 1938. She in turn sent them to J. M. Keynes under cover of a

letter of 22 June 1938 [Foxwell 1/82]. He presumably

deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

Summary Asks Foxwell to send him a copy of [Richard] Cantillon ['Essay

on the Nature of Commerce', 1755] which Mrs. Marshall wishes to read in connection with lectures she is giving on Adam Smith. Also wishes to have Malthus' 'Definitions'.

Free field Person

Name Cantillon, Richard & Malthus, Thomas Robert & Marshall,

Mary Paley Book collecting

Subject keywords Book collecting
Subject keywords Marshall, Mary Paley - as lecturer

Physical descript

Summary White card 121 mm x 73 mm

Condition Sound

**Publication record** 

**Type** verbatim

Reference Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred

Marshall, Economist', (1996), 3 vols., letter no. 112.

Type reference

Reference Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall

1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), p.673.

Related material

Type

Foxwell 1/32

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(10)

Marshall, Alfred

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

**Role** 

**Name** 

**Descriptor** 

Person

Role

**Name** 

**Descriptor** 

**Place** 

9.2.1883 (postmark) [Bristol, Clifton]

**Document form** 

**Record type** Specific type Language

**Acquisition** Summary

Content Summary

> **Person** Name

Subject keywords

Subject keywords

Physical descript Summary Condition

**Publication record** 

Type Reference

> **Type** Reference

**Related material Type** Reference number

writer

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Professor of Political Economy, University College, Bristol

Political Economy, University College, London

correspondence

postcard English

Apparently part of a bundle of letters from Marshall to Foxwell presented by Foxwell's daughter to Mary Paley Marshall in 1938. She in turn sent them to J. M. Keynes under cover of a letter of 22 June 1938 [Foxwell 1/82]. He presumably deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Foxwell should not vex himself about Cantillon's book [see Foxwell 1/31]. He himself has no current wish to read it. "Only Mary is going in for the history of economic theory in connection with group D, and was fascinated by what Jevons said of him." If they come to Cambridge at Easter, she will be able to borrow Foxwell's copy, but it is too valuable to send by rail. "I am in for 3 lectures in a workmans quarter of Bristol on Progress and Poverty. I intend to avoid talking very much about [Henry] George but to discuss his subject."

Cantillon, Richard & Marshall, Mary Paley & Jevons, William

Stanley & George, Henry

Marshall, Mary Paley - as lecturer

Marshall - Bristol lectures on Henry George's Progress and

Poverty

White card 121 mm x 73 mm

Sound

verbatim transcript

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Marshall, Economist', (1996), 3 vols., letter no. 113.

excerpts

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall 1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), pp. 582 first note, 673

Foxwell 1/33/1

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(11)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

**Role** 

**Name** 

**Descriptor** 

Person

Role

**Name** 

**Descriptor** 

**Place** 

**Document form** 

**Record type** Specific type Language

**Acquisition** 

Summary

Summary

Content

**Summary** 

Free field Person

**Name** Subject keywords Subject keywords

**Physical descript** Summary

Condition

**Publication record** Type Reference

> **Type** Reference

Related material **Type** Reference number writer

Marshall, Alfred

Professor of Political Economy, University College, Bristol

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

15.2.1883 [Bristol, Clifton] 31 Apsley Road

correspondence

letter English

Apparently part of a bundle of letters from Marshall to Foxwell presented by Foxwell's daughter to Mary Paley Marshall in 1938. She in turn sent them to J. M. Keynes under cover of a

letter of 22 June 1938 [Foxwell 1/82]. He presumably

deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Thanks for the Malthus. It is a very nice copy. Has heard at fourth hand that [Arnold] Toynbee in a recent lecture had

given offence by something he said about the working classes. Asks Foxwell to alert him to "sunken rocks to be avoided". Hears Toynbee is unwell, so doesn't like to write to him.

Postscript: Has received letter asking him to be Secretary of Section E [of British Association for the Advancement of Science]. Thought he had made it clear that his health would not permit this, regrets the useless trouble for others.

Malthus, Thomas Robert & Toynbee, Arnold

Book collecting

Marshall - lecturing hazards

1 sheet; 4 pp. text

Sound

verbatim transcript

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Marshall, Economist', (1996), 3 vols., letter no. 114

Excerpt

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall

1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), p.453

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/33/2

**Previous number** Marshall 3(11)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 13.2.1883 (postmark)

**Document form** 

Record type Specific type Language correspondence envelope English

Content

Summary Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

Summary Condition White, 120 mm x 93 mm

Slit along upper edge. Somewhat rubbed.

Foxwell 1/34

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(12)

**Description level** 

writer

**Record creation** 

Person

**Role** 

Marshall, Alfred **Name** 

**Descriptor** Professor of Political Economy, University College, Bristol

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of **Descriptor** 

Political Economy, University College, London

17.2.1883 (postmark) [Bristol, Clifton]

**Document form** 

**Place** 

correspondence **Record type** postcard Specific type Language English

**Acquisition** 

Summary Apparently part of a bundle of letters from Marshall to Foxwell presented by Foxwell's daughter to Mary Paley Marshall in 1938. She in turn sent them to J. M. Keynes under cover of a

letter of 22 June 1938 [Foxwell 1/82]. He presumably

deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

"Thanks for your most interesting letter. It told me exactly what I wanted to know. I am very sorry for T. [Toynbee]. I don't Summary

admire him any the less for it. I quite agree with you that it would not be fair for any one else to bring out his papers. There is no hurry about their appearing. I am not absolutely certain that I shall not publish my lectures. I do not fancy they go over much of T's ground." Repeats apology over misunderstanding about British Association [see Foxwell

1/33/1].

Person

Toynbee, Arnold Name

Subject keywords Marshall - publication of lectures

**Physical descript** 

White card, 121 mm x 73 mm **Summary** 

Condition Sound

**Publication record** 

verbatim **Type** 

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Reference

Marshall, Economist', (1996), 3 vols., letter no. 115

Related material

**Type** 

Identity code Foxwell 1/35/1

Previous number Marshall 3(13)

Description level

**Record creation** 

Person

Role writer

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor Professsor of Political Economy, University College, Bristol

Person

Role recipient

Name Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

**Descriptor** Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

te 30.3.1883

Place Bournemouth, Christchurch Road, Sunningdale

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary

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letter of 22 June 1938 [Foxwell 1/82]. He presumably

deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

Summary Mrs. Toynbee, answering his letter of condolence, said that in all the notices of Toynbee that have appeared, "his life and

personality have been dwelt on mostly...people think of these rather than of him as an economist" and she wished somebody would address that aspect. Marshall has written back explaining why he does not feel he can do it, hopes Foxwell would be willing but has not mentioned that possibility to her. Thought the article in the Economist was "sensible, but hard". Has not seen others apart from short notice in the Times. "The mortality among those whom the world can least

afford to lose has been frightful."

Summary Marshalls plan to come to Cambridge for day or two on March

20 [error for April 20], staying with [Dr Charles] Taylor [Master

of St John's College].

Summary Is looking forward to nearly 6 months almost uninterrupted

work at his book ['Principles']. Will not take time to publish his lectures on [Henry George's] 'Progress and Poverty'.

Free field Letter enclosed in envelope [Foxwell 1/35/2] postmarked 2

April 1883

Person
Name
Toynbee, Arnold & Toynbee, Charlotte Maria [Mrs Arnold] &

Taylor, Charles & George, Henry Marshall - publication of lectures

Subject keywords Marshall - Bristol lectures on Henry George's Progress and

Poverty

Subject keywords Marshall - Principles, drafting of Subject keywords Toynbee, Arnold - obituary notices of

**Physical descript** 

Subject keywords

Summary 1 sheet; 4 pp. text

**Condition** Sound

**Publication record** 

**Type** 

Reference

Type Verbatim transcript Reference Whitaker, John K.,

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1991)

Excerpt

Reference Whitaker, J.K., ed., 'The Early Economic Writings of Alfred

Marshall 1867-1890', 2 vols, (London, 1975), vol.1, p.86

Reference

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall

1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), pp. 238 note, 405, 495, 453,

582

Identity code Foxwell 1/35/2

Previous number Marshall 3(13)

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

Date 2.4.1883 (postmark)
Place

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence
Specific type envelope
Language English

Content

Summary Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

Summary White, 120 mm x 93 mm
Condition Slit along upper edge. Sound

Foxwell 1/36/1

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(14)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

**Role** 

writers Toynbee, Charlotte Maria [Mrs Arnold] **Name** 

**Descriptor** Widow of Arnold Toynbee

Person

Role recipients Marshall, Alfred **Name** 

Professor of Political Economy, Bristol **Descriptor** 

5.4.1883 Date

Surrey, Wimbledon, Thornton Hill **Place** 

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter English Language

**Acquisition** 

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deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

**Summary** Mrs. Toynbee's letter to Marshall, which Marshall annotated

and sent on to Foxwell. She apologises for having put him to trouble unintentionally about writing a notice of her husband's contributions as an economist. Also, when she wrote she had not seen the notice in "the Academy" which she expects says

nearly all there is to say.

Marshall's note to Foxwell, written on back "You may be **Summary** 

saved some trouble by seeing this."

Free field Person

Name Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

Toynbee, Arnold - obituary notices of Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

1 sheet; 3 pp. text on black-bordered writing paper. **Summary** Condition

Sound

**Publication record** 

verbatim transcript **Type** 

Reference Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred

Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

Related material

**Type** 

Foxwell 1/36/2

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(14)

**Description level** 

4

**Record creation** 

Date Place

6.4.1883 (postmark)

**Document form** 

Record type Specific type Language

correspondence envelope English

Acquisition Summary

Content

Summary Subject keywords

Physical descript Summary Condition

White, 120 mm x 95 mm Slit along upper edge. Sound

Foxwell 1/37

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(6)

**Description level** 

writer

**Record creation** 

Person

**Role** 

**Name** 

Marshall, Alfred **Descriptor** Professor of Political Economy, University College, Bristol

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of **Descriptor** 

Political Economy, University College, London

1.4.1883 = 15.4.1883 (attributed) **Place** Bournemouth, Sunningdale

**Document form** 

**Record type** correspondence postcard Specific type Language English

**Acquisition** 

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deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

Summary "I have made rather a fool of myself about London Univ. I

happened not to see any advertisement of it. But I looked in the Calendar and found that the election was at the end of April. So I have only just sent in my application [for

examinership], and today it is returned to me by Milman with the statement that the real selection is done, though the formal election is not till April 25th. I feel rather silly but I hope to survive." Asks when he can come and talk shop with

Foxwell.

Milman, Arthur

Person

Name

Subject keywords Marshall - application for London University examinership

**Physical descript** 

White card, 120 mm x 74 mm **Summary** 

Condition Sound but dirty

**Publication record** 

Verbatim transcript **Type** 

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Reference

Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

Related material

**Type** 

Foxwell 1/38

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(15)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

Role

Name

**Descriptor** 

Person Role

**Name** 

**Descriptor** 

**Place** 

**Document form** Record type Specific type Language

Acquisition

Summary

Content

**Summary** 

Free field

Person Name

Subject keywords

**Physical descript Summary** 

Condition

**Publication record** 

**Type** Reference

**Related material** 

**Type** 

Reference number

writer

Marshall, Alfred

Professor of Political Economy, University College, Bristol

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

14.4.1883

English

Bournemouth, Sunningdale

correspondence postcard

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letter of 22 June 1938 [Foxwell 1/82]. He presumably

deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Thanks him [for invitation to supper]. Suggests how Foxwell should address a letter to the Superintendent of U.S. Census,

[Francis Amasa] Walker, if he wants it to reach him.

Annotated in red ink, probably in Foxwell's hand, "New Haven"

after end of Marshall's text.

Walker, Francis Amasa

White card, 120 mm x 74 mm

Sound but dirty

Foxwell 1/39/1

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(16)

Marshall, Alfred

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

[Bristol, Clifton] 31 Apsley Road

30.4.1883 (postmark)

**Description level** 

writer

#### **Record creation**

Person

Role

**Name** 

**Descriptor** 

Person Role

**Name** 

**Descriptor** 

**Document form** 

**Place** 

correspondence

**Record type** Specific type Language

letter English

# **Acquisition**

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Professor of Political Economy, University College, Bristol

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

#### Content Summary

Delighted that [John Neville] Keynes has got the London Examinership. Hopes Moral Sciences Board will give him plenty of scope in Cambridge. Assumes Foxwell has heard from [Henry] Sidgwick that the Marshalls are to go to Oxford rather than Cambridge. Feel they ought to go "where there are vast flocks of untended sheep without (economic) shepherds rather than where there are many able shepherds with but few sheep. I don't suppose that we will be able to get our crooks round the ankles of many of the Oxford sheep; they are too much out of the way of treating economics as a serious study: still we can try." Thanks him for books. Sends him electric penned statistics.

#### **Person**

Name Subject keywords Subject keywords Subject keywords

Subject keywords

Keynes, John Neville & Sidgwick, Henry Marshall - Oxford, Balliol College appointment 1883

JNKeynes - London University examinership Oxford University - attitude towards economics
Oxford University - Marshall's appointment to Balliol College

lectureship 1883

## **Physical descript**

**Summary** 

1 sheet; 4 pp. text Condition Sound

### **Publication record**

Type

Reference

**Type** 

Reference

verbatim transcript

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

Reference

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall 1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), pp. 238, 294, 586

# Related material

Type Reference number

Identity code Foxwell 1/39/2

Previous number Marshall 3(16)

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

Date 30.4.1883 (postmark)
Place

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence
Specific type envelope
Language English

Content

Summary Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

Summary White, 120 mm x 95 mm
Condition Slit along upper edge. Sound

Foxwell 1/40

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(17)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

Role

**Name** 

**Descriptor** 

Person

Role

**Name** 

**Descriptor** 

**Place** 

**Document form** 

**Record type** Specific type Language

**Acquisition** 

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**Summary** 

Summary

Free field Person **Name** 

Subject keywords Subject keywords Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

Summary Condition

**Publication record** 

Type Reference

Related material Type Reference number writer

Marshall, Alfred

Professor of Political Economy, University College, Bristol

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

7.5.1883 (postmark) Bristol [postmark]

correspondence postcard English

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deposited them in the Marshall Library.

"I thought at first you were referring to the diagram which is the third in the list of [William Stanley] Jevons' work in Appendix II of his Th[eory] of Pol[itical] Econ[omy]. I had at the time forgotten that he had published a separate one on Banking. I have never seen that and don't know what it is like, but I can't think it can be comparable in importance to this other one, that relating to the Fund, price of wheat, etc. I don't see any sufficient cause for such things being charted weekly. Moreover the juice of the subject has been in a great measure brought out in [R.H.Inglis] Palgrave's Bank rate which has an immense mass of statistics of the kind in question.

"The price of wheat diagram could be completed in a few hours' work; and that should I think be done. But I should think the other is hardly worth while. The figures for the former are nearly all in the Statistical Abstract.'

Postscript: "I don't see much use in republishing the old chart

without bringing it up to date."

Jevons, William Stanley & Palgrave, Robert Harry Inglis

Statistics - Jevons's series on wheat prices

Statistics - bank rate

Prices - Jevons's series on wheat

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Sound

Verbatim transcript

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

Foxwell 1/41/1

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(18)

**Description level** 

writer

**Record creation** 

Person

Role

**Name** 

Marshall, Alfred

**Descriptor** Professor of Political Economy, University College, Bristol

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of **Descriptor** 

Political Economy, University College, London

22.5.1883 (postmark]) **Place** Bristol [postmark]

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

**Acquisition** 

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Content

Summary

Is glad to have opportunity of paying tribute to [William Stanley] Jevons' memory, hence prefers having his name

attached to "this note" if it can be done.

Free field Apparently a covering letter for a document now missing.

Person

Jevons, William Stanley Name **Subject keywords** Marshall - tribute to W.S.Jevons

**Physical descript** 

Summary 1 sheet: 1 p. text

Paper appears to have been torn from a larger sheet, since Condition

both top and bottom edges are rough.

**Publication record** 

**Type** Verbatim transcript

Reference

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

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Related material

Type

Identity code Foxwell 1/41/2

Previous number Marshall 3(18)

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

Date 22.5.1883 (postmark)
Place

Document form

Record type correspondence
Specific type envelope
Language English

Content

Summary Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

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Identity code Foxwell 1/42/1

Previous number Marshall 3(19)

Description level

**Record creation** 

Person

Role writer

Name Marshall, Alfred

**Descriptor** Fellow of Balliol College and Lecturer in Political Economy,

Oxford University

Person

Role recipient

Name Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

**Descriptor** Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

Date 22.7.188

Place Pembrokeshire, Newport R.S.O., Parrog, Bryn-y-mor

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

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deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

Summary

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**Summary** "It is difficult to give a short answer to your flattering-coaxing

letter.

Summary "As general proposition I maintain that it is more important to establish truth than to confute error; and that controversy

should be left to people with sound digestions.

Summary "It seems to me infinitely more important that I

"It seems to me infinitely more important that I should solve difficulties which still perplex me than that I should tilt at a successful rhetorician. The one thing that he [Henry George] says which is important, I think, is that economists are - to outward appearance at least - at loggerheads with one another. I would rather put in one brick where it should be in the slowly rising economic edifice than plant a hundred brickbats with the utmost dexterity exactly between the eyes of

Mr. George.

Summary "Still the book has had so many buyers (though I doubt

whether one in fifty of them has read to the end) that I almost determined to publish something about him. My weak point was that I did not know what to attack: a book as large as his own would be wanted to refute all his fallacies. But I hoped I should find out, in the course of my lectures at Bristol, which

of his fallacies had stuck. I failed utterly."

Complains that he encountered no opposition at Bristol to his

attacks on George.

Summary "Still I was wavering: then I heard of Toynbee's death: and

that disinclined me to act for the time: I did not want to say anything in any way opposed to Toynbee: and I thought I would wait. Then came the Oxford post that meant a great deal of reading about India involving a good break in my writing. Now I am writing, but in September I must begin to

read India again."

Will defy Oxford pupils to prefer George's to Mill's doctrines

"as found in the economics of industry."

"(As to the laws of D.R. and I.R. I admit that the account in the Economics of Industry is incomplete. We had intended to go

into it more thoroughly in discussing American protectionist theories, in the Economics of trade and finance.)

"Well, by this means, I shall find out which of George's fallacies are worth attacking, and if I find that the book is not

already fast loosing its hold (which I expect) I shall probably write a review article or two at Xmas or Easter.

Summary

"What you say about Heitlund is important. I am not sure what he thinks: but if he really is taken by George, he is the only

he thinks: but if he really is taken by George, he is the only hard headed man whom I know, who is. I had a talk with [Henry Raime] Beeton. But I thought he was not [word underlined] hard headed. He seemed to me to swallow everything in George; and I got no nearer knowing what to

attack.

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/42/2

**Previous number** Marshall 3(19)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 21.7.1883 (postmark)

**Document form** 

Record type Specific type Language correspondence envelope English

Content

Summary Addressed to Foxwell at 12 Ryder Street, London, S.W.

Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

Summary Condition White, 119 mm x 94 mm Slit along top edge. Sound.

Foxwell 1/43

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(20)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

Role

Name

**Descriptor** 

Person

Name **Descriptor** 

**Date** 

Role

**Place** 

**Document form Record type** Specific type Language

Acquisition Summary

Content Summary

> Summary Free field Person Name

Subject keywords Subject keywords Subject keywords

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Subject keywords Subject keywords

**Physical descript Summary** 

Condition

**Publication record** Type Reference

> **Type** Reference

Related material Type Reference number writer

Marshall, Alfred

Fellow of Balliol College and Lecturer in Political Economy,

Oxford Univeristy

recipient

Foxwell. Herbert Somerton

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

8.8.1883 (postmark)

Pembrokeshire, Newport [postmark]

correspondence postcard

English

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deposited them in the Marshall Library.

"Sidgwick has written urging me to publish Prog[ress] and Pov[erty] lectures. It is hard lines for one who hates controversy more than he does George to be forced into controversy: but I suppose I must do something at the beginning of next year. At present I am engaged in making up my own mind about difficulties. I do an average of 2 hours a day at that if I do nothing else all day: but I cant do it at all when half occupied with other things. So I cant spare time to think of [Henry] George now. As to [John Stuart] Mill I agree that he is literary: and therefore full of errors. But I think he and [David] Ricardo contain the kernel of truth. As to definitions, I have written the part of the new book that relates to them in a radical spirit agreeing much with [William Stanley] Jevons. A 2/6 book must be conservative in definition. Postscript: "You ought to answer George."

Sidgwick, Henry & George, Henry & Mill, John Stuart & Ricardo, David

Henry George - 'Progress and Poverty'

Marshall - on Henry George

Marshall - attitude towards controversy

Marshall - use of Foxwell as surrogate in controversy

Marshall - in agreement with W.S. Jevons Marshall publications - Principles, drafting of

Publications - Principles, drafting of

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verbatim transcript

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

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reference; excerpt

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall 1842-1924 (Aldershot, 1995), p.405, 582 first note, 667, note

Foxwell 1/44

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(21)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

Role

writer

Marshall, Alfred **Name Descriptor** 

Fellow of Balliol College and Lecturer in Political Economy,

Oxford University

**Person** 

Role recipient

Foxwell. Herbert Somerton **Name Descriptor** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

**Date** 

**Place** Oxford, 46 Woodstock Road

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** Specific type postcard Language English

Acquisition

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deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

"I did blush tremenduous [sic] when the circular of [William Summary

Stanley] Jevons Committee came in.

"One thing is sure, that is that my writing is too much for the **Summary** printers, or I should say perhaps too little. The - between 'quantities" and "then" on line 3 should be and; and the

"master" should be "masters". But it does not much matter. I hope you will get enough to give £100 a year: you ought to." The corrections refer to the enclosure to Foxwell 1/41; the original of that enclosure is missing but the printed version is reproduced in John K. Whitaker 'The Correspondence of

Alfred Marshall, Economist', letter no 126.

**Person** 

Free field

Name Jevons, William Stanley Marshall - on W.S.Jevons **Subject keywords** 

**Physical descript** 

White card, 119 mm x 75 mm Summary Condition Printing ink smudges amid the text

**Publication record** 

**Type** 

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no. Reference

126, note 1

Related material

Type Reference number

Foxwell 1/45/1

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(22)

**Description level** 

writer

**Record creation** 

Person

Role

**Name** 

Marshall, Alfred **Descriptor** 

Fellow of Balliol College and Lecturer in Political Economy,

Oxford University

**Person** 

Role recipient

Foxwell. Herbert Somerton **Name** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of **Descriptor** 

Political Economy, University College, London

**Date** 24.10.1883

**Place** Oxford, 46 Woodstock Road

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

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deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

"I will do what I can, but that wont be much. For (i) I know few Summary

people, and am just now too busy to get to know them.

Probably every term after this will be moderately easy but this term has a several-sided rush in it. (ii) I cant give anyone a circular with a quotation of my own words in it. (iii) Oxford men are making a great push about [Arnold] Toynbee's memorial. "My classes are big: I dont suppose they will long remain so."

**Summary** Free field Person

Toynbee, Arnold Name

Subject keywords Marshall - on size of his classes at Oxford

**Physical descript** 

1 sheet; 1 p. text **Summary** 

Condition Sound

**Publication record** 

Type Reference

Related material

**Type** 

Identity code Foxwell 1/45/2

Previous number Marshall 3(22)

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

Date 25.10.1883 (postmark)
Place

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence
Specific type envelope
Language English

Content

Summary Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

Summary White, 119 mm x 94 mm
Condition Slit along upper edge. Sound.

Foxwell 1/46/1

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(23)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

writer Role

Marshall, Alfred **Name** 

**Descriptor** Fellow of Balliol College and Lecturer in Political Economy,

Oxford University

Person

Role recipient

Foxwell. Herbert Somerton **Name** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of **Descriptor** 

Political Economy, University College, London

**Date** 7.11.1883

**Place** Oxford, 46 Woodstock Road

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** 

Specific type letter English Language

Acquisition

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Content

Asks if Foxwell will second the nomination of Bolton King, a Summary

Balliol B.A., for membership in the [Royal] Statistical Society. "I am getting to care about statistics a good deal, not to work at myself: I have not the time. But I think it is just the work for rich young Oxford men who can afford to buy clerical assistance. I hope gradually to get several, and I want to make a beginning with King." Discusses his reluctance to go

out on Sundays because he needs the time to "let down".

**Person** 

King, Bolton Name

Statistics - Royal Statistical Society Subject keywords

Subject keywords Marshall - health

Subject keywords Marshall - interest in statistics

**Physical descript** 

1 sheet; 4 pp. text **Summary** 

Condition Sound

**Publication record** 

**Type** Verbatim transcript

Reference Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred

Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

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**Type** 

Whitaker, J.K., ed., 'The Early Economic Writings of Alfred Reference

Marshall 1867-1890', 2 vols, (London, 1975), vol.1, p.30

Reference

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall

1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), p. 667

Related material

Reference

**Type** 

**Type** 

Foxwell 1/46/2

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(23)

**Description level** 

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**Record creation** 

Date Place 7.11.1883 (postmark)

**Document form** 

Record type Specific type Language

correspondence envelope English

Content

Summary Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

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Foxwell 1/47/1

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(24)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

writer **Role** 

Marshall, Alfred **Name** 

**Descriptor** Fellow of Balliol College and Lecturer in Political Economy,

Oxford University

**Person** 

Role recipient

Foxwell. Herbert Somerton **Name** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of **Descriptor** 

Political Economy, University College, London

**Date** 15.11.1883 (postmark) **Place** Oxford, 46 Woodstock Road

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** 

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

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letter of 22 June 1938 [Foxwell 1/82]. He presumably

deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

"I have written him [possibly Miller] a long letter. Summary: Summary

Prize essays on big subjects are tosh. But on little subjects, subsidiary to big ones, they do good to readers as well as

writers, particularly if they are rather fact-y.

"Suggestion copy the plan of the Howard medal, and give the money in trust to the [Royal] Statistical Society. They may be

"capitalists": but they are good judges of fact."
The envelope accompanying this letter is annotated in Free field

Foxwell's hand "Marshall on Miller's endowment".

Person

**Summary** 

Miller, [-] Name

**Subject keywords** Royal Statistical Society Subject keywords Marshall - on prize essays

**Physical descript** 

Summary 1 sheet; 2 pp. text

Condition Sound

**Publication record** 

**Type** Reference

Related material

**Type** 

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/47/2

**Previous number** Marshall 3(24)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 15.11.1883 (postmark)

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** Specific type Language envelope English

Content

Summary Annotated in ink, in Foxwell's hand, "Marshall on Miller's Free field

endowment." **Subject keywords** 

Physical descript Summary Condition White, 119 mm x 94 mm Slit along upper edge. Sound

Foxwell 1/48

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(25)

**Description level** 

writer

**Record creation** 

Person

**Role** 

**Name** 

Marshall, Alfred **Descriptor** Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name Descriptor** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

11.1.1897 (postmark) **Place** Cambridge [postmark]

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** postcard Specific type Language English

**Acquisition** 

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letter of 22 June 1938 [Foxwell 1/82]. He presumably deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

Summary He is puzzled by trying to remember relationships in family of

Francis Amasa Walker [recently deceased]. Thinks Professor Francis Walker of California was a son. Decided to write to Mrs F.A. Walker in Boston as thinks daughter he knew now

married.

Person Walker, Francis & Walker, Francis Amasa & Walker, Mrs. **Name** 

Francis Amasa

**Subject keywords** American economists

**Physical descript** 

White card, 114 mm x 88 mm Summary Condition Mildew stains at right margin

**Publication record** 

reference Type

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Reference

Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

513, note 4

Related material

Type

Foxwell 1/49/1.2

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(26) [part]

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

Role

Name

**Descriptor** 

Person Role

Name

**Descriptor** 

**Place** 

English

25.1.1897 & 21.1.1897 = 28.1.1897

Cambridge, Balliol Croft

**Document form** 

**Record type** Specific type Language

**Acquisition** 

Summary

Content Summary

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**Summary** 

**Summary** 

Free field

Subject keywords

writer

Marshall, Alfred Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

correspondence letter

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"I inclose the paper of which I spoke. The discussion at the Board [respecting Moral Sciences Tripos] was not hostile to Resolution II"; Marshall is "inclined to drop I altogether and

press II".

. I should like I as it stands: because it would have the effect of starting people on original work before they leave; at all events in their fourth or fifth years. But the difficulties raised during our talk have seemed to grow since then; and I am not very zealous for specializing studies on an area too large to yield good fruit to the spontaneous activity of the student. "Perhaps I should have said that I do not like Theory History Policy because I do not think there is any "theory" to speak of: and analysis is unprofitable when separated from the study of

facts:

"So if I were to try to classify economics, which I dont [word heavily underlined], it would be somehow thuswise:- i. Unanalytical acquaintance with leading facts as a basis (i.e. a ground work in the description and simple history which set forth records of events and conditions and circumstances of life and action) - most people know enough from the ordinary converse of life to be able to pass by this stage.

ii. Elementary qualitative iii. Compound qualitative iv. Quantitative - NB only of some [word underlined] not all facts

[ii, iii and iv bracketed together as:] study of facts v. Simple general vi. Complex general vii. Detailed and Technical [v, vi and vii bracketed together as:] Synthesis or

"applied economics" in subordination to ideals and aims "About that is what I should say if I did say anything in a hurry. But I dont say anything." Forgot to take paper about London

University: please send it.

With two of Alfred Marshall's visiting-cards written on in pencil: "Card I I wanted to ask you what you think of plan of making 3rd papers on Economics in new Part II of M Sc Tripos consist of many questions of which no one may do more than two: also of requiring each candidate (for a first class Q.) to specify beforehand some part of the subject on which he wishes to be examined fully e.g. Banking or Public Finance or Literary Hist.

of economics in XVIII century: & lastly

Card II arranging that two of questions in this third paper should be set on each of the special subjects thus chosen This plan would give freedom to teachers & to students to specialize while the two general papers would secure against danger of over specialization. I fancy this would be in the

direction of your wishes. A.M. 1.30 Thursday' The cards date from 21 January if sent with this letter, or from

28 January if added to it later.

Moral Science Tripos Part II - design of papers in political

economy

Subject keywords Subject keywords Subject keywords

Moral Science Tripos - revision of, l897 Marshall - classification of economics Economics - as classified by Marshall, 1897

**Physical descript** 

Summary

**Condition** 

**Publication record** 

Type Reference

Type Reference

**Related material** Type Reference number 4 sheets and 2 visiting cards, printed "Mr. Alfred Marshall, Balliol Croft, Cambridge"; 4 pp. text plus 4 sides of cards Sound

verbatim transcript Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter nos. 514 and 515

reference

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall 1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), p. 472, 537

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/49/3

**Previous number** Marshall 3(26) [part]

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 25.1.1897 (postmark)

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** Specific type Language envelope English

Content

Summary Free field Subject keywords

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Physical descript Summary Condition White, 132 mm x 106 mm, with embossed penny stamp Slit along upper edge. Discoloured at edges.

Foxwell 1/50

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(27)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

writer **Role** 

**Name** Marshall, Alfred

**Descriptor** Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of **Descriptor** 

Political Economy, University College, London

2.2.1897 **Place** Not stated

**Document form** 

**Record type** correspondence

letter Specific type Language English

**Acquisition** 

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letter of 22 June 1938 [Foxwell 1/82]. He presumably

deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

Having studied Foxwell's Society of Arts Syllabus, thinks there Summary

are no significant differences between them on how history should be studied, merely differences of wording. He has

drafted a preamble. Discusses wording.

Postscript: Thinks of proposing that examiners for Cobden **Summary** 

Prize essay offer choice of subject instead of single subject. Is going to consult Keynes and Sidgwick and ultimately Vice

Chancellor. Does Foxwell agree in principle?

Person **Name** Keynes, John Neville & Sidgwick, Henry

Marshall - on study of history Cobden Prize essay Subject keywords

Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

2 sheets; 2 pp. text **Summary** 

Condition Both sheets torn along folds

**Publication record** 

excerpt Type

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall Reference

1842-1924 (Aldershot, 1995), p.537

**Related material** 

**Type** 

Foxwell 1/51

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(28)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

Role

**Name** 

**Descriptor** 

Marshall, Alfred

writer

Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of **Descriptor** 

Political Economy, University College, London

23.2.1897 (postmark) **Place** Cambridge [postmark]

**Document form** 

correspondence Record type postcard Specific type Language English

Acquisition

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letter of 22 June 1938 [Foxwell 1/82]. He presumably deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

Summary

Is willing to make the first draft of a proposal [for the content of the Moral Sciences Tripos - see Foxwell 1/53/1 and 1/53/2] to be put jointly by Foxwell and himself to a committee of the

Moral Sciences Board.

Subject keywords Moral Science Tripos - revision of, 1897

**Physical descript** 

White, 114 mm x 98 mm Summary Condition Discolorations at edges

**Publication record** 

Type Reference

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall

1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), pp. 537, 675

**Related material** 

**Type** 

Identity code Foxwell 1/52/1

Previous number Marshall 3(29)

Description level

**Record creation** 

Person

Role writer

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role recipient

Name Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

**Descriptor** Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

ate 24.2.1897

Place Cambridge, Balliol Croft

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Apparently part of a bundle of letters from Marshall to Foxwell presented by Foxwell's daughter Audrey to Mary Paley

Marshall in 1938. She in turn sent them to J. M. Keynes under

cover of a letter of 22 June 1938 [Foxwell 1/82]. He presumably deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

Summary

"It is so urgently necessary to get our draft scheme out this week, that I think it will be best for me to come to your rooms

week, that I think it will be best for me to come to your room on Friday at 1.5 to see what you think of this scheme. I will then rewrite it as far as is necessary and take or send it to

Keynes and Sidgwick on the same day.

Summary "I began with a preamble (p.1). But when I came to read it, I

did not like its general effect. It seemed too hortative for the Calendar, and I did not like defining Economics as concerned

only with the Nature, Consumption, Production and Distribution of Wealth.

Summary "So I afterwards wrote pp. A and B as alternative for p.1 and

the first part of p.2.

Summary Even now I am not satisfied. I don't like having Method put at

the top. I hold that people can't judge what are the best methods of economics, till they know a good deal of the

science.

Summary "So I should like to cut out I on p.A and to add a paragraph

about Method and scope, fundamental notions, definitions etc. at the end before the list of books: So as to imply that these matters were to be discussed not at the beginning nor the

end, but in the course of the main study of economics."

Person

Name Keynes, John Neville & Sidgwick, Henry Subject keywords Moral Science Tripos - revision of, 1897

Subject keywords Economics - defining

Subject keywords Marshall - on defining economics

**Physical descript** 

Summary 3 sheets; 3 pp. text

Condition First sheet torn along fold, discoloured

**Publication record** 

Reference

Type reference

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred

Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

517, note 4 reference

Type reference Reference Groenewegen, P

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall

1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), p. 675

Related material

Reference Type

Foxwell 1/52/2

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(29)

**Description level** 

writer

**Record creation** 

Person

**Role** 

**Name** Marshall, Alfred

**Descriptor** Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of **Descriptor** 

Political Economy, University College, London

Not given **Place** Not given

**Document form** 

**Record type** correspondence

Specific type note Language English

**Acquisition** 

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Marshall in 1938. She in turn sent them to J. M. Keynes under

cover of a letter of 22 June 1938 [Foxwell 1/82]. He presumably deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

Summary "Part II.

"I. Every candidate shall be invited, when sending in his name Summary for examination, to state whether there be any subject in

Political Economy to which he has devoted special attention: and opportunity shall be afforded him, by means of alternative questions, especially in the third paper, to obtain credit for any

knowledge he may have of such special subject.

"II. The third paper shall contain many questions; and no

candidate shall be allowed to answer more than two [or three]

The words "or three" in square brackets above were added in Free field

pencil, perhaps in Marshall's hand. Document found together

with Foxwell 1/52/1 and 1/52/3.

Person

**Summary** 

Name

Subject keywords Moral Science Tripos Part II - design of political economy

examination

**Physical descript** 

**Summary** 1 sheet; 1 p. text Condition

Sound

**Publication record** 

verbatim transcript

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Reference

Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

516, note 2

**Related material** 

Foxwell 1/52/3

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(29)

**Description level** 

4

Record creation

Organisation Role

publisher 20.5.1895 **Date** 

**Place** 

Cambridge [inferred]

**Document form** 

Record type Specific type Language

printed publication examination paper

Cambridge University

English

**Acquisition** 

**Summary** 

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Marshall in 1938. She in turn sent them to J. M. Keynes under

cover of a letter of 22 June 1938 [Foxwell 1/82]. He presumably deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

Summary

Moral Sciences Part I examination paper in political economy set on 20 May 1895, each question annotated in ink in the left

margin "S.A." or "C.A." or "C.S."

Found together with Foxwell 1/52/1 and 1/52/2

Moral Science Tripos Part I - political economy paper, I895

Free field **Subject keywords** 

**Physical descript Summary** Condition

1 sheet; 1 p. printed. Several tears along folds

**Publication record** 

Type Reference

**Related material** 

Type Reference number

Foxwell 1/53

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(30)

**Description level** 

writer

**Record creation** 

Person

Role

**Name** 

**Descriptor** 

Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University Person

Role

**Name** 

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

**Descriptor** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of Political Economy, University College, London

21.3.1897 (postmark)

Marshall, Alfred

**Place** 

Cambridge [postmark]

**Document form** 

**Record type** Specific type Language

correspondence postcard English

**Acquisition** 

Summary

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deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

**Summary** 

Apologises for having thought there was a problem of wording in a draft regulation when it turned out there wasn't one. Signature: "Thine A.M."

Free field

Subject keywords Moral Science Tripos - revision, 1897

**Physical descript** 

Summary

Condition Sound

**Publication record** 

**Type** 

Reference

reference Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall

1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), p.675

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Related material

Type

Identity code Foxwell 1/54/1

Previous number Marshall 3(31)

Description level

**Record creation** 

Person

Role writer

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role recipient

Name Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

**Descriptor** Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

ate 8.4.1897

Place Cambridge, Balliol Croft

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter
Language English

Acquisition

Summary

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presented by Foxwell's daughter to Mary Paley Marshall in 1938. She in turn sent them to J. M. Keynes under cover of a

letter of 22 June 1938 [Foxwell 1/82]. He presumably deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

Summary Asks Foxwell to comment on a draft letter to [John Neville]

Keynes and return all material enclosed. [All enclosed material missing]. Comments on a rainy cycling holiday just spent in

Cornwall.

Person

Name Keynes, John Neville
Subject keywords Keynes, John Neville
Marshall - bicycling holiday

**Physical descript** 

Summary 1 sheet; 1 p. text

**Condition** Sound

**Publication record** 

Type reference

Reference Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred

Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

520, note 6 reference

Type reference
Reference Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall

1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), pp.214, 249, 653, 675

Related material

Type

Identity code Foxwell 1/54/2

Previous number Marshall 3(31)

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

Date 8.4.1897 (postmark)
Place

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence
Specific type envelope
Language English

Content

Summary Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

Summary White, 132 mm x 104 mm Condition Slit along upper edge. Sound.

**Identity** code Foxwell 1/55/1

**Previous number** Marshall 3(32)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

writer Role

Name Marshall, Alfred

**Descriptor** Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton Name

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of **Descriptor** 

Political Economy, University College, London

14.4.1897

Cambridge, Balliol Croft **Place** 

**Document form** 

**Record type** correspondence

Specific type letter Language **English** 

**Acquisition** 

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1938. She in turn sent them to J. M. Keynes under cover of a letter of 22 June 1938 [Foxwell 1/82]. He presumably

deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content Summary

"I do not know what to say to you: you are too good to me."

Knows that he does not focus his work enough, Dicey told him the same, but must concentrate on solving his difficulties, not on form. If Vol. II ever finished, thinks of preparing some semi-popular lectures and then working them up into "a sort of Tourists guide to Marshall". Finds it easier to follow the methods of the impressionists when speaking than when

writina.

Believes [Frank William] Taussig had criticised Marshall's Summary

theory of distribution in the MS of his book, but after discussion found there had been misunderstanding. Marshall had told him that the next edition [of the 'Principles'] would hopefully guard against such misunderstanding, but Taussig had not received that edition in time to use it; "and I think that may have been a cause of his silence about me. He seems to

me to ring as true as steel: I cannot conceive him ever doing anything unworthy.

**Summary** Postscript: Agrees with some of Foxwell's criticism of [John

Stuart] Mill, but still holds the latter in high esteem.

Free field Person

Dicey, Albert Venn & Taussig, Frank William & Mill, John **Name** 

Stuart

Subject keywords Marshall - response to criticism Subject keywords Marshall publications - Principles

**Physical descript** 

4 sheets; 4 pp. text Summary

Condition Sound

**Publication record** 

**Type** 

Whitaker, J.K., ed., 'The Early Economic Writings of Alfred Marshall 1867-1890', 2 vols, (London, 1975), vol.1, p. 93, Reference

footnote 19.

**Type** verbatim transcript

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Reference

Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

521.

excerpt **Type** 

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall Reference

1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), p.611, 675, 786

**Related material** 

**Type** 

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/55/2

**Previous number** Marshall 3(32)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 14.4.1897 (postmark)

**Document form** 

Record type Specific type Language correspondence envelope English

Content

Summary Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

Summary Condition White, 133 mm x 105 mm

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Person Name

**Subject keywords** Subject keywords Subject keywords

Physical descript Summary Condition

**Publication record** 

Type Reference

Type Reference

**Related material** 

**Type** Reference number Browne, G.F., Bishop of Stepney & Allbutt, Thomas Clifford, Sir & Whibley, Leonard & Davidson, Strachan & Peile, John &

Bateson, William H.

Women - admission to Cambridge University Marshall - on admitting women to Cambridge Marshall - use of Foxwell as surrogate

4 sheets; 4 pp. text

Sound

extracts

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall 1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), pp. 248, 323, 506 verbatim transcript

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

522

**Identity** code Foxwell 1/56/1

**Previous number** Marshall 3(33)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

writer Role

Name Marshall, Alfred

**Descriptor** Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton Name

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of **Descriptor** 

Political Economy, University College, London

17.4.1897

Cambridge, Balliol Croft **Place** 

**Document form** 

**Record type** correspondence

letter Specific type Language **English** 

**Acquisition** 

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letter of 22 June 1938 [Foxwell 1/82]. He presumably

deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content Summary

Summary

"Soldier awake! You have never done what you had proposed if the debate in the Senate House [on the admission of women

to membership in the University] had extended to the fourth day: and now seems to me the time. I inclose a nearly complete set of the correspondence in the Times. One or two of the first letters are missing, but they are not relevant. Keep them as long as you really want them and then please return

them.

"Browne and Allbutt are always good, but I do not think they Summary have reached their highest level in this discussion. Whibley

lacks finish and reserve (tho less so in the Times than in the XIX Century). The only [word underlined] first class controversialist on our side so far has been an Oxford man -

Strachan Davidson. He I think is splendid.

"And now Peile has repeated with a judicious mixture of Summary effrontery and moderation of tone the verbally true statement that the Report proposes to confer no new rights in the

University on Women.

**Summary** "I would write were it not for three reasons. a. I have done my

share. b. The fact that my wife is of Newnham, and that - bar undergraduates - three fourths of the people who come to this house are Newnham or Girton students present or past, makes it difficult for me to say anything and impossible to say some things that ought to be said. c. I have not the literary faculty. You are one of the very few [two words underlined] on our side that have it. We have a good many hard workers and hard thinkers among us: but those who are deft with their pen are mainly on the other side. Surely now if ever is the time for

vou to strike in.

**Summary** "Your special point is that which now needs to be urged. Viz that this concession is desired by the other side not so much

for what it is as for what it can be worked for, as history shows. The need to drive this home is most urgent, and now that Parliament is away, people will read the letters in the

Times.

"I do not know whether you noticed that [William] Bateson in **Summary** his letter published in the Syndicate's Report gave a new

illustration of the tactics of his side. When 2000 people said that a matter needed inquiry, or were told rightly, it would be tyrannical to refuse it even tho we saw no reason for it: Now that the inquiry has been granted we are told that shows a universal agreement that the time had come for inquiry.

"Soldier awake! Now is the time and you have got to do your share. It is important work: it is just your work. Awake!

Free field Note in Marshall's hand at top of front page, underlined

throughout: "If in a hurry read only at first Peile's letter in the

last cutting.'

Person Name

**Subject keywords** Subject keywords Subject keywords

Physical descript Summary Condition

**Publication record** 

Type Reference

Type Reference

**Related material** 

**Type** Reference number Browne, G.F., Bishop of Stepney & Allbutt, Thomas Clifford, Sir & Whibley, Leonard & Davidson, Strachan & Peile, John &

Bateson, William H.

Women - admission to Cambridge University Marshall - on admitting women to Cambridge Marshall - use of Foxwell as surrogate

4 sheets; 4 pp. text

Sound

extracts

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall 1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), pp. 248, 323, 506 verbatim transcript

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

522

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/56/2

**Previous number** Marshall 3(33)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 18.4.1897 (postmark)

**Document form** 

Record type Specific type Language correspondence envelope English

Content

Summary Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

Summary Condition White, 132 mm x 105 mm

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Foxwell 1/57

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(34)

**Description level** 

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writer

**Record creation** 

Person

Role

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role recipier

Name Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

**Descriptor** Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

ate 18.4.1897

Place Cambridge, Balliol Croft

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary

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letter of 22 June 1938 [Foxwell 1/82]. He presumably

deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

Summary "Hardy is very well in his way: but he is no match for the

strategists of the other side. They know that if they can throw dust in the eyes of non-residents, they will win: a hundred flys [sic] which reach only the residents notwithstanding. Browne, who is a strategist, wrote to me to that effect last year. [John] Peile's letter is I think a masterpiece as addressed to non-residents. And it is just as easy to write for the Times as

non-residents. And it is just as easy to write for the Times as to write a fly. On this subject also you would be in harmony

with the Times.

**Summary** "If we are beaten by non-resident votes, you will have a

considerable share of responsibility. There is a great mass of sentiment in St John's as to the danger of bribing hundreds of low-grade women students to Cambridge, and the hollowness of the pretended motives by which the movement is marked. But it is a candle "under a bushel": you are one of the very few

who could "set it on a hill"."

Free field Person Name

Hardy, William Bate & Browne, G.F., Bishop of Stepney &

Peile, John

Subject keywords
Subject keywords
Subject keywords
Subject keywords
Women - admission to Cambridge University
Marshall - on admitting women to Cambridge
Marshall - use of Foxwell as surrogate

**Physical descript** 

Summary 1 sheet; 1 p. text

Condition Sound

**Publication record** 

**Type** reference

Reference Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall

1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), p. 506

verbatim transcript

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred

Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

523

**Related material** 

Reference

**Type** 

Type Reference number

Foxwell 1/58/1

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(35)

**Description level** 

writer

**Record creation** 

Person

Role

**Name** 

**Descriptor** 

Marshall, Alfred Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of **Descriptor** 

Political Economy, University College, London

26.4.1897

**Place** Cambridge, Balliol Croft

**Document form** 

**Record type** correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

**Acquisition** 

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presented by Foxwell's daughter to Mary Paley Marshall in 1938. She in turn sent them to J. M. Keynes under cover of a

letter of 22 June 1938 [Foxwell 1/82]. He presumably

deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

Summary Proposes two more changes in Moral Sciences regulations,

the first concerning broader interpretation of 'value,' using his experience with the table of contents of the 'Principles', and

the second concerning the book list. Moral Science Tripos - revision, 1897

Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 4 sheets; 4 pp. text Summary

Condition Sound

**Publication record** 

verbatim transcript Type Reference

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred

Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

excerpt

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall Reference

1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), p.430 note, 675

Related material

Type

Type

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/58/2

**Previous number** Marshall 3(35)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 26.4.1897 (postmark)

**Document form** 

Record type Specific type Language correspondence envelope English

Content

Summary Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

Summary Condition White, 133 mm x 105 mm

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Foxwell 1/59

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(36)

Marshall, Alfred

**Description level** 

writer

**Record creation** 

Person

Role

**Name** 

**Descriptor** 

Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of **Descriptor** 

Political Economy, University College, London

29.4.1897

**Place** Cambridge [postmark]

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** postcard Specific type Language English

**Acquisition** 

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letter of 22 June 1938 [Foxwell 1/82]. He presumably

deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

**Summary** Proposes further changes in the reading list for the Moral

Sciences Tripos.

**Subject keywords** Moral Science Tripos - revision, 1897

**Physical descript** 

Summary White card, 114 mm x 89 mm

Condition Sound

**Publication record** 

verbatim transcript Type

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Reference

Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

525

**Related material** 

Type

Foxwell 1/60

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(37)

**Description level** 

writer

**Record creation** 

Person

Role

**Name** 

Marshall, Alfred **Descriptor** Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of **Descriptor** 

Political Economy, University College, London

30.4.1897

**Place** Cambridge [postmark]

**Document form** 

correspondence Record type postcard Specific type Language English

**Acquisition** 

Summary

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deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

**Summary** 

Further discussion of the booklist for the Moral Science Tripos

[see Foxwell 1/58/1 and 1/59]. Moral Science Tripos - revision, 1897

Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

Summary

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**Publication record** 

Type

Reference

verbatim transcript Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred

Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

526

**Related material** 

Type

Foxwell 1/61/1

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(38)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

writer **Role** 

**Name** Marshall, Alfred

**Descriptor** Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of **Descriptor** 

Political Economy, University College, London

7.9.1897

**Place** Cambridge, Balliol Croft

**Document form** 

**Record type** correspondence

letter Specific type Language English

**Acquisition** 

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letter of 22 June 1938 [Foxwell 1/82]. He presumably deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

Summary Pleads with Foxwell not to sell his books, which will appreciate

in value if held. Spending less time on his library would release time to write for newpapers and journals, a gift he should use more, even though Marshall knows that in a few areas Foxwell will support views with which Marshall differs. Asks Foxwell to seek advice from others and not act hastily.

Should be frank with Mr Dorrington.

Salutation: "Beloved Fox".

W.E. Dorrington was to become Foxwell's father-in-law the Free field

following year

Person

Free field

Dorrington, W.E. Name **Subject keywords** Book collecting Subject keywords Foxwell's library

**Physical descript** 

6 sheets; 6 pp. text **Summary** 

Condition Sound

**Publication record** 

verbatim transcript **Type** 

Reference Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred

Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

533 reference

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall Reference

1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), p.676

**Related material** 

**Type** 

**Type** 

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/61/2

**Previous number** Marshall 3(38)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 7.9.1897 (postmark)

**Document form** 

Record type Specific type Language correspondence envelope English

Content

Summary Free field Subject keywords Annotated 'library' by Foxwell

Physical descript Summary Condition

White, 133 mm x 105 mm Slit along top edge. Edges discoloured

Foxwell 1/62/1

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(39)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

writer Role

Marshall, Alfred **Name** 

**Descriptor** Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of **Descriptor** 

Political Economy, University College, London

28.9.1897

**Place** Cambridge, Balliol Croft

**Document form** 

**Record type** correspondence

letter Specific type Language English

**Acquisition** 

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letter of 22 June 1938 [Foxwell 1/82]. He presumably

deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

Summary Asks Foxwell's reaction to possible change in Marshall's

lecture schedule for the next two terms.

**Summary** Thinking of introducing Oxford plan of essay writing for

advanced students in Lent Term. Closes: "My humble

adorations to the Adorable."

The Adorable is presumably Olive Dorrington whom Foxwell Free field

married in 1898.

**Person** Dorrington, Olive Name

**Subject keywords** Economics lecture scheduling

Subject keywords Methodology - teaching

**Physical descript** 

Summary 2 sheets; 2 pp. text

Condition Sound

**Publication record** 

verbatim transcript **Type** 

Reference Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred

Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

**Related material** 

**Type** 

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/62/2

**Previous number** Marshall 3(39)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 28.9.1897 (postmark)

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** Specific type Language envelope English

Content

Summary Addressed to Foxwell at Ivy Crest, Malvern [Worcestershire]

Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

Summary Condition White, 133 mm x 105 mm

Slit along upper edge. Edges discoloured

Identity code Foxwell 1/63/1

Previous number Marshall 3(40)

Description level

**Record creation** 

Person

Role writer

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role recipient

Name Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

**Descriptor** Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

ate 17.12.1898

Place Cambridge, Balliol Croft

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary

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deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

**Summary** Discusses Foxwell's views on value of money. "I wish

"Bimetallists" [capital B underlined 4 times] were not so free with the word "jockey": as a bimetallist [lower case b underlined once] I should suspect those who use the term freely of having bought silver securities cheap and wanting to get i. a good rate of interest ii. a good rate per rupee or

Mexican dollar. Ugh!

Summary

"I used to adore the Gibbs that controverted Bonamy Price.
Why should he besmirch his old age? I will not mention the

word should be destrict his old age? I will not mention the word bimetallism before the Committee [1898 Indian Currency Committee] if I can help it. I have reasons to believe that i. Lubbock was expected (invited?) to give evidence ii. that he has not given it yet. Lord Northbrook gave some high-minded evidence (38 columns) on Nov. 4. It obviously swayed

opinion."

**Summary** Discusses his sister's broken hip.

Summary Mentions part of Lord Northbrook's evidence with which he

disagrees.

Summary Will give Foxwell some gossip once the Committee has

published its report.

Free field Annotation at top of first page: "Personally I invest my little all

in shares, not debentures: and a fall in the value of gold however measured stands to benefit me on the balance." The section of the letter about his sister's hip is headed "Private",

underlined.

Person
Name
Gibbs, Henry Hucks [first Lord Aldenham] & Price, Bonamy &

Lubbock, John, Sir & Baring, Thomas George [first Earl of

Northbrook] Bimetallism

Subject keywords Indian Currency Committee 1898 Subject keywords Marshall - personal investments

Subject keywords Money - value of

**Physical descript** 

Subject keywords

Summary 3 sheet; 3 pp. text

**Condition** Sound

**Publication record** 

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Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred

Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

580

Type reference

Reference Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall

1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), p.674

Related material Type Reference number **Identity code** Foxwell 1/63/2

**Previous number** Marshall 3(40)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 17.12.1898 (postmark)

**Document form** 

Record type Specific type Language correspondence envelope English

Content

Summary Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

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Foxwell 1/64/1

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(41)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

writer Role

Name Marshall, Alfred

**Descriptor** Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of **Descriptor** 

Political Economy, University College, London

8.5.1901

Cambridge, Madingley Road, Balliol Croft **Place** 

**Document form** 

**Record type** correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

**Acquisition** 

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deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content Summary

Attaches "Scheme for an Economic and Political Sciences Tripos" and reading list and discusses his proposals for a separate Economics Tripos under the same Board as the Historical Tripos. Attaches a second copy of the scheme which he asks Foxwell to transmit to [John Neville] Keynes. At a meeting of the Historical Board, he said if "our studies were made to give no room for what business men want, we must expect their money to go to new Universities; and we should continue money-starved. I find that some thought I was going for a "commercial school": That is almost as good a joke as the suggestion of the Times leader-writer of yesterday that it was unfair of Harcourt to discredit my opinions on taxation, by recalling my errors as a Bimetallist. But Harcourt was [word

underlined] subtle." Annotated at top of first page: "I have written to the Times a Free field second letter about Lambton's reference to Fawcett; but of

course I have not set myself to clear up the "Bimetallist"

obscurity."

**Person** Name Keynes, John Neville & Harcourt, William Vernon, Sir &

Lambton, Frederick William [MP for Durham S.E.] & Fawcett,

Henry

Economics Tripos - genesis of Subject keywords

Subject keywords Bimetallism

**Physical descript** 

Summary 5 sheets; 5 pp. text

Condition Sound

**Publication record** 

verbatim transcript **Type** Reference

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

643

reference **Type** 

Reference Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall

1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), p.317

excerpt

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall

1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), p.541

Related material

Type

**Type** Reference

Foxwell 1/64/2

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(41)

**Description level** 

4

writer

**Record creation** 

Person

Role

**Name** 

**Descriptor** 

Date **Place**  Marshall, Alfred Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

1901 (attributed) Cambridge [inferred]

**Document form** 

**Record type** Specific type

Secondary form Language

draft scheme for Economic and Political Sciences Tripos typescript English

university teaching papers

Acquisition

**Summary** 

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deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

**Summary** 

Scheme for an Economic and Political Tripos, with a preamble describing its aims and a list of proposed contents under the following headings: Part I: A. Modern History, B. Economics, C. Politics, D. Essays. Part II: A. Main Economic Course, B. Secondary Economic Papers, C. Politics, D. Law, E. Essays. Economics Tripos - genesis of

Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

**Summary** 

corrections Condition Several slight tears on creases.

**Publication record** 

Type

Reference

verbatim transcript

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

2 sheets; 2 pp. reproduced typescript with manuscript

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**Related material** 

Type

Foxwell 1/64/3

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(41)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

Role

**Name** 

**Descriptor** 

Date **Place**  writer Marshall, Alfred

typescript English

Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

1901 (attributed) Cambridge [inferred]

university teaching papers

lecture plan and booklist

**Document form** 

**Record type** Specific type

Secondary form Language

Acquisition

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deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

**Summary** 

**Summary** 

Subject keywords Subject keywords

**Physical descript** Summary

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**Type** 

Reference

**Publication record** 

Related material Type Reference number "Plans for I901-2" describes Marshall's intention to lecture on

the main principles of economics, starting where his first volume ends. Wishes to avoid necessity of elementary explanations, therefore course will not be suitable for most first and second year students. Lists minimum preliminary reading necessary for third or fourth year students who have already done "hard work in other subjects". Better to read a

few books carefully than to read many.

On reverse, "Short List of Books on Economics

Supplementary to the Tripos Lists." Books listed under following headings: A. General Treatises, B. Labour, C. Money and Credit, D. International Trade, E. Speculation and Combination, F. Taxation, G. Collective Action and Aims. Books marked with asterisks are among those Marshall particularly recommends to be read before starting his course.

Marshall - scheme of economics lectures, I901/2

Economics reading list

1 sheet, 2 pp. reproduced typescript with manuscript

corrections.

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partial transcript

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall

1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), p. 317

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/64/4

**Previous number** Marshall 3(41)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Person Date 10.5.1901 (postmark)

**Place** 

**Document form** 

Record type Specific type correspondence envelope English Language

Content

Annotated in ink, in Foxwell's hand, "Scheme of the Historical **Summary** 

Board - consider and reply more fully." [All underlined.]

**Subject keywords** 

Physical descript Summary Condition White, 133 mm x 105 mm Slit along top edge. Badly foxed

Foxwell 1/65

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(42)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

writer Role

**Name** Marshall, Alfred

**Descriptor** Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of **Descriptor** 

Political Economy, University College, London

10.5.1901

Cambridge, Madingley Road, Balliol Croft **Place** 

**Document form** 

**Record type** correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

**Acquisition** 

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deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

Summary Refers to his views on Bimetallism, his opinion that

Symmetalism is theoretically better than Bimetallism, and the view he has developed in the last year or two that gold Monometallism "seems to me to [be] a simpler cosmopolitan solution for the first half of the XXth century: I don't suppose it will remain a workable scheme for a very long time: perhaps not more than a century or two." Fisher's kind of Bimetallism

makes him furious.

Was aware that George Darwin was trying to interest [Andrew] Summary Carnegie in Cambridge University. "But it never occurred to

me to suggest that he should ask Carnegie to stump up for modern economic teaching, still less for elderly books on

economics.

**Summary** "I wish myself that the University would develop its modern

side, just for a few years. While our young men can't be taught the economics of their own age, I don't like to press the University to supply them with more books relating to past times. Perhaps I am wrong. I wish I knew what to do."

Closes: "Yours in sympathy and perplexity".

Person Darwin, George, Sir & Carnegie, Andrew & Fisher, Irving Name

**Subject keywords** Bimetallism Economics - financing for modern teaching of Subject keywords

Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

Free field

Summary 5 sheet; 5 pp. text

Condition Sound

**Publication record** 

verbatim transcript **Type** Reference

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

644

reference **Type** 

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall

1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), p.675

**Related material** 

Reference

**Type** 

Foxwell 1/66/1

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(43)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

Role **Name** 

**Descriptor** 

Person

Role **Name** 

**Descriptor** 

**Place** 

29.1.1902

**Document form** 

**Record type** Specific type Language

**Acquisition** Summary

Content

**Summary** 

Summary

**Summary** 

Free field Person Name

Subject keywords Subject keywords

**Physical descript Summary** 

Condition

**Publication record** 

**Type** Reference

**Type** Reference

Related material **Type** Reference number

writer

Marshall, Alfred

Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

Cambridge, Madingley Road, Balliol Croft

correspondence

letter English

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deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Responds to Foxwell's comments on his latest proposals on the focus and content of an economics tripos [see Foxwell

"I do not [word underlined] think that every science trains faculties in that way which is best for every other science. I think psychology is an important study in itself; but that its methods are remarkably useless for the economist. As studied

now it deals almost exclusively with introspection and study of individual life. Economics wants social psychology, i.e. inductive observation of men's motives in masses and subdivisions of masses. Also psychology is weaker as a science than economics: and economics is too young and

weak to carry others."

He and Foxwell will not agree about the relevance of Logic in the training of economists. Concerning politics "I do not want much of them. For the economist at all events, modern international general history: and a little analysis of structure and functions of the Modern State on the comparative method suffices I think. But [Goldsworthy Lowes] Dickinson has larger

views: and I think he ought to be heard.

Dickinson, Goldsworthy Lowes

Psychology - methodology irrelevant to economics

Economists - relevance of psychology, logic etc. in training of

6 sheets; 6 pp. text

Sound

verbatim transcript

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

674

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall

1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), p.544

Foxwell 1/66/2

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(43)

**Description level** 

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**Record creation** 

Date Place 29.1.1902 (postmark)

**Document form** 

Record type Specific type Language

correspondence envelope English

Content

Summary Subject keywords

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**Identity** code Foxwell 1/67/1

**Previous number** Marshall 3(44)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

writer Role

Name Marshall, Alfred

**Descriptor** Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton Name

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of **Descriptor** 

Political Economy, University College, London

14.2.1902

Cambridge, Madingley Road, Balliol Croft **Place** 

**Document form** 

**Record type** correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

**Acquisition** 

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Content Summary

Summary

Free field

Continues discussion of the focus of the new Economics Tripos, in particular with reference to the mediocre quality of undergraduates in recent years taking the Moral Sciences Tripos, whose content fails to attract first class minds. Complains that Moral Science Tripos has in effect become a post-graduate degree for men from other universities. Cites specific examples of good and bad. "In my opinion Part I of Mo[ral] Sc[iences] Tripos is too easy for people who have familiarized themselves with its ground notions at another University. Several men of that kind seem to me to have got first classes who have not first class minds e.g. Sen [P.K.], and - worse still - Dockray (and most horrible of all Miss [M.J.]

Reep: but I am not counting women)."

**Summary** "The Mo[ral] Sc[iences] men, except the ablest are mere

parasites of textbooks: they know nothing and seem to care nothing about real life. And the oppression and suppression of economics by the incubus of Moral Sciences seems to me at once so cruel and so great a national evil, that I should be a traitor to my trust if I allowed my personal regard for [John Neville] Keynes and others to prevent me from appealing to

the judgment of the impartial University for redress. Regrets amount of time he has had to spend, and asks Foxwell if he can suggest ways of making Marshall's

arguments less displeasing to Keynes.

Is strongly opposed to memory questions at University, thinks Summary

memory counts for comparatively little in the modern treatment of history. "I confess however that Pigou who has no [word underlined] memory was rather bothered by the want

of it in the History Tripos."

2 annotations at top of first sheet, in Marshall's hand: "Keynes wrote a letter which I have not been able to answer. This partly answers it. Would you be so kind as to show him this. And Oh Keynes! please forgive!!" "[William] Cunningham has not made any answer to my letter enclosing a draft of my

paper."

Person Name Sen, Prasanta Kumar & Dockray, Kenneth Titus Smalley &

Reep, Maud Jewell & Keynes, John Neville & Pigou, Arthur

Cecil & Cunningham, William Economics Tripos - genesis of Economists - training of

Subject keywords Subject keywords Moral Science Tripos - defects in training economists

**Physical descript** 

Subject keywords

11 sheets; 11 pp. text **Summary** 

Condition Sound **Publication record** 

Type Reference

verbatim transcript Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

Type Reference

extract Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall 1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), pp. 322, 471, 544

Related material

Type Reference number

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/67/2

**Previous number** Marshall 3(44)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 14.2.1902 (postmark)

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** Specific type Language envelope English

Content

Summary Annotated in ink, in Foxwell's hand "New Tripos", underlined. Free field

Person

Name Subject keywords

Physical descript Summary Condition White, 133 mm x 105 mm Slit along top edge. Sound

Foxwell 1/68

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(44)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

Role

**Name** Keynes, John Neville

**Descriptor** University Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge

writer

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of **Descriptor** 

Political Economy, University College, London

17.2.1902

**Place** Cambridge, 6 Harvey Road

**Document form** 

**Record type** correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

**Acquisition** 

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deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

Summary

Thanks Foxwell for sending him "the enclosed", presumably Marshall's letter to Foxwell of 14 February 1902 [see Foxwell I/67/1]. "I don't think there is anything more to be said at present: but we must talk the matter over together soon."

**Person** 

Marshall, Alfred Name **Subject keywords** 

**Physical descript** 

Summary 1 sheet; 1 p. text

Condition Sound

**Publication record** 

**Type** excerpt

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Reference

Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

681, note 13 reference

**Type** Reference Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall

1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), p.544

Related material

**Type** 

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/69/1

Marshall 3(45) **Previous number** 

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

writer Role

Marshall, Alfred **Name** 

**Descriptor** Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of **Descriptor** 

Political Economy, University College, London

18.2.1902

**Place** Cambridge, Madingley Road, Balliol Croft

**Document form** 

**Record type** correspondence

letter Specific type Language English

**Acquisition** 

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deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

Continues discussion of the scheme of papers for the new Economics Tripos. He has now reverted to his original notion Summary

of several years ago, following disagreement between Thornely and Dickinson. [See Foxwell 1/66 and 1/67]

**Person** 

Thornely, Thomas & Dickinson, Goldsworthy Lowes Name **Subject keywords** 

Economics Tripos - genesis of

**Physical descript** 

Summary 2 sheets; 2 pp. text

Sound Condition

**Publication record** 

**Type** verbatim transcript

Reference Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred

Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

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**Type** reference

Reference Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall

1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), p.544

Related material

**Type** 

Foxwell 1/69/2

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(45)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

Role

**Name** 

**Descriptor** 

Date

**Place** 

writer Marshall, Alfred

Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

17.2.1902 (University Press date stamp)

Cambridge [inferred]

**Document form** 

**Record type** Specific type

Language

Acquisition

Summary

Content **Summary** 

Free field

Subject keywords

**Physical descript** Summary Condition

**Publication record** 

Type Reference

Related material **Type** 

Reference number

university teaching papers notes on scheme for Tripos

English

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Outlines "a possible grouping of papers on the subjects indicated above between Parts I and II of a Tripos". "The only purpose therefore of this sketch is to indicate the relative proportions which I should myself feel inclined to assign to the different subjects in the curriculum" for students mainly interested in Economics rather than planning on a diplomatic or other political career.

Apparently part of a printed petition to the Senate of the University, of which the earlier part is missing. Possibly a proof. Stamped "University Press Cambridge, 17 February 1902". Similar wording to the postscript of Marshall's 'A Plea for the Creation of a Curriculum in Economics and Associated Branches of Political Science' of 7 April 1902.

Economics Tripos - genesis of

1 sheet, 1 p. text, printed.

Fragile

reference

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

682, note 4

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/69/3

**Previous number** Marshall 3(45)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 18.2.1902 (attributed)

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** Specific type Language envelope English

Content

Summary Annotated in ink, in Foxwell's hand, "Scheme of Papers for the Free field

new Economics Tripos", last two words underlined.

**Subject keywords** 

Physical descript Summary Condition

White, 133 mm x 105 mm. Slit along upper edge. Paper yellowed.

Foxwell 1/70/1

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(46)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

Role

**Name** 

Marshall, Alfred

**Descriptor** Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of **Descriptor** 

Political Economy, University College, London

23.2.1902

**Place** Cambridge, Madingley Road, Balliol Croft

writer

**Document form** 

**Record type** correspondence

letter Specific type Language English

**Acquisition** 

Summary Apparently part of a bundle of letters from Marshall to Foxwell

presented by Foxwell's daughter to Mary Paley Marshall in 1938. She in turn sent them to J. M. Keynes under cover of a

letter of 22 June 1938 [Foxwell 1/82]. He presumably deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

Summary Discusses difficulties of reconciling claims of various

disciplines to have a role in training economists, as reflected in the debates surrounding the content of the proposed Economics Tripos. "The last paragraph on p.16 was put in as an apology for withdrawing those which I have marked with a red A and a red B on the inclosed slips from the earlier draft." [See Foxwell 1/70/2] Asks Foxwell to show letter to [John Neville] Keynes. Has written several hundred sheets on this

topic in the last month and is very weary.

**Person** 

Keynes, John Neville Name

Economics Tripos - genesis of Subject keywords Subject keywords Economists - training of

Physical descript

Summary 7 sheets; 7 pp. text

Condition Sound

**Publication record** 

Reference

verbatim transcript Type

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred

Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

684

reference **Type** 

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall Reference

1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), p.544

Related material

Type Reference number

Foxwell 1/70/2

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(46)

**Description level** 

4

writer

**Record creation** 

Person

Role

**Name** 

**Descriptor** 

Date **Place**  Marshall, Alfred Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

1902 (attributed) Cambridge [inferred]

**Document form** 

**Record type** Specific type Language

printed document printer's proof English

Acquisition

**Summary** 

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Content

**Summary** 

Two excerpts from printed galleys of his draft proposals for the Economics Tripos, with amendments in red and blue ink.
Section 4, headed 'Tentative suggestions as to a curriculum in economics and political science'. Possibly text of a speech to Senate, as says he is leaving discussion of the study of political science and general history to Mr Dickinson.

Person

**Name** Subject keywords Dickinson, Goldsworthy Lowes Economics Tripos - genesis of

**Physical descript** 

Summary

Condition

Half and whole sheet of printed galley.

Original fragile, whole sheet torn at upper margin. Photocopy

supplied.

**Publication record** 

Type Reference

excerpt

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

684, note 4

Related material

Type

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/70/3

**Previous number** Marshall 3(46)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 23.2.1902 (postmark)

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** Specific type Language envelope English

Content

Summary Annotated in ink, in Foxwell's hand, "Dr. Keynes", underlined.

Free field Subject keywords

Physical descript Summary Condition White, 133 mm x 105 mm.

Flap roughly torn. Soiled and mildew-stained near edges.

Foxwell 1/71

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(47)

**Description level** 

writer

**Record creation** 

Person

Role

**Name** 

**Descriptor** Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

**Name** 

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of **Descriptor** 

Marshall, Alfred

Political Economy, University College, London

24.11.1902

**Place** Cambridge, 6 Madingley Road, Balliol Croft

**Document form** 

correspondence Record type postcard Specific type Language English

Acquisition

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letter of 22 June 1938 [Foxwell 1/82]. He presumably

deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

Further discussion of the political and economic history papers Summary

in Parts I and II of the proposed Economics Tripos. Asks Foxwell for his opinion. "Letters are still falling fast and

furious".

Economics Tripos - genesis of Subject keywords

Economic history papers - for Economics Tripos Subject keywords Subject keywords Political science papers - for Economics Tripos

**Physical descript** 

White card, 139 mm x 89 mm. Summary

Much yellowed and brittle. Upper right corner broken off. Condition

**Publication record** 

**Type** Reference

Related material

Type

Foxwell 1/72/1

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(48)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

Role

**Name** 

**Descriptor** 

Person

Role

**Name** 

**Descriptor** 

**Place** 

**Document form** 

**Record type** Specific type Language

**Acquisition** 

Summary

Content Summary

> Free field Person

**Name** Subject keywords Subject keywords Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

**Summary** Condition

**Publication record** 

Type Reference

**Type** Reference

Related material Type Reference number writer

Marshall, Alfred

Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

8.2.1906 Cambridge, Madingley Road, Balliol Croft

correspondence letter

English

Apparently part of a bundle of letters from Marshall to Foxwell presented by Foxwell's daughter to Mary Paley Marshall in 1938. She in turn sent them to J. M. Keynes under cover of a letter of 22 June 1938 [Foxwell 1/82]. He presumably deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Discusses in detail the division of lecturing between himself, Foxwell and [David Hutchison] Macgregor, and the dangers of duplication or gaps. Suggests Foxwell teach English economic history in the 19th century, and recommends that he admit Newnham and Girton students to his lectures. "If they are to be examined, - and I confess I think that too many of them do [word underlined] enter for our Triposes - we ought not to handicap them by excluding them from lectures that are almost necessary." Considers it inappropriate to have a "General Course" in the third year. "I think I am expected to cover more than my share of the whole area. I am willing to be responsible for a half of the third year teaching; or even a little more if need be."

Macgregor, David Hutchison

Economics Tripos lectures - distribution of topics

Women - taking Economics Tripos

Economic history lectures - for Economics Tripos

11 sheets; 11 pp. text.

Sound

verbatim transcript

Whitaker, John  $\dot{K}$ ., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

extract

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall

1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), pp. 323, 472

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/72/2

**Previous number** Marshall 3(48)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 9.2.1906 (postmark)

**Document form** 

Record type Specific type Language correspondence envelope English

Content

Summary Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

Summary Condition White, 133 mm x 105 mm.

Slit along upper edge. Discoloured at edges.

Foxwell 1/73/1

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(49)

**Description level** 

4

**Record creation** 

Person

Role writer

Name Marshall, Alfred

**Descriptor** Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role recipien

Name Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

**Descriptor** Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

12.2.1906

Place Cambridge, Madingley Road, Balliol Croft

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary

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letter of 22 June 1938 [Foxwell 1/82]. He presumably

deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content Summary

Summary

Summary

Thanks Foxwell for full and clear reply to his earlier letter [presumably that of 8 February 1906, see Foxwell 1/72/1]. Praises him as a expositor. Considers that their differences of

Praises him as a expositor. Considers that their differences of approach, where they exist, are beneficial. Describes his own approach to teaching, his technique of winnowing out those pupils who are unprepared, and his dislike of repeating in his lectures ground covered by the 'Principles'. "I work by illustration as far as possible: scarcely ever giving facts for the sake of information, but being rather glad to get them in, when they can be used as a means of forcing people to think." That Foxwell does not lay enough stress on reasoning "is the only [word underlined] objection which, as far as I am aware, I have ever raised to your lectures." Feels Foxwell's

replacement by a younger man would be a calamity.

Agrees students ought to do some drudgery and thus suggested [David Hutchison] Macgregor should give full

first-year course.

Summary

Once there are satisfactory courses for the compulsory papers and for the central parts of the four advanced papers in Part II,

"I think it will be a very great gain to have a special course on Socialism. (But, to be frank, I think no-one can lecture safely on German Socialism without having studied recent writings, including Marx's Capital Vols. II and III, and other postumous works. I have not read them...I have looked at them sufficiently to think they do not save Marx's position. But I should not be willing to lecture on the subject till I had read two or three thousand pages of recent German literature...)" Another subject of the same kind is the history of English

economic theory. He has noticed that almost no pupils borrow books on the subject, although he always offers them to

third-year students.

Summary Since Foxwell is unwilling to lecture on English economic

history, the only apparent solution "is to add on someone else's lectures on Economics at the end of yours. I think that the present plan under which freshmen have their choice only between a set of lectures addressed mainly to historical students, and one which consists only of two lectures during each of two terms, while they are inundated with lectures on

history, is unendurable."

Summary Is extremely sorry to learn of Foxwell's heart trouble, and insists that Foxwell should only undertake what he feels like

doing. Proposes a time for a meeting to discuss their two

Person

Name Marx, Karl & Macgregor, David Hutchison

Subject keywords Marshall - teaching methods
Subject keywords Marshall - on Foxwell as teacher

Subject keywords Socialism

Socialism - German **Subject keywords** 

Subject keywords Subject keywords Economics Tripos - design of lecture courses Economic history lectures - for Economics Tripos

Physical descript

Summary Condition 14 sheets; 14 pp. text Sound

**Publication record** 

Type Reference verbatim transcript

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

Whitaker, J.K., ed., 'The Early Economic Writings of Alfred Marshall 1867-1890', 2 vols, (London, 1975), vol.2, p. 11 Reference

reference

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall 1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), pp. 472, 473, 578 first note and

second note

**Related material** 

Type Reference

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/73/2

**Previous number** Marshall 3(49)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 12.2.1906 (postmark)

**Document form** 

Record type Specific type Language correspondence envelope English

Content

Summary Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

Summary Condition White, 133 mm x 105 mm

Torn along right edge, discoloured at edges.

Foxwell 1/74/1

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(50)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

**Role** 

**Name** 

**Descriptor** 

Marshall, Alfred Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of **Descriptor** 

Political Economy, University College, London

24.2.1906

writer

**Place** Cambridge, Madingley Road, Balliol Croft

**Document form** 

**Record type** correspondence

letter Specific type Language English

**Acquisition** 

Summary Apparently part of a bundle of letters from Marshall to Foxwell

presented by Foxwell's daughter to Mary Paley Marshall in 1938. She in turn sent them to J. M. Keynes under cover of a

letter of 22 June 1938 [Foxwell 1/82]. He presumably

deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

Summary Continues discussion of contents and titles of lecture courses

for the economics tripos, and particularly the division of topics between Foxwell and [David Hutchison] Macgregor. Proposes two topics for Special Subjects [i.e. optional papers], 'English and Continental Socialism with special reference to the first half of the nineteenth century' and 'Adam Smith and his

relations to contempory and later thought'.

Person

**Name** Subject keywords Subject keywords Macgregor, David Hutchison & Smith, Adam Economics Tripos - design of lecture courses

Socialism

**Physical descript** 

7 sheets; 7 pp. text **Summary** 

Condition Sound

**Publication record** 

verbatim transcript **Type** Reference

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred

Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

Related material

**Type** 

Identity code Foxwell 1/74/2

Previous number Marshall 3(50)

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

Date 24.2.1906 (postmark)
Place

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence
Specific type envelope
Language English

Content

Summary Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

Summary White, 133 mm x 105 mm Condition Discoloured at edges

Foxwell 1/75 **Identity code** 

Marshall 3(51) **Previous number** 

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

**Person** 

writer Role

Marshall, Alfred Name

**Descriptor** Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name** 

**Descriptor** Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

23.5.1906 (postmark) **Place** Cambridge, 6 Madingley Road

**Document form** 

correspondence Record type postcard Specific type Language English

Acquisition

Apparently part of a bundle of letters from Marshall to Foxwell Summary

presented by Foxwell's daughter to Mary Paley Marshall in 1938. She in turn sent them to J. M. Keynes under cover of a

letter of 22 June 1938 [Foxwell 1/82]. He presumably

deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

"I cannot find any letter from R.P.[?Palgrave]. If you write to G.W.P., as I hope you will, please say I concur heartily." Summary

Postscript refers to borrowed book.

Person Name

Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

White, 139 mm x 89 mm Summary

Condition Sound

Foxwell 1/76/1

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(53)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

Role

Name

**Descriptor** 

Person

Role

**Name** 

**Descriptor** 

**Place** 

**Document form** 

Record type Specific type Language

Acquisition

Summary

Content **Summary** 

Person

Name Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

Summary Condition

**Publication record** Type

Reference

**Related material** 

**Type** 

Reference number

writer

Marshall, Alfred

Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

3.4.1907

Cambridge, 6 Madingley Road

correspondence

letter English

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letter of 22 June 1938 [Foxwell 1/82]. He presumably

deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Proposes a time and place for a meeting with Foxwell, [Arthur Cecil] Pigou and [David Hutchison] Macgregor to draw up list

of books for the Economics Tripos.

Pigou, Arthur Cecil & Macgregor, David Hutchison

Economics Tripos - reading lists

1 sheet; 2 pp. text

Sound

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/76/2

**Previous number** Marshall 3(53)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 3.4.1907 (postmark)

**Document form** 

Record type Specific type Language correspondence envelope English

Content

Summary Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

Summary Condition White, 133 mm x 105 mm

Slit along upper edge. Discoloured.

Foxwell 1/77/1

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(54)

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

**Role** 

**Name** 

**Descriptor** 

Person

Role

**Name** 

**Descriptor** 

**Place** 

28.4.1907 Cambridge [postmark]

**Document form** 

**Record type** Specific type Language

**Acquisition** 

Summary

Content

Summary

Free field

Subject keywords Subject keywords

**Physical descript Summary** 

Condition

Type Reference

**Publication record** 

Related material

**Type** 

Reference number

writer Marshall, Alfred

Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

correspondence

letter English

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letter of 22 June 1938 [Foxwell 1/82]. He presumably

deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Urges Foxwell to attend a meeting of "the Board" at which book lists are to be considered, and which could result in

"more economic and fewer political books". But problem goes beyond books to papers. Wants Foxwell to propose new arrangement improving balance between economics and

politics.

Closing: "Yours most ever In spite of all d-d currency questions". The reason for the black-bordered paper is

unexplained, but was possibly the death of his brother-in-law,

Rev. Erneste Guillebaud. Economics Tripos - reading lists
Political history - for Economics Tripos

Two sheets of black-bordered paper; 6 pp. text.

Sound

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/77/2

**Previous number** Marshall 3(54)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 28.4.1907 (postmark)

**Document form** 

Record type Specific type Language correspondence envelope English

Content Summary

Physical descript Summary Condition

Black-bordered white envelope, 120 mm x 93 mm.

Discoloured

Foxwell 1/78/1

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(52)

Marshall, Alfred

correspondence

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

Role

**Name** 

**Descriptor** 

Person

Role

**Name** 

**Descriptor** 

**Place** 

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Political Economy, University College, London

8.8.1907

writer

Cambridge, Madingley Road, Balliol Croft

**Document form** 

**Record type** Specific type

letter Language English

**Acquisition** 

Summary

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deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

Summary

Continuing discussion of description of the general papers for Part II of the Economics Tripos, agrees to insert reference to

"some discussion of socialism". Economics Tripos - design of papers for Part II

Subject keywords

Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

**Summary** Condition 1 sheet black-bordered paper, 2 pp. text.

Sound

Socialism

**Publication record** 

Type Reference

verbatim transcript

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

Related material

Type

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/78/2

**Previous number** Marshall 3(52)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 8.8.1907 (postmark)

**Document form** 

Record type Specific type Language correspondence envelope English

Content

Summary Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

Summary Condition Black-bordered white envelope, 120 mm x 93 mm

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Foxwell 1/79/1

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(55)

**Description level** 

## **Record creation**

Person

writer **Role** 

**Name** Marshall, Alfred

**Descriptor** Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

**Name** Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of **Descriptor** 

Political Economy, University College, London

24.1.1908

**Place** Cambridge, 6 Madingley Road

**Document form** 

**Record type** correspondence

letter Specific type Language English

**Acquisition** 

Summary Apparently part of a bundle of letters from Marshall to Foxwell

presented by Foxwell's daughter to Mary Paley Marshall in 1938. She in turn sent them to J. M. Keynes under cover of a letter of 22 June 1938 [Foxwell 1/82]. He presumably

deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

Summary [Ernest Stewart] Roberts had decided to request four lecturers

[for the Economics Faculty] at £200 a year each, hoping they may be forthcoming. "I certainly agree about [Charles Ryle] Fay. I know a good deal about his essay, though I have not read it. I think it is a splendid piece of work, and the energy with which he is throwing himself into his lectures is a glory and a delight to behold. He is a most splendid man, probably the best for attracting men to the Tripos that could be had

anywhere."

Free field Roberts was Master of Peterhouse and Chairman of the

Special Board of Economics and Politics

**Person** 

Name Roberts, Ernest Stewert & Fay, Charles Ryle Subject keywords

Marshall - on Fay

Economics Tripos - lectureships Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

1 sheet; 2 pp. text Summary

Condition Sound

**Publication record** 

verbatim transcript **Type** Reference

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

895

Related material

Type Reference number **Identity code** Foxwell 1/79/2

**Previous number** Marshall 3(55)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 24.1.1908 (postmark)

**Document form** 

Record type Specific type Language correspondence envelope English

Content

Summary Annotated in ink, in Foxwell's hand, "4 lectureships, Fay." Free field

[underlined] **Subject keywords** 

Physical descript Summary Condition

White, 135 mm x 108 mm

Discoloured

Foxwell 1/80/1

**Previous number** 

Marshall 3(56)

Marshall, Alfred

**Description level** 

writer

**Record creation** 

Person

**Role** 

**Name** 

**Descriptor** Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name Descriptor** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

31.5.1908

**Place** Cambridge, 6 Madingley Road

**Document form** 

**Record type** correspondence

letter Specific type Language English

**Acquisition** 

Summary Apparently part of a bundle of letters from Marshall to Foxwell

presented by Foxwell's daughter to Mary Paley Marshall in 1938. She in turn sent them to J. M. Keynes under cover of a

letter of 22 June 1938 [Foxwell 1/82]. He presumably

deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

"Pigou is in my opinion likely [to] be recognized ere long as a Summary

man of quite extraordinary genius: and I hoped he would be elected to the Professorship". Expresses his gratitude for all that Foxwell has done for him. Despite their differences of opinion and temperament "I shall ever feel myself your debtor: I shall ever look back on our association with pleasant and greatful memories." Sympathises with his presumed distress

at having been passed over by the electors in favour of Pigou.

Person

**Name** Pigou, Arthur Cecil Subject keywords

Marshall - on Pigou Pigou - as Marshall's successor Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

1 sheet; 4 pp. text **Summary** 

Condition Sound

**Publication record** 

verbatim transcript **Type** Reference

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred

Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no.

reference

Type Reference Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall

1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), p.626

Related material

Reference number

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/80/2

**Previous number** Marshall 3(56)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 31.5.1908 (postmark)

**Document form** 

Record type Specific type Language correspondence envelope English

Content

Summary Annotated in ink, in Foxwell's hand "Election" preceded by a Free field

tick mark. **Subject keywords** 

Physical descript Summary Condition

White, 130 mm x 109 mm

Discoloured

Foxwell 1/81/1 **Identity code** 

Marshall 3(161) **Previous number** 

**Description level** 

**Record creation** 

Person

writer Role

Marshall, Mary Paley Name

**Descriptor** Lecturer in Political Economy, Newnham College, Cambridge

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of Political Economy, University College, London **Descriptor** 

7.11.1897 (postmark on envelope) **Place** Cambridge, Madingley Road, Balliol Croft

**Document form** 

correspondence Record type

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

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presented by Foxwell's daughter to Mary Paley Marshall in 1938. She in turn sent them to J. M. Keynes under cover of a

letter of 22 June 1938 [Foxwell 1/82]. He presumably

deposited them in the Marshall Library.

Content

**Summary** Discusses possible change of date of a social engagement at

the Marshall's home, due to the Master of St John's having a

visiting preacher staying.

Person

Graves, Mrs & Scott [probably Robert Forsythe] Name

Subject keywords

**Physical descript** Summary 1 sheet; 3 pp. text

Condition Sound **Identity code** Foxwell 1/81/2

**Previous number** Marshall 3(161)

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Date Place 7.11.1897 (postmark)

**Document form** 

Record type Specific type Language correspondence envelope English

Content

Summary Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

Summary Condition White, 120 mm x 94 mm

Yellowed

Foxwell 1/82 **Identity code** 

Marshall 3(160) **Previous number** 

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Person

writer Role

Marshall, Mary Paley Name

**Descriptor** Lecturer in Economics, retired

Person

Role

Keynes, John Maynard **Name** 

Fellow of King's College, Cambridge **Descriptor** 

Date 22.6.1938

[Dorset] Corfe Castle, West Street, c/o Miss Strickland **Place** 

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter English Language

**Acquisition** 

**Summary** Presumably donated by J.M.Keynes.

Content

"Miss Foxwell came to see me before I left Cambridge and **Summary** 

brought this bundle of letters. She said that you might like to see them and, though they bring back old days, I dont want them again. Those about Henry George and Jevons are perhaps of permanent interest." Is in Corfe for the twelfth time, loves it. Sends love to Lydia [Keynes].

Printed Cambridge address deleted in ink and Corfe address

Free field

inserted.

Person Foxwell, Audrey & George, Henry & Jevons, William Stanley & Name

Keynes, Lydia Lopokova Foxwell correspondence

**Subject keywords** 

**Physical descript** 

Summary 1 sheet paper; 1 p. text

Sound. Condition

Foxwell 1/83

**Previous number** 

Misc. 1(13)

**Description level** 

4

**Record creation** 

Person

writer Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name Descriptor** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

Person

Role recipient

Beeton, Henry Raime **Name** 

Stockbroker and writer on bimetallism **Descriptor** 

Date 1894 (attributed)

Cambridge, St John's College **Place** 

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** 

Specific type letter Language English

**Acquisition** 

Summary Given by Alan Beeton, son of Henry Beeton, to Miss Foxwell in 1937, thinking they may be of interest to the biographer,

presumably John Maynard Keynes. Keynes may have

presented them to the Marshall Library.

Content

**Summary** 

**Summary** Had no time to call on him, presumes it was about the

Manifesto [about bimetallism] which is dropped for the present. "Marshall has referred the matter to Keynes - a very level headed man - who however inclines to Marshall's side.

"Marshall is always a man whom it is extremely difficult to work with. He is opinionated, and perhaps inclined to value his opinions too highly. Moreover knowing nothing of English bimetallists he is filled with suspicion of them. In fact he regards them as unmitigatedly soft money men - most unfairly

of course

**Summary** "I showed him [Sir William] Houldsworth's comments on his Manifesto. This produced just the effect I expected. He fell in

love with Houldsworth on the spot. He thought the temper of

the comments admirable.

**Summary** "If he could only be got to meet Houldsworth at dinner I should

not despair of his joining the League. As to argument you might as well argue with [Robert] Giffen. Each man thinks he has exhausted the subject. But Marshall is extremely kind and generous with it all. He is an odd personality - but he is a high-minded honourable man and I should be sorry to quarrel

with him, even if he would let me."

Marshall, Alfred & Keynes, John Neville & Houldsworth, **Name** 

William Henry, Sir & Giffen, Robert, Sir

Subject keywords Foxwell - on Marshall

Subject keywords Bimetallism

Subject keywords Marshall - on bimetallism

**Physical descript** 

**Person** 

Summary 1 sheet; 4 pp. text

Condition Sound

**Publication record** 

extract **Type** 

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall Reference

1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), p. 351-2

Related material

Type

Foxwell 1/84

**Previous number** 

Misc.1(14)

**Description level** 

4

**Record creation** 

Person

writer Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton Name **Descriptor** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

Person

recipient Role

Beeton, Henry Raime **Name** 

Stockbroker and writer on bi-metallism **Descriptor** 

**Date** 24.4.1894

[London] S.W., 12 Ryder Street **Place** 

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** 

Specific type letter Language English

**Acquisition** 

Summary Given by Alan Beeton, son of Henry Beeton, to Miss Foxwell

in 1937, thinking they may be of interest to the biographer, presumably John Maynard Keynes. Keynes may have

presented them to the Marshall Library.

Content

**Summary** "The unfortunate phrase in your Manifesto which caused an

explosion on Marshall's part was the phrase "in matters of detail". If it had been "on some important matters of principle", I think he might have signed it, for he was in a very good mood, being delighted by the evident candour and fairness of some criticism of [Sir William] Houldsworth which I ventured to

show him, knowing how they would strike him.

"Just now I am extremely busy with the Commission [on Summary

Bimetallism?] and Chaplin all day.

"There is no hurry about the Manifesto. It has gone to Keynes. Summary "If you alienate Marshall you give a blow to this movement the Summary

importance of which it would be difficult to exaggerate.

Goschen has the highest regard for Marshall, and he will carry half the Economists with him: e.g. Edgeworth certainly, Bonar and Keynes probably: others will be much shaken in the confidence with which they had previously held their views.

"Lunching with M[arshall] on Monday he observed, during the genial half hour which usually succeeds a judicious meal, "There is really not much difference between our views" - but

he quickly added, "But that difference is most [word

underlined] important." "There you have it exactly."

Printed address "St. John's College, Cambridge" deleted in Free field

ink, London address inserted.

**Person** Marshall, Alfred & Houldsworth, William Henry, Sir & Chaplin, Name Henry & Goschen, George Joachim, Viscount & Edgeworth,

Francis Ysidro & Bonar, James & Keynes, John Neville

Foxwell - on Marshall Subject keywords

Bimetallism Subject keywords

Subject keywords Marshall - on bimetallism

**Physical descript** 

Summary

**Summary** 

Summary 1 sheet; 4 pp. text

Condition Sound

**Publication record** 

extract Type

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall Reference

1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), p. 352

Related material

**Type** 

Foxwell 1/85/1

**Previous number** 

Misc.1(16)

**Description level** 

4

**Record creation** 

Person

**Role** 

**Name** 

**Descriptor** 

Person

Role

Name

**Descriptor** 

**Date** 

**Place** 

**Document form** 

Record type Specific type

Language

**Acquisition** 

**Summary** 

Content **Summary** 

**Summary** 

**Summary** 

Free field

Person **Name** 

Subject keywords Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

**Summary** 

Condition

**Publication record** 

Type Reference

Related material

Reference number

writer

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

Professor of Political Economy, University College, London

Houldsworth, William Henry, Sir Member of Parliament for Manchester

23.4.1894

Cambridge, St John's College

correspondence

letter English

Given by Alan Beeton, son of Henry Beeton, to Miss Foxwell in 1937, thinking they may be of interest to the biographer, presumably John Maynard Keynes. Keynes may have

presented them to the Marshall Library.

"I like [Henry] Beeton's manifesto very much. I am sending it to Marshall. I confess I rather hesitate to sign such an involved and unpractical [sic] document as Marshall's. It makes us look ridiculous, and I should feel a difficulty in defending it against press criticisms. [Sir William Vernon] Harcourt, as you suggest, would make mince meat of it.

Discusses strategy for [Henry] Chaplin's forthcoming cross-examination of [Robert] Giffen [before Gold and Silver

"I am going to call on Marshall this afternoon. I have sent him the Beeton draft. I do not see why he should object to it. It sufficiently intimates the existence of difference of opinion." Houldsworth sent this letter on to Henry Raime Beeton, annotating it "Monday evening. Dear Mr. Beeton, I send this on to you as it may interest you. Yours .. W.H.Houldsworth.

You may destroy it.'

Beeton, Henry Raime & Marshall, Alfred & Harcourt, William

Vernon, Sir & Chaplin, Henry & Giffen, Robert, Sir

Bimetallism

Marshall - on bimetallism

1 sheet; 4 pp. text

Sound

Foxwell 1/85/2

**Previous number** 

Misc.1(15)

**Description level** 

4

**Record creation** 

Person

Role writer

Name Foxwell, Herbert Somerton
Pescriptor Fellow of St John's College

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

Person

Role recipient

Name Beeton, Henry Raime

**Descriptor** Stockbroker and writer on bi-metallism

Date 21.5.1894

Place Cambridge, St John's College

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Given by Alan Beeton, son of Henry Beeton, to Miss Foxwell in 1937, thinking they may be of interest to the biographer,

presumably John Maynard Keynes. Keynes may have

presented them to the Marshall Library.

Content

Summary Believes it highly dangerous to send Marshall "the letter

**Summary** 

enclosed".
"He is not likely at present to pronounce as strongly for

bi-metallism as he has several times done in printed paper. What will happen if you goad him against his will into speaking is that he will so qualify his former expressions that every practical man will regard him as really hostile to bi-metallism. There is no doubt he is hostile to bi-metallists. The man most likely to sooth and coax him is [Sir William] Houldsworth: but H[ouldsworth] is strongly in favour of letting Marshall alone. M[arshall] is very obstinate. If you dont seem to want him, he may come in: but the more pressure you put on him the more

he bucks up.

Summary "As long as Courtney is able unchallenged to make the statement he made at the Mansion House, we have all we are

likely to get. But I have been most anxious lest some contradiction should appear. In fact I dread it so much that I should hardly like again to repeat the statement. Bastable is against us: and God only knows what Edgeworth might say. "If Balfour had said what Courtney did, I am certain we should

have had an indignant letter from Marshall in The Times the

next day. This would be perdition."

Marshall, Alfred & Houldsworth, William Henry, Sir &

Courtney, Leonard & Bastable, Charles Francis & Edgeworth,

Francis Ysidro & Balfour, Arthur James

Foxwell - on Marshall

Bimetallism Marshall - on bimetallism

Physical descript

Subject keywords

Subject keywords Subject keywords

Summary

**Summary** 

Person

Name

Condition

Publication record Type

Reference

Type Reference number

1 sheet, 4 pp. text

Sound

**Foxwell 1/85/3** 

**Previous number** 

Misc.1(16)

**Description level** 

4

**Record creation** 

Person

**Role** 

writer **Name** 

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Descriptor** Professor of Political Economy, University College, London

Person

Role

Houldsworth, William Henry, Sir Name **Descriptor** Member of Parliament for Manchester

23.4.1894 **Date** 

Cambridge, St John's College **Place** 

**Document form** 

correspondence Record type

Specific type letter English Language

**Acquisition** 

**Summary** Given by Alan Beeton, son of Henry Beeton, to Miss Foxwell

in 1937, thinking they may be of interest to the biographer, presumably John Maynard Keynes. Keynes may have

presented them to the Marshall Library.

Content

**Summary** 

**Summary** "I like [Henry] Beeton's manifesto very much. I am sending it to Marshall. I confess I rather hesitate to sign such an

involved and unpractical [sic] document as Marshall's. It makes us look ridiculous, and I should feel a difficulty in defending it against press criticisms. [Sir William Vernon] Harcourt, as you suggest, would make mince meat of it. Discusses strategy for [Henry] Chaplin's forthcoming

cross-examination of [Robert] Giffen [before Gold and Silver

"I am going to call on Marshall this afternoon. I have sent him **Summary** 

the Beeton draft. I do not see why he should object to it. It sufficiently intimates the existence of difference of opinion."

Letter of Foxwell to Houldsworth sent on to Beeton, Free field

presumably the letter referred to in Foxwelll 1/85/1. Annotated by Houldsworth "Monday evening. Dear Mr. Beeton, I send

this on to you as it may interest you. Yours ..

W.H.Houldsworth." Postcript: "You may destroy it.' **Person** 

Name Beeton, Henry Raime & Marshall, Alfred & Harcourt, William

Vernon, Sir & Chaplin, Henry & Giffen, Robert, Sir

Subject keywords Bimetallism

Subject keywords Marshall - on bimetallism

**Physical descript** 

Summary 1 sheet; 4 pp. text

Condition Sound

**Publication record** 

Reference

Related material

**Type** 

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/86

Misc.1(17) **Previous number** 

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

**Person** 

writer Role Name Beeton, Alan

**Descriptor** Son of Henry Raime Beeton

Person

Role Foxwell, Audrey Name

**Descriptor** Daughter of Herbert Somerton Foxwell

Date 15.1.1937

[Berkshire] Reading, Checkendon, Hammonds **Place** 

**Document form** 

**Record type** correspondence

Specific type letter English Language

Acquisition

**Summary** The covering letter for Foxwell 1/83-85/2, possibly given to

Marshall Library by John Maynard Keynes

Content

**Summary** Encloses three letters from Herbert Somerton Foxwell to his

father. Does not want them back.

**Person** Name Foxwell, Herbert Somerton & Beeton, Henry Raime

Subject keywords

Physical descript Summary 1 sheet; 1 p text

Condition Sound

Foxwell 1/87

**Previous number** 

Misc.1(20)

**Description level** 

4

**Record creation** 

Person

writer Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name Descriptor** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

**Person** 

Role recipient

Darwin, George, Sir **Name** 

Professor of Astronomy and Experimental Philosophy, **Descriptor** 

Cambridge University

**Date** 15.6.1901

**Place** Cambridge, 1 Harvey Road

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Given to the Marshall Library by Margaret Keynes [daughter of

Sir George Darwin], through her husband, Sir Geoffrey

Keynes, 8 May 1967.

Content

**Summary** Asks Darwin for support in his application for the post of

Organising Chair of the Faculty of Economics in the new University of Birmingham. Finds Sidney Webb's domination at London University insupportable. Refers to his qualifications, the lack of prospect of a post at Cambridge, and his need for "something substantial and permanent." Refers to certain prejudices against his candidature. Apologises for being a

nuisance.

Person

Webb, Sidney Name

Subject keywords Foxwell -career prospects

**Physical descript** 

Summary 2 sheets; 7 pp. text

Each sheet pierced by two punched filing holes Condition

**Publication record** 

**Type** Reference

Related material

**Type** 

Foxwell 1/88

**Previous number** 

Misc.1(21)

writer

**Description level** 

4

**Record creation** 

Person

Role

Name Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

**Descriptor** Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

Person

Role recipient

Name Darwin, George, Sir

**Descriptor** Professor of Astronomy and Experimental Philosophy,

Cambridge University

Date 17.6.1901

Place Cambridge, 1 Harvey Road

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Given to the Marshall Library by Margaret Keynes [daughter of

Sir George Darwin], through her husband, Sir Geoffrey

Keynes, 8 May 1967.

Content

Summary Thanks Darwin for his note [in response to his letter asking for

a testimonial - see Foxwell 1/87], suggests a letter from Darwin to Lodge [Principal of Birmingham University] which

could be read to the Council.

Free field On the unused half of the sheet, reversed, an unidentified

hand has written in ink: "Dr. Rupert Norton, 28 Rue

d'Offemont or 17 Avenue de l'Opera, Paris'

Person
Name
Lodge, Oliver Joseph, Sir
Subject keywords
Foxwell - career prospects

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 2 pp. text

Condition Pierced by two punched filing holes

Publication record

Type Reference

Related material

Type

Foxwell 1/89

**Previous number** 

Misc.1(22)

**Description level** 

4

**Record creation** 

Person

writer **Role** 

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name Descriptor** 

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

**Person** 

Role recipient

Darwin, George, Sir **Name** 

Professor of Astronomy and Experimental Philosophy, **Descriptor** 

Cambridge University

**Date** 20.6.1901

**Place** Cambridge, 1 Harvey Road

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** 

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Given to the Marshall Library by Margaret Keynes [daughter of

Sir George Darwin] through her husband, Sir Geoffrey

Keynes, 8 May 1967.

Content

**Summary** Those opposed to his candidacy for the professorship at

Birmingham [see Foxwell 1/87 and 1/88] on the grounds that he is not a businessman are also citing his support of bimetallism as a point against him. Has had generous letter from Giffen saying, "unhesitatingly there is no better teacher upon banking and currency". Also has support of business

men.

**Summary** "Our Master [William H. Bateson], as you know, is not an

enthusiast, especially in the case of his own men: and Marshall, who has written very kindly, really prefers [William James] Ashley and is too honest not to allow this to be seen." Is grieved to bother Darwin about such a troublesome

busines. Has put Darwin's name down in a list of references. **Person** 

Name Bateson, William H. & Marshall, Alfred & Ashley, William

James & Giffen, Robert, Sir

**Subject keywords** Bimetallism Subject keywords Foxwell - career prospects

**Physical descript** 

**Summary** 1 sheet; 4 pp. text

Condition Sound

**Publication record** 

Reference

Related material Type

Foxwell 1/90/1 **Identity code** 

Misc.1(100) **Previous number** 

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Person

writer Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name** 

**Descriptor** Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge and Professor of

Political Economy, University College, London

Person

Role recipient

Darwin, George, Sir **Name** 

Professor of Astronomy and Experimental Philosophy, **Descriptor** 

Cambridge University

**Date** 1.2.1903

Place Cambridge, 1 Harvey Road

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

Deposited in the Marshall Library by Margaret Keynes [wife of Summary

Sir Geoffrey Keynes and daughter of Sir George Darwin], July

Content

**Summary** Describes the plight of Middleton who called on him at

University College [London], claiming to have invented a submarine. Wants a few Cambridge men to put up money to build a larger model. Claims to have solved the problem of stability, which the Admiralty has not. He has 15 children none able to earn, and has been cheated out of property in Virginia. Foxwell too short of funds to be able to help, sends

Middleton's statement of affairs [now wanting] on to Darwin.

Person

Middleton, [-] Name

Subject keywords

**Physical descript** 

Summary 1 sheet; 4 pp. text

Pierced by two punched filing holes Condition

Identity code Foxwell 1/90/2

none **Previous number** 

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

**Person** 

writer Role

Keynes, Margaret & Darwin, Margaret SEE Keynes, Margaret Daughter of Sir George Darwin Name

**Descriptor** 

Person

Role

Robinson, Austin, Professor Sir Name

**Descriptor** Professor Emeritus of Economics, Cambridge University

Date

[Suffolk] Newmarket, Brinkley, Lammas House **Place** 

**Document form** 

correspondence **Record type** 

Specific type letter English Language

Acquisition **Summary** 

Content

Covering letter to Foxwell 1/90/1. Leaves it to Robinson as to **Summary** 

whether Foxwell's letter goes to Piero Sraffa, who she

understood was going to write about him, or to the [Marshall]

Library.

**Person** 

Name Sraffa, Piero

**Subject keywords** 

**Physical descript** 

1 sheet lined paper; 1 p. text **Summary** 

Condition Sound Identity code Foxwell 1/91

Previous number None

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

Person

Role writer

Name Keynes, Geoffrey, Sir Descriptor Retired consultant surgeon

Person

Role recipient Name Sraffa, Piero

**Descriptor** Librarian, Marshall Library of Economics, Cambridge

Date 6.5.1967

Place Suffolk, Newmarket, Brinkley, Lammas House

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Piero Sraffa 8 May 1967

Content

Summary

His wife (Margaret, daughter of Sir George Darwin), going through her father's papers, found 3 letters to him from

Foxwell, which she would be happy for the Marshall Library to

have. Covering letter to Foxwell 1/87-89.

Person

Name Keynes, Margaret

**Subject keywords** 

**Physical descript** 

Summary 1 sheet; 2 pp.text

**Condition** Sound

Identity code Foxwell 1/92/1

Previous number None

Description level 4

**Record creation** 

Person

Role writer

Name Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

**Descriptor** Emeritus Professor of Political Economy in the University of

ondon

Person

Role recipient

Name Unknown, writer on bimetallism

Date 1931 (attributed)
Place Unknown

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Sent by Professor Arthur Cecil Pigou to Piero Sraffa, Librarian

of the Marshall Library, for the library's archives, 18 Mar 1956.

Passed to Pigou by Sir John Randolph Shane Leslie

Content

Summary Part of a letter from Foxwell to unknown recipient, who

appears to have recently written on bimetallism, giving anecdotal and autobiographical reminiscences of others involved in the bimetallist controversy. Subjects include Sir William Houldsworth, Bonamy Price, Samuel Dana Horton, William Henry Grenfell and others. Appended are references

to Horton's books and notes on recent slump in silver. First part of letter missing. Annotated "bimetallists" in capitals in red pencil at top of first sheet in unknown hand. Some

names underlined in red pencil. Some details on first page deleted in pencil as if for publication

**Person** 

Free field

Name Houldsworth, William Henry, Sir & Price, Bonamy &

Cernuschi, H. & Wolowski, [-] & Horton, Samuel Dana & Grenfell, Henry R. & Gibbs, Henry R. & Lidderdale, William & Grenfell, William Henry, Lord Desborough & Grenfell, E.C. & Beeton, Henry Raime & Goschen, George Joachim, Viscount

& Giffen, Robert, Sir & Bagehot, Walter

Subject keywords Bimetallism

**Physical descript** 

Summary 7 folded sheets and 1 half sheet; 28 pp text

Condition Sound

Identity code Foxwell 1/92/2

Previous number None

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Person

Role writer

Name Pigou, Arthur Cecil

**Descriptor** Fellow of King's College, Cambridge and formerly Professor of

Political Economy

**Person** 

Role recipient
Name Sraffa, Piero

**Descriptor** Fellow of Trinity College, Cambridge and Marshall Librarian

**Date** 18.3.1956

Place Cambridge, King's College

**Document form** 

Record type correspondence

Specific type letter Language English

**Acquisition** 

Summary Sent to Marshall Librarian as covering letter to Foxwell 1/92/1

Content

Summary Shane Leslie has sent him the enclosed "bits of paper

connected with Foxwell". He sends them for the Marshall

Library's collection.

Summary Pigou adds P.S. giving Leslie's name in capitals so as to be

legible.

Person

Name Leslie, John Randolph Shane, Sir

Subject keywords

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 1 p text

Condition Sound

**Identity code** Foxwell 1/92/3

**Previous number** None

**Description level** 4

**Record creation** 

Person Date

18.3.1956

**Place** Cambridge (postmark)

**Document form** 

envelope English **Record type** Language

Content

Envelope re-used by Prof Pigou to send Foxwell 1/92/1-2 to Sraffa at the Marshall Library. Summary

Annotated in pencil by unknown hand "Foxwelliana" Free field **Subject keywords** 

Physical descript Summary Cream envelope 19 cms x 14 cms, flap re-sealed with sticky label "Professor A. C. Pigou, King's Coll. Camb." Dirty, torn on edges of flap

**Condition**